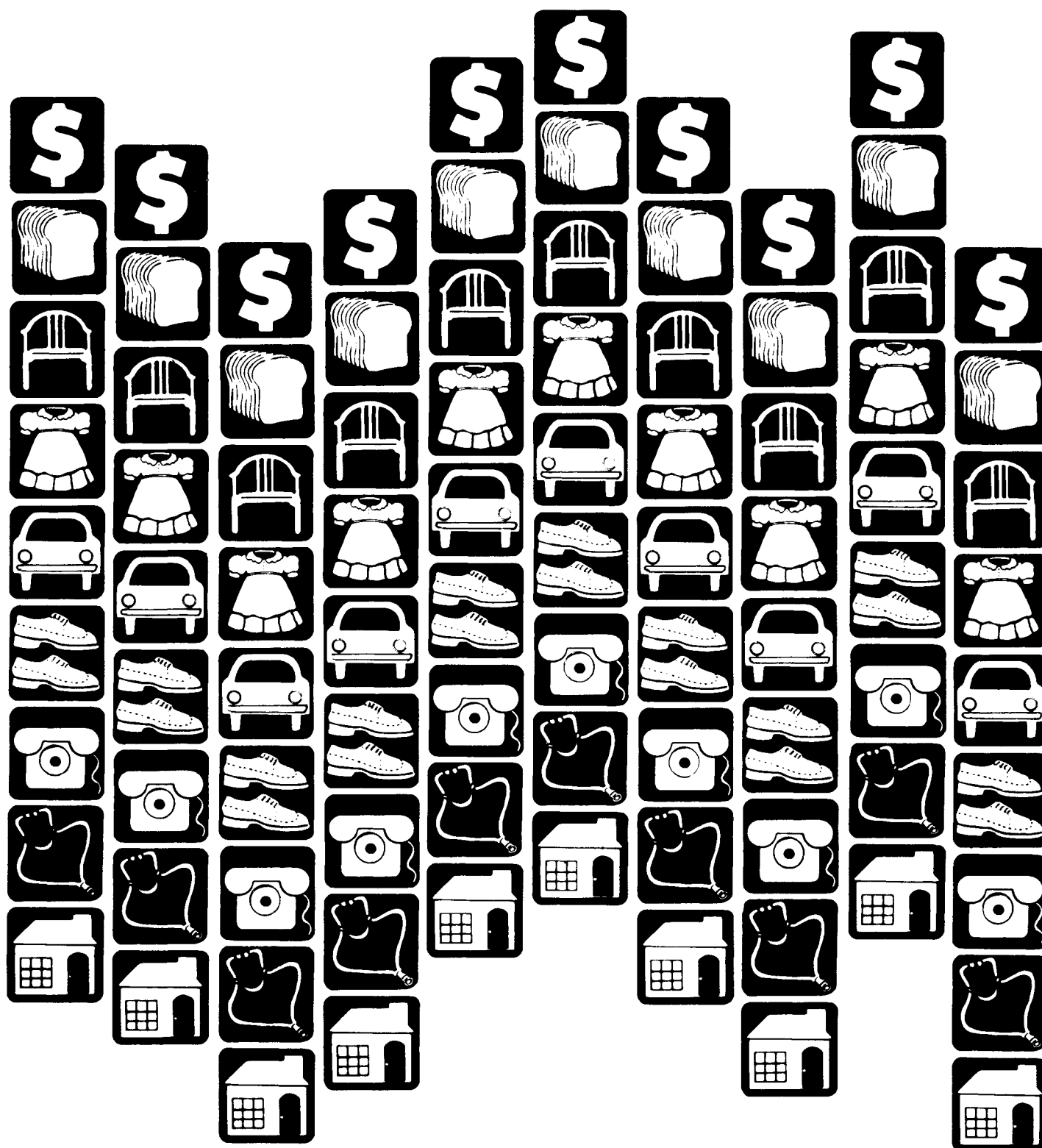


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<i>Index month</i>	<i>Release date</i>	<i>Index month</i>	<i>Release date</i>
May	June 23	August	September 23
June	July 22	September	October 23
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NOTE: Beginning with the January 1987 report, the Consumer 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

April 1987

The Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U) rose 0.5 percent before seasonal adjustment in April to a level of 337.7 (1967 = 100). For the 12-month period ended in April, the CPI-U has increased 3.8 percent.

The Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W) also rose 0.5 percent in April prior to seasonal adjustment. The April 1987 CPI-W level of 332.3 (1967 = 100) was 3.7 percent higher than the index in April 1986.

CPI for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U)

On a seasonally adjusted basis, the CPI-U rose 0.4 percent in April, the same as in each of the preceding 2 months. The food and energy components each advanced 0.3 percent in April. The rise in the food index, which had declined in March, was led by sharp increases in prices for fresh fruits and vegetables. The rise in energy costs slowed in April, reflecting a smaller increase in petroleum-based energy prices and declines in charges for natural gas and electricity. Excluding food and energy, the CPI-U rose 0.5 percent, the same as in March, but more than the average monthly increase of 0.3 percent in 1986. The index for commodities other than food and energy increased 0.6 percent, with a sharp rise in clothing prices accounting for about three-fifths of the advance. The index for services less energy rose 0.4 percent for the third consecutive month.

During the first 4 months of 1987, the CPI-U rose at a seasonally adjusted annual rate of 6.0 percent.

The food and beverage index, which declined slightly in

March, rose 0.3 percent in April. Grocery store food prices advanced 0.4 percent. A turnaround in prices for fresh fruits and vegetables—up 2.0 percent in April following a 0.7-percent decline in March—accounted for about three-fifths of the advance in the grocery store food component. Increases in the indexes for cereal and bakery products and meats, poultry, fish, and eggs also contributed to the April advance. Within the latter group, prices for beef, pork, and fish and seafood increased while poultry and egg prices continued to decrease. The indexes for dairy products, processed fruits and vegetables, and other food at home also registered declines in April. The other two components of the food and beverage index—restaurant meals and alcoholic beverages—rose 0.2 and 0.3 percent, respectively.

Housing costs slowed slightly in April, advancing 0.3 percent. The shelter component, which had increased 0.5 percent in each of the first 3 months of 1987, rose 0.4 percent in April. For the second consecutive month, the indexes for fuels and other utilities and household furnishings and operations each increased 0.1 percent. Fuel oil prices—up 2.9 percent in April after seasonal adjustment—have increased 19.9 percent in the first 4 months of 1987. As of April, however, these prices were 30.4 percent below their peak level of April 1981. Charges for natural gas and electricity declined 0.5 and 0.2 percent, respectively, in April. Both of these indexes were below their year-earlier levels. The index for telephone services increased 0.3 percent in April as a 0.6-percent rise in local charges more than offset small declines in charges for interstate and intrastate toll calls.

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 April 1987	12 months ended April 1987
	1986			1987					
	October	November	December	January	February	March	April		
All items	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.7	0.4	0.4	0.4	5.3	3.8
Food and beverages . . . . .	.3	.4	.2	.5	.2	-.1	.3	1.8	4.5
Housing	0	0	.2	.5	.4	.4	.3	4.2	2.7
Apparel and upkeep	0	.3	0	.4	.7	1.7	1.5	16.5	5.5
Transportation . . . . .	.1	.4	0	1.5	.5	.6	.5	6.8	3.3
Medical care . . . . .	.5	.5	.7	.4	.3	.4	.6	5.7	6.8
Entertainment . . . . .	.3	.3	.3	.2	.1	.4	.6	4.1	3.3
Other goods and services . . . . .	.4	.3	.3	1.1	.7	.5	.5	6.6	5.6

NOTE: Seasonal factors have been recalculated to reflect developments during 1986. For this reason, some of the seasonally adjusted figures above and elsewhere in this report differ from those previously published.

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 April 1987	12 months ended April 1987
	1986			1987					
	October	November	December	January	February	March	April		
All items	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.7	.4	.5	.5	5.3	3.7
Food and beverages . . . . .	.3	.4	.2	.5	.2	-.1	.2	1.4	4.5
Housing	0	0	.2	.4	.4	.4	.2	4.1	2.5
Apparel and upkeep	-.1	.1	.2	.3	.3	1.9	1.5	16.0	5.5
Transportation . . . . .	.1	.4	-.1	1.7	.6	.7	.6	8.3	3.4
Medical care . . . . .	.5	.5	.7	.4	.3	.5	.6	6.1	6.9
Entertainment . . . . .	.4	.3	.3	.1	.1	.4	.6	4.5	3.4
Other goods and services . . . . .	.4	.3	.2	1.2	.7	.4	.4	6.6	5.5

The transportation component rose 0.5 percent in April following a 0.6-percent increase in March. Prices for motor fuels continued to rise—up 0.7 percent in April—but by less than in recent months. Despite the 14.4-percent advance in the first 4 months of 1987, gasoline prices were 30.4 percent lower than their peak level in March 1981. The 2.1-percent increase in the index for used cars was its fourth consecutive advance, after registering declines in each of the last 11 months of 1986. During the first 4 months of 1987 used car prices have increased 5.7 percent. New vehicle prices, which declined 0.5 percent in the first 3 months of 1987, rose 0.3 percent in April. The index for automobile finance charges—down 0.1 percent in April—declined for the third consecutive month. Public transportation costs declined 0.1 percent in April, largely due to a 0.4-percent drop in airline fares.

An increase of 1.5 percent in the index for apparel and upkeep followed a 1.7-percent increase in March. This was the largest 2-month increase since a 3.5-percent rise in the first 2 months of 1951. The introduction of higher priced spring and summer merchandise, particularly women's clothing, was responsible for both the March and April increases.

The medical care component advanced 0.6 percent in April following a 0.4-percent increase in March. In April, the index for medical care commodities—prescription drugs, non-prescription drugs, and medical supplies—rose 0.2 percent. The index for medical care services increased 0.7 percent,

with the cost of professional services and hospital and related services up 0.8 and 0.7 percent, respectively.

The 0.6-percent rise in the entertainment index was its largest increase since January 1986. Charges for entertainment services advanced 0.7 percent, reflecting increases in fees for participant sports and admission fees—up 1.3 and 1.2 percent, respectively. The index for entertainment commodities rose 0.3 percent, as prices for reading materials more than offset the decline in the index for sporting goods and equipment.

The index for other goods and services increased 0.5 percent in April, the same as in March.

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 0.5 percent in April.

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 are found in tables OS-1 through OS-4. In April, the Old Series CPI-U and the old series CPI-W both rose 0.5 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

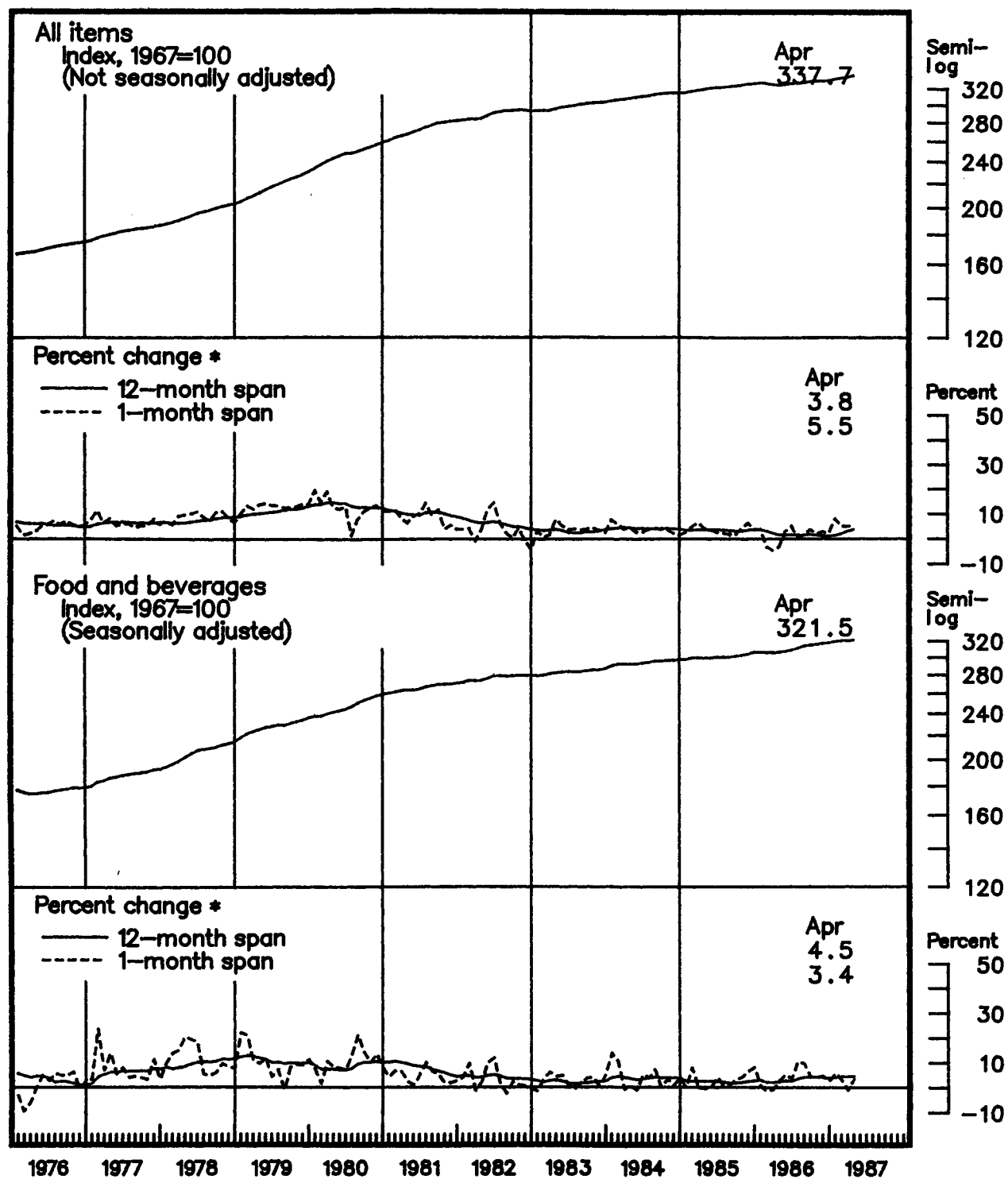
this initial result, then an aging adjustment will be introduced with the CPI for January 1988. (The research results indicate that annual changes for the residential rent and owners' equivalent rent indexes would be about 0.3 percent larger if aging adjustments were included.) The basic research papers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

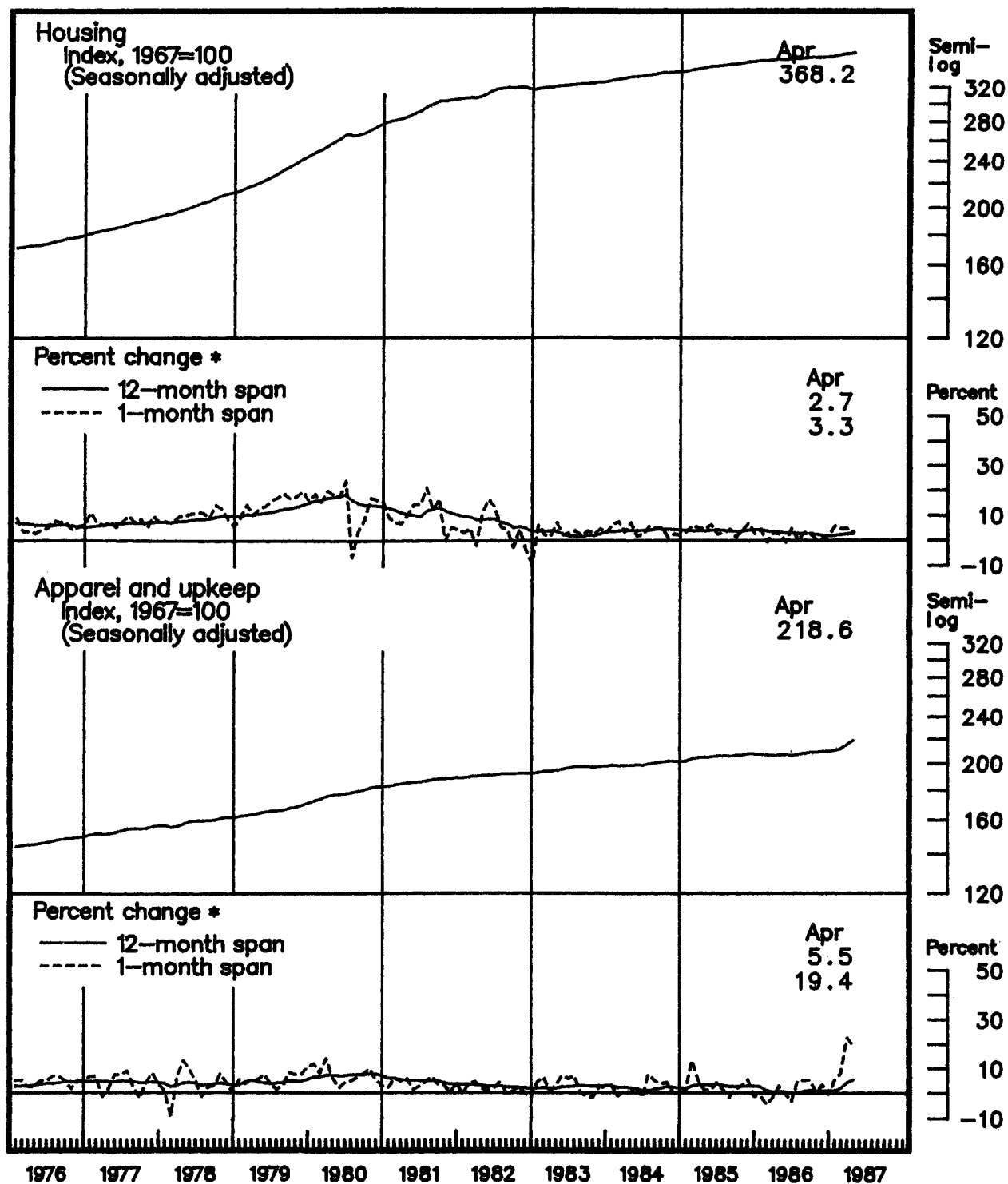
expenditure weights, which are based upon data tabulated from the Consumer Expenditure Surveys for 1982, 1983, and 1984. The last rebasing of CPI data occurred in February 1971, when the current 1967 base was substituted for the former 1957-59 base. Historical data for each CPI series on the new base 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



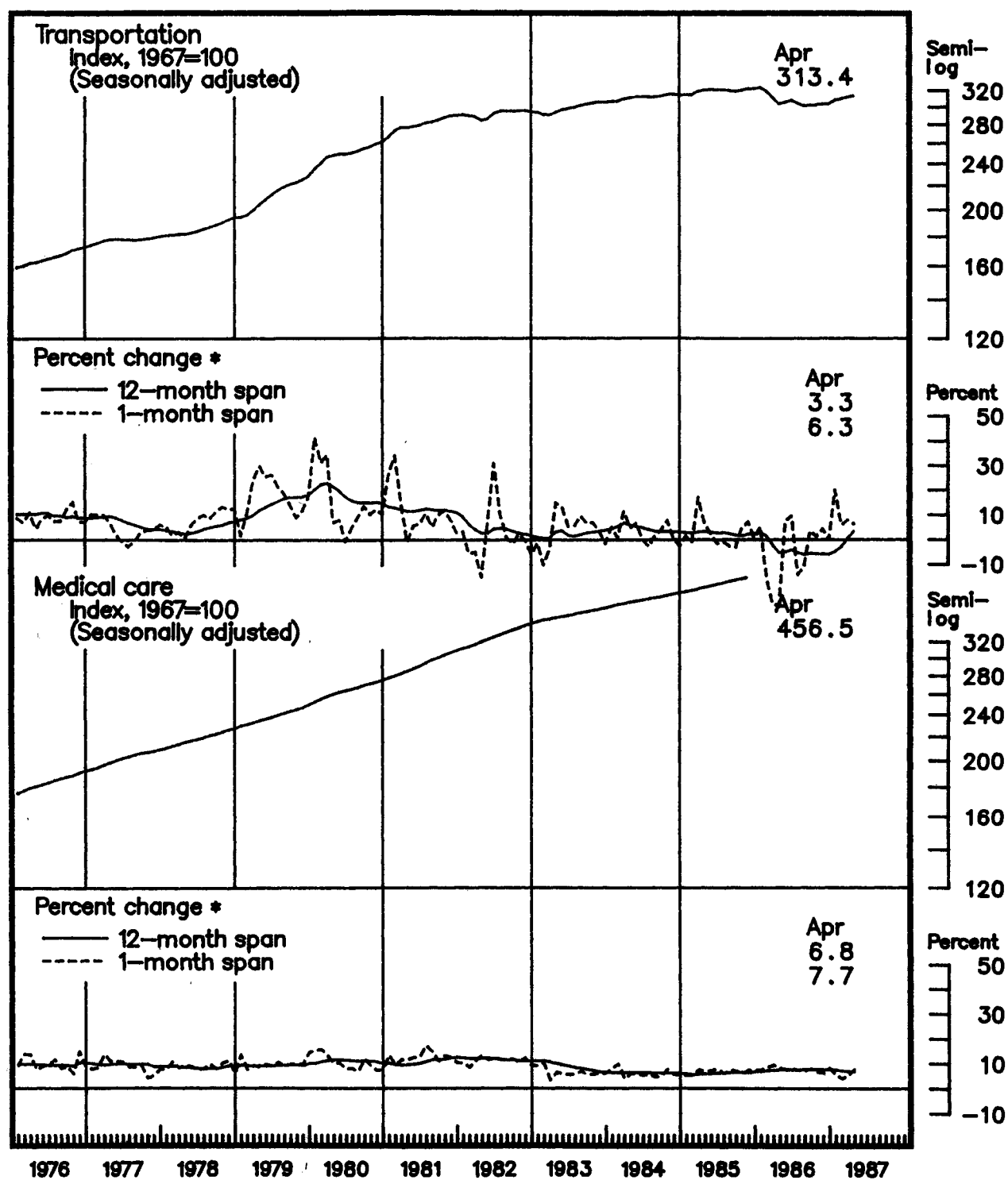
* Percent changes over 12-month spans are calculated from unadjusted data. Percent changes over 1-month spans are annual rates calculated from seasonally adjusted data.

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



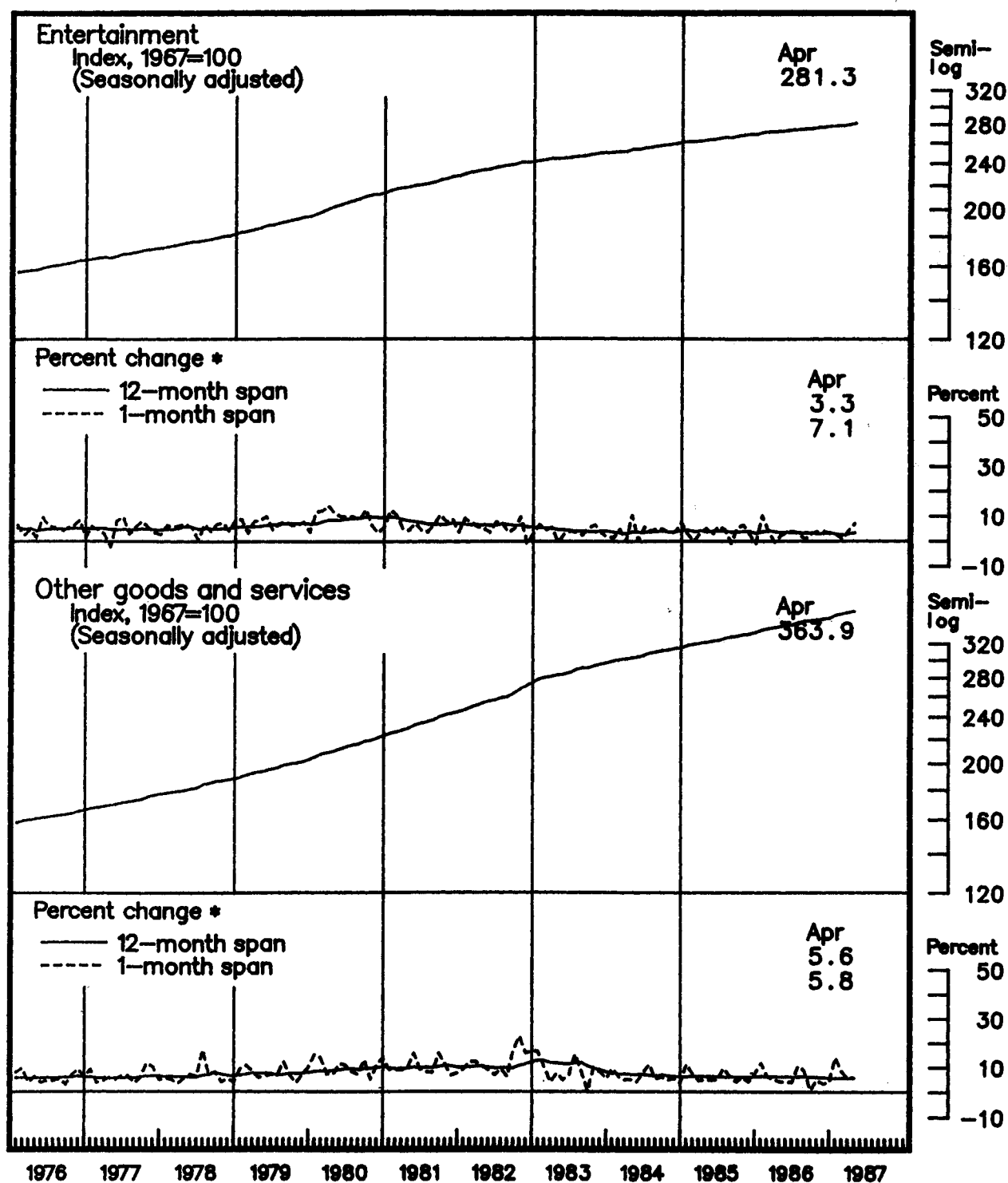
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Chart 3: CPI-U: Transportation and medical care, 1976-87



* 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



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

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

(1967=100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Relative importance, December 1986	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Apr. 1987 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986	Mar. 1987	Jan. to Feb.	Feb. to Mar.	Mar. to Apr.
Expenditure category								
All items	100.000	335.9	337.7	3.6	0.5	0.4	0.4	0.4
All items(1957-59=100)	-	390.7	392.7	-	-	-	-	-
Food and beverages	17.624	321.6	322.5	4.5	.3	.2	-.1	.3
Food	16.246	330.0	331.0	4.7	.3	.3	-.1	.3
Food at home	9.974	315.6	316.9	5.1	.3	.4	-.4	.4
Cereals and bakery products ¹	1.357	333.2	335.6	4.1	.7	.4	.2	.7
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	3.143	286.5	285.9	8.2	-.2	-.7	.2	.2
Dairy products ¹	1.263	263.7	263.2	2.5	-.2	.5	-.4	-.2
Fruits and vegetables	1.659	352.5	360.6	9.4	2.3	3.2	-1.7	1.4
Other food at home	2.552	378.6	377.6	.4	-.3	-.1	-.5	-.1
Sugar and sweets ¹ .....	.359	417.2	417.4	1.5	.0	.0	.3	.0
Fats and oils ¹ .....	.265	294.6	291.8	1.1	-1.0	-1.0	1.5	-1.0
Nonalcoholic beverages .....	.891	475.4	469.6	-3.6	-1.2	-1.1	-1.8	-.6
Other prepared food	1.037	311.3	313.2	4.3	.6	.9	-.2	.5
Food away from home	6.272	370.9	371.5	4.1	.2	.2	.4	.2
Alcoholic beverages	1.578	243.6	244.3	2.0	.3	-.1	.0	.3
Housing	42.947	366.4	367.7	2.7	.4	.4	.4	.3
Shelter	27.822	415.9	418.0	4.5	.5	.5	.5	.4
Renters' costs ²	8.000	126.4	127.1	5.1	.6	.5	.6	.2
Rent, residential	6.094	288.3	288.8	3.9	.2	.4	.2	.1
Other renters' costs	1.906	438.7	446.1	8.6	1.7	.6	1.6	.7
Homeowners' costs ²	19.600	123.0	123.6	4.1	.5	.5	.5	.4
Owners' equivalent rent ²	19.188	123.0	123.6	4.1	.5	.5	.5	.5
Household insurance ^{1 2} .....	.412	122.2	122.4	3.5	.2	.2	.2	.2
Maintenance and repairs ¹ .....	.222	383.4	382.4	4.0	-.3	-.1	.4	-.3
Maintenance and repair services ¹ .....	.133	439.4	437.1	2.9	-.5	-.4	.8	-.5
Maintenance and repair commodities ¹ .....	.089	278.5	278.7	5.4	.1	.4	-.1	.1
Fuel and other utilities	7.909	374.9	374.2	-2.0	-.2	.3	.1	.1
Fuels	4.458	444.6	442.0	-3.8	-.6	.3	.1	.0
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities .....	.395	500.6	500.5	-3.4	.0	3.8	1.4	2.5
Gas (piped) and electricity	4.063	428.7	425.9	-3.0	-.7	.0	.0	-.3
Other utilities and public services ¹	3.451	256.2	257.0	2.3	.3	.3	.2	.3
Household furnishings and operation	7.216	254.3	255.2	2.2	.4	.0	.1	.1
Housefurnishings	4.447	203.8	204.7	2.1	.4	-.2	-.1	.0
Housekeeping supplies	1.215	327.7	328.2	3.0	.2	.2	.9	.1
Housekeeping services ¹	1.554	351.0	352.2	2.0	.3	.2	.1	.3
Apparel and upkeep	6.335	215.2	218.7	5.5	1.6	.7	1.7	1.5
Apparel commodities	5.767	199.1	202.8	5.7	1.8	.7	1.8	1.7
Men's and boys' apparel	1.549	203.5	205.6	3.0	1.0	1.0	.9	.4
Women's and girls' apparel	2.612	177.0	182.2	8.5	2.9	.4	2.4	3.1
Infants' and toddlers' apparel ¹ .....	.236	319.6	319.1	.8	-.2	.9	5.0	-.2
Footwear .....	.848	216.5	219.2	3.7	1.2	.8	1.7	.9
Other apparel commodities ¹ .....	.522	227.4	227.0	5.4	-.2	1.3	.6	-.2
Apparel services .....	.568	344.7	344.7	3.5	.0	-.1	.4	-.1

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Relative importance, December 1986	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Apr. 1987 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986	Mar. 1987	Jan. to Feb.	Feb. to Mar.	Mar. to Apr.
Expenditure category								
Transportation	17.217	310.6	313.3	3.3	0.9	0.5	0.6	0.5
Private transportation	15.718	301.9	304.6	3.2	1.0	.5	.7	.6
New vehicles	5.607	229.2	229.9	4.0	.3	-1.0	.1	.3
New cars	4.550	229.4	230.4	4.2	.4	-1.1	.0	.4
Used cars	1.249	363.0	371.6	1.9	2.4	1.1	2.1	2.1
Motor fuel	2.903	290.0	297.2	6.3	2.5	4.1	2.3	.7
Gasoline	-	289.4	296.7	6.5	2.5	4.2	2.3	.7
Maintenance and repairs ¹	1.549	373.0	376.1	4.3	.8	.5	.0	.8
Other private transportation ¹	4.411	314.4	315.1	4.5	.2	-.3	.1	.2
Other private transportation commodities ¹ .....	.770	202.3	200.8	-.7	-.7	-.2	.2	-.7
Other private transportation services ¹	3.641	347.0	348.6	5.3	.5	-.3	.1	.5
Public transportation ¹	1.498	441.4	440.8	4.4	-.1	.2	.4	-.1
Medical care	5.420	455.0	457.3	6.8	.5	.3	.4	.6
Medical care commodities	1.083	286.3	287.5	6.0	.4	.4	.6	.2
Medical care services	4.337	492.1	494.7	7.0	.5	.3	.4	.7
Professional medical services	2.815	409.6	412.5	6.6	.7	.6	.5	.8
Entertainment	4.403	279.8	281.3	3.3	.5	.1	.4	.6
Entertainment commodities	2.120	269.9	270.8	2.3	.3	-.2	.7	.3
Entertainment services ¹	2.283	294.5	296.6	4.6	.7	.3	.1	.7
Other goods and services	5.855	360.3	361.1	5.6	.2	.7	.5	.5
Tobacco and smoking products ¹	1.247	369.6	370.4	6.9	.2	.9	.4	.2
Personal care ¹	1.235	296.4	297.3	2.3	.3	.2	.0	.3
Toilet goods and personal care appliances ¹ .....	.663	292.0	292.9	1.8	.3	.3	.0	.3
Personal care services ¹ .....	.571	301.5	302.3	2.8	.3	.2	.1	.3
Personal and educational expenses	3.373	452.8	453.8	8.3	.2	.8	.7	.6
School books and supplies .....	.217	403.9	404.4	8.0	.1	.5	.7	.7
Personal and educational services	3.156	465.0	466.0	8.5	.2	.8	.7	.6
Commodity and service group								
All items	100.000	335.9	337.7	3.8	.5	.4	.4	.4
Commodities	45.595	289.5	291.4	3.6	.7	.5	.5	.5
Food and beverages	17.824	321.6	322.5	4.5	.3	.2	-.1	.3
Commodities less food and beverages	27.771	267.9	270.4	3.0	.9	.6	.9	.7
Nondurables less food and beverages ¹	15.625	269.7	273.2	4.3	1.3	1.4	1.6	1.3
Apparel commodities	5.767	199.1	202.6	5.7	1.8	.7	1.8	1.7
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel ¹	9.858	311.9	315.0	4.1	1.0	1.6	.5	1.0
Durables	12.147	271.7	273.0	1.4	.5	-.3	.4	.2
Services	54.405	411.2	412.8	4.0	.4	.4	.4	.4
Rent of shelter ^{1 2}	27.151	124.1	124.8	4.5	.6	.4	.4	.6
Household services less rent of shelter ^{1 2}	9.650	111.5	111.4	-.2	-.1	.2	.0	-.1
Transportation services	6.688	369.0	370.5	4.9	.4	.0	.1	.4
Medical care services	4.337	492.1	494.7	7.0	.5	.3	.4	.7
Other services	6.579	343.7	345.0	5.3	.4	.5	.4	.6

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 Apr. 1987 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986	Mar. 1987	Jan. to Feb.	Feb. to Mar.	Mar. to Apr.
Special indexes								
All items less food	83.754	335.4	337.3	3.6	0.6	0.4	0.5	0.5
All items less shelter	72.178	312.9	314.6	3.6	.5	.4	.4	.5
All items less homeowners' costs ²	80.400	113.6	114.2	3.7	.5	.4	.4	.4
All items less medical care	94.580	329.4	331.1	3.6	.5	.4	.5	.4
Commodities less food	29.350	266.5	268.9	2.9	.9	.5	.8	.7
Nondurables less food ¹	17.203	266.4	269.6	4.0	1.2	1.3	1.4	1.2
Nondurables less food and apparel ¹	11.436	301.0	303.7	3.7	.9	1.6	.5	.9
Nondurables ¹	33.449	296.8	299.1	4.5	.8	.9	.7	.8
Services less rent of shelter ^{1 2}	27.254	121.3	121.6	3.8	.2	.2	.2	.2
Services less medical care ¹	50.067	400.0	401.5	3.7	.4	.3	.3	.4
Energy	7.360	360.0	362.4	.2	.7	1.9	1.0	.3
All items less energy	92.640	336.5	338.2	4.3	.5	.3	.4	.4
All items less food and energy	76.394	336.4	338.3	4.2	.6	.3	.5	.5
Commodities less food and energy	26.052	268.4	270.3	3.1	.7	.0	.7	.6
Energy commodities	3.297	320.9	328.0	4.7	2.2	4.1	2.2	.9
Services less energy	50.342	410.4	412.3	4.7	.5	.4	.4	.4
Purchasing power of the consumer dollar:								
1967=\$1.00 ¹	-	\$296	\$296	-3.6	-.7	-.3	-.3	-.7
1957-59=\$1.00 ¹	-	.256	.255	-	-	-	-	-

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					
	Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987	3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
					July 1986	Oct. 1986	Jan. 1987	Apr. 1987	Oct. 1986	Apr. 1987
Expenditure category										
All items	-	-	-	-	2.9	2.6	4.4	5.3	2.7	4.8
Food and beverages	320.1	320.9	320.6	321.5	6.4	6.0	4.4	1.8	6.2	3.1
Food	328.6	329.6	329.2	330.2	6.6	6.4	4.2	2.0	6.5	3.1
Food at home	314.0	315.3	314.1	315.2	7.8	7.4	3.8	1.5	7.6	2.7
Cereals and bakery products ¹	331.5	332.7	333.2	335.6	4.8	2.6	3.8	5.0	3.7	4.4
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	285.6	283.6	284.2	284.8	20.6	17.1	-1.4	-1.1	18.8	-1.3
Dairy products ¹	263.3	264.7	263.7	263.2	2.5	2.5	5.2	-2	2.5	2.5
Fruits and vegetables	344.0	354.9	349.0	353.9	4.1	9.2	12.7	12.0	6.7	12.3
Other food at home	378.7	378.2	376.3	375.9	.4	.6	4.2	-2.9	.5	.6
Sugar and sweets ¹	415.8	415.8	417.2	417.4	1.0	1.0	2.3	1.5	1.0	1.9
Fats and oils ¹	293.2	290.3	294.6	291.8	-1.7	-3.7	12.6	-1.9	-2.7	5.1
Nonalcoholic beverages	481.7	476.2	467.5	464.7	-1.2	-6	1.5	-13.4	-9	-6.2
Other prepared food	308.7	311.5	311.0	312.6	3.0	3.6	5.5	5.2	3.3	5.3
Food away from home	369.0	369.6	370.9	371.5	4.2	4.4	5.1	2.7	4.3	3.9
Alcoholic beverages	243.3	243.0	242.9	243.6	3.0	-7	5.3	.5	1.2	2.9
Housing	364.4	365.8	367.2	368.2	1.5	2.0	2.8	4.2	1.7	3.5
Shelter	412.2	414.3	416.5	418.0	2.8	5.4	3.9	5.7	4.1	4.8
Renters' costs ²	125.4	126.0	126.7	127.0	4.4	4.3	6.0	5.2	4.3	5.6
Rent, residential	287.1	288.3	288.9	289.1	4.1	4.2	4.4	2.8	4.1	3.6
Other renters' costs	434.0	436.4	443.6	446.5	5.4	4.9	12.3	12.0	5.1	12.2
Homeowners' costs ²	122.0	122.6	123.2	123.7	2.0	5.8	3.0	5.7	3.9	4.3
Owners' equivalent rent ²	122.0	122.6	123.2	123.8	2.0	5.8	3.0	6.0	3.9	4.5
Household insurance ^{1 2}	121.8	122.0	122.2	122.4	5.5	2.4	4.0	2.0	3.9	3.0
Maintenance and repairs ¹	382.1	381.9	383.4	382.4	1.8	11.0	3.3	.3	6.3	1.8
Maintenance and repair services ¹	437.7	436.1	439.4	437.1	5.3	7.1	.2	-5	6.2	-2
Maintenance and repair commodities ¹	277.7	278.8	278.5	278.7	-2.7	16.6	7.1	1.4	6.5	4.2
Fuel and other utilities	375.9	377.1	377.6	378.1	-4.2	-6.8	-8	2.4	-5.5	.7
Fuels	446.1	447.6	446.1	447.9	-8.5	-10.6	.7	1.6	-9.6	1.2
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities	475.1	493.3	500.1	512.8	-38.8	-15.7	24.1	35.7	-28.1	29.8
Gas (piped) and electricity	434.9	434.9	434.8	433.4	-1	-9.6	-7	-1.4	-4.9	-1.1
Other utilities and public services ¹	254.9	255.6	256.2	257.0	7.0	2.4	-3.4	3.3	4.7	-1
Household furnishings and operation	253.7	253.6	253.9	254.1	3.4	1.4	3.4	.6	2.4	2.0
Housefurnishings	204.0	203.6	203.4	203.4	4.9	1.0	4.0	-1.2	2.9	1.4
Housekeeping supplies	323.6	324.3	327.1	327.5	2.8	1.1	3.4	4.9	2.0	4.2
Housekeeping services ¹	349.8	350.6	351.0	352.2	1.4	2.2	1.5	2.8	1.8	2.1
Apparel and upkeep	210.4	211.8	215.4	218.6	.4	3.7	2.7	16.5	2.0	9.4
Apparel commodities	194.0	195.4	199.0	202.3	-2	3.6	2.3	18.2	1.7	10.0
Men's and boys' apparel	200.8	202.9	204.7	205.6	-8	2.2	.8	9.9	.7	5.3
Women's and girls' apparel	171.4	172.1	176.2	181.7	-1.0	4.1	6.3	26.3	1.6	15.9
Infants' and toddlers' apparel ¹	301.8	304.5	319.6	319.1	-11.0	6.0	-12.4	25.0	-2.9	4.6
Footwear	211.4	213.0	216.7	218.6	-4	5.6	-3.7	14.3	2.6	4.9
Other apparel commodities ¹	223.2	226.0	227.4	227.0	5.3	3.2	6.3	7.0	4.2	6.7
Apparel services	343.2	342.9	344.4	344.0	3.4	4.0	6.0	.9	3.7	3.5

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					
	Jan. 1967	Feb. 1967	Mar. 1967	Apr. 1967	3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
					July 1966	Oct. 1966	Jan. 1967	Apr. 1967	Oct. 1966	Apr. 1967
Expenditure category										
Transportation	306.3	309.8	311.8	313.4	0.5	-2.2	7.9	6.6	-0.9	7.3
Private transportation	299.6	301.2	303.2	305.0	.1	-2.5	7.7	7.4	-1.2	7.5
New vehicles	231.2	229.0	229.2	229.9	7.4	4.9	6.3	-2.2	6.2	1.9
New cars	231.8	229.3	229.4	230.4	7.2	5.1	6.8	-2.4	6.1	2.1
Used cars	354.6	358.4	365.9	373.5	-5.6	-2.8	-4.6	23.1	-4.3	8.4
Motor fuel	278.0	289.5	296.2	298.4	-5.7	-17.6	24.1	32.7	-11.9	28.3
Gasoline	277.6	289.2	295.9	297.9	-5.2	-17.9	24.7	32.6	-11.6	28.6
Maintenance and repairs ¹	371.3	373.0	373.0	376.1	3.1	2.6	6.3	5.3	2.8	5.8
Other private transportation ¹	314.9	314.0	314.4	315.1	3.9	4.1	9.8	.3	4.0	4.9
Other private transportation commodities ¹	202.2	201.6	202.3	200.8	-1.2	-5.3	6.8	-2.7	-3.2	1.9
Other private transportation services ¹	347.7	346.7	347.0	346.6	4.5	5.7	10.3	1.0	5.1	5.6
Public transportation ¹	438.9	439.8	441.4	440.6	5.6	.7	9.9	1.7	3.1	5.7
Medical care	450.2	451.7	453.7	456.5	7.6	7.3	6.7	5.7	7.4	6.2
Medical care commodities	283.5	284.5	286.1	286.6	6.8	4.6	8.2	4.4	5.7	6.3
Medical care services	486.5	486.1	490.1	493.7	7.8	7.9	6.2	6.1	7.8	6.1
Professional medical services	404.1	406.4	406.4	411.7	5.8	7.0	5.8	7.7	6.4	6.8
Entertainment	278.5	278.7	279.7	281.3	3.4	2.6	3.2	4.1	3.0	3.7
Entertainment commodities	268.3	267.8	269.6	270.5	2.3	.6	2.7	3.3	1.5	3.0
Entertainment services ¹	293.3	294.1	294.5	296.6	5.0	5.4	3.5	4.6	5.2	4.0
Other goods and services	358.1	360.5	362.2	363.9	6.1	4.7	7.0	6.6	5.4	6.8
Tobacco and smoking products ¹	364.9	368.3	369.6	370.4	9.3	3.3	8.9	6.2	6.3	7.5
Personal care ¹	295.7	296.4	296.4	297.3	.8	2.8	3.6	2.2	1.8	2.9
Toilet goods and personal care appliances ¹	291.3	292.1	292.0	292.9	-.8	4.0	1.9	2.2	1.5	2.1
Personal care services ¹	300.8	301.3	301.5	302.3	2.3	1.8	5.1	2.0	2.1	3.5
Personal and educational expenses	447.7	451.1	454.2	457.1	8.5	7.4	9.3	8.7	7.9	9.0
School books and supplies	396.7	396.6	401.4	404.4	8.4	6.3	9.4	8.0	7.3	8.7
Personal and educational services	459.6	463.2	466.4	469.3	8.5	7.5	9.2	8.7	8.0	9.0
Commodity and service group										
All items	-	-	-	-	2.9	2.6	4.4	5.3	2.7	4.8
Commodities	286.6	287.9	289.3	290.8	2.0	1.4	4.9	6.0	1.7	5.4
Food and beverages	320.1	320.9	320.6	321.5	6.4	6.0	4.4	1.8	6.2	3.1
Commodities less food and beverages	264.5	266.0	266.3	270.1	-.8	-1.5	5.2	8.7	-1.1	6.9
Nondurables less food and beverages ¹	261.8	265.4	269.7	273.2	-3.3	.9	2.2	18.6	-1.2	10.1
Apparel commodities	194.0	195.4	199.0	202.3	-.2	3.6	2.3	18.2	1.7	10.0
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel ¹	304.8	310.3	311.9	315.0	-1.2	-5.8	10.6	14.1	-3.5	12.3
Durables	272.4	271.5	272.5	273.0	.7	.7	3.1	.9	.7	2.0
Services	409.6	411.1	412.6	414.1	3.8	3.6	4.3	4.5	3.7	4.4
Rent of shelter ^{1 2}	123.1	123.6	124.1	124.8	3.7	5.8	3.0	5.6	4.7	4.3
Household services less rent of shelter ^{1 2}	111.3	111.5	111.5	111.4	12.4	-6.8	-5.5	.4	2.3	-2.6
Transportation services	368.6	368.5	369.0	370.5	4.4	3.9	9.3	2.1	4.1	5.6
Medical care services	486.5	488.1	490.1	493.7	7.8	7.9	6.2	6.1	7.8	6.1
Other services	342.2	343.8	345.2	347.2	5.3	5.3	6.1	6.0	5.3	6.0

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					
	Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987	3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
					July 1986	Oct. 1986	Jan. 1987	Apr. 1987	Oct. 1986	Apr. 1987
Special indexes										
All items less food	332.7	334.1	335.9	337.5	2.1	1.6	4.6	5.9	1.8	5.2
All items less shelter	310.9	312.0	313.2	314.7	2.9	1.7	4.8	5.0	2.3	4.9
All items less homeowners' costs ²	112.9	113.3	113.8	114.3	2.9	2.2	4.7	5.1	2.6	4.9
All items less medical care	327.0	328.3	329.8	331.2	2.5	2.3	4.3	5.2	2.4	4.8
Commodities less food	263.5	264.8	267.0	268.8	-.6	-1.5	5.2	8.3	-1.1	6.7
Nondurables less food ¹	259.2	262.6	268.4	269.6	-2.9	.8	2.2	17.0	-1.1	9.4
Nondurables less food and apparel ¹	294.9	299.6	301.0	303.7	-1.0	-5.5	9.8	12.5	-3.3	11.1
Nondurables ¹	292.1	294.6	296.8	299.1	1.1	2.7	4.4	9.9	1.9	7.1
Services less rent of shelter ^{1 2}	120.8	121.1	121.3	121.6	7.3	2.0	2.4	2.7	4.7	2.5
Services less medical care ¹	397.6	398.8	400.0	401.5	5.6	3.3	1.9	4.0	4.4	3.0
Energy	354.9	361.5	365.2	366.2	-7.4	-13.6	9.3	13.4	-10.6	11.3
All items less energy	334.4	335.4	336.7	338.2	4.0	4.3	4.2	4.6	4.2	4.4
All items less food and energy	334.1	335.0	336.6	338.2	3.5	3.8	4.2	5.0	3.7	4.6
Commodities less food and energy	266.5	266.5	268.3	269.9	2.2	1.7	3.2	5.2	1.9	4.2
Energy commodities	306.4	318.9	326.0	329.0	-13.5	-17.3	23.9	32.9	-15.4	28.4
Services less energy	408.0	409.6	411.3	413.0	4.1	5.1	4.7	5.0	4.6	4.9

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	-	-	84.8	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.	86.0	-	-	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	106.1	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	186.6	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	163.9	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	294.8	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	315.8	388.5	260.1	316.7	312.2
1985, Dec.	327.4	305.6	355.6	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

See footnotes at end of table.

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

Year and month	CPI-U								CPI-W
	All items	Food and beverages	Housing	Apparel and upkeep	Transportation	Medical care	Entertainment	Other goods and services	All items
Indexes 1967=100, seasonally adjusted except All items									
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	306.1	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	206.0	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
1987, Mar.	335.9	320.6	367.2	215.4	311.8	453.7	279.7	362.2	330.5
1987, Apr.	337.7	321.5	368.2	218.6	313.4	456.5	281.3	363.9	332.3

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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, May.	0.3	0.0	0.5	0.1	0.2	0.6	0.2	0.4	0.3
1985, Jun. ....	.2	.3	.2	.3	-.1	.6	.5	.4	.2
1985, Jul. ....	.2	.1	.3	.1	-.1	.5	.4	.8	.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
1987, Mar. ....	.4	-.1	.4	1.7	.6	.4	.4	.5	.5
1987, Apr. ....	.4	.3	.3	1.5	.5	.6	.6	.5	.5

- 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 Apr. 1987 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986	Mar. 1987	Jan. to Feb.	Feb. to Mar.	Mar. to Apr.
Food and beverages		321.6	322.5	4.5	0.3	0.2	-0.1	0.3
Food		330.0	331.0	4.7	.3	.3	-.1	.3
Food at home		315.8	316.9	5.1	.3	.4	-.4	.4
Cereals and bakery products ¹		333.2	335.6	4.1	.7	.4	.2	.7
Cereals and cereal products	12/77	177.1	178.5	2.9	.8	.7	-.5	.8
Flour and prepared flour mixes	12/77	150.8	151.3	.2	.3	.5	-.9	.3
Cereal ¹	12/77	214.5	216.9	6.8	1.1	1.4	.3	1.1
Rice, pasta, and cornmeal ¹	12/77	147.5	147.6	-3.1	.1	.0	-1.3	.1
Bakery products ¹	12/77	176.0	177.3	4.5	.7	.1	.3	.7
White bread ¹		277.1	278.2	2.7	.4	-.2	.5	.4
Fresh other bread, biscuits, rolls, and muffins ¹	12/77	187.0	170.7	5.4	2.2	.0	-1.1	2.2
Cookies, fresh cakes, and cupcakes ¹	12/77	184.1	184.8	5.8	.4	.1	1.2	.4
Other bakery products ¹	12/77	183.4	183.7	4.2	.2	.3	.7	.2
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs		286.5	285.9	8.2	-.2	-.7	.2	.2
Meats, poultry, and fish		295.5	295.3	9.2	-.1	-.6	.5	.4
Meats		286.4	286.9	9.4	.2	-1.0	.8	.7
Beef and veal		282.7	285.8	7.4	1.1	-.7	.1	1.2
Ground beef other than canned		257.8	259.0	5.4	.5	-2.3	1.2	.7
Chuck roast		287.9	285.1	10.5	-1.0	2.2	.4	.6
Round roast		239.1	240.5	6.0	.6	-2.3	.0	.6
Round steak		260.6	266.2	5.3	2.1	.0	-.9	2.7
Sirloin steak		283.9	296.0	8.1	4.3	.9	.2	2.8
Other beef and veal	12/77	179.1	181.5	8.0	1.3	-.2	.4	1.5
Pork		287.2	284.4	13.8	-1.0	-1.2	.8	.7
Bacon		302.0	301.2	12.5	-.3	-1.1	.8	1.0
Chops		269.4	276.1	17.2	2.5	-.9	1.1	3.7
Ham	12/77	133.1	126.2	10.9	-5.2	-.8	-1.1	-1.1
Other pork, including sausage ¹	12/77	157.7	156.3	13.5	-.9	-1.5	.8	-.9
Other meats ¹		290.2	289.2	8.2	-.3	-1.7	1.8	-.3
Poultry ¹		234.1	231.1	7.1	-1.3	-.6	-1.2	-1.3
Fresh whole chicken ¹		236.2	231.9	8.9	-1.8	-.6	-3.0	-1.8
Fresh and frozen chicken parts ¹	12/77	157.5	156.6	10.5	-.6	-.2	-.7	-.6
Other poultry ¹	12/77	142.5	139.5	-.1	-2.1	-1.5	.4	-2.1
Fish and seafood		487.4	488.7	11.8	.3	1.9	1.7	.7
Canned fish and seafood ¹	12/77	137.5	137.8	2.3	.2	-.6	.4	.2
Fresh and frozen fish and seafood	12/77	212.7	213.3	15.1	.3	2.7	1.9	.8
Eggs		180.0	174.6	-7.5	-3.0	-2.7	-3.9	-3.1
Dairy products ¹		263.7	263.2	2.5	-.2	.5	-.4	-.2
Fresh milk and cream	12/77	141.4	141.0	2.2	-.3	.9	-.6	-.1
Fresh whole milk		229.7	229.7	1.9	.0	.6	-.6	.2
Other fresh milk and cream	12/77	143.0	141.9	2.7	-.8	1.5	-.6	-.8
Processed dairy products ¹	12/77	159.7	159.7	2.7	.0	.2	-.2	.0
Cheese ¹	12/77	154.2	154.1	2.2	-.1	.2	.4	-.1
Ice cream and related products ¹	12/77	169.2	170.1	3.7	.5	.2	-.9	.5
Other dairy products, including butter ¹	12/77	161.4	160.5	2.5	-.6	.1	-.6	-.6

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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 Apr. 1987 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986	Mar. 1987	Jan. to Feb.	Feb. to Mar.	Mar. to Apr.
Fruits and vegetables		352.5	360.6	9.4	2.3	3.2	-1.7	1.4
Fresh fruits and vegetables		384.0	398.3	13.7	3.7	1.0	-.7	2.0
Fresh fruits		403.9	417.8	13.6	3.4	-.2	-.6	1.9
Apples		390.6	392.1	10.8	.4	-1.5	7.1	-1.3
Bananas		278.3	281.5	-14.0	1.1	-1.9	-4.7	-8.2
Oranges, including tangerines		425.4	419.8	11.3	-1.3	-2.8	3.0	-3.4
Other fresh fruits	12/77	222.1	235.7	19.3	6.1	4.6	-3.5	4.3
Fresh vegetables		364.7	379.4	13.7	4.0	3.8	-4.7	5.9
Potatoes		355.3	371.4	38.9	4.5	3.4	-1.4	2.7
Lettuce ¹		368.6	370.4	-5.7	.5	-3.0	2.3	.5
Tomatoes ¹		281.0	306.8	9.8	9.2	1.4	-3.8	9.2
Other fresh vegetables	12/77	216.1	223.4	13.2	3.4	2.4	-5.2	7.4
Processed fruits and vegetables		317.8	317.4	2.5	-.1	-.6	1.4	-.2
Processed fruits	12/77	167.5	169.4	2.8	.5	-.3	.5	.5
Fruit juices and frozen fruit	12/77	166.7	167.9	2.4	.7	-.8	.3	.7
Canned and dried fruits ¹	12/77	168.3	168.2	2.7	-.1	.9	.4	-.1
Processed vegetables ¹	12/77	152.1	150.6	2.1	-1.0	-1.1	2.4	-1.0
Frozen vegetables ¹	12/77	166.5	164.8	1.6	-1.0	.3	.7	-1.0
Other processed vegetables ¹	12/77	147.4	146.0	2.5	-.9	-1.9	3.3	-.9
Other food at home		378.6	377.6	.4	-.3	-.1	-.5	-.1
Sugar and sweets ¹		417.2	417.4	1.5	.0	.0	.3	.0
Sugar and artificial sweeteners ¹	12/77	171.2	169.7	-1.0	-.9	-.9	.7	-.9
Sweets, including candy	12/77	175.1	175.8	2.4	.4	.2	.1	.1
Fats and oils ¹		294.6	291.8	1.1	-1.0	-1.0	1.5	-1.0
Nonalcoholic beverages		475.4	469.8	-3.6	-1.2	-1.1	-1.8	-.6
Carbonated drinks	12/77	161.1	159.0	1.3	-1.3	.1	-.7	-1.1
Coffee ¹		455.0	444.9	-15.8	-2.2	-2.6	-3.0	-2.2
Other noncarbonated drinks	12/77	158.6	160.3	3.3	1.1	.8	-.4	1.3
Other prepared food		311.3	313.2	4.3	.6	.9	-.2	.5
Canned and packaged soup	12/77	160.0	161.7	5.1	1.1	.6	.6	.3
Frozen prepared food ¹	12/77	176.3	179.4	5.6	1.8	1.2	-1.2	1.8
Snacks ¹	12/77	182.6	182.4	4.3	-.1	1.4	.5	-.1
Seasonings, condiments, sauces, and spices	12/77	175.7	176.2	4.0	.3	1.8	-1.0	.1
Miscellaneous prepared food, including baby food ¹	12/77	164.9	165.8	3.6	.5	.4	.7	.5
Food away from home		370.9	371.5	4.1	.2	.2	.4	.2
Lunch	12/77	179.1	179.4	4.2	.2	.3	.5	.2
Dinner	12/77	178.4	178.7	3.8	.2	.2	.2	.1
Other meals and snacks	12/77	183.8	184.0	4.3	.1	.1	.3	-.2
Alcoholic beverages		243.6	244.3	2.0	.3	-.1	.0	.3
Alcoholic beverages at home	12/77	154.4	154.7	1.5	.2	.1	-.1	.2
Beer and ale		244.1	244.1	1.1	.0	-.2	-.3	-.4
Wine ¹		247.2	248.6	3.1	.6	.7	.9	.6
Distilled spirits ¹	12/77	142.5	142.9	.6	.3	.2	-.3	.3
Alcoholic beverages away from home ¹	12/77	179.2	180.0	4.1	.4	.1	.2	.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 Apr. 1987 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986	Mar. 1987	Jan. to Feb.	Feb. to Mar.	Mar. to Apr.
Housing		366.4	367.7	2.7	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.3
Shelter		415.9	418.0	4.5	.5	.5	.5	.4
Renters' costs	12/82	126.4	127.1	5.1	.6	.5	.6	.2
Rent, residential		288.3	288.8	3.9	.2	.4	.2	.1
Other renters' costs		438.7	446.1	8.6	1.7	.6	1.6	.7
Lodging while out of town		457.1	465.7	7.3	1.9	.0	1.9	.1
Lodging while at school ¹	12/82	128.7	128.9	6.8	.2	-.1	.0	.2
Tenants' insurance ¹	12/77	183.9	184.1	3.6	.1	.2	.2	.1
Homeowners' costs	12/82	123.0	123.6	4.1	.5	.5	.5	.4
Owners' equivalent rent	12/82	123.0	123.6	4.1	.5	.5	.5	.5
Household insurance ¹	12/82	122.2	122.4	3.5	.2	.2	.2	.2
Maintenance and repairs ¹		383.4	382.4	4.0	-.3	-.1	.4	-.3
Maintenance and repair services ¹		439.4	437.1	2.9	-.5	-.4	.8	-.5
Maintenance and repair commodities ¹		278.5	278.7	5.4	.1	.4	-.1	.1
Materials, supplies, and equipment for home repairs ¹	12/86	100.3	99.6	-	-.7	.4	-.8	-.7
Other maintenance and repair commodities ¹	12/77	145.6	146.7	.6	.8	.4	.3	.8
Fuel and other utilities		374.9	374.2	-2.0	-.2	.3	.1	.1
Fuels		444.6	442.0	-3.8	-.6	.3	.1	.0
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities		500.6	500.5	-3.4	.0	3.8	1.4	2.5
Fuel oil		496.8	496.4	-2.4	-.1	4.4	1.7	2.9
Other household fuel commodities ¹	12/86	102.0	102.1	-	.1	.9	.2	.1
Gas (piped) and electricity		428.7	425.9	-3.0	-.7	.0	.0	-.3
Electricity		356.7	354.1	-1.2	-.7	-.1	.4	-.2
Utility (piped) gas		522.4	519.9	-5.8	-.5	.1	-.9	-.5
Other utilities and public services ¹		256.2	257.0	2.3	.3	.3	.2	.3
Telephone services ¹		203.2	203.9	.2	.3	-.2	.0	.3
Local charges ¹	12/77	198.6	199.7	6.6	.6	-.1	-.1	.6
Interstate toll calls ¹	12/77	92.4	92.3	-17.4	-.1	.0	.0	-.1
Intrastate toll calls ¹	12/77	124.6	124.5	-.5	-.1	-.6	.0	-.1
Water and sewerage maintenance ¹		433.7	436.5	5.2	.6	.3	.4	.6
Cable television ¹	12/83	122.1	121.7	5.6	-.3	2.2	1.2	-.3
Refuse collection ¹	12/83	127.1	127.8	9.4	.6	1.6	.3	.6
Household furnishings and operation		254.3	255.2	2.2	.4	.0	.1	.1
Housefurnishings		203.8	204.7	2.1	.4	-.2	-.1	.0
Textile housefurnishings		249.9	251.1	4.6	.5	.7	-1.0	2.1
Furniture and bedding		237.6	240.9	3.9	1.4	-.1	.3	.1
Bedroom furniture ¹	12/77	169.0	172.0	1.6	1.8	-1.3	-.2	1.8
Sofas	12/77	129.2	132.0	6.1	2.2	-1.5	1.0	1.2
Living room chairs and tables ¹	12/77	132.8	133.6	2.5	.6	.8	1.7	.6
Other furniture	12/77	150.2	151.6	5.8	.9	.8	.8	.0
Appliances, including electronic equipment ¹		139.5	139.0	-.9	-.4	-.6	.2	-.4
Television and sound equipment ¹	12/77	92.6	91.9	-2.2	-.8	-.6	-.4	-.8
Television ¹		80.8	80.8	-4.6	.0	-1.8	-.6	.0
Sound equipment ¹	12/77	105.1	103.7	.5	-1.3	.9	-.3	-1.3
Major household appliances ¹	12/86	101.2	101.0	-	-.2	.9	.0	-.2
Refrigerators and home freezers ¹		192.2	192.6	-.2	.2	-.2	.2	.2
Laundry equipment ¹	12/77	149.9	150.0	.2	.1	.9	.6	.1
Stoves, ovens, dishwashers, and air conditioners ¹	12/86	101.6	101.0	-	-.6	1.6	-.6	-.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 Apr. 1987 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986	Mar. 1987	Jan. to Feb.	Feb. to Mar.	Mar. to Apr.
Other housefurnishings ¹	12/86	101.0	101.2	-	0.2	0.6	-0.2	0.2
Floor and window coverings, infants', laundry, cleaning, and outdoor equipment ¹	12/77	156.2	158.5	1.3	1.5	-.3	-.7	1.5
Clocks, lamps, and decor items ¹	12/77	136.7	137.1	.0	.3	.8	1.2	.3
Tableware, serving pieces, and nonelectric kitchenware ¹	12/77	156.4	156.3	3.6	-.1	2.3	-2.3	-.1
Lawn equipment, power tools, and other hardware ¹	12/77	136.6	136.0	-.3	-.4	.4	-.9	-.4
Sewing, floor cleaning, small kitchen, and portable heating appliances ¹	12/86	102.0	102.1	-	.1	-.5	.7	.1
Housekeeping supplies	12/77	327.7	328.2	3.0	.2	.2	.9	.1
Laundry and cleaning products, including soap ¹	12/77	173.8	173.7	3.1	-.1	1.1	.6	-.1
Household paper products and stationery supplies ¹	12/77	157.2	157.0	2.4	-.1	.4	-.1	-.1
Other household, lawn, and garden supplies	12/77	163.7	164.6	3.7	.5	-.9	1.5	.5
Housekeeping services ¹	12/77	351.0	352.2	2.0	.3	.2	.1	.3
Postage ¹	12/77	371.9	371.9	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0
Appliance and furniture repair ¹	12/77	165.1	166.3	2.9	.7	.2	.1	.7
Gardening and other household services ¹	12/86	101.4	102.4	-	1.0	.6	.3	1.0
Apparel and upkeep		215.2	218.7	5.5	1.6	.7	1.7	1.5
Apparel commodities		199.1	202.6	5.7	1.8	.7	1.8	1.7
Apparel commodities less footwear		198.1	199.8	6.1	1.9	.7	1.8	1.8
Men's and boys'		203.5	205.6	3.0	1.0	1.0	.9	.4
Men's	12/77	129.8	131.4	4.3	1.2	1.6	1.2	.7
Suits, sport coats, coats, and jackets	12/77	118.7	121.8	5.9	2.6	.4	1.8	1.5
Furnishings and special clothing ¹	12/77	153.3	156.6	1.6	2.2	.6	-.8	2.2
Shirts	12/77	141.3	140.6	6.4	-.5	2.7	2.3	-.7
Dungarees, jeans, and trousers	12/77	120.4	121.0	3.2	.5	2.1	1.3	-.2
Boys'	12/77	125.0	125.4	-2.6	.3	-1.6	-.5	.0
Women's and girls'		177.0	182.2	8.5	2.9	.4	2.4	3.1
Women's	12/77	118.1	122.0	8.5	3.3	.0	2.7	3.4
Coats and jackets		169.6	171.5	9.2	1.1	-2.6	7.3	.9
Dresses		188.6	201.2	13.6	6.6	1.5	3.8	6.8
Separates and sportswear	12/77	112.3	117.2	9.6	4.4	.0	3.6	4.0
Underwear, nightwear, hosiery, and accessories	12/77	141.5	143.1	.6	1.1	-.2	-.2	1.1
Suits	12/77	89.5	88.7	9.9	-3.1	3.8	-6.6	-1.6
Girls'	12/77	116.0	116.5	7.6	.4	2.5	1.1	.5
Infants' and toddlers' ¹		319.6	319.1	.8	-.2	.9	5.0	-.2
Other apparel commodities ¹		227.4	227.0	5.4	-.2	1.3	.6	-.2
Sewing materials, notions, and luggage ¹	12/86	99.8	100.2	-	.4	-.8	.2	.4
Watches and jewelry ¹	12/86	104.2	103.9	-	-.3	1.8	.7	-.3
Watches ¹	12/86	101.5	101.2	-	-.3	2.2	-1.0	-.3
Jewelry ¹	12/86	104.9	104.6	-	-.3	1.6	1.2	-.3
Footwear		216.5	219.2	3.7	1.2	.8	1.7	.9
Men's	12/77	147.5	147.2	3.8	-.2	1.5	.1	-.7
Boys' and girls' ¹	12/77	135.6	137.3	2.3	1.3	-.7	2.0	1.3
Women's	12/77	126.2	129.0	4.0	2.2	.0	2.8	1.4
Apparel services		344.7	344.7	3.5	.0	-.1	.4	-.1
Laundry and dry cleaning other than coin operated	12/77	205.8	206.5	4.1	.3	-.1	.7	.3
Other apparel services ¹	12/77	180.2	179.5	2.7	-.4	.3	.2	-.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 Apr. 1987 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986	Mar. 1987	Jan. to Feb.	Feb. to Mar.	Mar. to Apr.
Transportation		310.6	313.3	3.3	0.9	0.5	0.6	0.5
Private		301.9	304.8	3.2	1.0	.5	.7	.6
New vehicles		229.2	229.9	4.0	.3	-1.0	.1	.3
New cars		229.4	230.4	4.2	.4	-1.1	.0	.4
Subcompact new cars ¹	12/86	98.2	98.8	-	.6	-1.3	-.7	.6
Compact new cars ¹	12/86	97.4	98.2	-	.8	-2.0	-1.0	.8
Intermediate new cars ¹	12/86	99.3	99.4	-	.1	-1.3	.2	.1
Full-size new cars ¹	12/86	100.3	100.5	-	.2	-.3	.2	.2
Luxury new cars ¹	12/86	100.3	100.7	-	.4	-.1	.1	.4
New trucks ¹	12/83	112.0	111.9	2.8	-.1	-.5	-.3	-.1
New motorcycles ¹	12/86	101.7	101.7	-	.0	1.0	.2	.0
Used cars		363.0	371.6	1.9	2.4	1.1	2.1	2.1
Motor fuel		290.0	297.2	6.3	2.5	4.1	2.3	.7
Gasoline		289.4	296.7	6.5	2.5	4.2	2.3	.7
Gasoline, leaded regular	1/76	161.6	165.9	9.3	2.7	4.5	2.6	.7
Gasoline, unleaded regular	1/76	164.7	169.0	6.6	2.6	4.2	2.1	.9
Gasoline, unleaded premium ¹	8/81	75.7	77.3	2.2	2.1	3.7	.4	2.1
Automobile maintenance and repair ¹		373.0	376.1	4.3	.8	.5	.0	.8
Body work ¹	12/77	192.2	192.4	4.5	.1	.6	1.6	.1
Automobile drive train, brake, and miscellaneous mechanical repair ¹	12/77	182.7	184.0	3.4	.7	.3	-.2	.7
Maintenance and servicing ¹	12/77	168.6	170.9	6.0	1.4	.5	.4	1.4
Power plant repair ¹	12/77	178.0	179.0	2.9	.6	.6	-.9	.6
Other private transportation ¹		314.4	315.1	4.5	.2	-.3	.1	.2
Other private transportation commodities ¹		202.3	200.8	-.7	-.7	-.2	.2	-.7
Motor oil, coolant, and other products ¹	12/77	152.4	155.2	-.8	1.8	-1.3	-1.6	1.8
Automobile parts and equipment ¹	12/77	127.3	126.1	-.7	-.9	-.1	.4	-.9
Tires ¹		172.0	169.1	-.9	-1.7	.8	.5	-1.7
Other parts and equipment ¹	12/77	136.2	135.9	.3	-.2	-.9	.2	-.2
Other private transportation services ¹		347.0	348.6	5.3	.5	-.3	.1	.5
Automobile insurance ¹		433.9	436.6	9.3	.6	.3	.7	.6
Automobile finance charges ¹	12/77	141.2	141.0	-6.9	-.1	-2.5	-1.1	-.1
Automobile fees ¹	12/77	175.2	176.1	6.3	.5	.2	-.3	.5
Automobile registration, licensing, and inspection fees ¹	12/77	159.0	159.0	3.1	.0	.0	-.7	.0
Other automobile-related fees ¹	12/77	199.6	201.7	9.7	1.1	.4	-.1	1.1
Public transportation ¹		441.4	440.8	4.4	-.1	.2	.4	-.1
Airline fares ¹		516.5	514.4	6.5	-.4	.3	.5	-.4
Other intercity transportation ¹	12/77	219.9	219.8	-.1	.0	-.4	-.3	.0
Intracity public transportation ¹	12/77	208.8	210.0	3.0	.6	.3	.1	.6
Medical care		455.0	457.3	6.8	.5	.3	.4	.6
Medical care commodities		286.3	287.5	6.0	.4	.4	.6	.2
Prescription drugs		294.3	296.2	7.7	.6	.1	.7	.3
Nonprescription drugs and medical supplies ¹	12/86	101.7	101.7	-	.0	.5	.8	.0
Internal and respiratory over-the-counter drugs ¹		306.9	305.8	3.8	-.4	.7	1.1	-.4
Nonprescription medical equipment and supplies ¹	12/77	176.0	177.0	3.4	.6	-.1	.5	.6
Medical care services		492.1	494.7	7.0	.5	.3	.4	.7
Professional medical services		409.6	412.5	6.6	.7	.6	.5	.8
Physicians' services		451.0	453.7	7.5	.6	.1	.5	.8
Dental services ¹		384.5	388.1	6.7	.9	1.1	.8	.9
Eye care ¹	12/86	102.0	102.9	-	.9	1.0	.6	.9
Services by other medical professionals ¹	12/86	101.5	101.7	-	.2	.2	.8	.2
Hospital and related services	12/77	249.0	250.1	6.8	.4	.2	.6	.7
Hospital rooms		793.7	797.1	7.2	.4	.4	.5	.9
Other inpatient services ¹	12/86	101.5	102.1	-	.6	.4	.2	.6
Outpatient services ¹	12/86	101.6	101.7	-	.1	.4	.5	.1

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 Apr. 1987 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986	Mar. 1987	Jan. to Feb.	Feb. to Mar.	Mar. to Apr.
Entertainment		279.8	281.3	3.3	0.5	0.1	0.4	0.6
Entertainment commodities		269.9	270.8	2.3	.3	-.2	.7	.3
Reading materials ¹	12/77	186.9	186.0	3.6	.6	.2	.3	.6
Newspapers ¹		350.2	352.3	3.7	.6	.3	.3	.6
Magazines, periodicals, and books ¹	12/77	196.9	198.1	3.6	.6	.1	.3	.6
Sporting goods and equipment	12/77	140.0	139.6	-.4	-.3	.5	.4	-.3
Sport vehicles, including bicycles ¹	12/77	145.8	145.1	-.6	-.5	.6	1.3	-.5
Other sporting goods ¹	12/77	126.2	126.1	1.8	-.1	.3	.0	-.1
Toys, hobbies, and other entertainment	12/77	148.6	149.3	2.8	.5	-.4	1.0	.3
Toys, hobbies, and music equipment	12/77	141.9	142.4	2.0	.4	-1.6	1.7	.0
Photographic supplies and equipment	12/77	149.2	151.0	7.4	1.2	1.2	.7	1.1
Pet supplies and expense ¹	12/77	161.6	162.0	2.1	.2	.2	.0	.2
Entertainment services ¹		294.5	298.6	4.6	.7	.3	.1	.7
Club memberships ¹	12/86	100.7	100.7	-	.0	.0	.5	.0
Fees for participant sports, excluding club memberships ¹	12/86	102.0	103.3	-	1.3	.4	1.0	1.3
Admissions ¹	12/77	173.8	175.9	5.3	1.2	.3	-.3	1.2
Fees for lessons or instructions ¹	12/86	100.4	100.6	-	.2	.1	.0	.2
Other entertainment services ¹	12/86	100.7	101.3	-	.6	.5	-.2	.6
Other goods and services		360.3	361.1	5.6	.2	.7	.5	.5
Tobacco and smoking products ¹		369.6	370.4	6.9	.2	.9	.4	.2
Personal care ¹		296.4	297.3	2.3	.3	.2	.0	.3
Toilet goods and personal care appliances ¹		292.0	292.9	1.8	.3	.3	.0	.3
Cosmetics, bath and nail preparations, manicure and eye makeup implements ¹	12/77	166.0	166.1	1.6	.1	.4	-.2	.1
Other toilet goods and small personal care appliances, including hair and dental products ¹	12/77	171.1	171.9	1.9	.5	.2	.1	.5
Personal care services ¹		301.5	302.3	2.8	.3	.2	.1	.3
Beauty parlor services for females ¹		304.0	304.8	2.7	.3	.1	-.1	.3
Haircuts and other barber shop services for males ¹	12/77	168.2	168.7	3.1	.3	.5	.5	.3
Personal and educational expenses		452.8	453.8	8.3	.2	.8	.7	.6
School books and supplies		403.9	404.4	8.0	.1	.5	.7	.7
Personal and educational services		465.0	466.0	8.5	.2	.8	.7	.6
Tuition and other school fees	12/77	236.2	236.6	8.3	.2	.7	.6	.8
College tuition	12/77	235.4	235.9	7.9	.2	.6	.6	.8
Elementary and high school tuition	12/77	237.5	237.5	9.2	.0	.7	.7	.7
Personal expenses ¹	12/77	245.7	246.5	8.3	.3	.7	.4	.3
Legal service fees ¹	12/86	102.2	102.5	-	.3	.8	.4	.3
Personal financial services ¹	12/86	100.7	100.6	-	-.1	.4	.4	-.1
Funeral expenses ¹	12/86	101.3	102.0	-	.7	.8	.5	.7
Special indexes								
Domestically produced farm food		299.4	300.9	6.2	.5	-.1	.1	.8
Selected beef cuts ¹		283.1	285.9	7.8	1.0	-.7	.9	1.0
Motor fuel, motor oil, coolant, and other products		288.0	295.1	6.2	2.5	4.1	2.2	.7
Utilities and public transportation		368.6	367.9	-.1	-.2	.4	.2	-.1
Housekeeping and home maintenance services ¹		397.0	398.2	2.1	.3	.2	.2	.3

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					
		Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987	3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
				July 1986	Oct. 1986	Jan. 1987	Apr. 1987	Oct. 1986	Apr. 1987
Food and beverages		320.6	321.5	6.4	6.0	4.4	1.8	6.2	3.1
Food		329.2	330.2	6.6	6.4	4.2	2.0	6.5	3.1
Food at home		314.1	315.2	7.8	7.4	3.8	1.5	7.6	2.7
Cereals and bakery products ¹		333.2	335.6	4.8	2.6	3.8	5.0	3.7	4.4
Cereals and cereal products	12/77	176.8	178.3	2.6	3.7	1.1	4.1	3.1	2.6
Flour and prepared flour mixes	12/77	151.4	151.9	.5	.0	.3	-.3	.3	.0
Cereal ¹	12/77	214.5	216.9	4.0	7.4	4.3	11.9	5.7	8.0
Rice, pasta, and cornmeal ¹	12/77	147.5	147.6	-1.0	-6.7	.3	-5.0	-3.9	-2.4
Bakery products ¹	12/77	176.0	177.3	5.3	3.3	4.5	4.9	4.3	4.7
White bread ¹		277.1	278.2	3.1	1.2	3.9	2.8	2.2	3.3
Fresh other bread, biscuits, rolls, and muffins ¹	12/77	167.0	170.7	3.8	7.5	5.6	4.6	5.6	5.1
Cookies, fresh cakes, and cupcakes ¹	12/77	184.1	184.8	7.0	5.5	3.6	7.0	6.3	5.3
Other bakery products ¹	12/77	183.4	183.7	6.7	1.1	4.3	4.7	3.9	4.5
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs		284.2	284.8	20.6	17.1	-1.4	-1.1	18.8	-1.3
Meats, poultry, and fish		293.9	295.0	21.2	17.7	-1.1	1.0	19.5	-.1
Meats		284.7	286.7	18.2	20.6	-.4	1.1	19.4	.3
Beef and veal		278.8	282.2	9.3	15.2	3.1	2.6	12.2	2.8
Ground beef other than canned		253.1	254.9	4.5	14.8	5.0	-2.0	9.6	1.4
Chuck roast		279.8	281.4	21.1	12.4	-3.3	13.1	16.7	4.6
Round roast		233.9	235.3	10.9	17.8	3.6	-6.7	14.3	-1.7
Round steak		255.0	262.0	4.9	13.9	-4.5	7.8	9.3	1.5
Sirloin steak		288.8	296.9	10.1	4.6	1.6	16.6	7.3	8.8
Other beef and veal	12/77	177.8	180.4	15.2	7.1	3.2	6.9	11.1	5.1
Pork		288.0	289.9	40.5	33.5	-11.3	.7	37.0	-5.5
Bacon		306.6	309.8	33.6	30.9	-11.1	2.9	32.2	-4.4
Chops		273.8	283.8	47.5	13.2	-2.6	16.1	29.2	6.3
Ham	12/77	132.9	131.5	26.6	43.6	-6.0	-11.3	34.8	-8.7
Other pork, including sausage ¹	12/77	157.7	156.3	48.9	24.0	-3.9	-6.4	35.9	-5.2
Other meats ¹		290.2	289.2	10.6	14.4	9.9	-1.5	12.5	4.1
Poultry ¹		234.1	231.1	54.0	13.1	-14.3	-11.7	32.0	-13.0
Fresh whole chicken ¹		236.2	231.9	89.5	10.3	-16.2	-19.7	44.6	-18.0
Fresh and frozen chicken parts ¹	12/77	157.5	156.6	62.6	8.0	-9.9	-5.7	32.5	-7.8
Other poultry ¹	12/77	142.5	139.5	4.4	24.7	-12.5	-12.4	14.1	-12.5
Fish and seafood		482.1	485.3	14.1	5.1	10.4	18.2	9.5	14.3
Canned fish and seafood ¹	12/77	137.5	137.8	-.9	4.2	6.0	.0	1.6	3.0
Fresh and frozen fish and seafood	12/77	209.2	210.8	22.4	4.6	10.9	23.4	13.2	17.0
Eggs		172.9	167.5	11.7	2.4	-5.0	-32.7	7.0	-20.0
Dairy products ¹		263.7	263.2	2.5	2.5	5.2	-.2	2.5	2.5
Fresh milk and cream	12/77	141.2	141.0	3.5	1.7	3.2	.6	2.6	1.9
Fresh whole milk		229.3	229.7	3.2	1.8	2.1	.7	2.5	1.4
Other fresh milk and cream	12/77	143.0	141.9	4.1	2.6	3.8	.3	3.4	2.0
Processed dairy products ¹	12/77	159.7	159.7	2.3	3.1	5.4	.0	2.7	2.7
Cheese ¹	12/77	154.2	154.1	1.9	.5	4.3	2.1	1.2	3.2
Ice cream and related products ¹	12/77	169.2	170.1	1.7	4.7	9.7	-.9	3.2	4.2
Other dairy products, including butter ¹	12/77	161.4	160.5	4.4	6.5	3.3	-3.9	5.4	-.4

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					
		Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987	3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
				July 1986	Oct. 1986	Jan. 1987	Apr. 1987	Oct. 1986	Apr. 1987
Fruits and vegetables		349.0	353.9	4.1	9.2	12.7	12.0	6.7	12.3
Fresh fruits and vegetables		379.8	387.4	6.1	18.9	21.0	9.7	12.3	15.2
Fresh fruits		412.6	420.3	-2.1	5.2	54.4	4.5	1.5	27.0
Apples		400.7	395.3	39.8	-19.1	13.3	17.5	6.4	15.4
Bananas		264.8	243.1	-21.1	21.0	5.7	-45.8	-2.3	-24.3
Oranges, including tangerines		473.8	457.8	-25.9	18.9	98.6	-12.4	-6.1	31.9
Other fresh fruits	12/77	223.4	232.9	2	9.3	51.1	22.5	4.7	36.0
Fresh vegetables		338.6	358.6	17.7	31.1	-10.2	20.5	24.2	4.0
Potatoes		368.6	378.6	37.0	112.9	6.0	20.4	70.7	13.0
Lettuce ¹		368.6	370.4	-68.2	58.9	57.9	-1.1	-28.9	25.0
Tomatoes ¹		281.0	306.8	-28.6	58.0	.6	28.4	6.2	13.6
Other fresh vegetables	12/77	190.9	205.1	36.4	20.4	-15.4	18.4	28.1	.1
Processed fruits and vegetables		317.5	316.8	-1.9	.0	9.8	2.4	-1.0	6.1
Processed fruits	12/77	166.8	167.7	-4.1	2.5	10.2	2.9	-9	6.5
Fruit juices and frozen fruit	12/77	165.5	166.7	-6.9	3.0	13.5	1.0	-2.1	7.1
Canned and dried fruits ¹	12/77	168.3	168.2	3.5	.7	1.7	5.2	2.1	3.4
Processed vegetables ¹	12/77	152.1	150.6	2.5	-5.8	11.4	1.1	-1.8	6.1
Frozen vegetables ¹	12/77	166.5	164.8	2.2	-1.9	6.6	-2	.1	3.1
Other processed vegetables ¹	12/77	147.4	146.0	2.6	-7.3	14.0	1.7	-2.5	7.7
Other food at home		376.3	375.9	.4	.6	4.2	-2.9	.5	.6
Sugar and sweets ¹		417.2	417.4	1.0	1.0	2.3	1.5	1.0	1.9
Sugar and artificial sweeteners ¹	12/77	171.2	169.7	-2.3	-2.6	5.1	-4.1	-2.4	.4
Sweets, including candy	12/77	175.3	175.4	1.4	4.3	2.3	1.6	2.8	2.0
Fats and oils ¹		294.6	291.8	-1.7	-3.7	12.6	-1.9	-2.7	5.1
Nonalcoholic beverages		467.5	464.7	-1.2	-6	1.5	-13.4	-9	-6.2
Carbonated drinks	12/77	159.3	157.6	-5	1.0	12.1	-6.3	.3	2.5
Coffee ¹		455.0	444.9	-10.8	-20.7	-2.6	-27.1	-15.9	-15.7
Other noncarbonated drinks	12/77	157.7	159.8	3.9	1.3	1.0	7.1	2.6	4.0
Other prepared food		311.0	312.6	3.0	3.6	5.5	5.2	3.3	5.3
Canned and packaged soup	12/77	161.0	161.5	7.8	3.1	2.6	6.7	5.4	4.6
Frozen prepared food ¹	12/77	176.3	179.4	1.7	4.8	8.6	7.5	3.2	8.0
Snacks ¹	12/77	182.6	182.4	2.3	6.5	1.4	7.3	4.4	4.3
Seasonings, condiments, sauces, and spices	12/77	175.8	176.0	2.1	4.1	6.2	3.7	3.1	4.9
Miscellaneous prepared food, including baby food ¹	12/77	164.9	165.8	.0	2.8	5.3	6.5	1.4	5.9
Food away from home		370.9	371.5	4.2	4.4	5.1	2.7	4.3	3.9
Lunch	12/77	179.1	179.4	4.2	4.2	4.6	3.9	4.2	4.3
Dinner	12/77	178.4	178.5	3.3	4.2	5.4	2.0	3.8	3.7
Other meals and snacks	12/77	184.1	183.8	6.5	4.3	5.6	.9	5.4	3.2
Alcoholic beverages		242.9	243.6	3.0	-.7	5.3	.5	1.2	2.9
Alcoholic beverages at home	12/77	153.9	154.2	1.6	-1.3	5.1	.8	.1	2.9
Beer and ale		243.3	242.4	1.2	.8	6.3	-3.7	1.0	1.2
Wine ¹		247.2	248.6	1.7	-1.8	3.5	9.4	-.1	6.4
Distilled spirits ¹	12/77	142.5	142.9	-.3	.6	2.3	.6	.1	1.4
Alcoholic beverages away from home ¹	12/77	179.2	180.0	7.1	2.3	4.1	2.9	4.7	3.5

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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					
		Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987	3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
				July 1986	Oct. 1986	Jan. 1987	Apr. 1987	Oct. 1986	Apr. 1987
Housing		367.2	368.2	1.5	2.0	2.8	4.2	1.7	3.5
Shelter		416.5	418.0	2.8	5.4	3.9	5.7	4.1	4.8
Renters' costs	12/82	126.7	127.0	4.4	4.3	6.0	5.2	4.3	5.6
Rent, residential		288.9	289.1	4.1	4.2	4.4	2.8	4.1	3.6
Other renters' costs		443.6	446.5	5.4	4.9	12.3	12.0	5.1	12.2
Lodging while out of town		464.6	465.2	4.5	5.5	10.7	8.5	5.0	9.6
Lodging while at school ¹	12/82	128.7	128.9	.0	28.1	1.3	.3	13.2	.8
Tenants' insurance ¹	12/77	183.9	184.1	6.2	2.5	3.6	2.2	4.3	2.9
Homeowners' costs	12/82	123.2	123.7	2.0	5.8	3.0	5.7	3.9	4.3
Owners' equivalent rent	12/82	123.2	123.8	2.0	5.8	3.0	6.0	3.9	4.5
Household insurance ¹	12/82	122.2	122.4	5.5	2.4	4.0	2.0	3.9	3.0
Maintenance and repairs ¹		383.4	382.4	1.8	11.0	3.3	.3	6.3	1.8
Maintenance and repair services ¹		439.4	437.1	5.3	7.1	.2	-.5	6.2	-.2
Maintenance and repair commodities ¹		278.5	278.7	-2.7	16.6	7.1	1.4	6.5	4.2
Materials, supplies, and equipment for home repairs ¹	12/86	100.3	99.6	-	-	-	-4.3	-	-
Other maintenance and repair commodities ¹	12/77	145.6	146.7	.5	-1.1	-3.0	6.2	-.3	1.5
Fuel and other utilities		377.6	378.1	-4.2	-6.8	-8	2.4	-5.5	.7
Fuels		448.1	447.9	-8.5	-10.6	.7	1.6	-9.6	1.2
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities		500.1	512.8	-38.8	-15.7	24.1	35.7	-28.1	29.8
Fuel oil		496.3	510.7	-43.7	-17.0	36.6	42.4	-31.6	39.5
Other household fuel commodities ¹	12/86	102.0	102.1	-	-	-	4.8	-	-
Gas (piped) and electricity		434.8	433.4	-1	-9.6	-7	-1.4	-4.9	-1.1
Electricity		365.1	364.3	5.3	-13.7	4.4	.4	-4.7	2.4
Utility (piped) gas		529.9	527.3	-7.2	-3.3	-7.4	-4.9	-5.3	-6.2
Other utilities and public services ¹		256.2	257.0	7.0	2.4	-3.4	3.3	4.7	-.1
Telephone services ¹		203.2	203.9	7.7	.8	-7.5	.4	4.2	-3.6
Local charges ¹	12/77	198.6	199.7	25.1	1.4	.4	1.4	12.7	.9
Interstate toll calls ¹	12/77	92.4	92.3	-32.1	-1.2	-30.5	-.4	-18.1	-16.8
Intrastate toll calls ¹	12/77	124.6	124.5	-.3	.3	1.0	-2.8	.0	-1.0
Water and sewerage maintenance ¹		433.7	436.5	6.7	4.5	4.0	5.4	5.6	4.7
Cable television ¹	12/83	122.1	121.7	-.3	5.3	5.2	12.8	2.4	8.9
Refuse collection ¹	12/83	127.1	127.8	5.2	11.3	11.0	10.3	8.2	10.6
Household furnishings and operation		253.9	254.1	3.4	1.4	3.4	.6	2.4	2.0
Housefurnishings		203.4	203.4	4.9	1.0	4.0	-1.2	2.9	1.4
Textile housefurnishings		246.7	251.9	4.9	2.2	3.8	7.5	3.5	5.6
Furniture and bedding		238.1	238.3	11.3	-.7	4.0	1.4	5.1	2.7
Bedroom furniture ¹	12/77	169.0	172.0	6.0	9.1	-8.6	.7	7.6	-4.1
Sofas	12/77	129.5	131.0	6.3	8.9	6.7	2.8	7.6	4.7
Living room chairs and tables ¹	12/77	132.8	133.6	5.6	-4.5	-3.0	12.9	.5	4.6
Other furniture	12/77	149.8	149.8	12.7	-5.9	10.7	6.7	3.0	8.7
Appliances, including electronic equipment ¹		139.5	139.0	-2.5	-2.0	4.1	-3.1	-2.3	.4
Television and sound equipment ¹	12/77	92.6	91.9	-8.2	-1.3	8.5	-7.1	-4.8	.4
Television ¹		80.8	80.8	-7.8	-7.5	7.1	-9.3	-7.6	-1.5
Sound equipment ¹	12/77	105.1	103.7	-8.6	2.8	11.9	-3.0	-3.1	4.2
Major household appliances ¹	12/86	101.2	101.0	-	-	-	2.8	-	-
Refrigerators and home freezers ¹		192.2	192.6	-2.9	.0	1.3	.8	-1.4	1.0
Laundry equipment ¹	12/77	149.9	150.0	-3.7	6.9	-8.2	6.7	1.5	-1.1
Stoves, ovens, dishwashers, and air conditioners ¹	12/86	101.6	101.0	-	-	-	1.6	-	-

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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					
		Mar. 1967	Apr. 1967	3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
				July 1966	Oct. 1966	Jan. 1967	Apr. 1967	Oct. 1966	Apr. 1967
Other housefurnishings ¹	12/86	101.0	101.2	-	-	-	2.4	-	-
Floor and window coverings, infants', laundry, cleaning, and outdoor equipment ¹	12/77	156.2	158.5	1.3	2.8	-0.8	2.0	2.1	0.6
Clocks, lamps, and decor items ¹	12/77	136.7	137.1	3.8	-1.7	-10.6	9.6	1.0	-1.0
Tableware, serving pieces, and nonelectric kitchenware ¹	12/77	156.4	156.3	.8	1.1	13.3	-3	.9	6.3
Lawn equipment, power tools, and other hardware ¹	12/77	136.6	136.0	-4.9	8.9	-9	-3.7	1.8	-2.3
Sewing, floor cleaning, small kitchen, and portable heating appliances ¹	12/86	102.0	102.1	-	-	-	1.2	-	-
Housekeeping supplies		327.1	327.5	2.8	1.1	3.4	4.9	2.0	4.2
Laundry and cleaning products, including soap ¹	12/77	173.8	173.7	-1.4	1.0	6.3	6.7	-2	6.5
Household paper products and stationery supplies ¹	12/77	157.2	157.0	4.5	2.6	1.8	.8	3.6	1.3
Other household, lawn, and garden supplies	12/77	163.2	164.0	3.3	1.3	5.9	4.5	2.3	5.2
Housekeeping services ¹		351.0	352.2	1.4	2.2	1.5	2.8	1.8	2.1
Postage ¹		371.9	371.9	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0
Appliance and furniture repair ¹	12/77	165.1	166.3	2.5	2.5	2.2	4.4	2.5	3.3
Gardening and other household services ¹	12/86	101.4	102.4	-	-	-	7.8	-	-
Apparel and upkeep		215.4	218.6	.4	3.7	2.7	16.5	2.0	9.4
Apparel commodities		199.0	202.3	-2	3.6	2.3	18.2	1.7	10.0
Apparel commodities less footwear		195.9	199.4	-4	3.5	3.4	18.8	1.5	10.8
Men's and boys'		204.7	205.6	-8	2.2	.8	9.9	.7	5.3
Men's	12/77	130.5	131.4	-9	3.2	1.0	14.6	1.1	7.6
Suits, sport coats, coats, and jackets	12/77	119.8	121.6	-7	5.3	4.2	15.9	2.3	9.9
Furnishings and special clothing ¹	12/77	153.3	156.6	-2.8	12.0	-9.3	8.0	4.3	-1.0
Shirts	12/77	141.7	140.7	-9	5.2	3.0	18.7	2.1	10.6
Dungarees, jeans, and trousers	12/77	120.6	120.4	2.1	-1.7	-1.0	14.1	.2	6.3
Boys'	12/77	125.8	125.8	-3.4	.6	.6	-7.9	-1.4	-3.7
Women's and girls'		176.2	181.7	-1.0	4.1	6.3	26.3	1.8	15.9
Women's	12/77	117.4	121.4	-1.1	3.8	6.6	27.3	1.3	16.4
Coats and jackets		171.5	173.1	-4.2	-1.5	21.2	24.1	-2.9	22.7
Dresses		165.8	198.5	-4.5	12.1	-2.9	60.3	3.5	24.8
Separates and sportswear	12/77	112.0	116.5	-4.1	5.0	8.5	34.9	.4	19.9
Underwear, nightwear, hosiery, and accessories	12/77	141.1	142.7	-2.2	2.8	-3	2.9	.1	1.3
Suits	12/77	88.3	86.9	14.9	12.8	35.1	-18.8	13.8	8.0
Girls'	12/77	118.4	117.0	.7	6.0	6.7	17.8	3.3	12.1
Infants' and toddlers ¹		319.6	319.1	-11.0	6.0	-12.4	25.0	-2.9	4.8
Other apparel commodities ¹		227.4	227.0	5.3	3.2	6.3	7.0	4.2	6.7
Sewing materials, notions, and luggage ¹	12/86	99.8	100.2	-	-	-	-8	-	-
Watches and jewelry ¹	12/86	104.2	103.9	-	-	-	8.9	-	-
Watches ¹	12/86	101.5	101.2	-	-	-	3.6	-	-
Jewelry ¹	12/86	104.9	104.6	-	-	-	10.2	-	-
Footwear		216.7	218.8	-4	5.6	-3.7	14.3	2.6	4.9
Men's	12/77	147.8	146.7	-6	4.9	7.5	3.3	2.1	5.4
Boys' and girls' ¹	12/77	135.6	137.3	-3	9.9	-9.8	10.9	4.7	.0
Women's	12/77	126.5	128.3	-3	4.0	-4.1	18.0	1.8	6.4
Apparel services		344.4	344.0	3.4	4.0	6.0	.9	3.7	3.5
Laundry and dry cleaning other than coin operated	12/77	205.4	206.1	3.7	4.9	4.0	4.0	4.3	4.0
Other apparel services ¹	12/77	180.2	179.5	1.6	2.8	6.3	.4	2.2	3.3

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(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Other index base	Seasonally adjusted indexes		Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for					
		Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987	3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
				July 1986	Oct. 1986	Jan. 1987	Apr. 1987	Oct. 1986	Apr. 1987
Transportation		311.8	313.4	0.5	-2.2	7.9	6.8	-0.9	7.3
Private		303.2	305.0	.1	-2.5	7.7	7.4	-1.2	7.5
New vehicles		229.2	229.9	7.4	4.9	6.3	-2.2	6.2	1.9
New cars		229.4	230.4	7.2	5.1	6.8	-2.4	6.1	2.1
Subcompact new cars ¹	12/86	98.2	98.8	-	-	-	-5.5	-	-
Compact new cars ¹	12/86	97.4	98.2	-	-	-	-8.5	-	-
Intermediate new cars ¹	12/86	99.3	99.4	-	-	-	-3.9	-	-
Full-size new cars ¹	12/86	100.3	100.5	-	-	-	.4	-	-
Luxury new cars ¹	12/86	100.3	100.7	-	-	-	1.6	-	-
New trucks ¹	12/83	112.0	111.9	7.2	-4	8.2	-3.5	3.3	2.2
New motorcycles ¹	12/86	101.7	101.7	-	-	-	4.9	-	-
Used cars		365.9	373.5	-5.8	-2.8	-4.6	23.1	-4.3	8.4
Motor fuel		296.2	298.4	-5.7	-17.6	24.1	32.7	-11.9	28.3
Gasoline		295.9	297.9	-5.2	-17.9	24.7	32.6	-11.8	28.6
Gasoline, leaded regular	1/76	165.5	166.7	-3.1	-17.3	31.1	35.9	-10.5	33.5
Gasoline, unleaded regular	1/76	168.2	169.7	-4.2	-19.5	25.7	32.7	-12.2	29.2
Gasoline, unleaded premium ¹	8/81	75.7	77.3	-5.2	-20.7	13.7	27.8	-13.3	20.6
Automobile maintenance and repair ¹		373.0	376.1	3.1	2.6	6.3	5.3	2.8	5.8
Body work ¹	12/77	192.2	192.4	4.6	.0	3.7	9.7	2.3	6.7
Automobile drive train, brake, and miscellaneous mechanical repair ¹	12/77	182.7	184.0	3.0	2.9	4.5	3.3	2.9	3.9
Maintenance and servicing ¹	12/77	168.6	170.9	4.0	3.5	7.5	9.1	3.8	8.3
Power plant repair ¹	12/77	178.0	179.0	1.4	2.3	7.0	.9	1.8	3.9
Other private transportation ¹		314.4	315.1	3.9	4.1	9.8	.3	4.0	4.9
Other private transportation commodities ¹		202.3	200.8	-1.2	-5.3	6.8	-2.7	-3.2	1.9
Motor oil, coolant, and other products ¹	12/77	152.4	155.2	.0	-4.8	6.6	-4.5	-2.4	.9
Automobile parts and equipment ¹	12/77	127.3	126.1	-1.3	-5.3	6.6	-2.5	-3.3	1.9
Tires ¹		172.0	169.1	-2.1	-7.8	8.4	-1.6	-5.0	3.3
Other parts and equipment ¹	12/77	136.2	135.9	.3	.9	3.6	-3.5	.6	.0
Other private transportation services ¹		347.0	348.6	4.5	5.7	10.3	1.0	5.1	5.8
Automobile insurance ¹		433.9	436.6	10.6	12.5	7.7	6.6	11.5	7.1
Automobile finance charges ¹	12/77	141.2	141.0	-17.2	-15.6	24.5	-13.7	-16.4	3.6
Automobile fees ¹	12/77	175.2	176.1	10.5	6.5	8.9	1.4	8.5	4.1
Automobile registration, licensing, and inspection fees ¹	12/77	159.0	159.0	6.6	4.1	4.9	-3.0	5.4	.9
Other automobile-related fees ¹	12/77	199.6	201.7	15.9	9.8	8.2	5.3	12.8	8.8
Public transportation ¹		441.4	440.8	5.6	.7	9.9	1.7	3.1	5.7
Airline fares ¹		518.5	514.4	6.7	.1	18.5	1.6	3.3	9.7
Other intercity transportation ¹	12/77	219.9	219.8	4.4	-1.4	-7	-2.7	1.5	-1.7
Intracity public transportation ¹	12/77	208.8	210.0	4.6	1.6	1.8	4.3	3.1	3.0
Medical care		453.7	456.5	7.6	7.3	6.7	5.7	7.4	6.2
Medical care commodities		286.1	286.6	6.8	4.6	8.2	4.4	5.7	6.3
Prescription drugs		293.7	294.7	10.3	6.6	9.7	4.5	8.4	7.1
Nonprescription drugs and medical supplies ¹	12/86	101.7	101.7	-	-	-	5.3	-	-
Internal and respiratory over-the-counter drugs ¹		306.9	305.8	3.0	1.1	5.5	5.5	2.0	5.5
Nonprescription medical equipment and supplies ¹	12/77	176.0	177.0	4.0	1.9	3.7	4.2	2.9	4.0
Medical care services		490.1	493.7	7.8	7.9	6.2	6.1	7.8	6.1
Professional medical services		408.4	411.7	5.8	7.0	5.8	7.7	6.4	6.8
Physicians' services		449.2	452.8	6.9	8.6	8.8	5.8	7.7	7.3
Dental services ¹		384.5	388.1	4.7	7.1	3.2	12.1	5.9	7.6
Eye care ¹	12/86	102.0	102.9	-	-	-	10.3	-	-
Services by other medical professionals ¹	12/86	101.5	101.7	-	-	-	4.9	-	-
Hospital and related services	12/77	248.0	249.8	7.0	7.6	6.1	6.3	7.3	6.2
Hospital rooms		789.0	796.3	6.1	6.5	8.3	7.8	6.3	8.1
Other inpatient services ¹	12/86	101.5	102.1	-	-	-	4.8	-	-
Outpatient services ¹	12/86	101.6	101.7	-	-	-	4.0	-	-

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Other index base	Seasonally adjusted indexes		Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for					
		Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987	3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
				July 1986	Oct. 1986	Jan. 1987	Apr. 1987	Oct. 1986	Apr. 1987
Entertainment		279.7	281.3	3.4	2.6	3.2	4.1	3.0	3.7
Entertainment commodities		269.6	270.5	2.3	.8	2.7	3.3	1.5	3.0
Reading materials ¹	12/77	186.9	188.0	3.3	3.5	3.3	4.4	3.4	3.8
Newspapers ¹		350.2	352.3	1.9	3.4	4.2	5.3	2.7	4.8
Magazines, periodicals, and books ¹	12/77	196.9	198.1	4.5	4.2	1.9	3.9	4.3	2.9
Sporting goods and equipment	12/77	139.5	139.1	2.0	-3.4	-2.3	2.6	-7	.1
Sport vehicles, including bicycles ¹	12/77	145.8	145.1	-2.7	-4.1	-8	5.4	-3.4	2.2
Other sporting goods	12/77	126.2	126.1	3.3	2.9	.0	1.0	3.1	.5
Toys, hobbies, and other entertainment	12/77	148.6	149.1	2.2	2.2	3.0	3.6	2.2	3.3
Toys, hobbies, and music equipment	12/77	142.0	142.0	1.2	2.3	4.0	.6	1.7	2.3
Photographic supplies and equipment	12/77	148.9	150.6	5.2	4.6	7.2	13.2	4.9	10.1
Pet supplies and expense ¹	12/77	161.6	162.0	2.5	1.0	3.0	1.7	1.8	2.4
Entertainment services ¹		294.5	296.6	5.0	5.4	3.5	4.6	5.2	4.0
Club memberships ¹	12/86	100.7	100.7	-	-	-	2.0	-	-
Fees for participant sports, excluding club memberships ¹	12/86	102.0	103.3	-	-	-	11.2	-	-
Admissions ¹	12/77	173.8	175.9	9.9	.9	5.2	5.2	5.3	5.2
Fees for lessons or instructions ¹	12/86	100.4	100.6	-	-	-	1.2	-	-
Other entertainment services ¹	12/86	100.7	101.3	-	-	-	3.6	-	-
Other goods and services		362.2	363.9	6.1	4.7	7.0	6.6	5.4	6.8
Tobacco and smoking products ¹		369.6	370.4	9.3	3.3	8.9	6.2	6.3	7.5
Personal care ¹		296.4	297.3	.8	2.8	3.6	2.2	1.8	2.9
Toilet goods and personal care appliances ¹		292.0	292.9	-8	4.0	1.9	2.2	1.5	2.1
Cosmetics, bath and nail preparations, manicure and eye makeup implements ¹	12/77	166.0	166.1	.2	4.5	.7	1.0	2.3	.8
Other toilet goods and small personal care appliances, including hair and dental products ¹	12/77	171.1	171.9	-1.4	3.9	2.1	3.1	1.2	2.6
Personal care services ¹		301.5	302.3	2.3	1.8	5.1	2.0	2.1	3.5
Beauty parlor services for females ¹		304.0	304.8	1.6	1.6	6.3	1.2	1.6	3.7
Haircuts and other barber shop services for males ¹	12/77	168.2	168.7	3.5	2.2	1.2	5.6	2.8	3.4
Personal and educational expenses		454.2	457.1	8.5	7.4	9.3	8.7	7.9	9.0
School books and supplies		401.4	404.4	8.4	6.3	9.4	8.0	7.3	8.7
Personal and educational services		466.4	469.3	8.5	7.5	9.2	8.7	8.0	9.0
Tuition and other school fees	12/77	236.9	238.7	8.0	7.5	8.8	8.7	7.8	8.7
College tuition	12/77	236.1	238.0	8.0	5.4	9.3	8.7	6.7	9.0
Elementary and high school tuition	12/77	237.9	239.6	9.6	11.9	6.2	8.8	10.7	7.5
Personal expenses ¹	12/77	245.7	246.5	10.2	8.5	8.5	5.9	9.3	7.2
Legal service fees ¹	12/86	102.2	102.5	-	-	-	6.1	-	-
Personal financial services ¹	12/86	100.7	100.6	-	-	-	2.8	-	-
Funeral expenses ¹	12/86	101.3	102.0	-	-	-	8.2	-	-
Special indexes									
Domestically produced farm food		298.2	300.6	8.6	7.5	5.7	3.0	8.1	4.3
Selected beef cuts ¹		283.1	285.9	2.3	9.9	14.5	4.8	6.0	9.5
Motor fuel, motor oil, coolant, and other products		294.2	296.3	-5.9	-17.2	23.9	31.9	-11.7	27.8
Utilities and public transportation		372.7	372.3	2.1	-2.6	-1.4	1.8	-3	.2
Housekeeping and home maintenance services ¹		397.0	398.2	1.9	2.8	1.1	2.7	2.3	1.9

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 Apr. 1987 from—
		Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987	Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986
Food and beverages										
Other breads		168.7	167.2	164.0	169.2	2.1	-0.9	-1.9	3.2	4.3
Fresh biscuits, rolls, and muffins		168.7	169.6	171.5	171.5	.6	.5	1.1	.0	6.1
Fresh cakes and cupcakes		178.1	178.0	179.9	181.6	-.6	-.1	1.1	.9	5.6
Cookies		184.5	185.3	187.1	187.7	-.4	.4	1.0	.3	5.9
Crackers, bread, and cracker products		178.9	180.8	181.0	182.0	-.6	1.1	.1	.6	3.6
Fresh sweetrolls, coffee cake, and donuts		176.4	176.5	177.7	178.2	.4	.1	.7	.3	3.4
Frozen and refrigerated bakery products and fresh pies, tarts, and turnovers		189.2	189.9	189.4	189.9	1.4	.4	-.3	.3	4.5
Ham other than canned		143.8	138.7	133.4	124.3	-2.4	-3.5	-3.8	-6.8	12.2
Pork sausage	1967	359.3	353.7	357.2	354.9	.5	-1.6	1.0	-.6	11.4
Other pork		158.0	155.4	156.1	154.5	.9	-1.6	.5	-1.0	15.0
Frankfurters	1967	289.5	285.4	288.4	288.5	1.9	-1.4	1.1	.0	9.7
Bologna, liverwurst, and salami		169.0	165.3	169.6	167.5	.4	-2.2	2.6	-1.2	6.3
Other lunchmeats		148.5	145.6	147.0	145.3	1.0	-2.0	1.0	-1.2	5.9
Lamb and organ meats		150.4	148.0	151.2	151.4	1.9	-1.6	2.2	.1	9.9
Butter	1967	269.8	269.8	267.1	263.9	.1	.0	-1.0	-1.2	1.4
Other dairy products		162.4	163.5	163.6	164.3	.4	.7	.1	.4	4.1
Frozen fruit and fruit juices		153.8	153.7	155.1	156.6	2.2	-.1	.9	1.0	1.1
Other fruit juices		173.5	174.7	175.6	175.9	1.6	.7	.5	.2	3.0
Cut corn, canned beans except lima		150.5	147.7	153.5	152.0	2.2	-1.9	3.9	-1.0	1.9
Other processed vegetables		143.0	140.1	144.1	143.4	2.6	-2.0	2.9	-.5	3.0
Candy and chewing gum		175.3	175.3	175.6	176.1	1.0	.0	.2	.3	1.8
Other sweets		172.6	173.7	173.6	175.3	.7	.6	-.1	1.0	3.7
Margarine	1967	293.2	290.3	291.7	287.8	2.2	-1.0	.5	-1.3	-3.8
Other fats, oils, and salad dressing		143.2	141.3	143.5	142.1	1.8	-1.3	1.6	-1.0	-2.4
Nondairy substitutes and peanut butter		180.4	179.0	183.2	183.2	3.6	-.8	2.3	.0	15.1
Roasted coffee	1967	469.9	454.2	440.0	424.8	-.5	-3.3	-3.1	-3.5	-20.2
Instant and freeze-dried coffee	1967	450.2	443.7	432.1	428.6	-.6	-1.4	-2.6	-.8	-10.4
Seasonings, olives, pickles, and relish		178.0	182.4	180.5	179.8	1.5	2.5	-1.0	-.4	4.4
Other condiments		172.1	175.3	172.5	173.8	1.2	1.9	-1.6	.8	3.7
Miscellaneous prepared foods and baby foods		168.4	169.0	170.3	170.5	1.4	.4	.8	.1	3.3
Other canned and packaged prepared foods		158.4	159.0	159.9	161.1	1.0	.4	.6	.8	4.1
Whiskey at home	1967	171.1	171.7	171.6	171.8	.5	.4	-.1	.1	1.0
Other alcoholic beverages at home		140.0	140.2	139.7	140.0	.4	.1	-.4	.2	.4

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(December 1977 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Item	Other index base	Indexes				1-month percent changes ended—				Percent change to Apr. 1987 from—
		Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987	Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986
Housing										
Household linens	1967	139.8	143.2	144.3	146.3	-1.5	2.4	0.8	1.4	4.2
Curtains, drapes, slipcovers, and sewing materials		167.0	170.2	169.7	168.7	1.0	1.9	-.3	-.6	5.8
Soaps and detergents		329.5	333.0	336.3	336.3	.6	1.1	1.0	.0	3.4
Other laundry and cleaning products		167.4	169.2	168.9	168.3	.8	1.1	-.2	-.4	1.9
Cleansing and toilet tissue, paper towels, and napkins		163.1	163.3	163.2	162.6	.4	.1	-.1	-.4	3.2
Stationery, stationery supplies, and gift wrap		150.3	151.2	151.2	151.5	-.3	.6	.0	.2	2.0
Apparel and upkeep										
Men's suits, sport coats, and jackets	1967	121.2	120.6	124.3	128.1	-.8	-.5	3.1	3.1	6.8
Men's coats and jackets		98.7	97.9	102.0	103.8	-2.0	-.8	4.2	1.8	3.4
Boys' coats, jackets, sweaters, and shirts		121.9	116.8	117.5	118.4	-6.0	-4.2	.6	.8	-3.7
Boys' trousers, sport coats, and jackets		127.5	128.5	130.8	130.2	-.6	.8	1.8	-.5	1.9
Girls' coats, jackets, dresses, and suits		100.2	103.2	105.4	106.6	-2.1	3.0	2.1	1.1	9.8
Girls' separates and sportswear		105.6	107.0	110.0	110.0	-4.1	1.3	2.8	.0	5.2
Transportation										
State automobile registration	1967	223.5	223.5	222.0	222.0	.7	.0	-.7	.0	3.1
Other goods and services										
Products for hair, hair pieces, and wigs		163.0	163.7	162.8	163.6	.7	.4	-.5	.5	.9

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 1966	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Apr. 1967 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Mar. 1967	Apr. 1967	Apr. 1966	Mar. 1967	Jan. to Feb.	Feb. to Mar.	Mar. to Apr.
Expenditure category								
All items	100.000	330.5	332.3	3.7	0.5	0.4	0.5	0.5
All items(1957-59=100)	-	384.4	386.5	-	-	-	-	-
Food and beverages	19.733	321.2	322.1	4.5	.3	.2	-.1	.2
Food	18.045	329.4	330.2	4.6	.2	.2	-.1	.2
Food at home	11.306	313.8	314.9	5.0	.4	.3	-.4	.4
Cereals and bakery products ¹	1.545	331.6	334.1	4.1	.8	.4	.1	.8
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	3.684	285.6	285.2	8.2	-.1	-.8	.0	.4
Dairy products ¹	1.399	262.4	262.0	2.5	-.2	.6	-.5	-.2
Fruits and vegetables	1.755	346.0	353.8	8.8	2.2	2.7	-1.2	1.2
Other food at home	2.923	378.8	377.8	.5	-.3	-.1	-.4	-.3
Sugar and sweets ¹ .....	.403	416.5	416.5	1.4	.0	.0	.4	.0
Fats and oils ¹ .....	.304	293.9	291.3	1.2	-.9	-.9	1.4	-.9
Nonalcoholic beverages	1.030	476.9	471.3	-3.2	-1.2	-.9	-1.7	-1.2
Other prepared food	1.186	312.6	314.5	4.3	.6	.8	-.1	.5
Food away from home	6.739	374.3	374.8	4.1	.1	.2	.3	.0
Alcoholic beverages	1.688	246.5	247.2	2.0	.3	.0	.1	.2
Housing	40.492	358.8	360.0	2.5	.3	.4	.4	.2
Shelter	25.554	403.2	405.1	4.4	.5	.5	.6	.3
Renters' costs ²	8.211	113.3	113.8	4.8	.4	.4	.5	.2
Rent, residential	6.952	287.3	287.8	3.9	.2	.4	.2	.1
Other renters' costs	1.259	439.0	448.1	8.9	2.1	.6	2.5	.7
Homeowners' costs ²	17.132	112.1	112.7	4.3	.5	.5	.5	.4
Owners' equivalent rent ²	16.782	112.1	112.7	4.3	.5	.5	.5	.4
Household insurance ^{1 2} .....	.350	112.4	112.5	3.7	.1	.2	.3	.1
Maintenance and repairs ¹ .....	.211	378.5	378.0	3.7	-.1	-.1	.4	-.1
Maintenance and repair services ¹ .....	.112	436.8	435.7	3.9	-.3	-.5	1.0	-.3
Maintenance and repair commodities ¹ .....	.099	267.9	267.9	3.3	.0	.3	-.2	.0
Fuel and other utilities	8.150	375.1	374.3	-2.2	-.2	.3	.2	.1
Fuels	4.578	443.2	440.7	-4.0	-.6	.2	.1	-.1
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities .....	.363	501.4	501.1	-3.9	-.1	3.5	1.6	2.3
Gas (piped) and electricity	4.215	427.0	424.4	-3.1	-.8	.0	.0	-.3
Other utilities and public services ¹	3.572	257.1	257.6	2.3	.3	.4	.2	.3
Household furnishings and operation	6.788	250.1	250.6	2.0	.3	.1	.0	.0
Housefurnishings	4.362	200.7	201.4	1.7	.3	.0	-.2	.0
Housekeeping supplies	1.249	325.2	325.7	3.0	.2	.3	.8	.1
Housekeeping services ¹	1.178	352.3	353.3	1.8	.3	.2	.1	.3
Apparel and upkeep	6.362	213.7	217.4	5.5	1.7	.3	1.9	1.5
Apparel commodities	5.830	198.3	202.1	5.7	1.9	.4	2.0	1.7
Men's and boys' apparel	1.547	201.9	204.3	2.5	1.2	.7	.7	.6
Women's and girls' apparel	2.562	178.6	184.4	8.9	3.2	.0	2.8	3.4
Infants' and toddlers' apparel ¹ .....	.304	337.3	336.3	1.5	-.3	1.0	4.7	-.3
Footwear .....	.933	217.7	220.0	3.7	1.1	.5	2.0	.6
Other apparel commodities ¹ .....	.485	214.1	213.9	4.8	-.1	1.0	.9	-.1
Apparel services .....	.531	341.8	341.6	3.5	-.1	.0	.3	-.1

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1967=100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Relative importance, December 1986	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Apr. 1987 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986	Mar. 1987	Jan. to Feb.	Feb. to Mar.	Mar. to Apr.
Expenditure category								
Transportation	19.094	310.8	313.9	3.4	1.0	0.6	0.7	0.6
Private transportation	17.944	304.2	307.4	3.4	1.1	.6	.8	.7
New vehicles	5.459	228.2	229.0	4.0	.4	-.9	.1	.4
New cars	4.052	228.5	229.5	4.1	.4	-1.0	.0	.5
Used cars	2.257	363.1	371.7	1.9	2.4	1.0	2.2	2.1
Motor fuel	3.564	291.3	298.7	6.6	2.5	4.0	2.1	.9
Gasoline	-	290.7	298.3	6.9	2.6	4.1	2.1	.9
Maintenance and repairs ¹	1.618	374.9	377.9	4.3	.8	.5	-.1	.8
Other private transportation ¹	5.046	311.7	312.1	3.9	.1	-.4	.1	.1
Other private transportation commodities ¹ .....	.976	204.3	202.6	-1.0	-.8	-.1	.1	-.8
Other private transportation services ¹	4.070	342.9	344.1	4.7	.3	-.4	.1	.3
Public transportation ¹	1.150	428.7	428.9	3.8	.0	.1	.4	.0
Medical care	4.469	452.3	454.9	6.9	.6	.3	.5	.6
Medical care commodities .....	.896	285.1	286.2	5.7	.4	.4	.5	.1
Medical care services	3.574	489.2	492.1	7.1	.6	.3	.5	.8
Professional medical services	2.339	410.2	413.3	6.7	.8	.5	.6	.8
Entertainment	4.082	274.4	276.0	3.4	.6	.1	.4	.6
Entertainment commodities	2.217	263.7	264.7	2.4	.4	-.1	.6	.3
Entertainment services ¹	1.865	294.2	296.6	4.8	.8	.4	.1	.8
Other goods and services	5.768	355.1	356.0	5.5	.3	.7	.4	.4
Tobacco and smoking products ¹	1.647	369.2	370.0	6.9	.2	.9	.3	.2
Personal care ¹	1.188	293.9	294.7	2.3	.3	.3	-.1	.3
Toilet goods and personal care appliances ¹ .....	.680	292.7	293.6	1.8	.3	.4	-.2	.3
Personal care services ¹ .....	.507	295.5	296.2	2.7	.2	.2	.0	.2
Personal and educational expenses	2.933	454.3	455.5	8.1	.3	.8	.6	.7
School books and supplies .....	.188	409.6	410.1	8.2	.1	.5	.7	.7
Personal and educational services	2.745	466.6	467.6	8.3	.3	.8	.7	.7
Commodity and service group								
All items	100.000	330.5	332.3	3.7	.5	.4	.5	.5
Commodities	49.519	288.6	290.7	3.7	.7	.5	.5	.6
Food and beverages	19.733	321.2	322.1	4.5	.3	.2	-.1	.2
Commodities less food and beverages	29.787	267.2	269.9	3.1	1.0	.6	.9	.7
Nondurables less food and beverages ¹	16.530	270.0	273.7	4.5	1.4	1.4	1.5	1.4
Apparel commodities	5.830	198.3	202.1	5.7	1.9	.4	2.0	1.7
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel ¹	10.700	311.5	315.0	4.4	1.1	1.9	.4	1.1
Durables	13.257	265.3	266.8	1.3	.6	-.3	.3	.5
Services	50.481	405.9	407.3	3.9	.3	.3	.4	.3
Rent of shelter ^{1 2}	24.963	112.5	113.0	4.3	.4	.4	.5	.4
Household services less rent of shelter ^{1 2}	9.457	102.5	102.4	-.3	-.1	.2	.0	-.1
Transportation services	6.838	361.6	363.2	4.5	.4	-.1	.1	.4
Medical care services	3.574	489.2	492.1	7.1	.6	.3	.5	.8
Other services	5.649	338.0	339.4	5.1	.4	.5	.4	.6

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 Apr. 1987 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986	Mar. 1987	Jan. to Feb.	Feb. to Mar.	Mar. to Apr.
Special Indexes								
All items less food	81.955	329.3	331.3	3.5	0.6	0.4	0.6	0.5
All items less shelter	74.446	311.0	312.8	3.5	.6	.4	.4	.5
All items less homeowners' costs ²	82.868	104.9	105.5	3.6	.6	.3	.5	.5
All items less medical care	95.531	324.5	326.2	3.5	.5	.4	.5	.4
Commodities less food	31.475	265.9	268.5	3.0	1.0	.6	.9	.7
Nondurables less food ¹	18.218	266.9	270.4	4.2	1.3	1.3	1.4	1.3
Nondurables less food and apparel ¹	12.387	300.9	303.9	4.0	1.0	1.7	.4	1.0
Nondurables ¹	36.263	296.9	299.2	4.5	.8	.8	.7	.8
Services less rent of shelter ^{1 2}	25.517	109.2	109.5	3.4	.3	.2	.2	.3
Services less medical care ¹	46.907	394.7	396.1	3.5	.4	.3	.3	.4
Energy	8.142	357.7	360.8	.7	.9	1.9	1.1	.4
All items less energy	91.858	330.2	331.9	4.1	.5	.2	.4	.4
All items less food and energy	73.813	329.0	330.9	4.0	.6	.3	.5	.5
Commodities less food and energy	27.548	264.6	266.6	3.0	.8	.1	.7	.6
Energy commodities	3.927	321.5	328.9	5.1	2.3	3.9	2.1	1.0
Services less energy	46.265	404.7	406.5	4.6	.4	.4	.4	.4
Purchasing power of the consumer dollar:								
1967 = \$1.00 ¹	-	\$303	\$301	-3.5	-.7	-.3	-.3	-.7
1957-59 = \$1.00 ¹	-	.260	.259	-	-	-	-	-

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					
	Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987	3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
					July 1986	Oct. 1986	Jan. 1987	Apr. 1987	Oct. 1986	Apr. 1987
Expenditure category										
All items	-	-	-	-	2.6	2.4	4.4	5.3	2.5	4.9
Food and beverages	320.0	320.6	320.3	321.1	6.5	6.0	4.4	1.4	6.3	2.9
Food	328.1	328.9	328.5	329.2	6.8	6.4	4.3	1.3	6.6	2.8
Food at home	312.3	313.1	312.0	313.1	8.0	7.6	3.7	1.0	7.8	2.3
Cereals and bakery products ¹	330.0	331.2	331.6	334.1	4.7	2.7	4.0	5.1	3.7	4.5
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	285.2	282.9	283.0	284.2	20.5	17.3	-1.0	-1.4	18.9	-1.2
Dairy products ¹	262.0	263.6	262.4	262.0	2.4	2.5	5.4	.0	2.4	2.6
Fruits and vegetables	337.5	346.5	342.2	346.4	4.6	9.0	10.7	11.0	6.8	10.9
Other food at home	379.1	378.6	376.9	375.8	.8	.8	4.9	-3.4	.8	.6
Sugar and sweets ¹	414.9	414.8	416.5	416.5	1.0	.9	2.1	1.6	.9	1.8
Fats and oils ¹	292.6	289.9	293.9	291.3	-1.7	-3.4	12.5	-1.8	-2.6	5.1
Nonalcoholic beverages	482.7	478.2	470.3	464.8	-.5	-.5	3.0	-14.0	-.5	-5.9
Other prepared food	310.3	312.7	312.3	313.9	3.1	3.6	5.9	4.7	3.4	5.3
Food away from home	372.5	373.2	374.3	374.4	4.4	4.2	5.3	2.1	4.3	3.7
Alcoholic beverages	245.9	245.9	246.1	248.7	3.0	-.7	4.7	1.3	1.2	3.0
Housing	356.8	358.1	359.6	360.4	1.3	1.7	2.5	4.1	1.5	3.3
Shelter	399.5	401.4	403.7	405.0	2.9	5.1	3.7	5.6	4.0	4.6
Renters' costs ²	112.4	112.9	113.5	113.7	4.5	4.1	5.1	4.7	4.3	4.9
Rent, residential	286.1	287.3	287.9	288.1	4.1	4.1	4.5	2.8	4.1	3.6
Other renters' costs	431.0	433.7	444.4	447.7	5.2	4.8	9.4	16.4	5.0	12.9
Homeowners' costs ²	111.1	111.7	112.3	112.8	2.2	5.6	2.9	6.3	3.9	4.6
Owners' equivalent rent ²	111.1	111.7	112.3	112.8	2.2	5.6	2.9	8.3	3.9	4.6
Household insurance ^{1 2}	111.9	112.1	112.4	112.5	6.0	2.6	4.0	2.2	4.3	3.1
Maintenance and repairs ¹	377.3	378.9	378.5	378.0	2.3	7.2	4.6	.7	4.7	2.6
Maintenance and repair services ¹	434.5	432.5	436.8	435.7	5.8	5.7	3.2	1.1	5.8	2.1
Maintenance and repair commodities ¹	267.6	268.4	267.9	267.9	-.6	8.4	5.1	.4	3.8	2.7
Fuel and other utilities	376.1	377.2	377.8	378.1	-4.6	-6.8	-1.2	2.1	-5.7	.5
Fuels	444.9	446.0	446.6	446.2	-8.9	-10.5	.2	1.2	-9.7	.7
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities	476.9	493.6	501.4	512.9	-38.1	-15.9	22.6	33.8	-27.9	28.1
Gas (piped) and electricity	433.4	433.2	433.3	431.9	-.6	-9.4	-1.0	-1.4	-5.1	-1.2
Other utilities and public services ¹	255.6	256.5	257.1	257.8	6.8	2.4	-3.4	3.5	4.6	.0
Household furnishings and operation	249.4	249.6	249.6	249.7	2.8	1.3	3.1	.5	2.1	1.8
Housefurnishings	200.8	200.8	200.3	200.2	3.7	.8	3.5	-1.2	2.2	1.1
Housekeeping supplies	321.0	322.1	324.8	325.1	2.3	1.6	2.9	5.2	2.0	4.1
Housekeeping services ¹	351.2	352.0	352.3	353.3	1.5	2.0	1.3	2.4	1.7	1.8
Apparel and upkeep	209.0	209.7	213.6	216.9	-.2	4.6	2.5	16.0	2.2	9.1
Apparel commodities	193.5	194.3	198.2	201.6	-1.0	4.7	2.1	17.8	1.8	9.7
Men's and boys' apparel	200.2	201.7	203.1	204.3	-.2	1.6	.4	8.4	.7	4.3
Women's and girls' apparel	173.2	173.2	177.7	183.7	-2.8	7.6	6.5	26.5	2.3	16.1
Infants' and toddlers' apparel ¹	319.1	322.2	337.3	336.3	-8.9	7.0	-11.7	23.4	-1.3	4.4
Footwear	212.6	213.7	218.0	219.4	-1.3	6.0	-2.4	13.4	2.3	5.2
Other apparel commodities ¹	210.1	212.1	214.1	213.9	4.8	2.7	4.3	7.4	3.8	5.9
Apparel services	340.1	340.1	341.2	340.9	3.6	3.8	5.6	.9	3.7	3.2

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					
	Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987	3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
					July 1986	Oct. 1986	Jan. 1987	Apr. 1987	Oct. 1986	Apr. 1987
Expenditure category										
Transportation	307.8	309.7	312.0	314.0	-0.1	-2.6	8.0	8.3	-1.4	8.2
Private transportation	301.3	303.2	305.5	307.6	-.4	-2.8	8.1	8.6	-1.6	8.4
New vehicles	230.1	228.0	228.2	229.0	7.3	4.5	6.3	-1.9	5.9	2.1
New cars	230.8	228.4	228.5	229.7	7.3	5.1	6.5	-1.9	6.2	2.2
Used cars	354.7	358.4	366.4	374.0	-5.8	-3.0	-4.5	23.6	-4.4	8.7
Motor fuel	279.9	291.0	297.2	299.9	-5.3	-17.7	26.0	31.8	-11.7	28.9
Gasoline	279.3	290.7	296.9	299.5	-4.6	-17.9	26.0	32.2	-11.5	29.1
Maintenance and repairs ¹	373.4	375.1	374.9	377.9	3.1	2.4	6.9	4.9	2.8	5.9
Other private transportation ¹	312.6	311.5	311.7	312.1	2.7	3.8	10.1	-.6	3.2	4.6
Other private transportation commodities ¹	204.3	204.0	204.3	202.6	-1.6	-5.2	6.5	-3.3	-3.4	1.5
Other private transportation services ¹	344.0	342.6	342.9	344.1	3.3	5.2	10.7	.1	4.2	5.3
Public transportation ¹	426.7	427.2	428.7	428.9	4.9	.9	7.7	2.1	2.9	4.8
Medical care	447.2	448.6	451.0	453.9	7.5	7.2	6.4	6.1	7.4	6.3
Medical care commodities	282.5	283.5	284.8	285.1	6.7	4.6	7.9	3.7	5.6	5.8
Medical care services	483.2	484.6	487.2	491.1	7.7	7.7	6.1	6.7	7.7	6.4
Professional medical services	404.6	406.6	409.0	412.4	6.1	6.8	5.9	7.9	6.5	6.9
Entertainment	272.9	273.3	274.3	275.9	3.5	3.2	2.7	4.5	3.3	3.6
Entertainment commodities	262.2	262.0	263.5	264.4	2.5	1.2	2.6	3.4	1.9	3.0
Entertainment services ¹	292.7	293.9	294.2	296.6	5.0	6.0	2.8	5.4	5.5	4.1
Other goods and services	352.7	355.3	356.8	358.4	6.0	4.1	6.9	6.6	5.1	6.7
Tobacco and smoking products ¹	384.7	368.0	369.2	370.0	9.6	3.2	9.2	5.9	6.3	7.5
Personal care ¹	293.2	294.1	293.9	294.7	.8	2.8	3.3	2.1	1.8	2.7
Toilet goods and personal care appliances ¹	292.0	293.2	292.7	293.6	-.8	3.8	2.1	2.2	1.5	2.1
Personal care services ¹	294.9	295.4	295.5	296.2	2.5	1.9	4.6	1.8	2.2	3.2
Personal and educational expenses	449.2	452.9	455.8	458.9	8.6	6.7	9.1	8.9	7.6	9.0
School books and supplies	402.5	404.4	407.2	410.1	8.3	6.1	10.8	7.8	7.2	9.3
Personal and educational services	481.0	464.9	468.0	471.1	8.6	6.8	9.0	9.1	7.7	9.0
Commodity and service group										
All items	-	-	-	-	2.6	2.4	4.4	5.3	2.5	4.9
Commodities	285.6	286.9	288.4	290.0	1.9	1.3	4.9	6.3	1.6	5.6
Food and beverages	320.0	320.6	320.3	321.1	6.5	6.0	4.4	1.4	6.3	2.9
Commodities less food and beverages	263.5	265.2	267.6	269.6	-1.1	-1.7	5.2	9.6	-1.4	7.4
Nondurables less food and beverages ¹	262.3	266.0	270.0	273.7	-2.9	.2	3.3	18.6	-1.4	10.6
Apparel commodities	193.5	194.3	198.2	201.6	-1.0	4.7	2.1	17.8	1.8	9.7
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel ¹	304.4	310.2	311.5	315.0	-.8	-6.5	11.8	14.7	-3.7	13.2
Durables	265.6	264.8	265.5	266.8	.5	.0	2.9	1.8	.2	2.4
Services	404.3	405.6	407.3	408.7	3.6	3.4	4.2	4.4	3.5	4.3
Rent of shelter ^{1 2}	111.5	111.9	112.5	113.0	3.4	6.0	2.6	5.5	4.7	4.0
Household services less rent of shelter ^{1 2}	102.3	102.5	102.5	102.4	13.5	-8.0	-5.7	.4	2.2	-2.7
Transportation services	361.7	361.3	361.6	363.1	3.6	3.7	9.2	1.6	3.7	5.3
Medical care services	483.2	484.6	487.2	491.1	7.7	7.7	6.1	6.7	7.7	6.4
Other services	336.4	336.2	339.5	341.6	5.3	5.1	5.5	6.3	5.2	5.9

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

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Seasonally adjusted indexes				Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for					
	Jan. 1967	Feb. 1967	Mar. 1967	Apr. 1967	3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
					July 1966	Oct. 1966	Jan. 1967	Apr. 1967	Oct. 1966	Apr. 1967
Special indexes										
All items less food	326.3	327.7	329.7	331.3	1.6	1.2	4.4	6.3	1.4	5.3
All items less shelter	306.8	309.9	311.2	312.7	2.7	1.5	4.8	5.1	2.1	5.0
All items less homeowners' costs ²	104.3	104.6	105.1	105.6	2.8	2.0	4.7	5.1	2.4	4.9
All items less medical care	321.9	323.2	324.7	326.1	2.4	2.0	4.2	5.3	2.2	4.6
Commodities less food	262.5	264.1	266.4	268.3	-9	-1.8	5.2	9.1	-1.4	7.1
Nondurables less food ¹	259.9	263.3	266.9	270.4	-2.6	.2	3.3	17.2	-1.2	10.0
Nondurables less food and apparel ¹	294.8	299.7	300.9	303.9	-5	-5.9	10.7	12.9	-3.3	11.8
Nondurables ¹	292.5	294.9	296.9	299.2	1.3	2.5	4.9	9.5	1.9	7.2
Services less rent of shelter ^{1 2}	108.8	109.0	109.2	109.5	7.4	1.5	2.2	2.6	4.4	2.4
Services less medical care ¹	392.5	393.5	394.7	396.1	5.5	2.8	2.0	3.7	4.2	2.8
Energy	352.6	359.2	363.0	364.3	-7.3	-13.6	10.8	13.9	-10.8	12.3
All items less energy	326.1	328.9	330.3	331.7	3.8	4.2	4.0	4.5	4.0	4.2
All items less food and energy	326.7	327.6	329.4	331.0	3.0	3.5	3.9	5.4	3.3	4.6
Commodities less food and energy	262.7	262.9	264.8	266.5	1.6	1.7	2.6	5.9	1.8	4.3
Energy commodities	307.8	319.8	326.5	329.9	-12.3	-17.4	25.3	32.0	-14.9	28.6
Services less energy	402.5	404.0	405.8	407.4	4.1	4.9	4.6	5.0	4.5	4.8

¹ Not seasonally adjusted.

² Indexes on a December 1964 = 100 base.

- Data not available.

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

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

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Other index base	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Apr. 1987 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986	Mar. 1987	Jan. to Feb.	Feb. to Mar.	Mar. to Apr.
Food and beverages		321.2	322.1	4.5	0.3	0.2	-0.1	0.2
Food		329.4	330.2	4.6	.2	.2	-.1	.2
Food at home		313.8	314.9	5.0	.4	.3	-.4	.4
Cereals and bakery products ¹		331.6	334.1	4.1	.8	.4	.1	.8
Cereals and cereal products	12/77	177.6	178.9	2.8	.7	.7	-.7	.8
Flour and prepared flour mixes	12/77	150.8	151.3	.1	.3	.7	-1.2	.4
Cereal ¹	12/77	217.3	219.7	6.9	1.1	1.4	.4	1.1
Rice, pasta, and commel ¹	12/77	148.9	149.1	-2.9	.1	-.1	-1.3	.1
Bakery products ¹	12/77	174.7	176.1	4.6	.8	.1	.3	.8
White bread ¹		272.7	274.1	2.9	.5	.0	.3	.5
Fresh other bread, biscuits, rolls, and muffins ¹	12/77	165.9	170.0	5.5	2.5	-.3	-1.1	2.5
Cookies, fresh cakes, and cupcakes ¹	12/77	183.6	184.2	5.7	.3	.2	1.1	.3
Other bakery products ¹	12/77	183.1	183.5	4.4	.2	.4	.7	.2
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs		285.6	285.2	8.2	-.1	-.8	.0	.4
Meats, poultry, and fish		294.5	294.5	9.2	.0	-.7	.3	.5
Meats		286.2	286.7	9.4	.2	-1.1	.5	.9
Beef and veal		283.6	286.9	7.5	1.2	-.8	.0	1.4
Ground beef other than canned		259.3	260.6	5.4	.5	-2.3	1.1	.7
Chuck roast		297.6	295.3	10.4	-.8	2.7	-.2	.8
Round roast		243.2	246.5	7.2	1.4	-4.0	.5	1.4
Round steak		259.3	265.4	5.4	2.4	.1	-1.7	3.1
Sirloin steak		286.9	299.6	7.9	4.5	1.6	-.6	2.9
Other beef and veal	12/77	177.6	179.8	7.8	1.2	-.5	.5	1.4
Pork		286.4	283.6	13.8	-1.0	-1.4	.6	.9
Bacon		305.6	304.5	12.0	-.4	-1.1	.8	.8
Chops		267.9	274.0	17.4	2.3	-1.3	1.3	2.8
Ham	12/77	131.5	124.9	11.0	-5.0	-.4	-1.7	-.8
Other pork, including sausage ¹	12/77	157.5	156.1	13.4	-.9	-1.6	1.0	-.9
Other meats ¹		289.4	288.0	8.0	-.5	-1.6	1.7	-.5
Poultry ¹		231.0	228.0	6.8	-1.3	-.5	-1.3	-1.3
Fresh whole chicken ¹		233.4	228.7	8.6	-2.0	-.6	-2.9	-2.0
Fresh and frozen chicken parts ¹	12/77	154.6	154.0	10.2	-.5	-.1	-.8	-.5
Other poultry ¹	12/77	140.9	138.1	-.5	-2.0	-1.5	.2	-2.0
Fish and seafood		486.0	489.7	12.4	.8	1.5	.8	1.2
Canned fish and seafood ¹	12/77	137.1	137.4	2.4	.2	-.4	.3	.2
Fresh and frozen fish and seafood	12/77	213.3	215.3	16.1	.9	3.2	.8	1.4
Eggs		180.0	174.8	-7.6	-2.9	-2.4	-4.0	-2.5
Dairy products ¹		262.4	262.0	2.5	-.2	.6	-.5	-.2
Fresh milk and cream	12/77	140.7	140.3	2.3	-.3	1.1	-.6	-.2
Fresh whole milk		228.8	228.8	2.1	.0	.7	-.6	.1
Other fresh milk and cream	12/77	142.4	141.2	2.7	-.8	1.8	-.8	-.8
Processed dairy products ¹	12/77	159.8	159.8	2.7	.0	.1	-.2	.0
Cheese ¹	12/77	154.4	154.4	2.2	.0	.2	.3	.0
Ice cream and related products ¹	12/77	167.9	168.8	3.6	.5	.0	-.9	.5
Other dairy products, including butter ¹	12/77	162.0	161.0	2.4	-.6	.1	-.5	-.6

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Table 9. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers: 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 Apr. 1967 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Mar. 1967	Apr. 1967	Apr. 1966	Mar. 1967	Jan. to Feb.	Feb. to Mar.	Mar. to Apr.
Fruits and vegetables		346.0	353.6	8.8	2.2	2.7	-1.2	1.2
Fresh fruits and vegetables		373.7	387.3	12.7	3.6	2.4	-1.5	2.1
Fresh fruits		386.8	399.6	12.3	3.3	-.6	-.7	1.7
Apples		393.5	395.5	11.3	.5	-1.3	7.2	-1.2
Bananas		276.1	279.3	-13.4	1.2	-1.1	-5.4	-7.9
Oranges, including tangerines		388.1	383.5	11.8	-1.2	-3.6	3.6	-4.0
Other fresh fruits	12/77	212.3	225.5	18.1	6.2	4.3	-4.3	4.7
Fresh vegetables		360.8	375.1	12.7	4.0	3.8	-2.9	3.9
Potatoes		346.9	362.1	38.9	4.4	2.9	-.2	2.8
Lettuce ¹		371.4	371.6	-6.7	.1	-2.6	2.0	.1
Tomatoes ¹		281.9	308.1	9.4	9.3	1.4	-3.8	9.3
Other fresh vegetables	12/77	214.7	221.6	12.7	3.2	1.8	-5.4	7.4
Processed fruits and vegetables		315.2	314.7	2.5	-.2	-.6	1.4	-.2
Processed fruits	12/77	167.1	168.1	2.9	.6	-.4	.5	.4
Fruit juices and frozen fruit	12/77	166.4	167.6	2.6	.7	-.7	.4	.5
Canned and dried fruits ¹	12/77	168.2	168.1	2.6	-.1	-.9	.4	-.1
Processed vegetables ¹	12/77	150.8	149.3	2.1	-1.0	-1.1	2.3	-1.0
Frozen vegetables ¹	12/77	168.3	166.8	1.5	-.9	.5	.4	-.9
Other processed vegetables ¹	12/77	145.4	144.0	2.4	-1.0	-1.8	3.1	-1.0
Other food at home		378.8	377.8	.5	-.3	-.1	-.4	-.3
Sugar and sweets ¹		416.5	416.5	1.4	.0	.0	.4	.0
Sugar and artificial sweeteners ¹	12/77	172.5	171.1	-1.1	-.8	-.9	.6	-.8
Sweets, including candy	12/77	174.2	174.8	2.3	.3	.2	.1	.1
Fats and oils ¹		293.9	291.3	1.2	-.9	-.9	1.4	-.9
Nonalcoholic beverages		476.9	471.3	-3.2	-1.2	-.9	-1.7	-1.2
Carbonated drinks	12/77	159.7	157.7	1.3	-1.3	.0	-.6	-1.1
Coffee ¹		448.9	438.3	-16.2	-2.4	-2.7	-2.9	-2.4
Other noncarbonated drinks	12/77	159.0	160.7	3.3	1.1	.6	-.3	1.3
Other prepared food		312.6	314.5	4.3	.6	.8	-.1	.5
Canned and packaged soup	12/77	162.1	164.0	5.1	1.2	.6	.6	.7
Frozen prepared food ¹	12/77	175.0	178.1	5.6	1.8	1.3	-1.1	1.8
Snacks ¹	12/77	184.7	184.6	4.2	-.1	1.4	.4	-.1
Seasonings, condiments, sauces, and spices	12/77	176.2	176.9	3.9	.4	1.7	-1.1	.3
Miscellaneous prepared food, including baby food ¹	12/77	165.4	166.3	3.7	.5	.4	.7	.5
Food away from home		374.3	374.8	4.1	.1	.2	.3	.0
Lunch	12/77	180.5	180.8	4.1	.2	.3	.4	.2
Dinner	12/77	180.4	180.7	3.9	.2	.2	.1	.2
Other meals and snacks	12/77	184.2	184.4	4.2	.1	.3	.1	-.2
Alcoholic beverages		246.5	247.2	2.0	.3	.0	.1	.2
Alcoholic beverages at home	12/77	156.1	156.3	1.4	.1	.1	-.1	.1
Beer and ale		242.6	242.5	1.0	.0	.0	-.5	-.3
Wine ¹		254.7	256.3	3.0	.6	.8	.9	.6
Distilled spirits ¹	12/77	142.7	143.1	.9	.3	.3	-.3	.3
Alcoholic beverages away from home ¹	12/77	160.7	161.5	4.3	.4	.1	.2	.4

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Table 9. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers: 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 Apr. 1987 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986	Mar. 1987	Jan. to Feb.	Feb. to Mar.	Mar. to Apr.
Housing		358.8	360.0	2.5	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.2
Shelter		403.2	405.1	4.4	.5	.5	.6	.3
Renters' costs	12/84	113.3	113.8	4.8	.4	.4	.5	.2
Rent, residential		287.3	287.8	3.9	.2	.4	.2	.1
Other renters' costs		439.0	448.1	8.9	2.1	.6	2.5	.7
Lodging while out of town		455.5	466.1	7.4	2.3	.4	2.6	.2
Lodging while at school ¹		130.1	130.3	7.7	.2	.0	.0	.2
Tenants' insurance ¹	12/77	183.5	183.8	4.0	.2	.2	.4	.2
Homeowners' costs	12/84	112.1	112.7	4.3	.5	.5	.5	.4
Owners' equivalent rent	12/84	112.1	112.7	4.3	.5	.5	.5	.4
Household insurance ¹	12/84	112.4	112.5	3.7	.1	.2	.3	.1
Maintenance and repairs ¹		378.5	378.0	3.7	-.1	-.1	.4	-.1
Maintenance and repair services ¹		436.8	435.7	3.9	-.3	-.5	1.0	-.3
Maintenance and repair commodities ¹		267.9	267.9	3.3	.0	.3	-.2	.0
Materials, supplies, and equipment for home repairs ¹	12/86	99.9	99.1	-	-.8	.1	-.9	-.8
Other maintenance and repair commodities ¹	12/77	147.5	148.5	.2	.7	.5	.3	.7
Fuel and other utilities		375.1	374.3	-2.2	-.2	.3	.2	.1
Fuels		443.2	440.7	-4.0	-.6	.2	.1	-.1
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities		501.4	501.1	-3.9	-.1	3.5	1.6	2.3
Fuel oil		499.7	499.3	-2.4	-.1	4.5	1.7	2.6
Other household fuel commodities ¹	12/86	101.9	101.9	-	.0	.8	.2	.0
Gas (piped) and electricity		427.0	424.4	-3.1	-.6	.0	.0	-.3
Electricity		355.6	353.2	-1.3	-.7	-.1	.4	-.2
Utility (piped) gas		519.1	516.7	-5.8	-.5	.2	-.8	-.6
Other utilities and public services ¹		257.1	257.8	2.3	.3	.4	.2	.3
Telephone services ¹		203.5	204.1	.1	.3	-.1	.0	.3
Local charges ¹	12/77	198.7	199.7	6.5	.5	-.2	.0	.5
Interstate toll calls ¹	12/77	92.7	92.6	-17.5	-.1	.0	.0	-.1
Intrastate toll calls ¹	12/77	124.2	124.2	-.5	.0	-.6	.0	.0
Water and sewerage maintenance ¹		437.9	440.9	5.2	.7	.3	.4	.7
Cable television ¹	12/83	121.9	121.5	5.8	-.3	2.4	1.0	-.3
Refuse collection ¹	12/83	127.3	128.1	9.5	.6	1.6	.2	.6
Household furnishings and operation		250.1	250.8	2.0	.3	.1	.0	.0
Housefurnishings		200.7	201.4	1.7	.3	.0	-.2	.0
Textile housefurnishings		253.6	254.8	4.1	.5	1.0	-1.0	2.2
Furniture and bedding		233.3	236.0	3.0	1.2	.0	.2	.0
Bedroom furniture ¹	12/77	164.6	167.0	1.2	1.5	-1.4	-.1	1.5
Sofas	12/77	128.3	131.4	6.1	2.4	-1.5	.8	1.6
Living room chairs and tables ¹	12/77	134.5	134.1	1.4	-.3	1.0	2.0	-.3
Other furniture	12/77	144.9	146.1	4.6	.8	1.0	.5	-.1
Appliances, including electronic equipment ¹		141.1	140.5	-1.3	-.4	-.5	.2	-.4
Television and sound equipment ¹	12/77	91.8	91.1	-2.3	-.8	-.6	-.4	-.8
Television ¹		79.3	79.4	-5.0	.1	-2.3	-.6	.1
Sound equipment ¹	12/77	104.4	102.6	.4	-1.7	1.3	-.4	-1.7
Major household appliances ¹	12/86	101.4	101.2	-	-.2	1.0	.2	-.2
Refrigerators and home freezers ¹		198.0	198.2	-.7	.1	-.1	.3	.1
Laundry equipment ¹	12/77	150.8	151.2	.7	.3	1.0	.6	.3
Stoves, ovens, dishwashers, and air conditioners ¹	12/86	101.9	101.2	-	-.7	1.8	-.4	-.7

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Table 9. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers: 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 Apr. 1987 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986	Mar. 1987	Jan. to Feb.	Feb. to Mar.	Mar. to Apr.
Other housefurnishings ¹	12/86	100.6	100.9	-	0.3	0.6	-0.4	0.3
Floor and window coverings, infants', laundry, cleaning, and outdoor equipment ¹	12/77	144.3	146.1	0.9	1.2	-.5	-.4	1.2
Clocks, lamps, and decor items ¹	12/77	131.6	132.4	.5	.6	.9	1.3	.6
Tableware, serving pieces, and nonelectric kitchenware ¹	12/77	152.1	152.1	3.5	.0	2.5	-2.4	.0
Lawn equipment, power tools, and other hardware ¹	12/77	140.2	139.8	-.4	-.3	.3	-.8	-.3
Sewing, floor cleaning, small kitchen, and portable heating appliances ¹	12/86	101.7	101.7	-	.0	-.5	.5	.0
Housekeeping supplies	12/77	325.2	325.7	3.0	.2	.3	.8	.1
Laundry and cleaning products, including soap ¹	12/77	171.7	171.6	3.0	-.1	1.1	.5	-.1
Household paper products and stationery supplies ¹	12/77	158.8	158.7	2.4	-.1	.3	-.1	-.1
Other household, lawn, and garden supplies	12/77	159.4	160.5	3.7	.7	-.8	1.3	.5
Housekeeping services ¹	12/77	352.3	353.3	1.8	.3	.2	.1	.3
Postage ¹	12/77	372.7	372.7	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0
Appliance and furniture repair ¹	12/77	162.8	163.8	2.6	.6	.2	.2	.6
Gardening and other household services ¹	12/86	101.4	102.4	-	1.0	.8	.1	1.0
Apparel and upkeep		213.7	217.4	5.5	1.7	.3	1.9	1.5
Apparel commodities		198.3	202.1	5.7	1.9	.4	2.0	1.7
Apparel commodities less footwear		194.9	198.9	6.0	2.1	.4	2.0	1.9
Men's and boys'		201.9	204.3	2.5	1.2	.7	.7	.6
Men's	12/77	129.6	131.4	4.2	1.4	1.7	1.0	.8
Suits, sport coats, coats, and jackets	12/77	113.2	115.7	5.6	2.2	.6	1.8	1.3
Furnishings and special clothing ¹	12/77	146.5	151.8	1.5	2.2	.3	-.7	2.2
Shirts	12/77	144.0	145.1	7.6	.8	2.7	1.7	.6
Dungarees, jeans, and trousers	12/77	126.3	127.0	2.8	.6	1.7	1.4	.1
Boys'	12/77	122.7	123.3	-2.8	.5	-1.8	-.8	.2
Women's and girls'		178.6	184.4	8.9	3.2	.0	2.6	3.4
Women's	12/77	119.2	123.8	9.2	3.9	-.8	3.0	3.9
Coats and jackets	12/77	177.6	179.3	12.8	1.0	-2.2	5.3	2.6
Dresses	12/77	175.6	186.9	13.5	7.6	.3	6.3	7.2
Separates and sportswear	12/77	112.7	118.0	10.5	4.7	-.1	3.4	4.5
Underwear, nightwear, hosiery, and accessories	12/77	140.6	142.5	.8	1.4	-.5	-.2	1.4
Suits	12/77	101.7	97.5	2.8	-4.1	2.3	-8.1	-.4
Girls'	12/77	117.1	117.2	7.6	.1	2.6	.8	-.2
Infants' and toddlers' ¹		337.3	336.3	1.5	-.3	1.0	4.7	-.3
Other apparel commodities ¹		214.1	213.9	4.8	-.1	1.0	.9	-.1
Sewing materials, notions, and luggage ¹	12/86	99.5	100.1	-	.6	-.9	.0	.6
Watches and jewelry ¹	12/86	103.8	103.5	-	-.3	1.4	1.2	-.3
Watches ¹	12/86	101.9	101.6	-	-.3	2.3	-.7	-.3
Jewelry ¹	12/86	104.3	104.1	-	-.2	1.1	1.7	-.2
Footwear		217.7	220.0	3.7	1.1	.5	2.0	.6
Men's	12/77	150.2	150.0	4.4	-.1	1.8	-.1	-.6
Boys' and girls' ¹	12/77	139.1	139.9	1.9	.6	-.6	2.1	.8
Women's	12/77	122.3	125.1	4.1	2.3	.7	2.7	1.5
Apparel services		341.8	341.6	3.5	-.1	.0	.3	-.1
Laundry and dry cleaning other than coin operated	12/77	203.6	204.3	4.1	.3	-.2	.7	.3
Other apparel services ¹	12/77	181.1	180.4	2.8	-.4	.3	.2	-.4

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Table 9. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers: 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 Apr. 1987 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Mar. 1967	Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986	Mar. 1987	Jan. to Feb.	Feb. to Mar.	Mar. to Apr.
Transportation		310.8	313.9	3.4	1.0	0.6	0.7	0.6
Private		304.2	307.4	3.4	1.1	.6	.8	.7
New vehicles		228.2	229.0	4.0	.4	-.9	.1	.4
New cars		228.5	229.5	4.1	.4	-1.0	.0	.5
Subcompact new cars ¹	12/86	98.3	98.8	-	.5	-1.2	-.6	.5
Compact new cars ¹	12/86	97.4	98.2	-	.8	-2.0	-.9	.8
Intermediate new cars ¹	12/86	99.1	99.3	-	.2	-1.3	.1	.2
Full-size new cars ¹	12/86	100.2	100.4	-	.2	-.2	.1	.2
Luxury new cars ¹	12/86	100.2	100.6	-	.4	-.1	.1	.4
New trucks ¹	12/83	112.0	111.9	2.8	-.1	-.6	-.2	-.1
New motorcycles ¹	12/86	101.4	101.5	-	.1	.8	.2	.1
Used cars		363.1	371.7	1.9	2.4	1.0	2.2	2.1
Motor fuel		291.3	298.7	6.6	2.5	4.0	2.1	.9
Gasoline		290.7	298.3	6.9	2.6	4.1	2.1	.9
Gasoline, leaded regular	1/76	162.4	166.9	9.7	2.8	4.3	2.5	.9
Gasoline, unleaded regular	1/76	165.5	170.0	7.1	2.7	4.1	2.1	.9
Gasoline, unleaded premium ¹	8/81	75.9	77.5	2.6	2.1	3.8	.4	2.1
Automobile maintenance and repair ¹		374.9	377.9	4.3	.8	.5	-.1	.8
Body work ¹	12/77	192.3	192.7	5.1	.2	.7	1.2	.2
Automobile drive train, brake, and miscellaneous mechanical repair ¹	12/77	187.9	189.3	3.5	.7	.3	-.2	.7
Maintenance and servicing ¹	12/77	167.9	170.0	6.0	1.3	.5	.3	1.3
Power plant repair ¹	12/77	178.0	179.0	2.9	.6	.6	-.8	.6
Other private transportation ¹		311.7	312.1	3.9	.1	-.4	.1	.1
Other private transportation commodities ¹		204.3	202.6	-1.0	-.6	-.1	.1	-.8
Motor oil, coolant, and other products ¹	12/77	151.2	154.1	-.9	1.9	-1.2	-1.9	1.9
Automobile parts and equipment ¹	12/77	128.8	127.3	-1.1	-1.2	-.1	.4	-1.2
Tires ¹		175.3	172.2	-1.2	-1.8	.8	.5	-1.8
Other parts and equipment ¹	12/77	135.8	135.1	.0	-.5	-.7	.2	-.5
Other private transportation services ¹		342.9	344.1	4.7	.3	-.4	.1	.3
Automobile insurance ¹		431.5	434.2	9.2	.6	.3	.6	.6
Automobile finance charges ¹	12/77	140.7	140.4	-6.7	-.2	-2.5	-1.1	-.2
Automobile fees ¹	12/77	174.8	175.4	5.3	.3	.2	-.4	.3
Automobile registration, licensing, and inspection fees ¹	12/77	158.5	158.5	2.9	.0	.1	-.7	.0
Other automobile-related fees ¹	12/77	208.2	209.8	8.7	.8	.3	.0	.8
Public transportation ¹		428.7	428.9	3.8	.0	.1	.4	.0
Airline fares ¹		507.7	508.1	8.2	-.3	.1	.6	-.3
Other intercity transportation ¹	12/77	220.5	220.4	.1	.0	-.4	-.2	.0
Intracity public transportation ¹	12/77	211.2	212.5	2.9	.6	.3	.1	.6
Medical care		452.3	454.9	6.9	.6	.3	.5	.6
Medical care commodities		285.1	286.2	5.7	.4	.4	.5	.1
Prescription drugs		295.8	297.7	7.7	.6	.2	.5	.3
Nonprescription drugs and medical supplies ¹	12/66	101.5	101.5	-	.0	.4	.7	.0
Internal and respiratory over-the-counter drugs ¹		307.4	306.5	3.5	-.3	.7	.9	-.3
Nonprescription medical equipment and supplies ¹	12/77	178.0	179.4	3.1	.8	-.8	.3	.8
Medical care services		489.2	492.1	7.1	.6	.3	.5	.8
Professional medical services		410.2	413.3	6.7	.8	.5	.6	.8
Physicians' services		455.6	458.4	7.4	.6	.2	.4	.7
Dental services ¹		381.7	385.2	6.7	.9	1.1	.8	.9
Eye care ¹	12/86	102.0	103.0	-	1.0	1.0	.6	1.0
Services by other medical professionals ¹	12/86	101.4	101.7	-	.3	.4	.7	.3
Hospital and related services	12/77	245.4	246.5	6.7	.4	.2	.6	.9
Hospital rooms		776.0	778.8	6.8	.4	.3	.7	.8
Other inpatient services ¹	12/86	101.4	102.1	-	.7	.3	.3	.7
Outpatient services ¹	12/86	101.6	101.8	-	.2	.4	.5	.2

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

(1967=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Other index base	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Apr. 1987 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986	Mar. 1987	Jan. to Feb.	Feb. to Mar.	Mar. to Apr.
Entertainment		274.4	276.0	3.4	0.6	0.1	0.4	0.6
Entertainment commodities		263.7	264.7	2.4	.4	-.1	.6	.3
Reading materials ¹	12/77	186.2	187.3	3.7	.6	.2	.4	.6
Newspapers ¹		350.5	352.6	3.7	.6	.3	.4	.6
Magazines, periodicals, and books ¹	12/77	197.2	198.4	3.6	.6	.1	.4	.6
Sporting goods and equipment	12/77	134.7	134.6	.5	-.1	.5	.7	.0
Sport vehicles, including bicycles ¹	12/77	138.5	138.5	.4	.0	.6	.9	.0
Other sporting goods ¹	12/77	125.3	125.2	1.8	-.1	.2	.2	-.1
Toys, hobbies, and other entertainment	12/77	147.4	148.1	2.7	.5	-.4	.6	.3
Toys, hobbies, and music equipment	12/77	138.5	139.0	2.1	.4	-1.6	.9	.4
Photographic supplies and equipment	12/77	150.1	152.0	7.4	1.3	1.5	.4	1.3
Pet supplies and expense ¹	12/77	162.9	163.3	2.0	.2	.1	-.1	.2
Entertainment services ¹		294.2	296.6	4.8	.8	.4	.1	.8
Club memberships ¹	12/86	101.1	101.1	-	.0	.5	.3	.0
Fees for participant sports, excluding club memberships ¹	12/86	102.1	103.4	-	1.3	.4	1.1	1.3
Admissions ¹	12/77	172.7	174.8	5.2	1.2	.3	-.1	1.2
Fees for lessons or instructions ¹	12/86	100.4	100.6	-	.2	.1	.0	.2
Other entertainment services ¹	12/86	100.5	101.2	-	.7	.5	-.2	.7
Other goods and services		355.1	356.0	5.5	.3	.7	.4	.4
Tobacco and smoking products ¹		369.2	370.0	6.9	.2	.9	.3	.2
Personal care ¹		293.9	294.7	2.3	.3	.3	-.1	.3
Toilet goods and personal care appliances ¹		292.7	293.6	1.8	.3	.4	-.2	.3
Cosmetics, bath and nail preparations, manicure and eye makeup implements ¹	12/77	167.9	168.0	1.9	.1	.5	-.2	.1
Other toilet goods and small personal care appliances, including hair and dental products ¹	12/77	170.7	171.5	1.7	.5	.4	-.2	.5
Personal care services ¹		295.5	296.2	2.7	.2	.2	.0	.2
Beauty parlor services for females ¹		296.0	296.6	2.6	.2	.1	-.1	.2
Haircuts and other barber shop services for males ¹	12/77	166.8	167.3	3.0	.3	.5	.5	.3
Personal and educational expenses		454.3	455.5	8.1	.3	.8	.6	.7
School books and supplies		409.6	410.1	8.2	.1	.5	.7	.7
Personal and educational services		466.6	467.8	8.3	.3	.8	.7	.7
Tuition and other school fees	12/77	237.0	237.4	8.1	.2	.8	.6	.9
College tuition	12/77	236.0	236.4	7.5	.2	.6	.7	.8
Elementary and high school tuition	12/77	238.0	238.0	8.7	.0	.8	.6	.7
Personal expenses ¹	12/77	245.0	246.1	8.2	.4	.8	.3	.4
Legal service fees ¹	12/86	102.1	102.4	-	.3	.8	.2	.3
Personal financial services ¹	12/86	100.6	100.6	-	.0	.4	.3	.0
Funeral expenses ¹	12/86	101.6	102.6	-	1.0	1.2	.3	1.0
Special Indexes								
Domestically produced farm food		297.4	298.8	6.0	.5	-.2	.1	.8
Selected beef cuts ¹		264.9	288.1	7.8	1.1	-.8	.8	1.1
Motor fuel, motor oil, coolant, and other products		289.1	296.5	6.5	2.6	3.8	2.1	.9
Utilities and public transportation		365.6	365.0	-.3	-.2	.4	.1	-.1
Housekeeping and home maintenance services ¹		407.2	408.2	2.0	.2	.2	.1	.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					
		Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987	3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
				July 1986	Oct. 1986	Jan. 1987	Apr. 1987	Oct. 1986	Apr. 1987
Food and beverages		320.3	321.1	6.5	6.0	4.4	1.4	6.3	2.9
Food		328.5	329.2	6.8	6.4	4.3	1.3	6.6	2.8
Food at home		312.0	313.1	8.0	7.6	3.7	1.0	7.8	2.3
Cereals and bakery products ¹		331.6	334.1	4.7	2.7	4.0	5.1	3.7	4.5
Cereals and cereal products	12/77	177.2	178.7	2.1	3.9	1.6	3.7	3.0	2.6
Flour and prepared flour mixes	12/77	151.4	152.0	.8	-.3	.5	-.8	.3	-.1
Cereal ¹	12/77	217.3	219.7	4.0	7.5	4.4	11.9	5.7	8.1
Rice, pasta, and cornmeal ¹	12/77	148.9	149.1	-1.3	-6.6	1.3	-4.9	-4.0	-1.9
Bakery products ¹	12/77	174.7	176.1	5.1	3.6	4.5	5.2	4.3	4.8
White bread ¹		272.7	274.1	3.0	1.3	3.6	3.6	2.2	3.6
Fresh other bread, biscuits, rolls, and muffins ¹	12/77	165.9	170.0	3.0	7.9	7.2	4.1	5.4	5.6
Cookies, fresh cakes, and cupcakes ¹	12/77	183.6	184.2	7.3	5.1	3.8	6.8	6.2	5.3
Other bakery products ¹	12/77	183.1	183.5	8.8	1.6	4.1	5.2	4.1	4.6
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs		283.0	284.2	20.5	17.3	-1.0	-1.4	18.9	-1.2
Meats, poultry, and fish		292.5	294.1	21.1	16.3	-.8	.4	19.7	-.2
Meats		284.0	286.5	17.9	21.2	-.6	1.1	19.5	.3
Beef and veal		279.4	283.3	8.9	15.9	3.0	2.6	12.3	2.8
Ground beef other than canned		254.7	256.5	4.5	15.1	4.8	-1.8	9.7	1.4
Chuck roast		289.2	291.5	20.7	13.2	-4.5	13.8	16.9	4.2
Round roast		238.0	241.4	10.1	17.5	11.1	-8.3	13.8	.9
Round steak		252.5	260.4	4.6	15.4	-4.0	6.2	9.9	1.0
Sirloin steak		290.4	298.7	9.7	7.8	-1.5	16.4	8.8	7.0
Other beef and veal	12/77	176.4	178.8	15.6	6.2	4.0	5.8	10.9	4.9
Pork		286.4	289.1	40.2	33.1	-10.7	.6	36.6	-5.2
Bacon		310.5	313.0	33.8	30.1	-11.3	2.2	31.8	-4.8
Chops		271.9	279.5	54.4	11.5	-.9	11.3	31.2	5.0
Ham	12/77	131.1	130.0	26.6	42.5	-4.9	-11.2	34.3	-8.1
Other pork, including sausage ¹	12/77	157.5	156.1	48.9	23.1	-3.9	-5.9	35.4	-4.9
Other meats ¹		289.4	288.0	9.9	15.1	9.1	-1.5	12.5	3.6
Poultry ¹		231.0	228.0	54.2	12.7	-14.9	-11.6	31.8	-13.4
Fresh whole chicken ¹		233.4	228.7	89.9	10.4	-17.1	-19.6	44.8	-18.5
Fresh and frozen chicken parts ¹	12/77	154.8	154.0	61.1	7.3	-10.1	-5.3	31.5	-7.7
Other poultry ¹	12/77	140.9	138.1	4.1	24.2	-13.6	-12.3	13.7	-12.9
Fish and seafood		479.3	484.9	16.2	4.4	14.6	14.7	10.2	14.7
Canned fish and seafood ¹	12/77	137.1	137.4	-.9	4.2	6.0	.3	1.6	3.1
Fresh and frozen fish and seafood	12/77	209.4	212.3	25.6	4.6	12.2	23.5	14.6	17.7
Eggs		174.1	169.7	4.6	3.7	-4.6	-30.3	4.2	-16.4
Dairy products ¹		262.4	262.0	2.4	2.5	5.4	.0	2.4	2.6
Fresh milk and cream	12/77	140.5	140.2	3.5	1.7	3.2	.9	2.6	2.0
Fresh whole milk		228.3	228.6	3.3	1.8	2.5	.7	2.5	1.6
Other fresh milk and cream	12/77	142.4	141.2	3.5	2.9	4.1	.3	3.2	2.2
Processed dairy products ¹	12/77	159.8	159.8	2.3	3.4	5.4	-.2	2.8	2.6
Cheese ¹	12/77	154.4	154.4	1.6	.8	4.3	2.1	1.2	3.2
Ice cream and related products ¹	12/77	167.9	168.8	1.2	5.0	10.3	-1.6	3.1	4.2
Other dairy products, including butter ¹	12/77	162.0	161.0	4.4	6.4	3.0	-3.9	5.4	-.5

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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					
		Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987	3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
				July 1986	Oct. 1986	Jan. 1987	Apr. 1987	Oct. 1986	Apr. 1987
Fruits and vegetables		342.2	346.4	4.6	9.0	10.7	11.0	6.8	10.9
Fresh fruits and vegetables		367.8	375.6	6.5	19.1	12.8	12.7	12.6	12.8
Fresh fruits		394.3	401.2	-4.3	7.8	51.2	2.0	1.6	24.2
Apples		404.0	399.1	38.9	-17.7	12.5	19.1	6.9	15.8
Bananas		262.2	241.4	-20.4	22.3	4.6	-44.9	-1.4	-24.1
Oranges, including tangerines		432.2	415.1	-27.5	22.1	108.7	-15.4	-5.9	32.9
Other fresh fruits	12/77	212.7	222.8	-2.1	10.2	50.2	19.7	3.8	34.1
Fresh vegetables		339.7	352.9	19.4	27.4	-11.4	20.1	23.3	3.1
Potatoes		361.8	372.1	45.9	86.9	10.0	24.3	65.1	16.9
Lettuce ¹		371.4	371.6	-68.2	54.0	58.4	-2.4	-30.0	24.3
Tomatoes ¹		281.9	308.1	-27.8	58.4	-3.1	29.5	6.9	12.0
Other fresh vegetables	12/77	189.0	203.0	36.0	19.6	-13.2	14.4	27.5	-4
Processed fruits and vegetables		314.9	314.4	-1.9	.0	9.9	2.6	-1.0	6.2
Processed fruits	12/77	166.5	167.2	-3.6	2.0	11.0	2.2	-9	6.5
Fruit juices and frozen fruit	12/77	165.4	186.3	-6.0	2.3	13.9	1.2	-2.0	7.4
Canned and dried fruits ¹	12/77	168.2	168.1	3.7	.7	.7	5.2	2.2	2.9
Processed vegetables ¹	12/77	150.8	149.3	2.5	-5.6	11.5	.8	-1.6	6.0
Frozen vegetables ¹	12/77	168.3	166.8	2.2	-2.2	6.2	.0	.0	3.1
Other processed vegetables ¹	12/77	145.4	144.0	2.3	-6.9	14.2	1.1	-2.4	7.5
Other food at home		376.9	375.8	.8	.8	4.9	-3.4	.8	.6
Sugar and sweets ¹		416.5	416.5	1.0	.9	2.1	1.6	.9	1.8
Sugar and artificial sweeteners ¹	12/77	172.5	171.1	-2.3	-3.0	5.3	-4.1	-2.8	.5
Sweets, including candy	12/77	174.2	174.3	1.9	4.3	1.6	1.4	3.1	1.5
Fats and oils ¹		293.9	291.3	-1.7	-3.4	12.5	-1.8	-2.6	5.1
Nonalcoholic beverages		470.3	464.8	-5	-5	3.0	-14.0	-5	-5.9
Carbonated drinks	12/77	157.9	158.1	-5	1.3	12.2	-6.9	.4	2.2
Coffee ¹		448.9	438.3	-11.2	-21.1	-3.1	-27.4	-16.3	-16.1
Other noncarbonated drinks	12/77	158.1	160.1	4.2	1.3	1.3	8.5	2.7	3.9
Other prepared food		312.3	313.9	3.1	3.6	5.9	4.7	3.4	5.3
Canned and packaged soup	12/77	162.9	164.0	7.6	3.3	1.8	7.9	5.5	4.8
Frozen prepared food ¹	12/77	175.0	178.1	1.4	4.6	8.7	8.0	3.0	8.3
Snacks ¹	12/77	184.7	184.6	2.0	6.7	.9	7.2	4.3	4.0
Seasonings, condiments, sauces, and spices	12/77	176.2	176.7	1.9	4.0	6.4	3.2	3.0	4.8
Miscellaneous prepared food, including baby food ¹	12/77	165.4	166.3	-2	2.8	5.6	8.8	1.3	8.2
Food away from home		374.3	374.4	4.4	4.2	5.3	2.1	4.3	3.7
Lunch	12/77	180.5	180.8	4.2	3.9	4.6	3.6	4.1	4.1
Dinner	12/77	180.2	180.5	3.5	3.9	5.8	2.0	3.7	3.9
Other meals and snacks	12/77	184.4	184.1	7.2	3.6	5.4	1.1	5.4	3.2
Alcoholic beverages		246.1	246.7	3.0	-.7	4.7	1.3	1.2	3.0
Alcoholic beverages at home	12/77	155.8	155.8	1.6	-1.3	5.0	.3	.1	2.8
Beer and ale		241.9	241.1	.8	.5	6.0	-3.3	.7	1.3
Wine ¹		254.7	256.3	1.9	-1.7	2.4	9.6	.1	5.9
Distilled spirits ¹	12/77	142.7	143.1	.3	.6	1.7	1.1	.4	1.4
Alcoholic beverages away from home ¹	12/77	180.7	181.5	7.6	2.7	4.1	2.9	5.1	3.5

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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					
		Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987	3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
				July 1986	Oct. 1986	Jan. 1987	Apr. 1987	Oct. 1986	Apr. 1987
Housing		359.6	360.4	1.3	1.7	2.5	4.1	1.5	3.3
Shelter		403.7	405.0	2.9	5.1	3.7	5.6	4.0	4.6
Renters' costs	12/84	113.5	113.7	4.5	4.1	5.1	4.7	4.3	4.9
Rent, residential		267.9	268.1	4.1	4.1	4.5	2.8	4.1	3.6
Other renters' costs		444.4	447.7	5.2	4.8	9.4	16.4	5.0	12.9
Lodging while out of town		463.4	464.3	4.4	4.5	7.6	13.5	4.4	10.5
Lodging while at school ¹	12/82	130.1	130.3	.3	30.0	2.5	.6	14.2	1.6
Tenants' insurance ¹	12/77	183.5	183.8	5.5	2.9	4.3	3.1	4.2	3.7
Homeowners' costs	12/84	112.3	112.8	2.2	5.6	2.9	6.3	3.9	4.6
Owners' equivalent rent	12/84	112.3	112.8	2.2	5.6	2.9	6.3	3.9	4.6
Household insurance ¹	12/84	112.4	112.5	6.0	2.6	4.0	2.2	4.3	3.1
Maintenance and repairs ¹		378.5	378.0	2.3	7.2	4.6	.7	4.7	2.6
Maintenance and repair services ¹		436.8	435.7	5.8	5.7	3.2	1.1	5.8	2.1
Maintenance and repair commodities ¹		267.9	267.9	-6	8.4	5.1	.4	3.8	2.7
Materials, supplies, and equipment for home repairs ¹	12/86	99.9	99.1	-	-	-	-6.2	-	-
Other maintenance and repair commodities ¹	12/77	147.5	148.5	-3	-1.3	-3.5	6.2	-8	1.2
Fuel and other utilities		377.8	378.1	-4.6	-6.8	-1.2	2.1	-5.7	.5
Fuels		446.6	446.2	-8.9	-10.5	.2	1.2	-9.7	.7
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities		501.4	512.9	-38.1	-15.9	22.6	33.8	-27.9	28.1
Fuel oil		499.7	513.7	-43.5	-17.3	36.4	42.3	-31.6	39.3
Other household fuel commodities ¹	12/86	101.9	101.9	-	-	-	4.0	-	-
Gas (piped) and electricity		433.3	431.9	-6	-9.4	-1.0	-1.4	-5.1	-1.2
Electricity		364.4	363.7	8.3	-14.8	4.3	.3	-4.8	2.3
Utility (piped) gas		526.5	523.5	-9.8	-9	-7.8	-4.7	-5.4	-6.2
Other utilities and public services ¹		257.1	257.8	6.8	2.4	-3.4	3.5	4.6	.0
Telephone services ¹		203.5	204.1	7.5	.8	-7.7	.6	4.1	-3.6
Local charges ¹	12/77	196.7	199.7	24.9	1.4	.2	1.4	12.5	.8
Interstate toll calls ¹	12/77	92.7	92.6	-32.0	-1.2	-30.7	-4	-16.0	-16.9
Intrastate toll calls ¹	12/77	124.2	124.2	-3	.0	1.0	-2.5	-2	-8
Water and sewerage maintenance ¹		437.9	440.9	6.4	4.6	3.9	5.7	5.5	4.8
Cable television ¹	12/83	121.9	121.5	.0	5.7	5.3	12.8	2.8	9.0
Refuse collection ¹	12/83	127.3	128.1	5.9	11.2	10.6	10.3	8.6	10.4
Household furnishings and operation		249.6	249.7	2.8	1.3	3.1	.5	2.1	1.8
Housefurnishings		200.3	200.2	3.7	.8	3.5	-1.2	2.2	1.1
Textile housefurnishings		250.3	255.8	3.1	1.8	2.9	8.9	2.5	5.9
Furniture and bedding		233.7	233.7	8.5	.2	2.8	.7	4.3	1.7
Bedroom furniture ¹	12/77	164.6	187.0	3.9	8.9	-7.5	.0	6.4	-3.8
Sofas	12/77	128.6	130.6	7.3	6.9	6.8	3.1	7.1	4.9
Living room chairs and tables ¹	12/77	134.5	134.1	3.1	-4.7	-3.6	11.5	-9	3.7
Other furniture	12/77	144.5	144.3	11.5	-6.9	9.5	5.4	1.9	7.5
Appliances, including electronic equipment ¹		141.1	140.5	-4.7	-1.7	4.4	-2.8	-3.2	.7
Television and sound equipment ¹	12/77	91.8	91.1	-8.7	-9	8.6	-7.1	-4.9	.4
Television ¹		79.3	79.4	-6.8	-6.7	7.2	-10.8	-7.7	-2.2
Sound equipment ¹	12/77	104.4	102.6	-9.4	3.7	12.0	-3.4	-3.1	4.0
Major household appliances ¹	12/86	101.4	101.2	-	-	-	4.1	-	-
Refrigerators and home freezers ¹		198.0	198.2	-2.6	-4	-8	1.0	-1.5	.2
Laundry equipment ¹	12/77	150.8	151.2	-3.2	7.7	-8.4	7.8	2.1	-7
Stoves, ovens, dishwashers, and air conditioners ¹	12/86	101.9	101.2	-	-	-	2.8	-	-

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

(1967=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Other index base	Seasonally adjusted indexes		Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for					
		Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987	3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
				July 1986	Oct. 1986	Jan. 1987	Apr. 1987	Oct. 1986	Apr. 1987
Other housefurnishings ¹	12/86	100.6	100.9	-	-	-	2.0	-	-
Floor and window coverings, infants', laundry, cleaning, and outdoor equipment ¹	12/77	144.3	146.1	1.9	0.3	0.3	1.1	1.1	0.7
Clocks, lamps, and decor items ¹	12/77	131.6	132.4	4.3	-3	-12.3	11.7	2.0	-1.0
Tableware, serving pieces, and nonelectric kitchenware ¹	12/77	152.1	152.1	.8	.3	13.4	.0	.5	6.5
Lawn equipment, power tools, and other hardware ¹	12/77	140.2	139.8	-4.5	8.0	-1.4	-3.4	1.6	-2.4
Sewing, floor cleaning, small kitchen, and portable heating appliances ¹	12/86	101.7	101.7	-	-	-	.0	-	-
Housekeeping supplies		324.8	325.1	2.3	1.6	2.9	5.2	2.0	4.1
Laundry and cleaning products, including soap ¹	12/77	171.7	171.6	-1.2	1.2	5.6	6.5	.0	6.1
Household paper products and stationery supplies ¹	12/77	158.8	158.7	4.7	2.6	1.5	.8	3.6	1.1
Other household, lawn, and garden supplies	12/77	158.8	159.6	3.7	2.3	4.4	4.6	3.0	4.5
Housekeeping services ¹		352.3	353.3	1.5	2.0	1.3	2.4	1.7	1.8
Postage ¹		372.7	372.7	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0
Appliance and furniture repair ¹	12/77	182.8	183.8	2.5	2.8	1.7	4.3	2.7	3.0
Gardening and other household services ¹	12/86	101.4	102.4	-	-	-	7.8	-	-
Apparel and upkeep		213.6	216.9	-2	4.6	2.5	16.0	2.2	9.1
Apparel commodities		198.2	201.6	-1.0	4.7	2.1	17.8	1.8	9.7
Apparel commodities less footwear		194.6	198.3	-1.1	4.6	3.0	18.4	1.7	10.4
Men's and boys'		203.1	204.3	-2	1.6	.4	8.4	.7	4.3
Men's	12/77	130.3	131.4	.3	1.0	1.0	15.3	.6	7.9
Suits, sport coats, coats, and jackets	12/77	114.3	115.8	-6.1	8.4	5.2	15.9	.9	10.4
Furnishings and special clothing ¹	12/77	148.5	151.8	-2.6	11.5	-8.9	7.2	4.2	-1.2
Shirts	12/77	144.3	145.2	.0	5.7	3.5	21.9	2.8	12.3
Dungarees, jeans, and trousers	12/77	126.5	126.6	-.8	-1.3	.0	13.3	-1.0	6.5
Boys'	12/77	123.3	123.6	-3.1	1.3	.0	-9.1	-9	-4.7
Women's and girls'		177.7	183.7	-2.8	7.6	6.5	26.5	2.3	16.1
Women's	12/77	118.3	122.9	-7	4.3	7.2	27.8	1.8	17.0
Coats and jackets		176.2	180.8	-7.3	10.0	27.6	24.7	1.0	26.1
Dresses		174.4	187.0	-11.8	15.6	-5.2	71.1	1.1	27.4
Separates and sportswear	12/77	112.7	117.8	-8.2	7.0	9.3	35.9	.2	21.9
Underwear, nightwear, hosiery, and accessories	12/77	140.2	142.1	-2.5	2.6	.6	2.6	.0	1.6
Suits	12/77	97.9	97.5	11.0	4.2	25.8	-23.0	7.5	-1.6
Girls'	12/77	117.6	117.4	-2.2	11.9	7.7	13.7	4.6	10.7
Infants' and toddlers' ¹		337.3	336.3	-8.9	7.0	-11.7	23.4	-1.3	4.4
Other apparel commodities ¹		214.1	213.9	4.8	2.7	4.3	7.4	3.8	5.9
Sewing materials, notions, and luggage ¹	12/86	99.5	100.1	-	-	-	-1.2	-	-
Watches and jewelry ¹	12/86	103.8	103.5	-	-	-	9.4	-	-
Watches ¹	12/86	101.9	101.6	-	-	-	5.3	-	-
Jewelry ¹	12/86	104.3	104.1	-	-	-	10.6	-	-
Footwear		218.0	219.4	-1.3	6.0	-2.4	13.4	2.3	5.2
Men's	12/77	150.5	149.6	-.8	6.0	8.5	4.4	2.5	6.4
Boys' and girls' ¹	12/77	139.1	139.9	-2.6	11.0	-8.0	8.4	4.0	-.1
Women's	12/77	122.3	124.1	.0	3.7	-6.8	21.1	1.9	6.2
Apparel services		341.2	340.9	3.6	3.8	5.6	.9	3.7	3.2
Laundry and dry cleaning other than coin operated	12/77	203.2	203.9	3.7	5.4	3.9	3.8	4.5	3.7
Other apparel services ¹	12/77	181.1	180.4	2.8	1.8	6.2	.4	2.3	3.3

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					
		Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987	3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
				July 1986	Oct. 1986	Jan. 1987	Apr. 1987	Oct. 1986	Apr. 1987
Transportation		312.0	314.0	-0.1	-2.6	8.0	8.3	-1.4	8.2
Private		305.5	307.6	-4	-2.8	8.1	8.6	-1.6	8.4
New vehicles		228.2	229.0	7.3	4.5	6.3	-1.9	5.9	2.1
New cars		228.5	229.7	7.3	5.1	6.5	-1.9	6.2	2.2
Subcompact new cars ¹	12/86	98.3	98.8	-	-	-	-5.1	-	-
Compact new cars ¹	12/86	97.4	98.2	-	-	-	-8.1	-	-
Intermediate new cars ¹	12/86	99.1	99.3	-	-	-	-3.9	-	-
Full-size new cars ¹	12/86	100.2	100.4	-	-	-	.4	-	-
Luxury new cars ¹	12/86	100.2	100.6	-	-	-	1.6	-	-
New trucks ¹	12/83	112.0	111.9	6.8	.0	8.2	-3.5	3.3	2.2
New motorcycles ¹	12/86	101.4	101.5	-	-	-	4.5	-	-
Used cars		366.4	374.0	-5.8	-3.0	-4.5	23.6	-4.4	8.7
Motor fuel		297.2	299.9	-5.3	-17.7	26.0	31.8	-11.7	28.9
Gasoline		296.9	299.5	-4.6	-17.9	26.0	32.2	-11.5	29.1
Gasoline, leaded regular	1/76	186.2	167.7	-2.6	-17.2	32.6	35.3	-10.2	33.9
Gasoline, unleaded regular	1/76	169.0	170.6	-3.5	-19.4	27.2	32.2	-11.8	29.7
Gasoline, unleaded premium ¹	8/81	75.9	77.5	-4.7	-20.2	15.0	27.0	-12.8	20.8
Automobile maintenance and repair ¹		374.9	377.9	3.1	2.4	6.9	4.9	2.8	5.9
Body work ¹	12/77	192.3	192.7	5.3	1.1	5.5	8.5	3.2	7.0
Automobile drive train, brake, and miscellaneous mechanical repair ¹	12/77	187.9	189.3	3.3	2.8	4.4	3.5	3.1	3.9
Maintenance and servicing ¹	12/77	167.9	170.0	3.8	3.0	8.9	8.4	3.4	8.6
Power plant repair ¹	12/77	178.0	179.0	1.2	2.1	7.0	1.6	1.6	4.3
Other private transportation ¹		311.7	312.1	2.7	3.8	10.1	-6	3.2	4.6
Other private transportation commodities ¹		204.3	202.6	-1.6	-5.2	6.5	-3.3	-3.4	1.5
Motor oil, coolant, and other products ¹	12/77	151.2	154.1	.5	-5.3	6.7	-5.0	-2.4	.7
Automobile parts and equipment ¹	12/77	128.8	127.3	-1.9	-5.2	6.5	-3.4	-3.5	1.4
Tires ¹		175.3	172.2	-2.3	-7.8	8.3	-2.3	-5.1	2.8
Other parts and equipment ¹	12/77	135.8	135.1	-9	1.2	3.9	-4.0	.1	-1
Other private transportation services ¹		342.9	344.1	3.3	5.2	10.7	.1	4.2	5.3
Automobile insurance ¹		431.5	434.2	10.1	12.8	7.5	6.2	11.5	6.9
Automobile finance charges ¹	12/77	140.7	140.4	-17.6	-14.5	25.0	-14.0	-16.0	3.7
Automobile fees ¹	12/77	174.8	175.4	9.4	5.3	6.4	.5	7.3	3.4
Automobile registration, licensing, and inspection fees ¹	12/77	158.5	158.5	5.8	3.6	4.9	-2.5	4.7	1.1
Other automobile-related fees ¹	12/77	208.2	209.8	15.1	8.0	7.5	4.5	11.5	6.0
Public transportation ¹		428.7	428.9	4.9	.9	7.7	2.1	2.9	4.8
Airline fares ¹		507.7	506.1	5.8	.3	18.1	1.5	3.0	9.5
Other intercity transportation ¹	12/77	220.5	220.4	3.9	-4	-5	-2.3	1.7	-1.4
Intracity public transportation ¹	12/77	211.2	212.5	4.3	1.3	1.9	4.1	2.8	3.0
Medical care		451.0	453.9	7.5	7.2	6.4	6.1	7.4	6.3
Medical care commodities		284.8	285.1	6.7	4.6	7.9	3.7	5.6	5.8
Prescription drugs		295.2	296.2	9.9	6.5	10.1	4.2	8.2	7.1
Nonprescription drugs and medical supplies ¹	12/86	101.5	101.5	-	-	-	4.5	-	-
Internal and respiratory over-the-counter drugs ¹		307.4	306.5	3.1	.7	5.2	5.3	1.9	5.2
Nonprescription medical equipment and supplies ¹	12/77	178.0	179.4	4.4	2.1	4.8	1.1	3.2	3.0
Medical care services		487.2	491.1	7.7	7.7	6.1	6.7	7.7	6.4
Professional medical services		409.0	412.4	6.1	6.8	5.9	7.9	6.5	6.9
Physicians' services		453.8	457.0	6.9	8.4	8.8	5.3	7.7	7.0
Dental services ¹		381.7	385.2	4.7	6.9	3.4	12.2	5.8	7.7
Eye care ¹	12/86	102.0	103.0	-	-	-	10.8	-	-
Services by other medical professionals ¹	12/86	101.4	101.7	-	-	-	5.7	-	-
Hospital and related services	12/77	244.4	248.5	6.9	7.3	6.0	6.8	7.1	6.4
Hospital rooms		772.9	778.8	5.5	6.3	7.8	7.6	5.9	7.7
Other inpatient services ¹	12/86	101.4	102.1	-	-	-	5.3	-	-
Outpatient services ¹	12/86	101.6	101.8	-	-	-	4.4	-	-

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					
		Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987	3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
				July 1986	Oct. 1986	Jan. 1987	Apr. 1987	Oct. 1986	Apr. 1987
Entertainment		274.3	275.9	3.5	3.2	2.7	4.5	3.3	3.6
Entertainment commodities		263.5	264.4	2.5	1.2	2.6	3.4	1.9	3.0
Reading materials ¹	12/77	186.2	187.3	2.9	3.8	3.3	4.8	3.3	4.1
Newspapers ¹		350.5	352.6	1.9	3.2	4.2	5.4	2.5	4.8
Magazines, periodicals, and books ¹	12/77	197.2	198.4	4.3	4.4	2.1	4.3	4.3	3.2
Sporting goods and equipment	12/77	134.4	134.4	1.2	-1.8	-1.5	4.6	-3	1.5
Sport vehicles, including bicycles ¹	12/77	138.5	138.5	-1.7	-3.2	.6	6.0	-2.4	3.3
Other sporting goods ¹	12/77	125.3	125.2	2.6	4.3	-1.0	1.3	3.4	.2
Toys, hobbies, and other entertainment	12/77	147.4	147.9	2.2	2.5	3.6	2.2	2.4	2.9
Toys, hobbies, and music equipment	12/77	138.3	138.9	.9	3.0	5.3	-9	1.9	2.2
Photographic supplies and equipment	12/77	149.7	151.6	5.2	3.7	7.7	13.4	4.4	10.5
Pet supplies and expense ¹	12/77	162.9	163.3	2.8	.7	3.5	1.0	1.8	2.2
Entertainment services ¹		294.2	296.6	5.0	6.0	2.8	5.4	5.5	4.1
Club memberships ¹	12/86	101.1	101.1	-	-	-	3.2	-	-
Fees for participant sports, excluding club memberships ¹	12/86	102.1	103.4	-	-	-	11.6	-	-
Admissions ¹	12/77	172.7	174.8	10.0	.5	4.5	5.9	5.1	5.2
Fees for lessons or instructions ¹	12/86	100.4	100.6	-	-	-	1.2	-	-
Other entertainment services ¹	12/86	100.5	101.2	-	-	-	4.1	-	-
Other goods and services		356.8	358.4	6.0	4.1	6.9	6.6	5.1	6.7
Tobacco and smoking products ¹		369.2	370.0	9.6	3.2	9.2	5.9	6.3	7.5
Personal care ¹		293.9	294.7	.8	2.8	3.3	2.1	1.8	2.7
Toilet goods and personal care appliances ¹		292.7	293.6	-8	3.8	2.1	2.2	1.5	2.1
Cosmetics, bath and nail preparations, manicure and eye makeup implements ¹	12/77	167.9	168.0	.0	5.2	1.2	1.2	2.8	1.2
Other toilet goods and small personal care appliances, including hair and dental products ¹	12/77	170.7	171.5	-1.2	3.1	2.4	2.6	1.0	2.5
Personal care services ¹		295.5	296.2	2.5	1.9	4.6	1.8	2.2	3.2
Beauty parlor services for females ¹		296.0	296.6	2.0	1.8	6.0	.7	1.9	3.3
Haircuts and other barber shop services for males ¹	12/77	166.8	167.3	3.5	2.2	1.0	5.4	2.9	3.2
Personal and educational expenses		455.8	458.9	8.6	8.7	9.1	8.9	7.8	9.0
School books and supplies		407.2	410.1	8.3	6.1	10.8	7.8	7.2	9.3
Personal and educational services		468.0	471.1	8.8	6.8	9.0	9.1	7.7	9.0
Tuition and other school fees	12/77	237.5	239.8	6.6	5.6	9.0	9.2	7.1	9.1
College tuition	12/77	236.7	238.5	8.2	4.3	9.0	8.5	6.2	8.8
Elementary and high school tuition	12/77	236.5	240.1	9.4	9.9	8.7	8.6	9.6	7.7
Personal expenses ¹	12/77	245.0	246.1	10.8	7.6	8.0	6.4	9.3	7.2
Legal service fees ¹	12/86	102.1	102.4	-	-	-	5.2	-	-
Personal financial services ¹	12/86	100.6	100.6	-	-	-	2.8	-	-
Funeral expenses ¹	12/86	101.6	102.6	-	-	-	10.4	-	-
Special indexes									
Domestically produced farm food		296.2	296.5	8.5	7.7	5.4	2.6	8.1	4.0
Selected beef cuts ¹		284.9	286.1	1.5	10.9	14.5	4.9	6.1	9.6
Motor fuel, motor oil, coolant, and other products		295.0	297.7	-5.3	-17.3	25.6	30.9	-11.5	28.2
Utilities and public transportation		369.7	369.4	1.7	-2.8	-1.7	1.5	-5	-1
Housekeeping and home maintenance services ¹		407.2	408.2	2.0	2.6	1.2	2.3	2.3	1.7

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 Apr. 1987 from—			Percent change to Mar. 1987 from—		
			Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986	Feb. 1987	Mar. 1987	Mar. 1986	Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987
U.S. city average	M		333.1	334.4	335.9	337.7	3.8	1.0	0.5	3.0	0.8	0.4
Region and area size ²												
Northeast urban	M	12/77	178.4	179.0	179.9	181.0	4.2	1.1	.6	-	.8	.5
Size A - More than 1,200,000	M	12/77	176.1	176.8	177.5	178.8	4.6	1.1	.7	-	.8	.4
Size B - 500,000 to 1,200,000	M	12/77	179.3	179.1	180.7	182.3	4.4	1.8	.9	-	.8	.9
Size C - 50,000 to 500,000	M	12/77	187.1	187.4	188.8	188.9	3.2	.8	.1	-	.9	.7
North Central urban	M	12/77	178.3	178.5	179.5	180.4	3.7	1.1	.5	-	.7	.6
Size A - More than 1,200,000	M	12/77	182.1	182.5	183.2	184.0	3.5	.8	.4	-	.6	.4
Size B - 360,000 to 1,200,000	M	12/77	177.2	177.2	177.8	179.5	4.3	1.3	1.0	-	.3	.3
Size C - 50,000 to 360,000	M	12/77	173.9	173.6	175.3	176.1	4.5	1.4	.5	-	.8	1.0
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	M	12/77	172.5	172.9	174.0	174.6	2.7	1.0	.3	-	.9	.6
South urban	M	12/77	178.7	179.5	180.2	180.9	3.3	.8	.4	-	.8	.4
Size A - More than 1,200,000	M	12/77	178.6	179.4	180.4	181.5	3.4	1.2	.6	-	1.0	.6
Size B - 450,000 to 1,200,000	M	12/77	180.8	181.7	182.3	183.0	3.4	.7	.4	-	.8	.3
Size C - 50,000 to 450,000	M	12/77	177.5	178.5	178.8	179.2	3.2	.4	.2	-	.7	.2
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	M	12/77	177.4	177.3	177.8	178.0	2.8	.4	.1	-	.2	.3
West urban	M	12/77	180.6	182.0	182.7	183.8	4.0	1.0	.6	-	1.2	.4
Size A - More than 1,250,000	M	12/77	183.6	185.3	186.1	187.2	4.2	1.0	.6	-	1.4	.4
Size B - 330,000 to 1,250,000	M	12/77	179.9	180.6	181.4	182.7	3.4	1.2	.7	-	.8	.4
Size C - 50,000 to 330,000	M	12/77	173.8	174.8	175.2	175.8	3.1	.6	.3	-	.8	.2
Size classes												
A	M	12/86	100.6	101.1	101.6	102.2	-	1.1	.6	-	1.0	.5
B	M	12/77	179.6	180.1	181.0	182.1	3.7	1.1	.6	-	.8	.5
C	M	12/77	177.7	178.2	179.1	179.6	3.6	.8	.3	-	.8	.5
D	M	12/77	176.1	176.4	176.9	177.4	2.7	.6	.3	-	.5	.3

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 Apr. 1987 from—			Percent change to Mar. 1987 from—		
			Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986	Feb. 1987	Mar. 1987	Mar. 1986	Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987
Selected local areas ³												
Chicago, Ill.-Northwestern Ind.	M	11/77	334.3	334.2	335.5	337.1	4.1	0.9	0.5	3.6	0.4	0.4
L.A.-Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif.	M		335.1	338.8	341.4	342.8	4.9	1.2	.4	4.0	1.9	.8
N.Y., N.Y.-Northeastern N.J.	M		331.6	333.2	334.7	337.0	4.9	1.1	.7	3.8	.9	.5
Philadelphia, Pa.-N.J.	M		327.7	329.0	329.4	333.8	5.0	1.5	1.3	3.2	.5	.1
San Francisco-Oakland, Calif.	M		345.8	348.8	349.6	353.0	4.0	1.2	1.0	-	1.1	.2
Baltimore, Md.	1		334.1	-	335.9	-	-	-	-	1.4	.5	-
Boston, Mass.	1		333.2	-	336.8	-	-	-	-	3.7	1.1	-
Cleveland, Ohio	1		352.9	-	356.8	-	-	-	-	-	1.1	-
Miami, Fla.	1		177.2	-	178.4	-	-	-	-	2.2	.7	-
St. Louis, Mo.-Ill.	1		326.7	-	328.8	-	-	-	-	3.0	.6	-
Washington, D.C.-Md.-Va.	1	335.7	-	338.0	-	-	-	-	2.7	.7	-	
Dallas-Fort Worth, Tex.	2	-	347.8	-	351.8	3.0	1.2	-	-	-	-	
Detroit, Mich.	2	-	327.6	-	330.5	3.7	.9	-	-	-	-	
Houston, Tex.	2	-	334.9	-	341.1	3.4	1.9	-	-	-	-	
Pittsburgh, Pa.	2	-	335.2	-	338.2	3.1	.9	-	-	-	-	

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)

Group	Northeast			North Central			South			West		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
	Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986	Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986	Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986	Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986	Mar. 1987
Expenditure category												
All items	181.0	4.2	0.6	180.4	3.7	0.5	180.9	3.3	0.4	183.8	4.0	0.6
Food and beverages	170.3	5.3	.3	162.7	4.4	.1	168.6	4.2	.2	171.2	4.1	.5
Food	170.8	5.4	.3	163.0	4.5	.1	169.1	4.4	.2	172.3	4.4	.5
Food at home	164.9	5.6	.4	158.9	5.0	.3	163.6	4.5	.2	168.1	5.5	.5
Cereals and bakery products	176.2	4.7	.7	177.6	4.4	1.1	173.6	2.2	.3	185.7	4.9	.8
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	163.2	8.7	-.4	156.1	8.3	-.3	157.1	7.4	-.2	161.1	8.7	.1
Dairy products	143.9	.8	.0	143.6	3.0	-.6	156.9	3.6	.3	152.7	2.6	-.4
Fruits and vegetables	192.6	10.1	2.9	176.9	9.7	2.2	187.8	8.1	1.5	191.3	10.1	2.6
Other food at home	155.5	1.1	-.2	151.9	-.1	-.5	157.5	.5	-.1	162.0	.1	-.3
Sugar and sweets	172.4	2.4	-.3	170.9	.6	.5	175.7	1.0	.2	179.4	2.3	-.2
Fats and oils	151.8	3.3	-1.7	147.1	1.1	.0	142.7	.1	-.3	156.3	.4	-2.1
Nonalcoholic beverages	142.6	-1.5	-.9	131.9	-5.0	-2.2	145.2	-2.8	-.5	143.1	-5.6	-1.2
Other prepared food	169.5	3.3	1.0	171.2	4.3	.6	172.6	4.5	.2	182.2	5.3	.7
Food away from home	185.5	5.3	.1	172.3	3.5	.1	181.9	4.2	.2	180.8	2.8	.3
Alcoholic beverages	162.2	3.2	.1	156.9	2.2	.1	160.4	1.1	.3	158.4	1.4	.8
Housing	189.9	3.2	.5	194.6	2.5	.3	186.7	1.6	.0	192.9	3.8	.7
Shelter	212.6	5.5	.6	216.7	4.7	.5	202.8	2.2	.1	207.4	5.2	.9
Renters' costs ²	132.9	7.4	.8	124.0	5.0	1.0	120.4	3.7	.4	129.4	4.4	.2
Rent, residential	184.5	4.9	.3	167.0	3.5	-.1	174.1	2.2	-.1	202.6	4.4	.3
Other renters' costs	240.3	14.3	2.1	228.7	6.7	3.4	240.2	9.0	1.5	218.1	3.6	-.6
Homeowners' costs ²	131.1	4.7	.5	119.6	4.7	.4	114.9	1.6	.1	128.9	5.6	1.3
Owners' equivalent rent ²	131.4	4.6	.5	119.5	4.7	.4	114.6	1.6	.0	128.8	5.5	1.3
Maintenance and repairs	178.8	4.9	-.6	166.6	3.3	.3	169.4	2.7	-.2	169.3	4.0	-.6
Maintenance and repair services	169.1	1.1	-.7	182.4	4.6	.2	173.7	4.5	-.6	182.5	3.8	-.8
Maintenance and repair commodities	155.9	11.7	-.3	145.8	1.7	.4	153.4	.0	.3	149.6	5.0	-.1
Fuel and other utilities	172.2	-4.0	-.3	185.2	-1.4	-.3	177.2	-1.1	-.2	193.4	-.7	.3
Fuels ³	169.7	-5.5	-.5	172.5	-4.2	-.5	175.3	-3.1	-1.2	207.0	-.7	.2
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities ³	171.5	-3.9	.0	157.8	-6.2	-.1	171.1	-4.7	.2	172.3	1.2	-.9
Fuel oil ³	171.2	-3.6	-.2	164.5	-3.2	.9	158.5	-3.2	.1	172.3	7.2	.0
Other household fuel commodities ⁴	103.0	-	1.0	97.9	-	-1.3	103.7	-	.4	101.0	-	-1.3
Gas (piped) and electricity ³	172.1	-4.5	-.6	175.8	-3.5	-.5	176.4	-2.6	-1.3	212.1	-.7	.2
Electricity ³	166.1	-1.8	-.8	157.5	-1.3	-.8	168.9	-2.1	-1.2	195.7	1.1	.2
Utility (piped) gas ³	181.5	-8.7	-.1	198.8	-5.6	-.2	194.9	-4.5	-2.2	240.4	-3.3	.2
Other utilities and public services	163.3	2.3	-.1	173.2	3.7	-.2	158.7	3.0	.9	166.8	-.2	.4
Household furnishings and operation	150.2	3.1	.9	147.7	1.1	.3	149.6	2.5	.1	149.5	2.6	.3
Household furnishings	137.6	3.1	1.5	133.4	-.1	-.1	138.8	3.4	.1	135.6	2.8	.3
Housekeeping supplies	159.3	3.5	.0	170.9	3.2	.5	161.0	1.7	-.2	172.8	3.7	.1
Housekeeping services	170.4	2.3	.1	163.7	1.7	.9	164.3	2.2	.2	163.0	1.4	.2
Apparel and upkeep	139.7	7.5	2.5	132.4	3.7	1.6	142.6	5.9	1.9	137.9	4.6	.1
Apparel commodities	131.1	8.0	2.7	126.3	3.9	1.8	133.9	5.8	2.1	130.3	4.7	.2
Men's and boys' apparel	129.7	5.6	2.4	120.4	1.4	-.2	139.8	3.3	1.7	131.7	.9	.1
Women's and girls' apparel	120.9	11.4	3.4	119.2	6.2	3.5	126.6	9.4	3.7	116.4	5.9	.7
Infants' and toddlers' apparel	147.8	3.8	-.2	162.3	3.6	.7	127.7	-1.1	-.1	158.0	-1.6	-1.4
Footwear	140.7	5.2	1.7	128.5	.3	1.6	136.5	4.4	.6	145.0	4.5	1.3
Other apparel commodities	152.0	5.9	2.8	157.5	5.3	-.1	136.7	2.2	-.1	143.8	9.8	-2.2
Apparel services	199.7	3.7	.0	182.4	2.2	.1	204.8	5.0	.1	197.6	3.1	-.3

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—		
		Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986		Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987		Apr. 1986	Mar. 1987		Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986	Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986	Mar. 1987
Expenditure category													
Transportation	173.9	3.0	0.9	172.2	4.0	1.1	175.0	3.1	0.7	180.6	2.8	0.7	
Private transportation	168.8	2.9	1.1	168.0	3.9	1.1	171.8	3.0	.8	177.1	2.7	.8	
New vehicles	154.8	4.4	.5	154.5	3.8	.5	154.2	4.2	.3	145.0	3.9	.1	
New cars	154.7	4.4	.5	154.2	3.5	.5	154.9	4.4	.5	146.4	4.3	.1	
Used cars	218.0	1.9	2.4	217.6	1.8	2.3	217.7	1.9	2.4	217.6	1.9	2.4	
Motor fuel ³	150.3	3.2	2.0	153.9	11.6	4.0	154.4	7.4	2.2	151.3	1.4	1.5	
Gasoline ³	150.2	3.4	2.1	153.7	11.9	4.1	154.2	7.6	2.2	150.9	1.4	1.5	
Gasoline, leaded regular ³	148.7	5.0	2.1	153.1	14.7	4.1	152.5	9.7	2.4	147.1	3.9	1.9	
Gasoline, unleaded regular ³	146.0	3.6	2.2	151.0	11.8	4.2	152.2	7.8	2.2	148.6	.9	1.4	
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁵	75.6	2.0	1.7	81.9	6.9	3.8	77.4	4.2	1.8	77.0	-2.2	1.6	
Maintenance and repairs	184.3	6.7	1.5	169.7	2.1	.6	176.4	3.8	.5	165.7	4.7	.8	
Other private transportation	167.7	4.7	1.0	160.9	3.3	-6	175.0	3.7	.2	196.6	6.4	.5	
Other private transportation commodities	131.4	.2	.8	125.7	-1.1	-2.4	131.1	-1.8	-6	130.5	.2	-5	
Other private transportation services	174.4	5.4	1.0	167.7	4.0	-2	187.6	4.8	.3	210.9	7.3	.8	
Public transportation	219.6	3.6	.0	259.0	4.9	.6	248.7	5.3	-7	242.3	4.5	-3	
Medical care	217.7	7.2	.6	211.6	6.1	.3	222.4	7.0	.8	222.5	7.1	.3	
Medical care commodities	207.1	6.4	.4	205.4	5.5	.2	208.3	5.9	.6	214.7	6.1	.2	
Medical care services	220.0	7.4	.6	212.9	6.2	.3	225.5	7.2	.8	223.9	7.2	.3	
Professional medical services	213.2	7.9	.7	194.8	5.9	.5	208.5	6.3	1.1	206.7	6.4	.4	
Entertainment	166.1	3.6	.8	160.3	3.6	.6	166.5	2.4	.2	165.1	3.5	.5	
Entertainment commodities	158.2	1.9	.9	155.6	3.1	.3	156.7	1.2	-2	155.7	2.7	.5	
Entertainment services	176.2	5.4	.7	167.6	4.6	1.0	180.9	4.1	.6	179.6	4.3	.6	
Other goods and services	206.5	5.9	.2	198.0	5.2	.2	204.3	6.6	.2	203.3	4.6	.3	
Tobacco and smoking products	206.9	6.3	.4	217.7	6.8	.1	215.1	7.0	.1	220.0	7.8	.2	
Personal care	173.1	2.8	.1	157.1	1.4	-3	169.9	2.7	.4	176.7	2.4	1.1	
Personal and educational expenses	237.8	8.3	.1	232.1	7.4	.4	243.8	10.5	.2	233.9	6.5	.1	
Commodity and service group													
All items	181.0	4.2	.6	180.4	3.7	.5	180.9	3.3	.4	183.8	4.0	.6	
Commodities	163.6	4.0	.9	161.7	3.7	.7	165.4	3.6	.7	162.9	3.1	.4	
Food and beverages	170.3	5.3	.3	162.7	4.4	.1	168.6	4.2	.2	171.2	4.1	.5	
Commodities less food and beverages	158.1	3.1	1.3	159.8	3.2	1.0	162.5	3.2	.9	157.4	2.4	.4	
Nondurables less food and beverages	158.3	3.9	1.7	156.6	5.2	1.6	159.3	4.6	1.3	159.6	3.2	.5	
Apparel commodities	131.1	8.0	2.7	126.3	3.9	1.8	133.9	5.8	2.1	130.3	4.7	.2	
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel	169.3	2.5	1.0	169.8	6.0	1.5	171.1	4.5	.8	173.2	3.2	.8	
Durables	162.1	2.0	.8	165.9	.7	.3	168.9	1.4	.4	159.8	1.5	.4	
Services	203.2	4.5	.4	206.0	3.8	.3	202.8	3.2	.1	209.4	4.6	.6	
Rent of shelter ²	131.9	5.5	.6	120.8	4.8	.6	116.4	2.2	.1	129.1	5.1	.9	
Household services less rent of shelter ²	110.5	-1.0	-3	111.0	.0	-2	111.2	.3	-2	113.8	.4	.3	
Transportation services	188.2	5.2	.9	181.5	3.8	.2	193.5	4.7	.2	208.9	6.1	.5	
Medical care services	220.0	7.4	.6	212.9	6.2	.3	225.5	7.2	.8	223.9	7.2	.3	
Other services	199.8	5.9	.3	184.4	4.7	.5	198.9	6.0	.3	193.1	4.3	.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—	
		Apr. 1986	Mar. 1987		Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986		Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987		Apr. 1986	Mar. 1987
Special indexes												
All items less food	183.6	4.0	0.7	184.0	3.5	0.5	183.3	3.1	0.4	186.0	3.8	0.6
All items less shelter	172.0	3.9	.7	168.5	3.4	.5	172.9	3.7	.5	175.2	3.5	.5
All items less homeowners' costs ²	115.6	4.2	.7	111.9	3.5	.5	114.0	3.6	.5	115.6	3.6	.4
All items less medical care	179.1	4.1	.7	178.6	3.6	.6	178.2	3.1	.4	181.5	3.7	.6
Commodities less food	158.4	3.1	1.3	159.8	3.1	.9	162.5	3.1	.9	157.6	2.3	.5
Nondurables less food	158.4	3.7	1.5	156.5	4.9	1.4	159.1	4.3	1.1	159.4	3.0	.6
Nondurables less food and apparel	168.4	2.3	.9	168.4	5.4	1.3	169.8	4.0	.7	171.2	2.7	.8
Nondurables	164.7	4.6	.9	159.8	4.8	.8	164.1	4.4	.7	165.8	3.8	.5
Services less rent of shelter ²	123.4	3.7	.3	118.6	2.9	.1	121.3	3.8	.2	123.4	4.1	.4
Services less medical care	201.6	4.2	.4	207.3	3.5	.3	199.8	2.6	.1	207.8	4.4	.7
Energy ³	161.2	-2.7	.4	163.4	2.0	1.4	163.0	1.0	.2	172.2	.1	.8
All items less energy	183.1	5.0	.7	182.3	4.0	.4	183.0	3.7	.4	185.1	4.3	.5
All items less food and energy	186.9	4.9	.8	187.2	3.8	.5	186.4	3.5	.4	188.2	4.4	.8
Commodities less food and energy	162.3	4.1	1.2	164.4	2.4	.8	167.9	3.1	.7	161.8	3.0	.4
Energy commodities	159.3	.5	1.5	157.5	9.5	3.8	157.3	8.1	1.9	160.7	2.0	1.5
Services less energy	205.3	5.3	.5	209.7	4.8	.4	203.9	3.8	.2	208.9	5.0	.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—		
		Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986		Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987		Apr. 1986	Mar. 1987		Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986	Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986	Mar. 1987
Expenditure category													
All items	102.2	-	0.6	182.1	3.7	0.6	179.6	3.6	0.3	177.4	2.7	0.3	
Food and beverages	101.6	-	.4	167.8	4.4	.2	165.9	4.6	.2	168.9	4.2	.0	
Food	101.8	-	.3	168.2	4.6	.2	165.9	4.6	.2	169.2	4.3	-.1	
Food at home	102.5	-	.5	163.9	5.1	.2	160.8	4.6	.2	161.6	4.7	-.2	
Cereals and bakery products	101.9	-	.8	179.4	5.0	1.0	177.0	4.0	1.0	175.2	3.5	-.6	
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	99.8	-	-.1	160.4	10.0	.1	153.9	6.7	-.6	161.5	7.6	-1.3	
Dairy products	100.2	-	-.3	149.6	2.5	-.4	146.5	3.0	.3	145.5	2.1	.2	
Fruits and vegetables	111.1	-	2.7	186.9	6.2	1.0	185.2	9.5	2.8	184.5	8.1	1.2	
Other food at home	101.6	-	-.1	156.1	.5	-.3	155.5	.1	-.8	151.9	1.1	-.1	
Sugar and sweets	101.2	-	.0	175.2	1.3	-.2	173.7	.1	.6	168.6	2.0	-.1	
Fats and oils	101.9	-	-.8	147.3	.5	-.7	146.7	1.2	-.1	139.0	1.4	-.2	
Nonalcoholic beverages	100.0	-	-.9	139.2	-.3	-1.1	141.0	-3.0	-1.9	136.8	-3.8	-2.0	
Other prepared food	103.0	-	.7	176.0	4.8	.5	169.2	3.0	.1	168.5	5.8	1.4	
Food away from home	100.9	-	.2	177.8	3.6	.1	178.4	4.6	.1	187.5	3.4	.5	
Alcoholic beverages	101.2	-	.2	162.5	1.5	.2	165.1	3.2	.7	162.3	1.6	.2	
Housing	101.6	-	.4	191.5	2.9	.7	187.4	2.8	.0	182.6	.8	-.2	
Shelter	102.0	-	.6	211.5	4.5	1.0	203.9	4.5	.3	200.1	1.6	-.2	
Renters' costs ³	102.5	-	.5	127.4	5.0	.3	124.2	5.2	1.1	119.5	.9	-.4	
Rent, residential	101.3	-	.3	183.5	3.0	.2	175.8	3.4	-.2	167.9	1.0	-.2	
Other renters' costs	107.2	-	1.5	240.1	11.0	.7	231.9	8.9	4.6	217.2	1.1	-1.1	
Homeowners' costs ³	101.7	-	.5	123.2	4.2	1.1	120.1	4.3	.0	117.3	1.8	-.2	
Owners' equivalent rent ³	101.8	-	.6	123.2	4.3	1.1	120.2	4.3	.0	117.0	1.8	-.2	
Maintenance and repairs	100.3	-	-.5	164.4	4.1	-.1	173.0	.8	.1	172.4	3.0	.4	
Maintenance and repair services	100.3	-	-.5	167.6	4.0	-.7	188.3	3.0	-.4	187.2	4.8	-.4	
Maintenance and repair commodities	100.3	-	-.5	159.0	4.3	.4	136.6	-1.5	.6	149.5	.6	2.1	
Fuel and other utilities	100.6	-	-.3	181.1	-1.6	-.2	188.9	-.2	-.2	175.5	-.6	.3	
Fuels ⁴	100.9	-	-.8	180.5	-3.5	-.3	188.0	-2.7	-.6	164.2	-1.6	.0	
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities ⁴	109.6	-	-.1	165.7	-4.8	-.5	170.5	-3.3	.5	152.8	-4.4	.3	
Fuel oil ⁴	111.2	-	-.1	169.9	-2.2	-.5	166.9	-2.2	.2	149.1	-2.4	.9	
Other household fuel commodities ²	103.3	-	.0	101.3	-	-.6	102.0	-	1.0	101.0	-	-.3	
Gas (piped) and electricity ⁴	100.1	-	-.8	185.6	-2.4	-.3	194.0	-1.8	-.7	188.7	-.1	.0	
Electricity ⁴	100.4	-	-1.2	175.1	-.8	-.4	182.6	-.4	-.7	164.2	4.0	.3	
Utility (piped) gas ⁴	99.5	-	-.4	209.4	-5.5	.1	213.7	-4.4	-1.0	173.5	-7.0	-1.0	
Other utilities and public services	100.3	-	.4	162.6	2.4	.0	170.2	4.5	.4	173.8	1.9	.6	
Household furnishings and operation	101.4	-	.7	149.3	2.5	.9	145.5	1.5	-.8	148.7	.5	-.6	
Housefurnishings	101.2	-	.8	137.2	2.6	1.1	132.7	1.0	-1.0	135.8	-.8	-.7	
Housekeeping supplies	102.8	-	.7	165.2	1.7	.0	162.3	2.8	-.8	165.2	3.4	-1.0	
Housekeeping services	100.8	-	.3	164.6	3.6	1.0	160.8	.8	.2	162.6	1.1	-.2	
Apparel and upkeep	105.4	-	2.0	140.3	4.4	.8	140.6	3.7	.5	129.3	-.6	2.1	
Apparel commodities	105.8	-	2.3	132.6	4.7	.9	134.4	3.8	.5	124.5	-1.0	2.5	
Men's and boys' apparel	102.1	-	1.1	135.7	1.6	.1	140.3	4.1	1.7	120.6	-1.3	1.7	
Women's and girls' apparel	109.1	-	3.9	125.5	6.2	2.0	123.8	5.1	-.1	118.8	-2.5	4.2	
Infants' and toddlers' apparel	106.6	-	.6	131.7	-1.3	-1.7	139.7	-1.1	-.3	137.6	-8.0	-3.3	
Footwear	103.4	-	1.8	139.9	4.3	-1.1	141.3	2.9	1.2	131.1	-.7	2.3	
Other apparel commodities	104.4	-	-.4	134.4	6.6	1.1	149.3	4.0	-.2	144.4	6.5	-.8	
Apparel services	101.8	-	.2	199.0	3.3	.3	198.1	3.0	.1	172.8	2.6	-2.0	

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—	
		Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986		Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987		Apr. 1986	Mar. 1987		Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986	Mar. 1987
Expenditure category												
Transportation	102.9	-	0.8	176.9	3.2	1.0	174.6	2.6	0.8	171.5	3.4	0.8
Private transportation	103.2	-	1.0	173.6	3.1	1.0	171.3	2.5	.9	166.6	3.3	.8
New vehicles	99.2	-	.2	156.0	4.0	.6	152.9	3.8	.3	154.7	4.4	.5
New cars	99.3	-	.4	155.8	4.1	.6	153.9	4.1	.5	154.4	4.1	.5
Used cars	104.2	-	2.3	217.9	2.0	2.4	217.3	1.8	2.4	217.5	1.8	2.3
Motor fuel ⁴	114.5	-	2.6	153.2	6.3	2.5	152.4	6.0	2.4	147.2	5.9	1.9
Gasoline ⁴	114.7	-	2.7	152.5	6.2	2.5	152.2	6.2	2.4	146.9	6.1	1.9
Gasoline, leaded regular ⁴	116.9	-	3.0	151.2	9.6	2.8	150.9	8.2	2.3	144.1	7.4	1.8
Gasoline, unleaded regular ⁴	115.0	-	2.8	150.5	6.4	2.5	150.8	6.5	2.7	146.1	5.6	2.2
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁵	111.1	-	2.1	76.7	2.1	2.7	77.8	.9	2.0	74.0	2.6	1.2
Maintenance and repairs	101.7	-	1.0	181.6	5.5	.8	178.5	2.6	.7	166.4	4.1	.2
Other private transportation	101.2	-	.3	176.3	4.1	.3	172.6	2.7	.0	161.8	4.2	.1
Other private transportation commodities	100.2	-	-.7	129.7	-3.0	-.8	132.0	-1.5	-1.6	133.7	2.5	.5
Other private transportation services	101.4	-	.5	187.3	5.3	.5	183.1	3.6	.4	169.3	4.6	.0
Public transportation	100.6	-	-.1	253.1	4.9	.1	250.8	5.2	-.3	284.6	4.8	.4
Medical care	102.7	-	.6	214.2	5.5	.3	220.1	6.8	.4	227.9	7.6	.6
Medical care commodities	102.5	-	.5	214.9	6.8	.5	206.0	5.3	.1	207.8	5.3	.7
Medical care services	102.7	-	.6	213.9	5.1	.3	223.2	7.2	.4	232.2	8.1	.7
Professional medical services	103.3	-	.8	195.6	4.8	.5	209.0	5.8	.6	217.0	9.4	1.0
Entertainment	101.5	-	.8	162.6	2.8	.5	168.6	2.3	-.2	161.3	4.0	.4
Entertainment commodities	101.7	-	.7	152.9	1.9	.3	160.6	.5	-.8	156.6	2.5	.1
Entertainment services	101.3	-	.8	177.9	4.2	.7	181.0	4.7	.5	168.8	6.2	.5
Other goods and services	101.5	-	.1	208.8	7.4	.5	198.9	5.3	.3	201.6	4.8	.2
Tobacco and smoking products	103.7	-	.2	218.0	7.9	.2	212.0	6.1	.2	222.0	5.5	.3
Personal care	101.0	-	.0	176.1	4.0	.9	165.5	2.0	.7	164.6	2.3	.5
Personal and educational expenses	101.0	-	.2	244.7	11.1	.5	235.3	8.4	.1	235.7	7.7	.0
Commodity and service group												
All items	102.2	-	.6	182.1	3.7	.6	179.6	3.6	.3	177.4	2.7	.3
Commodities	102.9	-	.8	164.5	3.3	.7	162.5	3.1	.3	160.0	2.6	.6
Food and beverages	101.8	-	.4	167.8	4.4	.2	165.9	4.6	.2	168.9	4.2	.0
Commodities less food and beverages	103.7	-	1.2	161.2	2.7	.9	159.6	2.2	.3	154.5	1.5	.8
Nondurables less food and beverages	106.1	-	1.6	160.1	3.7	.9	159.4	3.4	.7	153.6	2.1	1.2
Apparel commodities	105.8	-	2.3	132.6	4.7	.9	134.4	3.8	.5	124.5	-1.0	2.5
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel	106.2	-	1.1	172.1	3.9	1.0	170.7	3.8	.8	166.7	3.6	.5
Durables	100.5	-	.6	166.7	1.5	.8	164.1	.7	-.2	160.8	.9	.5
Services	101.8	-	.4	206.6	4.2	.6	204.4	4.1	.2	203.2	3.0	.0
Rent of shelter ³	102.0	-	.6	124.5	4.5	.9	121.4	4.7	.3	117.8	1.6	-.3
Household services less rent of shelter ³	100.3	-	-.2	111.0	.4	.1	113.9	1.0	-.2	113.6	1.1	.3
Transportation services	101.3	-	.5	194.7	5.3	.5	191.3	3.6	.3	185.0	4.5	.1
Medical care services	102.7	-	.6	213.9	5.1	.3	223.2	7.2	.4	232.2	8.1	.7
Other services	101.1	-	.4	198.8	6.5	.6	192.7	5.0	.3	185.2	5.3	.1

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(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—	
		Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986		Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987		Apr. 1986	Mar. 1987		Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986	Mar. 1987
Special indexes												
All items less food	102.2	-	0.6	184.9	3.5	0.7	182.5	3.3	0.3	179.0	2.3	0.3
All items less shelter	102.3	-	.7	172.5	3.4	.5	171.9	3.3	.2	170.6	3.1	.5
All items less homeowners' costs ³	102.3	-	.6	113.5	3.7	.5	113.2	3.4	.3	111.9	2.8	.4
All items less medical care	102.1	-	.6	180.1	3.6	.6	177.2	3.3	.3	174.1	2.3	.2
Commodities less food	103.5	-	1.1	161.3	2.6	.8	159.8	2.2	.3	154.8	1.5	.8
Nondurables less food	105.6	-	1.4	160.1	3.5	.9	159.6	3.4	.7	154.0	2.0	1.1
Nondurables less food and apparel	105.4	-	1.0	171.0	3.5	.9	170.1	3.6	.8	166.3	3.4	.5
Nondurables	103.7	-	.9	164.1	4.1	.6	162.7	4.0	.4	161.4	3.2	.6
Services less rent of shelter ³	101.1	-	.2	120.9	3.8	.3	121.4	3.6	.2	120.8	4.0	.2
Services less medical care	101.5	-	.4	205.6	4.0	.7	202.0	3.6	.2	199.2	2.3	-.1
Energy ⁴	106.4	-	.7	165.4	.2	.9	169.4	.6	.5	155.5	1.2	.8
All items less energy	101.9	-	.6	184.1	4.1	.6	181.0	4.0	.2	180.1	2.9	.2
All items less food and energy	101.9	-	.7	188.2	4.1	.7	184.9	3.8	.2	182.9	2.6	.3
Commodities less food and energy	102.2	-	.9	166.5	2.8	.7	164.5	2.3	.1	160.1	1.5	.7
Energy commodities	114.0	-	2.3	158.5	4.4	2.1	158.6	4.3	2.1	149.2	3.9	1.7
Services less energy	101.7	-	.5	207.5	4.8	.7	204.5	4.7	.3	205.3	3.3	.0

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—	
		Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986		Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987		Apr. 1986	Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986	Mar. 1987
Expenditure category									
All items	178.8	4.6	0.7	182.3	4.4	0.9	168.9	3.2	0.1
Food and beverages	171.2	5.4	.5	168.7	5.4	.6	170.1	4.9	-.6
Food	171.7	5.5	.5	169.3	5.7	.7	170.1	4.7	-.7
Food at home	164.8	5.8	.7	167.1	5.8	1.2	164.4	4.1	-1.1
Cereals and bakery products	175.0	4.5	1.0	179.6	5.3	.6	179.8	5.4	.1
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	162.3	8.9	-.2	171.2	12.2	1.1	160.6	3.7	-2.4
Dairy products	145.3	.3	.1	144.8	2.8	.7	138.7	-.4	-1.1
Fruits and vegetables	192.7	11.8	3.0	187.7	2.8	3.0	200.0	11.2	2.6
Other food at home	155.1	.8	.4	156.1	1.9	.7	154.4	.7	-3.0
Food away from home	168.7	5.3	.1	175.3	5.5	-.2	183.9	5.9	.1
Alcoholic beverages	182.2	3.1	.1	162.4	2.3	-.1	167.2	6.7	.1
Housing	183.4	3.2	.4	198.7	4.7	1.1	207.8	2.4	.0
Shelter	200.7	5.6	.6	230.8	7.2	.9	245.8	5.0	.2
Renters' costs ²	131.4	7.8	.8	139.2	9.5	.4	132.3	5.8	.8
Rent, residential	178.1	5.4	.1	191.2	3.9	1.3	213.1	5.0	.1
Other renters' costs	245.7	13.6	2.8	232.2	25.6	-1.2	207.0	8.3	2.8
Homeowners' costs ²	128.5	4.5	.5	138.8	6.9	1.1	134.8	4.7	.0
Owners' equivalent rent ²	128.7	4.5	.5	137.3	6.9	1.1	135.0	4.7	.0
Fuel and other utilities	189.5	-5.1	-.9	174.5	-.7	1.3	179.9	-2.5	.1
Fuels ³	187.2	-6.9	-1.4	172.5	-2.2	2.1	175.8	-3.8	-.1
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities ³	175.8	-2.7	-.2	165.3	-5.8	-1.2	166.2	-6.1	.9
Fuel oil ³	175.1	-2.6	-.2	168.2	-4.3	-1.3	183.7	-6.5	.1
Other household fuel commodities ⁴	101.9	-	-.2	99.5	-	-.7	105.1	-	3.5
Gas (piped) and electricity ³	166.9	-6.8	-1.8	181.2	2.3	3.2	184.2	-1.4	-.5
Electricity ³	157.8	-5.0	-2.4	177.0	7.1	4.8	179.8	-.1	-.7
Utility (piped) gas ³	181.0	-9.2	-.2	190.3	-6.7	.0	166.9	-5.4	.1
Household furnishings and operation	151.6	3.9	1.3	149.9	3.0	1.5	144.3	-.1	-1.3
Apparel and upkeep	138.5	9.1	2.9	130.6	2.1	2.4	147.5	4.6	.3
Apparel commodities	128.2	9.7	3.2	124.6	1.9	2.8	140.9	4.9	.3
Men's and boys' apparel	124.1	5.9	2.7	126.8	2.5	2.8	150.2	8.2	.1
Women's and girls' apparel	114.7	14.7	4.4	122.6	4.0	3.9	131.6	2.6	-2.1
Footwear	139.1	7.2	1.4	140.5	-1.6	1.4	142.2	1.5	5.4
Transportation	173.9	3.5	1.1	172.5	2.7	.8	178.4	2.1	.8
Private transportation	167.8	3.3	1.3	170.7	2.8	.6	170.0	2.0	1.0
Motor fuel ³	149.5	4.8	2.2	150.8	3.4	2.2	149.1	-2.2	1.4
Gasoline ³	149.5	5.1	2.3	150.8	3.5	2.2	148.8	-2.0	1.5
Gasoline, leaded regular ³	148.5	6.8	2.4	151.7	5.1	1.8	143.3	-.5	1.5
Gasoline, unleaded regular ³	144.2	5.3	2.5	147.4	4.2	2.4	146.2	-1.9	1.8
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁵	75.2	3.4	1.9	73.6	.8	2.2	77.8	-4.0	.6
Public transportation	211.7	3.5	.0	219.5	3.1	.0	301.5	3.7	.0
Medical care	217.5	7.8	.6	218.7	6.8	.6	215.3	5.4	.3
Entertainment	168.2	3.6	1.0	154.4	3.1	.8	168.2	2.3	-.2
Other goods and services	206.3	5.7	.2	204.8	6.6	.1	209.1	5.3	.2
Personal care	172.3	2.7	.2	169.6	3.4	.0	177.6	.6	-.5

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(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—	
	Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986	Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986	Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986	Mar. 1987
Commodity and service group									
All items	178.8	4.6	0.7	182.3	4.4	0.9	188.9	3.2	0.1
Commodities	163.5	4.8	1.1	163.5	2.8	.9	164.4	2.2	-.2
Food and beverages	171.2	5.4	.5	168.7	5.4	.6	170.1	4.9	-.6
Commodities less food and beverages	156.9	4.1	1.6	158.8	1.1	1.2	160.2	.6	.1
Nondurables less food and beverages	157.8	5.5	2.1	154.9	-.1	1.2	161.6	1.3	.5
Durables	159.5	2.4	.9	169.3	2.8	1.2	162.6	-.2	-.3
Services	196.8	4.5	.4	209.3	6.1	.8	226.7	4.5	.2
Medical care services	219.6	8.0	.6	218.1	6.8	.4	218.4	5.6	.2
Special indexes									
All items less shelter	172.3	4.2	.8	169.5	3.4	.8	173.3	2.8	-.1
All items less medical care	176.7	4.3	.7	180.5	4.2	.9	187.4	3.1	.0
All items less energy	180.3	5.3	.8	185.5	5.0	.8	192.3	4.1	.0
Energy ³	159.8	-3.2	-.1	162.9	-.2	2.1	163.9	-3.3	.4
Commodities less food	157.2	4.1	1.6	159.1	1.2	1.1	160.6	.9	.1
Nondurables less food	157.9	5.2	1.9	155.2	.0	1.0	161.9	1.6	.4
Nondurables	165.3	5.6	1.2	162.0	2.8	.9	165.8	3.0	-.1
Services less rent of shelter ²	123.8	3.4	.2	121.1	4.7	.7	123.8	3.9	.2
Services less medical care	194.7	4.1	.4	208.3	6.1	.8	227.6	4.3	.1

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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	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—	
		Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986		Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987		Apr. 1986	Mar. 1987		Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986	Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986	Mar. 1987
Expenditure category												
All items	184.0	3.5	0.4	179.5	4.3	1.0	176.1	4.5	0.5	174.6	2.7	0.3
Food and beverages	162.9	4.2	.3	158.1	5.1	.2	161.2	4.1	-.2	168.7	4.7	-.1
Food	163.6	4.3	.4	157.8	5.2	.2	161.3	4.1	-.2	168.7	4.8	-.1
Food at home	161.0	4.9	.5	152.6	5.3	.2	157.0	4.5	-.3	160.4	6.2	-.1
Cereals and bakery products	177.0	3.4	1.3	177.0	6.8	1.3	179.3	5.7	1.2	177.3	3.9	-.4
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	159.0	8.2	.1	147.4	9.1	-.6	150.8	7.7	-1.8	162.2	9.3	.6
Dairy products	148.0	3.4	-1.2	140.0	1.3	-.1	138.7	3.2	.0	140.4	4.0	.6
Fruits and vegetables	178.5	9.0	2.9	168.8	10.5	1.1	176.6	8.1	2.3	180.5	13.7	-.3
Other food at home	153.0	-.1	-.3	146.5	.4	.1	154.0	-1.1	-.9	151.1	.5	-.9
Food away from home	169.2	3.4	.1	169.4	5.0	.2	170.9	3.4	-.3	187.3	2.2	.0
Alcoholic beverages	151.9	1.7	.0	164.3	2.9	.9	158.1	3.3	.2	169.1	2.3	.1
Housing	204.6	1.9	.1	191.4	3.4	1.3	188.1	5.4	.3	174.6	-.5	-.5
Shelter	233.2	4.0	.2	216.4	5.9	1.9	200.3	8.6	1.1	183.9	.8	-.6
Renters' costs ²	125.9	5.0	.6	124.0	1.6	-.4	127.7	11.7	4.9	110.0	-1.1	-1.9
Rent, residential	175.3	3.9	.1	172.1	3.1	-.5	149.0	4.9	.4	150.0	.3	-.8
Other renters' costs	224.0	5.4	1.9	223.5	-4.5	-.4	258.7	25.7	14.2	202.2	-5.9	-5.2
Homeowners' costs ²	121.4	3.8	.1	123.9	7.2	2.5	117.9	7.7	-.3	111.5	1.5	.0
Owners' equivalent rent ²	121.2	3.7	.1	124.2	7.3	2.6	117.8	7.8	-.3	111.2	1.6	-.1
Fuel and other utilities	162.7	-2.0	-.2	182.3	-2.0	.1	198.4	.8	-1.1	179.6	-2.7	-.2
Fuels ³	172.0	-4.2	-.1	166.6	-4.0	.0	167.8	-4.0	-1.9	160.1	-4.6	-.3
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities ³	169.0	-3.8	.0	156.9	-6.4	.3	160.1	-7.4	-.7	129.8	-10.9	-.2
Fuel oil ³	176.4	-2.1	.6	164.4	-3.7	2.3	165.2	-3.6	.4	136.2	-5.5	.8
Other household fuel commodities ⁴	100.8	-	-.8	100.6	-	-1.3	95.1	-	-2.1	90.9	-	-1.1
Gas (piped) and electricity ³	172.9	-4.0	-.1	169.7	-2.9	.0	198.2	-2.7	-1.9	166.6	-3.5	-.3
Electricity ³	155.0	-1.3	-.3	137.5	-1.2	-.7	197.3	-1.9	-2.2	137.9	.6	.6
Utility (piped) gas ³	194.1	-6.5	.1	216.4	-4.1	.8	195.0	-3.6	-1.3	201.1	-6.9	-1.5
Household furnishings and operation	147.5	.1	.3	144.9	3.1	.6	149.5	3.0	-.1	148.5	-.3	-.3
Apparel and upkeep	127.4	4.8	1.8	145.1	3.6	-.3	132.4	-1.3	1.3	139.8	8.5	4.5
Apparel commodities	120.2	5.1	2.0	140.3	4.3	-.4	126.1	-1.7	1.4	137.0	9.2	4.9
Men's and boys' apparel	118.0	2.9	-.4	133.7	1.1	-.7	120.2	-3.5	.9	114.2	2.7	-.4
Women's and girls' apparel	110.0	8.1	3.9	137.5	8.3	-.9	116.5	-1.4	2.8	144.0	16.2	9.8
Footwear	122.1	-.7	1.3	133.7	4.5	1.7	134.7	-.8	1.4	139.3	2.1	3.0
Transportation	172.3	4.2	.9	174.0	4.4	1.3	171.2	4.1	1.3	171.3	3.0	1.1
Private transportation	167.7	4.1	1.0	171.0	4.0	1.4	167.9	4.0	1.3	166.1	3.2	1.1
Motor fuel ³	154.5	11.3	3.8	155.6	10.7	4.0	153.6	14.4	4.8	150.5	9.7	3.4
Gasoline ³	154.1	11.7	3.9	155.8	10.8	4.0	153.1	14.5	4.8	150.1	9.9	3.4
Gasoline, leaded regular ³	155.3	15.7	4.3	150.9	15.7	4.4	152.8	14.8	4.0	149.9	10.5	3.2
Gasoline, unleaded regular ³	150.0	11.8	4.1	153.4	9.9	3.6	151.5	14.6	5.3	150.3	9.4	3.7
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁵	82.4	6.0	2.7	83.4	6.1	6.2	79.9	13.3	6.0	65.1	9.4	4.7
Public transportation	248.0	4.5	.5	263.7	13.7	.6	262.3	5.4	1.0	312.6	-.6	.6
Medical care	212.2	6.4	.3	212.7	5.1	.1	203.0	5.5	-.1	219.2	6.5	.9
Entertainment	162.4	4.6	.9	150.4	1.9	.3	187.0	2.9	.5	155.2	4.0	.0
Other goods and services	196.3	4.6	-.1	210.2	8.0	1.5	189.2	5.5	.4	204.5	4.0	.0
Personal care	153.1	-.2	-1.1	177.4	4.8	.5	145.4	3.0	1.6	171.0	3.0	-.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—	
		Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986		Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987		Apr. 1986	Mar. 1987		Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986	Mar. 1987
Commodity and service group												
All items	184.0	3.5	0.4	179.5	4.3	1.0	176.1	4.5	0.5	174.6	2.7	0.3
Commodities	164.0	3.7	.8	160.5	4.1	.5	158.1	3.2	.5	160.6	4.2	.9
Food and beverages	162.9	4.2	.3	158.1	5.1	.2	161.2	4.1	-.2	168.7	4.7	-.1
Commodities less food and beverages	163.0	3.4	1.1	160.3	3.5	.6	155.6	2.6	1.0	155.8	3.7	1.4
Nondurables less food and beverages	155.0	5.6	1.6	162.2	5.1	.8	157.2	3.9	1.6	156.5	6.5	2.2
Durables	171.4	.4	.4	163.3	1.7	.3	159.9	1.1	.2	159.4	.8	.6
Services	212.6	3.4	.1	208.7	4.6	1.3	203.0	5.8	.3	196.9	1.2	-.2
Medical care services	214.0	6.5	.3	209.2	4.5	.1	203.6	6.2	.2	224.8	7.1	.9
Special indexes												
All items less shelter	167.9	3.4	.5	168.8	3.9	.5	168.3	3.3	.2	170.8	3.2	.6
All items less medical care	182.3	3.3	.4	177.7	4.2	1.0	174.6	4.4	.5	171.8	2.4	.3
All items less energy	186.3	3.8	.3	181.5	4.7	.9	176.7	4.7	.4	176.7	2.9	.3
Energy ³	163.7	2.1	1.6	160.0	1.3	1.5	170.4	2.8	.7	155.0	.5	1.1
Commodities less food	162.7	3.2	1.0	160.4	3.4	.6	155.8	2.7	1.0	156.3	3.7	1.4
Nondurables less food	154.7	5.2	1.5	162.3	4.9	.9	157.2	3.8	1.5	157.3	6.2	2.1
Nondurables	159.3	4.9	1.0	160.2	5.1	.5	159.1	4.0	.6	163.2	5.7	1.1
Services less rent of shelter ²	118.1	3.0	.1	117.8	3.6	.7	120.5	3.3	-.2	118.9	1.6	.2
Services less medical care	212.2	3.1	.1	208.5	4.6	1.4	202.8	5.7	.3	193.2	.5	-.3

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—	
		Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986		Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987		Apr. 1986	Mar. 1987		Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986	Mar. 1987
Expenditure category												
All items	181.5	3.4	0.6	183.0	3.4	0.4	179.2	3.2	0.2	178.0	2.8	0.1
Food and beverages	170.6	3.6	.1	169.3	4.2	-.1	166.1	5.1	.9	166.1	3.8	.1
Food	171.6	3.9	.1	169.7	4.3	-.1	166.1	5.1	.8	168.6	3.9	.1
Food at home	166.9	3.5	.2	165.1	5.0	-.2	160.2	4.7	1.0	161.0	4.3	-.2
Cereals and bakery products	175.8	1.6	.1	174.0	3.4	.4	173.1	1.1	1.3	171.3	3.9	-.8
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	158.9	4.9	-.1	158.0	9.9	-.3	150.4	6.8	.5	165.2	8.3	-1.7
Dairy products	159.2	4.0	.4	156.4	3.7	-1.0	157.4	5.1	1.3	152.9	.2	.4
Fruits and vegetables	189.6	7.8	1.4	193.6	7.6	-.6	182.3	9.8	3.7	181.6	5.7	1.3
Other food at home	163.8	.1	-.5	158.8	-.1	-.1	156.1	.8	-.1	146.2	1.1	1.0
Food away from home	181.4	5.0	.1	179.6	3.1	.2	181.4	5.5	.3	189.5	2.7	.7
Alcoholic beverages	158.5	-.3	-.5	162.2	1.5	-.1	164.2	2.9	1.9	156.5	2.7	.5
Housing	187.2	1.6	.2	188.9	1.5	.1	183.4	1.4	-.2	186.8	1.9	-.3
Shelter	201.0	2.3	.0	204.0	1.6	.4	197.5	2.3	.1	213.7	3.4	-.2
Renters' costs ²	120.6	3.4	.6	122.9	4.8	.7	116.3	2.7	-.3	121.5	3.4	-.2
Rent, residential	179.9	2.2	.2	168.2	1.9	.0	169.7	1.9	-.4	174.6	3.1	-.2
Other renters' costs	232.6	7.3	2.4	267.2	14.7	2.2	227.8	6.9	.0	221.5	3.7	.0
Homeowners' costs ²	117.3	1.8	-.3	115.4	.3	.3	111.5	2.2	.3	114.5	3.5	-.3
Owners' equivalent rent ²	117.1	1.8	-.3	115.2	.3	.3	111.2	2.1	.2	113.7	3.5	-.4
Fuel and other utilities	175.2	-3.7	.2	181.1	-.1	-1.1	183.9	.1	-.2	182.4	-.7	.1
Fuels ³	163.9	-5.9	-1.5	184.7	-2.2	-1.8	192.7	-1.7	-.7	153.5	-2.2	-.6
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities ³	183.4	-7.2	.2	179.9	-3.7	.3	161.8	-1.2	.6	160.9	-4.2	-.3
Fuel oil ³	172.1	-6.1	-.5	179.3	-3.0	.6	128.5	3.0	.5	144.3	-2.7	-.1
Other household fuel commodities ⁴	107.0	-	1.3	103.1	-	.0	103.1	-	.7	102.4	-	-.3
Gas (piped) and electricity ³	162.5	-4.9	-1.6	184.6	-2.3	-2.0	196.2	-1.7	-.8	153.0	-1.1	-.7
Electricity ³	149.1	-5.0	-.9	182.5	-3.0	-2.2	181.3	-.2	-.5	154.8	-.2	-.7
Utility (piped) gas ³	193.2	-5.6	-3.2	192.8	.3	-.7	235.9	-3.8	-1.8	144.5	-6.1	-.8
Household furnishings and operation	155.6	4.4	.8	150.7	1.6	.6	142.0	.9	-1.2	147.8	1.0	-.9
Apparel and upkeep	153.6	10.1	4.0	144.2	4.6	1.0	143.6	6.0	-.2	111.1	-6.8	.5
Apparel commodities	142.3	10.3	4.3	133.7	4.4	1.0	137.7	6.3	-.1	105.0	-6.1	1.0
Men's and boys' apparel	144.2	5.3	2.5	142.7	3.3	-.7	145.3	4.5	1.9	116.0	-2.9	4.4
Women's and girls' apparel	140.9	18.3	8.0	123.9	3.9	2.8	129.9	12.6	-1.5	89.3	-14.5	-.6
Footwear	141.2	5.2	2.4	133.9	5.2	-1.8	143.3	5.2	.1	114.3	-5.4	.8
Transportation	174.3	2.7	.6	179.5	4.2	1.0	174.2	2.3	.6	169.7	3.3	.6
Private transportation	170.4	2.6	.8	175.8	4.1	1.1	172.2	2.2	.6	165.9	3.2	.8
Motor fuel ³	158.5	6.4	2.8	154.4	9.7	2.5	155.9	7.4	1.2	141.8	3.7	1.6
Gasoline ³	158.3	6.5	2.8	153.9	9.8	2.5	155.9	7.7	1.2	141.6	3.9	1.7
Gasoline, leaded regular ³	157.8	9.4	3.3	153.9	11.6	2.9	154.4	10.0	1.5	133.7	3.5	1.4
Gasoline, unleaded regular ³	153.6	6.4	2.9	152.2	10.1	2.3	156.2	8.5	1.1	139.9	3.9	2.3
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁵	79.0	3.8	2.3	76.6	6.2	2.3	78.5	2.7	.6	73.1	3.5	1.0
Public transportation	244.0	5.4	-1.1	270.7	6.8	.1	222.5	5.0	-1.4	278.5	5.9	.5
Medical care	217.4	6.6	1.3	211.9	4.7	.5	227.6	8.2	.6	237.9	8.9	.2
Entertainment	165.5	3.8	.2	170.4	2.5	.5	167.6	1.1	.2	159.1	2.0	-.2
Other goods and services	201.8	6.4	.2	214.4	8.7	.3	201.3	5.3	.1	197.0	5.6	.2
Personal care	169.3	3.4	.1	176.9	4.4	.7	172.2	1.4	.3	155.1	.8	.7

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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—	
		Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986		Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987		Apr. 1986	Mar. 1987		Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986	Mar. 1987
Commodity and service group												
All items	181.5	3.4	0.6	183.0	3.4	0.4	179.2	3.2	0.2	178.0	2.8	0.1
Commodities	166.4	4.1	1.0	167.4	3.7	.5	164.5	3.7	.3	159.6	1.3	.4
Food and beverages	170.6	3.6	.1	169.3	4.2	-.1	166.1	5.1	.9	168.1	3.8	.1
Commodities less food and beverages	162.9	4.3	1.6	165.0	3.3	.9	162.6	2.8	.0	154.4	-.1	.6
Nondurables less food and beverages	161.7	5.1	2.3	161.4	5.6	1.2	159.4	4.7	.0	147.5	-.7	.7
Durables	168.9	3.4	.7	170.2	.4	.6	168.5	.6	-.1	165.6	.7	.4
Services	201.2	2.9	.2	204.8	3.2	.2	201.3	2.9	.1	204.5	4.3	-.1
Medical care services	219.7	6.8	1.4	212.3	4.2	.4	233.7	8.6	.7	241.7	9.6	.0
Special indexes												
All items less shelter	173.8	3.8	.8	174.7	3.8	.3	172.5	3.6	.3	167.7	2.7	.2
All items less medical care	179.4	3.2	.6	181.0	3.3	.3	176.0	2.9	.2	173.4	2.2	.1
All items less energy	183.7	4.0	.6	184.8	3.5	.4	180.3	3.5	.2	181.8	3.1	.1
Energy ³	159.7	-.6	.4	166.2	2.2	-.1	172.5	1.8	.1	146.6	-.3	.2
Commodities less food	162.8	4.1	1.4	165.0	3.3	.9	162.7	2.8	.1	154.5	-.1	.5
Nondurables less food	161.2	4.6	2.0	161.2	5.3	1.1	159.6	4.5	.3	147.9	-.5	.7
Nondurables	166.4	4.4	1.2	165.6	4.9	.5	162.9	4.9	.5	157.7	1.6	.4
Services less rent of shelter ²	122.4	3.2	.4	122.5	4.1	.0	119.3	3.3	.1	120.7	5.0	-.1
Services less medical care	199.2	2.4	.1	203.6	3.0	.1	196.8	2.0	.0	198.3	3.3	-.2

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

(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—	
	Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986	Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986	Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986	Mar. 1987
Expenditure category									
All items	187.2	4.2	0.6	182.7	3.4	0.7	175.8	3.1	0.3
Food and beverages	170.6	4.5	.5	172.3	3.4	.2	168.7	4.1	.5
Food	172.3	4.7	.5	173.1	3.7	.2	168.4	4.5	.6
Food at home	168.6	5.9	.6	168.5	4.7	.2	164.1	5.3	.7
Cereals and bakery products	185.9	4.4	.5	191.9	6.8	2.5	179.1	6.8	.8
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	160.2	9.1	.3	163.8	9.1	.2	160.8	9.3	.6
Dairy products	156.6	3.9	-.3	152.3	1.2	-.5	144.9	1.9	.3
Fruits and vegetables	187.4	11.5	3.0	190.7	6.1	2.4	187.0	9.1	1.4
Other food at home	164.5	.0	-.1	159.4	-.2	-2.0	158.7	.0	.7
Food away from home	179.5	3.0	.2	182.6	1.8	.3	177.8	3.0	.3
Alcoholic beverages	151.0	2.2	1.1	162.2	.4	.6	172.9	-.2	-.4
Housing	201.9	4.5	.8	190.5	3.7	1.1	174.2	2.2	.2
Shelter	219.3	5.9	1.1	203.8	5.5	1.0	181.6	2.7	-.2
Renters' costs ²	133.8	5.6	.3	125.0	3.1	.3	123.8	.7	-.6
Rent, residential	216.3	5.5	.6	198.1	2.7	-.1	179.6	2.0	-.9
Other renters' costs	216.5	7.9	-1.3	219.0	4.5	2.1	233.3	-11.0	.6
Homeowners' costs ²	134.0	6.1	1.4	124.4	6.3	1.3	124.2	3.6	.1
Owners' equivalent rent ²	134.0	6.0	1.5	124.1	6.3	1.4	124.5	3.7	.0
Fuel and other utilities	198.5	-.9	.0	191.4	-3.2	.6	186.5	.9	1.7
Fuels ³	218.2	-.7	-.2	210.8	-3.6	.8	198.3	.0	2.1
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities ³	172.9	1.3	-.1	158.2	-5.4	-2.6	212.7	NA	-2.4
Fuel oil ³	170.8	1.9	.0	NA	NA	NA	238.4	NA	1.6
Other household fuel commodities ⁴	105.5	-	-.3	97.5	-	-2.7	97.0	-	-2.9
Gas (piped) and electricity ³	221.7	-.7	-.2	218.2	-3.8	.8	195.2	-.4	2.4
Electricity ³	202.4	-1.2	-.4	207.6	.7	1.2	159.5	2.8	3.7
Utility (piped) gas ³	253.6	.8	.4	235.6	-12.6	.0	254.6	-4.7	.2
Household furnishings and operation	149.3	2.6	.2	150.4	3.7	1.6	148.2	2.3	-.2
Apparel and upkeep	134.2	3.5	-.3	136.8	5.1	.1	137.6	4.8	1.3
Apparel commodities	125.6	3.4	-.3	129.7	5.6	.2	131.4	5.0	1.4
Men's and boys' apparel	126.6	1.0	-.7	134.6	-1.3	.8	149.5	9.4	4.2
Women's and girls' apparel	107.4	4.4	-.2	118.8	9.5	1.8	111.3	1.8	1.5
Footwear	142.1	3.9	2.5	149.3	5.7	-4.2	149.1	7.5	-.8
Transportation	182.1	3.1	.7	179.0	1.0	.8	179.2	1.8	.8
Private transportation	179.5	3.0	.7	174.8	1.2	.9	176.6	1.4	.9
Motor fuel ³	152.0	.5	1.6	151.2	.3	1.3	144.3	-2.9	1.9
Gasoline ³	152.2	.7	1.7	149.2	-.1	1.4	143.9	-3.0	1.9
Gasoline, leaded regular ³	148.5	3.5	2.2	144.9	3.3	1.7	141.6	-3.1	1.9
Gasoline, unleaded regular ³	148.8	-.8	1.5	147.4	-.1	1.4	140.1	-2.1	1.6
Gasoline, unleaded premium ³	78.4	-.3	1.4	75.3	-6.0	1.1	73.4	-5.2	3.2
Public transportation	232.1	4.9	-.3	248.0	-1.5	-.2	228.8	7.9	-.6
Medical care	222.8	7.6	.3	216.8	5.8	-.1	231.1	6.9	.2
Entertainment	160.1	2.9	.9	167.6	4.0	.8	172.8	3.5	-1.9
Other goods and services	206.2	4.4	.3	201.8	5.4	.4	196.3	4.4	.6
Personal care	179.6	1.8	.7	179.8	3.5	3.2	170.2	3.2	.7

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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—	
	Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986	Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986	Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986	Mar. 1987
Commodity and service group									
All items	187.2	4.2	0.6	182.7	3.4	0.7	175.8	3.1	0.3
Commodities	162.0	3.1	.4	164.3	2.8	.7	163.3	2.8	.4
Food and beverages	170.6	4.5	.5	172.3	3.4	.2	168.7	4.1	.5
Commodities less food and beverages	156.3	2.0	.4	158.9	2.3	.9	158.8	1.8	.2
Nondurables less food and beverages	157.3	2.5	.4	160.1	2.6	.2	160.0	2.5	1.1
Durables	158.6	1.3	.3	162.8	2.1	1.7	162.7	1.1	-.8
Services	217.7	5.3	.7	205.6	3.9	.7	189.7	3.5	.4
Medical care services	225.1	7.9	.3	216.0	5.6	.1	231.4	6.8	.0
Special indexes									
All items less shelter	174.8	3.6	.4	174.8	2.6	.6	175.0	3.4	.5
All items less medical care	185.3	4.0	.7	180.6	3.2	.8	172.4	2.8	.3
All items less energy	188.8	4.8	.6	183.7	4.0	.7	176.9	3.6	.2
Energy ³	172.5	-.9	.7	175.0	-1.8	1.0	167.0	-1.5	2.0
Commodities less food	156.3	2.0	.4	159.2	2.2	.9	159.5	1.7	.2
Nondurables less food	156.6	2.4	.6	160.2	2.4	.3	160.9	2.3	.9
Nondurables	164.4	3.7	.5	168.5	3.0	.2	164.8	3.5	.8
Services less rent of shelter ²	124.5	4.5	.3	120.6	2.6	.4	125.8	4.4	1.0
Services less medical care	216.9	5.0	.7	204.3	3.7	.8	184.8	3.1	.4

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

² Indexes on a December 1982=100 base.

³ Indexes on a 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, April 1987							
U.S. city average		316.9	335.6	285.9	263.2	360.6	377.6
Region and area size ¹							
Northeast urban	12/77	164.9	176.2	163.2	143.9	192.6	155.5
Size A - More than 1,200,000	12/77	164.8	175.0	162.3	145.3	192.7	155.1
Size B - 500,000 to 1,200,000	12/77	167.1	179.6	171.2	144.8	187.7	156.1
Size C - 50,000 to 500,000	12/77	164.4	179.8	160.6	138.7	200.0	154.4
North Central urban	12/77	158.9	177.6	156.1	143.6	176.9	151.9
Size A - More than 1,200,000	12/77	161.0	177.0	159.0	148.0	178.5	153.0
Size B - 360,000 to 1,200,000	12/77	152.6	177.0	147.4	140.0	168.8	146.5
Size C - 50,000 to 360,000	12/77	157.0	179.3	150.8	138.7	176.6	154.0
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	12/77	160.4	177.3	162.2	140.4	160.5	151.1
South urban	12/77	163.6	173.6	157.1	156.9	187.8	157.5
Size A - More than 1,200,000	12/77	168.9	175.8	158.9	159.2	189.6	163.8
Size B - 450,000 to 1,200,000	12/77	165.1	174.0	158.0	156.4	193.6	158.8
Size C - 50,000 to 450,000	12/77	160.2	173.1	150.4	157.4	182.3	156.1
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	12/77	161.0	171.3	165.2	152.9	181.6	146.2
West urban	12/77	168.1	165.7	161.1	152.7	191.3	162.0
Size A - More than 1,200,000	12/77	168.6	165.9	160.2	158.6	187.4	164.5
Size B - 330,000 to 1,200,000	12/77	168.5	191.9	163.8	152.3	190.7	159.4
Size C - 50,000 to 330,000	12/77	164.1	179.1	160.8	144.9	187.0	158.7
Size classes							
A	12/86	102.5	101.9	99.8	100.2	111.1	101.6
B	12/77	163.9	179.4	160.4	149.6	186.9	156.1
C	12/77	160.8	177.0	153.9	146.5	185.2	155.5
D	12/77	161.6	175.2	161.5	145.5	164.5	151.9
Selected local areas ²							
Baltimore, Md.		316.6	341.5	278.4	259.7	395.5	373.7
Boston, Mass.		302.7	327.1	294.4	241.0	327.7	348.8
Chicago, Ill.-Northwestern Ind.		313.1	337.5	293.6	254.8	361.5	361.6
Cleveland, Ohio		315.3	332.4	310.8	265.1	314.5	358.6
Dallas-Fort Worth, Tex.		316.5	329.6	275.5	280.8	329.2	388.7
Detroit, Mich.		299.1	345.4	284.6	244.4	301.2	353.2
Houston, Tex.		335.6	331.6	286.7	324.1	373.1	401.2
L.A.-Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif.		324.8	355.2	293.9	261.5	349.2	390.4
Miami, Fla.	11/77	188.1	167.6	157.9	153.8	203.3	159.1
N.Y., N.Y.-Northeastern N.J.		335.4	348.3	296.4	268.3	406.2	405.8
Philadelphia, Pa.-N.J.		316.1	337.7	284.2	251.1	358.3	396.3
Pittsburgh, Pa.		301.5	318.3	258.8	232.3	379.4	363.5
St. Louis, Mo.-Ill.		319.9	346.0	258.8	305.1	388.2	388.3
San Francisco-Oakland, Calif.		327.4	349.9	303.6	259.1	361.7	392.1
Washington, D.C.-Md.-Va.		342.0	350.5	302.8	258.0	411.2	427.8

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, March 1987 to April 1987						
U.S. city average	0.3	0.7	-0.2	-0.2	2.3	-0.3
Region and area size ¹						
Northeast urban .....	.4	.7	-.4	.0	2.9	-.2
Size A - More than 1,200,000 .....	.7	1.0	-.2	.1	3.0	.4
Size B - 500,000 to 1,200,000	1.2	.6	1.1	.7	3.0	.7
Size C - 50,000 to 500,000	-1.1	.1	-2.4	-1.1	2.6	-3.0
North Central urban .....	.3	1.1	-.3	-.6	2.2	-.5
Size A - More than 1,200,000 .....	.5	1.3	.1	-1.2	2.9	-.3
Size B - 360,000 to 1,200,000 .....	.2	1.3	-.6	-.1	1.1	.1
Size C - 50,000 to 360,000	-.3	1.2	-1.8	.0	2.3	-.9
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	-.1	-.4	.6	.8	-.3	-.9
South urban .....	.2	.3	-.2	.3	1.5	-.1
Size A - More than 1,200,000 .....	.2	.1	-.1	.4	1.4	-.5
Size B - 450,000 to 1,200,000	-.2	.4	-.3	-1.0	-.6	-.1
Size C - 50,000 to 450,000	1.0	1.3	.5	1.3	3.7	-.1
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	-.2	-.8	-1.7	.4	1.3	1.0
West urban .....	.5	.8	.1	-.4	2.8	-.3
Size A - More than 1,200,000 .....	.6	.5	.3	-.3	3.0	-.1
Size B - 330,000 to 1,200,000 .....	.2	2.5	.2	-.5	2.4	-2.0
Size C - 50,000 to 330,000 .....	.7	.8	.6	.3	1.4	.7
Size classes						
A .....	.5	.8	-.1	-.3	2.7	-.1
B .....	.2	1.0	.1	-.4	1.0	-.3
C .....	.2	1.0	-.6	.3	2.8	-.8
D	-.2	-.6	-1.3	.2	1.2	-.1
Selected local areas ²						
Baltimore, Md. ....	.8	1.6	.0	1.4	2.7	-.1
Boston, Mass.	-.5	-.2	-2.0	-.5	1.5	.0
Chicago, Ill.-Northwestern Ind.	1.5	3.1	1.2	-3.4	5.7	.4
Cleveland, Ohio	-1.3	-.2	-1.9	.6	-2.8	-.9
Dallas-Fort Worth, Tex.	-1.1	.3	1.7	-.4	-4.6	-2.9
Detroit, Mich.	-.3	.7	.0	-1.6	2.0	-2.1
Houston, Tex.	-.9	1.3	-3.0	-.3	1.1	-.8
L.A.-Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif. ....	.0	.8	-1.2	-.4	1.8	-.3
Miami, Fla. ....	.1	.1	-.3	.0	2.4	-1.3
N.Y., N.Y.-Northeastern N.J. ....	.5	1.3	-.9	.0	3.7	-.1
Philadelphia, Pa.-N.J.	1.5	.2	2.6	1.2	1.5	.9
Pittsburgh, Pa.	1.8	1.3	.5	-.5	4.5	2.4
St. Louis, Mo.-Ill.	-.2	-1.1	-1.4	.6	.7	.9
San Francisco-Oakland, Calif.	1.4	.1	2.4	-1.1	3.6	.3
Washington, D.C.-Md.-Va.	1.8	-.3	.2	.8	5.1	3.3

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, March 1987 to April 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	0.5	0.5	0.4	0.7	1.3	1.0
Food and beverages .....	.3	.8	.1	.4	.9	.9
Food .....	.3	.9	-.2	.3	1.0	1.1
Food at home .....	.3	1.5	.0	.5	1.5	1.4
Cereals and bakery products .....	.7	3.1	.8	1.3	.2	.1
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	-.2	1.2	-1.2	-.9	2.6	2.4
Meats, poultry, and fish	-.1	1.4	-.6	-1.0	2.7	2.4
Dairy products	-.2	-3.4	-.4	.0	1.2	-1.1
Fruits and vegetables	2.3	5.7	1.8	3.7	1.5	3.6
Other food at home	-.3	.4	-.3	-.1	.9	.3
Food away from home .....	.2	.0	-.3	.1	.0	.7
Alcoholic beverages .....	.3	-1.0	2.3	.0	.2	-.3
Housing .....	.4	.5	.8	.4	1.1	1.2
Shelter .....	.5	.3	1.2	.4	1.7	1.4
Renters' costs .....	.6	1.5	.1	.1	5.6	.3
Rent, residential .....	.2	-.3	.9	.3	.1	.3
Other renters' costs	1.7	7.8	-4.0	-.5	15.6	.0
Homeowners' costs .....	.5	-.2	1.7	.5	.2	1.9
Owners' equivalent rent .....	.5	-.2	1.7	.6	.2	1.9
Fuel and other utilities	-.2	.5	1.0	-1.3	-.4	.4
Fuels	-.6	.7	1.6	-2.0	-.2	.8
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities .....	.0	1.6	-.4	.0	-1.3	.0
Fuel oil	-.1	2.8	NA	.1	-1.8	.0
Other household commodities .....	.1	.0	-.5	-.6	.7	.0
Gas (piped) and electricity	-.7	.7	1.7	-2.5	.0	.8
Electricity	-.7	-.1	2.2	-3.9	-.1	1.2
Utility (piped) gas	-.5	1.5	.5	-.2	.1	.0
Household furnishings and operation .....	.4	1.5	-.9	2.5	.0	.6
Apparel and upkeep	1.6	-.4	-2.4	2.2	6.0	2.0
Apparel commodities	1.8	-.1	-2.7	2.5	6.5	2.2
Men's and boys' apparel	1.0	-2.8	-3.4	3.3	.8	3.8
Women's and girls' apparel	2.9	1.3	-3.3	1.7	16.6	2.3
Footwear	1.2	1.3	2.7	2.5	-.5	-.8
Transportation .....	.9	.5	.6	1.2	1.3	.4
Private transportation	1.0	.6	.5	1.4	1.6	.9
Motor fuel	2.5	4.2	1.5	2.6	1.9	1.6
Gasoline	2.5	4.5	1.7	2.6	1.8	1.6
Gasoline, leaded regular	2.7	4.3	2.4	2.7	2.2	1.9
Gasoline, unleaded regular	2.6	4.9	1.4	2.9	2.0	1.4
Gasoline, unleaded premium	2.1	2.8	1.1	2.3	1.3	1.6
Public transportation	-.1	.0	1.2	.5	-1.7	-2.5
Medical care .....	.5	.3	.4	.8	.0	.6
Entertainment .....	.5	.3	.9	.7	2.2	1.2
Other goods and services .....	.2	.2	.3	.2	.2	.2
Personal care .....	.3	-.4	.9	.3	-.3	.3

Table 16. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Areas priced monthly, by expenditure category and commodity and service group, percent change, March 1987 to April 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	0.5	0.5	0.4	0.7	1.3	1.0
Commodities .....	.7	.8	-.2	1.1	1.6	1.1
Food and beverages .....	.3	.8	.1	.4	.9	.9
Commodities less food and beverages .....	.9	.8	-.5	1.7	2.1	1.3
Nondurables less food and beverages	1.3	.6	-.4	1.9	3.4	1.1
Durables .....	.5	1.2	-.5	1.6	.2	1.4
Services .....	.4	.2	.9	.3	1.1	.9
Medical care services .....	.5	.1	.3	1.0	.0	.6
Special indexes						
All items less shelter .....	.5	.6	.1	.8	1.1	.8
All items less medical care .....	.5	.5	.4	.6	1.4	1.0
All items less energy .....	.5	.4	.3	.7	1.4	.9
Energy .....	.7	2.3	1.6	-.5	.5	1.2
Commodities less food .....	.9	.7	-.3	1.7	2.0	1.1
Nondurables less food	1.2	.4	-.1	1.7	3.2	.9
Nondurables .....	.8	.7	-.1	1.0	2.1	1.0
Services less rent of shelter .....	.2	.1	.5	.2	.5	.2
Services less medical care .....	.4	.2	.9	.3	1.2	.9

^{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—					
		Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986		Feb. 1987	Apr. 1987		Apr. 1986	Feb. 1987		Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986	Feb. 1987	Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986	Feb. 1987
Expenditure category																
All items	337.7	3.8	1.0	337.1	4.1	0.9	351.8	3.0	1.2	330.5	3.7	0.9				
All items(1957-59=100)	392.7	-	-	382.9	-	-	380.3	-	-	379.7	-	-				
Food and beverages	322.5	4.5	.3	310.9	4.8	.2	339.1	4.0	-.9	297.5	3.5	-.3				
Food	331.0	4.7	.3	319.8	5.0	.2	345.9	4.7	-.8	301.0	3.5	-.5				
Food at home	316.9	5.1	.1	313.1	5.9	.3	316.5	3.5	-2.5	299.1	3.9	-.9				
Cereals and bakery products	335.6	4.1	.9	337.5	5.0	2.9	329.6	.5	1.3	345.4	2.4	-.4				
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	285.9	8.2	-.2	293.6	7.8	-1.0	275.5	8.6	1.1	284.6	10.2	-2.1				
Meats, poultry, and fish	295.3	9.2	.2	307.1	9.0	-.6	288.3	9.9	1.5	290.6	11.2	-1.3				
Dairy products	263.2	2.5	-.6	254.8	4.2	-3.7	280.8	5.4	-6.3	244.4	1.1	-2.6				
Fruits and vegetables	360.6	9.4	1.5	361.5	13.5	2.6	329.2	.3	-6.2	301.2	10.9	4.0				
Other food at home	377.6	.4	-.6	361.6	.1	.8	368.7	1.5	-3.9	353.2	-5.0	-1.6				
Food away from home	371.5	4.1	.5	336.2	3.2	.0	422.3	6.3	1.7	317.1	2.5	.3				
Alcoholic beverages	244.3	2.0	.5	221.4	2.6	.1	260.0	-3.2	-2.6	276.4	1.5	1.0				
Housing	367.7	2.7	.7	376.4	2.3	.5	380.5	-.6	1.0	368.0	2.6	.2				
Shelter	418.0	4.5	1.0	443.4	3.6	.2	439.1	-.1	.6	419.7	5.7	.5				
Renters' costs ²	127.1	5.1	1.0	128.0	5.3	1.3	119.5	.2	2.0	127.6	7.6	-3.1				
Rent, residential	288.8	3.9	.3	255.0	3.8	-.5	277.1	-1.5	-.1	273.5	6.6	1.6				
Other renters' costs	446.1	8.6	3.6	458.1	6.6	7.5	441.8	6.7	10.6	388.3	8.8	-10.2				
Homeowners' costs ²	123.6	4.1	.9	123.8	3.0	-.2	118.7	-.4	.1	120.5	5.3	1.7				
Owners' equivalent rent ²	123.6	4.1	.9	122.7	2.7	-.2	119.3	-.4	.1	120.7	5.4	1.7				
Fuel and other utilities	374.2	-2.0	-.2	324.8	-.2	1.4	336.2	-4.0	3.2	434.7	-2.0	-1.4				
Fuels	442.0	-3.8	-.7	386.0	-2.4	.1	442.2	-4.5	5.3	495.9	-4.9	-.9				
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities ³	500.5	-3.4	-.5	495.1	-4.1	.4	182.6	-8.1	-4.3	538.3	-2.2	-1.6				
Fuel oil ⁴	496.4	-2.4	-.9	182.5	-.6	.6	NA	NA	NA	177.8	-2.0	-1.8				
Other household fuel commodities ⁵	102.1	-	.3	100.0	-	.0	96.7	-	-4.4	100.7	-	-1.5				
Gas (piped) and electricity	425.9	-3.0	-.7	358.5	-1.8	.1	440.3	-4.8	5.4	486.9	-5.2	-.8				
Electricity	354.1	-1.2	-.4	310.8	.6	.5	295.9	-3.3	17.0	309.3	-7.8	-3.7				
Utility (piped) gas	519.9	-5.8	-1.3	396.1	-4.5	-3	633.1	-7.0	-10.4	647.0	-3.3	1.7				
Household furnishings and operation	255.2	2.2	.7	249.1	.6	.6	270.0	2.6	.8	214.6	.0	1.4				
Apparel and upkeep	218.7	5.5	4.9	177.6	7.4	4.8	241.5	10.7	8.6	181.2	7.3	6.6				
Apparel commodities	202.6	5.7	5.5	160.6	9.6	5.0	204.2	10.4	9.5	163.9	7.4	6.7				
Men's and boys' apparel	205.6	3.0	2.9	147.4	6.5	1.0	216.4	3.8	11.4	181.9	8.5	2.0				
Women's and girls' apparel	182.2	8.5	8.6	141.2	17.5	7.5	195.7	20.2	16.6	152.4	8.2	12.3				
Footwear	219.2	3.7	3.9	181.9	-3.3	1.7	213.0	-1.7	.4	142.2	-.6	3.0				
Transportation	313.3	3.3	1.1	311.8	5.4	1.3	303.4	1.7	-.3	310.6	2.9	1.3				
Private transportation	304.8	3.2	1.2	296.8	5.2	1.4	302.2	2.2	.4	307.0	3.2	1.4				
Motor fuel ⁴	297.2	6.3	3.2	154.9	12.7	4.0	158.6	8.2	1.9	157.2	11.6	4.0				
Gasoline ⁴	296.7	6.5	3.2	154.5	13.7	4.3	158.5	8.4	1.9	156.9	11.9	4.0				
Gasoline, leaded regular ⁶	165.9	9.3	3.6	177.6	19.2	4.8	178.1	12.0	2.1	172.4	16.6	6.7				
Gasoline, unleaded regular ⁶	169.0	6.6	3.2	172.5	14.5	4.6	177.4	7.3	2.1	175.3	11.1	3.2				
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁷	77.3	2.2	2.5	84.3	5.0	2.4	78.1	5.4	1.2	81.5	6.5	3.2				
Public transportation	440.6	4.4	.2	464.9	6.7	.0	357.4	-2.6	-8.5	398.2	-1.7	-.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											
	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—	
		Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986		Feb. 1987	Apr. 1987		Apr. 1986	Feb. 1987		Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986	Feb. 1987
Expenditure category												
Medical care	457.3	6.8	1.1	451.7	6.5	0.5	474.1	7.0	2.8	489.1	7.0	1.1
Entertainment	281.3	3.3	.9	301.9	6.7	1.8	303.3	6.5	.8	245.7	4.5	2.0
Other goods and services	361.1	5.6	.4	361.0	4.2	.2	370.8	10.2	.3	331.2	5.2	.6
Personal care	297.3	2.3	.3	277.4	-1.6	-.7	318.9	9.8	.4	234.6	1.1	-.3
Commodity and service group												
All items	337.7	3.8	1.0	337.1	4.1	.9	351.8	3.0	1.2	330.5	3.7	.9
Commodities	291.4	3.6	1.3	290.3	4.6	1.4	309.0	4.5	1.6	270.0	3.6	1.7
Food and beverages	322.5	4.5	.3	310.9	4.8	.2	339.1	4.0	-.9	297.5	3.5	-.3
Commodities less food and beverages	270.4	3.0	2.0	271.7	4.4	2.2	286.9	4.1	2.7	251.8	3.9	2.9
Nondurables less food and beverages	273.2	4.3	2.9	259.3	6.4	2.7	278.2	7.7	4.7	251.2	7.4	4.5
Durables	273.0	1.4	.7	282.1	1.6	1.4	300.3	.1	.4	249.3	-.8	.8
Services	412.8	4.0	.7	409.1	3.8	.4	414.1	1.9	.8	424.9	3.7	.2
Medical care services	494.7	7.0	1.0	495.9	6.1	.2	513.0	7.5	3.0	511.2	6.7	1.2
Special indexes												
All items less shelter	314.6	3.6	1.0	302.0	4.4	1.1	322.7	4.2	1.4	303.2	3.1	1.0
All items less medical care	331.1	3.6	.9	330.6	4.0	.9	343.5	2.8	1.1	320.3	3.5	.9
All items less energy ⁶	338.2	4.3	1.0	190.2	4.2	.8	192.6	3.8	.9	179.3	4.1	.8
Energy ⁴	362.4	.2	.9	162.3	4.0	1.8	158.4	1.4	3.7	169.2	1.3	1.1
Commodities less food	268.9	2.9	1.9	269.8	4.3	2.1	285.9	3.8	2.5	253.3	3.8	2.8
Nondurables less food	269.6	4.0	2.7	255.7	6.0	2.4	276.3	6.8	4.2	252.9	6.9	4.2
Nondurables	299.1	4.5	1.5	287.1	5.5	1.3	310.0	8.4	2.1	275.9	5.3	2.0
Services less rent of shelter ²	121.6	3.6	.4	118.1	4.1	.6	123.5	3.9	1.0	120.7	1.9	.0
Services less medical care	401.5	3.7	.7	395.4	3.5	.5	399.8	1.3	.6	403.6	3.3	.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								
	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—	
	Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986	Feb. 1987	Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986	Feb. 1987	Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986	Feb. 1987
Expenditure category									
All items	341.1	3.4	1.9	342.8	4.9	1.2	337.0	4.9	1.1
All items(1957-59 = 100)	390.2	-	-	403.1	-	-	401.0	-	-
Food and beverages	351.8	4.6	-2	317.0	4.8	-7	337.9	5.7	.6
Food	360.9	5.2	.0	327.9	4.9	-9	350.0	5.8	.8
Food at home	335.8	6.5	.1	324.8	6.9	-1.5	335.4	6.4	.8
Cereals and bakery products	331.6	5.8	3.9	355.2	5.8	.3	346.3	5.2	.6
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	286.7	4.7	-2.9	293.9	9.9	-2.1	298.4	9.7	-3
Meats, poultry, and fish	298.1	5.6	-2.7	298.3	10.6	-1.0	305.2	10.6	-2
Dairy products	324.1	10.4	1.5	261.5	3.4	.0	268.3	-4	.2
Fruits and vegetables	373.1	16.2	1.4	349.2	13.2	-1.4	406.2	12.7	3.9
Other food at home	401.2	1.6	.3	390.4	1.1	-2.5	405.8	.8	.0
Food away from home	441.7	2.5	-1	336.9	1.9	.0	389.2	5.3	.4
Alcoholic beverages	262.6	-1.7	-2.1	231.1	3.9	1.9	237.6	3.4	.6
Housing	348.6	.7	3.6	385.6	5.6	1.8	347.4	3.5	.2
Shelter	385.9	2.0	4.6	444.9	7.0	2.2	380.4	5.9	.4
Renters' costs ²	99.9	4.2	5.4	132.8	5.7	.9	130.3	7.2	-1
Rent, residential	216.1	-1.1	1.4	357.7	6.2	1.4	308.9	6.6	.0
Other renters' costs	509.0	17.7	18.8	375.5	3.0	-1.7	474.6	7.8	-3
Homeowners' costs ²	98.5	1.0	4.2	134.1	7.6	2.6	129.1	4.9	.5
Owners' equivalent rent ²	93.9	.5	4.2	134.1	7.6	2.9	129.4	4.9	.6
Fuel and other utilities	407.2	-2.3	.5	345.7	1.0	.6	362.1	-6.2	-1.8
Fuels	491.7	-5.6	.6	449.6	1.4	.6	452.0	-8.1	-3.1
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities ³	NA	NA	NA	181.5	11.5	.4	549.3	-2.6	-1.0
Fuel oil ⁴	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	179.0	-2.5	-1.0
Other household fuel commodities ⁵	101.9	-	.5	107.7	-	.4	101.3	-	-.9
Gas (piped) and electricity	494.9	-5.5	.5	450.6	1.3	.6	414.4	-8.9	-3.6
Electricity	399.3	-5.2	1.3	379.8	-1.4	2.2	355.3	-9.0	-5.3
Utility (piped) gas	614.7	-5.8	-2.2	559.0	6.0	-2.6	518.9	-8.6	-.8
Household furnishings and operation	247.9	-.3	3.7	237.4	3.0	.9	266.5	4.5	2.1
Apparel and upkeep	267.0	5.8	4.5	192.1	4.7	2.5	207.3	8.0	6.8
Apparel commodities	242.8	6.4	4.8	178.3	4.9	2.9	183.3	8.5	7.5
Men's and boys' apparel	258.8	4.0	-2	174.9	.3	-.8	172.6	4.9	6.3
Women's and girls' apparel	252.0	21.9	12.7	138.6	8.8	6.9	163.9	13.0	7.1
Footwear	260.3	2.6	.8	223.5	6.3	2.9	211.1	5.7	4.9
Transportation	281.2	4.2	1.0	335.5	3.6	1.4	344.6	3.9	1.6
Private transportation	261.1	4.6	1.0	334.5	3.8	1.2	312.9	4.0	1.9
Motor fuel ⁴	156.2	18.1	3.0	154.2	.6	4.1	147.8	4.0	4.2
Gasoline ⁴	158.0	18.1	3.0	154.8	1.0	4.3	147.6	4.3	4.3
Gasoline, leaded regular ⁶	173.4	20.9	3.3	173.0	2.9	5.1	150.2	5.9	5.3
Gasoline, unleaded regular ⁶	174.7	19.5	3.1	175.9	.1	4.0	154.4	4.5	4.5
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁷	76.3	11.7	2.5	79.4	-.3	3.4	75.8	3.1	3.7
Public transportation	344.6	4.0	.8	354.5	2.9	2.9	484.7	3.0	.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—	
	Apr. 1967	Apr. 1966	Feb. 1967	Apr. 1967	Apr. 1966	Feb. 1967	Apr. 1967	Apr. 1966	Feb. 1967
Expenditure category									
Medical care	517.0	5.6	1.0	485.7	7.3	0.7	479.2	9.6	2.4
Entertainment	303.8	2.5	.5	237.3	2.5	.8	298.6	3.8	1.2
Other goods and services	356.5	5.2	-.1	342.7	3.3	.4	376.7	5.7	.7
Personal care	335.8	.0	-.8	293.6	2.0	.3	319.6	2.1	1.9
Commodity and service group									
All items	341.1	3.4	1.9	342.8	4.9	1.2	337.0	4.9	1.1
Commodities	307.7	4.6	1.6	276.7	3.5	.7	293.9	5.1	2.2
Food and beverages	351.8	4.6	-.2	317.0	4.8	-.7	337.9	5.7	.6
Commodities less food and beverages	282.4	4.5	2.6	254.1	2.5	1.7	260.0	4.3	3.4
Nondurables less food and beverages	284.9	6.6	2.5	258.7	3.1	2.3	269.0	5.3	4.4
Durables	289.1	1.7	2.7	254.1	1.6	1.0	248.8	2.9	1.8
Services	401.2	1.9	2.2	442.3	6.1	1.5	400.8	4.7	.4
Medical care services	562.2	5.9	1.1	519.3	7.7	.6	517.6	10.2	2.4
Special indexes									
All items less shelter	328.6	3.6	1.2	306.1	3.9	.7	323.6	4.5	1.5
All items less medical care	330.6	3.1	1.9	335.1	4.7	1.2	329.8	4.6	1.1
All items less energy ⁶	169.2	3.4	1.9	187.1	5.4	1.1	180.1	5.6	1.2
Energy ⁴	169.0	6.0	1.9	173.7	.3	2.5	154.0	-4.5	-.8
Commodities less food	281.1	4.1	2.4	253.1	2.5	1.7	257.8	4.3	3.3
Nondurables less food	282.3	5.8	2.1	255.3	3.1	2.2	264.0	5.1	4.1
Nondurables	319.7	5.7	1.1	289.3	4.1	.6	306.8	5.7	2.3
Services less rent of shelter ²	112.2	1.7	.4	126.6	4.9	.6	123.6	3.7	.3
Services less medical care	379.7	1.3	2.3	431.2	5.9	1.6	388.1	4.3	.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								
	Philadelphia, Pa.-N.J.			Pittsburgh, Pa.			San Francisco-Oakland, Calif.		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
		Apr. 1986	Feb. 1987		Apr. 1986	Feb. 1987		Apr. 1986	Feb. 1987
Expenditure category									
All items	333.8	5.0	1.5	338.2	3.1	0.9	353.0	4.0	1.2
All items(1957-59=100)	389.9	-	-	389.0	-	-	420.1	-	-
Food and beverages	324.6	4.2	.6	313.5	5.4	.9	323.9	4.3	1.4
Food	335.5	4.5	.6	318.4	5.7	.9	336.3	4.8	1.7
Food at home	316.1	5.2	.6	301.5	6.5	1.2	327.4	6.3	2.5
Cereals and bakery products	337.7	4.4	.3	318.3	1.7	1.1	349.9	3.4	-.8
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	284.2	7.5	.1	258.8	9.5	-.1	303.6	10.2	5.2
Meats, poultry, and fish	295.4	8.5	.0	268.7	10.7	.5	309.5	10.4	5.9
Dairy products	251.1	.0	.3	232.3	5.3	-2.0	259.1	4.6	-.3
Fruits and vegetables	358.3	10.8	3.1	379.4	18.1	4.7	361.7	14.6	6.9
Other food at home	396.3	1.8	-.2	363.5	-1.3	1.8	392.1	-1.9	-.7
Food away from home	395.7	3.3	.7	380.5	4.1	.4	349.9	2.7	.6
Alcoholic beverages	247.0	1.4	.0	285.6	.9	.7	216.3	.5	-.6
Housing	347.6	4.2	1.1	381.5	.8	-.2	412.9	4.2	.8
Shelter	392.1	7.7	1.8	458.9	2.5	.2	473.1	6.2	1.0
Renters' costs ²	144.6	15.1	5.9	125.3	3.2	-.2	138.6	6.0	.1
Rent, residential	311.9	3.8	.4	261.9	.0	-.2	374.2	5.2	-.1
Other renters' costs	710.5	49.5	15.6	466.3	9.7	-.3	421.5	15.7	.8
Homeowners' costs ²	129.6	4.9	.2	116.8	2.5	.3	140.3	6.1	1.4
Owners' equivalent rent ²	129.6	4.7	.2	116.8	2.5	.3	140.4	6.1	1.4
Fuel and other utilities	368.9	-5.7	-.9	384.6	-1.4	-.2	397.6	-2.4	.4
Fuels	422.0	-7.3	-1.0	489.1	-2.3	-.2	455.0	-3.6	1.0
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities ³	495.3	-7.0	.1	NA	NA	NA	203.4	10.6	10.1
Fuel oil ⁴	168.8	-6.3	-2.1	151.4	-5.6	-5.2	205.9	15.4	2.0
Other household fuel commodities ⁵	102.5	-	9.9	NA	NA	NA	109.6	-	11.0
Gas (piped) and electricity	401.0	-4.9	-1.2	491.2	-2.2	-.1	457.7	-4.0	.8
Electricity	392.1	-2.3	-1.9	352.5	.1	.4	323.0	-3.1	1.2
Utility (piped) gas	402.7	-6.1	.1	617.7	-4.2	-.5	646.3	-5.9	.0
Household furnishings and operation	257.6	4.3	.4	227.9	-1.4	-1.4	275.5	2.5	.0
Apparel and upkeep	199.9	10.9	6.8	209.9	8.9	6.3	224.2	4.5	5.4
Apparel commodities	182.6	11.8	7.4	199.2	9.2	6.7	201.8	3.6	6.2
Men's and boys' apparel	182.1	7.8	3.2	180.7	4.2	7.3	209.8	.7	-.2
Women's and girls' apparel	120.7	17.3	14.0	189.3	24.6	11.5	188.5	6.1	12.6
Footwear	230.8	23.1	5.9	198.6	-4.2	-1.0	210.0	6.2	2.9
Transportation	338.3	5.5	1.9	316.0	1.7	1.3	309.9	2.0	1.6
Private transportation	332.9	5.0	2.1	308.5	1.5	1.5	307.8	2.3	2.4
Motor fuel ⁴	159.5	9.7	3.1	149.4	7.2	2.5	152.4	3.9	5.8
Gasoline ⁴	160.1	10.0	3.2	149.6	7.3	2.6	152.2	3.7	6.0
Gasoline, leaded regular ⁶	174.7	11.6	4.1	160.8	9.1	2.7	166.3	7.8	5.5
Gasoline, unleaded regular ⁶	171.9	10.8	3.2	182.0	6.8	2.8	171.1	2.6	5.8
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁷	75.7	6.9	1.9	73.5	5.5	1.7	77.8	1.6	4.0
Public transportation	411.3	9.6	-1.1	446.0	4.9	-1.1	330.7	2.2	-2.5

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—	
		Apr. 1986	Feb. 1987		Apr. 1986	Feb. 1987		Apr. 1986	Feb. 1987
Expenditure category	Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986	Feb. 1987	Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986	Feb. 1987	Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986	Feb. 1987
Medical care	488.6	4.1	0.2	476.0	7.2	1.9	437.4	7.6	1.1
Entertainment	260.0	2.7	2.2	294.1	2.3	.5	289.2	3.1	-.3
Other goods and services	393.4	7.7	.3	331.6	3.7	.1	376.7	5.4	.4
Personal care	306.1	5.1	-.2	247.5	-.7	-.1	313.1	3.7	.7
Commodity and service group									
All items	333.8	5.0	1.5	338.2	3.1	.9	353.0	4.0	1.2
Commodities	284.0	4.4	1.9	283.9	3.8	1.5	292.2	3.5	2.0
Food and beverages	324.6	4.2	.8	313.5	5.4	.9	323.9	4.3	1.4
Commodities less food and beverages	256.1	4.4	2.7	258.2	2.5	1.9	273.1	3.1	2.4
Nondurables less food and beverages	267.0	6.2	4.5	250.9	4.9	3.0	266.4	4.0	3.5
Durables	252.3	2.2	.4	268.7	-.7	.4	285.6	1.8	.9
Services	418.7	5.8	1.2	431.6	2.5	.3	440.3	4.7	.7
Medical care services	538.0	3.5	.0	522.5	7.1	2.0	474.0	7.5	.5
Special indexes									
All items less shelter	321.0	4.2	1.3	309.0	3.3	1.1	317.4	3.3	1.3
All items less medical care	325.3	5.1	1.5	330.4	2.8	.9	347.8	3.8	1.2
All items less energy ²	179.3	5.8	1.6	178.6	3.4	1.0	190.1	4.6	1.1
Energy ⁴	169.5	-1.8	.4	175.5	1.6	.9	175.9	-.4	3.3
Commodities less food	254.8	4.3	2.6	260.9	2.5	1.9	269.9	2.8	2.2
Nondurables less food	264.0	5.6	4.1	255.0	4.6	2.8	260.2	3.3	2.9
Nondurables	299.2	5.2	2.4	285.8	5.2	1.9	296.5	4.1	2.3
Services less rent of shelter ³	128.1	4.1	.5	118.5	2.2	.4	121.3	3.1	.3
Services less medical care	399.6	8.0	1.2	419.7	1.9	.2	434.2	4.4	.7

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 1978=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

Pittsburgh

San Francisco

December 1977=100.

February 1978=100.

December 1977=100.

April 1978=100.

December 1977=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 Apr. 1987 from—			Percent change to Mar. 1987 from—		
			Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986	Feb. 1987	Mar. 1987	Mar. 1986	Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987
U.S. city average	M		327.7	329.0	330.5	332.3	3.7	1.0	0.5	2.8	0.9	0.5
Region and area size ²												
Northeast urban	M	12/77	175.5	176.0	177.0	178.2	4.1	1.3	.7	-	.9	.6
Size A - More than 1,200,000	M	12/77	171.8	172.3	173.0	174.4	4.5	1.2	.8	-	.8	.4
Size B - 500,000 to 1,200,000	M	12/77	176.2	176.2	177.7	179.3	4.4	1.8	.9	-	.9	.9
Size C - 50,000 to 500,000	M	12/77	191.4	191.7	193.1	193.1	3.0	.7	.0	-	.9	.7
North Central urban	M	12/77	174.3	174.4	175.3	176.2	3.6	1.0	.5	-	.6	.5
Size A - More than 1,200,000	M	12/77	176.3	176.6	177.3	178.3	3.6	1.0	.6	-	.6	.4
Size B - 360,000 to 1,200,000	M	12/77	172.7	172.6	173.1	174.6	4.1	1.2	.9	-	.2	.3
Size C - 50,000 to 360,000	M	12/77	170.3	169.9	171.5	172.2	4.3	1.4	.4	-	.7	.9
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	M	12/77	173.7	174.1	175.1	175.7	2.5	.9	.3	-	.8	.6
South urban	M	12/77	177.5	178.3	179.0	179.7	3.2	.8	.4	-	.8	.4
Size A - More than 1,200,000	M	12/77	177.8	178.7	179.6	180.7	3.3	1.1	.6	-	1.0	.5
Size B - 450,000 to 1,200,000	M	12/77	176.5	177.4	178.1	178.7	3.2	.7	.3	-	.9	.4
Size C - 50,000 to 450,000	M	12/77	177.9	179.0	179.3	179.8	3.2	.4	.3	-	.8	.2
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	M	12/77	177.9	177.9	178.4	178.6	2.6	.4	.1	-	.3	.3
West urban	M	12/77	177.9	179.3	180.1	181.1	3.8	1.0	.6	-	1.2	.4
Size A - More than 1,250,000	M	12/77	178.4	180.2	181.0	182.1	4.1	1.1	.6	-	1.5	.4
Size B - 330,000 to 1,250,000	M	12/77	180.0	180.8	181.5	182.8	3.2	1.1	.7	-	.8	.4
Size C - 50,000 to 330,000	M	12/77	171.9	172.7	173.3	173.8	2.9	.6	.3	-	.8	.3
Size classes												
A	M	12/86	100.6	101.1	101.6	102.2	-	1.1	.6	-	1.0	.5
B	M	12/77	176.5	177.0	177.8	178.9	3.6	1.1	.6	-	.7	.5
C	M	12/77	177.5	178.0	178.9	179.4	3.5	.8	.3	-	.8	.5
D	M	12/77	176.7	177.1	177.6	178.1	2.6	.6	.3	-	.5	.3

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1967=100, unless otherwise noted)

Area	Pricing schedule ¹	Other index base	Indexes				Percent change to Apr. 1987 from—			Percent change to Mar. 1987 from—		
			Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986	Feb. 1987	Mar. 1987	Mar. 1986	Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987
Selected local areas ³												
Chicago, Ill.-Northwestern Ind.	M	11/77	319.1	319.0	320.1	321.6	4.0	0.8	0.5	3.4	0.3	0.3
L.A.-Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif.	M		327.4	331.2	333.4	334.8	4.6	1.1	.4	3.7	1.8	.7
N.Y., N.Y.-Northeastern N.J.	M		322.3	324.0	325.7	328.2	4.8	1.3	.8	3.6	1.1	.5
Philadelphia, Pa.-N.J.	M		329.1	329.9	330.4	334.9	4.8	1.5	1.4	2.8	.4	.2
San Francisco-Oakland, Calif.	M		339.0	342.2	343.4	346.9	4.1	1.4	1.0	-	1.3	.4
Baltimore, Md.	1		331.1	-	333.2	-	-	-	-	1.1	.6	-
Boston, Mass.	1		330.9	-	334.7	-	-	-	-	3.8	1.1	-
Cleveland, Ohio	1		330.1	-	333.3	-	-	-	-	-	1.0	-
Miami, Fla.	1		177.6	-	178.6	-	-	-	-	2.0	.6	-
St. Louis, Mo.-Ill.	1		321.9	-	324.3	-	-	-	-	3.0	.7	-
Washington, D.C.-Md.-Va.	1	337.7	-	340.1	-	-	-	-	2.9	.7	-	
Dallas-Fort Worth, Tex.	2	-	341.1	-	344.4	3.1	1.0	-	-	-	-	
Detroit, Mich.	2	-	316.5	-	319.9	3.8	1.1	-	-	-	-	
Houston, Tex.	2	-	333.0	-	338.5	3.3	1.7	-	-	-	-	
Pittsburgh, Pa.	2	-	314.2	-	316.6	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—	
		Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986		Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987		Apr. 1986	Mar. 1987		Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986	Mar. 1987
Expenditure category												
All items	178.2	4.1	0.7	176.2	3.6	0.5	179.7	3.2	0.4	181.1	3.8	0.6
Food and beverages	169.4	5.2	.2	162.3	4.3	.1	169.0	4.1	.2	172.6	4.1	.5
Food	169.7	5.3	.3	162.5	4.4	.1	169.5	4.2	.2	173.6	4.3	.4
Food at home	163.7	5.5	.5	158.4	5.0	.3	162.6	4.2	.2	167.8	5.3	.5
Cereals and bakery products	176.2	4.7	.7	179.9	4.5	1.1	170.0	2.3	.4	182.5	4.6	.8
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	163.0	8.9	-.2	154.8	8.3	-.3	157.2	7.4	-.1	161.7	8.7	.2
Dairy products	143.1	.8	-.1	143.0	3.0	-.6	156.9	3.8	.3	153.3	2.6	-.3
Fruits and vegetables	187.0	9.4	2.8	176.2	9.4	2.3	185.2	7.6	1.3	187.7	9.6	2.6
Other food at home	155.1	1.2	-.2	152.5	-.1	-.5	157.7	.5	-.1	163.3	.4	-.2
Sugar and sweets	170.6	2.0	-.5	171.2	.6	.4	176.5	.9	.1	180.2	2.4	-.1
Fats and oils	150.8	3.4	-1.6	149.0	1.4	.0	141.3	-.3	-.3	155.7	.4	-2.0
Nonalcoholic beverages	142.7	-.9	-.8	131.6	-4.8	-2.2	147.5	-2.5	-.6	144.8	-5.1	-1.0
Other prepared food	169.8	3.2	1.0	173.9	4.2	.6	171.5	4.6	.3	183.7	5.3	.8
Food away from home	186.0	5.3	.1	171.6	3.5	.0	186.1	4.1	.2	185.8	2.8	.3
Alcoholic beverages	165.0	3.1	.0	159.6	2.4	.1	160.4	.8	.0	159.7	1.3	.9
Housing	186.5	2.9	.5	187.8	2.5	.2	186.0	1.3	.0	188.2	3.7	.6
Shelter	207.0	5.4	.6	205.4	4.7	.5	203.0	2.0	.1	199.7	5.1	.8
Renters' costs ²	118.2	6.9	.8	112.6	4.6	.8	109.3	2.9	.2	113.9	4.3	.3
Rent, residential	184.1	4.8	.3	167.4	3.5	-.1	173.9	2.1	-.1	202.0	4.4	.4
Other renters' costs	243.2	17.0	2.8	232.5	5.7	3.8	239.4	9.1	1.7	215.9	2.9	-.8
Homeowners' costs ²	116.0	4.7	.5	111.4	4.8	.4	107.4	1.5	.1	115.3	5.6	1.2
Owners' equivalent rent ²	116.3	4.8	.5	111.3	4.8	.3	107.2	1.4	.0	115.1	5.6	1.2
Maintenance and repairs	171.0	3.4	-.5	161.6	3.0	.2	168.0	2.6	-.1	190.8	5.9	-.2
Maintenance and repair services	181.7	1.5	-.6	174.8	5.1	.2	172.6	4.3	-.5	215.7	6.1	.2
Maintenance and repair commodities	144.6	5.5	-.3	139.7	.6	.3	153.5	.7	.5	150.3	5.1	-.5
Fuel and other utilities	172.2	-4.1	-.2	185.0	-1.5	-.3	178.0	-1.2	-.3	193.4	-.9	.3
Fuels ³	169.7	-5.7	-.3	172.3	-4.2	-.5	174.5	-3.2	-1.2	207.6	-.8	.0
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities ³	171.5	-4.1	-.1	160.1	-6.3	-.2	171.6	-5.6	.2	173.5	2.1	-.7
Fuel oil ³	171.4	-3.7	-.2	167.0	-2.7	1.0	161.3	-3.3	.1	173.0	7.0	.0
Other household fuel commodities ⁴	102.6	-	.7	98.0	-	-1.3	103.4	-	.3	102.4	-	-1.1
Gas (piped) and electricity ³	172.4	-4.5	-.3	175.0	-3.5	-.5	175.4	-2.7	-1.3	212.6	-.8	.1
Electricity ³	166.1	-1.7	-.5	157.3	-1.3	-.8	167.5	-2.3	-1.1	196.3	.8	.1
Utility (piped) gas ³	182.1	-8.7	-.1	197.8	-5.6	-.2	194.2	-4.3	-2.1	240.4	-3.2	.2
Other utilities and public services	163.0	2.3	-.1	173.4	3.6	-.2	160.1	3.2	.8	185.8	-.5	.4
Household furnishings and operation	148.4	2.7	.9	144.9	1.0	.2	146.8	2.2	.1	147.3	2.5	.1
Household furnishings	137.5	2.6	1.4	131.2	-.4	-.2	135.7	2.7	.2	132.4	2.7	.2
Housekeeping supplies	156.9	3.1	.0	169.2	3.6	.7	161.3	1.6	-.2	173.9	3.6	.1
Housekeeping services	171.5	2.0	.1	163.0	1.2	.6	163.9	2.1	.1	165.0	1.4	.2
Apparel and upkeep	137.5	7.9	2.6	133.4	4.0	2.4	143.1	5.6	1.6	135.9	4.5	.1
Apparel commodities	129.6	8.4	2.9	127.5	4.2	2.5	134.8	5.5	1.7	128.8	4.5	.2
Men's and boys' apparel	126.8	4.9	3.0	122.9	.9	.5	140.3	2.9	1.0	129.8	1.2	.3
Women's and girls' apparel	122.0	12.2	3.6	122.1	7.4	4.6	130.1	9.5	3.3	113.6	5.1	.6
Infants' and toddlers' apparel	160.0	5.6	-.7	174.7	4.6	.6	135.2	-1.5	.0	150.5	-2.3	-1.9
Footwear	141.2	6.2	1.4	132.4	.7	1.5	133.7	3.5	.2	147.0	4.8	1.3
Other apparel commodities	136.2	4.2	3.0	141.6	4.9	.1	133.8	1.7	.5	143.2	9.6	-2.5
Apparel services	195.4	3.5	.1	184.1	2.3	.0	204.4	4.9	-.1	195.3	3.3	-.2

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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—	
		Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986		Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987		Apr. 1986	Mar. 1987		Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986	Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986	Mar. 1987
Expenditure category												
Transportation	174.5	3.2	1.2	171.4	3.9	1.1	177.0	3.3	1.0	181.2	2.7	0.8
Private transportation	170.5	3.1	1.2	168.5	3.9	1.1	175.0	3.2	1.0	178.6	2.6	.8
New vehicles	155.0	4.4	.4	151.8	3.5	.4	153.7	4.1	.3	145.9	3.7	.2
New cars	154.9	4.3	.5	151.4	3.4	.5	154.5	4.3	.5	148.0	4.4	.2
Used cars	217.9	1.9	2.4	217.7	1.9	2.3	217.7	1.9	2.4	217.7	2.0	2.4
Motor fuel ³	150.8	3.2	2.1	155.4	11.6	4.0	155.2	7.6	2.2	151.1	1.2	1.5
Gasoline ³	150.7	3.4	2.1	155.1	12.0	4.1	155.0	7.8	2.2	150.8	1.3	1.6
Gasoline, leaded regular ³	149.7	5.0	2.1	154.3	14.8	4.1	153.4	10.0	2.5	146.2	3.5	1.9
Gasoline, unleaded regular ³	146.0	3.6	2.3	152.5	11.9	4.2	153.3	8.0	2.3	148.2	.7	1.4
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁵	75.6	2.0	1.7	81.8	6.8	3.8	77.5	4.3	1.6	77.2	-1.9	1.6
Maintenance and repairs	183.5	6.7	1.3	168.2	2.2	.6	180.3	4.1	.6	189.5	4.8	.8
Other private transportation	168.3	4.3	1.1	158.9	2.8	-.7	175.3	3.2	.1	194.4	5.7	.3
Other private transportation commodities	136.7	.1	1.1	125.6	-1.3	-2.3	132.4	-2.1	-.6	128.8	-.3	-.8
Other private transportation services	174.2	5.0	1.0	165.1	3.5	-.3	187.3	4.4	.3	209.4	6.8	.7
Public transportation	214.6	3.4	.3	254.0	4.0	.4	239.1	4.5	-.3	241.3	4.3	-.3
Medical care	216.4	7.4	.7	211.4	6.1	.3	222.0	7.1	.9	220.6	7.0	.3
Medical care commodities	203.4	6.2	.6	205.5	5.5	.2	213.2	5.8	.5	208.6	5.6	.1
Medical care services	219.4	7.7	.7	212.7	6.2	.3	223.7	7.3	.9	222.8	7.3	.4
Professional medical services	212.9	8.0	.7	198.7	6.0	.5	209.8	6.4	1.2	206.2	6.4	.4
Entertainment	162.4	4.0	1.0	161.3	3.8	.7	164.0	2.2	.1	157.4	3.2	.5
Entertainment commodities	152.6	2.5	1.1	152.9	3.4	.4	158.2	1.0	-.3	148.4	2.4	.3
Entertainment services	177.6	5.9	.9	175.2	4.5	1.2	175.9	4.4	.6	174.4	4.2	.6
Other goods and services	202.0	5.5	.1	197.4	5.1	.2	200.2	6.2	.3	201.7	4.7	.4
Tobacco and smoking products	207.0	6.4	.4	220.1	6.8	.2	211.7	7.1	.1	221.4	7.9	.2
Personal care	170.1	2.5	.1	156.7	1.4	-.3	170.0	2.7	.4	174.8	2.4	1.0
Personal and educational expenses	239.0	8.2	.1	234.0	7.1	.4	242.6	10.1	.4	236.7	6.6	.2
Commodity and service group												
All items	178.2	4.1	.7	176.2	3.6	.5	179.7	3.2	.4	181.1	3.8	.6
Commodities	164.0	4.1	.9	159.7	3.8	.8	166.2	3.5	.7	162.6	3.0	.5
Food and beverages	169.4	5.2	.2	162.3	4.3	.1	169.0	4.1	.2	172.6	4.1	.5
Commodities less food and beverages	159.5	3.3	1.4	157.3	3.4	1.2	163.7	3.2	.9	156.5	2.2	.5
Nondurables less food and beverages	157.7	4.0	1.7	158.0	5.5	1.9	160.3	4.8	1.1	159.4	3.1	.6
Apparel commodities	129.6	8.4	2.9	127.5	4.2	2.5	134.8	5.5	1.7	128.8	4.5	.2
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel	166.1	2.6	1.0	170.6	6.4	1.6	171.7	5.0	.9	172.9	3.2	.8
Durables	162.2	2.0	.9	157.5	.7	.3	167.3	1.3	.6	156.2	1.4	.4
Services	200.6	4.4	.5	204.4	3.5	.2	201.5	3.0	.1	206.7	4.6	.6
Rent of shelter ²	116.9	5.4	.6	111.7	4.8	.5	107.9	1.9	.1	114.6	5.0	.9
Household services less rent of shelter ²	100.9	-1.2	-.2	102.1	-.2	-.3	103.3	.1	-.3	103.8	.2	.2
Transportation services	185.9	5.0	1.0	175.9	3.2	.0	190.8	4.3	.3	207.6	5.9	.5
Medical care services	219.4	7.7	.7	212.7	6.2	.3	223.7	7.3	.9	222.8	7.3	.4
Other services	197.3	5.7	.3	184.5	4.4	.5	193.9	5.8	.4	187.5	4.3	.4

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(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—	
		Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986		Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987		Apr. 1986	Mar. 1987		Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986	Mar. 1987
Special Indexes												
All items less food	180.5	3.9	0.8	179.3	3.5	0.7	181.9	2.9	0.4	182.6	3.6	0.6
All items less shelter	170.6	3.9	.8	167.7	3.4	.6	172.7	3.5	.5	174.5	3.3	.5
All items less homeowners' costs ²	106.8	4.2	.8	104.4	3.5	.7	105.0	3.4	.5	106.1	3.4	.4
All items less medical care	176.5	3.9	.7	174.6	3.6	.6	177.2	2.9	.4	179.1	3.6	.6
Commodities less food	159.7	3.2	1.3	157.5	3.3	1.2	163.7	3.1	.9	156.7	2.2	.5
Nondurables less food	158.0	3.9	1.5	158.0	5.2	1.7	160.1	4.4	1.1	159.1	2.7	.6
Nondurables less food and apparel	167.6	2.4	.9	169.4	5.9	1.4	170.4	4.3	.7	170.9	2.6	.8
Nondurables	164.1	4.7	.9	160.3	4.9	.9	164.8	4.4	.7	166.5	3.7	.5
Services less rent of shelter ²	109.5	3.5	.4	107.8	2.7	.1	109.9	3.6	.2	111.6	4.0	.4
Services less medical care	198.9	4.1	.5	203.5	3.3	.2	198.6	2.4	.1	204.9	4.3	.6
Energy ³	160.5	-2.4	.6	163.3	2.7	1.6	162.6	1.5	.4	171.4	.4	.9
All items less energy	179.9	4.9	.7	177.4	3.8	.5	181.3	3.4	.4	182.1	4.2	.6
All items less food and energy	183.2	4.7	.8	181.4	3.7	.5	184.5	3.2	.4	184.2	4.2	.5
Commodities less food and energy	162.2	4.1	1.2	159.7	2.4	.8	167.1	2.8	.7	159.5	2.8	.4
Energy commodities	158.7	.8	1.6	158.9	9.7	3.8	158.0	6.5	2.1	160.3	1.8	1.5
Services less energy	202.4	5.2	.5	205.8	4.5	.3	202.6	3.6	.3	205.9	5.0	.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—		
		Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986		Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987		Apr. 1986	Mar. 1987		Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986	Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986	Mar. 1987
Expenditure category													
All items	102.2	-	0.6	178.9	3.6	0.6	179.4	3.5	0.3	178.1	2.6	0.3	
Food and beverages	101.7	-	.4	168.7	4.5	.2	164.7	4.3	.1	169.0	4.0	.0	
Food	101.8	-	.4	169.1	4.6	.1	164.6	4.4	.1	169.3	4.2	.0	
Food at home	102.3	-	.5	164.3	5.1	.2	159.6	4.3	.1	161.5	4.6	-.2	
Cereals and bakery products	101.9	-	.9	180.6	5.1	1.1	174.4	4.1	.9	175.2	3.5	-.7	
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	99.8	-	.1	161.5	10.1	.1	152.9	6.6	-.8	161.4	7.7	-1.0	
Dairy products	100.2	-	-.4	149.0	2.4	-.3	145.6	2.9	.3	146.5	2.2	.1	
Fruits and vegetables	110.6	-	2.6	186.5	5.2	1.0	183.1	9.2	2.7	180.4	7.2	1.0	
Other food at home	101.6	-	-.1	157.3	.7	-.1	156.1	.1	-.8	153.9	1.3	.0	
Sugar and sweets	101.0	-	-.2	176.4	1.4	-.1	176.8	-.3	.6	166.6	2.0	-.1	
Fats and oils	101.9	-	-.9	149.4	.5	-.5	143.0	.8	-1.5	141.4	1.1	-.4	
Nonalcoholic beverages	100.2	-	-.9	140.6	-2.6	-.9	142.5	-2.7	-2.0	138.9	-3.4	-1.8	
Other prepared food	103.0	-	.7	177.5	4.8	.6	170.1	2.9	.1	172.3	5.8	1.4	
Food away from home	100.8	-	.1	180.4	3.9	.1	176.8	4.4	.1	188.2	3.4	.6	
Alcoholic beverages	101.1	-	.2	162.0	1.6	.2	166.7	3.1	.5	165.3	1.7	.2	
Housing	101.5	-	.4	166.1	2.7	.6	190.8	2.8	-.1	186.5	.7	-.1	
Shelter	101.8	-	.5	202.3	4.4	.8	209.7	4.7	.3	206.4	1.5	-.1	
Renters' costs ³	102.1	-	.5	114.5	4.6	.3	112.5	4.8	.9	109.3	.9	-.3	
Rent, residential	101.2	-	.2	183.2	3.0	.2	176.2	3.5	-.2	168.2	1.0	-.2	
Other renters' costs	107.4	-	1.9	240.2	10.2	.3	236.6	11.1	6.1	217.0	.1	-.9	
Homeowners' costs ³	101.7	-	.5	112.7	4.3	1.2	112.5	4.7	.0	109.1	1.8	-.1	
Owners' equivalent rent ³	101.7	-	.5	112.8	4.3	1.2	112.5	4.7	-.1	108.9	1.7	-.2	
Maintenance and repairs	100.7	-	-.3	169.0	4.0	-.2	174.9	1.0	.2	168.7	2.1	.6	
Maintenance and repair services	101.1	-	-.2	179.4	6.3	-.7	197.1	4.1	-.4	183.4	4.1	.1	
Maintenance and repair commodities	100.2	-	-.5	152.5	2.5	.1	137.9	-1.6	.9	146.5	.3	1.4	
Fuel and other utilities	100.6	-	-.3	181.9	-1.6	-.2	186.4	-.4	-.2	175.8	-.7	.4	
Fuels ⁴	100.8	-	-.7	180.9	-3.3	-.2	186.3	-3.0	-.7	164.4	-1.8	.1	
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities ⁴	108.9	-	-.2	166.4	-4.5	-.5	171.3	-3.9	.5	150.7	-5.2	.3	
Fuel oil ⁴	111.0	-	-.1	170.6	-2.0	-.5	168.1	-2.4	.2	149.4	-2.8	.9	
Other household fuel commodities ²	102.7	-	-.2	101.3	-	-.5	101.7	-	1.0	101.5	-	-.4	
Gas (piped) and electricity ⁴	100.1	-	-.8	185.5	-2.5	-.2	192.0	-1.8	-.8	169.0	-.4	.1	
Electricity ⁴	100.6	-	-1.0	173.7	-.9	-.4	182.2	-.4	-.8	183.0	3.8	.4	
Utility (piped) gas ⁴	99.5	-	-.4	209.1	-5.2	.1	209.6	-4.3	-1.0	176.2	-7.2	-1.0	
Other utilities and public services	100.4	-	.3	163.2	2.3	-.1	171.2	4.5	.4	174.2	2.1	.8	
Household furnishings and operation	101.3	-	.6	145.8	2.0	.8	145.1	1.4	-.6	147.3	.4	-.6	
Housefurnishings	101.0	-	.6	132.2	1.9	1.0	133.0	.7	-.8	135.2	-1.0	-.7	
Housekeeping supplies	102.8	-	.8	166.3	1.6	-.1	166.3	2.7	-.8	165.7	3.2	-1.1	
Housekeeping services	100.6	-	.2	166.6	3.2	.8	159.9	.8	.1	162.8	.8	-.2	
Apparel and upkeep	105.4	-	2.2	139.8	3.9	1.0	141.2	3.7	.6	129.3	-1.3	1.7	
Apparel commodities	105.8	-	2.4	132.8	3.9	1.1	136.2	3.8	.7	124.0	-1.8	2.1	
Men's and boys' apparel	101.3	-	1.3	135.3	1.4	.1	142.5	4.4	1.8	121.3	-2.1	1.0	
Women's and girls' apparel	109.5	-	4.1	125.2	4.8	2.8	131.3	4.7	.3	117.8	-3.0	4.3	
Infants' and toddlers' apparel	107.4	-	.5	140.5	-1.6	-1.6	147.7	.1	-.3	134.4	-8.8	-3.0	
Footwear	103.2	-	1.6	139.4	4.6	-1.1	139.1	2.4	.8	137.6	-.5	2.2	
Other apparel commodities	104.2	-	-.3	137.9	6.2	1.3	132.4	3.6	-.2	136.6	5.2	-1.2	
Apparel services	101.7	-	.1	197.9	3.4	.2	191.1	2.9	.0	179.9	3.2	-2.6	

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—		
		Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986		Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987		Apr. 1986	Mar. 1987		Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986	Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986	Mar. 1987
Expenditure category													
Transportation	103.3	-	1.0	177.6	3.4	1.1	174.8	2.6	0.9	173.8	3.5	1.0	
Private transportation	103.6	-	1.1	175.8	3.4	1.2	172.8	2.5	.9	170.8	3.3	.9	
New vehicles	99.2	-	.3	155.6	4.0	.5	152.8	3.7	.3	155.8	4.4	.5	
New cars	99.2	-	.4	155.4	4.2	.6	153.9	4.1	.5	155.6	4.3	.5	
Used cars	104.2	-	2.3	218.1	2.1	2.4	217.4	1.8	2.5	217.4	1.7	2.3	
Motor fuel ⁴	114.5	-	2.7	154.1	6.6	2.6	154.2	6.4	2.5	146.8	5.8	2.0	
Gasoline ⁴	114.7	-	2.7	153.5	6.7	2.5	154.0	6.6	2.5	146.5	5.9	1.9	
Gasoline, leaded regular ⁴	117.0	-	3.2	151.7	10.0	2.8	152.0	8.4	2.4	143.9	7.1	1.8	
Gasoline, unleaded regular ⁴	115.0	-	2.9	151.6	6.6	2.4	153.7	7.0	2.7	145.4	5.5	2.3	
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁵	111.1	-	2.1	77.0	2.8	2.8	78.8	1.4	2.1	73.6	2.9	1.2	
Maintenance and repairs	101.8	-	.9	181.8	5.6	.9	181.7	2.7	.6	169.0	4.1	.2	
Other private transportation	100.9	-	.2	177.1	3.7	.3	170.2	2.1	-.1	162.8	3.6	.1	
Other private transportation commodities	99.9	-	-.9	133.1	-2.8	-.6	131.3	-1.9	-1.6	135.3	2.6	.8	
Other private transportation services	101.1	-	.4	187.6	5.0	.5	179.9	2.9	.3	169.7	3.7	-.1	
Public transportation	100.5	-	.0	244.8	4.5	.3	246.8	5.0	-.4	272.4	4.3	.6	
Medical care	102.8	-	.7	214.1	5.6	.4	219.9	6.9	.4	223.2	7.7	.7	
Medical care commodities	102.4	-	.6	215.0	6.6	.5	205.6	5.1	-.2	203.6	5.0	.6	
Medical care services	102.9	-	.7	213.8	5.3	.3	222.9	7.2	.5	227.3	8.2	.7	
Professional medical services	103.4	-	.8	195.4	4.9	.5	212.1	5.7	.6	215.2	9.4	1.0	
Entertainment	101.5	-	.9	158.2	2.6	.4	163.6	2.4	-.1	160.3	3.8	.3	
Entertainment commodities	101.6	-	.8	150.3	1.9	.3	157.2	.8	-.6	155.0	2.3	.1	
Entertainment services	101.4	-	.9	174.2	3.8	.7	175.9	5.1	.6	170.2	6.2	.5	
Other goods and services	101.7	-	.2	206.0	7.1	.5	194.5	5.1	.3	202.1	4.9	.2	
Tobacco and smoking products	103.7	-	.3	218.5	7.9	.3	211.4	6.1	.2	220.3	5.5	.3	
Personal care	100.8	-	-.1	174.3	3.9	.9	160.7	2.2	.7	165.8	2.7	.5	
Personal and educational expenses	101.0	-	.3	246.7	10.9	.4	234.5	8.2	.1	240.0	7.6	.0	
Commodity and service group													
All items	102.2	-	.6	178.9	3.6	.6	179.4	3.5	.3	178.1	2.6	.3	
Commodities	103.0	-	.9	164.4	3.4	.7	163.8	3.1	.4	162.0	2.5	.6	
Food and beverages	101.7	-	.4	168.7	4.5	.2	164.7	4.3	.1	169.0	4.0	.0	
Commodities less food and beverages	103.9	-	1.3	161.1	2.7	1.0	162.0	2.3	.5	157.5	1.6	.9	
Nondurables less food and beverages	106.3	-	1.7	160.9	3.9	1.1	160.4	3.7	.8	153.7	2.2	1.1	
Apparel commodities	105.8	-	2.4	132.8	3.9	1.1	136.2	3.8	.7	124.0	-1.8	2.1	
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel	106.6	-	1.3	172.7	4.4	1.1	170.8	4.1	.9	166.6	4.0	.7	
Durables	100.7	-	.6	162.3	1.3	.9	164.3	.6	.1	161.9	.8	.6	
Services	101.5	-	.4	201.9	3.9	.5	205.9	4.0	.1	206.3	2.8	.0	
Rent of shelter ³	101.9	-	.6	113.3	4.4	.9	112.5	4.7	.2	109.1	1.5	-.2	
Household services less rent of shelter ³	100.3	-	-.2	102.6	.1	-.1	104.6	1.0	-.2	103.8	.8	.3	
Transportation services	101.1	-	.4	191.1	5.1	.6	186.5	3.0	.3	160.3	4.0	.1	
Medical care services	102.9	-	.7	213.8	5.3	.3	222.9	7.2	.5	227.3	8.2	.7	
Other services	101.1	-	.4	193.0	6.1	.6	184.9	4.9	.3	186.8	5.2	.0	

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—	
		Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986		Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987		Apr. 1986	Mar. 1987		Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986	Mar. 1987
	Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986	Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986	Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986	Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986	Mar. 1987
Special indexes												
All items less food	102.3	-	0.7	181.1	3.4	0.8	182.8	3.2	0.3	180.1	2.2	0.4
All items less shelter	102.4	-	.7	171.9	3.4	.5	170.8	3.1	.3	170.4	3.0	.5
All items less homeowners' costs ³	102.3	-	.6	105.1	3.5	.6	104.9	3.2	.3	103.7	2.8	.4
All items less medical care	102.2	-	.7	177.1	3.5	.6	177.3	3.2	.2	175.6	2.3	.3
Commodities less food	103.7	-	1.2	161.2	2.7	.9	162.2	2.3	.4	157.7	1.6	.8
Nondurables less food	105.8	-	1.5	160.8	3.7	1.0	160.7	3.6	.8	154.2	2.1	1.0
Nondurables less food and apparel	105.8	-	1.1	171.6	4.0	1.0	170.2	3.8	.8	166.3	3.7	.8
Nondurables	103.8	-	1.0	165.0	4.2	.8	162.6	4.0	.4	161.7	3.2	.5
Services less rent of shelter ³	101.1	-	.3	109.6	3.5	.3	110.0	3.5	.2	109.1	3.8	.3
Services less medical care	101.4	-	.4	200.6	3.8	.6	203.9	3.6	.1	203.5	2.1	.0
Energy ⁴	107.0	-	.8	165.6	.9	1.0	168.1	.9	.7	154.9	1.4	.9
All items less energy	101.8	-	.6	180.1	3.9	.6	180.7	3.9	.2	180.6	2.8	.3
All items less food and energy	101.8	-	.6	183.1	3.8	.7	185.1	3.6	.3	183.7	2.4	.3
Commodities less food and energy	102.3	-	1.0	164.0	2.6	.7	165.3	2.2	.2	161.3	1.4	.7
Energy commodities	114.1	-	2.5	159.0	5.0	2.2	159.8	4.8	2.2	148.5	4.0	1.8
Services less energy	101.6	-	.5	202.3	4.6	.6	206.5	4.7	.3	208.9	3.2	.0

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—	
	Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986	Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986	Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986	Mar. 1987
Expenditure category									
All items	174.4	4.5	0.8	179.3	4.4	0.9	193.1	3.0	0.0
Food and beverages	169.9	5.3	.5	167.8	5.3	.5	168.3	4.6	-.7
Food	170.2	5.4	.5	168.3	5.6	.6	168.1	4.5	-.8
Food at home	162.5	5.7	.7	168.5	5.8	1.3	162.7	3.8	-1.3
Cereals and bakery products	174.2	4.5	1.0	183.8	5.5	.8	178.2	5.4	.1
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	181.5	8.9	-.1	170.4	12.5	1.3	159.6	3.9	-2.4
Dairy products	144.2	.3	.0	141.4	2.7	.7	139.0	-.5	-1.1
Fruits and vegetables	184.1	11.1	3.0	197.4	2.3	2.8	189.3	11.0	2.3
Other food at home	153.7	1.0	.4	157.4	2.0	.7	156.5	.6	-3.0
Food away from home	190.5	5.1	.1	168.4	5.4	-.2	181.6	5.8	.2
Alcoholic beverages	165.2	3.1	.1	163.0	2.5	-.1	170.8	6.4	.2
Housing	175.7	2.9	.5	193.9	4.8	1.0	225.9	2.2	-.1
Shelter	188.6	5.5	.6	218.5	7.2	.9	277.7	4.9	.1
Renters' costs ²	117.0	7.2	.9	124.4	9.3	.4	117.7	5.4	.4
Rent, residential	177.8	5.5	.1	191.4	4.0	1.4	213.1	5.0	.1
Other renters' costs	249.4	16.8	4.8	231.6	25.1	-1.2	203.7	7.9	2.4
Homeowners' costs ²	113.7	4.5	.5	119.4	6.8	1.1	121.2	4.7	.0
Owners' equivalent rent ²	113.9	4.5	.5	119.7	7.0	1.1	121.4	4.7	.0
Fuel and other utilities	169.1	-5.4	-.8	175.6	-.5	1.3	178.7	-2.8	.1
Fuels ³	166.6	-7.1	-1.2	173.6	-2.0	2.2	174.4	-4.3	-.1
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities ³	175.3	-3.0	-.2	165.1	-6.0	-1.2	166.1	-6.3	1.0
Fuel oil ³	174.9	-2.7	-.2	168.4	-4.4	-1.3	163.7	-6.3	.1
Other household fuel commodities ⁴	101.6	-	-.3	99.5	-	-.7	105.1	-	3.5
Gas (piped) and electricity ⁵	166.8	-6.8	-1.4	181.5	2.0	3.2	183.2	-1.3	-.5
Electricity ⁵	157.8	-5.1	-2.2	176.7	7.0	4.8	179.3	.1	-.7
Utility (piped) gas ⁵	180.6	-9.2	-.2	190.3	-6.7	.0	185.8	-5.2	.1
Household furnishings and operation	148.9	3.7	1.4	151.3	3.1	1.5	143.1	-.5	-1.4
Apparel and upkeep	135.3	9.8	3.0	130.5	2.4	2.4	150.1	4.5	.3
Apparel commodities	125.2	10.4	3.2	125.6	2.1	2.6	145.9	4.8	.3
Men's and boys' apparel	121.1	5.5	3.5	119.9	1.1	2.5	158.2	8.3	.2
Women's and girls' apparel	113.2	18.0	4.1	125.0	5.5	4.2	143.6	2.7	-1.6
Footwear	141.3	8.7	1.3	144.4	-1.3	1.1	132.5	.7	3.1
Transportation	175.3	3.6	1.3	172.4	2.9	.8	174.6	2.3	.9
Private transportation	170.1	3.6	1.4	171.5	3.0	.8	170.9	2.3	.9
Motor fuel ³	150.5	4.9	2.2	150.6	3.4	2.2	149.7	-2.2	1.4
Gasoline ³	150.5	5.2	2.3	150.6	3.5	2.2	149.3	-2.0	1.5
Gasoline, leaded regular ³	150.0	6.6	2.4	151.9	5.0	1.8	143.7	-.5	1.5
Gasoline, unleaded regular ³	144.3	5.4	2.4	147.8	4.2	2.4	147.4	-1.9	1.8
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁵	75.3	3.6	1.9	73.8	.8	2.2	80.6	-3.9	.6
Public transportation	210.5	3.4	.4	209.5	2.8	.0	293.3	3.6	.0
Medical care	214.9	8.1	.8	218.0	6.8	.6	221.7	5.4	.4
Entertainment	184.1	4.3	1.2	155.2	3.1	.6	159.1	2.0	-.1
Other goods and services	201.5	5.3	.1	202.4	6.6	.2	198.5	4.8	.2
Personal care	171.1	2.4	.1	164.1	3.0	.1	185.2	.9	-.4

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(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—	
	Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986	Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986	Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986	Mar. 1987
Commodity and service group									
All items	174.4	4.5	0.8	179.3	4.4	0.9	193.1	3.0	0.0
Commodities	162.5	4.9	1.2	164.1	3.1	1.0	169.5	2.2	-.2
Food and beverages	169.9	5.3	.5	167.8	5.3	.5	168.3	4.6	-.7
Commodities less food and beverages	156.5	4.5	1.6	160.5	1.6	1.3	168.7	.8	.2
Nondurables less food and beverages	157.1	5.6	2.1	155.1	.6	1.2	161.2	1.4	.6
Durables	156.1	2.4	1.0	167.2	2.7	1.4	176.2	.1	-.2
Services	192.1	4.2	.4	205.1	6.2	.8	236.8	4.3	.1
Medical care services	217.3	8.4	.7	221.2	6.9	.4	225.7	5.6	.4
Special indexes									
All items less shelter	170.6	4.2	.8	169.1	3.6	.8	171.0	2.7	.0
All items less medical care	172.6	4.3	.8	177.8	4.3	.9	191.9	3.0	.0
All items less energy	175.6	5.3	.9	181.5	5.0	.8	197.0	3.8	-.1
Energy ³	159.1	-2.8	.1	162.4	.1	2.2	161.9	-3.6	.4
Commodities less food	156.8	4.4	1.6	160.6	1.6	1.2	168.9	1.0	.2
Nondurables less food	157.5	5.4	1.9	155.5	.7	1.0	161.7	1.7	.5
Nondurables	164.3	5.5	1.2	162.0	3.3	.8	164.8	3.1	-.1
Services less rent of shelter ²	109.3	3.1	.3	108.5	4.7	.6	111.5	3.9	.2
Services less medical care	190.0	3.9	.4	203.6	6.0	.8	238.0	4.2	.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—	
	Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986	Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986	Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986	Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986	Mar. 1987
Expenditure category												
All items	178.3	3.6	0.6	174.6	4.1	0.9	172.2	4.3	0.4	175.7	2.5	0.3
Food and beverages	161.8	4.1	.2	162.0	5.1	.2	159.6	4.2	-.3	168.5	4.5	.0
Food	162.3	4.3	.4	161.9	5.1	.2	159.6	4.2	-.3	168.0	4.6	-.1
Food at home	160.0	4.8	.5	155.1	5.2	.2	156.7	4.7	-.3	158.6	5.8	-.1
Cereals and bakery products	179.1	3.5	1.3	185.7	6.9	1.2	178.3	5.8	1.2	178.1	3.8	-.4
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	156.7	8.0	.1	151.6	9.1	-.6	151.1	7.9	-1.8	157.9	9.8	.6
Dairy products	146.5	3.3	-1.2	140.5	1.4	-.1	137.9	3.2	.0	141.6	4.0	.8
Fruits and vegetables	179.1	9.1	2.9	167.5	8.5	1.3	176.2	8.2	2.3	173.7	12.6	-.5
Other food at home	152.6	-.1	-.3	149.0	.7	.1	154.8	-1.0	-.9	153.2	.3	-.8
Food away from home	167.3	3.4	.1	177.4	5.0	.2	166.4	3.2	-.4	189.2	2.3	.0
Alcoholic beverages	155.8	1.9	-.1	161.7	3.1	.9	158.2	3.4	.2	175.7	2.5	.1
Housing	193.9	1.8	.1	180.9	3.2	1.1	181.4	5.3	.2	180.1	-.3	-.3
Shelter	216.5	3.9	.1	196.6	5.8	1.8	191.2	8.3	.8	191.5	.9	-.5
Renters' costs ²	113.1	4.5	.4	112.4	1.6	-.4	117.4	11.2	4.6	103.8	-.4	-1.2
Rent, residential	175.2	4.0	.1	172.1	3.1	-.5	149.0	4.9	.4	150.0	.3	-.8
Other renters' costs	225.9	3.0	1.8	224.6	-5.7	-.4	269.8	27.4	15.6	202.9	-5.4	-4.8
Homeowners' costs ²	111.2	3.8	.0	115.2	7.2	2.4	112.7	7.6	-.4	105.9	1.5	-.1
Owners' equivalent rent ²	111.0	3.6	.0	115.4	7.3	2.6	112.7	7.7	-.4	105.8	1.5	-.1
Fuel and other utilities	183.4	-2.1	-.2	182.9	-2.0	.1	193.2	.5	-1.1	179.8	-2.7	-.1
Fuels ³	172.6	-4.3	-.1	167.1	-4.0	.0	185.7	-4.0	-1.9	159.8	-4.4	-.3
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities ³	171.7	-4.1	-.1	157.1	-6.9	.0	162.3	-7.6	-.7	129.8	-10.1	-.1
Fuel oil ³	178.5	-1.3	1.0	165.3	-3.8	2.4	166.1	-3.6	.4	136.6	-5.5	.8
Other household fuel commodities ⁴	100.1	-	-1.0	100.6	-	-1.3	95.1	-	-2.1	90.9	-	-1.1
Gas (piped) and electricity ³	173.2	-4.0	-.1	170.1	-2.9	.0	192.6	-2.6	-1.9	166.0	-3.4	-.3
Electricity ³	155.2	-1.3	-.1	137.8	-1.2	-.6	196.2	-1.9	-2.3	138.1	.7	.7
Utility (piped) gas ³	194.5	-6.4	.1	215.9	-4.2	.8	187.4	-3.7	-1.3	201.6	-6.9	-1.5
Household furnishings and operation	141.9	.1	.3	144.8	2.9	.1	149.0	3.0	.0	150.8	-.3	-.2
Apparel and upkeep	129.7	6.0	2.8	147.6	2.9	.3	130.6	-.9	1.6	136.9	5.6	4.0
Apparel commodities	122.7	6.4	2.9	143.4	3.3	.2	124.7	-1.3	1.6	133.6	5.8	4.4
Men's and boys' apparel	121.3	2.4	.7	137.3	-.3	-.8	114.0	-3.4	1.0	123.5	.7	-.6
Women's and girls' apparel	114.5	11.8	5.4	141.7	5.0	.4	125.3	-.6	3.5	127.8	11.5	9.6
Footwear	123.1	-.4	1.2	137.4	5.9	1.9	138.2	-.8	1.2	154.8	1.7	3.1
Transportation	169.9	4.1	1.0	174.2	4.4	1.3	172.3	3.6	1.3	173.6	3.4	1.2
Private transportation	166.2	4.2	1.0	172.2	4.0	1.4	170.8	3.6	1.3	170.4	3.5	1.2
Motor fuel ³	156.0	11.3	3.8	155.3	10.7	3.9	156.0	14.4	4.8	151.0	9.7	3.4
Gasoline ³	155.6	11.8	3.9	155.5	10.8	4.0	155.6	14.6	4.9	150.6	9.9	3.4
Gasoline, leaded regular ³	156.8	15.7	4.3	150.4	15.7	4.4	154.5	14.8	4.0	150.8	10.6	3.1
Gasoline, unleaded regular ³	151.6	11.8	4.0	152.9	9.9	3.7	155.2	14.6	5.3	150.4	9.4	3.7
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁵	82.0	5.9	2.6	82.9	6.0	6.3	80.9	13.5	6.0	65.1	9.4	4.7
Public transportation	246.3	3.4	.3	269.1	15.1	.6	252.3	4.9	1.1	304.2	-.2	.6
Medical care	212.0	6.4	.4	214.0	5.2	.1	207.6	5.6	.0	212.0	6.6	1.0
Entertainment	168.0	5.1	1.1	147.0	1.7	.2	157.8	2.8	.5	157.7	3.0	.0
Other goods and services	196.2	4.6	-.1	208.0	7.7	1.3	189.2	5.3	.4	203.0	3.9	.0
Personal care	152.1	-.1	-1.1	176.7	4.7	.7	148.0	3.0	1.6	169.3	3.4	-.1

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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	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—	
		Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986		Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987		Apr. 1986	Mar. 1987		Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986	Mar. 1987
Commodity and service group												
All items	178.3	3.6	0.6	174.6	4.1	0.9	172.2	4.3	0.4	175.7	2.5	0.3
Commodities	160.1	3.9	.9	160.5	4.1	.6	156.8	3.2	.6	161.9	4.0	.9
Food and beverages	161.8	4.1	.2	162.0	5.1	.2	159.6	4.2	-.3	168.5	4.5	.0
Commodities less food and beverages	158.0	3.7	1.4	158.9	3.5	.8	154.5	2.7	1.1	158.2	3.7	1.4
Nondurables less food and beverages	156.3	6.1	2.1	165.4	5.0	1.2	158.0	4.4	1.8	156.7	5.9	2.2
Durables	159.9	.7	.4	155.7	1.6	.3	153.0	.6	.3	158.9	1.0	.5
Services	207.9	3.3	.1	199.8	4.3	1.2	199.0	5.5	.3	202.0	1.1	-.1
Medical care services	213.9	6.4	.3	210.4	4.6	.1	210.0	6.3	.3	214.6	7.3	.9
Special indexes												
All items less shelter	166.7	3.5	.7	169.4	3.7	.6	167.0	3.2	.3	170.6	3.0	.6
All items less medical care	176.7	3.5	.6	173.0	4.1	.9	170.6	4.2	.4	173.9	2.3	.3
All items less energy	179.8	3.8	.4	175.7	4.5	.8	172.3	4.4	.3	177.4	2.7	.3
Energy ¹	163.9	2.8	1.9	160.0	2.0	1.7	169.4	3.5	1.0	155.5	1.4	1.3
Commodities less food	158.0	3.6	1.3	159.1	3.5	.8	154.7	2.7	1.0	158.7	3.7	1.4
Nondurables less food	156.1	5.7	1.9	165.2	5.0	1.2	158.0	4.4	1.7	157.9	5.7	2.0
Nondurables	159.3	5.1	1.1	163.7	5.1	.7	158.8	4.3	.7	163.2	5.2	1.0
Services less rent of shelter ²	107.8	2.8	.1	108.3	3.1	.6	108.1	3.1	-.3	106.4	1.1	.2
Services less medical care	207.2	2.9	.1	198.7	4.2	1.2	197.8	5.4	.3	200.3	.4	-.2

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—	
	Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986	Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986	Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986	Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986	Mar. 1987
Expenditure category												
All items	180.7	3.3	0.6	178.7	3.2	0.3	179.8	3.2	0.3	178.6	2.6	0.1
Food and beverages	171.8	3.7	.1	170.6	4.1	-.1	164.8	4.6	.8	167.5	3.7	.1
Food	172.9	4.0	.1	171.0	4.3	-.1	164.7	4.7	.8	167.9	3.7	.1
Food at home	166.2	3.6	.2	163.2	4.7	-.3	158.5	4.3	1.0	161.7	4.2	-.2
Cereals and bakery products	170.6	1.5	.0	170.4	3.6	.8	168.0	1.1	1.1	172.4	3.9	-.9
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	180.3	5.3	.4	157.7	10.0	-.4	147.9	7.0	.4	166.6	7.8	-1.6
Dairy products	158.3	4.4	.3	157.4	3.8	-.9	156.9	5.1	1.4	153.4	.2	.4
Fruits and vegetables	187.5	7.6	1.1	188.7	6.5	-.7	182.3	9.4	3.7	179.3	5.7	1.1
Other food at home	164.0	.1	-.8	158.1	.0	.0	156.5	.8	-.1	147.9	1.4	1.0
Food away from home	188.0	5.1	.1	188.1	3.1	.2	181.8	5.3	.3	184.6	2.6	.7
Alcoholic beverages	157.5	-.4	-.8	162.7	1.1	-.1	166.5	2.7	1.5	155.0	2.6	.6
Housing	185.8	1.3	.2	181.1	.9	-.1	189.1	1.2	-.3	190.1	1.8	-.2
Shelter	200.3	2.1	.0	193.6	1.3	.3	207.2	2.2	.0	222.0	3.4	-.3
Renters' costs ²	109.1	2.6	.4	111.0	3.5	.3	108.8	2.6	-.3	110.3	3.3	-.2
Rent, residential	179.0	2.1	.1	168.2	1.9	.0	169.7	1.9	-.4	174.6	3.1	-.2
Other renters' costs	231.3	7.6	2.8	266.1	14.3	2.1	223.5	6.6	.0	228.7	4.1	.0
Homeowners' costs ²	109.7	1.9	-.1	106.9	.3	.4	105.2	2.2	.2	107.9	3.6	-.3
Owners' equivalent rent ²	109.4	1.7	-.2	106.9	.3	.3	104.9	2.1	.2	107.5	3.5	-.3
Fuel and other utilities	176.2	-3.7	.2	182.8	-.1	-1.1	185.5	.1	-.2	162.0	-.7	.3
Fuels ³	162.9	-6.0	-1.4	166.1	-2.2	-1.8	192.1	-1.7	-.7	153.4	-2.2	-.6
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities ³	180.2	-8.2	.3	183.1	-2.8	.3	168.1	-1.9	.7	156.4	-6.0	-.3
Fuel oil ³	171.9	-7.0	-.5	180.2	-2.9	.6	131.5	3.0	.4	145.5	-2.5	-.1
Other household fuel commodities ⁴	105.7	-	1.1	103.1	-	.0	103.1	-	.7	102.4	-	-.3
Gas (piped) and electricity ³	161.7	-4.8	-1.5	186.0	-2.4	-2.0	194.8	-1.6	-.8	153.4	-1.0	-.7
Electricity ³	149.0	-4.7	-.8	183.2	-3.0	-2.2	179.6	-.2	-.6	155.1	-.3	-.7
Utility (piped) gas ³	191.9	-6.2	-3.2	195.4	.2	-.7	235.7	-3.8	-1.8	144.8	-5.9	-.8
Household furnishings and operation	154.9	4.2	1.0	143.1	1.0	.4	142.8	.8	-1.1	142.3	.6	-.9
Apparel and upkeep	154.5	10.6	3.5	143.6	4.1	1.1	144.3	5.7	-.1	114.6	-7.3	-.3
Apparel commodities	144.4	11.2	3.8	133.7	3.8	1.1	139.1	5.9	-.1	107.6	-8.7	.5
Men's and boys' apparel	139.6	4.4	1.5	146.2	2.8	-.8	153.8	4.3	1.7	111.5	-4.0	2.6
Women's and girls' apparel	150.1	21.9	7.2	123.8	3.3	3.5	131.3	11.8	-1.4	95.4	-15.2	-.5
Footwear	133.5	3.8	1.8	133.7	4.8	-1.9	139.9	4.3	.1	118.3	-5.7	.8
Transportation	176.0	3.0	.9	180.4	4.4	1.2	175.8	2.4	.7	174.3	3.3	1.0
Private transportation	173.3	3.0	1.0	178.9	4.4	1.2	174.7	2.3	.8	171.7	3.1	.9
Motor fuel ³	159.7	7.2	2.9	156.0	9.7	2.4	156.9	7.5	1.2	140.8	3.6	1.7
Gasoline ³	159.5	7.2	2.9	155.5	9.7	2.5	157.0	7.8	1.2	140.6	3.9	1.7
Gasoline, leaded regular ³	159.2	10.4	3.4	156.1	11.6	2.9	154.8	10.0	1.5	132.6	3.4	1.4
Gasoline, unleaded regular ³	154.9	7.1	2.9	153.6	10.2	2.3	158.5	8.4	1.1	139.1	3.9	2.2
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁵	79.3	3.9	2.3	76.8	6.2	2.4	78.5	2.7	.6	73.2	3.5	1.0
Public transportation	238.5	3.9	-.7	245.0	5.6	.7	216.7	5.0	-1.5	269.4	6.0	1.1
Medical care	221.2	6.7	1.4	213.2	4.9	.6	224.3	8.6	.7	232.9	8.9	.2
Entertainment	170.9	3.4	.2	160.4	2.2	.3	163.9	.7	.1	157.2	2.0	-.4
Other goods and services	196.3	5.8	.4	211.0	7.9	.3	196.2	5.4	.2	196.1	5.5	.1
Personal care	173.0	3.0	.0	180.6	4.8	.8	165.0	1.7	.4	157.3	.8	.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	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—	
		Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986		Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987		Apr. 1986	Mar. 1987		Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986	Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986	Mar. 1987
	Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986	Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986	Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986	Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986	Mar. 1987
Commodity and service group												
All items	180.7	3.3	0.6	178.7	3.2	0.3	179.8	3.2	0.3	178.6	2.6	0.1
Commodities	168.0	4.2	1.0	166.2	3.6	.6	166.8	3.5	.4	160.9	1.3	.4
Food and beverages	171.8	3.7	.1	170.6	4.1	-.1	164.8	4.6	.8	167.5	3.7	.1
Commodities less food and beverages	165.0	4.4	1.5	163.2	3.4	1.0	166.3	2.8	.2	156.6	-.1	.6
Nondurables less food and beverages	164.5	5.8	2.0	161.2	5.8	1.3	161.5	4.8	.1	146.9	-.5	.5
Durables	167.3	2.9	.9	164.0	.3	.7	171.3	.6	.3	166.3	.3	.5
Services	200.1	2.6	.3	198.4	2.7	.2	202.6	2.9	.1	208.7	4.5	-.1
Medical care services	222.8	7.1	1.6	212.9	4.4	.5	226.5	9.0	.8	236.9	9.6	.1
Special indexes												
All items less shelter	174.8	3.7	.8	173.7	3.6	.3	171.8	3.4	.3	167.7	2.6	.2
All items less medical care	178.5	3.1	.6	176.7	3.0	.3	177.1	2.7	.2	174.7	2.1	.1
All items less energy	182.4	3.8	.6	179.5	3.2	.3	180.9	3.4	.3	182.5	3.0	.1
Energy ³	160.2	.2	.8	167.5	2.9	.1	171.0	2.1	.1	145.4	.1	.3
Commodities less food	164.7	4.1	1.4	163.2	3.2	.9	166.4	2.8	.2	156.6	-.1	.5
Nondurables less food	163.6	5.1	1.8	161.0	5.4	1.1	161.7	4.7	.2	147.3	-.3	.5
Nondurables	168.3	4.7	1.0	166.1	4.9	.5	163.3	4.7	.5	157.3	1.7	.3
Services less rent of shelter ²	109.6	2.9	.5	110.4	3.8	.0	109.5	3.2	.1	110.3	5.1	.0
Services less medical care	197.5	2.1	.2	196.5	2.5	.1	199.2	1.9	.0	203.5	3.4	-.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—	
	Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986	Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986	Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986	Mar. 1987
Expenditure category									
All items	182.1	4.1	0.6	182.8	3.2	0.7	173.8	2.9	0.3
Food and beverages	172.6	4.6	.6	173.1	3.5	.2	170.3	3.8	.4
Food	174.1	4.8	.5	174.0	3.7	.2	169.8	4.1	.4
Food at home	167.0	5.8	.6	170.4	4.7	.2	164.4	4.8	.6
Cereals and bakery products	182.2	4.4	.6	180.6	6.7	2.5	176.1	5.6	.7
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	159.8	9.5	.4	167.2	8.6	.1	161.4	8.3	-.2
Dairy products	156.2	3.7	-.3	154.7	1.3	-.4	148.0	1.8	.2
Fruits and vegetables	182.5	11.2	2.8	189.0	6.1	2.4	189.2	8.0	1.5
Other food at home	164.3	.3	.0	163.2	-.2	-2.1	158.4	.4	.8
Food away from home	188.0	3.1	.3	181.5	1.9	.2	181.6	2.9	.2
Alcoholic beverages	153.7	2.1	1.3	160.9	.6	.5	180.6	-.5	-.2
Housing	191.8	4.3	.7	192.0	3.5	1.1	170.1	2.3	.2
Shelter	204.0	5.8	1.0	205.6	5.3	1.0	174.8	2.8	-.2
Renters' costs ²	116.2	5.5	.3	111.7	2.9	.3	109.9	1.0	-.7
Rent, residential	215.7	5.4	.6	197.2	2.7	-.1	180.2	2.3	-.9
Other renters' costs	211.6	7.5	-1.5	218.2	3.6	2.2	236.7	-11.4	.6
Homeowners' costs ²	117.2	6.2	1.5	114.5	6.4	1.5	112.8	3.6	.1
Owners' equivalent rent ²	117.0	6.1	1.5	114.2	6.4	1.5	112.9	3.8	.0
Fuel and other utilities	198.2	-1.0	-.1	190.6	-3.2	.6	186.9	.9	1.9
Fuels ³	217.7	-.8	-.4	211.4	-3.3	.6	199.3	.2	2.3
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities ³	172.6	1.6	-.2	157.9	-5.3	-2.5	216.0	NA	-1.9
Fuel oil ³	169.0	1.4	.0	NA	NA	NA	240.6	NA	1.6
Other household fuel commodities ⁴	106.5	-	-.3	97.6	-	-2.6	97.2	-	-2.7
Gas (piped) and electricity ³	220.8	-.8	-.4	219.2	-3.6	.9	198.0	-.4	2.4
Electricity ³	202.3	-1.4	-.7	207.8	.8	1.2	158.2	2.6	3.7
Utility (piped) gas ³	253.2	.9	.4	233.9	-12.4	.1	258.9	-4.6	.2
Household furnishings and operation	147.8	2.6	.0	146.4	3.6	1.8	144.2	1.8	-.1
Apparel and upkeep	131.6	3.3	-.2	133.3	4.1	.3	141.2	6.1	1.4
Apparel commodities	123.5	2.9	-.3	126.1	4.5	.4	136.9	6.4	1.5
Men's and boys' apparel	124.1	.0	-.6	131.5	.5	.9	150.9	10.5	4.6
Women's and girls' apparel	103.7	4.1	-.1	109.6	5.1	1.9	123.1	2.6	1.1
Footwear	148.5	3.6	2.4	141.6	6.5	-3.3	152.3	8.9	-.7
Transportation	182.4	3.1	.7	181.3	1.3	.8	176.8	.7	.7
Private transportation	180.4	3.1	.9	178.4	1.4	1.0	174.8	.3	.7
Motor fuel ³	151.5	.4	1.6	152.1	.5	1.3	145.6	-2.9	1.9
Gasoline ³	151.6	.5	1.7	150.3	.1	1.3	145.3	-3.0	1.9
Gasoline, leaded regular ³	147.7	3.1	2.1	143.9	3.5	1.6	142.9	-3.2	1.9
Gasoline, unleaded regular ³	147.2	-.9	1.4	149.0	.0	1.3	143.0	-2.1	1.6
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁵	78.7	.0	1.4	75.0	-5.7	1.1	73.4	-5.2	3.2
Public transportation	230.8	4.9	-.3	252.9	-1.4	-.1	231.3	8.3	-.5
Medical care	221.9	7.6	.4	213.0	5.8	-.1	229.1	6.7	.0
Entertainment	145.8	2.4	.8	166.8	3.8	.6	178.2	4.3	-1.7
Other goods and services	204.7	4.5	.3	198.8	5.2	.4	195.1	4.3	.6
Personal care	179.7	2.0	.6	172.1	2.5	2.6	170.4	3.2	.6

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—	
	Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986	Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986	Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986	Mar. 1987
Commodity and service group									
All items	182.1	4.1	0.6	182.8	3.2	0.7	173.8	2.9	0.3
Commodities	160.4	3.0	.5	165.6	2.7	.7	162.9	2.4	.3
Food and beverages	172.6	4.6	.6	173.1	3.5	.2	170.3	3.8	.4
Commodities less food and beverages	153.2	1.9	.5	160.7	2.1	.9	158.1	1.4	.3
Nondurables less food and beverages	158.7	2.3	.4	160.2	2.4	.4	160.9	2.6	1.1
Durables	152.5	1.6	.3	163.3	1.9	1.6	157.5	.3	-.6
Services	211.6	5.2	.7	206.3	3.8	.7	188.3	3.5	.4
Medical care services	224.1	7.9	.3	212.2	5.7	.1	234.1	6.7	.0
Special indexes									
All items less shelter	173.9	3.5	.4	174.5	2.8	.6	174.7	3.0	.5
All items less medical care	160.1	3.9	.6	181.0	3.1	.7	171.0	2.6	.4
All items less energy	183.1	4.6	.5	183.6	3.7	.7	174.5	3.4	.2
Energy ³	170.8	-.6	.8	175.6	-1.1	1.1	166.9	-1.4	2.1
Commodities less food	153.4	1.9	.5	160.9	2.0	.9	158.7	1.3	.3
Nondurables less food	156.2	2.1	.6	160.2	2.2	.4	161.8	2.1	.9
Nondurables	165.2	3.6	.5	167.1	3.0	.3	166.0	3.3	.7
Services less rent of shelter ²	111.8	4.4	.3	110.5	2.5	.5	113.0	4.2	.9
Services less medical care	210.4	4.9	.7	205.4	3.5	.8	163.4	3.2	.4

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

² Indexes on a December 1984=100 base.

³ Indexes on a 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, April 1987							
U.S. city average		314.9	334.1	285.2	262.0	353.6	377.8
Region and area size ¹							
Northeast urban	12/77	163.7	178.2	163.0	143.1	187.0	155.1
Size A - More than 1,200,000	12/77	162.5	174.2	161.5	144.2	184.1	153.7
Size B - 500,000 to 1,200,000	12/77	168.5	183.6	170.4	141.4	197.4	157.4
Size C - 50,000 to 500,000	12/77	162.7	178.2	159.6	139.0	189.3	156.5
North Central urban	12/77	158.4	179.9	154.8	143.0	176.2	152.5
Size A - More than 1,200,000	12/77	160.0	179.1	156.7	146.5	179.1	152.6
Size B - 360,000 to 1,200,000	12/77	155.1	185.7	151.6	140.5	167.5	149.0
Size C - 50,000 to 360,000	12/77	156.7	178.3	151.1	137.9	176.2	154.8
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	12/77	158.6	178.1	157.9	141.6	173.7	153.2
South urban	12/77	162.8	170.0	157.2	156.9	185.2	157.7
Size A - More than 1,200,000	12/77	166.2	170.6	160.3	156.3	187.5	164.0
Size B - 450,000 to 1,200,000	12/77	163.2	170.4	157.7	157.4	188.7	158.1
Size C - 50,000 to 450,000	12/77	158.5	168.0	147.9	156.9	182.3	156.5
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	12/77	161.7	172.4	166.6	153.4	179.3	147.9
West urban	12/77	167.6	162.5	161.7	153.3	187.7	163.3
Size A - More than 1,200,000	12/77	167.0	182.2	159.8	156.2	182.5	164.3
Size B - 330,000 to 1,200,000	12/77	170.4	190.6	167.2	154.7	189.0	163.2
Size C - 50,000 to 330,000	12/77	164.4	176.1	161.4	146.0	189.2	158.4
Size classes							
A	12/86	102.3	101.9	99.8	100.2	110.6	101.6
B	12/77	164.3	160.6	161.5	149.0	186.5	157.3
C	12/77	159.8	174.4	152.9	145.6	183.1	156.1
D	12/77	161.5	175.2	161.4	146.5	180.4	153.9
Selected local areas ²							
Baltimore, Md.		313.0	338.9	278.7	254.9	389.8	362.0
Boston, Mass.		297.7	320.4	292.0	239.8	324.3	336.3
Chicago, Ill.-Northwestern Ind.		308.2	343.7	279.7	250.6	363.4	362.9
Cleveland, Ohio		311.8	324.5	309.7	252.6	319.6	355.1
Dallas-Fort Worth, Tex.		318.0	319.3	278.6	288.3	332.2	390.8
Detroit, Mich.		300.6	346.1	285.2	246.2	319.9	345.4
Houston, Tex.		333.0	327.8	282.4	316.5	360.0	413.8
L.A.-Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif.		320.7	339.8	292.3	261.2	337.1	392.6
Miami, Fla.	11/77	168.6	171.2	166.2	153.8	203.8	156.4
N.Y., N.Y.-Northeastern N.J.		328.5	346.2	296.0	265.3	378.7	398.6
Philadelphia, Pa.-N.J.		318.1	337.6	287.9	249.8	360.7	400.3
Pittsburgh, Pa.		303.9	315.0	263.6	235.0	385.7	367.0
St. Louis, Mo.-Ill.		321.4	363.2	259.7	300.1	385.2	394.8
San Francisco-Oakland, Calif.		325.2	355.9	305.7	255.8	354.0	386.3
Washington, D.C.-Md.-Va.		337.6	325.1	307.6	257.0	400.5	422.6

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, March 1987 to April 1987						
U.S. city average	0.4	0.8	-0.1	-0.2	2.2	-0.3
Region and area size ¹						
Northeast urban .....	.5	.7	-.2	-.1	2.8	-.2
Size A - More than 1,200,000 .....	.7	1.0	-.1	.0	3.0	.4
Size B - 500,000 to 1,200,000	1.3	.8	1.3	.7	2.8	.7
Size C - 50,000 to 500,000	-1.3	.1	-2.4	-1.1	2.3	-3.0
North Central urban .....	.3	1.1	-.3	-.6	2.3	-.5
Size A - More than 1,200,000 .....	.5	1.3	.1	-1.2	2.9	-.3
Size B - 360,000 to 1,200,000 .....	.2	1.2	-.6	-.1	1.3	.1
Size C - 50,000 to 360,000	-.3	1.2	-1.8	.0	2.3	-.9
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	-.1	-.4	.6	.8	-.5	-.8
South urban .....	.2	.4	-.1	.3	1.3	-.1
Size A - More than 1,200,000 .....	.2	.0	.4	.3	1.1	-.8
Size B - 450,000 to 1,200,000	-.3	.8	-.4	-.9	-.7	.0
Size C - 50,000 to 450,000	1.0	1.1	.4	1.4	3.7	-.1
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	-.2	-.9	-1.6	.4	1.1	1.0
West urban .....	.5	.8	.2	-.3	2.6	-.2
Size A - More than 1,200,000 .....	.6	.6	.4	-.3	2.8	.0
Size B - 330,000 to 1,200,000 .....	.2	2.5	.1	-.4	2.4	-2.1
Size C - 50,000 to 330,000 .....	.6	.7	-.2	.2	1.5	.8
Size classes						
A .....	.5	.9	.1	-.4	2.6	-.1
B .....	.2	1.1	.1	-.3	1.0	-.1
C .....	.1	.9	-.8	.3	2.7	-.8
D	-.2	-.7	-1.0	.1	1.0	.0
Selected local areas ²						
Baltimore, Md. ....	.8	1.6	.1	1.4	2.6	-.2
Boston, Mass.	-.8	-.2	-2.4	-.3	1.3	-.1
Chicago, Ill.-Northwestern Ind.	1.5	3.2	1.1	-3.3	5.9	.5
Cleveland, Ohio	-1.1	-.1	-1.6	.6	-2.7	-.9
Dallas-Fort Worth, Tex.	-1.0	.3	1.8	-.6	-4.7	-3.0
Detroit, Mich.	-.3	.8	.2	-1.6	2.1	-2.2
Houston, Tex.	-.9	1.1	-2.8	-.3	1.1	-.8
L.A.-Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif.	-.1	.8	-1.1	-.4	1.7	-.4
Miami, Fla.	-.1	-.1	-.7	-.1	2.3	-1.3
N.Y., N.Y.-Northeastern N.J. ....	.5	1.3	-.7	-.1	3.6	-.2
Philadelphia, Pa.-N.J.	1.6	.3	2.8	1.3	1.5	.9
Pittsburgh, Pa.	1.7	1.4	.8	-.6	4.2	2.3
St. Louis, Mo.-Ill.	-.3	-1.1	-1.3	.7	.1	.7
San Francisco-Oakland, Calif.	1.4	.1	2.4	-.9	3.4	.3
Washington, D.C.-Md.-Va.	1.7	-.1	.4	.5	4.9	3.2

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, March 1987 to April 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	0.5	0.5	0.4	0.8	1.4	1.0
Food and beverages .....	.3	.8	.2	.3	1.1	1.0
Food .....	.2	1.0	-.1	.3	1.1	1.1
Food at home .....	.4	1.5	-.1	.5	1.8	1.4
Cereals and bakery products .....	.8	3.2	.8	1.3	.3	.1
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	-.1	1.1	-1.1	-.7	2.8	2.4
Meats, poultry, and fish .....	.0	1.2	-.4	-.8	2.9	2.5
Dairy products	-.2	-3.3	-.4	-.1	1.3	-.9
Fruits and vegetables	2.2	5.9	1.7	3.8	1.5	3.4
Other food at home	-.3	.5	-.4	-.2	.9	.3
Food away from home .....	.1	.0	-.3	.1	.0	.7
Alcoholic beverages .....	.3	-1.2	2.5	-.1	.2	.0
Housing .....	.3	.4	.8	.5	.8	1.0
Shelter .....	.5	.1	1.2	.5	1.4	1.2
Renters' costs .....	.4	.8	.3	.4	4.7	.3
Rent, residential .....	.2	-.3	.9	.3	.1	.3
Other renters' costs	2.1	7.8	-4.1	2.0	15.1	.0
Homeowners' costs .....	.5	-.2	1.8	.6	.1	1.9
Owners' equivalent rent .....	.5	-.2	1.8	.5	.2	2.0
Fuel and other utilities	-.2	.5	.9	-1.2	-.4	.4
Fuels	-.6	.7	1.6	-1.8	-.2	.8
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities	-.1	1.9	-.4	.0	-1.2	.0
Fuel oil	-.1	2.8	NA	.0	-1.8	.0
Other household commodities .....	.0	.0	-.5	-.7	.7	.0
Gas (piped) and electricity	-.6	.7	1.6	-2.3	.0	.8
Electricity	-.7	-.1	2.2	-3.6	-.1	1.2
Utility (piped) gas	-.5	1.5	.5	-.1	.1	.0
Household furnishings and operation .....	.3	1.4	-1.0	2.9	.1	.9
Apparel and upkeep	1.7	.4	-2.4	2.5	6.2	2.4
Apparel commodities	1.9	.5	-2.7	2.7	6.7	2.7
Men's and boys' apparel	1.2	-1.5	-3.8	4.9	-.3	5.7
Women's and girls' apparel	3.2	1.8	-3.1	1.8	17.0	2.3
Footwear	1.1	1.0	2.2	2.6	-1.1	.3
Transportation	1.0	.5	.6	1.4	1.6	.8
Private transportation	1.1	.6	.6	1.5	1.6	1.1
Motor fuel	2.5	4.2	1.5	2.6	1.8	1.7
Gasoline	2.6	4.4	1.7	2.6	1.9	1.6
Gasoline, leaded regular	2.8	4.3	2.4	2.7	2.2	1.9
Gasoline, unleaded regular	2.7	4.9	1.5	2.9	1.9	1.5
Gasoline, unleaded premium	2.1	2.7	1.1	2.2	1.3	1.6
Public transportation .....	.0	.0	1.1	.7	-.6	-2.1
Medical care .....	.6	.3	.5	.9	.1	.6
Entertainment .....	.6	.4	1.0	.6	3.1	.7
Other goods and services .....	.3	.2	.3	.1	.3	.1
Personal care .....	.3	-.7	.9	.2	-.3	.4

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, March 1987 to April 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	0.5	0.5	0.4	0.8	1.4	1.0
Commodities .....	.7	.9	-.1	1.2	1.8	1.2
Food and beverages .....	.3	.8	.2	.3	1.1	1.0
Commodities less food and beverages	1.0	1.0	-.3	2.0	2.3	1.4
Nondurables less food and beverages	1.4	1.0	-.3	2.1	3.5	1.3
Durables .....	.6	1.0	-.2	1.7	.3	1.5
Services .....	.3	.1	.9	.4	1.0	.8
Medical care services .....	.6	.1	.4	1.0	.0	.8
Special indexes						
All items less shelter .....	.6	.6	.1	.9	1.4	.9
All items less medical care .....	.5	.5	.4	.8	1.4	1.0
All items less energy .....	.5	.3	.4	.9	1.4	1.0
Energy .....	.9	2.5	1.5	-.2	.6	1.3
Commodities less food	1.0	.9	-.2	1.8	2.2	1.3
Nondurables less food	1.3	.8	.0	1.9	3.3	1.2
Nondurables .....	.8	.9	-.1	1.1	2.2	1.1
Services less rent of shelter .....	.3	.0	.4	.2	.6	.4
Services less medical care .....	.4	.1	.9	.3	1.1	.8

^{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												
	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—		
		Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986		Feb. 1987	Apr. 1987		Apr. 1986	Feb. 1987		Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986	Feb. 1987	Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986	Feb. 1987
Expenditure category													
All items	332.3	3.7	1.0	321.6	4.0	0.8	344.4	3.1	1.0	319.9	3.8	1.1	
All items(1957-59=100)	386.5	-	-	365.4	-	-	372.3	-	-	367.6	-	-	
Food and beverages	322.1	4.5	.2	306.6	4.7	.2	341.1	4.2	-.9	299.7	3.6	-.4	
Food	330.2	4.6	.2	314.0	4.8	.1	348.7	4.7	-.8	303.3	3.7	-.5	
Food at home	314.9	5.0	.1	308.2	5.7	.2	318.0	3.7	-2.5	300.6	4.1	-1.0	
Cereals and bakery products	334.1	4.1	.9	343.7	4.9	2.8	319.3	.8	.9	346.1	2.5	-.3	
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	285.2	8.2	-.2	279.7	7.2	-1.3	278.6	8.7	1.3	285.2	10.1	-2.1	
Meats, poultry, and fish	294.5	9.2	.2	293.7	8.4	-1.0	290.7	10.0	1.7	291.1	11.1	-1.2	
Dairy products	262.0	2.5	-.6	250.6	4.3	-3.6	288.3	5.4	-6.6	246.2	1.2	-2.6	
Fruits and vegetables	353.6	8.8	1.6	363.4	13.6	2.8	332.2	.5	-6.4	319.9	12.1	3.7	
Other food at home	377.8	.5	-.6	362.9	.4	.9	390.8	1.1	-4.1	345.4	-5.8	-1.7	
Food away from home	374.8	4.1	.4	330.6	3.3	.0	432.7	6.3	1.6	321.6	2.5	.2	
Alcoholic beverages	247.2	2.0	.4	234.3	3.4	.0	248.4	-1.9	-2.1	277.6	1.5	.9	
Housing	360.0	2.5	.7	339.4	1.9	.3	375.6	-.8	.9	350.4	2.5	.3	
Shelter	405.1	4.4	1.0	388.0	3.3	.0	435.5	-.4	.4	396.0	5.6	.8	
Renters' costs ²	113.8	4.8	1.0	113.2	4.2	.5	107.2	-.8	.8	117.7	7.3	-1.8	
Rent, residential	287.8	3.9	.3	255.0	3.8	-.5	277.1	-1.5	-.1	273.5	6.6	1.6	
Other renters' costs	448.1	8.9	4.8	481.6	4.5	7.5	435.5	6.4	10.3	376.1	8.3	-10.3	
Homeowners' costs ²	112.7	4.3	1.0	110.5	3.0	-.2	109.0	-.4	.1	115.5	5.5	1.8	
Owners' equivalent rent ²	112.7	4.3	1.1	109.8	2.7	-.1	108.4	-.4	.1	115.6	5.5	1.7	
Fuel and other utilities	374.3	-2.2	-.2	325.9	-.2	1.4	337.9	-3.8	3.3	437.0	-2.0	-1.8	
Fuels	440.7	-4.0	-.7	386.1	-2.5	.1	441.2	-4.5	5.2	498.6	-4.8	-.8	
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities ³	501.1	-3.9	-.6	507.5	-3.3	.4	182.3	-8.1	-4.4	549.4	-2.1	-1.6	
Fuel oil ⁴	499.3	-2.4	-.9	183.1	-.6	.6	NA	NA	NA	178.2	-2.0	-1.8	
Other household fuel commodities ⁵	101.9	-	.2	100.0	-	.0	96.7	-	-4.4	100.7	-	-1.5	
Gas (piped) and electricity	424.4	-3.1	-.7	358.5	-1.8	.1	437.8	-5.1	5.4	488.1	-5.2	-.8	
Electricity	353.2	-1.3	-.4	310.8	.8	.5	295.9	-3.3	17.0	309.3	-7.8	-3.7	
Utility (piped) gas	518.7	-5.8	-1.2	396.1	-4.5	-3	633.1	-7.0	-10.4	647.0	-3.3	1.7	
Household furnishings and operation	250.8	2.0	.6	234.8	-.1	.0	260.4	2.5	.3	198.2	-.8	.8	
Apparel and upkeep	217.4	5.5	5.1	185.4	8.2	5.8	230.0	9.7	6.8	186.0	11.0	8.3	
Apparel commodities	202.1	5.7	5.5	186.3	10.5	6.1	196.5	10.0	7.7	169.1	11.6	8.5	
Men's and boys' apparel	204.3	2.5	2.7	159.1	7.9	1.3	194.7	-2.9	7.5	173.1	7.1	4.3	
Women's and girls' apparel	184.4	8.9	9.0	151.1	17.8	9.8	187.4	22.6	13.0	168.7	20.1	14.8	
Footwear	220.0	3.7	3.6	166.8	-1.5	1.5	220.2	-1.2	.5	145.8	.6	3.0	
Transportation	313.9	3.4	1.3	312.0	5.2	1.2	305.9	3.2	.8	299.6	3.1	1.3	
Private transportation	307.4	3.4	1.3	299.6	5.2	1.4	305.5	3.5	1.1	296.6	3.4	1.4	
Motor fuel ⁴	298.7	6.6	3.2	157.1	12.7	4.0	156.4	8.2	2.0	161.1	11.6	4.0	
Gasoline ⁴	298.3	6.9	3.3	156.7	13.6	4.3	156.3	8.4	2.0	160.7	11.9	4.0	
Gasoline, leaded regular ⁶	166.9	9.7	3.6	179.5	19.2	4.8	175.1	12.0	2.1	178.0	16.6	6.7	
Gasoline, unleaded regular ⁶	170.0	7.1	3.3	176.4	14.5	4.6	174.5	7.3	2.1	177.4	11.1	3.2	
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁷	77.5	2.6	2.5	83.7	4.9	2.4	77.8	5.4	1.2	82.7	6.6	3.1	
Public transportation	428.9	3.8	.4	462.4	5.3	.0	330.9	-2.5	-8.0	403.0	-1.5	-.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											
	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—	
		Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986		Feb. 1987	Apr. 1987		Apr. 1986	Feb. 1987		Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986	Feb. 1987	Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986	Feb. 1987
Expenditure category												
Medical care	454.9	8.9	1.2	457.7	6.3	0.5	470.3	7.3	2.8	474.4	6.8	1.3
Entertainment	276.0	3.4	1.0	347.1	7.6	2.2	279.9	6.1	.7	236.5	4.9	2.1
Other goods and services	356.0	5.5	.4	352.4	3.9	.1	347.4	9.0	.4	342.7	5.5	.9
Personal care	294.7	2.3	.2	255.3	-1.9	-.8	307.6	10.1	.4	254.4	1.2	-.4
Commodity and service group												
All items	332.3	3.7	1.0	321.6	4.0	.8	344.4	3.1	1.0	319.9	3.8	1.1
Commodities	290.7	3.7	1.3	280.4	4.6	1.4	304.7	4.4	1.1	262.8	4.1	1.8
Food and beverages	322.1	4.5	.2	306.6	4.7	.2	341.1	4.2	-.9	299.7	3.6	-.4
Commodities less food and beverages	269.9	3.1	2.0	259.7	4.6	2.2	281.5	4.3	2.3	242.4	4.8	3.5
Nondurables less food and beverages	273.7	4.5	2.9	260.8	6.8	3.1	270.7	7.5	3.4	254.3	8.6	5.4
Durables	266.8	1.3	.9	258.7	1.7	1.1	293.9	.8	1.0	228.3	-.6	.4
Services	407.3	3.9	.7	392.0	3.5	.3	408.4	1.8	.8	416.0	3.6	.3
Medical care services	492.1	7.1	1.2	499.6	5.9	.2	503.3	8.0	3.1	497.7	6.8	1.4
Special indexes												
All items less shelter	312.8	3.5	1.0	301.6	4.3	1.1	317.8	4.3	1.2	298.7	3.4	1.2
All items less medical care	326.2	3.5	1.0	314.8	3.9	.9	335.8	2.8	.9	310.7	3.7	1.1
All items less energy ⁸	331.9	4.1	1.0	180.5	4.1	.7	186.0	3.8	.8	172.8	4.2	1.1
Energy ⁴	360.8	.7	1.1	162.8	4.6	2.0	157.4	1.9	3.5	170.6	2.0	1.4
Commodities less food	268.5	3.0	1.9	258.6	4.5	2.1	280.0	3.9	2.1	244.0	4.6	3.3
Nondurables less food	270.4	4.2	2.7	258.0	6.4	2.8	268.1	6.5	3.0	256.0	8.0	5.0
Nondurables	299.2	4.5	1.5	285.7	5.7	1.5	305.6	5.9	1.2	278.3	5.8	2.2
Services less rent of shelter ²	109.5	3.4	.5	107.8	4.0	.6	111.3	3.8	1.3	109.5	1.9	-.1
Services less medical care	396.1	3.5	.7	377.1	3.3	.3	394.0	1.1	.7	395.7	3.3	.2

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—	
	Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986	Feb. 1987	Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986	Feb. 1987	Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986	Feb. 1987
Expenditure category									
All items	338.5	3.3	1.7	334.8	4.6	1.1	328.2	4.8	1.3
All items(1957-59 = 100)	387.3	-	-	393.7	-	-	390.5	-	-
Food and beverages	345.4	4.3	-3	322.1	4.8	-6	332.9	5.5	.5
Food	354.0	5.0	-1	333.0	4.8	-9	344.6	5.7	.6
Food at home	333.0	5.9	.0	320.7	6.8	-1.5	328.5	6.2	.7
Cereals and bakery products	327.8	5.6	3.7	339.8	5.7	.2	346.2	5.4	.7
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	262.4	4.2	-3.0	292.3	10.2	-2.1	296.0	9.4	-2
Meats, poultry, and fish	293.9	5.0	-2.9	297.7	11.0	-8	302.0	10.3	-1
Dairy products	316.5	11.0	1.5	281.2	3.1	.0	265.3	-6	.2
Fruits and vegetables	360.0	15.3	1.3	337.1	12.3	-1.4	378.7	11.8	3.9
Other food at home	413.8	1.2	.3	392.6	1.5	-2.4	398.8	1.0	-1
Food away from home	421.3	2.7	-1	359.6	1.9	.0	389.4	5.0	.3
Alcoholic beverages	263.3	-2.0	-2.7	234.1	3.4	1.8	240.2	3.2	.4
Housing	346.2	.2	3.3	371.9	5.4	1.6	331.8	3.1	.3
Shelter	360.0	1.1	3.8	423.3	6.9	2.1	357.1	5.9	.5
Renters' costs ²	99.8	1.1	3.2	116.7	5.8	1.0	116.2	7.0	.2
Rent, residential	216.1	-1.1	1.4	357.7	6.2	1.4	309.7	6.6	-1
Other renters' costs	499.7	18.0	17.9	361.4	2.2	-1.8	474.0	9.7	2.1
Homeowners' costs ²	100.7	1.0	4.4	119.5	7.8	2.9	115.2	5.0	.7
Owners' equivalent rent ²	98.4	.6	4.3	119.3	7.7	2.9	115.3	4.9	.6
Fuel and other utilities	407.9	-2.4	.5	343.9	.9	.6	361.3	-6.5	-1.8
Fuels	492.0	-5.6	.6	446.1	1.5	.5	451.0	-8.3	-3.1
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities ³	NA	NA	NA	181.7	11.6	.4	548.1	-2.6	-1.0
Fuel oil ⁴	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	179.0	-2.6	-1.1
Other household fuel commodities ⁵	101.9	-	.5	107.8	-	.4	100.5	-	-1.0
Gas (piped) and electricity	494.8	-5.6	.6	447.8	1.3	.5	414.0	-9.0	-3.6
Electricity	399.3	-5.2	1.3	379.7	-1.4	2.2	354.8	-9.1	-5.3
Utility (piped) gas	614.7	-5.8	-2.2	558.9	6.0	-2.5	519.0	-8.6	-7
Household furnishings and operation	251.5	.4	4.4	231.5	3.0	.3	261.0	4.2	2.6
Apparel and upkeep	259.6	5.1	4.0	190.4	3.8	2.3	209.9	9.6	7.8
Apparel commodities	239.6	5.5	4.3	177.6	3.9	2.6	187.4	10.2	8.4
Men's and boys' apparel	256.8	3.7	-5	175.7	.6	-1.3	174.0	5.5	6.8
Women's and girls' apparel	243.5	19.2	11.7	138.1	4.2	6.8	170.8	15.9	8.1
Footwear	261.0	2.9	1.1	237.8	5.5	2.7	217.1	8.2	4.9
Transportation	288.0	4.9	1.1	331.6	3.0	1.4	346.5	4.0	1.9
Private transportation	288.4	5.1	1.1	330.9	3.1	1.3	316.1	4.0	2.1
Motor fuel ⁴	159.3	18.1	3.0	153.3	.6	4.1	148.9	4.1	4.3
Gasoline ⁴	159.1	18.1	3.0	153.9	1.1	4.3	148.6	4.2	4.3
Gasoline, leaded regular ⁶	174.3	20.9	3.3	171.6	2.9	5.1	152.3	5.8	5.3
Gasoline, unleaded regular ⁶	176.5	19.5	3.1	173.5	.2	4.0	154.3	4.5	4.4
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁷	78.3	11.7	2.5	79.8	-3	3.4	75.6	3.0	3.6
Public transportation	311.3	3.6	1.1	355.7	2.7	2.7	483.7	2.8	.6

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(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—	
	Apr. 1967	Apr. 1966	Feb. 1967	Apr. 1967	Apr. 1966	Feb. 1967	Apr. 1967	Apr. 1966	Feb. 1967
Expenditure category									
Medical care	540.9	5.8	1.1	477.0	7.1	0.8	461.5	9.8	2.6
Entertainment	298.8	3.2	.4	214.8	2.3	.7	294.8	5.2	1.1
Other goods and services	351.8	4.3	-.1	341.2	3.5	.4	368.0	4.9	.4
Personal care	339.8	.0	-.8	293.5	2.3	.2	323.5	1.7	1.3
Commodity and service group									
All items	338.5	3.3	1.7	334.8	4.8	1.1	328.2	4.8	1.3
Commodities	307.0	4.7	1.4	273.4	3.1	.6	291.2	5.3	2.4
Food and beverages	345.4	4.3	-.3	322.1	4.8	-.6	332.9	5.5	.5
Commodities less food and beverages	285.4	5.0	2.6	247.3	1.8	1.4	259.7	4.9	3.9
Nondurables less food and beverages	291.3	7.5	2.4	257.8	2.6	2.1	272.6	5.8	4.7
Durables	283.2	1.8	2.9	242.8	1.5	.7	239.7	2.7	2.2
Services	394.8	1.5	2.0	435.4	8.0	1.4	391.1	4.5	.4
Medical care services	589.9	6.2	1.2	509.6	7.5	.6	498.0	10.5	2.7
Special indexes									
All items less shelter	330.0	3.8	1.1	305.3	3.7	.6	320.2	4.5	1.6
All items less medical care	328.8	3.0	1.7	327.5	4.4	1.1	321.9	4.5	1.2
All items less energy ³	166.7	3.2	1.6	182.7	5.2	1.0	175.2	5.7	1.4
Energy ⁴	172.4	7.0	2.0	170.6	.4	2.6	154.1	-4.0	-.4
Commodities less food	283.7	4.5	2.2	246.8	1.7	1.4	257.5	4.8	3.7
Nondurables less food	287.9	6.4	1.8	254.6	2.5	2.1	287.7	5.8	4.4
Nondurables	319.5	5.8	.9	291.3	3.9	.6	306.0	5.8	2.4
Services less rent of shelter ²	104.2	1.7	.5	113.5	4.8	.5	108.8	3.3	.3
Services less medical care	369.1	.7	2.0	424.6	5.8	1.5	379.5	4.0	.2

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—	
		Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986		Feb. 1987	Apr. 1987		Apr. 1986	Feb. 1987	Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986	Feb. 1987
Expenditure category									
All items	334.9	4.8	1.5	316.6	2.9	0.8	346.9	4.1	1.4
All items(1957-59=100)	391.2	-	-	364.1	-	-	412.8	-	-
Food and beverages	334.4	4.3	.7	313.2	5.5	.9	326.6	4.5	1.6
Food	345.4	4.5	.7	318.4	5.7	.9	338.0	4.9	1.6
Food at home	318.1	5.1	.7	303.9	6.5	1.2	325.2	6.3	2.6
Cereals and bakery products	337.6	4.3	-.1	315.0	1.7	1.3	355.9	3.3	-.8
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	287.9	8.0	.7	263.6	9.6	-.2	305.7	10.6	5.2
Meats, poultry, and fish	298.1	9.0	.7	273.4	10.6	.4	312.0	10.7	5.8
Dairy products	249.8	.1	.4	235.0	5.3	-2.2	255.8	4.7	-.1
Fruits and vegetables	360.7	10.0	3.2	385.7	17.2	4.7	354.0	14.5	6.9
Other food at home	400.3	1.8	-.2	367.0	-.8	1.8	386.3	-1.3	-.5
Food away from home	432.4	3.4	.7	374.5	4.2	.4	358.5	2.7	.8
Alcoholic beverages	255.0	1.4	.2	279.1	.9	.7	219.8	.4	-.3
Housing	352.4	3.7	.9	332.1	.8	-.2	396.2	4.0	.6
Shelter	408.5	7.0	1.5	368.7	2.5	.2	440.8	8.0	.8
Renters' costs ²	126.5	13.4	5.0	113.9	3.1	-.2	118.8	5.9	.0
Rent, residential	311.9	3.8	.4	281.9	.0	-.2	374.2	5.2	-.1
Other renters' costs	705.3	48.5	15.1	467.2	9.3	-.3	424.2	16.2	.9
Homeowners' costs ²	115.1	4.7	.2	108.4	2.8	.3	118.1	6.1	1.4
Owners' equivalent rent ²	115.3	4.7	.3	108.5	2.6	.3	118.0	8.2	1.5
Fuel and other utilities	366.8	-5.6	-.9	377.3	-1.3	-.1	398.9	-2.6	.4
Fuels	421.0	-7.5	-1.0	478.7	-2.4	-.2	453.4	-3.8	1.0
Fuel oil and other household fuel commodities ³	493.0	-7.2	.3	NA	NA	NA	204.7	10.2	10.4
Fuel oil ⁴	168.4	-6.3	-2.1	151.4	-5.8	-5.1	205.9	15.4	2.0
Other household fuel commodities ⁵	102.5	-	9.9	NA	NA	NA	109.6	-	11.0
Gas (piped) and electricity	401.1	-4.8	-1.2	483.6	-2.0	-.1	455.1	-3.9	.8
Electricity	392.1	-2.3	-1.9	352.5	.1	.4	323.0	-3.1	1.2
Utility (piped) gas	402.7	-8.1	.1	617.7	-4.2	-5	646.3	-5.9	.0
Household furnishings and operation	245.4	4.6	.9	232.1	-2.1	-1.7	279.4	2.3	-.2
Apparel and upkeep	167.4	8.3	7.4	200.2	7.8	4.7	217.2	4.5	8.0
Apparel commodities	147.5	9.1	8.0	189.4	8.2	5.0	195.2	3.6	8.7
Men's and boys' apparel	149.1	4.7	1.2	193.7	4.3	6.3	197.6	-2.9	-.4
Women's and girls' apparel	90.1	8.9	14.5	177.3	21.9	7.1	178.2	7.0	13.3
Footwear	241.3	28.6	6.8	175.6	-5.2	.3	204.3	7.3	3.1
Transportation	345.7	5.8	2.1	315.7	1.6	1.5	321.6	3.1	2.4
Private transportation	342.2	5.5	2.3	312.3	1.4	1.7	320.3	3.2	2.8
Motor fuel ⁴	161.6	9.7	3.1	149.8	7.2	2.6	153.8	3.8	5.8
Gasoline ⁴	162.3	10.1	3.2	149.9	7.3	2.6	153.6	3.8	5.9
Gasoline, leaded regular ⁶	175.7	11.6	4.1	160.9	9.1	2.7	187.8	7.8	5.4
Gasoline, unleaded regular ⁶	174.7	10.9	3.3	162.0	6.8	2.8	172.8	2.6	5.8
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁷	75.6	6.9	1.9	74.0	5.4	1.6	78.1	1.6	4.0
Public transportation	415.8	10.6	-.4	434.8	4.8	-1.1	333.8	4.2	-2.1

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

(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—	
		Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986		Feb. 1987	Apr. 1987		Apr. 1986	Feb. 1987
Expenditure category									
Medical care	516.2	3.9	0.3	475.7	7.3	2.1	438.4	8.2	1.2
Entertainment	248.9	2.3	2.9	285.3	2.7	.6	248.7	2.1	-.9
Other goods and services	375.3	7.2	.5	337.2	3.6	.1	377.9	5.8	.4
Personal care	285.9	4.3	-.2	254.5	-.7	.0	321.1	4.0	.9
Commodity and service group									
All items	334.9	4.8	1.5	316.6	2.9	.8	346.9	4.1	1.4
Commodities	287.8	4.4	2.1	273.8	3.4	1.2	293.3	3.7	2.2
Food and beverages	334.4	4.3	.7	313.2	5.5	.9	326.6	4.5	1.6
Commodities less food and beverages	255.9	4.3	3.2	243.9	2.0	1.4	274.3	3.4	2.7
Nondurables less food and beverages	250.8	5.3	4.7	246.3	4.3	2.0	266.1	3.7	3.7
Durables	264.9	2.4	.7	241.2	-.7	.6	286.2	2.5	1.2
Services	426.8	5.4	1.0	398.4	2.3	.3	430.3	4.6	.7
Medical care services	579.5	3.6	.0	524.1	7.3	2.4	475.2	8.0	.7
Special indexes									
All items less shelter	319.2	4.1	1.5	306.0	2.9	.9	318.3	3.5	1.6
All items less medical care	326.0	4.8	1.6	309.5	2.6	.7	341.6	3.8	1.4
All items less energy 3	179.9	5.5	1.6	166.4	3.1	.7	186.3	4.7	1.3
Energy 4	168.5	-1.2	.6	169.3	1.6	1.0	176.7	.4	3.7
Commodities less food	255.1	4.2	3.1	246.6	1.9	1.4	271.3	3.0	2.5
Nondurables less food	249.8	5.0	4.3	251.9	3.9	1.9	260.4	3.0	3.3
Nondurables	296.0	4.9	2.5	284.0	4.9	1.4	297.8	4.1	2.5
Services less rent of shelter 2	112.7	4.1	.5	105.0	2.0	.5	109.5	3.1	.6
Services less medical care	404.7	5.6	1.0	385.1	1.9	.2	423.2	4.3	.7

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.

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	
	Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987	Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987	Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987	Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987
U.S. city average	\$24.582	\$24.394	\$55.304	\$54.908	\$40.208	\$40.075	\$0.843	\$0.843
Region and area size ¹								
Northeast urban	29.271	29.365	64.897	64.835	50.459	49.584	.858	.855
Size A - More than 1,200,000	29.422	29.541	65.412	65.283	51.737	50.727	.884	.881
Size B - 500,000 to 1,200,000	29.926	29.881	66.300	66.407	48.421	44.960	.809	.798
Size C - 50,000 to 500,000	29.164	29.269	63.019	63.039	51.122	51.094	.823	.823
North Central urban	24.278	24.105	51.587	51.381	39.008	39.098	.760	.767
Size A - More than 1,200,000	23.211	23.106	49.680	49.626	40.655	40.696	.816	.820
Size B - 360,000 to 1,200,000	27.329	27.167	57.656	58.046	39.433	39.682	.756	.774
Size C - 50,000 to 360,000	27.592	27.290	56.933	56.178	36.448	38.338	.739	.742
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	23.015	22.583	48.976	47.873	36.120	36.561	.682	.688
South urban	25.924	25.394	57.231	55.804	39.341	38.759	.848	.849
Size A - More than 1,200,000	26.413	25.423	57.682	55.286	39.528	38.634	.903	.899
Size B - 450,000 to 1,200,000	25.992	25.978	56.935	56.312	41.267	40.265	.812	.818
Size C - 50,000 to 450,000	25.450	24.914	56.128	54.817	38.481	38.426	NA	NA
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	26.135	25.934	60.179	59.658	37.759	37.366	.834	.832
West urban	19.506	19.485	51.658	52.125	36.509	37.220	.809	.810
Size A - More than 1,250,000	18.774	18.726	52.780	53.506	36.871	37.453	.833	.833
Size B - 330,000 to 1,250,000	19.389	19.530	48.886	47.234	40.018	40.897	NA	NA
Size C - 50,000 to 330,000	20.833	20.839	50.634	50.891	29.729	30.754	.786	.787
Size classes								
A	24.000	23.828	54.905	54.819	41.574	41.424	.678	.678
B	25.984	25.946	57.211	57.179	41.062	40.734	.803	.801
C	25.361	25.015	55.670	55.004	37.808	37.866	.810	.812
D	24.272	23.976	53.380	52.605	37.485	37.407	.794	.800
Selected local areas ²								
Chicago, Ill.-Northwestern Ind.	19.811	19.955	45.710	48.123	45.311	45.287	.862	.866
L.A.-Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif.	18.282	18.176	56.141	57.226	41.210	43.167	NA	NA
N.Y., N.Y.-Northeastern N.J.	33.119	33.262	73.181	73.262	59.231	57.047	.900	.900
Philadelphia, Pa.-N.J.	27.876	28.410	66.435	66.457	51.429	51.686	.863	.847
San Francisco-Oakland, Calif.	15.517	15.517	42.548	42.548	40.178	40.741	NA	NA
Baltimore, Md.	30.160	27.260	65.190	57.980	40.760	40.650	.883	.878
Boston, Mass.	29.120	28.670	64.340	63.860	44.447	42.286	.871	.871
Cleveland, Ohio	21.860	21.860	48.220	48.220	47.570	47.440	.873	.873
Miami, Fla.	28.740	29.280	61.950	63.300	44.487	42.487	NA	NA
St. Louis, Mo.-Ill.	27.843	26.971	48.528	48.528	37.222	38.438	.766	.766
Washington, D.C.-Md.-Va.	31.356	30.062	72.718	70.172	36.505	38.735	.950	.944
Dallas-Fort Worth, Tex.	22.472	20.786	47.881	43.731	39.498	39.433	NA	NA
Detroit, Mich.	28.414	28.414	55.564	55.564	43.724	43.189	.897	.889
Houston, Tex.	22.170	22.170	41.350	41.350	36.970	37.839	NA	NA
Pittsburgh, Pa.	27.175	27.133	58.376	57.982	43.140	43.067	.723	.704

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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 Apr. 1987		Average price per KWH of electricity		Range of KWH consumption for Apr. 1987	
	Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987	Low	High	Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987	Low	High
U.S. city average	\$0.574	\$0.571	1	2,800	\$0.076	\$0.076	4	7,512
Region and area size ¹								
Northeast urban .....	.653	.652	1	2,800	.094	.084	26	6,610
Size A - More than 1,200,000 .....	.656	.655	4	630	.094	.093	88	3,928
Size B - 500,000 to 1,200,000 .....	.680	.680	1	589	.067	.090	26	5,672
Size C - 50,000 to 500,000 .....	.634	.634	7	277	.106	.105	54	6,610
North Central urban .....	.528	.527	1	1,292	.071	.071	5	6,708
Size A - More than 1,200,000 .....	.514	.514	4	1,292	.076	.076	5	6,708
Size B - 360,000 to 1,200,000 .....	.579	.583	21	420	.061	.061	282	3,041
Size C - 50,000 to 360,000 .....	.544	.537	23	623	.072	.074	39	4,318
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000) .....	.526	.518	1	429	.067	.067	100	3,360
South urban .....	.637	.625	1	589	.072	.072	30	7,512
Size A - More than 1,200,000 .....	.646	.625	6	442	.069	.068	30	7,512
Size B - 450,000 to 1,200,000 .....	.630	.629	4	274	.080	.078	112	6,513
Size C - 50,000 to 450,000 .....	.613	.602	3	589	.067	.068	94	4,002
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000) .....	.712	.706	1	320	.079	.078	32	6,316
West urban .....	.514	.515	1	400	.078	.079	4	7,152
Size A - More than 1,250,000 .....	.522	.524	1	400	.080	.081	4	7,152
Size B - 330,000 to 1,250,000 .....	.497	.497	1	163	.082	.083	29	4,991
Size C - 50,000 to 330,000 .....	.476	.477	14	366	.064	.067	82	5,432
Size classes								
A .....	.566	.563	1	1,292	.079	.079	4	7,512
B .....	.599	.602	1	589	.074	.074	26	6,513
C .....	.572	.564	3	623	.071	.072	39	6,610
D .....	.593	.587	1	2,800	.075	.075	32	6,316
Selected local areas ²								
Chicago, Ill.-Northwestern Ind. ....	.457	.484	23	635	.064	.084	169	6,708
L.A.-Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif. ....	.532	.535	9	352	.084	.087	75	3,107
N.Y., N.Y.-Northeastern N.J. ....	.757	.757	4	620	.106	.104	88	2,929
Philadelphia, Pa.-N.J. ....	.657	.658	16	630	.083	.083	216	3,845
San Francisco-Oakland, Calif. ....	.401	.401	12	159	.081	.062	108	2,457
Baltimore, Md. ....	.757	.685	17	168	.067	.067	197	3,510
Boston, Mass. ....	.665	.660	10	132	.085	.083	140	2,658
Cleveland, Ohio ....	.517	.517	5	263	.069	.069	167	2,351
Miami, Fla. ....	.850	.864	8	52	.067	.083	304	2,961
St. Louis, Mo.-Ill. ....	.476	.472	46	1,292	.068	.071	172	2,744
Washington, D.C.-Md.-Va. ....	.789	.758	6	442	.070	.070	30	3,763
Dallas-Fort Worth, Tex. ....	.630	.588	12	46	.053	.053	275	6,349
Detroit, Mich. ....	.617	.617	21	356	.087	.085	63	3,174
Houston, Tex.380	.380	63	297	.067	.067	224	7,512
Pittsburgh, Pa.561	.559	31	426	.082	.083	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	
	Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987	Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987	Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987	Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987
U.S. city average	\$0.918	\$0.940	\$0.858	\$0.879	\$0.912	\$0.934	\$1.052	\$1.073
Region and area size ³								
Northeast urban .....	.921	.941	.849	.867	.896	.918	1.042	1.062
Size A - More than 1,200,000 .....	.907	.928	.839	.859	.868	.889	1.039	1.059
Size B - 500,000 to 1,200,000 .....	.956	.977	.887	.883	.962	.984	1.034	1.057
Size C - 50,000 to 500,000 .....	.948	.962	.871	.884	.941	.958	1.071	1.078
North Central urban .....	.895	.931	.848	.883	.895	.932	1.038	1.073
Size A - More than 1,200,000 .....	.904	.939	.837	.873	.902	.938	1.070	1.099
Size B - 360,000 to 1,200,000 .....	.894	.928	.855	.893	.881	.914	1.062	1.102
Size C - 50,000 to 360,000 .....	.871	.912	.845	.880	.879	.922	.932	.962
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000) .....	.893	.924	.878	.904	.906	.938	NA	NA
South urban .....	.913	.932	.845	.865	.905	.924	1.043	1.062
Size A - More than 1,200,000 .....	.902	.927	.824	.849	.882	.906	1.044	1.068
Size B - 450,000 to 1,200,000 .....	.914	.937	.847	.872	.910	.931	1.044	1.068
Size C - 50,000 to 450,000 .....	.923	.934	.883	.878	.927	.938	1.047	1.054
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000) .....	.917	.932	.847	.858	.917	.937	1.031	1.041
West urban .....	.943	.959	.879	.896	.948	.961	1.095	1.110
Size A - More than 1,250,000 .....	.950	.968	.887	.907	.948	.963	1.111	1.125
Size B - 330,000 to 1,250,000 .....	.962	.975	.877	.890	.961	.993	1.064	1.078
Size C - 50,000 to 330,000 .....	.899	.916	.844	.860	.911	.925	1.037	1.067
Size classes								
A .....	.920	.944	.855	.879	.908	.931	1.062	1.083
B .....	.925	.948	.856	.881	.924	.946	1.047	1.071
C .....	.909	.929	.856	.876	.914	.935	1.029	1.045
D .....	.904	.924	.861	.879	.913	.935	1.028	1.041
Selected local areas ⁴								
Chicago, Ill.-Northwestern Ind. ....	.974	1.018	.923	.963	.949	.998	1.145	1.177
L.A.-Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif. ....	.968	.985	.911	.933	.963	.978	1.134	1.147
N.Y., N.Y.-Northeastern N.J. ....	.923	.947	.837	.858	.875	.900	1.044	1.069
Philadelphia, Pa.-N.J. ....	.887	.904	.846	.864	.855	.871	1.032	1.045
San Francisco-Oakland, Calif. ....	.943	.958	.853	.869	.945	.959	1.074	1.091
Baltimore, Md. ....	.898	.912	.833	.851	.867	.877	1.032	1.047
Boston, Mass. ....	.897	.916	.822	.844	.869	.884	1.024	1.038
Cleveland, Ohio ....	.911	.936	.830	.862	.893	.915	1.090	1.113
Miami, Fla. ....	.967	.997	.902	.931	.928	.957	1.031	1.060
St. Louis, Mo.-Ill. ....	.849	.865	.793	.810	.838	.852	1.030	1.038
Washington, D.C.-Md.-Va. ....	.972	.992	.848	.865	.932	.954	1.180	1.197
Dallas-Fort Worth, Tex. ....	.846	.867	.807	.829	.837	.859	.961	.980
Detroit, Mich. ....	.895	.928	.823	.862	.906	.938	1.037	1.062
Houston, Tex. ....	.876	.899	.816	.839	.852	.875	1.041	1.062
Pittsburgh, Pa. ....	.876	.898	.848	.869	.857	.882	1.049	1.054

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	
	Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987	Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987	Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987	Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987	Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987
Cereals and bakery products:										
Flour, white, all purpose, per lb.	\$0.202	\$0.202	\$0.219	\$0.222	NA	NA	\$0.210	\$0.210	\$0.198	\$0.197
Rice, white, long grain, precooked, per lb.	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Rice, white, long grain, uncooked, per lb. ....	.394	.398	NA	NA	NA	NA	.347	.357	.455	.450
Spaghetti and macaroni, per lb. ....	.711	.723	.682	.691	0.711	0.706	.705	.744	NA	NA
Bread, white, pan, per lb. ....	.541	.542	.704	.700	.538	.538	.502	.498	.501	.512
Bread, French, per lb.	1.048	1.064	NA	NA	NA	NA	1.000	1.016	1.073	1.094
Bread, whole wheat, pan, per lb. ....	.866	.885	NA	NA	NA	NA	.790	.809	NA	NA
Rolls, hamburger, per lb.	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Cupcakes, chocolate, per lb.	NA	NA	NA	NA	2.452	2.449	NA	NA	NA	NA
Cookies, chocolate chip, per lb.	1.949	1.984	1.885	NA	1.886	1.902	2.097	2.031	NA	NA
Crackers, soda, salted, per lb.	1.011	1.011	NA	NA	.987	.971	1.018	1.011	NA	NA
Meats, poultry, fish and eggs:										
Meats:										
Beef and veal:										
Ground chuck, 100% beef, per lb.	1.684	1.696	1.658	1.666	1.625	1.663	1.730	1.732	1.776	1.771
Ground beef, 100% beef, per lb.	1.278	1.294	1.349	1.334	1.286	1.274	1.327	1.336	1.200	1.253
Chuck roast, U.S. Choice, bone-in, per lb.	1.629	1.705	1.670	1.727	1.577	1.694	1.683	1.683	NA	NA
Round roast, U.S. Choice, boneless, per lb.	2.492	2.452	2.387	2.302	2.432	2.495	2.666	2.619	2.520	2.488
Rib roast, U.S. Choice, bone-in, per lb.	3.369	3.290	3.205	3.104	3.484	3.283	3.596	3.561	3.019	3.077
Steak, round, U.S. Choice, boneless, per lb.	2.756	2.813	2.943	3.001	2.657	2.646	2.713	2.829	2.620	2.688
Steak, sirloin, U.S. Choice, bone-in, per lb.	2.871	3.015	3.007	3.094	2.680	2.764	2.891	3.186	NA	NA
Steak, chuck, U.S. Choice, bone-in, per lb.	1.644	1.693	NA	NA	NA	NA	1.800	1.851	NA	NA
Steak, T-Bone, U.S. Choice, bone-in, per lb.	3.834	4.007	NA	NA	3.757	3.920	3.820	3.972	NA	NA
Steak, porterhouse, U.S. Choice, bone-in, per lb.	NA	NA	4.029	4.171	4.301	4.352	4.128	4.227	NA	NA
Pork:										
Bacon, sliced, per lb.	2.095	2.076	2.255	2.249	1.961	1.999	2.061	2.025	2.129	2.063
Chops, center cut, bone-in, per lb.	2.640	2.739	2.731	2.677	2.399	2.678	2.682	2.642	2.758	2.989
Ham, rump or shank half, bone-in, smoked, per lb.	1.504	1.358	NA	NA	NA	NA	1.356	1.308	1.619	1.417
Sirloin roast, bone-in, per lb.	1.806	1.890	NA	NA	1.775	1.811	NA	NA	1.683	1.903
Shoulder picnic, bone-in, smoked, per lb.	1.063	1.028	NA	NA	NA	NA	1.074	.985	NA	NA
Sausage, fresh, loose, per lb.	1.992	1.971	NA	NA	2.175	2.195	1.824	1.817	2.158	2.127
Ham, canned, 3 or 5 lbs, per lb.	2.826	2.772	2.800	2.832	2.919	2.813	2.763	2.765	2.777	2.660
Other meats:										
Frankfurters, all meat or all beef, per lb.	1.959	1.980	2.077	2.186	2.036	1.964	1.807	1.768	1.864	1.893
Bologna, all beef or mixed, per lb.	2.192	2.154	2.374	2.348	2.120	2.076	2.126	2.096	2.291	2.228
Beef liver, per lb.	1.034	1.024	NA	NA	1.004	.959	1.053	1.033	NA	NA
Poultry:										
Chicken, fresh, whole, per lb. ....	.804	.792	.895	.864	.738	.745	.732	.711	.685	.880
Chicken breast, bone-in, per lb.	1.852	1.816	1.755	1.744	1.747	1.662	1.884	1.862	2.007	1.984
Chicken legs, bone-in, per lb.	1.124	1.119	1.011	.999	1.244	1.204	1.091	1.127	NA	NA
Turkey, frozen, whole, per lb.	1.030	1.004	1.000	.967	1.060	.971	1.043	1.049	1.012	1.020
Fish and seafood:										
Tuna, light, chunk, per lb.	1.876	1.863	NA	NA	1.748	1.772	NA	NA	2.001	1.970
Eggs:										
Grade A, large, per doz. ....	.800	.786	.955	.930	.731	.714	.761	.755	NA	NA
Grade AA, large, per doz. ....	.964	.887	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	1.046	.949
Dairy products:										
Milk, fresh, whole, fortified, per 1/2 gal.	1.119	1.122	1.069	1.066	1.098	1.094	1.279	1.293	1.075	1.078
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.	1.084	1.095	1.034	1.045	NA	NA	1.297	1.334	NA	NA
Butter, salted, grade AA, stick, per lb.	2.150	2.123	2.166	2.146	2.118	2.041	2.183	2.150	2.137	2.141
American processed cheese, per lb.	2.891	2.660	2.702	2.683	2.743	2.686	2.573	2.553	NA	NA
Cheddar cheese, natural, per lb.	3.044	3.046	2.949	2.871	NA	NA	3.108	3.118	3.087	3.110
Ice cream, prepackaged, bulk, regular, per 1/2 gal.	2.447	2.438	2.709	2.767	2.323	2.382	2.331	2.224	2.441	2.428
Yogurt, natural, fruit flavored, per 1/2 pt. ....	.564	.575	NA	NA	NA	NA	.831	.650	.485	.494

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	
	Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987	Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987	Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987	Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987	Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987
Fruits and vegetables:										
Fresh fruits and vegetables:										
Apples, Red Delicious, per lb.	0.741	0.750	0.752	0.769	0.775	0.780	0.734	0.725	0.720	0.740
Bananas, per lb. ....	.376	.381	.416	.417	.370	.370	NA	.382	.336	.363
Oranges, Navel, per lb. ....	.499	.491	.585	.520	.538	.529	.514	.511	.422	.443
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. ....	.421	.426	.413	.396	.445	.465	.393	.395	.433	.456
Grapes, Emperor or Tokay, per lb.	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Grapes, Thompson Seedless, per lb.	1.155	1.314	1.164	1.350	1.148	1.382	1.117	1.170	1.189	1.362
Lemons, per lb. ....	.759	.827	.772	.810	.822	.839	.724	.823	.777	.840
Peaches, per lb.	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Pears, Anjou, per lb. ....	.773	.770	.812	.830	.610	.805	.837	.841	.698	.681
Strawberries, dry pint, per 12oz.	NA	.937	NA	NA	NA	.865	1.401	.991	NA	.933
Potatoes, white, per lb. ....	.264	.276	.299	.309	.236	.239	NA	.283	.251	.274
Lettuce, iceberg, per lb. ....	.519	.507	.571	.580	.566	.550	NA	.504	.462	.451
Tomatoes, field grown, per lb. ....	.760	.820	.835	.884	.786	.687	NA	.760	.749	.798
Beans, green, snap, per lb. ....	.954	.920	.873	.928	NA	NA	.945	.895	1.020	.954
Cabbage, per lb. ....	.258	.292	.311	.357	.275	.314	.210	.239	.268	.287
Carrots, short trimmed and topped, per lb. ....	.358	.367	.364	.384	.381	.385	.392	.390	.324	.335
Celery, per lb. ....	.497	.454	.525	.480	.502	.450	.473	.478	.492	.431
Corn on the cob, per lb.	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	.589	NA	NA
Cucumbers, per lb. ....	.737	.581	.752	.584	.816	.653	.694	.610	.695	.498
Mushrooms, per lb.	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Onions, dry yellow, per lb. ....	.453	.527	.436	.495	.489	.564	.483	.533	.433	.528
Onions, green (scallions), per lb.	1.285	1.248	NA	NA	1.344	1.400	NA	NA	NA	NA
Peppers, sweet, per lb. ....	.727	1.076	.656	.845	.851	1.348	.832	1.150	.668	1.464
Radishes, per lb. ....	.805	.778	.791	1.012	.831	.839	.972	.902	.705	.600
Processed fruits and vegetables:										
Orange juice, frozen concentrate, 12oz. can, per 16oz.	1.476	1.490	1.552	1.529	1.429	1.446	1.453	1.463	1.444	1.538
Potatoes, frozen, French fried, per lb. ....	.707	.673	.802	.809	.732	.598	.717	.713	NA	NA
Tomatoes, canned, whole, per lb. ....	.505	.503	.489	.492	.609	.598	.557	.549	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. ....	.349	.345	.380	.383	.316	.311	.344	.337	.373	.372
Sugar, white, 33-80 oz. pkg, per lb. ....	.335	.332	.361	.365	.304	.298	.335	.330	.351	.350
Fats and oils:										
Margarine, stick, per lb. ....	.699	.688	.749	.739	.745	.738	.585	.582	.783	.755
Margarine, soft, tubs, per lb. ....	.975	.983	1.093	1.113	.917	.936	.875	.867	1.032	1.028
Shortening, vegetable oil blends, per lb. ....	.786	.768	NA	NA	.780	.760	.762	.757	.838	.809
Peanut butter, creamy, all sizes, per lb.	1.829	1.811	1.885	1.843	1.789	1.795	1.764	1.778	1.975	1.869
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	.447	NA	NA	NA	NA	.489	.455	.428	.425
Coffee, 100%, ground roast, all sizes, per lb.	2.960	2.865	2.960	2.916	3.023	2.808	3.180	3.136	2.754	2.647
Coffee, 100%, ground roast, 13.1-20 oz. can, per lb.	3.109	3.015	3.014	2.981	NA	NA	3.234	3.193	NA	NA
Coffee, instant, plain, regular, 6.1-14oz, per 16oz.	8.382	8.406	NA	NA	NA	NA	8.919	8.878	NA	NA
Coffee, freeze dried, plain, regular, all sizes, per 16oz.	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	13.735	13.737	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.	2.806	2.804	2.677	2.704	2.443	2.433	3.039	3.054	3.193	3.144
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	7.621	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 NA New average price series as of January 1986.
 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 1966	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Apr. 1967 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Mar. 1967	Apr. 1967	Apr. 1966	Mar. 1967	Jan. to Feb.	Feb. to Mar.	Mar. to Apr.
		Expenditure category						
All items	100.000	336.3	338.0	3.9	0.5	-	-	-
All items(1957-59=100)	-	391.2	393.1	-	-	-	-	-
Food and beverages	20.123	321.6	322.1	4.4	.2	-	-	-
Food	19.008	330.0	330.5	4.6	.2	-	-	-
Food at home	12.687	315.6	316.1	4.8	.2	-	-	-
Cereals and bakery products	1.728	332.9	335.0	3.9	.6	-	-	-
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	4.088	287.2	285.9	8.2	-.5	-	-	-
Dairy products	1.588	263.2	263.0	2.4	-.1	-	-	-
Fruits and vegetables	1.943	350.4	356.8	8.3	1.8	-	-	-
Other food at home	3.340	379.7	378.6	.7	-.3	-	-	-
Sugar and sweets .....	.484	418.9	417.4	1.5	.1	-	-	-
Fats and oils .....	.340	293.9	291.4	1.0	-.9	-	-	-
Nonalcoholic beverages	1.378	480.5	475.7	-2.4	-1.0	-	-	-
Other prepared foods	1.138	310.8	312.8	4.2	.6	-	-	-
Food away from home	6.321	370.7	371.3	4.0	.2	-	-	-
Alcoholic beverages	1.115	243.6	244.1	1.9	.2	-	-	-
Housing	38.131	366.5	367.5	2.7	.3	-	-	-
Shelter	23.022	414.9	416.7	4.1	.4	-	-	-
Renters' costs ¹	7.599	125.8	126.0	4.2	.3	-	-	-
Rent, residential	8.597	288.1	288.6	3.9	.2	-	-	-
Other renters' costs	1.002	434.2	439.0	6.9	1.1	-	-	-
Homeowners' costs ¹	14.901	123.0	123.8	4.1	.5	-	-	-
Owners' equivalent rent ¹	14.481	123.0	123.6	4.1	.5	-	-	-
Household insurance ¹ .....	.420	122.3	122.4	3.5	.1	-	-	-
Maintenance and repairs .....	.522	380.7	379.7	3.3	-.3	-	-	-
Maintenance and repair services .....	.293	436.2	434.1	2.2	-.5	-	-	-
Maintenance and repair commodities .....	.230	276.8	276.9	4.7	.0	-	-	-
Fuel and other utilities	7.536	377.6	376.9	-1.3	-.2	-	-	-
Fuels	5.180	448.4	446.3	-2.9	-.5	-	-	-
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas .....	.917	504.0	504.0	-2.8	.0	-	-	-
Gas (piped) and electricity	4.263	428.8	426.4	-2.9	-.6	-	-	-
Other utilities and public services	2.356	256.3	257.4	2.4	.4	-	-	-
Household furnishings and operation	7.572	254.7	255.4	2.3	.3	-	-	-
Housefurnishings	3.746	204.0	204.8	2.2	.4	-	-	-
Housekeeping supplies	1.644	326.1	328.1	3.0	.0	-	-	-
Housekeeping services	2.181	351.3	352.7	2.1	.4	-	-	-
Apparel and upkeep	5.005	214.2	217.0	4.7	1.3	-	-	-
Apparel commodities	4.175	197.9	201.0	4.9	1.6	-	-	-
Men's and boys' apparel	1.367	203.3	205.9	3.1	1.3	-	-	-
Women's and girls' apparel	1.512	175.8	180.1	7.2	2.4	-	-	-
Infants' and toddlers' apparel .....	.119	320.7	320.2	1.1	-.2	-	-	-
Footwear .....	.622	216.2	218.3	3.3	1.0	-	-	-
Other apparel commodities .....	.556	224.9	226.9	5.4	.9	-	-	-
Apparel services .....	.830	345.2	345.3	3.7	.0	-	-	-
Transportation	19.893	312.3	315.9	4.2	1.2	-	-	-
Private transportation	18.220	303.6	307.4	4.1	1.3	-	-	-
New vehicles	4.027	228.9	229.8	4.0	.4	-	-	-
New cars	3.592	229.3	230.3	4.1	.4	-	-	-
Used cars	4.088	363.0	371.6	1.9	2.4	-	-	-
Motor fuel	3.752	289.1	296.3	6.0	2.5	-	-	-
Gasoline		288.5	295.8	6.2	2.5	-	-	-
Maintenance and repair	1.730	373.4	378.2	4.3	.7	-	-	-
Other private transportation	4.626	315.1	315.4	4.6	.1	-	-	-
Other private transportation commodities .....	.615	202.6	200.9	-.6	-.8	-	-	-
Other private transportation services	4.010	347.9	348.8	5.4	.3	-	-	-
Public transportation	1.674	442.6	443.1	5.0	.1	-	-	-

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—Continued

(1987 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Relative importance, December 1986	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Apr. 1987 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986	Mar. 1987	Jan. to Feb.	Feb. to Mar.	Mar. to Apr.
		Expenditure category						
Medical care	6.870	455.3	457.8	7.0	0.5	-	-	-
Medical care commodities	1.132	286.5	287.5	6.0	.3	-	-	-
Medical care services	5.738	492.5	495.4	7.2	.6	-	-	-
Professional services	2.600	409.8	412.5	6.6	.7	-	-	-
Entertainment	4.290	280.0	281.0	3.2	.4	-	-	-
Entertainment commodities	2.427	270.7	271.5	2.5	.3	-	-	-
Entertainment services	1.864	293.8	295.0	4.1	.4	-	-	-
Other goods and services	5.687	360.8	361.7	5.8	.2	-	-	-
Tobacco products	1.608	368.7	369.3	6.6	.2	-	-	-
Personal care	1.889	296.6	297.7	2.5	.4	-	-	-
Toilet goods and personal care appliances .....	.881	291.8	293.0	1.8	.4	-	-	-
Personal care services	1.028	301.8	302.9	3.0	.4	-	-	-
Personal and educational expenses	2.189	453.0	453.8	8.3	.2	-	-	-
School books and supplies .....	.270	407.4	407.9	8.9	.1	-	-	-
Personal and educational services	1.919	464.0	464.9	8.2	.2	-	-	-
		Commodity and service group						
All items	100.000	336.3	338.0	3.9	0.5	-	-	-
Commodities	49.614	290.2	292.1	3.9	.7	-	-	-
Food and beverages	20.123	321.6	322.1	4.4	.2	-	-	-
Commodities less food and beverages	29.491	269.0	271.8	3.5	1.0	-	-	-
Nondurables less food and beverages	16.823	270.6	273.6	4.4	1.1	-	-	-
Apparel commodities	4.175	197.9	201.0	4.9	1.6	-	-	-
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel	12.648	312.6	315.6	4.3	1.0	-	-	-
Durables	12.667	273.0	275.5	2.3	.9	-	-	-
Services	50.386	411.0	412.4	3.9	.3	-	-	-
Rent of shelter ¹	21.992	123.9	124.4	4.2	.4	-	-	-
Household services less rent of shelter ¹	9.601	111.6	111.5	-.1	-.1	-	-	-
Transportation services	7.414	369.8	371.1	5.1	.4	-	-	-
Medical care services	5.738	492.5	495.4	7.2	.6	-	-	-
Other services	5.641	343.6	344.5	5.2	.3	-	-	-
Special indexes:								
All items less food	80.992	335.9	337.9	3.7	.6	-	-	-
All items less shelter	76.978	313.6	315.3	3.9	.5	-	-	-
All items less homeowners' costs ¹	85.099	113.8	114.3	3.8	.4	-	-	-
All items less medical care	93.130	329.8	331.5	3.7	.5	-	-	-
Commodities less food	30.605	267.7	270.3	3.5	1.0	-	-	-
Nondurables less food	17.938	267.5	270.3	4.3	1.0	-	-	-
Nondurables less food and apparel	13.763	302.2	304.9	4.1	.9	-	-	-
Nondurables	38.947	297.2	298.9	4.4	.6	-	-	-
Services less rent of shelter ¹	28.394	121.4	121.7	3.7	.2	-	-	-
Services less medical care	44.648	399.6	400.8	3.5	.3	-	-	-
Energy	8.932	362.0	365.0	.9	.8	-	-	-
All items less energy	91.068	336.6	338.1	4.2	.4	-	-	-
All items less food and energy	72.060	336.4	338.3	4.2	.6	-	-	-
Commodities less food and energy	25.937	268.7	270.9	3.4	.8	-	-	-
Energy commodities	4.669	320.1	326.5	4.2	2.0	-	-	-
Services less energy	46.123	410.2	411.9	4.6	.4	-	-	-
Purchasing power of the consumer dollar:								
1987 = \$1.00	-	\$.297	\$.296	-3.6	-.3	-	-	-
1957-59 = \$1.00	-	.256	.254	-	-	-	-	-

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 Apr. 1987 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986	Mar. 1987	Jan. to Feb.	Feb. to Mar.	Mar. to Apr.
Expenditure category								
All items	100.000	330.9	332.6	3.8	0.5	-	-	-
All items(1957-59=100)	-	384.8	386.8	-	-	-	-	-
Food and beverages	21.748	321.3	321.7	4.3	.1	-	-	-
Food	20.537	329.5	329.9	4.5	.1	-	-	-
Food at home	13.828	313.9	314.2	4.8	.1	-	-	-
Cereals and bakery products	1.888	331.3	333.3	3.9	.6	-	-	-
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	4.520	286.3	285.0	8.2	-.5	-	-	-
Dairy products	1.727	261.8	261.5	2.3	-.1	-	-	-
Fruits and vegetables	1.984	345.1	351.3	8.1	1.8	-	-	-
Other food at home	3.709	380.1	379.0	.8	-.3	-	-	-
Sugar and sweets .....	.514	416.2	416.6	1.4	.1	-	-	-
Fats and oils .....	.365	293.4	291.1	1.1	-.8	-	-	-
Nonalcoholic beverages	1.563	482.0	476.9	-2.1	-1.1	-	-	-
Other prepared foods	1.267	312.2	314.2	4.2	.6	-	-	-
Food away from home	6.709	374.0	374.6	4.0	.2	-	-	-
Alcoholic beverages	1.211	246.6	247.0	1.9	.2	-	-	-
Housing	35.487	359.1	360.1	2.6	.3	-	-	-
Shelter	21.199	402.4	404.1	4.1	.4	-	-	-
Renters' costs ¹	6.862	112.8	113.1	4.1	.3	-	-	-
Rent, residential	6.160	287.1	287.7	3.9	.2	-	-	-
Other renters' costs .....	.682	433.6	439.5	6.8	1.4	-	-	-
Homeowners' costs ¹	13.782	112.1	112.6	4.2	.4	-	-	-
Owners' equivalent rent ¹	13.422	112.1	112.7	4.3	.5	-	-	-
Household insurance ¹ .....	.361	112.3	112.4	3.6	.1	-	-	-
Maintenance and repairs .....	.555	373.4	372.5	2.2	-.2	-	-	-
Maintenance and repair services .....	.262	430.5	428.5	2.2	-.5	-	-	-
Maintenance and repair commodities .....	.293	265.0	265.0	2.2	.0	-	-	-
Fuel and other utilities	7.354	377.9	377.2	-1.4	-.2	-	-	-
Fuels	5.111	447.5	445.4	-3.0	-.5	-	-	-
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas .....	.911	506.5	506.6	-2.9	.0	-	-	-
Gas (piped) and electricity	4.200	427.2	424.8	-3.0	-.8	-	-	-
Other utilities and public services	2.243	257.1	258.2	2.4	.4	-	-	-
Household furnishings and operation	6.933	250.8	251.6	2.3	.3	-	-	-
Housefurnishings	3.598	201.3	202.1	2.0	.4	-	-	-
Housekeeping supplies	1.681	325.7	325.7	3.0	.0	-	-	-
Housekeeping services	1.653	353.0	354.6	2.2	.5	-	-	-
Apparel and upkeep	4.972	212.6	214.9	4.3	1.1	-	-	-
Apparel commodities	4.188	197.2	199.7	4.4	1.3	-	-	-
Men's and boys' apparel	1.354	202.7	205.0	2.9	1.1	-	-	-
Women's and girls' apparel	1.541	177.1	180.3	6.5	1.8	-	-	-
Infants' and toddlers' apparel .....	.141	336.9	335.7	1.3	-.4	-	-	-
Footwear .....	.656	216.8	219.0	3.3	1.0	-	-	-
Other apparel commodities .....	.497	211.7	213.5	4.6	.9	-	-	-
Apparel services .....	.784	342.4	342.3	3.7	.0	-	-	-
Transportation	22.140	311.8	315.6	4.0	1.2	-	-	-
Private transportation	20.687	305.2	309.1	3.9	1.3	-	-	-
New vehicles	4.216	227.9	228.8	3.9	.4	-	-	-
New cars	3.603	228.4	229.4	4.1	.4	-	-	-
Used cars	5.180	362.9	371.5	1.8	2.4	-	-	-
Motor fuel	4.262	290.1	297.5	8.2	2.6	-	-	-
Gasoline		289.5	297.0	6.4	2.6	-	-	-
Maintenance and repair	1.894	374.9	377.7	4.3	.7	-	-	-
Other private transportation	5.135	312.6	312.8	4.1	.0	-	-	-
Other private transportation commodities .....	.687	204.8	203.0	-.8	-.9	-	-	-
Other private transportation services	4.448	343.9	344.4	4.8	.1	-	-	-
Public transportation	1.452	430.3	431.5	4.5	.3	-	-	-

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—Continued

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Relative importance, December 1986	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Apr. 1987 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986	Mar. 1987	Jan. to Feb.	Feb. to Mar.	Mar. to Apr.
		Expenditure category						
Medical care	6.129	452.3	454.8	6.8	0.6	-	-	-
Medical care commodities	1.017	285.3	286.4	5.8	.4	-	-	-
Medical care services	5.112	489.1	491.9	7.1	.6	-	-	-
Professional services	2.468	410.3	413.0	6.6	.7	-	-	-
Entertainment	4.003	274.5	275.1	3.1	.2	-	-	-
Entertainment commodities	2.431	264.5	265.0	2.6	.2	-	-	-
Entertainment services	1.572	293.2	293.9	3.9	.2	-	-	-
Other goods and services	5.521	355.5	356.3	5.5	.2	-	-	-
Tobacco products	1.931	368.3	368.8	6.6	.1	-	-	-
Personal care	1.927	294.2	295.2	2.4	.3	-	-	-
Toilet goods and personal care appliances .....	.944	292.5	293.6	1.8	.4	-	-	-
Personal care services .....	.983	296.3	297.2	3.1	.3	-	-	-
Personal and educational expenses	1.664	454.4	455.2	8.1	.2	-	-	-
School books and supplies .....	.239	411.7	412.2	8.7	.1	-	-	-
Personal and educational services	1.425	485.2	486.1	7.9	.2	-	-	-
		Commodity and service group						
All items	100.000	330.9	332.6	3.8	0.5	-	-	-
Commodities	53.326	289.2	291.1	3.8	.7	-	-	-
Food and beverages	21.748	321.3	321.7	4.3	.1	-	-	-
Commodities less food and beverages	31.579	268.1	270.9	3.4	1.0	-	-	-
Nondurables less food and beverages	17.644	270.6	273.5	4.4	1.1	-	-	-
Apparel commodities	4.188	197.2	199.7	4.4	1.3	-	-	-
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel	13.456	311.6	314.7	4.3	1.0	-	-	-
Durables	13.935	266.4	269.1	2.2	1.0	-	-	-
Services	46.674	405.7	407.0	3.8	.3	-	-	-
Rent of shelter ¹	20.218	112.3	112.8	4.2	.4	-	-	-
Household services less rent of shelter ¹	8.785	102.6	102.5	-.2	-.1	-	-	-
Transportation services	7.795	362.5	363.7	4.7	.3	-	-	-
Medical care services	5.112	489.1	491.9	7.1	.6	-	-	-
Other services	4.764	337.9	338.5	4.8	.2	-	-	-
Special indexes:								
All items less food	79.463	329.7	331.8	3.6	.6	-	-	-
All items less shelter	78.801	311.6	313.2	3.7	.5	-	-	-
All items less homeowners' costs ¹	86.218	105.1	105.6	3.7	.5	-	-	-
All items less medical care	93.871	324.9	326.5	3.6	.5	-	-	-
Commodities less food	32.789	266.8	269.5	3.4	1.0	-	-	-
Nondurables less food	18.855	267.7	270.4	4.2	1.0	-	-	-
Nondurables less food and apparel	14.667	301.6	304.4	4.2	.9	-	-	-
Nondurables	39.392	297.2	298.8	4.4	.5	-	-	-
Services less rent of shelter ¹	26.456	109.3	109.6	3.5	.3	-	-	-
Services less medical care	41.562	394.5	395.6	3.4	.3	-	-	-
Energy	9.373	359.3	362.8	1.2	1.0	-	-	-
All items less energy	90.627	330.3	331.8	4.1	.5	-	-	-
All items less food and energy	70.090	329.1	330.9	4.0	.5	-	-	-
Commodities less food and energy	27.616	264.8	267.0	3.2	.8	-	-	-
Energy commodities	5.173	320.4	327.1	4.5	2.1	-	-	-
Services less energy	42.474	404.6	406.2	4.5	.4	-	-	-
Purchasing power of the consumer dollar:								
1967 = \$1.00	-	\$.302	\$.301	-3.5	-.3	-	-	-
1957-59 = \$1.00	-	.260	.259	-	-	-	-	-

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 Apr. 1967 from-			Percent change to Mar. 1967 from-		
			Jan. 1967	Feb. 1967	Mar. 1967	Apr. 1967	Apr. 1966	Feb. 1967	Mar. 1967	Mar. 1966	Jan. 1967	Feb. 1967
Area 2												
U.S. city average			333.6	335.0	336.3	338.0	3.9	0.9	0.5	3.2	0.8	0.4
Chicago, Ill.-Northwestern Ind.	M		335.5	335.2	336.3	336.6	4.0	.5	.1	3.8	.2	.3
L.A.-Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif.	M		335.6	340.1	341.9	343.6	5.1	1.0	.5	4.2	1.9	.5
N.Y., N.Y.-Northeastern N.J.	M		332.0	333.7	334.7	336.8	4.8	.9	.6	3.8	.8	.3
Philadelphia, Pa.-N.J.	M		328.7	329.9	330.4	333.4	4.9	1.1	.9	3.5	.5	.2
Baltimore, Md.	1	11/77	334.5	-	336.0	-	-	-	-	1.5	.4	-
Boston, Mass.	1		332.6	-	335.2	-	-	-	-	3.2	.8	-
Cleveland, Ohio	1		352.9	-	355.9	-	-	-	-	-	.9	-
Miami, Fla.	1		177.3	-	178.4	-	-	-	-	2.2	.6	-
St. Louis, Mo.-Ill.	1		327.2	-	328.9	-	-	-	-	3.0	.5	-
Washington, D.C.-Md.-Va.	1		336.4	-	339.6	-	-	-	-	3.2	1.0	-
Dallas-Fort Worth, Tex.	2		-	350.1	-	353.7	3.6	1.0	-	-	-	-
Detroit, Mich.	2	-	325.6	-	329.2	3.3	1.1	-	-	-	-	
Houston, Tex.	2	-	336.5	-	341.5	3.5	1.5	-	-	-	-	
Pittsburgh, Pa.	2	-	335.8	-	338.1	3.0	.7	-	-	-	-	
San Francisco-Oakland, Calif.	2	-	349.1	-	353.8	4.3	1.3	-	-	-	-	
Region 3												
Northeast	2	-	179.4	-	181.1	4.3	.9	-	-	-	-	
North Central	2	-	178.8	-	180.5	3.8	1.0	-	-	-	-	
South	2	-	179.9	-	181.2	3.5	.7	-	-	-	-	
West	2	-	182.4	-	184.1	4.1	.9	-	-	-	-	
Population size class 3												
B	2	-	180.6	-	182.3	3.8	.9	-	-	-	-	
C	2	-	178.4	-	180.1	3.9	1.0	-	-	-	-	
D	2	-	176.8	-	178.0	3.1	.7	-	-	-	-	
Region/population size class cross classification 3												
Northeast/A	2	12/77	-	177.1	-	178.7	4.5	.9	-	-	-	-
North Central/A	2	12/77	-	182.7	-	184.0	3.5	.7	-	-	-	-
South/A	2	12/77	-	180.1	-	182.0	3.7	1.1	-	-	-	-
West/A	2	12/77	-	186.1	-	186.1	4.7	1.1	-	-	-	-
Northeast/B	2	12/77	-	180.2	-	182.2	4.3	1.1	-	-	-	-
North Central/B	2	12/77	-	177.9	-	180.1	4.6	1.2	-	-	-	-
South/B	2	12/77	-	182.0	-	183.2	3.5	.7	-	-	-	-
West/B	2	12/77	-	180.8	-	182.6	3.3	1.0	-	-	-	-
Northeast/C	2	12/77	-	186.1	-	180.1	3.9	1.1	-	-	-	-
North Central/C	2	12/77	-	173.8	-	175.9	4.4	1.3	-	-	-	-
South/C	2	12/77	-	178.6	-	179.6	3.5	.6	-	-	-	-
West/C	2	12/77	-	175.0	-	176.4	3.5	.8	-	-	-	-
North Central/D	2	12/77	-	173.3	-	174.9	2.9	.9	-	-	-	-
South/D	2	12/77	-	177.8	-	178.6	3.1	.4	-	-	-	-

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(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Area, region, and population size class	Pricing schedule 1	Other index base	Indexes				Percent change to Apr. 1987 from-			Percent change to Mar. 1987 from-		
			Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987	Mar. 1987	Apr. 1987	Apr. 1986	Feb. 1987	Mar. 1987	Mar. 1986	Jan. 1987	Feb. 1987
Area 2												
U.S. city average			328.2	329.6	330.9	332.6	3.8	0.9	0.5	3.0	0.8	0.4
Chicago, Ill.-Northwestern Ind.	M		320.7	320.0	321.1	321.5	4.0	.5	.1	3.7	.1	.3
L.A.-Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif.	M		328.2	332.8	334.5	336.0	4.9	1.0	.4	4.0	1.9	.5
N.Y., N.Y.-Northeastern N.J.	M		322.8	324.4	325.3	327.4	4.5	.9	.6	3.4	.8	.3
Philadelphia, Pa.-N.J.	M		330.4	331.4	332.1	335.0	4.8	1.1	.9	3.3	.5	.2
Baltimore, Md.	1	11/77	331.8	-	333.6	-	-	-	-	1.2	.5	-
Boston, Mass.	1		329.4	-	332.0	-	-	-	-	3.0	.8	-
Cleveland, Ohio	1		330.2	-	333.0	-	-	-	-	-	.8	-
Miami, Fla.	1		177.6	-	179.0	-	-	-	-	2.2	.8	-
St. Louis, Mo.-Ill.	1		322.3	-	323.9	-	-	-	-	2.8	.5	-
Washington, D.C.-Md.-Va.	1		337.2	-	340.5	-	-	-	-	3.0	1.0	-
Dallas-Fort Worth, Tex.	2		-	343.2	-	345.5	3.4	.7	-	-	-	-
Detroit, Mich.	2		-	314.8	-	318.0	3.2	1.0	-	-	-	-
Houston, Tex.	2		-	333.9	-	338.4	3.3	1.3	-	-	-	-
Pittsburgh, Pa.	2		-	314.6	-	317.4	3.1	.9	-	-	-	-
San Francisco-Oakland, Calif.	2		-	342.4	-	347.1	4.2	1.4	-	-	-	-
Region 3												
Northeast	2		-	176.4	-	178.1	4.1	1.0	-	-	-	-
North Central	2		-	174.7	-	176.4	3.8	1.0	-	-	-	-
South	2		-	176.6	-	179.9	3.3	.7	-	-	-	-
West	2		-	179.7	-	181.5	4.0	1.0	-	-	-	-
Population size class 3												
B	2		-	177.4	-	179.1	3.7	1.0	-	-	-	-
C	2		-	178.2	-	179.9	3.7	1.0	-	-	-	-
D	2		-	177.4	-	178.7	2.9	.7	-	-	-	-
Region/population size class cross classification 3												
Northeast/A	2	12/77	-	172.6	-	174.2	4.4	.9	-	-	-	-
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South/A	2	12/77	-	179.3	-	181.1	3.5	1.0	-	-	-	-
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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.

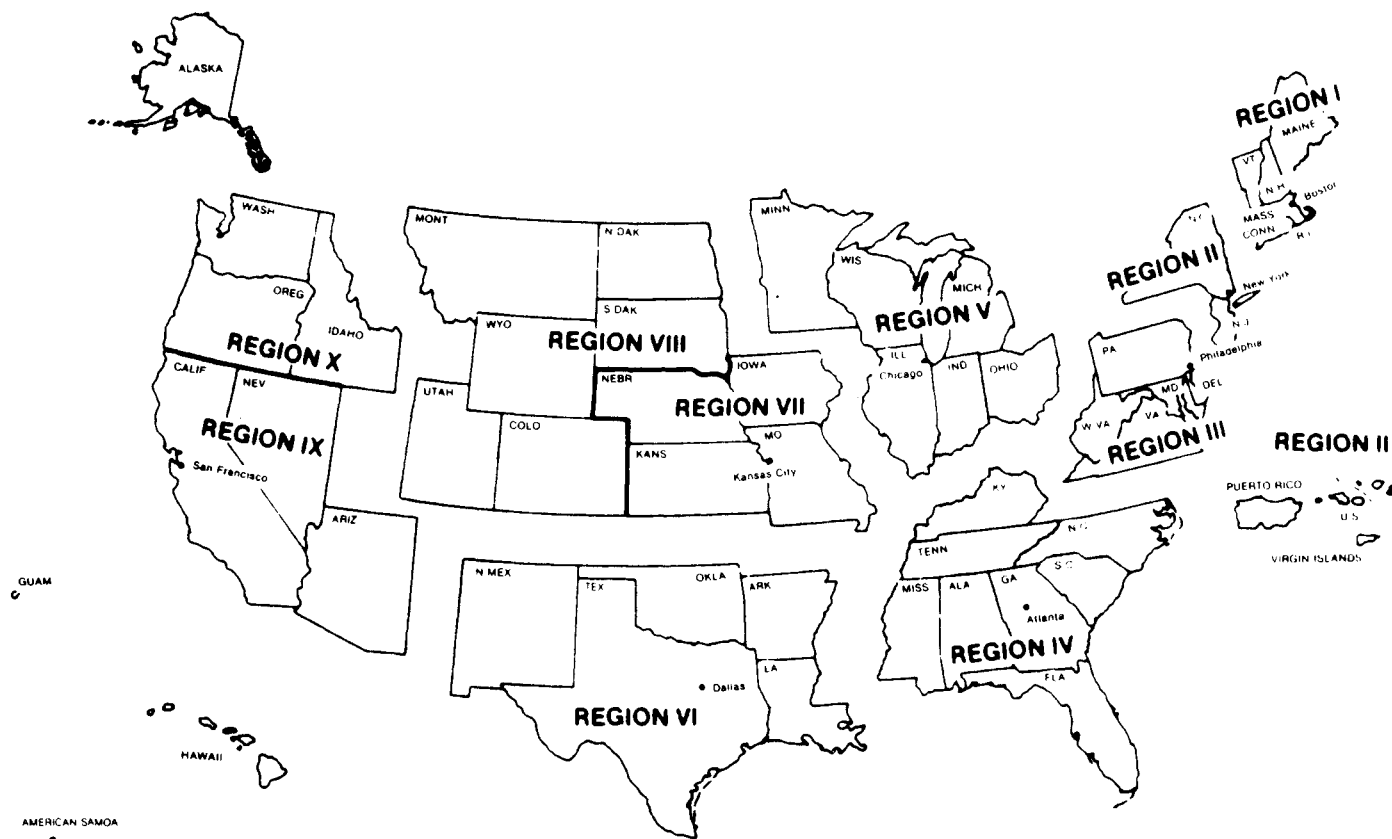
For analyzing general price trends in the economy, seasonally adjusted changes are usually preferred since they eliminate the effect of changes that normally occur at the same time and in about the same magnitude every year—such as price movements resulting from changing climatic conditions, production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