

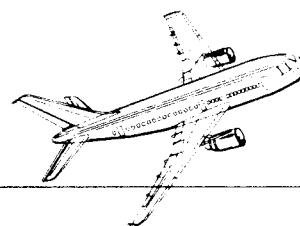
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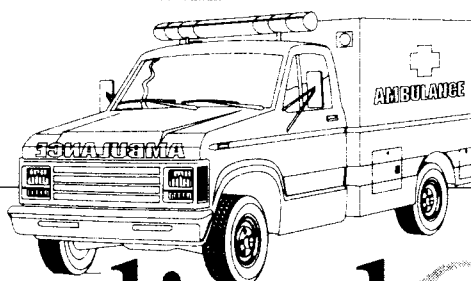


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January	February 14	April	May 14

Price Movements October 1995

The Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U) rose 0.3 percent before seasonal adjustment in October to a level of 153.7 (1982-84=100). For the 12-month period ended in October, the CPI-U increased 2.8 percent.

The Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W) rose 0.3 percent in October, prior to seasonal adjustment. The October 1995 CPI-W level of 151.0 was 2.7 percent higher than the index in October 1994.

CPI for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U)

On a seasonally adjusted basis, the CPI-U rose 0.3 percent in October after increasing 0.1 percent in both August and September. The energy index, which had declined in each of the 3 preceding months rose 0.4 percent in October. Household fuel costs declined less than seasonally anticipated, while the index for motor fuels continued to fall, but by substantially less than in recent months. The food index, which rose 0.5 percent in September, advanced 0.3 percent in October as a downturn in the index for fresh fruits and vegetables more than offset larger increases in most other major grocery store food groups. Excluding food and energy, the CPI-U rose 0.3 percent, following increases of 0.2 percent in each

of the 5 preceding months. An upturn in the index for apparel and upkeep was primarily responsible for the larger advance in October.

During the first 10 months of 1995, the CPI-U rose at a 2.9-percent seasonally adjusted annual rate (SAAR). This compares with a 2.7-percent increase for all of 1994. The food index has risen at a 2.5-percent annual rate, while energy costs have decreased at a 1.9-percent rate. Excluding food and energy, the CPI-U advanced at a 3.3-percent annual rate in the first 10 months of 1995. This follows a 2.6-percent increase in all of 1994.

The food and beverage index rose 0.3 percent in October. Grocery store food prices, which rose 0.6 percent in September, increased 0.4 percent in October. The index for fruits and vegetables, which increased 2.4 percent in September, declined 0.2 percent in October. This deceleration more than offset larger increases in most other major grocery store food groups. In particular, the index for meats, poultry, fish, and eggs, which had risen 0.8 and 0.6 percent in the 2 preceding months, increased 1.0 percent in October, its largest monthly advance since a similar rise in April 1993. Meat prices increased 1.2 percent with beef prices up 0.6 percent; pork prices were up 1.4 percent; and prices for other meats rose, up 2.4 percent. Egg prices increased 4.1 percent in October, their third substantial increase in the past 4 months. The in-

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

Expenditure category	Seasonally adjusted							Compound annual rate, 3 months ended October 1995	Unadjusted 12 months ended October 1995
	Changes from preceding month								
	1995								
	April	May	June	July	August	September	October		
All Items	0.4	0.3	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.3	2.4	2.8
Food and beverages	.7	.1	.1	.2	.2	.4	.3	3.8	2.9
Housing	.3	.1	.2	.3	.3	.1	.4	3.3	2.7
Apparel and upkeep	-.1	-.3	-.3	.2	.3	-.2	.3	1.5	-.5
Transportation	.7	.4	.4	-.4	-.6	-.1	.1	-2.5	2.4
Medical care	.3	.3	.3	.4	.4	.3	.3	4.0	4.2
Entertainment	.3	.5	-.2	.3	.4	.3	.1	3.4	2.8
Other goods and services	.2	.4	.4	.4	.5	.3	.3	4.9	4.4
Special Indexes:									
Energy	.4	.5	.5	-.8	-.8	-1.4	.4	-7.0	-1.2
Food	.7	.1	.1	.2	.2	.5	.3	4.1	3.0
All items less food and energy	.4	.2	.2	.2	.2	.2	.3	3.0	3.0

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 October 1995	Unadjusted 12 months ended October 1995
	Changes from preceding month								
	1995								
	April	May	June	July	August	September	October		
All Items	0.3	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.3	2.4	2.7
Food and beverages	.7	.1	.0	.2	.3	.5	.3	4.4	2.9
Housing	.2	.2	.1	.3	.3	.1	.4	3.1	2.7
Apparel and upkeep	-.1	-.5	-.1	-.1	.3	-.2	.4	2.2	-.4
Transportation	.6	.4	.2	-.6	-.6	-.2	.1	-2.8	2.5
Medical care	.3	.3	.3	.3	.5	.3	.3	4.2	4.2
Entertainment	.3	.4	-.1	.1	.4	.3	.1	3.2	2.6
Other goods and services	.1	.4	.4	.3	.5	.6	.3	6.0	4.2
Special Indexes:									
Energy	.3	.7	.4	-1.0	-.9	-1.4	.4	-7.4	-1.4
Food	.8	.0	.1	.2	.2	.5	.4	4.4	3.0
All items less food and energy	.3	.2	.1	.1	.3	.2	.3	3.1	3.0

dexes for cereal and bakery products and dairy products also accelerated in October, increasing 0.5 and 0.7 percent, respectively. The index for other food at home declined 0.1 percent, the same as in September. The other two components of the food and beverage index—restaurant meals and alcoholic beverages—increased 0.3 and 0.2 percent, respectively.

The housing component increased 0.4 percent in October, following a 0.1-percent rise in September. The index for fuel and utilities, which declined 0.6 percent in September, rose 0.6 percent in October. The index for household fuels rose 1.1 percent as declines in the indexes for fuel oil and natural gas—down 1.3 and 0.2 percent, respectively—were more than offset by a 1.9-percent increase in the index for electricity. (Prior to seasonal adjustment, charges for electricity fell 2.5 percent.) The index for other utilities and public services rose 0.2 percent, reflecting increases in the indexes for telephone services, cable television, and for water and sewer services. Shelter costs advanced 0.4 percent, the same as in September. Within shelter, renters' and homeowners' costs each increased 0.3 percent, and maintenance and repair costs rose 0.7 percent. The index for household furnishings and operation advanced 0.1 percent in October, following increases of 0.5 and 0.3 percent in August and September, respectively.

The transportation index rose 0.1 percent in October after registering declines in each of the 3 preceding months. An upturn in the index for airline fares coupled with a smaller decline in the index for motor fuels more than offset a drop in the index for new vehicles. The index for airline fares, which had fallen 5.9 percent in the last 3 months after increasing 20.4 percent in the first half of 1995, rose 2.3 percent in October. The gasoline index,

which fell 6.5 percent in the 3-month period ended in September, continued to decline, but by less than in recent months—down 0.5 percent in October. (Prior to seasonal adjustment, gasoline prices fell 1.7 percent.) The index for new vehicles, which rose 0.5 percent in September, declined 0.1 percent in October. (Prior to seasonal adjustment, prices for new vehicles rose 0.6 percent. As of October, almost one-fifth of the new car sample was represented by 1996 models. The 1996 models will continue to be phased in over the next several months as they replace old models at dealerships. For a report on quality changes for 1996 cars, see *Producer Price Indexes* October 1995.) Automobile finance charges declined 0.5 percent after seasonal adjustment. The index for used car prices was unchanged in October.

The index for apparel and upkeep increased 0.3 percent in October, following a decline of 0.2 percent in September. (Prior to seasonal adjustment, clothing prices rose 1.5 percent, reflecting the continued introduction of higher-priced fall-winter wear.)

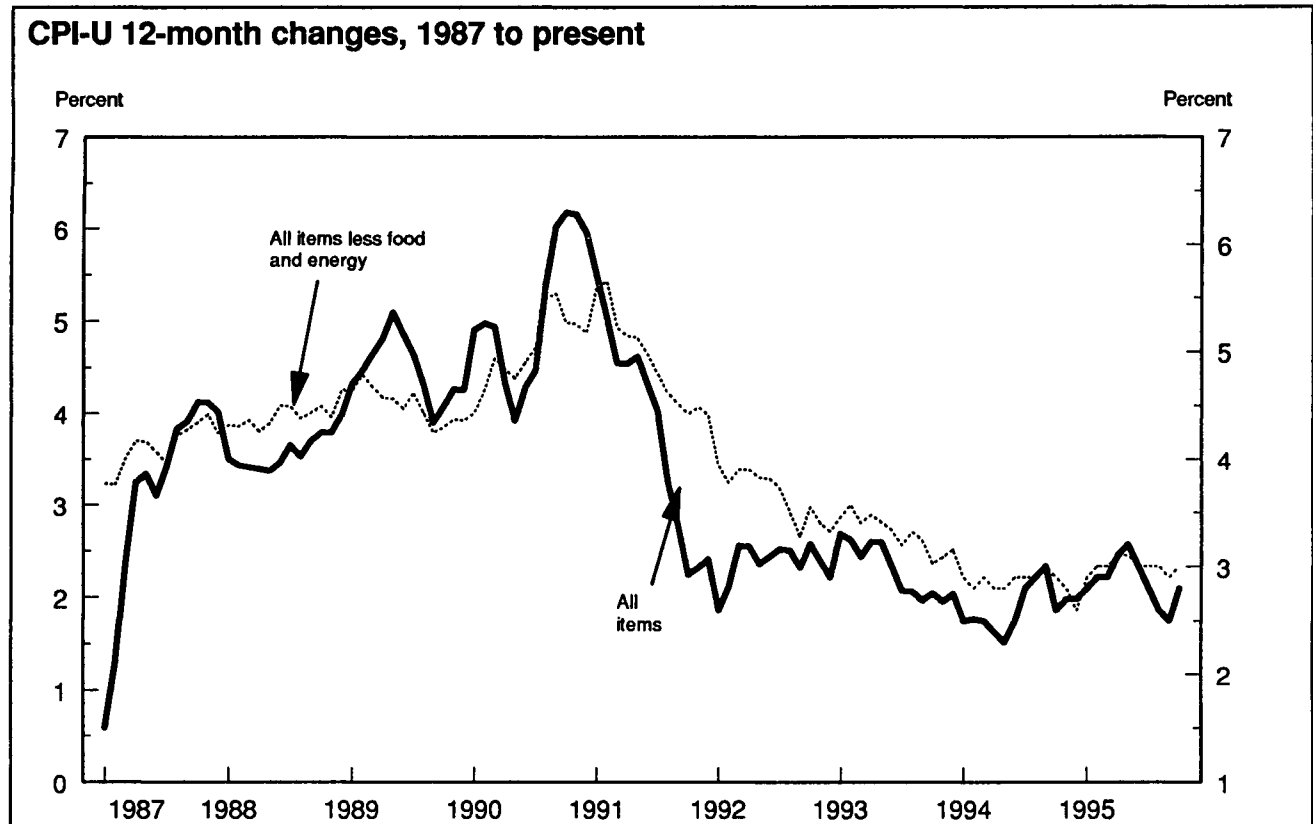
Medical care costs rose 0.3 percent in October and have risen 4.2 percent in the past 12 months. The index for medical care commodities—prescription drugs, nonprescription drugs, and medical supplies—increased 0.5 percent in October. The index for medical care services rose 0.3 percent. Charges for professional services and hospital and related services increased 0.1 and 0.2 percent, respectively.

Entertainment costs rose 0.1 percent in October. Large increases in the indexes for newspapers and club memberships—up 1.7 and 1.1 percent, respectively—were largely offset by declines in the indexes for sporting goods, for toys, hobbies, and music equipment, for admissions, and for fees for lessons and instructions.

The index for other goods and services increased 0.3 percent in October, the same as in September. The index for toilet goods and personal care appliances increased 1.0 percent.

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 0.3 percent in October.



Guide to Available CPI Data Series

Each month the Bureau of Labor Statistics (BLS) releases comprehensive data on changes in average retail prices paid by American consumers during the previous month. These data, the Consumer Price Index (CPI), receive widespread media attention and are closely analyzed by government and private economists to gauge the effectiveness of monetary and fiscal policies for the Nation as a whole. Often neglected in the attention to the overall national inflation rate, however, is that the CPI publishes more than 5,000 other price indexes each month. This article describes the available CPI data series and discusses some of the unique characteristics which should be noted when using or requesting CPI indexes.

Published areas

BLS releases the national (or U.S. city average) CPI data monthly, about 2 weeks after the reference month—the CPI for January is released in mid-February, for example. BLS also publishes indexes monthly for the 4 regions (Northeast, North Central, South, and West), 4 population size classes (A,B,C, and D), and 13 region-by-size groups (Northeast-Size Class A, South-Size Class C, etc.). The A population size class represents all metropolitan areas over 1.2 million; B represents mid-sized metropolitan areas; C small metropolitan areas; and D all nonmetropolitan urban areas. Due to insufficient sample sizes, region-by-size indexes are not published for Northeast Size Class D and West Size Classes B and D.

In addition, BLS publishes CPI information for 29 local metropolitan areas. Some of these metropolitan areas, as defined by the Bureau of the Census, include suburbs or counties that extend across State boundaries. The 29 local areas are available on the following schedule:

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

Bimonthly (odd months are January, March, etc.; even months are February, April, etc.)

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

Semiannually (arithmetic averages for the 6-month periods from January through June and July through December)

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
Seattle-Tacoma, WA

Annually (arithmetic averages for the 12-month period from January through December)

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

Population coverage

For each published CPI data series, two separate indexes are available: All Urban Consumers (CPI-U) and Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W). Both the CPI-U and the CPI-W reflect only the buying habits of *urban* consumers. The CPI-U is the most comprehensive of the two and represents the expenditures by all urban consumers, about 80 percent of the total U.S. population.

The CPI-U is most often referenced when discussing the overall inflation rate and typically is used by economic policy makers. The CPI-W represents a subset of the CPI-U population, that is, the expenditures by urban consumers where more than one-half of the household's income must come from clerical or hourly wage occupations. The CPI-W represents about 32 percent of the total U.S. population and is used in most blue-collar collective bargaining agreements and to index Social Security payments as well as pensions of military and Federal Civil Service retirees and survivors.

The difference in movement of the two indexes arises from slight differences in the weighting of the goods and services priced for the two population groups. Over extended periods of time, the two series show similar movements.

Reference base

The CPI is a tool that simplifies the measurement of changes in prices over time. By selecting an appropriate reference base and setting the average index level for that time period equal to 100, it is possible to compare this month's (or last year's) price index level with the reference base period or to any other time period. The current standard reference base period is 1982-84=100. That is, all price changes are measured from a reference base (100) that represents the

average index level of the 36-month period encompassing 1982, 1983, and 1984.

Prior to the release of the CPI for January 1988, the standard reference base was 1967=100. As a service to our customers with existing escalation provisions, BLS continues to publish CPI all items indexes for the U.S. city average and all regional and local areas using the old base. Note that, although comparisons cannot be made between indexes with different reference bases, the conversion to a new base period does not affect the measurement of percent changes in a given index series from one time period to another, except for rounding differences.

In addition, BLS publishes several index series with a reference base period more recent than January 1982. These indexes either could not be rebased because historical price data were not available for the entire 1982-84 reference period or they represent items (such as mid-grade gasoline) that only recently were introduced into the CPI.

The CPI market basket

The CPI market basket represents all the goods and services purchased by urban households. Price data are collected for more than 200 categories which BLS has arranged into 7 major groups. These major groups, with examples of categories in each, are as follows:

- Food and beverages (bacon, eggs, fruit juice, coffee);
- Housing (residential rent, fuel oil, cable television);
- Apparel and upkeep (men's shirts, women's suits, jewelry);
- Transportation (airline fares, new cars, gasoline, tires);
- Medical care (prescription drugs, physicians' services, eye care, hospital rooms);
- Entertainment (newspapers, pet supplies and expenses, admissions); and,
- Other goods and services (college tuition, tobacco and smoking products, funeral expenses).

Indexes for all of the above categories are published at the U.S. city average level. Due to limitations in sample size, however, many of the smaller expenditure categories are not available at regional and local area levels. Instead, related categories are aggregated and published as part of a more comprehensive category. For example, physicians' services and eye care are combined with similar categories and published as professional medical services at the regional level. At the local area level, professional medical services is, in turn, combined further and published as medical care services.

Seasonal adjustment

Many of the goods and services included in the CPI market basket exhibit "seasonal" patterns of price movement. For example, gasoline regularly tends to rise in price after Memorial Day and decline in price after summer vacations are over in September. BLS analysts use sophisticated statistical techniques to factor out the seasonal trends from the underlying change in prices. The result is that, each month, BLS publishes a seasonally adjusted index for those goods and services that display consistent seasonal patterns of price change. The seasonally adjusted indexes primarily are used by the media, government, and private economic forecasters as a guide in identifying changes in the underlying rate of inflation or in determining the short-term effects on prices of unpredictable events such as natural disasters.

BLS publishes seasonally adjusted indexes only at the U.S. city average level (for both the CPI-U and CPI-W). They are not available for regional or local area levels. Seasonally adjusted indexes are not appropriate for use in escalation or cost-of-living-adjustments (COLA's) because what consumers actually pay for goods and services is represented by the unadjusted data.

Additional information

For additional information, please contact the Division of Consumer Prices and Price Indexes, Bureau of Labor Statistics, 2 Massachusetts Avenue, NE., Room 3615, Washington, DC 20212-0001 or call (202) 606-7000.

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

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Relative importance, December 1994	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Oct. 1995 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Sept. 1995	Oct. 1995	Oct. 1994	Sept. 1995	July to Aug.	Aug. to Sept.	Sept. to Oct.
Expenditure category								
All items	100.000	153.2	153.7	2.8	0.3	0.1	0.1	0.3
All items (1967 = 100)	-	459.0	460.3	-	-	-	-	-
Food and beverages	17.412	149.4	149.8	2.9	.3	.2	.4	.3
Food	15.838	148.9	149.4	3.0	.3	.2	.5	.3
Food at home	9.934	149.2	149.7	3.4	.3	.2	.6	.4
Cereals and bakery products	1.464	168.4	169.0	2.7	.4	.2	.2	.5
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	2.892	139.5	140.8	2.9	.9	.8	.6	1.0
Dairy products	1.169	132.3	133.2	1.3	.7	-.3	-.2	.7
Fruits and vegetables	2.013	178.1	177.2	8.8	-.5	-.6	2.4	-.2
Other food at home	2.396	141.1	141.2	1.2	.1	.3	-.1	-.1
Sugar and sweets	.326	138.4	139.2	2.7	.6	.5	-.1	.4
Fats and oils	.249	137.4	138.3	2.4	.7	.0	.1	.5
Nonalcoholic beverages	.796	131.7	130.9	-1.4	-.6	.5	.1	-1.1
Other prepared food	1.026	151.5	152.1	2.4	.4	.3	-.2	.3
Food away from home	5.904	149.6	150.0	2.5	.3	.2	.1	.3
Alcoholic beverages	1.574	154.5	154.9	2.2	.3	.7	-.1	.2
Housing	41.187	149.5	149.7	2.7	.1	.3	.1	.4
Shelter	28.042	166.8	167.3	3.3	.3	.1	.4	.4
Renters' costs ¹	7.955	175.1	175.3	3.2	.1	-.1	.5	.3
Rent, residential	5.765	158.5	158.9	2.4	.3	.1	.1	.2
Other renters' costs	2.190	205.1	205.0	5.7	.0	-.8	1.4	.5
Homeowners' costs ¹	19.889	172.4	173.0	3.3	.3	.2	.3	.3
Owners' equivalent rent ¹	19.501	172.7	173.4	3.3	.4	.2	.3	.4
Household insurance ¹	.389	157.0	157.1	1.7	.1	.3	-1.0	.1
Maintenance and repairs ²	.198	135.4	136.3	4.2	.7	.2	.0	.7
Maintenance and repair services ²	.120	140.3	141.8	4.3	1.1	.4	.0	1.1
Maintenance and repair commodities ²	.078	128.9	128.9	4.1	.0	.1	.1	.0
Fuel and other utilities	7.093	124.9	123.9	1.2	-.8	.6	-.6	.6
Fuels	3.859	113.4	111.5	.6	-1.7	1.0	-1.3	1.1
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities	.360	86.6	86.9	-.1	.3	.2	-.3	-1.0
Gas (piped) and electricity (energy services)	3.499	121.6	119.3	.7	-1.9	1.2	-1.4	1.2
Other utilities and public services ²	3.234	153.2	153.5	2.1	.2	.1	.1	.2
Household furnishings and operation	6.052	123.8	123.9	2.1	.1	.5	.3	.1
Housefurnishings	3.508	111.7	111.7	.7	.0	.6	.4	-.1
Housekeeping supplies	1.088	138.3	139.2	4.1	.7	.7	.1	.6
Housekeeping services	1.455	144.6	144.7	3.8	.1	.1	.3	.2
Apparel and upkeep	5.656	132.7	134.5	-.5	1.4	.3	-.2	.3
Apparel commodities	5.097	129.5	131.4	-.7	1.5	.3	-.2	.3
Men's and boys' apparel	1.329	126.8	128.4	-.4	1.3	.5	-.1	.1
Women's and girls' apparel	2.269	126.9	130.6	-2.1	2.9	-.3	-1.1	1.3
Infants' and toddlers' apparel	.204	131.2	131.0	1.9	-.2	4.1	2.1	.2
Footwear	.747	126.8	127.5	1.6	.6	.2	1.3	-.1
Other apparel commodities	.548	155.3	153.1	1.1	-1.4	2.0	-.5	-1.9
Apparel services ²	.559	157.4	157.0	.4	-.3	.1	.1	-.3
Transportation	17.139	138.8	139.4	2.4	.4	-.6	-.1	.1
Private transportation	15.623	135.9	136.3	2.0	.3	-.5	-.1	.0
New vehicles	5.059	140.0	140.9	1.8	.6	.1	.5	-.1
New cars	4.052	137.8	138.6	1.5	.6	.2	.2	.0
Used cars	1.318	156.5	157.2	6.4	.4	-.7	-.6	.0
Motor fuel	3.106	99.8	98.3	-3.4	-1.5	-3.0	-1.5	-.3
Gasoline	-	99.7	98.0	-3.6	-1.7	-2.9	-1.6	-.5
Maintenance and repairs	1.536	155.1	155.4	2.4	.2	.4	.3	.2
Other private transportation	4.604	170.1	172.0	4.8	1.1	.4	.3	.2
Other private transportation commodities	.618	104.9	105.0	1.8	.1	.2	-.2	.2
Other private transportation services	3.986	185.4	187.7	5.2	1.2	.5	.4	.2
Public transportation	1.516	176.1	178.7	6.1	1.5	-2.4	-.5	1.6

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)

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		Sept. 1995	Oct. 1995	Oct. 1994	Sept. 1995	July to Aug.	Aug. to Sept.	Sept. to Oct.
Expenditure category								
Medical care	7.266	222.1	222.9	4.2	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.3
Medical care commodities	1.291	204.8	205.7	1.7	.4	.2	.2	.5
Medical care services	5.974	226.1	226.9	4.7	.4	.4	.3	.3
Professional medical services	3.416	202.4	202.9	4.0	.2	.2	.4	.1
Entertainment	4.335	154.9	155.2	2.8	.2	.4	.3	.1
Entertainment commodities	1.968	139.3	139.6	2.0	.2	.4	.2	.1
Entertainment services	2.366	173.4	173.6	3.5	.1	.3	.4	.1
Other goods and services	7.005	210.2	210.7	4.4	.2	.5	.3	.3
Tobacco and smoking products	1.607	228.2	228.0	3.0	-.1	.6	.9	.3
Personal care ²	1.175	147.5	148.5	2.2	.7	.3	.1	.7
Toilet goods and personal care appliances ²	.622	143.0	144.4	1.7	1.0	.4	-.1	1.0
Personal care services ²	.553	152.4	153.0	2.9	.4	.2	.5	.4
Personal and educational expenses	4.223	240.7	241.3	5.5	.2	.6	.2	.3
School books and supplies	.251	216.9	217.7	4.8	.4	.0	.7	.7
Personal and educational services	3.972	242.7	243.2	5.5	.2	.6	.2	.3
Commodity and service group								
All items	100.000	153.2	153.7	2.8	.3	.1	.1	.3
Commodities	43.386	136.8	137.2	1.7	.3	.0	.1	.2
Food and beverages	17.412	149.4	149.8	2.9	.3	.2	.4	.3
Commodities less food and beverages	25.974	129.1	129.5	.9	.3	-.1	.0	.1
Nondurables less food and beverages	15.375	130.0	130.5	.2	.4	-.4	-.3	.1
Apparel commodities	5.097	129.5	131.4	-.7	1.5	.3	-.2	.3
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel ²	10.278	133.3	133.1	.7	-.2	-.5	-.2	-.2
Durables	10.599	127.8	128.2	2.0	.3	.2	.2	.0
Services	56.614	170.0	170.4	3.5	.2	.2	.2	.4
Rent of shelter ¹	27.422	173.6	174.1	3.3	.3	.2	.3	.3
Household services less rent of shelter ¹	8.731	139.7	138.8	1.8	-.6	.4	-.4	.5
Transportation services	7.038	175.9	177.7	4.8	1.0	-.2	.1	.5
Medical care services	5.974	226.1	226.9	4.7	.4	.4	.3	.3
Other services	7.450	196.2	196.5	4.2	.2	.4	.3	.2
Special indexes								
All items less food	84.162	154.0	154.4	2.7	.3	.1	.1	.3
All items less shelter	71.958	149.4	149.8	2.5	.3	.1	.1	.3
All items less homeowners' costs ¹	80.111	154.3	154.7	2.7	.3	.1	.1	.3
All items less medical care	92.734	149.4	149.8	2.7	.3	.1	.1	.3
Commodities less food	27.548	130.1	130.5	.9	.3	-.1	-.1	.2
Nondurables less food	16.950	131.4	131.9	.4	.4	-.2	-.3	.2
Nondurables less food and apparel ²	11.852	134.5	134.3	.8	-.1	-.4	-.2	-.1
Nondurables	32.788	139.9	140.4	1.7	.4	-.1	.0	.2
Services less rent of shelter ¹	29.192	178.3	178.6	3.7	.2	.3	.1	.3
Services less medical care services	50.640	164.7	165.1	3.4	.2	.1	.2	.4
Energy	6.965	106.2	104.5	-1.2	-1.6	-.8	-1.4	.4
All items less energy	93.035	159.5	160.2	3.0	.4	.2	.3	.3
All items less food and energy	77.197	162.1	162.8	3.0	.4	.2	.2	.3
Commodities less food and energy commodities	24.082	139.7	140.5	1.6	.6	.4	.1	.2
Energy commodities	3.466	98.5	97.2	-3.2	-1.3	-2.7	-1.3	-.5
Services less energy services	53.115	174.9	175.6	3.7	.4	.1	.3	.3
Purchasing power of the consumer dollar:								
1982-84=\$1.00 ²	-	\$.653	\$.651	-2.7	-.3	-.3	-.2	-.3
1967=\$1.00 ²	-	.218	.217	-	-	-	-	-

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 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					
	July 1995	Aug. 1995	Sept. 1995	Oct. 1995	3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
					Jan. 1995	Apr. 1995	July 1995	Oct. 1995	Apr. 1995	Oct. 1995
Expenditure category										
All items	-	-	-	-	2.7	3.5	2.4	2.4	3.1	2.4
Food and beverages	149.0	149.3	149.9	150.4	2.5	4.1	1.4	3.8	3.3	2.6
Food	148.7	149.0	149.7	150.2	2.5	4.2	1.4	4.1	3.3	2.7
Food at home	148.8	149.1	150.0	150.6	2.5	5.0	1.1	4.9	3.7	3.0
Cereals and bakery products	167.7	168.1	168.4	169.2	-5	4.9	2.7	3.6	2.2	3.1
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	137.6	138.7	139.5	140.9	.0	1.8	.3	9.9	.9	5.0
Dairy products	133.0	132.6	132.3	133.2	1.5	1.5	1.5	.6	1.5	1.1
Fruits and vegetables	179.7	178.6	182.8	182.5	11.9	16.4	.7	6.4	14.2	3.5
Other food at home	140.9	141.3	141.2	141.1	1.4	2.0	.9	.6	1.7	.7
Sugar and sweets	137.9	138.6	138.4	139.0	.0	3.3	4.2	3.2	1.6	3.7
Fats and oils	137.5	137.5	137.6	138.3	3.3	1.8	2.4	2.3	2.5	2.4
Nonalcoholic beverages	131.4	132.0	132.1	130.7	.9	-3	-3.9	-2.1	.3	-3.0
Other prepared food	151.5	151.9	151.6	152.1	1.9	3.5	2.7	1.6	2.7	2.1
Food away from home	149.1	149.4	149.6	150.0	2.8	2.5	2.2	2.4	2.6	2.3
Alcoholic beverages	153.8	154.8	154.7	155.0	1.3	2.4	1.6	3.2	1.9	2.4
Housing	148.5	148.9	149.1	149.7	2.2	3.0	2.5	3.3	2.6	2.9
Shelter	165.8	165.9	166.6	167.2	2.5	4.0	3.5	3.4	3.2	3.4
Renters' costs ¹	174.1	173.9	174.7	175.3	1.9	5.3	3.3	2.8	3.6	3.0
Rent, residential	158.0	158.2	158.4	158.7	2.6	2.3	2.6	1.8	2.5	2.2
Other renters' costs	206.3	204.7	207.6	208.7	.2	12.9	5.2	4.7	6.4	5.0
Homeowners' costs ¹	171.3	171.6	172.2	172.8	2.7	3.4	3.6	3.5	3.0	3.6
Owners' equivalent rent ¹	171.6	171.9	172.5	173.2	2.7	3.1	3.8	3.8	2.9	3.8
Household insurance ¹	157.8	158.2	156.6	156.7	5.0	4.7	-3	-2.8	4.9	-1.5
Maintenance and repairs ²	135.1	135.4	135.4	136.3	7.2	3.3	2.7	3.6	5.3	3.2
Maintenance and repair services ²	139.8	140.3	140.3	141.8	4.2	5.0	2.3	5.8	4.6	4.1
Maintenance and repair commodities ²	128.7	128.8	128.9	128.9	12.5	.3	3.5	.6	6.2	2.0
Fuel and other utilities	123.5	124.2	123.4	124.1	2.3	.3	.3	2.0	1.3	1.1
Fuels	110.4	111.5	110.0	111.2	.7	-4	-7	2.9	.2	1.1
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities	88.8	89.0	88.7	87.8	-1.4	-1.4	7.1	-4.4	-1.4	1.1
Gas (piped) and electricity (energy services)	117.9	119.3	117.6	119.0	.7	.0	-2.0	3.8	.3	.8
Other utilities and public services ²	153.0	153.1	153.2	153.5	4.6	.3	2.1	1.3	2.4	1.7
Household furnishings and operation	122.7	123.3	123.7	123.8	2.3	1.6	.7	3.6	2.0	2.1
Housefurnishings	110.8	111.5	111.9	111.8	-4	.7	-1.1	3.7	.2	1.3
Housekeeping supplies	137.4	138.3	138.4	139.2	.3	6.7	4.2	5.3	3.5	4.8
Housekeeping services	143.6	143.7	144.1	144.4	10.5	.8	2.0	2.2	5.5	2.1
Apparel and upkeep	131.6	132.0	131.7	132.1	.6	-2.7	-1.5	1.5	-1.1	.0
Apparel commodities	128.2	128.6	128.3	128.7	.6	-3.0	-1.5	1.6	-1.2	.0
Men's and boys' apparel	125.4	126.0	125.9	126.0	.0	-2.2	-1.6	1.9	-1.1	.2
Women's and girls' apparel	127.0	126.6	125.2	126.8	-2.1	-4.9	-6	-6	-3.5	-6
Infants' and toddlers' apparel	123.3	128.3	131.0	131.3	5.1	-13.9	-7.1	28.6	-4.9	9.3
Footwear	124.7	125.0	126.6	126.5	3.6	1.0	-3.8	5.9	2.3	1.0
Other apparel commodities	152.0	155.0	154.2	151.2	6.6	2.1	-1.8	-2.1	4.3	-2.0
Apparel services ²	157.2	157.3	157.4	157.0	1.5	1.8	-1.3	-5	1.7	-9
Transportation	140.3	139.4	139.2	139.4	3.9	6.9	1.7	-2.5	5.4	-4
Private transportation	137.0	136.3	136.2	136.2	6.1	5.1	-3	-2.3	5.6	-1.3
New vehicles	141.0	141.2	141.9	141.8	.6	3.2	1.1	2.3	1.9	1.7
New cars	139.0	139.3	139.6	139.6	.3	3.5	.3	1.7	1.9	1.0
Used cars	156.1	155.0	154.0	154.0	26.0	20.8	-11.0	-5.3	23.3	-8.2
Motor fuel	101.9	98.8	97.3	97.0	5.3	-8	1.6	-17.9	2.2	-8.7
Gasoline	101.7	98.7	97.1	96.6	5.3	-4	1.2	-18.6	2.4	-9.2
Maintenance and repairs	154.0	154.6	155.0	155.3	1.6	2.4	2.4	3.4	2.0	2.9
Other private transportation	170.3	171.0	171.5	171.8	9.3	7.3	-9	3.6	8.3	1.3
Other private transportation commodities	105.1	105.3	105.1	105.3	1.2	3.1	2.3	.8	2.1	1.5
Other private transportation services	185.7	186.6	187.3	187.7	10.7	8.1	-1.7	4.4	9.4	1.3
Public transportation	184.4	179.9	179.0	181.8	-13.1	26.2	22.4	-5.5	4.7	7.6

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					
	July 1995	Aug. 1995	Sept. 1995	Oct. 1995	3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
					Jan. 1995	Apr. 1995	July 1995	Oct. 1995	Apr. 1995	Oct. 1995
Expenditure category										
Medical care	221.0	221.8	222.5	223.2	4.9	3.6	4.1	4.0	4.2	4.1
Medical care commodities	204.1	204.5	205.0	206.1	2.0	-.6	1.8	4.0	.7	2.9
Medical care services	224.6	225.6	226.3	226.9	5.7	4.4	4.4	4.2	5.0	4.3
Professional medical services	201.4	201.8	202.6	202.9	4.4	3.7	4.7	3.0	4.0	3.9
Entertainment	153.8	154.4	154.9	155.1	3.5	2.1	2.4	3.4	2.8	2.9
Entertainment commodities	138.5	139.1	139.4	139.6	1.8	.9	2.0	3.2	1.3	2.6
Entertainment services	171.9	172.5	173.2	173.4	4.6	3.3	2.6	3.5	4.0	3.1
Other goods and services	207.9	209.0	209.7	210.4	2.6	4.8	5.0	4.9	3.7	4.9
Tobacco and smoking products	225.8	227.2	229.3	229.9	-4.4	3.3	6.1	7.5	-.6	6.8
Personal care ²	146.9	147.3	147.5	148.5	1.1	1.7	1.7	4.4	1.4	3.0
Toilet goods and personal care appliances ²	142.7	143.2	143.0	144.4	.6	.0	1.4	4.9	.3	3.1
Personal care services ²	151.4	151.7	152.4	153.0	1.9	3.5	1.9	4.3	2.7	3.1
Personal and educational expenses	236.4	237.8	238.2	238.8	6.0	6.2	5.4	4.1	6.1	4.8
School books and supplies	214.2	214.2	215.6	217.1	6.9	4.4	2.5	5.5	5.7	4.0
Personal and educational services	237.9	239.4	239.8	240.4	5.7	6.4	5.6	4.3	6.1	4.9
Commodity and service group										
All items	-	-	-	-	2.7	3.5	2.4	2.4	3.1	2.4
Commodities	136.6	136.6	136.8	137.1	2.4	2.4	.9	1.5	2.4	1.2
Food and beverages	149.0	149.3	149.9	150.4	2.5	4.1	1.4	3.8	3.3	2.6
Commodities less food and beverages	129.0	128.9	128.9	129.0	1.9	1.6	.3	.0	1.7	.2
Nondurables less food and beverages	129.9	129.4	129.0	129.1	1.6	.6	1.2	-2.4	1.1	-.6
Apparel commodities	128.2	128.6	128.3	128.7	.6	-3.0	-1.5	1.6	-1.2	.0
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel ²	134.3	133.6	133.3	133.1	-3.0	2.5	7.2	-3.5	-.3	1.7
Durables	127.9	128.1	128.3	128.3	3.9	3.8	-.9	1.3	3.9	.2
Services	169.1	169.5	169.8	170.4	3.4	4.2	3.4	3.1	3.8	3.2
Rent of shelter ¹	172.8	173.1	173.6	174.1	2.2	4.1	3.5	3.0	3.1	3.3
Household services less rent of shelter ¹	138.2	138.8	138.2	138.9	4.2	.6	.6	2.0	2.4	1.3
Transportation services	177.5	177.2	177.4	178.3	2.9	10.7	4.2	1.8	6.7	3.0
Medical care services	224.6	225.6	226.3	226.9	5.7	4.4	4.4	4.2	5.0	4.3
Other services	194.1	194.9	195.4	195.8	4.5	4.9	4.0	3.5	4.7	3.8
Special indexes										
All items less food	153.4	153.6	153.7	154.2	3.0	3.5	2.4	2.1	3.2	2.2
All items less shelter	148.9	149.1	149.2	149.6	3.1	3.6	1.6	1.9	3.3	1.8
All items less homeowners' costs ¹	153.8	154.0	154.2	154.7	3.0	3.5	1.8	2.4	3.2	2.1
All items less medical care	148.7	148.9	149.1	149.5	2.5	3.6	2.2	2.2	3.0	2.2
Commodities less food	130.2	130.1	130.0	130.2	1.9	1.6	.6	.0	1.7	.3
Nondurables less food	131.2	130.9	130.5	130.7	1.2	.3	1.5	-1.5	.8	.0
Nondurables less food and apparel ²	135.3	134.8	134.5	134.3	-2.4	2.7	6.1	-2.9	.2	1.5
Nondurables	139.6	139.5	139.5	139.8	2.3	2.3	1.2	.6	2.3	.9
Services less rent of shelter ¹	177.1	177.7	177.8	178.4	4.5	4.4	2.8	3.0	4.5	2.9
Services less medical care services	163.9	164.1	164.4	165.1	3.3	4.3	3.2	3.0	3.8	3.1
Energy	105.6	104.8	103.3	103.7	2.7	-.8	.4	-7.0	1.0	-3.4
All items less energy	159.1	159.4	159.9	160.3	2.9	3.9	2.3	3.1	3.4	2.7
All items less food and energy	161.7	162.0	162.4	162.9	3.1	3.8	2.5	3.0	3.4	2.8
Commodities less food and energy commodities	139.1	139.6	139.8	140.1	1.8	2.0	.0	2.9	1.9	1.4
Energy commodities	100.5	97.8	96.5	96.0	4.5	-.8	2.0	-16.7	1.8	-7.8
Services less energy services	174.3	174.5	175.1	175.6	3.6	4.5	3.8	3.0	4.1	3.4

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 Oct. 1995 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
	Sept. 1995	Oct. 1995	Oct. 1994	Sept. 1995	July to Aug.	Aug. to Sept.	Sept. to Oct.
Expenditure category							
Food and beverages	149.4	149.8	2.9	0.3	0.2	0.4	0.3
Food	148.9	149.4	3.0	.3	.2	.5	.3
Food at home	149.2	149.7	3.4	.3	.2	.6	.4
Cereals and bakery products	168.4	169.0	2.7	.4	.2	.2	.5
Cereals and cereal products	167.5	168.1	1.4	.4	.3	.2	.7
Flour and prepared flour mixes	143.9	143.1	6.1	-.6	1.5	.7	.7
Cereal ¹	191.6	193.8	.9	1.1	-.1	-1.0	1.1
Rice, pasta, and cornmeal	141.3	139.5	-.4	-1.3	.4	1.6	-.7
Bakery products ¹	168.5	169.2	3.4	.4	.5	-.2	.4
White bread ¹	166.8	168.9	5.3	1.3	1.2	.4	1.3
Fresh other bread, biscuits, rolls, and muffins ¹	168.0	170.6	4.2	1.5	.4	.4	1.5
Cookies, fresh cakes, and cupcakes ¹	169.0	170.5	2.3	.9	.7	-.9	.9
Other bakery products	170.5	167.5	1.9	-1.8	-1.2	.5	-1.5
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	139.5	140.8	2.9	.9	.8	.6	1.0
Meats, poultry, and fish	140.5	141.6	2.2	.8	.5	.7	.9
Meats	135.5	137.0	1.5	1.1	.7	.3	1.2
Beef and veal	133.3	134.3	-.7	.8	-.3	.3	.6
Ground beef other than canned	114.2	115.3	-2.7	1.0	-.1	1.4	.3
Chuck roast	134.8	138.2	-1.7	2.5	.4	.5	1.1
Round roast	122.8	128.1	1.6	4.3	.0	-1.8	4.5
Round steak	128.5	128.3	-2.1	-.2	-1.7	1.1	.0
Sirloin steak	137.4	137.6	1.2	.1	-.3	-2.5	1.6
Other beef and veal ¹	155.5	155.6	1.0	.1	-.3	-.1	.1
Pork	137.8	139.1	4.0	.9	1.8	1.5	1.4
Bacon ¹	123.0	128.0	8.3	4.1	2.9	3.5	4.1
Chops	149.2	147.8	3.6	-.9	3.3	1.4	-.1
Ham	142.6	145.7	3.2	2.2	1.8	.4	2.0
Other pork, including sausage	134.5	134.5	3.0	.0	.5	1.2	.8
Other meats ¹	138.6	141.9	3.6	2.4	1.7	-1.2	2.4
Poultry ¹	145.9	146.1	3.3	.1	.2	2.2	.1
Fresh whole chicken ¹	145.1	144.9	5.2	-.1	-1.3	3.1	-.1
Fresh and frozen chicken parts ¹	148.0	148.9	2.3	.6	1.0	1.9	.6
Other poultry	145.9	145.4	2.8	-.3	.5	1.7	-.1
Fish and seafood	173.5	173.3	5.2	-.1	-.1	1.3	-.3
Canned fish and seafood ¹	125.1	125.6	1.3	.4	-.2	-.5	.4
Fresh and frozen fish and seafood	196.8	196.4	6.1	-.2	.1	1.6	-.4
Eggs	122.7	126.2	14.3	2.9	5.6	-1.7	4.1
Dairy products	132.3	133.2	1.3	.7	-.3	-.2	.7
Fresh milk and cream	131.3	132.3	.6	.8	.0	-.5	.8
Fresh whole milk	130.1	131.0	.7	.7	.2	-.6	.7
Other fresh milk and cream	132.8	133.9	.6	.8	-.1	-.5	1.1
Processed dairy products	134.0	134.7	1.9	.5	-.6	.0	.4
Cheese	137.8	138.1	1.3	.2	-.9	-.2	.1
Ice cream and related products	137.3	138.4	1.8	.8	.2	-.4	.7
Other dairy products, including butter	116.3	117.9	4.3	1.4	-.3	.9	1.1
Fruits and vegetables	178.1	177.2	8.8	-.5	-.6	2.4	-.2
Fresh fruits and vegetables	206.3	204.7	11.9	-.8	-1.1	3.7	-.2
Fresh fruits	230.9	227.5	14.3	-1.5	1.3	2.5	-.6
Apples	197.2	183.9	14.2	-6.7	.8	2.5	5.5
Bananas	154.2	147.8	9.8	-4.2	-.6	1.1	-1.7
Oranges, including tangerines	291.6	277.9	30.0	-4.7	2.3	9.3	-2.0
Other fresh fruits	248.2	252.2	10.9	1.6	1.5	1.1	-1.6
Fresh vegetables	181.7	182.0	9.0	.2	-3.8	5.3	.1
Potatoes	182.8	179.7	14.2	-1.7	-1.4	2.4	4.0
Lettuce ¹	222.0	193.1	8.0	-13.0	5.7	25.1	-13.0
Tomatoes ¹	157.2	175.7	11.1	11.8	-24.8	4.2	11.8
Other fresh vegetables	181.1	183.6	7.0	1.4	-1.4	4.7	-.9
Processed fruits and vegetables	138.0	138.1	2.5	.1	.4	-.7	.1
Processed fruits	138.1	138.4	3.8	.2	.9	-.9	.2
Fruit juices and frozen fruit	137.2	137.9	4.3	.5	1.0	-1.6	.7
Canned and dried fruits	139.0	138.2	2.1	-.6	.5	.7	-.1
Processed vegetables	138.4	138.1	1.0	-.2	-.2	-.4	-.1
Frozen vegetables ¹	141.5	141.2	1.1	-.2	.0	-.2	-.2
Processed vegetables excluding frozen	137.5	137.2	.8	-.2	-.2	-.6	.0

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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 Oct. 1995 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
	Sept. 1995	Oct. 1995	Oct. 1994	Sept. 1995	July to Aug.	Aug. to Sept.	Sept. to Oct.
Expenditure category							
Other food at home	141.1	141.2	1.2	0.1	0.3	-0.1	-0.1
Sugar and sweets	138.4	139.2	2.7	.6	.5	-.1	.4
Sugar and artificial sweeteners	128.1	128.6	3.3	.4	-.2	.2	.9
Sweets, including candy ¹	142.5	143.4	2.4	.6	.6	-.5	.6
Fats and oils	137.4	138.3	2.4	.7	.0	.1	.5
Nonalcoholic beverages	131.7	130.9	-1.4	-.6	.5	.1	-1.1
Carbonated drinks	120.4	120.2	3.6	-.2	.1	.7	-1.0
Coffee ¹	161.0	158.4	-9.0	-1.6	.4	-1.3	-1.6
Other noncarbonated drinks	135.1	135.5	1.3	.3	1.2	.4	-.4
Other prepared food	151.5	152.1	2.4	.4	.3	-.2	.3
Canned and packaged soup	177.5	175.2	3.1	-1.3	.3	.2	.1
Frozen prepared food ¹	140.3	141.9	1.4	1.1	.6	-.9	1.1
Snacks ¹	142.7	144.1	3.4	1.0	1.2	-.7	1.0
Seasonings, condiments, sauces, and spices	156.0	156.8	3.1	.5	.0	-.7	.7
Miscellaneous prepared food, including baby food ¹	153.9	154.1	1.6	.1	.5	-.1	.1
Food away from home	149.6	150.0	2.5	.3	.2	.1	.3
Lunch ¹	150.3	150.6	2.4	.2	.2	.2	.2
Dinner	147.8	148.1	2.4	.2	.3	.1	.2
Other meals and snacks ¹	152.3	152.7	2.6	.3	.2	.3	.3
Alcoholic beverages	154.5	154.9	2.2	.3	.7	-.1	.2
Alcoholic beverages at home	143.1	143.6	1.1	.3	.9	-.2	.2
Beer and ale	143.3	143.7	.6	.3	1.0	-.3	.1
Wine	133.8	134.8	1.4	.7	1.0	-.4	.6
Distilled spirits ¹	146.7	146.8	1.5	.1	.2	.4	.1
Alcoholic beverages away from home	177.9	178.2	3.4	.2	.4	.3	.3
Housing	149.5	149.7	2.7	.1	.3	.1	.4
Shelter	166.8	167.3	3.3	.3	.1	.4	.4
Renters' costs ²	175.1	175.3	3.2	.1	-.1	.5	.3
Rent, residential	158.5	158.9	2.4	.3	.1	.1	.2
Other renters' costs	205.1	205.0	5.7	.0	-.8	1.4	.5
Lodging while out of town	203.5	203.3	5.8	-.1	-.9	1.8	.3
Lodging while at school ²	210.1	210.6	4.3	.2	.6	-.7	.7
Tenants' insurance ¹	150.6	150.9	2.2	.2	.2	-1.1	.2
Homeowners' costs ²	172.4	173.0	3.3	.3	.2	.3	.3
Owners' equivalent rent ²	172.7	173.4	3.3	.4	.2	.3	.4
Household insurance ²	157.0	157.1	1.7	.1	.3	-1.0	.1
Maintenance and repairs ¹	135.4	136.3	4.2	.7	.2	.0	.7
Maintenance and repair services ¹	140.3	141.8	4.3	1.1	.4	.0	1.1
Maintenance and repair commodities ¹	128.9	128.9	4.1	.0	.1	.1	.0
Materials, supplies, and equipment for home repairs ^{1 3}	118.8	118.8	.6	.0	.1	-1.0	.0
Other maintenance and repair commodities ¹	126.7	126.7	7.0	.0	.0	1.0	.0
Fuel and other utilities	124.9	123.9	1.2	-.8	.6	-.6	.6
Fuels	113.4	111.5	.6	-1.7	1.0	-1.3	1.1
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities	86.6	86.9	-.1	.3	.2	-.3	-1.0
Fuel oil	83.2	83.4	-.5	.2	.0	-.7	-1.3
Other household fuel commodities ^{1 3}	116.3	117.1	.4	.7	-.4	-.3	.7
Gas (piped) and electricity (energy services)	121.6	119.3	.7	-1.9	1.2	-1.4	1.2
Electricity	134.4	131.0	3.3	-2.5	1.9	-1.9	1.9
Utility (piped) gas	100.8	100.7	-5.2	-.1	-.7	-.3	-.2
Other utilities and public services ¹	153.2	153.5	2.1	.2	.1	.1	.2
Telephone services ¹	124.1	124.2	.8	.1	-.2	.2	.1
Local charges ¹	160.5	160.5	2.3	.0	-.1	.2	.0
Interstate toll calls ¹	74.9	74.9	-1.1	.0	.0	.0	.0
Intrastate toll calls ¹	86.1	86.8	-3.8	.8	-.2	.1	.8
Water and sewerage maintenance	197.7	198.1	2.6	.2	-.1	.3	.3
Cable television ^{1 4}	201.6	202.2	4.6	.3	.3	-.1	.3
Refuse collection ⁴	242.7	242.8	3.2	.0	.2	.1	.0

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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 Oct. 1995 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
	Sept. 1995	Oct. 1995	Oct. 1994	Sept. 1995	July to Aug.	Aug. to Sept.	Sept. to Oct.
Expenditure category							
Household furnishings and operation	123.8	123.9	2.1	0.1	0.5	0.3	0.1
Housefurnishings	111.7	111.7	.7	.0	.6	.4	-.1
Textile housefurnishings	124.0	124.4	.5	.3	-1.2	.2	1.3
Furniture and bedding ¹	132.2	132.2	2.9	.0	.5	.2	.0
Bedroom furniture ¹	138.1	135.6	2.0	-1.8	1.2	-.9	-1.8
Sofas ¹	134.4	136.1	7.0	1.3	1.1	.6	1.3
Living room chairs and tables ¹	137.8	138.1	3.4	.2	-.5	.2	.2
Other furniture	121.9	123.1	.9	1.0	1.2	1.0	.5
Appliances, including electronic equipment ¹	79.3	78.9	-3.5	-.5	.1	-.4	-.5
Video and audio products ¹	73.0	72.5	-4.0	-.7	-.5	-.1	-.7
Televisions ¹	67.1	66.3	-4.5	-1.2	-1.0	-.3	-1.2
Video products other than televisions ^{1 5}	69.0	69.1	-5.7	.1	-1.0	-.3	.1
Audio products ¹	91.2	90.6	-2.9	-.7	.1	-.1	-.7
Major household appliances ^{1 3}	101.9	102.0	-.7	.1	.9	-.5	.1
Refrigerators and home freezers ¹	108.2	108.9	.2	.6	2.7	-.7	.6
Laundry equipment ¹	109.2	108.8	-1.4	-.4	.0	-.1	-.4
Stoves, ovens, dishwashers, and air conditioners ^{1 3}	94.6	94.5	-.8	-.1	.1	-.5	-.1
Information processing equipment ^{1 5}	63.5	62.5	-9.8	-1.6	.0	-.3	-1.6
Other housefurnishings ^{1 3}	116.1	116.1	1.7	.0	.3	.7	.0
Floor and window coverings, infants', laundry, cleaning, and outdoor equipment ¹	139.3	140.2	4.3	.6	2.3	-.7	.6
Clocks, lamps, and decor items ¹	121.0	120.8	1.4	-.2	.0	1.6	-.2
Tableware, serving pieces, and nonelectric kitchenware ¹	123.3	124.2	1.3	.7	-.2	1.1	.7
Lawn equipment, power tools, and other hardware ¹	107.0	107.1	.1	.1	.9	-.2	.1
Sewing, floor cleaning, small kitchen, and portable heating appliances ^{1 3}	90.5	91.5	-.7	1.1	-1.2	-.8	1.1
Indoor plants and fresh cut flowers ^{1 5}	118.3	115.9	2.7	-2.0	-.6	2.3	-2.0
Housekeeping supplies	138.3	139.2	4.1	.7	.7	.1	.6
Laundry and cleaning products, including soap ¹	141.0	141.1	.9	.1	.3	.1	.1
Household paper products and stationery supplies ¹	141.1	142.3	9.6	.9	1.0	.9	.9
Other household, lawn, and garden supplies ¹	132.3	133.6	2.1	1.0	.0	-.3	1.0
Housekeeping services	144.6	144.7	3.8	.1	.1	.3	.2
Postage ¹	160.3	160.3	10.3	.0	.0	.0	.0
Appliance and furniture repair ¹	151.2	151.9	2.6	.5	1.0	.1	.5
Gardening and other household services ^{1 3}	132.0	131.3	.9	-.5	-.2	.3	-.5
Apparel and upkeep	132.7	134.5	-.5	1.4	.3	-.2	.3
Apparel commodities	129.5	131.4	-.7	1.5	.3	-.2	.3
Apparel commodities less footwear	130.0	132.1	-1.0	1.6	.4	-.5	.4
Men's and boys'	126.8	128.4	-.4	1.3	.5	-.1	.1
Men's	128.8	130.2	-1.4	1.1	.3	.2	.1
Suits, sport coats, coats, and jackets	136.0	136.4	-2.6	.3	2.4	-.4	-.7
Furnishings and special clothing	117.6	121.6	-4.1	3.4	-1.4	.1	.5
Shirts	132.8	132.9	-.3	.1	-.4	-.7	.0
Dungarees, jeans, and trousers	127.7	129.4	2.5	1.3	-.9	.5	1.3
Boys'	118.7	120.5	4.1	1.5	.9	-.4	.9
Women's and girls'	126.9	130.6	-2.1	2.9	-.3	-1.1	1.3
Women's	126.9	130.4	-2.2	2.8	-.4	-1.0	1.2
Coats and jackets	120.4	125.4	-3.8	4.2	1.5	-1.6	.9
Dresses	121.9	127.4	-1.9	4.5	-3.2	.3	1.9
Separates and sportswear	126.6	130.6	-3.4	3.2	-2.4	-1.3	1.7
Underwear, nightwear, hosiery, and accessories	129.3	131.6	2.2	1.8	-.4	.2	1.4
Suits	161.8	159.3	-3.2	-1.5	13.2	-4.0	-3.0
Girls'	127.1	131.9	-1.3	3.8	.2	-1.6	1.8
Infants' and toddlers'	131.2	131.0	1.9	-.2	4.1	2.1	.2
Other apparel commodities	155.3	153.1	1.1	-1.4	2.0	-.5	-1.9
Sewing materials, notions, and luggage ^{1 3}	135.4	134.0	7.1	-1.0	2.7	-.3	-1.0
Watches and jewelry ^{1 3}	154.9	152.6	-.1	-1.5	2.3	-.1	-1.5
Watches ^{1 3}	133.9	134.7	6.0	.6	1.1	1.4	.6
Jewelry ^{1 3}	160.9	157.7	-1.4	-2.0	2.6	-.4	-2.0
Footwear	126.8	127.5	1.6	.6	.2	1.3	-.1
Men's	135.1	135.9	2.5	.6	.2	.4	.1
Boys' and girls'	120.6	124.6	-1.1	3.3	-1.7	-.6	3.0
Women's	122.8	122.3	2.3	-.4	1.5	2.6	-1.3
Apparel services ¹	157.4	157.0	.4	-.3	.1	.1	-.3
Laundry and dry cleaning other than coin operated ¹	158.9	158.3	.3	-.4	.1	.4	-.4
Other apparel services ¹	156.2	155.9	.4	-.2	.1	-.4	-.2

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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 Oct. 1995 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
	Sept. 1995	Oct. 1995	Oct. 1994	Sept. 1995	July to Aug.	Aug. to Sept.	Sept. to Oct.
Expenditure category							
Transportation	138.8	139.4	2.4	0.4	-0.6	-0.1	0.1
Private	135.9	136.3	2.0	.3	-.5	-.1	.0
New vehicles	140.0	140.9	1.8	.6	.1	.5	-.1
New cars	137.8	138.6	1.5	.6	.2	.2	.0
Subcompact new cars ³	121.1	121.5	1.9	.3	.1	.4	-.4
Compact new cars ³	118.3	118.8	2.1	.4	.0	.3	-.3
Intermediate new cars ³	118.4	119.3	.7	.8	.0	.2	.2
Full-size new cars ³	120.6	121.2	.1	.5	.2	.3	-.2
Luxury new cars ³	127.0	128.1	2.5	.9	.2	.2	.3
New trucks ⁴	146.2	147.3	3.0	.8	.3	.7	.1
New motorcycles ³	154.4	155.8	6.1	.9	.5	.0	.9
Used cars	156.5	157.2	6.4	.4	-.7	-.6	.0
Motor fuel	99.8	98.3	-3.4	-1.5	-3.0	-1.5	-.3
Gasoline	99.7	98.0	-3.6	-1.7	-2.9	-1.6	-.5
Gasoline, unleaded regular	97.4	95.6	-3.8	-1.8	-3.4	-1.7	-.6
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ^{1 7}	104.2	102.7	-3.7	-1.4	-2.4	-1.3	-1.4
Gasoline, unleaded premium	101.9	100.4	-4.1	-1.5	-2.9	-1.7	-.8
Automobile maintenance and repair	155.1	155.4	2.4	.2	.4	.3	.2
Body work ¹	159.9	160.9	3.7	.6	.3	.2	.6
Automobile drive train, brake, and miscellaneous mechanical repair ¹	162.1	162.6	1.8	.3	.3	.4	.3
Maintenance and servicing ¹	144.7	144.4	2.1	-.2	.5	.7	-.2
Power plant repair ¹	159.9	160.5	3.1	.4	-.1	.3	.4
Other private transportation	170.1	172.0	4.8	1.1	.4	.3	.2
Other private transportation commodities	104.9	105.0	1.8	.1	.2	-.2	.2
Motor oil, coolant, and other products ¹	129.2	129.3	3.4	.1	.8	-.2	.1
Automobile parts and equipment ¹	102.2	102.3	1.6	.1	.2	-.1	.1
Tires ¹	101.7	101.9	1.9	.2	.0	-.4	.2
Other parts and equipment ¹	106.8	106.8	1.2	.0	.1	.3	.0
Other private transportation services	185.4	187.7	5.2	1.2	.5	.4	.2
Automobile insurance	234.5	238.2	4.7	1.6	.2	.5	.2
Automobile finance charges	96.0	96.1	9.0	.1	-.4	.3	-.5
Automobile fees ¹	179.0	180.9	4.3	1.1	3.4	-1.4	1.1
Automobile registration, licensing, and inspection fees ¹	183.3	183.8	1.8	.3	1.2	.0	.3
Other automobile-related fees ¹	176.0	179.1	6.8	1.8	5.7	-2.9	1.8
Public transportation	176.1	178.7	6.1	1.5	-2.4	-.5	1.6
Airline fares	189.7	193.7	7.7	2.1	-3.5	-1.1	2.3
Other intercity transportation	153.4	153.0	1.1	-.3	.3	.3	.2
Intracity public transportation ¹	158.5	158.8	3.8	.2	.4	.6	.2
Medical care	222.1	222.9	4.2	.4	.4	.3	.3
Medical care commodities	204.8	205.7	1.7	.4	.2	.2	.5
Prescription drugs	235.7	236.7	1.9	.4	.3	.2	.5
Nonprescription drugs and medical supplies ^{1 3}	140.4	140.9	1.2	.4	.1	-.1	.4
Internal and respiratory over-the-counter drugs ¹	167.0	167.2	.5	.1	.2	-.5	.1
Nonprescription medical equipment and supplies	165.8	167.2	2.5	.8	.1	.5	1.0
Medical care services	226.1	226.9	4.7	.4	.4	.3	.3
Professional medical services	202.4	202.9	4.0	.2	.2	.4	.1
Physicians' services	210.3	210.9	4.5	.3	.3	.3	.3
Dental services ¹	208.5	209.1	4.2	.3	.4	.3	.3
Eye care ^{1 3}	138.2	138.4	2.7	.1	.1	.1	.1
Services by other medical professionals ³	143.4	143.6	.6	.1	.7	-.1	.3
Hospital and related services	260.2	261.4	4.6	.5	.7	.5	.2
Hospital rooms	253.9	254.4	4.7	.2	.7	.6	-.1
Other inpatient services ³	208.5	209.7	4.6	.6	.5	.5	.3
Outpatient services ³	206.5	208.1	4.6	.8	.8	.5	.3

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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 Oct. 1995 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
	Sept. 1995	Oct. 1995	Oct. 1994	Sept. 1995	July to Aug.	Aug. to Sept.	Sept. to Oct.
Expenditure category							
Entertainment	154.9	155.2	2.8	0.2	0.4	0.3	0.1
Entertainment commodities	139.3	139.6	2.0	.2	.4	.2	.1
Reading materials	169.1	170.8	4.5	1.0	.5	.2	.8
Newspapers ¹	180.2	183.2	6.8	1.7	.1	.4	1.7
Magazines, periodicals, and books ¹	158.9	159.5	2.2	.4	.7	.1	.4
Sporting goods and equipment ¹	123.5	123.3	.7	-.2	.0	.3	-.2
Sport vehicles, including bicycles ¹	125.2	124.8	1.0	-.3	.2	.1	-.3
Other sporting goods ¹	119.1	119.1	.3	.0	.0	.4	.0
Toys, hobbies, and other entertainment ¹	128.5	128.3	.5	-.2	.5	.1	-.2
Toys, hobbies, and music equipment ¹	123.6	122.7	-1.2	-.7	.9	-.3	-.7
Photographic supplies and equipment	134.7	134.8	1.4	.1	.7	-.6	.3
Pet supplies and expense ¹	133.2	133.6	2.3	.3	.0	.8	.3
Entertainment services	173.4	173.6	3.5	.1	.3	.4	.1
Club memberships ³	132.6	133.7	2.5	.8	.0	-.2	1.1
Fees for participant sports, excluding club memberships ³	157.7	158.5	3.2	.5	.3	1.7	.4
Admissions ¹	185.0	183.8	4.3	-.6	.5	.4	-.6
Fees for lessons or instructions ³	155.5	155.8	2.2	.2	.1	-.1	-.5
Other entertainment services ^{1 3}	135.5	136.0	3.9	.4	.7	.4	.4
Other goods and services	210.2	210.7	4.4	.2	.5	.3	.3
Tobacco and smoking products	228.2	228.0	3.0	-.1	.6	.9	.3
Personal care ¹	147.5	148.5	2.2	.7	.3	.1	.7
Toilet goods and personal care appliances ¹	143.0	144.4	1.7	1.0	.4	-.1	1.0
Cosmetics, bath and nail preparations, manicure and eye makeup implements ¹	145.7	147.0	2.2	.9	.6	.0	.9
Other toilet goods and small personal care appliances, including hair and dental products ¹	141.3	142.7	1.3	1.0	.2	-.2	1.0
Personal care services ¹	152.4	153.0	2.9	.4	.2	.5	.4
Beauty parlor services for females ¹	151.9	152.5	2.7	.4	.3	.5	.4
Haircuts and other barber shop services for males ¹	153.8	154.4	3.7	.4	-.1	.4	.4
Personal and educational expenses	240.7	241.3	5.5	.2	.6	.2	.3
School books and supplies	216.9	217.7	4.8	.4	.0	.7	.7
Personal and educational services	242.7	243.2	5.5	.2	.6	.2	.3
Tuition and other school fees	261.1	261.4	5.6	.1	.8	-.4	.3
College tuition	273.1	273.7	5.7	.2	1.0	-.7	.4
Elementary and high school tuition	268.5	268.3	6.7	-.1	.3	-.3	.3
Day care and nursery school ^{1 6}	126.2	126.3	4.0	.1	.2	1.6	.1
Personal expenses	208.2	209.1	5.3	.4	.2	1.3	.2
Legal service fees ^{1 3}	152.7	153.1	3.5	.3	.1	.1	.3
Personal financial services ^{1 3}	175.8	177.0	7.0	.7	.1	2.7	.7
Funeral expenses ³	154.8	155.7	6.1	.6	.2	.6	.5
Special indexes							
Domestically produced farm food	149.9	150.6	3.7	.5	.1	.5	.7
Selected beef cuts	126.1	127.6	-1.6	1.2	-.5	.6	.7
Motor fuel, motor oil, coolant, and other products	100.4	98.8	-3.3	-1.6	-2.7	-1.5	-.4
Utilities and public transportation	139.7	139.0	2.2	-.5	-.1	-.6	1.0
Housekeeping and home maintenance services ¹	144.4	144.6	3.8	.1	.2	.4	.1

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.

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					
	Sept. 1995	Oct. 1995	3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
			Jan. 1995	Apr. 1995	July 1995	Oct. 1995	Apr. 1995	Oct. 1995
Expenditure category								
Food and beverages	149.9	150.4	2.5	4.1	1.4	3.8	3.3	2.6
Food	149.7	150.2	2.5	4.2	1.4	4.1	3.3	2.7
Food at home	150.0	150.6	2.5	5.0	1.1	4.9	3.7	3.0
Cereals and bakery products	168.4	169.2	-.5	4.9	2.7	3.6	2.2	3.1
Cereals and cereal products	167.7	168.9	-2.8	1.9	1.5	4.9	-.5	3.2
Flour and prepared flour mixes	142.9	143.9	7.0	-.3	5.9	12.3	3.3	9.0
Cereal ¹	191.6	193.8	-1.9	5.8	-.4	.4	1.9	.0
Rice, pasta, and cornmeal	141.7	140.7	-9.3	-.3	3.2	5.0	-4.9	4.1
Bakery products ¹	168.5	169.2	.7	6.7	3.2	2.9	3.7	3.0
White bread ¹	166.8	168.9	8.5	2.2	-1.0	12.0	5.3	5.3
Fresh other bread, biscuits, rolls, and muffins ¹	168.0	170.6	.2	2.7	4.7	9.4	1.5	7.0
Cookies, fresh cakes, and cupcakes ¹	169.0	170.5	-2.8	5.7	3.9	2.6	1.3	3.2
Other bakery products	169.5	166.9	2.7	8.5	5.8	-8.6	5.6	-1.7
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	139.5	140.9	.0	1.8	.3	9.9	.9	5.0
Meats, poultry, and fish	140.6	141.8	-.3	2.0	-.9	8.6	.9	3.8
Meats	135.3	136.9	.9	-.6	-2.9	8.9	.1	2.8
Beef and veal	134.1	134.9	.0	-1.5	-3.5	2.4	-.7	-.6
Ground beef other than canned	115.4	115.8	-3.3	-1.7	-11.7	6.8	-2.5	-2.9
Chuck roast	137.3	138.8	-5.6	-2.6	-5.9	8.2	-4.1	.9
Round roast	123.5	129.0	9.5	-10.4	-1.6	10.6	-.9	4.3
Round steak	129.3	129.3	4.6	-8.7	-1.2	-2.4	-2.3	-1.8
Sirloin steak	137.2	139.4	7.2	-11.5	15.9	-4.7	-2.6	5.1
Other beef and veal ¹	155.5	155.6	.3	4.5	.8	-1.3	2.4	-.3
Pork	136.1	138.0	1.5	.0	-4.4	20.6	.8	7.3
Bacon ¹	123.0	128.0	-6.3	-4.1	1.4	50.8	-5.2	23.7
Chops	147.9	147.8	8.4	-4.3	-7.6	20.4	1.8	5.5
Ham	139.4	142.2	-7.1	7.9	-4.0	17.8	.1	6.3
Other pork, including sausage	133.3	134.4	3.7	-.3	-1.8	10.8	1.7	4.3
Other meats ¹	138.6	141.9	1.5	2.3	-1.2	12.1	1.9	5.3
Poultry ¹	145.9	146.1	-3.6	6.1	.6	10.5	1.1	5.4
Fresh whole chicken ¹	145.1	144.9	5.6	5.9	2.9	6.3	5.7	4.6
Fresh and frozen chicken parts ¹	148.0	148.9	-10.3	8.4	-1.7	14.6	-1.4	6.2
Other poultry	144.3	144.1	4.1	2.6	-3.6	8.5	3.3	2.3
Fish and seafood	174.9	174.4	-1.4	10.6	8.0	4.0	4.4	6.0
Canned fish and seafood ¹	125.1	125.6	4.3	1.6	.3	-.9	2.9	-.3
Fresh and frozen fish and seafood	198.8	198.0	-2.8	12.2	10.7	5.0	4.4	7.8
Eggs	123.1	128.1	-.7	-4.2	31.7	36.1	-2.5	33.9
Dairy products	132.3	133.2	1.5	1.5	1.5	.6	1.5	1.1
Fresh milk and cream	131.3	132.3	.6	2.8	-2.1	1.2	1.7	-.5
Fresh whole milk	130.1	131.0	.6	2.5	-1.5	.9	1.5	-.3
Other fresh milk and cream	132.6	134.0	.6	3.6	-3.2	1.5	2.1	-.9
Processed dairy products	133.9	134.5	3.1	.6	4.9	-.6	1.8	2.1
Cheese	137.7	137.9	2.4	2.4	4.7	-4.0	2.4	.3
Ice cream and related products	137.3	138.2	2.7	-2.0	4.5	2.1	.3	3.3
Other dairy products, including butter	116.1	117.4	4.3	.7	5.7	6.7	2.5	6.2
Fruits and vegetables	182.8	182.5	11.9	16.4	.7	6.4	14.2	3.5
Fresh fruits and vegetables	213.5	213.0	16.2	23.7	-1.7	10.0	19.9	4.0
Fresh fruits	232.4	231.0	6.5	4.5	33.5	13.3	5.5	23.0
Apples	185.2	195.3	12.2	5.3	1.6	41.4	8.7	19.8
Bananas	162.8	160.1	58.1	-43.7	71.3	-4.6	-5.7	27.8
Oranges, including tangerines	252.4	247.3	33.1	15.1	29.7	43.9	23.8	36.6
Other fresh fruits	263.5	259.2	-7.3	13.7	38.5	3.6	2.7	19.8
Fresh vegetables	196.3	196.5	28.1	46.7	-29.1	5.9	37.1	-13.4
Potatoes	184.6	191.9	-8.3	-9.8	68.7	21.7	-9.1	43.3
Lettuce ¹	222.0	193.1	328.2	374.5	-96.2	75.0	350.7	-74.1
Tomatoes ¹	157.2	175.7	255.6	-24.6	-3.1	-41.3	63.7	-24.6
Other fresh vegetables	200.1	198.3	37.1	-5.7	-7.3	9.4	13.7	.7
Processed fruits and vegetables	138.0	138.2	3.0	2.1	6.0	-.9	2.5	2.5
Processed fruits	138.2	138.5	2.7	4.8	6.3	1.2	3.8	3.7
Fruit juices and frozen fruit	137.2	138.1	2.7	6.5	7.9	.3	4.6	4.0
Canned and dried fruits	138.7	138.6	-1.2	2.1	3.3	4.8	.4	4.0
Processed vegetables	138.5	138.4	.9	1.2	4.4	-2.6	1.0	.9
Frozen vegetables ¹	141.5	141.2	1.4	-1.4	6.5	-1.7	.0	2.3
Processed vegetables excluding frozen	137.8	137.8	1.8	.3	4.7	-3.1	1.0	.7

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					
	Sept. 1995	Oct. 1995	3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
			Jan. 1995	Apr. 1995	July 1995	Oct. 1995	Apr. 1995	Oct. 1995
Expenditure category								
Other food at home	141.2	141.1	1.4	2.0	0.9	0.6	1.7	0.7
Sugar and sweets	138.4	139.0	.0	3.3	4.2	3.2	1.6	3.7
Sugar and artificial sweeteners	127.6	128.7	-2.5	2.6	10.0	3.5	.0	6.7
Sweets, including candy ¹	142.5	143.4	-.3	4.7	2.0	3.1	2.2	2.6
Fats and oils	137.6	138.3	3.3	1.8	2.4	2.3	2.5	2.4
Nonalcoholic beverages	132.1	130.7	.9	-.3	-3.9	-2.1	.3	-3.0
Carbonated drinks	121.0	119.8	2.8	15.2	-2.0	-1.0	8.8	-1.5
Coffee ¹	161.0	158.4	-2.7	-17.9	-5.2	-9.5	-10.6	-7.4
Other noncarbonated drinks	135.3	134.8	2.1	4.9	-6.1	4.9	3.5	-.7
Other prepared food	151.6	152.1	1.9	3.5	2.7	1.6	2.7	2.1
Canned and packaged soup	176.1	176.2	3.6	4.2	2.3	2.3	3.9	2.3
Frozen prepared food ¹	140.3	141.9	-.9	-.6	3.8	3.5	-.7	3.6
Snacks ¹	142.7	144.1	3.8	7.0	-2.8	6.0	5.4	1.5
Seasonings, condiments, sauces, and spices	155.7	156.8	.5	5.4	6.4	.0	2.9	3.1
Miscellaneous prepared food, including baby food ¹	153.9	154.1	2.7	1.8	.0	1.8	2.3	.9
Food away from home	149.6	150.0	2.8	2.5	2.2	2.4	2.6	2.3
Lunch ¹	150.3	150.6	1.9	3.0	2.2	2.4	2.5	2.3
Dinner	147.8	148.1	3.4	1.9	1.9	2.5	2.6	2.2
Other meals and snacks ¹	152.3	152.7	3.3	2.4	1.6	2.9	2.8	2.3
Alcoholic beverages	154.7	155.0	1.3	2.4	1.6	3.2	1.9	2.4
Alcoholic beverages at home	143.4	143.7	.0	1.4	-1.1	3.7	.7	1.3
Beer and ale	143.9	144.1	.8	.6	-1.9	3.1	.7	.6
Wine	133.7	134.5	-1.8	2.4	.0	4.6	.3	2.3
Distilled spirits ¹	146.7	146.8	.0	2.8	.6	2.8	1.4	1.7
Alcoholic beverages away from home	178.1	178.6	1.4	3.3	5.1	3.9	2.3	4.5
Housing	149.1	149.7	2.2	3.0	2.5	3.3	2.6	2.9
Shelter	166.6	167.2	2.5	4.0	3.5	3.4	3.2	3.4
Renters' costs ²	174.7	175.3	1.9	5.3	3.3	2.8	3.6	3.0
Rent, residential	158.4	158.7	2.6	2.3	2.6	1.8	2.5	2.2
Other renters' costs	207.6	208.7	.2	12.9	5.2	4.7	6.4	5.0
Lodging while out of town	207.0	207.7	-.2	13.9	5.2	5.0	6.6	5.1
Lodging while at school ²	205.8	207.3	5.1	6.5	2.8	2.7	5.8	2.8
Tenants' insurance ¹	150.6	150.9	4.4	3.8	3.8	-2.9	4.1	.4
Homeowners' costs ²	172.2	172.8	2.7	3.4	3.6	3.5	3.0	3.6
Owners' equivalent rent ²	172.5	173.2	2.7	3.1	3.8	3.8	2.9	3.8
Household insurance ²	156.6	156.7	5.0	4.7	-.3	-2.8	4.9	-1.5
Maintenance and repairs ¹	135.4	136.3	7.2	3.3	2.7	3.6	5.3	3.2
Maintenance and repair services ¹	140.3	141.8	4.2	5.0	2.3	5.8	4.6	4.1
Maintenance and repair commodities ¹	128.9	128.9	12.5	.3	3.5	.6	6.2	2.0
Materials, supplies, and equipment for home repairs ^{1 3}	118.8	118.8	13.1	-7.7	1.7	-3.6	2.2	-1.0
Other maintenance and repair commodities ¹	126.7	126.7	11.6	7.8	4.9	3.9	9.7	4.4
Fuel and other utilities	123.4	124.1	2.3	.3	.3	2.0	1.3	1.1
Fuels	110.0	111.2	.7	-.4	-.7	2.9	.2	1.1
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities	88.7	87.8	-1.4	-1.4	7.1	-4.4	-1.4	1.1
Fuel oil	85.2	84.1	-.5	-1.4	8.3	-7.7	-.9	.0
Other household fuel commodities ^{1 3}	116.3	117.1	9.2	-2.3	-4.6	.0	3.3	-2.3
Gas (piped) and electricity (energy services)	117.6	119.0	.7	.0	-2.0	3.8	.3	.8
Electricity	129.1	131.5	2.9	-.9	3.8	7.3	.9	5.5
Utility (piped) gas	101.2	101.0	-4.1	1.5	-12.9	-4.6	-1.3	-8.9
Other utilities and public services ¹	153.2	153.5	4.6	.3	2.1	1.3	2.4	1.7
Telephone services ¹	124.1	124.2	5.0	-3.2	1.3	.3	.8	.8
Local charges ¹	160.5	160.5	10.6	-2.2	1.0	.2	4.0	.6
Interstate toll calls ¹	74.9	74.9	3.2	-7.1	.0	.0	-2.1	.0
Intrastate toll calls ¹	86.1	86.8	-17.7	-1.8	3.3	2.8	-10.1	3.1
Water and sewerage maintenance	197.1	197.7	4.9	1.2	2.7	2.0	3.0	2.4
Cable television ^{1 4}	201.6	202.2	6.1	8.4	1.8	2.2	7.3	2.0
Refuse collection ⁴	242.0	242.1	4.3	7.5	-.3	1.7	5.9	.7

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	Sept. 1995	Oct. 1995	3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
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Expenditure category								
Household furnishings and operation	123.7	123.8	2.3	1.6	0.7	3.6	2.0	2.1
Housefurnishings	111.9	111.8	-.4	.7	-1.1	3.7	.2	1.3
Textile housefurnishings	122.5	124.1	-5.1	-2.6	8.9	1.0	-3.8	4.8
Furniture and bedding ¹	132.2	132.2	-.9	6.1	3.4	3.1	2.5	3.3
Bedroom furniture ¹	138.1	135.6	2.7	5.8	6.0	-6.0	4.3	-.1
Sofas ¹	134.4	136.1	3.2	9.7	3.1	12.3	6.4	7.6
Living room chairs and tables ¹	137.8	138.1	-6.1	15.4	6.0	-.3	4.1	2.8
Other furniture	122.4	123.0	-3.6	-4.6	1.3	11.1	-4.1	6.1
Appliances, including electronic equipment ¹	79.3	78.9	-1.5	-3.4	-6.3	-3.0	-2.4	-4.6
Video and audio products ¹	73.0	72.5	-1.1	.5	-9.7	-5.3	-.3	-7.5
Televisions ¹	67.1	66.3	.6	-1.1	-7.3	-9.6	-.3	-8.5
Video products other than televisions ^{1 5}	69.0	69.1	-6.4	1.1	-12.6	-4.5	-2.7	-8.7
Audio products ¹	91.2	90.6	-.4	2.2	-10.3	-2.6	.9	-6.5
Major household appliances ^{1 3}	101.9	102.0	3.6	-5.7	-2.3	2.0	-1.2	-.2
Refrigerators and home freezers ¹	108.2	108.9	1.1	-8.9	-1.5	11.0	-4.0	4.6
Laundry equipment ¹	109.2	108.8	.7	-5.3	.7	-1.8	-2.3	-.5
Stoves, ovens, dishwashers, and air conditioners ^{1 3}	94.6	94.5	8.2	-3.7	-5.3	-2.1	2.1	-3.7
Information processing equipment ^{1 5}	63.5	62.5	-15.2	-14.2	-1.9	-7.3	-14.7	-4.6
Other housefurnishings ^{1 3}	116.1	116.1	-.3	3.9	-.7	3.9	1.8	1.6
Floor and window coverings, infants', laundry, cleaning, and outdoor equipment ¹	139.3	140.2	-3.2	10.6	1.2	9.4	3.5	5.2
Clocks, lamps, and decor items ¹	121.0	120.8	-1.0	-5.9	7.4	5.8	-3.5	6.6
Tableware, serving pieces, and nonelectric kitchenware ¹	123.3	124.2	5.3	.0	-6.0	6.4	2.6	.0
Lawn equipment, power tools, and other hardware ¹	107.0	107.1	-.7	-2.2	.0	3.4	-1.5	1.7
Sewing, floor cleaning, small kitchen, and portable heating appliances ^{1 3}	90.5	91.5	-5.5	5.9	.9	-3.4	.0	-1.3
Indoor plants and fresh cut flowers ^{1 6}	118.3	115.9	.4	22.6	-8.5	-1.4	10.9	-5.0
Housekeeping supplies	138.4	139.2	.3	6.7	4.2	5.3	3.5	4.8
Laundry and cleaning products, including soap ¹	141.0	141.1	1.7	1.4	-1.1	1.7	1.6	.3
Household paper products and stationery supplies ¹	141.1	142.3	3.4	11.1	12.8	11.4	7.2	12.1
Other household, lawn, and garden supplies ¹	132.3	133.6	-4.2	7.3	3.1	2.7	1.4	2.9
Housekeeping services	144.1	144.4	10.5	.8	2.0	2.2	5.5	2.1
Postage ¹	160.3	160.3	48.1	.0	.0	.0	21.7	.0
Appliance and furniture repair ¹	151.2	151.9	-.3	1.4	3.0	6.6	.5	4.8
Gardening and other household services ^{1 3}	132.0	131.3	-.3	1.9	3.7	-1.5	.8	1.1
Apparel and upkeep	131.7	132.1	.6	-2.7	-1.5	1.5	-1.1	.0
Apparel commodities	128.3	128.7	.6	-3.0	-1.5	1.6	-1.2	.0
Apparel commodities less footwear	128.5	129.0	.0	-3.6	-1.5	.9	-1.8	-.3
Men's and boys'	125.9	126.0	.0	-2.2	-1.6	1.9	-1.1	.2
Men's	128.3	128.4	-4.2	-3.1	.0	2.2	-3.7	1.1
Suits, sport coats, coats, and jackets	133.2	132.3	2.7	-10.9	-6.7	5.3	-4.4	-.9
Furnishings and special clothing	118.1	118.7	-9.3	-7.1	3.8	-3.3	-8.2	.2
Shirts	131.5	131.5	-1.8	3.7	1.5	-4.1	.9	-1.4
Dungarees, jeans, and trousers	128.1	129.8	1.0	2.5	2.8	3.8	1.7	3.3
Boys'	116.6	117.7	12.6	5.6	-6.3	5.6	9.0	-.5
Women's and girls'	125.2	126.8	-2.1	-4.9	-.6	-.6	-3.5	-.6
Women's	125.3	126.8	-2.4	-4.6	-.6	-.9	-3.5	-.8
Coats and jackets	117.0	118.1	-29.3	7.7	9.4	3.1	-12.8	6.2
Dresses	118.2	120.5	8.4	7.2	-17.0	-3.9	7.8	-10.7
Separates and sportswear	126.5	128.6	-3.3	-9.9	9.0	-8.0	-6.7	.2
Underwear, nightwear, hosiery, and accessories	129.2	131.0	1.9	.3	1.2	5.0	1.1	3.1
Suits	155.0	150.3	10.7	-20.3	-19.0	23.1	-6.1	-.1
Girls'	125.0	127.3	1.9	-6.0	-2.5	1.6	-2.2	-.5
Infants' and toddlers'	131.0	131.3	5.1	-13.9	-7.1	28.6	-4.9	9.3
Other apparel commodities	154.2	151.2	6.6	2.1	-1.8	-2.1	4.3	-2.0
Sewing materials, notions, and luggage ^{1 3}	135.4	134.0	-1.9	15.6	10.0	5.6	6.5	7.7
Watches and jewelry ^{1 3}	154.9	152.6	-3.9	11.6	-9.4	2.7	3.6	-3.6
Watches ^{1 3}	133.9	134.7	-8.5	3.9	17.3	13.2	-2.5	15.2
Jewelry ^{1 3}	160.9	157.7	-2.5	13.2	-14.7	.5	5.1	-7.4
Footwear	126.6	126.5	3.6	1.0	-3.8	5.9	2.3	1.0
Men's	135.2	135.3	6.2	3.9	-2.9	2.7	5.1	-.1
Boys' and girls'	120.0	123.6	-4.4	10.8	-11.8	2.6	2.9	-4.8
Women's	122.8	121.2	5.9	-6.5	-1.3	11.7	-.5	5.0
Apparel services ¹	157.4	157.0	1.5	1.8	-1.3	-.5	1.7	-.9
Laundry and dry cleaning other than coin operated ¹	158.9	158.3	1.8	2.8	-3.7	.5	2.3	-1.6
Other apparel services ¹	156.2	155.9	.8	1.3	1.3	-1.8	1.0	-.3

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					
	Sept. 1995	Oct. 1995	3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
			Jan. 1995	Apr. 1995	July 1995	Oct. 1995	Apr. 1995	Oct. 1995
Expenditure category								
Transportation	139.2	139.4	3.9	6.9	1.7	-2.5	5.4	-0.4
Private	136.2	136.2	6.1	5.1	-3	-2.3	5.6	-1.3
New vehicles	141.9	141.8	.6	3.2	1.1	2.3	1.9	1.7
New cars	139.6	139.6	.3	3.5	.3	1.7	1.9	1.0
Subcompact new cars ³	122.4	121.9	2.7	3.0	1.3	.3	2.9	.8
Compact new cars ³	119.7	119.4	2.4	3.8	1.7	.3	3.1	1.0
Intermediate new cars ³	120.0	120.2	-1.3	3.8	-.7	1.3	1.2	.3
Full-size new cars ³	122.2	122.0	-2.6	2.0	-.7	1.7	-.3	.5
Luxury new cars ³	129.3	129.7	3.2	2.9	1.3	2.8	3.0	2.0
New trucks ⁴	147.8	148.0	-1.1	4.5	3.6	4.7	1.7	4.2
New motorcycles ³	154.2	155.6	6.1	8.0	4.3	5.6	7.1	4.9
Used cars	154.0	154.0	26.0	20.8	-11.0	-5.3	23.3	-8.2
Motor fuel	97.3	97.0	5.3	-.8	1.6	-17.9	2.2	-8.7
Gasoline	97.1	96.6	5.3	-.4	1.2	-18.6	2.4	-9.2
Gasoline, unleaded regular	94.8	94.2	5.4	.4	2.0	-20.6	2.9	-10.0
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ^{1 7}	104.2	102.7	-11.5	1.9	17.6	-18.8	-5.0	-2.3
Gasoline, unleaded premium	99.8	99.0	2.0	-1.9	4.7	-19.4	.0	-8.2
Automobile maintenance and repair	155.0	155.3	1.6	2.4	2.4	3.4	2.0	2.9
Body work ¹	159.9	160.9	1.8	4.4	3.9	4.6	3.1	4.2
Automobile drive train, brake, and miscellaneous mechanical repair ¹	162.1	162.6	-.5	2.0	1.8	4.0	.8	2.9
Maintenance and servicing ¹	144.7	144.4	.0	4.0	.6	4.0	2.0	2.3
Power plant repair ¹	159.9	160.5	3.1	3.6	3.6	2.3	3.4	2.9
Other private transportation	171.5	171.8	9.3	7.3	-.9	3.6	8.3	1.3
Other private transportation commodities	105.1	105.3	1.2	3.1	2.3	.8	2.1	1.5
Motor oil, coolant, and other products ¹	129.2	129.3	4.9	3.2	2.5	2.8	4.0	2.7
Automobile parts and equipment ¹	102.2	102.3	4.0	.8	.8	.8	2.4	.8
Tires ¹	101.7	101.9	4.5	1.2	2.8	-.8	2.8	1.0
Other parts and equipment ¹	106.8	106.8	3.5	1.1	-1.1	1.5	2.3	.2
Other private transportation services	187.3	187.7	10.7	8.1	-1.7	4.4	9.4	1.3
Automobile insurance	236.9	237.4	4.5	5.2	4.9	3.8	4.8	4.3
Automobile finance charges	97.8	97.3	39.8	31.6	-21.5	-2.4	35.6	-12.5
Automobile fees ¹	179.0	180.9	8.6	3.9	-6.8	12.4	6.2	2.4
Automobile registration, licensing, and inspection fees ¹	183.3	183.8	2.5	-3.0	2.2	5.9	-.3	4.0
Other automobile-related fees ¹	176.0	179.1	15.6	11.3	-15.0	18.9	13.4	.6
Public transportation	179.0	181.8	-13.1	26.2	22.4	-5.5	4.7	7.6
Airline fares	194.1	198.5	-18.5	37.2	33.0	-9.5	5.7	9.7
Other intercity transportation	153.8	154.1	.8	4.8	-4.1	3.2	2.8	-.5
Intracity public transportation ¹	158.5	158.8	1.0	8.1	1.3	4.9	4.5	3.1
Medical care	222.5	223.2	4.9	3.6	4.1	4.0	4.2	4.1
Medical care commodities	205.0	206.1	2.0	-.6	1.8	4.0	.7	2.9
Prescription drugs	236.1	237.2	1.0	.0	2.9	3.8	.5	3.4
Nonprescription drugs and medical supplies ^{1 3}	140.4	140.9	2.9	1.1	-.9	1.7	2.0	.4
Internal and respiratory over-the-counter drugs ¹	167.0	167.2	1.5	.0	1.2	-.5	.7	.4
Nonprescription medical equipment and supplies	165.4	167.0	6.3	1.5	-4.0	6.5	3.8	1.1
Medical care services	226.3	226.9	5.7	4.4	4.4	4.2	5.0	4.3
Professional medical services	202.6	202.9	4.4	3.7	4.7	3.0	4.0	3.9
Physicians' services	210.5	211.2	4.6	5.2	4.5	3.7	4.9	4.1
Dental services ¹	208.5	209.1	5.5	3.2	4.4	3.9	4.3	4.1
Eye care ^{1 3}	138.2	138.4	2.1	.6	6.3	1.8	1.3	4.0
Services by other medical professionals ³	143.5	143.9	2.5	.6	-4.4	3.7	1.5	-.4
Hospital and related services	260.7	261.2	5.1	4.2	3.7	5.7	4.6	4.7
Hospital rooms	254.4	254.2	5.7	4.6	3.4	5.0	5.2	4.2
Other inpatient services ³	208.9	209.5	5.3	4.2	3.8	5.1	4.7	4.4
Outpatient services ³	207.1	207.7	4.1	2.4	5.0	6.6	3.2	5.8

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					
	Sept. 1995	Oct. 1995	3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
			Jan. 1995	Apr. 1995	July 1995	Oct. 1995	Apr. 1995	Oct. 1995
Expenditure category								
Entertainment	154.9	155.1	3.5	2.1	2.4	3.4	2.8	2.9
Entertainment commodities	139.4	139.6	1.8	.9	2.0	3.2	1.3	2.6
Reading materials	169.1	170.5	2.7	4.2	5.2	6.1	3.5	5.6
Newspapers ¹	180.2	183.2	2.4	9.6	6.0	9.2	5.9	7.6
Magazines, periodicals, and books ¹	158.9	159.5	2.6	.3	1.5	4.6	1.4	3.1
Sporting goods and equipment ¹	123.5	123.3	7.4	-2.9	-2.2	.7	2.1	-.8
Sport vehicles, including bicycles ¹	125.2	124.8	6.6	1.6	-3.8	-.3	4.1	-2.1
Other sporting goods ¹	119.1	119.1	7.6	-6.5	-1.0	1.7	.3	.3
Toys, hobbies, and other entertainment ¹	128.5	128.3	-1.9	1.6	.6	1.9	-.2	1.3
Toys, hobbies, and music equipment ¹	123.6	122.7	-2.6	.6	-2.2	-.6	-1.0	-1.5
Photographic supplies and equipment	134.2	134.6	-3.3	1.5	5.6	1.5	-.9	3.5
Pet supplies and expense ¹	133.2	133.6	.6	1.2	3.1	4.3	.9	3.7
Entertainment services	173.2	173.4	4.6	3.3	2.6	3.5	4.0	3.1
Club memberships ³	132.7	134.1	2.2	3.1	1.8	3.3	2.6	2.6
Fees for participant sports, excluding club memberships ³	157.9	158.5	9.4	1.8	-7.4	9.9	5.5	.9
Admissions ¹	185.0	183.8	3.4	4.6	8.0	1.1	4.0	4.5
Fees for lessons or instructions ³	155.5	154.8	1.1	5.4	4.0	-1.5	3.2	1.2
Other entertainment services ^{1 3}	135.5	136.0	3.1	4.0	2.4	6.1	3.5	4.2
Other goods and services	209.7	210.4	2.6	4.8	5.0	4.9	3.7	4.9
Tobacco and smoking products	229.3	229.9	-4.4	3.3	6.1	7.5	-.6	6.8
Personal care ¹	147.5	148.5	1.1	1.7	1.7	4.4	1.4	3.0
Toilet goods and personal care appliances ¹	143.0	144.4	.6	.0	1.4	4.9	.3	3.1
Cosmetics, bath and nail preparations, manicure and eye makeup implements ¹	145.7	147.0	.3	.0	2.8	5.9	.1	4.4
Other toilet goods and small personal care appliances, including hair and dental products ¹	141.3	142.7	.9	.3	.3	4.0	.6	2.1
Personal care services ¹	152.4	153.0	1.9	3.5	1.9	4.3	2.7	3.1
Beauty parlor services for females ¹	151.9	152.5	.0	3.5	2.4	4.9	1.8	3.6
Haircuts and other barber shop services for males ¹	153.8	154.4	9.2	3.5	-.3	2.6	6.3	1.2
Personal and educational expenses	238.2	238.8	6.0	6.2	5.4	4.1	6.1	4.8
School books and supplies	215.6	217.1	6.9	4.4	2.5	5.5	5.7	4.0
Personal and educational services	239.8	240.4	5.7	6.4	5.6	4.3	6.1	4.9
Tuition and other school fees	256.2	257.0	5.9	7.2	6.4	3.2	6.5	4.8
College tuition	267.0	268.0	5.6	7.7	6.9	2.7	6.7	4.8
Elementary and high school tuition	262.2	263.0	6.7	9.9	9.2	1.4	8.3	5.2
Day care and nursery school ^{1 6}	126.2	126.3	4.7	1.3	2.0	8.0	3.0	4.9
Personal expenses	208.6	209.1	4.7	6.3	3.0	7.2	5.5	5.1
Legal service fees ^{1 3}	152.7	153.1	1.1	6.6	4.6	1.8	3.8	3.2
Personal financial services ^{1 3}	175.8	177.0	3.9	11.2	-1.4	15.1	7.5	6.5
Funeral expenses ³	155.3	156.0	7.5	4.6	6.8	5.3	6.1	6.0
Special indexes								
Domestically produced farm food	150.5	151.5	3.0	5.6	1.1	5.5	4.3	3.2
Selected beef cuts	127.3	128.2	.3	-4.5	-5.5	3.5	-2.1	-1.1
Motor fuel, motor oil, coolant, and other products	97.9	97.5	5.3	-.8	1.2	-17.2	2.2	-8.4
Utilities and public transportation	138.2	139.6	.3	3.9	3.8	1.2	2.1	2.5
Housekeeping and home maintenance services ¹	144.4	144.6	8.6	1.4	2.3	3.1	4.9	2.7

¹ Not seasonally adjusted.

² Indexes on a December 1982=100 base.

³ Indexes on a December 1986=100 base.

⁴ Indexes on a December 1983=100 base.

⁵ Indexes on a December 1988=100 base.

⁶ Indexes on a December 1990=100 base.

⁷ Indexes on a December 1993=100 base.

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

Table 5. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, unadjusted indexes for special detailed expenditure categories¹

(1982-84 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Item	Indexes				1-month percent changes ended—				Percent change to Oct. 1995 from—
	July 1995	Aug. 1995	Sept. 1995	Oct. 1995	July 1995	Aug. 1995	Sept. 1995	Oct. 1995	Oct. 1994
Food and beverages									
Other breads	167.2	165.7	168.5	172.4	0.3	-0.9	1.7	2.3	4.5
Fresh biscuits, rolls, and muffins	155.5	157.4	158.0	159.7	-1.1	1.2	.4	1.1	3.3
Fresh cakes and cupcakes	169.8	171.3	166.7	168.0	.3	.9	-2.7	.8	4.6
Cookies	170.3	170.8	170.9	172.9	.3	.3	.1	1.2	2.8
Crackers, bread, and cracker products	193.6	194.0	192.4	182.3	.4	.2	-.8	-5.2	.3
Fresh sweetrolls, coffee cake, and donuts	163.9	164.6	162.0	163.6	2.9	.4	-1.6	1.0	2.8
Frozen and refrigerated bakery products and fresh pies, tarts, and turnovers	173.7	173.5	172.4	169.2	.2	-.1	-.6	-1.9	4.0
Ham other than canned	144.5	148.7	149.8	153.7	1.0	2.9	.7	2.6	3.0
Pork sausage	128.7	129.1	129.7	129.9	-.5	.3	.5	.2	.9
Other pork	135.9	136.9	138.4	138.7	1.8	.7	1.1	.2	5.9
Frankfurters	135.6	139.7	137.0	142.6	-1.4	3.0	-1.9	4.1	3.6
Bologna, liverwurst, and salami	139.1	142.7	138.5	143.0	-.1	2.6	-2.9	3.2	3.2
Other lunchmeats	131.1	131.4	131.9	133.2	-.8	.2	.4	1.0	2.2
Lamb and organ meats	148.0	146.6	149.8	150.1	1.8	-.9	2.2	.2	6.2
Butter	85.5	86.0	86.1	89.1	4.0	.6	.1	3.5	5.7
Other dairy products	146.6	146.7	147.0	147.3	.1	.1	.2	.2	2.8
Frozen fruit and fruit juices	125.1	126.2	123.7	124.5	.2	.9	-2.0	.6	4.8
Other fruit juices	141.9	142.3	142.5	143.7	.5	.3	.1	.8	4.3
Cut corn, canned beans except lima	139.7	137.2	133.8	136.3	.9	-1.8	-2.5	1.9	1.0
Other processed vegetables	142.7	143.5	143.0	143.1	.8	.6	-.3	.1	2.3
Candy and chewing gum	142.6	142.9	142.7	143.5	.6	.2	-.1	.6	2.4
Other sweets	140.3	144.7	143.4	144.6	1.0	3.1	-.9	.8	5.3
Margarine	143.3	141.7	141.8	143.1	1.8	-1.1	.1	.9	1.4
Other fats, oils, and salad dressing	138.4	138.9	138.8	139.5	1.2	.4	-.1	.5	4.9
Nondairy substitutes and peanut butter	136.6	135.1	135.2	135.5	.7	-1.1	.1	.2	-.7
Roasted coffee	167.3	167.9	165.6	161.8	-.2	.4	-1.4	-2.3	-10.6
Instant and freeze-dried coffee	151.3	152.2	151.0	150.6	-.7	.6	-.8	-.3	-4.6
Seasonings, olives, pickles, and relish	159.4	158.7	158.9	161.3	.3	-.4	.1	1.5	4.9
Other condiments	149.8	150.9	149.9	149.1	.3	.7	-.7	-.5	1.8
Miscellaneous prepared foods and baby foods	166.8	168.4	168.6	166.8	-.8	1.0	.1	-1.1	.7
Other canned and packaged prepared foods	135.1	135.5	135.5	136.0	.4	.3	.0	.4	1.6
Whiskey at home	145.1	146.2	146.5	146.1	.3	.8	.2	-.3	1.9
Other alcoholic beverages at home	145.5	145.6	146.3	146.6	-.1	.1	.5	.2	1.2
Housing									
Household linens	114.4	115.8	114.5	115.5	1.5	1.2	-1.1	.9	.8
Curtains, drapes, slipcovers, and sewing materials	140.7	135.8	136.8	138.3	1.8	-3.5	.7	1.1	1.1
Soaps and detergents	137.9	138.3	138.7	139.5	-.4	.3	.3	.6	1.1
Other laundry and cleaning products	141.0	141.4	141.4	141.1	-.1	.3	.0	-.2	1.4
Cleansing and toilet tissue, paper towels, and napkins	136.0	138.3	140.0	142.3	3.7	1.7	1.2	1.6	12.5
Stationery, stationery supplies, and gift wrap	143.2	143.1	142.8	143.3	-.1	-.1	-.2	.4	5.3
Apparel and upkeep									
Men's suits, sport coats, and jackets	128.3	132.7	135.4	135.4	-1.3	3.4	2.0	.0	-3.6
Men's coats and jackets	134.2	138.9	142.3	144.9	-2.4	3.5	2.4	1.8	2.0
Boys' coats, jackets, sweaters, and shirts	109.7	112.1	118.1	119.4	-1.5	2.2	5.4	1.1	5.0
Boys' trousers, sport coats, and jackets	117.7	116.1	117.6	119.4	-1.3	-1.4	1.3	1.5	1.8
Girls' coats, jackets, dresses, and suits	118.1	119.1	123.9	127.1	-3.8	.8	4.0	2.6	-7.4
Girls' separates and sportswear	113.7	118.1	118.8	123.3	-3.9	3.9	.6	3.8	-2.6
Transportation									
State automobile registration	203.1	205.5	205.5	206.0	.0	1.2	.0	.2	2.2
Other goods and services									
Products for hair, hair pieces, and wigs	133.0	132.5	132.9	134.3	.7	-.4	.3	1.1	2.7

¹ These special indexes are based on substantially smaller samples.

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

Table 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 1994	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Oct. 1995 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Sept. 1995	Oct. 1995	Oct. 1994	Sept. 1995	July to Aug.	Aug. to Sept.	Sept. to Oct.
Expenditure category								
All items	100.000	150.6	151.0	2.7	0.3	0.1	0.2	0.3
All items (1967=100)	-	448.5	449.6	-	-	-	-	-
Food and beverages	19.320	148.9	149.3	2.9	.3	.3	.5	.3
Food	17.629	148.5	148.9	3.0	.3	.2	.5	.4
Food at home	11.243	148.4	148.9	3.3	.3	.3	.6	.4
Cereals and bakery products	1.670	168.2	168.8	2.7	.4	.2	.2	.4
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	3.398	139.2	140.5	2.9	.9	.8	.7	1.1
Dairy products	1.299	132.1	132.8	1.2	.5	-.3	-.2	.5
Fruits and vegetables	2.124	177.5	176.4	8.9	-.6	-.6	2.3	-.1
Other food at home	2.751	140.7	140.8	1.3	.1	.3	.1	-.2
Sugar and sweets	.367	138.3	139.0	2.4	.5	.5	-.1	.4
Fats and oils	.286	137.4	138.0	2.2	.4	-.1	.1	.4
Nonalcoholic beverages	.920	131.1	130.2	-1.0	-.7	.4	.4	-1.3
Other prepared food	1.179	151.2	151.8	2.4	.4	.2	-.1	.3
Food away from home	6.387	149.5	149.9	2.5	.3	.3	.2	.3
Alcoholic beverages	1.690	153.8	154.2	2.1	.3	.7	-.1	.3
Housing	38.759	146.5	146.6	2.7	.1	.3	.1	.4
Shelter	25.753	162.3	162.8	3.2	.3	.1	.3	.4
Renters' costs ¹	8.073	153.3	153.5	2.9	.1	-.1	.4	.3
Rent, residential	6.615	158.2	158.6	2.4	.3	.1	.1	.3
Other renters' costs	1.458	205.6	205.3	5.6	-.1	-.7	1.7	.3
Homeowners' costs ¹	17.491	157.2	157.8	3.3	.4	.2	.3	.4
Owners' equivalent rent ¹	17.161	157.5	158.1	3.3	.4	.3	.3	.4
Household insurance ¹	.331	143.7	144.3	1.7	.4	.1	-1.5	.6
Maintenance and repairs ²	.189	135.0	135.7	3.6	.5	.1	.1	.5
Maintenance and repair services ²	.104	143.0	144.4	3.5	1.0	.1	.0	1.0
Maintenance and repair commodities ²	.085	124.3	124.3	3.6	.0	.1	.2	.0
Fuel and other utilities	7.329	124.5	123.5	1.2	-.8	.7	-.7	.7
Fuels	3.958	112.7	110.8	.5	-1.7	1.1	-1.4	1.3
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities	.331	86.5	86.8	-.1	.3	.1	-.2	-1.1
Gas (piped) and electricity (energy services)	3.627	120.8	118.5	.6	-1.9	1.1	-1.5	1.5
Other utilities and public services ²	3.372	153.6	153.9	2.0	.2	.1	.1	.2
Household furnishings and operation	5.676	122.5	122.7	2.2	.2	.4	.3	.0
Housefurnishings	3.432	110.5	110.4	.8	-.1	.5	.4	-.2
Housekeeping supplies	1.122	138.6	139.4	4.1	.6	.7	.1	.4
Housekeeping services	1.122	147.8	148.0	4.4	.1	.0	.3	.2
Apparel and upkeep	5.661	131.6	133.4	-.4	1.4	.3	-.2	.4
Apparel commodities	5.136	128.5	130.5	-.5	1.6	.3	-.2	.4
Men's and boys' apparel	1.329	126.4	127.9	-.2	1.2	.4	-.2	.1
Women's and girls' apparel	2.214	125.4	129.2	-1.9	3.0	-.8	-.9	1.4
Infants' and toddlers' apparel	.263	132.6	132.8	1.9	.2	4.7	2.2	.3
Footwear	.827	127.5	128.4	1.7	.7	.3	1.1	.1
Other apparel commodities	.503	153.2	150.8	.6	-1.6	2.7	-.5	-1.8
Apparel services ²	.524	156.8	156.3	.2	-.3	.1	-.1	-.3
Transportation	19.183	138.5	139.0	2.5	.4	-.6	-.2	.1
Private transportation	18.027	136.6	136.9	2.2	.2	-.5	-.2	.0
New vehicles	4.982	140.9	141.9	1.9	.7	.1	.3	.1
New cars	3.622	137.4	138.3	1.5	.7	.1	.1	.1
Used cars	2.382	157.4	158.1	6.5	.4	-.7	-.6	-.1
Motor fuel	3.819	99.8	98.2	-3.4	-1.6	-2.9	-1.4	-.5
Gasoline	-	99.7	97.9	-3.5	-1.8	-3.0	-1.6	-.4
Maintenance and repairs	1.617	155.9	156.2	2.5	.2	.3	.3	.1
Other private transportation	5.227	166.0	167.7	4.8	1.0	.4	.3	.2
Other private transportation commodities	.780	104.1	104.2	1.8	.1	.2	-.2	.2
Other private transportation services	4.447	181.5	183.7	5.4	1.2	.4	.4	.2
Public transportation	1.156	172.2	174.8	6.1	1.5	-2.2	-.1	1.7

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 1994	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Oct. 1995 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Sept. 1995	Oct. 1995	Oct. 1994	Sept. 1995	July to Aug.	Aug. to Sept.	Sept. to Oct.
Expenditure category								
Medical care	6.173	221.5	222.3	4.2	0.4	0.5	0.3	0.3
Medical care commodities	1.063	202.5	203.2	1.7	.3	.1	.1	.5
Medical care services	5.110	225.8	226.6	4.7	.4	.5	.3	.3
Professional medical services	2.920	203.5	204.0	4.1	.2	.2	.3	.1
Entertainment	4.005	152.7	152.9	2.6	.1	.4	.3	.1
Entertainment commodities	2.054	138.4	138.7	1.8	.2	.4	.2	.1
Entertainment services	1.951	173.4	173.5	3.6	.1	.3	.3	.2
Other goods and services	6.900	207.2	207.8	4.2	.3	.5	.6	.3
Tobacco and smoking products	2.128	228.1	228.2	3.0	.0	.6	.9	.3
Personal care ²	1.139	147.6	148.7	2.2	.7	.3	.1	.7
Toilet goods and personal care appliances ²	.646	143.7	145.1	1.6	1.0	.3	-.1	1.0
Personal care services ²	.493	152.5	153.2	3.1	.5	.3	.5	.5
Personal and educational expenses	3.633	236.1	236.8	5.5	.3	.5	.6	.3
School books and supplies	.220	218.1	219.1	4.9	.5	-.1	.7	.6
Personal and educational services	3.413	237.8	238.4	5.5	.3	.6	.5	.3
Commodity and service group								
All items	100.000	150.6	151.0	2.7	.3	.1	.2	.3
Commodities	47.499	136.7	137.1	1.8	.3	.0	.1	.1
Food and beverages	19.320	148.9	149.3	2.9	.3	.3	.5	.3
Commodities less food and beverages	28.180	129.3	129.7	1.2	.3	-.2	-.1	.1
Nondurables less food and beverages	16.400	129.6	130.0	.2	.3	-.4	-.2	.0
Apparel commodities	5.136	128.5	130.5	-.5	1.6	.3	-.2	.4
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel ²	11.263	133.1	132.7	.5	-.3	-.6	-.2	-.3
Durables	11.780	127.7	128.2	2.5	.4	.0	.1	.0
Services	52.501	167.3	167.7	3.5	.2	.2	.2	.4
Rent of shelter ¹	25.206	156.1	156.6	3.2	.3	.3	.3	.3
Household services less rent of shelter ¹	8.584	128.3	127.4	1.8	-.7	.5	-.5	.6
Transportation services	7.220	173.5	175.3	4.8	1.0	.0	.3	.4
Medical care services	5.110	225.8	226.6	4.7	.4	.5	.3	.3
Other services	6.381	193.0	193.3	4.3	.2	.4	.4	.2
Special indexes								
All items less food	82.371	150.9	151.3	2.6	.3	.1	.1	.3
All items less shelter	74.247	147.5	147.9	2.5	.3	.1	.1	.3
All items less homeowners' costs ¹	82.509	141.4	141.8	2.6	.3	.1	.1	.3
All items less medical care	93.827	147.2	147.6	2.6	.3	.1	.1	.3
Commodities less food	29.870	130.2	130.6	1.2	.3	-.2	-.1	.1
Nondurables less food	18.090	131.0	131.4	.4	.3	-.3	-.4	.2
Nondurables less food and apparel ²	12.954	134.2	133.9	.7	-.2	-.4	-.2	-.2
Nondurables	35.719	139.5	139.9	1.6	.3	-.1	.0	.2
Services less rent of shelter ¹	27.295	158.8	159.1	3.7	.2	.3	.1	.4
Services less medical care services	47.390	162.3	162.6	3.3	.2	.1	.2	.4
Energy	7.777	105.5	103.8	-1.4	-1.6	-.9	-1.4	.4
All items less energy	92.223	156.8	157.5	3.0	.4	.2	.3	.3
All items less food and energy	74.594	159.0	159.7	3.0	.4	.3	.2	.3
Commodities less food and energy commodities	25.720	139.3	140.1	1.9	.6	.3	.1	.2
Energy commodities	4.150	98.9	97.5	-3.1	-1.4	-2.6	-1.4	-.5
Services less energy services	48.874	172.5	173.1	3.7	.3	.2	.3	.3
Purchasing power of the consumer dollar:								
1982-84=\$1.00 ²	-	\$.664	\$.662	-2.6	-.3	-.1	-.3	-.3
1967=\$1.00 ²	-	.223	.222	-	-	-	-	-

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					
	July 1995	Aug. 1995	Sept. 1995	Oct. 1995	3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
					Jan. 1995	Apr. 1995	July 1995	Oct. 1995	Apr. 1995	Oct. 1995
Expenditure category										
All items	-	-	-	-	3.0	3.6	1.6	2.4	3.3	2.0
Food and beverages	148.4	148.8	149.5	150.0	2.5	3.9	1.1	4.4	3.2	2.7
Food	148.0	148.3	149.0	149.6	2.8	3.9	1.1	4.4	3.3	2.7
Food at home	147.9	148.3	149.2	149.8	2.5	4.7	.8	5.2	3.6	3.0
Cereals and bakery products	167.4	167.8	168.2	168.9	-5	5.0	2.7	3.6	2.2	3.2
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	137.2	138.3	139.2	140.7	-3	.9	.6	10.6	.3	5.5
Dairy products	132.7	132.3	132.1	132.8	1.5	1.5	1.5	.3	1.5	.9
Fruits and vegetables	179.0	178.0	182.1	182.0	12.0	17.3	-2	6.9	14.6	3.3
Other food at home	140.4	140.8	140.9	140.6	1.4	2.3	.9	.6	1.9	.7
Sugar and sweets	137.8	138.5	138.3	138.9	-6	3.6	3.9	3.2	1.5	3.5
Fats and oils	137.5	137.4	137.5	138.0	2.4	2.4	2.7	1.5	2.4	2.1
Nonalcoholic beverages	130.7	131.2	131.7	130.0	1.2	.9	-3.9	-2.1	1.1	-3.0
Other prepared food	151.3	151.6	151.4	151.8	1.6	3.3	3.5	1.3	2.4	2.4
Food away from home	148.8	149.2	149.5	149.9	3.0	2.2	1.6	3.0	2.6	2.3
Alcoholic beverages	153.0	154.1	153.9	154.4	1.6	2.1	.8	3.7	1.9	2.2
Housing	145.4	145.8	145.9	146.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	3.1	2.5	2.8
Shelter	161.3	161.5	162.0	162.7	2.6	3.6	3.3	3.5	3.1	3.4
Renters' costs ¹	152.6	152.5	153.1	153.5	2.2	4.3	2.9	2.4	3.2	2.7
Rent, residential	157.7	157.8	158.0	158.4	2.3	2.6	2.6	1.8	2.5	2.2
Other renters' costs	206.1	204.7	208.1	208.8	.0	12.7	4.6	5.3	6.2	5.0
Homeowners' costs ¹	156.2	156.5	156.9	157.6	2.6	3.2	3.7	3.6	2.9	3.7
Owners' equivalent rent ¹	156.4	156.8	157.2	157.9	2.6	3.2	3.7	3.9	2.9	3.8
Household insurance ¹	145.1	145.3	143.1	144.0	5.2	4.5	.3	-3.0	4.9	-1.4
Maintenance and repairs ²	134.7	134.9	135.0	135.7	5.6	2.7	3.0	3.0	4.2	3.0
Maintenance and repair services ²	142.9	143.0	143.0	144.4	2.9	4.0	2.8	4.3	3.5	3.6
Maintenance and repair commodities ²	124.0	124.1	124.3	124.3	8.6	1.3	3.6	1.0	4.9	2.3
Fuel and other utilities	122.9	123.7	122.8	123.7	2.0	-3	.7	2.6	.8	1.6
Fuels	109.5	110.7	109.1	110.5	.7	-1.1	-7	3.7	-2	1.5
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities	88.7	88.8	88.6	87.6	-9	-1.4	7.1	-4.9	-1.1	.9
Gas (piped) and electricity (energy services)	117.1	118.4	116.6	118.3	.7	-1.4	-1.0	4.2	-3	1.5
Other utilities and public services ²	153.4	153.5	153.6	153.9	4.0	.8	1.8	1.3	2.4	1.6
Household furnishings and operation	121.6	122.1	122.5	122.5	2.4	2.0	1.0	3.0	2.2	2.0
Housefurnishings	109.7	110.2	110.6	110.4	-4	.7	.0	2.6	.2	1.3
Housekeeping supplies	137.6	138.5	138.7	139.2	1.2	6.4	3.9	4.7	3.8	4.3
Housekeeping services	146.9	146.9	147.4	147.7	12.7	.8	2.5	2.2	6.6	2.3
Apparel and upkeep	130.3	130.7	130.5	131.0	.0	-1.2	-2.4	2.2	-6	-2
Apparel commodities	127.3	127.7	127.5	128.0	.0	-1.9	-2.2	2.2	-9	.0
Men's and boys' apparel	125.1	125.6	125.4	125.5	.3	-3	-1.9	1.3	.0	-3
Women's and girls' apparel	126.1	125.1	124.0	125.7	-2.2	-3.4	-3	-1.3	-2.8	-8
Infants' and toddlers' apparel	123.7	129.5	132.4	132.8	4.7	-14.6	-9.1	32.8	-5.4	9.9
Footwear	125.4	125.8	127.2	127.3	2.6	1.3	-3.4	6.2	1.9	1.3
Other apparel commodities	149.0	153.0	152.3	149.6	4.1	3.8	-6.4	1.6	3.9	-2.5
Apparel services ²	156.8	156.9	156.8	156.3	1.3	1.8	-1.0	-1.3	1.5	-1.1
Transportation	139.5	138.7	138.4	138.5	6.0	7.2	-3	-2.8	6.6	-1.6
Private transportation	137.4	136.7	136.4	136.4	7.1	6.3	-1.2	-2.9	6.7	-2.0
New vehicles	142.0	142.2	142.6	142.7	.3	4.1	1.4	2.0	2.2	1.7
New cars	138.8	139.0	139.2	139.3	.9	3.2	.6	1.4	2.1	1.0
Used cars	157.0	155.9	155.0	154.9	26.2	20.7	-10.5	-5.2	23.4	-7.9
Motor fuel	101.6	98.7	97.3	96.8	5.3	-8	.8	-17.6	2.2	-8.9
Gasoline	101.7	98.6	97.0	96.6	5.3	.0	1.2	-18.6	2.6	-9.2
Maintenance and repairs	155.1	155.5	155.9	156.1	1.6	2.6	3.2	2.6	2.1	2.9
Other private transportation	166.3	167.0	167.5	167.8	9.0	8.6	-1.7	3.7	8.8	1.0
Other private transportation commodities	104.3	104.5	104.3	104.5	.8	3.1	2.3	.8	2.0	1.5
Other private transportation services	181.8	182.6	183.3	183.7	10.5	9.5	-2.4	4.2	10.0	.9
Public transportation	178.2	174.2	174.0	176.9	-9.0	22.6	17.1	-2.9	5.6	6.6

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					
	July 1995	Aug. 1995	Sept. 1995	Oct. 1995	3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
					Jan. 1995	Apr. 1995	July 1995	Oct. 1995	Apr. 1995	Oct. 1995
Expenditure category										
Medical care	220.1	221.2	221.8	222.4	4.8	3.8	3.7	4.2	4.3	4.0
Medical care commodities	202.0	202.3	202.5	203.6	2.0	−8	2.2	3.2	.6	2.7
Medical care services	224.1	225.3	226.0	226.6	5.5	4.6	4.2	4.5	5.1	4.4
Professional medical services	202.5	203.0	203.7	204.0	4.6	3.7	4.9	3.0	4.1	3.9
Entertainment	151.6	152.2	152.7	152.8	3.3	2.1	1.9	3.2	2.7	2.5
Entertainment commodities	137.6	138.2	138.5	138.7	1.8	.9	1.5	3.2	1.3	2.3
Entertainment services	171.9	172.5	173.0	173.3	4.6	3.8	2.6	3.3	4.2	2.9
Other goods and services	204.6	205.7	206.9	207.6	2.0	4.1	4.8	6.0	3.0	5.4
Tobacco and smoking products	225.8	227.2	229.2	229.8	−4.1	3.1	5.9	7.3	−5	6.6
Personal care ²	146.9	147.4	147.6	148.7	1.4	1.4	1.1	5.0	1.4	3.0
Toilet goods and personal care appliances ²	143.3	143.8	143.7	145.1	.8	.0	.6	5.1	.4	2.8
Personal care services ²	151.3	151.7	152.5	153.2	2.4	3.2	1.6	5.1	2.8	3.3
Personal and educational expenses	231.5	232.7	234.0	234.6	6.1	5.4	5.2	5.5	5.7	5.3
School books and supplies	215.3	215.0	216.6	218.0	8.9	3.0	2.6	5.1	6.0	3.9
Personal and educational services	233.0	234.3	235.5	236.1	5.8	5.6	5.5	5.4	5.7	5.5
Commodity and service group										
All items	−	−	−	−	3.0	3.6	1.6	2.4	3.3	2.0
Commodities	136.5	136.5	136.7	136.9	2.7	3.0	.6	1.2	2.8	.9
Food and beverages	148.4	148.8	149.5	150.0	2.5	3.9	1.1	4.4	3.2	2.7
Commodities less food and beverages	129.1	128.9	128.8	128.9	2.5	2.8	−3	−6	2.7	−5
Nondurables less food and beverages	129.4	128.9	128.6	128.6	1.6	.9	.9	−2.5	1.3	−8
Apparel commodities	127.3	127.7	127.5	128.0	.0	−1.9	−2.2	2.2	−9	.0
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel ²	134.2	133.4	133.1	132.7	−3.3	2.5	7.8	−4.4	−5	1.5
Durables	127.9	127.9	128.0	128.0	5.6	5.1	−1.2	.3	5.3	−5
Services	166.3	166.7	167.0	167.7	3.8	4.0	2.9	3.4	3.9	3.2
Rent of shelter ¹	155.2	155.7	156.1	156.6	1.9	4.0	3.2	3.7	2.9	3.4
Household services less rent of shelter ¹	126.9	127.5	126.8	127.5	3.9	.0	1.0	1.9	1.9	1.4
Transportation services	174.4	174.4	174.9	175.6	5.1	10.0	1.6	2.8	7.5	2.2
Medical care services	224.1	225.3	226.0	226.6	5.5	4.6	4.2	4.5	5.1	4.4
Other services	190.7	191.5	192.3	192.7	4.9	4.6	3.6	4.3	4.7	4.0
Special indexes										
All items less food	150.1	150.2	150.3	150.8	3.3	3.6	1.9	1.9	3.4	1.9
All items less shelter	147.0	147.2	147.3	147.7	3.4	3.6	1.1	1.9	3.5	1.5
All items less homeowners' costs ¹	140.9	141.1	141.2	141.6	3.2	3.5	1.4	2.0	3.4	1.7
All items less medical care	146.5	146.7	146.9	147.4	3.1	3.6	1.4	2.5	3.4	1.9
Commodities less food	130.3	130.1	130.0	130.1	2.5	2.8	.0	−6	2.7	−3
Nondurables less food	130.8	130.4	129.9	130.2	1.2	1.2	.9	−1.8	1.2	−5
Nondurables less food and apparel ²	135.1	134.5	134.2	133.9	−3.0	2.8	6.8	−3.5	−2	1.5
Nondurables	139.2	139.1	139.1	139.4	2.4	2.3	1.2	.6	2.3	.9
Services less rent of shelter ¹	157.8	158.2	158.4	159.1	5.1	4.5	2.3	3.3	4.8	2.8
Services less medical care services	161.4	161.6	162.0	162.6	3.1	4.4	2.8	3.0	3.7	2.9
Energy	105.1	104.2	102.7	103.1	2.7	−8	.0	−7.4	1.0	−3.8
All items less energy	156.3	156.6	157.1	157.5	3.2	4.0	1.8	3.1	3.6	2.5
All items less food and energy	158.5	158.9	159.2	159.7	3.1	4.2	1.8	3.1	3.6	2.4
Commodities less food and energy commodities	138.8	139.2	139.3	139.6	2.4	3.2	−3	2.3	2.8	1.0
Energy commodities	100.7	98.1	96.7	96.2	4.9	−1.2	1.6	−16.7	1.8	−8.0
Services less energy services	171.9	172.2	172.7	173.3	3.9	4.3	3.3	3.3	4.1	3.3

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 Oct. 1995 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
	Sept. 1995	Oct. 1995	Oct. 1994	Sept. 1995	July to Aug.	Aug. to Sept.	Sept. to Oct.
Expenditure category							
Food and beverages	148.9	149.3	2.9	0.3	0.3	0.5	0.3
Food	148.5	148.9	3.0	.3	.2	.5	.4
Food at home	148.4	148.9	3.3	.3	.3	.6	.4
Cereals and bakery products	168.2	168.8	2.7	.4	.2	.2	.4
Cereals and cereal products	166.6	167.2	1.4	.4	.4	.1	.7
Flour and prepared flour mixes	143.4	142.8	6.6	-.4	1.4	.7	.8
Cereal ¹	191.0	193.2	.8	1.2	-.1	-1.0	1.2
Rice, pasta, and cornmeal	141.5	139.6	-.6	-1.3	.4	1.4	-.6
Bakery products ¹	168.6	169.1	3.3	.3	.5	-.1	.3
White bread ¹	167.3	169.1	5.5	1.1	1.2	.6	1.1
Fresh other bread, biscuits, rolls, and muffins ¹	168.5	170.9	4.0	1.4	.4	.4	1.4
Cookies, fresh cakes, and cupcakes ¹	168.0	169.4	2.2	.8	.7	-1.0	.8
Other bakery products	170.9	167.8	1.7	-1.8	-1.2	.5	-1.5
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	139.2	140.5	2.9	.9	.8	.7	1.1
Meats, poultry, and fish	140.2	141.4	2.2	.9	.6	.7	.9
Meats	135.5	137.1	1.5	1.2	.6	.4	1.3
Beef and veal	133.2	134.2	-.8	.8	-.4	.3	.6
Ground beef other than canned	114.2	115.1	-2.9	.8	.0	1.3	.2
Chuck roast	135.8	139.0	-1.6	2.4	.8	.4	.9
Round roast	127.5	134.0	2.8	5.1	.7	-3.2	5.5
Round steak	128.4	128.7	-2.0	.2	-1.8	.9	.4
Sirloin steak	139.3	139.4	.9	.1	-1.0	-2.0	1.3
Other beef and veal ¹	155.7	155.7	1.0	.0	-.3	-.1	.0
Pork	138.0	139.3	4.0	.9	1.8	1.5	1.5
Bacon ¹	123.1	127.8	7.8	3.8	2.9	3.6	3.8
Chops	149.5	148.1	3.3	-.9	3.1	1.6	-.1
Ham	142.6	145.6	3.4	2.1	1.9	.4	2.2
Other pork, including sausage	134.5	134.7	3.1	.1	.5	1.1	1.0
Other meats ¹	138.4	141.7	3.7	2.4	1.6	-1.1	2.4
Poultry ¹	145.7	146.1	3.5	.3	.2	2.2	.3
Fresh whole chicken ¹	145.3	145.6	5.4	.2	-1.2	2.9	.2
Fresh and frozen chicken parts ¹	147.9	148.9	2.5	.7	.8	1.9	.7
Other poultry	145.2	144.2	2.5	-.7	.6	1.8	-.5
Fish and seafood	173.9	173.8	4.9	-.1	.3	1.2	-.2
Canned fish and seafood ¹	125.2	125.8	1.5	.5	-.2	-.5	.5
Fresh and frozen fish and seafood	198.4	197.9	5.7	-.3	.4	1.7	-.4
Eggs	122.0	125.4	14.8	2.8	5.5	-1.4	4.1
Dairy products	132.1	132.8	1.2	.5	-.3	-.2	.5
Fresh milk and cream	131.1	132.0	.5	.7	.1	-.5	.7
Fresh whole milk	129.9	130.8	.7	.7	.2	-.6	.7
Other fresh milk and cream	132.9	134.0	.5	.8	-.2	-.3	1.0
Processed dairy products	133.7	134.3	2.1	.4	-.4	.0	.2
Cheese	137.5	137.4	1.4	-.1	-.9	-.2	-.3
Ice cream and related products	137.3	138.5	1.9	.9	.1	-.3	.7
Other dairy products, including butter	115.8	117.3	4.4	1.3	-.3	1.0	1.0
Fruits and vegetables	177.5	176.4	8.9	-.6	-.6	2.3	-.1
Fresh fruits and vegetables	205.6	203.7	12.1	-.9	-.9	3.6	.0
Fresh fruits	230.4	226.7	14.7	-1.6	1.5	2.3	-.1
Apples	198.2	184.6	14.4	-6.9	.8	2.6	5.5
Bananas	154.0	147.5	9.5	-4.2	1.1	1.1	-1.2
Oranges, including tangerines	286.7	274.3	29.0	-4.3	2.4	7.0	.2
Other fresh fruits	246.4	250.6	11.1	1.7	1.6	.9	-1.5
Fresh vegetables	181.4	181.3	9.0	-.1	-3.8	5.2	-.1
Potatoes	182.1	179.3	13.9	-1.5	-1.3	1.9	4.1
Lettuce ¹	222.1	192.2	7.8	-13.5	5.5	26.2	-13.5
Tomatoes ¹	155.0	172.7	10.8	11.4	-24.7	4.0	11.4
Other fresh vegetables	182.1	184.0	7.0	1.0	-1.1	4.6	-1.4
Processed fruits and vegetables	137.9	137.8	2.5	-.1	.3	-.6	.0
Processed fruits	137.5	137.6	3.8	.1	.9	-.9	.2
Fruit juices and frozen fruit	136.8	137.3	4.3	.4	1.0	-1.6	.6
Canned and dried fruits	138.4	137.4	2.2	-.7	.6	.9	-.4
Processed vegetables	138.8	138.3	.9	-.4	-.1	-.3	-.2
Frozen vegetables ¹	142.0	141.5	1.2	-.4	.1	-.1	-.4
Processed vegetables excluding frozen	137.9	137.5	.7	-.3	-.3	-.5	-.1

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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 Oct. 1995 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
	Sept. 1995	Oct. 1995	Oct. 1994	Sept. 1995	July to Aug.	Aug. to Sept.	Sept. to Oct.
Expenditure category							
Other food at home	140.7	140.8	1.3	0.1	0.3	0.1	-0.2
Sugar and sweets	138.3	139.0	2.4	.5	.5	-.1	.4
Sugar and artificial sweeteners	128.5	129.0	3.4	.4	-.4	.3	.9
Sweets, including candy ¹	142.4	143.2	2.1	.6	.6	-.5	.6
Fats and oils	137.4	138.0	2.2	.4	-.1	.1	.4
Nonalcoholic beverages	131.1	130.2	-1.0	-.7	.4	.4	-1.3
Carbonated drinks	121.1	120.6	3.6	-.4	.1	.7	-1.1
Coffee ¹	160.5	157.8	-9.0	-1.7	.5	-1.3	-1.7
Other noncarbonated drinks	135.1	135.4	1.4	.2	.9	.5	-.4
Other prepared food	151.2	151.8	2.4	.4	.2	-.1	.3
Canned and packaged soup	178.1	175.8	3.0	-1.3	.3	.1	.1
Frozen prepared food ¹	139.2	140.6	1.2	1.0	.7	-1.0	1.0
Snacks ¹	142.5	143.9	3.7	1.0	1.2	-.6	1.0
Seasonings, condiments, sauces, and spices	155.9	156.6	3.2	.4	.0	-.8	.6
Miscellaneous prepared food, including baby food ¹	153.5	153.9	1.5	.3	.4	-.3	.3
Food away from home	149.5	149.9	2.5	.3	.3	.2	.3
Lunch ¹	150.0	150.4	2.5	.3	.1	.3	.3
Dinner	147.8	148.2	2.4	.3	.3	.1	.3
Other meals and snacks ¹	151.8	152.2	2.6	.3	.2	.3	.3
Alcoholic beverages	153.8	154.2	2.1	.3	.7	-.1	.3
Alcoholic beverages at home	142.8	143.3	.9	.4	1.0	-.3	.2
Beer and ale	143.2	143.5	.6	.2	1.2	-.3	.1
Wine	132.1	133.2	1.1	.8	1.0	-.5	.7
Distilled spirits ¹	146.2	146.4	1.6	.1	.3	.3	.1
Alcoholic beverages away from home	176.9	177.3	3.4	.2	.5	.2	.5
Housing	146.5	146.6	2.7	.1	.3	.1	.4
Shelter	162.3	162.8	3.2	.3	.1	.3	.4
Renters' costs ²	153.3	153.5	2.9	.1	-.1	.4	.3
Rent, residential	158.2	158.6	2.4	.3	.1	.1	.3
Other renters' costs	205.6	205.3	5.6	-.1	-.7	1.7	.3
Lodging while out of town	204.1	203.6	5.8	-.2	-.7	1.9	.2
Lodging while at school ³	211.0	211.8	4.4	.4	.5	-1.0	.8
Tenants' insurance ¹	148.6	149.2	2.1	.4	.3	-1.7	.4
Homeowners' costs ²	157.2	157.8	3.3	.4	.2	.3	.4
Owners' equivalent rent ²	157.5	158.1	3.3	.4	.3	.3	.4
Household insurance ^{1 2}	143.7	144.3	1.7	.4	.1	-1.5	.6
Maintenance and repairs ¹	135.0	135.7	3.6	.5	.1	.1	.5
Maintenance and repair services ¹	143.0	144.4	3.5	1.0	.1	.0	1.0
Maintenance and repair commodities ¹	124.3	124.3	3.6	.0	.1	.2	.0
Materials, supplies, and equipment for home repairs ^{1 4}	116.7	116.9	1.4	.2	.2	-.8	.2
Other maintenance and repair commodities ¹	123.7	123.4	5.2	-.2	.0	1.1	-.2
Fuel and other utilities	124.5	123.5	1.2	-.8	.7	-.7	.7
Fuels	112.7	110.8	.5	-1.7	1.1	-1.4	1.3
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities	86.5	86.8	-.1	.3	.1	-.2	-1.1
Fuel oil	83.4	83.6	-.5	.2	.3	-.5	-1.6
Other household fuel commodities ^{1 4}	116.0	116.8	.3	.7	-.5	-.2	.7
Gas (piped) and electricity (energy services)	120.8	118.5	.6	-1.9	1.1	-1.5	1.5
Electricity	134.0	130.6	3.5	-2.5	2.0	-2.1	2.1
Utility (piped) gas	99.8	99.7	-5.5	-.1	-.7	-.3	-.2
Other utilities and public services ¹	153.6	153.9	2.0	.2	.1	.1	.2
Telephone services ¹	123.9	124.0	.7	.1	-.1	.1	.1
Local charges ¹	159.7	159.7	2.0	.0	-.1	.1	.0
Interstate toll calls ¹	74.9	74.9	-1.1	.0	.0	.0	.0
Intrastate toll calls ¹	86.4	87.1	-3.4	.8	-.2	.0	.8
Water and sewerage maintenance	195.0	195.4	2.6	.2	-.1	.2	.3
Cable television ^{1 5}	202.2	203.0	4.5	.4	.3	-.1	.4
Refuse collection ⁵	242.6	242.8	3.1	.1	.2	.2	.1

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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 Oct. 1995 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
	Sept. 1995	Oct. 1995	Oct. 1994	Sept. 1995	July to Aug.	Aug. to Sept.	Sept. to Oct.
Expenditure category							
Household furnishings and operation	122.5	122.7	2.2	0.2	0.4	0.3	0.0
Housefurnishings	110.5	110.4	.8	-.1	.5	.4	-.2
Textile housefurnishings	125.1	126.0	1.0	.7	-1.1	.6	1.9
Furniture and bedding ¹	129.9	129.8	3.0	-.1	.5	.2	-.1
Bedroom furniture ¹	136.4	133.9	2.4	-1.8	1.2	-.9	-1.8
Sofas ¹	130.7	132.0	7.1	1.0	.5	.7	1.0
Living room chairs and tables ¹	134.2	134.8	3.8	.4	-.4	.1	.4
Other furniture	119.5	121.0	.5	1.3	1.1	1.0	.7
Appliances, including electronic equipment ¹	81.1	80.8	-3.1	-.4	.1	-.4	-.4
Video and audio products ¹	73.2	72.6	-3.8	-.8	-.4	-.1	-.8
Televisions ¹	66.3	65.3	-4.5	-1.5	-1.0	-.3	-1.5
Video products other than televisions ¹ ⁶	69.5	69.7	-5.6	.3	-.9	-.1	.3
Audio products ¹	91.2	90.7	-2.8	-.5	.1	-.1	-.5
Major household appliances ¹ ⁴	101.9	102.1	-.8	.2	.8	-.5	.2
Refrigerators and home freezers ¹	108.4	109.6	.4	1.1	2.5	-1.3	1.1
Laundry equipment ¹	108.8	108.5	-1.3	-.3	.1	.1	-.3
Stoves, ovens, dishwashers, and air conditioners ¹ ⁴	94.1	94.3	-1.0	.2	.0	-.6	.2
Information processing equipment ¹ ⁶	63.7	62.8	-9.1	-1.4	.5	-.3	-1.4
Other housefurnishings ¹ ⁴	115.2	115.2	1.9	.0	.4	.6	.0
Floor and window coverings, infants', laundry, cleaning, and outdoor equipment ¹	138.4	139.2	5.3	.6	1.9	-.8	.6
Clocks, lamps, and decor items ¹	117.9	117.5	2.2	-.3	.1	1.6	-.3
Tableware, serving pieces, and nonelectric kitchenware ¹	123.9	125.0	.9	.9	-.1	1.2	.9
Lawn equipment, power tools, and other hardware ¹	107.1	107.4	.3	.3	1.1	-.3	.3
Sewing, floor cleaning, small kitchen, and portable heating appliances ¹ ⁴	90.7	91.6	-.7	1.0	-1.4	-.7	1.0
Indoor plants and fresh cut flowers ¹ ⁷	120.8	117.5	3.4	-2.7	.2	2.3	-2.7
Housekeeping supplies	138.6	139.4	4.1	.6	.7	.1	.4
Laundry and cleaning products, including soap ¹	141.0	141.0	1.0	.0	.3	.1	.0
Household paper products and stationery supplies ¹	141.1	142.6	9.8	1.1	1.2	.9	1.1
Other household, lawn, and garden supplies ¹	132.5	133.6	2.2	.8	.1	-.4	.8
Housekeeping services	147.8	148.0	4.4	.1	.0	.3	.2
Postage ¹	160.8	160.8	10.4	.0	.0	.0	.0
Appliance and furniture repair ¹	148.9	149.7	2.6	.5	1.1	.0	.5
Gardening and other household services ¹ ⁴	130.4	129.7	.9	-.5	-.2	.2	-.5
Apparel and upkeep	131.6	133.4	-.4	1.4	.3	-.2	.4
Apparel commodities	128.5	130.5	-.5	1.6	.3	-.2	.4
Apparel commodities less footwear	128.7	130.9	-.8	1.7	.3	-.5	.5
Men's and boys'	126.4	127.9	-.2	1.2	.4	-.2	.1
Men's	128.8	130.1	-1.5	1.0	.2	-.2	-.1
Suits, sport coats, coats, and jackets	137.9	137.7	-3.4	-.1	2.5	-1.0	-1.5
Furnishings and special clothing	118.3	121.8	-4.7	3.0	-.7	-.5	.0
Shirts	133.1	133.1	-.7	.0	-.8	-.9	-.1
Dungarees, jeans, and trousers	127.5	129.3	2.7	1.4	-.4	.2	1.3
Boys'	118.7	120.9	4.9	1.9	.3	.2	1.1
Women's and girls'	125.4	129.2	-1.9	3.0	-.8	-.9	1.4
Women's	124.9	128.7	-2.1	3.0	-1.0	-.8	1.5
Coats and jackets	120.5	124.5	-4.5	3.3	2.3	-2.2	-.2
Dresses	123.5	130.0	-2.0	5.3	-4.0	1.2	3.0
Separates and sportswear	126.3	130.2	-2.8	3.1	-2.1	-1.3	1.5
Underwear, nightwear, hosiery, and accessories	128.9	131.3	2.2	1.9	-.6	.5	1.3
Suits	145.4	144.9	-4.1	-.3	9.8	-4.4	-1.7
Girls'	127.5	131.6	-1.1	3.2	.4	-1.6	1.2
Infants' and toddlers'	132.6	132.8	1.9	.2	4.7	2.2	.3
Other apparel commodities	153.2	150.8	.6	-1.6	2.7	-.5	-1.8
Sewing materials, notions, and luggage ¹ ⁴	134.7	133.1	6.3	-1.2	2.6	-.2	-1.2
Watches and jewelry ¹ ⁴	152.7	150.3	-.3	-1.6	3.1	-.4	-1.6
Watches ¹ ⁴	132.3	132.9	5.7	.5	.8	1.3	.5
Jewelry ¹ ⁴	158.6	155.2	-1.8	-2.1	3.6	-.8	-2.1
Footwear	127.5	128.4	1.7	.7	.3	1.1	.1
Men's	135.7	136.2	2.6	.4	.2	.1	-.1
Boys' and girls'	121.0	124.9	-1.6	3.2	-1.7	-.2	2.8
Women's	123.7	123.2	2.8	-.4	1.7	2.8	-1.4
Apparel services ¹	156.8	156.3	.2	-.3	.1	-.1	-.3
Laundry and dry cleaning other than coin operated ¹	158.5	157.9	.2	-.4	.1	.4	-.4
Other apparel services ¹	155.9	155.6	.2	-.2	.1	-.4	-.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 Oct. 1995 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
	Sept. 1995	Oct. 1995	Oct. 1994	Sept. 1995	July to Aug.	Aug. to Sept.	Sept. to Oct.
Expenditure category							
Transportation	138.5	139.0	2.5	0.4	-0.6	-0.2	0.1
Private	136.6	136.9	2.2	.2	-.5	-.2	.0
New vehicles	140.9	141.9	1.9	.7	.1	.3	.1
New cars	137.4	138.3	1.5	.7	.1	.1	.1
Subcompact new cars ⁴	121.0	121.4	1.8	.3	.0	.3	-.3
Compact new cars ⁴	118.0	118.6	2.2	.5	-.1	.2	-.1
Intermediate new cars ⁴	118.6	119.5	.7	.8	-.1	.3	.1
Full-size new cars ⁴	120.1	120.6	.0	.4	.2	.2	-.1
Luxury new cars ⁴	127.4	128.6	2.4	.9	.2	.3	.2
New trucks ⁵	146.9	148.1	2.8	.8	.1	.5	.3
New motorcycles ⁴	154.6	155.9	5.8	.8	.4	-.2	.9
Used cars	157.4	158.1	6.5	.4	-.7	-.6	-.1
Motor fuel	99.8	98.2	-3.4	-1.6	-2.9	-1.4	-.5
Gasoline	99.7	97.9	-3.5	-1.8	-3.0	-1.6	-.4
Gasoline, unleaded regular	97.4	95.5	-3.7	-2.0	-3.2	-1.8	-.4
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ^{1 8}	104.2	102.7	-3.7	-1.4	-2.4	-1.3	-1.4
Gasoline, unleaded premium	101.8	100.3	-4.0	-1.5	-3.0	-1.6	-.8
Automobile maintenance and repair	155.9	156.2	2.5	.2	.3	.3	.1
Body work ¹	160.2	161.2	3.9	.6	.4	.1	.6
Automobile drive train, brake, and miscellaneous mechanical repair ¹	163.2	163.7	1.8	.3	.2	.3	.3
Maintenance and servicing ¹	144.7	144.5	2.3	-.1	.4	.7	-.1
Power plant repair ¹	160.1	160.7	3.3	.4	.0	.3	.4
Other private transportation	166.0	167.7	4.8	1.0	.4	.3	.2
Other private transportation commodities	104.1	104.2	1.8	.1	.2	-.2	.2
Motor oil, coolant, and other products ¹	128.0	128.2	3.4	.2	.5	-.2	.2
Automobile parts and equipment ¹	101.4	101.5	1.6	.1	.1	-.1	.1
Tires ¹	101.1	101.2	1.6	.1	.1	-.6	.1
Other parts and equipment ¹	106.1	106.2	1.6	.1	.2	.3	.1
Other private transportation services	181.5	183.7	5.4	1.2	.4	.4	.2
Automobile insurance	233.9	237.6	4.8	1.6	.3	.5	.3
Automobile finance charges	95.8	95.9	9.1	.1	-.5	.5	-.4
Automobile fees ¹	177.9	179.5	3.9	.9	2.9	-1.2	.9
Automobile registration, licensing, and inspection fees ¹	180.8	181.4	1.9	.3	1.1	.0	.3
Other automobile-related fees ¹	175.2	178.0	6.7	1.6	5.4	-2.8	1.6
Public transportation	172.2	174.8	6.1	1.5	-2.2	-.1	1.7
Airline fares	188.1	192.8	8.2	2.5	-4.3	-.8	2.8
Other intercity transportation	155.4	155.3	1.8	-.1	.3	.5	.6
Intracity public transportation ¹	158.5	158.8	3.8	.2	.4	.6	.2
Medical care	221.5	222.3	4.2	.4	.5	.3	.3
Medical care commodities	202.5	203.2	1.7	.3	.1	.1	.5
Prescription drugs	235.5	236.6	1.9	.5	.2	.2	.4
Nonprescription drugs and medical supplies ^{1 4}	139.5	139.6	1.1	.1	.1	-.2	.1
Internal and respiratory over-the-counter drugs ¹	165.3	165.1	.5	-.1	.2	-.5	-.1
Nonprescription medical equipment and supplies	168.4	169.9	2.7	.9	.5	.3	1.1
Medical care services	225.8	226.6	4.7	.4	.5	.3	.3
Professional medical services	203.5	204.0	4.1	.2	.2	.3	.1
Physicians' services	210.9	211.4	4.4	.2	.3	.2	.2
Dental services ¹	208.4	209.0	4.2	.3	.4	.2	.3
Eye care ^{1 4}	138.5	138.7	2.8	.1	.1	.1	.1
Services by other medical professionals ⁴	145.9	146.3	1.5	.3	.5	.0	.4
Hospital and related services	257.5	258.8	4.8	.5	.7	.6	.1
Hospital rooms	248.4	249.0	4.8	.2	.9	.5	.0
Other inpatient services ⁴	208.5	209.7	4.9	.6	.4	.5	.3
Outpatient services ⁴	206.9	208.4	4.5	.7	.8	.5	.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

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Item and group	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Oct. 1995 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
	Sept. 1995	Oct. 1995	Oct. 1994	Sept. 1995	July to Aug.	Aug. to Sept.	Sept. to Oct.
Expenditure category							
Entertainment	152.7	152.9	2.6	0.1	0.4	0.3	0.1
Entertainment commodities	138.4	138.7	1.8	.2	.4	.2	.1
Reading materials	170.1	171.9	4.6	1.1	.6	.1	.9
Newspapers ¹	181.3	184.4	6.9	1.7	.1	.4	1.7
Magazines, periodicals, and books ¹	158.8	159.4	2.0	.4	.8	.0	.4
Sporting goods and equipment ¹	125.6	125.2	.5	-.3	.0	.2	-.3
Sport vehicles, including bicycles ¹	128.5	127.8	.7	-.5	.2	-.2	-.5
Other sporting goods ¹	118.8	118.8	.2	.0	-.3	.5	.0
Toys, hobbies, and other entertainment ¹	128.7	128.5	.5	-.2	.5	.1	-.2
Toys, hobbies, and music equipment ¹	124.1	123.3	-1.0	-.6	.9	-.4	-.6
Photographic supplies and equipment	135.4	135.5	1.2	.1	.8	-.7	.3
Pet supplies and expense ¹	133.2	133.5	2.3	.2	.0	.9	.2
Entertainment services	173.4	173.5	3.6	.1	.3	.3	.2
Club memberships ⁴	134.9	136.3	2.2	1.0	-.2	-.3	1.2
Fees for participant sports, excluding club memberships ⁴	156.8	157.5	3.3	.4	.5	1.4	.3
Admissions ¹	184.5	182.9	4.2	-.9	.6	.4	-.9
Fees for lessons or instructions ⁴	157.8	158.1	2.3	.2	.1	-.1	-.8
Other entertainment services ^{1 4}	135.0	135.5	3.9	.4	.6	.4	.4
Other goods and services	207.2	207.8	4.2	.3	.5	.6	.3
Tobacco and smoking products	228.1	228.2	3.0	.0	.6	.9	.3
Personal care ¹	147.6	148.7	2.2	.7	.3	.1	.7
Toilet goods and personal care appliances ¹	143.7	145.1	1.6	1.0	.3	-.1	1.0
Cosmetics, bath and nail preparations, manicure and eye makeup implements ¹	147.7	149.0	2.3	.9	.6	.0	.9
Other toilet goods and small personal care appliances, including hair and dental products ¹	141.4	142.8	1.1	1.0	.1	-.1	1.0
Personal care services ¹	152.5	153.2	3.1	.5	.3	.5	.5
Beauty parlor services for females ¹	152.0	152.6	2.8	.4	.4	.6	.4
Haircuts and other barber shop services for males ¹	153.8	154.7	4.0	.6	-.1	.3	.6
Personal and educational expenses	236.1	236.8	5.5	.3	.5	.6	.3
School books and supplies	218.1	219.1	4.9	.5	-.1	.7	.6
Personal and educational services	237.8	238.4	5.5	.3	.6	.5	.3
Tuition and other school fees	255.2	255.5	5.8	.1	.7	.1	.4
College tuition	270.6	271.2	6.2	.2	1.1	-.2	.4
Elementary and high school tuition	267.2	267.0	6.8	-.1	.8	-.5	.3
Day care and nursery school ^{1 7}	126.9	127.1	4.2	.2	.2	1.8	.2
Personal expenses	207.2	208.2	5.3	.5	.2	1.1	.3
Legal service fees ^{1 4}	152.4	152.7	3.9	.2	.1	.2	.2
Personal financial services ^{1 4}	176.1	177.2	6.6	.6	.1	2.6	.6
Funeral expenses ⁴	156.5	157.5	5.8	.6	.2	.6	.6
Special Indexes							
Domestically produced farm food	149.1	149.8	3.6	.5	.1	.5	.7
Selected beef cuts	126.5	128.0	-1.6	1.2	-.6	.6	.7
Motor fuel, motor oil, coolant, and other products	100.3	98.7	-3.3	-1.6	-2.8	-1.4	-.5
Utilities and public transportation	137.6	136.9	1.9	-.5	.1	-.6	.8
Housekeeping and home maintenance services ¹	149.0	149.2	4.3	.1	.2	.6	.1

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.

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					
	Sept. 1995	Oct. 1995	3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
			Jan. 1995	Apr. 1995	July 1995	Oct. 1995	Apr. 1995	Oct. 1995
Expenditure category								
Food and beverages	149.5	150.0	2.5	3.9	1.1	4.4	3.2	2.7
Food	149.0	149.6	2.8	3.9	1.1	4.4	3.3	2.7
Food at home	149.2	149.8	2.5	4.7	.8	5.2	3.6	3.0
Cereals and bakery products	168.2	168.9	-.5	5.0	2.7	3.6	2.2	3.2
Cereals and cereal products	166.8	168.0	-2.6	2.0	1.5	4.9	-.4	3.2
Flour and prepared flour mixes	142.4	143.5	7.9	.3	6.3	12.0	4.0	9.1
Cereal ¹	191.0	193.2	-2.1	5.6	-.6	.4	1.7	-.1
Rice, pasta, and cornmeal	141.8	140.9	-9.3	-.3	2.9	5.0	-4.9	3.9
Bakery products ¹	168.6	169.1	.2	7.3	2.9	2.9	3.7	2.9
White bread ¹	167.3	169.1	8.0	3.5	-1.2	12.2	5.7	5.3
Fresh other bread, biscuits, rolls, and muffins ¹	168.5	170.9	-.2	3.0	4.7	8.9	1.3	6.8
Cookies, fresh cakes, and cupcakes ¹	168.0	169.4	-3.1	6.2	3.9	2.2	1.5	3.0
Other bakery products	169.7	167.2	2.2	8.5	5.3	-8.4	5.3	-1.8
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	139.2	140.7	-.3	.9	.6	10.6	.3	5.5
Meats, poultry, and fish	140.2	141.5	.0	.9	-.9	9.3	.4	4.1
Meats	135.3	137.0	1.2	-.9	-2.9	9.3	.1	3.0
Beef and veal	134.0	134.8	.3	-2.0	-2.9	1.8	-.9	-.6
Ground beef other than canned	115.4	115.6	-2.7	-2.0	-12.0	6.1	-2.3	-3.4
Chuck roast	138.1	139.3	-3.9	-4.5	-5.9	8.8	-4.2	1.2
Round roast	128.4	135.4	11.7	-13.7	3.7	11.7	-1.8	7.7
Round steak	129.2	129.7	4.6	-8.7	-1.2	-2.1	-2.3	-1.7
Sirloin steak	139.2	141.0	5.3	-10.3	17.6	-6.8	-2.8	4.7
Other beef and veal ¹	155.7	155.7	.3	3.9	1.3	-1.5	2.1	-.1
Pork	136.2	138.3	2.1	-.9	-4.7	21.2	.6	7.5
Bacon ¹	123.1	127.8	-7.2	-4.4	1.4	50.4	-5.8	23.5
Chops	148.2	148.1	10.1	-6.4	-7.8	20.0	1.5	5.2
Ham	139.4	142.4	-6.0	6.6	-4.6	19.5	.1	6.8
Other pork, including sausage	133.3	134.6	3.7	-.3	-1.5	10.8	1.7	4.5
Other meats ¹	138.4	141.7	1.5	2.4	-.6	12.1	1.9	5.6
Poultry ¹	145.7	146.1	-2.5	5.5	.3	11.1	1.4	5.6
Fresh whole chicken ¹	145.3	145.6	5.9	5.5	2.3	7.8	5.7	5.0
Fresh and frozen chicken parts ¹	147.9	148.9	-9.3	7.8	-1.4	14.3	-1.1	6.2
Other poultry	143.6	142.9	3.8	1.7	-3.6	8.2	2.7	2.1
Fish and seafood	175.3	175.0	-4.0	7.7	10.9	5.4	1.7	8.1
Canned fish and seafood ¹	125.2	125.8	3.9	2.3	.3	-.6	3.1	-.2
Fresh and frozen fish and seafood	200.6	199.7	-5.6	8.6	14.2	6.7	1.3	10.4
Eggs	122.4	127.4	.0	-5.0	32.6	37.7	-2.5	35.1
Dairy products	132.1	132.8	1.5	1.5	1.5	.3	1.5	.9
Fresh milk and cream	131.1	132.0	.6	3.1	-2.4	.9	1.8	-.8
Fresh whole milk	129.9	130.8	1.2	2.2	-1.5	.9	1.7	-.3
Other fresh milk and cream	132.8	134.1	.3	3.6	-3.8	1.8	2.0	-1.0
Processed dairy products	133.6	133.9	3.7	.3	5.2	-.9	2.0	2.1
Cheese	137.3	136.9	3.3	2.1	6.0	-5.4	2.7	.1
Ice cream and related products	137.3	138.2	3.0	-2.0	4.5	2.1	.4	3.3
Other dairy products, including butter	115.7	116.9	4.4	1.1	5.4	6.8	2.7	6.1
Fruits and vegetables	182.1	182.0	12.0	17.3	-.2	6.9	14.6	3.3
Fresh fruits and vegetables	214.2	214.1	15.9	25.0	-2.6	10.8	20.4	3.8
Fresh fruits	229.5	229.3	7.2	5.0	30.9	15.9	6.1	23.2
Apples	186.0	196.2	12.4	5.1	2.5	41.8	8.7	20.5
Bananas	162.5	160.5	58.5	-47.1	65.0	3.8	-8.4	30.9
Oranges, including tangerines	244.7	245.2	30.1	14.1	28.8	45.4	21.8	36.9
Other fresh fruits	261.8	257.8	-7.9	17.2	35.6	4.1	3.9	18.8
Fresh vegetables	195.9	195.8	26.6	48.8	-28.5	4.8	37.2	-13.4
Potatoes	184.0	191.6	-8.3	-9.8	69.1	20.4	-.9	42.7
Lettuce ¹	222.1	192.2	306.0	382.4	-96.1	75.9	342.6	-73.7
Tomatoes ¹	155.0	172.7	255.7	-25.2	-2.6	-41.9	63.1	-24.8
Other fresh vegetables	201.3	198.5	35.1	-.8	-9.8	8.5	15.8	-1.1
Processed fruits and vegetables	137.9	137.9	3.3	2.4	5.4	-1.2	2.8	2.1
Processed fruits	137.5	137.8	3.0	4.9	6.4	1.2	4.0	3.7
Fruit juices and frozen fruit	136.7	137.5	3.4	6.5	7.3	.0	4.9	3.6
Canned and dried fruits	138.3	137.7	-.3	1.5	3.6	4.5	.6	4.0
Processed vegetables	138.9	138.6	1.2	1.2	3.8	-2.6	1.2	.6
Frozen vegetables ¹	142.0	141.5	2.0	-1.4	6.1	-1.7	.3	2.2
Processed vegetables excluding frozen	138.2	138.1	1.5	.6	4.7	-3.4	1.0	.6

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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					
	Sept. 1995	Oct. 1995	3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
			Jan. 1995	Apr. 1995	July 1995	Oct. 1995	Apr. 1995	Oct. 1995
Expenditure category								
Other food at home	140.9	140.6	1.4	2.3	0.9	0.6	1.9	0.7
Sugar and sweets	138.3	138.9	-.6	3.6	3.9	3.2	1.5	3.5
Sugar and artificial sweeteners	128.0	129.1	-2.2	2.3	10.6	3.2	.0	6.8
Sweets, including candy ¹	142.4	143.2	-.9	4.7	2.0	2.8	1.9	2.4
Fats and oils	137.5	138.0	2.4	2.4	2.7	1.5	2.4	2.1
Nonalcoholic beverages	131.7	130.0	1.2	.9	-3.9	-2.1	1.1	-3.0
Carbonated drinks	121.6	120.3	2.8	15.9	-2.3	-1.0	9.2	-1.6
Coffee ¹	160.5	157.8	-2.1	-18.1	-5.5	-9.5	-10.4	-7.5
Other noncarbonated drinks	135.2	134.7	2.1	5.2	-5.8	4.3	3.6	-.9
Other prepared food	151.4	151.8	1.6	3.3	3.5	1.3	2.4	2.4
Canned and packaged soup	176.7	176.9	3.5	3.5	3.5	1.8	3.5	2.7
Frozen prepared food ¹	139.2	140.6	-1.4	-.6	4.1	2.9	-1.0	3.5
Snacks ¹	142.5	143.9	3.5	8.5	-3.3	6.4	6.0	1.4
Seasonings, condiments, sauces, and spices	155.6	156.6	1.3	4.5	7.2	-.5	2.9	3.3
Miscellaneous prepared food, including baby food ¹	153.5	153.9	2.7	1.1	.5	1.6	1.9	1.0
Food away from home	149.5	149.9	3.0	2.2	1.6	3.0	2.6	2.3
Lunch ¹	150.0	150.4	1.9	3.0	2.2	2.7	2.5	2.4
Dinner	147.8	148.2	3.4	1.7	1.9	2.7	2.5	2.3
Other meals and snacks ¹	151.8	152.2	3.3	2.4	1.6	2.9	2.9	2.3
Alcoholic beverages	153.9	154.4	1.6	2.1	.8	3.7	1.9	2.2
Alcoholic beverages at home	143.1	143.4	.3	1.4	-1.7	3.7	.8	1.0
Beer and ale	143.8	144.0	.8	.6	-2.8	4.0	.7	.6
Wine	132.0	132.9	-2.1	2.5	-.3	4.6	.2	2.1
Distilled spirits ¹	146.2	146.4	.3	3.1	.3	2.8	1.7	1.5
Alcoholic beverages away from home	176.9	177.7	2.3	3.3	3.7	4.4	2.8	4.1
Housing	145.9	146.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	3.1	2.5	2.8
Shelter	162.0	162.7	2.6	3.6	3.3	3.5	3.1	3.4
Renters' costs ²	153.1	153.5	2.2	4.3	2.9	2.4	3.2	2.7
Rent, residential	158.0	158.4	2.3	2.6	2.6	1.8	2.5	2.2
Other renters' costs	208.1	208.8	.0	12.7	4.6	5.3	6.2	5.0
Lodging while out of town	207.5	208.0	-2.2	15.8	4.4	6.0	6.4	5.2
Lodging while at school ³	206.7	208.3	5.7	7.3	3.7	1.4	6.5	2.5
Tenants' insurance ¹	148.6	149.2	6.2	4.4	2.2	-4.2	5.3	-1.1
Homeowners' costs ²	156.9	157.6	2.6	3.2	3.7	3.6	2.9	3.7
Owners' equivalent rent ²	157.2	157.9	2.6	3.2	3.7	3.9	2.9	3.8
Household insurance ^{1 2}	143.1	144.0	5.2	4.5	.3	-3.0	4.9	-1.4
Maintenance and repairs ¹	135.0	135.7	5.6	2.7	3.0	3.0	4.2	3.0
Maintenance and repair services ¹	143.0	144.4	2.9	4.0	2.8	4.3	3.5	3.6
Maintenance and repair commodities ¹	124.3	124.3	8.6	1.3	3.6	1.0	4.9	2.3
Materials, supplies, and equipment for home repairs ^{1 4}	116.7	116.9	10.1	-2.7	.7	-2.0	3.5	-.7
Other maintenance and repair commodities ¹	123.7	123.4	7.0	4.8	5.8	3.3	5.9	4.5
Fuel and other utilities	122.8	123.7	2.0	-.3	.7	2.6	.8	1.6
Fuels	109.1	110.5	.7	-1.1	-.7	3.7	-.2	1.5
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities	88.6	87.6	-.9	-1.4	7.1	-4.9	-1.1	.9
Fuel oil	85.7	84.3	.9	-2.8	7.3	-6.8	-.9	.0
Other household fuel commodities ^{1 4}	116.0	116.8	9.2	-2.7	-4.7	.0	3.1	-2.4
Gas (piped) and electricity (energy services)	116.6	118.3	.7	-1.4	-1.0	4.2	-.3	1.5
Electricity	128.5	131.2	3.5	-1.9	4.1	8.3	.8	6.2
Utility (piped) gas	100.3	100.1	-5.2	.8	-12.7	-4.7	-2.3	-8.8
Other utilities and public services ¹	153.6	153.9	4.0	.8	1.8	1.3	2.4	1.6
Telephone services ¹	123.9	124.0	4.6	-2.9	1.0	.3	.8	.6
Local charges ¹	159.7	159.7	9.8	-2.2	.8	.3	3.6	.5
Interstate toll calls ¹	74.9	74.9	3.2	-7.1	.0	.0	-2.1	.0
Intrastate toll calls ¹	86.4	87.1	-16.6	-1.8	3.8	2.3	-9.5	3.1
Water and sewerage maintenance	194.4	195.0	4.1	1.7	2.7	1.9	2.9	2.3
Cable television ^{1 5}	202.2	203.0	5.2	8.6	1.8	2.4	6.9	2.1
Refuse collection ⁵	241.9	242.1	4.3	7.1	-.7	1.8	5.7	.6

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Expenditure category								
Household furnishings and operation	122.5	122.5	2.4	2.0	1.0	3.0	2.2	2.0
Housefurnishings	110.6	110.4	-.4	.7	.0	2.6	.2	1.3
Textile housefurnishings	123.6	126.0	-6.9	-.7	6.7	5.6	-3.8	6.1
Furniture and bedding ¹	129.9	129.8	-.9	7.2	3.8	2.2	3.0	3.0
Bedroom furniture ¹	136.4	133.9	4.0	5.9	6.1	-6.0	5.0	-.1
Sofas ¹	130.7	132.0	3.0	10.4	6.1	9.0	6.6	7.5
Living room chairs and tables ¹	134.2	134.8	-6.3	15.5	6.5	.6	4.0	3.5
Other furniture	120.2	121.1	-8.0	-2.0	1.0	12.1	-5.1	6.4
Appliances, including electronic equipment ¹	81.1	80.8	-.5	-2.9	-6.6	-2.4	-1.7	-4.5
Video and audio products ¹	73.2	72.6	-1.1	1.1	-9.7	-5.3	.0	-7.5
Televisions ¹	66.3	65.3	-.6	-.6	-5.7	-10.8	-.6	-8.3
Video products other than televisions ^{1 6}	69.5	69.7	-4.8	1.1	-14.9	-2.8	-1.9	-9.1
Audio products ¹	91.2	90.7	.0	2.2	-10.6	-2.2	1.1	-6.5
Major household appliances ^{1 4}	101.9	102.1	3.1	-5.3	-2.7	2.0	-1.2	-.4
Refrigerators and home freezers ¹	108.4	109.6	2.2	-8.1	-1.5	9.7	-3.1	3.9
Laundry equipment ¹	108.8	108.5	-.4	-3.6	-.7	-.4	-2.0	-.6
Stoves, ovens, dishwashers, and air conditioners ^{1 4}	94.1	94.3	8.2	-4.8	-5.3	-1.7	1.5	-3.5
Information processing equipment ^{1 6}	63.7	62.8	-14.7	-12.6	-3.7	-4.9	-13.7	-4.3
Other housefurnishings ^{1 4}	115.2	115.2	.4	3.6	-.3	3.9	2.0	1.8
Floor and window coverings, infants', laundry, cleaning, and outdoor equipment ¹	138.4	139.2	1.8	6.2	6.4	6.9	4.0	6.6
Clocks, lamps, and decor items ¹	117.9	117.5	1.4	-6.4	8.7	5.6	-2.6	7.2
Tableware, serving pieces, and nonelectric kitchenware ¹	123.9	125.0	4.9	-1.3	-7.8	8.4	1.8	.0
Lawn equipment, power tools, and other hardware ¹	107.1	107.4	-.7	-2.2	-.4	4.6	-1.5	2.1
Sewing, floor cleaning, small kitchen, and portable heating appliances ^{1 4}	90.7	91.6	-5.9	6.8	1.3	-4.3	.2	-1.5
Indoor plants and fresh cut flowers ^{1 7}	120.8	117.5	.0	25.8	-7.7	-1.4	12.1	-4.6
Housekeeping supplies	138.7	139.2	1.2	6.4	3.9	4.7	3.8	4.3
Laundry and cleaning products, including soap ¹	141.0	141.0	1.7	1.7	-.8	1.4	1.7	.3
Household paper products and stationery supplies ¹	141.1	142.6	3.7	10.5	12.1	13.0	7.0	12.6
Other household, lawn, and garden supplies ¹	132.5	133.6	-4.2	8.3	3.1	2.1	1.8	2.6
Housekeeping services	147.4	147.7	12.7	.8	2.5	2.2	6.6	2.3
Postage ¹	160.8	160.8	48.4	.0	.0	.0	21.8	.0
Appliance and furniture repair ¹	148.9	149.7	-.8	1.7	3.0	6.7	.4	4.8
Gardening and other household services ^{1 4}	130.4	129.7	.0	1.2	4.1	-1.8	.6	1.1
Apparel and upkeep	130.5	131.0	.0	-1.2	-2.4	2.2	-.6	-.2
Apparel commodities	127.5	128.0	.0	-1.9	-2.2	2.2	-.9	.0
Apparel commodities less footwear	127.3	128.0	-.3	-2.5	-1.9	1.6	-1.4	-.2
Men's and boys'	125.4	125.5	.3	-.3	-1.9	1.3	.0	-.3
Men's	128.4	128.3	-3.9	-3.1	.9	.0	-3.5	.5
Suits, sport coats, coats, and jackets	135.3	133.3	.9	-9.8	-4.1	.0	-4.6	-2.1
Furnishings and special clothing	118.8	118.8	-9.0	-9.8	5.5	-4.9	-9.4	.2
Shirts	131.4	131.3	-2.4	6.2	.9	-7.0	1.8	-3.1
Dungarees, jeans, and trousers	127.8	129.5	2.6	1.3	2.2	4.8	1.9	3.5
Boys'	116.8	118.1	13.0	6.3	-5.3	6.3	9.6	.3
Women's and girls'	124.0	125.7	-2.2	-3.4	-.3	-1.3	-2.8	-.8
Women's	123.5	125.3	-2.5	-3.7	.0	-1.6	-3.1	-.8
Coats and jackets	116.7	116.5	-29.5	8.9	8.7	-.3	-12.4	4.1
Dresses	118.9	122.5	4.6	-.9	-11.2	.3	1.8	-5.6
Separates and sportswear	126.2	128.1	-1.8	-8.3	7.0	-7.4	-5.1	-.5
Underwear, nightwear, hosiery, and accessories	128.9	130.6	2.2	.9	.6	4.7	1.6	2.7
Suits	138.1	135.7	2.3	-9.7	-19.0	13.1	-3.9	-4.3
Girls'	125.8	127.3	.3	-2.2	-2.5	.0	-.9	-1.2
Infants' and toddlers'	132.4	132.8	4.7	-14.6	-9.1	32.8	-5.4	9.9
Other apparel commodities	152.3	149.6	4.1	3.8	-6.4	1.6	3.9	-2.5
Sewing materials, notions, and luggage ^{1 4}	134.7	133.1	-2.5	13.1	10.7	4.6	5.0	7.6
Watches and jewelry ^{1 4}	152.7	150.3	-1.8	12.0	-14.0	4.4	4.8	-5.2
Watches ^{1 4}	132.3	132.9	-8.0	6.3	15.2	10.9	-1.1	13.0
Jewelry ^{1 4}	158.6	155.2	-.5	13.3	-19.5	2.6	6.2	-9.1
Footwear	127.2	127.3	2.6	1.3	-3.4	6.2	1.9	1.3
Men's	136.0	135.8	5.2	6.1	-1.5	.9	5.7	-.3
Boys' and girls'	120.4	123.8	-6.2	7.3	-9.8	3.3	.3	-3.5
Women's	123.7	122.0	6.2	-5.5	-1.3	13.1	.2	5.6
Apparel services ¹	156.8	156.3	1.3	1.8	-1.0	-1.3	1.5	-1.1
Laundry and dry cleaning other than coin operated ¹	158.5	157.9	1.5	2.8	-4.0	.5	2.2	-1.7
Other apparel services ¹	155.9	155.6	.8	1.3	.8	-2.0	1.0	-.6

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					
	Sept. 1995	Oct. 1995	3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
			Jan. 1995	Apr. 1995	July 1995	Oct. 1995	Apr. 1995	Oct. 1995
Expenditure category								
Transportation	138.4	138.5	6.0	7.2	-0.3	-2.8	6.6	-1.6
Private	136.4	136.4	7.1	6.3	-1.2	-2.9	6.7	-2.0
New vehicles	142.6	142.7	.3	4.1	1.4	2.0	2.2	1.7
New cars	139.2	139.3	.9	3.2	.6	1.4	2.1	1.0
Subcompact new cars ⁴	122.2	121.8	2.7	3.7	1.0	.0	3.2	.5
Compact new cars ⁴	119.3	119.2	2.1	4.5	2.0	.0	3.3	1.0
Intermediate new cars ⁴	120.2	120.3	-1.3	3.4	-3	1.0	1.0	.3
Full-size new cars ⁴	121.6	121.5	-2.0	1.7	-1.0	1.7	-.2	.3
Luxury new cars ⁴	129.9	130.2	2.5	2.8	1.2	3.1	2.7	2.2
New trucks ⁵	148.5	148.9	-1.1	4.8	4.5	3.6	1.8	4.0
New motorcycles ⁴	154.5	155.9	5.8	8.0	5.1	4.5	6.9	4.8
Used cars	155.0	154.9	26.2	20.7	-10.5	-5.2	23.4	-7.9
Motor fuel	97.3	96.8	5.3	-.8	.8	-17.6	2.2	-8.9
Gasoline	97.0	96.6	5.3	.0	1.2	-18.6	2.6	-9.2
Gasoline, unleaded regular	94.6	94.2	5.0	.8	1.2	-19.7	2.9	-9.8
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ^{1 8}	104.2	102.7	-11.5	1.9	17.6	-18.8	-5.0	-2.3
Gasoline, unleaded premium	99.7	98.9	2.3	-2.3	5.1	-19.5	.0	-8.0
Automobile maintenance and repair	155.9	156.1	1.6	2.6	3.2	2.6	2.1	2.9
Body work ¹	160.2	161.2	.5	5.5	5.2	4.3	3.0	4.8
Automobile drive train, brake, and miscellaneous mechanical repair ¹	163.2	163.7	-.5	2.0	2.2	3.5	.7	2.9
Maintenance and servicing ¹	144.7	144.5	.6	4.0	.6	4.0	2.3	2.3
Power plant repair ¹	160.1	160.7	3.4	3.6	3.3	2.8	3.5	3.1
Other private transportation	167.5	167.8	9.0	8.6	-1.7	3.7	8.8	1.0
Other private transportation commodities	104.3	104.5	.8	3.1	2.3	.8	2.0	1.5
Motor oil, coolant, and other products ¹	128.0	128.2	4.3	3.9	3.5	1.9	4.1	2.7
Automobile parts and equipment ¹	101.4	101.5	4.1	.8	1.2	.4	2.4	.8
Tires ¹	101.1	101.2	4.1	.8	3.2	-1.6	2.4	.8
Other parts and equipment ¹	106.1	106.2	4.3	.8	-.8	2.3	2.5	.8
Other private transportation services	183.3	183.7	10.5	9.5	-2.4	4.2	10.0	.9
Automobile insurance	236.2	236.8	4.5	5.7	4.4	4.3	5.1	4.4
Automobile finance charges	97.5	97.1	39.9	31.7	-21.9	-1.6	35.8	-12.3
Automobile fees ¹	177.9	179.5	7.6	3.5	-5.5	10.7	5.5	2.3
Automobile registration, licensing, and inspection fees ¹	180.8	181.4	2.5	-3.1	2.7	5.7	-.3	4.2
Other automobile-related fees ¹	175.2	178.0	15.2	12.8	-15.2	17.4	14.0	-.2
Public transportation	174.0	176.9	-9.0	22.6	17.1	-2.9	5.6	6.6
Airline fares	190.6	195.9	-13.6	36.5	28.8	-9.6	8.6	7.9
Other intercity transportation	156.0	156.9	-1.3	5.6	-2.5	5.8	2.1	1.5
Intracity public transportation ¹	158.5	158.8	1.3	7.8	1.0	5.2	4.5	3.1
Medical care	221.8	222.4	4.8	3.8	3.7	4.2	4.3	4.0
Medical care commodities	202.5	203.6	2.0	-.8	2.2	3.2	.6	2.7
Prescription drugs	236.0	237.0	1.2	-.5	3.8	3.3	.3	3.6
Nonprescription drugs and medical supplies ^{1 4}	139.5	139.6	3.2	.9	.3	.0	2.0	.1
Internal and respiratory over-the-counter drugs ¹	165.3	165.1	2.0	.2	1.5	-1.7	1.1	-.1
Nonprescription medical equipment and supplies	168.4	170.2	6.2	-1.2	-1.7	7.6	2.4	2.9
Medical care services	226.0	226.6	5.5	4.6	4.2	4.5	5.1	4.4
Professional medical services	203.7	204.0	4.6	3.7	4.9	3.0	4.1	3.9
Physicians' services	211.1	211.6	4.6	5.2	4.5	3.3	4.9	3.9
Dental services ¹	208.4	209.0	5.5	3.2	4.2	3.9	4.3	4.0
Eye care ^{1 4}	138.5	138.7	2.7	.6	6.6	1.5	1.6	4.0
Services by other medical professionals ⁴	146.0	146.6	2.8	.6	-.8	3.6	1.7	1.4
Hospital and related services	258.3	258.5	5.5	4.6	3.5	5.6	5.0	4.6
Hospital rooms	248.9	249.0	5.9	4.7	3.2	5.8	5.3	4.5
Other inpatient services ⁴	208.9	209.5	5.9	4.6	3.8	4.9	5.3	4.3
Outpatient services ⁴	207.5	208.0	4.1	2.6	4.8	6.4	3.3	5.6

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					
	Sept. 1995	Oct. 1995	3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
			Jan. 1995	Apr. 1995	July 1995	Oct. 1995	Apr. 1995	Oct. 1995
Expenditure category								
Entertainment	152.7	152.8	3.3	2.1	1.9	3.2	2.7	2.5
Entertainment commodities	138.5	138.7	1.8	.9	1.5	3.2	1.3	2.3
Reading materials	170.1	171.6	2.0	4.9	5.4	6.3	3.4	5.8
Newspapers ¹	181.3	184.4	1.9	10.3	6.2	9.4	6.0	7.8
Magazines, periodicals, and books ¹	158.8	159.4	1.3	.8	1.5	4.6	1.0	3.1
Sporting goods and equipment ¹	125.6	125.2	9.3	-2.2	-4.0	-6	3.4	-2.4
Sport vehicles, including bicycles ¹	128.5	127.8	11.2	.6	-6.0	-2.2	5.8	-4.1
Other sporting goods ¹	118.8	118.8	6.9	-6.2	-7	1.0	.2	.2
Toys, hobbies, and other entertainment ¹	128.7	128.5	-2.2	1.9	.6	1.9	-2	1.3
Toys, hobbies, and music equipment ¹	124.1	123.3	-2.9	1.0	-1.6	-6	-1.0	-1.1
Photographic supplies and equipment	134.8	135.2	-3.8	1.5	5.2	1.8	-1.2	3.5
Pet supplies and expense ¹	133.2	133.5	.3	1.2	3.1	4.6	.8	3.9
Entertainment services	173.0	173.3	4.6	3.8	2.6	3.3	4.2	2.9
Club memberships ⁴	135.0	136.6	1.8	1.8	2.4	2.7	1.8	2.5
Fees for participant sports, excluding club memberships ⁴	157.0	157.5	9.5	3.6	-7.9	9.4	6.5	.4
Admissions ¹	184.5	182.9	2.8	4.8	9.0	.4	3.8	4.6
Fees for lessons or instructions ⁴	158.0	156.8	2.1	6.6	3.4	-2.8	4.4	.3
Other entertainment services ^{1 4}	135.0	135.5	3.4	4.0	2.4	5.8	3.7	4.1
Other goods and services	206.9	207.6	2.0	4.1	4.8	6.0	3.0	5.4
Tobacco and smoking products	229.2	229.8	-4.1	3.1	5.9	7.3	-5	6.6
Personal care ¹	147.6	148.7	1.4	1.4	1.1	5.0	1.4	3.0
Toilet goods and personal care appliances ¹	143.7	145.1	.8	.0	.6	5.1	.4	2.8
Cosmetics, bath and nail preparations, manicure and eye makeup implements ¹	147.7	149.0	.8	.3	2.2	6.1	.6	4.2
Other toilet goods and small personal care appliances, including hair and dental products ¹	141.4	142.8	.9	-.3	-.3	4.0	.3	1.8
Personal care services ¹	152.5	153.2	2.4	3.2	1.6	5.1	2.8	3.3
Beauty parlor services for females ¹	152.0	152.6	.3	3.3	2.2	5.7	1.8	3.9
Haircuts and other barber shop services for males ¹	153.8	154.7	9.7	3.5	.0	2.9	6.6	1.4
Personal and educational expenses	234.0	234.6	6.1	5.4	5.2	5.5	5.7	5.3
School books and supplies	216.6	218.0	8.9	3.0	2.6	5.1	6.0	3.9
Personal and educational services	235.5	236.1	5.8	5.6	5.5	5.4	5.7	5.5
Tuition and other school fees	250.7	251.7	5.8	6.6	5.7	4.9	6.2	5.3
College tuition	264.8	265.9	5.4	7.8	6.5	5.3	6.6	5.9
Elementary and high school tuition	261.0	261.7	6.2	10.0	8.6	2.6	8.1	5.6
Day care and nursery school ^{1 7}	126.9	127.1	5.0	1.3	1.3	9.3	3.1	5.2
Personal expenses	207.6	208.2	5.4	5.3	3.8	6.6	5.3	5.2
Legal service fees ^{1 4}	152.4	152.7	1.9	6.4	5.2	2.1	4.1	3.6
Personal financial services ^{1 4}	176.1	177.2	3.2	10.9	-1.2	14.2	7.0	6.3
Funeral expenses ⁴	156.8	157.7	7.2	4.8	5.3	5.8	6.0	5.5
Special Indexes								
Domestically produced farm food	149.6	150.6	3.1	5.3	1.1	5.2	4.2	3.1
Selected beef cuts	127.7	128.6	.3	-5.1	-4.6	2.8	-2.4	-9
Motor fuel, motor oil, coolant, and other products	97.8	97.3	5.3	-.4	.8	-17.5	2.4	-8.8
Utilities and public transportation	136.2	137.3	.9	2.4	3.0	1.5	1.6	2.2
Housekeeping and home maintenance services ¹	149.0	149.2	10.8	1.1	1.9	3.8	5.8	2.9

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.

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 Oct. 1995 from—			Percent change to Sept. 1995 from—		
		July 1995	Aug. 1995	Sept. 1995	Oct. 1995	Oct. 1994	Aug. 1995	Sept. 1995	Sept. 1994	July 1995	Aug. 1995
U.S. city average	M	152.5	152.9	153.2	153.7	2.8	0.5	0.3	2.5	0.5	0.2
Region and area size ²											
Northeast urban	M	159.2	159.7	160.0	160.3	2.5	.4	.2	2.5	.5	.2
Size A - More than 1,200,000	M	159.8	160.3	160.7	161.1	2.5	.5	.2	2.6	.6	.2
Size B - 500,000 to 1,200,000	M	157.5	157.9	158.0	158.5	2.5	.4	.3	2.1	.3	.1
Size C - 50,000 to 500,000	M	157.8	158.5	158.5	158.3	2.6	-.1	-.1	2.7	.4	.0
North Central urban	M	148.8	148.9	149.4	149.6	3.0	.5	.1	2.6	.4	.3
Size A - More than 1,200,000	M	149.5	149.8	150.3	150.3	2.8	.3	.0	2.5	.5	.3
Size B - 360,000 to 1,200,000	M	148.0	147.8	147.9	148.4	2.8	.4	.3	2.7	-.1	.1
Size C - 50,000 to 360,000	M	149.6	149.9	150.6	151.5	3.1	1.1	.6	2.6	.7	.5
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	M	146.0	145.7	146.3	146.0	3.6	.2	-.2	3.4	.2	.4
South urban	M	149.2	149.7	149.8	150.5	3.2	.5	.5	2.7	.4	.1
Size A - More than 1,200,000	M	148.8	149.4	149.2	149.9	2.7	.3	.5	2.3	.3	-.1
Size B - 450,000 to 1,200,000	M	151.5	152.0	152.3	152.6	3.0	.4	.2	2.7	.5	.2
Size C - 50,000 to 450,000	M	148.4	149.4	149.5	150.4	3.7	.7	.6	3.3	.7	.1
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	M	148.1	147.8	148.4	149.0	3.4	.8	.4	3.6	.2	.4
West urban	M	153.5	153.7	154.1	154.6	2.4	.6	.3	2.3	.4	.3
Size A - More than 1,250,000	M	154.0	154.1	154.5	154.9	1.8	.5	.3	1.8	.3	.3
Size C - 50,000 to 330,000	M	156.7	157.0	157.6	157.9	3.4	.6	.2	3.5	.6	.4
Size classes											
A ³	M	137.9	138.2	138.5	138.8	2.4	.4	.2	2.3	.4	.2
B	M	152.6	152.8	153.1	153.5	2.9	.5	.3	2.8	.3	.2
C	M	151.8	152.4	152.7	153.3	3.3	.6	.4	3.0	.6	.2
D	M	149.1	148.8	149.6	150.0	3.4	.8	.3	3.4	.3	.5
Selected local areas ⁴											
Chicago-Gary-Lake County, IL-IN-WI	M	153.6	153.8	154.0	154.3	3.3	.3	.2	2.5	.3	.1
Los Angeles-Anaheim-Riverside, CA	M	154.5	154.4	154.6	155.2	1.2	.5	.4	1.2	.1	.1
N.Y.-Northern N.J.-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT	M	162.3	162.8	163.2	163.6	2.6	.5	.2	2.6	.6	.2
Phil.-Wilmington-Trenton, PA-NJ-DE-MD	M	158.9	159.6	160.3	160.4	2.4	.5	.1	2.6	.9	.4
San Francisco-Oakland-San Jose, CA	M	151.5	151.5	152.3	152.6	2.1	.7	.2	1.9	.5	.5
Baltimore, MD	1	151.5	-	151.8	-	-	-	-	2.2	.2	-
Boston-Lawrence-Salem, MA-NH	1	157.8	-	158.6	-	-	-	-	1.9	.5	-
Cleveland-Akron-Lorain, OH	1	148.1	-	149.0	-	-	-	-	1.8	.6	-
Miami-Fort Lauderdale, FL	1	148.3	-	148.9	-	-	-	-	3.0	.4	-
St. Louis-East St. Louis, MO-IL	1	145.6	-	147.1	-	-	-	-	2.6	1.0	-
Washington, DC-MD-VA	1	156.1	-	156.2	-	-	-	-	1.6	.1	-
Dallas-Fort Worth, TX	2	-	145.1	-	146.8	2.8	1.2	-	-	-	-
Detroit-Ann Arbor, MI	2	-	148.8	-	149.8	2.8	.7	-	-	-	-
Houston-Galveston-Brazoria, TX	2	-	140.1	-	141.6	1.7	1.1	-	-	-	-
Pittsburgh-Beaver Valley, PA	2	-	150.1	-	150.5	2.8	.3	-	-	-	-

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—	
		Oct. 1994	Sept. 1995		Oct. 1994	Sept. 1995		Oct. 1994	Sept. 1995		Oct. 1994	Sept. 1995
	Oct. 1995	Oct. 1994	Sept. 1995	Oct. 1995	Oct. 1994	Sept. 1995	Oct. 1995	Oct. 1994	Sept. 1995	Oct. 1995	Oct. 1994	Sept. 1995
Expenditure category												
All items	160.3	2.5	0.2	149.6	3.0	0.1	150.5	3.2	0.5	154.6	2.4	0.3
All items (December 1977=100)	252.5	-	-	243.5	-	-	244.1	-	-	249.9	-	-
Food and beverages	153.9	2.6	-1	146.7	3.1	.3	147.8	3.2	.3	150.9	2.8	.6
Food	153.4	2.6	.0	146.0	3.1	.3	147.6	3.3	.3	150.4	2.9	.6
Food at home	154.7	2.8	-1	145.5	3.3	.3	145.9	3.7	.3	153.1	3.7	.9
Cereals and bakery products	175.1	2.3	-2	168.2	2.8	.2	163.2	2.6	.6	169.7	3.2	1.1
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	147.1	2.2	.3	139.6	3.5	1.5	135.7	3.5	1.2	140.4	2.3	.8
Dairy products	128.1	-1	1.0	133.4	1.4	.5	131.0	1.4	.1	141.7	2.3	.9
Fruits and vegetables	180.2	8.4	-1.7	163.3	8.8	-4	176.7	9.1	-1.2	188.3	8.8	1.6
Other food at home	149.6	.7	.4	136.4	.6	-3	138.3	1.7	.2	141.9	1.9	.2
Sugar and sweets	147.9	2.9	1.8	135.7	2.0	-2	134.8	2.3	.4	140.6	3.5	.6
Fats and oils	147.5	2.9	.9	132.9	1.1	-4	136.1	3.2	1.7	137.8	2.5	.1
Nonalcoholic beverages	141.2	-2.1	.0	125.9	-2.1	-4	125.5	-1.1	-1.4	131.7	.2	-4
Other prepared food	159.1	2.0	.2	146.7	2.2	-2	151.7	3.1	.9	152.6	2.5	.7
Food away from home	153.3	2.4	.1	147.1	2.7	.2	152.0	2.6	.3	146.7	1.9	.3
Alcoholic beverages	159.9	2.3	-2	155.4	2.9	.3	149.1	2.4	.4	155.7	1.0	.5
Housing	160.6	2.2	.0	144.3	3.3	-1	141.6	3.1	.3	153.0	2.5	.1
Shelter	187.2	2.6	.3	163.8	4.2	.2	151.7	4.0	.5	166.1	2.5	.2
Renters' costs ²	193.6	3.1	.4	167.6	4.2	-4	161.5	4.1	.3	175.5	2.2	.2
Rent, residential	170.8	2.5	.2	155.7	3.3	.3	147.4	2.8	.3	159.6	1.3	.2
Other renters' costs	234.2	4.6	.7	182.1	5.9	-1.7	194.8	7.3	.3	207.9	5.1	.1
Homeowners' costs ²	194.9	2.3	.3	168.0	4.2	.5	153.7	4.0	.5	176.4	2.7	.2
Owners' equivalent rent ²	195.9	2.2	.3	168.3	4.2	.5	153.3	4.1	.5	176.7	2.8	.3
Maintenance and repairs	135.8	-	-3	137.4	4.0	.4	132.7	4.6	.4	136.9	6.1	2.6
Maintenance and repair services	NA	-	-	146.1	.5	.0	132.5	5.5	.5	144.5	7.8	4.2
Maintenance and repair commodities	125.8	2.2	-9	129.5	8.2	.9	132.6	3.0	.3	126.6	2.8	-5
Fuel and other utilities	117.4	.3	-1.2	116.6	1.0	-2.3	130.7	1.4	.3	136.2	2.5	-4
Fuels	106.9	-2	-2.2	101.5	1.0	-4.0	117.8	1.4	.3	129.1	.7	-8
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities	83.9	-5	.4	84.0	.0	.2	95.2	.8	.2	98.1	.1	1.4
Fuel oil	82.8	-6	.2	80.8	.4	-7	82.9	.2	.4	107.4	.9	2.6
Other household fuel commodities ³	110.6	.1	.6	114.0	-2	1.5	126.1	1.2	.2	111.6	-3	.9
Gas (piped) and electricity (energy services)	122.6	-1	-2.8	106.6	.9	-4.2	121.4	1.4	.3	132.4	.8	-9
Electricity	133.8	2.5	-4.1	123.1	6.7	-8.1	126.4	3.4	.8	148.1	1.8	.0
Utility (piped) gas	105.2	-5.1	.3	90.6	-6.2	2.3	103.2	-7.5	-2.4	114.1	-1.3	-2.8
Other utilities and public services	155.3	1.9	.2	151.1	1.3	.0	155.6	1.3	.3	151.9	4.3	.1
Household furnishings and operation	125.4	2.4	.2	122.2	2.3	.7	125.1	1.8	-2	122.9	1.8	-2
Household furnishings	110.5	1.5	.1	109.1	.4	.9	115.2	.2	-9	111.5	.8	-4
Housekeeping supplies	146.7	3.4	.3	141.8	5.0	.6	131.4	3.5	1.3	137.0	4.3	.1
Housekeeping services	146.6	3.5	.1	141.4	4.4	.1	148.9	4.3	.1	140.8	2.8	.0
Apparel and upkeep	130.2	.5	.9	134.1	-7	1.0	146.5	-3	2.1	124.0	-2.0	1.0
Apparel commodities	126.4	.2	1.1	132.3	-9	1.1	143.3	-3	2.4	120.5	-2.0	1.3
Men's and boys' apparel	127.3	.3	.2	130.3	-5	2.0	136.3	.6	.9	117.2	-2.7	2.0
Women's and girls' apparel	122.0	.6	3.5	134.6	-2.3	1.2	146.4	-3.0	4.3	115.3	-4.0	1.9
Infants' and toddlers' apparel	127.6	-8.1	-2.7	135.6	2.2	-2.1	142.8	9.6	2.8	118.5	3.7	1.5
Footwear	128.7	.5	-1.6	130.3	2.5	.5	129.5	2.8	2.0	119.6	.0	1.9
Other apparel commodities	154.6	1.0	-1.4	131.9	-2.4	.0	166.2	1.8	-8	145.9	2.0	-3.1
Apparel services	162.8	2.7	-4	147.4	1.7	.0	166.8	-1.0	-3	149.0	-1.5	-4
Transportation	141.4	2.4	.4	136.8	2.7	.4	138.5	2.9	.3	141.1	1.4	.4
Private transportation	137.3	1.8	.4	133.2	2.0	.1	137.1	2.5	.1	137.8	1.6	.6
New vehicles	139.3	1.4	.9	138.7	1.5	.9	145.2	2.1	.6	139.4	2.3	.4
New cars	137.8	1.0	.7	134.9	1.0	.9	144.1	1.8	.6	136.2	1.9	.2
Used cars	160.5	7.7	.4	158.1	7.0	.4	157.9	6.6	.4	153.6	4.6	.6
Motor fuel	98.9	-2.8	-1.5	95.9	-3.2	-2.6	96.1	-3.3	-2.0	103.4	-4.6	.3
Gasoline	98.7	-2.8	-1.6	95.7	-3.2	-2.8	95.8	-3.5	-2.1	103.0	-4.8	.2
Gasoline, unleaded regular	97.0	-2.6	-1.8	94.0	-3.4	-3.0	92.5	-3.4	-2.4	100.2	-5.7	.1
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ⁴	102.7	-3.0	-1.6	106.2	-3.5	-2.6	102.2	-3.7	-1.9	100.1	-4.5	.5
Gasoline, unleaded premium	99.9	-4.6	-1.5	99.9	-3.3	-2.5	99.7	-3.9	-1.7	105.4	-4.6	.6
Maintenance and repairs	163.2	2.5	.1	145.3	2.5	.6	154.3	3.2	.2	159.0	1.6	-2
Other private transportation	173.6	4.0	1.2	164.6	4.7	1.0	180.0	5.8	.9	170.3	4.3	1.2
Other private transportation commodities	104.2	1.1	-2	105.9	1.9	-3	104.6	2.4	.3	104.0	1.5	.6
Other private transportation services	187.4	4.4	1.4	177.6	5.2	1.3	200.8	6.2	1.0	186.0	4.8	1.4
Public transportation	175.6	6.9	.8	195.6	11.5	3.7	164.7	7.8	2.9	181.1	.6	-4

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—	
		Oct. 1994	Sept. 1995		Oct. 1994	Sept. 1995		Oct. 1994	Sept. 1995		Oct. 1994	Sept. 1995
Expenditure category	Oct. 1995	Oct. 1994	Sept. 1995	Oct. 1995	Oct. 1994	Sept. 1995	Oct. 1995	Oct. 1994	Sept. 1995	Oct. 1995	Oct. 1994	Sept. 1995
Medical care	230.9	3.8	0.3	217.3	3.9	0.4	221.9	4.9	0.4	222.0	3.5	0.4
Medical care commodities	209.3	2.1	.8	205.8	.4	.8	201.0	1.8	.1	210.0	2.6	.2
Medical care services	235.5	4.2	.2	220.2	4.7	.3	227.1	5.6	.4	224.9	3.7	.4
Professional medical services	212.5	3.5	.2	198.5	3.8	.1	206.5	5.9	.4	193.2	2.3	.4
Entertainment	161.6	2.7	.1	154.0	3.1	-.2	152.2	2.8	.5	153.2	2.6	.3
Entertainment commodities	142.5	2.7	.0	141.6	1.0	.5	137.2	2.2	.4	137.0	2.1	-.1
Entertainment services	182.8	2.6	.2	169.0	5.2	-.9	171.0	3.4	.5	171.5	3.0	.6
Other goods and services	220.9	4.8	.4	205.7	3.2	.1	202.3	4.5	.2	214.8	4.8	.2
Tobacco and smoking products	220.9	3.7	.2	237.6	.8	-.2	215.6	2.3	-.5	246.2	6.8	.4
Personal care	161.1	3.5	.6	141.6	2.5	.9	142.0	2.2	.7	151.1	.7	.5
Personal and educational expenses	251.2	5.6	.4	231.7	4.6	.0	236.9	6.1	.4	247.4	5.3	.1
Commodity and service group												
All items	160.3	2.5	.2	149.6	3.0	.1	150.5	3.2	.5	154.6	2.4	.3
Commodities	137.9	1.8	.2	136.3	1.6	.3	137.7	1.8	.3	136.8	1.6	.4
Food and beverages	153.9	2.6	-.1	146.7	3.1	.3	147.8	3.2	.3	150.9	2.8	.6
Commodities less food and beverages	127.3	1.3	.4	130.2	.6	.3	131.9	1.1	.4	128.2	.8	.4
Nondurables less food and beverages	127.7	.9	.3	131.4	-.2	.0	133.1	.4	.5	129.4	-.2	.6
Apparel commodities	126.4	.2	1.1	132.3	-.9	1.1	143.3	-.3	2.4	120.5	-2.0	1.3
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel	132.1	1.2	-.1	133.4	.1	-.5	131.3	.7	-.5	136.4	.7	.4
Durables	126.8	1.8	.4	127.9	2.1	.8	130.5	2.0	.2	126.6	2.0	.0
Services	183.0	3.0	.2	164.0	4.1	.0	163.9	4.1	.6	171.0	3.0	.2
Rent of shelter ²	195.2	2.5	.3	168.3	4.2	.2	155.8	4.1	.5	176.5	2.6	.3
Household services less rent of shelter ²	140.2	1.2	-1.1	129.6	1.8	-1.7	140.6	1.8	.3	146.7	2.5	-.3
Transportation services	178.8	4.7	1.0	173.0	5.9	1.6	181.5	5.8	1.1	178.8	3.0	.6
Medical care services	235.5	4.2	.2	220.2	4.7	.3	227.1	5.6	.4	224.9	3.7	.4
Other services	209.7	4.4	.2	187.5	4.6	-.3	192.7	4.3	.4	195.4	3.8	.3
Special indexes												
All items less food	161.7	2.4	.2	150.3	2.9	.1	150.9	3.1	.5	155.5	2.3	.3
All items less shelter	151.8	2.4	.1	145.8	2.5	.1	150.5	2.8	.4	151.2	2.2	.3
All items less homeowners' costs ²	158.5	2.5	.1	149.6	2.6	.1	154.0	2.9	.4	157.0	2.3	.4
All items less medical care	156.8	2.4	.1	145.9	2.9	.1	145.8	2.9	.4	150.9	2.3	.3
Commodities less food	128.6	1.3	.3	131.2	.8	.3	132.5	1.1	.4	129.4	.7	.3
Nondurables less food	129.6	1.0	.3	132.8	.1	.1	133.8	.5	.5	131.2	-.1	.6
Nondurables less food and apparel	133.9	1.4	.0	134.7	.4	-.4	132.0	.9	-.4	137.6	.7	.4
Nondurables	141.2	1.8	.1	139.1	1.5	.1	140.5	1.8	.4	140.5	1.4	.6
Services less rent of shelter ²	185.2	3.5	.0	168.6	4.0	-.2	178.5	4.1	.5	182.7	3.2	.2
Services less medical care services	178.6	2.8	.2	158.8	4.1	.0	157.0	4.0	.6	166.3	2.8	.2
Energy	103.3	-1.5	-1.9	98.4	-1.0	-3.4	105.3	-.7	-.7	113.7	-2.0	-.3
All items less energy	168.0	2.8	.4	157.0	3.3	.4	156.6	3.4	.5	159.4	2.6	.4
All items less food and energy	171.8	2.8	.4	159.7	3.3	.4	158.7	3.4	.6	161.6	2.6	.3
Commodities less food and energy commodities	140.1	1.8	.5	141.2	1.4	.7	142.7	1.7	.6	137.1	1.5	.4
Energy commodities	94.4	-2.2	-1.0	95.5	-3.0	-2.5	96.3	-2.9	-1.8	104.2	-4.5	.3
Services less energy services	188.8	3.2	.4	171.3	4.3	.4	168.5	4.3	.5	173.9	3.0	.3

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—	
		Oct. 1994	Sept. 1995		Oct. 1994	Sept. 1995		Oct. 1994	Sept. 1995		Oct. 1994	Sept. 1995
	Oct. 1995	Oct. 1994	Sept. 1995	Oct. 1995	Oct. 1994	Sept. 1995	Oct. 1995	Oct. 1994	Sept. 1995	Oct. 1995	Oct. 1994	Sept. 1995
Expenditure category												
All items	138.8	2.4	0.2	153.5	2.9	0.3	153.3	3.3	0.4	150.0	3.4	0.3
All items (December 1977=100)	138.8	-	-	249.2	-	-	246.5	-	-	241.9	-	-
Food and beverages	135.6	3.0	.4	149.4	2.8	.1	148.5	3.3	.3	145.0	2.4	.6
Food	135.1	3.0	.3	149.5	3.0	.1	147.9	3.4	.3	144.5	2.6	.6
Food at home	138.6	3.4	.4	151.5	3.4	.0	145.8	3.8	.3	142.3	2.7	.6
Cereals and bakery products	151.8	2.2	.3	167.7	3.1	-.4	163.7	3.8	1.0	170.6	3.2	1.1
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	130.3	2.8	.8	143.1	3.5	.9	135.7	3.0	1.3	131.9	2.7	1.4
Dairy products	129.5	1.5	.8	134.3	1.0	.5	126.4	1.3	.2	125.2	.4	.6
Fruits and vegetables	162.7	9.2	-.1	185.2	8.1	-.8	171.3	8.9	-.1	165.7	6.9	-.1
Other food at home	130.1	1.1	.2	141.4	1.0	-.4	143.0	2.1	.3	134.5	.8	.1
Sugar and sweets	128.8	3.4	.5	139.6	2.7	.4	136.7	-.1	1.4	130.5	3.0	-.7
Fats and oils	130.0	2.6	.5	137.4	2.9	-.4	139.1	2.5	1.1	133.8	1.1	1.9
Nonalcoholic beverages	122.5	-.1	-.4	127.8	-.2	-.8	133.7	-.1	-.1	120.6	-.3	-.6
Other prepared food	137.3	1.7	.6	155.7	2.6	.3	153.9	4.3	.1	147.4	2.7	.3
Food away from home	130.0	2.4	.2	147.1	2.4	.2	152.8	2.7	.2	149.4	2.0	.5
Alcoholic beverages	139.9	2.3	.3	149.1	.7	.1	156.2	3.2	.3	152.5	1.4	-.2
Housing	134.2	2.4	.0	151.1	2.9	.1	147.9	3.5	.4	142.8	3.8	-.1
Shelter	140.8	2.7	.3	169.2	4.2	.4	164.8	3.6	.1	161.1	5.2	.6
Renters' costs ³	141.0	2.9	.3	186.1	4.9	.2	164.5	3.2	-.7	163.9	3.7	.6
Rent, residential	131.9	2.2	.2	158.4	2.6	.4	153.4	2.7	.3	151.8	3.4	.1
Other renters' costs	174.1	5.1	.5	240.0	9.1	-.1	180.6	4.3	-.2	182.2	4.5	1.4
Homeowners' costs ³	141.0	2.6	.3	172.6	4.0	.5	172.3	3.7	.3	167.5	5.6	.5
Owners' equivalent rent ³	141.3	2.6	.3	173.0	4.0	.6	172.9	3.8	.3	167.1	5.8	.5
Maintenance and repairs	121.6	3.1	.1	133.6	.2	.8	147.9	7.2	.0	131.8	-	4.8
Maintenance and repair services	123.6	1.7	.0	133.7	-	1.1	158.6	6.4	.0	142.5	-	8.3
Maintenance and repair commodities	118.3	5.6	.3	133.9	-.0	.4	135.5	8.2	.1	115.5	-.1	-.2
Fuel and other utilities	123.4	1.1	-.1	127.8	.0	-.6	128.9	3.1	1.5	121.1	.9	-.2
Fuels	121.8	.2	-.2	109.4	-.1	-.4	116.4	4.0	2.7	103.8	-.6	-.4
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities	126.0	-.2	.2	82.5	-.0	.0	86.3	-.2	.8	83.1	2.1	.8
Fuel oil	127.0	-.4	.1	80.4	-.1	.1	78.2	-.1	.9	77.6	3.6	.1
Other household fuel commodities ²	121.9	.4	1.0	113.0	-.8	-.4	116.8	1.5	.6	115.1	.4	1.7
Gas (piped) and electricity (energy services)	121.4	.2	-.3	117.8	-.1	-.4	125.3	4.5	2.9	112.8	-.8	-.5
Electricity	129.7	3.7	-.4	129.2	.6	-.2	136.9	8.3	3.3	121.9	-.7	-.7
Utility (piped) gas	107.6	-.5	-.1	95.5	-.6	.2	104.9	-.5	1.6	98.4	-.9	2.2
Other utilities and public services	125.5	2.2	.2	166.8	1.5	.1	155.2	2.0	.1	155.9	2.3	.0
Household furnishings and operation	117.5	1.9	.1	124.0	1.1	-.4	121.9	3.0	.3	121.8	2.6	.4
Housefurnishings	108.7	.8	.1	114.9	-.1	-.8	107.8	1.7	-.1	109.5	1.0	.1
Housekeeping supplies	132.5	3.8	.0	129.8	4.7	.5	137.6	5.1	2.5	131.2	3.3	.9
Housekeeping services	129.8	2.8	.2	146.4	5.7	.1	149.2	4.6	-.5	146.5	5.8	.5
Apparel and upkeep	124.2	-.8	.7	132.6	-.8	1.7	141.1	.2	2.0	139.2	-.1	3.4
Apparel commodities	123.4	-.8	.9	128.8	-.1	1.8	138.8	.1	2.3	137.1	-.4	3.8
Men's and boys' apparel	118.6	-.6	1.5	130.7	2.5	.3	136.8	.4	1.4	122.5	-.6	.9
Women's and girls' apparel	120.0	-.1	2.1	133.5	-.4	3.1	139.8	-.1	3.1	146.7	-.1	7.2
Infants' and toddlers' apparel	111.1	-.2	-.1	134.5	5.8	7.4	145.4	-.1	-.1	142.9	30.4	-.3
Footwear	126.7	1.0	-.2	114.4	.1	-.5	131.7	4.2	2.9	127.7	2.7	2.9
Other apparel commodities	153.7	.9	-.2	124.7	.2	.6	155.3	.9	1.1	152.1	4.6	.3
Apparel services	131.6	-.7	-.5	162.7	2.6	.1	165.4	1.3	.1	157.0	2.1	.1
Transportation	137.2	2.0	.5	138.1	2.7	.2	139.6	2.9	.1	138.3	3.1	.3
Private transportation	136.8	1.7	.5	134.9	2.4	.1	136.4	2.6	.0	133.9	2.3	-.1
New vehicles	123.8	1.9	1.0	139.4	1.5	.5	141.5	2.1	.4	141.3	1.7	.1
New cars	122.2	1.6	.9	135.2	1.1	.3	139.6	1.4	.3	137.5	1.0	.0
Used cars	148.0	7.1	.5	157.5	5.6	.4	157.5	6.0	.4	154.1	6.2	.4
Motor fuel	144.2	-.4	-.1	96.6	-.2	-.1	97.5	-.2	-.1	96.3	-.1	-.2
Gasoline	143.9	-.4	-.1	96.3	-.2	-.1	97.6	-.2	-.1	95.8	-.1	-.2
Gasoline, unleaded regular	143.4	-.4	-.1	93.2	-.2	-.1	94.8	-.2	-.1	92.1	-.1	-.2
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ⁴	100.9	-.4	-.1	101.9	-.2	-.1	106.5	-.2	-.1	106.5	-.1	-.2
Gasoline, unleaded premium	136.5	-.4	-.1	99.8	-.2	-.1	101.9	-.2	-.1	99.8	-.1	-.2
Maintenance and repairs	138.4	2.2	.1	160.1	2.4	.0	153.8	3.8	.3	140.8	1.8	.1
Other private transportation	145.1	4.6	1.3	168.7	5.4	.8	176.1	5.0	.7	167.8	4.1	.9
Other private transportation commodities	108.3	1.6	.3	100.4	.6	-.2	105.2	3.0	-.5	120.6	2.5	.7
Other private transportation services	152.6	5.1	1.5	184.9	6.1	.9	195.7	5.3	.9	180.8	4.4	.9
Public transportation	140.6	4.5	.9	196.7	7.6	2.0	205.2	10.3	2.5	222.2	13.3	4.7

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—	
		Oct.	Sept.		Oct.	Sept.		Oct.	Sept.		Oct.	Sept.
	1995	1994	1995	1995	1994	1995	1995	1994	1995	1995	1994	1995
Expenditure category												
Medical care	176.5	3.8	0.4	221.3	4.3	0.3	226.7	4.6	0.3	217.9	4.6	0.2
Medical care commodities	165.6	1.5	.4	204.9	2.0	.7	199.6	1.0	.5	206.4	2.9	.0
Medical care services	179.0	4.3	.4	225.2	4.8	.3	233.2	5.4	.3	221.2	5.0	.3
Professional medical services	161.3	3.4	.4	196.5	4.5	.2	211.6	5.1	.1	209.3	4.8	.4
Entertainment	137.9	2.8	.3	153.7	4.1	.4	158.0	1.4	-.3	141.3	2.8	-.1
Entertainment commodities	128.6	1.7	.5	138.6	4.0	.4	142.4	.8	-.3	133.5	2.9	-.1
Entertainment services	145.6	3.8	.2	173.9	4.1	.3	178.8	2.0	-.1	152.4	2.8	.0
Other goods and services	170.6	4.0	.2	209.5	4.1	.6	206.5	5.1	.4	202.6	6.4	-.3
Tobacco and smoking products	181.0	2.7	-.1	231.7	4.1	.6	229.0	3.7	.4	211.8	2.0	-.1.8
Personal care	132.8	2.4	.7	147.6	2.7	.8	148.5	2.6	.8	132.9	.2	.2
Personal and educational expenses	180.6	4.8	.2	241.0	4.6	.5	235.6	6.5	.3	240.6	10.1	.2
Commodity and service group												
All items	138.8	2.4	.2	153.5	2.9	.3	153.3	3.3	.4	150.0	3.4	.3
Commodities	131.7	1.6	.3	135.8	1.6	.2	137.1	2.2	.4	135.1	1.8	.4
Food and beverages	135.6	3.0	.4	149.4	2.8	.1	148.5	3.3	.3	145.0	2.4	.6
Commodities less food and beverages	129.1	.7	.3	128.0	.8	.2	130.4	1.5	.4	129.5	1.5	.5
Nondurables less food and beverages	136.3	-.1	.2	128.1	.5	.4	132.5	.8	.6	129.9	.9	.6
Apparel commodities	123.4	-.8	.9	128.8	-1.2	1.8	138.8	.1	2.3	137.1	-.4	3.8
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel	144.4	.2	-.1	130.6	1.3	-.3	132.4	1.1	-.1	128.9	1.4	-.7
Durables	119.5	2.0	.5	128.2	1.2	.2	127.9	2.5	.1	129.2	2.4	.2
Services	144.5	3.1	.2	172.1	4.0	.3	171.1	4.2	.4	166.4	4.9	.2
Rent of shelter ³	141.2	2.7	.3	176.7	4.2	.5	170.9	3.6	.1	166.5	5.2	.5
Household services less rent of shelter ³	124.6	1.4	-1.1	141.4	1.0	-.6	142.2	3.5	1.1	136.8	1.8	-1.7
Transportation services	146.3	4.3	1.0	180.4	5.5	.9	185.1	5.8	1.0	177.7	5.6	1.5
Medical care services	179.0	4.3	.4	225.2	4.8	.3	233.2	5.4	.3	221.2	5.0	.3
Other services	160.2	3.8	.1	197.2	4.4	.5	194.5	4.4	.2	190.7	7.1	.1
Special indexes												
All items less food	139.6	2.3	.3	154.3	2.9	.3	154.4	3.3	.5	150.9	3.6	.2
All items less shelter	138.0	2.3	.2	149.1	2.4	.2	150.4	3.2	.5	147.4	2.9	.1
All items less homeowners' costs ⁴	138.3	2.4	.2	154.4	2.7	.2	153.8	3.2	.4	151.1	3.0	.2
All items less medical care	136.7	2.3	.2	149.6	2.8	.3	148.9	3.2	.4	145.1	3.3	.3
Commodities less food	129.8	.9	.4	128.8	.8	.3	131.4	1.6	.5	130.2	1.5	.5
Nondurables less food	136.7	.1	.3	129.1	.5	.3	133.8	1.0	.7	130.9	.8	.5
Nondurables less food and apparel	143.7	.5	-.1	131.4	1.2	-.2	133.7	1.3	-.1	130.2	1.4	-.7
Nondurables	135.9	1.5	.3	138.7	1.8	.3	140.4	2.1	.4	137.6	1.6	.6
Services less rent of shelter ³	147.9	3.4	.1	178.9	3.7	.2	180.8	4.6	.7	175.2	4.5	-.2
Services less medical care services	141.6	2.9	.1	166.8	3.8	.3	164.6	4.0	.4	159.6	4.8	.1
Energy	130.9	-2.0	-2.1	101.9	-1.7	-1.5	106.4	1.3	.8	99.0	-1.0	-3.6
All items less energy	139.4	2.7	.4	160.6	3.3	.4	160.0	3.4	.4	157.2	3.8	.6
All items less food and energy	140.3	2.7	.4	163.2	3.3	.4	163.0	3.5	.4	160.2	4.0	.6
Commodities less food and energy commodities	128.2	1.5	.5	138.9	1.2	.6	141.7	2.1	.7	140.8	1.9	.8
Energy commodities	142.2	-4.2	-1.1	94.7	-2.2	-1.7	96.4	-1.8	-1.5	94.9	-1.1	-1.9
Services less energy services	146.1	3.2	.3	177.9	4.3	.5	176.2	4.1	.2	172.6	5.2	.5

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.

- Data not available.

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

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Northeast								
	Size class A			Size class B			Size class C		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
	Oct. 1995	Oct. 1994	Sept. 1995	Oct. 1995	Oct. 1994	Sept. 1995	Oct. 1995	Oct. 1994	Sept. 1995
	Oct. 1995	Oct. 1994	Sept. 1995	Oct. 1995	Oct. 1994	Sept. 1995	Oct. 1995	Oct. 1994	Sept. 1995
Expenditure category									
All items	161.1	2.5	0.2	158.5	2.5	0.3	158.3	2.6	-0.1
All items (December 1977=100)	248.9	-	-	254.9	-	-	262.8	-	-
Food and beverages	154.1	2.9	.1	156.4	1.7	-.7	152.2	2.9	.5
Food	153.6	2.9	.1	156.4	1.9	-.7	151.5	2.8	.5
Food at home	155.2	3.0	.0	158.9	1.5	-1.2	148.6	3.3	.7
Cereals and bakery products	176.2	2.1	-.3	166.9	.8	-.9	174.6	2.9	.8
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	146.5	2.4	.3	154.0	.4	-.5	148.5	4.1	2.4
Dairy products	129.9	.2	1.3	131.8	-.5	.5	114.6	-.5	.9
Fruits and vegetables	182.0	9.0	-1.5	184.1	7.7	-3.2	167.3	6.4	-2.7
Other food at home	149.2	.5	.7	159.8	-.1	-1.7	141.6	2.0	1.4
Food away from home	153.1	2.5	.1	153.9	2.5	.3	158.4	1.9	.3
Alcoholic beverages	160.0	2.6	-.2	160.3	.7	.0	160.3	4.3	.0
Housing	160.7	2.1	.1	160.1	2.7	.3	158.4	2.2	-.2
Shelter	185.4	2.3	.4	190.0	4.1	.5	189.3	2.6	-.5
Renters' costs ²	192.7	3.0	.6	206.7	4.3	.3	177.4	2.2	-2.1
Rent, residential	170.7	2.7	.2	164.8	1.5	.1	168.0	1.6	.0
Other renters' costs	236.4	3.7	1.7	265.1	8.3	.7	176.6	4.0	-6.6
Homeowners' costs ²	190.5	1.9	.3	197.7	3.9	.5	205.0	2.7	-.1
Owners' equivalent rent ²	191.3	1.9	.3	199.0	3.9	.5	206.2	2.7	-.1
Fuel and other utilities	116.9	1.0	-1.8	124.0	-.1	.2	112.1	-.1	.2
Fuels	109.8	.3	-3.2	107.6	-.5	.3	93.1	-1.9	.2
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities	89.4	-.1	.1	77.4	-1.9	.3	75.3	-1.8	1.3
Fuel oil	87.8	-.3	.0	77.0	-1.8	.3	74.7	-2.0	1.6
Other household fuel commodities ³	124.4	3.1	1.3	104.2	-2.2	.0	95.3	-1.4	.0
Gas (piped) and electricity (energy services)	122.0	.4	-3.9	131.9	.0	.4	110.1	-2.0	-.3
Electricity	131.7	3.0	-6.1	146.8	3.0	.6	117.4	.3	.0
Utility (piped) gas	108.2	-4.0	.5	101.4	-8.6	-.6	94.1	-9.5	-1.2
Household furnishings and operation	127.7	2.8	.2	119.3	-.3	-.6	118.7	3.0	1.2
Apparel and upkeep	127.8	1.4	1.0	130.4	-3.7	2.4	138.0	-.6	-1.5
Apparel commodities	123.1	1.2	1.2	127.9	-4.1	2.6	135.2	-.7	-1.7
Men's and boys' apparel	120.2	3.5	.9	147.4	-.8	-.8	144.8	-6.3	-4.1
Women's and girls' apparel	117.1	.6	3.6	127.0	-4.3	10.0	133.7	2.8	-2.6
Footwear	129.8	1.7	-2.3	117.7	-4.6	-6.7	135.3	1.3	4.4
Transportation	143.8	2.2	.6	136.6	2.6	.3	138.7	3.8	-.4
Private transportation	139.6	1.6	.6	134.6	2.4	.4	131.8	2.7	-.4
Motor fuel	97.9	-3.6	-1.5	100.1	-.8	-1.2	98.5	-1.9	-2.1
Gasoline	97.5	-3.8	-1.6	100.2	-.7	-1.2	98.5	-2.0	-2.3
Gasoline, unleaded regular	95.8	-3.2	-1.6	97.4	-1.5	-1.4	97.8	-1.9	-2.5
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ⁴	100.7	-4.2	-1.6	106.5	-.2	-.8	106.1	-2.2	-2.3
Gasoline, unleaded premium	98.5	-5.7	-1.5	102.5	-1.3	-.8	101.6	-2.7	-2.3
Public transportation	167.9	5.9	.7	174.1	5.5	.5	239.7	13.9	-.2
Medical care	232.4	4.1	.4	232.4	4.0	.1	220.3	2.9	-.1
Entertainment	164.1	2.9	.3	150.9	3.6	.1	162.9	.4	-.8
Other goods and services	218.9	4.0	.2	216.6	5.7	1.3	225.7	5.3	.3
Personal care	164.6	3.1	.7	153.5	7.8	.0	147.7	2.1	-.4
Commodity and service group									
All items	161.1	2.5	.2	158.5	2.5	.3	158.3	2.6	-.1
Commodities	139.3	2.0	.3	135.7	1.1	.1	135.1	2.0	-.1
Food and beverages	154.1	2.9	.1	156.4	1.7	-.7	152.2	2.9	.5
Commodities less food and beverages	128.6	1.3	.5	123.5	.7	.7	125.0	1.2	-.6
Nondurables less food and beverages	128.9	1.0	.4	122.6	.2	1.0	127.9	.4	-.8
Durables	128.8	1.8	.6	123.6	1.5	.1	120.9	2.6	-.1
Services	181.7	2.8	.2	185.1	3.6	.4	184.1	3.1	-.2
Medical care services	237.2	4.5	.3	237.8	4.0	-.1	224.2	3.2	.0
Special indexes									
All items less shelter	152.9	2.5	.1	149.6	1.8	.2	149.1	2.6	.0
All items less medical care	157.5	2.3	.2	154.6	2.3	.3	155.2	2.6	-.1
All items less energy	168.0	2.8	.4	167.2	2.7	.3	167.4	3.0	-.1
All items less food and energy	171.7	2.8	.5	170.2	2.9	.5	171.5	2.9	-.3
Energy	104.9	-1.7	-2.6	104.4	-.6	-.3	94.1	-1.9	-.6
Commodities less food	129.9	1.4	.4	124.9	.6	.6	126.5	1.4	-.5
Nondurables less food	130.8	1.2	.4	124.6	.2	.9	129.8	.8	-.7
Nondurables	142.3	2.0	.2	139.0	1.0	.1	139.8	1.7	-.1
Services less rent of shelter ²	184.7	3.4	-.1	186.9	3.1	.4	184.1	3.7	.2
Services less medical care services	177.3	2.7	.2	180.1	3.5	.5	180.7	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 classes ¹, by expenditure category and commodity and service group—Continued

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	North Central											
	Size class A			Size class B			Size class C			Size class D		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
		Oct. 1994	Sept. 1995		Oct. 1994	Sept. 1995		Oct. 1994	Sept. 1995		Oct. 1994	Sept. 1995
	Oct. 1995	1994	1995	Oct. 1995	1994	1995	Oct. 1995	1994	1995	Oct. 1995	1994	1995
Expenditure category												
All items	150.3	2.8	0.0	148.4	2.8	0.3	151.5	3.1	0.6	146.0	3.6	-0.2
All items (December 1977=100)	248.2	-	-	239.8	-	-	241.1	-	-	234.1	-	-
Food and beverages	148.7	3.0	.4	144.1	3.5	.8	146.3	3.4	.1	140.9	2.6	.1
Food	147.9	3.0	.3	144.5	3.7	.8	145.2	3.3	.1	139.9	2.6	.1
Food at home	148.1	3.1	.4	146.2	4.1	1.2	143.8	3.7	.1	136.8	2.9	-.2
Cereals and bakery products	169.1	2.2	.1	175.0	3.7	-.3	164.5	3.7	.7	163.1	2.7	.2
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	144.5	3.2	1.4	136.6	5.8	1.8	132.1	3.1	1.2	132.4	3.2	1.7
Dairy products	136.7	1.3	-.1	139.3	2.6	2.3	127.7	1.0	.6	125.6	1.8	1.8
Fruits and vegetables	165.7	8.4	.0	157.8	9.4	1.9	168.5	10.5	-1.7	149.6	6.7	-2.2
Other food at home	136.7	.5	.0	139.3	.3	.6	140.2	.9	-.6	126.7	1.3	-1.9
Food away from home	147.9	2.9	.3	141.7	2.8	.1	148.4	2.8	.3	146.1	1.8	.6
Alcoholic beverages	156.5	2.8	.3	138.6	1.2	.2	161.4	4.1	.5	156.4	3.2	-.1
Housing	144.5	3.4	-.3	145.1	2.3	.3	148.4	2.9	.4	137.5	5.0	-1.1
Shelter	165.5	4.4	.2	170.4	3.5	.6	165.7	3.6	.0	149.2	5.9	.5
Renters' costs ²	168.2	3.8	-.4	182.0	5.4	.6	169.7	3.7	-1.6	148.8	4.6	.3
Rent, residential	158.5	3.5	.3	161.1	1.5	.3	152.8	3.2	.3	141.9	3.9	.2
Other renters' costs	175.3	4.8	-1.8	207.6	10.1	1.0	198.5	4.5	-4.8	154.7	6.7	.6
Homeowners' costs ²	169.9	4.4	.4	171.7	3.1	.6	169.7	3.6	.6	156.9	6.5	.5
Owners' equivalent rent ²	170.0	4.4	.4	172.5	3.0	.6	170.5	3.6	.6	156.8	6.4	.5
Fuel and other utilities	113.0	1.3	-3.0	111.5	-.4	-.8	123.6	-.2	.8	124.7	3.7	-5.7
Fuels	100.3	2.8	-5.2	95.8	-2.0	-1.5	110.0	-1.6	1.4	99.2	2.8	-10.9
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities	85.3	-.8	1.2	81.4	-2.0	.1	84.5	1.0	-.6	83.8	3.1	.0
Fuel oil	82.7	-1.0	.0	83.5	-1.8	-.8	77.3	-.6	-2.5	80.6	8.0	.1
Other household fuel commodities ³	109.8	-.6	2.6	110.5	-2.2	.9	117.1	2.8	1.6	124.3	-1.3	-.2
Gas (piped) and electricity (energy services)	103.2	2.8	-5.4	101.5	-2.0	-1.6	119.4	-1.6	1.5	107.0	2.8	-11.4
Electricity	122.5	11.9	-10.1	124.0	2.6	-2.6	134.9	2.7	-.2	107.5	1.2	-20.7
Utility (piped) gas	85.6	-7.1	1.7	79.8	-9.1	.3	101.9	-8.9	4.7	109.2	4.7	2.5
Household furnishings and operation	118.2	1.6	.5	120.1	.8	.3	133.4	4.2	1.4	124.0	3.2	.5
Apparel and upkeep	132.4	-1.5	.0	132.5	-1.4	.2	134.1	2.0	4.1	145.7	-.1	2.0
Apparel commodities	131.1	-1.7	.0	130.0	-1.8	.2	130.6	1.9	4.6	145.6	-.3	2.2
Men's and boys' apparel	131.0	-1.4	2.3	124.9	-4.4	.3	129.2	3.9	3.5	135.9	4.1	.7
Women's and girls' apparel	127.6	-2.1	-.8	143.3	-2.3	-.3	137.8	1.5	6.3	150.6	-8.6	4.0
Footwear	130.1	.0	.0	106.1	3.3	-.3	125.1	1.8	3.3	161.5	14.4	-.5
Transportation	137.8	2.6	.5	136.6	2.9	.1	136.0	2.6	.3	134.8	3.5	.5
Private transportation	135.2	1.8	.3	132.5	2.2	-.3	132.6	2.5	.0	127.2	2.0	.0
Motor fuel	97.2	-3.4	-2.4	94.8	-4.0	-5.6	95.2	-2.3	-1.8	93.3	-3.5	-1.7
Gasoline	96.9	-3.3	-2.7	94.9	-4.1	-5.9	95.2	-2.3	-1.8	92.4	-4.0	-1.8
Gasoline, unleaded regular	95.6	-3.5	-2.8	91.3	-4.7	-6.5	93.5	-2.0	-1.7	89.8	-3.6	-1.3
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ⁴	105.7	-3.5	-2.8	105.0	-2.8	-4.1	106.9	-3.8	-2.0	107.7	-4.4	-2.1
Gasoline, unleaded premium	99.8	-3.5	-2.2	101.0	-3.8	-5.7	96.9	-1.8	-.7	94.5	-4.4	-2.4
Public transportation	171.0	11.0	2.6	233.2	13.1	5.4	211.1	4.7	4.5	319.5	21.1	6.1
Medical care	216.4	3.5	.4	211.6	4.3	.5	229.4	4.3	.6	211.6	4.3	.0
Entertainment	155.2	2.8	-.6	147.6	5.1	-.3	160.4	2.2	.6	147.0	3.6	.3
Other goods and services	210.2	3.0	-.1	207.2	4.0	.4	199.1	4.4	.7	192.8	.9	.3
Personal care	136.3	2.5	.6	153.1	1.3	1.3	158.4	3.5	1.6	129.1	3.0	1.3
Commodity and service group												
All items	150.3	2.8	.0	148.4	2.8	.3	151.5	3.1	.6	146.0	3.6	-.2
Commodities	137.6	1.4	.2	132.4	1.1	.2	136.6	2.6	.8	135.6	1.7	.3
Food and beverages	148.7	3.0	.4	144.1	3.5	.8	146.3	3.4	.1	140.9	2.6	.1
Commodities less food and beverages	130.7	.3	.2	126.4	-.2	-.2	131.1	2.0	1.2	132.2	1.2	.3
Nondurables less food and beverages	133.1	-.6	-.4	126.2	-1.2	-.8	129.9	1.3	1.6	134.1	-.3	.4
Durables	126.0	1.8	1.1	127.6	.9	.6	132.3	3.0	.6	129.5	3.2	.2
Services	163.7	4.0	-.2	165.7	4.1	.5	168.6	3.5	.4	157.5	5.4	-.5
Medical care services	218.5	4.5	.2	213.2	4.9	.6	237.2	4.7	.6	212.7	5.0	.0
Special indexes												
All items less shelter	146.1	2.3	.0	142.6	2.5	.2	147.6	2.9	.8	145.5	3.0	-.3
All items less medical care	146.9	2.8	.0	145.1	2.7	.3	147.4	2.9	.5	141.2	3.6	-.2
All items less energy	157.4	3.1	.3	157.0	3.2	.6	159.1	3.5	.6	153.2	4.0	.5
All items less food and energy	159.8	3.1	.3	159.9	3.2	.6	162.7	3.6	.7	156.2	4.3	.6
Energy	99.1	-.3	-3.9	93.4	-2.8	-3.3	102.2	-1.8	.0	95.4	.0	-7.2
Commodities less food	131.8	.5	.2	126.7	-.2	-.2	132.1	2.1	1.1	133.0	1.3	.3
Nondurables less food	134.5	-.3	-.4	126.7	-1.0	-.7	131.6	1.5	1.5	135.4	.0	.4
Nondurables	141.2	1.3	.0	134.7	1.1	.0	137.7	2.4	.8	138.2	1.2	.2
Services less rent of shelter ²	167.7	3.8	-.5	164.4	4.6	.3	174.8	3.4	.7	168.1	4.9	-1.2
Services less medical care services	158.9	4.0	-.2	161.6	4.0	.4	162.4	3.4	.4	150.4	5.4	-.6

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	South											
	Size class A			Size class B			Size class C			Size class D		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
	Oct. 1995	Oct. 1994	Sept. 1995	Oct. 1995	Oct. 1994	Sept. 1995	Oct. 1995	Oct. 1994	Sept. 1995	Oct. 1995	Oct. 1994	Sept. 1995
	Expenditure category											
All items	149.9	2.7	0.5	152.6	3.0	0.2	150.4	3.7	0.6	149.0	3.4	0.4
All items (December 1977=100)	242.0	-	-	249.0	-	-	243.3	-	-	242.0	-	-
Food and beverages	148.5	3.0	.1	148.8	3.5	.4	148.4	3.6	.2	143.0	2.4	.8
Food	148.5	3.1	.2	148.7	3.7	.3	148.1	3.7	.1	143.0	2.4	.8
Food at home	146.9	3.2	.0	148.4	4.7	.4	145.9	4.2	.1	139.7	2.5	.9
Cereals and bakery products	161.5	-.3	.1	164.3	5.3	.2	159.0	4.7	.6	173.7	2.1	2.5
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	136.6	3.4	1.2	137.9	4.5	1.0	132.8	3.3	1.1	134.8	2.9	1.8
Dairy products	137.5	1.3	.4	129.5	.9	-.5	131.0	2.1	.1	119.5	.9	.1
Fruits and vegetables	178.2	9.2	-1.3	194.9	9.6	.4	169.9	9.3	-2.1	155.9	7.8	-2.1
Other food at home	137.3	1.3	-.7	134.2	2.1	.1	148.5	2.8	.7	128.8	-.7	1.5
Food away from home	152.2	2.7	.3	150.7	2.3	.3	153.9	2.8	.1	151.6	2.3	.5
Alcoholic beverages	149.1	3.2	.4	149.5	.9	.4	151.7	2.9	.3	141.5	1.5	.2
Housing	140.7	2.6	.4	147.0	2.7	-.2	138.6	4.1	.8	140.5	3.5	.4
Shelter	151.4	4.0	.7	155.3	3.8	.3	146.0	3.8	.3	159.0	5.3	.7
Renters' costs ²	158.2	4.1	.5	178.1	5.3	-.2	149.2	3.0	.4	164.5	3.3	.6
Rent, residential	149.3	2.9	.3	147.8	2.7	.3	142.1	2.5	.5	149.2	3.5	.3
Other renters' costs	180.1	8.2	1.2	251.6	10.0	-1.0	166.5	4.6	.2	183.2	3.1	.9
Homeowners' costs ²	154.0	3.8	.7	155.6	3.3	.4	148.6	4.0	.3	161.6	5.8	.7
Owners' equivalent rent ²	153.9	4.1	.7	155.4	3.3	.4	148.1	4.0	.3	159.9	6.0	.8
Fuel and other utilities	118.7	-.9	-.3	139.1	.1	-1.1	141.8	6.6	2.9	119.8	-.7	-.8
Fuels	108.4	-3.0	-1.0	115.9	-1.4	-2.4	137.1	11.5	5.3	105.8	-1.9	-1.7
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities	89.2	-.7	.2	95.7	.0	-.6	109.6	2.8	.2	88.4	1.5	2.1
Fuel oil	84.8	-.1	.5	85.3	.1	.1	74.2	1.5	.0	81.1	.0	.5
Other household fuel commodities ³	123.2	-1.5	-.2	125.4	.1	-.9	139.9	3.2	.2	107.8	3.1	3.7
Gas (piped) and electricity (energy services)	112.3	-3.0	-1.1	117.3	-1.7	-2.7	140.0	12.0	5.6	110.8	-2.3	-2.0
Electricity	116.4	-.4	.7	120.3	-.8	-3.3	146.7	15.1	6.5	115.7	-1.8	-2.4
Utility (piped) gas	97.1	-10.9	-6.5	105.5	-6.3	.8	120.6	-2.8	.8	91.8	-6.1	3.5
Household furnishings and operation	130.0	.9	-.1	131.2	2.3	-.8	114.5	2.0	-.5	118.7	3.2	.7
Apparel and upkeep	151.7	-.7	1.1	140.1	.7	1.8	147.7	-1.5	2.9	139.8	1.1	5.0
Apparel commodities	147.7	-.3	1.3	135.5	.4	2.0	146.1	-1.6	3.2	136.8	1.0	5.5
Men's and boys' apparel	142.6	-.8	.2	133.7	8.4	1.0	136.0	-1.3	2.3	120.9	-6.0	1.2
Women's and girls' apparel	147.7	-.7	3.7	139.6	-5.7	1.3	145.6	-6.1	4.9	158.4	1.4	12.0
Footwear	133.3	-1.4	1.1	125.6	1.5	2.1	136.8	10.0	3.0	107.1	7.9	3.2
Transportation	137.6	2.7	.7	137.8	2.6	.0	141.0	3.5	.1	138.4	3.1	.0
Private transportation	137.2	2.5	.5	135.3	2.1	-.2	138.9	3.1	.0	136.6	2.7	-.3
Motor fuel	97.8	-5.4	-1.7	95.4	-2.8	-1.2	97.2	-1.8	-2.5	90.6	-.4	-3.1
Gasoline	97.2	-5.6	-1.7	94.8	-3.1	-1.5	97.8	-2.0	-2.8	90.0	-.7	-3.4
Gasoline, unleaded regular	94.3	-5.6	-2.1	91.9	-2.2	-1.5	93.4	-2.3	-3.1	85.7	-.5	-3.8
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ⁴	99.5	-6.0	-1.9	100.0	-3.5	-1.5	106.2	-2.3	-2.3	107.5	-.4	-2.7
Gasoline, unleaded premium	100.1	-5.8	-1.2	97.9	-3.8	-1.2	103.0	-1.2	-2.3	96.8	-1.4	-3.0
Public transportation	145.4	4.8	2.6	185.4	9.0	2.3	192.7	13.2	3.5	177.5	9.3	4.8
Medical care	223.3	4.8	.6	216.0	4.3	.2	225.8	5.7	.3	222.2	4.8	.2
Entertainment	157.4	2.9	.6	155.2	3.7	.8	150.5	1.5	-.1	141.1	3.4	.1
Other goods and services	198.1	4.3	.5	214.7	3.7	.4	201.3	5.2	.5	193.8	6.1	-1.5
Personal care	144.4	3.2	.8	149.8	2.8	.3	140.5	2.2	1.1	124.9	-2.4	-.1
Commodity and service group												
All items	149.9	2.7	.5	152.6	3.0	.2	150.4	3.7	.6	149.0	3.4	.4
Commodities	138.4	1.6	.3	138.2	1.9	.3	138.2	2.2	.4	134.1	1.8	.5
Food and beverages	148.5	3.0	.1	148.8	3.5	.4	148.4	3.6	.2	143.0	2.4	.8
Commodities less food and beverages	132.4	.8	.4	131.9	1.0	.2	132.2	1.3	.5	129.1	1.6	.5
Nondurables less food and beverages	132.6	-.2	.5	133.0	1.0	.4	135.3	.3	.8	129.0	1.2	.5
Durables	132.8	2.2	.2	130.1	.9	-.1	128.8	2.7	.2	129.4	2.1	.3
Services	161.7	3.7	.6	167.4	3.8	.1	163.7	5.1	.8	165.1	4.6	.3
Medical care services	228.2	5.3	.8	221.2	5.2	.1	232.5	6.9	.3	224.9	4.8	.3
Special indexes												
All items less shelter	149.7	2.3	.4	152.0	2.6	.1	152.1	3.7	.7	146.7	2.8	.3
All items less medical care	145.8	2.5	.4	148.5	2.8	.2	145.1	3.5	.6	143.1	3.2	.5
All items less energy	156.6	3.2	.6	158.8	3.4	.4	155.4	3.5	.5	156.5	3.8	.7
All items less food and energy	158.5	3.3	.7	161.2	3.3	.4	157.2	3.5	.5	159.6	4.0	.6
Energy	101.9	-4.0	-1.3	102.8	-2.0	-1.9	116.0	5.7	2.0	96.5	-1.3	-2.2
Commodities less food	133.0	.8	.3	132.5	1.0	.2	132.8	1.4	.5	129.4	1.6	.5
Nondurables less food	133.4	.1	.5	133.7	1.0	.4	136.0	.4	.7	129.4	1.2	.5
Nondurables	140.6	1.4	.4	141.1	2.3	.4	141.9	2.0	.5	135.9	1.7	.6
Services less rent of shelter ²	176.9	3.3	.7	181.5	3.7	.0	181.3	5.9	1.1	174.6	4.1	.1
Services less medical care services	155.6	3.5	.6	161.7	3.7	.1	155.3	4.7	.8	156.5	4.6	.3

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—	
		Oct. 1994	Sept. 1995		Oct. 1994	Sept. 1995
Expenditure category	Oct. 1995	Oct. 1994	Sept. 1995	Oct. 1995	Oct. 1994	Sept. 1995
All items	154.9	1.8	0.3	157.9	3.4	0.2
All items (December 1977=100)	252.6	-	-	244.9	-	-
Food and beverages	151.8	2.8	.7	147.6	2.9	.3
Food	151.2	3.1	.7	147.4	3.1	.3
Food at home	154.0	4.0	1.0	145.0	3.1	.3
Cereals and bakery products	172.1	3.7	1.4	160.2	3.0	3.4
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	141.5	2.0	.4	133.5	.1	.0
Dairy products	145.6	3.0	1.1	128.8	2.0	-.8
Fruits and vegetables	184.9	10.1	2.2	185.2	8.6	.4
Other food at home	142.5	1.9	.7	134.6	2.7	-.6
Food away from home	147.5	1.7	.2	151.9	3.3	.4
Alcoholic beverages	157.2	1.1	.7	151.5	.9	.3
Housing	154.6	1.7	-.1	156.3	4.3	.3
Shelter	166.3	1.5	.1	175.1	4.8	.5
Renters' costs ²	179.2	1.6	.1	172.2	3.9	-.1
Rent, residential	162.0	.4	.1	157.0	4.0	.4
Other renters' costs	208.1	5.4	.1	196.2	3.6	-1.4
Homeowners' costs ²	177.3	1.4	.1	190.9	5.1	.7
Owners' equivalent rent ²	177.6	1.4	.1	192.2	5.2	.7
Fuel and other utilities	140.6	3.1	-.5	127.2	3.0	-.2
Fuels	135.2	1.5	-1.1	110.5	.8	-.4
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities ⁵	97.6	-.2	1.1	245.6	.5	2.7
Fuel oil ⁵	93.1	1.1	2.6	310.7	-	2.2
Other household fuel commodities ³	131.8	-1.3	-.2	110.5	.8	2.8
Gas (piped) and electricity (energy services)	137.9	1.5	-1.1	109.6	.8	-.5
Electricity	154.3	2.6	.0	122.2	1.1	.7
Utility (piped) gas	121.8	-.7	-3.8	96.1	.4	-2.3
Household furnishings and operation	124.8	2.0	-.2	123.0	3.0	-.4
Apparel and upkeep	122.0	-2.9	.9	139.3	3.0	.2
Apparel commodities	117.9	-3.0	1.0	137.7	3.1	.1
Men's and boys' apparel	115.9	-4.6	2.4	141.7	7.1	2.5
Women's and girls' apparel	108.8	-5.9	1.5	136.0	2.8	-.7
Footwear	125.5	4.0	2.2	127.2	-4.6	-.5
Transportation	140.3	1.0	.4	142.3	1.4	.4
Private transportation	137.2	1.3	.6	140.2	.9	.3
Motor fuel	103.5	-5.8	.5	101.6	-3.1	-.3
Gasoline	103.1	-6.2	.4	100.7	-3.5	-.5
Gasoline, unleaded regular	100.4	-6.8	.4	96.9	-4.6	-1.2
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ⁴	98.9	-5.1	.6	107.2	-2.1	.3
Gasoline, unleaded premium	107.0	-6.0	.6	101.9	-3.0	.5
Public transportation	179.0	-.9	-.8	177.1	8.0	2.1
Medical care	219.2	2.9	.4	231.8	3.8	.2
Entertainment	153.0	2.8	.7	163.3	1.4	-1.1
Other goods and services	223.1	4.4	.3	209.6	5.6	.0
Personal care	157.8	1.0	.6	149.4	1.8	-.3
Commodity and service group						
All items	154.9	1.8	.3	157.9	3.4	.2
Commodities	137.0	1.5	.6	137.5	1.9	.1
Food and beverages	151.8	2.8	.7	147.6	2.9	.3
Commodities less food and beverages	127.6	.4	.4	131.6	1.4	-.1
Nondurables less food and beverages	128.7	-.9	.6	136.7	1.6	.1
Durables	125.5	2.3	.0	126.0	1.2	-.3
Services	170.8	2.2	.1	177.4	4.5	.3
Medical care services	221.1	2.9	.5	239.0	4.3	.1
Special Indexes						
All items less shelter	151.7	2.2	.5	152.4	2.8	.1
All items less medical care	151.6	1.8	.3	153.3	3.4	.3
All items less energy	159.4	2.1	.3	164.0	3.7	.2
All items less food and energy	161.5	2.0	.2	167.5	3.8	.2
Energy	114.6	-2.4	-.3	105.4	-1.4	-.4
Commodities less food	129.1	.4	.4	132.4	1.3	-.1
Nondurables less food	130.9	-.7	.6	137.5	1.5	.1
Nondurables	140.7	1.2	.7	142.6	2.2	.2
Services less rent of shelter ²	183.9	3.0	.2	185.0	4.0	.1
Services less medical care services	166.8	2.1	.1	170.9	4.5	.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.

- 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, October 1995						
U.S. city average	149.7	169.0	140.8	133.2	177.2	141.2
Region and area size ¹						
Northeast urban	154.7	175.1	147.1	128.1	180.2	149.6
Size A - More than 1,200,000	155.2	176.2	146.5	129.9	182.0	149.2
Size B - 500,000 to 1,200,000	158.9	166.9	154.0	131.8	184.1	159.8
Size C - 50,000 to 500,000	148.6	174.6	148.5	114.6	167.3	141.6
North Central urban	145.5	168.2	139.6	133.4	163.3	136.4
Size A - More than 1,200,000	148.1	169.1	144.5	136.7	165.7	136.7
Size B - 360,000 to 1,200,000	146.2	175.0	136.6	139.3	157.8	139.3
Size C - 50,000 to 360,000	143.8	164.5	132.1	127.7	168.5	140.2
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	136.8	163.1	132.4	125.6	149.6	126.7
South urban	145.9	163.2	135.7	131.0	176.7	138.3
Size A - More than 1,200,000	146.9	161.5	136.6	137.5	178.2	137.3
Size B - 450,000 to 1,200,000	148.4	164.3	137.9	129.5	194.9	134.2
Size C - 50,000 to 450,000	145.9	159.0	132.8	131.0	169.9	148.5
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	139.7	173.7	134.8	119.5	155.9	128.8
West urban	153.1	169.7	140.4	141.7	188.3	141.9
Size A - More than 1,200,000	154.0	172.1	141.5	145.6	184.9	142.5
Size C - 50,000 to 330,000	145.0	160.2	133.5	128.8	185.2	134.6
Size classes						
A ²	138.6	151.8	130.3	129.5	162.7	130.1
B	151.5	167.7	143.1	134.3	185.2	141.4
C	145.8	163.7	135.7	126.4	171.3	143.0
D	142.3	170.6	131.9	125.2	165.7	134.5
Selected local areas						
Baltimore, MD	156.2	184.4	139.9	145.4	186.0	150.9
Boston-Lawrence-Salem, MA-NH	151.8	169.4	142.7	131.9	188.1	139.7
Chicago-Gary-Lake County, IL-IN-WI	156.1	174.0	158.4	146.9	175.1	136.6
Cleveland-Akron-Lorain, OH	145.3	163.5	144.7	130.8	171.2	126.6
Dallas-Fort Worth, TX	138.4	155.9	132.4	132.0	142.2	137.6
Detroit-Ann Arbor, MI	142.3	171.2	137.6	127.1	157.6	132.2
Houston-Galveston-Brazoria, TX	146.1	157.2	133.6	128.1	181.9	144.4
Los Angeles-Anaheim-Riverside, CA	159.1	170.3	148.3	155.3	195.4	143.8
Miami-Fort Lauderdale, FL	153.1	155.3	135.7	139.2	222.2	132.1
N.Y.-Northern N.J.-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT	158.0	179.9	150.1	130.6	183.7	151.5
Phil.-Wilmington-Trenton, PA-NJ-DE-MD	156.1	179.9	144.9	130.7	181.5	153.0
Pittsburgh-Beaver Valley, PA	143.5	151.6	134.9	129.3	161.5	145.3
St. Louis-East St. Louis, MO-IL	144.6	155.4	129.6	137.0	168.8	146.0
San Francisco-Oakland-San Jose, CA	156.5	170.4	146.0	139.3	187.0	146.6
Washington, DC-MD-VA	150.7	173.5	138.1	151.3	170.7	140.9

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, September 1995 to October 1995						
U.S. city average	0.3	0.4	0.9	0.7	-0.5	0.1
Region and area size ¹						
Northeast urban	-.1	-.2	.3	1.0	-1.7	.4
Size A - More than 1,200,000	.0	-.3	.3	1.3	-1.5	.7
Size B - 500,000 to 1,200,000	-1.2	-.9	-.5	.5	-3.2	-1.7
Size C - 50,000 to 500,000	.7	.8	2.4	.9	-2.7	1.4
North Central urban	.3	.2	1.5	.5	-.4	-.3
Size A - More than 1,200,000	.4	.1	1.4	-.1	.0	.0
Size B - 360,000 to 1,200,000	1.2	-.3	1.8	2.3	1.9	.6
Size C - 50,000 to 360,000	.1	.7	1.2	.6	-1.7	-.6
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	-.2	.2	1.7	1.8	-2.2	-1.9
South urban	.3	.6	1.2	.1	-1.2	.2
Size A - More than 1,200,000	.0	.1	1.2	.4	-1.3	-.7
Size B - 450,000 to 1,200,000	.4	.2	1.0	-.5	.4	.1
Size C - 50,000 to 450,000	.1	.6	1.1	.1	-2.1	.7
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	.9	2.5	1.8	.1	-2.1	1.5
West urban	.9	1.1	.8	.9	1.6	.2
Size A - More than 1,200,000	1.0	1.4	.4	1.1	2.2	.7
Size C - 50,000 to 330,000	.3	3.4	.0	-.8	.4	-.6
Size classes						
A	.4	.3	.8	.8	-.1	.2
B	.0	-.4	.9	.5	-.8	-.4
C	.3	1.0	1.3	.2	-1.8	.3
D	.6	1.1	1.4	.6	-.1	.1
Selected local areas						
Baltimore, MD	-2.0	-5.7	-1.9	-.1	-1.6	-.7
Boston-Lawrence-Salem, MA-NH	.9	-1.5	1.4	2.8	1.9	-.2
Chicago-Gary-Lake County, IL-IN-WI	.7	.2	.5	.8	3.6	-1.1
Cleveland-Akron-Lorain, OH	.3	-1.4	3.7	.3	-2.5	-.5
Dallas-Fort Worth, TX	.3	-1.8	2.6	-4.8	-1.3	2.4
Detroit-Ann Arbor, MI	-.3	-.1	1.2	.3	-3.2	-.7
Houston-Galveston-Brazoria, TX	-2.1	1.7	1.4	.1	-5.3	-5.9
Los Angeles-Anaheim-Riverside, CA	1.2	-.3	1.2	.2	3.7	.6
Miami-Fort Lauderdale, FL	-.6	2.6	-1.7	2.6	-3.2	.9
N.Y.-Northern N.J.-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT	.1	.1	.1	.9	-.8	.8
Phil.-Wilmington-Trenton, PA-NJ-DE-MD	-.2	-.7	.6	1.6	-4.2	1.8
Pittsburgh-Beaver Valley, PA	.0	-.5	.5	1.9	-2.2	.6
St. Louis-East St. Louis, MO-IL	1.1	.0	3.8	-.4	-2.2	2.2
San Francisco-Oakland-San Jose, CA	.4	3.7	.1	1.8	-.4	-1.0
Washington, DC-MD-VA	.9	-2.1	3.7	3.2	-1.2	-.1

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, September 1995 to October 1995

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	0.4	0.2	0.1	0.2
Food and beverages	.3	.5	1.0	.1	-.1	.2
Food	.3	.5	.9	.2	-.1	.3
Food at home	.3	.7	1.2	.1	-.2	.4
Cereals and bakery products	.4	.2	-.3	.1	-.7	3.7
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	.9	.5	1.2	.1	.6	.1
Meats, poultry, and fish	.8	.7	1.1	.0	.9	-.4
Dairy products	.7	.8	.2	.9	1.6	1.8
Fruits and vegetables	-.5	3.6	3.7	-.8	-4.2	-.4
Other food at home	.1	-1.1	.6	.8	1.8	-1.0
Food away from home	.3	.2	.3	.1	.1	.1
Alcoholic beverages	.3	.5	1.5	-.4	-.4	-.3
Housing	.1	.0	.0	.1	-.1	-.1
Shelter	.3	.3	.2	.3	.9	.1
Renters' costs	.1	-.2	.4	.4	2.7	.1
Rent, residential	.3	.3	.0	.2	.2	.1
Other renters' costs	.0	-2.2	1.9	1.1	6.3	-.2
Homeowners' costs	.3	.4	.0	.3	.1	.1
Owners' equivalent rent	.4	.4	.0	.3	.1	.3
Fuel and other utilities	-.8	-1.8	-.7	-1.8	-4.6	.1
Fuels	-1.7	-3.1	-1.5	-2.8	-7.6	-.1
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities	.3	.0	2.4	.0	-.5	-3.7
Fuel oil	.2	.0	-	-.2	-.6	6.4
Other household fuel commodities	.7	.0	2.4	3.3	-	-4.4
Gas (piped) and electricity (energy services)	-1.9	-3.2	-1.5	-3.5	-8.4	.0
Electricity	-2.5	-7.0	.0	-5.8	-11.1	.0
Utility (piped) gas	-.1	2.6	-4.7	1.3	-1.5	.0
Household furnishings and operation	.1	.6	-.3	.1	1.1	-.6
Apparel and upkeep	1.4	.3	1.0	1.1	.2	1.1
Apparel commodities	1.5	.3	1.1	1.4	.2	1.6
Men's and boys' apparel	1.3	5.2	2.0	-.2	.6	1.7
Women's and girls' apparel	2.9	-.5	.0	4.3	3.1	8.0
Footwear	.6	-.7	-.2	-2.5	-5.0	6.9
Transportation	.4	.8	.5	.6	.8	.5
Private transportation	.3	.5	1.0	.7	.8	.6
Motor fuel	-1.5	-2.1	.9	-1.5	-2.0	.7
Gasoline	-1.7	-2.2	.9	-1.5	-2.1	.8
Gasoline, unleaded regular	-1.8	-2.3	.8	-1.6	-2.0	.8
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ¹	-1.4	-2.0	1.3	-1.6	-2.1	1.0
Gasoline, unleaded premium	-1.5	-1.8	1.0	-1.4	-2.3	.7
Public transportation	1.5	3.1	-2.9	.5	.6	.0
Medical care	.4	.3	.5	.7	.3	.1
Entertainment	.2	-1.4	1.7	.8	-1.2	-.1
Other goods and services	.2	.0	-.2	.3	-.2	.3
Personal care	.7	.7	-.4	.5	1.1	2.1
Commodity and service group						
All items	.3	.2	.4	.2	.1	.2
Commodities	.3	.4	.6	.4	.1	.4
Food and beverages	.3	.5	1.0	.1	-.1	.2
Commodities less food and beverages	.3	.3	.2	.5	.2	.5
Nondurables less food and beverages	.4	-.4	.8	.6	-.5	.6
Durables	.3	1.4	-.5	.4	1.0	.3
Services	.2	.0	.2	.2	.1	.1
Medical care services	.4	.0	.6	.5	.4	.4
Special indexes						
All items less shelter	.3	.2	.5	.3	-.3	.2
All items less medical care	.3	.2	.4	.3	.0	.1
All items less energy	.4	.4	.4	.5	.5	.1
All items less food and energy	.4	.4	.3	.5	.6	.1
Energy	-1.6	-2.7	-.3	-2.3	-5.6	.3
Commodities less food	.3	.3	.4	.5	.1	.4
Nondurables less food	.4	-.3	.8	.5	-.5	.5
Nondurables	.4	.1	.8	.3	-.3	.4
Services less rent of shelter	.2	-.2	.4	.1	-.8	-.2
Services less medical care services	.2	.0	.2	.2	.0	.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 2 ¹											
	U.S. city average			Chicago- Gary- Lake County, IL-IN-WI			Dallas- Fort Worth, TX			Detroit- Ann Arbor, MI		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
		Oct. 1995	Oct. 1994		Aug. 1995	Oct. 1995		Oct. 1994	Aug. 1995		Oct. 1995	Oct. 1994
Expenditure category												
All items	153.7	2.8	0.5	154.3	3.3	0.3	146.6	2.8	1.2	149.8	2.8	0.7
All items (1967=100)	460.3	-	-	461.0	-	-	460.5	-	-	445.3	-	-
Food and beverages	149.8	2.9	.6	151.4	2.6	.3	146.8	2.8	.9	144.2	3.2	.2
Food	149.4	3.0	.7	150.3	2.7	.3	144.7	2.7	.9	143.3	3.4	.1
Food at home	149.7	3.4	.9	156.1	2.7	.3	138.4	2.9	1.1	142.3	3.4	.1
Cereals and bakery products	169.0	2.7	.1	174.0	.5	1.6	155.9	-7.2	-3.8	171.2	4.5	-.2
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	140.8	2.9	1.5	158.4	1.7	.8	132.4	4.6	5.2	137.6	5.4	1.5
Meats, poultry, and fish	141.6	2.2	1.5	161.8	1.3	.9	133.5	3.2	4.8	138.7	4.9	1.3
Dairy products	133.2	1.3	.3	146.9	2.6	3.2	132.0	1.3	-4.4	127.1	2.7	.5
Fruits and vegetables	177.2	8.8	1.8	175.1	12.3	-3	142.2	11.8	5.2	157.8	4.4	-.6
Other food at home	141.2	1.2	-.1	136.6	-1.5	-1.9	137.6	2.5	-.2	132.2	-.3	-1.5
Food away from home	150.0	2.5	.4	140.2	2.7	.2	155.0	2.4	.6	148.1	3.4	.4
Alcoholic beverages	154.9	2.2	.3	163.8	2.7	1.0	169.6	3.4	.4	153.6	1.5	.3
Housing	149.7	2.7	.1	151.3	4.9	-.4	133.8	2.1	.9	142.1	2.4	.6
Shelter	167.3	3.3	.3	176.9	5.9	.2	136.8	4.1	1.2	161.9	2.5	.4
Renters' costs ²	175.3	3.2	-.9	177.5	4.9	-1.1	143.7	5.3	.3	159.2	3.4	-.3
Rent, residential	158.9	2.4	.4	172.3	4.9	.8	134.6	3.9	1.1	148.5	1.0	.3
Other renters' costs	205.0	5.7	-4.1	167.5	4.8	-6.5	156.2	10.4	-2.5	166.1	7.3	-1.2
Homeowners' costs ²	173.0	3.3	.8	183.2	6.3	.6	142.4	3.6	1.6	166.0	2.2	.6
Owners' equivalent rent ²	173.4	3.3	.9	181.9	6.2	.7	144.3	4.3	2.1	166.7	2.0	.6
Fuel and other utilities	123.9	1.2	-1.4	110.7	4.6	-3.1	132.5	.7	.6	117.1	-.5	.5
Fuels	111.5	.6	-2.7	98.6	11.9	-5.6	134.5	-.4	-.5	102.6	-1.9	.7
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities	86.9	-.1	.3	91.3	3.8	.0	96.2	.3	-1.6	83.2	-3.4	3.1
Fuel oil	83.4	-.5	.4	91.1	.0	.0	NA	-	-	83.8	.2	4.9
Other household fuel commodities ³	117.1	.4	.4	116.9	9.0	.0	100.7	.3	-1.8	100.5	-6.9	1.3
Gas (piped) and electricity (energy services)	119.3	.7	-3.0	101.1	12.0	-5.7	134.2	-.4	-.5	106.0	-1.9	.6
Electricity	131.0	3.3	-4.3	121.0	45.4	-8.7	137.2	-.5	-.1	133.7	.5	.0
Utility (piped) gas	100.7	-5.2	.2	82.4	-15.1	-1.2	129.3	-.3	-1.4	85.8	-4.6	1.5
Household furnishings and operation	123.9	2.1	.4	117.2	.7	-.1	131.3	-2.4	.3	113.9	6.3	2.3
Apparel and upkeep	134.5	-.5	3.4	131.4	-.3	5.8	149.5	.1	3.1	137.3	1.5	-1.2
Apparel commodities	131.4	-.7	3.7	131.9	-.4	6.2	143.3	3.3	4.0	136.3	1.8	-1.2
Men's and boys' apparel	128.4	-.4	3.1	127.0	-3.5	4.3	126.5	8.0	4.8	127.7	-.4	.4
Women's and girls' apparel	130.6	-2.1	5.7	127.8	.6	10.1	136.3	4.7	13.7	145.5	4.0	-2.4
Footwear	127.5	1.6	3.2	143.3	1.9	1.6	146.7	2.7	-3.0	139.4	6.7	.0
Transportation	139.4	2.4	.1	135.9	2.4	.5	140.9	3.3	.9	144.4	2.8	1.8
Private transportation	136.3	2.0	.0	133.6	1.7	.3	140.9	3.1	.5	142.2	2.2	1.5
Motor fuel	98.3	-3.4	-2.8	98.7	-6.2	-3.0	97.0	-8.4	-4.3	94.8	1.6	-1.7
Gasoline	98.0	-3.6	-3.0	98.4	-6.4	-3.2	96.6	-8.7	-4.5	94.6	1.7	-1.8
Gasoline, unleaded regular	95.6	-3.8	-3.2	96.4	-6.5	-3.5	92.7	-9.4	-5.3	94.3	1.4	-1.7
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ⁴	102.7	-3.7	-2.7	105.3	-6.4	-2.7	100.2	-8.2	-3.9	108.6	1.5	-2.3
Gasoline, unleaded premium	100.4	-4.1	-3.0	100.1	-6.4	-2.5	99.2	-7.8	-3.7	98.2	2.5	-.6
Public transportation	178.7	6.1	.9	154.3	7.8	2.3	147.7	4.9	4.9	189.7	14.6	8.0
Medical care	222.9	4.2	.6	225.2	4.6	.3	220.4	5.2	.8	210.0	3.4	.0
Entertainment	155.2	2.8	.7	160.4	-1.7	-1.4	155.8	5.6	2.8	152.7	4.7	.7
Other goods and services	210.7	4.4	1.4	219.4	2.8	1.1	189.1	5.0	1.2	214.2	3.3	1.0
Personal care	148.5	2.2	.8	148.8	1.5	-.6	159.7	12.0	.0	133.1	8.8	5.4
Commodity and service group												
All items	153.7	2.8	.5	154.3	3.3	.3	146.8	2.8	1.2	149.8	2.8	.7
Commodities	137.2	1.7	.7	139.8	.9	.8	138.0	2.8	1.4	135.5	3.2	.6
Food and beverages	149.8	2.9	.6	151.4	2.6	.3	146.8	2.8	.9	144.2	3.2	.2
Commodities less food and beverages	129.5	.9	.7	132.1	-.5	1.1	132.2	2.8	1.7	130.5	3.2	.9
Nondurables less food and beverages	130.5	.2	.9	134.6	-1.8	1.1	132.2	1.0	2.0	133.1	2.5	-.8
Durables	128.2	2.0	.4	127.2	1.9	1.0	133.7	5.1	1.3	123.7	4.3	3.7
Services	170.4	3.5	.4	168.5	5.3	.0	155.3	2.9	1.0	165.5	2.5	.8
Medical care services	226.9	4.7	.6	224.5	5.2	.1	232.2	5.7	.8	219.0	4.8	.0
Special indexes												
All items less shelter	149.8	2.5	.6	147.4	2.3	.4	151.0	2.4	1.1	146.8	2.9	.8
All items less medical care	149.8	2.7	.5	150.7	3.2	.3	142.7	2.7	1.1	146.8	2.7	.7
All items less energy	160.2	3.0	.8	161.6	3.3	.7	153.0	3.4	1.5	156.7	3.0	.8
All items less food and energy	162.8	3.0	.7	164.5	3.5	.8	154.7	3.5	1.5	159.9	3.0	.9
Energy	104.5	-1.2	-2.7	98.1	2.4	-4.4	114.6	-4.1	-2.2	100.1	-.2	-.4
Commodities less food	130.5	.9	.6	133.6	-.2	1.1	133.4	2.8	1.6	131.4	3.1	.8
Nondurables less food	131.9	.4	.8	136.6	-1.3	1.1	134.2	1.2	1.9	134.3	2.4	-.7
Nondurables	140.4	1.7	.8	143.3	.6	.7	140.2	1.8	1.5	138.8	2.8	-.4
Services less rent of shelter ²	178.6	3.7	.4	167.8	4.7	-.2	181.4	1.5	.4	173.7	2.8	1.2
Services less medical care services	165.1	3.4	.3	163.9	5.3	.0	148.9	2.5	.9	160.9	2.3	.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 2 ¹								
	Houston-Galveston-Brazoria, TX			Los Angeles-Anaheim-Riverside, CA			N.Y.-Northern N.J.-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
	Oct. 1995	Oct. 1994	Aug. 1995	Oct. 1995	Oct. 1994	Aug. 1995	Oct. 1995	Oct. 1994	Aug. 1995
Expenditure category									
All items	141.6	1.7	1.1	155.2	1.2	0.5	163.6	2.6	0.5
All items (1967=100)	454.3	-	-	458.4	-	-	473.0	-	-
Food and beverages	140.5	2.0	.3	154.7	3.2	1.3	157.0	2.7	.4
Food	139.9	2.0	.4	153.0	3.3	1.4	156.8	2.8	.4
Food at home	146.1	1.2	.0	159.1	4.2	1.8	158.0	2.9	.4
Cereals and bakery products	157.2	-.3	-.5	170.3	2.9	-.8	179.9	1.7	.1
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	133.6	1.3	1.5	148.3	3.1	2.0	150.1	2.9	.5
Meats, poultry, and fish	135.8	.8	1.3	145.5	2.8	2.2	151.7	2.9	.7
Dairy products	128.1	-.2	.5	155.3	5.4	.1	130.6	-.5	.5
Fruits and vegetables	181.9	4.4	1.4	195.4	9.0	7.2	183.7	8.6	-.1
Other food at home	144.4	.3	-2.4	143.8	1.7	-.6	151.5	.3	.9
Food away from home	129.8	3.3	1.1	144.4	1.9	.8	158.5	2.5	.3
Alcoholic beverages	143.9	2.3	-1.0	170.6	2.3	.5	159.4	2.4	.5
Housing	123.7	1.6	1.2	152.7	1.0	.1	164.2	2.2	-.5
Shelter	136.2	3.6	2.0	161.8	.3	.1	189.5	2.2	-.3
Renters' costs ²	143.0	4.7	4.2	169.3	-.1	.2	194.0	3.3	-1.5
Rent, residential	130.9	2.7	1.1	155.6	-1.1	-.2	174.5	2.8	.3
Other renters' costs	247.6	10.0	13.1	200.5	4.4	1.8	239.5	4.7	-6.5
Homeowners' costs ²	130.6	2.8	.8	171.7	.4	.1	196.7	1.7	.3
Owners' equivalent rent ²	125.2	3.5	1.3	171.7	.4	.1	197.6	1.6	.3
Fuel and other utilities	107.0	-2.8	.7	150.5	4.7	-.7	112.1	1.4	-2.3
Fuels	102.9	-5.9	1.1	151.2	3.6	-1.5	108.9	1.5	-3.5
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities	NA	-	-	117.4	-.1	2.4	92.1	-.4	.1
Fuel oil	NA	-	-	NA	-	-	91.2	-.8	-.2
Other household fuel commodities ³	112.6	2.4	.0	117.4	-.1	2.4	115.7	4.6	3.5
Gas (piped) and electricity (energy services)	103.1	-6.1	1.2	151.7	3.5	-1.6	119.1	2.0	-4.3
Electricity	110.7	-5.5	.8	168.9	4.5	-.1	122.8	3.5	-6.8
Utility (piped) gas	80.3	-9.0	2.3	137.3	1.6	-4.7	112.8	-.9	.7
Household furnishings and operation	110.0	-.4	-.7	121.3	1.2	1.0	132.5	2.9	.5
Apparel and upkeep	138.4	-6.0	3.3	125.9	-5.6	1.7	130.5	2.6	6.0
Apparel commodities	137.9	-6.6	3.8	122.4	-5.8	2.2	126.5	2.6	6.8
Men's and boys' apparel	156.8	-6.9	1.8	119.4	-8.5	3.4	119.0	2.9	7.0
Women's and girls' apparel	142.0	-11.4	-	115.8	-9.3	3.4	124.9	3.2	9.9
Footwear	118.4	-3.8	4.9	117.9	-2.3	-.3	135.7	1.7	-.2
Transportation	137.8	2.1	.9	141.6	-.6	-.3	146.8	2.0	.8
Private transportation	136.3	1.1	.0	138.1	.1	.4	140.8	1.4	.5
Motor fuel	97.0	-4.2	-4.5	100.0	-9.3	-1.3	95.0	-6.3	-3.8
Gasoline	97.2	-4.3	-4.7	99.1	-9.8	-1.4	94.9	-6.5	-3.9
Gasoline, unleaded regular	96.6	-3.5	-5.3	97.1	-10.4	-1.9	93.2	-5.7	-4.0
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ⁴	99.4	-6.3	-5.2	96.9	-8.3	-.1	98.3	-6.5	-3.8
Gasoline, unleaded premium	95.6	-4.7	-3.2	102.6	-9.4	-1.4	97.4	-7.6	-3.6
Public transportation	195.0	15.8	12.9	191.2	-5.3	-4.6	172.3	5.0	2.3
Medical care	219.5	5.3	-.3	223.5	3.2	.5	229.5	4.0	.9
Entertainment	161.8	1.6	.5	142.8	4.5	2.1	160.5	2.4	1.6
Other goods and services	198.5	3.8	3.1	227.7	3.1	.2	217.9	4.8	1.1
Personal care	121.5	-6.3	1.1	160.4	-.1	-.4	165.1	3.6	-.1
Commodity and service group									
All items	141.6	1.7	1.1	155.2	1.2	.5	163.6	2.6	.5
Commodities	133.4	.1	.5	137.7	.8	1.0	142.6	2.1	1.1
Food and beverages	140.5	2.0	.3	154.7	3.2	1.3	157.0	2.7	.4
Commodities less food and beverages	128.9	-1.0	.6	128.7	-1.0	.6	131.0	1.6	1.7
Nondurables less food and beverages	129.1	-1.8	.5	130.1	-2.9	1.0	131.0	1.5	2.3
Durables	128.3	.2	.7	121.6	2.1	.1	131.1	1.9	.8
Services	150.7	3.2	1.7	170.7	1.4	.2	182.4	2.9	.1
Medical care services	219.3	6.2	-.2	226.8	3.1	.6	234.2	4.2	.9
Special indexes									
All items less shelter	143.0	1.1	.8	153.5	1.6	.7	154.1	2.8	.9
All items less medical care	136.9	1.3	1.2	151.5	1.1	.5	160.4	2.5	.4
All items less energy	148.6	2.2	1.4	159.4	1.5	.6	170.4	2.8	.8
All items less food and energy	150.5	2.2	1.5	161.0	1.1	.4	173.8	2.8	.8
Energy	99.7	-5.0	-2.0	117.8	-3.5	-1.4	103.6	-1.1	-3.5
Commodities less food	129.5	-.8	.5	129.1	-.7	.6	132.2	1.6	1.7
Nondurables less food	129.8	-1.4	.5	133.5	-2.3	1.0	132.7	1.6	2.2
Nondurables	135.2	.1	.4	143.1	.4	1.2	145.3	2.2	1.2
Services less rent of shelter ²	164.7	2.7	1.2	189.4	2.7	.3	181.9	3.7	.5
Services less medical care services	142.8	2.7	2.0	166.0	1.3	.1	178.4	2.8	.0

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 2 ¹								
	Phil.- Wilmington- Trenton, PA-NJ-DE-MD			Pittsburgh- Beaver Valley, PA			San Francisco- Oakland- San Jose, CA		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
		Oct. 1994	Aug. 1995		Oct. 1994	Aug. 1995		Oct. 1994	Aug. 1995
Expenditure category	Oct. 1995			Oct. 1995			Oct. 1995		
All items	160.4	2.4	0.5	150.5	2.8	0.3	152.6	2.1	0.7
All items (1967=100)	463.3	-	-	459.2	-	-	469.1	-	-
Food and beverages	149.7	3.3	.4	144.9	3.4	.3	151.8	1.9	1.3
Food	148.5	3.3	.5	143.8	3.7	.3	152.2	2.1	1.5
Food at home	156.1	3.4	.6	143.5	4.7	.9	156.5	3.1	2.5
Cereals and bakery products	179.9	4.7	-1.3	151.6	5.4	-2.6	170.4	4.4	2.5
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	144.9	1.3	2.7	134.9	3.5	1.1	146.0	3.0	.4
Meats, poultry, and fish	146.5	1.4	3.2	137.0	3.1	1.3	141.4	1.9	.6
Dairy products	130.7	2.2	1.0	129.3	2.8	1.7	139.3	-1.1	3.0
Fruits and vegetables	181.5	13.1	-2.4	161.5	10.7	3.1	187.0	8.0	9.5
Other food at home	153.0	-9	1.3	145.3	2.3	1.0	146.6	.3	-1.5
Food away from home	135.6	3.3	.4	144.6	1.3	-9	147.3	.8	.1
Alcoholic beverages	165.8	2.7	-1	158.3	.2	-8	149.5	.5	-6
Housing	160.2	2.0	.1	151.0	2.4	.0	155.6	2.2	.4
Shelter	187.8	2.0	1.3	166.2	3.0	-1	168.1	2.1	.2
Renters' costs ²	208.0	1.5	2.2	162.0	4.2	-3.7	191.1	2.9	.3
Rent, residential	169.2	1.4	.7	147.7	2.8	.6	170.8	1.5	.1
Other renters' costs	277.0	1.5	4.2	185.4	6.8	-10.7	195.5	7.8	.6
Homeowners' costs ²	191.2	2.1	1.1	166.9	2.6	.9	181.6	1.7	.3
Owners' equivalent rent ²	192.0	2.1	1.0	167.3	2.6	1.0	182.7	2.0	.5
Fuel and other utilities	122.5	2.2	-5.2	137.7	-1.0	.6	150.0	3.0	-1
Fuels	111.3	1.0	-8.5	130.8	-4.5	.1	157.4	1.0	.1
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities	87.2	-2	-3.0	108.3	-2.3	1.3	148.4	-3.8	2.3
Fuel oil	81.8	-2	-3.1	80.6	-1.3	3.5	104.4	1.3	12.0
Other household fuel commodities ³	NA	-	-	141.2	-3.0	.0	170.4	-4.2	1.7
Gas (piped) and electricity (energy services)	127.9	1.2	-9.2	132.9	-4.5	.0	157.8	1.1	.0
Electricity	145.5	3.0	-11.1	139.1	1.1	.0	180.9	.1	.0
Utility (piped) gas	103.0	-2.6	-4.4	128.0	-8.9	.1	133.3	3.0	.0
Household furnishings and operation	121.4	2.2	.5	125.0	4.6	-5	116.6	2.5	1.8
Apparel and upkeep	104.4	-3.3	1.5	138.2	3.3	.7	114.6	.8	-1
Apparel commodities	99.3	-4.3	1.5	135.8	3.4	.7	110.1	1.3	.3
Men's and boys' apparel	116.4	8.5	6.0	127.3	3.1	10.0	112.7	1.3	4.4
Women's and girls' apparel	77.4	-12.5	-4.4	140.9	5.9	2.3	90.8	-2.2	7.8
Footwear	110.4	-2	8.0	116.1	1.2	-2	141.2	11.7	5.4
Transportation	150.1	3.0	1.1	128.2	3.4	.2	130.4	2.4	.7
Private transportation	147.8	2.6	1.2	126.7	3.2	-2	125.1	1.7	.7
Motor fuel	101.3	-2.7	-3.8	102.0	3.2	-2.4	107.9	-4.3	-5
Gasoline	100.2	-2.8	-4.0	101.9	3.3	-2.4	106.8	-4.6	-6
Gasoline, unleaded regular	99.0	-2.9	-4.4	98.0	2.7	-2.6	103.6	-4.6	-7
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ⁴	99.6	-3.8	-4.0	109.7	1.9	-2.2	103.5	-4.5	.1
Gasoline, unleaded premium	95.5	-4.8	-4.4	102.0	1.6	-2.3	108.7	-4.8	-5
Public transportation	175.2	7.9	1.0	143.9	7.2	8.9	175.1	6.0	.3
Medical care	235.6	4.2	.4	214.3	1.6	-5	210.1	2.1	.6
Entertainment	168.4	5.7	.6	157.0	1.4	.7	166.4	1.2	1.6
Other goods and services	229.6	2.0	.7	196.4	4.0	1.7	223.9	2.9	1.4
Personal care	191.2	2.2	1.2	123.8	.7	3.4	158.1	1.0	2.8
Commodity and service group									
All items	160.4	2.4	.5	150.5	2.8	.3	152.6	2.1	.7
Commodities	133.5	1.5	.4	137.1	3.1	.2	135.8	1.9	1.1
Food and beverages	149.7	3.3	.4	144.9	3.4	.3	151.8	1.9	1.3
Commodities less food and beverages	123.2	.2	.2	131.9	3.0	.3	124.9	1.8	1.0
Nondurables less food and beverages	121.6	-1.2	-4	133.9	2.6	.1	126.8	1.4	.5
Durables	126.9	2.3	1.3	128.4	3.8	.5	121.6	2.5	1.8
Services	188.8	3.1	.6	165.5	2.5	.2	167.0	2.3	.5
Medical care services	240.4	4.7	.6	215.1	3.0	-7	211.0	2.1	1.0
Special indexes									
All items less shelter	152.5	2.6	.1	146.3	2.7	.3	148.4	2.2	1.0
All items less medical care	156.7	2.3	.4	146.8	2.9	.3	149.9	2.1	.7
All items less energy	167.6	2.6	1.1	154.9	3.2	.4	156.1	2.4	.8
All items less food and energy	172.8	2.5	1.2	158.0	3.1	.4	157.2	2.4	.6
Energy	107.0	-4	-6.9	118.6	-1.2	-1.1	126.9	-1.6	-2
Commodities less food	124.9	.3	.2	133.0	2.9	.2	126.3	1.7	.9
Nondurables less food	124.4	-1.0	-4	135.5	2.4	.1	128.5	1.3	.4
Nondurables	136.0	1.2	.0	139.8	3.0	.3	139.9	1.7	1.0
Services less rent of shelter ²	195.1	4.2	-2	169.8	2.0	.5	173.3	2.4	.5
Services less medical care services	184.6	2.9	.5	160.8	2.4	.4	164.1	2.3	.4

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

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 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 Oct. 1995 from—			Percent change to Sept. 1995 from—		
		July 1995	Aug. 1995	Sept. 1995	Oct. 1995	Oct. 1994	Aug. 1995	Sept. 1995	Sept. 1994	July 1995	Aug. 1995
U.S. city average	M	149.9	150.2	150.6	151.0	2.7	0.5	0.3	2.5	0.5	0.3
Region and area size ²											
Northeast urban	M	156.6	157.1	157.6	157.8	2.4	.4	.1	2.5	.6	.3
Size A - More than 1,200,000	M	156.1	156.7	157.2	157.5	2.4	.5	.2	2.5	.7	.3
Size B - 500,000 to 1,200,000	M	155.3	155.7	155.9	156.4	2.5	.4	.3	2.1	.4	.1
Size C - 50,000 to 500,000	M	159.2	159.8	160.1	160.0	2.6	.1	-.1	2.6	.6	.2
North Central urban	M	145.5	145.6	146.1	146.3	2.9	.5	.1	2.5	.4	.3
Size A - More than 1,200,000	M	145.6	145.8	146.3	146.3	2.7	.3	.0	2.4	.5	.3
Size B - 360,000 to 1,200,000	M	144.1	144.0	144.2	144.6	2.6	.4	.3	2.6	.1	.1
Size C - 50,000 to 360,000	M	147.1	147.3	147.9	148.8	3.0	1.0	.6	2.5	.5	.4
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	M	144.2	144.0	144.5	144.2	3.4	.1	-.2	3.2	.2	.3
South urban	M	147.8	148.3	148.4	149.0	3.0	.5	.4	2.7	.4	.1
Size A - More than 1,200,000	M	147.2	147.6	147.3	148.0	2.6	.3	.5	2.1	.1	-.2
Size B - 450,000 to 1,200,000	M	147.9	148.3	148.7	149.0	2.8	.5	.2	2.6	.5	.3
Size C - 50,000 to 450,000	M	148.5	149.4	149.5	150.4	3.7	.7	.6	3.3	.7	.1
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	M	148.3	148.3	148.9	149.3	3.4	.7	.3	3.6	.4	.4
West urban	M	150.5	150.7	151.0	151.6	2.4	.6	.4	2.2	.3	.2
Size A - More than 1,250,000	M	149.5	149.6	149.9	150.4	1.9	.5	.3	1.8	.3	.2
Size C - 50,000 to 330,000	M	153.7	153.9	154.5	154.8	3.2	.6	.2	3.3	.5	.4
Size classes											
A ³	M	136.9	137.2	137.5	137.8	2.4	.4	.2	2.2	.4	.2
B	M	149.7	150.0	150.3	150.7	2.8	.5	.3	2.6	.4	.2
C	M	150.9	151.5	151.9	152.5	3.2	.7	.4	3.0	.7	.3
D	M	148.4	148.2	148.9	149.2	3.4	.7	.2	3.3	.3	.5
Selected local areas ⁴											
Chicago-Gary-Lake County, IL-IN-WI	M	148.7	148.8	149.0	149.2	3.2	.3	.1	2.5	.2	.1
Los Angeles-Anaheim-Riverside, CA	M	149.3	149.2	149.3	149.9	1.3	.5	.4	1.4	.0	.1
N.Y.-Northern N.J.-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT	M	158.3	158.9	159.5	159.7	2.4	.5	.1	2.6	.8	.4
Phil.-Wilmington-Trenton, PA-NJ-DE-MD	M	158.5	159.2	159.8	159.7	2.3	.3	-.1	2.5	.8	.4
San Francisco-Oakland-San Jose, CA	M	149.3	149.3	150.0	150.2	2.2	.6	.1	2.0	.5	.5
Baltimore, MD	1	150.5	-	150.8	-	-	-	-	2.0	.2	-
Boston-Lawrence-Salem, MA-NH	1	156.6	-	157.4	-	-	-	-	1.7	.5	-
Cleveland-Akron-Lorain, OH	1	140.3	-	141.3	-	-	-	-	1.7	.7	-
Miami-Fort Lauderdale, FL	1	146.5	-	146.9	-	-	-	-	3.1	.3	-
St. Louis-East St. Louis, MO-IL	1	145.2	-	146.5	-	-	-	-	2.4	.9	-
Washington, DC-MD-VA	1	153.5	-	153.5	-	-	-	-	1.3	.0	-
Dallas-Fort Worth, TX	2	-	144.8	-	146.5	2.9	1.2	-	-	-	-
Detroit-Ann Arbor, MI	2	-	144.0	-	145.0	2.8	.7	-	-	-	-
Houston-Galveston-Brazoria, TX	2	-	139.8	-	140.9	1.4	.8	-	-	-	-
Pittsburgh-Beaver Valley, PA	2	-	143.7	-	144.2	2.9	.3	-	-	-	-

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—	
		Oct. 1994	Sept. 1995		Oct. 1994	Sept. 1995		Oct. 1994	Sept. 1995		Oct. 1994	Sept. 1995
Expenditure category	Oct. 1995	Oct. 1994	Sept. 1995	Oct. 1995	Oct. 1994	Sept. 1995	Oct. 1995	Oct. 1994	Sept. 1995	Oct. 1995	Oct. 1994	Sept. 1995
All items	157.8	2.4	0.1	146.3	2.9	0.1	149.0	3.0	0.4	151.6	2.4	0.4
All items (December 1977=100)	246.5	-	-	236.6	-	-	241.3	-	-	243.8	-	-
Food and beverages	153.5	2.5	-1	146.6	3.1	.3	146.7	3.2	.3	150.5	2.7	.5
Food	153.1	2.5	-1	145.8	3.1	.3	146.8	3.3	.3	150.0	3.0	.5
Food at home	154.2	2.7	-1	145.4	3.3	.5	144.9	3.6	.3	152.2	3.7	.8
Cereals and bakery products	174.7	2.3	-2	168.3	2.8	.2	162.9	2.7	.7	169.2	3.2	1.0
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	147.3	2.0	.3	139.2	3.6	1.5	135.0	3.4	1.2	140.1	2.3	.8
Dairy products	127.7	-1	.9	133.5	1.4	.6	130.3	1.3	.0	142.2	2.4	.9
Fruits and vegetables	179.4	8.2	-1.9	164.2	9.0	-2	176.6	9.1	-1.5	186.9	9.0	1.2
Other food at home	149.6	.8	.4	136.5	.7	-2	137.5	1.9	.1	141.4	1.9	.2
Sugar and sweets	147.4	2.6	1.8	135.8	1.7	-2	135.3	2.3	.3	140.4	3.4	.5
Fats and oils	147.4	2.7	.7	133.1	.9	-6	135.2	3.0	1.6	137.5	2.5	.1
Nonalcoholic beverages	140.5	-1.7	-1	126.1	-1.9	-4	125.0	-4	-1.7	130.2	.7	-6
Other prepared food	160.1	2.0	.3	146.7	2.2	-1	151.0	3.1	.9	152.2	2.3	.7
Food away from home	153.4	2.3	.1	147.1	2.7	.2	151.5	2.6	.3	147.0	1.9	.3
Alcoholic beverages	159.0	2.3	-3	156.0	3.0	.4	146.1	2.2	.5	155.5	.8	.5
Housing	157.8	2.1	.0	140.0	3.2	-1	140.9	2.9	.3	149.9	2.4	.1
Shelter	183.4	2.4	.3	156.5	4.1	.3	150.6	3.8	.5	161.1	2.4	.2
Renters' costs ²	167.6	2.9	.3	151.5	3.8	-3	142.9	3.5	.4	151.3	1.9	.1
Rent, residential	170.3	2.4	.2	155.9	3.2	.3	147.2	2.8	.3	159.6	1.3	.1
Other renters' costs	237.7	4.8	.9	183.2	5.8	-1.8	195.2	7.5	.4	206.0	4.7	-1
Homeowners' costs ²	172.1	2.2	.2	156.6	4.3	.4	143.6	4.0	.6	158.0	2.7	.2
Owners' equivalent rent ²	172.9	2.2	.3	156.9	4.3	.4	143.3	4.1	.5	158.1	2.8	.3
Maintenance and repairs	133.8	-	-4	135.0	3.3	.3	136.5	4.0	.4	136.0	5.6	2.5
Maintenance and repair services	NA	-	-	145.2	.6	.0	138.8	4.6	.5	142.3	8.9	5.9
Maintenance and repair commodities	117.3	.8	-1.2	122.3	6.3	.7	133.4	3.3	.4	126.9	2.8	-5
Fuel and other utilities	117.4	.3	-1.1	116.9	1.0	-2.3	131.1	1.4	.4	135.5	2.5	-4
Fuels	107.0	-2	-2.0	101.5	.8	-4.0	117.6	1.5	.3	129.1	.8	-8
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities	83.8	-6	.4	84.1	-2	.5	95.3	1.0	.2	100.5	-2	1.1
Fuel oil	83.0	-7	.2	81.1	.1	-9	83.5	.2	.2	107.8	.8	2.5
Other household fuel commodities ³	110.6	.1	.6	113.2	-4	1.8	125.0	1.3	.2	115.7	-6	.5
Gas (piped) and electricity (energy services)	122.5	-1	-2.5	106.6	.9	-4.1	121.1	1.4	.3	132.1	.8	-8
Electricity	134.0	2.6	-3.8	123.0	6.7	-8.1	126.1	3.5	1.0	148.1	1.9	.1
Utility (piped) gas	105.1	-5.1	.2	90.4	-6.4	2.1	103.3	-7.5	-2.4	113.5	-1.4	-2.8
Other utilities and public services	155.0	2.0	.3	152.0	1.3	.1	157.6	1.4	.3	150.4	4.2	.1
Household furnishings and operation	123.6	2.7	.2	120.8	2.2	.6	123.9	1.9	-3	122.9	2.0	-1
Housefurnishings	108.2	2.1	.3	107.6	.4	.7	114.0	.2	-1.0	111.8	1.1	-2
Housekeeping supplies	146.6	3.5	.5	142.4	4.6	.4	131.4	3.7	1.3	137.6	4.4	.1
Housekeeping services	152.5	4.2	.1	142.5	4.7	.2	153.6	5.6	.1	143.4	2.9	.0
Apparel and upkeep	127.9	.3	1.0	133.3	-5	1.0	144.7	-1	2.3	125.2	-1.4	1.0
Apparel commodities	124.3	.1	1.1	131.8	-7	1.1	141.3	-1	2.5	121.8	-1.4	1.2
Men's and boys' apparel	127.0	1.0	-2	128.3	-5	2.3	134.9	.4	1.0	120.2	-1.7	1.7
Women's and girls' apparel	118.7	.6	4.1	133.6	-1.8	1.1	144.9	-2.9	4.5	115.2	-3.7	2.5
Infants' and toddlers' apparel	120.8	-10.4	-4.2	139.1	2.3	-1.9	143.9	9.2	3.6	118.2	3.6	1.8
Footwear	127.7	-2	-1.7	131.2	2.4	.5	128.7	2.6	2.1	123.9	1.6	2.1
Other apparel commodities	158.5	1.1	-1.1	134.6	-2.8	-5	162.1	1.6	-4	144.5	1.3	-3.9
Apparel services	162.1	2.6	-4	145.7	1.4	.0	167.5	-5	-2	150.0	-2.3	-5
Transportation	141.6	2.5	.4	136.4	2.7	.3	138.7	3.0	.2	139.8	1.6	.4
Private transportation	138.7	2.2	.4	134.2	2.3	.1	137.7	2.8	.1	137.7	1.6	.5
New vehicles	140.4	1.7	.9	141.2	1.8	1.0	144.5	2.0	.5	141.0	2.2	.4
New cars	137.7	1.3	.7	135.9	1.3	1.0	142.9	1.6	.5	136.0	1.6	.1
Used cars	160.3	7.9	.4	160.1	7.4	.4	159.1	6.4	.4	153.2	5.0	.6
Motor fuel	98.8	-2.8	-1.5	96.1	-3.2	-2.6	96.2	-3.2	-1.9	103.2	-4.4	.3
Gasoline	98.6	-2.8	-1.6	95.9	-3.2	-2.8	95.9	-3.4	-2.1	102.8	-4.8	.2
Gasoline, unleaded regular	96.8	-2.6	-1.8	94.2	-3.4	-2.9	92.7	-3.2	-2.3	99.9	-5.7	.1
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ⁴	102.7	-3.0	-1.6	106.2	-3.5	-2.6	102.2	-3.7	-1.9	100.1	-4.5	.5
Gasoline, unleaded premium	99.6	-4.6	-1.5	99.8	-3.4	-2.5	99.6	-3.8	-1.7	105.4	-4.5	.6
Maintenance and repairs	164.6	2.7	.1	145.9	2.5	.6	155.7	3.2	.2	160.1	1.7	-1
Other private transportation	171.8	4.2	1.2	161.2	4.7	1.0	175.5	5.8	.9	164.9	4.2	1.2
Other private transportation commodities	105.0	1.1	-1	104.4	1.9	-4	103.4	2.3	.2	102.6	1.6	.5
Other private transportation services	185.1	4.6	1.4	174.2	5.3	1.2	196.7	6.4	1.0	181.9	4.8	1.3
Public transportation	169.9	5.5	.8	185.9	9.9	3.2	164.6	8.4	2.9	178.8	1.4	-4

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—	
		Oct. 1994	Sept. 1995		Oct. 1994	Sept. 1995		Oct. 1994	Sept. 1995		Oct. 1994	Sept. 1995
Expenditure category	Oct. 1995	Oct. 1994	Sept. 1995	Oct. 1995	Oct. 1994	Sept. 1995	Oct. 1995	Oct. 1994	Sept. 1995	Oct. 1995	Oct. 1994	Sept. 1995
Medical care	229.5	3.8	0.3	217.5	4.0	0.4	222.3	4.9	0.3	220.5	3.7	0.5
Medical care commodities	206.9	2.1	.7	204.8	.4	.8	199.9	1.7	-.1	204.8	2.7	.2
Medical care services	234.3	4.0	.2	220.3	4.8	.3	227.6	5.5	.4	224.2	3.9	.5
Professional medical services	213.2	3.4	.1	199.1	3.8	.1	207.3	5.8	.3	195.4	2.6	.5
Entertainment	160.6	2.4	.1	151.6	3.0	-.2	149.3	2.5	.4	150.1	2.7	.2
Entertainment commodities	142.6	2.5	.0	140.0	.9	.6	135.9	2.0	.3	135.8	2.0	-.3
Entertainment services	185.1	2.3	.2	167.3	5.2	-.9	172.0	3.2	.5	170.5	3.3	.6
Other goods and services	219.0	4.8	.4	202.9	2.7	.1	199.9	4.6	.3	210.9	4.8	.3
Tobacco and smoking products	221.5	3.8	.3	236.6	.8	-.1	216.6	2.6	-.3	246.1	6.8	.6
Personal care	161.3	3.6	.6	142.2	2.4	1.1	141.6	2.1	.6	151.8	.7	.7
Personal and educational expenses	250.7	5.5	.4	223.5	4.5	.0	232.4	6.4	.4	243.2	5.3	.0
Commodity and service group												
All items	157.8	2.4	.1	146.3	2.9	.1	149.0	3.0	.4	151.6	2.4	.4
Commodities	138.9	1.9	.1	135.2	1.7	.3	137.5	2.0	.3	137.0	1.7	.4
Food and beverages	153.5	2.5	-.1	146.6	3.1	.3	146.7	3.2	.3	150.5	2.7	.5
Commodities less food and beverages	128.7	1.5	.4	128.8	.8	.2	132.1	1.3	.3	128.7	1.0	.4
Nondurables less food and beverages	127.3	.9	.3	130.6	-.3	-.1	132.1	.3	.5	129.4	-.1	.6
Apparel commodities	124.3	.1	1.1	131.8	-.7	1.1	141.3	-.1	2.5	121.8	-1.4	1.2
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel	132.2	1.2	-.1	132.7	-.2	-.6	130.8	.6	-.5	135.9	.4	.4
Durables	128.5	2.6	.4	125.3	2.5	.8	130.9	2.5	.2	127.7	2.4	.1
Services	180.6	2.8	.2	160.3	4.0	.0	163.4	4.1	.5	167.4	2.8	.2
Rent of shelter ²	171.2	2.4	.2	155.5	4.2	.3	143.2	3.9	.4	155.4	2.4	.3
Household services less rent of shelter ²	127.9	.9	-1.1	119.3	1.7	-1.8	131.4	1.8	.4	133.8	2.6	-.3
Transportation services	176.9	4.3	1.0	169.0	5.4	1.4	181.3	6.0	1.1	175.7	3.4	.6
Medical care services	234.3	4.0	.2	220.3	4.8	.3	227.6	5.5	.4	224.2	3.9	.5
Other services	210.9	4.4	.2	180.8	4.6	-.3	191.0	4.5	.4	189.8	3.7	.2
Special indexes												
All items less food	158.8	2.4	.2	146.3	2.8	.1	149.3	3.0	.4	151.9	2.2	.3
All items less shelter	150.4	2.5	.1	144.1	2.4	.1	148.9	2.8	.4	148.9	2.3	.4
All items less homeowners' costs ²	145.3	2.5	.1	138.7	2.5	.1	141.1	2.8	.4	142.3	2.2	.4
All items less medical care	154.9	2.4	.2	143.1	2.8	.1	144.8	2.8	.4	148.4	2.3	.3
Commodities less food	129.9	1.5	.3	129.8	.9	.2	132.4	1.3	.3	129.9	.9	.4
Nondurables less food	129.2	1.0	.2	132.1	.0	-.1	132.6	.5	.5	131.2	.0	.6
Nondurables less food and apparel	134.0	1.4	-.1	134.2	.2	-.5	131.2	.7	-.5	136.8	.5	.4
Nondurables	141.0	1.7	.1	138.7	1.4	.1	139.5	1.8	.4	140.5	1.5	.6
Services less rent of shelter ²	163.1	3.3	.0	151.1	3.8	-.3	161.3	4.1	.6	162.5	3.3	.2
Services less medical care services	176.6	2.7	.2	155.2	3.9	-.1	156.7	3.8	.6	163.1	2.8	.2
Energy	102.8	-1.6	-1.9	98.4	-1.2	-3.3	104.7	-.9	-.8	113.2	-2.2	-.3
All items less energy	165.5	2.7	.3	153.4	3.2	.4	155.4	3.4	.5	156.2	2.6	.4
All items less food and energy	169.2	2.9	.4	155.4	3.3	.5	157.5	3.4	.6	157.8	2.6	.3
Commodities less food and energy commodities	141.0	2.2	.6	139.1	1.6	.7	142.2	2.0	.6	137.5	1.8	.4
Energy commodities	95.2	-2.3	-1.1	95.8	-3.1	-2.4	96.5	-3.0	-1.8	104.0	-4.5	.2
Services less energy services	186.7	3.1	.4	167.4	4.2	.4	168.5	4.3	.5	170.3	3.0	.3

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—		
		Oct. 1995	Oct. 1994		Sept. 1995	Oct. 1995		Oct. 1994	Sept. 1995		Oct. 1995	Oct. 1994	Sept. 1995
Expenditure category													
All items	137.8	2.4	0.2	150.7	2.8	0.3	152.5	3.2	0.4	149.2	3.4	0.2	
All items (December 1977=100)	137.8	-	-	243.3	-	-	244.3	-	-	241.1	-	-	
Food and beverages	135.3	2.9	.3	148.8	2.8	.1	147.8	3.3	.3	144.1	2.4	.5	
Food	134.9	3.0	.3	149.0	3.0	.1	147.3	3.4	.3	143.6	2.5	.6	
Food at home	138.0	3.2	.3	150.5	3.3	.0	145.0	3.7	.3	141.1	2.7	.6	
Cereals and bakery products	151.6	2.1	.3	167.9	3.3	-.4	163.5	3.9	1.0	169.6	3.0	1.1	
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	130.4	2.8	.8	142.5	3.3	.8	135.0	3.1	1.4	130.9	2.4	1.4	
Dairy products	129.3	1.6	.7	133.8	.9	.6	126.3	1.3	.2	125.3	.5	.7	
Fruits and vegetables	162.0	9.2	-.2	183.6	8.3	-.9	171.7	9.1	-1.8	163.3	7.1	-.8	
Other food at home	129.7	1.2	.2	141.3	1.0	-.4	142.4	2.1	.3	134.5	1.1	.1	
Sugar and sweets	128.8	3.1	.5	139.4	2.8	.4	136.1	.0	1.3	130.4	3.0	-.8	
Fats and oils	129.9	2.2	.4	137.0	2.8	-.5	138.7	2.6	.9	133.2	1.0	1.9	
Nonalcoholic beverages	122.1	-.7	-.6	127.1	-2.3	-1.7	133.0	.2	-.2	119.0	-2.5	-.7	
Other prepared food	136.7	1.6	.6	156.9	2.5	.3	153.7	4.2	.1	148.0	3.0	.3	
Food away from home	129.9	2.4	.2	147.6	2.4	.3	152.7	2.7	.3	149.1	2.1	.5	
Alcoholic beverages	139.4	2.2	.4	148.0	.7	.1	155.0	3.0	.3	151.8	1.3	-.2	
Housing	132.9	2.2	-.1	147.5	2.8	.1	149.5	3.3	.5	144.1	3.8	-.2	
Shelter	139.7	2.6	.3	163.0	4.0	.4	168.2	3.5	.1	163.8	5.1	.6	
Renters' costs ³	137.0	2.5	.2	162.3	4.2	.3	147.6	3.0	-.3	146.8	3.6	.4	
Rent, residential	131.7	2.1	.2	158.4	2.6	.4	153.6	2.7	.3	152.1	3.5	.2	
Other renters' costs	170.3	4.6	.2	240.8	9.0	.1	182.5	4.3	-3.0	183.5	4.4	1.8	
Homeowners' costs ³	141.3	2.7	.4	157.8	3.9	.5	160.9	3.7	.4	155.7	5.7	.5	
Owners' equivalent rent ³	141.6	2.8	.4	158.1	3.9	.5	161.4	3.8	.4	155.5	5.9	.5	
Maintenance and repairs	120.6	2.9	.2	133.3	.5	.5	148.8	6.1	.0	135.7	-	4.1	
Maintenance and repair services	124.1	1.5	.0	140.7	-	1.1	160.9	5.0	.0	151.9	-	9.2	
Maintenance and repair commodities	116.3	4.7	.3	127.1	-.3	.0	133.1	8.0	.1	115.9	-2.0	-3.1	
Fuel and other utilities	122.7	.9	-1.5	128.6	.1	-.6	129.0	3.1	1.5	121.9	1.1	-2.3	
Fuels	120.8	.1	-3.0	109.4	-1.4	-1.4	116.4	3.9	2.7	103.7	-.5	-4.8	
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities	125.2	-.2	.3	83.6	-1.1	-.1	86.3	-.1	.8	81.7	2.3	1.0	
Fuel oil	126.7	-.4	.1	80.7	-1.2	.1	78.4	-1.6	.8	78.2	4.0	.1	
Other household fuel commodities ²	120.7	.3	1.3	113.5	-.9	-.4	117.1	1.6	.6	114.4	.7	2.0	
Gas (piped) and electricity (energy services)	120.5	.2	-3.1	116.8	-1.4	-1.5	125.8	4.4	2.9	112.4	-.7	-5.2	
Electricity	129.4	3.9	-.4	129.1	.6	-2.0	137.4	8.2	3.2	121.2	-.7	-7.6	
Utility (piped) gas	106.4	-5.4	-.9	94.5	-7.1	.1	104.9	-6.3	1.8	98.5	-.7	2.1	
Other utilities and public services	125.1	2.0	.2	169.0	1.5	.2	155.8	2.0	.1	158.4	2.5	.0	
Household furnishings and operation	116.4	2.0	.2	123.3	1.4	-.4	120.9	3.0	.4	121.2	2.8	.3	
Housefurnishings	107.5	1.0	.2	112.9	-1.1	-.9	108.4	1.7	.0	108.9	1.5	.1	
Housekeeping supplies	132.1	3.7	.1	130.7	4.5	.4	137.9	5.1	2.5	131.3	3.0	.8	
Housekeeping services	131.6	3.3	.2	153.1	6.5	.3	149.4	5.1	-.3	151.7	6.4	.6	
Apparel and upkeep	122.4	-.9	.7	133.2	-.2	2.3	141.8	.7	2.2	139.2	.4	2.7	
Apparel commodities	121.5	-.9	.8	129.8	-.5	2.5	139.6	.6	2.3	137.1	.3	3.0	
Men's and boys' apparel	117.9	-.5	1.4	130.4	3.0	.3	137.3	.6	1.6	122.0	-6.7	1.0	
Women's and girls' apparel	117.9	-2.0	2.2	135.4	-3.6	4.2	138.8	-.5	3.1	145.3	-.6	6.4	
Infants' and toddlers' apparel	110.1	-2.7	-1.6	134.8	6.6	8.1	148.2	.2	-1.3	131.4	27.8	-3.5	
Footwear	125.5	.7	-.1	116.5	.3	-.2	133.2	4.9	3.5	136.5	4.7	1.9	
Other apparel commodities	149.5	.7	-3.0	123.4	.1	.8	164.2	-.2	1.4	154.0	3.7	-.6	
Apparel services	131.2	-.8	-.5	162.2	2.5	.1	165.7	1.0	.1	156.7	2.2	.1	
Transportation	138.2	2.1	.5	138.2	2.7	.1	137.9	3.1	.1	138.7	3.1	.1	
Private transportation	138.1	1.9	.4	136.5	2.5	.0	135.9	2.8	-.1	136.1	2.6	-.1	
New vehicles	124.5	1.9	1.0	141.3	1.7	.6	142.2	2.2	.4	144.3	2.4	.3	
New cars	122.0	1.6	1.0	135.5	1.2	.3	138.7	1.3	.3	139.2	1.5	.0	
Used cars	148.7	7.0	.5	158.9	5.6	.4	157.8	6.5	.4	154.3	6.1	.4	
Motor fuel	143.9	-4.5	-1.4	96.6	-2.3	-1.8	97.4	-2.1	-1.9	96.4	-1.6	-2.1	
Gasoline	143.7	-4.6	-1.4	96.3	-2.4	-2.0	97.5	-2.3	-2.1	96.0	-1.8	-2.2	
Gasoline, unleaded regular	143.2	-4.7	-1.6	93.2	-2.6	-2.4	94.8	-2.4	-2.2	92.2	-1.8	-2.3	
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ⁴	100.9	-4.7	-1.3	101.9	-2.9	-1.5	106.5	-2.7	-1.8	106.5	-1.8	-2.1	
Gasoline, unleaded premium	136.2	-5.3	-1.2	100.0	-2.9	-1.7	101.8	-1.9	-1.5	99.3	-1.3	-2.6	
Maintenance and repairs	139.0	2.3	.2	159.6	2.4	.1	154.5	3.9	.4	142.8	1.9	.2	
Other private transportation	143.4	4.5	1.3	166.6	5.5	.7	169.3	5.2	.6	164.0	4.3	.9	
Other private transportation commodities	107.0	1.3	.3	100.3	.9	-.2	105.0	3.4	-.3	121.9	2.6	.7	
Other private transportation services	152.0	5.0	1.5	183.6	6.3	.8	187.7	5.6	.8	175.0	4.5	.9	
Public transportation	139.1	4.5	.9	188.6	7.2	1.6	201.6	10.5	2.8	212.6	12.6	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—	
		Oct. 1994	Sept. 1995		Oct. 1994	Sept. 1995		Oct. 1994	Sept. 1995		Oct. 1994	Sept. 1995
Expenditure category												
Medical care	176.2	3.8	0.4	220.3	4.3	0.3	226.6	4.7	0.3	216.3	4.7	0.3
Medical care commodities	164.6	1.5	.3	200.0	1.6	.6	199.1	1.0	.5	205.1	3.0	.0
Medical care services	178.8	4.3	.4	224.7	4.8	.2	232.4	5.3	.3	219.1	5.1	.3
Professional medical services	162.2	3.4	.3	198.0	4.5	.2	212.7	5.1	.2	209.0	5.0	.5
Entertainment	136.4	2.7	.1	150.2	3.7	.3	156.6	1.4	-.2	139.1	2.8	-.1
Entertainment commodities	127.8	1.4	.2	136.1	3.5	.4	142.0	.6	-.3	130.9	2.7	-.1
Entertainment services	145.8	3.9	.1	172.9	4.0	.2	180.6	2.2	.1	152.1	2.8	-.1
Other goods and services	168.9	3.8	.2	207.4	4.0	.6	203.6	4.8	.4	203.3	6.2	-.3
Tobacco and smoking products	181.3	2.7	-.1	230.1	3.7	.7	228.3	3.7	.4	212.1	1.7	-1.4
Personal care	132.8	2.2	.7	146.3	2.7	.8	149.4	2.6	.9	134.2	.3	.4
Personal and educational expenses	177.5	4.9	.2	237.7	4.4	.5	228.1	6.2	.3	244.4	11.0	.2
Commodity and service group												
All items	137.8	2.4	.2	150.7	2.8	.3	152.5	3.2	.4	149.2	3.4	.2
Commodities	132.2	1.8	.2	135.9	1.7	.2	137.8	2.3	.3	136.0	2.0	.3
Food and beverages	135.3	2.9	.3	148.8	2.8	.1	147.8	3.3	.3	144.1	2.4	.5
Commodities less food and beverages	130.1	.9	.2	128.5	1.0	.3	131.9	1.8	.4	131.2	1.8	.3
Nondurables less food and beverages	136.6	-.3	.1	128.1	.5	.5	132.0	.8	.5	130.0	.9	.2
Apparel commodities	121.5	-.9	.8	129.8	-.5	2.5	139.6	.6	2.3	137.1	.3	3.0
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel	145.4	.0	-.2	130.1	1.1	-.4	131.5	1.0	-.2	128.8	1.1	-.8
Durables	121.7	2.5	.5	127.6	1.7	.2	130.0	2.8	.2	130.4	3.1	.2
Services	143.0	3.0	.1	168.7	3.8	.3	171.8	4.1	.5	166.8	4.7	.1
Rent of shelter ³	140.0	2.6	.3	159.4	4.0	.4	157.3	3.5	.1	153.0	5.2	.5
Household services less rent of shelter ³	124.0	1.3	-1.3	131.8	.9	-.5	130.0	3.4	1.2	126.0	1.9	-1.8
Transportation services	146.4	4.4	1.1	177.7	5.5	.7	179.6	5.8	1.0	171.6	5.0	1.2
Medical care services	178.8	4.3	.4	224.7	4.8	.2	232.4	5.3	.3	219.1	5.1	.3
Other services	158.5	3.9	.1	194.8	4.2	.4	191.8	4.3	.2	189.7	7.5	.1
Special indexes												
All items less food	138.4	2.2	.1	151.0	2.7	.3	153.5	3.2	.5	150.3	3.6	.1
All items less shelter	137.1	2.2	.1	147.7	2.4	.2	148.3	3.1	.5	145.8	2.9	.1
All items less homeowners' costs ³	137.1	2.3	.2	142.0	2.5	.2	141.5	3.1	.4	139.0	3.0	.1
All items less medical care	136.0	2.3	.2	147.3	2.7	.3	148.8	3.2	.5	145.2	3.3	.2
Commodities less food	130.7	.9	.3	129.2	1.0	.4	132.7	1.8	.4	131.8	1.8	.2
Nondurables less food	136.9	.0	.2	129.1	.6	.5	133.2	1.1	.5	131.1	.9	.2
Nondurables less food and apparel	144.5	.3	-.1	130.8	1.0	-.4	132.8	1.2	-.2	130.1	1.1	-.8
Nondurables	135.9	1.4	.2	138.6	1.8	.3	139.9	2.1	.4	137.3	1.6	.4
Services less rent of shelter ³	146.2	3.4	.1	161.3	3.6	.1	161.3	4.6	.7	156.4	4.4	-.3
Services less medical care services	140.3	2.9	.1	163.6	3.7	.3	166.0	3.9	.5	160.8	4.7	.0
Energy	131.3	-2.2	-2.1	101.9	-1.7	-1.5	105.5	1.1	.6	99.3	-1.0	-3.5
All items less energy	138.3	2.7	.4	157.5	3.1	.4	159.5	3.4	.4	156.4	3.9	.5
All items less food and energy	139.2	2.7	.4	159.8	3.2	.5	162.7	3.5	.5	159.8	4.2	.6
Commodities less food and energy commodities	129.0	1.7	.5	138.3	1.5	.7	142.9	2.4	.7	141.5	2.2	.6
Energy commodities	142.4	-4.2	-1.2	95.3	-2.3	-1.7	96.7	-1.9	-1.6	95.0	-1.3	-2.0
Services less energy services	144.8	3.2	.4	174.7	4.2	.4	177.5	4.0	.3	173.7	5.2	.5

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.

- 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—	
		Oct. 1994	Sept. 1995		Oct. 1994	Sept. 1995		Oct. 1994	Sept. 1995
Expenditure category	Oct. 1995	Oct. 1994	Sept. 1995	Oct. 1995	Oct. 1994	Sept. 1995	Oct. 1995	Oct. 1994	Sept. 1995
All items	157.5	2.4	0.2	156.4	2.5	0.3	160.0	2.6	-0.1
All items (December 1977=100)	240.6	-	-	249.5	-	-	266.1	-	-
Food and beverages	153.5	2.7	-1	155.6	1.6	-6	151.7	2.9	.7
Food	163.1	2.8	.0	155.5	1.7	-6	151.0	2.8	.7
Food at home	154.4	2.9	-1	158.9	1.3	-1.2	148.0	3.4	1.0
Cereals and bakery products	178.1	2.1	-3	166.6	.9	-8	175.1	3.1	1.0
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	146.4	2.3	.1	154.4	.1	-5	147.8	4.2	2.8
Dairy products	129.2	.2	1.2	131.3	-5	.6	115.0	-5	.9
Fruits and vegetables	181.1	9.0	-1.6	163.4	7.5	-3.2	166.5	6.3	-2.6
Other food at home	148.4	.6	.7	160.7	-1	-1.7	141.3	2.2	1.4
Food away from home	152.6	2.3	.1	153.4	2.4	.3	158.3	1.8	.3
Alcoholic beverages	159.5	2.5	-3	159.2	1.0	.0	158.9	4.1	.0
Housing	155.5	2.0	.0	157.3	2.7	.3	165.4	2.0	-1
Shelter	177.9	2.1	.3	183.1	4.1	.4	202.9	2.5	-3
Renters' costs ¹	166.1	2.8	.5	185.4	4.5	.4	154.8	1.8	-8
Rent, residential	170.7	2.7	.2	164.9	1.5	.1	168.0	1.6	.0
Other renters' costs	233.6	3.1	1.6	266.3	8.4	.7	177.2	3.8	-5.7
Homeowners' costs ²	168.2	1.8	.3	172.9	4.0	.5	184.6	2.7	-1
Owners' equivalent rent ³	168.9	1.7	.3	173.4	3.8	.5	185.4	2.7	-1
Fuel and other utilities	116.1	1.0	-1.8	126.4	-1	.3	111.9	-3	.0
Fuels	109.3	.2	-3.2	109.6	-5	.3	92.4	-2.1	.1
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities	89.5	.0	.1	77.7	-1.9	.1	74.6	-1.8	1.2
Fuel oil	87.8	-5	-1	76.9	-1.9	.3	74.7	-2.0	1.6
Other household fuel commodities ³	124.3	3.2	1.6	104.2	-2.2	.0	95.3	-1.4	.0
Gas (piped) and electricity (energy services)	122.1	.3	-3.7	131.0	-2	.3	110.2	-2.2	-3
Electricity	132.0	3.0	-6.0	146.8	3.0	.6	118.2	.3	.0
Utility (piped) gas	108.5	-3.9	.5	101.4	-8.6	-5	94.2	-9.5	-1.3
Household furnishings and operation	126.3	3.5	.5	118.9	.0	-8	116.4	3.3	1.3
Apparel and upkeep	123.9	1.4	.7	131.8	-2.7	4.0	140.0	-6	-1.5
Apparel commodities	119.3	1.1	.8	129.6	-2.9	4.3	137.5	-7	-1.6
Men's and boys' apparel	119.0	5.5	.8	144.5	-7	-8	147.4	-6.6	-4.7
Women's and girls' apparel	110.9	.2	3.3	133.7	-1.4	13.4	133.3	4.4	-2.2
Footwear	128.2	.4	-2.4	119.6	-5.1	-6.9	135.1	3.1	5.5
Transportation	144.2	2.2	.5	138.1	3.1	.4	135.5	3.4	-4
Private transportation	141.0	1.9	.4	136.6	2.9	.4	132.2	2.9	-3
Motor fuel	97.9	-3.6	-1.4	100.1	-8	-1.2	98.5	-1.9	-2.1
Gasoline	97.5	-3.8	-1.5	100.2	-7	-1.2	98.5	-2.0	-2.3
Gasoline, unleaded regular	95.7	-3.2	-1.6	97.4	-1.5	-1.4	97.8	-1.9	-2.5
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ⁴	100.7	-4.2	-1.6	106.5	-2	-8	106.1	-2.2	-2.3
Gasoline, unleaded premium	98.4	-5.8	-1.5	102.5	-1.3	-9	101.6	-2.7	-2.3
Public transportation	163.9	4.6	.7	173.9	5.5	.5	227.1	13.0	-1
Medical care	230.7	4.0	.4	230.3	4.0	.1	221.7	2.9	-1
Entertainment	162.8	2.8	.3	151.7	2.8	.1	161.5	-1	-1.0
Other goods and services	217.8	4.0	.1	213.8	5.1	1.1	222.1	5.4	.2
Personal care	165.0	3.3	.9	152.2	7.7	.0	148.9	2.2	-3
Commodity and service group									
All items	157.5	2.4	.2	156.4	2.5	.3	160.0	2.6	-1
Commodities	139.1	2.1	.1	137.2	1.4	.2	139.4	2.1	.0
Food and beverages	153.5	2.7	-1	155.6	1.6	-6	151.7	2.9	.7
Commodities less food and beverages	128.4	1.5	.3	125.6	1.2	1.0	131.2	1.5	-5
Nondurables less food and beverages	126.9	1.0	.2	125.1	.6	1.5	130.2	.5	-8
Durables	129.1	2.7	.6	124.2	2.1	.2	128.9	3.0	.1
Services	178.1	2.7	.2	182.4	3.5	.4	187.8	2.9	-1
Medical care services	235.6	4.4	.3	235.8	4.0	-1	226.1	3.2	.1
Special indexes									
All items less shelter	151.1	2.5	.1	149.3	1.9	.3	147.6	2.6	.1
All items less medical care	154.4	2.3	.1	153.4	2.4	.3	157.2	2.5	-1
All items less energy	164.6	2.7	.4	164.2	2.8	.4	169.8	3.0	.1
All items less food and energy	167.9	2.8	.5	166.8	3.0	.7	174.9	2.9	-2
Energy	104.1	-1.9	-2.4	104.9	-7	-4	93.6	-2.0	-8
Commodities less food	129.8	1.6	.3	126.8	1.1	.8	132.6	1.7	-5
Nondurables less food	128.9	1.0	.2	126.9	.6	1.2	132.0	.8	-8
Nondurables	141.2	1.9	.1	140.7	1.2	.3	140.9	1.9	.0
Services less rent of shelter ²	162.1	3.2	-1	166.2	3.0	.4	162.5	3.5	.2
Services less medical care services	173.9	2.5	.1	178.2	3.5	.5	184.7	2.9	-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	North Central											
	Size class A			Size class B			Size class C			Size class D		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
	Oct. 1995	Oct. 1994	Sept. 1995	Oct. 1995	Oct. 1994	Sept. 1995	Oct. 1995	Oct. 1994	Sept. 1995	Oct. 1995	Oct. 1994	Sept. 1995
	Expenditure category											
All items	146.3	2.7	0.0	144.6	2.6	0.3	148.8	3.0	0.6	144.2	3.4	-0.2
All items (December 1977=100)	239.2	-	-	232.9	-	-	233.9	-	-	233.6	-	-
Food and beverages	148.6	3.0	.4	143.9	3.4	.8	146.1	3.4	.2	140.4	2.6	.1
Food	147.8	3.0	.4	144.3	3.6	.8	144.8	3.4	.1	139.4	2.6	.1
Food at home	148.1	3.1	.5	145.7	4.1	1.2	143.3	3.7	.1	136.1	3.0	.0
Cereals and bakery products	169.5	2.4	.1	174.7	3.6	-.4	164.2	3.7	.7	162.6	2.7	.3
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	144.2	3.4	1.5	136.1	5.8	1.9	131.8	3.2	1.3	131.4	2.7	1.5
Dairy products	136.7	1.3	.0	139.5	2.6	2.3	127.7	1.1	.6	125.3	1.9	1.8
Fruits and vegetables	167.2	8.6	.1	156.4	9.8	1.8	169.1	11.0	-1.6	149.4	7.0	-1.6
Other food at home	136.4	.4	.0	139.7	.3	.6	140.0	1.0	-.6	127.0	1.7	-1.9
Food away from home	147.8	2.9	.2	142.1	2.7	.1	148.6	2.8	.3	146.1	1.7	.6
Alcoholic beverages	157.2	2.9	.4	139.2	1.4	.3	162.4	4.2	.8	155.8	3.2	-.1
Housing	138.5	3.3	-.4	138.9	2.4	.3	146.2	2.9	.4	137.9	4.9	-1.1
Shelter	155.4	4.3	.2	158.9	3.4	.6	162.3	3.6	.1	150.4	5.8	.5
Renters' costs ²	151.0	3.7	-.2	160.5	4.4	.6	155.0	3.5	-1.5	139.0	4.3	.3
Rent, residential	158.5	3.5	.3	161.1	1.5	.3	152.8	3.2	.3	141.9	3.9	.2
Other renters' costs	175.5	4.7	-1.7	207.0	10.3	1.0	196.7	4.6	-5.3	159.1	7.0	.6
Homeowners' costs ²	155.7	4.5	.4	159.7	3.0	.6	162.3	3.6	.6	149.1	6.5	.5
Owners' equivalent rent ²	155.7	4.4	.3	160.3	3.1	.6	163.1	3.6	.6	149.3	6.5	.5
Fuel and other utilities	113.5	1.2	-3.0	110.6	-.6	-.8	124.8	.0	.8	125.9	4.1	-5.6
Fuels	100.1	2.6	-5.4	95.2	-2.3	-1.4	111.0	-1.5	1.3	99.7	2.8	-11.0
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities	85.0	-1.4	1.6	81.0	-2.1	.2	85.3	1.1	-.5	84.1	3.6	.0
Fuel oil	82.6	-1.2	.1	83.6	-1.6	-.7	77.2	-.6	-2.5	80.7	8.0	.1
Other household fuel commodities ³	109.3	-1.5	2.9	110.5	-2.2	.9	117.1	2.8	1.6	124.3	-1.3	-.2
Gas (piped) and electricity (energy services)	103.2	2.7	-5.6	100.8	-2.2	-1.5	120.5	-1.6	1.4	107.1	2.8	-11.5
Electricity	121.9	11.5	-10.4	124.0	2.6	-2.6	134.8	2.7	-.2	107.5	1.2	-20.7
Utility (piped) gas	86.2	-7.0	1.8	79.7	-9.1	.3	101.9	-8.9	4.7	109.1	4.7	2.4
Household furnishings and operation	116.0	1.2	.4	121.0	1.8	.4	132.0	4.2	1.2	124.5	3.2	.5
Apparel and upkeep	131.8	-1.7	-.1	131.3	-1.0	.1	134.4	2.4	4.3	143.1	1.4	1.9
Apparel commodities	130.9	-1.8	.0	128.9	-1.2	.1	131.2	2.3	4.6	142.8	1.3	2.1
Men's and boys' apparel	128.3	-1.8	2.6	121.0	-3.4	-.2	128.8	4.2	4.1	135.3	3.0	.7
Women's and girls' apparel	128.2	-2.4	-.7	145.0	-1.8	-.1	137.7	2.4	5.8	141.6	-6.7	4.3
Footwear	129.3	.4	-.2	103.7	2.7	-.4	128.0	2.2	4.2	169.9	14.1	-.7
Transportation	136.8	2.5	.4	136.3	2.4	-.4	135.7	2.9	.2	135.1	3.0	.3
Private transportation	135.0	2.1	.3	134.0	2.1	-.6	133.8	2.8	.1	130.5	2.1	.0
Motor fuel	97.4	-3.4	-2.4	94.8	-4.0	-5.6	95.2	-2.3	-1.8	93.3	-3.5	-1.7
Gasoline	97.1	-3.3	-2.6	94.9	-4.1	-5.9	95.2	-2.3	-1.8	92.4	-4.0	-1.8
Gasoline, unleaded regular	95.8	-3.5	-2.7	91.3	-4.7	-6.5	93.5	-2.0	-1.7	89.8	-3.6	-1.3
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ⁴	105.7	-3.5	-2.8	105.0	-2.8	-4.1	106.9	-3.8	-2.0	107.7	-4.4	-2.1
Gasoline, unleaded premium	99.5	-3.5	-2.3	101.0	-3.8	-5.8	96.9	-1.8	-.7	94.5	-4.4	-2.4
Public transportation	166.7	9.4	2.3	237.5	12.7	5.2	211.0	4.8	4.6	310.0	20.4	5.9
Medical care	217.5	3.8	.4	212.3	4.3	.5	228.3	4.2	.5	209.1	4.4	.0
Entertainment	153.3	2.7	-.6	142.8	4.8	-.1	159.0	2.0	.6	142.2	3.3	.2
Other goods and services	207.2	2.7	-.1	206.5	3.0	.5	195.2	3.9	.8	180.9	-.3	.3
Personal care	136.4	2.2	.8	153.8	1.3	1.4	159.4	3.4	1.8	129.3	2.9	1.5
Commodity and service group												
All items	146.3	2.7	.0	144.8	2.6	.3	148.8	3.0	.6	144.2	3.4	-.2
Commodities	135.7	1.5	.1	132.0	1.3	.1	135.9	2.6	.7	135.5	1.7	.2
Food and beverages	148.6	3.0	.4	143.9	3.4	.8	146.1	3.4	.2	140.4	2.6	.1
Commodities less food and beverages	128.3	.5	.1	125.7	.0	-.3	130.3	2.0	1.1	132.9	1.2	.3
Nondurables less food and beverages	132.0	-.8	-.5	125.7	-1.0	-1.0	129.5	1.4	1.4	132.7	-.4	.3
Durables	123.2	2.4	1.0	124.7	1.4	.6	129.4	3.1	.6	129.1	3.7	.3
Services	159.3	4.0	-.1	160.1	3.8	.4	166.3	3.5	.4	155.8	5.1	-.6
Medical care services	220.0	4.8	.3	213.9	4.9	.6	235.0	4.6	.5	209.6	5.1	.0
Special indexes												
All items less shelter	144.5	2.3	.0	141.6	2.4	.1	145.6	2.9	.8	143.1	2.8	-.4
All items less medical care	143.2	2.7	.0	141.4	2.5	.2	145.5	3.0	.6	140.6	3.4	-.2
All items less energy	153.2	3.0	.3	152.9	3.2	.6	156.1	3.6	.6	150.9	3.9	.5
All items less food and energy	154.6	3.1	.3	155.1	3.1	.6	159.2	3.6	.8	153.8	4.1	.6
Energy	98.8	-.6	-3.8	93.6	-3.0	-3.4	101.9	-1.8	-.2	96.5	-.4	-6.8
Commodities less food	129.4	.6	.1	126.1	.1	-.3	131.5	2.3	1.1	133.7	1.4	.3
Nondurables less food	133.6	-.4	-.4	126.3	-.9	-.9	131.3	1.6	1.3	134.2	-.1	.3
Nondurables	140.6	1.2	-.1	134.8	1.2	-.1	137.6	2.5	.8	137.1	1.1	.2
Services less rent of shelter ²	151.4	3.8	-.5	150.6	4.2	.2	153.1	3.4	.7	147.2	4.6	-1.4
Services less medical care services	154.3	3.9	-.2	155.4	3.7	.3	160.9	3.4	.4	150.0	5.1	-.7

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—	
		Oct. 1994	Sept. 1995		Oct. 1994	Sept. 1995		Oct. 1994	Sept. 1995		Oct. 1994	Sept. 1995
	Oct. 1995	Oct. 1994	Sept. 1995	Oct. 1995	Oct. 1994	Sept. 1995	Oct. 1995	Oct. 1994	Sept. 1995	Oct. 1995	Oct. 1994	Sept. 1995
Expenditure category												
All items	148.0	2.6	0.5	149.0	2.8	0.2	150.4	3.7	0.6	149.3	3.4	0.3
All items (December 1977 = 100)	239.7	-	-	241.5	-	-	243.4	-	-	241.8	-	-
Food and beverages	147.1	3.1	.1	148.0	3.4	.3	147.5	3.6	.2	142.3	2.3	.8
Food	147.2	3.0	.1	148.1	3.7	.4	147.4	3.7	.2	142.4	2.4	.8
Food at home	145.8	3.2	-.1	146.8	4.5	.4	145.1	4.1	.3	139.0	2.4	.9
Cereals and bakery products	159.8	-.6	.1	165.2	5.6	.4	158.7	4.8	.6	173.5	1.9	2.5
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	135.9	3.3	1.3	136.8	4.1	1.0	132.5	3.2	1.2	133.3	2.7	1.7
Dairy products	135.9	1.3	.1	128.9	.7	-.5	131.2	2.1	.1	119.6	1.1	.3
Fruits and vegetables	177.0	9.4	-1.4	194.1	9.9	.2	170.1	9.0	-2.5	157.4	7.4	-2.9
Other food at home	137.3	1.6	-1.2	133.2	2.0	.1	147.3	2.8	.7	128.2	-.2	1.6
Food away from home	151.0	2.9	.5	151.2	2.4	.3	153.4	2.7	.1	151.4	2.4	.5
Alcoholic beverages	145.5	3.2	.7	147.0	.8	.5	149.7	2.5	.3	140.4	1.2	.1
Housing	138.7	2.4	.4	141.9	2.5	-.1	141.7	4.1	.9	143.3	3.3	.3
Shelter	149.0	3.8	.7	147.2	3.5	.3	150.7	3.6	.3	165.8	5.2	.7
Renters' costs ²	140.8	3.5	.5	152.2	4.2	.1	136.2	2.7	.4	144.2	3.4	.4
Rent, residential	148.4	2.8	.3	147.8	2.7	.3	142.1	2.5	.5	149.2	3.5	.3
Other renters' costs	178.1	8.5	1.8	249.6	9.7	-1.0	167.1	4.6	.2	184.2	3.1	.8
Homeowners' costs ²	143.6	3.9	.8	144.1	3.3	.4	140.2	3.9	.4	152.4	5.8	.8
Owners' equivalent rent ²	143.4	4.1	.6	144.2	3.4	.4	139.7	4.0	.4	151.2	6.0	.8
Fuel and other utilities	118.4	-1.1	-.2	140.3	.2	-1.0	142.0	6.5	2.8	120.9	-.7	-.8
Fuels	108.3	-3.3	-.9	115.6	-1.5	-2.4	137.6	11.6	5.4	105.8	-1.9	-1.7
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities	88.5	-.2	.0	98.2	.1	-.6	115.7	3.0	.2	85.0	2.0	2.5
Fuel oil	83.7	.5	.5	85.4	.1	.0	74.2	1.5	.0	81.1	.0	.5
Other household fuel commodities ³	121.2	-1.0	-.5	125.4	.1	-.9	139.9	3.2	.2	107.8	3.1	3.7
Gas (piped) and electricity (energy services)	112.2	-3.4	-1.0	116.7	-1.8	-2.8	140.0	11.9	5.5	111.2	-2.2	-2.0
Electricity	116.9	-.9	.7	120.2	-.8	-3.2	146.8	15.0	6.5	115.8	-1.8	-2.4
Utility (piped) gas	96.3	-11.0	-6.4	105.1	-6.2	.9	120.7	-2.8	.8	91.8	-6.2	3.4
Household furnishings and operation	128.7	1.3	-.3	129.9	2.2	-.6	114.4	1.8	-.5	116.4	3.6	.8
Apparel and upkeep	147.4	-1.1	1.5	140.7	1.4	2.5	148.8	-1.0	2.6	138.3	2.1	4.1
Apparel commodities	143.3	-.8	1.8	136.6	1.2	2.8	147.3	-1.1	2.9	134.7	2.0	4.5
Men's and boys' apparel	140.2	-2.3	.1	134.6	8.9	1.0	135.5	-1.5	2.5	115.5	-5.8	1.4
Women's and girls' apparel	146.3	-.7	4.7	140.3	-5.6	1.9	143.9	-5.6	4.5	156.5	2.1	10.6
Footwear	131.0	-1.9	1.0	125.1	2.0	2.5	138.0	9.5	2.9	108.5	8.7	3.6
Transportation	138.8	2.5	.5	138.1	2.5	-.1	139.1	3.8	.1	139.2	3.3	-.2
Private transportation	138.4	2.4	.5	137.1	2.3	-.2	137.7	3.5	.0	138.1	3.2	-.3
Motor fuel	98.2	-5.3	-1.8	95.4	-2.8	-1.2	97.2	-1.8	-2.5	90.6	-.4	-3.1
Gasoline	97.6	-5.5	-1.8	94.9	-3.0	-1.4	97.8	-2.0	-2.8	90.0	-.8	-3.4
Gasoline, unleaded regular	95.0	-5.3	-2.2	91.9	-2.2	-1.5	93.4	-2.3	-3.1	85.7	-.5	-3.8
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ⁴	99.5	-6.0	-1.9	100.0	-3.5	-1.5	106.2	-2.3	-2.3	107.5	-.4	-2.7
Gasoline, unleaded premium	100.2	-5.6	-1.2	97.9	-3.8	-1.2	103.0	-1.2	-2.3	96.8	-1.4	-3.0
Public transportation	145.8	5.1	2.5	174.2	8.1	2.3	195.4	15.1	3.3	174.0	9.3	4.6
Medical care	224.1	4.5	.4	216.4	4.3	.2	226.7	5.9	.3	220.9	4.7	.2
Entertainment	155.9	2.4	.7	149.3	3.6	.7	147.6	1.4	-.2	138.8	3.4	.1
Other goods and services	194.1	4.2	.5	210.5	3.8	.4	199.3	5.1	.6	196.7	6.5	-1.6
Personal care	143.7	2.9	.8	148.2	2.6	.3	140.3	2.3	1.1	125.4	-2.9	-.2
Commodity and service group												
All items	148.0	2.6	.5	149.0	2.8	.2	150.4	3.7	.6	149.3	3.4	.3
Commodities	137.8	1.6	.3	137.3	2.1	.3	138.9	2.4	.3	134.2	2.1	.4
Food and beverages	147.1	3.1	.1	148.0	3.4	.3	147.5	3.6	.2	142.3	2.3	.8
Commodities less food and beverages	132.3	.7	.3	131.5	1.2	.3	133.5	1.7	.4	129.5	2.0	.2
Nondurables less food and beverages	132.5	-.6	.4	132.1	1.1	.5	133.9	.5	.6	127.5	1.4	-.1
Durables	131.7	2.4	.2	129.0	1.4	.0	132.4	3.3	.1	130.0	3.0	.4
Services	160.4	3.5	.6	163.0	3.6	.1	165.2	5.0	.9	169.5	4.6	.3
Medical care services	229.2	4.9	.7	222.1	5.2	.1	232.6	6.9	.3	223.7	4.7	.4
Special indexes												
All items less shelter	148.1	2.2	.3	150.3	2.7	.2	150.3	3.8	.7	145.6	3.0	.3
All items less medical care	144.2	2.5	.5	145.3	2.8	.2	145.8	3.6	.6	144.1	3.3	.3
All items less energy	154.7	3.2	.6	155.1	3.3	.4	156.2	3.6	.5	157.1	3.8	.6
All items less food and energy	156.6	3.2	.8	156.9	3.2	.4	158.4	3.5	.5	161.0	4.2	.5
Energy	102.2	-4.3	-1.4	102.6	-2.2	-1.9	114.4	5.2	1.8	96.0	-1.2	-2.3
Commodities less food	132.7	.8	.3	131.9	1.2	.3	134.0	1.7	.4	129.7	2.0	.2
Nondurables less food	133.0	-.2	.5	132.7	1.1	.5	134.5	.5	.5	127.8	1.3	.0
Nondurables	139.9	1.4	.3	140.2	2.3	.4	140.8	2.0	.4	134.9	1.9	.4
Services less rent of shelter ²	157.9	3.1	.7	162.8	3.6	-.1	165.2	6.0	1.2	159.7	4.1	.0
Services less medical care services	154.2	3.3	.6	157.1	3.5	.1	157.5	4.7	.9	161.6	4.6	.2

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—	
		Oct. 1994	Sept. 1995		Oct. 1994	Sept. 1995
Expenditure category	Oct. 1995	Oct. 1994	Sept. 1995	Oct. 1995	Oct. 1994	Sept. 1995
All items	150.4	1.9	0.3	154.8	3.2	0.2
All items (December 1977 = 100)	243.5	-	-	238.7	-	-
Food and beverages	151.7	2.8	.7	147.5	2.9	.3
Food	151.0	3.1	.7	147.6	3.2	.3
Food at home	153.2	3.9	1.0	144.8	3.1	.3
Cereals and bakery products	172.2	3.7	1.2	159.4	3.2	3.2
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	141.1	2.0	.4	132.2	.3	.1
Dairy products	146.0	3.0	1.0	128.6	2.0	-.8
Fruits and vegetables	184.4	10.1	2.0	187.7	8.5	.4
Other food at home	141.9	2.0	.6	134.7	2.7	-.7
Food away from home	147.7	1.7	.3	152.4	3.3	.4
Alcoholic beverages	157.9	.8	.7	151.1	1.0	.4
Housing	148.4	1.6	-.1	154.0	4.2	.3
Shelter	156.9	1.3	.1	172.3	4.7	.5
Renters' costs ²	152.3	1.2	.1	150.7	3.9	.1
Rent, residential	162.3	.5	.1	157.4	4.0	.4
Other renters' costs	205.0	4.8	-.2	196.6	3.9	-1.5
Homeowners' costs ²	155.5	1.4	.1	173.3	5.1	.7
Owners' equivalent rent ²	155.5	1.4	.1	174.2	5.2	.7
Fuel and other utilities	139.7	3.1	-.5	127.2	3.0	-.2
Fuels	136.0	1.6	-1.1	110.7	.8	-.3
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities ⁵	98.9	-.5	.8	252.2	.2	2.6
Fuel oil ⁵	92.4	1.1	2.6	313.7	-	2.3
Other household fuel commodities ⁵	133.3	-1.5	-.4	110.3	.7	2.6
Gas (piped) and electricity (energy services)	138.4	1.6	-1.1	109.6	.8	-.5
Electricity	154.8	2.7	.1	122.2	1.1	.7
Utility (piped) gas	121.1	-.8	-3.8	96.0	.3	-2.3
Household furnishings and operation	125.3	2.0	-.1	118.8	3.0	-.3
Apparel and upkeep	123.5	-.2	.9	138.8	3.7	.4
Apparel commodities	119.7	-.2	1.2	137.7	3.8	.4
Men's and boys' apparel	118.6	-.3	1.9	143.1	7.8	2.1
Women's and girls' apparel	108.9	-.5	2.5	135.1	2.9	-.8
Footwear	127.7	4.2	2.4	129.0	-2.0	1.1
Transportation	139.3	1.3	.5	138.5	1.2	.3
Private transportation	137.1	1.4	.6	137.1	1.0	.2
Motor fuel	103.1	-.5	.4	101.5	-3.1	-.3
Gasoline	102.8	-.6	.4	100.6	-3.5	-.5
Gasoline, unleaded regular	99.9	-.8	.2	96.8	-4.6	-1.2
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ⁴	98.9	-.5	.6	107.2	-2.1	.3
Gasoline, unleaded premium	106.9	-.5	.6	101.8	-3.0	.5
Public transportation	180.1	-.1	-.8	171.8	8.3	2.0
Medical care	217.7	3.1	.4	230.9	3.6	.2
Entertainment	148.7	2.8	.5	163.1	1.7	-.7
Other goods and services	215.1	4.5	.4	209.2	4.7	-.1
Personal care	159.5	.8	.7	149.1	1.8	-.3
Commodity and service group						
All items	150.4	1.9	.3	154.8	3.2	.2
Commodities	136.5	1.6	.5	136.8	1.9	.1
Food and beverages	151.7	2.8	.7	147.5	2.9	.3
Commodities less food and beverages	127.2	.6	.4	130.6	1.4	.1
Nondurables less food and beverages	128.3	-.9	.7	135.6	1.6	.2
Durables	126.2	2.5	.0	124.5	1.2	-.1
Services	165.0	2.2	.2	176.5	4.3	.3
Medical care services	220.9	3.2	.5	237.0	4.2	.1
Special indexes						
All items less shelter	149.1	2.1	.5	149.7	2.7	.1
All items less medical care	147.6	1.9	.3	150.7	3.1	.2
All items less energy	154.8	2.2	.4	160.7	3.5	.2
All items less food and energy	155.8	2.0	.3	163.7	3.6	.2
Energy	114.0	-2.6	-.3	105.4	-1.4	-.3
Commodities less food	128.7	.6	.5	131.3	1.4	.1
Nondurables less food	130.5	-.6	.7	135.6	1.4	.1
Nondurables	140.5	1.2	.7	142.0	2.3	.3
Services less rent of shelter ²	162.3	3.2	.2	164.6	3.9	.1
Services less medical care services	161.1	2.0	.1	170.4	4.3	.4

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.

- 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, October 1995						
U.S. city average	148.9	168.8	140.5	132.8	176.4	140.8
Region and area size ¹						
Northeast urban	154.2	174.7	147.3	127.7	179.4	149.6
Size A - More than 1,200,000	154.4	176.1	146.4	129.2	181.1	148.4
Size B - 500,000 to 1,200,000	158.9	166.5	154.4	131.3	183.4	160.7
Size C - 50,000 to 500,000	148.0	175.1	147.8	115.0	166.5	141.3
North Central urban	145.4	168.3	139.2	133.5	164.2	136.5
Size A - More than 1,200,000	148.1	169.5	144.2	136.7	167.2	136.4
Size B - 360,000 to 1,200,000	145.7	174.7	136.1	139.5	156.4	139.7
Size C - 50,000 to 360,000	143.3	164.2	131.8	127.7	169.1	140.0
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	136.1	162.6	131.4	125.3	149.4	127.0
South urban	144.9	162.9	135.0	130.3	176.6	137.5
Size A - More than 1,200,000	145.8	159.8	135.9	135.9	177.0	137.3
Size B - 450,000 to 1,200,000	146.8	165.2	136.8	128.9	194.1	133.2
Size C - 50,000 to 450,000	145.1	158.7	132.5	131.2	170.1	147.3
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	139.0	173.5	133.3	119.6	157.4	128.2
West urban	152.2	169.2	140.1	142.2	186.9	141.4
Size A - More than 1,200,000	153.2	172.2	141.1	146.0	184.4	141.9
Size C - 50,000 to 330,000	144.8	159.4	132.2	128.6	187.7	134.7
Size classes						
A ²	138.0	151.6	130.4	129.3	162.0	129.7
B	150.5	167.9	142.5	133.8	183.6	141.3
C	145.0	163.5	135.0	126.3	171.7	142.4
D	141.1	169.6	130.9	125.3	163.3	134.5
Selected local areas						
Baltimore, MD	156.4	183.2	139.3	144.2	183.9	151.8
Boston-Lawrence-Salem, MA-NH	149.8	169.1	141.2	131.3	186.3	138.0
Chicago-Gary-Lake County, IL-IN-WI	155.7	173.6	157.4	147.0	177.4	136.4
Cleveland-Akron-Lorain, OH	144.5	162.7	143.7	130.6	170.7	126.4
Dallas-Fort Worth, TX	137.8	155.7	132.2	132.9	141.8	136.1
Detroit-Ann Arbor, MI	142.2	171.7	137.3	127.4	158.6	130.7
Houston-Galveston-Brazoria, TX	146.4	157.0	134.3	128.4	181.2	144.7
Los Angeles-Anaheim-Riverside, CA	158.2	170.9	147.6	155.9	193.4	143.0
Miami-Fort Lauderdale, FL	151.3	151.5	135.1	137.8	223.5	132.7
N.Y.-Northern N.J.-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT	157.3	179.7	149.9	129.9	183.5	150.4
Phil.-Wilmington-Trenton, PA-NJ-DE-MD	155.8	180.0	146.8	130.2	180.1	152.6
Pittsburgh-Beaver Valley, PA	142.4	150.9	133.4	128.9	158.8	145.4
St. Louis-East St. Louis, MO-IL	144.6	155.7	130.5	137.6	165.3	148.1
San Francisco-Oakland-San Jose, CA	156.1	169.9	145.6	140.0	188.2	146.8
Washington, DC-MD-VA	150.0	173.6	137.2	151.0	170.7	139.9

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, September 1995 to October 1995						
U.S. city average	0.3	0.4	0.9	0.5	-0.6	0.1
Region and area size ¹						
Northeast urban	-.1	-.2	.3	.9	-1.9	.4
Size A - More than 1,200,000	-.1	-.3	.1	1.2	-1.6	.7
Size B - 500,000 to 1,200,000	-1.2	-.8	-.5	.6	-3.2	-1.7
Size C - 50,000 to 500,000	1.0	1.0	2.6	.9	-2.6	1.4
North Central urban	.5	.2	1.5	.6	-.2	-.2
Size A - More than 1,200,000	.5	.1	1.5	.0	.1	.0
Size B - 360,000 to 1,200,000	1.2	-.4	1.9	2.3	1.8	.6
Size C - 50,000 to 360,000	.1	.7	1.3	.6	-1.6	-.6
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	.0	.3	1.5	1.8	-1.6	-1.9
South urban	.3	.7	1.2	.0	-1.5	.1
Size A - More than 1,200,000	-.1	.1	1.3	.1	-1.4	-1.2
Size B - 450,000 to 1,200,000	.4	.4	1.0	-.5	.2	.1
Size C - 50,000 to 450,000	.3	.6	1.2	.1	-2.5	.7
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	.9	2.5	1.7	.3	-2.9	1.6
West urban	.8	1.0	.8	.9	1.2	.2
Size A - More than 1,200,000	1.0	1.2	.4	1.0	2.0	.6
Size C - 50,000 to 330,000	.3	3.2	.1	-.8	.4	-.7
Size classes						
A	.3	.3	.8	.7	-.2	.2
B	.0	-.4	.8	.6	-.9	-.4
C	.3	1.0	1.4	.2	-1.8	.3
D	.6	1.1	1.4	.7	-.8	.1
Selected local areas						
Baltimore, MD	-1.9	-5.8	-1.3	.0	-1.7	-.8
Boston-Lawrence-Salem, MA-NH	.7	-1.6	1.4	2.5	1.5	-.4
Chicago-Gary-Lake County, IL-IN-WI	.6	.2	.3	.9	3.8	-1.0
Cleveland-Akron-Lorain, OH	.5	-1.5	3.8	.3	-2.6	-.5
Dallas-Fort Worth, TX	.1	-1.9	2.2	-5.0	-1.3	2.3
Detroit-Ann Arbor, MI	-.2	-.2	1.4	.4	-3.2	-.7
Houston-Galveston-Brazoria, TX	-2.0	1.4	1.7	.0	-4.9	-6.3
Los Angeles-Anaheim-Riverside, CA	1.2	-.5	1.1	.2	3.5	.7
Miami-Fort Lauderdale, FL	-.5	3.5	-2.0	2.5	-3.2	.8
N.Y.-Northern N.J.-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT	.0	.0	-.2	.8	-.8	.8
Phil.-Wilmington-Trenton, PA-NJ-DE-MD	.1	-.7	.9	1.6	-4.4	1.9
Pittsburgh-Beaver Valley, PA	-.1	-.3	-.2	1.7	-1.9	.6
St. Louis-East St. Louis, MO-IL	1.5	.1	4.5	-.3	-2.4	2.3
San Francisco-Oakland-San Jose, CA	.4	3.7	.0	1.9	-.3	-1.1
Washington, DC-MD-VA	.8	-1.8	3.2	3.0	-1.2	.0

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, September 1995 to October 1995

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	0.1	0.4	0.1	-0.1	0.1
Food and beverages	.3	.5	1.0	.1	.1	.1
Food	.3	.5	.9	.1	.1	.3
Food at home	.3	.6	1.2	.0	.1	.4
Cereals and bakery products	.4	.2	-.5	.0	-.7	3.7
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	.9	.3	1.1	-.2	.9	.0
Meats, poultry, and fish	.9	.5	1.0	-.3	1.2	-.5
Dairy products	.5	.9	.2	.8	1.6	1.9
Fruits and vegetables	-.6	3.8	3.5	-.8	-4.4	-.3
Other food at home	.1	-1.0	.7	.8	1.9	-1.1
Food away from home	.3	.2	.3	.2	.1	.1
Alcoholic beverages	.3	.6	1.5	-.4	-.5	-.5
Housing	.1	.0	-.1	-.1	-.2	.0
Shelter	.3	.3	.1	.3	.7	.1
Renters' costs	.1	.1	.2	.2	2.4	.1
Rent, residential	.3	.3	.0	.2	.2	.1
Other renters' costs	-.1	-2.2	1.9	.6	6.2	-.1
Homeowners' costs	.4	.4	.1	.3	.1	.1
Owners' equivalent rent	.4	.4	.0	.3	.1	.3
Fuel and other utilities	-.8	-1.7	-.7	-1.7	-4.4	.1
Fuels	-1.7	-3.1	-1.4	-2.8	-7.4	-.1
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities	.3	.0	2.3	.1	-.6	-4.0
Fuel oil	.2	.0	-	-.2	-.6	6.5
Other household fuel commodities	.7	.0	2.3	3.7	-	-4.4
Gas (piped) and electricity (energy services)	-1.9	-3.1	-1.6	-3.5	-8.3	.0
Electricity	-2.5	-7.0	.0	-5.9	-11.1	.0
Utility (piped) gas	-.1	2.6	-4.6	1.3	-1.5	.0
Household furnishings and operation	.2	.5	-.2	.3	1.3	-.8
Apparel and upkeep	1.4	.1	1.4	.5	-.5	-.5
Apparel commodities	1.6	.2	1.7	.6	-.6	-.2
Men's and boys' apparel	1.2	5.6	1.8	-.8	1.8	-.3
Women's and girls' apparel	3.0	-.6	1.4	3.4	.6	8.2
Footwear	.7	-.6	-.3	-2.9	-4.5	8.3
Transportation	.4	.6	.5	.5	.6	.8
Private transportation	.2	.4	.8	.6	.7	.9
Motor fuel	-1.6	-2.1	.9	-1.3	-2.0	.7
Gasoline	-1.8	-2.2	.8	-1.5	-2.1	.8
Gasoline, unleaded regular	-2.0	-2.3	.7	-1.6	-2.0	.8
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ¹	-1.4	-2.0	1.3	-1.6	-2.1	1.0
Gasoline, unleaded premium	-1.5	-1.8	.9	-1.4	-2.3	.7
Public transportation	1.5	2.2	-2.7	.4	.3	.0
Medical care	.4	.3	.5	.6	.3	.1
Entertainment	.1	-1.4	1.2	.6	-.9	-.5
Other goods and services	.3	.0	-.3	.2	-.3	.5
Personal care	.7	.8	-.5	.7	.9	2.7
Commodity and service group						
All items	.3	.1	.4	.1	-.1	.1
Commodities	.3	.3	.8	.2	-.1	.2
Food and beverages	.3	.5	1.0	.1	.1	.1
Commodities less food and beverages	.3	.2	.4	.3	-.2	.3
Nondurables less food and beverages	.3	-.5	1.0	.3	-.8	.2
Durables	.4	1.2	-.3	.5	1.2	.5
Services	.2	.1	.2	.2	-.1	.1
Medical care services	.4	.1	.5	.5	.3	.4
Special indexes						
All items less shelter	.3	.1	.5	.1	-.3	.1
All items less medical care	.3	.1	.4	.1	-.1	.1
All items less energy	.4	.4	.5	.4	.4	.1
All items less food and energy	.4	.4	.3	.4	.5	.1
Energy	-1.6	-2.6	-.2	-2.3	-5.5	.3
Commodities less food	.3	.2	.4	.3	-.1	.2
Nondurables less food	.3	-.4	1.1	.2	-.8	.2
Nondurables	.3	.1	.9	.1	-.4	.2
Services less rent of shelter	.2	-.2	.4	.0	-.8	-.1
Services less medical care services	.2	.1	.3	.1	-.1	.1

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 2 ¹											
	U.S. city average			Chicago- Gary- Lake County, IL-IN-WI			Dallas- Fort Worth, TX			Detroit- Ann Arbor, MI		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
		Oct. 1995	Oct. 1994		Aug. 1995	Oct. 1995		Oct. 1994	Aug. 1995		Oct. 1995	Oct. 1994
Expenditure category												
All items	151.0	2.7	0.5	149.2	3.2	0.3	146.5	2.9	1.2	145.0	2.8	0.7
All items (1967=100)	449.6	-	-	438.3	-	-	451.7	-	-	427.0	-	-
Food and beverages	149.3	2.9	.7	151.7	2.7	.4	145.4	2.8	1.0	144.0	3.2	.3
Food	148.9	3.0	.7	150.4	2.7	.3	143.7	2.8	1.0	143.2	3.4	.2
Food at home	148.9	3.3	.8	155.7	2.6	.3	137.8	3.0	1.3	142.2	3.4	.1
Cereals and bakery products	168.8	2.7	.2	173.6	.5	1.7	155.7	-6.6	-3.8	171.7	4.6	-.1
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	140.5	2.9	1.6	157.4	1.7	.8	132.2	4.4	5.5	137.3	5.7	1.8
Meats, poultry, and fish	141.4	2.2	1.7	160.8	1.2	.9	133.2	3.2	5.2	138.5	5.2	1.6
Dairy products	132.8	1.2	.2	147.0	2.6	3.1	132.9	1.2	-4.5	127.4	2.7	.6
Fruits and vegetables	178.4	8.9	1.7	177.4	12.8	-.3	141.8	11.7	5.7	158.8	4.5	-.3
Other food at home	140.8	1.3	.0	136.4	-1.8	-1.9	136.1	3.0	-.1	130.7	-.8	-1.8
Food away from home	149.9	2.5	.5	140.3	2.7	.2	154.2	2.6	.8	145.7	3.3	.3
Alcoholic beverages	154.2	2.1	.3	167.1	2.8	1.2	166.0	3.2	.5	152.7	1.5	.5
Housing	148.8	2.7	.1	142.0	4.7	-.3	133.3	2.1	.8	135.1	2.2	.8
Shelter	182.8	3.2	.4	162.4	5.9	.4	136.5	3.9	1.2	150.1	2.2	.4
Renters' costs ²	153.5	2.9	-.5	158.6	5.0	-.4	128.2	4.4	.7	145.0	2.7	-.1
Rent, residential	158.6	2.4	.5	172.3	4.9	.6	134.6	3.9	1.1	148.5	1.0	.3
Other renters' costs	205.3	5.6	-4.2	168.4	4.7	-6.5	154.1	9.4	-3.1	160.1	7.6	-1.4
Homeowners' costs ²	157.8	3.3	.8	163.7	6.4	.7	130.6	3.6	1.5	159.0	2.2	.6
Owners' equivalent rent ²	158.1	3.3	.8	162.8	6.3	.7	131.1	4.3	2.2	159.6	2.0	.6
Fuel and other utilities	123.5	1.2	-1.4	110.4	4.1	-3.1	131.4	.5	.5	117.5	-.5	.5
Fuels	110.8	.5	-2.8	97.7	11.3	-5.6	134.3	-.4	-.4	102.6	-1.9	.8
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities	86.8	-.1	.3	91.3	2.8	.0	96.2	.3	-1.6	83.5	-5.1	2.2
Fuel oil	83.6	-.5	.2	91.1	.0	.0	NA	-	-	83.8	.2	4.9
Other household fuel commodities ³	116.8	.3	.5	116.9	9.0	.0	100.7	.3	-1.8	100.5	-6.9	1.3
Gas (piped) and electricity (energy services)	118.5	.6	-3.2	100.8	11.5	-5.6	133.5	-.4	-.4	105.6	-1.9	.7
Electricity	130.6	3.5	-4.5	121.0	45.4	-8.7	137.2	-.5	-.1	133.7	.5	.0
Utility (piped) gas	99.7	-5.5	.2	82.4	-15.1	-1.2	129.3	-.3	-1.4	85.8	-4.6	1.5
Household furnishings and operation	122.7	2.2	.4	113.8	.3	-.2	126.5	-2.2	-.1	111.2	5.5	1.4
Apparel and upkeep	133.4	-.4	3.3	129.7	.2	4.6	145.1	2.0	5.3	139.2	.0	-.8
Apparel commodities	130.5	-.5	3.7	130.4	.2	4.9	140.7	6.1	6.8	138.9	.0	-.9
Men's and boys' apparel	127.9	-.2	3.0	122.6	-3.5	5.1	109.9	5.2	4.3	128.2	-.2	2.1
Women's and girls' apparel	129.2	-1.9	6.0	124.3	1.2	6.6	158.9	11.0	17.4	149.7	.2	-1.7
Footwear	128.4	1.7	3.2	142.1	2.2	1.3	142.2	1.1	-2.7	136.7	7.2	-.9
Transportation	139.0	2.5	.1	134.0	2.3	.3	145.0	2.6	.3	144.5	2.9	1.8
Private transportation	136.9	2.2	.0	131.9	1.9	.2	145.3	2.5	.2	142.6	2.2	1.4
Motor fuel	98.2	-3.4	-2.8	98.7	-6.2	-3.0	97.0	-8.4	-4.3	94.8	1.6	-1.7
Gasoline	97.9	-3.5	-3.1	98.4	-6.4	-3.2	96.6	-8.7	-4.5	94.6	1.7	-1.8
Gasoline, unleaded regular	95.5	-3.7	-3.2	96.4	-6.5	-3.5	92.7	-9.4	-5.3	94.3	1.4	-1.7
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ⁴	102.7	-3.7	-2.7	105.3	-6.4	-2.7	100.2	-8.2	-3.9	108.6	1.5	-2.3
Gasoline, unleaded premium	100.3	-4.0	-2.9	100.1	-6.4	-2.5	99.2	-7.8	-3.7	98.2	2.5	-.6
Public transportation	174.8	6.1	1.3	153.8	5.8	1.9	140.3	4.9	4.4	184.9	13.4	7.4
Medical care	222.3	4.2	.5	229.1	5.1	.3	225.3	5.6	.9	208.1	3.7	.1
Entertainment	152.9	2.6	.6	159.5	-1.9	-1.5	152.9	5.4	2.9	153.1	4.6	.8
Other goods and services	207.8	4.2	1.4	219.0	2.0	.6	185.5	5.2	1.1	206.0	4.7	1.0
Personal care	148.7	2.2	.9	148.5	1.8	-.5	159.6	12.0	.0	133.1	7.8	4.9
Commodity and service group												
All items	151.0	2.7	.5	149.2	3.2	.3	146.5	2.9	1.2	145.0	2.8	.7
Commodities	137.1	1.8	.6	137.4	1.0	.5	138.3	2.7	1.3	133.0	2.8	.5
Food and beverages	149.3	2.9	.7	151.7	2.7	.4	145.4	2.8	1.0	144.0	3.2	.3
Commodities less food and beverages	129.7	1.2	.6	128.4	-.2	.5	133.5	2.8	1.6	127.5	2.5	.6
Nondurables less food and beverages	130.0	.2	.9	134.2	-1.8	.4	130.4	1.2	2.2	132.5	1.8	-.7
Durables	128.2	2.5	.3	121.9	2.3	.8	138.1	4.7	1.0	117.9	3.8	3.1
Services	167.7	3.5	.4	162.7	5.3	.1	155.9	3.0	1.0	160.2	2.7	.9
Medical care services	226.6	4.7	.6	229.5	5.8	.2	238.7	5.9	.9	217.4	4.9	.1
Special Indexes												
All items less shelter	147.9	2.5	.5	145.8	2.2	.3	150.2	2.6	1.1	145.0	2.8	.8
All items less medical care	147.6	2.6	.5	145.3	3.0	.3	142.4	2.7	1.1	142.4	2.7	.6
All items less energy	157.5	3.0	.8	156.4	3.3	.6	152.8	3.6	1.5	151.4	2.9	.7
All items less food and energy	159.7	3.0	.8	157.9	3.5	.7	155.0	3.7	1.6	153.7	2.8	.9
Energy	103.8	-1.4	-2.8	97.6	1.5	-4.3	113.1	-4.5	-2.4	99.4	-.1	-.5
Commodities less food	130.6	1.2	.5	130.1	.0	.6	134.5	2.8	1.5	128.5	2.4	.5
Nondurables less food	131.4	.4	.8	136.5	-1.2	.6	132.2	1.4	2.0	133.7	1.8	-.7
Nondurables	139.9	1.6	.7	143.3	.6	.4	138.2	2.1	1.6	138.2	2.6	-.2
Services less rent of shelter ²	159.1	3.7	.3	152.4	4.7	-.3	164.3	1.9	.4	154.8	3.1	1.3
Services less medical care services	162.6	3.3	.3	156.8	5.2	.0	149.0	2.7	.9	155.8	2.4	1.0

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 2 ¹								
	Houston-Galveston-Brazoria, TX			Los Angeles-Anaheim-Riverside, CA			N.Y.-Northern N.J.-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
	Oct. 1995	Oct. 1994	Aug. 1995	Oct. 1995	Oct. 1994	Aug. 1995	Oct. 1995	Oct. 1994	Aug. 1995
Expenditure category									
All items	140.9	1.4	0.8	149.9	1.3	0.5	159.7	2.4	0.5
All items (1967=100)	449.8	-	-	443.0	-	-	454.8	-	-
Food and beverages	140.6	2.0	.3	154.8	3.3	1.2	156.4	2.6	.4
Food	140.3	2.2	.5	152.7	3.4	1.3	156.3	2.6	.4
Food at home	146.4	1.5	.1	158.2	4.3	1.7	157.3	2.8	.4
Cereals and bakery products	157.0	-.4	-1.1	170.9	3.0	-.7	179.7	1.2	.2
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	134.3	1.6	1.6	147.6	3.0	1.9	149.9	2.7	.4
Meats, poultry, and fish	136.7	1.2	1.4	144.6	2.7	2.1	151.4	2.7	.5
Dairy products	128.4	-.3	.4	155.9	5.4	.1	129.9	-.6	.5
Fruits and vegetables	181.2	4.7	1.7	193.4	9.2	6.9	183.5	8.8	.1
Other food at home	144.7	.7	-2.4	143.0	1.9	-.5	150.4	.3	1.0
Food away from home	130.5	3.3	1.2	144.5	1.9	.8	157.8	2.3	.4
Alcoholic beverages	142.5	1.4	-1.1	172.1	2.0	.3	157.3	2.1	.6
Housing	123.6	1.1	.9	146.9	1.0	.1	158.7	2.0	-.3
Shelter	133.3	3.1	1.4	152.8	.1	.1	182.8	1.9	-.1
Renters' costs ²	139.7	3.6	2.6	146.3	-.4	.1	166.4	3.0	-.7
Rent, residential	130.9	2.7	1.1	155.7	-1.1	-.2	174.3	2.8	.3
Other renters' costs	240.7	9.4	12.3	199.1	4.4	1.8	234.5	4.0	-6.6
Homeowners' costs ²	133.3	2.7	.8	153.1	.5	.1	174.6	1.3	.2
Owners' equivalent rent ²	131.0	3.4	1.2	152.8	.4	.1	175.4	1.3	.2
Fuel and other utilities	107.8	-2.9	.6	149.9	4.8	-.7	110.3	1.5	-2.1
Fuels	103.0	-5.9	1.1	151.6	3.6	-1.5	108.2	1.5	-3.4
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities	NA	-	-	117.6	-.1	2.3	91.9	-.3	.2
Fuel oil	NA	-	-	NA	-	-	91.2	-.7	-.1
Other household fuel commodities ³	112.6	2.4	.0	117.7	-.1	2.3	114.7	5.1	3.8
Gas (piped) and electricity (energy services)	103.2	-6.1	1.1	152.2	3.6	-1.6	119.1	2.1	-4.3
Electricity	110.7	-5.5	.8	169.0	4.6	-.1	122.8	3.7	-6.8
Utility (piped) gas	80.3	-9.0	2.3	137.3	1.6	-4.6	113.1	-.7	.7
Household furnishings and operation	114.8	-1.1	-.6	122.8	1.9	1.0	130.3	3.8	1.2
Apparel and upkeep	137.8	-5.7	2.9	126.3	-5.2	1.9	126.1	2.6	5.7
Apparel commodities	136.7	-6.1	3.3	122.8	-5.2	2.5	122.4	2.6	6.3
Men's and boys' apparel	164.5	-7.8	2.4	121.7	-8.2	3.4	115.6	4.0	6.1
Women's and girls' apparel	136.1	-10.1	-	114.4	-8.6	4.6	119.4	3.0	9.8
Footwear	115.7	-4.0	2.9	117.2	-2.9	-.2	135.0	1.3	-.7
Transportation	138.9	1.7	.3	138.0	.1	.0	146.8	1.7	.4
Private transportation	137.7	1.2	-.2	135.5	.4	.4	142.3	1.4	.3
Motor fuel	97.0	-4.2	-4.5	99.8	-9.4	-1.4	95.0	-6.3	-3.7
Gasoline	97.2	-4.3	-4.7	98.9	-9.9	-1.5	94.8	-6.5	-3.9
Gasoline, unleaded regular	96.6	-3.5	-5.3	96.9	-10.6	-2.0	93.2	-5.7	-4.0
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ⁴	99.4	-6.3	-5.2	96.9	-8.3	-.1	98.3	-6.5	-3.8
Gasoline, unleaded premium	95.6	-4.7	-3.2	102.5	-9.5	-1.4	97.3	-7.6	-3.6
Public transportation	192.1	13.3	10.8	193.1	-4.9	-4.4	165.3	3.2	1.3
Medical care	221.0	5.0	-.4	220.8	3.7	.5	230.1	4.0	.9
Entertainment	166.0	2.5	.4	142.7	4.0	1.7	159.5	2.0	1.4
Other goods and services	194.9	3.6	3.0	215.7	3.0	.2	217.8	4.8	1.1
Personal care	121.4	-6.2	1.1	163.5	-.2	-.5	166.7	3.9	.1
Commodity and service group									
All items	140.9	1.4	.8	149.9	1.3	.5	159.7	2.4	.5
Commodities	134.6	.2	.4	136.3	1.0	.8	141.7	2.2	1.1
Food and beverages	140.6	2.0	.3	154.8	3.3	1.2	156.4	2.6	.4
Commodities less food and beverages	131.2	-.8	.6	125.1	-.4	.6	130.2	1.7	1.6
Nondurables less food and beverages	134.4	-1.7	.6	129.0	-3.0	1.2	128.6	1.3	2.0
Durables	125.6	.4	.6	121.8	2.7	-.1	130.7	2.6	.9
Services	148.8	2.8	1.2	164.1	1.4	.2	179.2	2.6	.2
Medical care services	221.8	6.0	-.2	225.8	3.6	.6	235.0	4.2	.8
Special indexes									
All items less shelter	143.5	1.0	.6	149.9	1.8	.7	152.1	2.7	.9
All items less medical care	136.4	1.1	.9	147.0	1.2	.5	156.9	2.3	.5
All items less energy	147.3	2.0	1.1	154.0	1.7	.6	166.8	2.8	.8
All items less food and energy	149.2	1.9	1.2	154.5	1.2	.5	169.8	2.7	1.0
Energy	101.0	-4.9	-2.2	116.0	-4.1	-1.4	102.7	-1.6	-3.6
Commodities less food	131.6	-.7	.5	127.5	-.2	.6	131.3	1.8	1.5
Nondurables less food	134.5	-1.3	.4	132.7	-2.4	1.0	130.3	1.4	1.9
Nondurables	137.7	.2	.4	142.6	.4	1.2	143.7	2.0	1.1
Services less rent of shelter ²	152.1	2.1	.7	165.8	3.0	.3	159.6	3.6	.4
Services less medical care services	140.4	2.3	1.4	160.1	1.3	.2	175.3	2.5	.1

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 2 ¹								
	Phil.- Wilmington- Trenton, PA-NJ-DE-MD			Pittsburgh- Beaver Valley, PA			San Francisco- Oakland- San Jose, CA		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
		Oct. 1995	Oct. 1994		Aug. 1995	Oct. 1995		Oct. 1994	Aug. 1995
Expenditure category									
All items	159.7	2.3	0.3	144.2	2.9	0.3	150.2	2.2	0.6
All items (1967=100)	463.8	-	-	428.7	-	-	457.3	-	-
Food and beverages	150.9	3.2	.4	144.7	3.0	.1	152.1	2.0	1.3
Food	149.7	3.2	.5	143.2	3.3	.1	152.7	2.3	1.6
Food at home	155.8	3.2	.5	142.4	4.3	.6	156.1	3.2	2.4
Cereals and bakery products	180.0	4.8	-1.1	150.9	5.2	-3.1	169.9	4.3	2.5
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	146.8	1.7	2.4	133.4	2.6	.1	145.6	2.9	.6
Meats, poultry, and fish	148.4	1.8	2.9	135.4	2.3	.1	141.2	1.8	.7
Dairy products	130.2	2.0	1.0	128.9	2.8	1.6	140.0	-7	2.9
Fruits and vegetables	180.1	11.3	-3.0	158.8	10.0	3.3	188.2	8.6	9.9
Other food at home	152.6	-7	1.3	145.4	2.4	1.1	146.8	.4	-1.5
Food away from home	136.1	3.3	.4	145.5	1.3	-1.0	147.2	.8	.1
Alcoholic beverages	169.6	3.1	-2	160.3	.1	-6	147.7	.1	-1.0
Housing	161.8	2.0	-1	139.3	2.4	.0	152.2	2.2	.5
Shelter	191.1	2.0	1.3	146.8	2.9	-1	162.3	2.0	.2
Renters' costs ²	180.6	1.5	2.0	147.4	4.2	-3.6	156.7	2.3	.2
Rent, residential	169.2	1.4	.7	147.7	2.8	.6	170.8	1.5	.1
Other renters' costs	277.2	1.7	4.1	185.5	6.8	-10.6	200.2	8.2	.5
Homeowners' costs ²	170.0	2.2	1.0	155.0	2.6	.9	153.0	1.7	.3
Owners' equivalent rent ²	170.8	2.1	1.1	155.4	2.6	.9	153.4	1.9	.5
Fuel and other utilities	122.7	2.2	-5.1	136.6	-5	.7	146.8	2.9	-1
Fuels	110.8	1.0	-8.4	129.1	-4.5	.1	158.7	.9	.1
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities	87.2	-2	-3.0	105.9	-2.5	1.0	156.9	-4.0	2.1
Fuel oil	81.8	-4	-3.1	80.6	-1.3	3.5	104.5	1.4	12.1
Other household fuel commodities ³	NA	-	-	141.2	-3.0	.0	170.4	-4.2	1.7
Gas (piped) and electricity (energy services)	127.5	1.1	-9.1	133.3	-4.5	.0	158.7	1.0	.0
Electricity	145.5	3.0	-11.1	139.1	1.1	.0	180.9	.1	.0
Utility (piped) gas	103.0	-2.6	-4.4	128.0	-8.9	.1	133.3	3.0	.0
Household furnishings and operation	122.3	1.8	.0	122.4	4.1	-7	117.7	2.4	2.0
Apparel and upkeep	100.0	-3.3	1.1	133.0	3.3	4.0	119.4	1.4	-2.4
Apparel commodities	94.4	-4.3	1.2	129.7	3.7	4.3	115.7	1.8	-2.3
Men's and boys' apparel	120.5	15.8	8.3	127.5	3.5	10.6	119.6	2.7	1.3
Women's and girls' apparel	70.9	-12.4	-6.0	137.5	6.4	7.7	93.8	-2.1	8.2
Footwear	110.5	-3.5	7.4	112.3	1.5	.2	150.0	14.4	7.1
Transportation	150.5	2.7	.8	129.1	4.2	.0	133.5	2.3	.7
Private transportation	148.7	2.4	.9	128.5	4.0	-5	129.9	1.6	.7
Motor fuel	101.3	-2.7	-3.8	102.0	3.2	-2.4	107.9	-4.3	-5
Gasoline	100.2	-2.8	-4.0	101.9	3.3	-2.4	106.8	-4.6	-6
Gasoline, unleaded regular	99.0	-2.9	-4.4	98.0	2.7	-2.6	103.6	-4.6	-7
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ⁴	99.6	-3.8	-4.0	109.7	1.9	-2.2	103.5	-4.5	.1
Gasoline, unleaded premium	95.5	-4.8	-4.4	102.0	1.6	-2.3	108.7	-4.8	-4
Public transportation	177.2	6.8	.5	139.5	7.1	9.0	183.2	8.5	.3
Medical care	231.3	3.8	.3	209.9	1.1	-6	207.8	2.1	.6
Entertainment	164.1	5.9	.4	155.0	1.0	.5	154.4	1.8	1.1
Other goods and services	224.2	1.6	.8	199.6	4.1	1.6	218.3	2.9	1.5
Personal care	180.6	2.0	1.0	123.0	.4	3.4	157.0	1.2	3.7
Commodity and service group									
All items	159.7	2.3	.3	144.2	2.9	.3	150.2	2.2	.6
Commodities	135.4	1.3	.1	133.6	3.4	.5	137.3	2.0	.8
Food and beverages	150.9	3.2	.4	144.7	3.0	.1	152.1	2.0	1.3
Commodities less food and beverages	124.2	-1	-1	126.2	3.7	.7	127.7	1.9	.3
Nondurables less food and beverages	118.8	-1.4	-8	130.5	2.7	1.1	126.5	1.5	-3
Durables	131.3	2.4	1.2	121.8	5.1	.1	127.6	2.7	1.4
Services	188.8	2.9	.4	157.3	2.5	.3	163.5	2.3	.4
Medical care services	236.9	4.4	.5	209.1	2.5	-1.0	211.2	2.0	1.1
Special indexes									
All items less shelter	151.4	2.4	-1	143.7	2.9	.4	146.6	2.2	.8
All items less medical care	156.6	2.2	.3	141.5	3.0	.4	148.0	2.1	.6
All items less energy	167.5	2.5	1.0	148.4	3.3	.5	153.9	2.5	.7
All items less food and energy	173.1	2.4	1.1	149.8	3.3	.6	154.2	2.5	.5
Energy	105.4	-6	-6.6	114.6	-1.0	-1.1	126.3	-1.9	-2
Commodities less food	126.1	.2	-1	127.8	3.4	.6	128.5	1.8	.2
Nondurables less food	121.9	-1.1	-7	132.5	2.3	.9	127.5	1.4	-3
Nondurables	135.7	1.1	-1	137.8	2.8	.4	139.9	1.8	.7
Services less rent of shelter ²	169.9	3.9	-3	148.4	2.1	.6	152.8	2.5	.5
Services less medical care services	185.3	2.8	.4	153.7	2.5	.3	160.9	2.3	.4

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

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 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	149.5	149.7	149.7	147.2	149.3	148.2	2.7	2.6
1995	150.3	150.9	151.4	151.9	152.2	152.5	152.5	152.9	153.2	153.7	-	-	151.5	-	-	-	-

- 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										Oct.
	1985	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995
Commodity and service group											
All items	109.3	110.5	115.4	120.5	126.1	133.8	137.9	141.9	145.8	149.7	153.7
Commodities	106.6	104.5	109.3	113.5	118.2	126.0	127.5	130.1	132.0	135.1	137.2
Food and beverages	106.9	110.9	114.8	120.6	127.2	133.9	137.3	139.5	143.3	147.2	149.8
Commodities less food and beverages	106.4	100.5	105.7	109.0	112.6	121.1	121.5	124.3	125.1	127.6	129.5
Nondurables less food and beverages	105.8	95.9	103.1	106.9	112.0	125.8	124.5	127.4	126.5	128.1	130.5
Apparel commodities	105.4	105.8	111.0	116.3	117.1	123.0	127.2	128.7	129.7	127.2	131.4
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel	105.8	93.0	101.5	104.5	112.0	130.1	126.0	129.6	127.7	131.5	133.1
Durables	107.1	107.2	109.5	112.2	113.5	114.5	117.2	120.1	123.3	126.9	128.2
Services	112.2	117.2	122.2	128.1	134.6	142.3	148.8	154.2	160.0	164.7	170.4
Rent of shelter ¹	117.0	122.5	128.5	134.3	140.9	148.4	154.2	158.7	163.5	168.3	174.1
Household services less rent of shelter ¹	110.8	110.8	112.3	116.2	119.0	122.2	127.8	131.4	134.9	135.9	138.8
Transportation services	113.0	119.5	124.6	132.1	138.6	150.0	153.7	159.2	166.9	171.1	177.7
Medical care services	116.5	125.7	132.7	141.9	154.1	169.3	182.8	195.6	207.1	218.2	226.9
Other services	116.2	122.6	129.0	136.2	145.1	154.5	164.1	172.8	181.6	188.9	196.5
Special indexes											
All items less food	109.9	110.4	115.5	120.4	125.8	133.7	138.1	142.5	146.4	150.2	154.4
All items less shelter	108.4	108.6	113.2	118.1	123.5	131.5	135.0	139.1	142.7	146.3	149.8
All items less homeowners' costs ¹	111.3	111.9	116.6	121.6	127.1	135.5	139.3	143.4	147.2	150.8	154.7
All items less medical care	108.8	109.6	114.3	119.1	124.4	131.8	135.3	138.9	142.5	146.0	149.8
Commodities less food	106.5	100.9	106.0	109.4	113.0	121.4	122.4	125.3	126.1	128.5	130.5
Nondurables less food	105.9	96.7	103.7	107.5	112.6	125.7	125.5	128.5	127.8	129.5	131.9
Nondurables less food and apparel	106.1	94.3	102.1	105.3	112.5	129.0	126.9	130.5	129.1	132.6	134.3
Nondurables	106.3	103.5	109.1	113.9	119.8	130.0	131.1	133.6	135.1	137.8	140.4
Services less rent of shelter ¹	115.4	120.2	124.6	131.1	137.8	146.4	153.9	160.7	167.8	172.7	178.6
Services less medical care services	111.8	116.2	121.0	126.6	132.6	139.7	145.5	150.3	155.6	159.7	165.1
Energy	101.6	81.6	88.3	88.7	93.2	110.1	101.9	103.9	102.4	104.7	104.5
All items less energy	110.3	114.5	119.2	124.8	130.6	137.4	142.8	147.1	151.7	155.7	160.2
All items less food and energy	111.3	115.5	120.4	126.0	131.5	138.3	144.4	149.2	153.9	157.9	162.8
Commodities less food and energy commodities	108.2	109.7	113.5	118.0	121.2	125.3	130.3	133.6	135.7	137.6	140.5
Energy commodities	100.1	69.6	82.0	80.1	86.4	117.0	98.2	99.4	94.3	99.2	97.2
Services less energy services	113.1	119.0	124.4	130.6	137.5	145.8	152.5	158.2	164.3	169.6	175.6
Expenditure category											
Food and beverages	106.9	110.9	114.8	120.6	127.2	133.9	137.3	139.5	143.3	147.2	149.8
Food	106.7	110.8	114.7	120.7	127.4	134.2	136.7	138.7	142.7	146.8	149.4
Food at home	105.1	109.0	112.8	119.1	126.5	133.8	135.5	137.5	142.3	147.3	149.7
Cereals and bakery products	109.6	112.2	116.8	126.6	136.1	142.4	147.4	153.3	158.9	164.2	169.0
Cereals and cereal products	108.3	110.7	116.1	127.2	136.5	143.7	148.8	154.4	159.6	164.5	168.1
Flour and prepared flour mixes	104.3	104.4	105.8	113.1	121.2	124.0	123.5	130.2	129.9	132.3	143.1
Cereal	113.8	119.5	126.7	138.8	152.4	163.5	171.4	178.1	186.5	191.0	193.8
Rice, pasta, and commmeal	102.5	101.5	106.3	118.4	120.1	122.7	126.3	128.9	131.7	139.5	139.5
Bakery products	110.1	112.7	117.0	126.1	135.6	141.5	146.4	152.5	158.2	163.8	169.2
White bread	107.5	108.3	113.1	125.5	133.2	138.3	140.4	146.1	156.2	160.4	168.9
Fresh other bread, biscuits, rolls, and muffins	106.8	109.5	113.2	124.1	132.7	139.0	143.7	151.2	155.8	163.0	170.6
Cookies, fresh cakes, and cupcakes	112.2	116.3	121.1	128.7	139.0	147.2	154.2	157.7	163.2	169.2	170.5
Other bakery products	113.1	116.3	120.3	126.3	137.5	141.8	147.6	154.9	158.0	163.1	167.5
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	102.5	109.1	110.3	116.1	123.8	133.6	131.6	132.1	137.1	136.4	140.8
Meats, poultry, and fish	102.5	109.4	111.9	117.1	123.0	133.8	132.0	133.0	138.4	137.6	141.6
Meats	100.6	106.6	110.4	112.7	120.0	133.6	130.8	131.1	135.9	133.7	137.0
Beef and veal	101.1	101.7	108.5	114.6	122.1	133.0	131.7	132.8	137.7	134.7	134.3
Ground beef other than canned	97.7	96.4	102.0	104.5	112.2	120.8	119.1	118.4	123.0	117.7	115.3
Chuck roast	100.6	99.9	105.0	112.4	123.4	136.1	137.7	139.2	142.7	140.3	138.2
Round roast	98.8	96.0	101.8	107.0	113.9	124.9	124.1	126.5	127.2	126.9	128.1
Round steak	100.3	101.1	108.1	111.9	118.8	130.2	129.9	129.9	133.3	131.7	128.3
Sirloin steak	100.8	103.1	112.9	120.8	123.4	131.5	127.5	129.1	137.6	135.8	137.6
Other beef and veal	104.4	107.1	115.1	125.4	133.3	146.6	145.3	148.6	154.3	153.0	155.6
Pork	99.7	115.2	113.1	109.6	117.2	136.8	128.5	127.4	133.1	130.1	139.1
Bacon	99.5	113.1	108.2	96.9	105.0	122.9	108.6	104.8	117.1	114.8	128.0
Chops	101.1	116.4	114.3	114.7	123.7	142.5	136.1	139.5	145.8	138.8	147.8
Ham	102.2	121.3	118.1	115.9	121.9	144.4	137.3	134.9	137.1	134.8	145.7
Other pork, including sausage	97.3	111.3	111.4	108.5	115.9	134.9	127.7	125.8	129.9	128.8	134.5
Other meats	100.5	107.6	112.1	113.1	119.5	131.6	132.7	133.0	136.4	137.3	141.9
Poultry	108.2	118.8	107.8	127.1	127.8	129.7	130.2	133.7	141.1	140.4	146.1
Fresh whole chicken	107.9	121.0	107.7	131.0	130.4	130.6	129.9	135.4	141.3	139.4	144.9
Fresh and frozen chicken parts	106.9	121.1	110.8	131.5	130.2	133.2	134.8	136.9	146.8	143.2	148.9
Other poultry	110.1	112.3	103.8	113.3	121.1	123.0	122.8	126.6	130.9	138.9	145.4
Fish and seafood	111.4	121.2	133.3	138.9	143.0	148.5	150.4	152.0	158.7	166.9	173.3
Canned fish and seafood	98.2	99.8	110.0	124.8	119.4	118.8	118.2	119.9	122.8	124.5	125.6
Fresh and frozen fish and seafood	118.6	133.0	146.2	148.5	156.3	164.1	167.0	168.7	177.0	187.9	196.4
Eggs	102.7	103.7	85.5	99.6	134.9	128.7	123.5	117.7	116.0	116.4	126.2

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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										Oct.
	1985	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995
Expenditure category											
Dairy products	102.7	104.9	106.7	111.4	122.9	126.7	127.4	129.1	130.2	131.6	133.2
Fresh milk and cream	101.4	103.3	105.0	109.9	122.6	125.6	125.3	128.4	131.1	132.0	132.3
Fresh whole milk	101.4	103.4	104.8	110.1	123.0	126.0	125.5	127.8	130.6	131.1	131.0
Other fresh milk and cream	101.4	103.0	105.3	109.5	122.0	124.9	124.9	129.1	131.8	133.2	133.9
Processed dairy products	104.5	106.9	108.8	113.3	123.7	128.4	130.2	130.4	129.8	131.8	134.7
Cheese	103.1	104.5	107.0	112.6	126.9	132.7	135.1	135.4	134.6	136.0	138.1
Ice cream and related products	106.2	109.5	111.0	114.8	123.1	128.5	130.1	130.6	131.5	136.1	138.4
Other dairy products, including butter	105.6	109.1	109.9	112.1	113.4	113.4	113.7	113.5	111.4	111.9	117.9
Fruits and vegetables	107.8	109.4	123.4	131.0	136.7	146.5	152.9	156.2	166.5	180.3	177.2
Fresh fruits and vegetables	109.1	113.0	133.2	138.1	145.6	157.6	169.6	173.9	190.1	212.8	204.7
Fresh fruits	107.9	114.3	126.3	143.2	154.8	171.2	188.6	181.8	205.4	213.1	227.5
Apples	111.2	116.9	103.6	132.4	124.7	151.6	169.9	154.1	166.9	163.2	183.9
Bananas	87.1	91.8	107.4	115.9	122.6	128.3	128.3	124.3	127.6	143.1	147.8
Oranges, including tangerines	104.1	110.4	126.3	144.4	138.5	152.7	186.8	156.7	177.4	178.7	277.9
Other fresh fruits	113.7	121.0	140.4	154.8	179.7	195.7	213.1	215.3	249.3	260.8	252.2
Fresh vegetables	110.3	111.7	140.2	133.0	136.5	144.0	150.7	166.1	174.9	212.7	182.0
Potatoes	81.4	103.9	103.8	128.5	140.0	133.9	129.0	137.2	165.0	154.2	179.7
Lettuce	143.0	115.1	272.7	174.3	135.8	152.0	170.1	183.0	152.1	273.4	193.1
Tomatoes	124.9	126.2	139.3	124.3	140.3	129.5	124.5	193.4	197.2	233.6	175.7
Other fresh vegetables	108.6	110.7	126.3	129.4	135.6	151.0	162.3	166.4	178.5	216.1	183.6
Processed fruits and vegetables	106.4	105.2	110.0	121.9	124.9	131.6	129.7	131.4	133.2	133.8	138.1
Processed fruits	108.7	106.1	112.3	124.4	125.2	134.6	131.5	134.8	133.7	133.3	138.4
Fruit juices and frozen fruit	109.8	105.1	112.1	126.2	126.3	137.4	131.8	135.3	133.4	132.6	137.9
Canned and dried fruits	106.7	108.2	111.5	115.9	119.6	122.5	128.5	130.7	132.9	133.8	138.2
Processed vegetables	104.0	104.2	107.3	118.9	124.8	128.1	127.6	127.3	132.8	134.7	138.1
Frozen vegetables	106.8	108.2	111.5	116.3	124.6	128.5	129.3	130.2	135.4	136.5	141.2
Processed vegetables excluding frozen	102.9	102.7	105.7	120.7	125.4	128.5	127.3	126.6	132.1	134.4	137.2
Other food at home	105.8	109.0	110.0	115.3	120.1	125.2	127.1	128.3	130.9	138.8	141.2
Sugar and sweets	106.7	109.2	111.0	116.7	121.1	126.4	130.9	132.1	133.3	134.5	139.2
Sugar and artificial sweeteners	101.3	100.8	102.0	110.0	114.8	118.1	118.1	119.3	120.6	122.8	128.6
Sweets, including candy	108.9	112.6	114.7	119.4	123.6	129.8	136.0	137.3	138.4	139.1	143.4
Fats and oils	107.4	105.9	107.7	118.5	121.6	131.0	129.3	128.4	129.4	134.2	138.3
Nonalcoholic beverages	103.6	108.6	104.8	107.8	111.0	113.1	112.5	112.3	114.8	131.7	130.9
Carbonated drinks	101.8	101.7	103.3	104.6	109.8	110.8	111.9	113.7	115.6	115.2	120.2
Coffee	105.0	128.9	110.5	116.9	115.7	117.4	111.3	105.4	111.1	172.7	158.4
Other noncarbonated drinks	108.3	109.9	112.4	115.5	120.2	126.5	129.7	132.3	131.6	132.8	135.5
Other prepared food	107.5	110.4	115.0	120.7	127.6	134.2	138.2	141.2	144.9	148.1	152.1
Canned and packaged soup	109.1	112.1	118.9	123.2	132.4	140.2	148.6	157.0	163.9	170.7	175.2
Frozen prepared food	110.0	112.5	119.0	124.6	131.3	135.8	138.0	138.7	138.6	138.9	141.9
Snacks	108.8	112.2	115.7	121.2	126.2	131.1	132.8	132.5	136.3	138.7	144.1
Seasonings, condiments, sauces, and spices	106.8	110.1	113.2	118.3	124.9	132.6	137.9	143.6	147.4	150.9	156.8
Miscellaneous prepared food, including baby food	105.6	107.8	112.9	119.8	127.9	135.6	140.2	142.9	147.9	152.4	154.1
Food away from home	110.0	114.7	118.9	124.1	129.8	135.7	139.6	141.6	144.3	147.1	150.0
Lunch	109.8	114.2	118.6	124.0	130.2	136.1	140.2	142.3	145.1	147.7	150.6
Dinner	110.5	114.7	118.7	123.9	129.1	134.3	137.9	139.9	142.4	145.3	148.1
Other meals and snacks	109.5	115.6	119.4	124.6	130.6	137.8	142.0	144.1	146.7	149.6	152.7
Alcoholic beverages	109.5	111.7	115.4	119.9	125.6	130.9	143.9	148.1	150.3	151.8	154.9
Alcoholic beverages at home	108.0	109.5	112.0	114.6	119.5	124.0	138.4	141.3	142.0	141.8	143.6
Beer and ale	107.3	109.2	111.5	114.6	120.0	124.3	139.0	142.9	143.3	143.2	143.7
Wine	100.0	102.2	106.1	107.8	111.6	114.5	130.5	132.4	133.1	131.3	134.8
Distilled spirits	112.6	113.4	114.8	117.0	122.1	128.1	139.9	141.8	143.1	144.2	146.8
Alcoholic beverages away from home	115.9	120.3	125.8	133.3	140.3	146.9	158.9	165.0	169.3	173.3	178.2

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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										Oct.
	1985	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995
Expenditure category											
Housing	109.6	111.5	115.6	120.2	124.9	130.5	135.0	138.5	142.3	145.4	149.7
Shelter	112.8	118.0	123.7	129.3	135.6	142.7	148.2	152.5	157.1	161.8	167.3
Renters' costs ¹	118.3	124.2	129.1	134.1	140.1	149.5	155.8	160.2	164.4	168.2	175.3
Rent, residential	115.1	120.8	125.6	130.1	135.5	141.1	145.2	148.6	151.9	155.7	158.9
Other renters' costs	113.5	119.2	124.1	130.0	137.2	157.0	169.7	176.7	183.3	186.2	205.0
Lodging while out of town	112.0	116.9	121.5	127.0	133.8	154.9	168.0	174.3	181.0	183.3	203.3
Lodging while at school ¹	120.8	128.5	136.5	145.5	156.3	166.1	175.8	188.6	193.8	201.9	210.6
Tenants' insurance	112.1	118.2	122.5	126.6	129.7	131.6	134.4	138.3	142.8	148.7	150.9
Homeowners' costs ¹	116.3	121.6	128.0	134.0	140.9	147.5	153.0	157.5	162.5	167.8	173.0
Owners' equivalent rent ¹	116.3	121.6	128.0	134.1	141.0	147.7	153.2	157.8	162.8	168.1	173.4
Household insurance ¹	115.0	121.6	126.2	130.6	134.0	136.5	140.0	144.3	149.0	155.4	157.1
Maintenance and repairs	107.8	109.7	113.3	115.8	119.5	123.8	128.1	129.3	127.6	132.7	136.3
Maintenance and repair services	110.0	111.8	116.6	118.4	122.2	128.9	131.4	135.2	130.8	137.0	141.8
Maintenance and repair commodities	105.1	107.0	109.1	112.4	115.8	116.8	123.7	121.3	123.5	126.8	128.9
Materials, supplies, and equipment for home repairs ²	-	100.0	102.2	104.8	109.4	111.7	116.3	117.5	119.1	121.1	118.8
Other maintenance and repair commodities	104.3	104.0	105.7	109.5	111.7	111.5	119.7	114.5	117.0	121.1	126.7
Fuel and other utilities	106.4	100.4	102.0	105.0	108.4	112.7	116.0	118.7	121.7	122.0	123.9
Fuels	103.6	93.8	95.1	97.4	101.2	105.6	106.5	108.9	110.7	110.1	111.5
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities	101.8	71.3	80.5	76.8	88.7	114.1	94.7	91.8	88.3	88.4	86.9
Fuel oil	100.8	67.2	79.2	74.2	88.7	115.2	92.3	89.2	85.1	85.1	83.4
Other household fuel commodities ²	-	100.0	102.6	102.3	108.3	136.4	123.3	120.4	118.0	118.5	117.1
Gas (piped) and electricity (energy services)	104.1	100.7	100.9	104.1	107.0	108.6	112.4	115.6	118.1	117.4	119.3
Electricity	107.0	105.4	107.3	110.3	113.4	115.0	120.8	122.9	123.6	124.4	131.0
Utility (piped) gas	100.4	94.6	91.9	95.2	97.8	99.6	99.9	105.0	111.1	107.5	100.7
Other utilities and public services	114.5	118.7	120.9	125.5	128.2	132.7	140.2	143.6	148.8	150.6	153.5
Telephone services	114.1	117.2	115.7	117.2	116.9	116.4	120.5	120.1	122.3	123.1	124.2
Local charges	125.5	134.4	138.9	145.2	146.0	147.5	155.0	155.7	157.2	156.7	160.5
Interstate toll calls	93.3	84.5	74.0	70.9	70.0	67.4	68.3	67.4	71.8	75.7	74.9
Intrastate toll calls	106.5	106.8	103.6	99.2	96.6	94.5	93.1	90.9	91.1	90.2	86.8
Water and sewerage maintenance	115.5	121.7	128.0	135.8	144.7	153.7	165.7	176.7	185.2	193.0	198.1
Cable television ³	112.5	116.8	127.9	141.4	146.8	166.1	180.4	187.0	200.1	194.9	202.2
Refuse collection ³	112.9	123.5	136.1	146.9	161.1	176.9	197.3	214.0	225.2	236.4	242.8
Household furnishings and operation	104.5	106.1	107.3	110.6	111.7	113.7	116.3	118.2	120.3	120.8	123.9
Housefurnishings	101.7	102.9	103.3	105.9	105.5	106.1	107.1	108.7	110.3	110.3	111.7
Textile housefurnishings	105.1	107.8	108.0	114.3	113.9	116.7	118.9	116.7	124.4	119.9	124.4
Furniture and bedding	106.8	109.2	111.5	115.4	113.8	115.1	116.2	121.4	125.8	127.8	132.2
Bedroom furniture	111.7	115.6	115.8	121.3	118.8	117.2	122.0	129.5	136.3	133.7	135.6
Sofas	103.5	111.0	116.0	116.9	116.1	116.6	117.3	121.3	119.5	127.4	136.1
Living room chairs and tables	106.5	107.0	109.4	113.0	112.5	118.7	116.1	120.3	129.6	130.2	138.1
Other furniture	103.8	103.0	105.5	109.7	107.9	110.0	109.7	113.9	117.4	120.8	123.1
Appliances, including electronic equipment	92.9	92.0	89.5	90.1	88.5	86.4	84.9	83.5	82.8	81.8	78.9
Video and audio products	89.1	87.1	83.9	82.7	82.3	79.3	78.7	77.3	76.7	75.1	72.5
Televisions	85.2	81.5	77.9	76.8	75.8	73.1	72.3	71.4	70.2	69.2	66.3
Video products other than televisions ⁴	-	-	-	100.0	95.1	86.1	81.4	78.6	77.0	71.9	69.1
Audio products	92.2	91.4	92.3	91.9	94.3	93.3	95.0	93.6	94.0	93.1	90.6
Major household appliances ²	-	100.0	98.8	102.4	101.0	100.7	98.6	99.1	100.6	104.2	102.0
Refrigerators and home freezers	100.7	99.5	100.4	102.0	103.3	102.3	100.6	101.3	105.8	111.0	108.9
Laundry equipment	104.5	104.0	102.7	107.0	105.9	107.2	105.6	106.3	107.1	110.6	108.8
Stoves, ovens, dishwashers, and air conditioners ²	-	100.0	97.2	101.9	98.5	97.4	94.5	94.7	94.8	97.1	94.5
Information processing equipment ⁴	-	-	-	100.0	92.7	90.3	86.6	81.3	75.1	68.3	62.5
Other housefurnishings ²	-	100.0	101.8	104.0	105.9	108.0	111.2	113.5	113.5	114.0	116.1
Floor and window coverings, infants', laundry, cleaning, and outdoor equipment	105.4	109.3	115.3	114.6	119.8	128.6	126.2	128.8	132.1	132.6	140.2
Clocks, lamps, and decor items	102.8	101.1	102.8	105.9	112.8	112.6	117.8	120.3	118.2	117.8	120.8
Tableware, serving pieces, and nonelectric kitchenware	101.8	104.8	106.2	109.0	111.0	112.4	120.2	121.9	122.9	123.5	124.2
Lawn equipment, power tools, and other hardware	104.6	102.9	104.2	103.9	100.7	102.6	102.6	102.7	106.5	107.0	107.1
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	91.6	91.5
Indoor plants and fresh cut flowers ⁵	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	107.0	113.0	110.0	114.1	115.9
Housekeeping supplies	107.5	109.3	112.5	117.0	123.6	127.5	129.8	129.5	131.9	132.9	139.2
Laundry and cleaning products, including soap	109.6	111.7	116.8	121.7	127.3	132.4	138.0	137.4	137.2	139.3	141.1
Household paper products and stationery supplies	107.4	108.6	109.4	115.7	122.1	126.7	127.1	127.3	130.2	130.5	142.3
Other household, lawn, and garden supplies	105.3	107.2	110.6	113.0	120.9	122.8	123.7	123.0	127.6	128.3	133.6
Housekeeping services	107.5	109.4	111.4	115.9	117.6	122.3	129.4	134.3	137.2	139.1	144.7
Postage	110.2	110.2	110.2	125.1	125.1	125.1	145.3	145.3	145.3	145.3	160.3
Appliance and furniture repair	111.2	114.1	117.6	120.8	123.1	127.3	132.8	142.0	145.6	147.1	151.9
Gardening and other household services ²	-	100.0	104.9	109.2	113.2	117.7	120.2	126.1	128.4	129.2	131.3

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										Oct.
	1985	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995
Expenditure category											
Apparel and upkeep	106.5	107.5	112.7	118.0	119.2	125.3	129.6	131.4	132.6	130.5	134.5
Apparel commodities	105.4	105.8	111.0	116.3	117.1	123.0	127.2	128.7	129.7	127.2	131.4
Apparel commodities less footwear	106.0	106.3	111.7	116.8	117.6	123.8	128.2	129.4	130.3	127.9	132.1
Men's and boys'	107.2	107.4	110.7	117.3	118.8	122.3	125.9	127.1	127.5	125.3	128.4
Men's	107.2	107.3	111.6	118.4	120.6	124.5	128.3	130.0	130.0	128.2	130.2
Suits, sport coats, coats, and jackets	106.3	108.0	111.7	122.0	124.7	128.2	131.3	132.8	137.4	136.0	136.4
Furnishings and special clothing	108.8	109.4	110.1	113.7	117.4	119.8	122.2	123.6	123.0	122.7	121.6
Shirts	109.2	108.4	115.3	122.6	122.9	127.9	133.1	134.6	130.8	127.3	132.9
Dungarees, jeans, and trousers	105.4	103.4	109.4	114.6	116.7	121.9	126.1	129.2	127.8	125.8	129.4
Boys'	107.3	107.7	107.2	112.5	111.4	113.0	116.2	115.0	117.1	113.2	120.5
Women's and girls'	106.9	106.3	112.6	116.5	116.4	123.5	128.4	129.1	130.6	125.7	130.6
Women's	107.4	106.6	113.0	116.3	116.5	124.2	128.0	128.4	131.0	125.3	130.4
Coats and jackets	107.3	99.5	104.0	104.5	108.9	117.2	121.1	126.2	131.8	119.0	125.4
Dresses	106.8	105.8	119.9	123.5	122.5	131.1	128.0	130.7	127.2	113.1	127.4
Separates and sportswear	110.0	111.1	116.8	119.3	118.7	126.0	131.2	129.5	133.3	128.6	130.6
Underwear, nightwear, hosiery, and accessories	107.4	107.5	108.0	114.3	116.3	121.3	124.1	125.0	126.8	128.2	131.6
Suits	103.2	103.5	114.1	120.1	117.4	131.2	144.5	145.8	152.1	152.5	159.3
Girls'	104.0	105.2	110.2	117.3	116.1	120.2	130.8	133.5	129.1	128.2	131.9
Infants' and toddlers'	108.7	111.8	114.5	117.3	115.3	125.6	129.2	130.7	127.1	131.3	131.0
Other apparel commodities	100.1	102.7	111.3	119.1	122.8	130.8	135.4	138.9	140.5	146.5	153.1
Sewing materials, notions, and luggage ²	-	100.0	102.7	109.2	111.2	118.8	121.2	122.9	121.3	121.3	134.0
Watches and jewelry ²	-	100.0	109.7	117.6	121.5	129.4	134.4	138.2	140.6	147.7	152.6
Watches ²	-	100.0	103.4	107.9	107.7	110.4	114.1	112.7	118.7	124.6	134.7
Jewelry ²	-	100.0	111.5	120.3	125.5	134.9	140.2	145.5	146.8	154.3	157.7
Footwear	102.8	103.3	107.2	113.5	114.7	118.4	121.8	125.1	125.8	123.6	127.5
Men's	105.7	108.6	111.4	119.2	122.0	125.6	129.4	132.9	133.2	132.2	135.9
Boys' and girls'	100.8	102.8	110.0	114.7	118.5	122.9	122.7	121.5	122.1	123.3	124.6
Women's	101.6	99.1	102.4	108.3	107.5	110.9	115.5	120.6	121.5	117.1	122.3
Apparel services	112.5	116.8	121.4	126.7	131.3	140.2	144.9	149.7	153.8	156.4	157.0
Laundry and dry cleaning other than coin operated	112.3	118.5	122.5	129.1	134.1	141.3	145.5	150.2	155.0	157.8	158.3
Other apparel services	112.9	117.4	120.4	124.4	128.6	139.5	144.5	149.5	152.9	155.1	155.9
Transportation	107.8	101.4	107.6	110.8	115.2	127.2	125.3	129.0	132.1	137.1	139.4
Private	107.4	100.0	106.5	109.6	113.9	125.1	123.4	126.7	128.6	134.9	136.3
New vehicles	108.2	114.3	116.4	119.0	121.9	124.3	128.3	131.3	135.6	140.1	140.9
New cars	108.1	114.5	116.6	119.1	121.8	123.5	127.6	130.5	134.2	138.5	138.6
Subcompact new cars ²	-	100.0	101.9	104.1	105.1	105.5	109.8	112.8	116.7	120.6	121.5
Compact new cars ²	-	100.0	101.4	102.5	104.7	106.5	109.0	109.8	113.3	118.2	118.8
Intermediate new cars ²	-	100.0	100.5	101.9	105.6	107.3	111.2	113.5	115.9	119.8	119.3
Full-size new cars ²	-	100.0	103.2	105.8	109.0	110.6	114.7	116.6	120.1	122.4	121.2
Luxury new cars ²	-	100.0	104.1	109.5	111.7	114.5	117.6	121.8	124.0	127.5	128.1
New trucks ³	108.2	112.8	114.3	116.8	120.7	125.8	129.6	132.9	139.0	144.1	147.3
New motorcycles ²	-	100.0	104.1	109.6	114.2	117.4	123.7	128.7	138.0	148.9	155.8
Used cars	112.5	106.8	116.3	120.2	119.7	117.1	120.1	129.0	139.3	151.5	157.2
Motor fuel	99.7	69.1	82.0	80.3	85.8	117.1	98.4	100.2	94.8	100.4	98.3
Gasoline	99.5	69.0	81.8	80.3	85.5	117.0	98.1	100.1	94.2	100.2	98.0
Gasoline, unleaded regular	99.7	68.2	80.8	78.8	83.1	115.4	96.1	97.9	91.3	97.9	95.6
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ⁶	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	105.3	102.7
Gasoline, unleaded premium	100.5	73.8	85.3	84.7	89.9	118.7	101.4	103.2	98.3	103.4	100.4
Automobile maintenance and repair	108.6	112.6	116.9	121.5	126.9	132.5	138.4	143.2	147.7	151.9	155.4
Body work	110.3	114.4	120.7	126.3	133.9	138.5	141.9	145.8	150.0	155.7	160.9
Automobile drive train, brake, and miscellaneous mechanical repair	110.0	114.7	118.3	123.4	129.6	136.7	142.1	148.3	154.1	159.8	162.6
Maintenance and servicing	106.4	110.6	115.0	118.8	122.5	127.0	133.8	136.6	139.4	141.3	144.4
Power plant repair	109.6	112.7	116.8	121.4	127.3	133.1	139.5	145.7	151.2	156.2	160.5
Other private transportation	111.8	118.2	123.8	132.5	139.0	146.7	152.0	155.5	159.0	167.6	172.0
Other private transportation commodities	96.6	95.8	97.5	100.3	102.3	103.8	105.3	104.7	103.3	104.3	105.0
Motor oil, coolant, and other products	103.3	102.5	100.5	110.1	109.8	117.5	118.4	118.1	118.8	126.0	129.3
Automobile parts and equipment	95.5	94.7	96.7	98.9	101.1	102.0	103.6	103.0	101.4	101.9	102.3
Tires	93.4	91.9	93.2	96.9	99.1	99.0	101.3	100.8	99.4	101.6	101.9
Other parts and equipment	100.5	101.6	104.3	105.1	107.3	109.4	110.2	109.5	107.7	106.3	106.8
Other private transportation services	114.8	122.6	129.2	139.3	146.9	156.3	162.5	167.1	171.8	182.4	187.7
Automobile insurance	126.3	141.2	149.4	162.0	171.5	184.4	199.1	212.2	222.8	230.4	238.2
Automobile finance charges	92.0	85.3	90.3	97.8	102.0	102.0	94.8	81.6	77.0	94.7	96.1
Automobile fees	113.2	120.2	124.4	131.3	138.8	152.6	156.9	166.7	170.3	176.5	180.9
Automobile registration, licensing, and inspection fees	114.1	117.9	119.9	127.2	135.4	158.7	165.4	175.6	179.8	180.6	183.8
Other automobile-related fees	112.0	123.2	129.6	136.2	143.1	147.4	149.5	158.9	162.0	173.7	179.1
Public transportation	113.2	120.0	122.1	126.5	131.7	154.4	149.8	158.2	176.5	165.6	178.7
Airline fares	115.9	122.0	123.9	128.0	134.8	165.4	155.4	165.7	193.8	175.3	193.7
Other intercity transportation	119.4	125.3	127.8	136.9	139.2	148.4	152.0	152.2	148.0	151.4	153.0
Intracity public transportation	109.5	117.0	119.8	123.3	125.9	135.6	140.8	147.8	152.0	153.5	158.8

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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										Oct.
	1985	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995
Expenditure category											
Medical care	116.8	125.8	133.1	142.3	154.4	169.2	182.6	194.7	205.2	215.3	222.9
Medical care commodities	118.0	126.0	134.9	144.2	156.0	169.1	181.7	191.1	197.0	202.9	205.7
Prescription drugs	123.8	134.9	145.7	157.1	172.0	189.0	206.7	218.5	225.7	233.2	236.7
Nonprescription drugs and medical supplies ²	-	100.0	105.4	110.7	117.1	123.5	127.9	132.9	136.5	139.6	140.9
Internal and respiratory over-the-counter drugs	114.2	119.9	127.2	134.0	141.5	150.0	153.7	160.5	164.9	166.3	167.2
Nonprescription medical equipment and supplies	111.9	116.5	121.1	126.7	134.4	140.4	148.4	152.7	156.6	164.3	167.2
Medical care services	116.5	125.7	132.7	141.9	154.1	169.3	182.8	195.6	207.1	218.2	226.9
Professional medical services	116.6	124.0	131.8	140.8	149.9	160.0	169.8	179.4	187.4	196.0	202.9
Physicians' services	116.5	125.5	133.4	143.4	153.7	165.1	174.2	185.1	194.5	203.1	210.9
Dental services	116.8	123.2	132.1	140.9	149.9	159.9	173.0	183.1	191.1	201.4	209.1
Eye care ²	-	100.0	105.3	110.3	114.1	119.2	123.5	128.1	130.7	135.0	138.4
Services by other medical professionals ²	-	100.0	104.5	110.3	116.6	122.5	129.2	133.2	137.5	143.0	143.6
Hospital and related services	118.5	127.0	135.9	150.8	167.9	186.9	203.5	221.4	238.2	251.3	261.4
Hospital rooms	117.6	126.6	135.0	149.1	165.5	183.0	198.3	216.0	232.1	244.3	254.4
Other inpatient services ²	-	100.0	107.2	120.8	134.7	151.0	164.2	177.7	191.0	201.9	209.7
Outpatient services ²	-	100.0	107.1	117.0	130.7	145.4	159.7	175.4	189.2	199.7	208.1
Entertainment	109.2	112.9	117.4	122.8	129.1	134.6	139.9	143.8	147.8	151.2	155.2
Entertainment commodities	106.6	108.5	112.6	117.5	121.6	125.2	129.6	131.9	134.4	136.8	139.6
Reading materials	112.3	117.1	121.4	126.5	132.4	138.5	147.3	152.8	158.2	163.9	170.8
Newspapers	111.4	115.5	120.8	126.6	131.6	137.8	151.1	157.2	164.0	172.2	183.2
Magazines, periodicals, and books	113.3	118.9	122.1	126.6	133.3	139.4	144.0	149.0	153.1	156.4	159.5
Sporting goods and equipment	105.4	102.6	106.3	111.0	113.3	115.3	119.6	119.7	120.0	123.8	123.3
Sport vehicles, including bicycles	107.5	103.7	106.8	111.1	113.6	115.9	117.6	120.1	120.0	124.7	124.8
Other sporting goods	99.0	99.2	103.4	108.3	110.4	112.0	118.3	116.5	117.1	120.0	119.1
Toys, hobbies, and other entertainment	103.5	106.5	110.6	115.6	119.5	122.3	123.9	125.2	126.9	126.3	128.3
Toys, hobbies, and music equipment	101.2	103.3	108.0	112.4	115.1	116.8	118.1	121.1	122.9	121.8	122.7
Photographic supplies and equipment	103.3	109.4	116.3	123.0	127.2	129.0	130.1	132.9	135.2	130.9	134.8
Pet supplies and expense	107.6	110.1	112.5	117.7	122.9	127.4	129.6	128.3	129.5	130.8	133.6
Entertainment services	113.1	119.2	124.3	130.0	138.8	146.3	152.7	158.3	163.9	168.3	173.6
Club memberships ²	-	100.0	101.7	109.1	113.5	119.1	123.2	126.0	130.1	129.3	133.7
Fees for participant sports, excluding club memberships ²	-	100.0	107.0	113.2	121.9	128.6	134.9	141.5	152.8	156.7	158.5
Admissions	114.4	120.2	128.4	133.3	146.0	153.6	161.0	167.3	170.3	177.1	183.8
Fees for lessons or instructions ²	-	100.0	105.0	109.8	119.6	125.4	132.4	139.2	144.7	151.8	155.8
Other entertainment services ²	-	100.0	101.7	105.1	109.6	116.2	120.6	124.3	127.9	131.2	136.0
Other goods and services	118.0	124.5	132.1	141.3	152.9	164.5	177.6	189.1	194.2	202.4	210.7
Tobacco and smoking products	119.9	127.0	137.0	149.9	171.9	190.5	211.7	228.9	215.5	222.0	228.0
Personal care	110.0	112.8	116.5	122.4	127.1	132.4	135.7	139.6	143.1	145.8	148.5
Toilet goods and personal care appliances	109.2	111.9	115.0	121.6	124.7	129.9	133.4	137.8	140.1	142.6	144.4
Cosmetics, bath and nail preparations, manicure and eye makeup implements	109.3	112.3	115.5	121.6	123.9	131.2	135.1	137.0	143.4	144.8	147.0
Other toilet goods and small personal care appliances, including hair and dental products	109.2	111.8	114.8	121.7	125.4	129.1	132.3	138.6	137.9	141.1	142.7
Personal care services	110.7	113.6	117.9	123.1	129.7	135.0	138.0	141.3	146.1	149.2	153.0
Beauty parlor services for females	110.5	113.3	117.7	122.7	129.7	135.2	137.9	140.9	146.0	149.0	152.5
Haircuts and other barber shop services for males	111.0	114.1	118.6	124.0	129.2	133.7	137.6	142.4	145.9	149.7	154.4
Personal and educational expenses	124.6	134.6	143.4	153.0	164.0	176.3	191.1	204.2	217.5	229.2	241.3
School books and supplies	122.9	132.3	142.4	152.2	164.0	174.7	184.7	193.8	200.4	207.4	217.7
Personal and educational services	124.9	135.0	143.6	153.2	164.2	176.6	191.8	205.3	219.0	231.1	243.2
Tuition and other school fees	126.2	136.1	146.5	157.6	170.0	183.5	201.4	218.5	234.0	247.8	261.4
College tuition	126.5	135.8	145.3	156.5	169.1	183.0	205.1	225.7	243.5	258.9	273.7
Elementary and high school tuition	125.4	136.9	150.3	163.0	177.4	192.8	207.3	223.7	237.0	251.6	268.3
Day care and nursery school ⁵	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	106.3	111.0	116.7	122.2	126.3
Personal expenses	119.7	130.4	136.2	143.1	151.4	162.0	172.4	179.8	190.3	199.4	209.1
Legal service fees ²	-	100.0	105.2	109.9	116.8	124.8	131.9	137.2	145.1	147.9	153.1
Personal financial services ²	-	100.0	104.1	111.3	117.9	127.0	137.5	144.4	153.9	165.9	177.0
Funeral expenses ²	-	100.0	103.9	108.2	113.4	120.9	128.0	133.2	140.4	148.6	155.7
Special indexes											
Domestically produced farm food	105.1	108.6	112.7	119.4	127.4	135.4	137.2	139.6	144.5	148.1	150.6
Selected beef cuts	101.0	101.2	107.6	112.0	119.6	129.5	128.2	128.4	133.0	129.2	127.6
Motor fuel, motor oil, coolant, and other products	99.7	69.7	82.3	80.8	86.2	117.2	98.7	100.5	95.2	100.8	98.8
Utilities and public transportation	108.5	108.9	110.1	113.9	117.1	122.9	126.7	130.7	136.5	135.1	139.0
Housekeeping and home maintenance services	107.8	109.7	111.9	116.2	118.1	123.0	129.7	134.5	136.9	139.1	144.6

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										Oct.
	1985	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995
Commodity and service group											
All items	3.8	1.1	4.4	4.4	4.6	6.1	3.1	2.9	2.7	2.7	2.7
Commodities	2.5	-2.0	4.6	3.8	4.1	6.6	1.2	2.0	1.5	2.3	1.6
Food and beverages	2.8	3.7	3.5	5.1	5.5	5.3	2.5	1.6	2.7	2.7	1.8
Commodities less food and beverages	2.4	-5.5	5.2	3.1	3.3	7.5	.3	2.3	.6	2.0	1.5
Nondurables less food and beverages	3.6	-9.4	7.5	3.7	4.8	12.3	-1.0	2.3	-7	1.3	1.9
Apparel commodities	2.4	.4	4.9	4.8	.7	5.0	3.4	1.2	.8	-1.9	3.3
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel	3.8	-12.1	9.1	3.0	7.2	16.2	-3.2	2.9	-1.5	3.0	1.2
Durables	.7	.1	2.1	2.5	1.2	.9	2.4	2.5	2.7	2.9	1.0
Services	5.1	4.5	4.3	4.8	5.1	5.7	4.6	3.6	3.8	2.9	3.5
Rent of shelter	6.1	4.7	4.9	4.5	4.9	5.3	3.9	2.9	3.0	2.9	3.4
Household services less rent of shelter	2.1	.0	1.4	3.5	2.4	2.7	4.6	2.8	2.7	.7	2.1
Transportation services	4.9	5.8	4.3	6.0	4.9	8.2	2.5	3.6	4.8	2.5	3.9
Medical care services	6.8	7.9	5.6	6.9	8.6	9.9	8.0	7.0	5.9	5.4	4.0
Other services	5.5	5.5	5.2	5.6	6.5	6.5	6.2	5.3	5.1	4.0	4.0
Special indexes											
All items less food	4.1	.5	4.6	4.2	4.5	6.3	3.3	3.2	2.7	2.6	2.8
All items less shelter	3.1	.2	4.2	4.3	4.6	6.5	2.7	3.0	2.6	2.5	2.4
All items less homeowners' costs	3.4	.5	4.2	4.3	4.5	6.6	2.8	2.9	2.6	2.4	2.6
All items less medical care	3.5	.7	4.3	4.2	4.5	5.9	2.7	2.7	2.6	2.5	2.6
Commodities less food	2.4	-5.3	5.1	3.2	3.3	7.4	.8	2.4	.6	1.9	1.6
Nondurables less food	3.5	-8.7	7.2	3.7	4.7	11.6	-2	2.4	-5	1.3	1.9
Nondurables less food and apparel	3.9	-11.1	8.3	3.1	6.8	14.7	-1.6	2.8	-1.1	2.7	1.3
Nondurables	3.1	-2.6	5.4	4.4	5.2	8.5	.8	1.9	1.1	2.0	1.9
Services less rent of shelter	4.3	4.2	3.7	5.2	5.1	6.2	5.1	4.4	4.4	2.9	3.4
Services less medical care services	5.0	3.9	4.1	4.6	4.7	5.4	4.2	3.3	3.5	2.6	3.4
Energy	1.8	-19.7	8.2	.5	5.1	18.1	-7.4	2.0	-1.4	2.2	-2
All items less energy	4.0	3.8	4.1	4.7	4.6	5.2	3.9	3.0	3.1	2.6	2.9
All items less food and energy	4.3	3.8	4.2	4.7	4.4	5.2	4.4	3.3	3.2	2.6	3.1
Commodities less food and energy commodities	2.2	1.4	3.5	4.0	2.7	3.4	4.0	2.5	1.6	1.4	2.1
Energy commodities	3.4	-30.5	17.8	-2.3	7.9	35.4	-16.1	1.2	-5.1	5.2	-2.0
Services less energy services	5.7	5.2	4.5	5.0	5.3	6.0	4.6	3.7	3.9	3.2	3.5
Expenditure category											
Food and beverages	2.8	3.7	3.5	5.1	5.5	5.3	2.5	1.6	2.7	2.7	1.8
Food	2.6	3.8	3.5	5.2	5.6	5.3	1.9	1.5	2.9	2.9	1.8
Food at home	2.0	3.7	3.5	5.6	6.2	5.8	1.3	1.5	3.5	3.5	1.6
Cereals and bakery products	3.6	2.4	4.1	8.4	7.5	4.6	3.5	4.0	3.7	3.3	2.9
Cereals and cereal products	4.2	2.2	4.9	9.6	7.3	5.3	3.5	3.8	3.4	3.1	2.2
Flour and prepared flour mixes	3.5	.1	1.3	6.9	7.2	2.3	-4	5.4	-2	1.8	8.2
Cereal	6.3	5.0	6.0	9.6	9.8	7.3	4.8	3.9	4.7	2.4	1.5
Rice, pasta, and cornmeal	1.3	-1.0	4.7	11.4	1.4	2.2	2.9	2.1	2.2	5.9	.0
Bakery products	3.5	2.4	3.8	7.8	7.5	4.4	3.5	4.2	3.7	3.5	3.3
White bread	2.6	.7	4.4	11.0	6.1	3.8	1.5	4.1	6.9	2.7	5.3
Fresh other bread, biscuits, rolls, and muffins	2.1	2.5	3.4	9.6	6.9	4.7	3.4	5.2	3.0	4.6	4.7
Cookies, fresh cakes, and cupcakes	3.3	3.7	4.1	6.3	8.0	5.9	4.8	2.3	3.5	3.7	.8
Other bakery products	5.2	2.8	3.4	5.0	8.9	3.1	4.1	4.9	2.0	3.2	2.7
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	1.5	6.4	1.1	5.3	6.6	7.9	-1.5	.4	3.8	-5	3.2
Meats, poultry, and fish	1.3	6.7	2.3	4.6	5.0	8.8	-1.3	.8	4.1	-6	2.9
Meats	.2	6.0	3.6	2.1	6.5	11.3	-2.1	.2	3.7	-1.6	2.5
Beef and veal	.6	.6	6.7	5.6	6.5	8.9	-1.0	.8	3.7	-2.2	-3
Ground beef other than canned	-9	-1.3	5.8	2.5	7.4	7.7	-1.4	-6	3.9	-4.3	-2.0
Chuck roast	-1.1	-7	5.1	7.0	9.8	10.3	1.2	1.1	2.5	-1.7	-1.5
Round roast	.2	-2.8	6.0	5.1	6.4	9.7	-6	1.9	.6	-2	.9
Round steak	1.2	.8	6.9	3.5	6.2	9.6	-2	.0	2.6	-1.2	-2.6
Sirloin steak	.2	2.3	9.5	7.0	2.2	6.6	-3.0	1.3	6.6	-1.3	1.3
Other beef and veal	2.3	2.6	7.5	8.9	6.3	10.0	-9	2.3	3.8	-8	1.7
Pork	.0	15.5	-1.8	-3.1	6.9	16.7	-6.1	-9	4.5	-2.3	6.9
Bacon	.0	13.7	-4.3	-10.4	8.4	17.0	-11.6	-3.5	11.7	-2.0	11.5
Chops	1.9	15.1	-1.8	.3	7.8	15.2	-4.5	2.5	4.5	-4.8	6.5
Ham	-3	18.7	-2.6	-1.9	5.2	18.5	-4.9	-1.7	1.6	-1.7	8.1
Other pork, including sausage	-7	14.4	.1	-2.6	6.8	16.4	-5.3	-1.5	3.3	-8	4.4
Other meats	-8	7.1	4.2	.9	5.7	10.1	.8	.2	2.6	.7	3.4
Poultry	3.0	9.8	-9.3	17.9	.6	1.5	.4	2.7	5.5	-5	4.1
Fresh whole chicken	5.2	12.1	-11.0	21.6	-5	.2	-5	4.2	4.4	-1.3	3.9
Fresh and frozen chicken parts	2.4	13.3	-8.5	18.7	-1.0	2.3	1.2	1.6	7.2	-2.5	4.0
Other poultry	.9	2.0	-7.6	9.2	6.9	1.6	-2	3.1	3.4	6.1	4.7
Fish and seafood	7.2	8.8	10.0	4.2	3.0	3.8	1.3	1.1	4.4	5.2	3.8
Canned fish and seafood	.4	1.6	10.2	13.5	-4.3	-5	-5	1.4	2.4	1.4	.9
Fresh and frozen fish and seafood	10.5	12.1	9.9	1.6	5.3	5.0	1.8	1.0	4.9	6.2	4.5
Eggs	6.0	1.0	-17.6	16.5	35.4	-4.6	-4.0	-4.7	-1.4	.3	8.4

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										Oct.
	1985	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995
Expenditure category											
Dairy products	-0.6	2.1	1.7	4.4	10.3	3.1	0.6	1.3	0.9	1.1	1.2
Fresh milk and cream	-1.5	1.9	1.6	4.7	11.6	2.4	-2	2.5	2.1	.7	.2
Fresh whole milk	-1.6	2.0	1.4	5.1	11.7	2.4	-4	1.8	2.2	.4	-.1
Other fresh milk and cream	-1.4	1.6	2.2	4.0	11.4	2.4	.0	3.4	2.1	1.1	.5
Processed dairy products	.6	2.3	1.8	4.1	9.2	3.8	1.4	.2	-.5	1.5	2.2
Cheese	.3	1.4	2.4	5.2	12.7	4.6	1.8	.2	-.6	1.0	1.5
Ice cream and related products	1.9	3.1	1.4	3.4	7.2	4.4	1.2	.4	.7	3.5	1.7
Other dairy products, including butter	.0	3.3	.7	2.0	1.2	.0	.3	-.2	-1.9	.4	5.4
Fruits and vegetables	4.6	1.5	12.8	6.2	4.4	7.2	4.4	2.2	6.6	8.3	-1.7
Fresh fruits and vegetables	7.8	3.6	17.9	3.7	5.4	8.2	7.6	2.5	9.3	11.9	-3.8
Fresh fruits	1.3	5.9	10.5	13.4	8.1	10.6	10.2	-3.6	13.0	3.7	6.8
Apples	7.6	5.1	-11.4	27.8	-5.8	21.6	12.1	-9.3	8.3	-2.2	12.7
Bananas	.6	5.4	17.0	7.9	5.8	4.6	.0	-3.1	2.7	12.1	3.3
Oranges, including tangerines	-9.3	6.1	14.4	14.3	-4.1	10.3	22.3	-16.1	13.2	.7	55.5
Other fresh fruits	4.6	6.4	16.0	10.3	16.1	8.9	8.9	1.0	15.8	4.6	-3.3
Fresh vegetables	14.8	1.3	25.5	-5.1	2.6	5.5	4.7	10.2	5.3	21.6	-14.4
Potatoes	-20.5	27.6	-.1	23.8	8.9	-4.4	-3.7	6.4	20.3	-6.5	16.5
Lettuce	58.5	-19.5	-	-36.1	-22.1	11.9	11.9	7.6	-16.9	79.8	-29.4
Tomatoes	38.5	1.0	10.4	-10.8	12.9	-7.7	-3.9	55.3	2.0	18.5	-24.8
Other fresh vegetables	12.2	1.9	14.1	2.5	4.8	11.4	7.5	2.5	7.3	21.1	-15.0
Processed fruits and vegetables	1.0	-1.1	4.6	10.8	2.5	5.4	-1.4	1.3	1.4	.5	3.2
Processed fruits	1.5	-2.4	5.8	10.8	.6	7.5	-2.3	2.5	-.8	-.3	3.8
Fruit juices and frozen fruit	.9	-4.3	6.7	12.6	.1	8.8	-4.1	2.7	-1.4	-.6	4.0
Canned and dried fruits	2.7	1.4	3.0	3.9	3.2	2.4	4.9	1.7	1.7	.7	3.3
Processed vegetables	.4	.2	3.0	10.8	5.0	2.6	-.4	-.2	4.3	1.4	2.5
Frozen vegetables	2.6	1.3	3.0	4.3	7.1	3.1	.6	.7	4.0	.8	3.4
Processed vegetables excluding frozen	-.4	-.2	2.9	14.2	3.9	2.5	-.9	-.5	4.3	1.7	2.1
Other food at home	1.9	3.0	.9	4.8	4.2	4.2	1.5	.9	2.0	6.0	1.7
Sugar and sweets	2.7	2.3	1.6	5.1	3.8	4.4	3.6	.9	.9	.9	3.5
Sugar and artificial sweeteners	.3	-.5	1.2	7.8	4.4	2.9	.0	1.0	1.1	1.8	4.7
Sweets, including candy	3.6	3.4	1.9	4.1	3.5	5.0	4.8	1.0	.8	.5	3.1
Fats and oils	-1.2	-1.4	1.7	10.0	2.6	7.7	-1.3	-.7	.8	3.7	3.1
Nonalcoholic beverages	1.2	4.8	-3.5	2.9	3.0	1.9	-.5	-.2	2.2	14.7	-.6
Carbonated drinks	1.0	-.1	1.6	1.3	5.0	.9	1.0	1.6	1.7	-.3	4.3
Coffee	.4	22.8	-14.3	5.8	-1.0	1.5	-5.2	-5.3	5.4	55.4	-8.3
Other noncarbonated drinks	2.8	1.5	2.3	2.8	4.1	5.2	2.5	2.0	-.5	.9	2.0
Other prepared food	3.4	2.7	4.2	5.0	5.7	5.2	3.0	2.2	2.6	2.2	2.7
Canned and packaged soup	3.4	2.7	6.1	3.6	7.5	5.9	6.0	5.7	4.4	4.1	2.6
Frozen prepared food	4.5	2.3	5.8	4.7	5.4	3.4	1.6	.5	-.1	.2	2.2
Snacks	3.9	3.1	3.1	4.8	4.1	3.9	1.3	-.2	2.9	1.8	3.9
Seasonings, condiments, sauces, and spices	3.0	3.1	2.8	4.5	5.6	6.2	4.0	4.1	2.6	2.4	3.9
Miscellaneous prepared food, including baby food	2.7	2.1	4.7	6.1	6.8	6.0	3.4	1.9	3.5	3.0	1.1
Food away from home	3.8	4.3	3.7	4.4	4.6	4.5	2.9	1.4	1.9	1.9	2.0
Lunch	4.0	4.0	3.9	4.6	5.0	4.5	3.0	1.5	2.0	1.8	2.0
Dinner	4.0	3.8	3.5	4.4	4.2	4.0	2.7	1.5	1.8	2.0	1.9
Other meals and snacks	3.1	5.6	3.3	4.4	4.8	5.5	3.0	1.5	1.8	2.0	2.1
Alcoholic beverages	5.5	2.0	3.3	3.9	4.8	4.2	9.9	2.9	1.5	1.0	2.0
Alcoholic beverages at home	5.0	1.4	2.3	3.3	4.3	3.8	11.6	2.1	.5	-.1	1.3
Beer and ale	2.1	1.8	2.1	2.3	4.7	3.6	11.8	2.8	.3	-.1	.3
Wine	1.2	2.2	3.8	1.6	3.5	2.6	14.0	1.5	.5	-1.4	2.7
Distilled spirits	10.8	.7	1.2	1.9	4.4	4.9	9.2	1.4	.9	.8	1.8
Alcoholic beverages away from home	7.9	3.8	4.6	6.0	5.3	4.7	8.2	3.8	2.6	2.4	2.8

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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										Oct.
	1985	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995
Expenditure category											
Housing	4.3	1.7	3.7	4.0	3.9	4.5	3.4	2.6	2.7	2.2	3.0
Shelter	6.0	4.6	4.8	4.5	4.9	5.2	3.9	2.9	3.0	3.0	3.4
Renters' costs	6.3	5.0	3.9	3.9	4.5	6.7	4.2	2.8	2.6	2.3	4.2
Rent, residential	6.4	5.0	4.0	3.6	4.2	4.1	2.9	2.3	2.2	2.5	2.1
Other renters' costs	6.2	5.0	4.1	4.8	5.5	14.4	8.1	4.1	3.7	1.6	10.1
Lodging while out of town	6.4	4.4	3.9	4.5	5.4	15.8	8.5	3.8	3.8	1.3	10.9
Lodging while at school	6.0	6.4	6.2	6.6	7.4	6.3	5.8	7.3	2.8	4.2	4.3
Tenants' insurance	5.8	5.4	3.6	3.3	2.4	1.5	2.1	2.9	3.3	4.1	1.5
Homeowners' costs	5.9	4.6	5.3	4.7	5.1	4.7	3.7	2.9	3.2	3.3	3.1
Owners' equivalent rent	5.9	4.6	5.3	4.8	5.1	4.8	3.7	3.0	3.2	3.3	3.2
Household insurance	5.6	5.7	3.8	3.5	2.6	1.9	2.6	3.1	3.3	4.3	1.1
Maintenance and repairs	2.5	1.8	3.3	2.2	3.2	3.6	3.5	.9	-1.3	4.0	2.7
Maintenance and repair services	2.9	1.6	4.3	1.5	3.2	5.5	1.9	2.9	-3.3	4.7	3.5
Maintenance and repair commodities	2.1	1.8	2.0	3.0	3.0	.9	5.9	-1.9	1.8	2.7	1.7
Materials, supplies, and equipment for home repairs	-	-	2.2	2.5	4.4	2.1	4.1	1.0	1.4	1.7	-1.9
Other maintenance and repair commodities	2.1	-3	1.6	3.6	2.0	-2	7.4	-4.3	2.2	3.5	4.6
Fuel and other utilities	1.8	-5.6	1.6	2.9	3.2	4.0	2.9	2.3	2.5	.2	1.6
Fuels	.8	-9.5	1.4	2.4	3.9	4.3	.9	2.3	1.7	-5	1.3
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities	5.1	-30.0	12.9	-4.6	15.5	28.6	-17.0	-3.1	-3.8	.1	-1.7
Fuel oil	5.4	-33.3	17.9	-6.3	19.5	29.9	-19.9	-3.4	-4.6	.0	-2.0
Other household fuel commodities	-	-	2.6	-3	5.9	25.9	-9.6	-2.4	-2.0	.4	-1.2
Gas (piped) and electricity (energy services)	-6	-3.3	.2	3.2	2.8	1.5	3.5	2.8	2.2	-6	1.6
Electricity	2.7	-1.5	1.8	2.8	2.8	1.4	5.0	1.7	.6	.6	5.3
Utility (piped) gas	-4.7	-5.8	-2.9	3.6	2.7	1.8	.3	5.1	5.8	-3.2	-6.3
Other utilities and public services	5.0	3.7	1.9	3.8	2.2	3.5	5.7	2.4	3.6	1.2	1.9
Telephone services	4.7	2.7	-1.3	1.3	-3	-4	3.5	-3	1.8	.7	.9
Local charges	8.9	7.1	3.3	4.5	.6	1.0	5.1	.5	1.0	-3	2.4
Interstate toll calls	-3.7	-9.4	-12.4	-4.2	-1.3	-3.7	1.3	-1.3	6.5	5.4	-1.1
Intrastate toll calls	.6	.3	-3.0	-4.2	-2.6	-2.2	-1.5	-2.4	.2	-1.0	-3.8
Water and sewerage maintenance	5.6	5.4	5.2	6.1	6.6	6.2	7.8	6.6	4.8	4.2	2.6
Cable television	6.0	3.8	9.5	10.6	3.8	13.1	8.6	3.7	7.0	-2.6	3.7
Refuse collection	6.4	9.4	10.2	7.9	9.7	9.8	11.5	8.5	5.2	5.0	2.7
Household furnishings and operation	1.9	1.5	1.1	3.1	1.0	1.8	2.3	1.6	1.8	.4	2.6
Housefurnishings	.2	1.2	.4	2.5	-4	.6	.9	1.5	1.5	.0	1.3
Textile housefurnishings	.0	2.6	.2	5.8	-3	2.5	1.9	-1.9	6.6	-3.6	3.8
Furniture and bedding	3.3	2.2	2.1	3.5	-1.4	1.1	1.0	4.5	3.6	1.6	3.4
Bedroom furniture	4.6	3.5	.2	4.7	-2.1	-1.3	4.1	6.1	5.3	-1.9	1.4
Sofas	.7	7.2	4.5	.8	-7	.4	.6	3.4	-1.5	6.6	6.8
Living room chairs and tables	4.9	.5	2.2	3.3	-4	5.5	-2.2	3.6	7.7	.5	6.1
Other furniture	2.3	-.8	2.4	4.0	-1.6	1.9	-.3	3.8	3.1	2.9	1.9
Appliances, including electronic equipment	-3.8	-1.0	-2.7	.7	-1.8	-2.4	-1.7	-1.6	-.8	-1.2	-3.5
Video and audio products	-5.3	-2.2	-3.7	-1.4	-.5	-3.6	-.8	-1.8	-.8	-2.1	-3.5
Televisions	-8.0	-4.3	-4.4	-1.4	-1.3	-3.6	-1.1	-1.2	-1.7	-1.4	-4.2
Video products other than televisions	-	-	-	-	-4.9	-9.5	-5.5	-3.4	-2.0	-6.6	-3.9
Audio products	-3.2	-.9	1.0	-.4	2.6	-1.1	1.8	-1.5	.4	-1.0	-2.7
Major household appliances	-	-	-1.2	3.6	-1.4	-.3	-2.1	.5	1.5	3.6	-2.1
Refrigerators and home freezers	-1.9	-1.2	.9	1.6	1.3	-1.0	-1.7	.7	4.4	4.9	-1.9
Laundry equipment	.6	-.5	-1.3	4.2	-1.0	1.2	-1.5	.7	.8	3.3	-1.6
Stoves, ovens, dishwashers, and air conditioners	-	-	-2.8	4.8	-3.3	-1.1	-3.0	.2	.1	2.4	-2.7
Information processing equipment	-	-	-	-	-7.3	-2.6	-4.1	-6.1	-7.6	-9.1	-8.5
Other housefurnishings	-	-	1.8	2.2	1.8	2.0	3.0	2.1	.0	.4	1.8
Floor and window coverings, infants', laundry, cleaning, and outdoor equipment	.1	3.7	5.5	-.6	4.5	7.3	-1.9	2.1	2.6	.4	5.7
Clocks, lamps, and decor items	-.4	-1.7	1.7	3.0	6.5	-.2	4.6	2.1	-1.7	-.3	2.5
Tableware, serving pieces, and nonelectric kitchenware	2.2	2.9	1.3	2.6	1.8	1.3	6.9	1.4	.8	.5	.6
Lawn equipment, power tools, and other hardware	1.1	-1.6	1.3	-.3	-3.1	1.9	.0	.1	3.7	.5	.1
Sewing, floor cleaning, small kitchen, and portable heating appliances	-	-	-1.6	1.6	-2.8	-.9	-.4	1.0	-3.4	-2.1	-.1
Indoor plants and fresh cut flowers	-	-	-	-	-	-	7.0	5.6	-2.7	3.7	1.6
Housekeeping supplies	3.3	1.7	2.9	4.0	5.6	3.2	1.8	-.2	1.9	.8	4.7
Laundry and cleaning products, including soap	4.5	1.9	4.6	4.2	4.6	4.0	4.2	-.4	-.1	1.5	1.3
Household paper products and stationery supplies	3.0	1.1	.7	5.8	5.5	3.8	.3	.2	2.3	.2	9.0
Other household, lawn, and garden supplies	2.3	1.8	3.2	2.2	7.0	1.6	.7	-.6	3.7	.5	4.1
Housekeeping services	3.9	1.8	1.8	4.0	1.5	4.0	5.8	3.8	2.2	1.4	4.0
Postage	10.2	.0	.0	13.5	.0	.0	16.1	.0	.0	.0	10.3
Appliance and furniture repair	3.2	2.6	3.1	2.7	1.9	3.4	4.3	6.9	2.5	1.0	3.3
Gardening and other household services	-	-	4.9	4.1	3.7	4.0	2.1	4.9	1.8	.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										Oct.
	1985	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995
Expenditure category											
Apparel and upkeep	2.8	0.9	4.8	4.7	1.0	5.1	3.4	1.4	0.9	-1.6	3.1
Apparel commodities	2.4	.4	4.9	4.8	.7	5.0	3.4	1.2	.8	-1.9	3.3
Apparel commodities less footwear	2.8	.3	5.1	4.6	.7	5.3	3.6	.9	.7	-1.8	3.3
Men's and boys'	3.1	.2	3.1	6.0	1.3	2.9	2.9	1.0	.3	-1.7	2.5
Men's	3.3	.1	4.0	6.1	1.9	3.2	3.1	1.3	.0	-1.4	1.6
Suits, sport coats, coats, and jackets	3.2	1.6	3.4	9.2	2.2	2.8	2.4	1.1	3.5	-1.0	.3
Furnishings and special clothing	3.0	.6	.6	3.3	3.3	2.0	2.0	1.1	-.5	-.2	-.9
Shirts	5.9	-.7	6.4	6.3	.2	4.1	4.1	1.1	-.8	-.2	4.4
Dungarees, jeans, and trousers	1.3	-.9	5.8	4.8	1.8	4.5	3.4	2.5	-.1	-1.6	2.9
Boys'	2.5	.4	-.5	4.9	-1.0	1.4	2.8	-1.0	1.8	-3.3	6.4
Women's and girls'	3.3	-.6	5.9	3.5	-.1	6.1	4.0	.5	1.2	-3.8	3.9
Women's	3.6	-.7	6.0	2.9	.2	6.6	3.1	.3	2.0	-4.4	4.1
Coats and jackets	1.9	-7.3	4.5	.5	4.2	7.6	3.3	4.2	4.4	-9.7	5.4
Dresses	1.6	-.9	13.3	3.0	-.8	7.0	-2.4	2.1	-.7	-11.1	12.6
Separates and sportswear	6.9	1.0	5.1	2.1	-.5	6.1	4.1	-1.3	2.9	-3.5	1.6
Underwear, nightwear, hosiery, and accessories	2.8	.1	.5	5.8	1.7	4.3	2.3	.7	1.4	1.1	2.7
Suits	5.7	.3	10.2	5.3	-2.2	11.8	10.1	.9	4.3	.3	4.5
Girls'	1.1	1.2	4.8	6.4	-1.0	3.5	8.8	2.1	-3.3	-.7	2.9
Infants' and toddlers'	4.1	2.9	2.4	2.4	-1.7	8.9	2.9	1.2	-2.8	3.3	-.2
Other apparel commodities	.6	2.6	8.4	7.0	3.1	6.5	3.5	2.6	1.2	4.3	4.5
Sewing materials, notions, and luggage	-	-	2.7	6.3	1.8	6.8	2.0	1.4	-1.3	.0	10.5
Watches and jewelry	-	-	9.7	7.2	3.3	6.5	3.9	2.8	1.7	5.0	3.3
Watches	-	-	3.4	4.4	-.2	2.5	3.4	-1.2	5.3	5.0	8.1
Jewelry	-	-	11.5	7.9	4.3	7.5	3.9	3.8	.9	5.1	2.2
Footwear	.8	.5	3.8	5.9	1.1	3.2	2.9	2.7	.6	-1.7	3.2
Men's	3.4	2.7	2.6	7.0	2.3	3.0	3.0	2.7	.2	-.8	2.8
Boys' and girls'	-2.1	2.0	7.0	4.3	3.3	3.7	-.2	-1.0	.5	1.0	1.1
Women's	.5	-2.5	3.3	5.8	-.7	3.2	4.1	4.4	.7	-3.6	4.4
Apparel services	4.9	3.8	3.9	4.4	3.6	6.8	3.4	3.3	2.7	1.7	.4
Laundry and dry cleaning other than coin operated	4.5	3.7	5.2	5.4	3.9	5.4	3.0	3.2	3.2	1.8	.3
Other apparel services	6.0	4.0	2.6	3.3	3.4	8.5	3.6	3.5	2.3	1.4	.5
Transportation	2.6	-5.9	6.1	3.0	4.0	10.4	-1.5	3.0	2.4	3.8	1.7
Private	2.4	-6.9	6.5	2.9	3.9	9.8	-1.4	2.7	1.5	4.9	1.0
New vehicles	3.6	5.6	1.8	2.2	2.4	2.0	3.2	2.3	3.3	3.3	.6
New cars	3.4	5.9	1.8	2.1	2.3	1.4	3.3	2.3	2.8	3.2	.1
Subcompact new cars	-	-	1.9	2.2	1.0	.4	4.1	2.7	3.5	3.3	.7
Compact new cars	-	-	1.4	1.1	2.1	1.7	2.3	.7	3.2	4.3	.5
Intermediate new cars	-	-	.5	1.4	3.6	1.6	3.6	2.1	2.1	3.4	-.4
Full-size new cars	-	-	3.2	2.5	3.0	1.5	3.7	1.7	3.0	1.9	-1.0
Luxury new cars	-	-	4.1	5.2	2.0	2.5	2.7	3.6	1.8	2.8	.5
New trucks	4.6	4.3	1.3	2.2	3.3	4.2	3.0	2.5	4.6	3.7	2.2
New motorcycles	-	-	4.1	5.3	4.2	2.8	5.4	4.0	7.2	7.9	4.6
Used cars	-1.8	-5.1	8.9	3.4	-.4	-2.2	2.6	7.4	8.0	8.8	3.8
Motor fuel	3.1	-30.7	18.7	-2.1	6.8	36.5	-16.0	1.8	-5.4	5.9	-2.1
Gasoline	3.0	-30.7	18.6	-1.8	6.5	36.8	-16.2	2.0	-5.9	6.4	-2.2
Gasoline, unleaded regular	3.2	-31.6	18.5	-2.5	5.5	38.9	-16.7	1.9	-6.7	7.2	-2.3
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.3	-2.5
Gasoline, unleaded premium	1.9	-26.6	15.6	-.7	6.1	32.0	-14.6	1.8	-4.7	5.2	-2.9
Automobile maintenance and repair	3.2	3.7	3.8	3.9	4.4	4.4	4.5	3.5	3.1	2.8	2.3
Body work	3.6	3.7	5.5	4.6	6.0	3.4	2.5	2.7	2.9	3.8	3.3
Automobile drive train, brake, and miscellaneous mechanical repair	3.0	4.3	3.1	4.3	5.0	5.5	4.0	4.4	3.9	3.7	1.8
Maintenance and servicing	2.5	3.9	4.0	3.3	3.1	3.7	5.4	2.1	2.0	1.4	2.2
Power plant repair	4.4	2.8	3.6	3.9	4.9	4.6	4.8	4.4	3.8	3.3	2.8
Other private transportation	4.6	5.7	4.7	7.0	4.9	5.5	3.6	2.3	2.3	5.4	2.6
Other private transportation commodities	.0	-.8	1.8	2.9	2.0	1.5	1.4	-.6	-1.3	1.0	.7
Motor oil, coolant, and other products	1.3	-.8	-2.0	9.6	-.3	7.0	.8	-.3	.6	6.1	2.6
Automobile parts and equipment	-.3	-.8	2.1	2.3	2.2	.9	1.6	-.6	-1.6	.5	.4
Tires	-.5	-1.6	1.4	4.0	2.3	-.1	2.3	-.5	-1.4	2.2	.3
Other parts and equipment	.2	1.1	2.7	.8	2.1	2.0	.7	-.6	-1.6	-1.3	.5
Other private transportation services	5.3	6.8	5.4	7.8	5.5	6.4	4.0	2.8	2.8	6.2	2.9
Automobile insurance	12.1	11.8	5.8	8.4	5.9	7.5	8.0	6.6	5.0	3.4	3.4
Automobile finance charges	-8.3	-7.3	5.9	8.3	4.3	.0	-7.1	-13.9	-5.6	23.0	1.5
Automobile fees	2.9	6.2	3.5	5.5	5.7	9.9	2.8	6.2	2.2	3.6	2.5
Automobile registration, licensing, and inspection fees	2.1	3.3	1.7	6.1	6.4	17.2	4.2	6.2	2.4	.4	1.8
Other automobile-related fees	4.3	10.0	5.2	5.1	5.1	3.0	1.4	6.3	2.0	7.2	3.1
Public transportation	5.1	6.0	1.8	3.6	4.1	17.2	-3.0	5.6	11.6	-6.2	7.9
Airline fares	6.3	5.3	1.6	3.3	5.3	22.7	-6.0	6.6	17.0	-9.5	10.5
Other intercity transportation	6.3	4.9	2.0	7.1	1.7	6.6	2.4	.1	-.8	2.3	1.1
Intracity public transportation	3.5	6.8	2.4	2.9	2.1	7.7	3.8	5.0	2.8	1.0	3.5

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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

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

- 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	147.0	147.3	147.2	144.5	146.8	145.6	2.7	2.5
1995	147.8	148.3	148.7	149.3	149.6	149.9	149.9	150.2	150.6	151.0	-	-	148.9	-	-	-	-

- 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										Oct.
	1985	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995
Commodity and service group											
All items	108.6	109.3	114.2	119.2	124.6	132.2	135.9	139.8	143.3	147.2	151.0
Commodities	106.3	104.0	108.9	113.0	117.8	125.8	127.0	129.8	131.6	134.8	137.1
Food and beverages	106.7	110.7	114.5	120.3	126.9	133.6	136.9	139.1	142.9	146.6	149.3
Commodities less food and beverages	106.1	99.8	105.4	108.6	112.1	121.0	120.9	124.1	124.7	127.6	129.7
Nondurables less food and beverages	105.7	95.2	102.8	106.3	111.6	126.2	124.2	127.3	125.7	127.7	130.0
Apparel commodities	105.6	105.8	111.1	116.0	116.6	122.3	126.1	127.8	128.5	126.1	130.5
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel	105.7	92.3	101.2	104.1	111.7	131.0	126.2	129.9	127.2	131.3	132.7
Durables	105.5	105.3	108.0	110.7	112.0	112.6	115.3	118.7	122.3	126.5	128.2
Services	111.6	116.4	121.3	127.2	133.4	140.7	147.0	152.1	157.6	162.4	167.7
Rent of shelter ¹	106.1	111.1	116.4	121.5	127.5	133.9	139.1	143.0	147.3	151.7	156.6
Household services less rent of shelter ¹	102.0	101.8	103.1	106.8	109.3	112.2	117.6	120.8	124.2	124.9	127.4
Transportation services	112.2	118.5	123.6	131.2	137.8	147.9	152.5	157.2	163.3	169.2	175.3
Medical care services	116.7	125.7	133.2	142.7	154.7	169.0	182.4	195.4	206.6	217.7	226.6
Other services	115.5	121.6	127.9	135.0	143.8	152.8	162.0	169.9	178.5	185.9	193.3
Special indexes											
All items less food	109.0	109.0	114.1	118.8	124.0	131.7	135.7	140.0	143.4	147.4	151.3
All items less shelter	108.2	107.8	112.5	117.4	122.6	130.6	133.7	137.6	140.8	144.6	147.9
All items less homeowners' costs ¹	103.2	103.4	107.8	112.4	117.4	124.9	128.1	131.8	134.9	138.4	141.8
All items less medical care	108.1	108.4	113.2	117.9	123.1	130.4	133.6	137.2	140.4	144.0	147.6
Commodities less food	106.2	100.2	105.6	108.9	112.6	121.2	121.8	125.0	125.7	128.5	130.6
Nondurables less food	105.9	96.1	103.3	106.9	112.2	126.0	125.3	128.4	127.1	129.0	131.4
Nondurables less food and apparel	106.0	93.6	101.8	104.9	112.2	129.7	127.0	130.7	128.6	132.4	133.9
Nondurables	106.2	103.2	108.8	113.5	119.5	130.1	130.8	133.4	134.5	137.4	139.9
Services less rent of shelter ¹	104.2	108.3	112.2	118.1	123.9	131.1	137.9	143.5	149.5	154.0	159.1
Services less medical care services	111.1	115.4	120.1	125.6	131.4	138.1	143.9	148.4	153.4	157.6	162.6
Energy	101.5	80.7	87.8	88.1	92.7	110.5	101.6	103.5	101.7	104.2	103.8
All items less energy	109.5	113.4	118.0	123.6	129.1	135.5	140.8	144.9	149.1	153.3	157.5
All items less food and energy	110.3	114.1	119.0	124.4	129.7	136.0	142.0	146.6	150.9	155.1	159.7
Commodities less food and energy commodities	107.4	108.6	112.6	117.0	120.2	124.0	128.9	132.7	134.7	137.1	140.1
Energy commodities	100.2	69.6	82.1	80.3	86.4	117.1	98.4	99.5	94.3	99.4	97.5
Services less energy services	112.5	118.2	123.7	129.8	136.4	144.3	151.0	156.3	162.1	167.5	173.1
Expenditure category											
Food and beverages	106.7	110.7	114.5	120.3	126.9	133.6	136.9	139.1	142.9	146.6	149.3
Food	106.6	110.7	114.5	120.4	127.1	133.9	136.3	138.3	142.2	146.2	148.9
Food at home	105.0	108.9	112.5	118.8	126.2	133.5	135.0	137.0	141.7	146.3	148.9
Cereals and bakery products	109.6	112.2	116.9	126.7	136.0	142.3	147.2	153.0	158.6	163.9	168.8
Cereals and cereal products	108.1	110.4	115.8	126.8	136.1	143.1	148.2	153.5	158.7	163.6	167.2
Flour and prepared flour mixes	104.2	104.3	105.5	112.6	120.8	123.5	123.3	129.5	129.3	131.5	142.8
Cereal	113.9	119.6	126.7	138.9	152.4	163.3	171.1	177.7	186.1	190.5	193.2
Rice, pasta, and cornmeal	102.5	101.6	106.6	118.7	120.4	122.9	126.4	128.9	131.7	139.6	139.6
Bakery products	110.1	112.8	117.2	126.4	135.7	141.6	146.4	152.5	158.2	163.8	169.1
White bread	107.5	108.4	113.1	125.7	133.3	138.2	140.2	145.9	155.9	160.2	169.1
Fresh other bread, biscuits, rolls, and muffins	106.8	109.5	113.4	124.3	132.7	139.1	144.1	151.6	155.8	163.2	170.9
Cookies, fresh cakes, and cupcakes	112.1	116.4	121.3	128.7	138.8	146.7	153.7	157.3	162.5	168.5	169.4
Other bakery products	113.5	116.7	120.7	126.7	137.8	142.4	147.9	155.5	158.4	163.6	167.8
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	102.4	109.0	110.1	115.8	123.8	133.6	131.5	132.1	136.9	136.0	140.5
Meats, poultry, and fish	102.4	109.3	111.7	116.9	123.0	133.9	132.0	133.1	138.2	137.3	141.4
Meats	100.6	106.7	110.4	112.7	120.1	133.8	130.8	131.2	136.0	133.7	137.1
Beef and veal	101.3	101.8	108.6	114.6	122.3	133.2	131.7	132.8	137.7	134.7	134.2
Ground beef other than canned	97.7	96.5	102.2	104.7	112.6	121.2	119.5	118.8	123.2	117.7	115.1
Chuck roast	100.8	100.4	105.5	112.9	123.9	136.6	138.5	140.1	143.5	141.2	139.0
Round roast	99.0	96.0	101.9	108.1	116.2	128.0	125.9	129.1	130.1	132.3	134.0
Round steak	100.0	101.4	108.5	112.0	118.9	130.3	130.1	129.8	133.3	131.5	128.7
Sirloin steak	101.6	103.3	113.4	121.3	124.6	131.9	128.5	130.4	138.8	137.2	139.4
Other beef and veal	104.7	107.2	115.2	125.7	133.4	147.0	145.4	148.6	154.5	153.0	155.7
Pork	99.5	115.0	112.9	109.6	117.3	136.8	128.6	127.7	133.4	130.3	139.3
Bacon	99.5	112.7	107.9	96.7	105.0	123.0	108.5	104.8	117.1	114.8	127.8
Chops	100.9	116.3	114.5	114.7	124.1	142.6	136.4	140.0	146.5	139.3	148.1
Ham	101.8	121.1	117.5	115.7	121.6	143.7	136.8	134.9	136.9	134.9	145.6
Other pork, including sausage	97.2	111.2	111.3	108.5	115.8	135.1	127.8	126.0	130.2	128.8	134.7
Other meats	100.5	107.5	111.8	112.7	119.0	131.3	132.3	132.6	136.1	136.9	141.7
Poultry	108.0	118.6	107.4	126.9	127.4	129.2	129.8	133.4	140.7	140.2	146.1
Fresh whole chicken	107.7	121.2	107.4	131.0	130.0	130.3	129.8	135.4	141.3	139.7	145.6
Fresh and frozen chicken parts	106.9	120.8	110.2	131.1	129.7	132.7	134.3	136.5	146.4	143.0	148.9
Other poultry	110.1	111.7	103.6	112.5	120.1	121.8	122.2	125.7	129.7	138.2	144.2
Fish and seafood	111.4	121.5	133.6	139.7	144.8	148.8	151.2	153.8	158.8	167.1	173.8
Canned fish and seafood	98.3	99.8	110.2	124.8	119.4	119.1	118.4	119.8	122.8	124.5	125.8
Fresh and frozen fish and seafood	118.8	133.8	147.0	150.0	159.3	165.2	168.7	172.0	177.8	189.0	197.9
Eggs	102.5	103.4	84.9	99.0	134.3	128.0	122.7	117.0	114.8	115.3	125.4

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										Oct.
	1985	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995
Expenditure category											
Dairy products	102.6	104.7	106.4	111.2	122.8	126.5	127.2	128.9	130.0	131.4	132.8
Fresh milk and cream	101.3	103.2	104.9	109.9	122.5	125.6	125.3	128.2	131.0	131.9	132.0
Fresh whole milk	101.3	103.3	104.7	110.0	122.7	125.8	125.3	127.6	130.3	130.8	130.8
Other fresh milk and cream	101.3	103.0	105.3	109.7	122.1	125.0	125.1	129.2	132.1	133.5	134.0
Processed dairy products	104.4	106.8	108.5	113.1	123.5	128.1	129.8	130.1	129.3	131.3	134.3
Cheese	103.0	104.5	106.7	112.3	126.8	132.7	134.9	135.1	134.0	135.2	137.4
Ice cream and related products	106.1	109.3	110.8	114.9	123.1	128.5	129.9	130.5	131.2	136.0	138.5
Other dairy products, including butter	105.3	108.7	109.3	111.5	113.0	112.8	113.0	112.8	111.0	111.5	117.3
Fruits and vegetables	107.9	109.3	123.0	130.8	135.8	145.7	152.1	155.3	165.4	178.8	176.4
Fresh fruits and vegetables	109.4	112.8	132.7	137.6	144.0	156.1	168.5	172.8	188.6	210.8	203.7
Fresh fruits	108.3	114.2	126.0	143.1	152.3	169.5	188.1	180.0	202.6	209.8	226.7
Apples	111.9	117.2	104.3	133.0	124.6	151.9	170.4	154.2	167.2	163.5	184.6
Bananas	86.8	91.5	107.4	115.9	122.7	128.1	127.6	124.0	127.2	142.7	147.5
Oranges, including tangerines	104.8	110.2	126.4	144.2	137.8	151.9	187.0	156.8	177.0	178.1	274.3
Other fresh fruits	113.9	120.7	139.9	154.5	176.9	194.4	213.1	214.5	247.8	259.1	250.6
Fresh vegetables	110.3	111.5	139.5	132.3	135.9	143.1	149.3	166.0	175.1	212.0	181.3
Potatoes	80.6	103.0	102.7	127.7	139.3	133.5	128.2	136.8	164.9	154.1	179.3
Lettuce	143.5	116.0	272.4	173.6	135.3	151.3	169.6	180.7	151.4	269.0	192.2
Tomatoes	124.4	125.0	137.9	123.0	139.2	128.2	123.1	190.9	194.6	229.9	172.7
Other fresh vegetables	108.7	110.4	126.1	129.2	135.0	150.8	162.4	167.4	179.6	217.6	184.0
Processed fruits and vegetables	106.2	105.2	109.9	122.0	125.0	131.7	129.6	131.0	132.9	133.6	137.8
Processed fruits	108.7	106.3	112.4	124.5	125.2	134.9	131.4	134.3	133.1	132.6	137.6
Fruit juices and frozen fruit	109.9	105.5	112.5	126.6	126.4	137.9	132.0	135.0	133.1	132.1	137.3
Canned and dried fruits	106.5	107.9	111.0	115.4	119.0	122.0	127.9	130.0	131.9	133.2	137.4
Processed vegetables	103.9	104.2	107.3	119.3	125.1	128.4	127.7	127.6	132.9	135.0	138.3
Frozen vegetables	107.1	108.5	111.7	116.6	124.9	128.6	129.6	130.7	135.5	136.6	141.5
Processed vegetables excluding frozen	102.8	102.7	105.8	121.1	125.8	129.0	127.4	126.8	132.3	134.9	137.5
Other food at home	105.7	108.8	109.8	115.1	120.1	125.1	127.0	128.2	130.8	138.3	140.8
Sugar and sweets	106.6	109.1	110.9	116.7	121.1	126.3	130.6	131.9	133.1	134.4	139.0
Sugar and artificial sweeteners	101.2	100.8	102.1	110.3	115.2	118.4	118.4	119.6	120.8	123.2	129.0
Sweets, including candy	108.9	112.7	114.6	119.2	123.5	129.6	135.8	137.2	138.3	139.1	143.2
Fats and oils	107.2	105.7	107.6	118.3	121.5	130.8	129.1	128.3	129.3	134.1	138.0
Nonalcoholic beverages	103.6	108.2	104.9	107.8	111.2	113.3	112.9	112.7	115.1	130.6	130.2
Carbonated drinks	101.9	101.9	103.6	105.2	110.4	111.3	112.3	114.0	116.0	115.7	120.6
Coffee	104.8	128.9	110.3	116.6	115.2	117.0	111.0	104.9	110.5	172.3	157.8
Other noncarbonated drinks	108.4	110.1	112.6	115.5	120.1	126.5	129.9	132.4	131.5	132.6	135.4
Other prepared food	107.4	110.3	114.8	120.5	127.4	134.0	138.1	141.0	144.7	148.0	151.8
Canned and packaged soup	109.0	112.1	119.0	123.4	132.6	140.7	149.0	157.5	164.3	171.3	175.8
Frozen prepared food	109.6	112.3	118.7	124.0	130.8	135.3	137.4	138.1	137.5	137.9	140.6
Snacks	108.8	112.1	115.6	121.4	126.1	131.1	132.6	132.1	136.0	138.5	143.9
Seasonings, condiments, sauces, and spices	106.9	110.1	113.1	118.1	124.7	132.5	137.8	143.5	147.3	150.8	156.6
Miscellaneous prepared food, including baby food	105.3	107.6	112.5	119.4	127.7	135.2	140.2	142.8	147.9	152.5	153.9
Food away from home	109.9	114.6	118.8	124.0	129.7	135.6	139.4	141.6	144.1	147.0	149.9
Lunch	109.6	114.0	118.3	123.7	129.9	135.7	139.7	141.9	144.6	147.4	150.4
Dinner	110.5	114.7	118.7	123.8	129.1	134.3	137.9	140.0	142.5	145.4	148.2
Other meals and snacks	109.4	115.5	119.3	124.4	130.3	137.5	141.6	143.7	146.1	149.1	152.2
Alcoholic beverages	109.5	111.7	115.1	119.5	125.2	130.5	143.5	147.7	150.0	151.4	154.2
Alcoholic beverages at home	107.9	109.4	111.8	114.4	119.4	123.9	138.2	141.3	142.0	141.7	143.3
Beer and ale	107.2	109.0	111.3	114.3	119.7	124.1	138.9	142.8	143.2	142.9	143.5
Wine	100.1	102.1	105.6	107.5	110.8	114.0	129.3	131.3	131.6	130.0	133.2
Distilled spirits	112.4	113.3	114.6	116.7	121.9	127.9	139.3	141.3	142.8	143.8	146.4
Alcoholic beverages away from home	115.6	120.3	125.4	132.6	139.5	146.3	158.0	164.0	168.8	172.5	177.3

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										Oct.
	1985	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995
Expenditure category											
Housing	108.4	110.2	114.1	118.5	123.1	128.3	132.7	136.1	139.7	142.7	146.6
Shelter	110.5	115.7	121.2	126.5	132.6	139.3	144.6	148.7	153.1	157.7	162.8
Renters' costs ¹	106.3	111.6	115.9	120.0	125.4	132.6	137.7	141.4	144.9	148.5	153.5
Rent, residential	115.0	120.8	125.3	129.7	135.0	140.6	144.8	148.2	151.6	155.4	158.6
Other renters' costs	113.8	119.4	124.5	129.2	137.6	157.2	170.2	176.9	183.3	187.2	205.3
Lodging while out of town	112.3	117.0	121.8	126.2	134.4	155.2	168.6	174.5	181.2	184.4	203.6
Lodging while at school ²	121.1	129.3	136.9	144.9	155.5	165.0	175.7	189.7	193.8	202.9	211.8
Tenants' insurance	112.2	118.4	122.6	126.0	128.9	130.4	133.6	137.0	141.2	147.9	149.2
Homeowners' costs ¹	105.9	110.8	116.6	122.2	128.3	134.3	139.5	143.5	148.2	153.1	157.8
Owners' equivalent rent ¹	105.9	110.8	116.6	122.2	128.5	134.5	139.7	143.8	148.4	153.3	158.1
Household insurance ¹	105.7	111.7	116.1	119.6	122.7	124.9	128.4	132.0	136.4	142.9	144.3
Maintenance and repairs	107.4	109.2	112.5	115.2	119.0	123.6	130.6	129.8	127.7	132.4	135.7
Maintenance and repair services	109.2	111.2	115.9	117.8	122.4	129.8	135.7	139.0	134.0	140.3	144.4
Maintenance and repair commodities	103.8	105.3	107.1	110.6	113.6	115.2	123.1	118.0	119.0	121.9	124.3
Materials, supplies, and equipment for home repairs ³	-	100.0	101.9	104.0	109.4	112.3	117.1	116.3	116.4	117.5	116.9
Other maintenance and repair commodities	103.4	103.8	105.4	109.8	110.8	111.1	121.2	112.9	114.5	118.7	123.4
Fuel and other utilities	106.3	100.1	101.7	104.8	108.0	112.1	115.7	118.4	121.5	121.6	123.5
Fuels	103.5	93.7	94.8	97.2	100.7	104.7	105.9	108.4	110.2	109.5	110.8
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities	101.8	71.5	80.2	76.7	88.1	113.4	94.4	91.7	88.2	88.3	86.8
Fuel oil	100.9	67.4	79.5	74.4	89.0	115.6	92.5	89.5	85.4	85.4	83.6
Other household fuel commodities ³	-	100.0	102.4	102.2	108.3	136.6	123.2	120.3	117.8	118.2	116.8
Gas (piped) and electricity (energy services)	104.1	100.5	100.7	103.9	106.7	108.2	111.9	115.1	117.7	116.8	118.5
Electricity	106.8	105.2	107.0	110.2	113.1	114.5	120.4	122.4	123.0	123.8	130.6
Utility (piped) gas	100.6	94.5	91.8	95.2	97.7	99.4	99.3	104.7	110.9	107.0	99.7
Other utilities and public services	114.5	118.5	120.9	125.6	128.4	133.2	140.7	144.2	149.6	151.1	153.9
Telephone services	114.1	116.8	115.6	117.1	116.7	116.4	120.4	120.1	122.3	123.1	124.0
Local charges	125.4	133.7	138.5	144.8	145.5	147.0	154.7	155.3	156.9	156.3	159.7
Interstate toll calls	93.3	84.5	74.0	70.9	70.0	67.4	68.3	67.4	71.8	75.7	74.9
Intrastate toll calls	106.3	106.7	103.5	99.2	96.7	94.6	93.2	91.0	91.1	90.3	87.1
Water and sewerage maintenance	115.4	121.6	127.9	135.1	144.1	152.6	163.8	174.3	182.9	190.5	195.4
Cable television ⁴	112.2	116.6	127.9	141.6	147.1	166.9	181.2	188.4	201.7	195.8	203.0
Refuse collection ⁴	113.0	123.8	136.1	146.7	161.0	177.1	197.6	214.6	225.7	236.8	242.8
Household furnishings and operation	104.5	105.8	106.9	110.2	111.1	113.0	115.4	117.2	119.0	119.7	122.7
Housefurnishings	101.6	102.5	102.9	105.4	104.7	105.2	106.0	107.7	109.1	109.1	110.4
Textile housefurnishings	105.6	107.6	108.6	115.5	114.7	117.6	119.2	117.6	124.8	121.0	126.0
Furniture and bedding	106.8	109.3	111.5	115.0	113.0	114.2	115.5	120.5	123.9	125.4	129.8
Bedroom furniture	111.2	115.2	115.5	121.6	118.8	117.1	122.0	128.3	134.6	132.2	133.9
Sofas	102.8	110.2	115.7	114.7	113.5	113.7	113.6	117.7	116.3	123.5	132.0
Living room chairs and tables	106.9	107.3	109.3	112.7	111.4	117.4	115.6	119.9	125.7	126.7	134.8
Other furniture	104.1	102.9	105.5	109.1	107.1	109.8	109.2	114.0	115.8	118.3	121.0
Appliances, including electronic equipment	93.9	92.6	90.1	90.8	89.2	87.1	85.9	84.8	84.4	83.6	80.8
Video and audio products	89.0	87.0	83.8	82.8	82.1	79.1	78.6	77.5	77.1	75.2	72.6
Televisions	84.9	81.3	77.3	76.4	74.8	72.2	71.4	70.9	69.4	68.2	65.3
Video products other than televisions ⁵	-	-	-	100.0	94.9	85.8	80.9	79.2	78.1	72.8	69.7
Audio products	91.9	91.1	91.9	91.9	94.0	93.1	94.9	93.5	94.2	93.2	90.7
Major household appliances ³	-	100.0	98.8	102.2	101.0	101.0	98.9	99.3	101.1	104.4	102.1
Refrigerators and home freezers	101.2	99.5	100.6	102.4	103.6	102.7	101.0	101.7	106.5	111.9	109.6
Laundry equipment	104.7	104.0	102.9	106.6	106.0	107.9	105.8	106.3	106.9	109.9	108.5
Stoves, ovens, dishwashers, and air conditioners ³	-	100.0	97.1	101.5	97.9	96.9	94.6	94.6	95.3	97.3	94.3
Information processing equipment ⁵	-	-	-	100.0	92.7	89.7	86.9	80.6	74.2	68.2	62.8
Other housefurnishings ³	-	100.0	101.7	103.9	105.3	107.6	110.0	112.7	112.4	113.2	115.2
Floor and window coverings, infants', laundry, cleaning, and outdoor equipment	103.5	107.1	113.7	112.6	117.8	126.6	124.1	128.2	129.1	131.7	139.2
Clocks, lamps, and decor items	103.2	101.1	102.5	105.8	112.2	112.3	116.2	119.0	115.0	114.5	117.5
Tableware, serving pieces, and nonelectric kitchenware	101.8	104.8	106.3	109.5	111.9	113.5	120.6	122.5	123.8	124.6	125.0
Lawn equipment, power tools, and other hardware	104.5	102.0	102.9	103.0	100.3	102.1	101.5	102.6	106.6	107.2	107.4
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	91.6	91.6
Indoor plants and fresh cut flowers ⁶	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	107.3	113.2	110.4	114.7	117.5
Housekeeping supplies	107.8	109.7	112.9	117.4	123.8	127.8	130.4	130.0	131.9	133.3	139.4
Laundry and cleaning products, including soap	109.5	111.8	116.9	121.8	127.3	132.3	137.9	137.3	136.9	139.2	141.0
Household paper products and stationery supplies	107.3	108.5	109.5	115.6	121.8	126.8	127.2	127.1	129.8	130.6	142.6
Other household, lawn, and garden supplies	105.9	108.2	111.2	113.6	121.3	123.1	124.0	123.7	127.4	128.4	133.6
Housekeeping services	108.1	109.9	111.6	116.5	117.8	122.7	131.3	135.9	139.1	141.5	148.0
Postage	110.4	110.4	110.4	125.4	125.4	125.4	145.7	145.7	145.7	145.7	160.8
Appliance and furniture repair	110.9	114.0	117.3	120.0	122.1	126.9	132.0	140.1	143.8	144.6	149.7
Gardening and other household services ³	-	100.0	104.7	109.0	112.1	116.4	119.0	124.9	127.0	127.7	129.7

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										Oct.
	1985	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995
Expenditure category											
Apparel and upkeep	106.6	107.4	112.6	117.6	118.5	124.5	128.4	130.4	131.3	129.3	133.4
Apparel commodities	105.6	105.8	111.1	116.0	116.6	122.3	126.1	127.8	128.5	126.1	130.5
Apparel commodities less footwear	106.1	106.2	111.7	116.4	116.9	122.9	126.8	128.3	128.9	126.5	130.9
Men's and boys'	107.2	107.1	110.4	116.5	118.0	121.4	124.9	126.4	127.0	124.5	127.9
Men's	107.1	106.9	111.5	117.8	120.1	123.9	127.7	129.9	130.3	128.2	130.1
Suits, sport coats, coats, and jackets	106.1	107.6	111.3	121.5	124.6	127.8	131.0	133.6	140.4	137.3	137.7
Furnishings and special clothing	108.3	109.0	110.0	113.4	116.8	119.5	122.1	123.2	123.1	123.9	121.8
Shirts	109.3	108.9	116.1	123.3	123.7	129.0	133.8	135.8	132.1	127.8	133.1
Dungarees, jeans, and trousers	105.5	103.2	109.3	113.8	116.3	120.7	124.9	128.2	127.2	125.6	129.3
Boys'	107.6	107.9	107.1	112.4	111.5	113.3	116.3	115.3	116.6	112.9	120.9
Women's and girls'	106.9	106.1	112.6	116.2	115.5	122.6	126.7	127.6	128.4	124.0	129.2
Women's	107.3	106.0	112.7	115.8	115.1	122.8	125.7	126.1	128.1	123.2	128.7
Coats and jackets	104.8	100.1	105.0	102.7	104.0	115.2	118.4	121.9	128.9	118.6	124.5
Dresses	108.2	106.2	122.5	126.2	123.0	132.7	128.4	132.4	128.8	114.2	130.0
Separates and sportswear	110.1	110.7	116.7	119.2	118.3	125.3	129.9	128.6	131.6	127.7	130.2
Underwear, nightwear, hosiery, and accessories	107.2	107.2	107.6	113.7	115.8	120.9	123.7	124.4	125.8	128.1	131.3
Suits	103.4	98.5	107.2	113.4	110.3	122.0	132.8	131.1	136.9	138.6	144.9
Girls'	105.2	106.5	112.0	117.9	117.4	121.6	131.7	135.1	130.0	127.6	131.6
Infants' and toddlers'	109.3	113.5	116.4	120.3	119.3	127.9	131.8	133.1	128.1	132.9	132.8
Other apparel commodities	99.8	102.5	110.6	117.8	121.5	128.8	132.6	137.3	140.1	144.1	150.8
Sewing materials, notions, and luggage ³	-	100.0	102.7	109.1	110.8	118.2	120.6	122.1	120.9	120.9	133.1
Watches and jewelry ³	-	100.0	109.0	116.2	120.3	127.3	131.3	136.6	140.1	144.9	150.3
Watches ³	-	100.0	103.6	107.8	107.5	110.7	113.6	111.9	118.6	122.9	132.9
Jewelry ³	-	100.0	110.6	118.6	124.0	132.0	136.4	143.6	146.3	151.2	155.2
Footwear	103.0	103.6	108.0	114.0	115.4	119.3	122.5	125.6	126.6	124.2	128.4
Men's	105.8	108.7	111.9	119.8	122.2	125.6	129.6	132.6	134.1	132.1	136.2
Boys' and girls'	101.2	103.0	110.6	114.7	118.6	123.5	123.0	122.7	122.7	123.9	124.9
Women's	101.7	99.2	102.6	108.3	107.4	111.0	115.8	120.7	121.9	117.3	123.2
Apparel services	112.4	116.6	120.9	125.8	130.6	139.6	144.4	149.2	153.4	155.9	156.3
Laundry and dry cleaning other than coin operated	112.1	116.3	122.3	128.8	133.8	140.8	145.2	149.9	154.8	157.6	157.9
Other apparel services	112.9	117.2	120.2	124.0	128.4	139.0	144.1	149.1	152.8	155.0	155.6
Transportation	107.6	100.6	107.3	110.4	114.8	126.7	124.5	128.2	130.8	136.7	139.0
Private	107.3	99.5	106.4	109.5	113.8	125.3	123.2	126.6	128.5	135.2	136.9
New vehicles	108.1	114.1	116.1	118.8	122.0	124.4	128.5	131.7	136.2	140.9	141.9
New cars	108.0	114.3	116.3	118.9	121.7	123.3	127.2	130.1	133.9	138.1	138.3
Subcompact new cars ³	-	100.0	101.8	104.2	105.4	105.6	109.6	112.6	116.5	120.5	121.4
Compact new cars ³	-	100.0	101.2	102.5	104.9	106.6	109.2	109.8	113.2	117.8	118.6
Intermediate new cars ³	-	100.0	100.4	101.9	105.9	107.6	111.3	113.7	116.2	120.1	119.5
Full-size new cars ³	-	100.0	103.1	105.6	109.1	110.5	114.3	116.0	119.7	122.0	120.6
Luxury new cars ³	-	100.0	103.8	109.2	111.6	114.6	117.2	121.7	124.3	128.1	128.6
New trucks ⁴	108.2	112.8	114.3	116.9	121.0	125.9	130.3	133.8	140.0	145.1	148.1
New motorcycles ³	-	100.0	104.0	109.4	114.1	117.4	123.7	128.9	138.3	149.4	155.9
Used cars	112.5	106.8	116.2	120.1	119.5	116.9	120.2	129.7	140.2	152.1	158.1
Motor fuel	99.8	69.2	82.0	80.4	85.9	117.1	98.5	99.9	94.6	100.2	98.2
Gasoline	99.7	69.0	81.9	80.4	85.6	117.0	98.3	99.9	94.0	100.0	97.9
Gasoline, unleaded regular	99.9	68.2	80.8	78.8	83.2	115.4	96.2	97.6	91.1	97.6	95.5
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ⁷	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	105.3	102.7
Gasoline, unleaded premium	100.7	73.8	85.3	84.7	90.0	118.7	101.5	103.0	98.1	103.2	100.3
Automobile maintenance and repair	108.9	112.9	117.0	121.5	126.9	132.8	138.8	143.9	148.3	152.6	156.2
Body work	110.6	115.0	121.3	126.5	134.0	139.5	142.9	147.0	150.8	155.7	161.2
Automobile drive train, brake, and miscellaneous mechanical repair	110.3	115.0	118.6	123.8	129.9	137.1	143.0	149.3	155.2	160.8	163.7
Maintenance and servicing	106.4	110.6	114.7	118.3	122.0	126.8	133.7	136.5	139.3	141.4	144.5
Power plant repair	109.9	112.9	116.8	121.6	127.4	133.3	139.4	145.9	151.2	156.3	160.7
Other private transportation	110.9	116.7	122.0	130.4	136.8	144.2	149.2	151.9	154.9	163.4	167.7
Other private transportation commodities	96.5	95.8	97.4	99.9	101.9	103.2	104.8	104.0	102.6	103.5	104.2
Motor oil, coolant, and other products	103.3	102.7	100.6	109.4	109.1	116.7	117.9	117.4	117.7	125.0	128.2
Automobile parts and equipment	95.4	94.7	96.5	98.4	100.6	101.5	103.0	102.2	100.7	101.0	101.5
Tires	93.5	91.9	93.3	96.8	98.8	98.6	100.8	100.4	98.9	101.1	101.2
Other parts and equipment	100.2	101.4	103.9	104.4	106.8	108.6	109.7	108.5	106.8	105.3	106.2
Other private transportation services	113.7	120.7	127.1	137.1	144.7	153.8	159.8	163.5	167.6	178.4	183.7
Automobile insurance	126.1	140.9	148.8	160.9	170.6	183.7	198.6	211.5	221.9	229.5	237.6
Automobile finance charges	91.9	85.3	90.4	98.1	102.3	102.5	95.3	81.9	76.7	94.4	95.9
Automobile fees	113.2	119.4	123.3	130.5	137.9	151.4	156.8	166.4	170.1	175.2	179.5
Automobile registration, licensing, and inspection fees	113.8	117.4	119.3	126.6	134.5	156.0	163.4	173.0	177.4	178.1	181.4
Other automobile-related fees	112.2	122.6	129.3	136.5	143.2	146.2	149.1	158.6	161.4	172.3	178.0
Public transportation	112.2	119.4	121.3	125.4	130.1	150.3	147.8	155.5	171.1	162.5	174.8
Airline fares	115.2	121.4	122.7	126.5	133.1	163.4	154.0	163.6	191.8	173.5	192.8
Other intercity transportation	119.5	125.4	128.0	136.8	140.5	149.3	154.2	155.4	149.6	152.3	155.3
Intracity public transportation	109.6	117.6	120.2	123.5	125.9	135.7	140.7	147.6	152.0	153.3	158.8

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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										Oct.
	1985	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995
Expenditure category											
Medical care	116.8	125.7	133.4	142.8	154.7	168.8	182.0	194.3	204.5	214.6	222.3
Medical care commodities	117.5	125.3	134.1	143.1	154.8	168.0	180.3	189.4	195.1	200.8	203.2
Prescription drugs	123.8	134.8	145.7	156.9	171.8	189.0	206.8	218.3	225.2	233.2	236.6
Nonprescription drugs and medical supplies ³	-	100.0	105.3	110.4	116.8	123.6	127.7	133.0	136.5	138.7	139.6
Internal and respiratory over-the-counter drugs	114.0	119.7	126.9	133.2	140.3	148.9	152.7	159.2	163.3	164.7	165.1
Nonprescription medical equipment and supplies	112.4	117.5	120.9	126.6	135.7	142.4	150.5	156.1	160.4	167.0	169.9
Medical care services	116.7	125.7	133.2	142.7	154.7	169.0	182.4	195.4	206.6	217.7	226.6
Professional medical services	116.6	124.0	132.0	141.0	150.2	160.3	170.2	180.0	188.0	196.9	204.0
Physicians' services	116.6	125.5	133.6	143.6	154.0	165.4	174.5	185.5	194.8	203.6	211.4
Dental services	116.8	123.1	132.0	140.8	150.0	159.7	172.9	182.8	190.9	201.3	209.0
Eye care ³	-	100.0	105.3	109.8	113.8	119.0	123.2	127.8	130.5	135.2	138.7
Services by other medical professionals ³	-	100.0	105.0	110.8	117.2	122.8	129.2	133.9	138.1	144.3	146.3
Hospital and related services	118.1	126.5	135.4	150.0	166.8	184.4	201.2	218.9	235.1	248.5	258.8
Hospital rooms	117.1	125.5	133.7	147.1	162.5	178.3	193.8	210.9	226.2	238.8	249.0
Other inpatient services ³	-	100.0	107.4	121.0	135.0	150.1	163.7	177.2	190.6	201.7	209.7
Outpatient services ³	-	100.0	107.2	117.1	131.1	145.9	160.4	176.0	189.3	200.2	208.4
Entertainment	108.7	112.5	116.9	122.2	128.4	133.3	138.4	142.2	146.1	149.2	152.9
Entertainment commodities	106.2	108.7	112.6	117.6	121.7	124.8	129.0	131.5	133.9	136.1	138.7
Reading materials	112.3	117.0	121.4	126.7	132.5	138.6	147.8	153.4	159.0	164.8	171.9
Newspapers	111.6	115.6	120.9	126.8	131.8	138.2	151.4	157.9	164.8	173.2	184.4
Magazines, periodicals, and books	113.3	118.9	122.3	127.0	133.6	139.5	144.4	149.1	153.4	156.5	159.4
Sporting goods and equipment	105.1	104.2	107.8	112.5	115.9	116.5	120.5	121.6	122.6	126.1	125.2
Sport vehicles, including bicycles	107.4	105.8	108.9	113.2	117.7	117.8	120.4	123.5	124.9	128.8	127.8
Other sporting goods	99.1	99.7	103.9	109.0	110.8	112.1	118.0	116.3	116.7	119.7	118.8
Toys, hobbies, and other entertainment	103.6	106.9	110.5	115.6	119.2	122.1	123.8	125.4	126.9	126.4	128.5
Toys, hobbies, and music equipment	101.3	103.9	107.8	112.3	114.8	116.6	117.9	121.3	123.2	122.2	123.3
Photographic supplies and equipment	103.1	109.3	116.3	123.5	127.8	129.7	131.1	134.1	136.5	131.4	135.5
Pet supplies and expense	107.8	110.2	112.6	117.7	122.8	127.3	129.5	128.5	129.3	130.7	133.5
Entertainment services	112.8	118.9	124.0	129.7	138.7	146.1	152.5	158.1	163.8	168.3	173.5
Club memberships ³	-	100.0	102.0	110.5	115.3	120.7	125.3	128.0	132.6	131.8	136.3
Fees for participant sports, excluding club memberships ³	-	100.0	106.9	113.2	121.9	128.6	134.2	140.6	152.1	155.6	157.5
Admissions	114.5	120.4	128.1	132.8	145.8	153.1	160.5	166.6	169.9	176.2	182.9
Fees for lessons or instructions ³	-	100.0	105.3	110.6	119.6	126.1	133.6	140.7	146.3	154.0	158.1
Other entertainment services ³	-	100.0	101.6	105.2	109.9	116.3	120.8	124.4	127.6	130.9	135.5
Other goods and services	117.4	123.6	131.3	140.6	152.7	164.4	177.7	189.0	192.0	200.0	207.8
Tobacco and smoking products	120.0	127.1	137.2	150.2	171.8	190.1	211.5	229.0	215.4	222.2	228.2
Personal care	110.0	112.8	116.4	122.3	126.9	132.2	135.7	139.9	143.2	146.1	148.7
Toilet goods and personal care appliances	109.2	111.9	115.1	121.5	124.7	130.0	133.7	138.6	140.7	143.5	145.1
Cosmetics, bath and nail preparations, manicure and eye makeup implements	109.6	112.8	116.1	122.2	124.8	132.0	136.0	138.5	144.7	146.8	149.0
Other toilet goods and small personal care appliances, including hair and dental products	109.0	111.5	114.6	121.3	124.9	128.9	132.5	138.9	138.3	141.7	142.8
Personal care services	110.8	113.7	117.8	123.0	129.4	134.9	137.9	141.3	146.2	149.2	153.2
Beauty parlor services for females	110.6	113.4	117.5	122.7	129.4	135.2	137.9	140.8	146.1	148.9	152.6
Haircuts and other barber shop services for males	111.2	114.2	118.4	123.8	128.7	133.2	137.4	142.5	145.6	149.6	154.7
Personal and educational expenses	124.5	134.2	143.0	152.3	163.1	174.7	188.7	200.5	213.3	224.9	236.8
School books and supplies	122.7	131.9	141.9	151.1	162.9	173.9	184.4	194.9	202.3	208.5	219.1
Personal and educational services	124.8	134.6	143.3	152.7	163.4	175.0	189.3	201.2	214.5	226.5	238.4
Tuition and other school fees	126.5	136.1	146.3	157.1	169.6	182.7	199.4	214.4	228.7	242.0	255.5
College tuition	127.0	135.9	145.4	156.2	169.3	183.6	205.0	223.8	240.3	255.3	271.2
Elementary and high school tuition	125.5	136.4	149.3	161.9	176.2	191.4	206.2	222.7	235.4	250.2	267.0
Day care and nursery school ⁶	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	106.3	110.8	116.7	122.7	127.1
Personal expenses	119.4	129.9	136.0	143.0	151.0	160.1	170.5	177.6	188.9	198.8	208.2
Legal service fees ³	-	100.0	105.2	109.8	116.4	121.7	129.2	133.6	144.0	147.2	152.7
Personal financial services ³	-	100.0	104.5	111.7	117.9	127.1	136.8	143.9	153.3	166.5	177.2
Funeral expenses ³	-	100.0	104.6	109.6	115.1	122.6	130.1	135.1	142.1	150.6	157.5
Special indexes											
Domestically produced farm food	105.0	108.5	112.4	119.1	127.0	135.0	136.7	139.0	143.9	147.1	149.8
Selected beef cuts	101.2	101.3	107.8	112.1	120.0	129.9	128.5	128.8	133.3	129.7	128.0
Motor fuel, motor oil, coolant, and other products	99.9	69.8	82.3	80.9	86.3	117.1	98.8	100.3	95.0	100.6	98.7
Utilities and public transportation	108.1	108.3	109.6	113.4	116.3	121.2	125.6	129.4	134.4	133.6	136.9
Housekeeping and home maintenance services	109.3	111.2	113.1	117.9	119.4	124.6	133.1	137.6	140.1	142.9	149.2

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										Oct.
	1985	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995
Commodity and service group											
All items	3.6	0.6	4.5	4.4	4.5	6.1	2.8	2.9	2.5	2.7	2.6
Commodities	2.4	-2.2	4.7	3.8	4.2	6.8	1.0	2.2	1.4	2.4	1.7
Food and beverages	2.8	3.7	3.4	5.1	5.5	5.3	2.5	1.6	2.7	2.6	1.8
Commodities less food and beverages	2.3	-5.9	5.6	3.0	3.2	7.9	-1	2.6	.5	2.3	1.6
Nondurables less food and beverages	3.6	-9.9	8.0	3.4	5.0	13.1	-1.6	2.5	-1.3	1.6	1.8
Apparel commodities	2.6	.2	5.0	4.4	.5	4.9	3.1	1.3	.5	-1.9	3.5
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel	3.8	-12.7	9.6	2.9	7.3	17.3	-3.7	2.9	-2.1	3.2	1.1
Durables	.4	-2	2.6	2.5	1.2	.5	2.4	2.9	3.0	3.4	1.3
Services	5.0	4.3	4.2	4.9	4.9	5.5	4.5	3.5	3.6	3.0	3.3
Rent of shelter	6.1	4.7	4.8	4.4	4.9	5.0	3.9	2.8	3.0	3.0	3.2
Household services less rent of shelter	2.0	-2	1.3	3.6	2.3	2.7	4.8	2.7	2.8	.6	2.0
Transportation services	4.4	5.6	4.3	6.1	5.0	7.3	3.1	3.1	3.9	3.6	3.6
Medical care services	6.9	7.7	6.0	7.1	8.4	9.2	7.9	7.1	5.7	5.4	4.1
Other services	5.3	5.3	5.2	5.6	6.5	6.3	6.0	4.9	5.1	4.1	4.0
Special indexes											
All items less food	3.8	.0	4.7	4.1	4.4	6.2	3.0	3.2	2.4	2.8	2.6
All items less shelter	3.0	-4	4.4	4.4	4.4	6.5	2.4	2.9	2.3	2.7	2.3
All items less homeowners' costs	3.2	.2	4.3	4.3	4.4	6.4	2.6	2.9	2.4	2.6	2.5
All items less medical care	3.3	.3	4.4	4.2	4.4	5.9	2.5	2.7	2.3	2.6	2.5
Commodities less food	2.4	-5.6	5.4	3.1	3.4	7.6	.5	2.6	.6	2.2	1.6
Nondurables less food	3.6	-9.3	7.5	3.5	5.0	12.3	-6	2.5	-1.0	1.5	1.9
Nondurables less food and apparel	4.0	-11.7	8.8	3.0	7.0	15.6	-2.1	2.9	-1.6	3.0	1.1
Nondurables	3.1	-2.8	5.4	4.3	5.3	8.9	.5	2.0	.8	2.2	1.8
Services less rent of shelter	4.2	3.9	3.6	5.3	4.9	5.8	5.2	4.1	4.2	3.0	3.3
Services less medical care services	4.8	3.9	4.1	4.6	4.6	5.1	4.2	3.1	3.4	2.7	3.2
Energy	1.9	-20.5	8.8	.3	5.2	19.2	-8.1	1.9	-1.7	2.5	-4
All items less energy	3.8	3.6	4.1	4.7	4.4	5.0	3.9	2.9	2.9	2.8	2.7
All items less food and energy	4.2	3.4	4.3	4.5	4.3	4.9	4.4	3.2	2.9	2.8	3.0
Commodities less food and energy commodities	2.1	1.1	3.7	3.9	2.7	3.2	4.0	2.9	1.5	1.8	2.2
Energy commodities	3.5	-30.5	18.0	-2.2	7.6	35.5	-16.0	1.1	-5.2	5.4	-1.9
Services less energy services	5.5	5.1	4.7	4.9	5.1	5.8	4.6	3.5	3.7	3.3	3.3
Expenditure category											
Food and beverages	2.8	3.7	3.4	5.1	5.5	5.3	2.5	1.6	2.7	2.6	1.8
Food	2.7	3.8	3.4	5.2	5.6	5.4	1.8	1.5	2.8	2.8	1.8
Food at home	2.0	3.7	3.3	5.6	6.2	5.8	1.1	1.5	3.4	3.2	1.8
Cereals and bakery products	3.7	2.4	4.2	8.4	7.3	4.6	3.4	3.9	3.7	3.3	3.0
Cereals and cereal products	4.2	2.1	4.9	9.5	7.3	5.1	3.6	3.6	3.4	3.1	2.2
Flour and prepared flour mixes	3.5	.1	1.2	6.7	7.3	2.2	-2	5.0	-2	1.7	8.6
Cereal	6.4	5.0	5.9	9.6	9.7	7.2	4.8	3.9	4.7	2.4	1.4
Rice, pasta, and cornmeal	1.3	-9	4.9	11.4	1.4	2.1	2.8	2.0	2.2	6.0	.0
Bakery products	3.5	2.5	3.9	7.8	7.4	4.3	3.4	4.2	3.7	3.5	3.2
White bread	2.5	.8	4.3	11.1	6.0	3.7	1.4	4.1	6.9	2.8	5.6
Fresh other bread, biscuits, rolls, and muffins	2.2	2.5	3.6	9.6	6.8	4.8	3.6	5.2	2.8	4.7	4.7
Cookies, fresh cakes, and cupcakes	3.3	3.8	4.2	6.1	7.8	5.7	4.8	2.3	3.3	3.7	.5
Other bakery products	5.6	2.8	3.4	5.0	8.8	3.3	3.9	5.1	1.9	3.3	2.6
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	1.5	6.4	1.0	5.2	6.9	7.9	-1.6	.5	3.6	-7	3.3
Meats, poultry, and fish	1.3	6.7	2.2	4.7	5.2	8.9	-1.4	.8	3.8	-7	3.0
Meats	.3	6.1	3.5	2.1	6.6	11.4	-2.2	.3	3.7	-1.7	2.5
Beef and veal	.7	.5	6.7	5.5	6.7	8.9	-1.1	.8	3.7	-2.2	-4
Ground beef other than canned	-.8	-1.2	5.9	2.4	7.5	7.6	-1.4	-.6	3.7	-4.5	-2.2
Chuck roast	-.9	-.4	5.1	7.0	9.7	10.3	1.4	1.2	2.4	-1.6	-1.6
Round roast	.3	-3.0	6.1	6.1	7.5	10.2	-1.6	2.5	.8	1.7	1.3
Round steak	1.1	1.4	7.0	3.2	6.2	9.6	-.2	-.2	2.7	-1.4	-2.1
Sirloin steak	.5	1.7	9.8	7.0	2.7	5.9	-2.6	1.5	6.4	-1.2	1.6
Other beef and veal	2.3	2.4	7.5	9.1	6.1	10.2	-1.1	2.2	4.0	-1.0	1.8
Pork	.0	15.6	-1.8	-2.9	7.0	16.6	-6.0	-.7	4.5	-2.3	6.9
Bacon	.2	13.3	-4.3	-10.4	8.6	17.1	-11.8	-3.4	11.7	-2.0	11.3
Chops	1.8	15.3	-1.5	.2	8.2	14.9	-4.3	2.6	4.6	-4.9	6.3
Ham	-.7	19.0	-3.0	-1.5	5.1	18.2	-4.8	-1.4	1.5	-1.5	7.9
Other pork, including sausage	-.7	14.4	.1	-2.5	6.7	16.7	-5.4	-1.4	3.3	-1.1	4.6
Other meats	-.7	7.0	4.0	.8	5.6	10.3	.8	.2	2.6	.6	3.5
Poultry	3.1	9.8	-9.4	18.2	.4	1.4	.5	2.8	5.5	-.4	4.2
Fresh whole chicken	5.0	12.5	-11.4	22.0	-.8	.2	-.4	4.3	4.4	-1.1	4.2
Fresh and frozen chicken parts	2.6	13.0	-8.8	19.0	-1.1	2.3	1.2	1.6	7.3	-2.3	4.1
Other poultry	1.1	1.5	-7.3	8.6	6.8	1.4	.3	2.9	3.2	6.6	4.3
Fish and seafood	7.0	9.1	10.0	4.6	3.7	2.8	1.6	1.7	3.3	5.2	4.0
Canned fish and seafood	.5	1.5	10.4	13.2	-4.3	-.3	-.6	1.2	2.5	1.4	1.0
Fresh and frozen fish and seafood	10.3	12.6	9.9	2.0	6.2	3.7	2.1	2.0	3.4	6.3	4.7
Eggs	5.9	.9	-17.9	16.6	35.7	-4.7	-4.1	-4.6	-1.9	.4	8.8

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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										Oct.
	1985	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995
Expenditure category											
Dairy products	-0.6	2.0	1.6	4.5	10.4	3.0	0.6	1.3	0.9	1.1	1.1
Fresh milk and cream	-1.5	1.9	1.6	4.8	11.5	2.5	-2	2.3	2.2	.7	.1
Fresh whole milk	-1.6	2.0	1.4	5.1	11.5	2.5	-4	1.8	2.1	.4	.0
Other fresh milk and cream	-1.4	1.7	2.2	4.2	11.3	2.4	.1	3.3	2.2	1.1	.4
Processed dairy products	.5	2.3	1.6	4.2	9.2	3.7	1.3	.2	-6	1.5	2.3
Cheese	.2	1.5	2.1	5.2	12.9	4.7	1.7	.1	-8	.9	1.6
Ice cream and related products	1.9	3.0	1.4	3.7	7.1	4.4	1.1	.5	.5	3.7	1.8
Other dairy products, including butter	-2	3.2	.6	2.0	1.3	-2	.2	-2	-1.6	.5	5.2
Fruits and vegetables	5.1	1.3	12.5	6.3	3.8	7.3	4.4	2.1	6.5	8.1	-1.3
Fresh fruits and vegetables	8.9	3.1	17.6	3.7	4.7	8.4	7.9	2.6	9.1	11.8	-3.4
Fresh fruits	2.1	5.4	10.3	13.6	6.4	11.3	11.0	-4.3	12.6	3.6	8.1
Apples	8.0	4.7	-11.0	27.5	-6.3	21.9	12.2	-9.5	8.4	-2.2	12.9
Bananas	.0	5.4	17.4	7.9	5.9	4.4	-4	-2.8	2.6	12.2	3.4
Oranges, including tangerines	-8.8	5.2	14.7	14.1	-4.4	10.2	23.1	-16.1	12.9	.6	54.0
Other fresh fruits	5.3	6.0	15.9	10.4	14.5	9.9	9.6	.7	15.5	4.6	-3.3
Fresh vegetables	15.5	1.1	25.1	-5.2	2.7	5.3	4.3	11.2	5.5	21.1	-14.5
Potatoes	-20.9	27.8	-3	24.3	9.1	-4.2	-4.0	6.7	20.5	-6.5	16.4
Lettuce	60.5	-19.2	-	-36.3	-22.1	11.8	12.1	6.5	-16.2	77.7	-28.6
Tomatoes	38.1	.5	10.3	-10.8	13.2	-7.9	-4.0	55.1	1.9	18.1	-24.9
Other fresh vegetables	13.1	1.6	14.2	2.5	4.5	11.7	7.7	3.1	7.3	21.2	-15.4
Processed fruits and vegetables	1.0	-9	4.5	11.0	2.5	5.4	-1.6	1.1	1.5	.5	3.1
Processed fruits	1.6	-2.2	5.7	10.8	.6	7.7	-2.6	2.2	-9	-4	3.8
Fruit juices and frozen fruit	.9	-4.0	6.6	12.5	-2	9.1	-4.3	2.3	-1.4	-8	3.9
Canned and dried fruits	2.8	1.3	2.9	4.0	3.1	2.5	4.8	1.6	1.5	1.0	3.2
Processed vegetables	.3	.3	3.0	11.2	4.9	2.6	-5	-1	4.2	1.6	2.4
Frozen vegetables	2.8	1.3	2.9	4.4	7.1	3.0	.8	.8	3.7	.8	3.6
Processed vegetables excluding frozen	-5	-1	3.0	14.5	3.9	2.5	-1.2	-5	4.3	2.0	1.9
Other food at home	1.9	2.9	.9	4.8	4.3	4.2	1.5	.9	2.0	5.7	1.8
Sugar and sweets	2.6	2.3	1.6	5.2	3.8	4.3	3.4	1.0	.9	1.0	3.4
Sugar and artificial sweeteners	.2	-4	1.3	8.0	4.4	2.8	.0	1.0	1.0	2.0	4.7
Sweets, including candy	3.6	3.5	1.7	4.0	3.6	4.9	4.8	1.0	.8	.6	2.9
Fats and oils	-1.2	-1.4	1.8	9.9	2.7	7.7	-1.3	-6	.8	3.7	2.9
Nonalcoholic beverages	1.3	4.4	-3.0	2.8	3.2	1.9	-4	-2	2.1	13.5	-3
Carbonated drinks	1.1	.0	1.7	1.5	4.9	.8	.9	1.5	1.8	-3	4.2
Coffee	.4	23.0	-14.4	5.7	-1.2	1.6	-5.1	-5.5	5.3	55.9	-8.4
Other noncarbonated drinks	2.8	1.6	2.3	2.6	4.0	5.3	2.7	1.9	-7	.8	2.1
Other prepared food	3.4	2.7	4.1	5.0	5.7	5.2	3.1	2.1	2.6	2.3	2.6
Canned and packaged soup	3.5	2.8	6.2	3.7	7.5	6.1	5.9	5.7	4.3	4.3	2.6
Frozen prepared food	4.4	2.5	5.7	4.5	5.5	3.4	1.6	.5	-4	.3	2.0
Snacks	3.8	3.0	3.1	5.0	3.9	4.0	1.1	-4	3.0	1.8	3.9
Seasonings, condiments, sauces, and spices	3.1	3.0	2.7	4.4	5.6	6.3	4.0	4.1	2.6	2.4	3.8
Miscellaneous prepared food, including baby food	2.5	2.2	4.6	6.1	7.0	5.9	3.7	1.9	3.6	3.1	.9
Food away from home	3.8	4.3	3.7	4.4	4.6	4.5	2.8	1.6	1.8	2.0	2.0
Lunch	3.9	4.0	3.8	4.6	5.0	4.5	2.9	1.6	1.9	1.9	2.0
Dinner	4.0	3.8	3.5	4.3	4.3	4.0	2.7	1.5	1.8	2.0	1.9
Other meals and snacks	3.1	5.6	3.3	4.3	4.7	5.5	3.0	1.5	1.7	2.1	2.1
Alcoholic beverages	5.2	2.0	3.0	3.8	4.8	4.2	10.0	2.9	1.6	.9	1.8
Alcoholic beverages at home	4.6	1.4	2.2	2.3	4.4	3.8	11.5	2.2	.5	-2	1.1
Beer and ale	1.9	1.7	2.1	2.7	4.7	3.7	11.9	2.8	.3	-2	.4
Wine	1.4	2.0	3.4	1.8	3.1	2.9	13.4	1.5	.2	-1.2	2.5
Distilled spirits	11.0	.8	1.1	1.8	4.5	4.9	8.9	1.4	1.1	.7	1.8
Alcoholic beverages away from home	7.7	4.1	4.2	5.7	5.2	4.9	8.0	3.8	2.9	2.2	2.8

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Group	Percent change from previous December										
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	1985	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995
Expenditure category											
Housing	4.2	1.7	3.5	3.9	3.9	4.2	3.4	2.6	2.6	2.1	2.7
Shelter	5.9	4.7	4.8	4.4	4.8	5.1	3.8	2.8	3.0	3.0	3.2
Renters' costs	6.3	5.0	3.9	3.5	4.5	5.7	3.8	2.7	2.5	2.5	3.4
Rent, residential	6.4	5.0	3.7	3.5	4.1	4.1	3.0	2.3	2.3	2.5	2.1
Other renters' costs	6.2	4.9	4.3	3.8	6.5	14.2	8.3	3.9	3.6	2.1	9.7
Lodging while out of town	6.3	4.2	4.1	3.6	6.5	15.5	8.6	3.5	3.8	1.8	10.4
Lodging while at school	5.7	6.8	5.9	5.8	7.3	6.1	6.5	8.0	2.2	4.7	4.4
Tenants' insurance	5.7	5.5	3.5	2.8	2.3	1.2	2.5	2.5	3.1	4.7	.9
Homeowners' costs	5.9	4.6	5.2	4.8	5.0	4.7	3.9	2.9	3.3	3.3	3.1
Owners' equivalent rent	5.9	4.6	5.2	4.8	5.2	4.7	3.9	2.9	3.2	3.3	3.1
Household insurance	5.7	5.7	3.9	3.0	2.6	1.8	2.8	2.8	3.3	4.8	1.0
Maintenance and repairs	2.4	1.7	3.0	2.4	3.3	3.9	5.7	-6	-1.6	3.7	2.5
Maintenance and repair services	3.1	1.8	4.2	1.6	3.9	6.0	4.5	2.4	-3.6	4.7	2.9
Maintenance and repair commodities	1.9	1.4	1.7	3.3	2.7	1.4	6.9	-4.1	.8	2.4	2.0
Materials, supplies, and equipment for home repairs	-	-	1.9	2.1	5.2	2.7	4.3	-7	.1	.9	-5
Other maintenance and repair commodities	1.2	.4	1.5	4.2	.9	.3	9.1	-6.8	1.4	3.7	4.0
Fuel and other utilities	1.8	-5.8	1.6	3.0	3.1	3.8	3.2	2.3	2.6	.1	1.6
Fuels	.7	-9.5	1.2	2.5	3.6	4.0	1.1	2.4	1.7	-6	1.2
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities	5.1	-29.8	12.2	-4.4	14.9	28.7	-16.8	-2.9	-3.8	.1	-1.7
Fuel oil	5.5	-33.2	18.0	-6.4	19.6	29.9	-20.0	-3.2	-4.6	.0	-2.1
Other household fuel commodities	-	-	2.4	-2	6.0	26.1	-9.8	-2.4	-2.1	.3	-1.2
Gas (piped) and electricity (energy services)	-5	-3.5	.2	3.2	2.7	1.4	3.4	2.9	2.3	-8	1.5
Electricity	2.7	-1.5	1.7	3.0	2.6	1.2	5.2	1.7	.5	.7	5.5
Utility (piped) gas	-4.5	-6.1	-2.9	3.7	2.6	1.7	-1	5.4	5.9	-3.5	-6.8
Other utilities and public services	5.0	3.5	2.0	3.9	2.2	3.7	5.6	2.5	3.7	1.0	1.9
Telephone services	4.7	2.4	-1.0	1.3	-3	-3	3.4	-2	1.8	.7	.7
Local charges	8.9	6.6	3.6	4.5	.5	1.0	5.2	.4	1.0	-4	2.2
Interstate toll calls	-3.7	-9.4	-12.4	-4.2	-1.3	-3.7	1.3	-1.3	6.5	5.4	-1.1
Intrastate toll calls	.3	.4	-3.0	-4.2	-2.5	-2.2	-1.5	-2.4	.1	-9	-3.5
Water and sewerage maintenance	5.5	5.4	5.2	5.6	6.7	5.9	7.3	6.4	4.9	4.2	2.6
Cable television	5.9	3.9	9.7	10.7	3.9	13.5	8.6	4.0	7.1	-2.9	3.7
Refuse collection	6.6	9.6	9.9	7.8	9.7	10.0	11.6	8.6	5.2	4.9	2.5
Household furnishings and operation	2.0	1.2	1.0	3.1	.8	1.7	2.1	1.6	1.5	.6	2.5
Housefurnishings	.3	.9	.4	2.4	-7	.5	.8	1.6	1.3	.0	1.2
Textile housefurnishings	.2	1.9	.9	6.4	-7	2.5	1.4	-1.3	6.1	-3.0	4.1
Furniture and bedding	3.1	2.3	2.0	3.1	-1.7	1.1	1.1	4.3	2.8	1.2	3.5
Bedroom furniture	4.0	3.6	.3	5.3	-2.3	-1.4	4.2	5.2	4.9	-1.8	1.3
Sofas	.6	7.2	5.0	-9	-1.0	.2	-1	3.6	-1.2	6.2	6.9
Living room chairs and tables	5.4	.4	1.9	3.1	-1.2	5.4	-1.5	3.7	4.8	.8	6.4
Other furniture	2.0	-1.2	2.5	3.4	-1.8	2.5	-5	4.4	1.6	2.2	2.3
Appliances, including electronic equipment	-3.9	-1.4	-2.7	.8	-1.8	-2.4	-1.4	-1.3	-5	-9	-3.3
Video and audio products	-5.3	-2.2	-3.7	-1.2	-8	-3.7	-6	-1.4	-5	-2.5	-3.5
Televisions	-8.3	-4.2	-4.9	-1.2	-2.1	-3.5	-1.1	-7	-2.1	-1.7	-4.3
Video products other than televisions	-	-	-	-	-5.1	-9.6	-5.7	-2.1	-1.4	-6.8	-4.3
Audio products	-3.3	-9	.9	.0	2.3	-1.0	1.9	-1.5	.7	-1.1	-2.7
Major household appliances	-	-	-1.2	3.4	-1.2	.0	-2.1	.4	1.8	3.3	-2.2
Refrigerators and home freezers	-1.6	-1.7	1.1	1.8	1.2	-9	-1.7	.7	4.7	5.1	-2.1
Laundry equipment	.4	-7	-1.1	3.6	-6	1.8	-1.9	.5	.6	2.8	-1.3
Stoves, ovens, dishwashers, and air conditioners	-	-	-2.9	4.5	-3.5	-1.0	-2.4	.0	.7	2.1	-3.1
Information processing equipment	-	-	-	-	-7.3	-3.2	-3.1	-7.2	-7.9	-8.1	-7.9
Other housefurnishings	-	-	1.7	2.2	1.3	2.2	2.2	2.5	-3	.7	1.8
Floor and window coverings, infants', laundry, cleaning, and outdoor equipment	-8	3.5	6.2	-1.0	4.6	7.5	-2.0	3.3	.7	2.0	5.7
Clocks, lamps, and decor items	.1	-2.0	1.4	3.2	6.0	.1	3.5	2.4	-3.4	-4	2.6
Tableware, serving pieces, and nonelectric kitchenware	2.6	2.9	1.4	3.0	2.2	1.4	6.3	1.6	1.1	.6	.3
Lawn equipment, power tools, and other hardware	1.2	-2.4	.9	.1	-2.6	1.8	-6	1.1	3.9	.6	.2
Sewing, floor cleaning, small kitchen, and portable heating appliances	-	-	-1.7	1.8	-3.0	-8	-5	1.4	-3.7	-2.0	.0
Indoor plants and fresh cut flowers	-	-	-	-	-	-	7.3	5.5	-2.5	3.9	2.4
Housekeeping supplies	3.5	1.8	2.9	4.0	5.5	3.2	2.0	-3	1.5	1.1	4.6
Laundry and cleaning products, including soap	4.6	2.1	4.6	4.2	4.5	3.9	4.2	-4	-3	1.7	1.3
Household paper products and stationery supplies	2.9	1.1	.9	5.6	5.4	4.1	.3	-1	2.1	.6	9.2
Other household, lawn, and garden supplies	2.4	2.2	2.8	2.2	6.8	1.5	.7	-2	3.0	.8	4.0
Housekeeping services	4.2	1.7	1.5	4.4	1.1	4.2	7.0	3.5	2.4	1.7	4.6
Postage	10.4	.0	.0	13.6	.0	.0	16.2	.0	.0	.0	10.4
Appliance and furniture repair	3.3	2.8	2.9	2.3	1.8	3.9	4.3	5.9	2.6	.6	3.5
Gardening and other household services	-	-	4.7	4.1	2.8	3.8	2.2	5.0	1.7	.6	1.6

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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										Oct.
	1985	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995
Expenditure category											
Apparel and upkeep	3.0	0.8	4.8	4.4	0.8	5.1	3.1	1.6	0.7	-1.5	3.2
Apparel commodities	2.6	.2	5.0	4.4	.5	4.9	3.1	1.3	.5	-1.9	3.5
Apparel commodities less footwear	2.9	.1	5.2	4.2	.4	5.1	3.2	1.2	.5	-1.9	3.5
Men's and boys'	2.8	-1	3.1	5.5	1.3	2.9	2.9	1.2	.5	-2.0	2.7
Men's	2.9	-2	4.3	5.7	2.0	3.2	3.1	1.7	.3	-1.6	1.5
Suits, sport coats, coats, and jackets	2.3	1.4	3.4	9.2	2.6	2.6	2.5	2.0	5.1	-2.2	.3
Furnishings and special clothing	2.7	.6	.9	3.1	3.0	2.3	2.2	.9	-1	.6	-1.7
Shirts	6.3	-4	6.6	6.2	.3	4.3	3.7	1.5	-2.7	-3.3	4.1
Dungarees, jeans, and trousers	1.1	-2.2	5.9	4.1	2.2	3.8	3.5	2.6	-8	-1.3	2.9
Boys'	2.7	.3	-7	4.9	-8	1.6	2.6	-9	1.1	-3.2	7.1
Women's and girls'	3.5	-7	6.1	3.2	-6	6.1	3.3	.7	.6	-3.4	4.2
Women's	3.7	-1.2	6.3	2.8	-6	6.7	2.4	.3	1.6	-3.8	4.5
Coats and jackets	1.2	-4.5	4.9	-2.2	1.3	10.8	2.8	3.0	5.7	-8.0	5.0
Dresses	2.5	-1.8	15.3	3.0	-2.5	7.9	-3.2	3.1	-2.7	-11.3	13.8
Separates and sportswear	6.9	.5	5.4	2.1	-8	5.9	3.7	-1.0	2.3	-3.0	2.0
Underwear, nightwear, hosiery, and accessories	2.7	.0	.4	5.7	1.8	4.4	2.3	.6	1.1	1.8	2.5
Suits	5.3	-4.7	8.8	5.8	-2.7	10.6	8.9	-1.3	4.4	1.2	4.5
Girls'	2.8	1.2	5.2	5.3	-4	3.6	8.3	2.6	-3.8	-1.8	3.1
Infants' and toddlers'	4.7	3.8	2.6	3.4	-8	7.2	3.0	1.0	-3.8	3.7	-1
Other apparel commodities	.7	2.7	7.9	6.5	3.1	6.0	3.0	3.5	2.0	2.9	4.6
Sewing materials, notions, and luggage	-	-	2.7	6.2	1.6	6.7	2.0	1.2	-1.0	.0	10.1
Watches and jewelry	-	-	9.0	6.6	3.5	5.8	3.1	4.0	2.6	3.4	3.7
Watches	-	-	3.6	4.1	-3	3.0	2.6	-1.5	6.0	3.6	8.1
Jewelry	-	-	10.6	7.2	4.6	6.5	3.3	5.3	1.9	3.3	2.6
Footwear	.9	.6	4.2	5.6	1.2	3.4	2.7	2.5	.8	-1.9	3.4
Men's	3.6	2.7	2.9	7.1	2.0	2.8	3.2	2.3	1.1	-1.5	3.1
Boys' and girls'	-2.0	1.8	7.4	3.7	3.4	4.1	-4	-2	.0	1.0	.8
Women's	.7	-2.5	3.4	5.6	-8	3.4	4.3	4.2	1.0	-3.8	5.0
Apparel services	4.9	3.7	3.7	4.1	3.8	6.9	3.4	3.3	2.8	1.6	.3
Laundry and dry cleaning other than coin operated	4.4	3.7	5.2	5.3	3.9	5.2	3.1	3.2	3.3	1.8	.2
Other apparel services	5.7	3.8	2.6	3.2	3.5	8.3	3.7	3.5	2.5	1.4	.4
Transportation	2.3	-6.5	6.7	2.9	4.0	10.4	-1.7	3.0	2.0	4.5	1.7
Private	2.2	-7.3	6.9	2.9	3.9	10.1	-1.7	2.8	1.5	5.2	1.3
New vehicles	3.6	5.6	1.8	2.3	2.7	2.0	3.3	2.5	3.4	3.5	.7
New cars	3.5	5.8	1.7	2.2	2.4	1.3	3.2	2.3	2.9	3.1	.1
Subcompact new cars	-	-	1.8	2.4	1.2	.2	3.8	2.7	3.5	3.4	.7
Compact new cars	-	-	1.2	1.3	2.3	1.6	2.4	.5	3.1	4.1	.7
Intermediate new cars	-	-	.4	1.5	3.9	1.6	3.4	2.2	2.2	3.4	-5
Full-size new cars	-	-	3.1	2.4	3.3	1.3	3.4	1.5	3.2	1.9	-1.1
Luxury new cars	-	-	3.8	5.2	2.2	2.7	2.3	3.8	2.1	3.1	.4
New trucks	4.6	4.3	1.3	2.3	3.5	4.0	3.5	2.7	4.6	3.6	2.1
New motorcycles	-	-	4.0	5.2	4.3	2.9	5.4	4.2	7.3	8.0	4.4
Used cars	-1.8	-5.1	8.8	3.4	-5	-2.2	2.8	7.9	8.1	8.5	3.9
Motor fuel	3.2	-30.7	18.5	-2.0	6.8	36.3	-15.9	1.4	-5.3	5.9	-2.0
Gasoline	3.2	-30.8	18.7	-1.8	6.5	36.7	-16.0	1.6	-5.9	6.4	-2.1
Gasoline, unleaded regular	3.4	-31.7	18.5	-2.5	5.6	38.7	-16.6	1.5	-6.7	7.1	-2.2
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.3	-2.5
Gasoline, unleaded premium	2.1	-26.7	15.6	-7	6.3	31.9	-14.5	1.5	-4.8	5.2	-2.8
Automobile maintenance and repair	3.5	3.7	3.6	3.8	4.4	4.6	4.5	3.7	3.1	2.9	2.4
Body work	3.8	4.0	5.5	4.3	5.9	4.1	2.4	2.9	2.6	3.2	3.5
Automobile drive train, brake, and miscellaneous mechanical repair	3.3	4.3	3.1	4.4	4.9	5.5	4.3	4.4	4.0	3.6	1.8
Maintenance and servicing	2.5	3.9	3.7	3.1	3.1	3.9	5.4	2.1	2.1	1.5	2.2
Power plant repair	4.6	2.7	3.5	4.1	4.8	4.6	4.6	4.7	3.6	3.4	2.8
Other private transportation	3.9	5.2	4.5	6.9	4.9	5.4	3.5	1.8	2.0	5.5	2.6
Other private transportation commodities	-2	-7	1.7	2.6	2.0	1.3	1.6	-8	-1.3	.9	.7
Motor oil, coolant, and other products	1.3	-6	-2.0	8.7	-3	7.0	1.0	-4	.3	6.2	2.6
Automobile parts and equipment	-4	-7	1.9	2.0	2.2	.9	1.5	-8	-1.5	.3	.5
Tires	-6	-1.7	1.5	3.8	2.1	-2	2.2	-4	-1.5	2.2	.1
Other parts and equipment	.2	1.2	2.5	.5	2.3	1.7	1.0	-1.1	-1.6	-1.4	.9
Other private transportation services	4.7	6.2	5.3	7.9	5.5	6.3	3.9	2.3	2.5	6.4	3.0
Automobile insurance	12.0	11.7	5.6	8.1	6.0	7.7	8.1	6.5	4.9	3.4	3.5
Automobile finance charges	-8.5	-7.2	6.0	8.5	4.3	.2	-7.0	-14.1	-6.3	23.1	1.6
Automobile fees	2.8	5.5	3.3	5.8	5.7	9.8	3.6	6.1	2.2	3.0	2.5
Automobile registration, licensing, and inspection fees	1.9	3.2	1.6	6.1	6.2	16.0	4.7	5.9	2.5	.4	1.9
Other automobile-related fees	4.7	9.3	5.5	5.6	4.9	2.1	2.0	6.4	1.8	6.8	3.3
Public transportation	4.5	6.4	1.6	3.4	3.7	15.5	-1.7	5.2	10.0	-5.0	7.6
Airline fares	6.0	5.4	1.1	3.1	5.2	22.8	-5.8	6.2	17.2	-9.5	11.1
Other intercity transportation	6.6	4.9	2.1	6.9	2.7	6.3	3.3	.8	-3.7	1.8	2.0
Intracity public transportation	3.3	7.3	2.2	2.7	1.9	7.8	3.7	4.9	3.0	.9	3.6

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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										Oct.
	1985	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995
Expenditure category											
Medical care	6.7	7.6	6.1	7.0	8.3	9.1	7.8	6.8	5.2	4.9	3.6
Medical care commodities	6.1	6.6	7.0	6.7	8.2	8.5	7.3	5.0	3.0	2.9	1.2
Prescription drugs	8.1	8.9	8.1	7.7	9.5	10.0	9.4	5.6	3.2	3.6	1.5
Nonprescription drugs and medical supplies	-	-	5.3	4.8	5.8	5.8	3.3	4.2	2.6	1.6	.6
Internal and respiratory over-the-counter drugs	4.6	5.0	6.0	5.0	5.3	6.1	2.6	4.3	2.6	.9	.2
Nonprescription medical equipment and supplies	4.6	4.5	2.9	4.7	7.2	4.9	5.7	3.7	2.8	4.1	1.7
Medical care services	6.9	7.7	6.0	7.1	8.4	9.2	7.9	7.1	5.7	5.4	4.1
Professional medical services	6.6	6.3	6.5	6.8	6.5	6.7	6.2	5.8	4.4	4.7	3.6
Physicians' services	6.9	7.6	6.5	7.5	7.2	7.4	5.5	6.3	5.0	4.5	3.8
Dental services	5.3	5.4	7.2	6.7	6.5	6.5	8.3	5.7	4.4	5.4	3.8
Eye care	-	-	5.3	4.3	3.6	4.6	3.5	3.7	2.1	3.6	2.6
Services by other medical professionals	-	-	5.0	5.5	5.8	4.8	5.2	3.6	3.1	4.5	1.4
Hospital and related services	4.9	7.1	7.0	10.8	11.2	10.6	9.1	8.8	7.4	5.7	4.1
Hospital rooms	4.6	7.2	6.5	10.0	10.5	9.7	8.7	8.8	7.3	5.6	4.3
Other inpatient services	-	-	7.4	12.7	11.6	11.2	9.1	8.2	7.6	5.8	4.0
Outpatient services	-	-	7.2	9.2	12.0	11.3	9.9	9.7	7.6	5.8	4.1
Entertainment	2.8	3.5	3.9	4.5	5.1	3.8	3.8	2.7	2.7	2.1	2.5
Entertainment commodities	1.9	2.4	3.6	4.4	3.5	2.5	3.4	1.9	1.8	1.6	1.9
Reading materials	5.1	4.2	3.8	4.4	4.6	4.6	6.6	3.8	3.7	3.6	4.3
Newspapers	4.5	3.6	4.6	4.9	3.9	4.9	9.6	4.3	4.4	5.1	6.5
Magazines, periodicals, and books	5.9	4.9	2.9	3.8	5.2	4.4	3.5	3.3	2.9	2.0	1.9
Sporting goods and equipment	1.2	-9	3.5	4.4	3.0	.5	3.4	.9	.8	2.9	-7
Sport vehicles, including bicycles	2.3	-1.5	2.9	3.9	4.0	.1	2.2	2.6	1.1	3.1	-8
Other sporting goods	-1.7	.6	4.2	4.9	1.7	1.2	5.3	-1.4	.3	2.6	-8
Toys, hobbies, and other entertainment	.6	3.2	3.4	4.6	3.1	2.4	1.4	1.3	1.2	-.4	1.7
Toys, hobbies, and music equipment	-5	2.6	3.8	4.2	2.2	1.6	1.1	2.9	1.6	-.8	.9
Photographic supplies and equipment	.2	6.0	6.4	6.2	3.5	1.5	1.1	2.3	1.8	-3.7	3.1
Pet supplies and expense	2.6	2.2	2.2	4.5	4.3	3.7	1.7	-.8	.6	1.1	2.1
Entertainment services	4.3	5.4	4.3	4.6	6.9	5.3	4.4	3.7	3.6	2.7	3.1
Club memberships	-	-	2.0	8.3	4.3	4.7	3.8	2.2	3.6	-.6	3.4
Fees for participant sports, excluding club memberships	-	-	6.9	5.9	7.7	5.5	4.4	4.8	8.2	2.3	1.2
Admissions	4.3	5.2	6.4	3.7	9.8	5.0	4.8	3.8	2.0	3.7	3.8
Fees for lessons or instructions	-	-	5.3	5.0	8.1	5.4	5.9	5.3	4.0	5.3	2.7
Other entertainment services	-	-	1.6	3.5	4.5	5.8	3.9	3.0	2.6	2.6	3.5
Other goods and services	6.1	5.3	6.2	7.1	8.6	7.7	8.1	6.4	1.6	4.2	3.9
Tobacco and smoking products	7.3	5.9	7.9	9.5	14.4	10.7	11.3	8.3	-5.9	3.2	2.7
Personal care	3.6	2.5	3.2	5.1	3.8	4.2	2.6	3.1	2.4	2.0	1.8
Toilet goods and personal care appliances	3.4	2.5	2.9	5.6	2.6	4.3	2.8	3.7	1.5	2.0	1.1
Cosmetics, bath and nail preparations, manicure and eye makeup implements	3.2	2.9	2.9	5.3	2.1	5.8	3.0	1.8	4.5	1.5	1.5
Other toilet goods and small personal care appliances, including hair and dental products	3.4	2.3	2.8	5.8	3.0	3.2	2.8	4.8	-.4	2.5	.8
Personal care services	3.7	2.6	3.6	4.4	5.2	4.3	2.2	2.5	3.5	2.1	2.7
Beauty parlor services for females	3.5	2.5	3.6	4.4	5.5	4.5	2.0	2.1	3.8	1.9	2.5
Haircuts and other barber shop services for males	4.4	2.7	3.7	4.6	4.0	3.5	3.2	3.7	2.2	2.7	3.4
Personal and educational expenses	8.0	7.8	6.6	6.5	7.1	7.1	8.0	6.3	6.4	5.4	5.3
School books and supplies	9.1	7.5	7.6	6.5	7.8	6.8	6.0	5.7	3.8	3.1	5.1
Personal and educational services	7.9	7.9	6.5	6.6	7.0	7.1	8.2	6.3	6.6	5.6	5.3
Tuition and other school fees	8.5	7.6	7.5	7.4	8.0	7.7	9.1	7.5	6.7	5.8	5.6
College tuition	8.7	7.0	7.0	7.4	8.4	8.4	11.7	9.2	7.4	6.2	6.2
Elementary and high school tuition	7.9	8.7	9.5	8.4	8.8	8.6	7.7	8.0	5.7	6.3	6.7
Day care and nursery school	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.3	4.2	5.3	5.1	3.6
Personal expenses	5.9	8.8	4.7	5.1	5.6	6.0	6.5	4.2	6.4	5.2	4.7
Legal service fees	-	-	5.2	4.4	6.0	4.6	6.2	3.4	7.8	2.2	3.7
Personal financial services	-	-	4.5	6.9	5.6	7.8	7.6	5.2	6.5	8.6	6.4
Funeral expenses	-	-	4.6	4.8	5.0	6.5	6.1	3.8	5.2	6.0	4.6
Special Indexes											
Domestically produced farm food	2.0	3.3	3.6	6.0	6.6	6.3	1.3	1.7	3.5	2.2	1.8
Selected beef cuts	.7	.1	6.4	4.0	7.0	8.3	-1.1	.2	3.5	-2.7	-1.3
Motor fuel, motor oil, coolant, and other products	3.2	-30.1	17.9	-1.7	6.7	35.7	-15.6	1.5	-5.3	5.9	-1.9
Utilities and public transportation	1.8	.2	1.2	3.5	2.6	4.2	3.6	3.0	3.9	-.6	2.5
Housekeeping and home maintenance services	4.0	1.7	1.7	4.2	1.3	4.4	6.8	3.4	1.8	2.0	4.4

- Data not available.

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

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

Area, region and population size class	Utility (piped) gas				Electricity		Fuel oil #2	
	per 40 therms		per 100 therms		per 500 KWH		per gallon (3.785 liters)	
	Sept. 1995	Oct. 1995	Sept. 1995	Oct. 1995	Sept. 1995	Oct. 1995	Sept. 1995	Oct. 1995
U.S. city average	\$28.907	\$28.573	\$60.851	\$59.917	\$49.735	\$49.472	\$0.870	\$0.873
Region and area size ¹								
Northeast urban	36.088	35.593	73.865	71.502	63.501	62.370	.863	.866
Size A - More than 1,200,000	36.703	36.166	74.558	71.938	66.741	65.173	.928	.928
Size B - 500,000 to 1,200,000	32.082	31.939	70.350	70.199	55.647	55.949	.758	.760
Size C - 50,000 to 500,000	33.582	33.270	72.346	71.556	49.073	49.142	.806	.820
North Central urban	24.977	25.237	49.577	50.283	48.457	45.585	.864	.855
Size A - More than 1,200,000	24.930	25.101	49.053	49.534	51.511	47.669	.891	.889
Size B - 360,000 to 1,200,000	25.115	25.176	49.341	49.343	46.815	46.703	.871	.865
Size C - 50,000 to 360,000	25.308	26.186	51.647	54.006	42.223	42.236	.831	.810
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	24.881	25.372	51.846	53.106	43.127	36.929	NA	NA
South urban	28.557	27.587	58.578	56.537	41.116	42.409	.905	.907
Size A - More than 1,200,000	28.772	26.606	57.511	53.071	42.869	44.421	1.004	1.009
Size B - 450,000 to 1,200,000	29.613	29.808	59.489	59.967	42.464	42.532	.862	.862
Size C - 50,000 to 450,000	28.344	28.672	60.286	60.898	39.651	42.878	NA	NA
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	24.346	25.140	57.733	59.108	36.686	35.730	.861	.865
West urban	28.413	27.710	69.205	67.488	52.027	52.630	.977	1.014
Size A - More than 1,250,000	29.019	28.145	72.215	69.967	52.790	53.510	.982	1.019
Size C - 50,000 to 330,000	22.894	22.444	52.333	51.068	36.483	36.687	.967	1.004
Size classes								
A	29.532	28.997	62.012	60.541	53.957	53.205	.931	.932
B	28.864	28.915	61.198	61.321	47.609	47.671	.789	.790
C	26.697	26.994	56.969	57.678	41.241	42.960	.823	.832
D	24.791	25.243	52.661	53.694	41.250	39.073	.806	.806
Selected local areas								
Chicago-Gary-Lake County, IL-IN-WI	27.897	27.913	49.451	49.665	59.641	59.444	1.038	1.038
Los Angeles-Anaheim-Riverside, CA	31.980	30.139	77.984	74.449	65.404	64.752	NA	NA
N.Y.-Northern N.J.-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT	40.284	40.572	82.743	83.326	72.414	70.321	.977	.973
Phil.-Wilmington-Trenton, PA-NJ-DE-MD	33.373	33.353	73.201	72.500	63.535	61.726	.811	.807
San Francisco-Oakland-San Jose, CA	27.551	27.551	76.946	76.946	63.294	63.294	NA	NA
Baltimore, MD	27.430	26.960	56.572	54.410	53.280	47.850	.979	.989
Boston-Lawrence-Salem, MA-NH	28.892	28.892	53.736	53.736	62.584	61.873	.897	.907
Cleveland-Akron-Lorain, OH	23.490	23.490	50.026	50.026	62.505	55.497	NA	NA
Miami-Fort Lauderdale, FL	39.996	39.987	88.713	88.678	42.269	44.047	NA	NA
St. Louis-East St. Louis, MO-IL	26.066	26.753	45.622	47.285	48.348	37.321	NA	NA
Washington, DC-MD-VA	36.825	36.322	76.615	76.009	45.168	45.189	1.032	1.033
Dallas-Fort Worth, TX	28.175	27.413	60.169	58.088	42.570	46.674	NA	NA
Detroit-Ann Arbor, MI	22.984	22.914	47.810	47.427	48.864	48.864	.927	.920
Houston-Galveston-Brazoria, TX	23.330	23.330	43.780	43.780	29.535	39.995	NA	NA
Pittsburgh-Beaver Valley, PA	38.395	33.145	70.794	50.860	51.589	51.589	NA	NA

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

NA Data not adequate for publication.

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

Area, region and population size class	Average price per therm of utility (piped) gas		Range of therm consumption for Oct. 1995		Average price per KWH of electricity		Range of KWH consumption for Oct. 1995	
	Sept. 1995	Oct. 1995	Low	High	Sept. 1995	Oct. 1995	Low	High
U.S. city average	\$0.605	\$0.602	1	2,800	\$0.097	\$0.094	5	7,152
Region and area size ¹								
Northeast urban	.742	.745	1	2,800	.125	.118	110	5,069
Size A - More than 1,200,000	.757	.761	5	862	.132	.123	110	3,750
Size B - 500,000 to 1,200,000	.662	.658	1	505	.106	.107	173	5,069
Size C - 50,000 to 500,000	.653	.645	19	328	.090	.090	227	2,865
North Central urban	.461	.470	3	1,124	.094	.085	5	5,035
Size A - More than 1,200,000	.446	.453	3	1,124	.102	.091	5	5,035
Size B - 360,000 to 1,200,000	.505	.506	20	380	.087	.085	220	4,517
Size C - 50,000 to 360,000	.501	.525	12	623	.078	.078	39	3,404
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	.519	.532	22	668	.084	.066	252	2,397
South urban	.677	.655	1	1,230	.080	.080	30	6,349
Size A - More than 1,200,000	.671	.622	3	442	.085	.085	30	6,349
Size B - 450,000 to 1,200,000	.690	.695	1	1,230	.082	.079	112	6,229
Size C - 50,000 to 450,000	.719	.725	3	278	.074	.079	94	4,249
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	.545	.564	5	283	.071	.070	32	5,536
West urban	.686	.664	5	1,557	.103	.104	101	7,152
Size A - More than 1,250,000	.715	.686	15	1,557	.103	.105	103	7,152
Size C - 50,000 to 330,000	.512	.501	24	606	.077	.078	101	3,146
Size classes								
A	.609	.604	3	1,557	.107	.102	5	7,152
B	.636	.637	1	1,230	.091	.089	112	6,229
C	.592	.600	3	623	.077	.080	39	4,249
D	.525	.537	5	2,800	.081	.075	32	5,536
Selected local areas								
Chicago-Gary-Lake County, IL-IN-WI	.372	.382	3	1,124	.122	.113	100	3,563
Los Angeles-Anaheim-Riverside, CA	.793	.747	17	447	.127	.126	164	3,125
N.Y.-Northern N.J.-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT	.833	.844	5	579	.143	.134	125	3,750
Phil.-Wilmington-Trenton, PA-NJ-DE-MD	.736	.726	19	862	.133	.117	110	2,451
San Francisco-Oakland-San Jose, CA	.740	.740	15	293	.131	.131	200	1,746
Baltimore, MD	.607	.595	34	125	.100	.076	541	4,252
Boston-Lawrence-Salem, MA-NH	.581	.581	16	232	.118	.117	279	1,533
Cleveland-Akron-Lorain, OH	.506	.506	16	555	.124	.108	166	2,238
Miami-Fort Lauderdale, FL	1.046	1.047	3	100	.083	.087	142	3,788
St. Louis-East St. Louis, MO-IL	.425	.432	73	314	.099	.072	5	2,608
Washington, DC-MD-VA	.824	.807	6	442	.099	.095	30	3,763
Dallas-Fort Worth, TX	.770	.752	12	46	.077	.086	275	6,349
Detroit-Ann Arbor, MI	.469	.467	27	824	.099	.099	63	3,174
Houston-Galveston-Brazoria, TX	.533	.533	19	166	.069	.090	396	1,363
Pittsburgh-Beaver Valley, PA	.698	.699	72	597	.095	.095	210	2,690

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

**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	
	Sept. 1995	Oct. 1995	Sept. 1995	Oct. 1995	Sept. 1995	Oct. 1995	Sept. 1995	Oct. 1995
U.S. city average	\$1.206	\$1.185	\$1.148	\$1.127	\$1.246	\$1.221	\$1.332	\$1.315
Region and area size ²								
Northeast urban	1.278	1.258	1.210	1.188	1.330	1.310	1.412	1.392
Size A - More than 1,200,000	1.266	1.246	1.207	1.186	1.332	1.312	1.414	1.395
Size B - 500,000 to 1,200,000	1.301	1.285	1.235	1.217	1.350	1.339	1.429	1.417
Size C - 50,000 to 500,000	1.306	1.277	1.195	1.166	1.299	1.269	1.384	1.352
North Central urban	1.143	1.110	1.105	1.071	1.180	1.148	1.259	1.228
Size A - More than 1,200,000	1.164	1.131	1.127	1.092	1.222	1.188	1.286	1.256
Size B - 360,000 to 1,200,000	1.134	1.063	1.080	1.004	1.185	1.132	1.267	1.191
Size C - 50,000 to 360,000	1.119	1.100	1.083	1.065	1.142	1.119	1.216	1.207
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	1.104	1.084	1.072	1.058	1.115	1.091	1.203	1.175
South urban	1.171	1.146	1.105	1.078	1.202	1.178	1.287	1.266
Size A - More than 1,200,000	1.171	1.149	1.102	1.078	1.213	1.190	1.289	1.273
Size B - 450,000 to 1,200,000	1.180	1.164	1.100	1.083	1.189	1.171	1.275	1.260
Size C - 50,000 to 450,000	1.150	1.119	1.100	1.066	1.191	1.164	1.282	1.253
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	1.194	1.153	1.140	1.097	1.226	1.192	1.320	1.280
West urban	1.255	1.253	1.205	1.205	1.336	1.304	1.390	1.397
Size A - More than 1,250,000	1.264	1.261	1.208	1.212	1.370	1.309	1.401	1.411
Size C - 50,000 to 330,000	1.206	1.200	1.166	1.152	1.238	1.241	1.327	1.333
Size classes								
A	1.221	1.203	1.165	1.147	1.282	1.250	1.355	1.342
B	1.211	1.191	1.142	1.120	1.238	1.221	1.317	1.297
C	1.175	1.150	1.120	1.093	1.203	1.182	1.293	1.272
D	1.180	1.152	1.138	1.110	1.192	1.166	1.304	1.273
Selected local areas								
Chicago-Gary-Lake County, IL-IN-WI	1.275	1.247	1.220	1.191	1.333	1.308	1.409	1.384
Los Angeles-Anaheim-Riverside, CA	1.253	1.245	1.190	1.201	1.404	1.283	1.375	1.389
N.Y.-Northern N.J.-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT	1.309	1.289	1.224	1.204	1.363	1.342	1.441	1.423
Phil.-Wilmington-Trenton, PA-NJ-DE-MD	1.194	1.169	1.147	1.124	1.275	1.249	1.344	1.313
San Francisco-Oakland-San Jose, CA	1.274	1.284	1.208	1.217	1.342	1.356	1.428	1.439
Baltimore, MD	1.205	1.188	1.151	1.133	1.246	1.230	1.302	1.283
Boston-Lawrence-Salem, MA-NH	1.235	1.220	1.198	1.176	1.305	1.293	1.392	1.377
Cleveland-Akron-Lorain, OH	1.120	1.096	1.086	1.063	1.166	1.142	1.256	1.228
Miami-Fort Lauderdale, FL	1.227	1.212	1.149	1.132	1.277	1.266	1.354	1.339
St. Louis-East St. Louis, MO-IL	1.079	1.005	1.024	.947	1.118	1.045	1.242	1.174
Washington, DC-MD-VA	1.211	1.192	1.138	1.119	1.246	1.224	1.326	1.309
Dallas-Fort Worth, TX	1.173	1.147	1.106	1.074	1.198	1.175	1.274	1.257
Detroit-Ann Arbor, MI	1.100	1.086	1.069	1.054	1.170	1.149	1.245	1.239
Houston-Galveston-Brazoria, TX	1.157	1.138	1.094	1.074	1.213	1.183	1.266	1.257
Pittsburgh-Beaver Valley, PA	1.284	1.266	1.206	1.184	1.312	1.292	1.406	1.392

¹ Also includes types of gasoline not shown separately.

² Regions defined as the four Census regions. See map in technical notes.

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

Food and unit	U.S. average		Northeast		North Central		South		West	
	Sept. 1995	Oct. 1995	Sept. 1995	Oct. 1995	Sept. 1995	Oct. 1995	Sept. 1995	Oct. 1995	Sept. 1995	Oct. 1995
Cereals and bakery products:										
Flour, white, all purpose, per lb. (453.6 gm)	\$0.256	\$0.254	NA	NA	\$0.244	\$0.244	\$0.264	\$0.263	\$0.244	\$0.249
Rice, white, long grain, uncooked, per lb. (453.6 gm)	.523	.535	NA	NA	NA	NA	.456	.471	.557	.551
Spaghetti and macaroni, per lb. (453.6 gm)	.876	.824	0.857	0.775	.812	.807	.815	.770	1.042	.960
Bread, white, pan, per lb. (453.6 gm)	.808	.809	.826	.830	.835	.834	.749	.752	.849	.851
Bread, French, per lb. (453.6 gm)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Bread, whole wheat, pan, per lb. (453.6 gm)	1.159	1.175	NA	NA	NA	NA	1.148	1.173	NA	NA
Cookies, chocolate chip, per lb. (453.6 gm)	2.464	2.479	NA	NA	2.591	2.472	NA	NA	NA	NA
Crackers, soda, salted, per lb. (453.6 gm)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	1.266	1.244	NA	NA
Meats, poultry, fish and eggs:										
Meats:										
Beef and veal:										
Ground chuck, 100% beef, per lb. (453.6 gm)	1.776	1.853	1.800	1.890	1.746	1.792	1.762	1.861	NA	NA
Ground beef, 100% beef, per lb. (453.6 gm)	1.376	1.371	NA	NA	1.383	1.359	1.404	1.381	1.289	1.291
Ground beef, lean and extra lean, per lb. (453.6 gm)	2.056	2.076	2.254	2.212	1.822	1.826	1.984	2.022	2.107	2.176
Chuck roast, USDA Choice, bone-in, per lb. (453.6 gm)	1.988	2.078	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Chuck roast, graded and ungraded, excluding USDA Prime and Choice, per lb. (453.6 gm)	2.079	2.106	NA	NA	2.232	2.076	2.027	2.139	1.976	2.085
Chuck roast, USDA Choice, boneless, per lb. (453.6 gm)	2.410	2.454	2.691	2.666	2.217	2.300	2.307	2.356	NA	NA
Round roast, USDA Choice, boneless, per lb. (453.6 gm)	2.813	2.914	2.870	3.054	2.687	2.759	2.851	2.913	2.908	2.847
Round roast, graded and ungraded, excluding USDA Prime and Choice, per lb. (453.6 gm)	2.630	2.766	NA	NA	2.585	2.718	2.566	2.829	2.610	2.701
Rib roast, USDA Choice, bone-in, per lb. (453.6 gm)	4.927	4.912	5.253	5.200	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Steak, T-Bone, USDA Choice, bone-in, per lb. (453.6 gm)	5.948	6.029	NA	NA	5.497	5.936	5.868	5.730	NA	NA
Steak, rib eye, USDA Choice, boneless, per lb. (453.6 gm)	6.351	6.262	NA	NA	6.034	6.010	6.241	6.226	NA	NA
Steak, round, USDA Choice, boneless, per lb. (453.6 gm)	3.153	3.149	3.540	3.459	2.827	2.878	3.136	3.188	NA	NA
Steak, round, graded and ungraded, excluding USDA Prime and Choice, per lb. (453.6 gm)	2.973	2.944	NA	NA	2.889	3.061	3.059	2.899	2.921	2.902
Steak, sirloin, USDA Choice, bone-in, per lb. (453.6 gm)	NA	NA	3.625	3.795	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Steak, sirloin, graded and ungraded, excluding USDA Prime and Choice, per lb. (453.6 gm)	3.659	3.626	3.877	3.840	3.540	3.251	3.943	3.708	3.509	3.684
Steak, sirloin, USDA Choice, boneless, per lb. (453.6 gm)	4.158	4.169	4.656	4.488	3.950	3.806	4.006	4.174	4.046	4.477
Short ribs, any primal source, bone-in, per lb. (453.6 gm)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Beef for stew, boneless, per lb. (453.6 gm)	2.428	2.517	NA	NA	2.452	2.552	NA	NA	NA	NA
Pork:										
Bacon, sliced, per lb. (453.6 gm)	2.042	2.117	2.316	2.333	2.115	2.141	1.802	1.934	1.913	2.042
Chops, center cut, bone-in, per lb. (453.6 gm)	3.306	3.287	3.300	3.270	3.052	3.141	3.361	3.248	3.619	3.597
Chops, boneless, per lb. (453.6 gm)	4.362	4.339	4.410	4.182	4.139	4.135	4.446	4.638	4.389	4.304
Ham, rump or shank half, bone-in, smoked, per lb. (453.6 gm)	1.587	1.634	NA	NA	NA	NA	1.681	1.769	NA	NA
Ham, boneless, excluding canned, per lb. (453.6 gm)	2.610	2.645	NA	NA	2.549	2.624	2.654	2.629	2.376	2.385
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)	1.083	1.141	NA	NA	NA	NA	1.020	1.102	NA	NA
Sausage, fresh, loose, per lb. (453.6 gm)	1.888	1.960	NA	NA	NA	NA	1.911	1.947	NA	NA
Other meats:										
Frankfurters, all meat or all beef, per lb. (453.6 gm)	1.991	2.059	NA	NA	NA	NA	1.755	1.830	NA	NA
Bologna, all beef or mixed, per lb. (453.6 gm)	2.318	2.382	NA	NA	1.975	2.256	2.338	2.303	2.739	2.702
Lamb and mutton, bone-in, per lb. (453.6 gm)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA

See footnotes at end of table.

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

Food and unit	U.S. average		Northeast		North Central		South		West	
	Sept. 1995	Oct. 1995	Sept. 1995	Oct. 1995	Sept. 1995	Oct. 1995	Sept. 1995	Oct. 1995	Sept. 1995	Oct. 1995
Poultry:										
Chicken, fresh, whole, per lb. (453.6 gm)	0.939	0.930	1.084	1.044	0.916	0.951	0.824	0.821	1.015	0.973
Chicken breast, bone-in, per lb. (453.6 gm)	2.017	2.001	2.035	2.222	1.875	1.844	1.882	1.861	2.414	2.082
Chicken legs, bone-in, per lb. (453.6 gm)	1.195	1.176	1.216	1.216	1.132	1.101	1.043	1.067	NA	NA
Turkey, frozen, whole, per lb. (453.6 gm)	1.086	1.050	NA	NA	1.045	1.004	1.119	1.089	1.000	1.018
Fish and seafood:										
Tuna, light, chunk, per lb. (453.6 gm)	1.964	1.986	1.986	1.980	2.043	2.048	1.838	1.887	2.101	2.138
Eggs:										
Grade A, large, per doz.	.956	.981	1.177	1.167	.859	.886	.958	.994	NA	NA
Grade AA, large, per doz.	1.161	1.167	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	1.406	1.378
Dairy products:										
Milk, fresh, whole, fortified, per 1/2 gal. (1.9 lit)	1.437	1.425	1.308	1.319	NA	NA	NA	NA	1.568	1.556
Milk, fresh, whole, fortified, per gal. (3.8 lit)	2.459	2.473	2.459	2.467	2.326	2.348	2.420	2.428	2.643	2.669
Milk, fresh, low fat, per 1/2 gal. (1.9 lit)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Milk, fresh, low fat, per gal. (3.8 lit)	2.271	2.292	NA	NA	2.170	2.201	2.361	2.342	NA	NA
Butter, salted, grade AA, stick, per lb. (453.6 gm)	1.605	1.670	1.604	1.705	1.746	1.778	1.442	1.489	NA	NA
American processed cheese, per lb. (453.6 gm)	3.029	3.081	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Cheddar cheese, natural, per lb. (453.6 gm)	3.347	3.402	NA	NA	NA	NA	3.515	3.542	NA	NA
Ice cream, prepackaged, bulk, regular, per 1/2 gal. (1.9 lit)	2.683	2.735	2.715	2.874	2.562	2.601	2.630	2.555	2.810	2.872
Yogurt, natural, fruit flavored, per 8 oz. (226.8 gm)	.628	.620	NA	NA	NA	NA	.614	.598	NA	NA
Fruits and vegetables:										
Fresh fruits and vegetables:										
Apples, Red Delicious, per lb. (453.6 gm)	.923	.863	.960	.894	.856	.789	.951	.884	.925	.879
Bananas, per lb. (453.6 gm)	.490	.471	.520	.514	.461	.431	.453	.450	.543	.496
Oranges, Navel, per lb. (453.6 gm)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Oranges, Valencia, per lb. (453.6 gm)	.662	.672	.832	.783	.521	.585	.749	.718	.662	.672
Cherries, per lb. (453.6 gm)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Grapefruit, per lb. (453.6 gm)	.709	.654	.744	.639	.676	.628	.685	.654	.726	.705
Grapes, Thompson Seedless, per lb. (453.6 gm)	1.160	1.351	1.340	1.578	1.166	1.361	1.145	1.265	.987	1.213
Lemons, per lb. (453.6 gm)	1.402	1.343	1.493	1.385	1.164	1.164	1.455	1.390	1.456	1.402
Peaches, per lb. (453.6 gm)	1.174	NA	1.183	NA	1.117	NA	1.078	NA	1.286	NA
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)	1.355	1.316	1.457	1.311	1.340	1.313	1.318	1.290	NA	NA
Potatoes, white, per lb. (453.6 gm)	.399	.396	.437	.428	.298	.303	.411	.417	.445	.431
Lettuce, iceberg, per lb. (453.6 gm)	.859	.700	.919	.759	.823	.666	.884	.719	.805	.652
Tomatoes, field grown, per lb. (453.6 gm)	.950	1.041	1.243	1.298	.904	.971	.892	1.013	.787	.894
Broccoli, per lb. (453.6 gm)	.937	.867	.995	.818	.928	.866	.970	.972	.862	.824
Cabbage, per lb. (453.6 gm)	.401	.432	NA	NA	.430	.451	.443	.475	NA	NA
Carrots, short trimmed and topped, per lb. (453.6 gm)	.513	.522	.566	.619	.452	.479	.601	.555	.447	.454
Celery, per lb. (453.6 gm)	.560	.608	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	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)	.600	.568	NA	NA	NA	NA	.648	.550	NA	NA
Onions, dry yellow, per lb. (453.6 gm)	.423	.398	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Peppers, sweet, per lb. (453.6 gm)	1.233	1.094	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Processed fruits and vegetables:										
Apple Sauce, any variety, all sizes, per lb. (453.6 gm)	.771	.770	NA	NA	.654	.641	NA	NA	NA	NA
Orange juice, frozen concentrate, 12 oz. can, per 16 oz. (473.2 ml)	1.607	1.583	1.869	1.845	1.497	1.449	1.451	1.440	1.691	1.667
Peaches, any variety, all sizes, per lb. (453.6 gm)	.879	.862	NA	NA	.861	.838	.821	.822	NA	NA
Beans, dried, any type, all sizes, per lb. (453.6 gm)	.684	.683	NA	NA	NA	NA	.558	.554	NA	NA
Corn, canned, any style, all sizes, per lb. (453.6 gm)	.641	.637	NA	NA	NA	NA	.602	.589	NA	NA
Potatoes, frozen, French fried, per lb. (453.6 gm)	.864	.852	NA	NA	.806	.808	.857	.836	.782	.795
Tomatoes, canned, whole, per lb. (453.6 gm)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Tomatoes, canned, any type, all sizes, per lb. (453.6 gm)	.677	.675	NA	NA	NA	NA	.716	.701	.661	.678

See footnotes at end of table.

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

Food and unit	U.S. average		Northeast		North Central		South		West	
	Sept. 1995	Oct. 1995	Sept. 1995	Oct. 1995	Sept. 1995	Oct. 1995	Sept. 1995	Oct. 1995	Sept. 1995	Oct. 1995
Other foods at home:										
Sugar and sweets:										
Sugar, white, all sizes, per lb. (453.6 gm)	0.398	0.404	0.454	0.474	0.366	0.372	0.396	0.396	0.396	0.401
Sugar, white, 33-80 oz. pkg, per lb. (453.6 gm)	.381	.390	.378	.401	.363	.370	.396	.395	NA	NA
Fats and oils:										
Margarine, stick, per lb. (453.6 gm)	.833	.837	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Margarine, soft, tubs, per lb. (453.6 gm)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Shortening, vegetable oil blends, per lb. (453.6 gm)	.892	.887	1.065	1.058	.893	.889	.824	.818	.851	.848
Peanut butter, creamy, all sizes, per lb. (453.6 gm)	1.801	1.781	NA	NA	1.717	1.682	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
Cola, nondiet, per 2 liters (67.6 oz)	1.077	1.068	NA	NA	NA	NA	1.038	1.024	NA	NA
Coffee, 100%, ground roast, all sizes, per lb. (453.6 gm)	3.996	3.865	4.491	4.291	3.740	3.627	NA	NA	3.999	3.900
Coffee, 100%, ground roast, 13.1-20 oz. can, per lb. (453.6 gm)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Coffee, instant, plain, regular, all sizes, per lb. (453.6 gm)	10.616	10.569	NA	NA	10.726	10.725	9.884	9.861	NA	NA
Other prepared foods:										
Potato chips, per 16 oz. (453.6 gm)	2.970	3.020	NA	NA	2.948	2.996	3.078	3.086	2.829	3.032
Alcoholic Beverages at Home:										
Malt Beverages, all types, all sizes, any origin, per 16 oz. (473.2 ml)	.803	.818	.878	.846	.756	.797	.772	.799	.830	.840
Vodka, all types, all sizes, any origin, per 1 liter (33.8 oz)	9.546	8.807	11.482	NA	9.327	7.811	NA	NA	NA	8.214
Wine, red and white table, all sizes, any origin, per 1 liter (33.8 oz)	4.468	4.564	5.298	4.127	3.346	4.602	4.654	6.016	4.580	4.042

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.

Technical Notes

Brief Explanation of the CPI

The Consumer Price Index (CPI) is a measure of the average change in prices over time in a fixed market basket of goods and services. The Bureau of Labor Statistics publishes CPI's for two population groups: (1) a CPI for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U) which covers approximately 80 percent of the total population and (2), a CPI for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W) which covers 32 percent of the total population. The CPI-U includes, in addition to wage earners and clerical workers, groups such as professional, managerial, and technical workers, the self-employed, short-term workers, the unemployed, and retirees and others not in the labor force.

The CPI is based on prices of food, clothing, shelter, fuels, transportation fares, charges for doctors' and dentists' services, medicine, and the other goods that people buy for day-to-day living. Prices are collected in 85 urban areas across the country from about 57,000 housing units and approximately 19,000 retail establishments—department stores, supermarkets, hospitals, gasoline stations and other types of stores and services establishments. All taxes directly associated with the purchase and use of items are included in the index. Prices of food, fuel, and a few other items are obtained every month in all 85 locations. Prices of most other commodities and services are collected every month in the five largest geographic areas and every other month in other areas. Prices of most goods and services are obtained by either personal visits or telephone calls from the Bureau's trained representatives. Some data, such as used car prices, are obtained from secondary sources.

In calculating the index, price changes for the various items in each location are averaged together with weights which represent their importance in the spending of the appropriate population group. Local data are then combined to obtain a U.S. city average. Separate indexes are also published by size of city, by region of country, for cross-classifications of regions and population-size classes, and for 29 local areas. Area indexes do not measure differences in the level of prices among cities, they only measure the average change in prices for each area since the base period.

The indexes measure price change from a designated reference date, usually 1982-84, which equals 100.0. An increase of 7 percent, for example, is shown as 107.0. This change can also be expressed in dollars as follows: the price of a base period "market basket" of goods and services in the CPI has risen from \$100 in 1982-84 to \$107.

For further details see *BLS Handbook of Methods*, BLS Bulletin 2414, September 1992.

Calculating Index Changes

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

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

<i>Index point change</i>	
CPI	112.5
Less previous index	108.5
Equals index point change	4.0
<i>Percent change</i>	
Index point difference	4.0
Divided by the previous index	108.5
Equals	0.037
Results multiplied by one hundred	0.037×100
Equals percent change	3.7

Energy Prices

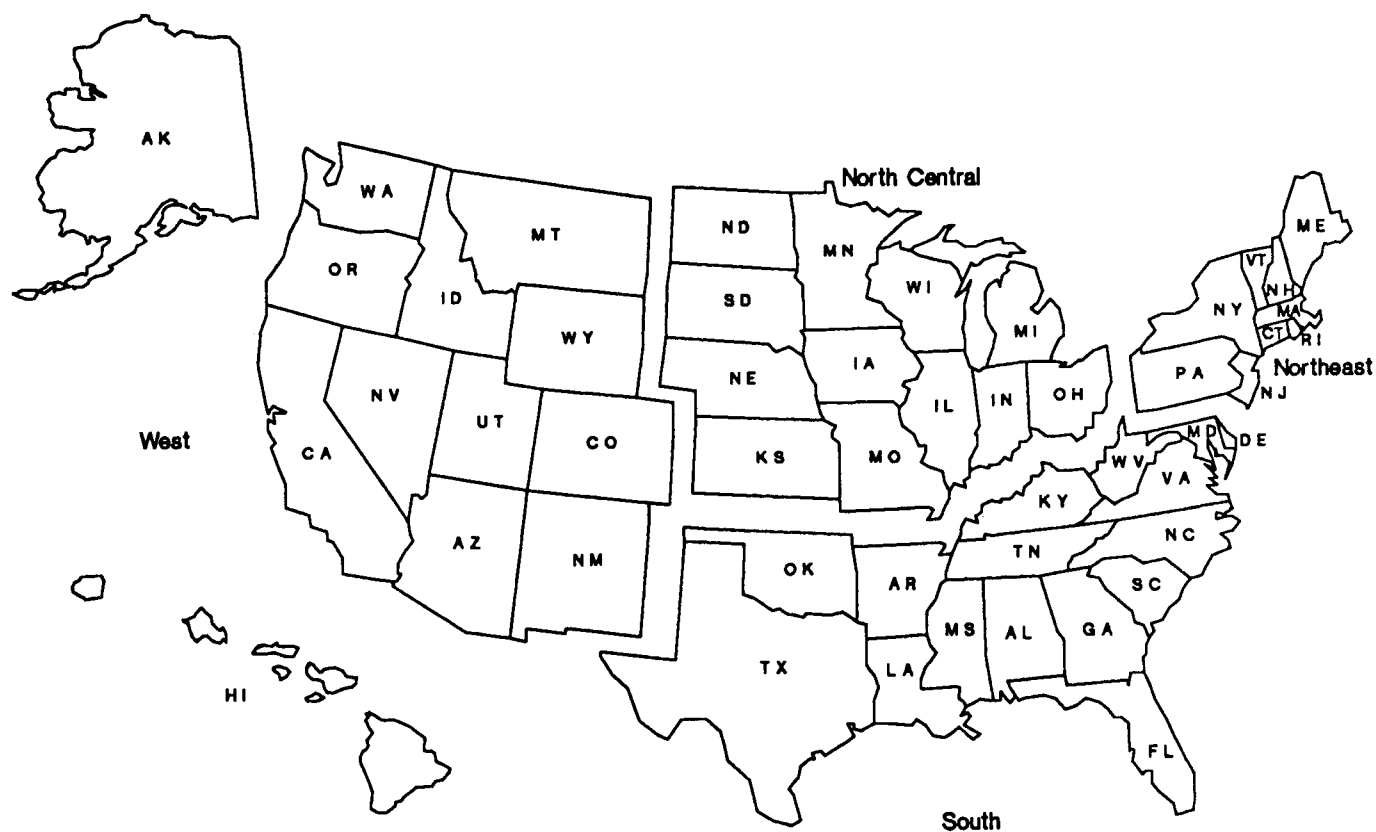
Prices are usually available for the U.S. city average, 15 large metropolitan areas, the four census regions, four size classifications, and 13 areas reflecting the four Census regions cross-classified by the four population sizes. However, not all energy commodities and services are used in every area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

CPI on Electronic Bulletin Board

A limited amount of CPI information is currently available via the Department of Labor's electronic bulletin board system (BBS). The data are accessible for downloading free of charge at virtually anytime to any person who has a personal computer with a modem and communications software. The phone number for the BBS is **(202) 219-4784**.

Included on the *Labor News* BBS are all items indexes for the CPI-U and CPI-W for both the U.S. city average and the Washington, D.C. area from 1980 to the present. Also included on the BBS are average prices for the U.S. from 1990 to the present for natural gas, electricity, fuel oil, and gasoline (all types, unleaded regular, and unleaded premium). More indexes or average prices may be added in the future.

The BBS is set to use the most common personal computer parameters. Users should set their communication software to the following:

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

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

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