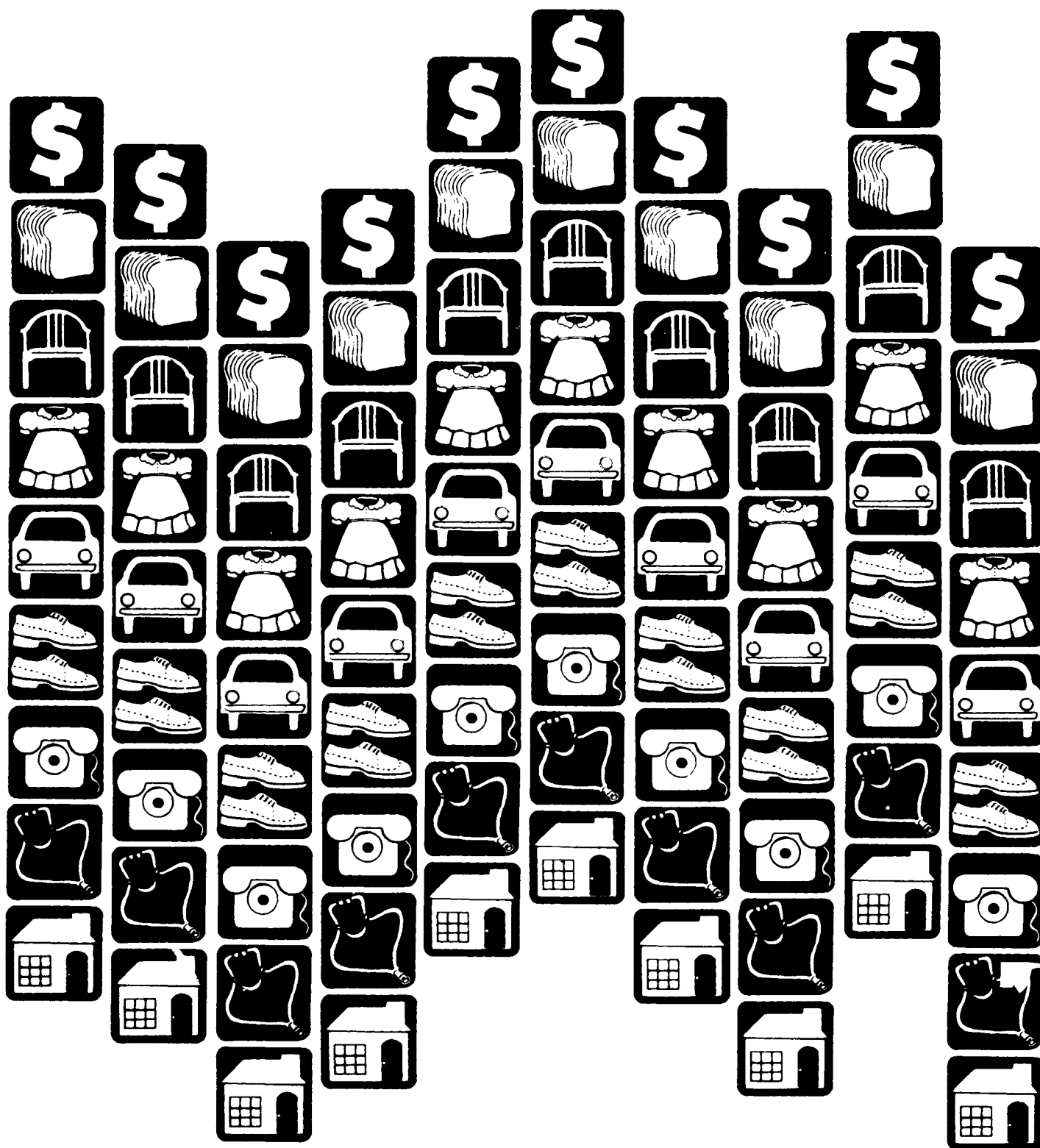


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<i>Index month</i>	<i>Release date</i>	<i>Index month</i>	<i>Release date</i>
March	April 24	June	July 22
April	May 22	July	August 21
May	June 23	August	September 23

NOTE: Beginning with the January 1987 report, the Consumer Price Indexes are being calculated on a revised basis, using 1982-84 expenditure patterns and updated population weights. In addition, a number of technical improvements have been made. Over the next 2 years, additional improvements also will be introduced. See page 3 for more revision information.

Price Movements February 1987

The Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U) rose 0.4 percent before seasonal adjustment in February to a level of 334.4 (1967=100). For the 12-month period ended in February, the CPI-U has increased 2.1 percent.

The Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W) rose 0.4 percent in February, prior to seasonal adjustment. The February 1987 CPI-W level of 329.0 (1967=100) was 1.8 percent higher than the index in February 1986.

CPI for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U)

On a seasonally adjusted basis, the CPI-U rose 0.4 percent in February following a 0.7-percent increase in January. Prices for petroleum-based energy rose sharply for the second consecutive month, but by less than in January, and accounted for over one-third of the overall CPI-U advance. Excluding all energy, the CPI-U rose 0.3 percent in February, after advancing 0.5 percent in January. This moderation was evident in many major categories of spending, with declines in the indexes for new cars and automobile finance charges accounting for nearly half of the deceleration. During the first 2 months of 1987, the CPI-U rose at a seasonally adjusted annual rate of 6.7 percent.

The index for transportation advanced 0.5 percent in February following a 1.5-percent increase in January. A smaller increase in prices for motor fuels and declines in new vehicle prices and automobile finance charges were respon-

sible for the moderation. Gasoline prices rose 4.2 percent in February after advancing 6.6 percent in January. Despite the sharp advances thus far in 1987, gasoline prices were 18.0 percent lower than a year ago and 32.4 percent below their peak level of March 1981. The declines in new car prices and automobile finance charges, down 1.1 and 2.5 percent, respectively, reflect a number of different price reduction programs—cash rebates and low interest loans—designed by manufacturers to stimulate sales. Used car prices, which turned up in January after declining in each of the preceding 11 months, rose 1.1 percent in February. The index for public transportation rose 0.2 percent as moderate increases in the indexes for airline fares and intracity public transportation were partially offset by a decline in fees for intercity transportation other than airlines.

The housing component increased 0.4 percent in February following a 0.5-percent increase in January. The index for household furnishings and operations, which increased 0.6 percent in January, was virtually unchanged in February. The index for fuel and other utilities rose 0.3 percent following a 0.4-percent increase in January. Fuel oil prices advanced sharply for the second consecutive month—up 4.4 percent in February after increasing 9.8 percent in January. As of February, however, these prices were 15.0 percent below their year earlier level and 33.5 percent below their peak level of April 1981. Charges for cable television and refuse collection also increased sharply for the second consecutive month. Charges for both telephone services and electricity declined slightly in February, while charges for natural

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

Expenditure category	Seasonally adjusted								Unadjusted
	Changes from preceding month							Compound annual rate 3 months ended February 1987	12 months ended February 1987
	1986					1987			
	August	September	October	November	December	January	February		
All items	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.7	0.4	5.2	2.1
Food and beverages . . . . .	.8	.3	.3	.4	.2	.5	.2	3.8	4.5
Housing . . . . .	.2	.2	0	0	.2	.5	.4	4.3	2.4
Apparel and upkeep . . . . .	.4	.4	0	.3	0	.4	.7	4.3	2.1
Transportation	-1.0	.3	.1	.4	0	1.5	.5	8.4	-2.9
Medical care . . . . .	.6	.6	.5	.5	.7	.4	.3	5.9	7.1
Entertainment . . . . .	.1	.3	.3	.3	.3	.2	.1	2.2	2.5
Other goods and services . . . . .	.7	.1	.4	.3	.3	1.1	.7	8.7	5.7

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

Expenditure category	Seasonally adjusted								Unadjusted
	Changes from preceding month							Compound annual rate 3 months ended February 1987	12 months ended February 1987
	1986					1987			
	August	September	October	November	December	January	February		
All items	0.1	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.7	.4	5.0	1.8
Food and beverages .....	.8	.3	.3	.4	.2	.5	.2	3.4	4.5
Housing .....	.2	.2	0	0	.2	.4	.4	3.9	2.2
Apparel and upkeep .....	.5	.7	-.1	.1	.2	.3	.3	3.3	1.9
Transportation	-1.1	.3	.1	.4	-.1	1.7	.6	9.0	-3.2
Medical care .....	.6	.6	.5	.5	.7	.4	.3	5.7	7.1
Entertainment .....	.1	.3	.4	.3	.3	.1	.1	1.9	2.6
Other goods and services .....	.6	.1	.4	.3	.2	1.2	.7	8.9	5.5

gas rose only 0.1 percent. The index for shelter rose 0.5 percent, the same as in January. Within shelter, renters' and homeowners' costs both increased 0.5 percent, while maintenance and repair costs declined 0.1 percent.

The food and beverage index increased 0.2 percent in February, compared with 0.5 percent in January. A sharp turnaround in prices for alcoholic beverages—down 0.1 percent following a 0.9-percent increase in January—and a smaller increase in prices for food away from home were responsible for the deceleration in February. Grocery store food prices rose 0.4 percent, the same as in the preceding month. Fruit and vegetable prices rose 3.2 percent in February following a 1.0-percent increase in January. On the other hand, the index for meats, poultry, fish, and eggs—down 0.7 percent—declined for the third consecutive month. Beef, pork, poultry, and egg prices each declined in February, more than offsetting a 1.9-percent increase in prices for fish and seafood. Prices for cereal and bakery products and dairy products rose moderately in February. The index for other food at home declined slightly, largely due to a 2.6-percent drop in coffee prices.

The medical care component rose 0.3 percent in February to a level 7.1 percent above its level a year prior. In February, the index for medical care commodities—prescription drugs, non-prescription drugs, and medical supplies—rose 0.4 percent. The index for medical care services increased 0.3 percent, with the costs of professional services and hospital and related services up 0.6 and 0.2 percent, respectively.

The index for apparel and upkeep—up 0.7 percent—was the only major expenditure group to record a larger increase in February than in January. The introduction of higher priced spring merchandise, particularly men's clothing, was largely responsible for the advance.

The entertainment index continued to register very moderate increases, advancing 0.1 percent in February.

The other goods and services component rose 0.7 percent in February, following a 1.1-percent increase in January. Prices for tobacco products, which advanced 2.0 percent in January, rose 0.9 percent in February and accounted for about 30 percent of the advance.

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

On a seasonally adjusted basis, the CPI for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers rose 0.4 percent in February. The old series data begin on page 109.

CPI (old series)

For the first 6 months of 1987, BLS will also calculate old series CPI-U and old series CPI-W based on the 1972-73 expenditure patterns used in the CPI from 1978 through 1986. The old series data begin on page 109. In February, the old series CPI-U and the old series CPI-W both rose 0.4 percent (not seasonally adjusted).

Consumer Price Index Revision

The Bureau of Labor Statistics introduced a revised Consumer Price Index (CPI) with the release of the January 1987 index in February 1987. As a result of the revision, both the CPI-U and the CPI-W now use updated expenditure weights based upon data tabulated from 3 years (1982, 1983 and 1984) of the Consumer Expenditure Surveys, replacing the old expenditure weights based on 1972-73 data. The Bureau periodically revises the expenditure weights so that the CPI reflects price changes of items currently being purchased by consumers.

A greatly enhanced housing survey designed to improve the rental equivalence measure of homeownership costs in both the CPI-U and CPI-W was introduced with release of the January 1987 CPI. The selection of the new housing sample is structured to represent optimally both owners and renters in the estimation of shelter costs.

In addition, a number of methodological and sampling advances first introduced in the 1978 revision were enhanced and incorporated into the CPI for January 1987. For example, the selection of the urban areas and the allocation of outlet samples in which prices are collected for the CPI were done by the Bureau with the primary objective of producing the most accurate national CPI possible with the funds available. The CPI revision was begun as a 5-year project in 1984. In addition to the new expenditure weights and enhancements introduced with the January 1987 CPI, other technical improvements will be introduced over the next 2 years. (See, for example, "Adjustment of Shelter Indexes for Aging Effects," page 5.)

Also, the January 1987 index was based for the first time on the geographic distribution of consumers as of the 1980 Census of Population. The previous CPI used the 1970 Census of Population. The requirement to allocate the sample so as to provide the most accurate national CPI has resulted in some local areas not having samples sufficient to permit frequent publication. Therefore, effective with release of the data for January 1987, a number of local area CPI's are now published less frequently. The areas affected by the changes in publication are identified later in this article.

Both of the CPI's are linked to the indexes for December 1986 to provide a continuous series. The linking was accomplished by setting the index levels of the revised CPI, with the updated expenditure weights and samples, equal to the index levels published for the previous series in December 1986. Each index has been moved upward or downward from the December 1986 level in accordance with subsequent changes in prices.

As in the past, the Bureau is publishing selected indexes using the old expenditure weights for 6 months after the issuance of the revised CPI. In order to conserve resources,

the overlap indexes will differ from the revised indexes only in their expenditure weights. Unlike earlier revisions, the overlap indexes are not based on the old sample of items and outlets. The reference base period for revised CPI indexes issued for January 1987 is 1967=100, the same as for the previous indexes: As described below, this reference base period will be changed to 1982-84=100 effective with the CPI for January 1988.

In addition to the national all-city average CPI-U and CPI-W indexes, the Bureau previously published indexes for 28 local areas. In 1987, the Bureau is publishing indexes for all but one of these areas—Northeast Pennsylvania (Scranton-Wilkes-Barre). Because of the requirement to allocate the sample to provide the most accurate national CPI possible, however, 14 of the remaining 27 published areas have had a change in the frequency of their publication.

Based on population growth since 1970 and the expanded definitions of the Consolidated Metropolitan Statistical Areas issued by the Office of Management and Budget, the San Francisco-Oakland-San Jose area has replaced the Detroit-Ann Arbor area as the fifth largest area covered by CPI indexes. For that reason, the San Francisco area is now published monthly while the Detroit area is published only for even-numbered months rather than monthly.

Indexes for 12 areas previously published bimonthly are now compiled on a semiannual average basis. These areas are: Buffalo-Niagara Falls, N.Y.; Cincinnati-Hamilton, Ohio-Ky.-Ind.; Kansas City, Mo.-Kansas City, Kan.; Milwaukee, Wis.; Minneapolis-St. Paul, Minn.-Wis.; Atlanta, Ga.; Anchorage, Alaska; Denver-Boulder, Colo.; Honolulu, Hawaii; Portland-Vancouver, Ore.-Wash.; San Diego, Calif.; and Seattle-Tacoma, Wash.

The semiannual average indexes, which refer to the arithmetic averages of the 6-month periods from January through June and July through December, are published with release of the CPI for July and January, respectively, i.e., in the months of August and February. These series are compiled and published on their previous reference bases, 1967=100 for all areas other than Anchorage, which is on an October 1967 reference base. Also, the Cleveland-Akron-Lorain, Ohio, indexes are now published for odd-numbered rather than even-numbered months.

Indexes were previously published bimonthly for 4 regions, 5 size classes, and 16 region-by-size groups. Beginning with January 1987, publication of these indexes is monthly; two of the size classes have been combined and two of the region-by-size groups (nonmetropolitan areas in the West and in the East) were eliminated.

Additional details on the revision are available from BLS.

Adjustment of Shelter Indexes for Aging Effects

Recent Bureau of Labor Statistics research demonstrates that the CPI's for residential rent and owners' equivalent rent should be adjusted for the effects of the aging of the housing units. Currently the BLS does not adjust for the fact that, on average, houses and apartments depreciate slowly through time. If the results from the revised shelter survey confirm

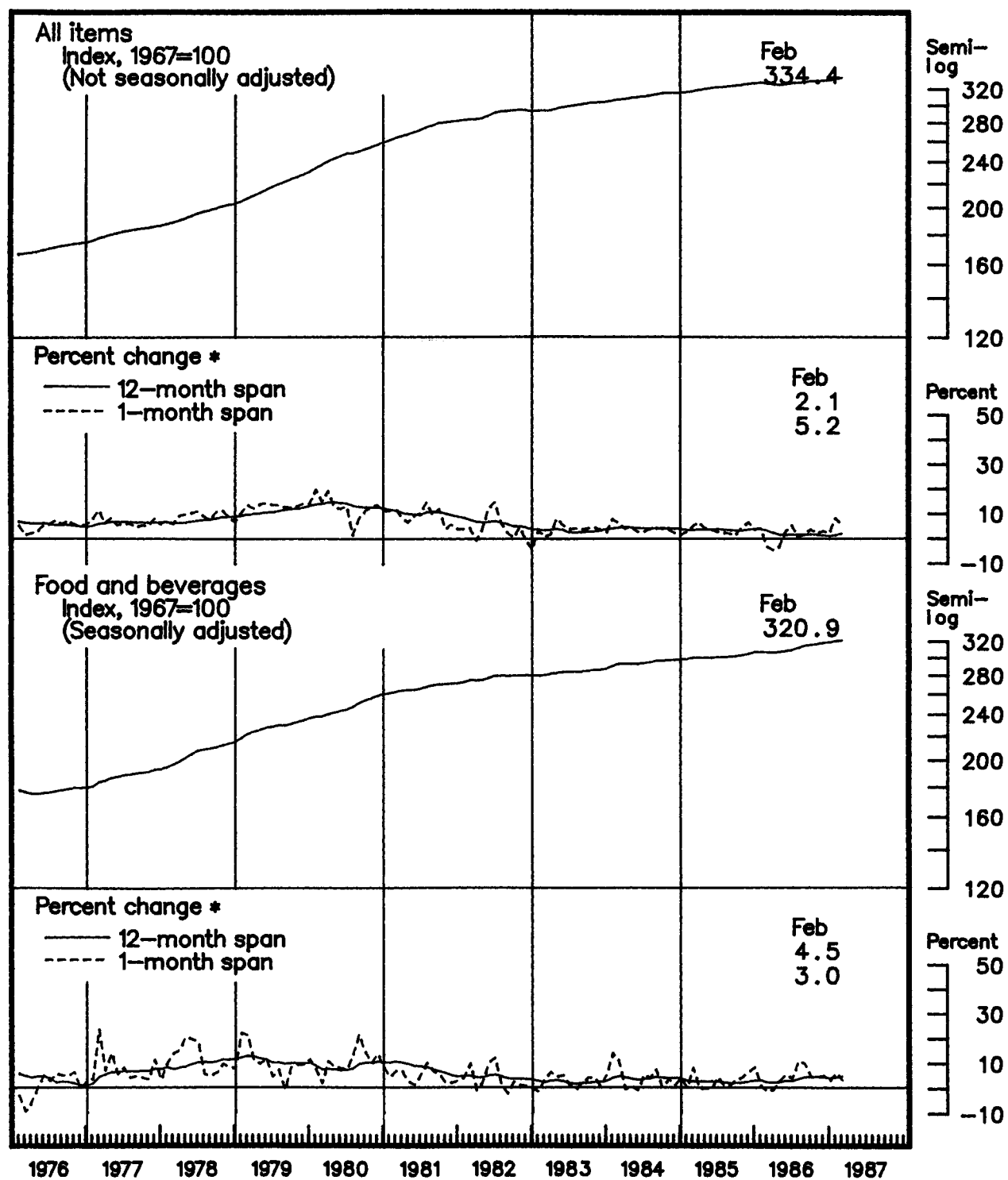
this initial result, then an aging adjustment will be introduced with the CPI for January 1988. (The research results indicate that annual changes for the residential rent and owners' equivalent rent indexes would be about 0.3 percent larger if aging adjustments were included.) The basic research papers on this topic are available from the BLS.

Consumer Price Indexes Will Shift to New Reference Base in 1988

Beginning with the release of data for January 1988 in February 1988, most Consumer Price Indexes will shift to a new reference base year. All indexes currently expressed on a base of 1967=100, or any other base through December 1981, will be rebased to 1982-84=100. Only indexes with a base later than December 1981 will keep their current bases. This base change was reviewed by the Office of Federal Statistical Policy and Standards, Office of Management and Budget, and is in keeping with its longstanding policy to update index bases periodically. Selection of the 1982-84 period was made to coincide with the updated

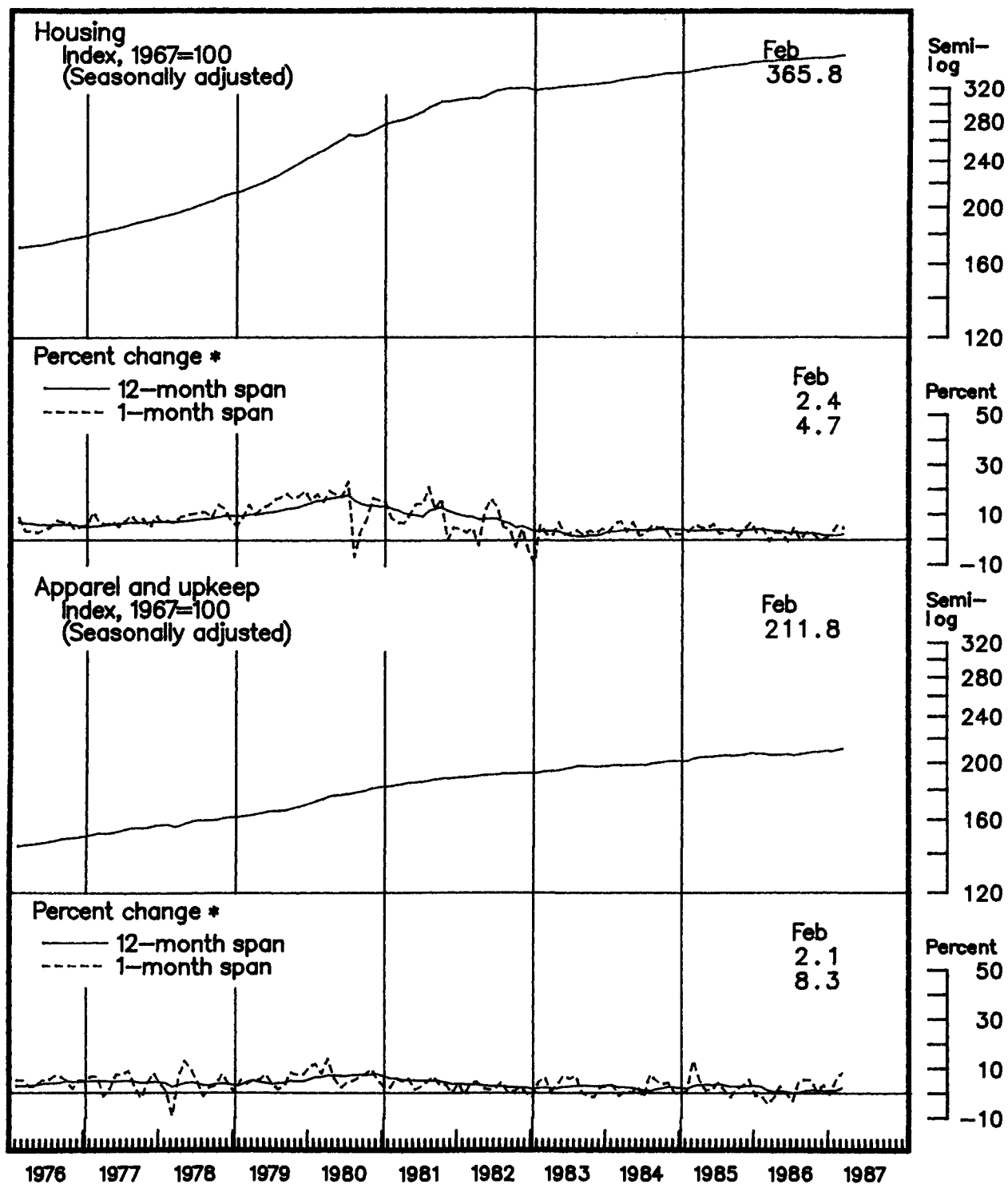
expenditure weights, which are based upon data tabulated from the Consumer Expenditure Surveys for 1982, 1983, and 1984. The last rebasing of CPI data occurred in February 1971, when the current 1967 base was substituted for the former 1957-59 base. Historical data for each CPI series on the new base will be available from the Bureau of Labor Statistics. For the convenience of users, BLS will continue to publish all items indexes for the U.S. city average, and for the individual local areas for which CPI's are published, on their former official reference base (1967=100 in most cases).

CHART 1: CPI-U: All Items, food and beverages, 1976-87



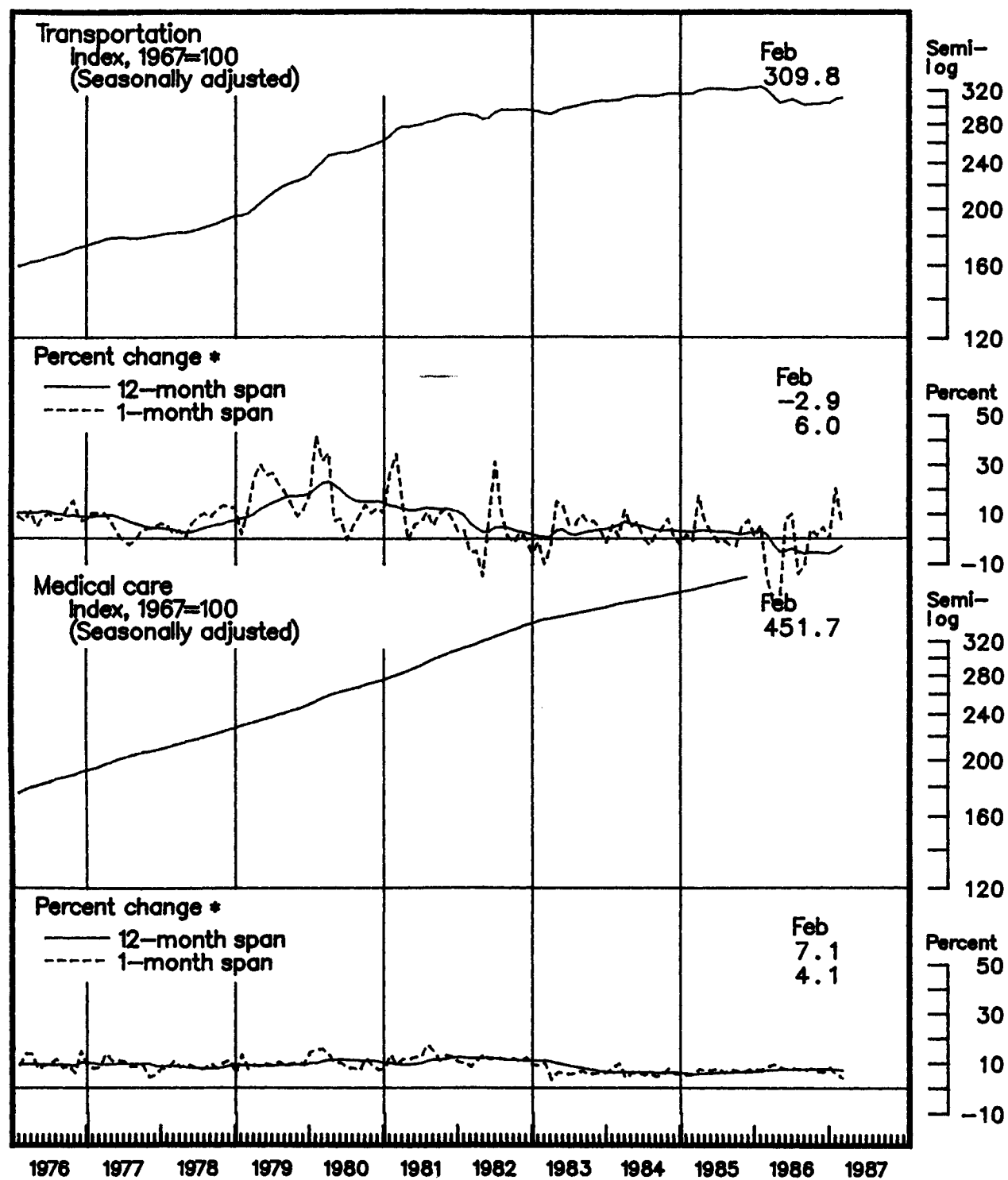
* Percent changes over 12-month spans are calculated from unadjusted data. Percent changes over 1-month spans are annual rates calculated from seasonally adjusted data.

CHART 2: CPI-U: Housing, apparel and upkeep, 1976-87



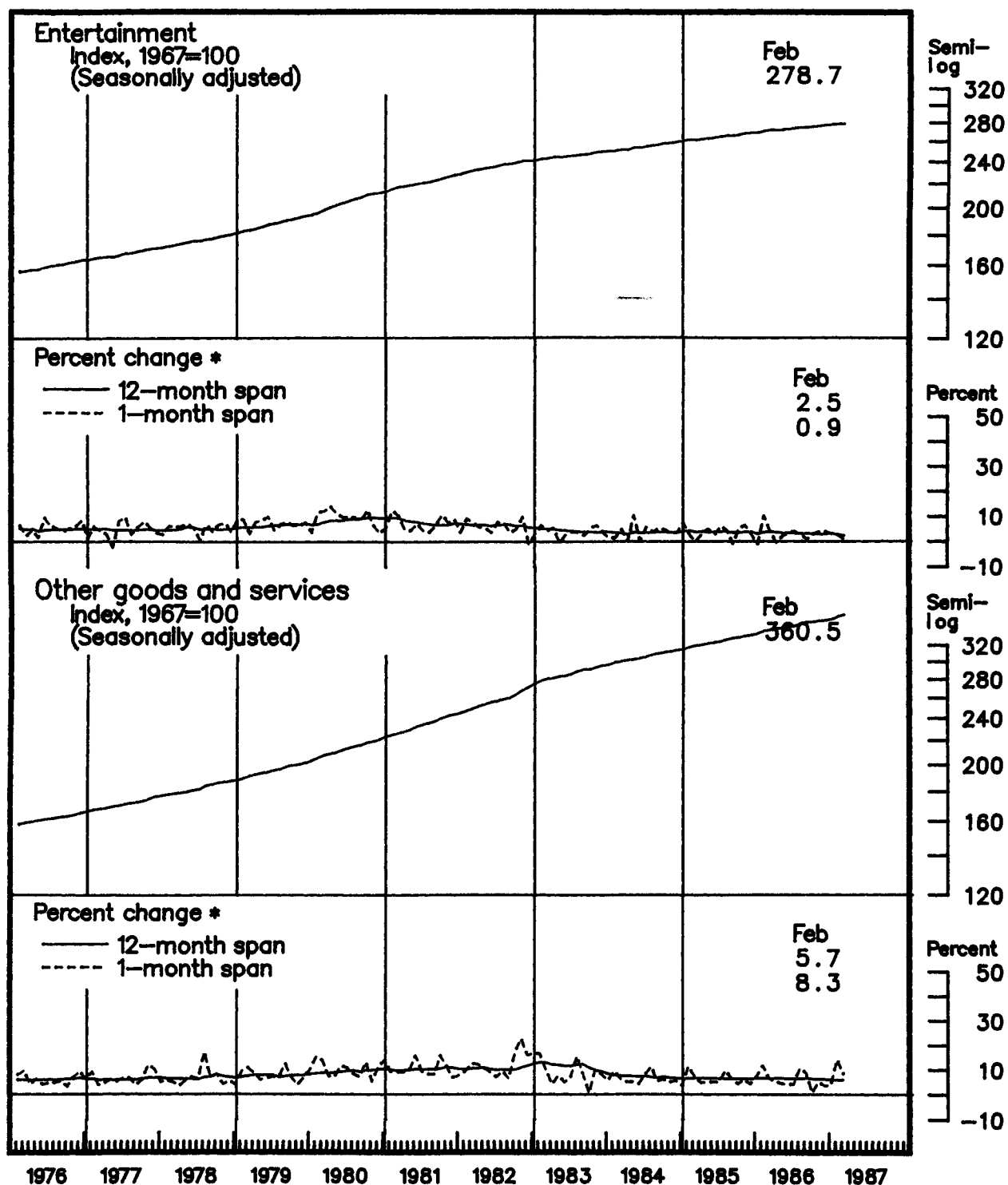
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CHART 3: CPI-U: Transportation and medical care, 1976-87



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

CHART 4: CPI-U: Entertainment, other goods and services, 1976-87



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

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Relative importance, December 1988	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Feb. 1987 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Jan. 1987	Nov. to Dec.	Dec. to Jan.	Jan. to Feb.
Expenditure category								
All items	100.000	333.1	334.4	2.1	0.4	0.2	0.7	0.4
All items(1957-59=100)	100.0	387.4	388.9	-	-	-	-	-
Food and beverages	17.824	320.5	321.6	4.5	.3	.2	.5	.2
Food	16.246	328.9	330.1	4.7	.4	.2	.4	.3
Food at home	9.974	315.2	316.6	5.0	.4	.1	.4	.4
Cereals and bakery products ¹	1.357	331.5	332.7	3.2	.4	.3	.6	.4
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	3.143	289.2	286.4	6.7	-1.0	-3	-2	-7
Dairy products ¹	1.263	263.3	264.7	2.9	.5	.4	.4	.5
Fruits and vegetables	1.659	344.3	355.2	10.8	3.2	.7	1.0	3.2
Other food at home	2.552	378.7	380.0	1.3	.3	-1	.9	-1
Sugar and sweets ¹ .....	.359	415.8	415.8	1.8	.0	-1	1.0	.0
Fats and oils ¹ .....	.265	293.2	290.3	-4	-1.0	.2	2.5	-1.0
Nonalcoholic beverages .....	.891	482.6	481.9	-7	-1	-5	.5	-1.1
Other prepared food	1.037	308.4	312.1	4.2	1.2	.4	.8	.9
Food away from home	6.272	368.6	369.6	4.3	.3	.5	.4	.2
Alcoholic beverages	1.578	242.5	243.2	2.1	.3	.2	.9	-1
Housing	42.947	363.9	365.1	2.4	.3	.2	.5	.4
Shelter	27.822	412.3	414.0	4.9	.4	.2	.5	.5
Renters' costs ²	8.000	125.3	125.8	5.7	.4	.3	.7	.5
Rent, residential	6.094	287.1	288.0	5.2	.3	.3	.4	.4
Other renters' costs	1.906	428.3	430.8	6.6	.6	.4	1.7	.6
Homeowners' costs ²	19.600	122.0	122.5	4.7	.4	.2	.4	.5
Owners' equivalent rent ²	19.188	122.0	122.5	4.7	.4	.2	.4	.5
Household insurance ^{1 2} .....	.412	121.8	122.0	3.9	.2	.4	.2	.2
Maintenance and repairs ¹ .....	.222	382.1	381.9	.6	-1	.8	.6	-1
Maintenance and repair services ¹ .....	.133	437.7	436.1	.8	-4	-1	1.1	-4
Maintenance and repair commodities ¹ .....	.089	277.7	278.8	.4	.4	2.0	-2	.4
Fuel and other utilities	7.909	373.7	374.8	-3.9	.3	-2	.4	.3
Fuels	4.458	443.7	445.1	-6.6	.3	-2	.7	.3
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities .....	.395	487.9	503.2	-14.9	3.1	.2	7.2	3.8
Gas (piped) and electricity	4.063	428.8	428.9	-3.5	.0	-2	.1	.0
Other utilities and public services ¹	3.451	254.9	255.6	3.1	.3	-2	.0	.3
Household furnishings and operation	7.216	253.1	253.5	1.8	.2	.4	.6	.0
Housefurnishings	4.447	203.0	203.2	1.8	.1	.6	.7	-2
Housekeeping supplies	1.215	324.6	325.3	2.1	.2	.2	.4	.2
Housekeeping services ¹	1.554	349.8	350.6	1.8	.2	.2	.1	.2
Apparel and upkeep	6.335	207.1	208.4	2.1	.6	.0	.4	.7
Apparel commodities	5.767	190.9	192.1	1.9	.6	-1	.4	.7
Men's and boys' apparel	1.549	199.2	199.9	1.6	.4	-3	.1	1.0
Women's and girls' apparel	2.612	166.6	167.8	2.7	.7	.0	1.2	.4
Infants' and toddlers' apparel ¹ .....	.236	301.8	304.5	-2.3	.9	1.9	-3.5	.9
Footwear .....	.848	209.9	211.0	1.5	.5	.1	-1.0	.8
Other apparel commodities ¹ .....	.522	223.2	226.0	4.6	1.3	-5	1.5	1.3
Apparel services .....	.568	342.5	343.2	3.8	.2	.3	.9	-1

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Relative importance, December 1986	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Feb. 1987 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Jan. 1987	Nov. to Dec.	Dec. to Jan.	Jan. to Feb.
Expenditure category								
Transportation	17.217	308.5	310.0	-2.9	0.5	0.0	1.5	0.5
Private transportation	15.718	299.8	301.3	-3.5	.5	-.1	1.6	.5
New vehicles	5.607	232.3	229.9	4.4	-1.0	.5	.3	-1.0
New cars	4.550	233.0	230.2	4.4	-1.2	.5	.4	-1.1
Used cars	1.249	354.6	356.9	-3.7	.6	-1.1	.3	1.1
Motor fuel	2.903	275.8	288.4	-18.0	4.5	-.3	6.6	4.1
Gasoline	-	275.1	287.5	-18.0	4.5	-.3	6.6	4.2
Maintenance and repairs ¹	1.549	371.3	373.0	3.9	.5	.6	.2	.5
Other private transportation ¹	4.411	314.9	314.0	4.9	-.3	.1	.9	-.3
Other private transportation commodities ¹ .....	.770	202.2	201.6	-.5	-.2	.2	.9	-.2
Other private transportation services ¹	3.641	347.7	346.7	5.8	-.3	.1	.9	-.3
Public transportation ¹	1.498	438.9	439.8	4.2	.2	1.3	.3	.2
Medical care	5.420	449.6	452.4	7.1	.6	.7	.4	.3
Medical care commodities	1.083	282.4	283.9	6.2	.5	1.0	.8	.4
Medical care services	4.337	486.5	489.6	7.3	.6	.6	.4	.3
Professional medical services	2.815	403.7	406.8	6.6	.8	.6	.4	.6
Entertainment	4.403	278.3	278.7	2.5	.1	.3	.2	.1
Entertainment commodities	2.120	268.1	268.1	1.1	.0	.3	.1	-.2
Entertainment services ¹	2.283	293.3	294.1	4.3	.3	.1	.4	.3
Other goods and services	5.855	358.1	359.7	5.7	.4	.3	1.1	.7
Tobacco and smoking products ¹	1.247	364.9	368.3	6.8	.9	.1	2.0	.9
Personal care ¹	1.235	295.7	296.4	2.5	.2	.1	.7	.2
Toilet goods and personal care appliances ¹ .....	.663	291.3	292.1	2.1	.3	.0	.8	.3
Personal care services ¹ .....	.571	300.8	301.3	2.8	.2	.1	.9	.2
Personal and educational expenses	3.373	450.6	452.0	8.2	.3	.7	.9	.8
School books and supplies .....	.217	400.7	403.4	7.9	.7	.7	.9	.5
Personal and educational services	3.156	462.8	464.2	8.4	.3	.7	.9	.8
Commodity and service group								
All items	100.000	333.1	334.4	2.1	.4	.2	.7	.4
Commodities	45.595	286.3	287.7	.1	.5	.1	1.0	.5
Food and beverages	17.824	320.5	321.6	4.5	.3	.2	.5	.2
Commodities less food and beverages	27.771	263.7	265.2	-2.7	.6	.0	1.3	.6
Nondurables less food and beverages ¹	15.625	281.8	265.4	-4.7	1.4	.0	.7	1.4
Apparel commodities	5.767	190.9	192.1	1.9	.6	-.1	.4	.7
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel ¹	9.858	304.8	310.3	-5.8	1.8	.4	2.3	1.8
Durables	12.147	272.4	271.2	.3	-.4	.0	.6	-.3
Services	54.405	408.6	409.9	4.2	.3	.3	.4	.4
Rent of shelter ^{1 2}	27.151	123.1	123.6	5.0	.4	.1	.5	.4
Household services less rent of shelter ^{1 2}	9.650	111.3	111.5	-.3	.2	-.2	.5	.2
Transportation services	6.688	368.5	368.5	5.0	.0	.5	.6	.0
Medical care services	4.337	486.5	489.6	7.3	.6	.6	.4	.3
Other services	6.579	342.2	343.1	5.2	.3	.4	.7	.5

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Relative importance, December 1986	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Feb. 1987 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Jan. 1987	Nov. to Dec.	Dec. to Jan.	Jan. to Feb.
Special indexes								
All items less food	83.754	332.2	333.6	1.6	0.4	0.2	0.7	0.4
All items less shelter	72.178	310.3	311.5	1.3	.4	.2	.7	.4
All items less homeowners' costs ²	80.400	112.7	113.1	1.7	.4	.3	.7	.4
All items less medical care	94.580	326.7	328.0	1.8	.4	.2	.7	.4
Commodities less food	28.350	282.5	284.0	-2.5	.6	.0	1.3	.5
Nondurables less food ¹	17.203	259.2	262.6	-4.3	1.3	.0	.7	1.3
Nondurables less food and apparel ¹	11.436	294.9	299.8	-5.4	1.6	.4	2.1	1.6
Nondurables ¹	33.449	292.1	294.6	.1	.9	.1	.9	.9
Services less rent of shelter ^{1 2}	26.254	120.8	121.1	3.7	.2	.2	.5	.2
Services less medical care ¹	50.067	397.6	398.8	3.9	.3	.1	.5	.3
Energy	6.360	352.2	359.2	-12.2	2.0	-2	3.0	1.9
All items less energy	92.640	334.0	334.9	3.9	.3	.2	.5	.3
All items less food and energy	76.394	333.6	334.5	3.8	.3	.2	.5	.3
Commodities less food and energy	26.052	265.5	265.7	1.6	.1	.1	.6	.0
Energy commodities	3.297	306.1	319.2	-17.4	4.3	-2	6.6	4.1
Services less energy	50.342	407.5	408.9	5.0	.3	.3	.5	.4
Purchasing power of the consumer dollar:								
1967=\$1.00 ¹	-	\$.300	\$.299	-2.0	-.3	.0	-.7	-.3
1957-59=\$1.00 ¹	-	.258	.257	-	-	-	-	-

¹ Not seasonally adjusted.

² Indexes on a December 1982=100 base.

- Data not available.

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

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

(1967=100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Seasonally adjusted indexes				Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for					
	Nov. 1986	Dec. 1986	Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
					May 1986	Aug. 1986	Nov. 1986	Feb. 1987	Aug. 1986	Feb. 1987
Expenditure category										
All items	-	-	-	315.0	-1.7	2.5	3.0	5.2	0.4	4.1
Food and beverages	317.9	318.6	320.1	320.9	2.4	7.9	4.4	3.8	5.1	4.1
Food	326.5	327.2	328.6	329.5	2.4	8.1	4.8	3.9	5.2	4.3
Food at home	312.3	312.6	314.0	315.3	1.5	10.2	4.7	3.9	5.7	4.3
Cereals and bakery products ¹	328.5	329.5	331.5	332.7	1.6	5.5	.4	5.2	3.6	2.8
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	287.3	286.3	285.6	285.6	-1.8	32.0	5.8	-5.1	13.9	.2
Dairy products ¹	261.2	262.2	263.3	264.7	-3	1.9	4.6	5.5	.8	5.0
Fruits and vegetables	338.0	340.5	344.0	354.9	12.3	-3.0	13.7	21.6	4.4	17.6
Other food at home	375.6	375.4	378.7	378.2	.1	1.9	1.1	2.8	1.0	1.9
Sugar and sweets ¹	412.4	411.8	415.8	415.8	2.6	1.9	-.7	3.3	2.2	1.3
Fats and oils ¹	285.4	286.0	293.2	290.3	-5.6	.8	-3.3	7.0	-2.5	1.7
Nonalcoholic beverages	482.0	479.5	481.7	476.2	-1.2	1.5	1.6	-4.7	.2	-1.6
Other prepared food	304.9	306.2	308.7	311.5	2.7	2.7	2.7	8.9	2.7	5.8
Food away from home	368.0	367.7	369.0	369.6	4.6	4.0	4.7	4.0	4.3	4.4
Alcoholic beverages	240.6	241.2	243.3	243.0	1.9	2.2	.2	4.1	2.0	2.1
Housing	362.0	362.7	364.4	365.8	1.7	2.7	1.1	4.3	2.2	2.7
Shelter	409.3	410.3	412.2	414.3	6.1	3.7	4.7	5.0	4.9	4.9
Renters' costs ²	124.1	124.5	125.4	126.0	6.5	4.7	5.0	6.3	5.6	5.6
Rent, residential	285.0	285.9	287.1	288.3	7.2	4.4	4.8	4.7	5.8	4.7
Other renters' costs	424.7	426.6	434.0	436.4	2.7	6.5	6.0	11.5	4.5	8.7
Homeowners' costs ²	121.3	121.5	122.0	122.6	6.6	3.1	4.8	4.4	4.8	4.6
Owners' equivalent rent ²	121.3	121.5	122.0	122.6	6.6	3.1	4.8	4.4	4.8	4.6
Household insurance ^{1,2}	121.1	121.6	121.8	122.0	4.9	3.8	4.1	3.0	4.3	3.5
Maintenance and repairs ¹	377.1	380.0	382.1	381.9	-12.5	10.5	.7	5.2	-1.7	2.9
Maintenance and repair services ¹	433.7	433.1	437.7	436.1	-6.6	8.4	-.5	2.2	.6	.9
Maintenance and repair commodities ¹	272.9	278.3	277.7	278.8	-19.8	13.4	2.4	8.9	-4.6	5.6
Fuel and other utilities	374.9	374.3	375.9	377.1	-9.0	-.7	-8.1	2.4	-4.9	-3.0
Fuels	443.6	442.9	446.1	447.6	-14.5	-3.9	-11.1	3.7	-9.4	-4.0
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities	442.1	443.0	475.1	493.3	-42.2	-31.3	-14.6	55.0	-37.0	15.1
Gas (piped) and electricity	435.3	434.4	434.9	434.9	-8.0	3.2	-10.5	-.4	-1.5	-5.6
Other utilities and public services ¹	255.4	254.9	254.9	255.6	5.9	7.2	-.8	.3	6.8	-.2
Household furnishings and operation	251.2	252.3	253.7	253.6	.6	2.9	.2	3.9	1.8	2.0
Housefurnishings	201.3	202.5	204.0	203.6	.0	3.6	-1.0	4.6	1.8	1.8
Housekeeping supplies	321.5	322.3	323.6	324.3	1.1	2.7	1.3	3.5	1.9	2.4
Housekeeping services ¹	348.5	349.3	349.8	350.6	1.5	1.9	1.3	2.4	1.7	1.9
Apparel and upkeep	209.6	209.5	210.4	211.8	.4	2.1	3.1	4.3	1.3	3.7
Apparel commodities	193.4	193.2	194.0	195.4	-.2	2.1	2.7	4.2	.9	3.5
Men's and boys' apparel	201.1	200.5	200.8	202.9	.2	-.8	3.2	3.6	-.3	3.4
Women's and girls' apparel	169.4	169.4	171.4	172.1	-1.4	2.4	3.6	6.5	.5	5.1
Infants' and toddlers' apparel ¹	307.0	312.7	301.8	304.5	9.2	-9.6	-4.6	-3.2	-.6	-3.9
Footwear	213.3	213.6	211.4	213.0	1.3	1.5	4.0	-.6	1.4	1.7
Other apparel commodities ¹	221.1	220.0	223.2	226.0	-1.3	12.0	-.9	9.2	5.2	4.0
Apparel services	339.2	340.2	343.2	342.9	3.3	2.3	5.1	4.4	2.8	4.8

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1967=100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Seasonally adjusted indexes				Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for					
	Nov. 1986	Dec. 1986	Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
					May 1986	Aug. 1986	Nov. 1986	Feb. 1987	Aug. 1986	Feb. 1987
Expenditure category										
Transportation	303.6	303.6	308.3	309.8	-16.3	-5.6	3.1	8.4	-11.1	5.7
Private transportation	295.1	294.8	299.6	301.2	-17.7	-6.4	3.0	8.5	-12.3	5.7
New vehicles	229.2	230.4	231.2	229.0	6.0	5.9	6.3	-3	5.9	2.9
New cars	229.7	230.9	231.8	229.3	6.0	5.7	6.9	-7	5.8	3.0
Used cars	357.3	353.5	354.6	358.4	-8.7	-4.1	-3.0	1.2	-6.4	-9
Motor fuel	261.7	260.9	278.0	289.5	-55.1	-31.5	-2.3	49.8	-44.5	21.0
Gasoline	261.1	260.3	277.6	289.2	-55.4	-31.4	-2.3	50.5	-44.7	21.3
Maintenance and repairs ¹	368.4	370.7	371.3	373.0	2.7	3.4	4.6	5.1	3.0	4.8
Other private transportation ¹	311.6	312.0	314.9	314.0	2.8	4.3	9.7	3.1	3.6	6.3
Other private transportation commodities ¹	200.0	200.4	202.2	201.8	-1.0	-1.2	-3.5	3.6	-1.1	.0
Other private transportation services ¹	344.1	344.5	347.7	346.7	3.5	5.2	11.8	3.1	4.3	7.4
Public transportation ¹	431.7	437.5	438.9	439.8	1.4	4.1	3.5	7.7	2.8	5.6
Medical care	445.3	448.2	450.2	451.7	8.4	7.5	7.0	5.9	7.9	6.5
Medical care commodities	278.6	281.3	283.5	284.5	5.0	6.8	4.1	8.7	5.9	6.4
Medical care services	481.9	484.8	486.5	488.1	9.1	7.5	7.7	5.2	8.3	6.4
Professional medical services	400.2	402.5	404.1	406.4	7.3	5.6	7.2	6.3	6.4	6.8
Entertainment	277.2	277.9	278.5	278.7	1.8	2.5	3.7	2.2	2.1	2.9
Entertainment commodities	267.3	268.1	268.3	267.8	.9	1.1	1.8	.8	1.0	1.3
Entertainment services ¹	291.8	292.2	293.3	294.1	3.0	4.4	6.4	3.2	3.7	4.8
Other goods and services	353.1	354.2	358.1	360.5	4.4	7.6	3.0	8.7	6.0	5.8
Tobacco and smoking products ¹	357.3	357.6	364.9	368.3	2.1	11.7	1.2	12.9	6.8	6.9
Personal care ¹	293.4	293.6	295.7	296.4	2.5	1.9	1.5	4.2	2.2	2.8
Toilet goods and personal care appliances ¹	289.6	289.6	291.3	292.1	2.7	1.7	.7	3.5	2.2	2.1
Personal care services ¹	297.9	298.2	300.8	301.3	2.3	2.1	2.3	4.6	2.2	3.5
Personal and educational expenses	440.7	443.9	447.7	451.1	8.2	9.9	5.7	9.8	9.0	7.7
School books and supplies	390.3	393.0	396.7	398.6	8.3	10.6	4.0	8.8	9.4	6.4
Personal and educational services	452.4	455.7	459.6	463.2	8.2	9.7	6.0	9.9	8.9	7.9
Commodity and service group										
All items	-	-	-	-	-1.7	2.5	3.0	5.2	.4	4.1
Commodities	283.6	283.9	286.6	287.9	-7.4	.6	2.0	6.2	-3.5	4.1
Food and beverages	317.9	318.6	320.1	320.9	2.4	7.9	4.4	3.8	5.1	4.1
Commodities less food and beverages	261.1	261.2	264.5	266.0	-13.3	-4.0	.3	7.7	-8.8	3.9
Nondurables less food and beverages ¹	260.0	260.0	261.8	265.4	-20.2	-7.7	3.0	8.6	-14.2	5.7
Apparel commodities	193.4	193.2	194.0	195.4	-2	2.1	2.7	4.2	.9	3.5
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel ¹	296.7	298.0	304.8	310.3	-26.4	-10.4	-.3	19.6	-18.8	9.2
Durables	270.7	270.8	272.4	271.5	-2.3	1.0	1.2	1.2	-.7	1.2
Services	406.7	407.8	409.6	411.1	4.5	4.5	3.7	4.4	4.5	4.1
Rent of shelter ^{1 2}	122.4	122.5	123.1	123.6	7.0	4.1	5.1	4.0	5.5	4.5
Household services less rent of shelter ^{1 2}	111.0	110.8	111.3	111.5	1.8	11.1	-14.1	1.8	6.4	-6.5
Transportation services	364.4	366.3	368.6	368.5	2.8	4.5	8.2	4.6	3.6	6.4
Medical care services	481.9	484.8	486.5	488.1	9.1	7.5	7.7	5.2	8.3	6.4
Other services	338.6	339.8	342.2	343.8	4.6	5.4	5.2	6.3	5.0	5.8

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1967=100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Seasonally adjusted indexes				Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for					
	Nov. 1986	Dec. 1986	Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
					May 1986	Aug. 1986	Nov. 1986	Feb. 1987	Aug. 1986	Feb. 1987
Special indexes										
All items less food	329.7	330.3	332.7	334.1	-2.6	1.2	2.5	5.4	-0.7	3.9
All items less shelter	308.0	308.6	310.9	312.0	-3.8	2.1	2.4	5.3	-.9	3.8
All items less homeowners' costs ²	111.8	112.1	112.9	113.3	-2.8	2.2	2.5	5.5	-.4	4.0
All items less medical care	324.3	324.8	327.0	328.3	-2.3	2.1	2.6	5.0	-.1	3.8
Commodities less food	260.1	260.2	263.5	264.8	-12.9	-3.8	.3	7.4	-8.4	3.8
Nondurables less food ¹	257.4	257.5	259.2	262.6	-18.9	-7.3	2.8	8.3	-13.3	5.6
Nondurables less food and apparel ¹	287.7	288.9	294.9	299.6	-24.6	-9.5	-.3	17.8	-17.4	8.3
Nondurables ¹	289.2	289.5	292.1	294.6	-9.1	.0	2.5	7.7	-4.6	5.1
Services less rent of shelter ^{1 2}	120.0	120.2	120.8	121.1	3.5	7.0	.7	3.7	5.2	2.2
Services less medical care ¹	395.4	395.8	397.6	398.8	4.6	5.6	1.8	3.5	5.1	2.7
Energy	345.3	344.6	354.9	361.5	-36.0	-16.7	-7.6	20.1	-27.0	5.4
All items less energy	332.0	332.8	334.4	335.4	3.3	4.8	4.0	4.2	4.0	4.1
All items less food and energy	331.6	332.4	334.1	335.0	3.5	3.9	3.8	4.2	3.7	4.0
Commodities less food and energy	264.7	265.0	266.5	266.5	-.2	2.6	1.4	2.7	1.2	2.1
Energy commodities	287.9	287.3	306.4	318.9	-52.9	-31.5	-4.7	50.5	-43.2	19.8
Services less energy	404.8	406.0	408.0	409.6	5.7	4.6	5.2	4.8	5.1	5.0

¹ Not seasonally adjusted.

² Indexes on a December 1982=100 base.

- Data not available.

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

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

Year and month	CPI-U								CPI-W
	All items	Food and beverages	Housing	Apparel and upkeep	Transportation	Medical care	Entertainment	Other goods and services	All items
Indexes 1967=100									
1951, Dec.	79.3	-	-	87.1	74.8	57.9	-	-	79.3
1952, Dec.	80.0	-	-	84.6	78.9	60.4	-	-	80.0
1953, Dec.	80.5	-	-	85.1	78.9	62.5	-	-	80.5
1954, Dec.	80.1	-	-	84.5	77.9	63.9	-	-	80.1
1955, Dec.	80.4	-	-	84.9	77.9	65.9	-	-	80.4
1956, Dec.	82.7	-	-	87.1	81.5	68.2	-	-	82.7
1957, Dec.	85.2	-	-	87.9	85.1	71.3	-	-	85.2
1958, Dec.	86.7	-	-	88.0	88.4	74.7	-	-	86.7
1959, Dec.	88.0	-	-	89.3	91.0	77.5	-	-	88.0
1960, Dec.	89.3	-	-	90.6	89.7	80.0	-	-	89.3
1961, Dec.	89.9	-	-	91.0	91.5	82.3	-	-	89.9
1962, Dec.	91.0	-	-	91.6	93.2	84.3	-	-	91.0
1963, Dec.	92.5	-	-	93.1	94.0	86.2	-	-	92.5
1964, Dec.	93.6	-	-	93.5	95.3	88.0	-	-	93.6
1965, Dec.	95.4	-	-	94.8	96.3	90.5	-	-	95.4
1966, Dec.	98.6	-	-	98.5	98.2	96.5	-	-	98.6
1967, Dec.	101.6	101.0	101.4	102.5	101.7	102.7	102.3	102.5	101.6
1968, Dec.	106.4	105.2	106.7	109.0	103.7	109.1	108.1	107.6	106.4
1969, Dec.	112.9	112.5	113.6	114.7	109.1	115.7	113.5	113.5	112.9
1970, Dec.	119.1	115.3	121.7	119.2	116.9	124.2	119.8	119.6	119.1
1971, Dec.	123.1	120.2	125.8	121.8	118.5	130.1	124.4	124.7	123.1
1972, Dec.	127.3	125.5	130.1	125.0	121.3	134.4	127.5	129.2	127.3
1973, Dec.	138.5	148.7	139.1	130.5	126.7	141.4	131.8	135.6	138.5
1974, Dec.	155.4	166.6	157.8	141.9	143.5	159.0	146.7	149.4	155.4
1975, Dec.	166.3	177.0	169.7	145.2	157.6	174.7	155.3	157.9	166.3
1976, Dec.	174.3	178.4	178.8	151.8	171.4	192.3	163.3	167.1	174.3
1977, Dec.	186.1	191.9	192.4	158.2	178.8	209.3	171.0	177.8	186.1
1978, Dec.	202.9	214.1	211.5	163.2	192.6	227.8	180.9	189.1	202.9
1979, Dec.	229.9	235.5	243.6	172.2	227.7	250.7	193.4	204.0	230.0
1980, Dec.	258.4	259.3	276.9	183.9	261.1	275.8	212.0	224.6	258.7
1981, Dec.	281.5	270.5	305.2	190.5	289.8	310.2	227.3	246.7	281.1
1982, Dec.	292.4	279.1	316.3	193.6	294.6	344.3	240.1	276.6	292.0
1983, Dec.	303.5	286.5	327.4	199.3	306.3	366.2	249.5	298.6	301.5
1984, Dec.	315.5	297.2	341.2	203.2	315.6	388.5	260.1	316.7	312.2
1985, Dec.	327.4	305.6	355.8	209.0	324.0	414.7	268.3	336.5	323.4
1986, Dec.	331.1	317.0	362.1	210.9	304.8	446.8	277.4	355.2	325.7

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

Year and month	CPI-U								CPI-W
	All items	Food and beverages	Housing	Apparel and upkeep	Transportation	Medical care	Entertainment	Other goods and services	All items
Indexes 1967 = 100, seasonally adjusted except All items									
1985, Mar.	318.8	300.5	345.6	205.2	319.1	395.4	261.9	321.7	315.3
1985, Apr.	320.1	300.4	346.9	205.4	320.8	397.6	263.0	323.0	316.7
1985, May.	321.3	300.3	348.7	205.6	321.5	399.9	263.6	324.3	317.8
1985, Jun.	322.3	301.3	349.4	206.3	321.1	402.4	264.9	325.6	318.7
1985, Jul.	322.8	301.5	350.3	206.5	320.9	404.4	265.9	328.1	319.1
1985, Aug.	323.5	301.7	351.6	206.2	320.2	406.8	265.7	329.8	319.6
1985, Sep.	324.5	302.5	352.0	206.5	319.4	409.1	266.9	330.9	320.5
1985, Oct.	325.5	303.5	353.2	207.0	320.7	411.1	268.3	332.5	321.3
1985, Nov.	326.6	305.1	355.2	207.9	322.6	413.6	268.9	333.6	322.6
1985, Dec.	327.4	307.1	356.0	207.7	322.8	416.0	268.7	335.5	323.4
1986, Jan.	328.4	307.2	357.3	207.5	324.2	418.5	270.9	338.6	324.3
1986, Feb.	327.5	306.8	357.1	206.7	319.6	421.4	271.8	340.4	323.2
1986, Mar.	326.0	306.6	358.0	206.4	311.6	424.6	271.7	341.8	321.4
1986, Apr.	325.3	307.3	358.8	206.9	303.8	427.4	272.2	343.0	320.4
1986, May.	326.3	308.6	358.6	206.9	305.7	430.0	273.0	344.1	321.4
1986, Jun.	327.9	309.5	360.1	206.3	308.1	432.7	273.9	345.2	323.0
1986, Jul.	328.0	312.1	360.1	207.1	304.2	435.3	274.5	348.1	322.9
1986, Aug.	328.6	314.5	361.0	208.0	301.3	437.8	274.7	350.5	323.4
1986, Sep.	330.2	315.6	361.8	208.9	302.2	440.6	275.4	350.7	324.9
1986, Oct.	330.5	316.7	361.9	209.0	302.5	443.0	276.3	352.1	325.0
1986, Nov.	330.8	317.9	362.0	209.6	303.6	445.3	277.2	353.1	325.4
1986, Dec.	331.1	318.6	362.7	209.5	303.6	448.2	277.9	354.2	325.7
1987, Jan.	333.1	320.1	364.4	210.4	308.3	450.2	278.5	358.1	327.7
1987, Feb.	334.4	320.9	365.8	211.8	309.8	451.7	278.7	360.5	329.0

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

Year and month	CPI-U								CPI-W
	All items	Food and beverages	Housing	Apparel and upkeep	Transportation	Medical care	Entertainment	Other goods and services	All items
	Percent change from previous December								
1951, Dec.	5.9	-	-	5.8	7.0	6.0	-	-	5.9
1952, Dec. ....	.9	-	-	-2.9	5.5	4.3	-	-	.9
1953, Dec. ....	.6	-	-	.6	.0	3.5	-	-	.6
1954, Dec.	-5	-	-	-7	-1.3	2.2	-	-	-5
1955, Dec. ....	.4	-	-	.5	.0	3.1	-	-	.4
1956, Dec.	2.9	-	-	2.6	4.6	3.5	-	-	2.9
1957, Dec.	3.0	-	-	.9	4.4	4.5	-	-	3.0
1958, Dec.	1.8	-	-	.1	3.9	4.8	-	-	1.8
1959, Dec.	1.5	-	-	1.5	2.9	3.7	-	-	1.5
1960, Dec.	1.5	-	-	1.5	-1.4	3.2	-	-	1.5
1961, Dec. ....	.7	-	-	.4	2.0	2.9	-	-	.7
1962, Dec.	1.2	-	-	.7	1.9	2.4	-	-	1.2
1963, Dec.	1.6	-	-	1.6	.9	2.3	-	-	1.6
1964, Dec.	1.2	-	-	.4	1.4	2.1	-	-	1.2
1965, Dec.	1.9	-	-	1.4	1.0	2.8	-	-	1.9
1966, Dec.	3.4	-	-	3.9	2.0	6.6	-	-	3.4
1967, Dec.	3.0	-	-	4.1	3.6	6.4	-	-	3.0
1968, Dec.	4.7	4.2	5.2	6.3	2.0	6.2	5.7	5.0	4.7
1969, Dec.	6.1	6.9	6.5	5.2	5.2	6.0	5.0	5.5	6.1
1970, Dec.	5.5	2.5	7.1	3.9	7.1	7.3	5.6	5.4	5.5
1971, Dec.	3.4	4.2	3.4	2.2	1.4	4.8	3.8	4.3	3.4
1972, Dec.	3.4	4.4	3.4	2.6	2.4	3.3	2.5	3.6	3.4
1973, Dec.	8.8	18.5	6.9	4.4	4.5	5.2	3.4	5.0	8.8
1974, Dec.	12.2	12.0	13.4	8.7	13.3	12.4	11.3	10.2	12.2
1975, Dec.	7.0	6.2	7.5	2.3	9.8	9.9	5.9	5.7	7.0
1976, Dec.	4.8	.8	5.4	4.5	8.8	10.1	5.2	5.8	4.8
1977, Dec.	6.8	7.6	7.6	4.2	4.3	8.8	4.7	6.4	6.8
1978, Dec.	9.0	11.6	9.9	3.2	7.7	8.8	5.8	6.4	9.0
1979, Dec.	13.3	10.0	15.2	5.5	18.2	10.1	6.9	7.9	13.4
1980, Dec.	12.4	10.1	13.7	6.8	14.7	10.0	9.6	10.1	12.5
1981, Dec.	8.9	4.3	10.2	3.6	11.0	12.5	7.2	9.8	8.7
1982, Dec.	3.9	3.2	3.6	1.6	1.7	11.0	5.6	12.1	3.9
1983, Dec.	3.8	2.7	3.5	2.9	3.9	6.4	3.9	8.0	3.3
1984, Dec.	4.0	3.7	4.2	2.0	3.1	6.1	4.2	6.1	3.5
1985, Dec.	3.8	2.8	4.3	2.9	2.6	6.7	3.2	6.3	3.6
1986, Dec.	1.1	3.7	1.8	.9	-5.9	7.7	3.4	5.6	.7

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

Year and month	CPI-U								CPI-W
	All items	Food and beverages	Housing	Apparel and upkeep	Transportation	Medical care	Entertainment	Other goods and services	All items
Seasonally adjusted percent changes from previous month									
1985, Mar.	0.5	0.0	0.4	0.4	1.3	0.6	0.3	0.4	0.5
1985, Apr. ....	.3	.0	.4	.1	.5	.6	.4	.4	.3
1985, May. ....	.3	.0	.5	.1	.2	.6	.2	.4	.3
1985, Jun. ....	.2	.3	.2	.3	-.1	.6	.5	.4	.2
1985, Jul. ....	.2	.1	.3	.1	-.1	.5	.4	.6	.2
1985, Aug. ....	.2	.1	.4	-.1	-.2	.6	-.1	.5	.1
1985, Sep. ....	.1	.3	.1	.1	-.2	.6	.5	.3	.1
1985, Oct. ....	.4	.3	.3	.2	.4	.5	.5	.5	.4
1985, Nov. ....	.5	.5	.6	.4	.6	.6	.2	.3	.5
1985, Dec. ....	.3	.7	.2	-.1	.1	.6	-.1	.6	.3
1986, Jan. ....	.3	.0	.4	-.1	.4	.6	.8	.9	.3
1986, Feb.	-.3	-.1	-.1	-.4	-1.4	.7	.3	.5	-.4
1986, Mar.	-.4	-.1	.3	-.1	-2.5	.8	.0	.4	-.5
1986, Apr.	-.3	.2	.2	.2	-2.5	.7	.2	.4	-.4
1986, May. ....	.2	.4	-.1	.0	.6	.6	.3	.3	.2
1986, Jun. ....	.4	.3	.4	-.3	.8	.6	.3	.3	.4
1986, Jul. ....	.0	.8	.0	.4	-1.3	.6	.2	.8	.0
1986, Aug. ....	.2	.8	.2	.4	-1.0	.6	.1	.7	.1
1986, Sep. ....	.3	.3	.2	.4	.3	.6	.3	.1	.3
1986, Oct. ....	.2	.3	.0	.0	.1	.5	.3	.4	.2
1986, Nov. ....	.2	.4	.0	.3	.4	.5	.3	.3	.2
1986, Dec. ....	.2	.2	.2	.0	.0	.7	.3	.3	.2
1987, Jan. ....	.7	.5	.5	.4	1.5	.4	.2	1.1	.7
1987, Feb. ....	.4	.2	.4	.7	.5	.3	.1	.7	.4

- Data not available.

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

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

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Other index base	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Feb. 1987 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Jan. 1987	Nov. to Dec.	Dec. to Jan.	Jan. to Feb.
Food and beverages		320.5	321.6	4.5	0.3	0.2	0.5	0.2
Food		328.9	330.1	4.7	.4	.2	.4	.3
Food at home		315.2	316.6	5.0	.4	.1	.4	.4
Cereals and bakery products ¹		331.5	332.7	3.2	.4	.3	.6	.4
Cereals and cereal products	12/77	176.1	177.7	2.8	.9	.2	.1	.7
Flour and prepared flour mixes	12/77	151.5	152.4	.7	.6	.4	.1	.5
Cereal ¹	12/77	210.9	213.9	6.0	1.4	.1	.7	1.4
Rice, pasta, and cornmeal ¹	12/77	149.5	149.5	-1.6	.0	.7	-.5	.0
Bakery products ¹	12/77	175.2	175.4	3.2	.1	.3	.6	.1
White bread ¹		276.3	275.8	1.8	-.2	.6	.8	-.2
Fresh other bread, biscuits, rolls, and muffins ¹	12/77	168.8	168.8	3.7	.0	-.8	1.4	.0
Cookies, fresh cakes, and cupcakes ¹	12/77	181.7	181.9	3.8	.1	.8	-.4	.1
Other bakery products ¹	12/77	181.6	182.2	3.7	.3	.4	.7	.3
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs		289.2	286.4	6.7	-1.0	-.3	-.2	-.7
Meats, poultry, and fish		297.2	294.6	7.0	-.9	-.2	-.2	-.6
Meats		288.6	285.3	6.3	-1.1	-.3	-.2	-1.0
Beef and veal		282.9	280.7	3.1	-.8	.0	.0	-.7
Ground beef other than canned		258.0	253.2	.5	-1.9	-.9	1.8	-2.3
Chuck roast		281.6	286.1	6.4	1.6	-.8	1.0	2.2
Round roast		244.9	238.4	2.2	-2.7	-1.5	3.1	-2.3
Round steak		263.5	264.1	2.5	.2	-.9	.5	.0
Sirloin steak		276.0	284.2	3.4	3.0	-.6	.4	.9
Other beef and veal	12/77	180.0	178.3	4.0	-.9	-.6	.8	-.2
Pork		294.0	289.8	12.8	-1.4	-1.3	-1.4	-1.2
Bacon		307.0	306.1	10.4	-.3	-.4	-1.3	-1.1
Chops		277.0	273.6	13.8	-1.2	-.1	-.6	-.9
Ham	12/77	139.6	136.5	13.8	-2.2	-.4	-1.5	-.8
Other pork, including sausage ¹	12/77	158.9	156.5	12.4	-1.5	-.8	.6	-1.5
Other meats ¹		290.3	285.5	5.3	-1.7	.6	1.2	-1.7
Poultry ¹		238.4	237.0	8.5	-.6	-1.3	-1.4	-.6
Fresh whole chicken ¹		245.0	243.5	12.5	-.6	-1.6	-1.2	-.6
Fresh and frozen chicken parts ¹	12/77	158.9	158.6	12.2	-.2	-1.0	-2.5	-.2
Other poultry ¹	12/77	144.2	142.0	-.8	-1.5	-1.4	.8	-1.5
Fish and seafood		478.0	479.9	11.4	.4	1.2	1.3	1.9
Canned fish and seafood ¹	12/77	137.8	137.0	2.3	-.6	-.3	1.2	-.6
Fresh and frozen fish and seafood	12/77	207.4	208.9	14.8	.7	1.7	1.0	2.7
Eggs		193.2	187.4	.4	-3.0	-1.9	-1.0	-2.7
Dairy products ¹		263.3	264.7	2.9	.5	.4	.4	.5
Fresh milk and cream	12/77	141.0	142.4	3.1	1.0	.1	.2	.9
Fresh whole milk		230.0	231.3	2.5	.6	.3	-.3	.6
Other fresh milk and cream	12/77	141.8	143.9	3.9	1.5	-.5	.6	1.5
Processed dairy products ¹	12/77	159.7	160.0	2.7	.2	.6	.7	.2
Cheese ¹	12/77	153.3	153.6	1.9	.2	.7	.4	.2
Ice cream and related products ¹	12/77	170.5	170.8	3.6	.2	.7	1.4	.2
Other dairy products, including butter ¹	12/77	162.1	162.3	3.2	.1	.4	.5	.1

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

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Other index base	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Feb. 1987 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Jan. 1987	Nov. to Dec.	Dec. to Jan.	Jan. to Feb.
Fruits and vegetables		344.3	355.2	10.8	3.2	0.7	1.0	3.2
Fresh fruits and vegetables		372.4	391.9	18.2	5.2	-.3	2.8	1.0
Fresh fruits		389.1	406.7	15.1	4.5	1.0	8.5	-.2
Apples		356.5	362.4	4.4	1.7	.7	3.9	-1.5
Bananas		262.3	278.9	4.0	6.3	-3.4	.6	-1.9
Oranges, including tangerines		425.4	414.9	11.0	-2.5	4.6	4.1	-2.8
Other fresh fruits	12/77	217.2	231.9	20.5	6.8	.0	7.6	4.6
Fresh vegetables		356.3	377.7	21.4	6.0	-2.4	-2.4	3.8
Potatoes		340.1	357.0	35.8	5.0	-.2	-1.4	3.4
Lettuce ¹		371.4	360.4	18.7	-3.0	7.4	5.4	-3.0
Tomatoes ¹		288.2	292.2	8.8	1.4	2.8	-11.4	1.4
Other fresh vegetables	12/77	208.6	228.1	18.4	9.3	-2.7	-.3	2.4
Processed fruits and vegetables		314.2	313.4	.6	-.3	.6	1.5	-.6
Processed fruits	12/77	165.7	166.3	.4	.4	.7	1.6	-.3
Fruit juices and frozen fruit	12/77	165.1	165.5	-.5	.2	.7	2.3	-.8
Canned and dried fruits ¹	12/77	166.1	167.6	1.8	.9	.3	.4	.9
Processed vegetables ¹	12/77	150.2	148.5	.6	-1.1	.6	1.9	-1.1
Frozen vegetables ¹	12/77	164.9	165.4	1.7	.3	1.1	1.0	.3
Other processed vegetables ¹	12/77	145.4	142.7	.1	-1.9	.4	2.4	-1.9
Other food at home		378.7	380.0	1.3	.3	-.1	.9	-.1
Sugar and sweets ¹		415.8	415.8	1.8	.0	-.1	1.0	.0
Sugar and artificial sweeteners ¹	12/77	171.5	170.0	-1.8	-.9	.1	1.5	-.9
Sweets, including candy	12/77	174.2	174.7	3.1	.3	-.1	.5	.2
Fats and oils ¹		293.2	290.3	-.4	-1.0	.2	2.5	-1.0
Nonalcoholic beverages		482.6	481.9	-.7	-.1	-.5	.5	-1.1
Carbonated drinks	12/77	160.7	162.3	2.6	1.0	-.9	3.5	.1
Coffee ¹		481.4	469.0	-7.6	-2.6	-.3	-.6	-2.6
Other noncarbonated drinks	12/77	157.6	159.1	2.2	1.0	-.2	.1	.8
Other prepared food		308.4	312.1	4.2	1.2	.4	.8	.9
Canned and packaged soup	12/77	158.6	160.1	4.0	.9	.0	.5	.8
Frozen prepared food ¹	12/77	176.2	178.4	5.6	1.2	.4	1.7	1.2
Snacks ¹	12/77	179.2	181.7	3.9	1.4	.6	.5	1.4
Seasonings, condiments, sauces, and spices	12/77	174.4	177.8	5.3	1.9	.4	.9	1.8
Miscellaneous prepared food, including baby food ¹	12/77	163.2	163.8	2.6	.4	.4	1.0	.4
Food away from home		368.6	369.6	4.3	.3	.5	.4	.2
Lunch	12/77	177.7	178.2	4.3	.3	.3	.4	.3
Dinner	12/77	177.6	178.0	4.0	.2	.5	.4	.2
Other meals and snacks	12/77	182.9	183.3	5.2	.2	.5	.2	.1
Alcoholic beverages		242.5	243.2	2.1	.3	.2	.9	-.1
Alcoholic beverages at home	12/77	153.5	154.2	1.7	.5	.2	.9	.1
Beer and ale		243.0	244.1	2.1	.5	.1	.9	-.2
Wine ¹		243.1	244.9	1.9	.7	.3	1.2	.7
Distilled spirits ¹	12/77	142.7	143.0	.8	.2	-.1	.6	.2
Alcoholic beverages away from home ¹	12/77	178.7	178.8	3.8	.1	.4	.6	.1

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

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Other index base	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Feb. 1987 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Jan. 1987	Nov. to Dec.	Dec. to Jan.	Jan. to Feb.
Housing		363.9	365.1	2.4	0.3	0.2	0.5	0.4
Shelter		412.3	414.0	4.9	.4	.2	.5	.5
Renters' costs	12/82	125.3	125.8	5.7	.4	.3	.7	.5
Rent, residential		287.1	288.0	5.2	.3	.3	.4	.4
Other renters' costs		428.3	430.8	6.6	.6	.4	1.7	.6
Lodging while out of town		444.8	447.8	5.7	.7	.5	1.4	.0
Lodging while at school ¹		128.8	128.7	6.6	-.1	.0	.2	-.1
Tenants' insurance ¹	12/77	183.1	183.5	4.0	.2	.3	.1	.2
Homeowners' costs	12/82	122.0	122.5	4.7	.4	.2	.4	.5
Owners' equivalent rent	12/82	122.0	122.5	4.7	.4	.2	.4	.5
Household insurance ¹	12/82	121.8	122.0	3.9	.2	.4	.2	.2
Maintenance and repairs ¹		382.1	381.9	.6	-.1	.8	.6	-.1
Maintenance and repair services ¹		437.7	436.1	.8	-.4	-.1	1.1	-.4
Maintenance and repair commodities ¹		277.7	278.8	.4	.4	2.0	-.2	.4
Materials, supplies, and equipment for home repairs ¹	12/86	100.7	101.1	-	.4	-	.7	.4
Other maintenance and repair commodities ¹	12/77	144.5	145.1	-.5	.4	.3	-.9	.4
Fuel and other utilities		373.7	374.8	-3.9	.3	-.2	.4	.3
Fuels		443.7	445.1	-6.6	.3	-.2	.7	.3
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities		487.9	503.2	-14.9	3.1	.2	7.2	3.8
Fuel oil		481.0	500.9	-15.0	4.1	.4	9.8	4.4
Other household fuel commodities ¹	12/86	100.9	101.8	-	.9	-	.9	.9
Gas (piped) and electricity		428.8	428.9	-3.5	.0	-.2	.1	.0
Electricity		355.5	355.6	-2.3	.0	-.2	.0	-.1
Utility (piped) gas		526.6	526.7	-5.3	.0	-.2	.4	.1
Other utilities and public services ¹		254.9	255.6	3.1	.3	-.2	.0	.3
Telephone services ¹		203.7	203.3	1.4	-.2	-.3	-.5	-.2
Local charges ¹	12/77	199.0	198.8	8.8	-.1	-.6	2.4	-.1
Interstate toll calls ¹	12/77	92.4	92.4	-17.4	.0	.0	-8.7	.0
Intrastate toll calls ¹	12/77	125.4	124.6	-.6	-.6	.3	.2	-.6
Water and sewerage maintenance ¹		430.8	431.9	5.2	.3	.1	.8	.3
Cable television ¹	12/83	118.1	120.7	5.1	2.2	.1	1.1	2.2
Refuse collection ¹	12/83	124.7	126.7	9.3	1.6	.0	1.0	1.6
Household furnishings and operation		253.1	253.5	1.8	.2	.4	.6	.0
Housefurnishings		203.0	203.2	1.8	.1	.6	.7	-.2
Textile housefurnishings		243.7	250.2	3.5	2.7	.4	.4	.7
Furniture and bedding		236.3	235.2	1.8	-.5	1.3	.0	-.1
Bedroom furniture ¹	12/77	171.7	169.4	2.5	-1.3	.3	-.9	-1.3
Sofas	12/77	130.2	127.2	3.8	-2.3	1.9	-1.1	-1.5
Living room chairs and tables ¹	12/77	129.6	130.6	-.2	.8	1.4	-2.3	.8
Other furniture	12/77	146.4	147.9	.8	1.0	.9	1.5	.8
Appliances, including electronic equipment ¹		140.1	139.2	-.2	-.6	.1	1.3	-.6
Television and sound equipment ¹	12/77	93.6	93.0	-.9	-.6	.2	2.0	-.6
Television ¹		82.8	81.3	-4.0	-1.8	.2	1.8	-1.8
Sound equipment ¹	12/77	104.5	105.4	2.6	.9	.3	2.6	.9
Major household appliances ¹	12/86	100.3	101.2	-	.9	-	.3	.9
Refrigerators and home freezers ¹		192.2	191.8	-.6	-.2	.7	.4	-.2
Laundry equipment ¹	12/77	147.6	149.0	-.5	.9	-.1	-.1	.9
Stoves, ovens, dishwashers, and air conditioners ¹	12/86	100.6	102.2	-	1.6	-	.6	1.6

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Other index base	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Feb. 1987 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Jan. 1987	Nov. to Dec.	Dec. to Jan.	Jan. to Feb.
Other housefurnishings ¹	12/86	100.6	101.2	-	0.6	-	0.6	0.6
Floor and window coverings, infants' laundry, cleaning, and outdoor equipment ¹	12/77	157.7	157.3	3.4	-.3	0.5	-.1	-.3
Clocks, lamps, and decor items ¹	12/77	134.0	135.1	3.0	.8	-1.4	-.3	.8
Tableware, serving pieces, and nonelectric kitchenware ¹	12/77	156.4	160.0	5.3	2.3	2.3	2.2	2.3
Lawn equipment, power tools, and other hardware ¹	12/77	137.3	137.8	-.9	.4	-.5	-.7	.4
Sewing, floor cleaning, small kitchen, and portable heating appliances ¹	12/86	101.8	101.3	-	-.5	-	1.8	-.5
Housekeeping supplies		324.6	325.3	2.1	.2	.2	.4	.2
Laundry and cleaning products, including soap ¹	12/77	170.9	172.8	2.3	1.1	.8	.7	1.1
Household paper products and stationery supplies ¹	12/77	156.7	157.3	1.7	.4	.4	-.1	.4
Other household, lawn, and garden supplies	12/77	162.3	161.0	2.4	-.8	.4	.7	-.9
Housekeeping services ¹		349.8	350.6	1.8	.2	.2	.1	.2
Postage ¹		371.9	371.9	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0
Appliance and furniture repair ¹	12/77	164.5	164.9	2.5	.2	.2	.1	.2
Gardening and other household services ¹	12/86	100.5	101.1	-	.6	-	.5	.6
Apparel and upkeep		207.1	208.4	2.1	.6	.0	.4	.7
Apparel commodities		190.9	192.1	1.9	.6	-.1	.4	.7
Apparel commodities less footwear		187.7	189.0	2.1	.7	-.2	.7	.7
Men's and boys'		199.2	199.9	1.6	.4	-.3	.1	1.0
Men's	12/77	126.0	127.1	2.3	.9	-.9	.6	1.6
Suits, sport coats, coats, and jackets	12/77	115.3	114.7	3.6	-.5	-.8	1.6	.4
Furnishings and special clothing ¹	12/77	153.6	154.5	-.7	.6	-.9	-2.2	.6
Shirts	12/77	134.0	136.8	4.6	2.1	-1.5	.6	2.7
Dungarees, jeans, and trousers	12/77	115.9	117.8	.8	1.6	-.2	.8	2.1
Boys'	12/77	127.1	124.7	-1.5	-1.9	.6	-1.0	-1.6
Women's and girls'		166.6	167.8	2.7	.7	.0	1.2	.4
Women's	12/77	110.9	111.4	2.2	.5	.4	.8	.0
Coats and jackets		159.1	154.6	-1.3	-2.8	-.3	5.2	-2.6
Dresses		168.6	173.9	3.2	3.1	-1.3	.9	1.5
Separates and sportswear	12/77	105.4	104.9	2.7	-.5	.6	.7	.0
Underwear, nightwear, hosiery, and accessories	12/77	140.6	141.0	.2	.3	-.1	-.2	-.2
Suits	12/77	84.1	88.5	17.5	5.2	-.3	6.2	3.8
Girls'	12/77	110.2	112.6	5.4	2.2	.9	.7	2.5
Infants' and toddlers' ¹		301.8	304.5	-2.3	.9	1.9	-3.5	.9
Other apparel commodities ¹		223.2	226.0	4.6	1.3	-.5	1.5	1.3
Sewing materials, notions, and luggage ¹	12/86	100.4	99.6	-	-.8	-	.4	-.8
Watches and jewelry ¹	12/86	101.7	103.5	-	1.8	-	1.7	1.8
Watches ¹	12/86	100.3	102.5	-	2.2	-	.3	2.2
Jewelry ¹	12/86	102.1	103.7	-	1.6	-	2.1	1.6
Footwear		209.9	211.0	1.5	.5	.1	-1.0	.8
Men's	12/77	144.6	146.5	5.0	1.3	1.8	.0	1.5
Boys' and girls' ¹	12/77	133.8	132.9	1.1	-.7	-.2	-.9	-.7
Women's	12/77	120.5	121.2	-.9	.6	-.9	-.3	.0
Apparel services		342.5	343.2	3.8	.2	.3	.9	-.1
Laundry and dry cleaning other than coin operated	12/77	204.3	204.5	3.6	.1	.3	.5	-.1
Other apparel services ¹	12/77	179.3	179.9	4.1	.3	.2	1.0	.3

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1967=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Other index base	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Feb. 1987 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Jan. 1987	Nov. to Dec.	Dec. to Jan.	Jan. to Feb.
Transportation		308.5	310.0	-2.9	0.5	0.0	1.5	0.5
Private		299.8	301.3	-3.5	.5	-.1	1.6	.5
New vehicles		232.3	229.9	4.4	-1.0	.5	.3	-1.0
New cars		233.0	230.2	4.4	-1.2	.5	.4	-1.1
Subcompact new cars ¹	12/86	100.2	98.9	-	-1.3	-	.2	-1.3
Compact new cars ¹	12/86	100.4	98.4	-	-2.0	-	.4	-2.0
Intermediate new cars ¹	12/86	100.4	99.1	-	-1.3	-	.4	-1.3
Full-size new cars ¹	12/86	100.4	100.1	-	-.3	-	.4	-.3
Luxury new cars ¹	12/86	100.3	100.2	-	-.1	-	.3	-.1
New trucks ¹	12/83	112.9	112.3	3.5	-.5	.4	.1	-.5
New motorcycles ¹	12/86	100.5	101.5	-	1.0	-	.5	1.0
Used cars		354.6	356.9	-3.7	.6	-1.1	.3	1.1
Motor fuel		275.1	288.1	-18.0	4.5	-.3	6.6	4.1
Gasoline		275.1	287.5	-18.0	4.5	-.3	6.6	4.2
Gasoline, leaded regular	1/76	152.8	160.2	-17.6	4.8	-.2	7.8	4.5
Gasoline, unleaded regular	1/76	156.7	163.7	-18.7	4.5	-.2	6.9	4.2
Gasoline, unleaded premium ¹	8/81	72.7	75.4	-17.5	3.7	.4	3.7	3.7
Automobile maintenance and repair ¹		371.3	373.0	3.9	.5	.6	.2	.5
Body work ¹	12/77	188.0	189.1	4.2	.6	.2	-.6	.6
Automobile drive train, brake, and miscellaneous mechanical repair ¹	12/77	182.5	183.1	4.2	.3	.6	.1	.3
Maintenance and servicing ¹	12/77	167.2	168.0	3.8	.5	1.0	.0	.5
Power plant repair ¹	12/77	178.6	179.6	3.7	.6	.5	.7	.6
Other private transportation ¹		314.9	314.0	4.9	-.3	.1	.9	-.3
Other private transportation commodities ¹		202.2	201.8	-.5	-.2	.2	.9	-.2
Motor oil, coolant, and other products ¹	12/77	157.0	154.9	-1.7	-1.3	1.4	.1	-1.3
Automobile parts and equipment ¹	12/77	126.9	126.8	-.5	-.1	.0	1.0	-.1
Tires ¹		169.8	171.1	-.3	.8	-.4	1.3	.8
Other parts and equipment ¹	12/77	137.1	135.9	.7	-.9	.8	.6	-.9
Other private transportation services ¹		347.7	346.7	5.8	-.3	.1	.9	-.3
Automobile insurance ¹		429.7	431.0	10.1	.3	.1	.9	.3
Automobile finance charges ¹	12/77	146.3	142.7	-7.5	-2.5	.1	.6	-2.5
Automobile fees ¹	12/77	175.5	175.8	6.7	.2	.0	1.3	.2
Automobile registration, licensing, and inspection fees ¹	12/77	160.2	160.2	3.9	.0	.1	.6	.0
Other automobile-related fees ¹	12/77	199.1	199.8	10.2	.4	-.1	2.1	.4
Public transportation ¹		438.9	439.8	4.2	.2	1.3	.3	.2
Airline fares ¹		512.4	513.7	5.9	.3	2.6	.3	.3
Other intercity transportation ¹	12/77	221.3	220.5	2.1	-.4	-.4	.5	-.4
Intracity public transportation ¹	12/77	207.8	208.5	2.5	.3	.1	.3	.3
Medical care		449.6	452.4	7.1	.6	.7	.4	.3
Medical care commodities		282.4	283.9	6.2	.5	1.0	.8	.4
Prescription drugs		290.0	291.8	8.1	.6	.8	.9	.1
Nonprescription drugs and medical supplies ¹	12/86	100.4	100.9	-	.5	-	.4	.5
Internal and respiratory over-the-counter drugs ¹		301.7	303.7	4.1	.7	1.4	.3	.7
Nonprescription medical equipment and supplies ¹	12/77	175.2	175.1	3.7	-.1	.3	.7	-.1
Medical care services		486.5	489.6	7.3	.6	.6	.4	.3
Professional medical services		403.7	406.8	6.6	.8	.6	.4	.6
Physicians' services		445.6	448.1	7.7	.6	.7	.6	.1
Dental services ¹		377.2	381.5	6.2	1.1	.2	.5	1.1
Eye care ¹	12/86	100.4	101.4	-	1.0	-	.4	1.0
Services by other medical professionals ¹	12/86	100.5	100.7	-	.2	-	.5	.2
Hospital and related services	12/77	246.7	248.1	6.5	.6	.7	.3	.2
Hospital rooms		783.9	790.5	7.1	.8	.9	.1	.4
Other inpatient services ¹	12/86	100.9	101.3	-	.4	-	.9	.4
Outpatient services ¹	12/86	100.7	101.1	-	.4	-	.7	.4

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1967=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Other index base	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Feb. 1987 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Jan. 1987	Nov. to Dec.	Dec. to Jan.	Jan. to Feb.
Entertainment		278.3	278.7	2.5	0.1	0.3	0.2	0.1
Entertainment commodities		268.1	268.1	1.1	.0	.3	.1	-.2
Reading materials ¹	12/77	186.0	186.4	3.8	.2	-.1	.5	.2
Newspapers ¹		347.8	349.0	3.6	.3	.1	.4	.3
Magazines, periodicals, and books ¹	12/77	196.2	196.4	4.0	.1	-.3	.7	.1
Sporting goods and equipment	12/77	138.6	139.2	-2.5	.4	-.2	-.1	.5
Sport vehicles, including bicycles ¹	12/77	143.2	144.0	-3.4	.6	-.6	.2	.6
Other sporting goods ¹	12/77	125.8	126.2	.3	.3	-.4	.3	.3
Toys, hobbies, and other entertainment	12/77	147.6	147.2	1.4	-.3	.4	-.1	-.4
Toys, hobbies, and music equipment	12/77	141.3	139.3	-.9	-1.4	.6	.1	-1.6
Photographic supplies and equipment	12/77	144.8	147.6	6.4	1.9	.4	.5	1.2
Pet supplies and expense ¹	12/77	161.3	161.6	2.2	.2	.2	-.1	.2
Entertainment services ¹		293.3	294.1	4.3	.3	.1	.4	.3
Club memberships ¹	12/86	100.2	100.2	-	.0	-	.2	.0
Fees for participant sports, excluding club memberships ¹	12/86	100.6	101.0	-	.4	-	.6	.4
Admissions ¹	12/77	173.7	174.3	3.9	.3	.7	.3	.3
Fees for lessons or instructions ¹	12/86	100.3	100.4	-	.1	-	.3	.1
Other entertainment services ¹	12/86	100.4	100.9	-	.5	-	.4	.5
Other goods and services		358.1	359.7	5.7	.4	.3	1.1	.7
Tobacco and smoking products ¹		364.9	368.3	6.8	.9	.1	2.0	.9
Personal care ¹		295.7	296.4	2.5	.2	.1	.7	.2
Toilet goods and personal care appliances ¹		291.3	292.1	2.1	.3	.0	.6	.3
Cosmetics, bath and nail preparations, manicure and eye makeup implements ¹	12/77	165.7	166.3	2.1	.4	.2	.9	.4
Other toilet goods and small personal care appliances, including hair and dental products ¹	12/77	170.6	170.9	2.0	.2	-.1	.4	.2
Personal care services ¹		300.8	301.3	2.8	.2	.1	.9	.2
Beauty parlor services for females ¹		303.9	304.2	2.9	.1	.2	1.0	.1
Haircuts and other barber shop services for males ¹	12/77	166.4	167.3	2.5	.5	-.1	.2	.5
Personal and educational expenses		450.6	452.0	8.2	.3	.7	.9	.8
School books and supplies		400.7	403.4	7.9	.7	.7	.9	.5
Personal and educational services		462.8	464.2	8.4	.3	.7	.9	.8
Tuition and other school fees	12/77	236.0	236.1	8.2	.0	.6	.9	.7
College tuition	12/77	235.2	235.3	7.7	.0	.6	1.0	.6
Elementary and high school tuition	12/77	237.5	237.5	9.2	.0	.6	.6	.7
Personal expenses ¹	12/77	243.0	244.7	8.9	.7	.9	.3	.7
Legal service fees ¹	12/86	101.0	101.8	-	.8	-	1.0	.8
Personal financial services ¹	12/86	99.9	100.3	-	.4	-	-.1	.4
Funeral expenses ¹	12/86	100.0	100.8	-	.8	-	.0	.8
Special indexes								
Domestically produced farm food		298.7	300.1	5.6	.5	.1	1.1	-.1
Selected beef cuts ¹		282.6	280.7	3.4	-.7	.5	1.7	-.7
Motor fuel, motor oil, coolant, and other products		274.3	286.2	-17.7	4.3	-.3	6.4	4.1
Utilities and public transportation		367.6	368.2	-.2	.2	.4	-.4	.4
Housekeeping and home maintenance services ¹		395.6	396.4	1.6	.2	.2	.2	.2

¹ Not seasonally adjusted.

- Data not available.

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

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

(1967=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Other index base	Seasonally adjusted indexes		Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for					
		Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
				May 1986	Aug. 1986	Nov. 1986	Feb. 1987	Aug. 1986	Feb. 1987
Food and beverages		320.1	320.9	2.4	7.9	4.4	3.8	5.1	4.1
Food		328.6	329.6	2.4	8.1	4.8	3.9	5.2	4.3
Food at home		314.0	315.3	1.5	10.2	4.7	3.9	5.7	4.3
Cereals and bakery products ¹		331.5	332.7	1.6	5.5	.4	5.2	3.6	2.8
Cereals and cereal products	12/77	176.5	177.7	1.4	4.0	1.6	4.2	2.7	2.9
Flour and prepared flour mixes	12/77	152.0	152.8	-.8	.3	-1.3	4.3	-.3	1.5
Cereal ¹	12/77	210.9	213.9	4.4	7.3	3.3	9.3	5.8	6.3
Rice, pasta, and cornmeal ¹	12/77	149.5	149.5	.3	-1.3	-6.2	.8	-.5	-2.8
Bakery products ¹	12/77	175.2	175.4	.9	6.0	1.9	4.2	3.4	3.0
White bread ¹		276.3	275.8	.7	4.2	-2.7	5.1	2.5	1.1
Fresh other bread, biscuits, rolls, and muffins ¹	12/77	168.8	168.8	-.5	8.1	5.2	2.4	3.7	3.8
Cookies, fresh cakes, and cupcakes ¹	12/77	181.7	181.9	1.4	7.0	4.8	2.0	4.1	3.4
Other bakery products ¹	12/77	181.6	182.2	2.5	5.3	1.1	5.9	3.9	3.5
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs		285.6	283.6	-1.8	32.0	5.8	-5.1	13.9	.2
Meats, poultry, and fish		294.3	292.5	-1.9	30.5	7.5	-4.1	13.2	1.5
Meats		285.9	282.9	-4.7	27.8	11.8	-6.0	10.3	2.5
Beef and veal		280.4	278.5	-9.6	15.2	11.3	-2.5	2.1	4.1
Ground beef other than canned		256.2	250.2	-13.8	14.4	9.9	-5.7	-.7	1.8
Chuck roast		272.9	278.8	-3.3	22.1	-.9	9.4	8.6	4.1
Round roast		239.4	234.0	-6.0	9.9	9.1	-3.2	1.7	2.8
Round steak		257.1	257.2	-4.7	12.7	4.0	-1.2	3.6	1.3
Sirloin steak		285.7	288.3	-.9	9.2	2.7	3.0	4.1	2.8
Other beef and veal	12/77	177.4	177.1	-1.6	11.0	6.8	.2	4.5	3.5
Pork		289.4	285.8	3.2	62.4	13.2	-14.6	29.5	-1.7
Bacon		307.6	304.3	-2.4	90.8	-10.8	-10.3	36.4	-10.6
Chops		273.4	270.9	13.0	50.0	5.3	-6.2	30.2	-.7
Ham	12/77	135.5	134.4	-3.3	57.6	22.8	-10.3	23.4	4.9
Other pork, including sausage ¹	12/77	158.9	156.5	-3.7	70.6	3.9	-6.4	28.2	-1.4
Other meats ¹		290.3	285.5	-2.2	13.5	10.3	.4	5.4	5.2
Poultry ¹		238.4	237.0	.4	84.8	-14.5	-12.7	36.2	-13.6
Fresh whole chicken ¹		245.0	243.5	1.9	141.7	-25.2	-13.1	56.9	-19.4
Fresh and frozen chicken parts ¹	12/77	158.9	158.6	4.6	105.4	-14.8	-13.6	46.8	-14.2
Other poultry ¹	12/77	144.2	142.0	-6.8	4.3	8.1	-8.0	-1.4	-.3
Fish and seafood		465.4	474.2	14.9	7.9	4.7	18.8	11.4	11.5
Canned fish and seafood ¹	12/77	137.8	137.0	1.5	-4.4	11.3	1.5	-1.5	6.3
Fresh and frozen fish and seafood	12/77	200.0	205.4	21.7	11.8	3.1	23.9	16.6	13.0
Eggs		184.9	180.0	1.3	66.3	-24.9	-20.0	29.8	-22.4
Dairy products ¹		263.3	264.7	-.3	1.9	4.6	5.5	.8	5.0
Fresh milk and cream	12/77	140.8	142.0	2.1	2.3	3.8	4.6	2.2	4.2
Fresh whole milk		229.3	230.6	1.6	2.3	3.6	2.5	2.0	3.0
Other fresh milk and cream	12/77	141.8	143.9	.9	2.9	5.3	6.7	1.9	6.0
Processed dairy products ¹	12/77	159.7	160.0	-.8	1.3	4.4	6.0	.3	5.2
Cheese ¹	12/77	153.3	153.6	-.8	2.4	.8	5.1	.8	2.9
Ice cream and related products ¹	12/77	170.5	170.8	-2.4	-1.2	9.4	9.2	-1.8	9.3
Other dairy products, including butter ¹	12/77	162.1	162.3	.8	1.8	6.5	4.0	1.3	5.3

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1967=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Other index base	Seasonally adjusted indexes		Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for					
		Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
				May 1986	Aug. 1986	Nov. 1986	Feb. 1987	Aug. 1986	Feb. 1987
Fruits and vegetables		344.0	354.9	12.3	-3.0	13.7	21.6	4.4	17.6
Fresh fruits and vegetables		378.5	382.3	41.9	-6.2	27.6	14.8	15.4	21.0
Fresh fruits		415.7	415.0	12.4	-.4	9.6	43.0	5.8	25.2
Apples		379.7	374.0	15.6	73.1	-47.3	12.7	41.4	-22.9
Bananas		283.3	277.8	70.0	-46.0	54.8	-17.7	-4.1	12.9
Oranges, including tangerines		473.2	459.9	-3.8	-33.8	89.1	25.5	-20.2	54.1
Other fresh fruits	12/77	221.4	231.5	11.3	-10.1	31.8	60.7	.0	45.5
Fresh vegetables		342.3	355.3	75.0	-5.8	38.5	-4.6	28.4	14.9
Potatoes		361.4	373.8	-4.9	91.2	74.1	7.5	34.9	36.8
Lettuce ¹		371.4	360.4	247.3	-72.2	40.8	45.9	-1.8	43.4
Tomatoes ¹		288.2	292.2	58.8	-56.7	180.1	-27.2	-17.1	42.8
Other fresh vegetables	12/77	196.6	201.3	69.9	20.6	-1.4	-2.7	43.2	-2.1
Processed fruits and vegetables		314.9	313.1	-3.4	-1.0	.9	6.1	-2.2	3.5
Processed fruits	12/77	166.5	166.0	-5.7	-2.7	2.0	8.4	-4.2	5.1
Fruit juices and frozen fruit	12/77	166.3	165.0	-8.9	-3.7	2.0	9.5	-6.3	5.7
Canned and dried fruits ¹	12/77	166.1	167.6	.7	2.4	-2.4	6.7	1.6	2.1
Processed vegetables ¹	12/77	150.2	148.5	-.5	3.0	-5.3	5.6	1.2	.0
Frozen vegetables ¹	12/77	164.9	165.4	-1.0	1.7	-3.4	10.0	.4	3.1
Other processed vegetables ¹	12/77	145.4	142.7	-.8	4.0	-6.3	3.7	1.5	-1.4
Other food at home		378.7	378.2	.1	1.9	1.1	2.8	1.0	1.9
Sugar and sweets ¹		415.8	415.8	2.6	1.9	-.7	3.3	2.2	1.3
Sugar and artificial sweeteners ¹	12/77	171.5	170.0	-3.0	-3.7	-3.2	2.9	-3.3	-.2
Sweets, including candy	12/77	174.7	175.1	2.6	3.8	3.0	2.8	3.2	2.9
Fats and oils ¹		293.2	290.3	-5.6	.8	-3.3	7.0	-2.5	1.7
Nonalcoholic beverages		481.7	476.2	-1.2	1.5	1.6	-4.7	.2	-1.6
Carbonated drinks	12/77	160.2	160.4	-4.5	2.6	1.6	11.2	-1.0	6.3
Coffee ¹		481.4	469.0	11.8	-15.7	-11.4	-12.9	-2.9	-12.2
Other noncarbonated drinks	12/77	157.1	158.3	-2.1	6.9	1.8	2.6	2.3	2.2
Other prepared food		308.7	311.5	2.7	2.7	2.7	8.9	2.7	5.8
Canned and packaged soup	12/77	158.9	160.1	4.0	3.7	3.1	5.2	3.8	4.1
Frozen prepared food ¹	12/77	176.2	178.4	3.8	6.0	-1.4	14.4	4.9	6.2
Snacks ¹	12/77	179.2	181.7	.2	5.6	-.5	10.6	2.9	4.9
Seasonings, condiments, sauces, and spices	12/77	174.4	177.5	3.4	.7	4.5	13.2	2.0	8.8
Miscellaneous prepared food, including baby food ¹	12/77	163.2	163.8	1.5	-.2	2.0	7.1	.6	4.5
Food away from home		369.0	369.6	4.6	4.0	4.7	4.0	4.3	4.4
Lunch	12/77	177.7	178.2	4.5	3.5	4.9	3.9	4.0	4.4
Dinner	12/77	177.6	178.0	3.3	3.5	4.4	4.6	3.4	4.5
Other meals and snacks	12/77	183.4	183.5	6.1	6.2	5.5	3.1	6.2	4.3
Alcoholic beverages		243.3	243.0	1.9	2.2	.2	4.1	2.0	2.1
Alcoholic beverages at home	12/77	153.9	154.1	1.1	1.6	-.5	4.8	1.3	2.1
Beer and ale		244.7	244.1	1.9	.8	2.9	2.8	1.3	2.8
Wine ¹		243.1	244.9	.0	2.2	-3.8	9.5	1.1	2.7
Distilled spirits ¹	12/77	142.7	143.0	.3	-.8	1.1	2.8	-.3	2.0
Alcoholic beverages away from home ¹	12/77	178.7	178.8	2.8	6.1	1.8	4.4	4.5	3.1

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

(1967=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Other index base	Seasonally adjusted indexes		Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for					
		Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
				May 1986	Aug. 1986	Nov. 1986	Feb. 1987	Aug. 1986	Feb. 1987
Housing		364.4	365.8	1.7	2.7	1.1	4.3	2.2	2.7
Shelter		412.2	414.3	6.1	3.7	4.7	5.0	4.9	4.9
Renters' costs	12/82	125.4	126.0	6.5	4.7	5.0	6.3	5.6	5.6
Rent, residential		287.1	288.3	7.2	4.4	4.8	4.7	5.8	4.7
Other renters' costs		434.0	436.4	2.7	6.5	6.0	11.5	4.5	8.7
Lodging while out of town		455.8	456.0	2.1	6.7	6.1	8.0	4.4	7.1
Lodging while at school ¹	12/82	128.8	128.7	.0	1.0	27.2	.6	.5	13.1
Tenants' insurance ¹	12/77	183.1	183.5	4.4	4.3	4.7	2.4	4.4	3.6
Homeowners' costs	12/82	122.0	122.6	6.6	3.1	4.8	4.4	4.8	4.6
Owners' equivalent rent	12/82	122.0	122.6	6.6	3.1	4.8	4.4	4.8	4.6
Household insurance ¹	12/82	121.8	122.0	4.9	3.8	4.1	3.0	4.3	3.5
Maintenance and repairs ¹		382.1	381.9	-12.5	10.5	.7	5.2	-1.7	2.9
Maintenance and repair services ¹		437.7	436.1	-6.6	8.4	-.5	2.2	.6	.9
Maintenance and repair commodities ¹		277.7	278.8	-19.8	13.4	2.4	8.9	-4.6	5.6
Materials, supplies, and equipment for home repairs ¹	12/86	100.7	101.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other maintenance and repair commodities ¹	12/77	144.5	145.1	-2.2	.3	.6	-.8	-1.0	-.1
Fuel and other utilities		375.9	377.1	-9.0	-.7	-8.1	2.4	-4.9	-3.0
Fuels		446.1	447.6	-14.5	-3.9	-11.1	3.7	-9.4	-4.0
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities		475.1	493.3	-42.2	-31.3	-14.6	55.0	-37.0	15.1
Fuel oil		467.5	488.2	-45.2	-35.2	-16.2	75.8	-40.4	21.3
Other household fuel commodities ¹	12/86	100.9	101.8	-	-	-	-	-	-
Gas (piped) and electricity		434.9	434.9	-6.0	3.2	-10.5	-.4	-1.5	-5.6
Electricity		363.9	363.6	-6.6	7.3	-7.5	-1.3	.1	-4.5
Utility (piped) gas		534.0	534.7	-5.2	-2.3	-14.6	1.4	-3.8	-6.9
Other utilities and public services ¹		254.9	255.6	5.9	7.2	-.8	.3	6.6	-.2
Telephone services ¹		203.7	203.3	6.3	7.9	-4.0	-3.8	7.1	-3.9
Local charges ¹	12/77	199.0	198.8	10.5	25.6	-5.7	7.1	17.8	.5
Interstate toll calls ¹	12/77	92.4	92.4	.0	-32.9	.0	-30.5	-18.1	-16.6
Intrastate toll calls ¹	12/77	125.4	124.6	-.3	.3	-1.6	-.6	.0	-1.1
Water and sewerage maintenance ¹		430.8	431.9	5.9	6.7	3.7	4.5	6.3	4.1
Cable television ¹	12/83	118.1	120.7	1.4	-.7	6.0	14.4	.3	10.2
Refuse collection ¹	12/83	124.7	126.7	4.2	6.3	16.4	10.8	5.2	13.6
Household furnishings and operation		253.7	253.6	.6	2.9	.2	3.9	1.8	2.0
Housefurnishings		204.0	203.6	.0	3.6	-1.0	4.6	1.8	1.8
Textile housefurnishings		247.4	249.2	.0	7.5	.7	6.0	3.7	3.3
Furniture and bedding		237.5	237.3	-2.5	5.6	-1.2	5.2	1.5	2.0
Bedroom furniture ¹	12/77	171.7	169.4	16.4	-4.6	7.5	-7.4	5.4	-.2
Sofas	12/77	130.1	128.2	1.6	9.7	6.4	-2.5	5.6	1.9
Living room chairs and tables ¹	12/77	129.6	130.6	.6	-6.0	5.7	-.6	-2.7	2.5
Other furniture	12/77	147.4	148.6	-12.4	8.7	-4.9	13.7	-2.4	4.0
Appliances, including electronic equipment ¹		140.1	139.2	2.0	-2.8	-2.8	2.9	-.4	.0
Television and sound equipment ¹	12/77	93.6	93.0	-.9	-6.3	-2.2	6.3	-3.6	2.0
Television ¹		82.8	81.3	-1.9	-7.4	-7.5	1.0	-4.7	-3.4
Sound equipment ¹	12/77	104.5	105.4	.4	-5.7	1.2	15.8	-2.7	8.3
Major household appliances ¹	12/86	100.3	101.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Refrigerators and home freezers ¹		192.2	191.8	2.5	-7.0	-1.0	3.4	-2.4	1.2
Laundry equipment ¹	12/77	147.6	149.0	-3.9	3.0	-3.4	2.7	-.5	-.4
Stoves, ovens, dishwashers, and air conditioners ¹	12/86	100.6	102.2	-	-	-	-	-	-

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

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Other index base	Seasonally adjusted indexes		Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for					
		Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
				May 1986	Aug. 1986	Nov. 1986	Feb. 1987	Aug. 1986	Feb. 1987
Other housefurnishings ¹	12/86	100.6	101.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Floor and window coverings, infants', laundry, cleaning, and outdoor equipment ¹	12/77	157.7	157.3	7.0	-1.8	7.7	0.8	2.5	4.2
Clocks, lamps, and decor items ¹	12/77	134.0	135.1	16.5	-9	.9	-3.5	7.5	-1.3
Tableware, serving pieces, and nonelectric kitchenware ¹	12/77	156.4	160.0	-4.1	12.8	-13.0	30.8	4.0	6.7
Lawn equipment, power tools, and other hardware ¹	12/77	137.3	137.8	-6.5	-6	7.2	-3.1	-3.6	1.9
Sewing, floor cleaning, small kitchen, and portable heating appliances ¹	12/86	101.8	101.3	-	-	-	-	-	-
Housekeeping supplies	12/77	323.6	324.3	1.1	2.7	1.3	3.5	1.9	2.4
Laundry and cleaning products, including soap ¹	12/77	170.9	172.8	-5.8	2.2	2.7	10.9	-1.9	6.7
Household paper products and stationery supplies ¹	12/77	156.7	157.3	-1.5	3.2	2.3	3.1	.8	2.7
Other household, lawn, and garden supplies	12/77	162.2	160.8	5.2	2.3	1.0	1.0	3.7	1.0
Housekeeping services ¹	12/77	349.8	350.6	1.5	1.9	1.3	2.4	1.7	1.9
Postage ¹	12/77	371.9	371.9	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0
Appliance and furniture repair ¹	12/77	164.5	164.9	2.3	3.0	2.2	2.5	2.6	2.3
Gardening and other household services ¹	12/86	100.5	101.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Apparel and upkeep		210.4	211.8	.4	2.1	3.1	4.3	1.3	3.7
Apparel commodities		194.0	195.4	-2	2.1	2.7	4.2	.9	3.5
Apparel commodities less footwear		191.0	192.4	-4	2.1	2.6	5.1	.9	3.8
Men's and boys'		200.8	202.9	.2	-8	3.2	3.6	-3	3.4
Men's	12/77	127.0	129.0	.3	-6	4.5	5.1	-2	4.8
Suits, sport coats, coats, and jackets	12/77	117.2	117.7	3.6	1.1	5.3	4.9	2.3	5.1
Furnishings and special clothing ¹	12/77	153.6	154.5	-2.0	.8	9.1	-9.7	-6	-8
Shirts	12/77	134.8	138.5	1.5	.0	10.0	7.2	.8	8.6
Dungarees, jeans, and trousers	12/77	116.5	119.0	-3.0	-2.4	-2.4	11.5	-2.7	4.3
Boys'	12/77	128.4	126.4	2.2	-3.7	3.5	-7.5	-8	-2.2
Women's and girls'		171.4	172.1	-1.4	2.4	3.6	6.5	.5	5.1
Women's	12/77	114.3	114.3	-2.1	2.9	3.3	5.1	.4	4.1
Coats and jackets		164.0	159.8	-11.1	-5	-2.0	9.3	-6.0	3.5
Dresses		176.4	179.0	-4.5	5.2	8.1	4.4	.2	6.2
Separates and sportswear	12/77	108.1	108.1	3.5	-3.0	5.4	5.0	.2	5.2
Underwear, nightwear, hosiery, and accessories	12/77	141.7	141.4	-2.0	3.8	1.1	-2.0	.9	-4
Suits	12/77	91.0	94.5	6.1	5.5	16.4	45.8	5.8	30.3
Girls'	12/77	112.3	115.1	-7	3.7	1.8	17.7	1.5	9.5
Infants' and toddlers' ¹		301.8	304.5	9.2	-9.6	-4.6	-3.2	-6	-3.9
Other apparel commodities ¹		223.2	226.0	-1.3	12.0	-9	9.2	5.2	4.0
Sewing materials, notions, and luggage ¹	12/86	100.4	99.6	-	-	-	-	-	-
Watches and jewelry ¹	12/86	101.7	103.5	-	-	-	-	-	-
Watches ¹	12/86	100.3	102.5	-	-	-	-	-	-
Jewelry ¹	12/86	102.1	103.7	-	-	-	-	-	-
Footwear		211.4	213.0	1.3	1.5	4.0	-6	1.4	1.7
Men's	12/77	145.5	147.7	2.0	3.2	1.4	14.1	2.6	7.6
Boys' and girls' ¹	12/77	133.8	132.9	5.6	-3	6.5	-6.9	2.6	-4
Women's	12/77	123.1	123.1	-2.2	-1.6	5.0	-4.7	-1.9	.0
Apparel services		343.2	342.9	3.3	2.3	5.1	4.4	2.8	4.8
Laundry and dry cleaning other than coin operated	12/77	204.1	203.9	3.3	3.9	4.3	2.8	3.6	3.5
Other apparel services ¹	12/77	179.3	179.9	5.2	.0	5.1	6.2	2.6	5.7

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Item and group	Other index base	Seasonally adjusted indexes		Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for					
		Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
				May 1986	Aug. 1986	Nov. 1986	Feb. 1987	Aug. 1986	Feb. 1987
Transportation		308.3	309.8	-16.3	-5.6	3.1	8.4	-11.1	5.7
Private		299.6	301.2	-17.7	-6.4	3.0	8.5	-12.3	5.7
New vehicles		231.2	229.0	6.0	5.9	6.3	-3	5.9	2.9
New cars		231.8	229.3	6.0	5.7	6.9	-7	5.8	3.0
Subcompact new cars ¹	12/86	100.2	98.9	-	-	-	-	-	-
Compact new cars ¹	12/86	100.4	98.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
Intermediate new cars ¹	12/86	100.4	99.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Full-size new cars ¹	12/86	100.4	100.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Luxury new cars ¹	12/86	100.3	100.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
New trucks ¹	12/83	112.9	112.3	4.9	2.6	6.7	.0	3.7	3.3
New motorcycles ¹	12/86	100.5	101.5	-	-	-	-	-	-
Used cars		354.6	358.4	-8.7	-4.1	-3.0	1.2	-6.4	-9
Motor fuel		278.0	289.5	-55.1	-31.5	-2.3	49.8	-44.5	21.0
Gasoline		277.6	289.2	-55.4	-31.4	-2.3	50.5	-44.7	21.3
Gasoline, leaded regular	1/76	154.4	161.3	-56.5	-32.7	-1.4	59.6	-45.9	25.5
Gasoline, unleaded regular	1/76	158.1	164.7	-56.6	-31.8	-3.2	52.5	-45.6	21.5
Gasoline, unleaded premium ¹	8/81	72.7	75.4	-50.4	-24.9	-8.7	36.2	-39.0	11.5
Automobile maintenance and repair ¹		371.3	373.0	2.7	3.4	4.6	5.1	3.0	4.8
Body work ¹	12/77	188.0	189.1	9.6	2.4	4.6	.4	5.9	2.5
Automobile drive train, brake, and miscellaneous mechanical repair ¹	12/77	182.5	183.1	6.1	3.2	3.6	4.0	4.6	3.8
Maintenance and servicing ¹	12/77	167.2	168.0	-5	3.3	6.8	5.9	1.4	6.4
Power plant repair ¹	12/77	178.6	179.6	.9	4.2	2.5	7.2	2.6	4.8
Other private transportation ¹		314.9	314.0	2.8	4.3	9.7	3.1	3.6	6.3
Other private transportation commodities ¹		202.2	201.8	-1.0	-1.2	-3.5	3.6	-1.1	.0
Motor oil, coolant, and other products ¹	12/77	157.0	154.9	-5.0	-1.5	-8	.5	-3.3	-1
Automobile parts and equipment ¹	12/77	126.9	126.8	-3	-9	-4.0	3.5	-6	-3
Tires ¹		169.8	171.1	-7	-2.1	-5.1	6.8	-1.4	.7
Other parts and equipment ¹	12/77	137.1	135.9	.9	1.2	-1.5	2.1	1.0	.3
Other private transportation services ¹		347.7	346.7	3.5	5.2	11.8	3.1	4.3	7.4
Automobile insurance ¹		429.7	431.0	10.0	9.6	15.5	5.7	9.8	10.5
Automobile finance charges ¹	12/77	146.3	142.7	-16.5	-12.4	7.5	-7.0	-14.5	.0
Automobile fees ¹	12/77	175.5	175.8	6.2	9.7	5.0	6.1	7.9	5.6
Automobile registration, licensing, and inspection fees ¹	12/77	160.2	160.2	.3	10.2	2.6	2.8	5.1	2.7
Other automobile-related fees ¹	12/77	199.1	199.8	14.2	9.0	8.2	9.5	11.6	8.9
Public transportation ¹		438.9	439.8	1.4	4.1	3.5	7.7	2.8	5.6
Airline fares ¹		512.4	513.7	.8	3.2	6.9	13.2	2.0	10.0
Other intercity transportation ¹	12/77	221.3	220.5	10.4	4.4	-4.7	-9	7.4	-2.8
Intracity public transportation ¹	12/77	207.8	208.5	.8	5.2	.8	3.1	3.0	1.9
Medical care		450.2	451.7	8.4	7.5	7.0	5.9	7.9	6.5
Medical care commodities		283.5	284.5	5.0	6.8	4.1	8.7	5.9	6.4
Prescription drugs		291.5	291.8	8.2	9.6	7.1	7.2	8.9	7.1
Nonprescription drugs and medical supplies ¹	12/86	100.4	100.9	-	-	-	-	-	-
Internal and respiratory over-the-counter drugs ¹		301.7	303.7	4.7	2.9	-5	9.6	3.8	4.4
Nonprescription medical equipment and supplies ¹	12/77	175.2	175.1	6.8	2.4	1.6	4.2	4.6	2.9
Medical care services		486.5	488.1	9.1	7.5	7.7	5.2	8.3	6.4
Professional medical services		404.1	406.4	7.3	5.6	7.2	6.3	6.4	6.8
Physicians' services		446.5	446.8	9.1	7.0	9.2	5.7	8.0	7.5
Dental services ¹		377.2	381.5	6.7	4.9	5.6	7.6	5.8	6.6
Eye care ¹	12/86	100.4	101.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
Services by other medical professionals ¹	12/86	100.5	100.7	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hospital and related services	12/77	246.0	246.4	6.7	7.3	7.0	4.8	7.0	5.9
Hospital rooms		781.5	785.0	7.2	6.4	8.7	5.9	6.8	7.3
Other inpatient services ¹	12/86	100.9	101.3	-	-	-	-	-	-
Outpatient services ¹	12/86	100.7	101.1	-	-	-	-	-	-

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Other index base	Seasonally adjusted indexes		Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for					
		Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
				May 1986	Aug. 1986	Nov. 1986	Feb. 1987	Aug. 1986	Feb. 1987
Entertainment		278.5	278.7	1.8	2.5	3.7	2.2	2.1	2.9
Entertainment commodities		268.3	267.8	.9	1.1	1.8	.8	1.0	1.3
Reading materials ¹	12/77	186.0	186.4	5.7	3.1	3.5	2.8	4.4	3.2
Newspapers ¹		347.8	349.0	4.1	1.7	5.5	3.2	2.9	4.3
Magazines, periodicals, and books ¹	12/77	196.2	196.4	7.6	4.7	1.7	2.1	6.1	1.9
Sporting goods and equipment	12/77	138.2	138.9	-6.0	-1.1	-3.7	.9	-3.6	-1.4
Sport vehicles, including bicycles ¹	12/77	143.2	144.0	-9.1	-2.2	-2.5	.6	-5.7	-1.0
Other sporting goods ¹	12/77	125.8	126.2	-5.6	6.3	.0	1.0	.2	.5
Toys, hobbies, and other entertainment	12/77	147.8	147.2	.8	1.7	3.6	-3	1.2	1.7
Toys, hobbies, and music equipment	12/77	141.8	139.6	-2.5	-.6	3.2	-3.4	-1.6	-.1
Photographic supplies and equipment	12/77	146.0	147.8	5.3	5.2	6.6	8.8	5.3	7.7
Pet supplies and expense ¹	12/77	161.3	161.6	.5	3.8	3.3	1.2	2.2	2.3
Entertainment services ¹		293.3	294.1	3.0	4.4	6.4	3.2	3.7	4.8
Club memberships ¹	12/86	100.2	100.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Fees for participant sports, excluding club memberships ¹	12/86	100.6	101.0	-	-	-	-	-	-
Admissions ¹	12/77	173.7	174.3	.7	6.8	2.4	5.7	3.7	4.0
Fees for lessons or instructions ¹	12/86	100.3	100.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other entertainment services ¹	12/86	100.4	100.9	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other goods and services		358.1	360.5	4.4	7.6	3.0	8.7	6.0	5.8
Tobacco and smoking products ¹		364.9	368.3	2.1	11.7	1.2	12.9	6.8	6.9
Personal care ¹		295.7	296.4	2.5	1.9	1.5	4.2	2.2	2.8
Toilet goods and personal care appliances ¹		291.3	292.1	2.7	1.7	.7	3.5	2.2	2.1
Cosmetics, bath and nail preparations, manicure and eye makeup implements ¹	12/77	165.7	166.3	2.7	1.0	-1.0	6.0	1.9	2.4
Other toilet goods and small personal care appliances, including hair and dental products ¹	12/77	170.6	170.9	2.9	1.9	1.4	1.9	2.4	1.7
Personal care services ¹		300.8	301.3	2.3	2.1	2.3	4.6	2.2	3.5
Beauty parlor services for females ¹		303.9	304.2	2.3	1.8	2.3	5.3	2.0	3.8
Haircuts and other barber shop services for males ¹	12/77	166.4	167.3	2.2	3.0	1.9	2.9	2.6	2.4
Personal and educational expenses		447.7	451.1	8.2	9.9	5.7	9.8	9.0	7.7
School books and supplies		396.7	398.6	8.3	10.6	4.0	8.8	9.4	6.4
Personal and educational services		459.6	463.2	8.2	9.7	6.0	9.9	8.9	7.9
Tuition and other school fees	12/77	233.8	235.4	8.1	9.5	5.6	9.3	8.8	7.4
College tuition	12/77	233.1	234.6	8.1	9.9	3.4	9.4	9.0	6.3
Elementary and high school tuition	12/77	234.6	236.3	9.0	10.7	8.9	8.0	9.8	8.5
Personal expenses ¹	12/77	243.0	244.7	9.0	10.5	8.2	7.9	9.8	8.1
Legal service fees ¹	12/86	101.0	101.8	-	-	-	-	-	-
Personal financial services ¹	12/86	99.9	100.3	-	-	-	-	-	-
Funeral expenses ¹	12/86	100.0	100.8	-	-	-	-	-	-
Special indexes									
Domestically produced farm food		298.4	298.0	4.3	9.7	3.9	4.3	7.0	4.1
Selected beef cuts ¹		282.6	280.7	-10.3	9.7	9.7	6.1	-.8	7.8
Motor fuel, motor oil, coolant, and other products		276.5	287.9	-54.6	-30.7	-2.1	49.0	-43.9	20.7
Utilities and public transportation		370.6	371.9	-.9	3.8	-5.0	1.3	1.5	-1.9
Housekeeping and home maintenance services ¹		395.6	396.4	.5	2.6	1.0	2.5	1.5	1.7

¹ Not seasonally adjusted.
- Data not available.

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

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

(December 1977=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item	Other index base	Indexes				1-month percent changes ended—				Percent change to Feb. 1987 from—
		Nov. 1986	Dec. 1986	Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	Nov. 1986	Dec. 1986	Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986
Food and beverages										
Other breads		167.2	165.2	168.7	167.2	0.8	-1.2	2.1	-0.9	4.0
Fresh biscuits, rolls, and muffins		168.3	167.7	168.7	169.6	.7	-.4	.6	.5	3.2
Fresh cakes and cupcakes		178.9	179.2	178.1	178.0	1.0	.2	-.6	-.1	3.7
Cookies		183.0	185.3	184.5	185.3	.1	1.3	-.4	.4	3.7
Crackers, bread, and cracker products		176.9	180.0	178.9	180.8	-1.7	1.8	-.6	1.1	2.8
Fresh sweetrolls, coffee cake, and donuts		176.2	175.7	176.4	176.5	.6	-.3	.4	.1	2.3
Frozen and refrigerated bakery products and fresh pies, tarts, and turnovers		186.1	186.6	189.2	189.9	.5	.3	1.4	.4	5.9
Ham other than canned		146.4	147.4	143.8	138.7	-.1	.7	-2.4	-3.5	16.7
Pork sausage	1967	359.1	357.6	359.3	353.7	-1.9	-.4	.5	-1.6	11.5
Other pork		158.1	156.6	158.0	155.4	-.1	-.9	.9	-1.6	13.0
Frankfurters	1967	280.9	284.0	289.5	285.4	-.1	1.1	1.9	-1.4	6.1
Bologna, liverwurst, and salami		168.5	168.3	189.0	165.3	1.0	-.1	.4	-2.2	5.1
Other lunchmeats		146.1	147.1	148.5	145.6	.3	.7	1.0	-2.0	5.1
Lamb and organ meats		146.8	147.6	150.4	148.0	1.9	.5	1.9	-1.6	4.4
Butter	1967	269.3	269.6	269.8	269.8	.1	.1	.1	.0	2.8
Other dairy products		160.7	161.8	162.4	163.5	-.3	.7	.4	.7	3.6
Frozen fruit and fruit juices		148.8	150.5	153.8	153.7	1.1	1.1	2.2	-.1	-4.0
Other fruit juices		169.5	170.8	173.5	174.7	-.5	.8	1.6	.7	2.2
Cut corn, canned beans except lima		146.7	147.3	150.5	147.7	-.1	.4	2.2	-1.9	-.8
Other processed vegetables		138.8	139.4	143.0	140.1	.8	.4	2.6	-2.0	.5
Candy and chewing gum		173.9	173.5	175.3	175.3	.1	-.2	1.0	.0	2.8
Other sweets		171.8	171.4	172.6	173.7	-.8	-.2	.7	.6	3.9
Margarine	1967	288.8	287.0	293.2	290.3	-.1	-.6	2.2	-1.0	-3.9
Other fats, oils, and salad dressing		141.5	140.6	143.2	141.3	-.6	-.6	1.8	-1.3	-4.5
Nondairy substitutes and peanut butter		169.2	174.2	180.4	179.0	2.7	3.0	3.6	-.8	12.7
Roasted coffee	1967	473.5	472.1	469.9	454.2	.0	-.3	-.5	-3.3	-11.8
Instant and freeze-dried coffee	1967	454.2	453.1	450.2	443.7	.3	-.2	-.6	-1.4	-2.9
Seasonings, olives, pickles, and relish		175.5	175.4	178.0	182.4	-.1	-.1	1.5	2.5	6.6
Other condiments		168.7	170.1	172.1	175.3	-.5	.8	1.2	1.9	4.8
Miscellaneous prepared foods and baby foods		166.4	166.0	168.4	169.0	-.6	-.2	1.4	.4	2.9
Other canned and packaged prepared foods		155.2	156.9	158.4	159.0	.5	1.1	1.0	.4	2.6
Whiskey at home	1967	170.3	170.3	171.1	171.7	.1	.0	.5	.4	.7
Other alcoholic beverages at home		139.7	139.5	140.0	140.2	-.1	-.1	.4	.1	.9

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(December 1977 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Item	Other index base	Indexes				1-month percent changes ended—				Percent change to Feb. 1987 from—
		Nov. 1986	Dec. 1986	Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	Nov. 1986	Dec. 1986	Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	
Housing										
Household linens		143.7	142.0	139.8	143.2	-0.1	-1.2	-1.5	2.4	1.8
Curtains, drapes, slipcovers, and sewing materials		163.8	165.3	167.0	170.2	-.2	.9	1.0	1.9	5.5
Soaps and detergents	1967	324.3	327.6	329.5	333.0	.2	1.0	.6	1.1	2.1
Other laundry and cleaning products		165.4	166.1	167.4	169.2	-.1	.4	.8	1.1	2.2
Cleansing and toilet tissue, paper towels, and napkins		162.1	162.5	163.1	163.3	.0	.2	.4	.1	2.2
Stationery, stationery supplies, and gift wrap		149.6	150.7	150.3	151.2	.1	.7	-.3	.6	1.5
Apparel and upkeep										
Men's suits, sport coats, and jackets		125.7	122.2	121.2	120.6	-.2	-2.8	-.8	-.5	4.9
Men's coats and jackets		102.7	100.7	98.7	97.9	.8	-1.9	-2.0	-.8	-.3
Boys' coats, jackets, sweaters, and shirts		131.2	129.7	121.9	116.8	1.7	-1.1	-6.0	-4.2	.4
Boys' trousers, sport coats, and jackets		127.0	128.3	127.5	128.5	-.2	1.0	-.6	.8	.4
Girls' coats, jackets, dresses, and suits		104.0	102.4	100.2	103.2	-.8	-1.5	-2.1	3.0	7.9
Girls' separates and sportswear		111.5	110.1	105.6	107.0	.3	-1.3	-4.1	1.3	4.9
Transportation										
State automobile registration	1967	222.0	222.0	223.5	223.5	.2	.0	.7	.0	3.8
Other goods and services										
Products for hair, hair pieces, and wigs		163.6	161.9	163.0	163.7	-.2	-1.0	.7	.4	1.0

¹ These special indexes are based on substantially smaller samples.

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

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

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Relative importance, December 1986	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Feb. 1987 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Jan. 1987	Nov. to Dec.	Dec. to Jan.	Jan. to Feb.
Expenditure category								
All items	100.000	327.7	329.0	1.8	0.4	0.2	0.7	0.4
All items(1957-59= 100)	-	381.1	382.6	-	-	-	-	-
Food and beverages	19.733	320.3	321.3	4.5	.3	.2	.5	.2
Food	18.045	328.4	329.5	4.6	.3	.2	.4	.2
Food at home	11.306	313.4	314.6	4.8	.4	.1	.5	.3
Cereals and bakery products ¹	1.545	330.0	331.2	3.2	.4	.3	.6	.4
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	3.684	288.5	285.8	6.8	-.9	-.3	-.1	-.8
Dairy products ¹	1.399	262.0	263.6	3.0	.6	.4	.4	.6
Fruits and vegetables	1.755	338.2	348.2	10.2	3.0	.8	.6	2.7
Other food at home	2.923	378.9	380.0	1.3	.3	-.1	1.0	-.1
Sugar and sweets ¹ .....	.403	414.9	414.8	1.6	.0	-.2	.9	.0
Fats and oils ¹ .....	.304	292.6	289.9	-.3	-.9	.4	2.5	-.9
Nonalcoholic beverages	1.030	483.7	482.5	-.6	-.2	-.5	.7	-.9
Other prepared food	1.186	309.7	313.3	4.1	1.2	.5	.8	.8
Food away from home	6.739	372.2	373.2	4.5	.3	.4	.4	.2
Alcoholic beverages	1.688	245.4	246.2	2.2	.3	.2	.7	.0
Housing	40.492	356.3	357.5	2.2	.3	.2	.4	.4
Shelter	25.554	399.6	401.2	4.8	.4	.2	.4	.5
Renters' costs ²	8.211	112.3	112.7	5.4	.4	.4	.5	.4
Rent, residential	6.952	286.1	287.0	5.2	.3	.3	.4	.4
Other renters' costs	1.259	424.9	427.6	6.0	.6	.5	1.1	.6
Homeowners' costs ²	17.132	111.1	111.6	4.7	.5	.2	.4	.5
Owners' equivalent rent ²	16.782	111.1	111.5	4.6	.4	.2	.4	.5
Household insurance ^{1 2} .....	.350	111.9	112.1	4.0	.2	.4	.2	.2
Maintenance and repairs ¹ .....	.211	377.3	376.9	.8	-.1	.6	.7	-.1
Maintenance and repair services ¹ .....	.112	434.5	432.5	1.4	-.5	.0	1.5	-.5
Maintenance and repair commodities ¹ .....	.099	267.6	268.4	.1	.3	1.1	-.1	.3
Fuel and other utilities	8.150	373.9	374.9	-4.1	.3	-.2	.4	.3
Fuels	4.578	442.7	443.7	-6.7	.2	-.2	.6	.2
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities .....	.363	489.3	503.9	-15.1	3.0	.2	6.9	3.5
Gas (piped) and electricity	4.215	427.4	427.3	-3.6	.0	-.3	.1	.0
Other utilities and public services ¹	3.572	255.6	256.5	3.1	.4	-.2	.1	.4
Household furnishings and operation	6.788	248.9	249.4	1.7	.2	.4	.5	.1
Housefurnishings	4.362	200.0	200.2	1.5	.1	.5	.6	.0
Housekeeping supplies	1.249	322.0	323.1	2.1	.3	.3	.3	.3
Housekeeping services ¹	1.178	351.2	352.0	1.6	.2	.2	.1	.2
Apparel and upkeep	6.362	205.8	206.9	1.9	.5	.2	.3	.3
Apparel commodities	5.830	190.5	191.5	1.8	.5	.2	.2	.4
Men's and boys' apparel	1.547	198.6	198.9	1.1	.2	-.1	.0	.7
Women's and girls' apparel	2.562	168.2	169.2	2.4	.6	.5	1.0	.0
Infants' and toddlers' apparel ¹ .....	.304	319.1	322.2	-1.9	1.0	1.7	-3.1	1.0
Footwear .....	.933	211.1	212.4	1.9	.6	.3	-.9	.5
Other apparel commodities ¹ .....	.485	210.1	212.1	3.9	1.0	-.5	1.1	1.0
Apparel services .....	.531	339.7	340.5	3.8	.2	.3	.8	.0

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Relative importance, December 1986	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Feb. 1987 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Jan. 1987	Nov. to Dec.	Dec. to Jan.	Jan. to Feb.
Expenditure category								
Transportation	19.094	308.2	309.9	-3.2	0.6	-0.1	1.7	0.6
Private transportation	17.944	301.6	303.4	-3.6	.6	-.2	1.8	.6
New vehicles	5.459	231.2	228.9	4.3	-1.0	.3	.3	-.9
New cars	4.052	232.0	229.3	4.4	-1.2	.5	.3	-1.0
Used cars	2.257	354.7	357.0	-3.7	.6	-1.1	.4	1.0
Motor fuel	3.564	277.7	289.5	-18.0	4.2	-.2	6.8	4.0
Gasoline	-	277.1	288.9	-18.0	4.3	-.2	6.8	4.1
Maintenance and repairs ¹	1.618	373.4	375.1	4.1	.5	.7	.3	.5
Other private transportation ¹	5.046	312.6	311.5	4.4	-.4	.1	.9	-.4
Other private transportation commodities ¹ .....	.976	204.3	204.0	-.7	-.1	.2	.7	-.1
Other private transportation services ¹	4.070	344.0	342.6	5.2	-.4	.1	.9	-.4
Public transportation ¹	1.150	426.7	427.2	3.5	.1	1.1	.2	.1
Medical care	4.469	446.7	449.7	7.1	.7	.7	.4	.3
Medical care commodities .....	.896	281.4	282.9	6.0	.5	1.1	.6	.4
Medical care services	3.574	483.2	486.5	7.3	.7	.6	.4	.3
Professional medical services	2.339	404.2	407.4	6.6	.8	.6	.4	.5
Entertainment	4.082	272.9	273.4	2.6	.2	.3	.1	.1
Entertainment commodities	2.217	262.2	262.3	1.5	.0	.3	.0	-.1
Entertainment services ¹	1.865	292.7	293.9	4.2	.4	.1	.2	.4
Other goods and services	5.768	352.8	354.6	5.5	.5	.2	1.2	.7
Tobacco and smoking products ¹	1.647	364.7	368.0	6.9	.9	.1	2.1	.9
Personal care ¹	1.188	293.2	294.1	2.5	.3	.0	.7	.3
Toilet goods and personal care appliances ¹ .....	.680	292.0	293.2	2.3	.4	-.1	.6	.4
Personal care services ¹ .....	.507	294.9	295.4	2.8	.2	.1	.8	.2
Personal and educational expenses	2.933	452.0	453.7	8.0	.4	.7	.9	.8
School books and supplies .....	.188	406.5	409.3	8.2	.7	.7	1.3	.5
Personal and educational services	2.745	464.3	465.9	8.3	.3	.7	.8	.8
Commodity and service group								
All items	100.000	327.7	329.0	1.8	.4	.2	.7	.4
Commodities	49.519	285.5	287.0	.0	.5	.1	1.0	.5
Food and beverages	19.733	320.3	321.3	4.5	.3	.2	.5	.2
Commodities less food and beverages	29.787	262.9	264.6	-2.9	.6	.0	1.3	.6
Nondurables less food and beverages ¹	16.530	262.3	266.0	-5.0	1.4	.1	.9	1.4
Apparel commodities	5.830	190.5	191.5	1.8	.5	.2	.2	.4
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel ¹	10.700	304.4	310.2	-6.0	1.9	.4	2.5	1.9
Durables	13.257	265.4	264.5	.0	-.3	.1	.4	-.3
Services	50.481	403.3	404.5	4.0	.3	.2	.4	.3
Rent of shelter ^{1 2}	24.963	111.5	111.9	4.9	.4	.1	.4	.4
Household services less rent of shelter ^{1 2}	9.457	102.3	102.5	-.5	.2	-.2	.5	.2
Transportation services	6.838	361.7	361.3	4.6	-.1	.4	.6	-.1
Medical care services	3.574	483.2	486.5	7.3	.7	.6	.4	.3
Other services	5.649	336.4	337.5	4.9	.3	.3	.7	.5

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Relative importance, December 1986	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Feb. 1987 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Jan. 1987	Nov. to Dec.	Dec. to Jan.	Jan. to Feb.
Special indexes								
All items less food	81.955	326.0	327.4	1.1	0.4	0.2	0.7	0.4
All items less shelter	74.446	308.4	309.6	1.0	.4	.1	.8	.4
All items less homeowners' costs ²	82.868	104.0	104.5	1.5	.5	.2	.8	.3
All items less medical care	95.531	321.8	323.0	1.5	.4	.1	.7	.4
Commodities less food	31.475	261.8	263.5	-2.7	.6	.0	1.2	.6
Nondurables less food ¹	18.218	259.9	263.3	-4.6	1.3	.1	.9	1.3
Nondurables less food and apparel ¹	12.387	294.8	299.7	-5.6	1.7	.4	2.3	1.7
Nondurables ¹	36.263	292.5	294.9	.0	.8	.1	1.0	.8
Services less rent of shelter ^{1 2}	25.517	108.8	109.0	3.3	.2	.2	.5	.2
Services less medical care ¹	46.907	392.5	393.5	3.7	.3	.1	.5	.3
Energy	8.142	349.8	356.9	-12.5	2.0	-2	3.3	1.9
All items less energy	91.858	327.8	328.7	3.7	.3	.2	.5	.2
All items less food and energy	73.813	326.3	327.1	3.5	.2	.2	.5	.3
Commodities less food and energy	27.548	261.7	262.0	1.4	.1	.0	.5	.1
Energy commodities	3.927	307.2	319.9	-17.4	4.1	-2	6.8	3.9
Services less energy	46.265	401.9	403.2	4.9	.3	.3	.4	.4
Purchasing power of the consumer dollar:								
1967 = \$1.00 ¹	-	\$.305	\$.304	-1.6	-.3	.0	-.7	-.3
1957-59 = \$1.00 ¹	-	.262	.261	-	-	-	-	-

¹ Not seasonally adjusted.

² Indexes on a December 1984 = 100 base.

- Data not available.

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

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

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Seasonally adjusted indexes				Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for					
	Nov. 1986	Dec. 1986	Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
					May 1986	Aug. 1986	Nov. 1986	Feb. 1987	Aug. 1986	Feb. 1987
Expenditure category										
All items	-	-	-	-	-2.5	2.1	2.9	5.0	-0.2	3.9
Food and beverages	317.9	318.5	320.0	320.6	2.4	8.0	4.5	3.4	5.2	4.0
Food	326.1	326.7	328.1	328.9	2.4	8.4	4.8	3.5	5.4	4.1
Food at home	310.7	310.9	312.3	313.1	1.3	10.4	4.8	3.1	5.8	3.9
Cereals and bakery products ¹	327.0	328.0	330.0	331.2	1.5	5.8	4	5.2	3.6	2.8
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	286.6	285.6	285.2	282.9	-1.7	31.7	6.1	-5.1	13.8	.4
Dairy products ¹	259.9	260.9	262.0	263.6	-3	1.7	4.8	5.8	.7	5.3
Fruits and vegetables	332.7	335.5	337.5	346.5	13.6	-2.1	12.7	17.7	5.5	15.2
Other food at home	375.7	375.5	379.1	378.6	-5	1.8	1.3	3.1	.6	2.2
Sugar and sweets ¹	411.9	411.2	414.9	414.8	2.5	2.0	-7	2.8	2.2	1.1
Fats and oils ¹	284.5	285.5	292.6	289.9	-5.7	.7	-3.6	7.8	-2.5	2.0
Nonalcoholic beverages	482.0	479.4	482.7	478.2	-2.6	1.6	1.7	-3.1	-.5	-.7
Other prepared food	306.4	307.9	310.3	312.7	2.3	2.7	3.1	8.5	2.5	5.7
Food away from home	369.4	370.9	372.5	373.2	4.8	4.0	4.8	4.2	4.4	4.5
Alcoholic beverages	243.7	244.2	245.9	245.9	2.3	2.7	.2	3.7	2.5	1.9
Housing	354.7	355.3	356.8	358.1	1.5	2.5	.9	3.9	2.0	2.4
Shelter	396.9	397.8	399.5	401.4	6.0	3.6	4.8	4.6	4.8	4.7
Renters' costs ²	111.4	111.8	112.4	112.9	6.5	4.5	4.8	5.5	5.5	5.2
Rent, residential	284.0	284.9	286.1	287.3	7.1	4.4	4.6	4.7	5.7	4.7
Other renters' costs	424.0	426.2	431.0	433.7	2.4	6.9	5.3	9.5	4.6	7.3
Homeowners' costs ²	110.5	110.7	111.1	111.7	6.5	3.0	4.8	4.4	4.7	4.6
Owners' equivalent rent ²	110.5	110.7	111.1	111.7	6.5	3.0	4.8	4.4	4.7	4.6
Household insurance ^{1 2}	111.3	111.7	111.9	112.1	4.5	4.1	4.4	2.9	4.3	3.7
Maintenance and repairs ¹	372.4	374.6	377.3	376.9	-10.5	8.7	1.0	4.9	-1.3	2.9
Maintenance and repair services ¹	428.2	428.1	434.5	432.5	-6.0	8.4	-4	4.1	1.0	1.8
Maintenance and repair commodities ¹	265.0	268.0	267.6	268.4	-14.2	8.8	2.3	5.2	-3.4	3.8
Fuel and other utilities	375.5	374.6	376.1	377.2	-9.0	-.5	-8.5	1.8	-4.9	-3.5
Fuels	443.3	442.2	444.9	446.0	-14.3	-3.6	-11.4	2.5	-9.1	-4.7
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities	445.1	446.0	476.9	493.6	-41.5	-31.0	-14.9	51.2	-36.5	13.5
Gas (piped) and electricity	434.3	432.9	433.4	433.2	-6.2	3.7	-10.7	-1.0	-1.4	-6.0
Other utilities and public services ¹	255.8	255.3	255.6	256.5	5.6	7.2	-1.2	1.1	6.4	-.1
Household furnishings and operation	247.3	248.2	249.4	249.6	.3	3.0	.0	3.8	1.6	1.9
Housefurnishings	198.6	199.6	200.8	200.8	-.4	3.5	-1.2	4.5	1.5	1.6
Housekeeping supplies	319.2	320.1	321.0	322.1	.6	3.1	1.3	3.7	1.8	2.5
Housekeeping services ¹	350.1	350.8	351.2	352.0	1.3	2.0	1.2	2.2	1.6	1.7
Apparel and upkeep	208.0	208.4	209.0	209.7	.2	2.0	2.9	3.3	1.1	3.1
Apparel commodities	192.8	193.1	193.5	194.3	-.2	1.5	3.0	3.1	.6	3.1
Men's and boys' apparel	200.5	200.3	200.2	201.7	-.2	-2.0	4.1	2.4	-1.1	3.3
Women's and girls' apparel	170.7	171.5	173.2	173.2	-1.9	2.6	3.1	6.0	.4	4.5
Infants' and toddlers' apparel ¹	323.8	329.3	319.1	322.2	7.1	-6.6	-5.7	-2.0	.0	-3.9
Footwear	213.8	214.5	212.6	213.7	2.3	1.1	4.4	-.2	1.7	2.1
Other apparel commodities ¹	208.9	207.8	210.1	212.1	-.8	11.7	-1.1	6.3	5.3	2.5
Apparel services	336.5	337.5	340.1	340.1	3.3	3.2	4.3	4.3	3.3	4.3

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1967=100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Seasonally adjusted indexes				Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for					
	Nov. 1986	Dec. 1986	Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
					May 1986	Aug. 1986	Nov. 1986	Feb. 1987	Aug. 1986	Feb. 1987
Expenditure category										
Transportation	303.1	302.8	307.8	309.7	-17.1	-6.4	3.2	9.0	-11.9	6.1
Private transportation	296.6	296.1	301.3	303.2	-18.3	-7.0	3.2	9.2	-12.8	6.1
New vehicles	228.8	229.4	230.1	228.0	5.8	5.7	7.3	-1.4	5.8	2.9
New cars	228.9	230.1	230.8	228.4	6.0	5.5	6.9	-.9	5.7	3.0
Used cars	357.3	353.4	354.7	358.4	-8.7	-4.9	-2.3	1.2	-6.8	-6
Motor fuel	262.8	262.2	279.9	291.0	-55.2	-31.6	-1.8	50.3	-44.7	21.5
Gasoline	262.1	261.5	279.3	290.7	-55.4	-31.6	-2.0	51.3	-44.7	21.8
Maintenance and repairs ¹	369.7	372.3	373.4	375.1	2.7	3.2	4.4	6.0	3.0	5.2
Other private transportation ¹	309.5	309.9	312.6	311.5	1.9	3.2	10.0	2.6	2.6	6.2
Other private transportation commodities ¹	202.3	202.8	204.3	204.0	-1.0	-1.7	-3.3	3.4	-1.4	.0
Other private transportation services ¹	340.7	341.0	344.0	342.6	2.5	4.0	12.4	2.2	3.2	7.2
Public transportation ¹	421.1	425.8	426.7	427.2	1.2	4.5	2.6	5.9	2.8	4.3
Medical care	442.4	445.4	447.2	448.6	8.7	7.3	6.8	5.7	8.0	6.3
Medical care commodities	277.6	280.7	282.5	283.5	5.2	6.2	4.0	8.8	5.7	6.4
Medical care services	478.7	481.5	483.2	484.6	9.3	7.5	7.4	5.0	8.4	6.2
Professional medical services	400.7	403.0	404.6	406.6	7.4	6.1	6.7	6.0	6.8	6.3
Entertainment	272.0	272.7	272.9	273.3	1.7	2.9	4.1	1.9	2.3	3.0
Entertainment commodities	261.5	262.3	262.2	262.0	1.4	1.7	2.3	.8	1.6	1.5
Entertainment services ¹	291.6	292.0	292.7	293.9	2.3	4.4	7.0	3.2	3.4	5.1
Other goods and services	347.8	348.6	352.7	355.3	3.9	7.4	2.8	8.9	5.6	5.8
Tobacco and smoking products ¹	356.9	357.2	364.7	368.0	1.9	11.9	1.1	13.0	6.8	6.9
Personal care ¹	291.2	291.3	293.2	294.1	2.5	1.8	1.8	4.0	2.2	2.9
Toilet goods and personal care appliances ¹	290.5	290.3	292.0	293.2	2.7	1.5	1.1	3.8	2.1	2.4
Personal care services ¹	292.4	292.7	294.9	295.4	2.2	2.1	2.6	4.2	2.2	3.4
Personal and educational expenses	442.3	445.3	449.2	452.9	8.1	9.3	5.7	9.9	8.7	7.8
School books and supplies	394.8	397.5	402.5	404.4	8.0	9.7	4.7	10.1	8.8	7.4
Personal and educational services	454.1	457.2	461.0	464.9	8.1	9.2	5.9	9.9	8.6	7.9
Commodity and service group										
All items	-	-	-	-	-2.5	2.1	2.9	5.0	-.2	3.9
Commodities	282.7	282.9	285.6	286.9	-8.0	.3	2.2	6.1	-3.9	4.1
Food and beverages	317.9	318.5	320.0	320.6	2.4	8.0	4.5	3.4	5.2	4.0
Commodities less food and beverages	260.1	260.2	263.5	265.2	-14.1	-4.6	.5	8.1	-9.5	4.2
Nondurables less food and beverages ¹	259.7	259.9	262.3	266.0	-21.6	-8.1	2.5	10.1	-15.1	6.2
Apparel commodities	192.8	193.1	193.5	194.3	-.2	1.5	3.0	3.1	.6	3.1
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel ¹	295.6	296.9	304.4	310.2	-27.6	-10.8	-.4	21.3	-19.6	9.9
Durables	264.4	264.6	265.6	264.8	-1.9	-.9	2.3	.6	-1.4	1.5
Services	401.7	402.6	404.3	405.6	4.2	4.3	3.8	3.9	4.3	3.9
Rent of shelter ^{1 2}	111.0	111.1	111.5	111.9	6.9	4.1	5.2	3.3	5.5	4.2
Household services less rent of shelter ^{1 2}	102.0	101.8	102.3	102.5	1.6	12.1	-15.5	2.0	6.7	-7.2
Transportation services	357.9	359.4	361.7	361.3	2.2	4.0	8.5	3.9	3.1	6.1
Medical care services	478.7	481.5	483.2	484.6	9.3	7.5	7.4	5.0	8.4	6.2
Other services	333.2	334.2	336.4	338.2	4.0	5.1	5.3	6.1	4.6	5.7

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Seasonally adjusted indexes				Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for					
	Nov. 1986	Dec. 1986	Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
					May 1986	Aug. 1986	Nov. 1986	Feb. 1987	Aug. 1986	Feb. 1987
Special indexes										
All items less food	323.5	324.0	326.3	327.7	-3.8	0.6	2.4	5.3	-1.6	3.8
All items less shelter	306.0	306.4	308.8	309.9	-4.6	1.7	2.4	5.2	-1.5	3.8
All items less homeowners' costs ²	103.3	103.5	104.3	104.6	-3.8	2.0	2.4	5.1	-1.0	3.7
All items less medical care	319.3	319.7	321.9	323.2	-3.1	1.8	2.5	5.0	-.7	3.8
Commodities less food	259.2	259.3	262.5	264.1	-13.5	-4.4	.5	7.8	-9.1	4.1
Nondurables less food ¹	257.4	257.6	259.9	263.3	-20.3	-7.6	2.5	9.5	-14.2	5.9
Nondurables less food and apparel ¹	287.0	288.2	294.8	299.7	-25.6	-9.9	-.4	18.9	-18.1	8.8
Nondurables ¹	289.2	289.6	292.5	294.9	-9.8	.0	2.4	8.1	-5.0	5.2
Services less rent of shelter ^{1 2}	108.1	108.3	108.8	109.0	2.7	7.4	.0	3.4	5.0	1.7
Services less medical care ¹	390.4	390.7	392.5	393.5	4.4	5.8	1.4	3.2	5.1	2.3
Energy	342.2	341.4	352.6	359.2	-37.5	-17.5	-7.3	21.4	-28.2	6.1
All items less energy	326.0	326.6	328.1	328.9	2.9	4.6	4.0	3.6	3.8	3.8
All items less food and energy	324.6	325.2	326.7	327.6	2.9	3.6	3.8	3.7	3.2	3.8
Commodities less food and energy	261.3	261.4	262.7	262.9	-.5	2.2	1.4	2.5	.9	1.9
Energy commodities	288.7	288.2	307.8	319.8	-53.1	-31.5	-4.2	50.6	-43.4	20.1
Services less energy	399.5	400.7	402.5	404.0	5.5	4.4	5.3	4.6	4.9	4.9

¹ Not seasonally adjusted.

² Indexes on a December 1984 = 100 base.

- Data not available.

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

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

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Other index base	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Feb. 1987 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Jan. 1987	Nov. to Dec.	Dec. to Jan.	Jan. to Feb.
Food and beverages		320.3	321.3	4.5	0.3	0.2	0.5	0.2
Food		328.4	329.5	4.6	.3	.2	.4	.2
Food at home		313.4	314.6	4.8	.4	.1	.5	.3
Cereals and bakery products ¹		330.0	331.2	3.2	.4	.3	.6	.4
Cereals and cereal products	12/77	176.6	178.2	2.8	.9	.3	.1	.7
Flour and prepared flour mixes	12/77	151.5	152.8	.9	.9	.3	.3	.7
Cereal ¹	12/77	213.6	216.5	6.1	1.4	.0	.8	1.4
Rice, pasta, and cornmeal ¹	12/77	151.0	150.9	-1.5	-.1	.7	-.4	-.1
Bakery products ¹	12/77	173.9	174.1	3.3	.1	.3	.6	.1
White bread ¹		271.7	271.8	1.9	.0	.6	.7	.0
Fresh other bread, biscuits, rolls, and muffins ¹	12/77	168.3	167.8	3.8	-.3	-.8	1.8	-.3
Cookies, fresh cakes, and cupcakes ¹	12/77	181.2	181.6	3.9	.2	.7	-.4	-.2
Other bakery products ¹	12/77	181.2	181.9	3.7	.4	.3	.6	.4
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs		288.5	285.8	6.8	-.9	-.3	-.1	-.8
Meats, poultry, and fish		296.4	293.9	7.2	-.8	-.3	-.1	-.7
Meats		288.5	284.9	6.4	-1.2	-.4	-.1	-1.1
Beef and veal		284.1	281.5	3.1	-.9	-.1	.1	-.8
Ground beef other than canned		259.5	254.6	.5	-1.9	-.6	1.7	-2.3
Chuck roast		290.6	297.2	7.0	2.3	-.4	.6	2.7
Round roast		252.1	241.1	1.9	-4.4	-1.7	4.6	-4.0
Round steak		262.9	263.2	3.7	.1	-.7	.8	.1
Sirloin steak		278.7	288.0	4.0	3.3	.0	-1.3	1.6
Other beef and veal	12/77	178.9	176.7	3.7	-1.2	-.8	1.0	-.5
Pork		293.3	288.8	12.8	-1.5	-1.2	-1.4	-1.4
Bacon		310.7	309.7	10.2	-.3	-.4	-1.2	-1.1
Chops		276.2	270.9	13.9	-1.9	-.9	-.2	-1.3
Ham	12/77	138.1	135.4	14.2	-2.0	-.7	-1.5	-.4
Other pork, including sausage ¹	12/77	158.5	156.0	12.3	-1.6	-.8	.6	-1.6
Other meats ¹		289.1	284.5	5.3	-1.6	.6	1.0	-1.6
Poultry ¹		235.3	234.1	8.3	-.5	-1.4	-1.6	-.5
Fresh whole chicken ¹		241.7	240.3	12.2	-.6	-1.6	-1.7	-.6
Fresh and frozen chicken parts ¹	12/77	156.1	156.0	11.7	-.1	-1.1	-2.5	-.1
Other poultry ¹	12/77	142.7	140.6	-1.1	-1.5	-1.6	.8	-1.5
Fish and seafood		477.0	483.2	12.5	1.3	1.4	2.2	1.5
Canned fish and seafood ¹	12/77	137.3	136.7	2.5	-.4	-.2	1.2	-.4
Fresh and frozen fish and seafood	12/77	208.2	212.0	16.3	1.8	2.1	1.2	3.2
Eggs		193.7	187.7	.1	-3.1	-1.8	-.4	-2.4
Dairy products ¹		262.0	263.6	3.0	.6	.4	.4	.6
Fresh milk and cream	12/77	140.3	141.8	3.3	1.1	-.2	.2	1.1
Fresh whole milk		228.9	230.4	2.6	.7	.4	-.3	.7
Other fresh milk and cream	12/77	141.1	143.6	4.3	1.8	-.5	.6	1.8
Processed dairy products ¹	12/77	159.9	160.1	2.6	.1	.6	.8	.1
Cheese ¹	12/77	153.6	153.9	1.9	.2	.6	.5	.2
Ice cream and related products ¹	12/77	169.5	169.5	3.4	.0	.7	1.6	.0
Other dairy products, including butter ¹	12/77	162.6	162.8	3.1	.1	.4	.4	.1

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Other index base	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Feb. 1967 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Jan. 1987	Nov. to Dec.	Dec. to Jan.	Jan. to Feb.
Fruits and vegetables		338.2	348.2	10.2	3.0	0.8	0.6	2.7
Fresh fruits and vegetables		362.7	380.7	17.2	5.0	.5	1.1	2.4
Fresh fruits		372.9	388.9	14.1	4.3	.8	8.4	-.6
Apples		359.1	365.6	4.5	1.8	.5	4.0	-1.3
Bananas		260.0	277.7	4.5	6.8	-3.5	.4	-1.1
Oranges, including tangerines		386.5	376.8	10.5	-2.5	5.8	4.7	-3.6
Other fresh fruits	12/77	208.3	222.2	20.2	6.7	-.4	7.9	4.3
Fresh vegetables		352.6	372.7	20.0	5.7	.3	-5.2	3.8
Potatoes		331.9	346.3	34.7	4.3	.2	.2	2.9
Lettuce ¹		373.9	364.2	18.3	-2.6	6.9	5.0	-2.6
Tomatoes ¹		288.8	292.9	8.2	1.4	2.4	-11.8	1.4
Other fresh vegetables	12/77	207.3	226.4	17.5	9.2	-1.7	-.4	1.8
Processed fruits and vegetables		311.8	310.8	.6	-.3	.6	1.4	-.6
Processed fruits	12/77	165.4	165.9	.4	.3	.7	1.7	-.4
Fruit juices and frozen fruit	12/77	164.8	165.0	-.4	.1	.9	2.1	-.7
Canned and dried fruits ¹	12/77	166.0	167.5	1.6	.9	.2	.4	.9
Processed vegetables ¹	12/77	149.0	147.4	.7	-1.1	.6	1.9	-1.1
Frozen vegetables ¹	12/77	166.8	167.7	1.8	.5	1.1	1.0	.5
Other processed vegetables ¹	12/77	143.6	141.0	.3	-1.8	.5	2.4	-1.8
Other food at home		378.9	380.0	1.3	.3	-.1	1.0	-.1
Sugar and sweets ¹		414.9	414.8	1.6	.0	-.2	.9	.0
Sugar and artificial sweeteners ¹	12/77	172.9	171.4	-1.8	-.9	.1	1.5	-.9
Sweets, including candy	12/77	173.1	173.7	3.0	.3	-.1	.4	.2
Fats and oils ¹		292.6	289.9	-.3	-.9	.4	2.5	-.9
Nonalcoholic beverages		483.7	482.5	-.6	-.2	-.5	.7	-.9
Carbonated drinks	12/77	159.6	160.7	2.4	.7	-.9	3.6	.0
Coffee ¹		474.8	462.2	-8.2	-2.7	-.3	-.6	-2.7
Other noncarbonated drinks	12/77	158.1	159.4	2.2	.8	-.3	.1	.6
Other prepared food		309.7	313.3	4.1	1.2	.5	.8	.8
Canned and packaged soup	12/77	160.7	161.9	3.8	.7	.1	.3	.6
Frozen prepared food ¹	12/77	174.7	177.0	5.7	1.3	.5	1.5	1.3
Snacks ¹	12/77	181.4	184.0	3.8	1.4	.6	.5	1.4
Seasonings, condiments, sauces, and spices	12/77	175.1	178.4	5.2	1.9	.4	1.0	1.7
Miscellaneous prepared food, including baby food ¹	12/77	163.6	164.3	2.6	.4	.4	1.0	.4
Food away from home		372.2	373.2	4.5	.3	.4	.4	.2
Lunch	12/77	179.2	179.8	4.3	.3	.3	.4	.3
Dinner	12/77	179.6	180.0	4.0	.2	.4	.5	.2
Other meals and snacks	12/77	183.3	183.8	5.3	.3	.5	.2	.3
Alcoholic beverages		245.4	246.2	2.2	.3	.2	.7	.0
Alcoholic beverages at home	12/77	155.2	156.0	1.8	.5	.3	.8	.1
Beer and ale		241.6	242.8	2.1	.5	.0	.9	.0
Wine ¹		250.5	252.4	1.5	.8	.2	1.0	.8
Distilled spirits ¹	12/77	142.7	143.1	.9	.3	.1	.4	.3
Alcoholic beverages away from home ¹	12/77	180.2	180.3	4.0	.1	.5	.6	.1

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1967=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Other index base	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Feb. 1987 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Jan. 1987	Nov. to Dec.	Dec. to Jan.	Jan. to Feb.
Housing		356.3	357.5	2.2	0.3	0.2	0.4	0.4
Shelter		399.6	401.2	4.8	.4	.2	.4	.5
Renters' costs	12/84	112.3	112.7	5.4	.4	.4	.5	.4
Rent, residential		286.1	287.0	5.2	.3	.3	.4	.4
Other renters' costs		424.9	427.6	6.0	.6	.5	1.1	.6
Lodging while out of town		439.0	442.2	4.9	.7	.5	.7	.4
Lodging while at school ¹	12/82	130.1	130.1	7.4	.0	.0	.6	.0
Tenants' insurance ¹	12/77	182.4	182.8	4.0	.2	.3	.1	.2
Homeowners' costs	12/84	111.1	111.6	4.7	.5	.2	.4	.5
Owners' equivalent rent	12/84	111.1	111.5	4.6	.4	.2	.4	.5
Household insurance ¹	12/84	111.9	112.1	4.0	.2	.4	.2	.2
Maintenance and repairs ¹		377.3	376.9	.8	-.1	.6	.7	-.1
Maintenance and repair services ¹		434.5	432.5	1.4	-.5	.0	1.5	-.5
Maintenance and repair commodities ¹		267.6	268.4	.1	.3	1.1	-.1	.3
Materials, supplies, and equipment for home repairs ¹	12/86	100.7	100.8	-	.1	-	.7	.1
Other maintenance and repair commodities ¹	12/77	146.3	147.0	-.5	.5	-.1	-.8	.5
Fuel and other utilities		373.9	374.9	-4.1	.3	-.2	.4	.3
Fuels		442.7	443.7	-6.7	.2	-.2	.6	.2
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities		489.3	503.9	-15.1	3.0	.2	6.9	3.5
Fuel oil		483.9	504.0	-14.8	4.2	.4	9.7	4.5
Other household fuel commodities ¹	12/86	100.9	101.7	-	.8	-	.9	.8
Gas (piped) and electricity		427.4	427.3	-3.6	.0	-.3	.1	.0
Electricity		354.6	354.6	-2.3	.0	-.4	-.1	-.1
Utility (piped) gas		523.6	523.2	-5.4	-.1	-.3	.5	.2
Other utilities and public services ¹		255.6	256.5	3.1	.4	-.2	.1	.4
Telephone services ¹		203.8	203.5	1.3	-.1	-.3	-.4	-.1
Local charges ¹	12/77	199.0	198.7	8.5	-.2	-.6	2.6	-.2
Interstate toll calls ¹	12/77	92.7	92.7	-17.4	.0	.0	-8.8	.0
Intrastate toll calls ¹	12/77	125.0	124.2	-.6	-.6	.3	.2	-.6
Water and sewerage maintenance ¹		434.8	436.2	5.1	.3	.1	.7	.3
Cable television ¹	12/83	117.9	120.7	5.5	2.4	.0	1.1	2.4
Refuse collection ¹	12/83	125.0	127.0	9.4	1.6	.1	1.0	1.6
Household furnishings and operation		248.9	249.4	1.7	.2	.4	.5	.1
Housefurnishings		200.0	200.2	1.5	.1	.5	.6	.0
Textile housefurnishings		246.1	253.4	2.9	3.0	.0	.3	1.0
Furniture and bedding		232.4	231.0	1.6	-.6	1.1	-.2	.0
Bedroom furniture ¹	12/77	167.0	164.7	3.5	-1.4	.8	-1.0	-1.4
Sofas	12/77	129.8	126.3	3.1	-2.7	1.3	-.6	-1.5
Living room chairs and tables ¹	12/77	130.5	131.8	-.8	1.0	1.4	-2.4	1.0
Other furniture	12/77	141.5	142.9	.0	1.0	1.1	1.1	1.0
Appliances, including electronic equipment ¹		141.5	140.8	-.3	-.5	.1	1.4	-.5
Television and sound equipment ¹	12/77	92.8	92.2	-.6	-.6	.2	2.1	-.6
Television ¹		81.7	79.8	-4.3	-2.3	.1	2.0	-2.3
Sound equipment ¹	12/77	103.5	104.8	3.3	1.3	.3	2.8	1.3
Major household appliances ¹	12/86	100.2	101.2	-	1.0	-	.2	1.0
Refrigerators and home freezers ¹		197.7	197.5	-1.0	-.1	.7	.3	-.1
Laundry equipment ¹	12/77	148.4	149.9	-.4	1.0	-.1	-.1	1.0
Stoves, ovens, dishwashers, and air conditioners ¹	12/86	100.5	102.3	-	1.8	-	.5	1.8

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Other index base	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Feb. 1967 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Jan. 1967	Feb. 1967	Feb. 1966	Jan. 1967	Nov. to Dec.	Dec. to Jan.	Jan. to Feb.
Other housefurnishings ¹	12/86	100.4	101.0	-	0.6	-	0.4	0.6
Floor and window coverings, infants', laundry, cleaning, and outdoor equipment ¹	12/77	145.7	144.9	2.7	-.5	0.8	.0	-.5
Clocks, lamps, and decor items ¹	12/77	128.8	129.9	2.9	.9	-1.4	-.9	.9
Tableware, serving pieces, and nonelectric kitchenware ¹	12/77	152.1	155.9	5.6	2.5	2.3	2.1	2.5
Lawn equipment, power tools, and other hardware ¹	12/77	141.0	141.4	-1.3	.3	-6	-1.1	.3
Sewing, floor cleaning, small kitchen, and portable heating appliances ¹	12/86	101.7	101.2	-	-.5	-	1.7	-.5
Housekeeping supplies	12/77	322.0	323.1	2.1	.3	.3	.3	.3
Laundry and cleaning products, including soap ¹	12/77	168.9	170.8	2.2	1.1	.7	.6	1.1
Household paper products and stationery supplies ¹	12/77	158.4	158.9	1.6	.3	.4	-.1	.3
Other household, lawn, and garden supplies	12/77	158.1	157.0	2.6	-.7	.4	.4	-.6
Housekeeping services ¹	12/77	351.2	352.0	1.6	.2	.2	.1	.2
Postage ¹	12/77	372.7	372.7	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0
Appliance and furniture repair ¹	12/77	162.1	162.5	2.5	.2	.3	-.1	.2
Gardening and other household services ¹	12/86	100.5	101.3	-	.8	-	.5	.8
Apparel and upkeep		205.8	206.9	1.9	.5	.2	.3	.3
Apparel commodities		190.5	191.5	1.8	.5	.2	.2	.4
Apparel commodities less footwear		186.9	187.8	1.7	.5	.2	.4	.4
Men's and boys'		198.6	198.9	1.1	.2	-.1	.0	.7
Men's	12/77	126.0	127.2	2.1	1.0	-.5	.3	1.7
Suits, sport coats, coats, and jackets	12/77	109.7	109.4	3.5	-.3	-.3	1.2	.6
Furnishings and special clothing ¹	12/77	149.2	149.6	-.7	.3	-.7	-2.1	.3
Shirts	12/77	137.3	140.2	5.1	2.1	-1.6	.6	2.7
Dungarees, jeans, and trousers	12/77	121.8	123.7	.5	1.6	-.2	1.1	1.7
Boys'	12/77	125.3	122.4	-2.1	-2.3	.6	-1.1	-1.8
Women's and girls'		168.2	169.2	2.4	.6	.5	1.0	.0
Women's	12/77	112.0	112.3	1.5	.3	.6	1.0	-.6
Coats and jackets		166.2	162.4	1.4	-2.3	1.9	4.3	-2.2
Dresses		155.7	159.4	.8	2.4	-1.4	1.1	.3
Separates and sportswear	12/77	106.0	105.5	3.1	-.5	.0	2.1	-.1
Underwear, nightwear, hosiery, and accessories	12/77	139.9	140.1	.0	.1	-.1	.0	-.5
Suits	12/77	95.9	101.1	9.9	5.4	.2	5.2	2.3
Girls'	12/77	111.2	113.7	6.4	2.2	.9	.7	2.6
Infants' and toddlers' ¹		319.1	322.2	-1.9	1.0	1.7	-3.1	1.0
Other apparel commodities ¹		210.1	212.1	3.9	1.0	-.5	1.1	1.0
Sewing materials, notions, and luggage ¹	12/86	100.4	99.5	-	-.9	-	.4	-.9
Watches and jewelry ¹	12/86	101.2	102.6	-	1.4	-	1.2	1.4
Watches ¹	12/86	100.3	102.6	-	2.3	-	.3	2.3
Jewelry ¹	12/86	101.5	102.6	-	1.1	-	1.5	1.1
Footwear		211.1	212.4	1.9	.6	.3	-.9	.5
Men's	12/77	147.1	149.2	5.5	1.4	1.9	.3	1.8
Boys' and girls' ¹	12/77	137.1	136.3	1.4	-.6	-.4	-.5	-.6
Women's	12/77	116.5	117.2	-.8	.6	-.6	-1.7	.7
Apparel services		339.7	340.5	3.8	.2	.3	.8	.0
Laundry and dry cleaning other than coin operated	12/77	202.1	202.1	3.5	.0	.2	.6	-.2
Other apparel services ¹	12/77	180.2	180.8	4.0	.3	.2	1.0	.3

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

(1967=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Other index base	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Feb. 1987 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Jan. 1987	Nov. to Dec.	Dec. to Jan.	Jan. to Feb.
Transportation		308.2	309.9	-3.2	0.6	-0.1	1.7	0.6
Private		301.6	303.4	-3.6	.6	-.2	1.8	.6
New vehicles		231.2	228.9	4.3	-1.0	.3	.3	-.9
New cars		232.0	229.3	4.4	-1.2	.5	.3	-1.0
Subcompact new cars ¹	12/86	100.1	98.9	-	-1.2	-	.1	-1.2
Compact new cars ¹	12/86	100.3	98.3	-	-2.0	-	.3	-2.0
Intermediate new cars ¹	12/86	100.3	99.0	-	-1.3	-	.3	-1.3
Full-size new cars ¹	12/86	100.3	100.1	-	-.2	-	.3	-.2
Luxury new cars ¹	12/86	100.2	100.1	-	-.1	-	.2	-.1
New trucks ¹	12/83	112.9	112.2	3.4	-.6	.4	.1	-.6
New motorcycles ¹	12/86	100.4	101.2	-	.8	-	.4	.8
Used cars		354.7	357.0	-3.7	.6	-1.1	.4	1.0
Motor fuel		277.7	289.5	-18.0	4.2	-.2	6.8	4.0
Gasoline		277.1	288.9	-18.0	4.3	-.2	6.8	4.1
Gasoline, leaded regular	1/76	154.0	161.1	-17.5	4.6	-.2	8.1	4.3
Gasoline, unleaded regular	1/76	157.9	164.6	-18.7	4.2	-.3	7.1	4.1
Gasoline, unleaded premium ¹	8/81	73.0	75.6	-17.5	3.6	.4	3.8	3.6
Automobile maintenance and repair ¹		373.4	375.1	4.1	.5	.7	.3	.5
Body work ¹	12/77	188.8	190.1	5.5	.7	.2	.1	.7
Automobile drive train, brake, and miscellaneous mechanical repair ¹	12/77	187.7	188.2	4.2	.3	.6	.2	.3
Maintenance and servicing ¹	12/77	166.6	167.4	3.8	.5	1.2	.1	.5
Power plant repair ¹	12/77	178.3	179.4	3.6	.6	.5	.7	.6
Other private transportation ¹		312.6	311.5	4.4	-.4	.1	.9	-.4
Other private transportation commodities ¹		204.3	204.0	-.7	-.1	.2	.7	-.1
Motor oil, coolant, and other products ¹	12/77	156.1	154.2	-1.7	-1.2	1.7	-.1	-1.2
Automobile parts and equipment ¹	12/77	128.4	128.3	-.7	-.1	.0	.9	-.1
Tires ¹		173.2	174.5	-.6	.8	-.3	1.2	.8
Other parts and equipment ¹	12/77	136.5	135.5	.7	-.7	.9	.4	-.7
Other private transportation services ¹		344.0	342.6	5.2	-.4	.1	.9	-.4
Automobile insurance ¹		427.7	428.9	10.1	.3	.1	.9	.3
Automobile finance charges ¹	12/77	145.8	142.2	-7.5	-2.5	.1	.6	-2.5
Automobile fees ¹	12/77	175.2	175.5	6.0	.2	-.1	1.2	.2
Automobile registration, licensing, and inspection fees ¹	12/77	159.5	159.6	3.7	.1	.1	.6	.1
Other automobile-related fees ¹	12/77	207.5	208.2	9.4	.3	-.5	2.0	.3
Public transportation ¹		426.7	427.2	3.5	.1	1.1	.2	.1
Airline fares ¹		504.2	504.8	5.7	.1	2.7	.1	.1
Other intercity transportation ¹	12/77	221.7	220.9	2.1	-.4	-.1	.3	-.4
Intracity public transportation ¹	12/77	210.4	211.0	2.3	.3	.1	.3	.3
Medical care		446.7	449.7	7.1	.7	.7	.4	.3
Medical care commodities		281.4	282.9	6.0	.5	1.1	.6	.4
Prescription drugs		291.5	293.5	8.1	.7	.8	1.0	.2
Nonprescription drugs and medical supplies ¹	12/86	100.4	100.8	-	.4	-	.4	.4
Internal and respiratory over-the-counter drugs ¹		302.6	304.8	3.9	.7	1.5	.2	.7
Nonprescription medical equipment and supplies ¹	12/77	178.9	177.5	3.6	-.8	.2	1.1	-.8
Medical care services		483.2	486.5	7.3	.7	.6	.4	.3
Professional medical services		404.2	407.4	6.6	.8	.6	.4	.5
Physicians' services		450.2	452.8	7.7	.6	.7	.6	.2
Dental services ¹		374.3	378.6	6.2	1.1	.2	.5	1.1
Eye care ¹	12/86	100.4	101.4	-	1.0	-	.4	1.0
Services by other medical professionals ¹	12/86	100.3	100.7	-	.4	-	.3	.4
Hospital and related services	12/77	243.2	244.6	6.4	.6	.8	.2	.2
Hospital rooms		766.9	773.4	6.7	.8	1.0	.0	.3
Other inpatient services ¹	12/86	100.8	101.1	-	.3	-	.8	.3
Outpatient services ¹	12/86	100.7	101.1	-	.4	-	.7	.4

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

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Other index base	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Feb. 1967 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Jan. 1987	Nov. to Dec.	Dec. to Jan.	Jan. to Feb.
Entertainment		272.9	273.4	2.6	0.2	0.3	0.1	0.1
Entertainment commodities		262.2	262.3	1.5	.0	.3	.0	-.1
Reading materials ¹	12/77	185.1	185.5	3.7	.2	-.1	.5	.2
Newspapers ¹		348.0	349.2	3.5	.3	.1	.4	.3
Magazines, periodicals, and books ¹	12/77	196.3	196.4	4.0	.1	-.3	.7	.1
Sporting goods and equipment	12/77	133.3	133.9	-1.0	.5	.2	-.4	.5
Sport vehicles, including bicycles ¹	12/77	136.5	137.3	-1.4	.6	-.1	-.1	.6
Other sporting goods ¹	12/77	124.8	125.1	.5	.2	-.6	.2	.2
Toys, hobbies, and other entertainment	12/77	147.0	146.5	1.7	-.3	.5	-.1	-.4
Toys, hobbies, and music equipment	12/77	138.6	136.7	-.2	-1.4	.6	.4	-1.6
Photographic supplies and equipment	12/77	145.8	148.8	6.3	2.1	.5	.3	1.5
Pet supplies and expense ¹	12/77	162.9	163.1	2.2	.1	.2	.0	.1
Entertainment services ¹		292.7	293.9	4.2	.4	.1	.2	.4
Club memberships ¹	12/86	100.3	100.8	-	.5	-	.3	.5
Fees for participant sports, excluding club memberships ¹	12/86	100.6	101.0	-	.4	-	.6	.4
Admissions ¹	12/77	172.3	172.9	3.6	.3	.8	.1	.3
Fees for lessons or instructions ¹	12/86	100.3	100.4	-	.1	-	.3	.1
Other entertainment services ¹	12/86	100.2	100.7	-	.5	-	.2	.5
Other goods and services		352.8	354.6	5.5	.5	.2	1.2	.7
Tobacco and smoking products ¹		364.7	368.0	6.9	.9	.1	2.1	.9
Personal care ¹		293.2	294.1	2.5	.3	.0	.7	.3
Toilet goods and personal care appliances ¹		292.0	293.2	2.3	.4	-.1	.6	.4
Cosmetics, bath and nail preparations, manicure and eye makeup implements ¹	12/77	167.5	168.3	2.4	.5	.2	1.0	.5
Other toilet goods and small personal care appliances, including hair and dental products ¹	12/77	170.4	171.0	2.2	.4	-.2	.4	.4
Personal care services ¹		294.9	295.4	2.8	.2	.1	.8	.2
Beauty parlor services for females ¹		296.1	296.3	2.9	.1	.2	.9	.1
Haircuts and other barber shop services for males ¹	12/77	165.1	166.0	2.5	.5	-.1	.2	.5
Personal and educational expenses		452.0	453.7	8.0	.4	.7	.9	.8
School books and supplies		406.5	409.3	8.2	.7	.7	1.3	.5
Personal and educational services		464.3	465.9	8.3	.3	.7	.8	.8
Tuition and other school fees	12/77	236.8	236.9	7.9	.0	.7	.9	.8
College tuition	12/77	235.8	235.8	7.3	.0	.6	1.0	.6
Elementary and high school tuition	12/77	238.0	238.0	8.7	.0	.6	.7	.8
Personal expenses ¹	12/77	242.3	244.3	8.9	.8	.7	.4	.8
Legal service fees ¹	12/86	101.1	101.9	-	.8	-	1.1	.8
Personal financial services ¹	12/86	99.9	100.3	-	.4	-	-.1	.4
Funeral expenses ¹	12/86	100.1	101.3	-	1.2	-	.1	1.2
Special indexes								
Domestically produced farm food		296.9	297.9	5.4	.3	.1	1.1	-.2
Selected beef cuts ¹		284.7	282.5	3.5	-.8	.4	1.8	-.8
Motor fuel, motor oil, coolant, and other products		276.1	287.5	-17.7	4.1	-.2	6.6	3.8
Utilities and public transportation		364.7	365.2	-.5	.1	.4	-.4	.4
Housekeeping and home maintenance services ¹		405.9	406.6	1.6	.2	.2	.2	.2

¹ Not seasonally adjusted.
- Data not available.

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

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

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Other index base	Seasonally adjusted indexes		Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for					
		Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
				May 1986	Aug. 1986	Nov. 1986	Feb. 1987	Aug. 1986	Feb. 1987
Food and beverages		320.0	320.6	2.4	8.0	4.5	3.4	5.2	4.0
Food		328.1	328.9	2.4	8.4	4.8	3.5	5.4	4.1
Food at home		312.3	313.1	1.3	10.4	4.8	3.1	5.8	3.9
Cereals and bakery products ¹		330.0	331.2	1.5	5.8	.4	5.2	3.6	2.8
Cereals and cereal products	12/77	177.1	178.4	.9	4.0	1.8	4.6	2.4	3.2
Flour and prepared flour mixes	12/77	152.3	153.3	-.3	.3	-1.3	4.8	.0	1.7
Cereal ¹	12/77	213.6	216.5	4.6	7.4	3.5	9.0	6.0	6.2
Rice, pasta, and cornmeal ¹	12/77	151.0	150.9	.3	-1.0	-6.1	1.1	-.4	-2.6
Bakery products ¹	12/77	173.9	174.1	1.0	6.3	1.9	4.0	3.6	2.9
White bread ¹		271.7	271.8	.6	4.3	-2.6	5.5	2.4	1.3
Fresh other bread, biscuits, rolls, and muffins ¹	12/77	168.3	167.8	-.5	8.4	4.9	2.7	3.9	3.8
Cookies, fresh cakes, and cupcakes ¹	12/77	181.2	181.6	1.4	7.5	4.8	2.0	4.4	3.4
Other bakery products ¹	12/77	181.2	181.9	2.1	5.6	1.8	5.5	3.8	3.6
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs		285.2	282.9	-1.7	31.7	6.1	-5.1	13.8	.4
Meats, poultry, and fish		293.8	291.7	-1.9	30.6	7.8	-4.3	13.2	1.6
Meats		285.7	282.5	-4.6	27.6	12.3	-6.4	10.3	2.5
Beef and veal		281.5	279.3	-9.7	15.5	11.7	-3.1	2.2	4.1
Ground beef other than canned		257.7	251.9	-14.5	14.9	9.3	-4.8	-.9	2.0
Chuck roast		282.2	289.9	-2.1	20.9	-1.4	12.3	8.8	5.2
Round roast		246.7	236.8	-7.0	9.4	11.6	-5.4	.9	2.8
Round steak		256.5	256.8	-2.2	14.9	2.1	.9	6.0	1.5
Sirloin steak		287.6	292.1	-2.5	10.9	6.9	1.1	4.0	3.9
Other beef and veal	12/77	176.3	175.5	-1.6	11.6	6.1	-.9	4.8	2.6
Pork		288.7	284.8	3.2	61.0	13.9	-14.8	28.9	-1.5
Bacon		311.3	307.9	-3.1	92.5	-12.0	-10.1	36.6	-11.1
Chops		272.1	268.5	13.5	49.2	9.4	-9.3	30.1	-.4
Ham	12/77	133.9	133.3	-1.4	54.6	23.7	-10.1	23.5	5.5
Other pork, including sausage ¹	12/77	158.5	156.0	-3.1	68.9	4.1	-6.6	27.9	-1.4
Other meats ¹		289.1	284.5	-2.1	13.3	10.5	.3	5.3	5.3
Poultry ¹		235.3	234.1	.7	85.0	-14.9	-13.3	36.5	-14.1
Fresh whole chicken ¹		241.7	240.3	1.7	143.6	-25.1	-14.5	57.4	-20.0
Fresh and frozen chicken parts ¹	12/77	156.1	156.0	4.4	102.8	-15.0	-13.6	45.5	-14.3
Other poultry ¹	12/77	142.7	140.6	-5.2	3.2	7.3	-8.6	-1.1	-1.0
Fish and seafood		468.6	475.6	16.1	9.1	3.1	22.5	12.6	12.3
Canned fish and seafood ¹	12/77	137.3	136.7	1.5	-4.4	11.3	2.1	-1.5	6.6
Fresh and frozen fish and seafood	12/77	201.4	207.8	22.2	13.4	1.9	29.2	17.7	14.7
Eggs		185.7	181.3	1.3	57.9	-24.6	-17.1	26.5	-20.9
Dairy products ¹		262.0	263.6	-.3	1.7	4.8	5.8	.7	5.3
Fresh milk and cream	12/77	139.9	141.4	1.8	2.6	4.7	4.4	2.2	4.5
Fresh whole milk		228.2	229.7	1.4	2.3	3.8	3.0	1.9	3.4
Other fresh milk and cream	12/77	141.1	143.6	1.2	2.6	5.6	7.9	1.9	6.7
Processed dairy products ¹	12/77	159.9	160.1	-.8	1.0	4.4	6.0	.1	5.2
Cheese ¹	12/77	153.6	153.9	-.8	2.1	1.1	5.1	.7	3.1
Ice cream and related products ¹	12/77	169.5	169.5	-2.4	-1.5	8.9	9.2	-1.9	9.1
Other dairy products, including butter ¹	12/77	162.6	162.8	.5	1.8	6.4	3.8	1.1	5.1

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

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Other index base	Seasonally adjusted indexes		Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for					
		Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
				May 1986	Aug. 1986	Nov. 1986	Feb. 1987	Aug. 1986	Feb. 1987
Fruits and vegetables		337.5	346.5	13.6	-2.1	12.7	17.7	5.5	15.2
Fresh fruits and vegetables		364.5	373.3	38.6	-5.3	22.9	17.0	14.6	19.9
Fresh fruits		399.2	396.9	9.6	3.5	7.1	39.5	6.5	22.2
Apples		382.0	376.9	13.7	70.5	-45.4	12.9	39.2	-21.5
Bananas		280.2	277.1	66.8	-45.6	55.7	-15.7	-4.8	14.6
Oranges, including tangerines		432.8	417.3	-6.2	-35.4	89.0	30.1	-22.2	56.9
Other fresh fruits	12/77	213.0	222.2	11.5	-10.3	32.3	58.0	.0	44.6
Fresh vegetables		337.1	350.0	67.0	-2.0	33.5	-5.0	27.9	12.6
Potatoes		352.4	362.7	-2.4	89.1	56.7	13.9	35.9	33.6
Lettuce ¹		373.9	364.2	242.1	-72.5	45.5	43.3	-3.0	44.4
Tomatoes ¹		288.8	292.9	60.5	-56.4	178.3	-29.6	-16.3	39.9
Other fresh vegetables	12/77	196.3	199.8	66.1	19.5	-2.4	-1.6	40.9	-2.0
Processed fruits and vegetables		312.4	310.5	-3.5	-.7	.9	5.9	-2.1	3.4
Processed fruits	12/77	166.3	165.6	-5.2	-2.4	1.7	8.1	-3.8	4.9
Fruit juices and frozen fruit	12/77	165.8	164.7	-8.7	-3.2	1.8	9.5	-6.0	5.6
Canned and dried fruits ¹	12/77	166.0	167.5	.7	2.7	-2.6	5.9	1.7	1.6
Processed vegetables ¹	12/77	149.0	147.4	-1.1	3.6	-5.3	5.9	1.2	.1
Frozen vegetables ¹	12/77	166.8	167.7	-1.4	1.7	-3.4	10.9	.1	3.6
Other processed vegetables ¹	12/77	143.6	141.0	-9	4.1	-5.8	4.1	1.6	-1.0
Other food at home		379.1	378.6	-5	1.8	1.3	3.1	.6	2.2
Sugar and sweets ¹		414.9	414.8	2.5	2.0	-.7	2.8	2.2	1.1
Sugar and artificial sweeteners ¹	12/77	172.9	171.4	-3.2	-3.4	-3.4	2.9	-3.3	-.3
Sweets, including candy	12/77	173.7	174.0	2.6	3.8	3.5	1.9	3.2	2.7
Fats and oils ¹		292.6	289.9	-5.7	.7	-3.6	7.8	-2.5	2.0
Nonalcoholic beverages		482.7	478.2	-2.6	1.6	1.7	-3.1	-.5	-.7
Carbonated drinks	12/77	158.9	158.9	-3.8	1.6	1.6	11.0	-1.2	6.2
Coffee ¹		474.8	462.2	10.9	-16.0	-11.7	-13.5	-3.5	-12.6
Other noncarbonated drinks	12/77	157.6	158.6	-2.0	7.2	2.1	1.8	2.5	1.9
Other prepared food		310.3	312.7	2.3	2.7	3.1	8.5	2.5	5.7
Canned and packaged soup	12/77	160.9	161.9	4.2	3.6	3.3	4.1	3.9	3.7
Frozen prepared food ¹	12/77	174.7	177.0	4.1	6.0	-.7	13.7	5.1	6.3
Snacks ¹	12/77	181.4	184.0	.2	5.3	-.7	10.7	2.7	4.8
Seasonings, condiments, sauces, and spices	12/77	175.3	178.2	3.1	1.2	4.0	12.8	2.1	8.3
Miscellaneous prepared food, including baby food ¹	12/77	163.6	164.3	1.0	-.2	2.3	7.4	.4	4.8
Food away from home		372.5	373.2	4.8	4.0	4.8	4.2	4.4	4.5
Lunch	12/77	179.2	179.8	4.5	3.7	4.4	4.3	4.1	4.4
Dinner	12/77	179.6	180.0	3.5	3.5	4.6	4.8	3.5	4.7
Other meals and snacks	12/77	183.6	184.2	6.1	6.2	5.0	4.0	6.2	4.5
Alcoholic beverages		245.9	245.9	2.3	2.7	.2	3.7	2.5	1.9
Alcoholic beverages at home	12/77	155.7	155.8	1.8	1.8	-.8	4.5	1.8	1.8
Beer and ale		243.1	243.0	1.7	.5	3.0	3.5	1.1	3.3
Wine ¹		250.5	252.4	-.3	1.8	-3.2	8.2	.7	2.3
Distilled spirits ¹	12/77	142.7	143.1	.3	-.3	.8	2.8	.0	1.8
Alcoholic beverages away from home ¹	12/77	180.2	180.3	3.3	6.3	1.8	4.8	4.8	3.3

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

(1967=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Other index base	Seasonally adjusted indexes		Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for					
		Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
				May 1986	Aug. 1986	Nov. 1986	Feb. 1987	Aug. 1986	Feb. 1987
Housing		356.8	358.1	1.5	2.5	0.9	3.9	2.0	2.4
Shelter		399.5	401.4	6.0	3.6	4.8	4.6	4.8	4.7
Renters' costs	12/84	112.4	112.9	6.5	4.5	4.8	5.5	5.5	5.2
Rent, residential		286.1	287.3	7.1	4.4	4.6	4.7	5.7	4.7
Other renters' costs		431.0	433.7	2.4	6.9	5.3	9.5	4.6	7.3
Lodging while out of town		449.8	451.7	1.2	7.3	4.5	6.6	4.2	5.6
Lodging while at school ¹	12/82	130.1	130.1	-3	1.7	28.3	2.5	.7	14.7
Tenants' insurance ¹	12/77	182.4	182.8	4.4	3.9	5.5	2.4	4.1	3.9
Homeowners' costs	12/84	111.1	111.7	6.5	3.0	4.8	4.4	4.7	4.6
Owners' equivalent rent	12/84	111.1	111.7	6.5	3.0	4.8	4.4	4.7	4.6
Household insurance ¹	12/84	111.9	112.1	4.5	4.1	4.4	2.9	4.3	3.7
Maintenance and repairs ¹		377.3	376.9	-10.5	8.7	1.0	4.9	-1.3	2.9
Maintenance and repair services ¹		434.5	432.5	-6.0	8.4	-4	4.1	1.0	1.8
Maintenance and repair commodities ¹		267.6	268.4	-14.2	8.8	2.3	5.2	-3.4	3.8
Materials, supplies, and equipment for home repairs ¹	12/86	100.7	100.8	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other maintenance and repair commodities ¹	12/77	146.3	147.0	-3.5	3.9	-3	-1.9	.1	-1.1
Fuel and other utilities		376.1	377.2	-9.0	-5	-8.5	1.8	-4.9	-3.5
Fuels		444.9	446.0	-14.3	-3.6	-11.4	2.5	-9.1	-4.7
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities		476.9	493.6	-41.5	-31.0	-14.9	51.2	-36.5	13.5
Fuel oil		470.3	491.3	-44.7	-34.9	-16.4	75.4	-40.0	21.1
Other household fuel commodities ¹	12/86	100.9	101.7	-	-	-	-	-	-
Gas (piped) and electricity		433.4	433.2	-6.2	3.7	-10.7	-1.0	-1.4	-6.0
Electricity		363.4	362.9	-6.6	7.8	-7.4	-2.3	.3	-4.9
Utility (piped) gas		529.9	530.7	-5.4	-1.9	-15.2	1.5	-3.7	-7.2
Other utilities and public services ¹		255.6	256.5	5.6	7.2	-1.2	1.1	6.4	-1
Telephone services ¹		203.8	203.5	5.7	7.9	-4.4	-3.5	6.8	-3.9
Local charges ¹	12/77	199.0	198.7	9.5	25.4	-6.3	7.6	17.2	.4
Interstate toll calls ¹	12/77	92.7	92.7	.0	-33.0	.4	-30.7	-18.2	-16.6
Intrastate toll calls ¹	12/77	125.0	124.2	-3	.0	-1.6	-6	-2	-1.1
Water and sewerage maintenance ¹		434.8	436.2	5.5	6.4	3.8	4.6	6.0	4.2
Cable television ¹	12/83	117.9	120.7	1.4	-3	6.8	14.8	.5	10.7
Refuse collection ¹	12/63	125.0	127.0	4.2	7.0	15.6	11.1	5.6	13.3
Household furnishings and operation		249.4	249.6	.3	3.0	.0	3.8	1.6	1.9
Housefurnishings		200.8	200.8	-4	3.5	-1.2	4.5	1.5	1.6
Textile housefurnishings		250.4	252.9	.0	6.2	.3	5.6	3.0	2.9
Furniture and bedding		233.3	233.3	-1.4	4.3	.2	3.5	1.4	1.8
Bedroom furniture ¹	12/77	167.0	164.7	21.7	-5.4	6.2	-6.3	7.3	-2
Sofas	12/77	129.6	127.6	-6	12.2	5.1	-3.4	5.6	.8
Living room chairs and tables ¹	12/77	130.5	131.8	.9	-9.3	6.3	-3	-4.3	2.9
Other furniture	12/77	142.4	143.8	-14.9	10.2	-6.3	13.9	-3.2	3.3
Appliances, including electronic equipment ¹		141.5	140.8	2.0	-3.6	-3.1	3.8	-.8	.3
Television and sound equipment ¹	12/77	92.8	92.2	-4	-5.9	-2.6	6.8	-3.2	2.0
Television ¹		81.7	79.8	-1.9	-7.0	-7.2	-1.0	-4.5	-4.1
Sound equipment ¹	12/77	103.5	104.6	.8	-5.8	.8	18.7	-2.5	9.4
Major household appliances ¹	12/86	100.2	101.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Refrigerators and home freezers ¹		197.7	197.5	2.4	-6.8	-2.6	3.5	-2.3	.4
Laundry equipment ¹	12/77	148.4	149.9	-4.4	3.5	-3.9	3.5	-.5	-3
Stoves, ovens, dishwashers, and air conditioners ¹	12/86	100.5	102.3	-	-	-	-	-	-

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

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Item and group	Other index base	Seasonally adjusted indexes		Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for					
		Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
				May 1986	Aug. 1986	Nov. 1986	Feb. 1987	Aug. 1986	Feb. 1987
Other housefurnishings ¹	12/86	100.4	101.0	-	-	-	-	-	-
Floor and window coverings, infants', laundry, cleaning, and outdoor equipment ¹	12/77	145.7	144.9	7.0	-2.5	5.7	0.8	2.1	3.3
Clocks, lamps, and decor items ¹	12/77	128.8	129.9	16.8	-1.2	2.8	-5.6	7.4	-1.5
Tableware, serving pieces, and nonelectric kitchenware ¹	12/77	152.1	155.9	-3.2	12.0	-12.6	31.4	4.1	7.2
Lawn equipment, power tools, and other hardware ¹	12/77	141.0	141.4	-7.6	2.0	6.1	-5.2	-2.9	.3
Sewing, floor cleaning, small kitchen, and portable heating appliances ¹	12/86	101.7	101.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Housekeeping supplies		321.0	322.1	.6	3.1	1.3	3.7	1.8	2.5
Laundry and cleaning products, including soap ¹	12/77	168.9	170.8	-6.3	2.5	3.2	10.2	-2.0	6.6
Household paper products and stationery supplies ¹	12/77	158.4	158.9	-1.8	3.4	2.3	2.6	.8	2.4
Other household, lawn, and garden supplies	12/77	157.8	156.8	5.6	2.9	1.5	.5	4.2	1.0
Housekeeping services ¹		351.2	352.0	1.3	2.0	1.2	2.2	1.6	1.7
Postage ¹		372.7	372.7	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0
Appliance and furniture repair ¹	12/77	162.1	162.5	2.0	3.6	2.3	2.0	2.8	2.1
Gardening and other household services ¹	12/86	100.5	101.3	-	-	-	-	-	-
Apparel and upkeep		209.0	209.7	.2	2.0	2.9	3.3	1.1	3.1
Apparel commodities		193.5	194.3	-2	1.5	3.0	3.1	.6	3.1
Apparel commodities less footwear		190.1	190.8	-6	1.5	2.6	3.9	.4	3.2
Men's and boys'		200.2	201.7	-2	-2.0	4.1	2.4	-1.1	3.3
Men's	12/77	126.8	129.0	.0	-9	2.9	6.4	-5	4.7
Suits, sport coats, coats, and jackets	12/77	111.6	112.3	2.2	.0	5.2	6.3	1.1	5.8
Furnishings and special clothing ¹	12/77	149.2	149.6	-8	1.1	7.4	-9.8	.1	-1.6
Shirts	12/77	138.2	141.9	2.1	.3	11.7	6.8	1.2	9.2
Dungarees, jeans, and trousers	12/77	122.7	124.8	-2.9	-5.4	.3	10.6	-4.1	5.3
Boys'	12/77	126.6	124.3	.0	-3.4	4.2	-8.8	-1.7	-2.5
Women's and girls'		173.2	173.2	-1.9	2.6	3.1	6.0	.4	4.5
Women's	12/77	115.6	114.9	-3.1	1.6	3.6	3.9	-7	3.8
Coats and jackets		171.1	167.4	-16.1	6.5	1.3	16.9	-5.5	8.8
Dresses		163.5	164.0	-3.9	3.0	4.5	-2	-5	2.1
Separates and sportswear	12/77	109.1	109.0	2.3	-1.9	4.2	8.1	.2	6.1
Underwear, nightwear, hosiery, and accessories	12/77	141.2	140.5	-2.3	4.1	.6	-2.2	.9	-8
Suits	12/77	104.1	106.5	-3.7	11.7	.0	35.0	3.7	16.2
Girls'	12/77	113.7	116.7	.4	8.6	-7	18.3	4.4	8.4
Infants' and toddlers' ¹		319.1	322.2	7.1	-6.6	-5.7	-2.0	.0	-3.9
Other apparel commodities ¹		210.1	212.1	-8	11.7	-1.1	6.3	5.3	2.5
Sewing materials, notions, and luggage ¹	12/86	100.4	99.5	-	-	-	-	-	-
Watches and jewelry ¹	12/86	101.2	102.6	-	-	-	-	-	-
Watches ¹	12/86	100.3	102.6	-	-	-	-	-	-
Jewelry ¹	12/86	101.5	102.6	-	-	-	-	-	-
Footwear		212.6	213.7	2.3	1.1	4.4	-2	1.7	2.1
Men's	12/77	148.0	150.6	1.1	3.1	2.0	16.7	2.1	9.1
Boys' and girls' ¹	12/77	137.1	136.3	4.5	-1.2	8.5	-5.7	1.6	1.2
Women's	12/77	118.3	119.1	-1.3	-3	4.8	-6.1	-8	-8
Apparel services		340.1	340.1	3.3	3.2	4.3	4.3	3.3	4.3
Laundry and dry cleaning other than coin operated	12/77	202.1	201.7	2.9	3.7	4.5	2.8	3.3	3.7
Other apparel services ¹	12/77	180.2	180.8	4.7	.9	4.4	6.2	2.8	5.3

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1967=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Other index base	Seasonally adjusted indexes		Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for					
		Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
				May 1986	Aug. 1986	Nov. 1986	Feb. 1987	Aug. 1986	Feb. 1987
Transportation		307.8	309.7	-17.1	-6.4	3.2	9.0	-11.9	6.1
Private		301.3	303.2	-18.3	-7.0	3.2	9.2	-12.8	6.1
New vehicles		230.1	228.0	5.8	5.7	7.3	-1.4	5.8	2.9
New cars		230.8	228.4	6.0	5.5	6.9	-9.9	5.7	3.0
Subcompact new cars ¹	12/86	100.1	98.9	-	-	-	-	-	-
Compact new cars ¹	12/86	100.3	98.3	-	-	-	-	-	-
Intermediate new cars ¹	12/86	100.3	99.0	-	-	-	-	-	-
Full-size new cars ¹	12/86	100.3	100.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Luxury new cars ¹	12/86	100.2	100.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
New trucks ¹	12/83	112.9	112.2	4.5	2.6	7.1	-4.4	3.5	3.3
New motorcycles ¹	12/86	100.4	101.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Used cars		354.7	358.4	-8.7	-4.9	-2.3	1.2	-6.8	-6.6
Motor fuel		279.9	291.0	-55.2	-31.6	-1.8	50.3	-44.7	21.5
Gasoline		279.3	290.7	-55.4	-31.6	-2.0	51.3	-44.7	21.8
Gasoline, leaded regular	1/76	155.5	162.2	-56.6	-32.6	-1.1	60.1	-45.9	25.8
Gasoline, unleaded regular	1/76	159.1	165.6	-56.7	-32.2	-2.4	52.6	-45.8	22.0
Gasoline, unleaded premium ¹	8/31	73.0	75.6	-51.1	-24.5	-7.6	36.0	-39.2	12.1
Automobile maintenance and repair ¹		373.4	375.1	2.7	3.2	4.4	6.0	3.0	5.2
Body work ¹	12/77	188.8	190.1	10.8	3.1	4.6	3.7	6.9	4.1
Automobile drive train, brake, and miscellaneous mechanical repair ¹	12/77	187.7	188.2	5.9	3.5	3.1	4.1	4.7	3.6
Maintenance and servicing ¹	12/77	166.6	167.4	-7.7	2.3	6.8	7.2	.7	7.0
Power plant repair ¹	12/77	178.3	179.4	.7	4.5	2.1	7.5	2.6	4.7
Other private transportation ¹		312.6	311.5	1.9	3.2	10.0	2.6	2.6	6.2
Other private transportation commodities ¹		204.3	204.0	-1.0	-1.7	-3.3	3.4	-1.4	.0
Motor oil, coolant, and other products ¹	12/77	156.1	154.2	-5.0	-2.6	-3.3	1.3	-3.8	.5
Automobile parts and equipment ¹	12/77	128.4	128.3	-3.3	-1.5	-4.0	3.2	-9.9	-5.5
Tires ¹		173.2	174.5	-9.9	-2.3	-5.4	6.7	-1.6	.5
Other parts and equipment ¹	12/77	136.5	135.5	.9	.3	-9.9	2.4	.6	.7
Other private transportation services ¹		344.0	342.6	2.5	4.0	12.4	2.2	3.2	7.2
Automobile insurance ¹		427.7	428.9	10.1	9.0	16.0	5.4	9.6	10.6
Automobile finance charges ¹	12/77	145.8	142.2	-17.5	-12.5	9.0	-7.0	-15.0	.7
Automobile fees ¹	12/77	175.2	175.5	5.4	8.9	4.8	5.2	7.1	5.0
Automobile registration, licensing, and inspection fees ¹	12/77	159.5	159.6	.3	9.4	2.6	2.8	4.7	2.7
Other automobile-related fees ¹	12/77	207.5	208.2	13.7	8.4	8.0	7.6	11.0	7.8
Public transportation ¹		426.7	427.2	1.2	4.5	2.6	5.9	2.8	4.3
Airline fares ¹		504.2	504.8	.6	3.6	6.6	12.2	2.1	9.4
Other intercity transportation ¹	12/77	221.7	220.9	9.8	4.0	-4.0	-9.9	6.9	-2.5
Intracity public transportation ¹	12/77	210.4	211.0	.8	5.1	.4	3.1	2.9	1.7
Medical care		447.2	448.6	8.7	7.3	6.8	5.7	8.0	6.3
Medical care commodities		282.5	283.5	5.2	6.2	4.0	8.8	5.7	6.4
Prescription drugs		293.2	293.8	8.0	9.6	7.0	8.2	8.8	7.6
Nonprescription drugs and medical supplies ¹	12/86	100.4	100.8	-	-	-	-	-	-
Internal and respiratory over-the-counter drugs ¹		302.6	304.8	4.2	2.9	-1.3	10.2	3.5	4.3
Nonprescription medical equipment and supplies ¹	12/77	178.9	177.5	7.2	3.0	2.3	2.1	5.1	2.2
Medical care services		483.2	484.6	9.3	7.5	7.4	5.0	8.4	6.2
Professional medical services		404.6	406.6	7.4	6.1	6.7	6.0	6.8	6.3
Physicians' services		451.1	451.9	8.8	6.9	9.1	6.1	7.8	7.6
Dental services ¹		374.3	378.6	6.7	4.8	5.6	7.6	5.7	6.6
Eye care ¹	12/86	100.4	101.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
Services by other medical professionals ¹	12/86	100.3	100.7	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hospital and related services	12/77	242.5	242.9	6.8	7.4	6.4	4.9	7.1	5.7
Hospital rooms		764.6	767.2	7.8	5.2	8.1	5.6	6.5	6.8
Other inpatient services ¹	12/86	100.8	101.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Outpatient services ¹	12/86	100.7	101.1	-	-	-	-	-	-

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Other index base	Seasonally adjusted indexes		Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for					
		Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
				May 1986	Aug. 1986	Nov. 1986	Feb. 1987	Aug. 1986	Feb. 1987
Entertainment		272.9	273.3	1.7	2.9	4.1	1.9	2.3	3.0
Entertainment commodities		262.2	262.0	1.4	1.7	2.3	.8	1.6	1.5
Reading materials ¹	12/77	185.1	185.5	5.7	2.9	3.6	2.9	4.3	3.2
Newspapers ¹		348.0	349.2	4.2	1.5	5.2	3.2	2.9	4.2
Magazines, periodicals, and books ¹	12/77	196.3	196.4	7.8	4.4	1.7	2.1	6.1	1.9
Sporting goods and equipment	12/77	132.9	133.5	-2.6	.9	-2.9	.9	-.9	-1.0
Sport vehicles, including bicycles ¹	12/77	136.5	137.3	-5.3	.3	-1.7	1.5	-2.6	-.1
Other sporting goods ¹	12/77	124.8	125.1	-4.7	6.0	1.9	-1.0	.5	.5
Toys, hobbies, and other entertainment	12/77	147.1	146.5	1.1	1.7	3.9	.0	1.4	1.9
Toys, hobbies, and music equipment	12/77	139.2	137.0	-2.3	1.2	3.3	-2.6	-.6	.3
Photographic supplies and equipment	12/77	146.9	149.1	4.9	4.6	7.2	9.7	4.8	8.4
Pet supplies and expense ¹	12/77	162.9	163.1	.5	3.6	3.3	1.5	2.0	2.4
Entertainment services ¹		292.7	293.9	2.3	4.4	7.0	3.2	3.4	5.1
Club memberships ¹	12/86	100.3	100.8	-	-	-	-	-	-
Fees for participant sports, excluding club memberships ¹	12/86	100.6	101.0	-	-	-	-	-	-
Admissions ¹	12/77	172.3	172.9	.7	6.9	1.9	5.0	3.7	3.4
Fees for lessons or instructions ¹	12/86	100.3	100.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other entertainment services ¹	12/86	100.2	100.7	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other goods and services		352.7	355.3	3.9	7.4	2.8	8.9	5.6	5.8
Tobacco and smoking products ¹		364.7	368.0	1.9	11.9	1.1	13.0	6.8	6.9
Personal care ¹		293.2	294.1	2.5	1.8	1.8	4.0	2.2	2.9
Toilet goods and personal care appliances ¹		292.0	293.2	2.7	1.5	1.1	3.8	2.1	2.4
Cosmetics, bath and nail preparations, manicure and eye makeup implements ¹	12/77	167.5	168.3	2.2	1.0	-.2	6.9	1.6	3.3
Other toilet goods and small personal care appliances, including hair and dental products ¹	12/77	170.4	171.0	2.9	1.7	1.7	2.4	2.3	2.0
Personal care services ¹		294.9	295.4	2.2	2.1	2.6	4.2	2.2	3.4
Beauty parlor services for females ¹		296.1	296.3	2.2	1.7	3.1	4.7	2.0	3.9
Haircuts and other barber shop services for males ¹	12/77	165.1	166.0	2.2	2.7	2.2	2.7	2.5	2.5
Personal and educational expenses		449.2	452.9	8.1	9.3	5.7	9.9	8.7	7.8
School books and supplies		402.5	404.4	8.0	9.7	4.7	10.1	8.8	7.4
Personal and educational services		461.0	464.9	8.1	9.2	5.9	9.9	8.6	7.9
Tuition and other school fees	12/77	234.4	236.2	8.3	9.8	3.5	10.1	9.1	6.8
College tuition	12/77	233.7	235.1	7.9	9.3	3.0	9.0	8.6	6.0
Elementary and high school tuition	12/77	235.2	237.0	9.1	9.7	7.9	8.3	9.4	8.1
Personal expenses ¹	12/77	242.3	244.3	9.6	9.2	8.8	7.9	9.4	8.3
Legal service fees ¹	12/86	101.1	101.9	-	-	-	-	-	-
Personal financial services ¹	12/86	99.9	100.3	-	-	-	-	-	-
Funeral expenses ¹	12/86	100.1	101.3	-	-	-	-	-	-
Special Indexes									
Domestically produced farm food		296.6	295.9	4.2	9.9	3.6	3.9	7.0	3.8
Selected beef cuts ¹		284.7	282.5	-10.3	9.8	10.2	5.7	-.7	7.9
Motor fuel, motor oil, coolant, and other products		278.3	289.0	-54.5	-31.1	-1.7	48.9	-44.0	21.0
Utilities and public transportation		368.0	369.3	-1.4	4.3	-5.9	1.3	1.4	-2.3
Housekeeping and home maintenance services ¹		405.9	406.6	.2	2.8	1.0	2.3	1.5	1.6

¹ Not seasonally adjusted.
- Data not available.

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

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

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Area	Pricing schedule ¹	Other index base	Indexes				Percent change to Feb. 1987 from—			Percent change to Jan. 1987 from—		
			Nov. 1986	Dec. 1986	Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Dec. 1986	Jan. 1987	Jan. 1986	Nov. 1986	Dec. 1986
U.S. city average	M		330.8	331.1	333.1	334.4	2.1	1.0	0.4	1.4	0.7	0.6
Region and area size ²												
Northeast urban	M	12/77	-	177.2	178.4	179.0	2.6	1.0	.3	-	-	.7
Size A - More than 1,200,000	M	12/77	-	174.7	176.1	176.8	2.9	1.2	.4	-	-	.8
Size B - 500,000 to 1,200,000	M	12/77	-	178.3	179.3	179.1	1.5	.4	-.1	-	-	.6
Size C - 50,000 to 500,000	M	12/77	-	186.3	187.1	187.4	2.3	.6	.2	-	-	.4
North Central urban	M	12/77	-	177.1	178.3	178.5	1.8	.8	.1	-	-	.7
Size A - More than 1,200,000	M	12/77	-	181.0	182.1	182.5	1.8	.8	.2	-	-	.6
Size B - 360,000 to 1,200,000	M	12/77	-	176.1	177.2	177.2	2.0	.6	.0	-	-	.6
Size C - 50,000 to 360,000	M	12/77	-	171.9	173.9	173.6	1.9	1.0	-.2	-	-	1.2
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	M	12/77	-	171.6	172.5	172.9	1.3	.8	.2	-	-	.5
South urban	M	12/77	-	177.9	178.7	179.5	1.6	.9	.4	-	-	.4
Size A - More than 1,200,000	M	12/77	-	177.9	178.6	179.4	1.2	.8	.4	-	-	.4
Size B - 450,000 to 1,200,000	M	12/77	-	179.9	180.8	181.7	2.0	1.0	.5	-	-	.5
Size C - 50,000 to 450,000	M	12/77	-	176.4	177.5	178.5	1.8	1.2	.6	-	-	.6
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	M	12/77	-	176.6	177.4	177.3	1.5	.4	-.1	-	-	.5
West urban	M	12/77	-	179.6	180.6	182.0	2.5	1.3	.8	-	-	.6
Size A - More than 1,250,000	M	12/77	-	182.6	183.6	185.3	3.1	1.5	.9	-	-	.5
Size B - 330,000 to 1,250,000	M	12/77	-	178.9	179.9	180.6	1.7	1.0	.4	-	-	.6
Size C - 50,000 to 330,000	M	12/77	-	172.9	173.8	174.8	2.2	1.1	.6	-	-	.5
Size classes												
A	M	12/86	-	100.0	100.6	101.1	-	1.1	.5	-	-	.6
B	M	12/77	-	178.7	179.6	180.1	1.8	.8	.3	-	-	.5
C	M	12/77	-	176.5	177.7	178.2	2.0	1.0	.3	-	-	.7
D	M	12/77	-	175.4	176.1	176.4	1.4	.6	.2	-	-	.4

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Area	Pricing schedule ¹	Other index base	Indexes				Percent change to Feb. 1987 from—			Percent change to Jan. 1987 from—		
			Nov. 1986	Dec. 1986	Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Dec. 1986	Jan. 1987	Jan. 1986	Nov. 1986	Dec. 1986
Selected local areas ³												
Chicago, Ill.-Northwestern Ind.	M	11/77	331.3	331.0	334.3	334.2	2.4	1.0	0.0	2.5	0.9	1.0
L.A.-Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif.	M		333.8	332.9	335.1	338.8	3.7	1.8	1.1	2.5	.4	.7
N.Y., N.Y.-Northeastern N.J.	M		327.5	329.1	331.6	333.2	3.4	1.2	.5	2.6	1.3	.8
Philadelphia, Pa.-N.J.	M		324.1	325.2	327.7	329.0	2.8	1.2	.4	2.3	1.1	.8
San Francisco-Oakland, Calif.	M		-	343.6	345.8	348.8	2.3	1.5	.9	-	-	.6
Baltimore, Md.	1		333.4	-	334.1	-	-	-	-	.6	.2	-
Boston, Mass.	1		329.3	-	333.2	-	-	-	-	1.9	1.2	-
Cleveland, Ohio	1		352.7	-	352.9	-	-	-	-	-	.1	-
Miami, Fla.	1		175.8	-	177.2	-	-	-	-	1.5	.8	-
St. Louis, Mo.-Ill.	1		323.8	-	326.7	-	-	-	-	1.3	.9	-
Washington, D.C.-Md.-Va.	1	334.0	-	335.7	-	-	-	-	1.4	.5	-	
Dallas-Fort Worth, Tex.	2	-	342.8	-	347.8	.2	1.5	-	-	-	-	
Detroit, Mich.	2	-	324.7	-	327.6	1.5	.9	-	-	-	-	
Houston, Tex.	2	-	331.0	-	334.9	-.7	1.2	-	-	-	-	
Pittsburgh, Pa.	2	-	333.0	-	335.2	1.5	.7	-	-	-	-	

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

M - Every month.

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

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

² Regions are defined as the four Census regions.

³ Area is the Consolidated Metropolitan Statistical Area (CMSA), exclusive of farms and military. Area definitions are those established by the Office of Management and Budget in 1983, except for Boston-Lawrence-Salem, MA-NH Area (excludes Rayham Town, MA); Detroit-Ann Arbor, MI Area (excludes Monroe County); and Milwaukee, WI Area

(includes only the Milwaukee MSA). Definitions do not include revisions made since 1983.

- Data not available.

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

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

(December 1977 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Expenditure category	Northeast			North Central			South			West		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Jan. 1987
All items	179.0	2.6	0.3	178.5	1.8	0.1	179.5	1.6	0.4	182.0	2.5	0.8
Food and beverages	169.3	5.3	.2	162.7	4.6	.1	168.1	4.0	.6	171.0	4.1	.6
Food	169.8	5.4	.2	163.1	4.8	.0	168.6	4.1	.6	172.1	4.3	.7
Food at home	164.0	5.3	.4	159.0	5.2	-.2	163.4	4.0	.4	168.4	5.4	1.2
Cereals and bakery products	174.8	4.1	.7	175.5	3.1	.2	172.0	1.1	.0	184.9	4.6	.6
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	163.8	8.1	-.8	157.5	7.7	-1.2	156.8	5.4	-1.4	160.3	5.2	-.5
Dairy products	144.8	.8	.0	145.1	4.1	.8	157.7	4.2	1.1	152.8	2.6	.3
Fruits and vegetables	186.8	10.1	3.1	174.6	10.9	1.6	186.0	8.9	3.0	190.5	13.9	4.8
Other food at home	155.0	1.2	-.1	152.5	.8	-.8	158.4	1.0	.8	165.1	2.2	1.4
Sugar and sweets	170.4	1.9	-.9	171.0	1.7	.6	173.3	-.2	-.7	181.2	4.1	1.0
Fats and oils	148.6	-.3	-2.7	147.5	.8	.3	141.6	-1.6	-.7	157.2	-.4	-1.1
Nonalcoholic beverages	142.3	-.9	-1.1	132.8	-3.5	-3.9	150.6	.3	1.8	152.7	1.3	2.9
Other prepared food	170.1	4.0	1.9	171.7	4.8	1.2	171.0	4.2	.9	180.3	3.9	.8
Food away from home	184.4	6.0	-.1	172.0	3.9	.3	180.8	4.4	.8	179.7	2.7	-.1
Alcoholic beverages	161.3	3.0	.2	156.2	2.4	.1	159.9	1.3	.3	157.5	1.4	.4
Housing	188.6	2.9	.3	193.1	1.9	.2	186.0	1.6	.1	191.0	3.4	.8
Shelter	210.9	6.7	.3	213.8	4.4	.2	201.6	2.8	.1	205.0	5.2	1.0
Renters' costs ²	130.8	8.1	.2	122.4	5.4	.4	118.9	3.4	.3	129.0	5.0	.6
Rent, residential	184.2	7.5	.1	166.6	4.5	.2	173.7	2.8	.5	201.8	5.2	.6
Other renters' costs	227.2	8.7	.9	220.4	6.7	1.1	231.2	7.1	-.3	218.4	3.5	.6
Homeowners' costs ²	130.4	6.3	.3	118.0	4.2	.2	114.4	2.5	.1	126.9	5.2	1.2
Owners' equivalent rent ²	130.7	6.3	.2	117.8	4.2	.1	114.1	2.5	.1	126.8	5.2	1.2
Maintenance and repairs	179.1	.7	-.4	166.2	1.4	.1	169.4	-2.0	.7	168.4	2.3	-.7
Maintenance and repair services	190.1	.5	-1.3	180.0	2.6	.3	173.2	-1.6	1.1	182.1	2.9	-1.4
Maintenance and repair commodities	155.3	1.0	.8	147.1	.3	-.1	154.1	-2.8	.0	148.0	2.1	.7
Fuel and other utilities	173.1	-7.2	1.0	185.5	-3.1	-.2	177.6	-2.0	.0	192.6	-1.9	.5
Fuels ³	171.2	-9.9	1.2	173.9	-5.9	-.5	177.1	-4.8	-.1	206.1	-3.7	.7
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities ³	172.3	-15.3	3.5	160.6	-16.7	1.4	171.6	-13.8	3.1	171.7	-15.0	2.3
Fuel oil ³	172.8	-15.5	4.1	166.0	-16.2	3.6	160.1	-13.8	4.3	171.1	-14.5	7.1
Other household fuel commodities ⁴	101.0	-	.6	100.7	-	-.9	103.3	-	2.2	100.8	-	.3
Gas (piped) and electricity ³	173.8	-5.0	.6	177.2	-3.4	-.6	178.3	-3.3	-.3	211.2	-2.0	.6
Electricity ³	167.6	-3.3	1.5	158.7	-.7	-.4	169.9	-3.5	-.5	193.8	-.7	-.3
Utility (piped) gas ³	183.6	-7.5	-.7	200.4	-5.9	-.7	201.0	-2.7	.6	242.1	-3.7	2.5
Other utilities and public services	163.0	3.6	.4	172.0	3.2	.4	157.6	4.0	.1	166.0	1.8	.4
Household furnishings and operation	148.3	2.5	-.2	146.9	.9	.7	149.3	2.3	.1	148.4	1.4	.0
Housefurnishings	135.0	2.3	-.5	133.1	.5	1.0	138.4	2.9	.0	134.7	1.4	-.1
Housekeeping supplies	158.5	3.4	.4	169.2	1.7	.0	160.0	1.4	.4	170.5	1.8	.1
Housekeeping services	170.3	2.3	.1	162.2	1.1	.4	163.8	2.4	.4	162.0	.8	.1
Apparel and upkeep	130.7	2.3	.7	125.5	-.2	-.6	136.8	2.5	1.6	133.4	3.7	.2
Apparel commodities	121.9	2.4	.7	119.3	-.3	-.4	128.0	2.2	1.7	125.6	3.6	.2
Men's and boys' apparel	123.1	2.8	.7	117.3	-.3	-.3	136.9	2.3	.4	130.2	1.1	.7
Women's and girls' apparel	110.0	5.1	.8	108.9	-1.1	-.5	117.4	2.6	2.4	108.6	4.0	-.5
Infants' and toddlers' apparel	128.3	-5.7	3.5	153.1	-4.7	-1.2	126.4	-2.3	2.5	161.6	4.5	-.9
Footwear	135.2	1.3	.4	123.8	-.1	-.7	131.1	1.9	1.7	140.6	3.0	.6
Other apparel commodities	147.4	-.2	-.9	158.1	6.9	1.0	137.1	2.2	2.2	143.7	10.3	1.7
Apparel services	198.4	3.5	.8	180.5	2.3	-1.2	204.1	5.2	.3	198.1	4.2	.7

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(December 1977 = 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—	
		Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986		Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987		Feb. 1986	Jan. 1987		Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Jan. 1987
Expenditure category												
Transportation	172.1	-3.4	0.2	170.1	-2.5	-0.1	173.8	-3.3	0.6	178.2	-2.5	1.3
Private transportation	166.8	-4.2	.2	165.9	-3.0	-.2	170.5	-3.8	.7	174.5	-2.9	1.3
New vehicles	154.3	4.5	-1.3	154.4	3.7	-1.3	154.6	4.8	-.6	145.2	4.8	-1.0
New cars	154.2	4.5	-1.4	154.1	3.7	-1.4	155.2	4.9	-.6	146.4	4.9	-1.2
Used cars	209.3	-3.7	.7	209.2	-3.7	.7	209.0	-3.8	.6	208.9	-3.7	.7
Motor fuel ³	146.0	-22.8	4.0	148.1	-15.1	1.3	151.2	-18.0	4.3	145.6	-17.0	9.1
Gasoline ³	145.8	-22.8	4.0	147.8	-15.1	1.3	151.0	-17.9	4.3	145.1	-17.0	9.3
Gasoline, leaded regular ³	143.9	-23.1	4.5	146.3	-14.2	1.3	149.1	-18.1	4.9	141.2	-17.0	9.5
Gasoline, unleaded regular ³	141.5	-23.8	4.0	145.5	-15.8	1.2	148.9	-18.6	4.5	143.1	-17.1	9.8
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁵	73.7	-20.5	3.7	79.1	-13.6	1.8	76.0	-16.6	3.0	74.5	-17.2	7.0
Maintenance and repairs	182.2	6.1	1.2	168.2	1.1	.0	175.4	4.6	.3	184.3	3.9	.3
Other private transportation	166.8	5.1	-.4	161.4	4.2	-.5	174.7	5.2	.0	194.5	5.3	-.4
Other private transportation commodities	130.5	-.1	-1.7	127.6	-1.5	.3	131.9	-.8	.5	130.9	-.3	-.4
Other private transportation services	173.5	5.9	-.1	167.7	5.0	-.7	187.0	6.5	-.1	208.0	6.1	-.3
Public transportation	219.1	2.7	.4	257.0	5.7	.8	248.5	5.0	-.4	242.4	4.3	.1
Medical care	214.3	7.3	.8	210.0	6.4	.8	220.0	7.4	.4	220.7	7.6	.6
Medical care commodities	204.2	5.5	.4	203.7	6.5	.7	205.5	6.5	.6	211.9	6.2	.4
Medical care services	216.4	7.7	.8	211.3	6.3	.8	223.2	7.5	.3	222.4	7.9	.7
Professional medical services	209.2	8.3	1.0	192.8	5.6	1.0	205.5	6.3	.4	204.6	6.3	.8
Entertainment	164.5	2.1	-.5	158.4	2.9	.1	164.7	1.7	.5	164.4	3.2	.5
Entertainment commodities	156.5	-.6	-.9	153.5	2.5	-.1	154.8	.1	.7	155.2	2.4	.3
Entertainment services	174.7	5.3	-.1	165.8	3.6	.2	179.2	3.7	.4	178.7	4.1	.6
Other goods and services	205.6	6.1	.4	197.5	5.1	.4	203.5	6.7	.4	202.1	4.4	.6
Tobacco and smoking products	206.2	6.2	.8	216.6	6.5	.7	214.2	7.5	1.0	217.5	7.5	1.4
Personal care	171.6	3.6	-.1	157.7	1.7	.1	169.4	2.7	.1	175.7	1.7	.9
Personal and educational expenses	237.2	8.2	.4	231.1	7.1	.3	242.7	10.3	.3	232.9	7.0	.3
Commodity and service group												
All items	179.0	2.6	.3	178.5	1.8	.1	179.5	1.6	.4	182.0	2.5	.8
Commodities	160.8	.0	.2	159.7	.1	.1	163.6	-.1	.7	161.2	.3	.9
Food and beverages	169.3	5.3	.2	162.7	4.6	.1	168.1	4.0	.6	171.0	4.1	.6
Commodities less food and beverages	154.1	-3.7	.3	156.6	-2.6	.1	160.0	-2.4	.9	154.8	-2.1	1.0
Nondurables less food and beverages	152.6	-6.2	1.1	151.8	-4.3	.3	155.5	-4.5	1.8	155.9	-3.7	2.2
Apparel commodities	121.9	2.4	.7	119.3	-.3	-.4	128.0	2.2	1.7	125.6	3.6	.2
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel	166.9	-7.7	1.3	166.8	-4.5	.8	169.0	-5.8	1.9	170.4	-5.1	3.5
Durables	160.4	.5	-.9	165.0	-.2	-.2	168.3	.5	-.2	158.6	.1	-.5
Services	201.9	5.2	.3	206.2	3.6	.1	201.8	3.5	.1	207.5	4.6	.7
Rent of shelter ²	130.7	6.9	.2	119.1	4.6	.2	115.7	2.8	.2	127.6	5.2	1.0
Household services less rent of shelter ²	110.9	-1.0	.5	110.9	-.4	-.1	111.4	.2	.1	113.3	.3	.4
Transportation services	187.1	5.0	.3	180.8	4.2	-.3	192.8	5.7	-.1	207.1	5.2	.0
Medical care services	216.4	7.7	.8	211.3	6.3	.8	223.2	7.5	.3	222.4	7.9	.7
Other services	198.8	5.9	.3	183.3	4.4	.1	197.7	5.7	.3	192.1	4.4	.4

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(December 1977 = 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—	
		Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986		Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987		Feb. 1986	Jan. 1987		Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Jan. 1987
Special indexes												
All items less food	181.3	1.9	0.3	181.8	1.2	0.2	181.7	1.1	0.4	183.9	2.2	0.8
All items less shelter	169.8	1.3	.3	167.0	1.1	.1	171.5	1.4	.5	173.6	1.6	.6
All items less homeowners' costs ²	114.1	1.9	.3	110.9	1.5	.1	113.0	1.5	.5	114.6	2.0	.6
All items less medical care	177.1	2.3	.3	176.7	1.5	.1	176.9	1.2	.5	179.7	2.2	.7
Commodities less food	154.5	-3.4	.3	156.8	-2.4	.1	160.1	-2.4	.9	155.1	-2.0	1.0
Nondurables less food	153.1	-5.7	1.0	152.1	-4.0	.3	155.6	-4.2	1.7	156.0	-3.3	2.1
Nondurables less food and apparel	166.2	-7.0	1.2	165.7	-4.2	.7	167.9	-5.6	1.6	168.7	-4.7	3.0
Nondurables	161.5	-.1	.6	157.4	.2	.1	162.0	-.1	1.2	163.9	.5	1.4
Services less rent of shelter ²	122.9	3.7	.4	118.2	2.9	.0	120.9	4.0	.2	122.6	4.0	.3
Services less medical care	200.5	4.9	.3	205.5	3.3	.0	198.9	3.0	.1	205.9	4.2	.7
Energy ³	160.5	-15.1	2.2	161.5	-10.1	.2	162.5	-12.0	1.8	168.6	-11.4	4.8
All items less energy	181.0	4.7	.2	180.4	3.4	.1	181.5	3.4	.3	183.5	4.0	.5
All items less food and energy	184.4	4.6	.2	184.9	3.1	.1	184.8	3.3	.3	186.2	4.0	.5
Commodities less food and energy	158.2	1.7	-.3	161.6	.9	-.1	165.6	1.8	.5	159.7	1.8	.0
Energy commodities	156.2	-20.3	3.9	152.0	-15.1	1.3	154.4	-17.5	4.2	154.8	-16.5	8.9
Services less energy	203.7	6.1	.3	207.6	4.5	.2	202.7	4.3	.1	207.0	5.1	.7

¹ Regions are defined as the four Census regions.

² Indexes on a December 1982 = 100 base.

³ Indexes on a June 1978 = 100 base.

⁴ Indexes on a December 1986 = 100 base.

⁵ Indexes on an August 1981 = 100 base.

- Data not available.

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

(December 1977=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—		
		Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986		Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987		Feb. 1986	Jan. 1987		Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Jan. 1987
Expenditure category													
All items	101.1	-	0.5	180.1	1.8	0.3	178.2	2.0	0.3	176.4	1.4	0.2	
Food and beverages	101.5	-	.3	167.5	4.3	.5	165.3	4.4	.2	168.2	3.6	.4	
Food	101.6	-	.4	167.9	4.5	.6	165.5	4.5	.2	168.6	3.8	.5	
Food at home	102.4	-	.5	163.9	4.7	.9	160.6	4.4	-.1	161.4	4.1	.5	
Cereals and bakery products	101.0	-	.1	177.4	3.5	.8	175.3	2.3	.6	174.7	2.3	.3	
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	100.2	-	-.9	160.3	7.2	.6	154.1	4.7	-1.9	160.6	5.5	-2.3	
Dairy products	100.8	-	.7	151.2	3.1	.7	146.1	2.6	-.3	147.2	3.4	1.3	
Fruits and vegetables	109.0	-	3.4	186.4	8.8	2.5	182.5	10.7	2.5	182.6	8.9	4.3	
Other food at home	102.2	-	.4	156.3	.9	.1	157.1	2.0	.0	152.7	.7	1.0	
Sugar and sweets	100.9	-	-.3	172.7	.6	-1.3	174.7	1.9	1.9	166.5	.4	-.3	
Fats and oils	101.8	-	.3	150.2	1.6	.3	143.4	-3.1	-4.8	137.8	.1	-2.0	
Nonalcoholic beverages	102.7	-	-.2	141.7	-1.4	-.1	145.0	1.1	-.4	140.6	-2.3	.8	
Other prepared food	102.4	-	1.2	174.1	4.2	.8	170.6	4.6	1.0	168.0	4.3	2.4	
Food away from home	100.4	-	.1	177.2	4.2	.3	177.5	4.8	.9	185.8	3.3	.4	
Alcoholic beverages	101.0	-	.1	161.8	2.0	.2	162.8	2.1	1.0	161.4	1.3	.2	
Housing	101.0	-	.6	189.0	2.0	-.2	186.2	2.5	.3	183.0	1.3	-.1	
Shelter	101.1	-	.8	207.7	4.4	-.3	201.7	4.8	.0	200.8	3.6	-.2	
Renters' costs ³	101.7	-	.6	124.2	4.8	-.2	122.5	4.7	.2	119.7	3.1	-.2	
Rent, residential	100.9	-	.5	182.9	5.4	-.1	175.8	4.4	.1	168.7	3.2	.1	
Other renters' costs	104.9	-	1.1	221.0	2.9	-.5	221.2	4.4	.4	216.1	3.7	-.8	
Homeowners' costs ³	100.8	-	.8	121.3	4.5	-.3	119.0	4.9	.0	117.8	3.8	-.3	
Owners' equivalent rent ³	100.8	-	.8	121.3	4.6	-.4	119.1	5.0	.0	117.5	3.8	-.3	
Maintenance and repairs	100.3	-	.0	163.4	-1.9	-.4	173.6	-.2	-.6	170.6	3.9	.6	
Maintenance and repair services	100.1	-	-.8	164.8	-4.6	.2	189.9	4.5	.2	186.7	7.4	.9	
Maintenance and repair commodities	100.7	-	1.5	159.9	1.7	-1.1	136.3	-4.8	-1.4	145.4	-1.4	.3	
Fuel and other utilities	100.9	-	.3	181.4	-3.9	.3	187.0	-1.6	.2	174.6	-3.4	.4	
Fuels ⁴	101.6	-	.2	181.8	-6.6	.0	189.8	-4.9	.6	163.9	-5.5	.9	
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities ⁴	110.3	-	3.6	167.6	-16.6	2.7	170.3	-14.3	2.7	153.4	-18.0	2.5	
Fuel oil ⁴	112.3	-	4.4	172.3	-15.6	3.6	167.4	-15.1	4.0	149.4	-18.7	3.5	
Other household fuel commodities ²	102.2	-	.2	102.1	-	1.5	101.2	-	.8	101.6	-	1.5	
Gas (piped) and electricity ⁴	100.9	-	-.1	186.8	-3.2	-.4	196.0	-1.9	.4	168.3	-.8	.7	
Electricity ⁴	100.9	-	-.3	175.7	-2.0	-.3	184.5	-.6	.4	162.9	3.0	1.2	
Utility (piped) gas ⁴	100.8	-	.2	212.7	-5.4	-.3	215.9	-4.2	.1	175.6	-6.6	-.7	
Other utilities and public services	100.0	-	.5	161.7	2.9	.6	168.4	5.9	-.4	172.3	1.7	-.2	
Household furnishings and operation	100.5	-	.1	147.4	1.2	-.4	145.3	1.5	1.0	149.7	1.4	.0	
Housefurnishings	100.4	-	.1	134.9	.7	-.7	132.5	.8	1.5	137.4	1.0	-.6	
Housekeeping supplies	101.3	-	.2	165.5	1.6	-.5	161.9	3.1	.5	164.4	2.6	1.5	
Housekeeping services	100.3	-	.1	162.5	2.6	.4	160.6	.5	.1	163.0	1.3	.3	
Apparel and upkeep	99.5	-	.9	135.2	2.4	.4	136.0	2.3	.8	125.1	-1.9	-1.9	
Apparel commodities	99.4	-	1.0	127.3	2.5	.5	129.7	2.4	.9	119.9	-2.6	-2.1	
Men's and boys' apparel	99.3	-	.6	134.6	1.7	-.3	133.2	-.4	1.1	116.9	.1	-2.7	
Women's and girls' apparel	99.0	-	1.1	115.9	2.3	.3	118.7	5.1	.9	112.1	-4.1	-2.3	
Infants' and toddlers' apparel	97.4	-	1.8	136.4	4.0	4.1	139.8	.4	-1.9	141.2	-6.9	-5.2	
Footwear	98.5	-	.7	137.8	4.0	1.4	138.1	3.4	.2	126.0	-2.6	-1.5	
Other apparel commodities	103.4	-	1.1	135.1	7.0	1.4	149.6	4.6	2.1	146.3	-.1	.3	
Apparel services	101.0	-	.1	198.4	3.5	-.2	195.5	2.8	.3	175.8	5.5	1.4	

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(December 1977 = 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—	
		Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986		Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987		Feb. 1986	Jan. 1987		Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Jan. 1987
Expenditure category												
Transportation	101.7	-	0.5	175.3	-3.0	0.6	173.2	-3.5	0.2	169.5	-2.9	0.7
Private transportation	101.9	-	.6	171.9	-3.5	.6	169.9	-3.8	.2	164.8	-3.3	.7
New vehicles	99.1	-	-1.2	156.1	4.6	-8	153.4	4.1	-8	154.5	4.5	-8
New cars	99.0	-	-1.4	156.0	4.7	-9	154.4	4.4	-8	154.3	4.3	-1.0
Used cars	100.2	-	.7	209.1	-3.7	.7	208.6	-3.9	.6	209.1	-3.7	.6
Motor fuel ⁴	110.4	-	5.1	149.1	-18.5	4.0	149.1	-17.0	3.3	143.0	-17.9	3.2
Gasoline ⁴	110.6	-	5.3	148.5	-18.5	4.0	148.8	-17.0	3.3	142.7	-17.9	3.3
Gasoline, leaded regular ⁴	111.9	-	5.6	146.6	-18.4	4.6	147.5	-16.5	4.0	139.8	-18.0	3.8
Gasoline, unleaded regular ⁴	110.9	-	5.3	146.5	-18.7	4.0	147.4	-17.6	3.1	141.4	-19.2	2.8
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁵	108.0	-	4.3	74.9	-18.4	3.0	76.2	-16.5	2.0	73.0	-16.2	3.3
Maintenance and repairs	100.7	-	.6	179.9	5.6	.4	177.4	2.5	.2	166.9	4.0	.0
Other private transportation	100.6	-	-.5	176.3	5.4	.2	172.5	3.3	-.7	161.6	5.0	1.0
Other private transportation commodities	100.6	-	-.5	131.1	-1.5	1.0	132.4	-1.4	-.8	134.5	2.4	.8
Other private transportation services	100.6	-	-.5	186.9	6.7	.0	182.9	4.3	-.6	168.8	5.6	1.1
Public transportation	100.5	-	.2	252.9	5.2	-.1	249.4	3.6	.2	278.3	3.9	.5
Medical care	101.4	-	.7	212.5	6.0	.4	218.5	7.6	.4	224.8	7.6	.7
Medical care commodities	101.1	-	.4	212.2	7.3	.9	204.5	6.7	.7	204.6	5.3	.3
Medical care services	101.5	-	.8	212.5	5.7	.3	221.6	7.7	.3	229.1	8.1	.8
Professional medical services	101.6	-	.9	194.0	5.2	.5	207.0	6.2	.4	212.4	9.0	1.4
Entertainment	100.4	-	.0	161.4	1.4	.7	168.4	2.7	.2	157.6	2.0	.0
Entertainment commodities	100.1	-	-.2	152.0	.0	.6	161.4	1.8	.1	154.2	1.0	-.5
Entertainment services	100.7	-	.2	176.3	3.4	.9	179.7	4.2	.3	163.4	3.7	.6
Other goods and services	101.2	-	.3	206.8	7.0	.8	198.4	5.3	.5	201.1	5.0	.3
Tobacco and smoking products	103.0	-	.8	216.2	8.0	1.2	211.7	6.5	1.1	221.1	5.8	1.0
Personal care	101.0	-	.2	174.3	3.7	.8	164.9	1.4	-.1	163.1	1.4	.1
Personal and educational expenses	100.7	-	.2	242.3	10.2	.7	234.8	8.8	.4	235.9	8.3	.2
Commodity and service group												
All items	101.1	-	.5	180.1	1.8	.3	178.2	2.0	.3	176.4	1.4	.2
Commodities	101.4	-	.6	162.7	-.3	.5	161.2	.1	.6	158.4	-.8	.1
Food and beverages	101.5	-	.3	167.5	4.3	.5	165.3	4.4	.2	168.2	3.6	.4
Commodities less food and beverages	101.3	-	.7	158.8	-3.1	.5	157.8	-2.5	.8	152.4	-3.4	-.1
Nondurables less food and beverages	102.4	-	1.6	156.8	-5.0	1.3	156.4	-4.3	1.2	150.3	-6.2	.3
Apparel commodities	99.4	-	1.0	127.3	2.5	.5	129.7	2.4	.9	119.9	-2.6	-2.1
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel	104.3	-	2.0	170.1	-6.3	1.7	168.9	-5.6	1.4	164.3	-6.5	1.4
Durables	99.7	-	-.7	165.0	-.3	-.5	163.9	.1	.1	160.2	.3	-.4
Services	100.9	-	.5	204.2	4.1	.0	203.0	4.2	.0	202.8	3.8	.1
Rent of shelter ³	101.1	-	.8	122.2	4.6	-.3	120.0	4.9	.0	118.3	3.6	-.3
Household services less rent of shelter ³	100.4	-	.1	110.8	-.4	.2	114.0	1.2	.1	113.1	.7	.3
Transportation services	100.6	-	-.1	194.0	6.2	.1	190.6	3.6	-.3	184.1	4.9	.7
Medical care services	101.5	-	.8	212.5	5.7	.3	221.6	7.7	.3	229.1	8.1	.8
Other services	100.7	-	.2	196.8	5.9	.7	191.8	4.9	.3	183.6	4.9	.4

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(December 1977=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—	
		Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986		Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987		Feb. 1986	Jan. 1987		Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Jan. 1987
Special Indexes												
All items less food	101.0	-	0.5	182.6	1.3	0.2	180.9	1.5	0.3	177.9	0.8	0.1
All items less shelter	101.1	-	.4	171.0	1.1	.4	170.8	1.4	.4	169.0	.8	.2
All items less homeowners' costs ³	101.2	-	.4	112.3	1.3	.4	112.4	1.5	.4	111.0	1.0	.2
All items less medical care	101.1	-	.5	178.1	1.5	.2	175.9	1.6	.3	173.2	.8	.1
Commodities less food	101.2	-	.6	158.8	-2.9	.4	158.0	-2.3	.8	152.7	-3.3	-.1
Nondurables less food	102.3	-	1.5	157.0	-4.7	1.2	156.7	-4.0	1.2	150.8	-5.9	.2
Nondurables less food and apparel	103.8	-	1.8	169.2	-5.9	1.5	168.2	-5.3	1.4	164.0	-6.0	1.2
Nondurables	101.9	-	.9	162.3	-.3	.9	161.0	.1	.8	159.4	-1.2	.4
Services less rent of shelter ³	100.7	-	.2	120.3	3.7	.3	121.1	3.8	.1	120.0	4.0	.5
Services less medical care	100.9	-	.5	203.2	3.9	.0	200.7	3.8	.0	199.1	3.2	.1
Energy ⁴	105.2	-	2.2	164.2	-12.8	1.5	168.9	-10.7	1.7	153.6	-11.4	1.9
All items less energy	100.8	-	.4	182.0	3.6	.1	179.6	3.8	.2	179.1	3.0	-.1
All items less food and energy	100.7	-	.4	185.6	3.5	.1	183.3	3.6	.2	181.9	2.8	-.1
Commodities less food and energy	100.1	-	.0	164.1	1.4	.1	162.8	1.5	.4	158.3	.6	-.4
Energy commodities	110.4	-	4.9	155.0	-18.1	3.8	155.6	-16.4	3.2	145.6	-17.8	3.2
Services less energy	100.9	-	.5	204.8	4.9	.0	202.8	4.9	.0	204.9	4.3	.1

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

² Indexes on a December 1986=100 base.

³ Indexes on a December 1982=100 base.

⁴ Indexes on a June 1978=100 base.

⁵ Indexes on an August 1981=100 base.

- Data not available.

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

(December 1977=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—	
		Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986		Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987		Feb. 1986	Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Jan. 1987
Expenditure category									
All items	176.8	2.9	0.4	179.1	1.5	-0.1	187.4	2.3	0.2
Food and beverages	170.2	5.5	.0	168.1	5.0	1.0	188.5	4.5	-1
Food	170.6	5.6	.0	168.6	5.2	1.1	188.8	4.5	-2
Food at home	163.7	5.6	.2	165.6	4.5	1.5	184.5	4.6	-2
Cereals and bakery products	174.1	4.7	1.1	175.9	3.6	.5	177.4	2.2	-1.2
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	162.5	8.2	-1.7	170.9	9.6	3.0	163.8	5.5	-1.0
Dairy products	145.6	.0	-4	145.1	2.0	.1	141.8	1.4	.7
Fruits and vegetables	186.3	11.7	3.3	182.2	1.6	2.3	194.2	11.6	2.1
Other food at home	154.9	.9	.3	155.3	2.0	.2	153.7	1.4	-9
Food away from home	187.7	6.2	-3	176.0	6.8	.5	179.6	4.7	-1
Alcoholic beverages	161.7	2.9	.1	162.8	3.1	.1	182.9	4.5	1.1
Housing	182.6	3.2	.6	193.0	1.6	-1.0	207.4	3.8	.4
Shelter	199.7	6.4	.7	221.9	6.1	-1.5	245.3	8.6	-2
Renters' costs ²	130.7	8.8	.7	126.7	4.2	-1.9	131.6	7.4	-6
Rent, residential	178.2	7.3	.2	187.6	8.4	-3	213.7	7.8	-1.0
Other renters' costs	239.7	12.5	2.1	180.1	-7.6	-5.3	201.5	5.0	.6
Homeowners' costs ²	127.9	5.4	.6	134.2	7.4	-1.3	134.5	9.2	-1
Owners' equivalent rent ²	128.1	5.4	.6	134.8	7.5	-1.5	134.9	9.2	-1
Fuel and other utilities	171.6	-7.2	.9	173.5	-7.9	.9	179.0	-5.8	1.6
Fuels ³	170.6	-9.5	1.3	171.5	-11.5	.6	174.7	-8.8	1.9
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities ³	177.2	-14.0	3.8	167.9	-17.0	2.8	164.9	-17.2	3.4
Fuel oil ³	177.0	-14.1	4.2	170.8	-16.8	3.3	164.0	-18.0	4.3
Other household fuel commodities ⁴	100.1	-	-2	101.2	-	1.3	101.3	-	.5
Gas (piped) and electricity ³	170.7	-5.7	.8	178.8	-4.6	-1	163.3	-1.5	1.3
Electricity ³	162.3	-4.6	1.8	173.3	-3.3	-2	178.5	.5	1.8
Utility (piped) gas ³	183.5	-7.4	-8	191.5	-7.1	.1	187.3	-6.1	-3
Household furnishings and operation	149.3	3.5	-3	147.3	1.1	-1.1	144.6	.4	1.3
Apparel and upkeep	128.9	3.0	1.5	124.5	1.7	-3.0	137.3	-1.4	-1.4
Apparel commodities	118.5	3.1	1.6	118.5	2.1	-3.2	130.5	-1.5	-1.7
Men's and boys' apparel	117.7	3.2	1.3	124.0	3.6	-1.9	137.0	-1.8	-7
Women's and girls' apparel	103.8	5.9	2.0	110.9	2.0	-5.0	121.5	2.2	-1.9
Footwear	133.6	2.3	1.6	138.8	3.6	-3.0	130.6	-8.4	-2.9
Transportation	171.7	-3.2	.2	171.5	-3.6	.4	175.5	-3.2	.6
Private transportation	165.2	-4.3	.1	169.7	-3.9	.4	169.1	-3.6	.6
Motor fuel ³	144.6	-23.2	4.3	146.8	-22.5	4.3	146.3	-22.5	2.5
Gasoline ³	144.5	-23.3	4.3	146.8	-22.5	4.3	145.9	-22.5	2.4
Gasoline, leaded regular ³	142.6	-23.6	4.5	147.3	-22.6	5.1	141.5	-23.1	4.0
Gasoline, unleaded regular ³	139.3	-24.6	4.5	142.8	-23.0	4.2	142.7	-23.5	2.1
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁵	73.1	-21.1	4.0	72.6	-20.6	3.7	76.6	-19.0	1.6
Public transportation	211.4	2.6	.5	218.4	3.1	.0	298.5	1.9	-1
Medical care	213.6	7.6	1.0	214.4	7.3	.8	213.2	6.7	.1
Entertainment	166.1	2.3	-8	154.0	.0	1.0	168.2	3.1	-3
Other goods and services	205.2	5.8	.1	204.5	7.9	2.5	209.3	5.5	.0
Personal care	170.3	3.4	-4	170.3	7.4	2.3	177.0	-1	-1.0

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(December 1977 = 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—	
	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Jan. 1987
Commodity and service group									
All items	176.8	2.9	0.4	179.1	1.5	-0.1	187.4	2.3	0.2
Commodities	160.2	.7	.3	161.7	-1.3	.1	162.4	-1.0	.2
Food and beverages	170.2	5.5	.0	168.1	5.0	1.0	168.5	4.5	-.1
Commodities less food and beverages	152.1	-3.1	.4	156.2	-5.2	-.4	157.9	-4.3	.3
Nondurables less food and beverages	151.1	-5.1	1.5	152.1	-9.0	.0	157.2	-6.9	.4
Durables	157.5	1.0	-1.1	166.9	.5	-1.1	163.3	-.3	.4
Services	196.0	5.0	.5	204.5	5.0	-.3	225.8	6.2	.1
Medical care services	215.7	8.2	1.1	215.5	7.1	.7	215.9	6.9	-.1
Special indexes									
All items less shelter	169.9	1.8	.3	167.9	.3	.4	171.5	.5	.3
All items less medical care	174.8	2.6	.3	177.3	1.2	-.2	186.0	2.1	.2
All items less energy	178.1	4.9	.2	182.2	4.2	-.3	190.8	4.6	-.1
Energy ³	160.1	-14.8	2.3	160.7	-16.0	1.9	162.2	-14.5	2.1
Commodities less food	152.6	-2.8	.4	156.6	-4.9	-.4	158.2	-4.0	.4
Nondurables less food	151.8	-4.6	1.4	152.7	-8.4	-.1	157.5	-6.4	.4
Nondurables	161.5	.7	.6	160.3	-2.0	.5	162.9	-1.3	.2
Services less rent of shelter ²	123.4	3.6	.3	120.4	3.8	.9	123.1	4.1	.6
Services less medical care	194.2	4.7	.5	203.3	4.7	-.4	226.9	6.2	.1

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(December 1977 = 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—	
	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Jan. 1987
Expenditure category												
All items	182.5	1.8	0.2	177.2	2.0	0.0	173.6	1.9	-0.2	172.9	1.3	0.2
Food and beverages	162.9	4.4	.1	158.3	4.9	.2	160.8	4.6	-.5	168.3	4.7	.5
Food	163.7	4.6	.1	158.1	5.0	.2	161.0	4.7	-.7	168.4	4.9	.5
Food at home	161.4	5.2	-.1	153.1	5.1	.0	156.3	4.6	-1.2	160.1	6.0	.8
Cereals and bakery products	174.5	2.5	-.3	177.8	5.6	1.8	176.3	3.8	1.3	175.3	1.6	-1.4
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	162.0	8.6	-.7	148.3	7.4	-.3	149.5	5.1	-2.7	160.2	7.7	-2.3
Dairy products	150.5	5.5	1.1	143.0	3.2	1.1	137.2	1.6	-.4	140.7	3.9	.4
Fruits and vegetables	175.1	9.5	2.3	168.9	13.5	-.6	176.2	12.1	-.1	176.7	12.5	5.0
Other food at home	153.1	.3	-1.0	145.8	-.3	-.5	155.1	1.6	-1.8	154.5	2.9	2.9
Food away from home	168.7	3.4	.4	169.1	5.0	.4	171.6	4.8	.3	187.0	2.8	.1
Alcoholic beverages	151.6	2.3	-.3	162.3	2.5	.3	156.6	2.2	1.6	167.6	2.4	.1
Housing	203.8	2.0	.5	188.3	2.1	-.4	183.6	2.2	-.1	175.7	.9	-.1
Shelter	232.0	4.9	.7	211.4	4.8	-.9	191.9	3.7	-.1	185.5	3.6	-.2
Renters' costs ²	125.0	6.3	.6	123.1	3.3	-.1	121.1	5.8	.2	112.4	2.7	.0
Rent, residential	174.8	5.0	.5	172.0	4.8	-.2	147.3	3.2	.2	151.9	3.3	.1
Other renters' costs	220.1	9.2	1.1	219.9	-1.0	2.7	226.6	10.6	.1	212.3	.4	-.4
Homeowners' costs ²	120.8	4.5	.7	120.5	5.2	-1.1	113.4	3.1	-.3	111.9	4.1	-.3
Owners' equivalent rent ²	120.6	4.4	.7	120.8	5.3	-1.1	113.2	3.2	-.3	111.6	4.3	-.3
Fuel and other utilities	182.6	-3.6	.4	183.5	-3.0	-.3	197.3	-1.2	-1.1	179.9	-4.6	-.7
Fuels ³	172.3	-6.1	-.5	168.9	-4.8	-1.2	191.2	-5.4	-.1	161.4	-7.3	-.4
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities ³	170.8	-12.0	1.4	157.6	-20.3	1.4	164.3	-18.0	1.5	135.7	-22.0	1.3
Fuel oil ³	177.8	-11.6	3.2	165.4	-19.4	3.6	167.4	-18.1	4.0	137.1	-21.3	4.2
Other household fuel commodities ⁴	102.2	-	-.7	101.0	-	-.2	99.2	-	-1.4	98.7	-	-1.3
Gas (piped) and electricity ³	173.2	-4.9	-.5	172.0	-.9	-1.3	199.6	-1.4	-.1	167.7	-3.7	-.5
Electricity ³	155.2	-2.0	-.2	139.1	3.3	-1.6	201.1	-.8	.0	137.9	.7	-.4
Utility (piped) gas ³	194.5	-7.5	-1.0	220.1	-4.0	-.9	197.8	-2.2	-.3	204.0	-6.9	-.7
Household furnishings and operation	147.0	-.1	.2	142.5	1.8	1.4	148.8	3.0	1.0	149.0	1.2	1.2
Apparel and upkeep	119.9	-1.2	-.7	139.3	3.0	-.1	131.1	2.0	-.1	124.7	-3.3	-.2
Apparel commodities	112.7	-1.4	-.7	134.0	3.2	-.1	124.7	2.1	-.2	121.0	-3.9	-.2
Men's and boys' apparel	115.0	.9	-.3	129.4	2.0	-2.2	118.1	-3.4	1.1	109.8	-5.0	.1
Women's and girls' apparel	99.6	-4.0	-1.0	128.2	4.9	1.3	113.9	4.9	-1.1	115.0	-6.8	-.3
Footwear	116.0	-2.6	-.4	131.3	.5	-2.1	134.0	5.4	-1.0	132.8	1.8	-.6
Transportation	170.3	-2.2	-.3	172.0	-2.2	.3	168.9	-3.3	-.5	168.7	-2.5	.4
Private transportation	165.8	-2.8	-.4	168.9	-2.9	.1	165.7	-3.6	-.5	163.5	-3.0	.4
Motor fuel ³	148.9	-15.6	1.5	149.6	-16.8	.9	147.8	-13.9	.7	143.2	-13.2	1.7
Gasoline ³	148.4	-15.5	1.6	149.8	-16.8	.9	147.4	-14.1	.8	142.7	-13.1	1.7
Gasoline, leaded regular ³	147.8	-14.3	1.6	143.9	-17.0	1.8	147.6	-13.5	.4	142.7	-12.3	1.6
Gasoline, unleaded regular ³	144.6	-16.3	1.5	148.1	-17.5	.7	146.4	-14.5	.7	142.6	-14.1	1.6
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁵	80.6	-13.7	2.3	79.3	-14.4	.0	74.1	-13.1	1.1	62.1	-12.3	4.4
Public transportation	246.0	4.9	.7	262.1	13.2	2.3	258.3	3.5	.0	314.0	5.4	.0
Medical care	210.6	6.7	.8	211.3	5.9	.6	202.4	6.4	.7	215.7	5.5	.9
Entertainment	160.1	3.5	.0	149.7	1.5	.5	166.1	3.1	-.1	151.5	2.4	.4
Other goods and services	196.3	4.8	.3	206.5	6.1	.4	188.9	5.1	.3	204.8	4.8	.4
Personal care	155.0	1.5	-.2	175.7	3.0	1.4	144.7	1.7	-.1	169.3	2.0	1.0

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(December 1977 = 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—	
	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Jan. 1987
Commodity and service group												
All items	182.5	1.8	0.2	177.2	2.0	0.0	173.6	1.9	-0.2	172.9	1.3	0.2
Commodities	161.9	.1	.0	158.7	.2	.4	157.0	.3	-.1	157.0	.3	.5
Food and beverages	162.9	4.4	.1	158.3	4.9	.2	160.8	4.6	-.5	168.3	4.7	.5
Commodities less food and beverages	159.4	-2.7	-.1	157.5	-2.4	.4	154.1	-2.0	.1	150.6	-2.5	.5
Nondurables less food and beverages	149.9	-4.3	.4	158.1	-4.7	.4	154.9	-3.6	.3	147.7	-4.8	.5
Durables	170.5	-.7	-.7	162.0	.9	.5	159.3	.1	-.1	158.3	.3	.4
Services	211.6	3.7	.4	205.7	4.2	-.3	198.8	3.7	-.3	197.4	2.5	-.1
Medical care services	212.4	6.7	.7	208.2	5.2	.7	202.3	6.5	.9	221.3	6.0	1.2
Special indexes												
All items less shelter	166.3	1.0	.1	167.3	1.4	.4	167.5	1.5	-.2	168.3	.8	.4
All items less medical care	180.8	1.5	.2	175.3	1.7	-.1	172.1	1.7	-.2	170.3	.9	.2
All items less energy	184.8	3.4	.2	179.0	3.9	.0	174.1	3.6	-.2	175.1	2.7	.2
Energy ³	161.2	-10.3	.4	159.0	-10.9	-.4	169.6	-9.3	.2	152.9	-10.0	.4
Commodities less food	159.4	-2.6	-.1	157.6	-2.3	.4	154.3	-1.9	.2	151.2	-2.3	.5
Nondurables less food	150.0	-4.0	.3	158.3	-4.4	.4	155.0	-3.4	.3	148.9	-4.4	.5
Nondurables	156.8	.3	.3	156.2	-.1	.3	157.9	.4	-.1	158.4	.2	.5
Services less rent of shelter ²	117.6	2.6	.1	117.1	3.9	.3	120.3	3.6	-.3	118.7	1.8	.1
Services less medical care	211.3	3.3	.4	205.3	4.1	-.4	198.4	3.4	-.4	194.2	2.0	-.2

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(December 1977 = 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—	
	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Jan. 1987
Expenditure category												
All items	179.4	1.2	0.4	181.7	2.0	0.5	178.5	1.8	0.6	177.3	1.5	-0.1
Food and beverages	170.0	3.6	.7	169.1	4.4	.5	165.6	4.5	.7	167.1	2.6	.1
Food	170.8	3.8	.8	169.6	4.6	.5	165.9	4.7	.7	167.5	2.6	.1
Food at home	166.3	3.4	.8	165.6	5.1	.7	160.3	4.1	-.1	160.1	2.6	-.2
Cereals and bakery products	172.7	.1	-1.0	172.2	2.1	-.1	172.8	1.1	.9	170.9	2.1	.9
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	158.0	3.4	-.5	158.3	8.4	-.3	151.3	4.3	-2.5	163.1	5.4	-3.1
Dairy products	159.9	4.9	2.4	159.3	4.9	2.1	155.9	4.4	-1.2	154.9	1.8	.3
Fruits and vegetables	187.9	8.4	3.2	193.6	10.2	1.8	179.5	10.0	4.0	178.3	4.2	3.5
Other food at home	164.6	1.4	.9	159.8	.9	1.3	157.7	1.7	.4	146.5	-.9	.7
Food away from home	180.1	4.8	.7	178.4	3.6	.2	180.6	5.7	1.9	188.0	2.7	.8
Alcoholic beverages	159.5	.6	.2	161.8	2.3	.4	161.2	1.8	.8	155.2	.8	.3
Housing	185.8	1.0	.1	188.5	2.1	.2	183.3	1.9	.4	186.7	1.6	-.5
Shelter	199.0	1.8	.2	203.0	3.1	.6	197.0	3.5	.2	213.4	3.4	-.9
Renters' costs ²	118.5	1.9	.2	121.5	5.8	.8	116.3	3.7	.7	120.1	3.5	-1.5
Rent, residential	178.9	1.8	.3	168.1	4.2	1.0	169.8	2.9	.7	174.2	3.4	-.9
Other renters' costs	218.5	2.5	-.4	256.7	12.0	.2	227.0	7.9	.5	215.2	6.3	-2.5
Homeowners' costs ²	116.6	1.8	.2	115.2	2.5	.6	111.1	3.5	.0	114.7	3.2	-.8
Owners' equivalent rent ²	116.4	1.8	.2	115.0	2.6	.5	110.8	3.4	.0	113.9	3.1	-.8
Fuel and other utilities	174.7	-6.3	-1.0	182.7	-.3	.3	185.0	.3	.5	161.8	-2.1	1.1
Fuels ³	183.4	-9.6	-1.7	188.7	-1.9	.3	196.3	-2.8	.7	154.0	-3.8	2.1
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities ³	184.0	-15.2	4.1	181.0	-13.6	3.3	160.9	-11.3	1.7	161.8	-13.7	3.1
Fuel oil ³	174.1	-13.9	5.6	181.9	-15.2	4.7	128.6	-11.6	.5	144.8	-15.5	3.6
Other household fuel commodities ⁴	105.8	-	1.5	103.2	-	2.3	102.3	-	2.1	103.1	-	2.7
Gas (piped) and electricity ³	161.9	-7.9	-2.1	188.9	-1.1	.0	200.1	-2.0	.7	153.5	-.6	2.1
Electricity ³	145.9	-10.2	-3.0	186.5	-1.5	-.1	185.1	-1.2	.4	155.2	.1	2.4
Utility (piped) gas ³	201.9	-3.1	.5	198.4	.7	.2	239.4	-3.2	1.9	145.9	-4.6	-1.1
Household furnishings and operation	154.8	5.1	.8	149.6	.7	-1.4	141.7	.4	1.2	149.1	1.8	-1.1
Apparel and upkeep	144.5	4.3	1.8	138.0	.2	2.6	140.0	3.4	2.3	113.3	-.4	-2.7
Apparel commodities	133.1	3.8	1.8	127.6	-.2	2.9	133.9	3.4	2.5	107.0	-1.3	-3.1
Men's and boys' apparel	139.9	2.7	.7	144.0	2.9	1.5	141.2	.5	2.6	111.5	5.7	-7.0
Women's and girls' apparel	125.7	5.5	2.0	112.9	-3.8	3.0	125.0	7.0	4.1	96.1	-1.0	-1.6
Footwear	132.2	1.0	1.5	129.6	2.3	3.8	141.4	6.2	.5	111.4	-6.8	-.3
Transportation	172.9	-4.1	.6	177.9	-2.5	.5	173.5	-3.7	.4	168.2	-3.1	1.1
Private transportation	168.8	-4.8	.7	174.2	-3.0	.6	171.5	-4.0	.4	164.9	-3.2	1.1
Motor fuel ³	153.7	-19.7	4.7	151.1	-17.9	3.6	154.7	-15.5	4.3	139.4	-19.7	4.0
Gasoline ³	153.6	-19.7	4.8	150.6	-17.9	3.6	154.7	-15.3	4.4	139.2	-19.7	4.0
Gasoline, leaded regular ³	152.2	-20.1	5.3	150.6	-17.4	3.9	152.4	-15.2	5.5	131.7	-23.0	4.5
Gasoline, unleaded regular ³	149.0	-20.7	4.9	149.1	-18.2	3.8	154.8	-15.9	4.6	136.9	-20.2	4.0
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁵	77.0	-17.7	3.9	74.9	-17.5	2.7	78.7	-13.4	1.8	72.2	-15.5	3.1
Public transportation	246.2	6.5	-.4	271.2	7.4	-.7	222.0	3.3	-.3	261.9	-.8	.3
Medical care	214.0	6.2	.4	210.3	5.5	.2	225.8	8.3	.3	235.2	10.0	.7
Entertainment	163.7	3.3	.7	168.6	1.4	.5	166.5	.8	.4	155.5	.3	-.3
Other goods and services	201.5	6.7	.2	212.0	8.3	.4	201.0	5.6	.6	196.5	5.4	.6
Personal care	169.7	4.6	.2	175.3	4.2	.2	171.8	1.2	-.2	154.8	-.3	-.3

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

(December 1977 = 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—	
	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Jan. 1987
Commodity and service group												
All items	179.4	1.2	0.4	181.7	2.0	0.5	178.5	1.8	0.6	177.3	1.5	-0.1
Commodities	163.9	.0	1.0	165.6	-.1	.7	163.3	.3	1.1	159.2	-1.2	-.2
Food and beverages	170.0	3.6	.7	169.1	4.4	.5	165.6	4.5	.7	167.1	2.6	.1
Commodities less food and beverages	159.4	-2.2	1.1	162.2	-2.8	.7	161.0	-2.1	1.3	154.3	-3.4	-.4
Nondurables less food and beverages	156.0	-5.5	2.0	157.3	-4.0	2.0	157.2	-3.3	2.1	147.3	-6.1	.3
Durables	168.4	3.0	.1	169.1	-1.3	-.8	167.7	-.4	.3	165.6	.1	-1.1
Services	199.6	2.5	.0	204.1	4.1	.3	201.1	3.7	.1	203.6	4.6	.0
Medical care services	216.2	6.2	.5	211.0	5.1	.0	232.1	8.7	.0	239.2	10.9	.8
Special indexes												
All items less shelter	171.8	1.1	.6	173.3	1.6	.4	171.7	1.6	.7	167.0	1.2	.2
All items less medical care	177.4	.9	.5	179.7	1.6	.5	175.3	1.3	.6	172.9	.6	-.1
All items less energy	181.7	3.5	.4	183.3	3.4	.4	179.4	3.5	.4	181.2	3.2	-.3
Energy ³	157.2	-15.4	1.1	166.9	-10.9	1.6	173.8	-9.3	2.2	146.0	-12.1	2.8
Commodities less food	159.5	-2.1	1.1	162.3	-2.6	.7	161.1	-2.0	1.3	154.4	-3.3	-.3
Nondurables less food	156.1	-5.2	1.8	157.4	-3.8	1.8	157.3	-3.1	2.0	147.6	-5.9	.3
Nondurables	163.2	-.9	1.4	163.5	.4	1.2	161.5	.6	1.3	157.1	-1.8	.2
Services less rent of shelter ²	121.7	3.0	-.2	122.1	4.3	.1	119.4	3.8	.1	120.0	5.5	.9
Services less medical care	197.8	2.1	-.1	203.0	3.9	.4	196.8	2.8	.2	197.6	3.5	.0

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(December 1977=100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	West								
	Size class A			Size class B			Size class C		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
		Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986		Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987		Feb. 1986	Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Jan. 1987
Expenditure category									
All items	185.3	3.1	0.9	180.6	1.7	0.4	174.8	2.2	0.6
Food and beverages	170.5	4.8	.6	171.5	3.1	.5	168.5	3.6	1.3
Food	172.3	5.1	.6	172.4	3.3	.6	168.1	3.8	1.3
Food at home	169.2	6.8	1.2	168.0	3.8	.9	164.2	4.6	2.1
Cereals and bakery products	185.7	5.5	.1	188.2	4.5	2.3	176.9	2.8	1.0
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	159.8	7.1	-.4	161.7	3.1	.3	158.3	4.4	.3
Dairy products	156.8	3.6	.3	151.2	.7	-2.2	144.7	1.2	1.3
Fruits and vegetables	185.9	15.5	4.7	194.2	12.3	7.5	184.2	8.7	3.7
Other food at home	168.0	2.1	1.8	160.1	.4	-1.8	164.2	5.0	3.9
Food away from home	178.7	2.9	-.2	181.4	2.3	.1	178.9	2.6	.1
Alcoholic beverages	149.8	2.0	.5	160.9	.8	-.1	173.8	.7	.9
Housing	199.6	4.1	1.0	186.9	2.2	-.1	174.4	2.8	.0
Shelter	216.3	6.0	1.4	199.9	4.4	-.2	182.7	4.3	.2
Renters' costs ²	133.1	8.3	.8	125.1	4.3	-.5	124.3	2.1	-.1
Rent, residential	214.7	6.2	.8	199.3	4.3	-.5	181.0	4.0	-.1
Other renters' costs	218.0	7.2	.6	214.1	3.7	.0	231.0	-11.8	.2
Homeowners' costs ²	131.8	5.8	1.6	121.0	4.5	-.2	125.0	5.4	.2
Owners' equivalent rent ²	131.6	5.7	1.7	120.6	4.3	-.2	125.4	5.5	.2
Fuel and other utilities	198.6	-.9	.7	187.3	-5.6	.3	183.3	-1.3	-.2
Fuels ³	218.9	-2.3	1.1	203.6	-8.7	.2	194.0	-3.8	-.7
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities ³	189.6	-19.7	3.4	160.8	-15.7	.3	217.9	NA	1.3
Fuel oil ³	169.7	-22.5	7.2	NA	NA	NA	234.7	NA	8.4
Other household fuel commodities ⁴	102.4	-	.5	100.4	-	.3	99.9	-	.8
Gas (piped) and electricity ³	222.6	-1.0	1.0	210.3	-7.8	.2	190.6	-3.4	-.8
Electricity ³	202.7	-1.8	-.3	197.0	-4.8	.3	153.8	-.1	-.3
Utility (piped) gas ³	256.3	1.1	4.3	235.5	-13.4	.0	254.3	-6.9	-1.5
Household furnishings and operation	148.0	1.0	-.1	148.0	1.9	.4	148.4	2.1	-.1
Apparel and upkeep	129.7	2.3	.8	136.3	6.0	-.8	130.7	3.6	.7
Apparel commodities	120.8	1.8	.8	129.0	6.5	-.8	124.5	4.4	.8
Men's and boys' apparel	127.4	2.4	1.0	133.0	-2.6	-1.2	132.5	2.6	-.5
Women's and girls' apparel	99.3	.7	1.1	115.2	11.2	-2.5	105.9	2.5	-.9
Footwear	135.9	.9	-.6	153.6	8.9	3.6	147.2	10.3	5.4
Transportation	179.6	-1.7	1.4	177.6	-3.8	1.3	178.8	-3.7	.8
Private transportation	176.8	-2.1	1.6	173.3	-4.0	1.5	174.0	-4.3	.8
Motor fuel ³	145.7	-16.2	10.2	147.1	-17.7	8.6	139.8	-20.8	6.3
Gasoline ³	145.7	-16.1	10.4	145.1	-17.9	8.8	139.2	-20.9	8.4
Gasoline, leaded regular ³	141.8	-15.7	10.4	139.5	-18.0	9.2	136.6	-22.0	7.1
Gasoline, unleaded regular ³	142.7	-17.1	10.8	143.4	-17.3	9.2	136.1	-19.5	8.7
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁵	75.6	-14.8	8.2	74.2	-20.6	7.1	70.3	-22.7	3.4
Public transportation	232.1	5.1	.0	246.7	-1.0	-1.4	230.1	8.4	1.5
Medical care	221.0	8.1	.6	215.2	5.9	.3	229.6	8.1	.8
Entertainment	159.3	2.7	.3	166.0	2.7	1.2	175.8	5.4	.7
Other goods and services	205.1	4.2	.6	200.5	5.1	.7	194.4	4.5	.9
Personal care	179.8	1.4	1.2	174.0	.3	-.1	169.1	2.3	.9

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

(December 1977 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	West								
	Size class A			Size class B			Size class C		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Jan. 1987
Commodity and service group									
All items	185.3	3.1	0.9	180.6	1.7	0.4	174.8	2.2	0.6
Commodities	160.2	.5	.9	162.8	.0	.9	161.7	.1	1.0
Food and beverages	170.5	4.8	.6	171.5	3.1	.5	168.5	3.6	1.3
Commodities less food and beverages	153.5	-2.4	1.2	157.1	-1.9	1.1	156.6	-1.9	.8
Nondurables less food and beverages	153.3	-3.8	2.7	158.9	-3.2	2.1	155.1	-4.7	1.8
Durables	157.2	-.4	-.8	160.2	.1	-.1	163.7	1.6	-.2
Services	215.5	5.3	.9	202.8	3.3	.0	189.2	4.0	.2
Medical care services	223.6	8.7	.8	215.0	5.9	.1	230.4	8.1	.9
Special indexes									
All items less shelter	173.3	2.0	.8	173.3	.8	.6	173.2	1.4	.7
All items less medical care	183.4	2.7	.9	178.4	1.4	.4	171.5	1.7	.5
All items less energy	186.9	4.4	.6	181.9	3.4	.2	176.2	3.8	.4
Energy ³	169.1	-11.2	5.6	169.7	-13.6	4.2	162.5	-13.0	2.5
Commodities less food	153.6	-2.2	1.1	157.4	-1.8	1.0	157.4	-1.9	.8
Nondurables less food	152.9	-3.5	2.4	159.0	-2.9	1.9	156.4	-4.3	1.7
Nondurables	162.4	.8	1.5	165.5	.1	1.2	162.1	-.4	1.5
Services less rent of shelter ²	123.8	4.6	.3	119.6	2.3	.3	124.4	3.7	.2
Services less medical care	214.8	4.9	.9	201.2	2.9	.0	184.4	3.5	.1

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

² Indexes on a December 1982=100 base.

³ Indexes on a June 1978=100 base.

⁴ Indexes on a December 1986=100 base.

⁵ Indexes on an August 1981=100 base.

NA Data not adequate for publication.

- Data not available.

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

(1967=100, unless otherwise noted)

Area	Other index base	Total food at home	Cereals and bakery products	Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	Dairy products	Fruits and vegetables	Other food at home
Indexes, February 1987							
U.S. city average		316.6	332.7	286.4	264.7	355.2	380.0
Region and area size ¹							
Northeast urban	12/77	164.0	174.8	163.8	144.8	186.8	155.0
Size A - More than 1,200,000	12/77	163.7	174.1	162.5	145.6	186.3	154.9
Size B - 500,000 to 1,200,000	12/77	165.6	175.9	170.9	145.1	182.2	155.3
Size C - 50,000 to 500,000	12/77	164.5	177.4	163.8	141.8	194.2	153.7
North Central urban	12/77	159.0	175.5	157.5	145.1	174.6	152.5
Size A - More than 1,200,000	12/77	161.4	174.5	162.0	150.5	175.1	153.1
Size B - 360,000 to 1,200,000	12/77	153.1	177.8	148.3	143.0	168.9	145.8
Size C - 50,000 to 360,000	12/77	156.3	176.3	149.5	137.2	176.2	155.1
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	12/77	160.1	175.3	160.2	140.7	176.7	154.5
South urban	12/77	163.4	172.0	156.8	157.7	186.0	158.4
Size A - More than 1,200,000	12/77	166.3	172.7	158.0	159.9	187.9	164.6
Size B - 450,000 to 1,200,000	12/77	165.6	172.2	158.3	159.3	193.6	159.8
Size C - 50,000 to 450,000	12/77	160.3	172.8	151.3	155.9	179.5	157.7
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	12/77	160.1	170.9	163.1	154.9	178.3	146.5
West urban	12/77	168.4	184.9	160.3	152.8	190.5	165.1
Size A - More than 1,200,000	12/77	169.2	185.7	159.8	156.8	185.9	168.0
Size B - 330,000 to 1,200,000	12/77	168.0	188.2	161.7	151.2	194.2	160.1
Size C - 50,000 to 330,000	12/77	164.2	176.9	158.3	144.7	184.2	164.2
Size classes							
A	12/86	102.4	101.0	100.2	100.8	109.0	102.2
B	12/77	163.9	177.4	160.3	151.2	186.4	156.3
C	12/77	160.6	175.3	154.1	146.1	182.5	157.1
D	12/77	161.4	174.7	160.6	147.2	182.6	152.7
Selected local areas ²							
Baltimore, Md.		310.8	334.5	264.4	266.2	390.2	374.7
Boston, Mass.		302.9	325.6	295.3	242.8	328.6	347.2
Chicago, Ill.-Northwestern Ind.		312.3	328.0	296.6	264.6	352.3	358.9
Cleveland, Ohio		322.2	330.3	320.8	267.8	330.8	362.2
Dallas-Fort Worth, Tex.		324.6	325.3	272.5	299.8	350.9	404.3
Detroit, Mich.		301.8	346.7	290.6	250.8	289.7	358.9
Houston, Tex.		335.3	319.2	295.2	319.3	367.9	400.0
L.A.-Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif.		329.8	354.2	300.2	261.5	354.1	400.6
Miami, Fla.	11/77	166.8	167.7	162.3	151.1	198.0	160.4
N.Y., N.Y.-Northeastern N.J.		332.9	344.4	299.2	267.8	390.9	406.0
Philadelphia, Pa.-N.J.		314.2	336.6	283.9	250.4	347.6	397.0
Pittsburgh, Pa.		297.9	314.9	259.0	237.1	362.5	357.2
St. Louis, Mo.-Ill.		322.3	353.3	267.6	299.7	382.0	388.2
San Francisco-Oakland, Calif.		319.4	352.8	288.5	259.9	338.4	395.0
Washington, D.C.-Md.-Va.		334.6	341.5	293.7	252.7	392.5	429.6

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1967 = 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
Percent change, January 1987 to February 1987						
U.S. city average	0.4	0.4	-1.0	0.5	3.2	0.3
Region and area size ¹						
Northeast urban .....	.4	.7	-.8	.0	3.1	-.1
Size A - More than 1,200,000 .....	.2	1.1	-1.7	-.4	3.3	.3
Size B - 500,000 to 1,200,000	1.5	.5	3.0	.1	2.3	.2
Size C - 50,000 to 500,000	-.2	-1.2	-1.0	.7	2.1	-.9
North Central urban	-.2	.2	-1.2	.8	1.6	-.8
Size A - More than 1,200,000	-.1	-.3	-.7	1.1	2.3	-1.0
Size B - 360,000 to 1,200,000 .....	.0	1.8	-.3	1.1	-.6	-.5
Size C - 50,000 to 360,000	-1.2	1.3	-2.7	-.4	-.1	-1.8
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000) .....	.8	-1.4	-2.3	.4	5.0	2.9
South urban .....	.4	.0	-1.4	1.1	3.0	.8
Size A - More than 1,200,000 .....	.8	-1.0	-.5	2.4	3.2	.9
Size B - 450,000 to 1,200,000 .....	.7	-.1	-.3	2.1	1.8	1.3
Size C - 50,000 to 450,000	-.1	.9	-2.5	-1.2	4.0	.4
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	-.2	.9	-3.1	.3	3.5	.7
West urban	1.2	.6	-.5	.3	4.8	1.4
Size A - More than 1,200,000	1.2	.1	-.4	.3	4.7	1.6
Size B - 330,000 to 1,200,000 .....	.9	2.3	.3	-2.2	7.5	-1.8
Size C - 50,000 to 330,000	2.1	1.0	.3	1.3	3.7	3.9
Size classes						
A .....	.5	.1	-.9	.7	3.4	.4
B .....	.9	.8	.6	.7	2.5	.1
C	-.1	.6	-1.9	-.3	2.5	.0
D .....	.5	.3	-2.3	1.3	4.3	1.0
Selected local areas ²						
Baltimore, Md.	-1.8	-2.2	-4.0	4.8	-2.0	-1.3
Boston, Mass.	-2.6	-.4	-8.2	.1	1.5	.5
Chicago, Ill.-Northwestern Ind.	-.7	-1.3	-3.6	2.6	5.5	-2.3
Cleveland, Ohio .....	.7	-.4	-1.2	1.4	5.4	.3
Dallas-Fort Worth, Tex.	3.5	-1.3	.9	15.2	3.2	3.6
Detroit, Mich.	-.2	-.4	.4	.8	-4.2	.9
Houston, Tex.	1.7	-2.8	1.1	1.7	12.3	-1.0
L.A.-Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif.	2.6	-.1	1.4	.6	7.3	2.8
Miami, Fla.	1.2	-1.4	2.9	-1.8	3.5	-.2
N.Y., N.Y.-Northeastern N.J. ....	.6	2.3	-.6	-1.5	3.6	.1
Philadelphia, Pa.-N.J. ....	.4	-1.6	-.6	-.3	3.5	1.2
Pittsburgh, Pa. ....	.0	1.3	-3.1	3.9	3.7	-1.6
St. Louis, Mo.-Ill.	1.0	2.6	2.6	-2.0	4.4	-2.3
San Francisco-Oakland, Calif.	-1.2	1.4	-2.5	-1.4	-.4	-1.4
Washington, D.C.-Md.-Va.	-.2	-.2	-2.3	-.9	-1.4	3.6

¹ Regions are defined as the four Census regions.

² Area is the Consolidated Metropolitan Statistical Area (CMSA), exclusive of farms and military. Area definitions are those established by the Office of Management and Budget in 1983, except for Boston-

Lawrence-Salem, MA-NH Area (excludes Rayham Town, MA); Detroit-Ann Arbor, MI Area (excludes Monroe County); and Milwaukee, WI Area (includes only the Milwaukee MSA). Definitions do not include revisions made since 1983.

Table 16. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Areas priced monthly, by expenditure category and commodity and service group, percent change, January 1987 to February 1987

Group	U.S. city average	Chicago, Ill.— Northwestern Ind.	L.A.— Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif.	New York, N.Y.— Northeastern N.J.	Philadelphia, Pa.—N.J.	San Francisco— Oakland, Calif.
Expenditure category						
All items	0.4	0.0	1.1	0.5	0.4	0.9
Food and beverages .....	.3	-.4	1.3	.2	.0	-.5
Food .....	.4	-.2	1.3	.3	.0	-.7
Food at home .....	.4	-.7	2.6	.6	.4	-1.2
Cereals and bakery products .....	.4	-1.3	-.1	2.3	-1.6	1.4
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	-1.0	-3.6	1.4	-.6	-.6	-2.5
Meats, poultry, and fish	-.9	-3.3	1.3	-.4	-.1	-2.3
Dairy products .....	.5	2.6	.6	-1.5	-.3	-1.4
Fruits and vegetables	3.2	5.5	7.3	3.6	3.5	-.4
Other food at home .....	.3	-2.3	2.8	.1	1.2	-1.4
Food away from home .....	.3	.7	-.8	-.3	-.6	.1
Alcoholic beverages .....	.3	-1.3	.4	-.1	.0	.4
Housing .....	.3	.2	1.4	.3	1.2	.8
Shelter .....	.4	.2	1.8	.3	1.9	1.1
Renters' costs .....	.4	.7	.9	.5	1.3	.6
Rent, residential .....	.3	.7	.8	.2	.2	.8
Other renters' costs .....	.6	.5	1.2	1.5	3.5	-.2
Homeowners' costs .....	.4	.0	2.2	.3	2.1	1.4
Owners' equivalent rent .....	.4	.0	2.3	.3	2.2	1.3
Fuel and other utilities .....	.3	-.3	1.5	1.4	-.8	.1
Fuels .....	.3	-1.1	3.1	2.3	-1.4	.0
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities	3.1	2.4	1.1	4.2	2.7	.8
Fuel oil	4.1	4.4	NA	4.4	4.2	8.3
Other household commodities .....	.9	.0	1.1	1.4	-3.5	.0
Gas (piped) and electricity .....	.0	-1.1	3.1	1.8	-2.0	.0
Electricity .....	.0	-.7	.1	2.4	.0	.0
Utility (piped) gas .....	.0	-1.5	9.6	.7	-5.6	-.1
Household furnishings and operation .....	.2	.7	-.5	-1.0	1.0	.3
Apparel and upkeep .....	.6	-1.7	-.7	3.0	-1.2	6.6
Apparel commodities .....	.6	-1.5	-.9	3.1	-1.2	7.4
Men's and boys' apparel .....	.4	-.7	.1	1.9	1.1	5.2
Women's and girls' apparel .....	.7	-1.8	-2.6	4.4	-6.1	13.5
Footwear .....	.5	-1.2	2.5	3.0	2.2	.4
Transportation .....	.5	-.1	1.5	.2	-.2	.8
Private transportation .....	.5	-.4	1.9	.2	-.2	.6
Motor fuel	4.5	2.1	12.4	4.4	3.9	9.2
Gasoline	4.5	2.4	12.6	4.5	3.9	9.1
Gasoline, leaded regular	4.8	3.0	12.5	4.8	4.2	10.4
Gasoline, unleaded regular	4.5	2.4	13.3	4.6	3.7	9.3
Gasoline, unleaded premium	3.7	1.4	9.7	4.1	3.8	7.5
Public transportation .....	.2	2.0	-1.9	.4	.5	2.2
Medical care .....	.6	1.0	.5	1.4	.3	.1
Entertainment .....	.1	-.2	.0	-.7	-1.3	.9
Other goods and services .....	.4	.4	.6	.0	.3	.8
Personal care .....	.2	-.7	1.0	-1.0	.0	3.3

Table 16. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Areas priced monthly, by expenditure category and commodity and service group, percent change, January 1987 to February 1987 —Continued

Group	U.S. city average	Chicago, Ill.— Northwestern Ind.	L.A.— Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif.	New York, N.Y.— Northeastern N.J.	Philadelphia, Pa.—N.J.	San Francisco— Oakland, Calif.
Commodity and service group						
All items	0.4	0.0	1.1	0.5	0.4	0.9
Commodities .....	.5	-.2	1.1	.5	-.1	1.1
Food and beverages .....	.3	-.4	1.3	.2	.0	-.5
Commodities less food and beverages .....	.6	-.1	1.1	.7	-.2	2.4
Nondurables less food and beverages	1.4	.5	2.7	2.1	-.2	4.6
Durables	-.4	-1.0	-1.0	-1.7	-.3	-.5
Services .....	.3	.1	1.1	.5	.8	.7
Medical care services .....	.6	.8	.6	1.6	.4	.1
Special indexes						
All items less shelter .....	.4	-.1	.8	.5	-.2	.7
All items less medical care .....	.4	-.1	1.1	.4	.4	.9
All items less energy .....	.3	-.1	.7	.3	.4	.7
Energy	2.0	.3	8.0	2.9	.4	4.3
Commodities less food .....	.6	-.2	1.0	.6	-.2	2.2
Nondurables less food	1.3	.3	2.4	1.9	-.2	4.0
Nondurables .....	.9	.1	1.9	1.1	-.1	1.6
Services less rent of shelter .....	.2	.1	.2	.6	-.2	.2
Services less medical care .....	.3	.0	1.1	.4	.9	.7

^{NA} Data not adequate for publication.

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

(1967=100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Monthly cities and pricing schedule 2 ¹											
	U.S. city average			Chicago, Ill.- Northwestern Ind.			Dallas- Fort Worth, Tex.			Detroit, Mich.		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
		Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986		Dec. 1986	Feb. 1987		Feb. 1986	Dec. 1986		Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Dec. 1986
	Expenditure category	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Dec. 1986	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Dec. 1986	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Dec. 1986	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986
All items	334.4	2.1	1.0	334.2	2.4	1.0	347.8	0.2	1.5	327.6	1.5	0.9
All items(1957-59=100)	388.9	-	-	379.6	-	-	376.0	-	-	376.4	-	-
Food and beverages	321.6	4.5	1.5	310.3	4.5	1.7	342.3	5.1	2.4	298.4	4.2	.5
Food	330.1	4.7	1.5	319.3	4.7	1.9	348.6	5.5	2.8	302.4	4.4	.4
Food at home	316.6	5.0	2.1	312.3	5.5	2.5	324.6	6.0	3.7	301.8	5.0	.5
Cereals and bakery products	332.7	3.2	1.0	328.0	3.1	2.4	325.3	2.3	-1.4	346.7	5.4	2.7
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	286.4	6.7	-3	296.6	6.4	.8	272.5	7.6	2.4	290.6	11.0	-1.3
Meats, poultry, and fish	294.6	7.0	.0	309.1	6.8	1.5	284.1	8.3	2.9	294.4	11.3	-1.5
Dairy products	264.7	2.9	1.0	264.6	8.4	3.4	299.8	13.2	6.9	250.8	5.3	2.7
Fruits and vegetables	355.2	10.8	8.1	352.3	11.4	6.6	350.9	5.9	3.4	289.7	8.3	3.6
Other food at home	380.0	1.3	2.1	358.9	.6	1.4	404.3	3.7	6.2	358.9	-3.8	-9
Food away from home	369.6	4.3	.7	338.2	3.3	.8	415.2	5.0	1.5	316.3	3.1	.4
Alcoholic beverages	243.2	2.1	1.0	221.1	2.8	-2	266.9	.3	-1.1	273.7	1.6	1.0
Housing	365.1	2.4	.8	374.5	2.6	1.1	376.6	-1.5	.8	367.2	1.8	2.3
Shelter	414.0	4.9	.9	442.4	5.3	1.1	436.4	.1	-5	417.6	6.4	2.0
Renters' costs ²	125.8	5.7	1.3	126.4	6.9	2.4	117.1	-1.4	-1.4	131.7	12.2	6.9
Rent, residential	288.0	5.2	.7	256.2	5.8	1.1	277.4	-1.1	-1.1	269.2	6.2	.7
Other renters' costs	430.8	6.6	3.0	426.3	9.8	7.2	399.5	-2.3	-2.7	432.5	21.2	17.7
Homeowners' costs ²	122.5	4.7	.7	124.0	4.7	.6	118.6	.7	-2	118.5	5.1	.4
Owners' equivalent rent ²	122.5	4.7	.7	122.9	4.5	.7	119.2	.7	-3	118.7	5.1	.5
Fuel and other utilities	374.8	-3.9	1.0	320.4	-4.0	1.2	325.7	-10.2	3.8	440.9	-2.3	5.8
Fuels	445.1	-6.6	1.6	385.5	-5.8	2.0	420.1	-13.5	8.7	500.2	-6.1	3.0
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities ³	503.2	-14.9	9.2	493.3	-12.8	4.9	190.9	-9.9	1.1	547.3	-7.4	3.0
Fuel oil ⁴	500.9	-15.0	12.8	181.4	-10.8	9.0	NA	NA	NA	181.1	-7.8	3.8
Other household fuel commodities ⁵	101.8	-	1.8	100.0	-	.0	101.1	-	1.1	102.2	-	2.2
Gas (piped) and electricity	428.9	-3.5	.8	358.1	-4.5	2.0	417.8	-13.8	8.8	490.9	-6.0	3.0
Electricity	355.6	-2.3	1.0	309.1	-4.3	2.3	252.9	-20.7	7.4	321.2	-2.8	4.9
Utility (piped) gas	526.7	-5.3	.6	397.3	-4.7	1.7	706.6	-1.9	10.6	636.0	-8.4	1.5
Household furnishings and operation	253.5	1.8	.4	247.6	.7	.8	267.8	2.9	3.1	211.6	-5.1	-1.1
Apparel and upkeep	208.4	2.1	-1.2	169.5	.2	-4.0	222.4	1.2	1.6	170.0	-.1	-2.1
Apparel commodities	192.1	1.9	-1.4	152.9	1.2	-4.4	186.5	-.2	1.7	153.6	-.3	-1.9
Men's and boys' apparel	199.9	1.6	-1.2	145.9	1.8	1.0	194.2	-7.1	-3.0	178.4	7.8	.4
Women's and girls' apparel	167.8	2.7	-2.3	131.3	2.0	-6.3	167.8	-.8	-.8	135.7	-6.4	-3.7
Footwear	211.0	1.5	-1.4	178.9	-4.2	-5.8	212.2	.9	2.4	138.0	-1.6	-3.2
Transportation	310.0	-2.9	1.7	307.9	-1.4	1.3	304.2	-6.2	2.6	306.7	-2.9	-.2
Private transportation	301.3	-3.5	1.8	292.6	-2.8	1.5	301.0	-6.8	2.7	302.9	-3.0	.0
Motor fuel ⁴	288.1	-18.0	10.0	148.9	-14.6	8.1	155.6	-21.0	18.8	151.2	-17.8	8.3
Gasoline ⁴	287.5	-18.0	10.1	148.2	-14.4	8.3	155.5	-21.0	19.0	150.9	-17.7	8.3
Gasoline, leaded regular ⁶	160.2	-17.6	11.5	169.5	-10.9	10.2	174.5	-20.2	20.8	161.6	-18.0	9.3
Gasoline, unleaded regular ⁶	163.7	-18.7	10.2	164.9	-15.8	8.6	173.7	-22.2	18.8	169.9	-18.0	7.8
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁷	75.4	-17.5	7.6	82.3	-14.1	5.2	77.2	-18.7	15.9	79.0	-14.9	9.3
Public transportation	439.8	4.2	.5	464.9	8.6	.7	390.8	6.4	1.5	398.4	-1.7	-3.8

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Monthly cities and pricing schedule 2 ¹											
	U.S. city average			Chicago, Ill.- Northwestern Ind.			Dallas- Fort Worth, Tex.			Detroit, Mich.		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
		Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986		Dec. 1986	Feb. 1987		Feb. 1986	Dec. 1986		Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Dec. 1986	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Dec. 1986
Expenditure category												
Medical care	452.4	7.1	1.3	449.5	7.3	2.1	461.1	5.4	-0.2	484.0	6.7	1.6
Entertainment	278.7	2.5	.5	296.5	5.2	.5	300.8	6.4	1.2	241.0	1.7	-.4
Other goods and services	359.7	5.7	1.3	360.4	4.4	1.4	369.6	9.5	1.5	329.2	4.5	.2
Personal care	296.4	2.5	1.0	279.4	-.1	.0	317.7	8.7	1.1	235.4	1.3	-.8
Commodity and service group												
All items	334.4	2.1	1.0	334.2	2.4	1.0	347.8	.2	1.5	327.6	1.5	.9
Commodities	287.7	.1	1.2	286.4	.6	.8	304.1	-.9	2.7	265.6	-1.2	.1
Food and beverages	321.6	4.5	1.5	310.3	4.5	1.7	342.3	5.1	2.4	298.4	4.2	.5
Commodities less food and beverages	265.2	-2.7	1.1	265.9	-2.1	.1	279.3	-4.5	2.8	244.6	-4.2	-.1
Nondurables less food and beverages	265.4	-4.7	2.1	252.4	-3.4	.7	265.6	-7.0	4.9	240.3	-5.4	1.1
Durables	271.2	.3	-.2	278.2	.0	-.8	299.1	-.3	.4	247.7	-3.3	-1.7
Services	409.9	4.2	.8	407.3	4.1	1.1	410.9	1.3	.4	423.9	4.2	1.6
Medical care services	489.6	7.3	1.3	494.7	7.4	2.0	497.9	5.7	.6	505.1	5.9	.9
Special indexes												
All items less shelter	311.5	1.3	1.0	298.7	1.5	.9	318.4	.4	2.2	300.1	.1	.5
All items less medical care	328.0	1.8	1.0	327.6	2.1	.9	339.8	-.2	1.5	317.5	1.1	.9
All items less energy ³	334.9	3.9	.7	188.7	3.9	.6	190.8	3.2	.8	177.8	3.3	.5
Energy ⁴	359.2	-12.2	4.9	159.4	-10.3	4.6	152.8	-17.8	13.4	167.3	-10.8	5.2
Commodities less food	264.0	-2.5	1.1	264.3	-1.9	.1	278.8	-4.4	2.6	246.3	-4.0	.0
Nondurables less food	262.6	-4.3	2.0	249.6	-3.1	.7	265.2	-6.6	4.5	242.7	-5.0	1.0
Nondurables	294.6	.1	1.8	283.3	.8	1.3	303.5	-.8	3.7	270.6	-.4	.7
Services less rent of shelter ²	121.1	3.7	.7	117.4	3.3	1.1	122.3	2.4	1.4	120.7	2.3	1.2
Services less medical care	398.8	3.9	.8	393.6	3.8	1.1	397.4	.8	.4	403.0	3.9	1.6

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Monthly cities and pricing schedule 2 ¹								
	Houston, Tex.			L.A.-Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif.			New York, N.Y.-Northeastern N.J.		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Dec. 1986	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Dec. 1986	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Dec. 1986
Expenditure category									
All items	334.9	-0.7	1.2	338.8	3.7	1.8	333.2	3.4	1.2
All items(1957-59=100)	383.1	-	-	398.5	-	-	396.5	-	-
Food and beverages	352.5	4.7	1.9	319.2	5.5	2.9	335.9	6.0	1.5
Food	360.8	5.1	2.2	331.0	5.7	3.0	348.0	6.1	1.5
Food at home	335.3	6.2	2.1	329.8	8.1	5.7	332.9	6.0	2.5
Cereals and bakery products	319.2	.0	-2.5	354.2	6.6	4.2	344.4	5.2	1.1
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	295.2	5.8	-1.0	300.2	9.8	3.6	299.2	9.3	1.1
Meats, poultry, and fish	306.5	6.3	-.6	301.2	9.3	3.6	305.7	10.0	1.5
Dairy products	319.3	6.4	1.2	261.5	3.4	.8	267.8	-1.3	-1.7
Fruits and vegetables	367.9	15.2	11.2	354.1	18.7	15.6	390.9	11.9	10.2
Other food at home	400.0	4.5	2.9	400.6	2.4	4.4	406.0	.8	1.8
Food away from home	442.2	2.6	2.3	337.0	2.3	-.9	387.8	7.2	.2
Alcoholic beverages	268.3	.0	-.1	226.9	2.8	2.1	236.3	2.9	1.7
Housing	336.4	-4.4	-.4	378.9	5.1	1.3	346.6	3.6	1.4
Shelter	369.0	-4.1	-.5	435.5	6.8	1.7	379.0	6.8	1.5
Renters' costs ²	94.8	-2.0	1.0	131.6	6.4	.8	130.4	8.8	3.2
Rent, residential	213.2	-4.3	-.9	352.9	6.6	.9	310.0	8.2	1.6
Other renters' costs	428.6	10.8	8.1	382.0	4.1	.4	476.1	9.8	9.5
Homeowners' costs ²	94.5	-5.4	-1.3	130.4	7.1	2.1	128.4	6.0	.7
Owners' equivalent rent ²	90.1	-6.1	-1.3	130.3	7.0	2.2	128.6	6.1	.7
Fuel and other utilities	405.0	-6.0	.4	343.6	1.8	.8	368.6	-7.9	1.4
Fuels	489.0	-10.5	1.2	447.0	1.5	2.9	466.3	-9.7	3.1
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities ³	NA	NA	NA	180.7	1.6	7.3	554.8	-12.7	11.0
Fuel oil ⁴	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	180.8	-13.1	11.7
Other household fuel commodities ⁵	101.4	-	1.4	107.3	-	7.3	102.2	-	2.2
Gas (piped) and electricity	492.2	-10.4	1.2	448.0	1.5	2.8	430.0	-6.8	1.1
Electricity	394.0	-12.2	-1.0	371.8	-1.1	-.4	375.0	-6.7	1.9
Utility (piped) gas	628.5	-3.7	9.8	573.7	7.9	9.8	523.0	-7.1	-.3
Household furnishings and operation	239.1	-2.8	-.6	235.2	.5	.0	260.9	3.2	1.0
Apparel and upkeep	255.5	1.7	1.7	187.4	2.2	1.4	194.1	2.9	.5
Apparel commodities	231.6	1.9	1.8	173.2	2.4	1.5	170.5	3.0	.2
Men's and boys' apparel	257.4	5.7	.4	176.3	1.4	-1.8	162.3	2.2	-.7
Women's and girls' apparel	223.7	5.1	1.5	129.7	-.2	2.3	153.1	6.9	1.6
Footwear	258.2	9.8	6.4	217.2	3.0	2.7	201.2	.8	-.7
Transportation	278.5	-4.6	3.1	330.8	-.2	2.8	339.1	-2.6	.9
Private transportation	278.3	-4.7	3.6	330.4	-.1	3.3	307.0	-3.9	1.1
Motor fuel ⁴	153.6	-16.4	20.6	148.1	-12.8	16.6	141.8	-23.7	6.8
Gasoline ⁴	153.4	-16.4	20.6	148.4	-12.6	16.9	141.5	-23.8	6.8
Gasoline, leaded regular ⁶	167.9	-16.8	22.8	164.6	-11.4	17.0	142.7	-24.9	7.5
Gasoline, unleaded regular ⁶	169.4	-16.6	22.0	169.1	-13.8	18.0	147.8	-25.1	7.3
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁷	76.4	-16.0	14.9	76.8	-11.9	13.4	72.9	-21.5	5.7
Public transportation	341.9	7.7	-3.6	344.5	.9	-1.6	483.5	1.9	.2

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Monthly cities and pricing schedule 2 ¹								
	Houston, Tex.			L.A.- Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif.			New York, N.Y.- Northeastern N.J.		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Dec. 1986	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Dec. 1986	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Dec. 1986
Expenditure category									
Medical care	511.7	5.4	0.7	482.3	7.8	1.5	468.1	8.8	2.0
Entertainment	302.4	4.1	.7	235.5	1.5	.3	295.0	2.1	.3
Other goods and services	357.0	6.1	1.8	341.2	3.1	1.2	373.9	5.4	.8
Personal care	338.5	1.4	-.3	292.8	1.3	3.7	313.5	2.2	-.5
Commodity and service group									
All items	334.9	-.7	1.2	338.8	3.7	1.8	333.2	3.4	1.2
Commodities	303.0	-.3	2.2	274.7	1.3	2.7	287.7	1.2	1.3
Food and beverages	352.5	4.7	1.9	319.2	5.5	2.9	335.9	6.0	1.5
Commodities less food and beverages	275.2	-3.5	2.4	249.8	-1.6	2.4	251.4	-2.9	1.2
Nondurables less food and beverages	277.9	-5.1	4.6	253.0	-2.3	4.8	257.7	-4.5	2.3
Durables	281.4	-1.2	-.5	251.7	-.4	-.5	244.3	.3	-.8
Services	392.6	-1.1	.0	435.9	5.9	1.2	399.4	5.3	1.2
Medical care services	556.3	5.4	.7	516.4	8.4	1.6	505.4	9.9	2.0
Special indexes									
All items less shelter	324.8	.2	1.6	306.0	2.5	1.9	318.9	2.1	1.1
All items less medical care	324.4	-1.2	1.2	331.1	3.4	1.8	326.3	3.1	1.2
All items less energy ⁸	166.1	1.5	.5	185.1	4.9	1.3	177.9	5.3	1.1
Energy ⁴	165.9	-13.7	10.7	169.4	-7.9	10.1	155.2	-14.8	4.2
Commodities less food	274.6	-3.4	2.2	248.8	-1.4	2.4	249.6	-2.7	1.2
Nondurables less food	276.5	-5.0	4.2	249.8	-2.0	4.4	253.7	-4.1	2.3
Nondurables	316.1	.1	3.2	287.5	2.0	3.8	300.0	1.5	1.9
Services less rent of shelter ²	111.7	1.1	.4	125.8	4.8	.6	123.2	3.7	.7
Services less medical care	371.1	-2.1	-.1	424.6	5.6	1.2	387.3	4.9	1.1

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1967=100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Monthly cities and pricing schedule 2 ¹								
	Philadelphia, Pa.-N.J.			Pittsburgh, Pa.			San Francisco-Oakland, Calif.		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Dec. 1986	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Dec. 1986	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Dec. 1986
Expenditure category									
All items	329.0	2.8	1.2	335.2	1.5	0.7	348.8	2.3	1.5
All items(1957-59=100)	384.2	-	-	365.4	-	-	415.0	-	-
Food and beverages	322.8	4.5	1.4	310.7	4.2	1.1	319.3	3.7	1.1
Food	333.4	4.6	1.5	315.5	4.5	1.1	330.7	4.0	1.2
Food at home	314.2	5.7	2.3	297.9	4.7	1.3	319.4	5.3	1.8
Cereals and bakery products	336.6	3.9	1.1	314.9	1.4	.8	352.8	6.1	1.7
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	283.9	7.3	1.8	259.0	5.4	-2.4	288.5	4.4	-2.6
Meats, poultry, and fish	295.3	8.3	2.5	267.3	5.6	-2.2	292.3	4.4	-2.5
Dairy products	250.4	-1	-2	237.1	6.7	1.6	259.9	3.6	1.4
Fruits and vegetables	347.6	14.6	5.8	362.5	14.2	11.3	336.4	12.5	9.9
Other food at home	397.0	3.0	2.5	357.2	-1.7	-1.4	395.0	1.4	1.3
Food away from home	393.0	2.8	.1	379.1	4.2	.7	347.8	2.2	.5
Alcoholic beverages	246.9	2.6	.0	283.7	-7	1.4	217.5	1.2	.3
Housing	343.8	2.9	1.2	382.2	2.6	1.0	409.7	3.3	1.4
Shelter	365.0	6.8	1.4	458.2	3.6	1.4	468.4	4.7	1.4
Renters' costs ²	136.6	11.0	3.1	125.6	7.9	3.5	138.4	5.8	1.5
Rent, residential	310.6	5.4	.2	262.3	4.7	.2	374.4	5.5	1.5
Other renters' costs	614.4	32.5	8.9	467.9	13.0	11.1	418.0	11.1	1.5
Homeowners' costs ²	129.3	5.0	.7	116.5	2.5	.9	138.4	4.1	1.5
Owners' equivalent rent ²	129.3	5.0	.7	116.5	2.5	.9	138.5	4.1	1.4
Fuel and other utilities	370.4	-8.2	.4	385.4	-5	.4	395.9	-1.9	.4
Fuels	426.4	-11.6	.9	490.2	-1.7	.4	450.7	-4.9	1.4
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities ³	495.0	-18.9	9.8	NA	NA	NA	184.8	-8.9	-1
Fuel oil ⁴	172.4	-16.9	14.2	159.7	-15.8	14.1	201.9	-7.8	11.8
Other household fuel commodities ⁵	93.3	-	-6.7	NA	NA	NA	98.7	-	-1.3
Gas (piped) and electricity	405.9	-5.5	-3	491.5	-1.0	.0	454.1	-4.8	1.4
Electricity	399.5	-4.0	-3	351.1	2.0	-2	319.1	-4.5	2.9
Utility (piped) gas	402.2	-7.8	-3	620.5	-3.6	.2	646.3	-5.9	-1.2
Household furnishings and operation	256.5	5.0	1.5	231.1	4.6	.2	275.5	2.4	2.2
Apparel and upkeep	187.1	3.5	.6	197.4	3.4	-1.3	212.8	5.1	3.5
Apparel commodities	170.0	3.5	.7	186.7	3.5	-1.4	190.1	2.8	3.9
Men's and boys' apparel	176.5	7.7	1.1	168.4	-1.9	-1	210.3	3.1	5.5
Women's and girls' apparel	105.9	3.1	-4.9	169.8	12.2	-2.1	167.4	3.0	6.3
Footwear	217.9	7.6	2.8	200.6	-1.8	-7	204.1	8.6	-4.1
Transportation	332.1	-2.3	1.3	311.6	-6.4	.8	304.9	-4.6	1.7
Private transportation	325.9	-3.5	1.3	303.9	-7.4	.6	300.6	-5.8	1.6
Motor fuel ⁴	154.7	-22.3	9.5	145.7	-23.0	10.9	144.0	-19.8	10.6
Gasoline ⁴	155.2	-22.4	9.5	145.8	-23.1	10.9	143.6	-20.0	10.5
Gasoline, leaded regular ⁶	167.6	-22.0	10.4	156.6	-22.2	11.8	157.7	-18.5	13.5
Gasoline, unleaded regular ⁶	166.5	-24.1	10.0	157.6	-24.2	11.0	161.7	-20.6	10.8
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁷	74.3	-19.4	7.5	72.3	-20.7	8.7	74.8	-18.6	8.6
Public transportation	416.0	10.5	.5	451.0	6.1	4.9	339.1	5.2	2.4

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1967=100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Monthly cities and pricing schedule 2 ¹								
	Philadelphia, Pa.-N.J.			Pittsburgh, Pa.			San Francisco- Oakland, Calif.		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Dec. 1986	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Dec. 1986	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Dec. 1986
Expenditure category									
Medical care	487.4	5.5	0.3	467.3	5.8	0.8	432.7	8.0	1.0
Entertainment	254.5	2.2	-1.0	292.6	3.4	-2.1	290.2	5.5	1.4
Other goods and services	392.1	8.4	2.8	331.2	4.2	.5	375.3	5.2	1.8
Personal care	306.8	7.0	5.2	247.8	1.4	.9	310.9	2.4	1.2
Commodity and service group									
All items	329.0	2.8	1.2	335.2	1.5	.7	348.8	2.3	1.5
Commodities	278.8	.1	1.3	279.6	.4	.6	286.6	-.1	2.1
Food and beverages	322.8	4.5	1.4	310.7	4.2	1.1	319.3	3.7	1.1
Commodities less food and beverages	249.3	-3.0	1.2	253.3	-2.3	.3	266.6	-2.6	3.0
Nondurables less food and beverages	255.6	-6.5	1.8	243.7	-4.4	2.3	257.4	-4.2	4.0
Durables	251.3	2.9	.4	267.6	1.2	-2.4	283.1	-.2	1.6
Services	413.9	5.6	1.1	430.3	2.7	.7	437.1	4.3	1.1
Medical care services	537.9	5.3	.4	512.1	5.3	.8	471.5	8.2	.9
Special indexes									
All items less shelter	316.9	1.6	1.1	305.5	1.0	.4	313.2	1.4	1.6
All items less medical care	320.4	2.6	1.2	327.6	1.2	.6	343.6	1.9	1.5
All items less energy ⁶	176.5	5.2	1.0	177.1	3.1	.3	188.1	3.9	1.3
Energy ⁴	168.8	-16.0	3.7	173.9	-10.5	4.4	170.2	-14.2	5.7
Commodities less food	248.4	-2.8	1.2	256.1	-2.2	.4	264.2	-2.5	2.8
Nondurables less food	253.6	-5.9	1.7	248.1	-4.2	2.2	252.8	-4.0	3.5
Nondurables	292.2	-.7	1.6	280.6	.2	1.7	289.8	-.1	2.3
Services less rent of shelter ²	127.5	4.6	.7	118.0	1.9	.0	120.9	3.8	.7
Services less medical care	394.7	5.6	1.2	419.0	2.4	.6	431.0	3.9	1.1

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

² Indexes on a December 1982=100 base.

³ Indexes on a June 1978=100 base in Dallas, Houston, Los Angeles, Pittsburgh, and San Francisco.

⁴ Indexes on a June 1978=100 base except for the U.S. which is on a 1967=100 base.

⁵ Indexes on a December 1986=100 base.

⁶ Indexes on a January 1976=100 base.

⁷ Indexes on an August 1981=100 base.

⁸ Indexes are on the bases listed below:

U.S. 1967=100.

Chicago

Dallas

Detroit

Houston

Los Angeles

New York

Philadelphia

Pittsburg

San Francisco

December 1977=100.

February 1978=100.

December 1977=100.

April 1978=100.

December 1977=100.

December 1977=100.

April 1978=100.

December 1977=100.

^{NA} Data not adequate for publication.

- Data not available.

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

(1967=100, unless otherwise noted)

Area	Pricing schedule ¹	Other index base	Indexes				Percent change to Feb. 1987 from—			Percent change to Jan. 1987 from—		
			Nov. 1986	Dec. 1986	Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Dec. 1986	Jan. 1987	Jan. 1988	Nov. 1986	Dec. 1986
U.S. city average	M		325.4	325.7	327.7	329.0	1.8	1.0	0.4	1.0	0.7	0.6
Region and area size ²												
Northeast urban	M	12/77	-	174.3	175.5	176.0	2.1	1.0	.3	-	-	.7
Size A - More than 1,200,000	M	12/77	-	170.3	171.6	172.3	2.5	1.2	.4	-	-	.8
Size B - 360,000 to 1,200,000	M	12/77	-	175.1	178.2	176.2	1.6	.6	.0	-	-	.6
Size C - 50,000 to 360,000	M	12/77	-	190.5	191.4	191.7	2.1	.6	.2	-	-	.5
North Central urban	M	12/77	-	173.0	174.3	174.4	1.5	.8	.1	-	-	.8
Size A - More than 1,200,000	M	12/77	-	175.3	176.3	176.6	1.5	.7	.2	-	-	.6
Size B - 360,000 to 1,200,000	M	12/77	-	171.5	172.7	172.6	1.7	.6	-.1	-	-	.7
Size C - 50,000 to 360,000	M	12/77	-	168.4	170.3	169.9	1.7	.9	-.2	-	-	1.1
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	M	12/77	-	172.7	173.7	174.1	1.0	.8	.2	-	-	.6
South urban	M	12/77	-	176.5	177.5	178.3	1.2	1.0	.5	-	-	.6
Size A - More than 1,200,000	M	12/77	-	177.0	177.8	178.7	1.0	1.0	.5	-	-	.5
Size B - 450,000 to 1,200,000	M	12/77	-	175.6	176.5	177.4	1.6	1.0	.5	-	-	.5
Size C - 50,000 to 450,000	M	12/77	-	176.7	177.9	179.0	1.4	1.3	.6	-	-	.7
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	M	12/77	-	177.0	177.9	177.9	1.1	.5	.0	-	-	.5
West urban	M	12/77	-	177.0	177.9	179.3	2.2	1.3	.8	-	-	.5
Size A - More than 1,250,000	M	12/77	-	177.5	178.4	180.2	2.7	1.5	1.0	-	-	.5
Size B - 330,000 to 1,250,000	M	12/77	-	179.0	180.0	180.8	1.5	1.0	.4	-	-	.6
Size C - 50,000 to 330,000	M	12/77	-	171.1	171.9	172.7	1.8	.9	.5	-	-	.5
Size classes												
A	M	12/86	-	100.0	100.6	101.1	-	1.1	.5	-	-	.6
B	M	12/77	-	175.5	176.5	177.0	1.6	.9	.3	-	-	.6
C	M	12/77	-	176.2	177.5	178.0	1.7	1.0	.3	-	-	.7
D	M	12/77	-	175.9	176.7	177.1	1.1	.7	.2	-	-	.5

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Area	Pricing schedule ¹	Other index base	Indexes				Percent change to Feb. 1987 from—			Percent change to Jan. 1987 from—		
			Nov. 1986	Dec. 1986	Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Dec. 1986	Jan. 1987	Jan. 1986	Nov. 1986	Dec. 1986
Selected local areas ³												
Chicago, Ill.-Northwestern Ind.	M	11/77	316.1	315.8	319.1	319.0	2.0	1.0	0.0	2.0	0.9	1.0
L.A.-Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif.	M		326.3	325.3	327.4	331.2	3.4	1.8	1.2	2.0	.3	.6
N.Y., N.Y.-Northeastern N.J.	M		318.6	320.1	322.3	324.0	3.0	1.2	.5	2.1	1.2	.7
Philadelphia, Pa.-N.J.	M		325.4	326.6	329.1	329.9	2.2	1.0	.2	1.9	1.1	.8
San Francisco-Oakland, Calif.	M		-	337.0	339.0	342.2	1.8	1.5	.9	-	-	.6
Baltimore, Md.	1		330.4	-	331.1	-	-	-	-	.0	.2	-
Boston, Mass.	1		325.9	-	330.9	-	-	-	-	2.0	1.5	-
Cleveland, Ohio	1		329.6	-	330.1	-	-	-	-	-	.2	-
Miami, Fla.	1		176.1	-	177.6	-	-	-	-	1.1	.9	-
St. Louis, Mo.-Ill.	1		319.0	-	321.9	-	-	-	-	.9	.9	-
Washington, D.C.-Md.-Va.	1	335.9	-	337.7	-	-	-	-	1.5	.5	-	
Dallas-Fort Worth, Tex.	2	-	335.0	-	341.1	.2	1.8	-	-	-	-	
Detroit, Mich.	2	-	314.0	-	316.5	1.3	.8	-	-	-	-	
Houston, Tex.	2	-	328.5	-	333.0	-.4	1.4	-	-	-	-	
Pittsburgh, Pa.	2	-	311.8	-	314.2	.9	.8	-	-	-	-	

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

M - Every month.

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

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

² Regions are defined as the four Census regions.

³ Area is the Consolidated Metropolitan Statistical Area (CMSA), exclusive of farms and military. Area definitions are those established by the Office of Management and Budget in 1983, except for Boston-Lawrence-Salem, MA-NH Area (excludes Rayham Town, MA); Detroit-Ann Arbor, MI Area (excludes Monroe County); and Milwaukee, WI Area

(includes only the Milwaukee MSA). Definitions do not include revisions made since 1983.

- Data not available.

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

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

(December 1977 = 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—	
		Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986		Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987		Feb. 1986	Jan. 1987		Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Jan. 1987
Expenditure category												
All items	176.0	2.1	0.3	174.4	1.5	0.1	178.3	1.2	0.5	179.3	2.2	0.8
Food and beverages	168.5	5.2	.2	162.3	4.6	.0	168.6	3.9	.5	172.3	4.0	.6
Food	168.8	5.3	.2	162.5	4.6	-.1	169.1	4.0	.6	173.4	4.3	.7
Food at home	162.8	5.2	.4	158.6	5.1	-.2	162.6	3.9	.4	167.9	5.3	1.1
Cereals and bakery products	174.9	4.1	.8	177.7	3.1	.2	168.5	1.1	.1	181.8	4.5	.7
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	163.3	7.9	-.7	156.2	7.7	-1.1	157.3	5.6	-1.3	160.7	5.0	-.6
Dairy products	144.1	.9	.1	144.5	4.1	.7	157.7	4.3	1.2	153.4	2.5	.2
Fruits and vegetables	181.3	9.4	3.0	173.8	10.7	1.6	183.5	8.5	3.1	186.5	13.4	4.3
Other food at home	154.6	1.2	-.1	153.0	.8	-.8	158.6	.8	.8	166.3	2.2	1.5
Sugar and sweets	168.6	1.6	-.8	171.2	1.6	.4	174.0	-.3	-.9	182.3	4.4	1.3
Fats and oils	147.7	-.2	-2.6	149.3	1.1	.4	140.3	-2.0	-.8	156.5	-.4	-1.1
Nonalcoholic beverages	142.2	-.6	-1.0	132.4	-3.5	-4.0	152.7	.2	1.8	154.7	1.6	3.5
Other prepared food	170.4	3.8	1.9	174.4	4.7	1.3	169.7	4.1	.7	181.5	3.7	.8
Food away from home	185.1	6.1	-.1	171.4	3.9	.4	185.1	4.5	.9	184.6	2.7	-.1
Alcoholic beverages	164.2	3.1	.3	158.9	2.7	.1	160.3	1.3	.3	158.6	1.2	.4
Housing	185.1	2.6	.3	186.3	1.9	.2	185.4	1.3	.2	186.5	3.3	.8
Shelter	205.0	6.4	.2	202.7	4.4	.2	201.9	2.6	.2	197.5	5.1	1.0
Renters' costs ²	116.1	7.5	.1	111.3	5.1	.4	108.5	3.2	.5	113.5	5.0	.6
Rent, residential	183.8	7.4	-.1	167.0	4.5	.1	173.4	2.7	.5	201.1	5.1	.6
Other renters' costs	220.7	6.9	.6	223.0	5.9	1.1	230.2	7.3	-.2	216.5	2.9	.9
Homeowners' costs ²	115.4	6.3	.3	109.8	4.2	.1	106.9	2.4	.1	113.5	5.3	1.2
Owners' equivalent rent ²	115.6	6.3	.3	109.8	4.3	.2	106.7	2.4	.1	113.3	5.2	1.3
Maintenance and repairs	171.3	.5	-.5	161.2	1.3	.2	167.9	-2.3	.4	188.1	3.2	-.6
Maintenance and repair services	182.2	.7	-1.0	172.0	2.6	.2	172.1	-2.2	.8	211.3	3.0	-2.4
Maintenance and repair commodities	144.6	.1	.3	141.2	.1	.4	153.7	-2.6	-.4	149.1	2.6	.9
Fuel and other utilities	172.9	-7.3	.9	185.3	-3.1	-.2	178.3	-2.3	.0	192.7	-2.0	.6
Fuels ³	170.9	-10.1	1.1	173.7	-5.9	-.5	176.2	-4.9	-.1	207.0	-3.6	.7
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities ³	172.3	-15.4	3.4	163.0	-16.5	1.3	172.1	-14.3	3.1	171.8	-14.5	2.2
Fuel oil ³	173.1	-15.4	4.1	168.3	-15.6	3.8	163.1	-13.5	4.5	171.6	-14.0	7.0
Other household fuel commodities ⁴	101.0	-	.6	100.6	-	-.9	103.2	-	2.3	101.4	-	.4
Gas (piped) and electricity ³	173.7	-5.0	.6	176.3	-3.5	-.6	177.2	-3.4	-.3	212.0	-2.1	.7
Electricity ³	167.2	-3.4	1.3	158.4	-.8	-.4	168.5	-3.7	-.5	194.7	-.9	-.2
Utility (piped) gas ³	184.0	-7.7	-.8	199.4	-6.0	-.7	200.3	-2.5	.6	242.2	-3.5	2.6
Other utilities and public services	162.8	3.8	.6	172.3	3.2	.4	158.9	3.9	.1	165.1	1.5	.4
Household furnishings and operation	146.4	2.2	-.3	144.4	1.0	.7	146.1	1.8	.0	146.7	1.7	.1
Housefurnishings	134.7	2.0	-.7	131.3	.5	1.0	135.1	2.1	-.2	132.1	1.8	.2
Housekeeping supplies	156.5	3.2	.8	167.3	2.1	.1	160.5	1.3	.5	171.4	1.5	.1
Housekeeping services	171.5	2.0	.3	162.0	.8	.2	163.5	2.4	.2	164.2	1.1	.1
Apparel and upkeep	128.3	2.5	.5	126.0	-.5	-.6	137.9	2.6	1.8	131.4	2.9	.2
Apparel commodities	120.2	2.6	.5	120.0	-.6	-.7	129.4	2.2	1.8	124.1	2.8	.2
Men's and boys' apparel	120.2	1.6	.3	119.3	-1.1	-.4	138.7	2.6	.5	128.0	.5	.3
Women's and girls' apparel	110.9	5.6	.8	110.8	-1.2	-1.0	120.7	3.0	2.7	105.6	1.9	-.5
Infants' and toddlers' apparel	138.6	-5.0	2.4	165.6	-3.7	-1.1	134.4	-2.3	3.1	155.2	3.9	-1.0
Footwear	135.7	2.4	.4	127.6	.4	-.5	129.3	1.8	1.8	142.6	3.3	.6
Other apparel commodities	130.6	-1.2	-1.5	141.8	6.2	.9	133.3	.5	1.6	143.1	10.3	1.7
Apparel services	194.2	3.4	.6	182.5	2.4	-.8	204.1	5.2	.3	195.7	4.2	.6

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(December 1977=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—	
	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1988	Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1988	Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1988	Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1988	Jan. 1987
Expenditure category												
Transportation	172.3	-3.7	0.5	169.2	-2.9	-0.2	175.1	-3.6	0.8	178.5	-2.7	1.4
Private transportation	168.2	-4.5	.4	166.3	-3.2	-.2	173.1	-3.9	.8	175.8	-3.0	1.5
New vehicles	154.6	4.5	-1.3	151.6	3.6	-1.4	153.9	4.6	-.6	146.1	4.6	-.7
New cars	154.5	4.5	-1.4	151.3	3.6	-1.5	154.6	4.7	-.8	147.8	4.8	-1.0
Used cars	209.3	-3.7	.6	209.3	-3.6	.7	209.0	-3.8	.6	209.1	-3.6	.7
Motor fuel ⁵	146.5	-22.8	4.0	149.5	-15.2	1.3	152.0	-17.9	4.3	145.5	-17.0	9.2
Gasoline ³	146.3	-22.9	4.0	149.1	-15.1	1.3	151.8	-17.9	4.3	145.0	-17.0	9.3
Gasoline, leaded regular ³	144.9	-23.1	4.5	147.4	-14.3	1.3	150.0	-18.0	5.0	140.3	-17.0	9.3
Gasoline, unleaded regular ³	141.5	-23.9	3.9	146.9	-15.9	1.2	149.9	-18.5	4.5	142.7	-17.3	9.7
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁵	73.8	-20.7	3.7	79.0	-13.8	1.8	76.2	-16.4	3.1	74.7	-17.2	7.2
Maintenance and repairs	181.6	6.3	1.3	167.2	1.6	.0	179.1	5.0	.3	188.1	3.9	.3
Other private transportation	167.2	4.4	-.4	159.7	3.7	-.6	175.2	4.9	.0	192.7	4.7	-.5
Other private transportation commodities	135.2	-.6	-1.8	127.7	-1.6	.2	133.6	-.8	.6	129.7	-.3	-.3
Other private transportation services	173.2	5.2	-.2	165.4	4.4	-.8	186.8	6.1	-.2	206.6	5.5	-.5
Public transportation	213.7	2.5	.3	252.4	4.7	.4	238.1	4.1	-.3	241.2	4.0	.0
Medical care	212.6	7.3	.8	209.8	6.4	.9	219.3	7.3	.4	218.7	7.4	.7
Medical care commodities	200.4	5.1	.4	203.7	6.4	.7	210.7	6.6	.6	206.2	5.8	.5
Medical care services	215.4	7.8	.9	211.1	6.3	.9	221.1	7.5	.3	221.1	7.7	.8
Professional medical services	208.7	8.2	1.0	194.7	5.7	1.0	206.6	6.4	.4	204.2	6.3	.9
Entertainment	160.8	2.8	-.4	159.0	2.8	.0	162.5	1.6	.8	156.9	3.0	.5
Entertainment commodities	150.9	.5	-1.1	150.5	2.5	-.1	156.9	.5	.7	148.3	2.4	.4
Entertainment services	176.1	5.8	.3	173.0	3.2	.1	174.0	3.8	.5	173.4	3.7	.7
Other goods and services	201.4	5.8	.5	196.9	5.0	.4	199.2	6.2	.5	200.5	4.4	.8
Tobacco and smoking products	206.3	6.3	.8	219.0	6.6	.6	210.7	7.5	.9	218.8	7.6	1.5
Personal care	169.1	3.5	.1	157.4	1.7	.1	169.7	2.8	.1	173.9	1.5	1.0
Personal and educational expenses	238.5	8.2	.5	233.2	7.0	.3	241.1	9.8	.3	235.7	7.2	.3
Commodity and service group												
All items	176.0	2.1	.3	174.4	1.5	.1	178.3	1.2	.5	179.3	2.2	.8
Commodities	161.1	-.1	.3	157.6	-.1	.1	164.5	-.2	.9	160.9	.1	1.0
Food and beverages	168.5	5.2	.2	162.3	4.6	.0	168.6	3.9	.5	172.3	4.0	.6
Commodities less food and beverages	155.2	-3.8	.4	154.0	-2.8	.1	161.2	-2.7	1.0	153.9	-2.5	1.2
Nondurables less food and beverages	152.1	-6.4	1.1	153.0	-4.7	.4	156.8	-4.6	2.0	155.6	-4.2	2.6
Apparel commodities	120.2	2.6	.5	120.0	-.6	-.7	129.4	2.2	1.8	124.1	2.8	.2
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel	165.8	-7.9	1.5	167.5	-4.9	.8	169.6	-6.0	2.0	170.0	-5.3	3.8
Durables	180.1	.5	-.9	156.5	-.4	-.2	166.0	-.2	-.1	155.0	.0	-.3
Services	199.1	4.9	.3	202.8	3.4	.0	200.6	3.3	.1	204.8	4.4	.7
Rent of shelter ²	115.8	6.7	.3	110.2	4.6	.3	107.3	2.7	.2	113.3	5.1	1.0
Household services less rent of shelter ²	101.2	-1.3	.5	102.2	-.5	-.1	103.4	-.2	.0	103.4	.1	.4
Transportation services	184.6	4.7	.3	175.8	3.8	-.5	190.1	5.6	-.1	205.6	4.8	-.2
Medical care services	215.4	7.8	.9	211.1	6.3	.9	221.1	7.5	.3	221.1	7.7	.8
Other services	196.6	5.9	.5	183.4	4.0	.1	192.5	5.4	.3	186.6	4.2	.5

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(December 1977 = 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—	
		Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986		Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987		Feb. 1986	Jan. 1987		Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Jan. 1987
Special indexes												
All items less food	178.0	1.4	0.3	177.0	0.7	0.1	180.3	0.6	0.4	180.5	1.8	0.8
All items less shelter	168.3	1.0	.4	166.1	.9	.1	171.3	1.1	.6	172.9	1.3	.8
All items less homeowners' costs ²	105.3	1.5	.3	103.4	1.2	.1	104.2	1.2	.6	105.2	1.7	.8
All items less medical care	174.4	1.9	.3	172.7	1.2	.0	175.9	.9	.5	177.3	1.9	.8
Commodities less food	155.6	-3.5	.4	154.3	-2.6	.1	161.2	-2.7	.9	154.2	-2.3	1.1
Nondurables less food	152.8	-5.9	1.1	153.3	-4.3	.3	156.9	-4.4	1.8	155.6	-3.9	2.2
Nondurables less food and apparel	165.5	-7.2	1.3	166.6	-4.4	.7	168.6	-5.8	1.8	168.3	-5.1	3.3
Nondurables	161.0	-.2	.6	157.9	.1	.1	162.9	-.3	1.2	164.5	.2	1.5
Services less rent of shelter ²	109.0	3.5	.5	107.5	2.7	.0	109.5	3.8	.1	110.9	3.8	.4
Services less medical care	197.6	4.7	.3	201.9	3.1	.0	197.8	2.8	.1	203.1	4.1	.7
Energy ³	159.4	-15.9	2.2	161.1	-10.5	.3	161.8	-12.4	1.9	167.5	-11.5	5.1
All items less energy	177.7	4.5	.2	175.6	3.2	.1	179.9	3.2	.3	180.5	3.9	.6
All items less food and energy	180.6	4.3	.2	179.1	2.8	.1	182.8	3.0	.3	182.3	3.8	.5
Commodities less food and energy	157.9	1.7	-.2	156.9	.7	-.1	164.7	1.4	.5	157.5	1.5	.1
Energy commodities	155.3	-20.8	3.8	153.3	-15.1	1.3	154.9	-17.5	4.2	154.4	-16.6	8.9
Services less energy	200.7	5.9	.3	203.9	4.4	.1	201.4	4.2	.2	204.0	4.9	.7

¹ Regions are defined as the four Census regions.

² Indexes on a December 1984 = 100 base.

³ Indexes on a June 1978 = 100 base.

⁴ Indexes on a December 1986 = 100 base.

⁵ Indexes on an August 1981 = 100 base.

- Data not available.

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

(December 1977=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—	
	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Jan. 1987
Expenditure category												
All items	101.1	-	0.5	177.0	1.6	0.3	178.0	1.7	0.3	177.1	1.1	0.2
Food and beverages	101.5	-	.3	168.4	4.3	.5	164.2	4.3	.1	168.4	3.5	.4
Food	101.5	-	.3	168.9	4.5	.6	164.2	4.4	.1	168.6	3.6	.4
Food at home	102.3	-	.5	164.1	4.5	.8	159.4	4.2	-.4	161.3	3.7	.4
Cereals and bakery products	101.0	-	.1	178.7	3.7	1.0	172.7	2.4	.6	174.8	2.3	.3
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	100.3	-	-.8	161.4	7.3	.5	153.1	4.6	-2.1	160.4	5.7	-2.0
Dairy products	100.9	-	.8	150.6	2.9	.7	145.3	2.5	-.3	148.3	3.5	1.4
Fruits and vegetables	108.5	-	3.2	185.6	7.7	2.3	180.4	10.6	2.3	178.4	7.3	3.9
Other food at home	102.2	-	.4	157.5	1.0	.2	157.5	1.9	-.2	154.6	.7	1.2
Sugar and sweets	100.7	-	-.3	173.8	.5	-1.2	177.9	1.6	1.9	164.6	.4	-.3
Fats and oils	101.7	-	.2	152.4	1.7	.5	138.5	-2.9	-4.2	140.3	.0	-2.0
Nonalcoholic beverages	102.7	-	-.4	142.8	-1.2	-.1	146.3	1.2	-.6	142.5	-2.2	1.1
Other prepared food	102.4	-	1.3	175.6	4.2	.7	171.3	4.3	.6	171.9	4.4	2.4
Food away from home	100.4	-	.1	179.9	4.5	.3	178.0	4.8	.7	186.4	3.3	.4
Alcoholic beverages	100.9	-	.1	161.4	2.2	.2	164.9	2.4	1.1	164.4	1.5	.2
Housing	100.9	-	.6	183.8	1.9	-.2	189.5	2.5	.2	186.9	1.2	.0
Shelter	101.0	-	.8	198.7	4.4	-.4	207.2	4.8	.0	207.2	3.6	-.2
Renters' costs ³	101.3	-	.6	111.7	4.5	-.3	111.3	4.7	.1	109.7	3.2	.0
Rent, residential	100.8	-	.5	182.7	5.4	-.1	176.2	4.5	.1	169.0	3.2	.1
Other renters' costs	104.6	-	1.4	216.0	.5	-1.0	222.6	5.0	.3	216.3	2.9	-.2
Homeowners' costs ³	100.8	-	.9	111.0	4.5	-.4	111.1	5.0	-.1	109.6	3.9	-.3
Owners' equivalent rent ³	100.8	-	.9	111.0	4.5	-.4	111.1	5.0	-.1	109.4	3.8	-.4
Maintenance and repairs	100.4	-	.0	169.0	.0	-.5	174.8	-.5	-.3	166.4	2.2	.5
Maintenance and repair services	100.3	-	-.9	176.2	-1.1	.2	197.7	5.0	-.2	182.4	5.8	.6
Maintenance and repair commodities	100.6	-	1.1	154.5	1.4	-1.2	137.2	-4.6	-.9	142.8	-1.4	.4
Fuel and other utilities	100.9	-	.3	182.3	-3.6	.3	186.6	-1.8	.2	174.6	-3.6	.3
Fuels ⁴	101.5	-	.1	182.3	-6.2	.0	188.2	-5.1	.5	163.9	-5.6	.9
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities ⁴	109.6	-	3.3	168.3	-16.1	2.6	171.2	-14.9	2.6	151.1	-18.9	2.6
Fuel oil ⁴	112.2	-	4.4	173.0	-15.4	3.7	168.7	-15.2	4.2	149.6	-18.9	3.5
Other household fuel commodities ²	101.8	-	.0	102.1	-	1.5	101.1	-	.6	101.9	-	1.7
Gas (piped) and electricity ⁴	100.8	-	-.2	186.9	-3.1	-.3	194.1	-1.8	.3	168.4	-1.1	.8
Electricity ⁴	100.9	-	-.4	174.4	-1.8	-.3	184.3	-.4	.4	161.5	2.7	1.3
Utility (piped) gas ⁴	100.7	-	.0	212.5	-5.1	-.2	211.8	-4.1	.1	178.3	-6.9	-.7
Other utilities and public services	100.2	-	.6	162.3	2.8	.7	169.5	5.9	-.3	172.4	1.7	-.3
Household furnishings and operation	100.6	-	.2	144.1	.7	-.6	144.7	1.4	1.1	148.3	1.2	-.1
Housefurnishings	100.4	-	.0	130.1	.0	-.8	132.6	.6	1.5	136.8	.7	-.7
Housekeeping supplies	101.4	-	.5	166.5	1.3	-.6	165.9	3.0	.4	165.2	2.7	1.5
Housekeeping services	100.3	-	.2	165.0	2.5	.5	159.7	.6	.1	163.0	1.1	.2
Apparel and upkeep	99.2	-	.7	134.7	2.0	.3	136.6	2.5	.8	126.0	-2.2	-1.6
Apparel commodities	99.1	-	.8	127.5	2.0	.3	131.4	2.6	.8	120.2	-3.1	-1.9
Men's and boys' apparel	98.7	-	.3	134.3	1.7	-.6	135.1	-.5	1.2	118.8	-.3	-2.3
Women's and girls' apparel	98.9	-	1.0	115.0	.6	-.1	125.7	4.8	1.0	111.5	-5.7	-2.0
Infants' and toddlers' apparel	96.0	-	1.7	144.8	1.4	4.6	147.9	1.8	-1.9	137.8	-7.6	-5.2
Footwear	98.5	-	.6	137.1	4.3	1.3	137.0	3.9	.8	133.1	-1.6	-.7
Other apparel commodities	102.4	-	.6	138.4	6.6	1.5	132.5	3.8	1.9	139.1	1.0	.5
Apparel services	101.1	-	.2	197.2	3.6	-.2	190.8	2.9	.2	184.0	6.7	1.7

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(December 1977 = 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—		
		Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986		Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987		Feb. 1986	Jan. 1987		Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Jan. 1987
Expenditure category													
Transportation	101.9	-	0.6	175.6	-3.0	0.7	173.1	-3.9	0.2	171.4	-3.1	0.9	
Private transportation	102.0	-	.6	173.8	-3.3	.8	171.2	-4.1	.3	168.5	-3.4	.8	
New vehicles	99.1	-	-1.1	155.8	4.6	-7	153.2	3.9	-8	155.5	4.4	-8	
New cars	98.9	-	-1.4	155.6	4.8	-9	154.4	4.3	-8	155.4	4.3	-1.0	
Used cars	100.2	-	.7	209.2	-3.6	.7	208.7	-3.8	.6	209.0	-3.7	.6	
Motor fuel ⁴	110.5	-	5.0	150.0	-18.4	3.9	150.8	-16.8	3.1	142.6	-17.9	3.3	
Gasoline ⁴	110.6	-	5.0	149.4	-18.5	3.8	150.5	-16.9	3.1	142.3	-17.9	3.3	
Gasoline, leaded regular ⁴	112.0	-	5.4	147.1	-18.3	4.4	148.6	-16.5	3.8	139.6	-18.0	3.7	
Gasoline, unleaded regular ⁴	110.8	-	5.0	147.6	-18.7	3.9	150.3	-17.3	3.0	140.7	-19.1	2.9	
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁵	108.1	-	4.2	75.1	-18.1	2.9	77.1	-16.2	1.8	72.5	-16.1	3.1	
Maintenance and repairs	100.9	-	.6	180.0	5.6	.5	180.7	2.7	.2	169.8	4.1	.0	
Other private transportation	100.5	-	-.6	177.1	5.2	.1	170.3	2.7	-.8	162.6	4.2	1.0	
Other private transportation commodities	100.7	-	-.3	134.1	-1.7	.8	132.1	-1.8	-.8	135.8	2.3	.8	
Other private transportation services	100.4	-	-.7	187.2	6.4	-.1	179.7	3.6	-.8	169.3	4.5	1.0	
Public transportation	100.3	-	.2	243.9	4.4	.0	245.4	3.4	.1	266.3	3.7	.3	
Medical care	101.5	-	.8	212.3	6.0	.5	218.2	7.5	.5	220.1	7.7	.8	
Medical care commodities	101.1	-	.4	212.2	7.0	.8	204.7	6.9	.9	200.6	5.0	.4	
Medical care services	101.6	-	.9	212.2	5.7	.3	221.1	7.6	.4	224.2	8.3	.9	
Professional medical services	101.7	-	1.0	193.8	5.3	.6	210.1	6.2	.4	210.7	9.1	1.4	
Entertainment	100.4	-	.1	157.2	1.6	.6	163.3	2.8	.2	156.9	1.7	-.1	
Entertainment commodities	100.1	-	-.1	149.6	.8	.5	157.5	1.7	.0	153.0	.9	-.5	
Entertainment services	100.7	-	.3	172.7	3.0	.9	174.5	4.5	.3	164.7	3.5	.5	
Other goods and services	101.4	-	.4	204.1	6.7	1.0	194.1	5.1	.6	201.5	5.1	.5	
Tobacco and smoking products	103.0	-	.7	216.6	8.0	1.2	211.1	6.6	1.0	219.4	5.8	1.0	
Personal care	101.0	-	.3	172.5	3.4	.7	160.2	1.5	-.1	164.1	1.7	.2	
Personal and educational expenses	100.6	-	.1	244.6	10.2	.9	234.0	8.5	.5	240.2	8.1	.2	
Commodity and service group													
All items	101.1	-	.5	177.0	1.6	.3	178.0	1.7	.3	177.1	1.1	.2	
Commodities	101.4	-	.5	162.6	-.3	.6	162.3	-.2	.5	160.4	-.6	.3	
Food and beverages	101.5	-	.3	168.4	4.3	.5	164.2	4.3	.1	168.4	3.5	.4	
Commodities less food and beverages	101.4	-	.8	158.4	-3.1	.6	160.0	-2.7	.8	155.3	-3.5	.1	
Nondurables less food and beverages	102.6	-	1.7	157.5	-5.2	1.3	157.4	-4.5	1.3	150.7	-6.0	.5	
Apparel commodities	99.1	-	.8	127.5	2.0	.3	131.4	2.6	.8	120.2	-3.1	-1.9	
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel	104.7	-	2.1	170.7	-6.4	1.8	168.9	-5.9	1.5	164.1	-6.3	1.5	
Durables	99.8	-	-.5	160.4	-.6	-.4	163.6	-.4	.1	160.9	-.2	-.3	
Services	100.8	-	.4	199.8	4.0	.1	204.5	4.2	.0	205.9	3.7	.2	
Rent of shelter ³	101.0	-	.8	111.2	4.5	-.4	111.2	5.0	.0	109.5	3.6	-.3	
Household services less rent of shelter ³	100.5	-	.2	102.6	-.4	.2	104.7	1.3	.1	103.3	.4	.3	
Transportation services	100.5	-	-.2	190.3	5.9	.1	186.0	3.2	-.4	179.7	4.4	.7	
Medical care services	101.6	-	.9	212.2	5.7	.3	221.1	7.6	.4	224.2	8.3	.9	
Other services	100.7	-	.2	191.3	5.6	.9	184.1	4.8	.4	185.2	4.9	.5	

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(December 1977=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—	
		Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986		Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987		Feb. 1986	Jan. 1987		Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Jan. 1987
Special indexes												
All items less food	101.0	-	0.5	178.7	0.9	0.2	181.1	1.1	0.3	178.9	0.4	0.2
All items less shelter	101.2	-	.5	170.4	.8	.5	169.5	1.1	.4	168.9	.6	.4
All items less homeowners' costs ³	101.2	-	.5	104.0	1.1	.4	104.2	1.2	.3	102.9	.8	.4
All items less medical care	101.1	-	.5	175.2	1.3	.3	175.9	1.3	.2	174.6	.6	.2
Commodities less food	101.4	-	.7	158.6	-2.9	.5	160.3	-2.6	.8	155.6	-3.4	.1
Nondurables less food	102.4	-	1.5	157.6	-4.8	1.2	157.7	-4.2	1.3	151.4	-5.7	.5
Nondurables less food and apparel	104.1	-	1.9	169.7	-6.0	1.6	168.3	-5.5	1.4	163.9	-5.9	1.3
Nondurables	102.0	-	.9	163.2	-3	.9	160.9	-1	.6	159.9	-1.1	.4
Services less rent of shelter ³	100.7	-	.2	109.1	3.5	.3	109.7	3.7	.1	108.3	3.7	.5
Services less medical care	100.8	-	.5	198.3	3.8	-.1	202.6	3.8	.0	203.3	3.0	.1
Energy ⁴	105.5	-	2.3	164.3	-12.7	1.7	167.4	-11.3	1.6	152.7	-11.8	1.9
All items less energy	100.8	-	.4	178.1	3.5	.1	179.2	3.6	.1	179.6	2.7	.0
All items less food and energy	100.6	-	.4	180.6	3.3	.1	183.3	3.4	.2	182.7	2.6	-.1
Commodities less food and energy	100.1	-	.1	161.5	1.1	.0	163.5	1.3	.4	159.5	.3	-.4
Energy commodities	110.4	-	4.8	155.4	-18.0	3.7	156.6	-16.4	3.0	144.7	-18.0	3.1
Services less energy	100.8	-	.5	199.7	4.8	.0	204.7	4.9	.0	208.5	4.3	.1

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

² Indexes on a December 1986=100 base.

³ Indexes on a December 1984=100 base.

⁴ Indexes on a June 1978=100 base.

⁵ Indexes on an August 1981=100 base.

- Data not available.

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

(December 1977 = 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—	
	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Jan. 1987
Expenditure category									
All items	172.3	2.5	0.4	176.2	1.6	0.0	191.7	2.1	0.2
Food and beverages	168.9	5.4	-.1	167.4	5.0	1.1	166.7	4.3	-.2
Food	169.1	5.4	-.1	167.7	5.1	1.1	166.7	4.3	-.3
Food at home	161.3	5.3	.1	167.0	4.5	1.6	162.6	4.2	-.4
Cereals and bakery products	173.4	4.5	1.2	179.9	3.8	.7	175.8	2.1	-1.2
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	161.4	7.9	-1.8	170.1	9.7	3.2	162.4	5.4	-1.0
Dairy products	144.6	.1	-.3	141.9	2.1	.2	142.0	1.4	.6
Fruits and vegetables	178.0	11.5	3.2	191.8	1.2	2.3	183.4	11.2	1.9
Other food at home	153.4	.9	.3	156.6	2.1	.3	155.6	1.2	-1.3
Food away from home	189.6	6.1	-.3	169.2	6.5	.5	177.5	4.7	-.1
Alcoholic beverages	164.6	2.9	.1	163.5	3.4	.2	166.7	4.3	1.2
Housing	175.0	2.8	.5	188.2	1.8	-.9	225.6	3.6	.4
Shelter	187.5	6.2	.6	209.7	5.9	-1.5	277.5	8.6	-.3
Renters' costs ²	116.2	8.3	.5	113.0	4.4	-1.8	117.7	7.6	-.8
Rent, residential	177.9	7.3	.2	187.7	8.4	-.3	213.7	7.8	-1.0
Other renters' costs	238.2	13.3	2.9	178.8	-7.7	-5.3	199.0	5.0	.5
Homeowners' costs ²	113.1	5.3	.7	117.3	7.4	-1.3	121.1	9.2	-.1
Owners' equivalent rent ²	113.3	5.3	.7	117.5	7.4	-1.5	121.3	9.3	-.1
Fuel and other utilities	171.0	-7.6	.7	174.6	-7.1	.9	177.8	-6.1	1.5
Fuels ³	169.8	-9.9	1.1	172.5	-10.8	.5	173.4	-9.1	1.8
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities ³	176.8	-14.1	3.8	167.8	-16.9	2.7	164.8	-17.6	3.4
Fuel oil ³	176.9	-14.1	4.3	171.0	-16.9	3.2	164.0	-17.9	4.3
Other household fuel commodities ⁴	99.9	-	-.3	101.2	-	1.3	101.3	-	.5
Gas (piped) and electricity ³	170.2	-5.8	.6	179.1	-4.7	-.1	182.3	-1.2	1.3
Electricity ³	162.2	-4.5	1.7	173.0	-3.4	-.2	178.0	1.1	1.8
Utility (piped) gas ³	182.9	-7.5	-1.0	191.5	-7.1	.1	186.2	-6.0	-.3
Household furnishings and operation	146.3	3.3	-.4	148.5	.7	-.9	143.6	.4	1.8
Apparel and upkeep	125.6	3.5	1.5	123.4	1.0	-2.9	140.0	-1.1	-1.1
Apparel commodities	115.5	3.6	1.4	118.5	1.1	-3.0	135.3	-1.2	-1.3
Men's and boys' apparel	114.8	2.5	1.2	117.1	2.1	-2.5	142.2	-1.8	-.6
Women's and girls' apparel	102.7	7.7	1.7	111.2	.5	-4.5	132.4	.4	-1.2
Footwear	135.2	3.0	1.5	142.9	4.9	-2.9	126.1	-4.8	-1.7
Transportation	172.7	-3.7	.5	170.9	-3.7	.4	173.5	-3.3	.6
Private transportation	167.2	-4.8	.5	169.9	-3.9	.4	169.8	-3.6	.7
Motor fuel ³	145.5	-23.2	4.4	146.6	-22.5	4.3	146.9	-22.5	2.5
Gasoline ³	145.5	-23.3	4.4	146.6	-22.5	4.3	146.4	-22.5	2.4
Gasoline, leaded regular ³	144.1	-23.6	4.5	147.5	-22.6	5.1	141.9	-23.0	4.0
Gasoline, unleaded regular ³	139.5	-24.6	4.6	143.2	-23.0	4.1	143.9	-23.5	2.1
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁵	73.1	-21.1	3.8	72.9	-20.4	3.8	79.4	-19.0	1.5
Public transportation	209.7	2.4	.4	208.4	2.9	.0	289.3	1.5	.0
Medical care	210.6	7.7	1.1	215.5	7.2	.7	219.1	6.5	.1
Entertainment	161.9	3.2	-.7	155.4	1.0	.8	158.8	2.8	-.5
Other goods and services	200.8	5.6	.2	202.0	7.8	2.6	198.8	5.1	.1
Personal care	169.7	3.3	-.2	164.8	6.2	2.0	164.6	.2	-.8

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(December 1977 = 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—	
	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Jan. 1987
Commodity and service group									
All items	172.3	2.5	0.4	176.2	1.6	0.0	191.7	2.1	0.2
Commodities	159.0	.5	.3	162.2	-.9	.2	167.5	-1.0	.2
Food and beverages	168.9	5.4	-.1	167.4	5.0	1.1	166.7	4.3	-.2
Commodities less food and beverages	151.3	-3.3	.5	157.5	-4.7	-.4	166.3	-4.1	.5
Nondurables less food and beverages	150.5	-5.6	1.5	151.9	-8.7	.1	157.0	-6.9	.5
Durables	153.7	.9	-1.2	164.5	.4	-1.0	176.6	-.2	.6
Services	191.3	4.7	.5	200.3	5.0	-.2	236.0	6.2	.1
Medical care services	212.9	8.3	1.2	218.3	7.1	.7	222.8	6.7	.0
Special indexes									
All items less shelter	168.1	1.4	.3	167.5	.5	.5	169.3	.4	.4
All items less medical care	170.5	2.2	.4	174.6	1.3	-.1	190.5	1.9	.2
All items less energy	173.3	4.7	.3	178.3	4.1	-.2	195.6	4.4	.0
Energy ³	158.9	-15.7	2.3	160.1	-16.1	2.0	160.2	-15.5	2.0
Commodities less food	151.9	-3.0	.5	157.8	-4.4	-.4	166.5	-3.8	.5
Nondurables less food	151.4	-5.1	1.4	152.7	-7.9	.1	157.5	-6.3	.5
Nondurables	160.6	.4	.6	160.3	-1.4	.7	162.0	-1.3	.1
Services less rent of shelter ²	109.0	3.4	.4	107.9	3.8	1.0	110.8	4.0	.5
Services less medical care	189.4	4.4	.5	198.6	4.8	-.4	237.4	6.2	.1

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(December 1977=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—	
	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Jan. 1987
Expenditure category												
All items	176.6	1.5	0.2	172.6	1.7	-0.1	169.9	1.7	-0.2	174.1	1.0	0.2
Food and beverages	161.9	4.5	.0	162.1	4.9	.2	159.3	4.7	-.5	168.1	4.5	.4
Food	162.4	4.6	.1	162.2	4.9	.2	159.4	4.8	-.7	167.7	4.6	.4
Food at home	160.5	5.2	.0	155.7	4.8	.1	156.0	4.7	-1.2	158.3	5.5	.6
Cereals and bakery products	176.7	2.6	-.3	186.2	5.5	1.7	175.1	3.8	1.1	176.3	1.6	-1.4
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	159.7	8.7	-.6	152.4	7.3	-.2	149.7	5.1	-2.8	155.7	7.8	-2.4
Dairy products	149.1	5.4	1.2	143.5	3.2	1.1	136.5	1.7	-.4	141.9	4.0	.4
Fruits and vegetables	175.6	9.5	2.1	167.8	11.9	-.4	175.8	12.2	.3	170.0	11.3	4.2
Other food at home	152.6	.2	-1.1	148.4	-.1	-.5	155.9	1.8	-1.9	156.8	2.9	3.2
Food away from home	166.7	3.4	.3	177.1	5.1	.5	167.2	4.8	.2	188.9	2.9	.2
Alcoholic beverages	155.7	2.7	-.3	159.6	2.5	.2	156.7	2.3	1.6	174.1	2.7	.1
Housing	193.3	1.8	.6	178.4	2.1	-.4	177.2	2.2	-.2	181.1	.9	.1
Shelter	215.4	4.8	.7	192.3	4.7	-1.1	183.4	3.4	-.2	193.0	3.7	-.2
Renters' costs ²	112.3	5.8	.6	111.8	3.5	-.7	111.6	5.4	.2	105.5	2.9	.1
Rent, residential	174.7	5.1	.6	172.0	4.8	-.2	147.3	3.2	.2	151.9	3.3	.1
Other renters' costs	221.6	7.7	1.0	221.0	-1.8	2.8	233.4	10.9	.1	212.2	.5	-.4
Homeowners' costs ²	110.7	4.5	.6	112.1	5.3	-1.1	108.4	3.1	-.3	106.3	4.1	-.3
Owners' equivalent rent ²	110.5	4.4	.6	112.2	5.3	-1.1	108.3	3.1	-.3	106.2	4.2	-.3
Fuel and other utilities	183.3	-3.7	.4	184.1	-3.0	-.3	194.2	-1.2	-1.0	180.1	-4.5	-.7
Fuels ³	172.9	-6.2	-.5	169.4	-4.9	-1.2	189.1	-5.3	-.1	161.0	-7.0	-.4
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities ³	173.6	-12.1	1.3	157.8	-20.5	1.2	166.7	-17.8	1.3	135.2	-21.8	1.6
Fuel oil ³	179.5	-11.1	3.6	166.2	-19.4	3.6	168.3	-18.2	4.0	137.5	-21.4	4.2
Other household fuel commodities ⁴	101.7	-	-.7	101.0	-	-.2	99.2	-	-1.4	98.7	-	-1.3
Gas (piped) and electricity ³	173.5	-4.9	-.5	172.5	-.9	-1.3	196.0	-1.4	-.1	167.0	-3.6	-.5
Electricity ³	155.3	-2.1	-.2	139.4	3.2	-1.6	200.0	-.7	.0	138.1	.7	-.4
Utility (piped) gas ³	194.9	-7.5	-1.0	219.7	-4.1	-.8	190.0	-2.4	-.3	204.5	-6.9	-.7
Household furnishings and operation	141.8	.0	.3	143.3	2.1	1.4	148.0	2.9	1.0	151.3	1.3	1.5
Apparel and upkeep	120.9	-1.4	-.9	142.3	3.0	-.6	128.9	2.3	.0	124.7	-4.4	-.2
Apparel commodities	113.9	-1.6	-1.0	137.7	3.1	-.6	123.0	2.6	.0	120.7	-5.1	-.3
Men's and boys' apparel	117.4	-.3	-.5	133.3	.9	-3.3	111.7	-3.7	1.5	119.9	-4.9	-.2
Women's and girls' apparel	102.0	-3.0	-1.4	133.1	5.2	.9	122.0	5.4	-1.1	104.5	-10.3	-1.2
Footwear	117.3	-1.4	-.3	134.4	.7	-1.9	137.6	4.9	-.9	149.0	2.4	1.2
Transportation	167.9	-2.7	-.2	172.2	-2.5	.3	170.0	-3.6	-.6	170.5	-2.3	.5
Private transportation	164.1	-3.2	-.3	170.2	-3.0	.2	168.5	-3.8	-.6	167.3	-2.7	.5
Motor fuel ³	150.4	-15.6	1.5	149.4	-16.8	.9	150.2	-13.8	.7	143.7	-13.2	1.8
Gasoline ³	149.8	-15.5	1.5	149.5	-16.9	.9	149.7	-14.1	.7	143.2	-13.1	1.8
Gasoline, leaded regular ³	149.2	-14.3	1.6	143.4	-17.0	1.8	149.3	-13.5	.4	143.5	-12.3	1.6
Gasoline, unleaded regular ³	146.1	-16.3	1.4	147.5	-17.5	.6	149.9	-14.6	.7	142.7	-14.1	1.6
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁵	80.3	-13.7	2.3	78.8	-14.4	.0	75.1	-13.1	1.2	62.1	-12.3	4.4
Public transportation	244.9	3.9	.3	267.5	14.7	3.4	248.4	3.0	.0	305.5	5.5	.0
Medical care	210.4	6.6	.9	212.6	5.9	.6	206.9	6.4	.8	208.4	5.5	1.0
Entertainment	164.9	3.5	.0	146.1	1.2	.6	156.9	3.0	-.2	154.2	1.5	.1
Other goods and services	196.1	4.8	.3	204.8	6.0	.5	189.1	5.1	.5	203.4	4.8	.4
Personal care	154.0	1.7	-.1	174.5	2.8	1.2	147.8	1.9	.0	167.5	2.4	1.0

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(December 1977 = 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—	
	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Jan. 1987
Commodity and service group												
All items	176.6	1.5	0.2	172.6	1.7	-0.1	169.9	1.7	-0.2	174.1	1.0	0.2
Commodities	157.8	-3	-1	158.8	.1	.4	155.6	.2	-2	158.6	.2	.6
Food and beverages	161.9	4.5	.0	162.1	4.9	.2	159.3	4.7	-5	168.1	4.5	.4
Commodities less food and beverages	154.2	-3.1	-1	156.3	-2.4	.4	152.8	-2.2	.1	153.3	-2.2	.7
Nondurables less food and beverages	150.6	-5.0	.3	161.4	-4.9	.2	155.5	-3.6	.3	149.0	-4.8	.6
Durables	156.8	-6	-6	154.6	.8	.7	152.2	-7	-3	157.7	.1	.8
Services	207.0	3.4	.3	197.3	4.1	-4	195.0	3.5	-3	202.5	2.2	.0
Medical care services	212.5	6.7	.8	209.4	5.3	.7	208.5	6.5	1.0	211.2	6.2	1.3
Special indexes												
All items less shelter	164.9	.7	.0	168.0	1.1	.3	166.1	1.2	-2	168.3	.5	.4
All items less medical care	175.0	1.2	.1	170.9	1.5	-1	168.2	1.4	-3	172.4	.8	.2
All items less energy	178.2	3.2	.1	173.6	3.8	.0	169.9	3.3	-3	175.9	2.3	.2
Energy ³	161.1	-10.8	.4	158.6	-11.3	-3	168.2	-9.6	.3	152.8	-9.8	.5
Commodities less food	154.4	-2.9	-1	156.5	-2.2	.4	153.0	-2.0	.1	153.9	-2.1	.7
Nondurables less food	150.9	-4.6	.3	161.3	-4.6	.2	155.5	-3.3	.4	150.6	-4.3	.5
Nondurables	156.6	-1	.1	161.8	-1	.2	157.4	.5	-1	159.2	.3	.5
Services less rent of shelter ²	107.5	2.6	.1	107.9	3.8	.2	108.0	3.3	-4	106.3	1.2	.1
Services less medical care	206.4	3.1	.3	196.1	4.0	-5	193.6	3.2	-4	201.3	1.8	-1

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(December 1977 = 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—	
		Feb. 1986	Jan. 1987		Feb. 1986	Jan. 1987		Feb. 1986	Jan. 1987		Feb. 1986	Jan. 1987
Expenditure category	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Jan. 1987
All items	178.7	1.0	0.5	177.4	1.6	0.5	179.0	1.4	0.6	177.9	1.1	0.0
Food and beverages	171.6	3.9	.9	170.4	4.3	.5	164.5	4.2	.4	166.4	2.3	.1
Food	172.5	4.2	1.0	170.8	4.5	.4	164.5	4.2	.4	166.8	2.3	.0
Food at home	166.0	3.7	1.0	163.7	4.9	.7	158.6	3.7	-.3	160.7	2.2	-.2
Cereals and bakery products	167.7	.1	-.9	168.7	2.4	.2	167.6	.9	.7	172.0	2.1	.9
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	160.3	4.2	.0	157.9	8.4	-.6	148.8	4.7	-2.5	164.7	5.2	-2.8
Dairy products	159.3	5.5	2.8	159.8	4.6	2.0	155.6	4.5	-1.3	155.4	1.8	.3
Fruits and vegetables	186.2	8.6	3.7	188.6	9.8	1.8	179.5	9.4	3.8	175.7	3.4	2.9
Other food at home	164.9	1.4	.7	159.2	.8	1.3	157.8	1.3	.3	147.8	-1.1	.7
Food away from home	187.2	5.3	.9	186.9	3.8	.2	181.0	5.5	1.9	183.2	2.6	.8
Alcoholic beverages	158.9	.8	.1	162.3	1.9	.3	164.1	1.9	.9	153.6	.7	.2
Housing	184.3	.5	.1	181.0	1.8	.2	189.0	1.7	.5	190.0	1.4	-.5
Shelter	198.4	1.6	.2	193.0	3.0	.7	206.7	3.4	.2	221.9	3.5	-.8
Renters' costs ²	107.8	1.7	.3	110.3	5.1	.9	106.8	3.6	.7	109.6	3.8	-1.2
Rent, residential	178.0	1.6	.3	168.1	4.2	1.0	169.8	2.9	.7	174.2	3.4	-.9
Other renters' costs	215.9	2.6	-.5	256.2	11.8	.2	222.8	7.5	.5	222.8	7.9	-2.2
Homeowners' costs ²	108.7	1.6	.1	106.6	2.5	.6	104.8	3.6	.0	108.1	3.2	-.7
Owners' equivalent rent ²	108.6	1.7	.2	106.7	2.6	.6	104.5	3.4	.0	107.7	3.2	-.7
Fuel and other utilities	175.4	-6.5	-1.1	184.4	-.2	.2	186.5	.1	.5	161.2	-2.2	1.1
Fuels ³	162.0	-9.9	-1.9	190.2	-1.8	.3	195.8	-2.8	.7	153.9	-3.7	2.2
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities ³	180.5	-16.0	3.5	184.2	-12.1	3.3	166.9	-11.6	2.0	157.3	-15.5	3.0
Fuel oil ³	174.0	-14.4	5.4	182.8	-15.0	4.8	131.6	-11.4	.5	146.0	-15.3	3.6
Other household fuel commodities ⁴	104.8	-	1.6	103.2	-	2.3	102.3	-	2.1	103.1	-	2.7
Gas (piped) and electricity ³	160.8	-8.1	-2.1	190.3	-1.1	-.1	198.7	-2.0	.7	153.9	-.5	2.1
Electricity ³	145.3	-10.3	-3.1	187.3	-1.5	-.1	183.4	-1.2	.4	155.5	.0	2.4
Utility (piped) gas ³	200.5	-3.5	.4	201.0	.7	.2	239.2	-3.2	1.9	146.2	-4.4	-1.1
Household furnishings and operation	153.8	4.6	.8	142.2	.1	-1.5	142.3	.2	1.3	143.5	1.3	-1.7
Apparel and upkeep	145.9	5.0	1.9	137.9	.4	2.6	140.7	3.1	2.1	117.6	-1.2	-2.4
Apparel commodities	135.6	4.8	2.0	128.1	-.1	2.9	135.4	3.0	2.3	110.2	-2.6	-2.9
Men's and boys' apparel	137.4	2.3	-.1	147.9	3.1	1.6	149.6	.3	2.7	109.4	5.0	-6.1
Women's and girls' apparel	134.3	9.1	3.1	112.4	-4.4	2.6	126.0	6.5	3.9	102.3	-3.6	-1.4
Footwear	126.5	1.0	1.9	130.2	2.8	3.4	138.3	5.4	.7	115.2	-7.2	-.3
Transportation	174.0	-4.0	.8	178.1	-2.7	.7	174.6	-4.5	.6	172.4	-3.3	1.2
Private transportation	171.1	-4.5	.8	176.6	-2.9	.8	173.4	-4.8	.6	170.2	-3.4	1.3
Motor fuel ³	154.7	-19.4	4.8	152.7	-17.9	3.8	155.6	-15.5	4.3	138.5	-19.6	4.1
Gasoline ³	154.6	-19.4	4.9	152.2	-17.9	3.6	155.7	-15.3	4.4	138.2	-19.7	4.0
Gasoline, leaded regular ³	153.5	-19.7	5.4	152.8	-17.4	3.9	152.8	-15.3	5.5	130.7	-23.0	4.6
Gasoline, unleaded regular ³	150.1	-20.3	5.0	150.5	-18.1	3.9	157.1	-15.9	4.6	136.2	-20.2	4.0
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁵	77.3	-17.5	3.9	75.0	-17.6	2.6	78.7	-13.4	1.8	72.3	-15.4	3.1
Public transportation	239.8	5.0	-.4	243.9	5.6	-.6	216.5	3.6	-.3	254.1	-.3	.3
Medical care	217.4	6.0	.3	211.4	5.6	.2	222.3	8.7	.4	230.4	10.0	.7
Entertainment	169.5	2.9	1.0	158.9	1.7	.5	162.9	.5	.5	153.9	.5	-.3
Other goods and services	195.7	6.1	.2	208.7	7.6	.4	195.8	5.6	.7	195.5	5.3	.6
Personal care	173.7	4.4	.3	178.7	4.4	.2	164.4	1.3	-.2	156.6	-.1	-.3

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

(December 1977 = 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—	
	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Jan. 1987
Commodity and service group												
All items	178.7	1.0	0.5	177.4	1.6	0.5	179.0	1.4	0.6	177.9	1.1	0.0
Commodities	165.7	.1	1.1	164.3	-.2	.7	165.4	-.2	1.0	160.3	-1.7	-.1
Food and beverages	171.6	3.9	.9	170.4	4.3	.5	164.5	4.2	.4	166.4	2.3	.1
Commodities less food and beverages	161.6	-2.2	1.3	160.3	-2.9	.8	164.3	-2.9	1.3	156.3	-3.9	-.3
Nondurables less food and beverages	159.2	-5.1	2.2	157.3	-4.2	2.0	159.3	-4.0	2.2	146.8	-6.4	.5
Durables	166.1	1.9	.1	162.4	-1.7	-.6	169.7	-.9	.4	165.8	-1.0	-1.2
Services	198.4	2.1	.0	197.8	3.9	.4	202.5	3.6	.1	207.9	4.9	.2
Medical care services	218.6	6.1	.6	211.4	5.2	.0	224.7	8.9	.0	234.5	10.8	.8
Special indexes												
All items less shelter	172.8	.9	.6	172.3	1.2	.5	171.0	1.1	.7	166.9	.8	.2
All items less medical care	176.6	.6	.6	175.4	1.3	.5	176.4	.8	.6	174.1	.3	-.1
All items less energy	180.5	3.3	.4	178.1	3.2	.4	179.9	3.2	.4	181.8	2.9	-.3
Energy ³	157.2	-15.4	1.3	167.8	-11.1	1.8	172.1	-9.9	2.3	144.7	-12.7	3.0
Commodities less food	161.5	-2.2	1.1	160.4	-2.8	.8	164.4	-2.7	1.3	156.3	-3.8	-.3
Nondurables less food	159.0	-4.8	2.0	157.5	-4.0	1.9	159.5	-3.7	2.1	147.1	-6.1	.5
Nondurables	165.6	-.5	1.5	164.1	.2	1.2	162.0	.2	1.3	156.7	-1.9	.3
Services less rent of shelter ²	108.8	2.5	-.2	110.2	4.3	.2	109.7	3.8	.2	109.6	5.7	.9
Services less medical care	196.0	1.7	-.1	196.0	3.6	.4	199.3	2.8	.2	202.9	3.6	.1

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(December 1977 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	West								
	Size class A			Size class B			Size class C		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Jan. 1987
	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Jan. 1987
Expenditure category									
All items	180.2	2.7	1.0	180.8	1.5	0.4	172.7	1.8	0.5
Food and beverages	172.4	4.7	.6	172.2	2.9	.5	170.1	3.5	1.1
Food	174.0	4.9	.6	173.1	3.0	.5	169.5	3.7	1.2
Food at home	167.5	6.3	1.1	169.7	3.5	.7	164.5	4.6	2.0
Cereals and bakery products	182.0	5.6	.1	187.1	4.4	2.6	174.0	2.5	1.0
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	159.2	7.3	-.4	165.3	2.9	.5	158.5	3.0	-.8
Dairy products	156.4	3.5	.3	153.6	.8	-2.2	146.0	1.2	1.2
Fruits and vegetables	180.8	14.7	4.1	190.8	11.4	6.5	186.1	9.7	3.7
Other food at home	167.5	2.1	1.8	163.8	.1	-2.0	164.4	5.6	4.6
Food away from home	187.1	2.9	-.2	180.3	2.3	.1	180.7	2.6	.1
Alcoholic beverages	152.3	1.7	.5	159.7	1.0	-.1	181.3	.4	.7
Housing	189.9	4.1	1.0	186.5	2.2	-.1	170.2	3.0	.0
Shelter	201.3	5.8	1.3	202.3	4.5	-.2	175.8	4.5	.1
Renters' costs ²	115.6	6.3	.9	112.0	4.3	-.4	110.5	2.6	.0
Rent, residential	214.1	6.1	.8	198.4	4.3	-.6	181.5	4.1	-.1
Other renters' costs	213.5	6.8	.9	213.2	3.1	.0	234.2	-12.2	.2
Homeowners' costs ²	115.0	5.7	1.7	111.2	4.5	-.1	113.5	5.5	.2
Owners' equivalent rent ²	114.9	5.7	1.8	110.8	4.3	-.2	113.7	5.7	.2
Fuel and other utilities	198.5	-1.0	.8	186.5	-5.6	.3	183.6	-1.3	-.2
Fuels ³	218.8	-2.1	1.2	203.9	-8.7	.2	194.7	-3.8	-.7
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities ³	168.7	-19.1	2.8	162.3	-15.0	.4	220.2	NA	2.0
Fuel oil ³	167.9	-22.9	6.9	NA	NA	NA	236.9	NA	9.0
Other household fuel commodities ⁴	103.0	-	.5	100.4	-	.3	98.9	-	.6
Gas (piped) and electricity ³	222.2	-1.0	1.1	211.0	-7.7	.2	191.3	-3.4	-.8
Electricity ³	203.1	-1.9	-.3	197.2	-4.7	.4	152.3	-.3	-.4
Utility (piped) gas ³	256.0	1.2	4.5	233.7	-13.2	.0	256.6	-6.9	-1.5
Household furnishings and operation	147.2	1.4	.1	145.5	1.6	.1	144.6	2.3	-.1
Apparel and upkeep	127.2	1.5	.7	132.6	4.4	-1.0	133.3	4.4	.9
Apparel commodities	118.9	.9	.7	125.3	4.8	-1.2	128.9	5.0	.9
Men's and boys' apparel	125.3	1.3	.7	129.9	-1.6	-1.1	133.1	2.9	-1.0
Women's and girls' apparel	95.4	-1.1	1.1	105.9	6.1	-2.5	117.2	3.5	-.4
Footwear	142.6	1.1	-.6	143.4	7.8	2.3	150.2	12.3	7.1
Transportation	179.5	-2.1	1.6	179.8	-3.5	1.5	174.8	-4.4	.5
Private transportation	177.2	-2.4	1.7	176.8	-3.7	1.7	172.7	-4.9	.5
Motor fuel ³	145.2	-16.3	10.1	148.0	-17.8	8.6	140.9	-20.8	6.3
Gasoline ³	145.2	-16.2	10.3	146.1	-18.1	8.8	140.5	-20.9	6.4
Gasoline, leaded regular ³	141.2	-15.6	10.2	138.6	-18.2	9.3	137.9	-22.0	7.1
Gasoline, unleaded regular ³	141.2	-17.2	10.7	145.0	-17.5	9.2	138.9	-19.6	6.7
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁵	75.9	-14.9	8.1	73.9	-20.8	7.1	70.3	-22.7	3.4
Public transportation	230.5	5.0	-.1	253.4	-1.1	-1.3	232.4	6.3	1.2
Medical care	220.0	8.0	.8	211.2	5.8	.4	227.9	8.1	.9
Entertainment	145.3	2.1	.4	165.2	2.7	1.1	180.9	6.0	.8
Other goods and services	203.6	4.3	.8	197.7	4.7	.7	192.8	4.2	.9
Personal care	179.8	1.6	1.3	167.5	-.5	-.1	169.3	2.2	.9

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

(December 1977=100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	West								
	Size class A			Size class B			Size class C		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Jan. 1987
Commodity and service group									
All items	180.2	2.7	1.0	180.8	1.5	0.4	172.7	1.8	0.5
Commodities	158.6	.2	1.1	164.0	-.3	.8	161.4	-.1	.9
Food and beverages	172.4	4.7	.6	172.2	2.9	.5	170.1	3.5	1.1
Commodities less food and beverages	150.5	-2.8	1.4	158.7	-2.3	1.0	155.9	-2.4	.8
Nondurables less food and beverages	152.8	-4.4	3.0	158.7	-3.9	2.1	155.6	-5.1	1.9
Durables	151.2	-.2	-.3	160.8	-.1	-.1	158.4	.7	-.5
Services	209.6	5.1	.9	203.6	3.1	.0	187.7	4.0	.1
Medical care services	222.4	8.5	.9	211.0	5.8	.2	232.8	7.9	1.0
Special indexes									
All items less shelter	172.3	1.6	.8	172.9	.5	.6	172.9	1.1	.6
All items less medical care	178.2	2.4	1.0	178.9	1.1	.4	169.9	1.4	.5
All items less energy	181.4	4.3	.7	181.8	3.1	.1	173.8	3.6	.3
Energy ³	167.1	-11.4	6.0	170.2	-13.4	4.7	162.2	-13.4	2.8
Commodities less food	150.7	-2.6	1.3	158.9	-2.2	1.0	156.7	-2.3	.8
Nondurables less food	152.5	-4.2	2.6	158.6	-3.6	1.9	157.1	-4.7	1.7
Nondurables	163.2	.5	1.6	165.9	-.2	1.2	163.4	-.4	1.5
Services less rent of shelter ²	111.3	4.3	.4	109.5	2.1	.2	111.7	3.5	.2
Services less medical care	208.3	4.8	.9	202.6	2.8	.0	182.8	3.5	.1

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

² Indexes on a December 1984=100 base.

³ Indexes on a June 1978=100 base.

⁴ Indexes on a December 1986=100 base.

⁵ Indexes on an August 1981=100 base.

NA Data not adequate for publication.

- Data not available.

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

(1967=100, unless otherwise noted)

Area	Other index base	Total food at home	Cereals and bakery products	Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	Dairy products	Fruits and vegetables	Other food at home
Indexes, February 1987							
U.S. city average		314.6	331.2	285.8	263.6	348.2	380.0
Region and area size ¹							
Northeast urban	12/77	162.8	174.9	163.3	144.1	181.3	154.6
Size A - More than 1,200,000	12/77	161.3	173.4	161.4	144.6	178.0	153.4
Size B - 500,000 to 1,200,000	12/77	167.0	179.9	170.1	141.9	191.8	156.6
Size C - 50,000 to 500,000	12/77	162.6	175.8	162.4	142.0	183.4	155.6
North Central urban	12/77	158.6	177.7	156.2	144.5	173.8	153.0
Size A - More than 1,200,000	12/77	160.5	176.7	159.7	149.1	175.6	152.6
Size B - 360,000 to 1,200,000	12/77	155.7	186.2	152.4	143.5	167.8	148.4
Size C - 50,000 to 360,000	12/77	156.0	175.1	149.7	136.5	175.8	155.9
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	12/77	158.3	176.3	155.7	141.9	170.0	156.8
South urban	12/77	162.6	168.5	157.3	157.7	183.5	158.6
Size A - More than 1,200,000	12/77	166.0	167.7	160.3	159.3	186.2	164.9
Size B - 450,000 to 1,200,000	12/77	163.7	168.7	157.9	159.8	188.6	159.2
Size C - 50,000 to 450,000	12/77	158.6	167.6	148.8	155.6	179.5	157.8
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	12/77	160.7	172.0	164.7	155.4	175.7	147.8
West urban	12/77	167.9	181.8	160.7	153.4	186.5	166.3
Size A - More than 1,200,000	12/77	167.5	182.0	159.2	156.4	180.8	167.5
Size B - 330,000 to 1,200,000	12/77	169.7	187.1	165.3	153.6	190.8	163.8
Size C - 50,000 to 330,000	12/77	164.5	174.0	158.5	146.0	186.1	164.4
Size classes							
A	12/86	102.3	101.0	100.3	100.9	108.5	102.2
B	12/77	164.1	178.7	161.4	150.6	185.6	157.5
C	12/77	159.4	172.7	153.1	145.3	180.4	157.5
D	12/77	161.3	174.8	160.4	148.3	178.4	154.6
Selected local areas ²							
Baltimore, Md.		308.0	332.0	266.0	260.9	384.0	363.4
Boston, Mass.		298.2	319.4	293.3	241.2	325.9	334.3
Chicago, Ill.-Northwestern Ind.		307.5	334.3	283.5	259.9	353.5	359.7
Cleveland, Ohio		318.1	322.3	319.0	255.4	334.9	358.4
Dallas-Fort Worth, Tex.		326.0	316.4	275.0	308.8	355.0	407.3
Detroit, Mich.		303.6	347.3	291.3	252.7	308.4	351.5
Houston, Tex.		333.1	316.1	291.1	311.7	355.3	412.6
L.A.-Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif.		325.5	339.0	298.5	261.2	341.8	402.3
Miami, Fla.	11/77	169.2	171.7	170.6	151.5	199.1	157.4
N.Y., N.Y.-Northeastern N.J.		326.1	343.9	296.5	264.9	364.6	398.9
Philadelphia, Pa.-N.J.		315.8	337.9	285.8	248.8	349.6	401.2
Pittsburgh, Pa.		300.3	311.1	264.0	240.2	368.4	360.4
St. Louis, Mo.-Ill.		324.0	370.8	268.0	294.4	379.4	395.2
San Francisco-Oakland, Calif.		317.1	358.6	290.6	256.0	331.3	388.3
Washington, D.C.-Md.-Va.		329.5	316.5	296.3	253.2	382.8	425.3

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1967 = 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
Percent change, January 1987 to February 1987						
U.S. city average	0.4	0.4	-0.9	0.6	3.0	0.3
Region and area size ¹						
Northeast urban .....	.4	.8	-.7	.1	3.0	-.1
Size A - More than 1,200,000 .....	.1	1.2	-1.8	-.3	3.2	.3
Size B - 500,000 to 1,200,000	1.6	.7	3.2	.2	2.3	.3
Size C - 50,000 to 500,000	-.4	-1.2	-1.0	.6	1.9	-1.3
North Central urban	-.2	.2	-1.1	.7	1.6	-.8
Size A - More than 1,200,000 .....	.0	-.3	-.6	1.2	2.1	-1.1
Size B - 360,000 to 1,200,000 .....	.1	1.7	-.2	1.1	-.4	-.5
Size C - 50,000 to 360,000	-1.2	1.1	-2.8	-.4	.3	-1.9
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000) .....	.6	-1.4	-2.4	.4	4.2	3.2
South urban .....	.4	.1	-1.3	1.2	3.1	.8
Size A - More than 1,200,000	1.0	-.9	.0	2.8	3.7	.7
Size B - 450,000 to 1,200,000 .....	.7	.2	-.6	2.0	1.8	1.3
Size C - 50,000 to 450,000	-.3	.7	-2.5	-1.3	3.8	.3
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	-.2	.9	-2.8	.3	2.9	.7
West urban	1.1	.7	-.6	.2	4.3	1.5
Size A - More than 1,200,000	1.1	.1	-.4	.3	4.1	1.8
Size B - 330,000 to 1,200,000 .....	.7	2.6	.5	-2.2	6.5	-2.0
Size C - 50,000 to 330,000	2.0	1.0	-.8	1.2	3.7	4.6
Size classes						
A .....	.5	.1	-.8	.8	3.2	.4
B .....	.8	1.0	.5	.7	2.3	.2
C	-.4	.6	-2.1	-.3	2.3	-.2
D .....	.4	.3	-2.0	1.4	3.9	1.2
Selected local areas ²						
Baltimore, Md.	-1.8	-2.3	-3.7	4.4	-2.3	-1.4
Boston, Mass.	-3.1	-.4	-8.4	.2	1.4	.4
Chicago, Ill.-Northwestern Ind.	-.6	-1.4	-3.1	2.5	5.9	-2.5
Cleveland, Ohio .....	.6	-.4	-1.3	1.5	5.6	.3
Dallas-Fort Worth, Tex.	3.7	-1.0	.9	15.8	3.5	3.8
Detroit, Mich.	-.1	-.3	.6	.8	-3.8	.7
Houston, Tex.	1.7	-2.6	.8	1.7	12.3	-.8
L.A.-Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif.	2.5	-.1	1.3	.5	7.0	3.1
Miami, Fla. ....	.7	-1.1	1.4	-1.5	3.7	-.4
N.Y., N.Y.-Northeastern N.J. ....	.6	2.2	-.5	-1.7	3.7	.2
Philadelphia, Pa.-N.J. ....	.0	-1.0	-1.4	-.3	2.6	1.5
Pittsburgh, Pa. ....	.1	1.2	-2.5	3.8	3.2	-1.6
St. Louis, Mo.-Ill. ....	.7	2.5	2.4	-2.1	3.9	-2.3
San Francisco-Oakland, Calif.	-1.2	1.3	-2.3	-1.7	-.8	-1.3
Washington, D.C.-Md.-Va.	-.7	-.4	-3.4	-.9	-1.5	3.9

¹ Regions are defined as the four Census regions.

² Area is the Consolidated Metropolitan Statistical Area (CMSA), exclusive of farms and military. Area definitions are those established by the Office of Management and Budget in 1983, except for Boston-

Lawrence-Salem, MA-NH Area (excludes Rayham Town, MA); Detroit-Ann Arbor, MI Area (excludes Monroe County); and Milwaukee, WI Area (includes only the Milwaukee MSA). Definitions do not include revisions made since 1983.

Table 23. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers: Areas priced monthly, by expenditure category and commodity and service group, percent change, January 1987 to February 1987

Expenditure category	U.S. city average	Chicago, Ill.— Northwestern Ind.	L.A.— Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif.	New York, N.Y.— Northeastern N.J.	Philadelphia, Pa.—N.J.	San Francisco— Oakland, Calif.
All items	0.4	0.0	1.2	0.5	0.2	0.9
Food and beverages .....	.3	-.3	1.2	.2	-.3	-.6
Food .....	.3	-.2	1.3	.2	-.3	-.7
Food at home .....	.4	-.6	2.5	.6	.0	-1.2
Cereals and bakery products .....	.4	-1.4	-.1	2.2	-1.0	1.3
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	-.9	-3.1	1.3	-.5	-1.4	-2.3
Meats, poultry, and fish	-.8	-2.8	1.1	-.4	-1.1	-2.1
Dairy products .....	.6	2.5	.5	-1.7	-.3	-1.7
Fruits and vegetables	3.0	5.9	7.0	3.7	2.6	-.8
Other food at home .....	.3	-2.5	3.1	.2	1.5	-1.3
Food away from home .....	.3	.7	-.6	-.4	-.9	.1
Alcoholic beverages .....	.3	-1.4	.5	.0	.0	.5
Housing .....	.3	.1	1.4	.4	1.1	.8
Shelter .....	.4	.2	1.7	.4	1.9	1.0
Renters' costs .....	.4	.7	.9	.3	1.2	.7
Rent, residential .....	.3	.7	.8	.2	.2	.8
Other renters' costs .....	.6	.6	1.3	2.0	3.4	.1
Homeowners' costs .....	.5	.0	2.3	.4	2.1	1.4
Owners' equivalent rent .....	.4	-.1	2.3	.4	2.2	1.3
Fuel and other utilities .....	.3	-.2	1.5	1.3	-.9	.1
Fuels .....	.2	-1.1	3.1	2.2	-1.5	.0
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities	3.0	2.9	1.0	4.2	2.6	.5
Fuel oil	4.2	4.4	NA	4.4	4.2	8.3
Other household commodities .....	.8	.0	1.0	1.2	-3.5	.0
Gas (piped) and electricity .....	.0	-1.1	3.2	1.7	-2.1	.0
Electricity .....	.0	-.7	.1	2.3	.0	.0
Utility (piped) gas	-.1	-1.5	9.6	.7	-5.6	-.1
Household furnishings and operation .....	.2	.5	-.2	-1.2	.6	.6
Apparel and upkeep .....	.5	-1.6	-.4	2.7	-2.0	5.7
Apparel commodities .....	.5	-1.4	-.6	2.9	-2.1	6.4
Men's and boys' apparel .....	.2	-.5	.8	1.5	1.3	2.9
Women's and girls' apparel .....	.6	-1.8	-2.6	4.1	-7.6	12.3
Footwear .....	.6	-1.0	2.3	3.3	1.9	.6
Transportation .....	.6	-.2	1.6	.6	.1	1.4
Private transportation .....	.6	-.4	1.8	.7	.1	1.4
Motor fuel	4.2	2.1	12.4	4.5	3.9	9.2
Gasoline	4.3	2.4	12.6	4.5	3.9	9.2
Gasoline, leaded regular	4.6	3.0	12.5	4.8	4.2	10.4
Gasoline, unleaded regular	4.2	2.5	13.3	4.7	3.7	9.3
Gasoline, unleaded premium	3.6	1.4	9.7	4.1	3.6	7.4
Public transportation .....	.1	1.4	-1.7	.2	.2	1.9
Medical care .....	.7	1.1	.5	1.5	.3	.2
Entertainment .....	.2	-.1	.2	-.3	-2.0	1.4
Other goods and services .....	.5	.4	.7	.1	.3	1.1
Personal care .....	.3	-.6	1.0	-.7	.0	4.0

Table 23. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers: Areas priced monthly, by expenditure category and commodity and service group, percent change, January 1987 to February 1987 —Continued

	U.S. city average	Chicago, Ill.— Northwestern Ind.	L.A.— Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif.	New York, N.Y.— Northeastern N.J.	Philadelphia, Pa.—N.J.	San Francisco— Oakland, Calif.
Commodity and service group						
All items	0.4	0.0	1.2	0.5	0.2	0.9
Commodities .....	.5	-.1	1.3	.5	-.3	1.3
Food and beverages .....	.3	-.3	1.2	.2	-.3	-.6
Commodities less food and beverages .....	.6	.0	1.3	.8	-.4	2.9
Nondurables less food and beverages	1.4	.6	3.2	2.2	-.5	4.4
Durables	-.3	-.8	-.6	-1.7	-.3	.9
Services .....	.3	.0	1.1	.5	.7	.6
Medical care services .....	.7	.8	.7	1.7	.4	.2
Special indexes						
All items less shelter .....	.4	-.2	.9	.6	-.3	.9
All items less medical care .....	.4	-.1	1.2	.5	.3	1.0
All items less energy .....	.3	-.1	.7	.3	.2	.7
Energy	2.0	.4	8.5	3.0	.4	4.9
Commodities less food .....	.6	-.1	1.3	.8	-.4	2.7
Nondurables less food	1.3	.4	2.8	2.0	-.4	3.9
Nondurables .....	.8	.1	2.1	1.1	-.3	1.4
Services less rent of shelter .....	.2	-.2	.2	.6	-.4	.0
Services less medical care .....	.3	-.1	1.1	.4	.8	.6

^{NA} Data not adequate for publication.

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

(1967=100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Monthly cities and pricing schedule 2 ¹											
	U.S. city average			Chicago, Ill.- Northwestern Ind.			Dallas- Fort Worth, Tex.			Detroit, Mich.		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Dec. 1986	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Dec. 1986	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Dec. 1986	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Dec. 1986
Expenditure category												
All items	329.0	1.8	1.0	319.0	2.0	1.0	341.1	0.2	1.8	316.5	1.3	0.8
All items(1957-59=100)	382.6	-	-	362.3	-	-	368.7	-	-	363.7	-	-
Food and beverages	321.3	4.5	1.4	306.1	4.5	1.7	344.2	5.1	2.8	300.8	4.6	.5
Food	329.5	4.6	1.4	313.6	4.7	1.9	351.5	5.5	2.9	304.8	4.8	.4
Food at home	314.6	4.8	1.9	307.5	5.3	2.5	326.0	5.9	3.8	303.6	5.6	.5
Cereals and bakery products	331.2	3.2	1.0	334.3	3.0	2.5	316.4	2.8	-1.1	347.3	5.4	2.7
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	285.8	6.8	-3	283.5	6.3	1.0	275.0	7.4	2.4	291.3	11.8	-1.3
Meats, poultry, and fish	293.9	7.2	.1	286.6	6.8	1.7	285.9	8.1	2.9	294.7	12.2	-1.5
Dairy products	263.6	3.0	1.0	259.9	8.3	3.4	306.8	13.8	7.2	252.7	5.4	2.8
Fruits and vegetables	348.2	10.2	7.7	353.5	11.4	6.5	355.0	6.3	3.8	308.4	10.1	3.7
Other food at home	380.0	1.3	2.1	359.7	.8	1.4	407.3	3.1	6.4	351.5	-4.4	-1.1
Food away from home	373.2	4.5	.7	330.6	3.4	.8	425.7	5.0	1.5	320.8	3.1	.4
Alcoholic beverages	246.2	2.2	.9	234.2	3.8	-2	253.7	1.2	-5	275.0	1.7	1.0
Housing	357.5	2.2	.8	338.4	2.2	1.0	372.3	-1.7	1.0	349.4	1.8	2.2
Shelter	401.2	4.8	.8	387.9	5.1	1.0	433.9	.0	-6	392.9	6.1	1.7
Renters' costs ²	112.7	5.4	1.0	112.6	6.4	2.0	106.3	-1.2	-1.3	119.8	10.3	5.1
Rent, residential	287.0	5.2	.7	256.2	5.8	1.1	277.4	-1.1	-1.1	269.2	6.2	.7
Other renters' costs	427.6	6.0	2.5	447.9	9.1	7.3	394.8	-2.2	-2.6	419.2	20.7	17.9
Homeowners' costs ²	111.6	4.7	.7	110.7	4.7	.6	108.9	.6	-2	113.5	5.1	.4
Owners' equivalent rent ²	111.5	4.6	.6	109.9	4.5	.6	108.3	.7	-2	113.7	5.2	.5
Fuel and other utilities	374.9	-4.1	1.0	321.5	-4.2	1.3	327.2	-10.0	3.8	444.0	-2.1	5.9
Fuels	443.7	-6.7	1.5	385.7	-6.1	2.0	419.2	-13.5	8.7	502.5	-6.1	3.0
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities ³	503.9	-15.1	8.7	505.4	-12.3	5.8	190.6	-9.9	1.1	558.2	-7.0	2.6
Fuel oil ⁴	504.0	-14.8	12.8	182.0	-10.8	9.0	NA	NA	NA	161.4	-7.8	3.7
Other household fuel commodities ⁵	101.7	-	1.7	100.0	-	.0	101.1	-	1.1	102.2	-	2.2
Gas (piped) and electricity	427.3	-3.6	.8	358.1	-4.5	2.0	415.5	-14.0	8.8	491.8	-6.0	3.0
Electricity	354.6	-2.3	1.0	309.1	-4.3	2.3	252.9	-20.7	7.4	321.2	-2.8	4.9
Utility (piped) gas	523.2	-5.4	.6	397.3	-4.7	1.7	706.6	-1.9	10.6	636.0	-8.4	1.5
Household furnishings and operation	249.4	1.7	.4	234.7	.3	.9	259.7	3.4	3.7	196.7	-4.9	-6
Apparel and upkeep	206.9	1.9	-1.3	175.2	-2	-4.1	215.3	2.8	2.0	171.7	1.4	-2.1
Apparel commodities	191.5	1.8	-1.5	156.8	.8	-4.4	182.4	2.1	2.1	155.8	1.4	-2.0
Men's and boys' apparel	198.9	1.1	-1.6	157.1	2.1	1.2	181.1	-9.9	-8.9	165.9	4.1	-.8
Women's and girls' apparel	169.2	2.4	-2.3	137.6	.2	-6.3	165.8	6.8	5.3	146.9	1.3	-3.4
Footwear	212.4	1.9	-1.2	164.3	-1.0	-4.8	219.0	1.0	2.1	141.6	-6	-2.4
Transportation	309.9	-3.2	1.9	308.3	-2.1	1.6	303.6	-6.0	3.4	295.8	-2.9	-.1
Private transportation	303.4	-3.6	2.0	295.6	-3.1	1.7	302.1	-6.4	3.4	292.5	-2.9	.1
Motor fuel ⁴	289.5	-18.0	10.0	151.0	-14.6	8.0	153.4	-21.0	18.7	154.9	-17.8	8.3
Gasoline ⁴	288.9	-18.0	10.1	150.3	-14.4	8.4	153.3	-21.0	18.9	154.5	-17.7	8.3
Gasoline, leaded regular ⁶	161.1	-17.5	11.5	171.3	-10.9	10.2	171.5	-20.2	20.8	166.8	-18.0	9.3
Gasoline, unleaded regular ⁶	164.6	-18.7	10.2	168.7	-15.7	8.7	170.9	-22.2	18.8	171.9	-18.0	7.8
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁷	75.6	-17.5	7.5	81.7	-14.1	5.1	76.9	-18.7	15.8	80.2	-14.9	9.4
Public transportation	427.2	3.5	.3	462.4	7.1	.5	359.5	5.8	2.5	403.4	-1.4	-3.5

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Monthly cities and pricing schedule 2 ¹											
	U.S. city average			Chicago, Ill.- Northwestern Ind.			Dallas- Fort Worth, Tex.			Detroit, Mich.		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
		Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986		Dec. 1986	Feb. 1987		Feb. 1986	Dec. 1986		Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Dec. 1986
Expenditure category												
Medical care	449.7	7.1	1.3	455.5	7.1	2.0	457.5	5.6	-0.1	468.5	6.4	1.4
Entertainment	273.4	2.6	.4	339.5	5.7	.6	278.0	6.1	1.6	231.6	1.9	-3
Other goods and services	354.6	5.5	1.5	352.0	4.3	1.5	346.1	8.2	1.1	339.7	4.5	.2
Personal care	294.1	2.5	1.0	257.4	-1	.1	306.4	8.9	1.2	255.4	1.3	-9
Commodity and service group												
All items	329.0	1.8	1.0	319.0	2.0	1.0	341.1	.2	1.8	316.5	1.3	.8
Commodities	287.0	.0	1.3	276.6	.3	.9	301.3	-6	3.2	258.1	-1.0	.2
Food and beverages	321.3	4.5	1.4	306.1	4.5	1.7	344.2	5.1	2.6	300.8	4.6	.5
Commodities less food and beverages	264.6	-2.9	1.2	254.0	-2.6	.4	275.1	-4.3	3.5	234.2	-4.0	.0
Nondurables less food and beverages	266.0	-5.0	2.3	253.0	-4.2	1.0	261.7	-6.3	6.1	241.3	-6.0	1.0
Durables	264.5	.0	-2	255.9	.0	-5	291.0	-3	.7	227.3	-2.4	-1.4
Services	404.5	4.0	.7	390.9	3.8	1.1	405.0	1.0	.5	414.6	4.0	1.4
Medical care services	486.5	7.3	1.3	498.6	7.2	1.9	488.0	5.9	.9	491.0	5.7	.9
Special indexes												
All items less shelter	309.6	1.0	1.1	298.2	1.1	1.0	314.0	.4	2.6	295.3	.2	.5
All items less medical care	323.0	1.5	1.0	312.1	1.7	.9	332.8	-3	1.9	307.4	1.1	.8
All items less energy ³	328.7	3.7	.7	179.2	3.7	.6	186.5	3.3	.9	171.0	3.3	.4
Energy ⁴	356.9	-12.5	5.2	159.6	-10.8	4.9	152.1	-17.8	13.8	168.3	-11.4	5.3
Commodities less food	263.5	-2.7	1.2	253.2	-2.4	.3	274.2	-4.2	3.3	236.2	-3.7	.1
Nondurables less food	263.3	-4.6	2.2	251.0	-3.8	.9	260.3	-6.1	5.5	243.8	-5.5	1.0
Nondurables	294.9	.0	1.8	281.5	.4	1.4	302.0	-4	4.2	272.2	-6	.7
Services less rent of shelter ²	109.0	3.3	.6	107.2	3.0	1.1	109.9	2.1	1.5	109.6	2.3	1.1
Services less medical care	393.5	3.7	.7	376.0	3.5	1.0	391.4	.4	.4	394.8	3.8	1.4

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Monthly cities and pricing schedule 2 ¹								
	Houston, Tex.			L.A.- Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif.			New York, N.Y.- Northeastern N.J.		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Dec. 1986	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Dec. 1986	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Dec. 1986
Expenditure category									
All items	333.0	-0.4	1.4	331.2	3.4	1.8	324.0	3.0	1.2
All items(1957-59 = 100)	381.0	-	-	389.5	-	-	385.6	-	-
Food and beverages	346.4	4.7	1.9	324.1	5.4	2.9	331.1	5.8	1.4
Food	354.2	5.1	2.1	336.1	5.7	3.0	342.6	5.9	1.4
Food at home	333.1	6.0	2.0	325.5	8.0	5.5	326.1	5.7	2.3
Cereals and bakery products	316.1	.1	-2.4	339.0	6.7	4.3	343.9	5.1	1.0
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	291.1	5.3	-1.0	298.5	10.1	3.6	296.5	9.0	.9
Meats, poultry, and fish	302.6	5.9	-5	300.1	9.6	3.6	302.3	9.6	1.3
Dairy products	311.7	6.9	1.2	261.2	3.0	.7	264.9	-1.4	-1.7
Fruits and vegetables	355.3	15.4	11.1	341.8	17.8	15.0	364.6	11.0	9.8
Other food at home	412.6	4.5	3.0	402.3	2.5	4.5	398.9	.9	1.9
Food away from home	421.7	2.9	2.3	359.7	2.3	-8	388.2	7.1	.1
Alcoholic beverages	270.5	.2	-3	230.0	2.5	1.7	239.3	2.9	1.8
Housing	335.1	-4.5	-4	366.0	5.1	1.3	330.8	3.1	1.2
Shelter	366.0	-4.4	-8	414.5	6.8	1.6	355.3	6.6	1.2
Renters' costs ²	96.7	-3.0	-1	115.5	6.5	.9	116.0	8.3	2.3
Rent, residential	213.2	-4.3	-9	352.9	6.6	.9	309.9	8.1	1.6
Other renters' costs	423.9	10.1	7.6	367.9	3.0	.5	464.2	9.0	8.7
Homeowners' costs ²	96.5	-5.6	-1.3	116.1	7.0	2.1	114.4	6.0	.7
Owners' equivalent rent ²	94.3	-6.2	-1.4	115.9	7.0	2.2	114.6	6.1	.7
Fuel and other utilities	405.7	-6.1	.3	341.9	1.7	.8	368.0	-8.3	1.3
Fuels	489.1	-10.6	1.1	443.8	1.6	3.0	465.2	-10.1	2.9
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities ³	NA	NA	NA	180.9	1.7	7.4	553.9	-12.8	10.8
Fuel oil ⁴	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	180.9	-13.1	11.7
Other household fuel commodities ⁵	101.4	-	1.4	107.4	-	7.4	101.5	-	1.5
Gas (piped) and electricity	491.8	-10.5	1.1	445.4	1.6	2.9	429.4	-6.9	1.0
Electricity	394.0	-12.2	-1.0	371.7	-1.2	-4	374.7	-6.8	1.8
Utility (piped) gas	628.5	-3.7	9.8	573.3	7.9	9.7	522.6	-7.2	-4
Household furnishings and operation	240.8	-2.4	-2	230.8	1.0	.3	254.5	3.1	1.0
Apparel and upkeep	249.5	1.5	2.0	186.2	1.6	.9	194.8	3.4	.4
Apparel commodities	229.9	1.6	2.2	173.1	1.6	.9	172.9	3.7	.2
Men's and boys' apparel	258.0	5.3	.8	178.0	2.0	-1.4	162.9	2.1	-9
Women's and girls' apparel	218.0	4.1	1.7	127.4	-2.6	.5	158.0	8.5	1.3
Footwear	258.2	9.6	6.7	231.6	2.8	2.4	206.9	1.1	-2
Transportation	284.8	-3.3	3.7	327.1	-1.0	2.7	340.2	-3.2	1.3
Private transportation	285.2	-3.4	4.1	326.6	-1.1	3.0	309.6	-4.5	1.5
Motor fuel ⁴	154.6	-16.4	20.6	147.2	-12.8	16.6	142.8	-23.7	6.7
Gasoline ⁴	154.4	-16.5	20.6	147.5	-12.6	17.0	142.5	-23.8	6.7
Gasoline, leaded regular ⁶	168.8	-16.8	22.8	163.2	-11.4	17.0	144.7	-25.0	7.5
Gasoline, unleaded regular ⁶	171.2	-16.6	22.0	166.8	-13.8	18.0	147.8	-25.1	7.4
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁷	76.4	-16.0	14.9	77.2	-12.0	13.4	73.0	-21.5	5.8
Public transportation	307.8	8.0	-3.2	346.5	.8	-1.3	480.9	1.6	.1

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Monthly cities and pricing schedule 2 ¹								
	Houston, Tex.			L.A.- Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif.			New York, N.Y.- Northeastern N.J.		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Dec. 1986	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Dec. 1986	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Dec. 1986
Expenditure category									
Medical care	534.8	5.5	0.8	473.3	7.3	1.5	449.6	8.7	2.1
Entertainment	297.6	4.5	.7	213.4	1.4	.4	291.6	3.9	1.0
Other goods and services	352.3	5.4	1.6	339.7	3.3	1.6	366.4	5.1	1.1
Personal care	342.6	1.5	-.5	293.0	1.7	4.1	319.2	2.3	-.1
Commodity and service group									
All items	333.0	-.4	1.4	331.2	3.4	1.8	324.0	3.0	1.2
Commodities	302.7	.3	2.6	271.7	.9	2.6	284.4	1.1	1.4
Food and beverages	346.4	4.7	1.9	324.1	5.4	2.9	331.1	5.8	1.4
Commodities less food and beverages	278.2	-2.5	3.1	243.8	-2.2	2.4	249.9	-3.0	1.3
Nondurables less food and beverages	284.6	-3.7	5.8	252.4	-3.0	4.9	260.3	-4.9	2.4
Durables	275.3	-1.4	-.5	241.0	-.3	-.2	234.5	.5	-.8
Services	387.0	-1.2	-.2	429.2	5.8	1.2	389.7	5.0	1.1
Medical care services	583.1	5.6	.8	506.5	8.1	1.5	482.9	10.0	2.1
Special indexes									
All items less shelter	326.3	.6	1.9	303.4	2.2	1.9	315.1	1.8	1.2
All items less medical care	321.4	-.9	1.4	324.0	3.1	1.8	318.0	2.7	1.2
All items less energy ⁸	164.0	1.5	.5	180.9	4.7	1.3	172.7	5.0	1.0
Energy ⁴	169.0	-12.6	11.8	166.2	-8.3	10.7	154.7	-15.6	4.2
Commodities less food	277.5	-2.5	2.9	243.1	-2.1	2.3	248.3	-2.7	1.4
Nondurables less food	282.7	-3.7	5.2	249.4	-2.7	4.5	256.5	-4.4	2.4
Nondurables	316.6	.8	3.7	289.5	1.6	3.8	298.9	1.2	1.9
Services less rent of shelter ²	103.7	1.0	.3	112.9	4.7	.5	108.5	3.3	.8
Services less medical care	361.7	-2.3	-.3	418.3	5.5	1.1	378.8	4.6	1.0

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1967=100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Monthly cities and pricing schedule 2 ¹								
	Philadelphia, Pa.-N.J.			Pittsburgh, Pa.			San Francisco-Oakland, Calif.		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Dec. 1986	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Dec. 1986	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Dec. 1986
Expenditure category									
All items	329.9	2.2	1.0	314.2	0.9	0.8	342.2	1.8	1.5
All items(1957-59=100)	385.4	-	-	361.4	-	-	407.2	-	-
Food and beverages	332.1	4.6	1.3	310.3	4.3	1.0	321.5	3.6	1.1
Food	343.0	4.8	1.5	315.5	4.6	1.0	331.9	3.9	1.1
Food at home	315.8	5.6	2.1	300.3	4.7	1.1	317.1	5.0	1.6
Cereals and bakery products	337.9	4.2	1.2	311.1	1.2	.7	358.6	6.1	1.7
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	285.8	7.1	1.5	264.0	5.8	-2.2	290.6	4.6	-2.5
Meats, poultry, and fish	296.0	8.0	2.2	272.2	6.0	-2.1	295.0	4.6	-2.3
Dairy products	248.8	-2	-2	240.2	6.9	1.7	256.0	3.5	1.4
Fruits and vegetables	349.6	14.9	5.5	368.4	13.6	10.1	331.3	12.0	9.4
Other food at home	401.2	2.8	2.5	360.4	-1.3	-1.3	388.3	1.5	1.4
Food away from home	429.3	2.9	.1	373.1	4.3	.7	356.3	2.1	.5
Alcoholic beverages	254.5	2.6	-1	277.2	-5	1.4	220.4	.2	.3
Housing	349.2	2.7	1.0	332.9	2.5	.9	393.7	3.2	1.4
Shelter	402.5	6.4	1.2	368.1	3.5	1.4	437.1	4.7	1.4
Renters' costs ²	120.5	10.1	2.6	114.1	7.7	3.4	116.8	5.8	1.6
Rent, residential	310.6	5.4	.2	262.3	4.7	.2	374.4	5.5	1.5
Other renters' costs	613.0	32.1	8.5	468.8	12.7	10.9	420.5	11.8	1.8
Homeowners' costs ²	114.9	5.0	.7	108.1	2.4	.7	116.5	4.0	1.5
Owners' equivalent rent ²	115.0	4.9	.7	108.2	2.4	.8	116.3	4.0	1.4
Fuel and other utilities	369.9	-8.2	.3	377.8	-9	.5	397.2	-2.1	.4
Fuels	425.3	-11.8	.8	479.7	-2.2	.4	448.7	-4.8	1.5
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities ³	491.7	-19.3	9.4	NA	NA	NA	185.5	-6.0	-4
Fuel oil ⁴	172.1	-16.9	14.2	159.6	-15.8	14.0	201.9	-7.8	11.7
Other household fuel commodities ⁵	93.3	-	-6.7	NA	NA	NA	98.7	-	-1.3
Gas (piped) and electricity	405.8	-5.5	-3	483.9	-8	.0	451.4	-4.8	1.5
Electricity	399.5	-4.0	-3	351.1	2.0	-2	319.1	-4.5	2.9
Utility (piped) gas	402.2	-7.8	-3	620.5	-3.6	.2	646.3	-5.9	-1.2
Household furnishings and operation	243.1	5.1	1.2	236.1	3.4	-1	280.1	2.5	2.5
Apparel and upkeep	155.9	.2	-1.8	191.3	3.8	.1	205.0	3.6	2.7
Apparel commodities	136.6	-1	-1.9	180.3	3.9	.1	183.0	1.4	2.9
Men's and boys' apparel	147.4	5.4	-1	182.3	-1.7	1.3	198.3	-8	2.2
Women's and girls' apparel	78.7	-3.8	-6.4	165.6	14.2	.9	157.3	1.2	6.0
Footwear	225.9	10.1	2.5	175.1	-4.1	-3.0	198.2	8.7	-4.2
Transportation	338.6	-2.8	1.6	310.9	-7.3	1.1	314.1	-4.6	1.9
Private transportation	334.4	-3.9	1.7	307.0	-8.1	.9	311.5	-5.3	1.9
Motor fuel ⁴	156.8	-22.3	9.5	146.0	-23.0	10.9	145.3	-19.8	10.7
Gasoline ⁴	157.3	-22.4	9.5	146.1	-23.1	10.9	145.0	-19.9	10.5
Gasoline, leaded regular ⁶	168.8	-21.9	10.4	156.7	-22.2	11.8	159.2	-18.5	13.6
Gasoline, unleaded regular ⁶	169.2	-24.1	10.0	157.6	-24.2	11.0	163.1	-20.6	10.8
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁷	74.2	-19.4	7.4	72.8	-20.9	8.5	75.1	-18.6	8.5
Public transportation	417.1	10.7	.2	439.3	5.9	4.9	341.1	6.8	2.0

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Monthly cities and pricing schedule 2 ¹								
	Philadelphia, Pa.-N.J.			Pittsburgh, Pa.			San Francisco- Oakland, Calif.		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
		Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986		Dec. 1986	Feb. 1987		Feb. 1986	Dec. 1986	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Dec. 1986
Expenditure category									
Medical care	514.5	5.4	0.3	466.0	5.8	0.6	433.4	8.3	1.2
Entertainment	241.9	1.1	-1.7	283.7	3.7	-1.7	250.9	4.3	1.4
Other goods and services	373.6	7.8	2.6	336.9	4.1	.5	376.3	5.4	1.9
Personal care	286.6	6.1	4.4	254.4	1.3	.9	318.1	2.4	1.1
Commodity and service group									
All items	329.9	2.2	1.0	314.2	.9	.8	342.2	1.8	1.5
Commodities	281.8	-.5	1.1	270.5	-.4	.9	287.0	-.5	2.2
Food and beverages	332.1	4.6	1.3	310.3	4.3	1.0	321.5	3.6	1.1
Commodities less food and beverages	248.0	-4.4	.9	240.5	-3.6	.8	267.1	-3.0	3.1
Nondurables less food and beverages	239.6	-8.7	1.0	243.4	-5.3	3.3	256.5	-5.7	3.8
Durables	263.0	2.9	.6	239.7	-.4	-2.1	282.7	.2	2.0
Services	422.6	5.4	1.0	397.2	2.5	.7	427.4	4.2	1.0
Medical care services	579.3	5.3	.5	511.9	5.1	.6	471.9	8.5	1.1
Special indexes									
All items less shelter	314.4	1.1	.9	303.2	.3	.6	313.3	.9	1.6
All items less medical care	321.0	2.0	1.1	307.4	.6	.8	337.0	1.5	1.5
All items less energy ⁸	177.1	4.9	.7	165.2	2.8	.4	184.0	3.7	1.3
Energy ⁴	167.5	-17.1	3.9	167.6	-12.7	4.6	170.4	-14.1	6.4
Commodities less food	247.5	-4.1	.8	243.3	-3.5	.8	264.8	-3.0	2.8
Nondurables less food	239.4	-7.9	.9	247.3	-5.1	3.0	252.2	-5.5	3.4
Nondurables	288.8	-1.4	1.2	280.1	-.3	1.9	290.5	-.8	2.2
Services less rent of shelter ²	112.1	4.6	.7	104.5	1.6	.0	108.9	3.4	.5
Services less medical care	400.5	5.5	1.0	384.4	2.2	.7	420.4	3.7	1.0

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

² Indexes on a December 1984 = 100 base.

³ Indexes on a June 1978 = 100 base in Dallas, Houston, Los Angeles, Pittsburgh, and San Francisco.

⁴ Indexes on a June 1978 = 100 base except for the U.S. which is on a 1967 = 100 base.

⁵ Indexes on a December 1986 = 100 base.

⁶ Indexes on a January 1976 = 100 base.

⁷ Indexes on an August 1981 = 100 base.

⁸ Indexes are on the bases listed below:
U.S. 1967 = 100.

Chicago

Dallas

Detroit

Houston

Los Angeles

New York

Philadelphia

Pittsburg

San Francisco

December 1977 = 100.

February 1978 = 100.

December 1977 = 100.

April 1978 = 100.

December 1977 = 100.

December 1977 = 100.

April 1978 = 100.

December 1977 = 100.

NA Data not adequate for publication.

- Data not available.

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

Area, region and population size class	Utility (piped) gas				Electricity		Fuel oil #2	
	per 40 therms		per 100 therms		per 500 KWH		per gallon	
	Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987
U.S. city average	\$24.731	\$24.714	\$55.514	\$55.927	\$40.022	\$40.010	\$0.817	\$0.851
Region and area size ¹								
Northeast urban	29.988	29.715	66.068	66.011	49.870	50.385	.831	.865
Size A - More than 1,200,000	30.312	29.961	66.843	66.757	51.207	51.798	.856	.893
Size B - 500,000 to 1,200,000	30.084	30.095	66.628	66.694	46.622	46.670	.785	.810
Size C - 50,000 to 500,000	29.328	29.289	63.311	63.512	49.383	50.375	.790	.825
North Central urban	24.539	24.330	52.253	51.719	39.228	39.010	.748	.774
Size A - More than 1,200,000	23.470	23.227	50.230	49.523	40.879	40.623	.807	.828
Size B - 360,000 to 1,200,000	27.908	27.668	59.510	59.166	39.946	39.636	.751	.778
Size C - 50,000 to 360,000	27.638	27.590	57.240	57.155	36.229	36.241	.723	.752
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	23.157	22.995	49.319	49.001	36.688	36.323	.664	.692
South urban	25.925	26.170	57.080	57.758	38.958	39.032	.821	.857
Size A - More than 1,200,000	26.694	26.819	57.965	58.820	38.941	38.522	.860	.912
Size B - 450,000 to 1,200,000	26.631	26.810	57.709	58.245	41.266	41.254	.792	.829
Size C - 50,000 to 450,000	24.816	25.370	54.648	55.910	38.407	38.507	.861	NA
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	26.587	26.227	61.964	60.417	36.577	37.641	.806	.835
West urban	19.173	19.384	50.441	53.122	36.233	36.121	.733	.799
Size A - More than 1,250,000	18.179	18.560	50.661	55.151	36.712	36.521	.766	.823
Size B - 330,000 to 1,250,000	19.367	19.368	46.784	46.883	38.111	38.185	NA	NA
Size C - 50,000 to 330,000	21.133	20.914	51.148	50.646	29.780	29.692	.674	.786
Size classes								
A	24.205	24.133	55.115	55.739	41.450	41.299	.849	.887
B	26.413	26.389	58.161	58.239	40.939	40.854	.783	.812
C	25.103	25.339	55.273	55.844	37.588	37.706	.781	.814
D	24.532	24.314	54.230	53.510	36.942	37.450	.773	.801
Selected local areas ²								
Chicago, Ill.-Northwestern Ind.	20.515	20.251	47.276	46.622	45.493	45.111	.844	.881
L.A.-Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif.	17.378	17.953	52.612	60.075	41.210	41.210	NA	NA
N.Y., N.Y.-Northeastern N.J.	33.137	33.270	72.993	73.515	58.914	60.252	.872	.912
Philadelphia, Pa.-N.J.	30.693	27.876	70.235	66.435	52.096	52.096	.830	.866
San Francisco-Oakland, Calif.	15.537	15.517	42.686	42.641	40.180	40.180	NA	NA
Baltimore, Md.	30.520	30.020	66.110	64.860	40.760	40.760	.838	.891
Boston, Mass.	29.180	32.640	64.500	73.320	41.827	42.746	.844	.877
Cleveland, Ohio	22.330	21.810	49.410	48.100	47.570	47.570	.863	.881
Miami, Fla.	28.190	29.100	59.750	62.870	44.487	44.487	NA	NA
St. Louis, Mo.-Ill.	28.147	28.112	49.362	49.280	37.154	37.222	.728	.778
Washington, D.C.-Md.-Va.	31.341	30.717	72.653	71.173	38.637	38.609	.897	.954
Dallas-Fort Worth, Tex.	22.416	23.528	47.735	50.478	40.062	35.756	NA	NA
Detroit, Mich.	27.919	27.626	54.306	52.926	45.267	44.253	.889	.905
Houston, Tex.	20.820	22.169	37.940	41.350	36.970	36.970	NA	NA
Pittsburgh, Pa.	27.184	27.175	58.435	58.376	43.140	43.140	.737	.743

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

Area, region and population size class	Average price per therm of utility (piped) gas		Range of therm consumption for Feb. 1987		Average price per KWH of electricity		Range of KWH consumption for Feb. 1987	
	Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	Low	High	Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	Low	High
U.S. city average	\$0.578	\$0.579	1	2,800	\$0.075	\$0.076	4	7,512
Region and area size ¹								
Northeast urban .....	.666	.659	1	2,800	.094	.095	26	6,610
Size A - More than 1,200,000 .....	.672	.664	4	630	.094	.095	88	3,928
Size B - 500,000 to 1,200,000 .....	.684	.684	1	589	.091	.089	26	5,672
Size C - 50,000 to 500,000 .....	.637	.636	7	277	.103	.105	54	6,610
North Central urban .....	.536	.531	1	1,292	.071	.071	5	6,708
Size A - More than 1,200,000 .....	.520	.516	4	1,292	.076	.076	5	6,708
Size B - 360,000 to 1,200,000 .....	.598	.593	21	420	.063	.062	282	3,041
Size C - 50,000 to 360,000 .....	.546	.544	23	623	.072	.072	39	4,318
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000) .....	.535	.526	1	429	.067	.067	100	3,360
South urban .....	.638	.642	1	589	.070	.072	30	7,512
Size A - More than 1,200,000 .....	.656	.656	6	442	.069	.067	30	7,512
Size B - 450,000 to 1,200,000 .....	.642	.643	4	274	.071	.080	112	6,513
Size C - 50,000 to 450,000 .....	.600	.611	3	589	.068	.068	94	4,002
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000) .....	.721	.713	1	320	.078	.079	32	6,316
West urban .....	.503	.520	1	400	.077	.077	4	7,152
Size A - More than 1,250,000 .....	.502	.531	1	400	.060	.079	4	7,152
Size B - 330,000 to 1,250,000 .....	.497	.497	1	163	.079	.079	29	4,991
Size C - 50,000 to 330,000 .....	.484	.476	14	366	.064	.064	82	5,432
Size classes								
A .....	.570	.571	1	1,292	.079	.079	4	7,512
B .....	.611	.609	1	589	.071	.074	26	6,513
C .....	.567	.571	3	623	.071	.071	39	6,610
D .....	.602	.594	1	2,800	.075	.075	32	6,316
Selected local areas ²								
Chicago, Ill.-Northwestern Ind. ....	.473	.465	23	635	.084	.084	169	6,708
L.A.-Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif. ....	.501	.547	9	352	.084	.085	75	3,107
N.Y., N.Y.-Northeastern N.J. ....	.757	.761	4	620	.109	.111	88	2,929
Philadelphia, Pa.-N.J. ....	.696	.657	16	630	.085	.085	216	3,845
San Francisco-Oakland, Calif. ....	.401	.401	12	159	.081	.081	108	2,457
Baltimore, Md. ....	.765	.753	17	168	.067	.067	197	3,510
Boston, Mass. ....	.667	.713	10	132	.079	.082	140	2,658
Cleveland, Ohio ....	.528	.515	5	283	.089	.089	167	2,351
Miami, Fla. ....	.830	.857	8	52	.087	.087	304	2,961
St. Louis, Mo.-Ill. ....	.486	.485	46	1,292	.068	.068	172	2,744
Washington, D.C.-Md.-Va. ....	.789	.773	6	442	.070	.070	30	3,763
Dallas-Fort Worth, Tex. ....	.631	.657	12	46	.057	.046	275	6,349
Detroit, Mich. ....	.606	.606	21	356	.087	.087	63	3,174
Houston, Tex.353	.388	83	297	.067	.066	224	7,512
Pittsburgh, Pa.561	.561	31	426	.082	.082	240	3,257

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

Area, region and population size class	Gasoline All types ¹		Leaded regular		Unleaded regular		Unleaded premium ²	
	Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987
U.S. city average	\$0.868	\$0.911	\$0.806	\$0.848	\$0.862	\$0.905	\$1.007	\$1.047
Region and area size ³								
Northeast urban .....	.876	.912	.803	.839	.853	.887	.997	1.034
Size A - More than 1,200,000 .....	.858	.895	.791	.826	.821	.858	.987	1.027
Size B - 500,000 to 1,200,000 .....	.912	.952	.815	.857	.916	.954	1.006	1.044
Size C - 50,000 to 500,000 .....	.916	.943	.834	.873	.910	.934	1.043	1.059
North Central urban .....	.883	.895	.832	.843	.888	.899	1.022	1.042
Size A - More than 1,200,000 .....	.691	.905	.820	.832	.893	.906	1.053	1.076
Size B - 360,000 to 1,200,000 .....	.882	.891	.832	.847	.874	.879	1.071	1.071
Size C - 50,000 to 360,000 .....	.873	.879	.846	.849	.889	.894	.903	.921
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000) .....	.864	.882	.847	.863	.879	.895	NA	NA
South urban .....	.877	.914	.808	.847	.868	.906	1.015	1.044
Size A - More than 1,200,000 .....	.860	.900	.783	.823	.840	.881	1.002	1.041
Size B - 450,000 to 1,200,000 .....	.885	.917	.821	.853	.878	.912	1.016	1.043
Size C - 50,000 to 450,000 .....	.888	.926	.821	.865	.888	.929	1.039	1.057
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000) .....	.885	.917	.812	.847	.889	.918	.999	1.029
West urban .....	.838	.921	.781	.859	.836	.923	.996	1.074
Size A - More than 1,250,000 .....	.835	.926	.781	.866	.829	.923	1.000	1.086
Size B - 330,000 to 1,250,000 .....	.872	.948	.786	.859	.886	.967	.990	1.060
Size C - 50,000 to 330,000 .....	.832	.886	.774	.829	.841	.898	.990	1.023
Size classes								
A .....	.858	.909	.793	.843	.846	.898	1.005	1.053
B .....	.887	.922	.817	.853	.885	.920	1.017	1.050
C .....	.881	.911	.823	.856	.886	.916	1.010	1.029
D .....	.870	.897	.822	.852	.882	.905	.994	1.029
Selected local areas ⁴								
Chicago, Ill.-Northwestern Ind. ....	.953	.978	.691	.923	.929	.954	1.134	1.150
L.A.-Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif. ....	.838	.944	.789	.887	.827	.938	1.011	1.109
N.Y., N.Y.-Northeastern N.J. ....	.868	.907	.783	.821	.823	.861	.987	1.028
Philadelphia, Pa.-N.J. ....	.843	.876	.802	.831	.814	.844	.989	1.026
San Francisco-Oakland, Calif. ....	.828	.905	.748	.826	.828	.906	.976	1.049
Baltimore, Md. ....	.655	.891	.788	.826	.824	.860	.996	1.027
Boston, Mass. ....	.857	.893	.781	.815	.830	.866	.983	1.023
Cleveland, Ohio ....	.904	.912	.820	.820	.886	.892	1.081	1.112
Miami, Fla. ....	.915	.961	.852	.892	.882	.927	.975	1.026
St. Louis, Mo.-Ill. ....	.817	.849	.758	.793	.807	.839	1.003	1.031
Washington, D.C.-Md.-Va. ....	.936	.964	.818	.845	.899	.927	1.146	1.170
Dallas-Fort Worth, Tex. ....	.809	.851	.776	.812	.797	.841	.927	.970
Detroit, Mich. ....	.868	.891	.812	.809	.907	.908	.987	1.030
Houston, Tex. ....	.830	.881	.769	.818	.806	.860	.996	1.045
Pittsburgh, Pa. ....	.837	.875	.811	.845	.816	.858	1.010	1.036

¹ Also includes types of gasoline not shown separately.

² Unleaded premium replaced leaded premium in January 1984.

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

Food and unit	U.S. average		Northeast		North Central		South		West	
	Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987
Cereals and bakery products:										
Flour, white, all purpose, per lb.	\$0.202	\$0.211	\$0.226	NA	NA	NA	\$0.211	\$0.208	\$0.200	\$0.214
Rice, white, long grain, precooked, per lb.	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Rice, white, long grain, uncooked, per lb. ....	.416	.411	NA	NA	NA	NA	.384	.367	.466	.476
Spaghetti and macaroni, per lb. ....	.724	.723	.710	0.706	0.682	0.706	.750	.724	NA	NA
Bread, white, pan, per lb. ....	.544	.539	.698	.687	.533	.536	.503	.504	.520	.502
Bread, French, per lb.	1.055	1.047	NA	NA	NA	NA	1.007	1.018	NA	1.055
Bread, whole wheat, pan, per lb. ....	.866	.876	NA	NA	NA	NA	.806	.808	NA	NA
Rolls, hamburger, per lb.	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Cupcakes, chocolate, per lb.	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Cookies, chocolate chip, per lb.	1.925	1.943	1.798	NA	1.850	1.854	2.119	2.073	NA	NA
Crackers, soda, salted, per lb. ....	.999	1.007	NA	NA	.977	.958	.972	.997	NA	NA
Meats, poultry, fish and eggs:										
Meats:										
Beef and veal:										
Ground chuck, 100% beef, per lb.	1.694	1.650	1.707	1.639	1.611	1.590	1.721	1.710	1.752	1.643
Ground beef, 100% beef, per lb.	1.300	1.271	1.512	1.438	1.305	1.286	1.331	1.309	1.175	1.154
Chuck roast, U.S. Choice, bone-in, per lb.	1.682	1.640	1.672	1.696	1.685	1.537	NA	1.713	NA	NA
Round roast, U.S. Choice, boneless, per lb.	2.541	2.472	2.462	2.340	2.552	2.501	2.662	2.629	2.488	2.493
Rib roast, U.S. Choice, bone-in, per lb.	3.442	3.437	3.258	3.407	3.446	NA	3.719	3.652	3.185	3.055
Steak, round, U.S. Choice, boneless, per lb.	2.804	2.796	3.027	2.879	2.548	2.716	2.851	2.800	2.709	2.758
Steak, sirloin, U.S. Choice, bone-in, per lb.	2.812	2.955	3.073	2.975	2.562	2.749	NA	3.144	NA	NA
Steak, chuck, U.S. Choice, bone-in, per lb.	NA	1.648	NA	NA	NA	NA	1.866	1.864	NA	NA
Steak, T-Bone, U.S. Choice, bone-in, per lb.	3.859	3.790	NA	NA	3.756	3.632	3.866	3.829	NA	NA
Steak, porterhouse, U.S. Choice, bone-in, per lb.	NA	NA	4.060	4.137	4.252	4.222	4.070	4.020	NA	NA
Pork:										
Bacon, sliced, per lb.	2.118	2.091	2.254	2.175	1.997	2.057	2.089	2.080	2.153	2.071
Chops, center cut, bone-in, per lb.	2.722	2.697	2.775	2.635	2.546	2.676	2.716	2.603	2.860	2.899
Ham, rump or shank half, bone-in, smoked, per lb.	1.602	1.590	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	1.407	NA	1.613
Sirloin roast, bone-in, per lb.	1.895	1.822	NA	NA	1.837	NA	NA	NA	1.885	1.875
Shoulder picnic, bone-in, smoked, per lb.	1.147	1.105	NA	NA	NA	NA	1.115	1.085	NA	NA
Sausage, fresh, loose, per lb.	2.007	2.023	NA	NA	2.127	2.191	1.871	1.892	2.155	2.142
Ham, canned, 3 or 5 lbs, per lb.	2.840	2.854	2.772	2.973	2.928	2.916	2.845	2.783	2.715	2.780
Other meats:										
Frankfurters, all meat or all beef, per lb.	1.981	1.992	NA	2.125	2.082	2.000	1.822	1.838	1.992	1.949
Bologna, all beef or mixed, per lb.	2.224	2.167	2.380	NA	2.047	1.989	2.168	2.124	2.424	2.337
Beef liver, per lb.	1.022	1.002	NA	NA	.994	.990	1.046	1.033	NA	NA
Poultry:										
Chicken, fresh, whole, per lb. ....	.821	.832	.930	.915	.769	.757	.784	.740	.822	.953
Chicken breast, bone-in, per lb.	1.916	1.882	NA	1.805	1.865	1.763	1.882	1.890	2.055	2.050
Chicken legs, bone-in, per lb.	NA	1.138	NA	1.009	NA	1.325	NA	1.111	NA	NA
Turkey, frozen, whole, per lb.	1.036	1.032	.971	.967	1.031	1.031	1.055	1.067	1.107	NA
Fish and seafood:										
Tuna, light, chunk, per lb.	1.943	1.926	NA	NA	1.891	NA	NA	NA	2.105	2.045
Eggs:										
Grade A, large, per doz. ....	.862	.823	1.001	.948	NA	.781	.829	.784	NA	NA
Grade AA, large, per doz.	1.017	1.026	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	1.087	1.109
Dairy products:										
Milk, fresh, whole, fortified, per 1/2 gal.	1.126	1.148	NA	1.076	1.104	1.111	1.294	1.387	1.071	1.077
Milk, fresh, skim, per 1/2 gal.	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Milk, fresh, low fat, per 1/2 gal.	1.088	1.089	1.046	1.056	NA	NA	1.309	1.304	NA	NA
Butter, salted, grade AA, stick, per lb.	2.173	2.194	2.160	2.170	2.137	2.105	2.216	2.215	2.184	2.261
American processed cheese, per lb.	2.688	NA	2.706	2.637	2.739	NA	2.598	NA	NA	NA
Cheddar cheese, natural, per lb.	3.032	3.034	2.945	NA	NA	NA	3.098	3.105	3.084	3.067
Ice cream, prepackaged, bulk, regular, per 1/2 gal.	NA	2.468	NA	NA	NA	2.313	NA	2.381	NA	2.489
Yogurt, natural, fruit flavored, per 1/2 pt. ....	.565	.568	NA	NA	NA	NA	.657	.645	.490	.478

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	
	Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987
Fruits and vegetables:										
Fresh fruits and vegetables:										
Apples, Red Delicious, per lb.	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	0.700	NA	NA	NA	NA
Bananas, per lb.	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Oranges, Navel, per lb.	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Oranges, Valencia, per lb.	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Cherries, per lb.	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Grapefruit, per lb.	0.423	0.417	0.408	0.386	0.446	.443	0.399	0.391	0.447	0.459
Grapes, Emperor or Tokay, per lb. ....	.895	NA	NA	NA	NA	.956	NA	NA	NA	NA
Grapes, Thompson Seedless, per lb.	NA	1.609	NA	1.515	NA	NA	NA	1.698	NA	NA
Lemons, per lb. ....	.740	.744	.705	.748	.772	.807	.753	.727	.740	.747
Peaches, per lb.	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Pears, Anjou, per lb. ....	.754	.772	.768	.812	.806	.830	.821	.824	.683	.691
Strawberries, dry pint, per 12oz.	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Potatoes, white, per lb.	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Lettuce, iceberg, per lb.	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Tomatoes, field grown, per lb.	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Beans, green, snap, per lb. ....	.870	1.028	.875	1.106	NA	NA	.886	1.007	.844	1.011
Cabbage, per lb. ....	.298	.296	.349	.370	.326	.304	.245	.244	.306	.290
Carrots, short trimmed and topped, per lb. ....	.388	.392	.422	.444	.418	.410	.442	.435	.331	.338
Celery, per lb. ....	.509	.530	.533	.543	.512	.524	.506	.527	.496	.529
Corn on the cob, per lb.	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	.553	NA	NA	NA
Cucumbers, per lb. ....	.595	.838	.620	.874	.578	.817	.811	.776	.577	.874
Mushrooms, per lb.	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Onions, dry yellow, per lb. ....	.355	.412	.372	.405	.360	.409	.377	.433	.318	.401
Onions, green (scallions), per lb.	1.201	1.340	NA	NA	1.316	1.412	NA	NA	NA	NA
Peppers, sweet, per lb. ....	.757	.738	.636	.674	.939	.800	.891	.898	.779	.711
Radishes, per lb. ....	.843	.949	.943	.899	.863	.939	1.111	1.066	.663	.910
Processed fruits and vegetables:										
Orange juice, frozen concentrate, 12oz. can, per 16oz.	1.512	1.499	NA	1.572	NA	1.465	1.438	1.434	1.441	1.530
Potatoes, frozen, French fried, per lb. ....	.720	.715	.843	NA	.733	NA	.698	.704	NA	NA
Tomatoes, canned, whole, per lb. ....	.504	.492	NA	.463	.611	.582	.556	.552	NA	NA
Other foods at home:										
Sugar and sweets:										
Hard candy, solid, per lb.	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Sugar, white, all sizes, per lb. ....	.352	.349	.380	.373	.316	.316	.350	.344	.379	.380
Sugar, white, 33-80 oz. pkg, per lb. ....	.339	.335	.361	NA	.304	.305	.342	.335	NA	.359
Fats and oils:										
Margarine, stick, per lb. ....	.700	.693	.765	.706	.718	.760	.589	NA	.799	.775
Margarine, soft, tubs, per lb. ....	.975	.978	1.105	1.090	.910	NA	.874	.874	1.035	1.037
Shortening, vegetable oil blends, per lb. ....	.781	.769	NA	NA	.769	.758	.760	.749	.768	.761
Peanut butter, creamy, all sizes, per lb.	1.750	1.747	1.715	1.736	1.819	1.778	1.695	1.694	1.932	NA
Nonalcoholic beverages:										
Cola, nondiet, returnable bottles, 6 or 8 pk., per 16 oz. ²	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Cola nondiet, cans, 72oz. 6 pk., per 16 oz. ² ....	.453	.495	NA	NA	NA	NA	.453	.508	.423	.489
Coffee, 100%, ground roast, all sizes, per lb.	3.192	3.087	3.071	2.986	3.214	3.025	3.376	3.339	3.200	3.080
Coffee, 100%, ground roast, 13.1-20 oz. can, per lb.	3.244	3.165	3.110	3.015	NA	NA	3.386	3.377	NA	NA
Coffee, instant, plain, regular, 6.1-14oz, per 16oz.	9.137	8.863	NA	NA	NA	NA	9.095	9.336	NA	NA
Coffee, freeze dried, plain, regular, all sizes, per 16oz.	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	13.844	14.136	NA	NA
Coffee, freeze dried, decaffeinated, all sizes, per 16oz.	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Other prepared foods:										
Potato chips, per 16oz.	2.754	2.786	2.603	NA	2.477	2.468	2.966	2.958	3.048	3.099
Pork and beans, canned, per 16oz.	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Alcoholic beverages:										
Bourbon whiskey, 375ml-1.75 liter, per 25.4 oz. ³	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	7.643	NA	NA	NA
Vodka, domestic, 375ml-1.75 liter, per 25.4 oz. ³	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA

¹ Regions are defined as the four Census regions.² Deposit may be included in price.³ New average price series as of January 1986.

NA Data not adequate for publication.

Table 1(OS). Old Series Consumer Price Index for all urban consumers: U.S. city average, by expenditure category and commodity and service group, 1967=100 unless otherwise noted

Group	Relative importance, December 1986	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Feb. 1987 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Jan. 1987	Nov. to Dec.	Dec. to Jan.	Jan. to Feb.
		Expenditure category						
All items	100.000	333.6	335.0	2.3	0.4	-	-	-
All items(1957-59 = 100)	-	388.0	389.6	-	-	-	-	-
Food and beverages	20.123	320.5	321.4	4.5	.3	-	-	-
Food	19.008	328.9	329.8	4.6	.3	-	-	-
Food at home	12.687	315.0	315.9	4.8	.3	-	-	-
Cereals and bakery products	1.728	331.2	332.3	3.0	.3	-	-	-
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	4.088	289.5	286.8	6.9	-.9	-	-	-
Dairy products	1.588	263.2	264.3	2.7	.4	-	-	-
Fruits and vegetables	1.943	342.3	350.6	9.3	2.4	-	-	-
Other food at home	3.340	379.5	381.0	1.6	.4	-	-	-
Sugar and sweets .....	.484	415.8	415.5	1.7	-.1	-	-	-
Fats and oils .....	.340	293.4	289.9	-.5	-1.2	-	-	-
Nonalcoholic beverages	1.378	484.0	485.2	.0	.2	-	-	-
Other prepared foods	1.138	308.3	312.2	4.2	1.3	-	-	-
Food away from home	6.321	368.6	369.5	4.3	.2	-	-	-
Alcoholic beverages	1.115	242.4	243.2	2.1	.3	-	-	-
Housing	38.131	364.3	365.7	2.6	.4	-	-	-
Shelter	23.022	412.3	413.6	4.8	.3	-	-	-
Renters' costs ¹	7.599	125.0	125.3	5.3	.2	-	-	-
Rent, residential	6.597	287.1	287.9	5.2	.3	-	-	-
Other renters' costs	1.002	426.9	428.8	6.1	.4	-	-	-
Homeowners' costs ¹	14.901	122.0	122.5	4.7	.4	-	-	-
Owners' equivalent rent ¹	14.481	122.1	122.5	4.7	.3	-	-	-
Household insurance ¹ .....	.420	121.8	122.1	4.0	.2	-	-	-
Maintenance and repairs .....	.522	382.3	381.0	.4	-.3	-	-	-
Maintenance and repair services .....	.293	436.4	434.5	.4	-.4	-	-	-
Maintenance and repair commodities .....	.230	279.4	278.8	.4	-.2	-	-	-
Fuel and other utilities	7.536	376.2	378.1	-3.1	.5	-	-	-
Fuels	5.180	446.2	449.3	-5.7	.7	-	-	-
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas .....	.917	490.2	507.7	-14.1	3.6	-	-	-
Gas (piped) and electricity	4.263	429.0	429.2	-3.4	.0	-	-	-
Other utilities and public services	2.356	256.1	256.1	3.3	.0	-	-	-
Household furnishings and operation	7.572	253.1	254.3	2.1	.5	-	-	-
Housefurnishings	3.746	203.1	204.1	2.2	.5	-	-	-
Housekeeping supplies	1.644	324.3	326.0	2.3	.5	-	-	-
Housekeeping services	2.181	349.8	350.9	1.9	.3	-	-	-
Apparel and upkeep	5.005	207.9	208.6	2.2	.3	-	-	-
Apparel commodities	4.175	191.3	192.0	1.9	.4	-	-	-
Men's and boys' apparel	1.367	198.9	199.3	1.3	.2	-	-	-
Women's and girls' apparel	1.512	166.0	166.9	2.1	.5	-	-	-
Infants' and toddlers' apparel .....	.119	301.3	303.4	-2.6	.7	-	-	-
Footwear .....	.622	210.8	211.6	1.8	.4	-	-	-
Other apparel commodities .....	.556	223.9	224.0	3.7	.0	-	-	-
Apparel services .....	.830	342.6	343.0	3.7	.1	-	-	-
Transportation	19.893	308.6	310.9	-2.6	.7	-	-	-
Private transportation	18.220	299.8	302.1	-3.2	.8	-	-	-
New vehicles	4.027	232.3	229.7	4.3	-1.1	-	-	-
New cars	3.592	232.9	230.1	4.4	-1.2	-	-	-
Used cars	4.086	354.6	356.9	-3.7	.6	-	-	-
Motor fuel	3.752	275.5	287.3	-18.3	4.3	-	-	-
Gasoline		274.8	286.6	-18.3	4.3	-	-	-
Maintenance and repair	1.730	371.1	372.8	3.9	.5	-	-	-
Other private transportation	4.626	315.7	314.8	5.2	-.3	-	-	-
Other private transportation commodities .....	.615	202.2	202.3	-.3	.0	-	-	-
Other private transportation services	4.010	348.8	347.6	6.1	-.3	-	-	-
Public transportation	1.674	439.5	441.5	4.6	.5	-	-	-

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 1(OS). Old Series Consumer Price Index for all urban consumers: U.S. city average, by expenditure category and commodity and service group, 1967=100 unless otherwise noted (Continued)

Group	Relative importance, December 1986	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Feb. 1987 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Jan. 1987	Nov. to Dec.	Dec. to Jan.	Jan. to Feb.
		Expenditure category						
Medical care	6.870	449.8	452.7	7.2	0.6	-	-	-
Medical care commodities	1.132	282.3	284.1	6.2	.6	-	-	-
Medical care services	5.738	486.8	489.9	7.4	.6	-	-	-
Professional services	2.600	403.8	406.8	6.6	.7	-	-	-
Entertainment	4.290	277.9	278.2	2.3	.1	-	-	-
Entertainment commodities	2.427	268.0	268.2	1.1	.1	-	-	-
Entertainment services	1.864	292.6	293.0	3.9	.1	-	-	-
Other goods and services	5.687	358.8	360.4	5.9	.4	-	-	-
Tobacco products	1.608	364.7	368.1	6.8	.9	-	-	-
Personal care	1.889	295.5	296.2	2.5	.2	-	-	-
Toilet goods and personal care appliances .....	.861	291.2	291.8	2.0	.2	-	-	-
Personal care services	1.028	300.3	301.2	2.8	.3	-	-	-
Personal and educational expenses	2.189	451.3	452.6	8.4	.3	-	-	-
School books and supplies .....	.270	403.8	407.1	8.9	.8	-	-	-
Personal and educational services	1.919	462.7	463.6	8.3	.2	-	-	-
		Commodity and service group						
All items	100.000	333.6	335.0	2.3	0.4	-	-	-
Commodities	49.614	286.9	288.7	.5	.6	-	-	-
Food and beverages	20.123	320.5	321.4	4.5	.3	-	-	-
Commodities less food and beverages	29.491	264.6	266.8	-2.1	.8	-	-	-
Nondurables less food and beverages	16.823	263.7	267.8	-3.9	1.6	-	-	-
Apparel commodities	4.175	191.3	192.0	1.9	.4	-	-	-
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel	12.648	305.5	311.3	-5.5	1.9	-	-	-
Durables	12.667	271.8	271.7	.4	.0	-	-	-
Services	50.386	408.8	409.9	4.2	.3	-	-	-
Rent of shelter ¹	21.992	123.0	123.5	4.9	.4	-	-	-
Household services less rent of shelter ¹	9.601	111.5	111.6	-2	.1	-	-	-
Transportation services	7.414	369.2	369.3	5.2	.0	-	-	-
Medical care services	5.738	486.8	489.9	7.4	.6	-	-	-
Other services	5.641	342.1	342.8	5.1	.2	-	-	-
Special indexes:								
All items less food	80.992	332.8	334.4	1.8	.5	-	-	-
All items less shelter	76.978	310.9	312.4	1.6	.5	-	-	-
All items less homeowners' costs ¹	85.099	112.8	113.3	1.9	.4	-	-	-
All items less medical care	93.130	327.2	328.6	2.0	.4	-	-	-
Commodities less food	30.605	263.3	265.5	-2.0	.8	-	-	-
Nondurables less food	17.938	261.0	264.8	-3.5	1.5	-	-	-
Nondurables less food and apparel	13.763	295.7	301.0	-5.0	1.8	-	-	-
Nondurables	36.947	293.2	295.7	.5	.9	-	-	-
Services less rent of shelter ¹	28.394	120.9	121.2	3.8	.2	-	-	-
Services less medical care	44.648	397.9	398.7	3.8	.2	-	-	-
Energy	8.932	353.5	361.4	-11.6	2.2	-	-	-
All items less energy	91.068	334.3	335.2	4.0	.3	-	-	-
All items less food and energy	72.060	333.9	334.7	3.8	.2	-	-	-
Commodities less food and energy	25.937	265.8	266.4	1.8	.2	-	-	-
Energy commodities	4.669	306.3	318.9	-17.5	4.1	-	-	-
Services less energy	46.123	407.8	408.9	5.0	.3	-	-	-
Purchasing power of the consumer dollar:								
1967=\$1.00	-	\$.300	\$.299	-2.0	-.3	-	-	-
1957-59=\$1.00	-	.256	.257	-	-	-	-	-

¹ Indexes on a December 1982=100 base.

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

Table 2(OS). Old Series Consumer Price Index for urban wage earners and clerical workers: U.S. city average, by expenditure category and commodity and service group, 1967=100 unless otherwise noted

Group	Relative importance, December 1986	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Feb. 1987 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Jan. 1987	Nov. to Dec.	Dec. to Jan.	Jan. to Feb.
		Expenditure category						
All items	100.000	328.2	329.6	2.0	0.4	-	-	-
All items(1957-59= 100)	-	381.7	383.3	-	-	-	-	-
Food and beverages	21.748	320.3	321.2	4.5	.3	-	-	-
Food	20.537	328.5	329.3	4.6	.2	-	-	-
Food at home	13.828	313.3	314.2	4.7	.3	-	-	-
Cereals and bakery products	1.888	329.5	330.7	3.1	.4	-	-	-
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	4.520	288.5	286.0	6.8	-.9	-	-	-
Dairy products	1.727	261.7	263.0	2.7	.5	-	-	-
Fruits and vegetables	1.984	337.3	345.4	9.3	2.4	-	-	-
Other food at home	3.709	379.9	381.2	1.6	.3	-	-	-
Sugar and sweets .....	.514	415.2	414.6	1.6	-.1	-	-	-
Fats and oils .....	.365	292.9	289.3	-.5	-1.2	-	-	-
Nonalcoholic beverages	1.563	484.9	485.5	.0	.1	-	-	-
Other prepared foods	1.267	309.8	313.7	4.3	1.3	-	-	-
Food away from home	6.709	372.0	372.9	4.4	.2	-	-	-
Alcoholic beverages	1.211	245.5	246.3	2.2	.3	-	-	-
Housing	35.487	357.0	358.3	2.5	.4	-	-	-
Shelter	21.199	399.8	401.0	4.7	.3	-	-	-
Renters' costs ¹	6.862	112.2	112.6	5.3	.4	-	-	-
Rent, residential	6.180	286.2	287.0	5.2	.3	-	-	-
Other renters' costs .....	.682	425.9	428.0	6.1	.5	-	-	-
Homeowners' costs ¹	13.782	111.2	111.6	4.7	.4	-	-	-
Owners' equivalent rent ¹	13.422	111.2	111.6	4.7	.4	-	-	-
Household insurance ¹ .....	.361	111.9	112.1	4.0	.2	-	-	-
Maintenance and repairs .....	.555	375.9	373.9	.0	-.5	-	-	-
Maintenance and repair services .....	.262	430.8	429.0	.6	-.4	-	-	-
Maintenance and repair commodities .....	.293	268.4	266.5	-.6	-.7	-	-	-
Fuel and other utilities	7.354	376.6	378.4	-3.2	.5	-	-	-
Fuels	5.111	445.4	448.4	-5.7	.7	-	-	-
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas .....	.911	493.2	510.6	-14.0	3.5	-	-	-
Gas (piped) and electricity	4.200	427.5	427.5	-3.5	.0	-	-	-
Other utilities and public services	2.243	256.8	256.9	3.3	.0	-	-	-
Household furnishings and operation	6.933	249.1	250.4	2.1	.5	-	-	-
Housefurnishings	3.598	200.2	201.4	2.1	.6	-	-	-
Housekeeping supplies	1.681	321.9	323.7	2.3	.6	-	-	-
Housekeeping services	1.653	351.3	352.5	1.8	.3	-	-	-
Apparel and upkeep	4.972	206.4	207.1	2.0	.3	-	-	-
Apparel commodities	4.188	190.6	191.3	1.6	.4	-	-	-
Men's and boys' apparel	1.354	198.6	198.9	1.1	.2	-	-	-
Women's and girls' apparel	1.541	167.2	168.3	1.9	.7	-	-	-
Infants' and toddlers' apparel .....	.141	317.1	319.2	-2.9	.7	-	-	-
Footwear .....	.656	212.0	212.5	2.0	.2	-	-	-
Other apparel commodities .....	.497	211.1	211.1	3.4	.0	-	-	-
Apparel services .....	.784	339.8	340.1	3.7	.1	-	-	-
Transportation	22.140	308.1	310.3	-3.1	.7	-	-	-
Private transportation	20.687	301.4	303.6	-3.6	.7	-	-	-
New vehicles	4.216	231.3	228.7	4.2	-1.1	-	-	-
New cars	3.603	232.1	229.2	4.3	-1.2	-	-	-
Used cars	5.180	354.6	356.9	-3.7	.6	-	-	-
Motor fuel	4.262	277.0	288.3	-18.3	4.1	-	-	-
Gasoline		276.3	287.7	-18.3	4.1	-	-	-
Maintenance and repair	1.894	373.0	374.7	4.0	.5	-	-	-
Other private transportation	5.135	313.7	312.3	4.7	-.4	-	-	-
Other private transportation commodities .....	.687	204.6	204.5	-.4	.0	-	-	-
Other private transportation services	4.448	345.4	343.6	5.5	-.5	-	-	-
Public transportation	1.452	427.5	429.5	4.1	.5	-	-	-

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 2(OS). Old Series Consumer Price Index for urban wage earners and clerical workers: U.S. city average, by expenditure category and commodity and service group, 1967 = 100 unless otherwise noted
—Continued

Group	Relative importance, December 1986	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Feb. 1987 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Jan. 1987	Nov. to Dec.	Dec. to Jan.	Jan. to Feb.
Expenditure category								
Medical care	6.129	446.9	449.7	7.1	0.6	-	-	-
Medical care commodities	1.017	281.3	282.9	6.0	.6	-	-	-
Medical care services	5.112	483.5	486.6	7.3	.6	-	-	-
Professional services	2.468	404.4	407.4	6.6	.7	-	-	-
Entertainment	4.003	272.6	272.6	2.3	.0	-	-	-
Entertainment commodities	2.431	262.0	262.0	1.4	.0	-	-	-
Entertainment services	1.572	292.2	292.3	3.7	.0	-	-	-
Other goods and services	5.521	353.3	355.1	5.7	.5	-	-	-
Tobacco products	1.931	364.4	367.6	6.7	.9	-	-	-
Personal care	1.927	293.1	293.9	2.5	.3	-	-	-
Toilet goods and personal care appliances .....	.944	291.9	292.5	2.0	.2	-	-	-
Personal care services .....	.983	294.7	295.7	2.9	.3	-	-	-
Personal and educational expenses	1.664	452.7	454.1	8.1	.3	-	-	-
School books and supplies .....	.239	408.2	411.4	8.7	.8	-	-	-
Personal and educational services	1.425	463.9	464.9	8.0	.2	-	-	-
Commodity and service group								
All items	100.000	328.2	329.6	2.0	0.4	-	-	-
Commodities	53.326	286.0	287.7	.2	.6	-	-	-
Food and beverages	21.748	320.3	321.2	4.5	.3	-	-	-
Commodities less food and beverages	31.579	263.6	265.9	-2.5	.9	-	-	-
Nondurables less food and beverages	17.644	263.8	267.9	-4.4	1.6	-	-	-
Apparel commodities	4.188	190.6	191.3	1.6	.4	-	-	-
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel	13.456	304.6	310.4	-6.0	1.9	-	-	-
Durables	13.935	265.0	264.9	.1	.0	-	-	-
Services	46.674	403.8	404.7	4.1	.2	-	-	-
Rent of shelter ¹	20.218	111.5	111.9	4.9	.4	-	-	-
Household services less rent of shelter ¹	8.785	102.5	102.5	-.5	.0	-	-	-
Transportation services	7.795	362.5	362.2	4.9	-.1	-	-	-
Medical care services	5.112	483.5	486.6	7.3	.6	-	-	-
Other services	4.764	336.4	336.9	4.8	.1	-	-	-
Special indexes:								
All items less food	79.463	326.6	328.2	1.4	.5	-	-	-
All items less shelter	78.801	308.9	310.3	1.3	.5	-	-	-
All items less homeowners' costs ¹	86.218	104.2	104.7	1.7	.5	-	-	-
All items less medical care	93.871	322.3	323.6	1.7	.4	-	-	-
Commodities less food	32.789	262.5	264.7	-2.3	.8	-	-	-
Nondurables less food	18.855	261.4	265.2	-3.9	1.5	-	-	-
Nondurables less food and apparel	14.667	295.3	300.5	-5.4	1.8	-	-	-
Nondurables	39.392	293.3	295.8	.3	.9	-	-	-
Services less rent of shelter ¹	26.456	109.0	109.1	3.4	.1	-	-	-
Services less medical care	41.562	392.9	393.6	3.7	.2	-	-	-
Energy	9.373	350.8	358.7	-12.1	2.3	-	-	-
All items less energy	90.627	328.2	328.9	3.8	.2	-	-	-
All items less food and energy	70.090	326.6	327.3	3.5	.2	-	-	-
Commodities less food and energy	27.616	262.0	262.5	1.5	.2	-	-	-
Energy commodities	5.173	307.0	319.2	-17.6	4.0	-	-	-
Services less energy	42.474	402.4	403.4	4.9	.2	-	-	-
Purchasing power of the consumer dollar:								
1967=\$1.00	-	\$.305	\$.303	-1.9	-.7	-	-	-
1957-59=\$1.00	-	.262	.261	-	-	-	-	-

¹ Indexes on a December 1984 = 100 base.

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

Table 3(OS). Old Series Consumer Price Index for all urban consumers: Selected areas, all items index, 1967=100 unless otherwise noted

Area, region, and population size class	Pricing schedule 1	Other index base	Indexes				Percent change to Feb. 1967 from-			Percent change to Jan. 1987 from-		
			Nov. 1986	Dec. 1986	Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Dec. 1986	Jan. 1987	Jan. 1986	Nov. 1986	Dec. 1986
Area 2												
U.S. city average			330.8	331.1	333.6	335.0	2.3	1.2	0.4	1.6	0.8	0.8
Chicago, Ill.-Northwestern Ind.	M		331.3	331.0	335.5	335.2	2.7	1.3	-.1	2.8	1.3	1.4
L.A.-Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif.	M		333.8	332.9	335.6	340.1	4.1	2.2	1.3	2.7	.5	.8
N.Y., N.Y.-Northeastern N.J.	M		327.5	329.1	332.0	333.7	3.5	1.4	.5	2.8	1.4	.9
Philadelphia, Pa.-N.J.	M		324.1	325.2	328.7	329.9	3.1	1.4	.4	2.6	1.4	1.1
Baltimore, Md.	1		333.4	-	334.5	-	-	-	-	.8	.3	-
Boston, Mass.	1		329.3	-	332.6	-	-	-	-	1.7	1.0	-
Cleveland, Ohio	1		352.7	-	352.9	-	-	-	-	-	.1	-
Miami, Fla.	1	11/77	175.8	-	177.3	-	-	-	-	1.5	.9	-
St. Louis, Mo.-Ill.	1		323.8	-	327.2	-	-	-	-	1.5	1.1	-
Washington, D.C.-Md.-Va.	1		334.0	-	336.4	-	-	-	-	1.6	.7	-
Dallas-Fort Worth, Tex.	2		-	342.8	-	350.1	.9	2.1	-	-	-	-
Detroit, Mich.	2		-	324.7	-	325.6	.8	.3	-	-	-	-
Houston, Tex.	2		-	331.0	-	336.5	-.2	1.7	-	-	-	-
Pittsburgh, Pa.	2		-	333.0	-	335.8	1.7	.8	-	-	-	-
San Francisco-Oakland, Calif.	2		-	343.6	-	349.1	2.3	1.6	-	-	-	-
Region 3												
Northeast	2		-	177.2	-	179.4	2.8	1.2	-	-	-	-
North Central	2		-	177.1	-	178.8	1.9	1.0	-	-	-	-
South	2		-	177.9	-	179.9	1.9	1.1	-	-	-	-
West	2		-	179.6	-	182.4	2.8	1.6	-	-	-	-
Population size class 3												
B	2		-	178.7	-	180.6	2.1	1.1	-	-	-	-
C	2		-	176.5	-	178.4	2.1	1.1	-	-	-	-
D	2		-	175.4	-	176.8	1.8	.8	-	-	-	-
Region/population size class cross classification 3												
Northeast/A	2	12/77	-	174.7	-	177.1	3.1	1.4	-	-	-	-
North Central/A	2	12/77	-	181.0	-	182.7	2.0	.9	-	-	-	-
South/A	2	12/77	-	177.9	-	180.1	1.8	1.2	-	-	-	-
West/A	2	12/77	-	182.6	-	188.1	3.5	1.9	-	-	-	-
Northeast/B	2	12/77	-	178.3	-	180.2	2.2	1.1	-	-	-	-
North Central/B	2	12/77	-	176.1	-	177.9	2.4	1.0	-	-	-	-
South/B	2	12/77	-	179.9	-	182.0	2.1	1.2	-	-	-	-
West/B	2	12/77	-	178.9	-	180.8	1.8	1.1	-	-	-	-
Northeast/C	2	12/77	-	186.3	-	188.1	2.7	1.0	-	-	-	-
North Central/C	2	12/77	-	171.9	-	173.6	1.9	1.0	-	-	-	-
South/C	2	12/77	-	176.4	-	178.6	1.9	1.2	-	-	-	-
West/C	2	12/77	-	172.9	-	175.0	2.3	1.2	-	-	-	-
North Central/D	2	12/77	-	171.6	-	173.3	1.5	1.0	-	-	-	-
South/D	2	12/77	-	176.6	-	177.8	1.8	.7	-	-	-	-

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Table 4(OS). Old Series Consumer Price Index for urban wage earners and clerical workers: Selected areas, all items index, 1967=100 unless otherwise noted

Area, region, and population size class	Pricing schedule 1	Other index base	Indexes				Percent change to Feb. 1987 from-			Percent change to Jan. 1987 from-		
			Nov. 1986	Dec. 1986	Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	Feb. 1986	Dec. 1986	Jan. 1987	Jan. 1986	Nov. 1986	Dec. 1986
Area 2												
U.S. city average			325.4	325.7	328.2	329.6	2.0	1.2	0.4	1.2	0.9	0.8
Chicago, Ill.-Northwestern Ind.	M		316.1	315.8	320.7	320.0	2.3	1.3	-.2	2.5	1.5	1.6
L.A.-Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif.	M		326.3	325.3	328.2	332.8	3.9	2.3	1.4	2.3	.6	.9
N.Y., N.Y.-Northeastern N.J.	M		318.6	320.1	322.8	324.4	3.1	1.3	.5	2.2	1.3	.8
Philadelphia, Pa.-N.J.	M		325.4	326.6	330.4	331.4	2.7	1.5	.3	2.3	1.5	1.2
Baltimore, Md.	1		330.4	-	331.8	-	-	-	-	.2	.4	-
Boston, Mass.	1		325.9	-	329.4	-	-	-	-	1.5	1.1	-
Cleveland, Ohio	1		329.6	-	330.2	-	-	-	-	-	.2	-
Miami, Fla.	1	11/77	176.1	-	177.6	-	-	-	-	1.1	.9	-
St. Louis, Mo.-Ill.	1		319.0	-	322.3	-	-	-	-	1.0	1.0	-
Washington, D.C.-Md.-Va.	1		335.9	-	337.2	-	-	-	-	1.4	.4	-
Dallas-Fort Worth, Tex.	2		-	335.0	-	343.2	.8	2.4	-	-	-	-
Detroit, Mich.	2		-	314.0	-	314.8	.8	.3	-	-	-	-
Houston, Tex.	2		-	328.5	-	333.9	-.1	1.6	-	-	-	-
Pittsburgh, Pa.	2		-	311.8	-	314.6	1.0	.9	-	-	-	-
San Francisco-Oakland, Calif.	2		-	337.0	-	342.4	1.9	1.6	-	-	-	-
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Technical Notes

Brief Explanation of the CPI

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

The CPI is based on prices of food, clothing, shelter, and fuels, transportation fares, charges for doctors' and dentists' services, drugs, and the other goods and services that people buy for day-to-day living. Prices are collected in 91 urban areas across the country from about 60,000 housing units and approximately 21,000 retail establishments—department stores, supermarkets, hospitals, filling stations, and other types of stores and service establishments. All taxes directly associated with the purchase and use of items are included in the index. Prices of food, fuels, and a few other items are obtained every month in all 91 locations. Prices of most other commodities and services are collected every month in the five largest geographic areas and every other month in other areas. Prices of most goods and services are obtained by personal visits of the Bureau's trained representatives. Mail questionnaires are used to obtain public utility rates, some fuel prices, and certain other items.

In calculating the index, price changes for the various items in each location are averaged together with weights which represent their importance in the spending of the appropriate population group. Local data are then combined to obtain a U.S. city average. Separate indexes are also published by size of city, by region of the country, for cross calculations of regions and population-size classes, and for 27 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 measures price change from a designated reference date, 1967, which equals 100.0. An increase of 203 percent, for example, is shown as 303.0. This change can also be expressed in dollars as follows: The price of a base period "market basket" of goods and services in the CPI has risen from \$10 in 1967 to \$30.30.

For further details see BLS Handbook of Methods, Vol. II, "The Consumer Price Index," Bulletin 2134-2, April 1984 and "The Consumer Price Index: 1987 Revision," BLS Report 736, January 1987.

Calculating Index Changes

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

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

Index Point Change	
CPI	315.5
Less previous index	303.5
Equals Index point change	12.0
Percent Change	
Index point difference	12.0
Divided by the previous index	303.5
Equals	0.040
Results multiplied by one hundred	0.040 x 100
Equals percent change	4.0

Homeownership Changes

The Consumer Price Index (CPI) has been changed to incorporate a rental equivalence measure of homeowners' costs in accordance with plans announced by the Bureau of Labor Statistics (BLS) on October 27, 1981. For the CPI for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U), this change was effective with release of the index for January 1983 and for the CPI for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W), it was effective with the release of the January 1985 index. The rental equivalence approach calculates shelter costs of homeowners based on the implicit rent owners would have to pay to rent homes that they own. The old method calculated homeownership as home purchase, mortgage interest costs, property taxes, property insurance, and maintenance and repairs. The new homeownership component was introduced into both the CPI-U and the CPI-W in such a manner that in each case the indexes using the old and new methodologies were equal in the so-called "link month"—December 1982 for the CPI-U and December 1984 for the CPI-W. For more information, see the *CPI Detailed Report* for January 1983, pp. 7-13.

Energy Prices

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

All prices, except for electricity, are collected monthly by BLS representatives in the urban areas priced for the CPI. Electricity prices are collected monthly on mail questionnaires by the Department of Energy for BLS. 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 P-2 are the upper and lower limits of the bill sizes priced for the Consumer Price Index. The average prices per therm and per kilowatt hour are

calculated from bills priced within these ranges. It should be noted that bills priced for the CPI are not only for different consumption amounts, but may also be calculated from different types of residential rate schedules. *The average prices per therm and per kilowatt hour are not, therefore, generally suitable for use in place-to-place price comparisons.*

The average prices for 40 and 100 therms of natural gas and for 500 kilowatt hours of electricity (table P-1) are calculated from a special price collection program. They are not used in the calculation of the CPI. Since heating and air-conditioning requirements vary by geographic location, climate, and weather conditions, it cannot be inferred that these consumption amounts represent those used by a typical residential consumer. These bills are used merely to track price changes over time for constant amounts of consumption, to provide data for place-to-place price comparisons, 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 per 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, however, that the average food prices in this report reflect variations in brand, quality, and size among geographic areas. Users of average food prices should be aware that these differences exist.

Because a number of food commodities are not available in all areas on a year-round basis, prices will

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

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

Seasonally Adjusted and Unadjusted Data

Because price data are used for different purposes by different groups, the Bureau of Labor Statistics publishes seasonally adjusted as well as unadjusted changes each month.

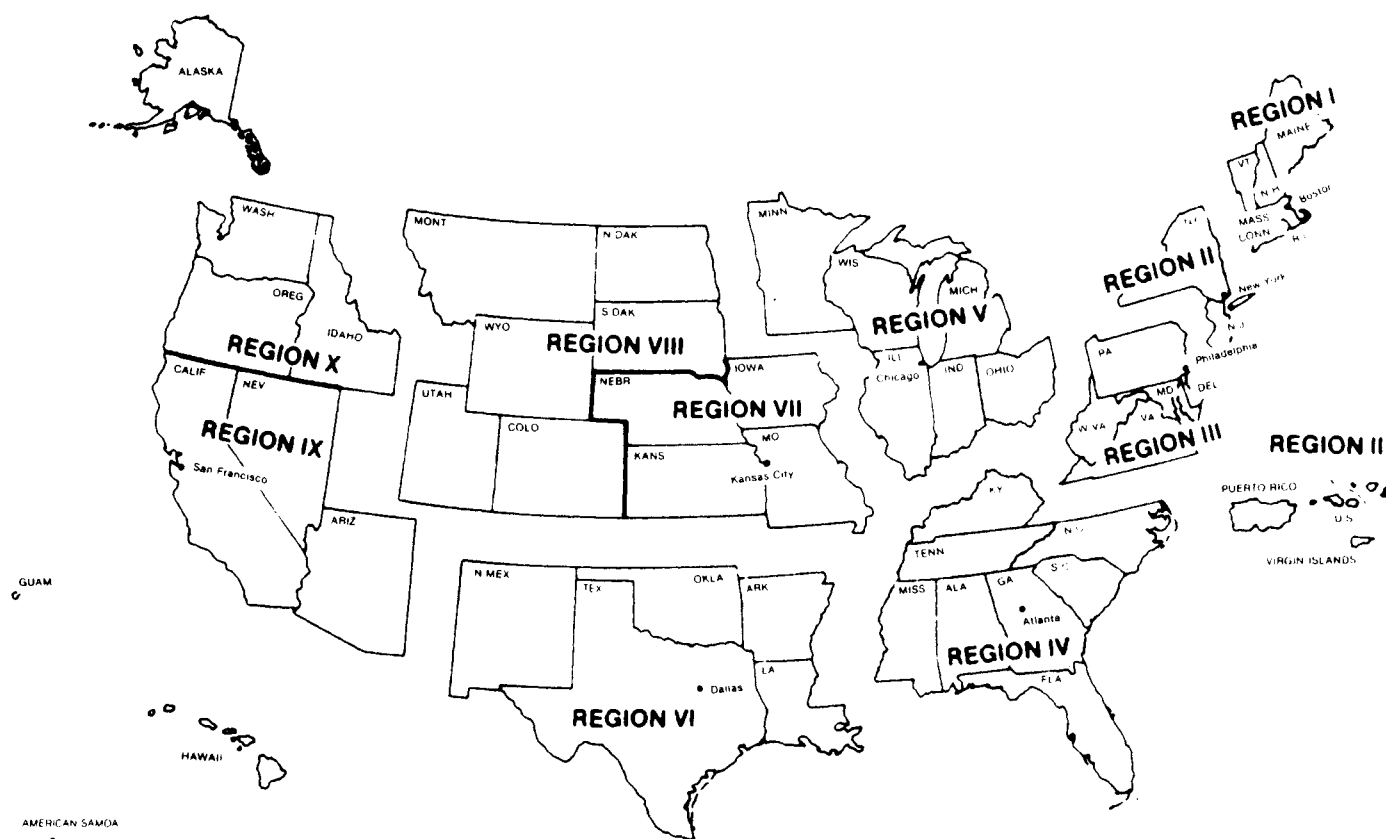
For analyzing general price trends in the economy, seasonally adjusted changes are usually preferred since they eliminate the effect of changes that normally occur at the same time and in about the same magnitude every year—such as price movements resulting from changing climatic conditions, production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

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

Seasonal factors used in computing the seasonally adjusted indexes are derived by the X-11 ARIMA Seasonal Adjustment Method. The updated seasonal data at the end of 1977 replaced data from 1967 through 1977. Subsequent annual updates have replaced 5 years of seasonal data, e.g., data from 1982 through 1986 were replaced at the end of 1986. The seasonal movement of all items and 43 other aggregations is derived by combining the seasonal movement of 50 selected components. Each year the seasonal status of every series is reevaluated based upon certain statistical criteria. If any of the 50 components change their status from not seasonally adjusted to seasonally adjusted, seasonally adjusted indexes will be used before the period.

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