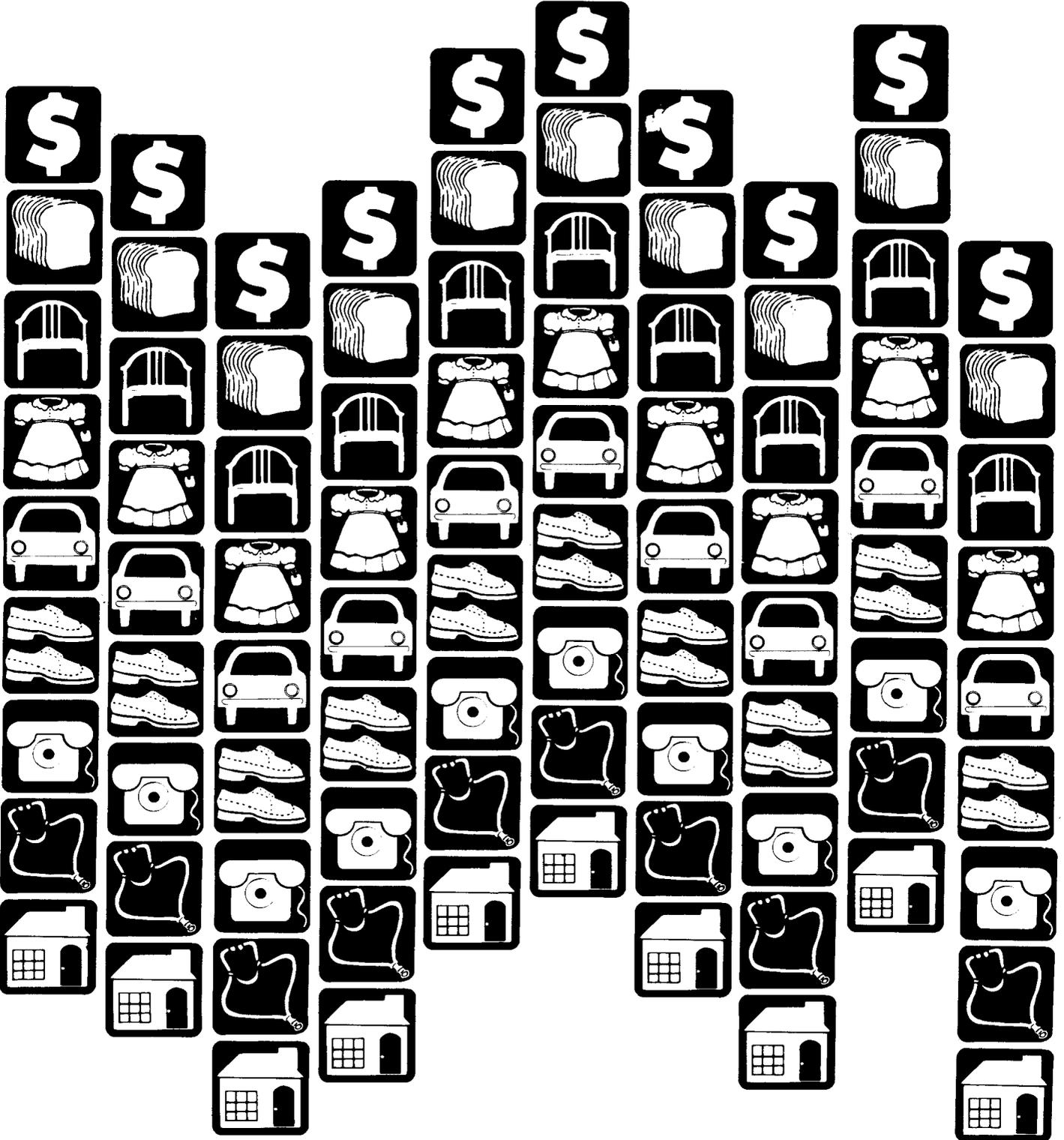


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NOTE: The Bureau of Labor Statistics currently is completing a major revision of the Consumer Price Index. Beginning with release of the CPI for January 1987 on February 27, 1987, the Bureau will introduce revised versions of the current CPI's both for All Urban Consumers and for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers. The revised CPI's will reflect more current population and spending patterns and numerous technical enhancements. See page 3 for further details.

Price Movements May 1986

The Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U) rose 0.3 percent before seasonal adjustment in May to a level of 326.3 (1967=100). For the 12-month period ended in May, the CPI-U has increased 1.6 percent.

The Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W) also increased 0.3 percent in May prior to seasonal adjustment. The May 1986 CPI-W level of 321.4 (1967=100) was 1.1 percent higher than the index in May 1985.

CPI for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U)—seasonally adjusted changes

On a seasonally adjusted basis, the CPI-U increased 0.2 percent in May, following declines in each of the preceding 3 months. Gasoline prices, which had dropped 26.5 percent in the 3-month period ended in April, advanced 2.5 percent in May and were responsible for the turnaround in the overall CPI-U. On the other hand, household energy costs continued to decline as all 3 components—fuel oil, electricity, and natural gas—registered decreases. Excluding energy, the CPI-U rose 0.2 percent in May, compared with a 0.4-percent increase in April and an average monthly increase of 0.3 percent over the last 12 months.

During the first 5 months of 1986, the CPI-U declined at an annual rate of 1.4 percent. This compares with a 3.8-percent increase for all of 1985.

The transportation index, reflecting the upward movement in gasoline prices, rose 0.3 percent in May,

following sharp declines in each of the 3 preceding months. Despite the advance in May, gasoline prices remained at their mid-1979 level and were 33.3 percent below their peak level of March 1981. The new car index rose 0.8 percent in May, as a result of price increases in both domestic and imported models. The index for public transportation rose 0.4 percent, after registering a 0.2-percent increase in April. Used car prices and automobile finance charges continued to decline in May—down 1.9 and 2.6 percent, respectively. Automobile insurance costs, which had increased 13.5 percent in the preceding 12-month period, slowed in May, advancing 0.4 percent.

The housing component declined 0.1 percent in May, following an increase of 0.3 percent in April. Shelter costs, which increased 0.9 percent in April, rose 0.1 percent in May. These increases compare with an average monthly rise of 0.5 percent for the 12 months ended in May. Within shelter, renters' and homeowners' costs rose 0.1 and 0.2 percent, respectively, while maintenance and repair costs declined 0.1 percent. The index for fuel and other utilities declined for the fourth consecutive month. Fuel oil prices, which dropped 5.1 percent in May, have fallen 26 percent in the first 5 months of 1986 to a level 33.8 percent below their peak level of April 1981. Charges for electricity and natural gas—down 0.9 and 0.1 percent, respectively—declined for the third consecutive month. Partially offsetting the decline in fuels and the moderation in shelter costs was a turnaround in the index for household furnishings and operations, which rose 0.3

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

Expenditure category	Seasonally adjusted							Compound annual rate 3 months ended May 1986	Unadjusted 12 months ended May 1986
	Changes from preceding month								
	1985		1986						
	November	December	January	February	March	April	May		
All items	.6	.4	.3	-.4	-.4	-.3	.2	-2.1	1.6
Food and beverages	.6	.6	.3	-.6	.1	.3	.4	3.2	2.8
Housing	.5	.3	.3	-.1	.2	.3	-.1	1.6	2.9
Apparel and upkeep	.3	0	-.3	-.5	-.1	.3	-.2	-.2	.5
Transportation	.7	.4	.5	-1.4	-2.8	-2.5	.3	-18.5	-4.9
Medical care	.5	.7	.4	.7	1.0	.6	.6	9.2	7.6
Entertainment	.3	0	.9	.2	-.1	.1	.4	1.6	3.5
Other goods and services	.4	.6	.9	.6	.4	.4	.4	4.7	6.1

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 May 1986		12 months ended May 1986
	1985		1986							
	November	December	January	February	March	April	May			
All items .....	.6	.4	.3	-.5	-.6	-.4	.2	-3.1	1.1
Food and beverages .....	.6	.6	.2	-.6	.2	.2	.4	3.2	2.7
Housing .....	.5	.4	.3	-.1	.2	.3	-.1	1.4	2.8
Apparel and upkeep .....	.4	0	0	-.8	-.2	.2	-.1	-.2	.4
Transportation .....	.7	.4	.5	-1.5	-3.0	-2.6	.2	-19.4	-5.4
Medical care .....	.5	.6	.5	.7	.8	.7	.6	8.7	7.4
Entertainment .....	.4	.0	1.0	.2	0	.1	.3	1.5	3.2
Other goods and services .....	.3	.6	1.0	.5	.4	.4	.2	3.9	6.0

percent in May largely due to a substantial increase in prices for furniture and bedding.

The food and beverage component advanced 0.4 percent in May. Grocery store food prices also rose 0.4 percent, following an increase of 0.2 percent in April. Fresh fruit and vegetable prices, which rose 3.4 percent in May compared to 7.0 percent in April accounted for a large part of the advance. A turnaround in the May indexes for cereal and bakery products—up 0.4 percent—and meats, poultry, fish, and eggs—up 0.3 percent—were principally responsible for the moderate acceleration in grocery store food prices. Beef prices continued to decline and pork prices were unchanged in May but prices for other meats, poultry, and fish and seafood all registered substantial increases. Charges for restaurant meals rose 0.5 percent, while prices for alcoholic beverages were unchanged in May.

The medical care component increased 0.6 percent in May, the same as in April. The index for medical care commodities—prescription drugs, nonprescription

drugs, and medical supplies—rose 0.3 percent. The index for medical care services increased 0.7 percent, with the costs of physicians' services and hospital rooms up 0.6 and 0.4 percent, respectively.

After registering its first increase of the year in April, the index for apparel and upkeep declined 0.2 percent in May. Decreases in the indexes for women's clothing, boys' clothing, and footwear more than offset small increases in prices for men's and girls' apparel. The index for apparel services rose 0.2 percent.

The entertainment and the other goods and services components both increased 0.4 percent in May, following increases in April of 0.1 and 0.4 percent, respectively.

CPI for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W)—seasonally adjusted changes

On a seasonally adjusted basis, the CPI for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers increased 0.2 percent in May.

The Consumer Price Index Revision

The Bureau of Labor Statistics will begin publishing 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 will have updated expenditure weights based upon data tabulated from 3 years (1982, 1983, and 1984) of the Consumer Expenditure Survey, replacing the current 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.

The January 1987 CPI also will introduce a greatly enhanced housing survey which will improve the rental equivalence measure of homeownership costs in both the CPI-U and CPI-W. The new housing sample was designed to represent optimally both owners and renters in the estimation of shelter costs.

A number of methodological and sampling advances first introduced in the 1978 revision also have been enhanced and will be 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 January 1987 index also will be based, for the first time on the geographic distribution of consumers as of the 1980 Census of Population. The current CPI uses the 1970 Census of Population. The requirement to allocate the sample so as to provide the most accurate national CPI did result in some local areas not having samples sufficient to permit frequent publication. Therefore, beginning in January 1987, the Bureau will publish a number of local area CPI's less frequently. The areas affected by the changes in publication are identified later in this article.

Both the CPI-U and the CPI-W published for January 1987 will be linked to the present series of each index as of December 1986 to provide a continuous series. The linking will be accomplished by setting the index levels of the revised CPI with the updated expenditure weights and samples equal to those published for the present series in December 1986. Each index will move upward or downward from the December 1986 level in accordance with subsequent changes in prices.

As in the past, the Bureau will publish selected indexes using the old expenditure weights for 6 months after the issuance of the revised CPI. Unlike earlier revisions,

these overlap indexes will not be based on the old samples and will differ from the revised indexes only by their expenditure weights. The base period for revised CPI issued for January 1987 will be 1967 = 100, the same as for the present index.

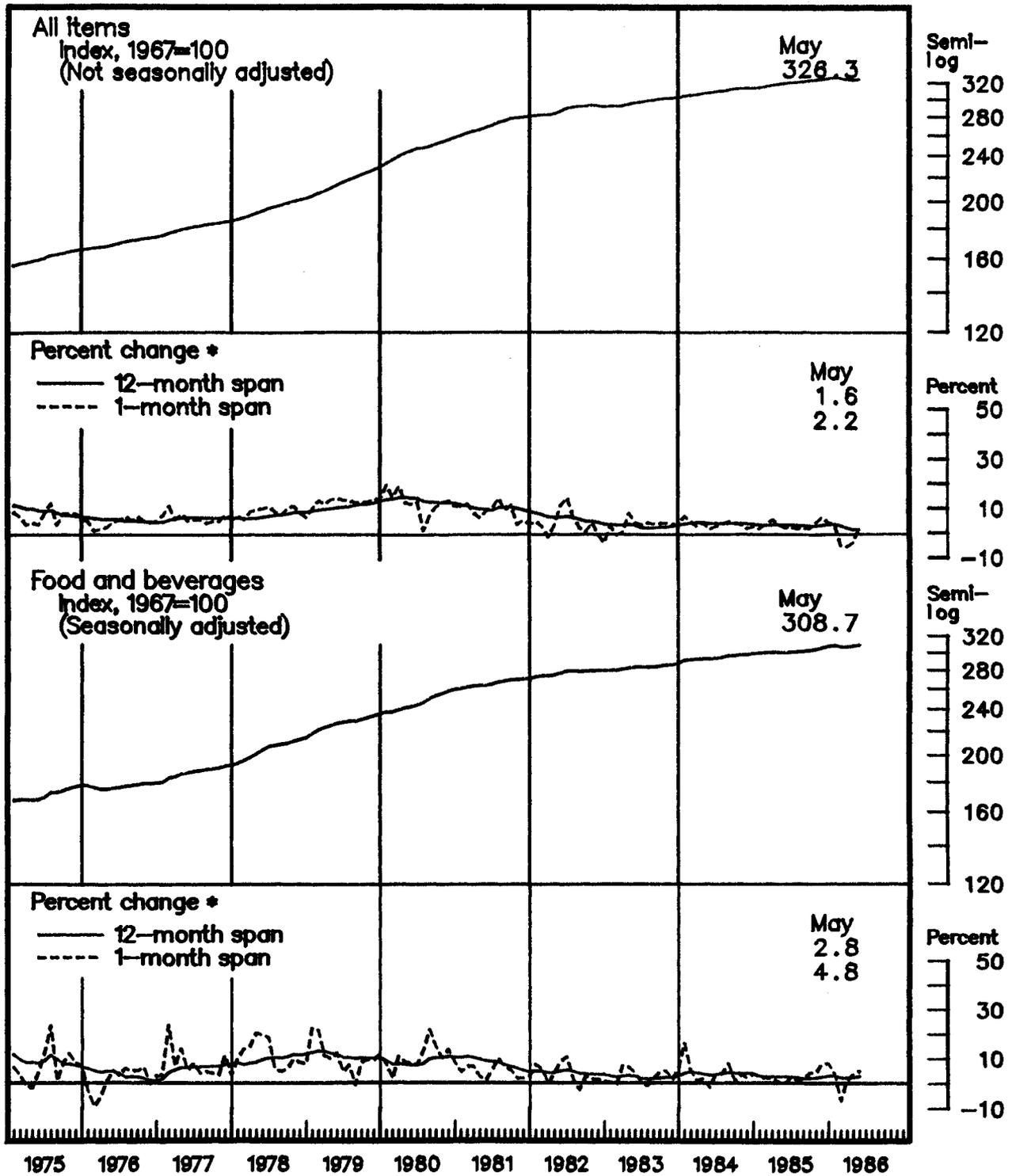
In addition to the national all-city average CPI-U and CPI-W indexes, the Bureau now publishes indexes for 28 local areas. In 1987, it will continue to publish indexes for all but one of these areas—Northeast Pennsylvania (Scranton-Wilkes-Barre). Because of the requirement to allocate the sample to provide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

Based on the population growth since 1970 and expanded geographic definitions of Consolidated Metropolitan Statistical Areas issued by the Office of Management and Budget, the San Francisco-Oakland-San Jose area has superseded the Detroit-Ann Arbor area as the fifth largest area covered by the CPI. For this reason, beginning with data for January 1987, the San Francisco area will be published monthly while the Detroit area will be published only for even-numbered months rather than monthly.

Twelve areas now published bimonthly will be 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. These semiannual average indexes, which refer to the arithmetic averages of the 6-month periods from January through June and July through December, will be published with release of the CPI for July and January, respectively, i.e., in the months of August and February. These series will be compiled and published on their present 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 will be published for odd-numbered rather than even-numbered months.

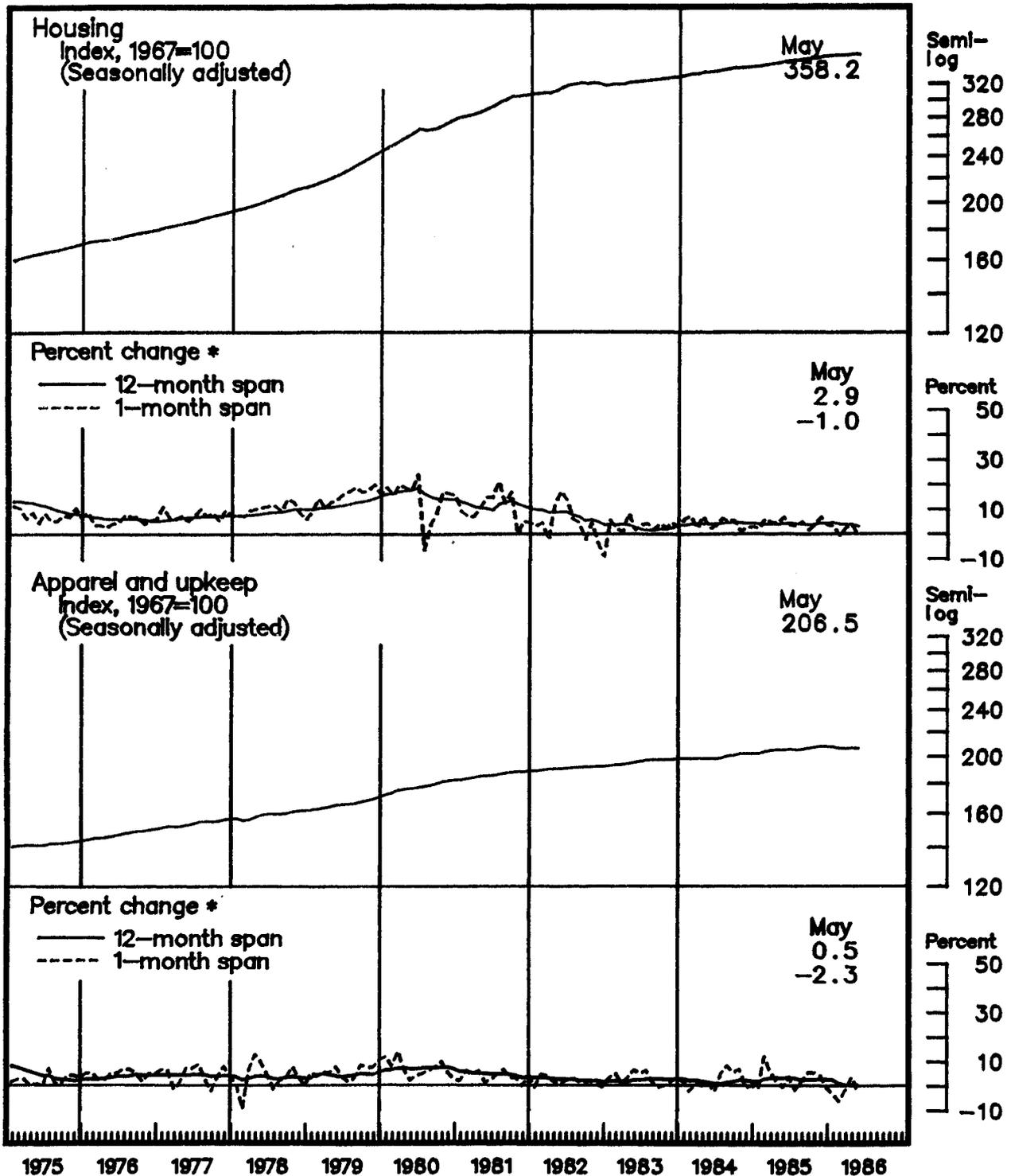
Indexes also are currently published bimonthly for 4 regions, 5 size classes, and 16 region-by-size groups. Beginning with January 1987, publication will become monthly; two of the size classes will be combined; and two of the region-by-size groups will be eliminated.

Chart 1: CPI-U: All items, food and beverages, 1975-86



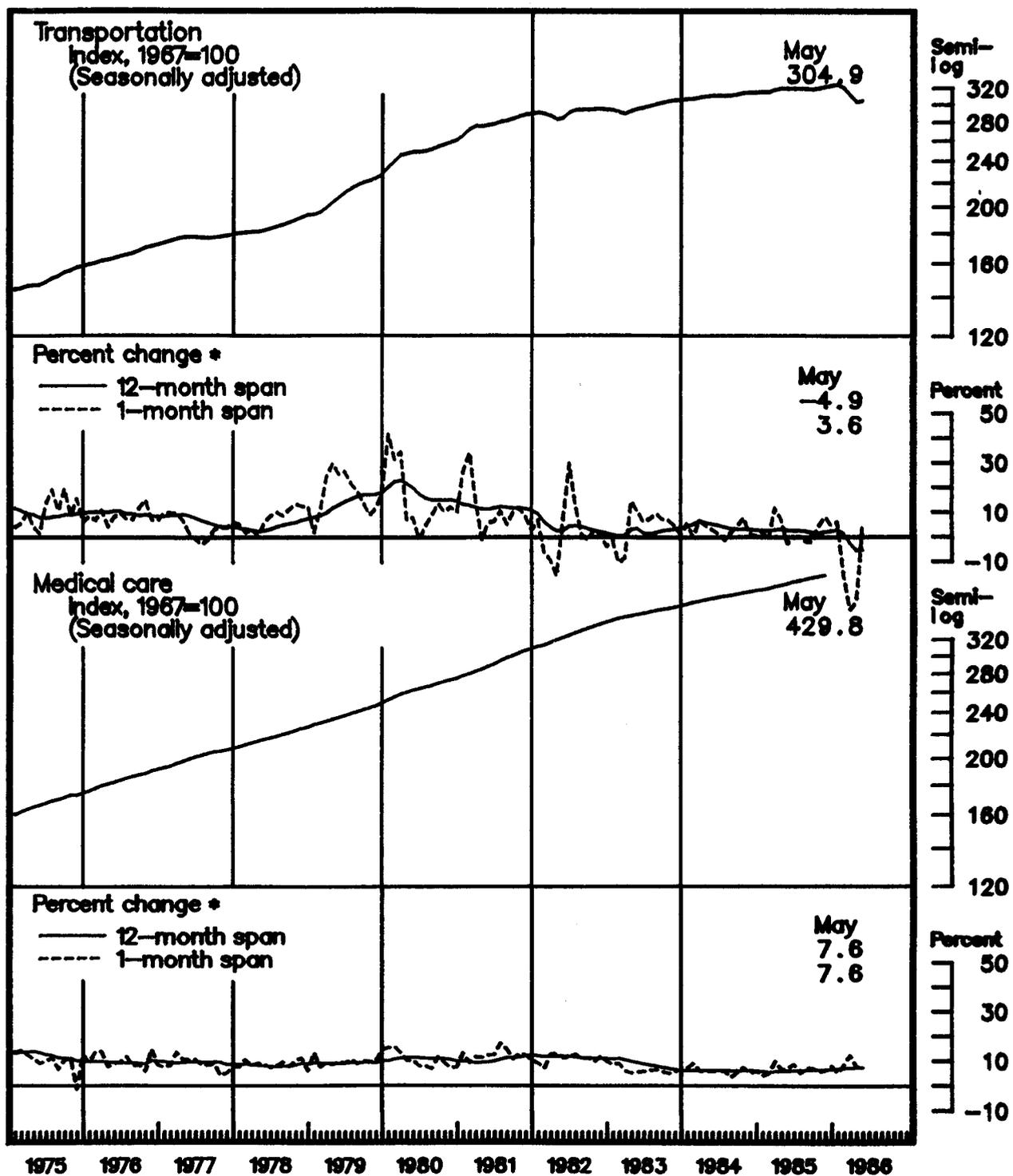
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Chart 2: CPI-U: Housing, apparel and upkeep, 1975-86



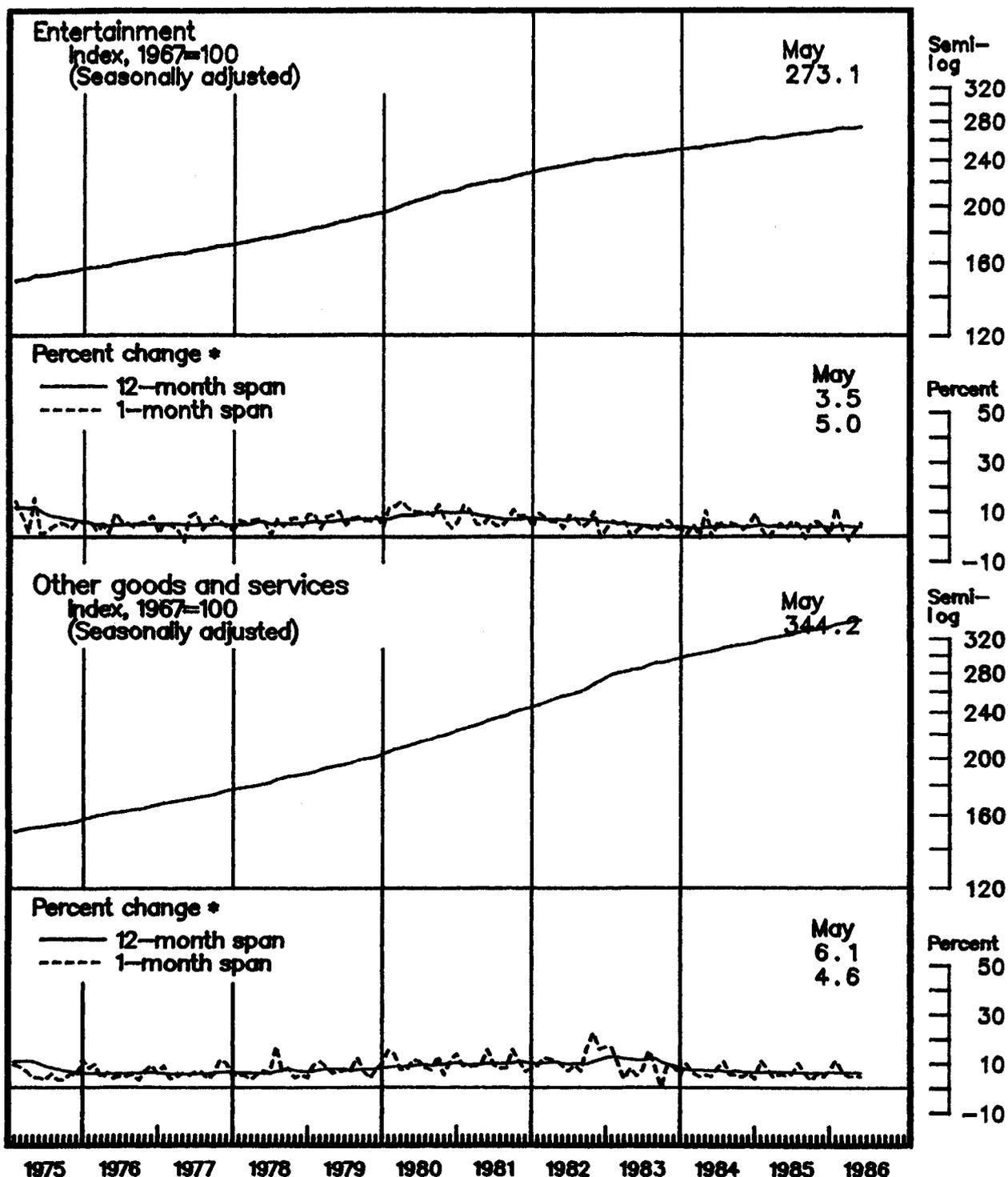
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Chart 3: CPI-U: Transportation and medical care, 1975-86



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Chart 4: CPI-U: Entertainment, other goods and services, 1975-86



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Expenditure category								
All items	100.000	325.3	326.3	1.6	0.3	-0.4	-0.3	0.2
All items(1957-59=100)	-	378.3	379.5	-	-	-	-	-
Food and beverages	19.619	308.5	309.4	2.8	.3	.1	.3	.4
Food	18.513	316.1	317.0	2.6	.3	.1	.3	.4
Food at home	12.380	301.5	302.1	2.0	.2	.0	.2	.4
Cereals and bakery products ¹	1.707	322.5	323.8	2.5	.4	.1	-.1	.4
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	3.884	264.2	263.4	1.4	-.3	-.3	-1.2	.3
Dairy products ¹	1.573	256.8	257.1	-.5	.1	-.2	.0	.1
Fruits and vegetables	1.938	329.5	336.5	1.9	2.1	.3	3.6	1.9
Other food at home	3.279	376.1	374.6	3.7	-.4	.1	.1	-.2
Sugar and sweets ¹ .....	.478	411.4	411.2	3.4	.0	.0	.7	.0
Fats and oils ¹ .....	.349	288.5	287.2	-2.3	-.5	-.4	-.6	-.5
Nonalcoholic beverages	1.331	487.4	481.9	6.1	-1.1	.5	.0	-.8
Other prepared foods	1.121	300.2	301.4	2.7	.4	-.2	.3	.5
Food away from home	6.133	357.0	358.8	4.0	.5	.4	.4	.5
Alcoholic beverages	1.106	239.5	239.4	5.1	.0	.0	.2	.0
Housing	37.884	358.0	358.5	2.9	.1	.2	.3	-.1
Shelter	22.255	400.1	400.9	5.6	.2	.6	.9	.1
Renters' costs ²	7.319	120.9	121.1	5.8	.2	.5	1.1	.1
Rent, residential	6.354	277.9	278.4	6.0	.2	.6	1.2	.1
Other renters' costs .....	.965	410.8	411.3	3.7	.1	.0	.3	.1
Homeowners' costs ²	14.417	118.7	118.9	5.8	.2	.9	.8	.2
Owners' equivalent rent ²	14.015	118.7	118.9	5.7	.2	.9	.8	.1
Household insurance ^{1,2} .....	.402	118.3	118.8	6.1	.4	.5	.3	.4
Maintenance and repairs ¹ .....	.519	367.6	367.1	.2	-.1	-3.2	.0	-.1
Maintenance and repair services ¹ .....	.291	424.6	425.5	2.3	.2	-2.4	.5	.2
Maintenance and repair commodities ¹ .....	.228	264.5	262.9	-2.3	-.6	-4.2	-.6	-.6
Fuel and other utilities	8.081	381.8	382.5	-2.7	.2	-1.0	-.7	-.9
Fuels	5.783	459.6	460.6	-6.0	.2	-1.6	-1.3	-1.3
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas	1.323	518.3	496.8	-20.0	-4.1	-5.7	-4.0	-4.4
Gas (piped) and electricity	4.459	439.2	444.6	-2.2	1.2	-.6	-.7	-.6
Other utilities and public services ¹	2.298	251.3	251.5	6.2	.1	.4	.9	.1
Household furnishings and operation	7.548	249.6	249.9	.9	.1	.2	-.4	.3
Housefurnishings	3.744	200.4	200.8	-.2	.2	.3	-.9	.5
Housekeeping supplies	1.636	318.5	318.3	1.7	-.1	-.2	.1	.2
Housekeeping services ¹	2.168	345.4	345.8	2.3	.1	.2	.1	.1
Apparel and upkeep	5.016	207.3	206.4	.5	-.4	-.1	.3	-.2
Apparel commodities	4.208	191.7	190.7	-.2	-.5	-.2	.3	-.3
Men's and boys' apparel	1.380	199.7	200.2	1.2	.3	-.3	.2	.1
Women's and girls' apparel	1.536	168.0	164.9	-1.8	-1.8	-.2	.2	-.8
Infants' and toddlers' apparel ¹ .....	.117	316.6	318.5	6.8	.6	.5	1.1	.6
Footwear .....	.626	211.4	211.5	-.8	.0	.2	.3	-.3
Other apparel commodities ¹549	215.3	215.4	.1	.0	-.7	.3	.0
Apparel services808	332.9	333.6	4.4	.2	.2	.3	.2

See footnotes at end of table.

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Expenditure category								
Transportation	21.387	303.3	305.7	-4.9	0.8	-2.8	-2.5	0.3
Private transportation	19.790	295.3	297.8	-5.8	.8	-3.1	-2.7	.3
New vehicles	3.854	221.0	222.8	4.0	.8	.3	.5	.9
New cars	3.433	221.2	223.0	4.0	.8	.2	.8	.6
Used cars	4.352	364.6	363.6	-5.4	-.3	-.7	-.8	-1.9
Motor fuel	5.469	279.5	289.3	-24.2	3.5	-11.9	-11.2	2.5
Gasoline		278.6	288.7	-24.3	3.8	-12.0	-11.3	2.5
Maintenance and repair	1.687	360.6	361.3	3.3	.2	.2	.6	.0
Other private transportation ¹	4.428	301.6	301.3	5.5	-.1	.8	.0	-.1
Other private transportation commodities ¹ .....	.627	202.2	202.4	.5	.1	.3	-.7	.1
Other private transportation services ¹	3.800	330.9	330.4	6.3	-.2	.8	.2	-.2
Public transportation ¹	1.597	422.2	423.7	6.4	.4	-.2	.2	.4
Medical care	6.450	428.0	429.7	7.8	.4	1.0	.8	.6
Medical care commodities	1.072	271.3	272.3	6.7	.4	.6	.4	.3
Medical care services	5.378	462.3	464.2	7.7	.4	1.1	.7	.7
Professional services	2.473	386.9	388.3	6.5	.4	.9	.8	.5
Other medical care services ²	2.905	553.5	555.9	8.7	.4	1.2	.8	.9
Entertainment	4.197	272.3	272.9	3.5	.2	-.1	.1	.4
Entertainment commodities	2.409	264.8	265.3	2.2	.2	-.3	-.1	.5
Entertainment services ¹	1.788	283.5	284.2	5.3	.2	.0	.5	.2
Other goods and services	5.447	341.8	342.1	8.1	.1	.4	.4	.4
Tobacco products ¹	1.535	346.5	346.5	6.9	.0	.3	.3	.0
Personal care ¹	1.863	290.5	290.9	3.6	.1	.4	.1	.1
Toilet goods and personal care appliances ¹ .....	.850	287.7	287.9	3.7	.1	.5	.1	.1
Personal care services ¹	1.013	294.1	294.7	3.4	.2	.3	.0	.2
Personal and educational expenses	2.049	418.9	419.5	8.0	.1	.5	.7	.9
School books and supplies .....	.253	374.4	374.5	8.7	.0	.8	.6	.7
Personal and educational services	1.796	429.5	430.2	7.9	.2	.5	.8	.9
Commodity and service group								
All items	100.000	325.3	326.3	1.6	0.3	-0.4	-0.3	0.2
Commodities	51.181	281.2	282.1	-1.7	.3	-1.4	-1.1	.2
Food and beverages	19.619	308.5	309.4	2.8	.3	.1	.3	.4
Commodities less food and beverages	31.562	262.5	263.4	-4.4	.3	-2.2	-1.9	.1
Nondurables less food and beverages ¹	18.764	262.0	263.3	-7.0	.5	-3.5	-2.8	.5
Apparel commodities	4.208	191.7	190.7	-.2	-.5	-.2	.3	-.3
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel ¹	14.556	302.6	305.2	-8.9	.9	-4.8	-3.5	.9
Durables	12.798	269.2	269.8	-.7	.1	-.2	-.7	.0
Services	48.819	398.8	397.9	5.0	.3	.5	.6	.1
Rent of shelter ^{1 2}	21.250	119.4	119.7	5.7	.3	.7	.8	.3
Household services less rent of shelter ^{1 2}	9.703	111.6	112.3	1.3	.6	-.2	.0	.8
Transportation services	7.084	353.2	353.4	5.7	.1	.5	.3	.0
Medical care services	5.378	462.3	464.2	7.7	.4	1.1	.7	.7
Other services	5.405	327.6	328.2	5.6	.2	.3	.5	.4

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		Apr. 1986	May 1986	May 1985	Apr. 1986	Feb. to Mar.	Mar. to Apr.	Apr. to May
Commodity and service group								
Special indexes:								
All items less food	81.487	325.7	326.7	1.3	0.3	-0.5	-0.4	0.1
All items less shelter	77.745	303.6	304.7	.4	.4	-.7	-.6	.2
All items less homeowners' costs ²	85.583	110.1	110.4	.8	.3	-.7	-.5	.2
All items less medical care	93.550	319.7	320.6	1.1	.3	-.5	-.3	.2
Commodities less food	32.668	261.2	262.1	-4.1	.3	-2.2	-1.9	.1
Nondurables less food ¹	19.870	259.2	260.5	-6.3	.5	-3.2	-2.4	.5
Nondurables less food and apparel ¹	15.662	292.9	295.2	-8.0	.8	-4.5	-3.2	.8
Nondurables	38.383	286.3	287.4	-2.0	.4	-1.6	-1.4	.4
Services less rent of shelter ^{1,2}	27.570	117.4	117.8	4.4	.3	.3	.3	.3
Services less medical care ¹	43.442	387.2	388.3	4.7	.3	.4	.5	.3
Energy	11.252	361.8	367.6	-14.8	1.6	-6.5	-5.8	.3
All items less energy	88.748	324.4	325.0	3.7	.2	.3	.4	.2
All items less food and energy	70.235	324.8	325.3	4.0	.2	.4	.4	.1
Commodities less food and energy	25.875	262.1	262.2	1.0	.0	-.1	-.1	-.1
Energy commodities	6.793	313.3	319.3	-23.4	1.9	-10.8	-9.8	1.1
Services less energy	44.360	393.8	394.5	5.8	.2	.6	.7	.2
Purchasing power of the consumer dollar:								
1967 = \$1.00 ¹	-	\$.307	\$.306	-1.6	-.3	.7	.0	-.3
1957-59 = \$1.00 ¹	-	.264	.264	-	-	-	-	-

¹ Not seasonally adjusted.

² Indexes on a December 1982 = 100 base.

³ This index series will not be published after December 1986.

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—					
	Feb. 1986	Mar. 1986	Apr. 1986	May 1986	3 months ending in—				6 months ending in—	
					Aug. 1985	Nov. 1985	Feb. 1986	May 1986	Nov. 1985	May 1986
	Expenditure category									
All items	-	-	-	-	2.6	4.5	1.2	-2.1	3.6	-0.4
Food and beverages	306.3	306.6	307.5	308.7	1.6	5.3	1.2	3.2	3.4	2.2
Food	313.8	314.1	315.0	316.4	1.6	4.7	.8	3.4	3.1	2.1
Food at home	299.5	299.4	300.0	301.2	.3	5.2	.1	2.3	2.7	1.2
Cereals and bakery products ¹	322.5	322.7	322.5	323.8	3.3	1.8	3.3	1.6	2.5	2.5
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	266.2	265.5	262.3	263.0	.5	13.2	-2.7	-4.7	6.7	-3.7
Dairy products ¹	257.3	256.8	256.8	257.1	-1.5	-5	.3	-3	-1.0	.0
Fruits and vegetables	313.2	314.2	325.6	331.9	-4.6	5.5	-15.0	26.1	.3	3.5
Other food at home	373.6	373.9	374.4	373.5	2.4	.8	12.3	-1	1.6	5.9
Sugar and sweets ¹	408.6	408.4	411.4	411.2	4.3	-4	7.4	2.6	1.9	4.9
Fats and oils ¹	291.4	290.2	288.5	287.2	4.3	-6.6	-1.0	-5.6	-1.3	-3.3
Nonalcoholic beverages	481.9	484.1	484.0	480.0	-2	.9	27.7	-1.6	.4	12.1
Other prepared foods	298.9	298.4	299.3	300.8	3.9	3.4	1.2	2.6	3.7	1.9
Food away from home	353.8	355.1	356.6	358.4	4.2	4.0	2.4	5.3	4.1	3.8
Alcoholic beverages	238.3	238.3	238.8	238.9	2.7	14.5	2.7	1.0	8.4	1.9
Housing	356.8	357.5	358.5	358.2	3.8	4.0	1.8	1.6	3.9	1.7
Shelter	394.8	397.3	400.7	401.0	6.0	5.5	4.5	6.4	5.8	5.5
Renters' costs ²	119.2	119.8	121.1	121.2	5.7	6.7	3.4	6.9	6.2	5.1
Rent, residential	273.7	275.3	278.5	278.7	5.6	7.1	3.9	7.5	6.3	5.7
Other renters' costs	409.4	409.6	410.8	411.3	8.1	3.8	1.1	1.9	5.9	1.5
Homeowners' costs ²	117.0	118.0	118.9	119.1	6.2	5.0	4.6	7.4	5.6	6.0
Owners' equivalent rent ²	117.0	118.0	118.9	119.0	6.2	5.0	4.6	7.0	5.6	5.8
Household insurance ^{1,2}	117.4	118.0	118.3	118.8	3.6	5.4	10.5	4.9	4.5	7.7
Maintenance and repairs ¹	379.6	367.5	367.6	367.1	4.9	2.3	7.6	-12.5	3.6	-3.0
Maintenance and repair services ¹	432.8	422.4	424.6	425.5	9.0	1.2	6.1	-6.6	5.1	-4
Maintenance and repair commodities ¹	277.8	266.1	264.5	262.9	.0	3.5	9.6	-19.8	1.7	-6.2
Fuel and other utilities	392.4	388.4	385.7	382.3	.8	1.8	-3.0	-9.9	1.3	-6.5
Fuels	479.5	471.6	465.3	459.3	-3.6	1.5	-5.3	-15.8	-1.1	-10.7
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas	575.7	542.8	520.9	497.8	-8.6	22.1	-34.4	-44.1	5.6	-39.4
Gas (piped) and electricity	451.6	448.8	445.6	443.1	-2.2	-3.5	4.7	-7.3	-2.8	-1.5
Other utilities and public services ¹	247.9	249.0	251.3	251.5	13.1	2.8	3.3	5.9	7.8	4.6
Household furnishings and operation	249.1	249.5	248.6	249.3	1.1	2.1	.3	.3	1.8	.3
Housefurnishings	200.1	200.8	199.0	200.0	-6	1.0	-1.0	-2	.2	-6
Housekeeping supplies	317.6	316.9	317.2	317.7	2.6	4.3	.0	.1	3.4	.1
Housekeeping services ¹	344.5	345.1	345.4	345.8	3.2	2.4	2.1	1.5	2.8	1.8
Apparel and upkeep	206.6	206.3	206.9	206.5	1.2	4.9	-3.4	-2	3.0	-1.8
Apparel commodities	191.1	190.7	191.2	190.7	.4	5.1	-5.1	-8	2.7	-3.0
Men's and boys' apparel	199.8	199.3	199.7	199.8	2.2	3.7	-8	.0	3.0	-4
Women's and girls' apparel	167.2	166.8	167.2	165.9	-2.6	10.6	-11.1	-3.1	3.8	-7.2
Infants' and toddlers' apparel ¹	311.6	313.1	316.6	318.5	3.1	8.8	6.1	9.2	5.9	7.6
Footwear	209.6	210.1	210.8	210.2	.0	3.4	-7.5	1.1	1.7	-3.2
Other apparel commodities ¹	218.1	214.6	215.3	215.4	4.5	-4.7	2.3	-1.3	-2	.5
Apparel services	330.4	331.2	332.2	332.9	5.8	4.0	5.0	3.1	4.9	4.0

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—					
	Feb. 1986	Mar. 1986	Apr. 1986	May 1986	3 months ending in—				6 months ending in—	
					Aug. 1985	Nov. 1985	Feb. 1986	May 1986	Nov. 1985	May 1986
Expenditure category										
Transportation	320.9	311.8	304.0	304.9	-0.5	3.5	-2.1	-18.5	1.5	-10.7
Private transportation	314.0	304.4	296.2	297.0	-1.0	3.2	-3.1	-20.0	1.1	-11.9
New vehicles	219.1	219.7	220.8	222.8	2.3	4.3	2.8	6.9	3.3	4.8
New cars	219.5	219.9	221.2	223.0	2.3	3.8	3.3	6.5	3.0	4.9
Used cars	374.8	372.0	369.2	362.2	-9.3	.1	1.5	-12.8	-4.7	-5.9
Motor fuel	357.2	314.8	279.5	286.4	-3	.0	-19.8	-58.7	-2	-42.4
Gasoline	356.9	314.0	278.6	285.6	-1	-4	-19.5	-59.0	-3	-42.5
Maintenance and repair	358.5	359.3	361.3	361.3	2.9	3.9	3.3	3.2	3.4	3.2
Other private transportation ¹	299.2	301.5	301.6	301.3	3.0	8.9	7.4	2.8	5.9	5.1
Other private transportation commodities ¹	202.9	203.6	202.2	202.4	3.0	-2.3	2.6	-1.0	.3	.8
Other private transportation services ¹	327.6	330.3	330.9	330.4	3.0	10.9	8.2	3.5	6.9	5.8
Public transportation ¹	422.2	421.2	422.2	423.7	5.4	9.3	9.4	1.4	7.4	5.4
Medical care	420.4	424.5	427.2	429.8	7.0	6.4	7.4	9.2	6.7	8.3
Medical care commodities	267.9	269.4	270.5	271.2	7.9	6.0	7.8	5.0	7.0	6.4
Medical care services	453.6	458.4	461.6	464.7	6.7	6.5	7.6	10.2	6.6	8.9
Professional services	380.8	384.2	386.5	388.3	6.3	6.8	5.1	8.1	6.5	6.6
Other medical care services ³	542.1	548.6	552.9	557.6	7.2	6.3	9.5	11.9	6.7	10.7
Entertainment	272.0	271.6	272.0	273.1	3.2	4.9	4.7	1.6	4.1	3.1
Entertainment commodities	264.9	264.2	264.0	265.3	1.7	5.2	1.7	.6	3.4	1.1
Entertainment services ¹	282.1	282.2	283.5	284.2	5.6	4.5	8.2	3.0	5.0	5.6
Other goods and services	340.3	341.6	342.9	344.2	7.2	4.3	8.4	4.7	5.8	6.5
Tobacco products ¹	344.7	345.6	346.5	346.5	9.5	3.9	12.5	2.1	6.6	7.2
Personal care ¹	289.1	290.3	290.5	290.9	3.5	3.0	5.3	2.5	3.2	3.9
Toilet goods and personal care appliances ¹	286.0	287.3	287.7	287.9	2.8	2.5	7.2	2.7	2.6	4.9
Personal care services ¹	293.0	294.0	294.1	294.7	3.8	3.5	3.9	2.3	3.7	3.1
Personal and educational expenses	416.0	418.2	421.3	424.9	9.0	5.9	8.2	8.8	7.5	8.5
School books and supplies	369.0	372.1	374.4	377.1	9.6	9.2	7.1	9.1	9.4	8.1
Personal and educational services	427.2	429.2	432.5	436.3	8.9	5.4	8.6	8.8	7.1	8.7
Commodity and service group										
All items	-	-	-	-	2.6	4.5	1.2	-2.1	3.6	-0.4
Commodities	287.6	283.7	280.7	281.4	.4	4.0	-1.9	-8.3	2.2	-5.2
Food and beverages	306.3	306.6	307.5	308.7	1.6	5.3	1.2	3.2	3.4	2.2
Commodities less food and beverages	273.6	267.5	262.3	262.6	-4	3.2	-4.1	-15.1	1.4	-9.8
Nondurables less food and beverages ¹	278.6	268.9	262.0	263.3	.0	5.3	-11.0	-20.2	2.6	-15.7
Apparel commodities	191.1	190.7	191.2	190.7	.4	5.1	-5.1	-8	2.7	-3.0
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel ¹	329.5	313.6	302.6	305.2	.4	2.9	-9.5	-26.4	1.6	-18.4
Durables	271.6	271.1	269.2	269.3	-3.9	3.2	1.5	-3.3	-4	-1.0
Services	393.7	395.6	397.8	396.2	5.2	4.9	4.9	4.7	5.0	4.8
Rent of shelter ^{1 2}	117.7	118.5	119.4	119.7	6.9	5.7	3.5	7.0	6.3	5.2
Household services less rent of shelter ^{1 2}	111.8	111.6	111.6	112.3	8.6	-8.2	3.7	1.8	-2	2.7
Transportation services	350.7	352.3	353.2	353.2	3.5	8.8	7.1	2.9	6.1	5.0
Medical care services	453.6	458.4	461.6	464.7	6.7	6.5	7.6	10.2	6.6	8.9
Other services	326.2	327.1	328.6	330.0	6.4	4.5	7.0	4.7	5.5	5.9

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

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Seasonally adjusted indexes				Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for—					
	Feb. 1986	Mar. 1986	Apr. 1986	May 1986	3 months ending in—				6 months ending in—	
					Aug. 1985	Nov. 1985	Feb. 1986	May 1986	Nov. 1985	May 1986
	Commodity and service group									
Special indexes:										
All items less food	329.0	327.2	325.9	326.3	2.9	4.4	1.5	-3.2	3.6	-0.9
All items less shelter	307.7	305.4	303.6	304.2	1.7	4.1	.5	-4.5	2.9	-2.0
All items less homeowners' costs ²	111.4	110.6	110.1	110.3	1.8	4.4	1.1	-3.9	3.1	-1.4
All items less medical care	322.6	320.9	319.8	320.3	2.4	4.3	1.1	-2.8	3.4	-.9
Commodities less food	271.9	266.0	261.0	261.3	-.3	3.7	-4.2	-14.7	1.7	-9.6
Nondurables less food ¹	274.5	265.6	259.2	260.5	.1	5.7	-10.2	-18.9	2.9	-14.7
Nondurables less food and apparel ¹	316.8	302.7	292.9	295.2	.5	3.7	-8.6	-24.6	2.1	-17.0
Nondurables	294.3	289.5	285.4	286.5	1.5	4.7	-3.6	-10.2	3.1	-6.9
Services less rent of shelter ^{1 2}	116.8	117.1	117.4	117.8	6.2	2.5	5.7	3.5	4.3	4.6
Services less medical care ¹	384.0	385.4	387.2	388.3	6.4	3.7	4.2	4.6	5.0	4.4
Energy	414.3	387.5	365.2	366.2	-1.9	.8	-12.5	-39.0	-.6	-26.9
All items less energy	322.2	323.2	324.4	324.9	3.4	4.9	3.3	3.4	4.1	3.3
All items less food and energy	322.6	323.8	325.0	325.3	3.8	4.9	3.8	3.4	4.3	3.6
Commodities less food and energy	262.5	262.3	262.0	261.8	.2	3.6	1.4	-1.1	1.9	.2
Energy commodities	389.7	347.8	313.6	316.9	-1.9	3.8	-22.7	-56.3	.9	-41.9
Services less energy	389.6	392.0	394.6	395.3	6.0	5.7	5.4	6.0	5.9	5.7

¹ Not seasonally adjusted.

² Indexes on a December 1982 = 100 base.

³ This index series will not be published after December 1986.

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

Table 3. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Food expenditure categories, U.S. city average

(1967=100, unless otherwise noted)

Group and item	Other index base	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to May 1986 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Apr. 1986	May 1986	May 1985	Apr. 1986	Feb. to Mar.	Mar. to Apr.	Apr. to May
Food and beverages		308.5	309.4	2.8	0.3	0.1	0.3	0.4
Food		316.1	317.0	2.6	.3	.1	.3	.4
Food at home		301.5	302.1	2.0	.2	.0	.2	.4
Cereals and bakery products ¹		322.5	323.8	2.5	.4	.1	-.1	.4
Cereal and cereal products	12/77	173.5	174.2	2.8	.4	.0	-.2	.1
Flour and prepared flour mixes	12/77	151.0	152.6	1.3	1.1	.0	.0	-.1
Cereal ¹	12/77	203.0	203.9	4.8	.4	.2	.4	.4
Rice, pasta, and commmeal ¹	12/77	152.4	152.1	.9	-.2	.3	.0	-.2
Bakery products ¹	12/77	169.7	170.3	2.3	.4	.0	-.1	.4
White bread ¹		270.8	271.5	2.4	.3	.1	-.2	.3
Fresh other breads, biscuits, rolls, and muffins ^{1 2}	12/77	162.0	162.5	.9	.3	.1	-.6	.3
Other bread ^{1 3}	12/77	162.2	162.7	1.8	.3	.4	.4	.3
Fresh biscuits, rolls, and muffins ^{1 3}	12/77	161.7	162.2	.1	.3	-.1	-1.6	.3
Cookies, fresh cakes and cupcakes ^{1 2}	12/77	174.7	175.9	2.1	.7	.0	-.3	.7
Fresh cakes and cupcakes ^{1 3}	12/77	172.0	172.5	.8	.3	.2	.0	.3
Cookies ³	12/77	177.3	179.1	3.4	1.0	.1	-.7	1.0
Other bakery products ^{1 2}	12/77	176.3	176.8	3.6	.3	-.1	.4	.3
Crackers and bread and cracker products ^{1 3}	12/77	175.6	176.1	2.4	.3	-.6	.5	.3
Fresh sweetrolls, coffeecake, and donuts ^{1 3}	12/77	172.4	172.1	4.1	-.2	.6	-.7	-.2
Frozen and refrigerated bakery products and fresh pies, tarts, and turnovers ^{1 3}	12/77	181.7	183.1	4.2	.8	-.3	1.6	.8
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs		264.2	263.4	1.4	-.3	-.3	-1.2	.3
Meats, poultry, and fish		270.4	270.7	1.1	.1	-.4	-1.2	.4
Meats		262.3	262.1	-.5	-.1	-.7	-1.5	-.1
Beef and veal		266.0	264.9	-1.5	-.4	-.7	-2.9	-.4
Ground beef other than canned		245.8	240.7	-3.4	-2.1	-.6	-2.9	-1.4
Chuck roast		258.1	255.5	-4.0	-1.0	1.7	-5.6	.4
Round roast		226.9	229.0	-1.7	.9	-1.6	-2.6	1.6
Round steak		252.8	246.8	-1.8	-2.4	-.7	-2.1	-2.5
Sirloin steak		273.9	279.2	2.3	1.9	-3.3	-.3	.7
Other beef and veal	12/77	168.0	168.6	-.2	.4	.3	-3.2	.2
Pork		249.9	250.0	.9	.0	-.8	.6	.0
Bacon		267.8	267.1	-2.8	-.3	-1.9	-.4	-.1
Chops		235.6	237.5	6.5	.8	.2	1.0	2.1
Ham ²	12/77	113.8	113.1	-.4	-.6	-3.1	1.4	-.2
Ham other than canned ³	12/77	110.8	110.9	1.3	.1	-3.7	1.3	.1
Canned ham ⁴		248.7	244.7	-3.2	-1.6	-1.9	2.0	-2.3
Other pork including sausage ^{1 2}	12/77	137.7	137.9	.7	.1	.5	-1.6	.1
Other pork ³	12/77	134.4	135.6	1.8	.9	.5	-.6	1.3
Sausage ^{1 3}		318.5	315.9	-.8	-.8	2.1	-1.6	-.8
Other meats ¹		267.3	269.6	.5	.9	-.5	-.9	.9
Frankfurters ^{1 3}		263.1	263.6	-.5	.2	-.5	-1.7	.2
Bologna, liverwurst, and salami ^{1 3}	12/77	157.5	157.0	-.3	-.3	.3	-.2	-.3
Other lunchmeats ^{1 3}	12/77	137.2	138.4	1.1	.9	-.6	-.3	.9
Lamb and organ meats ^{1 3}	12/77	137.6	141.8	1.6	2.9	-.9	-1.9	2.9
Poultry ¹		215.7	218.7	2.4	1.4	-.1	-1.1	1.4
Fresh whole chicken ¹		213.0	217.5	4.0	2.1	.4	-2.0	2.1
Fresh and frozen chicken parts ¹	12/77	141.7	143.0	2.4	.9	.1	.1	.9
Other poultry ¹	12/77	139.6	140.7	.1	.8	-1.3	-1.3	.8
Fish and seafood		437.0	437.1	10.4	.0	1.3	.6	2.2
Canned fish and seafood ¹	12/77	134.7	134.4	-.3	-.2	-.1	.7	-.2
Fresh and frozen fish and seafood	12/77	185.3	185.5	15.4	.1	1.8	.4	3.2
Eggs		188.8	173.7	8.6	-8.0	3.0	-.7	-2.0

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 3. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Food expenditure categories, U.S. city average—Continued

(1967=100, unless otherwise noted)

Group and item	Other index base	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to May 1986 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Apr. 1986	May 1986	May 1985	Apr. 1986	Feb. to Mar.	Mar. to Apr.	Apr. to May
Dairy products ¹		256.8	257.1	-0.5	0.1	-0.2	0.0	0.1
Fresh milk and cream	12/77	137.9	138.1	-1.2	.1	.1	.0	.4
Fresh whole milk		225.4	225.7	-1.3	.1	.0	.0	.4
Other fresh milk and cream ¹	12/77	138.2	138.8	-.9	.4	.3	-.5	.4
Processed dairy products ¹	12/77	155.5	155.5	.4	.0	-.4	.2	.0
Cheese ¹	12/77	150.8	150.5	-.1	-.2	-.2	.2	-.2
Ice cream and related products ¹	12/77	164.0	163.9	.6	-.1	-.8	.3	-.1
Other dairy products including butter ^{1 2}	12/77	156.6	157.5	1.2	.6	-.4	.0	.6
Other dairy products ^{1 3}	12/77	157.9	159.2	2.7	.8	-.1	.2	.8
Butter ^{1 3}		260.2	260.7	-.7	.2	-.6	-.2	.2
Fruits and vegetables		329.5	336.5	1.9	2.1	.3	3.6	1.9
Fresh fruits and vegetables		350.2	363.9	4.9	3.9	1.0	7.0	3.4
Fresh fruits		367.9	385.5	.9	4.8	-1.0	3.6	2.2
Apples		353.8	374.3	12.1	5.8	-1.1	.1	4.7
Bananas		327.3	327.4	18.2	.0	3.0	8.1	3.2
Oranges		377.2	393.4	-18.9	4.3	-1.6	-.7	3.0
Other fresh fruits	12/77	197.5	208.9	3.5	5.8	-2.4	4.3	1.3
Fresh vegetables		333.7	343.7	9.4	3.0	-.5	11.2	6.0
Potatoes		267.4	279.6	-24.3	4.6	-1.2	-.8	-2.8
Lettuce ¹		392.9	414.6	40.3	5.5	2.1	26.7	5.5
Tomatoes ¹		279.3	301.4	29.4	7.9	.1	3.9	7.9
Other fresh vegetables	12/77	197.3	197.5	12.9	.1	1.3	6.4	9.0
Processed fruits and vegetables ¹		309.7	309.2	-1.8	-.2	-.4	-.3	-.2
Processed fruits	12/77	163.8	163.5	-3.1	-.2	-1.0	-.8	.1
Fruit juices and frozen fruit ²	12/77	163.9	162.8	-5.5	-.7	-1.3	-1.0	-.6
Frozen fruit and fruit juices ³	12/77	154.9	152.8	-12.4	-1.4	-2.0	-2.8	-1.1
Fruit juices other than frozen ³	12/77	170.7	170.5	-.1	-.1	-.5	-.2	.1
Canned and dried fruits ¹	12/77	163.7	164.9	2.0	.7	-.4	-.1	.7
Processed vegetables ¹	12/77	147.5	147.4	-.5	-.1	-.3	.2	-.1
Frozen vegetables ¹	12/77	162.2	162.2	.7	.0	-.7	.5	.0
Other processed vegetables ^{1 2}	12/77	142.5	142.3	-.9	-.1	-.1	.1	-.1
Cut corn and canned beans except lima ^{1 3}	12/77	149.2	148.4	-1.5	-.5	-.8	1.0	-.5
Other canned and dried vegetables ^{1 3}	12/77	139.2	139.3	-.6	.1	.2	-.4	.1
Other foods at home		376.1	374.6	3.7	-.4	.1	.1	-.2
Sugar and sweets ¹		411.4	411.2	3.4	.0	.0	.7	.0
Sugar and artificial sweeteners ¹	12/77	171.5	171.8	1.0	.2	-1.0	.1	.2
Sweets including candy ²	12/77	171.7	171.5	4.4	-.1	.2	.6	-.4
Candy and chewing gum ³	12/77	173.0	172.6	4.9	-.2	.1	.6	-.2
Other sweets ^{1 3}	12/77	169.0	169.2	3.2	.1	.2	.9	.1
Fats and oils ¹		288.5	287.2	-2.3	-.5	-.4	-.6	-.5
Margarine ^{1 3}		299.3	296.3	-.8	-1.0	-.8	-.1	-1.0
Nondairy substitutes and peanut butter ^{1 3}	12/77	159.1	159.0	-.4	-.1	.4	-.2	-.1
Other fats, oils, and salad dressings ^{1 3}	12/77	145.6	145.2	-4.0	-.3	-.5	-1.1	-.3
Nonalcoholic beverages		487.4	481.9	6.1	-1.1	.5	.0	-.8
Carbonated drinks ²	12/77	156.9	155.1	-.2	-1.1	-.8	.2	-.8
Cola drinks, excluding diet cola ⁵		326.7	320.8	-1.3	-1.8	-1.8	.4	-1.2
Carbonated drinks, including diet cola ⁵	12/77	153.8	153.9	1.8	.1	1.1	-.6	-.1
Coffee ^{1 6}		528.4	522.2	31.2	-1.2	4.1	.0	-1.2
Roasted coffee ^{1 3}		532.1	523.5	37.8	-1.6	3.9	-.5	-1.6
Freeze dried and instant coffee ^{1 3}		478.6	475.2	25.1	-.7	4.3	.4	-.7
Other noncarbonated drinks	12/77	155.2	153.8	.5	-.9	-.3	-.1	-.5
Other prepared foods ¹		300.2	301.4	2.7	.4	-.2	.3	.5
Canned and packaged soup	12/77	153.9	155.3	2.6	.9	-.2	.3	.9
Frozen prepared foods ¹	12/77	169.9	170.6	3.6	.4	-.4	.9	.4
Snacks ¹	12/77	174.8	175.0	2.8	.1	.2	-.3	.1
Seasonings, condiments, sauces and spices ²	12/77	169.4	170.4	3.0	.6	-.5	.9	.6
Seasonings, olives, pickles, and relish ³	12/77	172.3	171.7	1.9	-.3	-.8	1.8	.2
Other condiments ³	12/77	167.6	169.6	3.7	1.2	.2	-.2	1.1
Other prepared foods, including								
miscellaneous and baby food ^{1 2}	12/77	160.0	160.3	2.0	.2	.1	.1	.2
Miscellaneous prepared foods ^{1 3}	12/77	165.1	165.7	3.2	.4	.2	.4	.4
Other canned and packaged prepared foods ³	12/77	154.7	154.7	.7	.0	-.3	-.3	.4

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 3. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Food expenditure categories, U.S. city average—Continued

(1967=100, unless otherwise noted)

Group and item	Other index base	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to May 1986 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Apr. 1986	May 1986	May 1985	Apr. 1986	Feb. to Mar.	Mar. to Apr.	Apr. to May
Food away from home		357.0	358.8	4.0	0.5	0.4	0.4	0.5
Lunch	12/77	172.1	173.1	4.0	.6	.4	.2	.6
Dinner	12/77	172.2	172.8	3.7	.3	.4	.2	.3
Other meals and snacks	12/77	176.4	177.6	4.2	.7	.2	.7	.7
Alcoholic beverages		239.5	239.4	5.1	.0	.0	.2	.0
Alcoholic beverages at home	12/77	152.4	152.2	4.8	-.1	-.1	.3	.0
Beer and ale		241.4	240.8	2.2	-.2	-.1	.3	.0
Wine ¹		241.1	240.4	1.6	-.3	.3	.0	-.3
Distilled spirits ^{1 2}	12/77	141.8	141.9	10.2	.1	-.2	.2	.1
Other alcoholic beverages ^{1 3}	12/77	139.4	139.2	11.3	-.1	.4	.0	-.1
Whiskey ^{1 3}		170.1	170.4	9.5	.2	-.5	.2	.2
Alcoholic beverages away from home	12/77	172.9	173.5	6.6	.3	.5	-.1	.3
Special indexes:								
Domestically produced farm food		283.4	284.5	.9	.4	.2	-.1	1.0
Selected beef cuts ¹		265.3	264.1	-1.7	-.5	-.3	-1.9	-.5
Imported food and fishery products ⁴	12/77	154.7	153.6	6.8	-.7	.7	.3	.0

¹ Not seasonally adjusted.

² New aggregate index. Monthly data for this series back to January 1978 are available from the Bureau of Labor Statistics.

³ After December 1986, this index series, as a result of changes in the CPI classification structure effective in January 1987, will be published only as a special sub-strata index based upon a substantially smaller sample.

⁴ This index series will not be published after December 1986.

⁵ Index coverage will be redefined effective January 1987. The current definition will not be published after December 1986.

⁶ New aggregate index. Monthly data for this series back to January 1967 are available from the Bureau of Labor Statistics.

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

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

(1967=100, unless otherwise noted)

Group and item	Other index base	Seasonally adjusted indexes		Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for—					
		Apr. 1986	May 1986	3 months ending in—				6 months ending in—	
				Aug. 1985	Nov. 1985	Feb. 1986	May 1986	Nov. 1985	May 1986
Food and beverages		307.5	308.7	1.6	5.3	1.2	3.2	3.4	2.2
Food		315.0	316.4	1.6	4.7	.8	3.4	3.1	2.1
Food at home		300.0	301.2	.3	5.2	.1	2.3	2.7	1.2
Cereals and bakery products ¹		322.5	323.8	3.3	1.8	3.3	1.6	2.5	2.5
Cereal and cereal products	12/77	173.2	173.3	3.4	7.0	.2	.9	5.2	.6
Flour and prepared flour mixes	12/77	151.9	151.7	1.6	1.9	2.1	-.5	1.7	.8
Cereal ¹	12/77	203.0	203.9	1.7	8.2	4.9	4.4	4.9	4.7
Rice, pasta, and cornmeal ¹	12/77	152.4	152.1	4.3	.5	-1.3	.3	2.4	-.5
Bakery products ¹	12/77	169.7	170.3	3.2	2.2	3.1	.9	2.7	2.0
White bread ¹		270.8	271.5	4.3	3.6	.9	.7	4.0	.8
Fresh other breads, biscuits, rolls, and muffins ^{1 2}	12/77	162.0	162.5	3.0	-.5	1.7	-.5	1.2	.6
Other bread ^{1 3}	12/77	162.2	162.7	1.3	.5	.5	4.8	.9	2.6
Fresh biscuits, rolls, and muffins ^{1 3}	12/77	161.7	162.2	4.8	-1.7	2.7	-5.2	1.5	-1.3
Cookies, fresh cakes and cupcakes ^{1 2}	12/77	174.7	175.9	3.5	1.4	2.3	1.4	2.5	1.8
Fresh cakes and cupcakes ^{1 3}	12/77	172.0	172.5	-1.4	1.2	1.4	1.9	-.1	1.6
Cookies ³	12/77	176.9	178.7	7.9	5.1	-.9	1.6	6.5	.3
Other bakery products ^{1 2}	12/77	176.3	176.8	2.1	3.1	6.9	2.5	2.6	4.7
Crackers and bread and cracker products ^{1 3}	12/77	175.6	176.1	3.3	.0	5.9	.5	1.6	3.1
Fresh sweetrolls, coffeecake, and donuts ^{1 3}	12/77	172.4	172.1	-1.0	10.3	8.5	-1.2	4.5	3.6
Frozen and refrigerated bakery products and fresh pies, tarts, and turnovers ^{1 3}	12/77	181.7	183.1	5.6	-2.7	5.5	8.8	1.4	7.1
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs		262.3	263.0	.5	13.2	-2.7	-4.7	6.7	-3.7
Meats, poultry, and fish		269.3	270.3	-1.6	13.4	-1.7	-5.0	5.6	-3.4
Meats		261.4	261.2	-3.5	14.4	-2.9	-8.7	5.1	-5.9
Beef and veal		262.3	261.2	-5.2	22.3	-4.8	-15.0	7.7	-10.0
Ground beef other than canned		241.7	238.3	-2.6	13.5	-4.0	-18.0	5.2	-11.3
Chuck roast		252.5	253.5	-9.2	33.3	-18.7	-13.7	10.0	-16.2
Round roast		220.7	224.3	-1.4	19.2	-11.4	-10.2	8.4	-10.8
Round steak		248.3	242.0	-9.8	28.0	-.3	-19.4	7.4	-10.4
Sirloin steak		272.3	274.3	-5.3	26.5	3.0	-11.1	9.5	-4.3
Other beef and veal	12/77	166.0	166.4	-.7	14.9	-3.2	-10.3	6.8	-6.8
Pork		254.0	254.1	-1.4	8.0	-2.2	-.6	3.2	-1.4
Bacon		269.1	268.7	-.4	-1.7	.6	-9.3	-1.1	-4.5
Chops		238.5	243.6	-1.4	23.8	-7.6	13.9	10.5	2.6
Ham ²	12/77	116.6	116.4	3.1	-1.7	5.6	-7.5	.7	-1.2
Ham other than canned ³	12/77	115.2	115.3	6.1	4.2	4.9	-9.2	5.2	-2.4
Canned ham ⁴		250.5	244.7	-2.2	-6.1	4.8	-8.8	-4.1	-2.2
Other pork including sausage ^{1 2}	12/77	137.7	137.9	7.5	-6.4	6.3	-3.7	.3	1.2
Other pork ³	12/77	136.0	137.8	-4.9	13.8	-5.7	5.1	4.0	-.4
Sausage ^{1 3}		318.5	315.9	.9	-10.9	9.5	-1.5	-5.2	3.8
Other meats ¹		267.3	269.6	-1.8	2.9	3.2	-2.2	.5	.4
Frankfurters ^{1 3}		263.1	263.6	-5.2	6.9	4.7	-7.7	.7	-1.6
Bologna, liverwurst, and salami ^{1 3}	12/77	157.5	157.0	-3.8	1.0	2.3	-.8	-1.4	.8
Other lunchmeats ^{1 3}	12/77	137.2	138.4	.3	3.8	.6	-.3	2.1	.1
Lamb and organ meats ^{1 3}	12/77	137.8	141.8	1.7	-2.3	7.1	.0	-.3	3.5
Poultry ¹		215.7	218.7	.6	5.5	3.2	.4	3.0	1.8
Fresh whole chicken ¹		213.0	217.5	7.1	7.1	.0	1.9	7.1	.9
Fresh and frozen chicken parts ¹	12/77	141.7	143.0	-3.1	4.4	3.8	4.6	.6	4.2
Other poultry ¹	12/77	139.6	140.7	-3.7	4.1	7.6	-6.8	.1	.1
Fish and seafood		432.2	441.5	9.2	13.2	2.4	17.3	11.2	9.6
Canned fish and seafood ¹	12/77	134.7	134.4	-5.6	5.2	.3	1.5	-.3	.9
Fresh and frozen fish and seafood	12/77	182.0	187.9	18.9	17.5	2.3	24.2	18.2	12.7
Eggs		180.8	177.1	58.1	11.6	-21.8	.7	32.9	-11.3

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1967=100, unless otherwise noted)

Group and item	Other index base	Seasonally adjusted indexes		Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for—					
		Apr. 1986	May 1986	3 months ending in—				6 months ending in—	
				Aug. 1985	Nov. 1985	Feb. 1986	May 1986	Nov. 1985	May 1986
Dairy products ¹		256.8	257.1	-1.5	-0.5	0.3	-0.3	-1.0	0.0
Fresh milk and cream.....	12/77	137.6	138.1	-1.1	-2.8	-2.9	1.8	-2.0	-6
Fresh whole milk.....		224.7	225.7	-1.0	-2.9	-3.0	1.6	-2.0	-7
Other fresh milk and cream ¹	12/77	138.2	138.8	-2.5	-2.0	.0	.9	-2.3	.4
Processed dairy products ¹	12/77	155.5	155.5	-1.0	2.1	1.3	-8	.5	.3
Cheese ¹	12/77	150.8	150.5	.5	1.6	-1.8	-8	1.1	-1.3
Ice cream and related products ¹	12/77	164.0	163.9	-3.2	2.0	6.3	-2.4	-6	1.9
Other dairy products including butter ^{1 2}	12/77	156.6	157.5	-2.0	3.1	2.8	.8	.5	1.8
Other dairy products ^{1 3}	12/77	157.9	159.2	-3.6	5.6	5.5	3.6	.9	4.5
Butter ^{1 3}		260.2	260.7	-.6	.6	-.3	-2.6	.0	-1.4
Fruits and vegetables.....		325.6	331.9	-4.6	5.5	-15.0	26.1	.3	3.5
Fresh fruits and vegetables.....		343.0	354.7	-9.0	10.0	-22.3	55.8	.1	10.0
Fresh fruits.....		370.9	379.1	-21.5	2.1	7.3	20.8	-10.5	13.8
Apples.....		352.0	368.4	-13.1	26.0	25.0	15.1	4.7	19.9
Bananas.....		297.3	306.8	-5.6	-11.5	33.9	74.3	-8.6	52.8
Oranges.....		412.2	424.4	-64.4	1.7	17.2	2.3	-39.8	9.5
Other fresh fruits.....	12/77	195.9	198.4	1.0	4.2	-3.3	12.6	2.6	4.4
Fresh vegetables.....		315.7	334.7	9.1	14.8	-39.5	89.2	11.9	7.0
Potatoes.....		271.2	263.5	-49.5	-3.0	-18.5	-17.8	-30.0	-18.1
Lettuce ¹		392.9	414.6	63.8	-20.3	-14.6	247.3	14.3	72.3
Tomatoes ¹		279.3	301.4	-21.4	154.2	-11.6	58.8	41.4	18.5
Other fresh vegetables.....	12/77	173.8	189.4	44.9	17.8	-50.0	90.6	30.7	-2.4
Processed fruits and vegetables ¹		309.7	309.2	2.4	-4.2	-2.4	-3.0	-1.0	-2.7
Processed fruits.....	12/77	162.5	162.7	3.1	1.2	-8.5	-6.4	2.2	-8.0
Fruit juices and frozen fruit ²	12/77	162.3	161.3	3.6	-1.4	-12.4	-11.1	1.1	-11.7
Frozen fruit and fruit juices ³	12/77	151.9	150.2	3.5	-3.2	-25.4	-21.4	.1	-23.4
Fruit juices other than frozen ³	12/77	168.5	169.7	5.3	.9	-3.4	-2.6	3.1	-3.0
Canned and dried fruits ¹	12/77	163.7	164.9	6.6	.0	.7	.7	3.2	.7
Processed vegetables ¹	12/77	147.5	147.4	2.5	-5.0	1.4	-.5	-1.3	.4
Frozen vegetables ¹	12/77	162.2	162.2	4.5	-2.7	2.2	-1.0	.9	.6
Other processed vegetables ^{1 2}	12/77	142.5	142.3	2.2	-6.2	1.4	-.8	-2.1	.3
Cut corn and canned beans except lima ^{1 3}	12/77	149.2	148.4	.8	-6.2	1.1	-1.3	-2.8	-1
Other canned and dried vegetables ^{1 3}	12/77	139.2	139.3	2.6	-6.1	1.4	-.3	-1.8	.6
Other foods at home.....		374.4	373.5	2.4	.8	12.3	-.1	1.6	5.9
Sugar and sweets ¹		411.4	411.2	4.3	-.4	7.4	2.8	1.9	4.9
Sugar and artificial sweeteners ¹	12/77	171.5	171.8	4.5	-8.1	11.6	-3.0	-2.0	4.1
Sweets including candy ²	12/77	171.4	170.8	4.5	5.7	5.3	1.9	5.1	3.6
Candy and chewing gum ³	12/77	172.5	172.1	5.2	4.9	7.8	1.9	5.1	4.8
Other sweets ^{1 3}	12/77	169.0	169.2	1.2	4.7	1.9	4.9	2.9	3.4
Fats and oils ¹		288.5	287.2	4.3	-8.6	-1.0	-5.6	-1.3	-3.3
Margarine ^{1 3}		299.3	298.3	10.0	-6.3	1.2	-7.3	1.5	-3.2
Nondairy substitutes and peanut butter ^{1 3}	12/77	159.1	159.0	.5	-.5	-2.0	.5	.0	-.8
Other fats, oils, and salad dressings ^{1 3}	12/77	145.6	145.2	2.7	-8.9	-1.9	-7.4	-3.3	-4.7
Nonalcoholic beverages.....		484.0	480.0	-2	.9	27.7	-1.6	.4	12.1
Carbonated drinks ²	12/77	155.8	154.5	-1.5	.8	6.1	-5.7	-.4	.0
Cola drinks, excluding diet cola ⁵		324.1	320.2	-3.2	1.0	8.2	-9.9	-1.1	-1.3
Carbonated drinks, including diet cola ⁵	12/77	163.0	152.8	1.1	1.1	3.8	1.3	1.1	2.5
Coffee ^{1 6}		528.4	522.2	-1.5	-1.2	172.6	11.8	-1.4	74.6
Roasted coffee ^{1 3}		532.1	523.5	-2.8	-3.1	257.9	7.0	-3.0	95.7
Freeze dried and instant coffee ^{1 3}		478.6	475.2	-.3	.5	108.7	16.9	.1	56.2
Other noncarbonated drinks.....	12/77	154.4	153.6	2.9	2.1	.3	-3.6	2.5	-1.7
Other prepared foods ¹		299.3	300.8	3.9	3.4	1.2	2.6	3.7	1.9
Canned and packaged soup.....	12/77	153.7	155.1	8.2	-.5	-1.0	4.0	3.7	1.4
Frozen prepared foods ¹	12/77	169.9	170.6	4.7	7.7	-1.6	3.8	6.2	1.1
Snacks ¹	12/77	174.8	175.0	.0	3.1	7.9	.2	1.5	4.0
Seasonings, condiments, sauces and spices ²	12/77	169.2	170.2	4.2	1.7	2.4	3.9	2.9	3.1
Seasonings, olives, pickles, and relish ³	12/77	171.6	171.9	.2	.7	1.9	4.8	.5	3.3
Other condiments ³	12/77	167.4	169.3	6.3	3.2	1.4	4.4	4.7	2.9
Other prepared foods, including									
miscellaneous and baby food ^{1 2}	12/77	160.0	160.3	1.5	.8	4.1	1.5	1.1	2.8
Miscellaneous prepared foods ^{1 3}	12/77	165.1	165.7	2.3	.0	6.9	3.7	1.1	5.3
Other canned and packaged prepared foods ³	12/77	154.1	154.7	1.0	2.6	-.5	-.5	1.8	-.5

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group and item	Other index base	Seasonally adjusted indexes		Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for—					
		Apr. 1986	May 1986	3 months ending in—				6 months ending in—	
				Aug. 1985	Nov. 1985	Feb. 1986	May 1986	Nov. 1985	May 1986
Food away from home		356.6	358.4	4.2	4.0	2.4	5.3	4.1	3.8
Lunch	12/77	171.9	172.9	3.9	4.9	2.6	4.8	4.4	3.7
Dinner	12/77	172.0	172.6	5.4	3.4	2.4	3.8	4.4	3.1
Other meals and snacks	12/77	175.9	177.1	4.1	3.8	3.0	6.3	3.9	4.7
Alcoholic beverages		238.8	238.9	2.7	14.5	2.7	1.0	8.4	1.9
Alcoholic beverages at home	12/77	151.9	151.9	3.1	13.8	2.1	.8	8.3	1.5
Beer and ale		239.7	239.8	4.9	1.2	1.5	1.0	3.0	1.3
Wine ¹		241.1	240.4	-1.2	1.4	6.6	.0	.1	3.2
Distilled spirits ^{1 2}	12/77	141.8	141.9	.9	43.5	1.4	.3	20.4	.9
Other alcoholic beverages ^{1 3}	12/77	139.4	139.2	3.2	45.9	.9	.9	22.7	.9
Whiskey ^{1 3}		170.1	170.4	-3	41.8	1.9	-2	18.9	.8
Alcoholic beverages away from home	12/77	172.9	173.5	3.7	14.6	5.5	2.8	9.0	4.2
Special indexes:									
Domestically produced farm food		281.4	284.2	-6	6.3	-5.9	4.5	2.8	-8
Selected beef cuts ¹		265.3	264.1	-10.7	14.9	1.6	-10.3	1.3	-4.5
Imported food and fishery products ⁴	12/77	153.3	153.3	2.2	3.1	18.8	4.0	2.7	11.2

¹ Not seasonally adjusted.

² New aggregate index. Monthly data for this series back to January 1978 are available from the Bureau of Labor Statistics.

³ After December 1986, this index series, as a result of changes in the CPI classification structure effective in January 1987, will be published only as a special sub-strata index based upon a substantially smaller sample.

⁴ This index series will not be published after December 1986.

⁵ Index coverage will be redefined effective January 1987. The current definition will not be published after December 1986.

⁶ New aggregate index. Monthly data for this series back to January 1967 are available from the Bureau of Labor Statistics.

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

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

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group and item	Other index base	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to May 1986 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Apr. 1986	May 1986	May 1985	Apr. 1986	Feb. to Mar.	Mar. to Apr.	Apr. to May
Housing		358.0	358.5	2.9	0.1	0.2	0.3	-0.1
Shelter		400.1	400.9	5.6	.2	.6	.9	.1
Renters' costs	12/82	120.9	121.1	5.8	.2	.5	1.1	.1
Rent, residential ¹		277.9	278.4	6.0	.2	.6	1.2	.1
Other renters' costs		410.8	411.3	3.7	.1	.0	.3	.1
Lodging while out of town		434.2	434.7	2.6	.1	.3	.2	-.3
Lodging while at school ¹	12/82	120.7	120.7	5.9	.0	.0	.0	.0
Tenants' insurance ¹	12/77	177.7	178.4	5.7	.4	.4	.3	.4
Homeowners' costs	12/82	118.7	118.9	5.8	.2	.9	.8	.2
Owners' equivalent rent	12/82	118.7	118.9	5.7	.2	.9	.8	.1
Household insurance ¹	12/82	118.3	118.8	6.1	.4	.5	.3	.4
Maintenance and repairs ¹		367.6	367.1	.2	-.1	-3.2	.0	-.1
Maintenance and repair services ¹		424.6	425.5	2.3	.2	-2.4	.5	.2
Maintenance and repair commodities ¹		264.5	262.9	-2.3	-.6	-4.2	-.6	-.6
Paint and wallpaper, supplies, tools, and equipment ^{1 2}	12/77	154.5	152.9	-5.1	-1.0	-6.6	-.9	-1.0
Lumber, awnings, glass, and masonry ^{1 2}	12/77	130.8	131.1	2.8	.2	.3	-.1	.2
Plumbing, electrical, heating, and cooling supplies ^{1 2}	12/77	147.6	149.3	.1	1.2	.0	-1.4	1.2
Miscellaneous supplies and equipment	12/77	145.8	145.1	1.1	-.5	-.1	.1	-.5
Fuel and other utilities		381.8	382.5	-2.7	.2	-1.0	-.7	-.9
Fuels		459.6	460.6	-6.0	.2	-1.6	-1.3	-1.3
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas		518.3	496.8	-20.0	-4.1	-5.7	-4.0	-4.4
Fuel oil		508.4	484.6	-22.7	-4.7	-6.5	-4.6	-5.1
Other fuels	6/78	187.6	184.6	-4.3	-1.6	-2.3	-1.5	-1.3
Gas (piped) and electricity		439.2	444.6	-2.2	1.2	-.6	-.7	-.6
Electricity		358.5	357.8	-.2	-.2	-.5	-.9	-.9
Utility (piped) gas		551.7	569.8	-4.9	3.3	-.7	-.4	-.1
Other utilities and public services ¹		251.3	251.5	6.2	.1	.4	.9	.1
Telephone services ¹		203.5	203.5	6.3	.0	.4	1.1	.0
Local charges ¹	12/77	187.3	187.3	11.7	.0	.7	1.8	.0
Interstate toll calls ¹	12/77	111.8	111.8	-4.3	.0	.0	.0	.0
Intrastate toll calls ¹	12/77	125.1	125.2	1.0	.1	.1	-.2	.1
Water and sewerage maintenance ¹		415.1	416.5	5.7	.3	.6	.5	.3
Cable television ¹	12/83	115.2	115.2	4.6	.0	.4	-.1	.0
Refuse collection ¹	12/83	116.8	117.1	7.6	.3	.2	.6	.3
Household furnishings and operation		249.6	249.9	.9	.1	.2	-.4	.3
Housefurnishings		200.4	200.8	-.2	.2	.3	-.9	.5
Textile housefurnishings		240.1	242.1	-.5	.8	.7	-1.4	.5
Household linens ³	12/77	140.4	141.8	-1.4	1.0	2.3	-1.7	-.4
Curtains, drapes, slipcovers, and sewing materials ^{1 3}	12/77	159.5	160.7	.5	.8	.2	-1.4	.8
Furniture and bedding		231.9	233.3	1.8	.6	.1	-2.3	1.3
Bedroom furniture ¹	12/77	169.3	171.6	5.8	1.4	4.2	-1.7	1.4
Sofas	12/77	124.4	124.2	.8	-.2	-.6	.0	.4
Living room chairs and tables ¹	12/77	130.3	131.0	3.4	.5	-1.7	1.3	.5
Other furniture	12/77	143.3	143.6	-3.0	.2	-3.4	-1.7	.6
Appliances including TV and sound equipment ¹		140.3	140.2	-2.7	-.1	.3	.3	-.1
Television and sound equipment ¹	12/77	94.0	93.6	-4.3	-.4	.1	.1	-.4
Television ¹		84.7	84.3	-5.7	-.5	-.4	.4	-.5
Sound equipment ¹	12/77	103.2	102.8	-3.1	-.4	.6	-.1	-.4
Household appliances ^{1 4}		183.6	184.2	-.9	.3	.4	.5	.3
Refrigerator and home freezer ¹		193.0	194.2	-.5	.6	.2	-.2	.6
Laundry equipment ¹	12/77	149.7	148.2	.7	-1.0	.6	-.6	-1.0
Other household appliances ^{1 4}	12/77	119.2	119.8	-1.5	.5	.4	1.0	.5
Stoves, dishwashers, vacuums, and sewing machines ^{1 4}	12/77	120.0	119.5	-2.8	-.4	2.3	1.7	-.4
Office machines, small electric appliances, and air conditioners ^{1 4}	12/77	118.7	120.2	-.4	1.3	-1.1	.4	1.3

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group and item	Other index base	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to May 1986 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Apr. 1986	May 1986	May 1985	Apr. 1986	Feb. to Mar.	Mar. to Apr.	Apr. to May
Housefurnishings—Continued:								
Other household equipment ¹	12/77	146.1	145.5	-0.1	-0.4	0.6	0.2	-0.4
Floor and window coverings, infants', laundry, cleaning, and outdoor equipment ¹	12/77	156.4	154.8	1.6	-1.0	1.5	1.2	-1.0
Clocks, lamps, and decor items ¹	12/77	137.1	136.3	-1.9	-6	3.4	1.1	-6
Tableware, serving pieces, and nonelectric kitchenware ¹	12/77	150.9	150.3	1.3	-4	-3	-3	-4
Lawn equipment, power tools, and other hardware ¹	12/77	136.4	136.7	-2.6	.2	-1.2	-7	.2
Housekeeping supplies		318.5	318.3	1.7	-1	-2	.1	.2
Laundry and cleaning products including soap ^{1 5}	12/77	168.5	168.4	3.7	-1.2	-7	.4	-1.2
Soaps and detergents ^{1 3}		325.1	322.0	4.1	-1.0	-1.1	.9	-1.0
Other laundry and cleaning products ^{1 3}	12/77	165.1	162.3	3.0	-1.7	-1	-2	-1.7
Household paper products and stationery supplies ^{1 5}	12/77	153.3	154.0	-5	.5	-3	-6	.5
Cleansing and toilet tissue, paper towels and napkins ^{1 3}	12/77	157.6	158.2	-2.5	.4	-3	-1.1	.4
Stationery, stationery supplies, and gift wrap ^{1 3}	12/77	148.6	149.5	1.9	.6	-2	.0	.6
Other household lawn and garden supplies ⁵	12/77	158.8	160.1	1.5	.8	.1	.7	.8
Miscellaneous household products ^{1 2}	12/77	165.9	166.9	1.9	.6	.8	.3	.6
Lawn and garden supplies ²	12/77	150.5	152.2	1.1	1.1	-9	.5	1.5
Housekeeping services ¹		345.4	345.8	2.3	.1	.2	.1	.1
Postage ¹		371.9	371.9	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0
Moving, storage, freight, household laundry, and drycleaning services ^{1 4}	12/77	191.9	192.1	5.3	.1	.0	.4	.1
Appliance and furniture repair ¹	12/77	161.6	161.8	3.3	.1	.1	.3	.1
Apparel and upkeep		207.3	206.4	.5	-4	-1	.3	-2
Apparel commodities		191.7	190.7	-2	-5	-2	.3	-3
Apparel commodities less footwear		188.4	187.2	-1	-6	-3	.3	-3
Men's and boys'		199.7	200.2	1.2	.3	-3	.2	.1
Men's	12/77	126.0	126.4	1.2	.3	-3	.2	.1
Suits, sport coats, coats, and jackets ⁵	12/77	115.0	114.4	2.5	-5	.9	.6	-3
Suits, sport coats, and jackets ³	12/77	120.0	119.7	3.8	-3	.9	.6	.1
Coats and jackets ³	12/77	100.4	99.1	-1.9	-1.3	.9	.1	-1.6
Furnishings and special clothing ¹	12/77	154.1	154.8	2.1	.5	-1.0	.0	.5
Shirts	12/77	132.2	134.0	.4	1.4	-6	.5	1.0
Dungarees, jeans, and trousers	12/77	117.3	118.0	-9	.6	-8	-3	.2
Boys'	12/77	128.8	128.7	1.2	-1	-2	.9	-1
Coats, jackets, sweaters, and shirts ³	12/77	123.0	123.5	1.1	.4	.4	1.2	.8
Furnishings ²	12/77	142.6	142.3	1.2	-2	-6	-6	-4
Suits, trousers, sport coats, and jackets ³	12/77	127.8	127.3	1.2	-4	-1.2	1.3	-4
Women's and girls'		168.0	164.9	-1.8	-1.8	-2	.2	-8
Women's	12/77	112.4	109.9	-1.8	-2.2	-3	.4	-9
Coats and jackets		157.1	148.2	-7.1	-5.7	-2.0	-8	-1.7
Dresses		177.1	172.6	-3.6	-2.5	-1.2	1.9	-2.6
Separates and sportswear	12/77	106.9	105.3	3.1	-1.5	1.0	.4	-5
Underwear, nightwear, and hosiery	12/77	142.2	140.7	-5	-1.1	.3	.1	-1.3
Suits	12/77	78.9	76.4	-7.5	-3.2	-1.2	2.1	3.8
Girls'	12/77	108.3	108.3	-2.2	.0	-2	-5	.3
Coats, jackets, dresses, and suits ³	12/77	97.1	96.3	-5.4	-8	-1.4	.3	1.1
Separates and sportswear ³	12/77	104.6	104.5	-2.3	-1	.9	-1.5	.5
Underwear, nightwear, hosiery, and accessories ²	12/77	133.5	134.9	2.0	1.0	-5	-1.1	.6
Infants' and toddlers ¹		316.6	318.5	6.8	.6	.5	1.1	.6
Other apparel commodities ¹		215.3	215.4	.1	.0	-7	.3	.0
Sewing materials and notions ^{1 4}	12/77	126.4	125.2	1.8	-9	1.7	-2	-9
Jewelry and luggage ^{1 4}	12/77	144.6	145.2	-5	.4	-1.6	.5	.4
Footwear		211.4	211.5	-8	.0	.2	.3	-3
Men's	12/77	141.8	142.0	1.6	.1	.0	.9	-1
Boys' and girls' ¹	12/77	134.2	133.3	-9	-7	1.4	.6	-7
Women's	12/77	124.0	124.6	-2.7	.5	-2	-6	.3
Apparel services		332.9	333.6	4.4	.2	.2	.3	.2
Laundry and dry cleaning other than coin operated	12/77	198.3	198.8	3.9	.3	.1	.3	.3
Other apparel services ¹	12/77	174.7	175.0	5.6	.2	.3	.7	.2

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1967=100, unless otherwise noted)

Group and item	Other index base	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to May 1986 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Apr. 1986	May 1986	May 1985	Apr. 1986	Feb. to Mar.	Mar. to Apr.	Apr. to May
Transportation		303.3	305.7	-4.9	0.8	-2.8	-2.5	0.3
Private		295.3	297.8	-5.8	.8	-3.1	-2.7	.3
New vehicles		221.0	222.8	4.0	.8	.3	.5	.9
New cars		221.2	223.0	4.0	.8	.2	.6	.8
New trucks and motorcycles ¹	12/83	108.9	109.8	4.5	.8	.2	.2	.8
Used cars		364.8	363.6	-5.4	-.3	-.7	-.8	-1.9
Motor fuel		279.5	289.3	-24.2	3.5	-11.9	-11.2	2.5
Gasoline		278.6	288.7	-24.3	3.6	-12.0	-11.3	2.5
Gasoline, leaded regular	1/76	151.8	159.1	-25.2	4.8	-13.3	-11.5	3.5
Gasoline, unleaded regular	1/76	158.6	164.4	-25.2	3.7	-12.1	-11.7	2.5
Gasoline, unleaded premium	8/81	75.6	76.7	-20.6	1.5	-9.4	-8.7	1.5
Automobile maintenance and repair		360.6	361.3	3.3	.2	.2	.6	.0
Body work ¹	12/77	184.2	185.7	4.0	.8	.4	1.0	.8
Automobile drive train, brake, and miscellaneous mechanical repair ¹	12/77	177.9	178.3	4.2	.2	.3	.9	.2
Maintenance and servicing ¹	12/77	161.2	161.6	2.3	.2	-.2	-.1	.2
Power plant repair	12/77	174.0	173.6	3.6	-.2	.3	.5	-.2
Other private transportation ¹		301.6	301.3	5.5	-.1	.8	.0	-.1
Other private transportation commodities ¹		202.2	202.4	.5	.1	.3	-.7	.1
Motor oil, coolant, and other products ¹	12/77	156.4	155.6	-.1	-.5	.4	-1.1	-.5
Automobile parts and equipment ¹	12/77	127.0	127.3	.6	.2	.3	-.6	.2
Tires ¹		170.7	171.4	.2	.4	.5	-1.1	.4
Other parts and equipment ¹	12/77	135.5	135.3	1.8	-.1	-.1	.5	-.1
Other private transportation services ¹		330.9	330.4	6.3	-.2	.8	.2	-.2
Automobile insurance ¹		399.4	400.8	13.2	.4	1.3	.8	.4
Automobile finance charges ¹	12/77	151.5	147.5	-9.7	-2.6	-.1	-1.8	-2.6
Automobile rental, registration, and other fees ¹	12/77	165.7	167.2	4.7	.9	.4	.2	.9
Automobile registration, license, and inspection fees ^{1 5}	12/77	154.2	154.3	1.6	.1	.0	.0	.1
State registration ^{1 3}		215.3	215.3	.3	.0	.0	.0	.0
Drivers' license ^{1 2}	12/77	174.3	174.3	5.8	.0	.0	.0	.0
Automobile inspection ^{1 2}	12/77	161.6	162.1	12.0	.3	.0	-.6	.3
Other automobile related fees ¹	12/77	183.8	187.4	9.0	2.0	.8	.6	2.0
Public transportation ¹		422.2	423.7	6.4	.4	-.2	.2	.4
Airline fare ¹		483.1	485.9	4.1	.6	-.7	.3	.6
Other intercity transportation ^{1 5}		220.1	221.3	12.1	.5	.9	1.1	.5
Intercity bus fare ^{1 2}		515.9	519.1	13.7	.6	1.1	1.2	.6
Intercity train fare ^{1 2}		406.6	407.9	5.4	.3	.0	.2	.3
Intracity public transportation ^{1 5}		203.8	203.9	6.3	.0	.1	.0	.0
Intracity mass transit ^{1 2}		379.7	380.0	9.3	.1	.1	.0	.1
Taxi fare ^{1 2}		326.9	326.9	3.0	.0	.2	.1	.0
Medical care		428.0	429.7	7.6	.4	1.0	.6	.6
Medical care commodities		271.3	272.3	6.7	.4	.6	.4	.3
Prescription drugs		274.9	276.4	8.5	.5	.8	.3	.7
Anti-infective drugs ^{1 2}	12/77	188.7	189.2	7.7	.3	.4	.9	.3
Tranquilizers and sedatives ²	12/77	256.3	257.9	9.9	.6	1.2	.6	.4
Circulatories and diuretics ^{1 2}	12/77	201.2	203.5	10.3	1.1	1.4	1.4	1.1
Hormones, diabetic drugs, biologicals, and prescription medical supplies ²	12/77	250.3	251.5	8.3	.5	.6	-.8	.5
Pain and symptom control drugs ^{1 2}	12/77	217.8	216.5	6.4	.3	1.0	.1	.3
Supplements, cough and cold preparations, and respiratory agents ²	12/77	201.9	202.7	8.5	.4	1.7	.2	.5
Nonprescription drugs and medical supplies ^{1 4}	12/77	178.5	178.9	5.0	.2	.3	.7	.2
Eyeglasses ^{1 2}	12/77	149.1	149.7	3.8	.4	.4	.5	.4
Internal and respiratory over-the-counter drugs ¹		294.7	295.1	5.2	.1	.1	.9	.1
Nonprescription medical equipment and supplies ¹	12/77	171.1	171.6	5.1	.3	1.0	.4	.3
Medical care services		462.3	464.2	7.7	.4	1.1	.7	.7
Professional services		386.9	388.3	6.5	.4	.9	.6	.5
Physicians' services		422.1	424.4	7.3	.5	1.1	.6	.6
Dental services ¹		363.6	365.1	5.6	.4	.9	.4	.4
Other professional services ^{1 2}	12/77	160.6	179.8	6.4	-.4	.5	.8	-.4
Other medical care services ²		553.5	555.9	6.7	.4	1.2	.8	.9
Hospital and other medical services ²	12/77	234.2	234.4	5.4	.1	.8	.6	.5
Hospital room		743.7	743.7	5.4	.0	1.2	.5	.4
Other hospital and medical care services ²	12/77	230.6	231.0	5.3	-.1	.1	.7	.5

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

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group and item	Other index base	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to May 1986 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Apr. 1986	May 1986	May 1985	Apr. 1986	Feb. to Mar.	Mar. to Apr.	Apr. to May
Entertainment		272.3	272.9	3.5	0.2	-0.1	0.1	0.4
Entertainment commodities		264.8	265.3	2.2	.2	-.3	-.1	.5
Reading materials ¹	12/77	181.4	182.1	5.1	.4	.6	.4	.4
Newspapers ¹		339.7	340.3	3.9	.2	.4	.5	.2
Magazines, periodicals, and books ¹	12/77	191.2	192.4	6.3	.6	.8	.4	.6
Sporting goods and equipment	12/77	140.1	139.8	-.1	-.2	-1.2	-1.2	.4
Sports vehicles, including bicycles ^{1 5}	12/77	146.0	145.5	.1	-.3	-.7	-1.3	-.3
Sport vehicles ^{1 2}	12/77	147.3	146.8	-.1	-.3	-1.0	-1.6	-.3
Bicycles ²		204.9	204.6	.8	-.1	.7	-.2	-.4
Other sporting goods ^{1 5}	12/77	123.9	124.0	-.8	.1	-1.2	-.3	.1
Indoor and warm weather sport equipment ^{1 2}	12/77	116.4	116.4	-.3	.0	-.7	.3	.0
Other sporting goods and equipment ²	12/77	128.8	128.9	-1.1	.1	-1.4	-.7	.1
Toys, hobbies, and other entertainment	12/77	145.2	145.6	1.7	.3	-.3	.2	.3
Toys, hobbies, and music equipment	12/77	139.6	140.3	1.2	.5	-.9	-.3	.5
Photographic supplies and equipment	12/77	140.6	141.2	3.5	.4	.0	.9	.2
Pet supplies and expense ¹	12/77	158.7	158.3	1.5	-.3	.1	.3	-.3
Entertainment services ¹		283.5	284.2	5.3	.2	.0	.5	.2
Fees for participant sports ^{1 4}	12/77	177.8	177.9	5.7	.1	.2	.6	.1
Admissions ¹	12/77	167.1	168.1	4.1	.6	.1	-.5	.6
Other entertainment services ^{1 4}	12/77	146.7	147.3	5.3	.4	-.3	1.2	.4
Other goods and services		341.8	342.1	6.1	.1	.4	.4	.4
Tobacco products ¹		346.5	346.5	6.9	.0	.3	.3	.0
Cigarettes ^{1 2}		356.7	356.8	7.2	.0	.3	.2	.0
Other tobacco products and smoking accessories ²	12/77	173.1	172.9	4.2	-.1	.3	.2	.1
Personal care ¹		290.5	290.9	3.6	.1	.4	.1	.1
Toilet goods and personal care appliances ¹		287.7	287.9	3.7	.1	.5	.1	.1
Other toilet goods and small appliances, including hair and dental products ^{1 5}	12/77	168.7	168.7	3.6	.0	.6	.1	.0
Products for the hair, hairpieces, and wigs ^{1 3}	12/77	162.2	161.7	3.4	-.3	.4	-.3	-.3
Dental and shaving products ^{1 2}	12/77	184.2	183.8	4.8	-.2	1.1	.5	-.2
Other toilet goods and small personal care appliances ^{1 2}	12/77	162.5	163.6	2.4	.7	.4	.1	.7
Cosmetics, bath and nail preparations								
manicure and eye makeup implements ¹	12/77	163.5	163.9	4.3	.2	.1	.3	.2
Personal care services ¹		294.1	294.7	3.4	.2	.3	.0	.2
Beauty parlor services for females ¹		296.9	297.3	3.2	.1	.3	.1	.1
Haircuts and other barber shop services for males ¹	12/77	163.6	164.1	3.9	.3	.4	-.1	.3
Personal and educational expenses		418.9	419.5	8.0	.1	.5	.7	.9
School books and supplies		374.4	374.5	8.7	.0	.8	.6	.7
Personal and educational services		429.5	430.2	7.9	.2	.5	.8	.9
Tuition and other school fees	12/77	218.5	218.5	8.4	.0	.7	.7	.7
College tuition	12/77	218.7	218.7	8.5	.0	.8	.6	.8
Elementary and high school tuition	12/77	217.5	217.5	8.0	.0	.8	.7	.8
Personal expenses ¹	12/77	227.7	229.6	5.8	.8	.2	1.2	.8
Special indexes:								
Motor fuel, motor oil, coolant and other products		277.9	287.3	-23.8	3.4	-11.7	-11.0	2.4
Utilities and public transportation		368.1	370.9	1.6	.8	-.5	.0	-.2
Housekeeping and home maintenance services ¹		390.0	390.5	2.3	.1	-.2	.2	.1

¹ Not seasonally adjusted.

² This index series will not be published after December 1986.

³ After December 1986, this index series, as a result of changes in the CPI classification structure effective in January 1987, will be published only as a special sub-strata index based upon a substantially smaller sample.

⁴ Index coverage will be redefined effective January 1987. The current definition will not be published after December 1986.

⁵ New aggregate index. Monthly data for this series back to January 1978 are available from the Bureau of Labor Statistics.

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

Table 6. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Nonfood expenditure categories, seasonally adjusted, U.S. city average

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group and item	Other index base	Seasonally adjusted indexes		Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for—					
		Apr. 1986	May 1986	3 months ending in—				6 months ending in—	
				Aug. 1985	Nov. 1985	Feb. 1986	May 1986	Nov. 1985	May 1986
Housing		358.5	358.2	3.8	4.0	1.8	1.6	3.9	1.7
Shelter		400.7	401.0	6.0	5.5	4.5	6.4	5.8	5.5
Renters' costs	12/82	121.1	121.2	5.7	6.7	3.4	6.9	6.2	5.1
Rent, residential ¹		278.5	278.7	5.6	7.1	3.9	7.5	6.3	5.7
Other renters' costs		410.8	411.3	8.1	3.8	1.1	1.9	5.9	1.5
Lodging while out of town		432.5	431.3	9.6	6.1	-5.3	.8	7.8	-2.3
Lodging while at school ¹	12/82	120.7	120.7	2.5	23.0	-3	.0	12.3	-.2
Tenants' insurance ¹	12/77	177.7	178.4	3.1	6.0	9.3	4.4	4.6	6.8
Homeowners' costs	12/82	118.9	119.1	6.2	5.0	4.6	7.4	5.6	6.0
Owners' equivalent rent	12/82	118.9	119.0	6.2	5.0	4.6	7.0	5.6	5.8
Household insurance ¹	12/82	118.3	118.8	3.6	5.4	10.5	4.9	4.5	7.7
Maintenance and repairs ¹		367.6	367.1	4.9	2.3	7.6	-12.5	3.6	-3.0
Maintenance and repair services ¹		424.6	425.5	9.0	1.2	6.1	-6.6	5.1	-.4
Maintenance and repair commodities ¹		264.5	262.9	.0	3.5	9.6	-19.8	1.7	-6.2
Paint and wallpaper, supplies, tools, and equipment ^{1,2}	12/77	154.5	152.9	-2.9	4.3	14.1	-29.7	.6	-10.5
Lumber, awnings, glass, and masonry ^{1,2}	12/77	130.8	131.1	.6	1.9	7.0	1.9	1.3	4.4
Plumbing, electrical, heating, and cooling supplies ^{1,2}	12/77	147.6	149.3	-.3	.5	1.1	-1.1	.1	.0
Miscellaneous supplies and equipment	12/77	145.8	145.1	2.8	1.1	2.8	-2.2	2.0	.3
Fuel and other utilities		385.7	382.3	.8	1.8	-3.0	-9.9	1.3	-6.5
Fuels		465.3	459.3	-3.6	1.5	-5.3	-15.8	-1.1	-10.7
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas		520.9	497.8	-8.6	22.1	-34.4	-44.1	5.6	-39.4
Fuel oil		511.5	485.6	-10.2	25.9	-38.9	-48.4	6.3	-43.9
Other fuels	6/78	187.4	185.0	.2	3.4	-.4	-18.7	1.8	-10.0
Gas (piped) and electricity		445.6	443.1	-2.2	-3.5	4.7	-7.3	-2.8	-1.5
Electricity		366.6	363.2	.6	1.2	7.3	-9.1	.9	-1.3
Utility (piped) gas		559.5	559.2	-5.8	.7	-.7	-4.7	-7.7	-2.0
Other utilities and public services ¹		251.3	251.5	13.1	2.8	3.3	5.9	7.8	4.6
Telephone services ¹		203.5	203.5	15.2	2.4	1.8	6.3	8.6	4.1
Local charges ¹	12/77	187.3	187.3	30.4	4.1	3.8	10.5	16.5	7.1
Interstate toll calls ¹	12/77	111.8	111.8	-15.8	-.4	.0	.0	-8.4	.0
Intrastate toll calls ¹	12/77	125.1	125.2	8.0	.3	-3.4	-.3	4.1	-1.9
Water and sewerage maintenance ¹		415.1	416.5	9.1	2.5	5.2	5.9	5.8	5.6
Cable television ¹	12/83	115.2	115.2	6.3	1.8	9.2	1.4	4.0	5.2
Refuse collection ¹	12/83	116.8	117.1	6.8	7.4	12.2	4.2	7.1	8.2
Household furnishings and operation		248.6	249.3	1.1	2.1	.3	.3	1.6	.3
Housefurnishings		199.0	200.0	-.6	1.0	-1.0	-.2	.2	-.6
Textile housefurnishings		239.1	240.4	-2.5	3.0	-1.6	-.5	.2	-1.1
Household linens ³	12/77	140.7	140.1	-6.1	8.2	-7.4	.3	.8	-3.6
Curtains, drapes, slipcovers, and sewing materials ^{1,3}	12/77	159.5	160.7	-1.7	-2.7	8.6	-1.7	-2.2	3.3
Furniture and bedding		228.7	231.7	4.8	3.7	2.4	-3.4	4.3	-.5
Bedroom furniture ¹	12/77	169.3	171.6	-.7	15.1	-5.8	16.4	6.9	4.7
Sofas	12/77	123.2	123.7	2.3	-1.9	3.6	-1.0	.2	1.3
Living room chairs and tables ¹	12/77	130.3	131.0	-.3	18.9	-4.2	.6	8.9	-1.8
Other furniture	12/77	141.0	141.8	6.4	-.8	1.1	-16.9	2.8	-8.3
Appliances including TV and sound equipment ¹		140.3	140.2	-5.2	-4.7	-2.8	2.0	-4.9	-.4
Television and sound equipment ¹	12/77	94.0	93.6	-7.2	-6.1	-2.9	-.9	-6.6	-1.9
Television ¹		84.7	84.3	-10.7	-8.0	-1.9	-1.9	-9.4	-1.9
Sound equipment ¹	12/77	103.2	102.8	-4.4	-4.5	-3.8	.4	-4.5	-1.7
Household appliances ^{1,4}		183.6	184.2	-3.0	-3.2	-2.4	5.2	-3.1	1.3
Refrigerator and home freezer ¹		193.0	194.2	-3.2	-4.1	3.0	2.5	-3.7	2.7
Laundry equipment ¹	12/77	149.7	148.2	.0	4.7	2.4	-3.9	2.3	-.8
Other household appliances ^{1,4}	12/77	119.2	119.8	-3.6	-4.9	-4.9	8.1	-4.2	1.3
Stoves, dishwashers, vacuums, and sewing machines ^{1,4}	12/77	120.0	119.5	-8.5	.3	-15.3	15.0	-4.2	-1.3
Office machines, small electric appliances, and air conditioners ^{1,4}	12/77	118.7	120.2	.7	-8.9	4.8	2.4	-4.3	3.6

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 6. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Nonfood expenditure categories, seasonally adjusted, U.S. city average—Continued

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group and item	Other index base	Seasonally adjusted indexes		Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for—					
		Apr. 1986	May 1986	3 months ending in—				6 months ending in—	
				Aug. 1985	Nov. 1985	Feb. 1986	May 1986	Nov. 1985	May 1986
Housefurnishings—Continued:									
Other household equipment ¹	12/77	146.1	145.5	-4.1	3.1	-0.5	1.4	-0.5	0.4
Floor and window coverings, infants', laundry, cleaning, and outdoor equipment ¹	12/77	156.4	154.8	-6.4	6.6	-3	7.0	-1	3.3
Clocks, lamps, and decor items ¹	12/77	137.1	136.3	-9.4	9.2	-19.5	16.5	-6	-3.2
Tableware, serving pieces, and nonelectric kitchenware ¹	12/77	150.9	150.3	1.1	-2.7	11.6	-4.1	-8	3.4
Lawn equipment, power tools, and other hardware ¹	12/77	136.4	136.7	-4.8	3.5	-2.3	-6.5	-7	-4.4
Housekeeping supplies		317.2	317.7	2.6	4.3	.0	.1	3.4	.1
Laundry and cleaning products including soap ^{1 5}	12/77	168.5	166.4	3.5	6.8	10.9	-5.8	5.2	2.2
Soaps and detergents ^{1 3}		325.1	322.0	2.1	6.9	13.3	-4.8	4.4	3.8
Other laundry and cleaning products ^{1 3}	12/77	165.1	162.3	5.7	6.7	8.1	-7.5	6.2	.0
Household paper products and stationery supplies ^{1 5}	12/77	153.3	154.0	-8	1.0	-8	-1.5	.1	-1.2
Cleansing and toilet tissue, paper towels and napkins ^{1 3}	12/77	157.6	158.2	-3.9	-2	-2.0	-3.9	-2.1	-3.0
Stationery, stationery supplies, and gift wrap ^{1 3}	12/77	148.6	149.5	3.0	2.5	.5	1.6	2.7	1.1
Other household lawn and garden supplies ⁵	12/77	157.7	159.0	2.1	6.2	-8.2	6.8	4.1	-1.0
Miscellaneous household products ^{1 2}	12/77	165.9	166.9	.2	3.5	-2.9	7.0	1.8	1.9
Lawn and garden supplies ²	12/77	148.4	150.7	1.9	8.3	-9.6	4.9	5.0	-2.6
Housekeeping services ¹		345.4	345.8	3.2	2.4	2.1	1.5	2.8	1.8
Postage ¹		371.9	371.9	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0
Moving, storage, freight, household laundry, and drycleaning services ^{1 4}	12/77	191.9	192.1	9.3	5.9	4.3	1.9	7.6	3.1
Appliance and furniture repair ¹	12/77	161.6	161.8	5.2	2.8	3.0	2.3	4.0	2.6
Apparel and upkeep		206.9	206.5	1.2	4.9	-3.4	-2	3.0	-1.8
Apparel commodities		191.2	190.7	.4	5.1	-5.1	-8	2.7	-3.0
Apparel commodities less footwear		187.8	187.3	.6	5.2	-4.5	-1.3	2.9	-2.9
Men's and boys'		199.7	199.8	2.2	3.7	-8	.0	3.0	-4
Men's	12/77	125.9	126.0	1.0	3.6	.3	-3	2.3	.0
Suits, sport coats, coats, and jackets ⁵	12/77	115.0	114.6	.4	5.1	.0	4.7	2.7	2.3
Suits, sport coats, and jackets ³	12/77	119.5	119.6	1.0	7.1	.7	6.6	4.0	3.6
Coats and jackets ³	12/77	101.7	100.1	-3.5	.0	-1.6	-2.4	-1.8	-2.0
Furnishings and special clothing ¹	12/77	154.1	154.8	9.3	9.1	-6.9	-2.0	9.2	-4.5
Shirts	12/77	132.2	133.5	-2.4	5.6	-4.7	3.7	1.5	-6
Dungarees, jeans, and trousers	12/77	116.9	117.1	-3.3	-1.4	5.2	-3.7	-2.4	.7
Boys'	12/77	129.2	129.1	2.5	6.1	-6.0	2.5	4.3	-1.8
Coats, jackets, sweaters, and shirts ³	12/77	123.1	124.1	4.6	11.4	-18.9	10.3	8.0	-5.4
Furnishings ²	12/77	142.3	141.7	5.8	-8	6.7	-6.2	2.4	.0
Suits, trousers, sport coats, and jackets ³	12/77	128.6	128.1	-1.3	5.2	2.2	-1.2	1.9	.5
Women's and girls'		167.2	165.9	-2.6	10.6	-11.1	-3.1	3.8	-7.2
Women's	12/77	111.6	110.6	-2.5	11.6	-11.6	-3.2	4.3	-7.5
Coats and jackets		156.8	154.2	-8.8	34.3	-27.0	-16.7	10.6	-22.0
Dresses		175.0	170.4	-15.3	23.5	-10.9	-7.4	2.3	-9.2
Separates and sportswear	12/77	106.5	106.0	7.2	5.1	-3.7	3.9	6.1	.0
Underwear, nightwear, and hosiery	12/77	141.8	139.9	-2.3	5.3	-6	-3.9	1.4	-2.2
Suits	12/77	78.4	81.4	8.9	-2.2	-42.7	20.5	3.2	-16.9
Girls'	12/77	108.3	108.6	1.8	1.1	-9.6	-1.5	1.4	-5.6
Coats, jackets, dresses, and suits ³	12/77	97.4	98.5	-4	-4	-19.2	.0	-4	-10.1
Separates and sportswear ³	12/77	104.0	104.5	-6.9	7.8	-8.7	-8	.2	-4.8
Underwear, nightwear, hosiery, and accessories ²	12/77	133.4	134.2	6.5	1.8	4.2	-4.1	4.1	.0
Infants' and toddlers ¹		316.6	318.5	3.1	8.8	6.1	9.2	5.9	7.6
Other apparel commodities ¹		215.3	215.4	4.5	-4.7	2.3	-1.3	-2	.5
Sewing materials and notions ^{1 4}	12/77	126.4	125.2	.7	3.6	.6	2.3	2.1	1.5
Jewelry and luggage ^{1 4}	12/77	144.6	145.2	5.9	-7.4	2.8	-2.7	-1.0	.0
Footwear		210.8	210.2	.0	3.4	-7.5	1.1	1.7	-3.2
Men's	12/77	141.5	141.3	2.0	4.1	-2.5	2.9	3.0	.1
Boys' and girls' ¹	12/77	134.2	133.3	-5.0	5.2	-8.6	5.6	.0	-1.8
Women's	12/77	123.0	123.4	-1.3	5.8	-12.7	-1.9	2.2	-7.5
Apparel services		332.2	332.9	5.8	4.0	5.0	3.1	4.9	4.0
Laundry and dry cleaning other than coin operated	12/77	197.7	198.2	4.5	4.6	4.0	2.5	4.6	3.2
Other apparel services ¹	12/77	174.7	175.0	8.7	2.4	6.3	5.2	5.5	5.7

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Table 6. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Nonfood expenditure categories, seasonally adjusted, U.S. city average —Continued

(1967=100, unless otherwise noted)

Group and item	Other index base	Seasonally adjusted indexes		Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for—					
		Apr. 1986	May 1986	3 months ending in—				6 months ending in—	
				Aug. 1985	Nov. 1985	Feb. 1986	May 1986	Nov. 1985	May 1986
Transportation		304.0	304.9	-0.5	3.5	-2.1	-18.5	1.5	-10.7
Private		296.2	297.0	-1.0	3.2	-3.1	-20.0	1.1	-11.9
New vehicles		220.8	222.8	2.3	4.3	2.8	6.9	3.3	4.8
New cars		221.2	223.0	2.3	3.8	3.3	6.5	3.0	4.9
New trucks and motorcycles ¹	12/83	108.9	109.8	-4	9.5	4.2	4.9	4.4	4.5
Used cars		369.2	362.2	-9.3	.1	1.5	-12.8	-4.7	-5.9
Motor fuel		279.5	286.4	-3	.0	-19.8	-58.7	-2	-42.4
Gasoline		278.6	285.6	-1	-4	-19.5	-59.0	-3	-42.5
Gasoline, leaded regular	1/76	152.1	157.4	.2	.4	-21.7	-60.2	.3	-44.2
Gasoline, unleaded regular	1/76	158.6	162.6	.0	-9	-21.3	-60.0	-5	-43.9
Gasoline, unleaded premium	8/81	75.6	78.7	-8	-4.1	-15.7	-50.4	-2.5	-35.4
Automobile maintenance and repair		361.3	361.3	2.9	3.9	3.3	3.2	3.4	3.2
Body work ¹	12/77	184.2	185.7	4.6	4.3	-2.2	9.6	4.4	3.5
Automobile drive train, brake, and miscellaneous mechanical repair ¹	12/77	177.9	178.3	.0	6.2	4.7	6.1	3.1	5.4
Maintenance and servicing ¹	12/77	161.2	161.6	1.3	3.6	5.1	-5	2.4	2.3
Power plant repair	12/77	174.2	173.9	5.6	3.8	2.8	2.3	4.7	2.6
Other private transportation ¹		301.6	301.3	3.0	8.9	7.4	2.8	5.9	5.1
Other private transportation commodities ¹		202.2	202.4	3.0	-2.3	2.6	-1.0	.3	.8
Motor oil, coolant, and other products ¹	12/77	156.4	155.6	5.2	-3	.0	-5.0	2.5	-2.5
Automobile parts and equipment ¹	12/77	127.0	127.3	2.6	-2.5	2.9	-3	.0	1.3
Tires ¹		170.7	171.4	2.1	-2.3	1.6	-7	-1	.5
Other parts and equipment ¹	12/77	135.5	135.3	4.0	-3.2	5.8	.9	.3	3.3
Other private transportation services ¹		330.9	330.4	3.0	10.9	8.2	3.5	6.9	5.8
Automobile insurance ¹		399.4	400.8	9.1	17.3	16.5	10.0	13.1	13.2
Automobile finance charges ¹	12/77	151.5	147.5	-14.1	2.3	-9.3	-16.5	-6.3	-13.0
Automobile rental, registration, and other fees ¹	12/77	165.7	167.2	6.4	2.2	4.0	6.2	4.3	5.1
Automobile registration, license, and inspection fees ^{1 5}	12/77	154.2	154.3	7.9	-1.8	.5	.3	2.9	.4
State registration ^{1 3}		215.3	215.3	7.9	-5.9	-2	.0	.7	-1
Drivers' license ^{1 2}	12/77	174.3	174.3	6.2	17.5	.2	.0	11.7	.1
Automobile inspection ^{1 2}	12/77	161.6	162.1	17.6	32.9	1.7	-1.0	25.0	.4
Other automobile related fees ¹	12/77	183.8	187.4	4.7	8.3	8.8	14.2	6.5	11.5
Public transportation ¹		422.2	423.7	5.4	9.3	9.4	1.4	7.4	5.4
Airline fare ¹		483.1	485.9	1.6	15.9	-1.1	.8	8.5	-1
Other intercity transportation ^{1 5}		220.1	221.3	12.1	6.0	20.2	10.4	9.0	15.2
Intercity bus fare ^{1 2}		515.9	519.1	13.5	7.7	21.7	12.4	10.6	17.0
Intercity train fare ^{1 2}		406.6	407.9	6.0	.3	13.2	2.4	3.1	7.7
Intracity public transportation ^{1 5}		203.8	203.9	9.5	2.3	22.1	.8	5.8	10.9
Intracity mass transit ^{1 2}		379.7	380.0	10.6	2.0	25.5	.8	6.3	12.5
Taxi fare ^{1 2}		326.9	326.9	2.8	3.7	4.3	1.2	3.2	2.7
Medical care		427.2	429.8	7.0	6.4	7.4	9.2	6.7	8.3
Medical care commodities		270.5	271.2	7.9	6.0	7.8	5.0	7.0	6.4
Prescription drugs		273.5	275.3	9.8	7.0	10.2	7.3	8.4	8.7
Anti-infective drugs ^{1 2}	12/77	188.7	189.2	10.7	8.9	5.3	6.1	9.8	5.7
Tranquilizers and sedatives ²	12/77	254.5	255.6	11.7	3.6	15.4	9.3	7.5	12.3
Circulatories and diuretics ^{1 2}	12/77	201.2	203.5	8.3	7.0	9.5	16.7	7.6	13.0
Hormones, diabetic drugs, biologicals, and prescription medical supplies ²	12/77	248.8	250.0	10.4	10.7	11.1	1.0	10.6	5.9
Pain and symptom control drugs ^{1 2}	12/77	217.8	218.5	5.0	3.9	11.1	5.9	4.4	8.5
Supplements, cough and cold preparations, and respiratory agents ²	12/77	200.3	201.3	11.0	7.1	6.3	9.9	9.0	8.1
Nonprescription drugs and medical supplies ^{1 4}	12/77	178.5	178.9	5.8	3.8	5.1	5.3	4.7	5.2
Eyeglasses ^{1 2}	12/77	149.1	149.7	3.7	4.2	1.9	5.5	3.9	3.7
Internal and respiratory over-the-counter drugs ¹		294.7	295.1	6.4	3.8	6.0	4.7	5.1	5.4
Nonprescription medical equipment and supplies ¹	12/77	171.1	171.6	5.0	3.7	5.1	6.8	4.3	6.0
Medical care services		461.6	464.7	6.7	6.5	7.6	10.2	6.6	8.9
Professional services		386.5	388.3	6.3	8.8	5.1	8.1	6.5	6.6
Physicians' services		421.3	424.0	7.4	7.3	4.9	9.8	7.3	7.3
Dental services ¹		363.6	365.1	5.5	4.5	5.5	6.7	5.0	6.1
Other professional services ^{1 2}	12/77	180.6	179.8	5.6	12.5	4.1	3.6	8.9	3.9
Other medical care services ²		552.9	557.6	7.2	6.3	9.5	11.9	6.7	10.7
Hospital and other medical services ²	12/77	234.2	235.3	4.0	2.9	7.2	7.5	3.4	7.4
Hospital room		744.4	747.4	3.1	2.5	7.3	8.8	2.8	8.0
Other hospital and medical care services ²	12/77	230.6	231.7	5.2	3.1	7.9	5.4	4.1	6.6

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 6. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Nonfood expenditure categories, seasonally adjusted, U.S. city average—Continued

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group and item	Other index base	Seasonally adjusted indexes		Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for—					
		Apr. 1986	May 1986	3 months ending in—				6 months ending in—	
				Aug. 1985	Nov. 1985	Feb. 1986	May 1986	Nov. 1985	May 1986
Entertainment		272.0	273.1	3.2	4.9	4.7	1.6	4.1	3.1
Entertainment commodities		264.0	265.3	1.7	5.2	1.7	.6	3.4	1.1
Reading materials ¹	12/77	181.4	182.1	5.7	3.9	5.1	5.7	4.8	5.4
Newspapers ¹		339.7	340.3	.9	7.0	3.8	4.1	3.9	3.9
Magazines, periodicals, and books ¹	12/77	191.2	192.4	10.6	.9	6.4	7.6	5.6	7.0
Sporting goods and equipment	12/77	139.3	139.8	.9	7.0	.3	-7.9	3.9	-3.9
Sports vehicles, including bicycles ^{1 5}	12/77	146.0	145.5	.0	11.8	-1.3	-9.1	5.7	-5.3
Sport vehicles ^{1 2}	12/77	147.3	146.8	.0	15.2	-2.6	-11.1	7.3	-7.0
Bicycles ²		204.7	203.8	1.0	-1.0	3.2	.2	.0	1.7
Other sporting goods ^{1 5}	12/77	123.9	124.0	-.3	2.3	.6	-5.6	1.0	-2.5
Indoor and warm weather sport equipment ^{1 2}	12/77	116.4	116.4	.0	-3.0	3.5	-1.7	-1.5	.9
Other sporting goods and equipment ²	12/77	128.8	128.9	1.2	4.4	-1.5	-8.0	2.8	-4.8
Toys, hobbies, and other entertainment	12/77	145.1	145.5	-.3	5.7	1.1	.8	2.7	1.0
Toys, hobbies, and music equipment	12/77	139.2	139.9	-.6	7.4	.9	-2.8	3.4	-1.0
Photographic supplies and equipment	12/77	140.2	140.5	.0	3.0	6.6	4.4	1.5	5.5
Pet supplies and expense ¹	12/77	158.7	158.3	2.6	2.3	.8	.5	2.5	.6
Entertainment services ¹		283.5	284.2	5.6	4.5	8.2	3.0	5.0	5.6
Fees for participant sports ^{1 4}	12/77	177.8	177.9	5.8	6.5	7.1	3.4	6.2	5.3
Admissions ¹	12/77	167.1	168.1	6.6	.7	8.5	.7	3.6	4.6
Other entertainment services ^{1 4}	12/77	146.7	147.3	2.3	4.0	9.9	5.0	3.2	7.5
Other goods and services		342.9	344.2	7.2	4.3	8.4	4.7	5.8	6.5
Tobacco products ¹		346.5	346.5	9.5	3.9	12.5	2.1	6.6	7.2
Cigarettes ^{1 2}		356.7	356.8	10.0	3.9	13.2	2.0	6.9	7.5
Other tobacco products and smoking accessories ²	12/77	172.1	172.2	5.4	5.6	3.6	2.1	5.5	2.8
Personal care ¹		290.5	290.9	3.5	3.0	5.3	2.5	3.2	3.9
Toilet goods and personal care appliances ¹		287.7	287.9	2.8	2.5	7.2	2.7	2.6	4.9
Other toilet goods and small appliances, including hair and dental products ^{1 5}	12/77	168.7	168.7	1.2	2.5	7.8	2.9	1.9	5.3
Products for the hair, hairpieces, and wigs ^{1 3}	12/77	162.2	161.7	4.7	4.9	4.8	-.7	4.8	2.0
Dental and shaving products ^{1 2}	12/77	184.2	183.8	-1.4	5.4	10.1	5.6	1.9	7.8
Other toilet goods and small personal care appliances ^{1 2}	12/77	162.5	163.6	-1.2	-2.7	9.1	4.8	-2.0	6.9
Cosmetics, bath and nail preparations, manicure and eye makeup implements ¹	12/77	163.5	163.9	7.1	2.3	5.3	2.7	4.6	4.0
Personal care services ¹		294.1	294.7	3.8	3.5	3.9	2.3	3.7	3.1
Beauty parlor services for females ¹		296.9	297.3	3.8	3.2	3.3	2.3	3.5	2.8
Haircuts and other barber shop services for males ¹	12/77	163.6	164.1	4.1	4.3	5.1	2.2	4.2	3.6
Personal and educational expenses		421.3	424.9	9.0	5.9	8.2	8.8	7.5	8.5
School books and supplies		374.4	377.1	9.6	9.2	7.1	9.1	9.4	8.1
Personal and educational services		432.5	436.3	8.9	5.4	8.6	8.8	7.1	8.7
Tuition and other school fees	12/77	220.7	222.3	9.3	6.6	8.9	8.9	8.0	8.9
College tuition	12/77	220.7	222.5	9.7	6.8	8.1	9.3	8.3	8.7
Elementary and high school tuition	12/77	219.7	221.5	8.7	5.1	8.8	9.8	6.8	9.3
Personal expenses ¹	12/77	227.7	229.6	5.8	3.3	5.1	9.0	4.6	7.1
Special indexes:									
Motor fuel, motor oil, coolant and other products		277.9	284.5	-.1	.0	-19.3	-58.1	-.1	-41.9
Utilities and public transportation		372.2	371.3	2.8	-.1	6.8	-2.9	1.3	1.9
Housekeeping and home maintenance services ¹		390.0	390.5	3.9	2.2	2.6	.5	3.1	1.6

¹ Not seasonally adjusted.

² This index series will not be published after December 1986.

³ After December 1986, this index series, as a result of changes in the CPI classification structure effective in January 1987, will be published only as a special sub-strata index based upon a substantially smaller sample.

⁴ Index coverage will be redefined effective January 1987. The current definition will not be published after December 1986.

⁵ New aggregate index. Monthly data for this series back to January 1978 are available from the Bureau of Labor Statistics.

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 1985	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to May 1986 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Apr. 1986	May 1986	May 1985	Apr. 1986	Feb. to Mar.	Mar. to Apr.	Apr. to May
Expenditure category								
All items	100.000	320.4	321.4	1.1	0.3	-0.6	-0.4	0.2
All items(1957-59= 100)	-	372.6	373.7	-	-	-	-	-
Food and beverages	21.114	308.3	309.0	2.7	.2	.2	.2	.4
Food	19.918	315.6	316.4	2.6	.3	.2	.2	.4
Food at home	13.440	299.9	300.4	2.0	.2	.1	.1	.4
Cereals and bakery products ¹	1.858	320.9	322.1	2.5	.4	.1	-.1	.4
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	4.275	263.5	262.6	1.3	-.3	.2	-1.4	.5
Dairy products ¹	1.704	255.5	255.8	-.6	.1	-.2	.0	.1
Fruits and vegetables	1.973	325.0	331.6	2.1	2.0	.3	3.6	1.8
Other food at home	3.829	376.0	374.3	3.5	-.5	.0	.1	-.3
Sugar and sweets ¹ .....	.506	410.9	410.6	3.5	-.1	-.1	.8	-.1
Fats and oils ¹ .....	.373	287.8	286.6	-2.4	-.4	-.4	-.7	-.4
Nonalcoholic beverages	1.508	487.0	481.2	5.7	-1.2	.3	.0	-.9
Other prepared foods	1.243	301.6	302.7	2.6	.4	-.2	.3	.4
Food away from home	6.478	360.2	362.0	3.9	.5	.4	.3	.5
Alcoholic beverages	1.195	242.3	242.2	4.9	.0	.0	.3	.0
Housing	35.163	351.1	351.6	2.8	.1	.2	.3	-.1
Shelter	20.403	388.1	388.8	5.6	.2	.7	.9	.1
Renters' costs ²	6.580	108.6	108.8	5.7	.2	.5	1.1	.1
Rent, residential	5.926	277.0	277.5	6.0	.2	.6	1.2	.1
Other renters' costs .....	.654	411.6	411.3	3.7	-.1	.3	.4	-.1
Homeowners' costs ²	13.273	108.1	108.3	5.7	.2	.8	.7	.2
Owners' equivalent rent ²	12.929	108.1	108.3	5.8	.2	.8	.8	.1
Household insurance ^{1,2} .....	.344	108.5	109.0	6.0	.5	.4	.3	.5
Maintenance and repairs ¹ .....	.550	364.6	363.8	.6	-.2	-2.5	.0	-.2
Maintenance and repair services ¹ .....	.259	419.2	420.0	2.4	.2	-2.3	.6	.2
Maintenance and repair commodities ¹ .....	.291	259.4	258.0	-1.0	-.5	-2.6	-.7	-.5
Fuel and other utilities	7.870	382.6	383.0	-2.7	.1	-1.1	-.7	-.9
Fuels	5.687	459.1	459.7	-6.0	.1	-1.6	-1.3	-1.3
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas	1.307	521.5	499.9	-19.8	-4.1	-5.5	-4.0	-4.4
Gas (piped) and electricity	4.380	438.0	443.0	-2.2	1.1	-.7	-.7	-.5
Other utilities and public services ¹	2.183	252.1	252.2	6.1	.0	.4	.9	.0
Household furnishings and operation	6.891	246.0	246.1	.9	.0	.1	-.3	.2
Housefurnishings	3.590	198.1	198.4	-.3	.2	.3	-.7	.4
Housekeeping supplies	1.663	316.3	315.7	1.8	-.2	-.2	.2	-.1
Housekeeping services ¹	1.637	347.1	347.4	2.4	.1	.1	.1	.1
Apparel and upkeep	4.970	206.1	205.1	.4	-.5	-.2	.2	-.1
Apparel commodities	4.209	191.2	190.1	-.3	-.6	-.4	.3	-.2
Men's and boys' apparel	1.364	199.3	200.0	.9	.4	-.4	.3	.2
Women's and girls' apparel	1.564	169.3	165.9	-2.2	-2.0	-.7	.4	-.6
Infants' and toddlers' apparel ¹ .....	.137	331.3	334.3	7.6	.9	.3	.5	.9
Footwear .....	.657	212.1	212.0	-.6	.0	.6	.3	-.3
Other apparel commodities ¹ .....	.487	204.1	203.8	.5	-.1	-.3	.3	-.1
Apparel services .....	.761	330.2	330.9	4.4	.2	.3	.2	.2

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 1985	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to May 1986 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Apr. 1986	May 1986	May 1985	Apr. 1986	Feb. to Mar.	Mar. to Apr.	Apr. to May
Expenditure category								
Transportation	23.840	303.5	305.9	-5.4	0.8	-3.0	-2.6	0.2
Private transportation	22.466	297.4	299.9	-6.1	.8	-3.1	-2.8	.2
New vehicles	4.022	220.2	222.0	4.0	.8	.2	.5	.9
New cars	3.430	220.4	222.3	4.0	.9	.1	.6	.9
Used cars	5.495	364.8	363.6	-5.4	-3	-6	-8	-1.9
Motor fuel	6.191	290.1	290.3	-24.2	3.6	-12.0	-11.2	2.6
Gasoline		279.1	289.6	-24.3	3.8	-12.0	-11.4	2.6
Maintenance and repair	1.839	362.2	362.8	3.5	.2	.1	.6	.1
Other private transportation ¹	4.918	300.4	299.8	4.9	-2	.7	-1	-2
Other private transportation commodities ¹ .....	.697	204.6	204.9	.7	.1	.3	-7	.1
Other private transportation services ¹	4.221	328.5	327.7	5.6	-2	.8	.1	-2
Public transportation ¹	1.375	413.0	413.8	6.8	.2	-1	.2	.2
Medical care	5.737	425.7	427.3	7.4	.4	.8	.7	.6
Medical care commodities .....	.961	270.7	271.7	6.6	.4	.5	.4	.3
Medical care services	4.776	459.5	461.3	7.6	.4	.9	.7	.7
Professional services	2.337	387.4	388.8	6.5	.4	.8	.6	.5
Other medical care services ³	2.439	550.0	552.3	8.7	.4	1.0	.9	.8
Entertainment	3.894	266.9	267.3	3.2	.1	.0	.1	.3
Entertainment commodities	2.392	258.4	258.7	2.2	.1	-1	-1	.4
Entertainment services ¹	1.502	283.0	283.6	5.0	.2	.0	.3	.2
Other goods and services	5.282	337.6	338.0	6.0	.1	.4	.4	.2
Tobacco products ¹	1.835	346.0	346.0	6.9	.0	.2	.2	.0
Personal care ¹	1.892	288.2	288.6	3.6	.1	.4	.1	.1
Toilet goods and personal care appliances ¹ .....	.928	288.4	288.6	3.9	.1	.5	.1	.1
Personal care services ¹ .....	.964	288.4	289.0	3.3	.2	.3	.0	.2
Personal and educational expenses	1.554	421.2	422.0	8.0	.2	.5	.8	.7
School books and supplies .....	.224	379.1	379.1	8.5	.0	.9	.6	.7
Personal and educational services	1.331	431.8	432.8	7.9	.2	.5	.8	.8
Commodity and service group								
All items	100.000	320.4	321.4	1.1	0.3	-0.6	-0.4	0.2
Commodities	54.919	280.4	281.3	-1.9	.3	-1.4	-1.1	.2
Food and beverages	21.114	308.3	309.0	2.7	.2	.2	.2	.4
Commodities less food and beverages	33.805	261.9	262.9	-4.7	.4	-2.4	-2.0	.1
Nondurables less food and beverages ¹	19.735	262.0	263.6	-7.5	.8	-3.7	-2.8	.6
Apparel commodities	4.209	191.2	190.1	-3	-6	-4	.3	-2
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel ¹	15.525	301.6	304.5	-9.4	1.0	-5.1	-3.7	1.0
Durables	14.070	263.3	263.5	-1.1	.1	-5	-5	.0
Services	45.081	392.2	393.2	4.9	.3	.5	.5	.1
Rent of shelter ^{1 2}	19.446	108.3	108.5	5.8	.2	.7	.8	.2
Household services less rent of shelter ^{1 2}	8.866	102.7	103.4	1.2	.7	-2	-1	.7
Transportation services	7.435	347.5	347.3	5.3	-1	.5	.2	-1
Medical care services	4.776	459.5	461.3	7.6	.4	.9	.7	.7
Other services	4.558	322.9	323.6	5.3	.2	.2	.4	.4

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 1985	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to May 1986 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Apr. 1986	May 1986	May 1985	Apr. 1986	Feb. to Mar.	Mar. to Apr.	Apr. to May
Commodity and service group								
Special indexes:								
All items less food	80.082	320.2	321.2	0.8	0.3	-0.7	-0.5	0.1
All items less shelter	79.597	302.1	303.0	.0	.3	-.8	-.7	.2
All items less homeowners' costs ²	86.727	101.8	102.1	.4	.3	-.8	-.6	.2
All items less medical care	94.263	315.2	316.1	.8	.3	-.6	-.4	.1
Commodities less food	35.000	260.7	261.6	-4.5	.3	-2.3	-1.9	.1
Nondurables less food ¹	20.930	259.4	260.9	-6.8	.6	-3.5	-2.6	.6
Nondurables less food and apparel ¹	16.721	292.2	294.9	-8.4	.9	-4.7	-3.4	.9
Nondurables	40.848	286.3	287.5	-2.2	.4	-1.8	-1.5	.4
Services less rent of shelter ^{1 2}	25.635	105.9	106.2	4.2	.3	.2	.2	.3
Services less medical care ¹	40.305	382.7	383.6	4.6	.2	.4	.4	.2
Energy	11.878	358.4	384.6	-15.5	1.7	-6.9	-6.1	.5
All items less energy	88.122	318.8	319.2	3.4	.1	.3	.3	.1
All items less food and energy	68.204	318.3	318.6	3.7	.1	.3	.3	.0
Commodities less food and energy	27.503	258.8	258.8	.8	.0	-.1	-.1	-.2
Energy commodities	7.498	312.9	319.8	-23.5	2.2	-11.0	-10.0	1.3
Services less energy	40.701	388.8	389.4	5.7	.2	.6	.6	.2
Purchasing power of the consumer dollar:								
1967=\$1.00 ¹	-	\$.312	\$.311	-1.3	-.3	.6	.3	-.3
1957-59=\$1.00 ¹	-	.268	.268	-	-	-	-	-

¹ Not seasonally adjusted.

² Indexes on a December 1984 = 100 base.

³ This index series will not be published after December 1986.

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: 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—					
	Feb. 1986	Mar. 1986	Apr. 1986	May 1986	3 months ending in—				6 months ending in—	
					Aug. 1985	Nov. 1985	Feb. 1986	May 1986	Nov. 1985	May 1986
	Expenditure category									
All items	-	-	-	-	2.5	4.1	1.1	-3.1	3.3	-1.0
Food and beverages	305.9	306.5	307.1	308.3	2.0	4.7	.9	3.2	3.4	2.0
Food	313.2	313.8	314.4	315.8	2.0	4.3	.6	3.4	3.1	2.0
Food at home	297.7	298.0	298.3	299.5	1.0	4.6	.0	2.4	2.7	1.2
Cereals and bakery products ¹	320.9	321.1	320.9	322.1	3.5	1.8	3.4	1.5	2.6	2.5
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	264.4	265.0	261.3	262.5	1.9	10.4	-3.4	-2.8	6.0	-3.1
Dairy products ¹	256.0	255.5	255.5	255.8	-1.5	-6	.2	-.3	-1.1	-.1
Fruits and vegetables	308.3	309.3	320.5	326.4	-3.8	6.5	-15.4	25.6	1.2	3.1
Other food at home	373.7	373.8	374.3	373.2	2.6	.6	12.0	-.5	1.6	5.5
Sugar and sweets ¹	408.1	407.8	410.9	410.6	4.6	-.5	7.4	2.5	2.0	4.9
Fats and oils ¹	290.8	289.7	287.8	286.6	4.0	-6.2	-1.4	-5.7	-1.2	-3.5
Nonalcoholic beverages	482.1	483.5	483.6	479.3	.3	.6	26.4	-2.3	.4	11.1
Other prepared foods	300.3	299.8	300.7	301.8	4.0	3.3	1.1	2.0	3.6	1.5
Food away from home	357.3	358.6	359.8	361.6	4.1	3.9	2.8	4.9	4.0	3.9
Alcoholic beverages	240.9	240.9	241.6	241.7	3.0	13.0	2.7	1.3	7.9	2.0
Housing	350.1	350.7	351.7	351.3	3.8	3.6	2.2	1.4	3.7	1.8
Shelter	382.9	385.4	388.7	389.1	6.1	4.9	5.2	6.6	5.5	5.9
Renters' costs ²	107.1	107.6	108.8	108.9	5.5	6.3	4.2	6.9	5.9	5.5
Rent, residential	272.8	274.4	277.6	277.8	5.6	6.6	4.2	7.5	6.1	5.9
Other renters' costs	408.8	409.9	411.6	411.3	7.0	4.5	.9	2.5	5.8	1.7
Homeowners' costs ²	106.6	107.5	108.3	108.5	6.4	4.3	5.4	7.3	5.3	6.4
Owners' equivalent rent ²	106.6	107.4	108.3	108.4	6.4	4.3	5.4	6.9	5.3	6.2
Household insurance ^{1,2}	107.8	108.2	108.5	109.0	3.5	5.9	10.3	4.5	4.7	7.4
Maintenance and repairs ¹	374.0	364.7	364.6	363.8	4.3	2.3	7.0	-10.5	3.3	-2.1
Maintenance and repair services ¹	426.5	416.6	419.2	420.0	9.6	1.2	5.4	-6.0	5.3	-.4
Maintenance and repair commodities ¹	268.1	261.1	259.4	258.0	-.2	3.3	8.5	-14.2	1.5	-3.5
Fuel and other utilities	393.5	389.3	386.5	383.1	.6	1.8	-2.9	-10.2	1.2	-6.6
Fuels	479.1	471.3	465.0	459.1	-3.6	1.4	-5.1	-15.7	-1.1	-10.5
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas	578.0	546.2	524.6	501.4	-8.7	22.3	-34.4	-43.4	5.6	-39.0
Gas (piped) and electricity	450.7	447.7	444.6	442.2	-2.1	-3.7	5.1	-7.3	-2.9	-1.3
Other utilities and public services ¹	248.8	249.9	252.1	252.2	13.0	2.8	3.3	5.6	7.8	4.4
Household furnishings and operation	245.4	245.7	245.0	245.4	1.0	2.3	.3	.0	1.7	.2
Housefurnishings	197.6	198.1	196.7	197.4	-.6	1.0	-1.2	-.4	.2	-.8
Housekeeping supplies	315.5	314.9	315.4	315.1	2.1	4.6	1.1	-.5	3.3	.3
Housekeeping services ¹	346.3	346.6	347.1	347.4	3.6	2.7	2.1	1.3	3.1	1.7
Apparel and upkeep	205.4	205.0	205.5	205.3	1.8	4.2	-3.4	-.2	3.0	-1.8
Apparel commodities	190.7	190.0	190.6	190.2	.8	4.3	-5.1	-1.0	2.5	-3.1
Men's and boys' apparel	199.6	198.8	199.3	199.6	1.6	3.5	-1.2	.0	2.5	-.6
Women's and girls' apparel	168.7	167.5	168.1	167.1	-.5	7.5	-11.0	-3.7	3.4	-7.5
Infants' and toddlers' apparel ¹	328.6	329.6	331.3	334.3	.8	12.8	10.2	7.1	6.6	8.7
Footwear	209.7	210.9	211.5	210.9	-.4	4.4	-8.5	2.3	2.0	-3.2
Other apparel commodities ¹	204.2	203.5	204.1	203.8	5.0	-5.2	3.4	-.8	-.2	1.3
Apparel services	327.8	328.7	329.5	330.2	6.5	3.3	5.0	3.0	4.9	4.0

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 8. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers: 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—					
	Feb. 1986	Mar. 1986	Apr. 1986	May 1986	3 months ending in—				6 months ending in—	
					Aug. 1985	Nov. 1985	Feb. 1986	May 1986	Nov. 1985	May 1986
Expenditure category										
Transportation	321.7	312.2	304.1	304.8	-0.9	3.3	-2.6	-19.4	1.2	-11.4
Private transportation	316.5	306.6	298.1	298.8	-1.3	3.1	-3.5	-20.6	.9	-12.4
New vehicles	218.5	219.0	220.0	222.0	2.3	4.5	2.8	6.6	3.4	4.7
New cars	218.8	219.1	220.4	222.3	2.5	4.0	3.2	6.6	3.2	4.8
Used cars	374.4	372.0	369.2	362.2	-9.3	.2	1.0	-12.4	-4.7	-6.0
Motor fuel	358.7	315.6	280.1	287.4	.2	.0	-20.0	-58.8	.1	-42.6
Gasoline	358.0	315.1	279.1	286.4	.5	-.4	-20.2	-59.0	.1	-42.8
Maintenance and repair	360.0	360.5	362.6	362.8	3.1	4.4	3.3	3.1	3.7	3.2
Other private transportation ¹	298.4	300.6	300.4	299.8	2.4	8.8	6.6	1.9	5.5	4.2
Other private transportation commodities ¹	205.4	206.0	204.6	204.9	2.8	-2.3	3.4	-1.0	.2	1.2
Other private transportation services ¹	325.7	328.3	328.5	327.7	2.2	10.8	7.0	2.5	6.4	4.7
Public transportation ¹	412.6	412.0	413.0	413.8	6.2	6.9	13.1	1.2	6.6	7.0
Medical care	418.4	421.8	424.7	427.2	7.0	6.5	7.4	8.7	6.7	8.0
Medical care commodities	267.5	268.8	269.9	270.6	8.1	5.7	8.0	4.7	6.9	6.3
Medical care services	451.2	455.3	458.6	461.6	6.8	6.6	7.5	9.5	6.7	8.5
Professional services	381.4	384.4	386.6	388.4	6.5	6.8	5.2	7.5	6.6	6.4
Other medical care services ²	539.2	544.6	549.5	554.0	7.1	6.4	9.7	11.4	6.7	10.6
Entertainment	266.6	266.5	266.7	267.6	3.3	4.0	4.6	1.5	3.7	3.1
Entertainment commodities	258.0	257.8	257.6	258.7	2.2	3.8	1.6	1.1	3.0	1.3
Entertainment services ¹	282.0	282.1	283.0	283.6	5.0	4.5	8.5	2.3	4.7	5.4
Other goods and services	336.1	337.3	338.5	339.3	7.1	4.5	8.7	3.9	5.8	6.2
Tobacco products ¹	344.4	345.2	346.0	346.0	9.6	3.9	12.6	1.9	6.7	7.1
Personal care ¹	286.8	288.0	288.2	288.6	3.3	3.2	5.3	2.5	3.3	3.9
Toilet goods and personal care appliances ¹	286.7	288.1	288.4	288.6	3.2	2.7	7.0	2.7	3.0	4.8
Personal care services ¹	287.4	288.4	288.4	289.0	3.6	3.7	3.7	2.2	3.7	3.0
Personal and educational expenses	418.5	420.6	423.9	427.0	9.0	6.5	8.1	8.4	7.7	8.3
School books and supplies	373.5	376.7	379.1	381.8	9.3	8.8	6.8	9.2	9.1	8.0
Personal and educational services	429.4	431.4	434.8	438.1	8.8	6.2	8.0	8.4	7.5	8.2
Commodity and service group										
All items	-	-	-	-	2.5	4.1	1.1	-3.1	3.3	-1.0
Commodities	287.1	283.1	279.9	280.5	.8	3.5	-2.1	-8.9	2.0	-5.5
Food and beverages	305.9	306.5	307.1	308.3	2.0	4.7	.9	3.2	3.4	2.0
Commodities less food and beverages	273.6	267.1	261.7	261.9	-.4	2.9	-4.1	-16.0	1.2	-10.3
Nondurables less food and beverages ¹	280.1	269.6	262.0	263.6	.3	4.9	-11.1	-21.6	2.5	-16.5
Apparel commodities	190.7	190.0	190.6	190.2	.8	4.3	-5.1	-1.0	2.5	-3.1
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel ¹	330.1	313.2	301.6	304.5	.7	2.6	-9.9	-27.6	1.7	-19.2
Durables	266.2	265.0	263.6	263.5	-5.9	4.2	1.8	-4.0	-1.0	-1.1
Services	389.3	391.1	393.2	393.5	5.1	4.5	5.3	4.4	4.8	4.8
Rent of shelter ^{1 2}	106.7	107.4	108.3	108.5	6.8	5.9	3.4	6.9	6.3	5.2
Household services less rent of shelter ^{1 2}	103.0	102.8	102.7	103.4	9.7	-9.2	3.6	1.6	-.2	2.6
Transportation services	345.1	346.7	347.4	347.2	3.2	8.4	7.0	2.5	5.8	4.7
Medical care services	451.2	455.3	458.6	461.6	6.8	6.6	7.5	9.5	6.7	8.5
Other services	321.6	322.4	323.7	324.9	6.0	4.7	6.7	4.2	5.3	5.4

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 8. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers: 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—					
	Feb. 1986	Mar. 1986	Apr. 1986	May 1986	3 months ending in—				6 months ending in—	
					Aug. 1985	Nov. 1985	Feb. 1986	May 1986	Nov. 1985	May 1986
	Commodity and service group									
Special indexes:										
All items less food	324.4	322.1	320.4	320.7	2.7	3.9	1.4	-4.5	3.3	-1.6
All items less shelter	306.6	304.0	301.9	302.4	1.6	3.9	.1	-5.4	2.7	-2.7
All items less homeowners' costs ²	103.2	102.4	101.8	102.0	2.0	4.0	.8	-4.6	3.0	-1.9
All items less medical care	318.6	316.6	315.2	315.6	2.3	3.9	1.0	-3.7	3.1	-1.4
Commodities less food	271.9	265.6	260.5	260.7	-3	3.3	-4.2	-15.5	1.5	-10.0
Nondurables less food ¹	276.1	266.4	259.4	260.9	.6	5.2	-10.4	-20.3	2.9	-15.5
Nondurables less food and apparel ¹	317.5	302.6	292.2	294.9	.7	3.3	-8.9	-25.6	2.0	-17.7
Nondurables	295.0	289.8	285.4	286.6	1.6	4.6	-3.6	-10.9	3.1	-7.3
Services less rent of shelter ^{1,2}	105.5	105.7	105.9	106.2	6.4	1.6	6.3	2.7	4.0	4.5
Services less medical care ¹	379.5	381.0	382.7	383.6	6.4	3.3	4.3	4.4	4.8	4.4
Energy	413.7	385.0	361.5	363.3	-1.7	.8	-13.1	-40.5	-.5	-28.1
All items less energy	316.8	317.7	318.7	319.1	3.1	4.6	3.2	2.9	3.9	3.1
All items less food and energy	316.5	317.5	318.6	318.7	3.4	4.6	4.0	2.8	4.0	3.4
Commodities less food and energy	259.6	259.3	259.1	258.6	-.2	3.3	1.7	-1.5	1.6	.1
Energy commodities	390.7	347.9	313.1	317.2	-1.3	3.4	-22.8	-56.6	1.0	-42.1
Services less energy	384.7	387.0	389.5	390.1	5.9	5.6	5.6	5.7	5.7	5.7

¹ Not seasonally adjusted.

² Indexes on a December 1984=100 base.

³ This index series will not be published after December 1986.

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: Food expenditure categories, U.S. city average

(1967=100, unless otherwise noted)

Group and item	Other index base	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to May 1986 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Apr. 1986	May 1986	May 1985	Apr. 1986	Feb. to Mar.	Mar. to Apr.	Apr. to May
Food and beverages		308.3	309.0	2.7	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.4
Food		315.6	316.4	2.6	.3	.2	.2	.4
Food at home		299.9	300.4	2.0	.2	.1	.1	.4
Cereals and bakery products ¹		320.9	322.1	2.5	.4	.1	-.1	.4
Cereal and cereal products	12/77	174.0	174.7	2.8	.4	-.1	.1	.1
Flour and prepared flour mixes	12/77	151.2	152.8	1.3	1.1	-.2	.0	.1
Cereal ¹	12/77	205.5	206.4	4.8	.4	.3	.4	.4
Rice, pasta, and commmeal ¹	12/77	153.6	153.3	1.0	-.2	.3	.0	-.2
Bakery products ¹	12/77	168.4	169.0	2.4	.4	.1	-.2	.4
White bread ¹		266.4	267.2	2.5	.3	.0	-.2	.3
Fresh other breads, biscuits, rolls, and muffins ^{1 2}	12/77	161.1	161.4	.9	.2	.1	-.4	.2
Other bread ^{1 3}	12/77	164.5	165.0	1.7	.3	.4	.4	.3
Fresh biscuits, rolls, and muffins ^{1 3}	12/77	158.0	158.1	.2	.1	-.1	-.1	.1
Cookies, fresh cakes and cupcakes ^{1 2}	12/77	174.2	175.4	2.2	.7	.0	-.3	.7
Fresh cakes and cupcakes ^{1 3}	12/77	189.7	170.5	.9	.5	.4	-.1	.5
Cookies ³	12/77	178.5	180.2	3.4	1.0	.1	-.7	1.3
Other bakery products ^{1 2}	12/77	175.8	176.3	3.9	.3	.0	.2	.3
Crackers and bread and cracker products ^{1 3}	12/77	177.3	177.7	2.4	.2	-.7	.5	.2
Fresh sweetrolls, coffeecake, and donuts ^{1 3}	12/77	175.9	175.8	4.5	-.1	.6	-.1	-.1
Frozen and refrigerated bakery products and fresh pies, tarts, and turnovers ^{1 3}	12/77	174.1	175.5	4.3	.8	-.1	1.5	.8
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs		263.5	262.6	1.3	-.3	.2	-.1	.5
Meats, poultry, and fish		269.6	269.7	1.0	.0	.1	-.1	.6
Meats		262.0	261.7	-.5	-.1	-.1	-.1	.3
Beef and veal		267.0	265.7	-1.5	-.5	.4	-.3	.2
Ground beef other than canned		247.2	241.8	-3.4	-2.2	-.7	-.2	-1.5
Chuck roast		267.5	264.7	-3.5	-1.0	2.5	-5.5	.5
Round roast		230.0	232.0	-1.9	.9	-1.2	-3.7	2.2
Round steak		251.9	245.8	-1.3	-2.4	.5	-.2	-2.4
Sirloin steak		277.8	281.8	2.1	1.4	-2.9	.2	-.3
Other beef and veal	12/77	166.8	167.5	-.2	.4	-1.1	-2.5	.1
Pork		249.3	249.3	1.0	.0	-.7	.7	.1
Bacon		271.9	270.4	-3.0	-.6	-2.1	-.3	-.3
Chops		233.4	235.2	6.4	.8	.3	1.0	2.5
Ham ²	12/77	112.5	111.9	-.4	-.5	-3.4	1.4	-.4
Ham other than canned ³	12/77	107.8	107.9	1.1	.1	-3.8	2.0	-.8
Canned ham ³		253.4	249.2	-3.1	-1.7	-2.1	1.8	-2.4
Other pork including sausage ^{1 2}	12/77	137.6	137.8	.8	.1	.6	-1.5	.1
Other pork ³	12/77	133.6	134.9	1.8	1.0	.4	-.4	1.3
Sausage ^{1 3}		319.8	317.1	-.3	-.8	2.2	-1.5	-.8
Other meats ¹		266.7	268.8	.4	.8	-.4	-.9	.8
Frankfurters ^{1 3}		261.5	261.8	-.5	.1	-.4	-1.6	.1
Bologna, liverwurst, and salami ^{1 3}	12/77	157.5	157.0	-.3	-.3	.3	-.2	-.3
Other lunchmeats ^{1 3}	12/77	135.3	136.6	1.2	1.0	-.7	-.3	1.0
Lamb and organ meats ^{1 3}	12/77	140.3	144.4	1.3	2.9	-.9	-2.0	2.9
Poultry ¹		213.4	216.6	2.6	1.5	-.1	-1.2	1.5
Fresh whole chicken ¹		210.5	215.0	3.9	2.1	.3	-2.0	2.1
Fresh and frozen chicken parts ¹	12/77	139.8	141.2	2.6	1.0	.1	-.1	1.0
Other poultry ¹	12/77	138.8	140.2	.6	1.0	-1.0	-1.4	1.0
Fish and seafood		435.5	435.6	10.3	.0	1.3	.5	2.0
Canned fish and seafood ¹	12/77	134.2	133.9	-.1	-.2	-.2	.8	-.2
Fresh and frozen fish and seafood	12/77	185.4	185.7	15.6	.2	1.9	.2	3.4
Eggs		189.6	174.5	8.7	-8.0	3.8	-1.8	-1.7

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group and item	Other index base	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to May 1986 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Apr. 1986	May 1986	May 1985	Apr. 1986	Feb. to Mar.	Mar. to Apr.	Apr. to May
Dairy products ¹		255.5	255.8	-0.6	0.1	-0.2	0.0	0.1
Fresh milk and cream	12/77	137.1	137.3	-1.3	.1	.2	-.1	.4
Fresh whole milk		224.2	224.3	-1.4	.0	.0	.0	.4
Other fresh milk and cream ¹	12/77	137.5	138.1	-.9	.4	.3	-.4	.4
Processed dairy products ¹	12/77	155.6	155.7	.3	.1	-.4	.2	.1
Cheese ¹	12/77	151.1	150.8	-.2	-.2	-.2	.2	-.2
Ice cream and related products ¹	12/77	162.9	162.9	.6	.0	-1.0	.4	.0
Other dairy products including butter ^{1 2}	12/77	157.2	158.1	1.0	.6	-.4	.0	.6
Other dairy products ^{1 3}	12/77	157.8	159.1	2.4	.8	-.3	.3	.8
Butter ^{1 3}		262.5	263.0	-.8	.2	-.6	-.3	.2
Fruits and vegetables		325.0	331.6	2.1	2.0	.3	3.6	1.8
Fresh fruits and vegetables		343.6	356.6	5.3	3.8	-.1	7.1	3.4
Fresh fruits		355.7	372.0	1.3	4.6	-.8	3.2	2.2
Apples		355.4	375.0	11.5	5.5	-1.2	.1	4.7
Bananas		322.7	324.1	17.4	.4	3.1	7.1	3.8
Oranges		343.1	357.0	-19.3	4.1	-1.7	-.7	1.5
Other fresh fruits	12/77	191.0	201.4	3.5	5.4	-1.6	4.3	1.2
Fresh vegetables		332.7	342.8	9.5	3.0	1.4	7.4	7.2
Potatoes		260.6	272.8	-24.7	4.7	-1.3	-.6	-1.5
Lettuce ¹		398.4	418.6	38.8	5.1	1.4	27.7	5.1
Tomatoes ¹		281.5	304.7	29.8	8.2	.3	3.6	8.2
Other fresh vegetables	12/77	196.7	197.1	13.2	.2	.3	7.0	8.3
Processed fruits and vegetables ¹		307.0	306.5	-1.8	-.2	-.4	-.2	-.2
Processed fruits	12/77	163.4	163.2	-2.9	-.1	-.9	-.6	.1
Fruit juices and frozen fruit ²	12/77	163.4	162.4	-5.4	-.6	-1.2	-1.0	-.6
Frozen fruit and fruit juices ³	12/77	154.5	152.2	-12.4	-1.5	-1.7	-2.6	-1.2
Fruit juices other than frozen ³	12/77	169.7	169.6	.0	-.1	-.6	-.2	.2
Canned and dried fruits ¹	12/77	163.9	165.1	2.0	.7	-.5	-.1	.7
Processed vegetables ¹	12/77	146.2	146.0	-.6	-.1	-.3	.2	-.1
Frozen vegetables ¹	12/77	164.3	164.1	.6	-.1	-.8	.6	-.1
Other processed vegetables ^{1 2}	12/77	140.6	140.3	-1.1	-.2	-.1	.1	-.2
Cut corn and canned beans except lima ^{1 3}	12/77	146.5	145.7	-1.5	-.5	-.9	1.0	-.5
Other canned and dried vegetables ^{1 3}	12/77	137.5	137.5	-.8	.0	.3	-.4	.0
Other foods at home		376.0	374.3	3.5	-.5	.0	.1	-.3
Sugar and sweets ¹		410.9	410.6	3.5	-.1	-.1	.8	-.1
Sugar and artificial sweeteners ¹	12/77	173.0	173.2	1.1	.1	-1.0	.1	.1
Sweets including candy ²	12/77	170.8	170.6	4.4	-.1	.1	.7	-.2
Candy and chewing gum ³	12/77	172.8	172.4	4.9	-.2	.1	.5	-.1
Other sweets ^{1 3}	12/77	166.6	166.6	3.2	.0	.1	1.0	.0
Fats and oils ¹		287.8	286.6	-2.4	-.4	-.4	-.7	-.4
Margarine ^{1 3}		296.4	292.8	-1.1	-1.2	-.7	-.2	-1.2
Nondairy substitutes and peanut butter ^{1 3}	12/77	157.1	157.1	-.4	.0	.3	-.1	.0
Other fats, oils, and salad dressings ^{1 3}	12/77	146.3	146.1	-3.8	-.1	-.5	-1.1	-.1
Nonalcoholic beverages		487.0	481.2	5.7	-1.2	.3	.0	-.9
Carbonated drinks ²	12/77	155.6	153.6	-.2	-1.3	-.8	.1	-.9
Cola drinks, excluding diet cola ³		324.3	318.5	-1.1	-1.8	-1.7	.5	-1.3
Carbonated drinks, including diet cola ³	12/77	151.9	151.7	1.8	-.1	1.1	-.4	-.1
Coffee ^{1 4}		523.0	516.6	31.8	-1.2	4.0	-.1	-1.2
Roasted coffee ^{1 3}		524.2	515.8	38.0	-1.6	3.9	-.6	-1.6
Freeze dried and instant coffee ^{1 3}		478.5	474.8	25.3	-.8	4.2	.4	-.8
Other noncarbonated drinks	12/77	155.6	154.1	.5	-1.0	-.3	.2	-.7
Other prepared foods ¹		301.6	302.7	2.6	.4	-.2	.3	.4
Canned and packaged soup	12/77	156.0	157.4	2.8	.9	.1	.1	.8
Frozen prepared foods ¹	12/77	168.6	169.2	3.5	.4	-.3	1.0	.4
Snacks ¹	12/77	177.2	177.4	2.7	.1	.2	-.3	.1
Seasonings, condiments, sauces and spices ²	12/77	170.2	171.2	3.1	.6	-.5	.9	.5
Seasonings, olives, pickles, and relish ³	12/77	171.6	171.1	2.2	-.3	-.7	2.1	.1
Other condiments ³	12/77	169.4	171.3	3.6	1.1	-.1	.0	.9
Other prepared foods, including miscellaneous and baby food ^{1 2}	12/77	160.4	160.6	1.8	.1	.0	.1	.1
Miscellaneous prepared foods ^{1 3}	12/77	165.0	165.5	3.1	.3	.1	.4	.3
Other canned and packaged prepared foods ³	12/77	155.7	155.7	.5	.0	-.2	-.4	.4

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1967=100, unless otherwise noted)

Group and item	Other index base	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to May 1986 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Apr. 1986	May 1986	May 1985	Apr. 1986	Feb. to Mar.	Mar. to Apr.	Apr. to May
Food away from home		360.2	362.0	3.9	0.5	0.4	0.3	0.5
Lunch	12/77	173.6	174.6	3.9	.6	.5	.2	.6
Dinner	12/77	174.0	174.6	3.6	.3	.3	.2	.3
Other meals and snacks	12/77	176.9	178.1	4.3	.7	.3	.8	.6
Alcoholic beverages		242.3	242.2	4.9	.0	.0	.3	.0
Alcoholic beverages at home	12/77	154.2	153.9	4.4	-.2	-.2	.7	-.2
Beer and ale		240.1	239.4	2.1	-.3	-.1	.5	-.1
Wine ¹		248.9	248.4	1.6	-.2	.2	-.1	-.2
Distilled spirits ^{1 2}	12/77	141.8	141.9	10.3	.1	-.2	.2	.1
Other alcoholic beverages ^{1 3}	12/77	139.1	139.0	11.4	-.1	.2	.1	-.1
Whiskey ^{1 3}		170.3	170.5	9.6	.1	-.4	.3	.1
Alcoholic beverages away from home	12/77	174.0	174.7	6.7	.4	.4	.0	.4
Special indexes:								
Domestically produced farm food		281.8	282.8	1.0	.4	.2	-.1	.9
Selected beef cuts ¹		267.2	265.6	-1.7	-.6	-.1	-2.0	-.6
Imported food and fishery products ³	12/77	154.1	153.0	6.5	-.7	.6	.3	.0

¹ Not seasonally adjusted.

² New aggregate index. Monthly data for this series back to January 1978 are available from the Bureau of Labor Statistics.

³ This index series will not be published after December 1986.

⁴ New aggregate index. Monthly data for this series back to January 1967 are available from the Bureau of Labor Statistics.

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: Food expenditure categories, seasonally adjusted, U.S. city average

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group and item	Other index base	Seasonally adjusted indexes		Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for—					
		Apr. 1986	May 1986	3 months ending in—				6 months ending in—	
				Aug. 1985	Nov. 1985	Feb. 1986	May 1986	Nov. 1985	May 1986
Food and beverages		307.1	308.3	2.0	4.7	0.9	3.2	3.4	2.0
Food		314.4	315.8	2.0	4.3	.6	3.4	3.1	2.0
Food at home		298.3	299.5	1.0	4.6	.0	2.4	2.7	1.2
Cereals and bakery products ¹		320.9	322.1	3.5	1.8	3.4	1.5	2.6	2.5
Cereal and cereal products	12/77	173.7	173.8	3.6	6.5	.9	.5	5.0	.7
Flour and prepared flour mixes	12/77	151.8	152.0	1.1	2.1	1.9	-.3	1.6	.8
Cereal ¹	12/77	205.5	206.4	1.8	7.9	4.8	4.6	4.8	4.7
Rice, pasta, and cornmeal ¹	12/77	153.6	153.3	4.3	.5	-1.0	.3	2.4	-.4
Bakery products ¹	12/77	168.4	169.0	3.4	1.9	3.4	1.0	2.7	2.2
White bread ¹		266.4	267.2	4.8	3.2	1.2	.6	4.0	.9
Fresh other breads, biscuits, rolls, and muffins ^{1 2}	12/77	161.1	161.4	3.0	-.2	1.5	-.5	1.4	.5
Other bread ^{1 3}	12/77	164.5	165.0	1.2	.7	.2	4.5	1.0	2.3
Fresh biscuits, rolls, and muffins ^{1 3}	12/77	158.0	158.1	4.6	-1.2	2.0	-4.4	1.7	-1.3
Cookies, fresh cakes and cupcakes ^{1 2}	12/77	174.2	175.4	3.3	1.6	2.3	1.4	2.5	1.8
Fresh cakes and cupcakes ^{1 3}	12/77	169.7	170.5	-1.2	1.0	1.0	2.9	-.1	1.9
Cookies ³	12/77	178.1	180.4	6.3	5.5	-.7	2.7	5.9	1.0
Other bakery products ^{1 2}	12/77	175.8	176.3	2.6	2.8	8.1	2.1	2.7	5.1
Crackers and bread and cracker products ^{1 3}	12/77	177.3	177.7	3.5	.0	5.8	.2	1.7	3.0
Fresh sweetrolls, coffeeecake, and donuts ^{1 3}	12/77	175.9	175.8	-.2	9.6	10.9	-1.8	4.6	4.3
Frozen and refrigerated bakery products and fresh pies, tarts, and turnovers ^{1 3}	12/77	174.1	175.5	5.8	-3.0	5.5	9.2	1.3	7.3
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs		261.3	262.5	1.9	10.4	-3.4	-2.8	6.0	-3.1
Meats, poultry, and fish		268.2	269.7	-.1	10.4	-2.9	-2.9	5.0	-2.9
Meats		260.7	261.4	-1.8	10.7	-4.0	-5.9	4.2	-4.9
Beef and veal		262.3	262.8	-1.5	14.4	-7.1	-10.2	6.2	-8.7
Ground beef other than canned		243.1	239.4	-2.6	13.6	-3.7	-18.5	5.2	-11.4
Chuck roast		261.7	262.9	-7.7	33.7	-21.3	-10.4	11.1	-16.0
Round roast		222.7	227.5	1.4	12.8	-9.3	-10.5	6.9	-9.9
Round steak		247.2	241.2	-9.8	28.5	-3.1	-15.4	7.7	-9.5
Sirloin steak		276.7	276.0	-4.1	25.8	1.4	-11.3	9.8	-5.2
Other beef and veal	12/77	165.1	165.2	-5.0	22.8	-1.8	-13.5	8.0	-7.9
Pork		253.4	253.6	-2.1	8.8	-2.3	.0	3.2	-1.2
Bacon		272.7	271.8	-.7	-.7	.4	-10.4	-.7	-5.2
Chops		236.2	242.0	-3.3	26.4	-9.4	16.0	10.6	2.5
Ham ²	12/77	115.3	114.8	3.5	-.3	5.6	-9.5	1.6	-2.2
Ham other than canned ³	12/77	112.9	112.0	6.3	3.2	6.1	-10.3	4.7	-2.5
Canned ham ³		255.2	249.2	-2.8	-7.5	8.9	-10.3	-5.1	-1.2
Other pork including sausage ^{1 2}	12/77	137.6	137.8	6.6	-6.2	6.6	-3.1	.0	1.6
Other pork ³	12/77	135.4	137.2	-6.4	14.9	-5.1	5.1	3.7	-.1
Sausage ^{1 3}		319.8	317.1	1.1	-9.7	9.0	-.9	-4.4	4.0
Other meats ¹		266.7	268.8	-2.1	3.2	2.9	-2.1	.5	.4
Frankfurters ^{1 3}		281.5	261.8	-5.7	7.8	4.0	-7.3	.8	-1.8
Bologna, liverwurst, and salami ^{1 3}	12/77	157.5	157.0	-3.8	1.0	2.3	-.8	-1.4	.8
Other lunchmeats ^{1 3}	12/77	135.3	136.6	.0	3.9	.9	.0	1.9	.4
Lamb and organ meats ^{1 3}	12/77	140.3	144.4	1.1	-2.2	6.3	.0	-.6	3.1
Poultry ¹		213.4	216.6	1.0	5.2	3.6	.7	3.1	2.2
Fresh whole chicken ¹		210.5	215.0	6.9	6.6	.4	1.7	6.8	1.0
Fresh and frozen chicken parts ¹	12/77	139.8	141.2	-2.9	5.1	4.1	4.4	1.0	4.2
Other poultry ¹	12/77	138.8	140.2	-2.8	3.2	8.0	-5.2	.1	1.2
Fish and seafood		430.3	438.7	10.4	13.7	1.7	15.9	12.1	8.6
Canned fish and seafood ¹	12/77	134.2	133.9	-6.1	5.6	.0	1.5	-.4	.8
Fresh and frozen fish and seafood	12/77	181.9	188.0	20.0	15.4	3.9	23.9	17.7	13.5
Eggs		181.1	178.1	58.2	9.0	-19.7	.9	31.3	-10.0

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1967=100, unless otherwise noted)

Group and item	Other index base	Seasonally adjusted indexes		Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for—					
		Apr. 1986	May 1986	3 months ending in—				6 months ending in—	
				Aug. 1985	Nov. 1985	Feb. 1986	May 1986	Nov. 1985	May 1986
Dairy products ¹		255.5	255.8	-1.5	-0.6	0.2	-0.3	-1.1	-0.1
Fresh milk and cream.....	12/77	136.7	137.3	-1.1	-2.6	-3.4	2.1	-1.9	-7
Fresh whole milk.....		223.5	224.3	-1.1	-2.8	-3.0	1.3	-1.9	-9
Other fresh milk and cream ¹	12/77	137.5	138.1	-2.8	-2.0	.0	1.2	-2.4	.6
Processed dairy products ¹	12/77	155.6	155.7	-1.3	1.8	1.6	-8	.3	.4
Cheese ¹	12/77	151.1	150.8	.5	1.3	-1.8	-8	.9	-1.3
Ice cream and related products ¹	12/77	162.9	162.9	-3.2	1.5	6.9	-2.4	-9	2.1
Other dairy products including butter ^{1 2}	12/77	157.2	158.1	-2.3	2.9	2.8	.5	.3	1.7
Other dairy products ^{1 3}	12/77	157.8	159.1	-4.1	4.8	6.0	3.1	.3	4.5
Butter ^{1 3}		262.5	263.0	-5	.8	-8	-2.7	.2	-1.7
Fruits and vegetables.....		320.5	326.4	-3.8	6.5	-15.4	25.6	1.2	3.1
Fresh fruits and vegetables.....		335.2	346.5	-8.0	12.9	-20.9	49.6	1.9	8.8
Fresh fruits.....		357.1	365.1	-20.3	4.5	5.5	20.3	-8.7	12.6
Apples.....		354.0	370.6	-15.3	27.8	24.1	14.8	4.1	19.4
Bananas.....		292.8	304.0	-7.5	-10.7	33.7	72.4	-9.1	51.8
Oranges.....		375.4	381.0	-63.2	2.0	17.4	-3.9	-38.8	6.2
Other fresh fruits.....	12/77	189.1	191.3	1.3	6.0	-6.0	16.3	3.6	3.4
Fresh vegetables.....		310.1	332.5	9.5	16.8	-39.6	85.8	13.1	6.0
Potatoes.....		265.4	261.3	-54.0	-2.1	-17.9	-13.1	-32.9	-15.5
Lettuce ¹		398.4	418.6	59.1	-18.7	-16.1	242.1	13.7	69.4
Tomatoes ¹		281.5	304.7	-20.4	153.7	-12.4	60.5	42.1	18.6
Other fresh vegetables.....	12/77	173.3	187.7	47.8	19.4	-48.9	82.5	32.9	-3.4
Processed fruits and vegetables ¹		307.0	306.5	2.3	-4.1	-2.2	-2.9	-1.0	-2.6
Processed fruits.....	12/77	162.3	162.4	3.9	.7	-10.0	-5.5	2.3	-7.8
Fruit juices and frozen fruit ²	12/77	161.9	161.0	3.3	-1.9	-11.6	-10.4	.7	-11.0
Frozen fruit and fruit juices ³	12/77	151.8	150.0	2.8	-4.1	-25.1	-20.0	-7	-22.6
Fruit juices other than frozen ³	12/77	168.5	168.8	5.1	.2	-2.5	-2.6	2.6	-2.6
Canned and dried fruits ¹	12/77	163.9	165.1	6.3	-2	1.2	.7	3.0	1.0
Processed vegetables ¹	12/77	146.2	146.0	2.2	-5.0	1.7	-1.1	-1.5	.3
Frozen vegetables ¹	12/77	164.3	164.1	3.7	-2.4	2.7	-1.4	.6	.6
Other processed vegetables ^{1 2}	12/77	140.6	140.3	1.7	-5.8	.9	-9	-2.1	.0
Cut corn and canned beans except lima ^{1 3}	12/77	146.5	145.7	.8	-5.8	.8	-1.6	-2.6	-4
Other canned and dried vegetables ^{1 3}	12/77	137.5	137.5	2.3	-5.9	.9	-3	-1.9	.3
Other foods at home.....		374.3	373.2	2.6	.6	12.0	-.5	1.6	5.5
Sugar and sweets ¹		410.9	410.6	4.6	-.5	7.4	2.5	2.0	4.9
Sugar and artificial sweeteners ¹	12/77	173.0	173.2	5.0	-6.5	12.3	-3.2	-2.0	4.3
Sweets including candy ²	12/77	170.5	170.1	4.7	5.4	5.1	2.4	5.1	3.7
Candy and chewing gum ³	12/77	172.1	171.9	6.0	4.7	7.3	1.9	5.3	4.6
Other sweets ^{1 3}	12/77	166.6	166.6	1.7	4.8	1.7	4.7	3.2	3.2
Fats and oils ¹		287.8	286.6	4.0	-6.2	-1.4	-5.7	-1.2	-3.5
Margarine ^{1 3}		296.4	292.8	10.1	-6.4	1.2	-8.2	1.5	-3.6
Nondairy substitutes and peanut butter ^{1 3}	12/77	157.1	157.1	-.3	-.3	-2.3	1.0	-.3	-.6
Other fats, oils, and salad dressings ^{1 3}	12/77	146.3	146.1	2.9	-8.6	-2.1	-7.1	-3.0	-4.6
Nonalcoholic beverages.....		483.6	479.3	.3	.6	26.4	-2.3	.4	11.1
Carbonated drinks ²	12/77	154.5	153.1	-1.3	.0	7.0	-6.0	-.7	.3
Cola drinks, excluding diet cola ³		322.0	317.9	-3.0	.6	8.4	-9.7	-1.2	-1.1
Carbonated drinks, including diet cola ³	12/77	151.0	150.8	.5	.5	4.1	2.2	.5	3.1
Coffee ^{1 4}		523.0	516.6	-1.2	-1.3	179.0	10.9	-1.3	75.9
Roasted coffee ^{1 3}		524.2	515.8	-2.6	-2.9	258.4	6.9	-2.8	95.7
Freeze dried and instant coffee ^{1 3}		478.5	474.8	.2	.3	111.8	15.8	.3	56.6
Other noncarbonated drinks.....	12/77	155.0	153.9	3.2	1.8	.0	-3.3	2.5	-1.7
Other prepared foods ¹		300.7	301.8	4.0	3.3	1.1	2.0	3.6	1.5
Canned and packaged soup.....	12/77	155.8	157.1	8.9	-.5	-.8	3.9	4.1	1.5
Frozen prepared foods ¹	12/77	168.6	169.2	5.0	7.2	-2.1	4.1	6.1	1.0
Snacks ¹	12/77	177.2	177.4	.2	2.6	7.8	.2	1.4	3.9
Seasonings, condiments, sauces and spices ²	12/77	170.0	170.9	4.9	1.4	2.4	3.6	3.2	3.0
Seasonings, olives, pickles, and relish ³	12/77	171.3	171.4	1.0	-.2	2.4	5.8	.4	4.1
Other condiments ³	12/77	169.4	171.0	6.2	2.9	2.2	3.6	4.5	2.9
Other prepared foods, including miscellaneous and baby food ^{1 2}	12/77	160.4	160.6	1.5	.5	4.1	1.0	1.0	2.5
Miscellaneous prepared foods ^{1 3}	12/77	165.0	165.5	2.5	-.2	6.9	3.5	1.1	5.1
Other canned and packaged prepared foods ³	12/77	154.9	155.5	1.3	2.6	-1.3	-1.0	1.9	-1.1

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

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group and item	Other index base	Seasonally adjusted indexes		Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for—					
		Apr. 1986	May 1986	3 months ending in—				6 months ending in—	
				Aug. 1985	Nov. 1985	Feb. 1986	May 1986	Nov. 1985	May 1986
Food away from home		359.8	361.6	4.1	3.9	2.8	4.9	4.0	3.9
Lunch	12/77	173.4	174.4	3.6	4.8	2.1	5.2	4.2	3.7
Dinner	12/77	173.8	174.4	5.3	3.1	2.3	3.8	4.2	3.0
Other meals and snacks	12/77	176.5	177.6	3.6	4.0	2.6	7.1	3.8	4.8
Alcoholic beverages		241.6	241.7	3.0	13.0	2.7	1.3	7.9	2.0
Alcoholic beverages at home	12/77	153.9	153.6	3.6	10.4	2.9	1.0	6.9	2.0
Beer and ale		238.7	238.4	4.0	1.9	1.4	.8	2.9	1.1
Wine ¹		248.9	248.4	-1.5	2.0	6.5	-.3	.2	3.0
Distilled spirits ^{1 2}	12/77	141.8	141.9	1.2	43.1	1.7	.3	20.4	1.0
Other alcoholic beverages ^{1 3}	12/77	139.1	139.0	3.9	45.6	.6	1.2	23.0	.9
Whiskey ^{1 3}		170.3	170.5	-.3	41.9	2.1	.0	19.0	1.1
Alcoholic beverages away from home	12/77	174.0	174.7	3.5	14.8	5.5	3.3	9.0	4.4
Special indexes:									
Domestically produced farm food		279.8	282.2	-.3	6.4	-5.8	3.8	3.0	-1.1
Selected beef cuts ¹		267.2	265.6	-10.7	15.3	1.2	-10.3	1.5	-4.7
Imported food and fishery products ³	12/77	152.7	152.7	2.3	2.8	18.2	3.5	2.5	10.6

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⁴ New aggregate index. Monthly data for this series back to January 1967 are available from the Bureau of Labor Statistics.

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

Table 11. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers: Nonfood expenditure categories, U.S. city average

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group and item	Other index base	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to May 1988 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Apr. 1986	May 1986	May 1985	Apr. 1986	Feb. to Mar.	Mar. to Apr.	Apr. to May
Housing		351.1	351.6	2.8	0.1	0.2	0.3	-0.1
Shelter		388.1	388.8	5.6	.2	.7	.9	.1
Renters' costs	12/82	108.8	108.8	5.7	.2	.5	1.1	.1
Rent, residential ¹		277.0	277.5	6.0	.2	.6	1.2	.1
Other renters' costs		411.6	411.3	3.7	-.1	.3	.4	-.1
Lodging while out of town		433.9	433.1	2.7	-.2	.3	.5	-.8
Lodging while at school ¹	12/82	121.0	121.0	5.6	.0	.0	-.1	.0
Tenants' insurance ¹	12/77	176.8	177.6	5.7	.5	.3	.3	.5
Homeowners' costs	12/82	108.1	108.3	5.7	.2	.8	.7	.2
Owners' equivalent rent	12/82	108.1	108.3	5.8	.2	.8	.8	.1
Household insurance ¹	12/82	108.5	109.0	6.0	.5	.4	.3	.5
Maintenance and repairs ¹		364.6	363.8	.6	-.2	-2.5	.0	-.2
Maintenance and repair services ¹		419.2	420.0	2.4	.2	-2.3	.6	.2
Maintenance and repair commodities ¹		259.4	258.0	-1.0	-.5	-2.6	-.7	-.5
Paint and wallpaper, supplies, tools, and equipment ^{1,2}	12/77	146.8	146.2	-3.3	-.4	-5.6	-1.3	-.4
Lumber, awnings, glass, and masonry ^{1,2}	12/77	127.9	128.1	3.0	.2	.2	-.1	.2
Plumbing, electrical, heating, and cooling supplies ^{1,2}	12/77	143.6	145.1	-.4	1.0	.0	-1.7	1.0
Miscellaneous supplies and equipment	12/77	148.2	146.4	.3	-1.2	-.1	.4	-1.2
Fuel and other utilities		382.6	383.0	-2.7	.1	-1.1	-.7	-.9
Fuels		459.1	459.7	-6.0	.1	-1.6	-1.3	-1.3
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas		521.5	499.9	-19.8	-4.1	-5.5	-4.0	-4.4
Fuel oil		511.8	487.7	-22.5	-4.7	-6.1	-4.5	-5.1
Other fuels	6/78	188.5	185.7	-4.0	-1.5	-2.2	-1.5	-1.2
Gas (piped) and electricity		438.0	443.0	-2.2	1.1	-.7	-.7	-.5
Electricity		357.9	357.1	-.1	-.2	-.6	-.9	-.8
Utility (piped) gas		548.6	565.0	-4.9	3.0	-.8	-.4	-.1
Other utilities and public services ¹		252.1	252.2	6.1	.0	.4	.9	.0
Telephone services ¹		203.8	203.7	6.1	.0	.4	1.0	.0
Local charges ¹	12/77	187.5	187.4	11.4	-.1	.6	1.7	-.1
Interstate toll calls ¹	12/77	112.2	112.2	-4.3	.0	.0	.0	.0
Intrastate toll calls ¹	12/77	124.8	124.9	.9	.1	.1	-.2	.1
Water and sewerage maintenance ¹		419.3	420.7	5.7	.3	.5	.5	.3
Cable television ¹	12/83	114.8	114.8	4.6	.0	.5	-.2	.0
Refuse collection ¹	12/83	117.0	117.3	7.8	.3	.2	.8	.3
Household furnishings and operation		246.0	246.1	.9	.0	.1	-.3	.2
Housefurnishings		198.1	198.4	-.3	.2	.3	-.7	.4
Textile housefurnishings		244.7	247.0	-.1	.9	.7	-1.4	.7
Household linens ²	12/77	142.1	143.6	-.8	1.1	1.2	-1.5	.0
Curtains, drapes, slipcovers, and sewing materials ^{1,2}	12/77	164.8	166.2	.7	.8	.1	-.9	.8
Furniture and bedding		229.2	230.3	1.8	.5	.1	-1.7	1.0
Bedroom furniture ¹	12/77	165.1	167.2	5.4	1.3	4.5	-.8	1.3
Sofas	12/77	123.9	123.7	.5	-.2	-.6	-.4	.2
Living room chairs and tables ¹	12/77	132.3	133.1	4.1	.6	-1.9	1.5	.6
Other furniture	12/77	139.7	139.4	-3.4	-.2	-2.7	-1.6	.1
Appliances including TV and sound equipment ¹		142.3	141.9	-2.8	-.3	.4	.4	-.3
Television and sound equipment ¹	12/77	93.2	92.7	-4.1	-.5	-.2	.2	-.5
Television ¹		83.6	83.0	-5.7	-.7	-.2	.5	-.7
Sound equipment ¹	12/77	102.2	101.7	-3.0	-.5	.7	.0	-.5
Household appliances ^{1,3}		187.0	187.1	-1.1	.1	.7	.6	.1
Refrigerator and home freezer ¹		199.5	200.6	-.1	.6	.2	-.1	.6
Laundry equipment ¹	12/77	150.1	148.8	.3	-.9	.5	-.7	-.9
Other household appliances ^{1,3}	12/77	118.0	118.1	-1.7	.1	.9	1.3	.1
Stoves, dishwashers, vacuums, and sewing machines ^{1,3}	12/77	118.0	117.6	-3.1	-.3	2.3	1.8	-.3
Office machines, small electric appliances, and air conditioners ^{1,3}	12/77	117.7	118.2	-.3	.4	-.3	.8	.4

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 11. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers: Nonfood expenditure categories, U.S. city average—Continued

(1967=100, unless otherwise noted)

Group and item	Other index base	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to May 1986 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Apr. 1986	May 1986	May 1985	Apr. 1986	Feb. to Mar.	Mar. to Apr.	Apr. to May
Housefurnishings—Continued:								
Other household equipment ¹	12/77	142.4	141.9	-0.4	-0.4	0.4	0.0	-0.4
Floor and window coverings, infants', laundry, cleaning, and outdoor equipment ¹	12/77	144.8	143.5	1.4	-9	2.0	.6	-9
Clocks, lamps, and decor items ¹	12/77	131.8	131.3	-2.3	-4	3.2	1.2	-4
Tableware, serving pieces, and nonelectric kitchenware ¹	12/77	147.0	146.4	1.4	-4	-4	.0	-4
Lawn equipment, power tools, and other hardware ¹	12/77	140.4	140.5	-2.9	.1	-1.3	-8	.1
Housekeeping supplies		316.3	315.7	1.8	-2	-2	.2	-1
Laundry and cleaning products including soap ^{1 4}	12/77	166.6	164.4	3.7	-1.3	-8	.5	-1.3
Soaps and detergents ^{1 2}		320.3	317.3	4.2	-9	-1.3	1.0	-9
Other laundry and cleaning products ^{1 2}	12/77	163.9	160.8	3.0	-1.9	-1	-1	-1.9
Household paper products and stationery supplies ^{1 4}	12/77	155.0	155.7	-7	.5	-2	-7	.5
Cleansing and toilet tissue, paper towels and napkins ^{1 2}	12/77	157.2	157.8	-2.5	.4	-3	-1.2	.4
Stationery, stationery supplies, and gift wrap ^{1 2}	12/77	152.3	153.2	1.7	.6	-2	.0	.6
Other household lawn and garden supplies ⁴	12/77	154.7	155.9	1.8	.8	.3	.6	.9
Miscellaneous household products ^{1 2}	12/77	160.5	161.5	1.9	.6	.7	.3	.6
Lawn and garden supplies ²	12/77	145.4	146.9	1.5	1.0	-4	.6	1.1
Housekeeping services ¹		347.1	347.4	2.4	.1	.1	.1	.1
Postage ¹		372.7	372.7	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0
Moving, storage, freight, household laundry, and drycleaning services ^{1 3}	12/77	192.8	193.1	5.6	.2	.0	.3	.2
Appliance and furniture repair ¹	12/77	159.3	159.4	3.2	.1	.1	.3	.1
Apparel and upkeep		206.1	205.1	.4	-5	-2	.2	-1
Apparel commodities		191.2	190.1	-3	-6	-4	.3	-2
Apparel commodities less footwear		187.6	186.3	-3	-7	-5	.3	-2
Men's and boys'		199.3	200.0	.9	.4	-4	.3	.2
Men's	12/77	126.1	126.7	1.0	.5	-3	.1	.2
Suits, sport coats, coats, and jackets ⁴	12/77	109.6	109.1	2.2	-5	1.3	.2	-5
Suits, sport coats, and jackets ²	12/77	112.3	112.1	3.6	-2	1.2	.4	.0
Coats and jackets ²	12/77	104.0	102.8	-1.1	-1.2	1.6	.1	-1.8
Furnishings and special clothing ¹	12/77	149.6	150.4	2.2	.5	-9	.2	.5
Shirts	12/77	134.9	136.9	.5	1.5	-7	.2	1.3
Dungarees, jeans, and trousers	12/77	123.6	124.5	-8	.7	-3	-3	.0
Boys'	12/77	126.8	126.7	.6	-1	-7	1.0	-2
Coats, jackets, sweaters, and shirts ²	12/77	123.1	123.3	-7	.2	-7	1.8	.2
Furnishings ²	12/77	138.1	137.9	1.1	-1	-4	-3	-4
Suits, trousers, sport coats, and jackets ²	12/77	125.5	125.3	1.4	-2	-1.3	1.2	-2
Women's and girls'		169.3	165.9	-2.2	-2.0	-7	.4	-6
Women's	12/77	113.4	110.7	-2.3	-2.4	-9	.4	-9
Coats and jackets		158.9	147.7	-9.7	-7.0	-3.4	-1.3	-3.3
Dresses		166.4	162.8	-2.7	-2.2	-9	2.2	-2.4
Separates and sportswear	12/77	106.8	105.3	2.6	-1.4	.3	.3	-4
Underwear, nightwear, and hosiery	12/77	141.4	140.0	-6	-1.0	.4	-1	-1.3
Suits	12/77	94.8	89.9	-10.6	-5.2	-3.7	.1	3.9
Girls'	12/77	108.9	109.0	-1.6	.1	-2	-5	.8
Coats, jackets, dresses, and suits ²	12/77	99.1	98.4	-3.5	-7	.1	.7	.8
Separates and sportswear ²	12/77	104.8	104.7	-2.4	-1	.5	-1.8	.8
Underwear, nightwear, hosiery, and accessories ²	12/77	132.0	133.5	1.8	1.1	-7	-1.2	.9
Infants' and toddlers' ¹		331.3	334.3	7.6	.9	.3	.5	.9
Other apparel commodities ¹		204.1	203.8	.5	-1	-3	.3	-1
Sewing materials and notions ^{1 3}	12/77	124.6	123.2	1.5	-1.1	1.8	-1	-1.1
Jewelry and luggage ^{1 3}	12/77	135.3	135.7	.1	.3	-1.2	.4	.3
Footwear		212.1	212.0	-6	.0	.6	.3	-3
Men's	12/77	143.7	143.9	1.5	.1	-1	.7	-1
Boys' and girls' ¹	12/77	137.3	135.9	-9	-1.0	1.4	.7	-1.0
Women's	12/77	120.2	120.9	-2.4	.6	.3	-7	.4
Apparel services		330.2	330.9	4.4	.2	.3	.2	.2
Laundry and dry cleaning other than coin operated	12/77	196.2	196.7	3.9	.3	.1	.3	.3
Other apparel services ¹	12/77	175.5	175.8	5.3	.2	.4	.6	.2

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 11. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers: Nonfood expenditure categories, U.S. city average—Continued

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group and item	Other index base	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to May 1986 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Apr. 1986	May 1986	May 1985	Apr. 1986	Feb. to Mar.	Mar. to Apr.	Apr. to May
Transportation		303.5	305.9	-5.4	0.8	-3.0	-2.6	0.2
Private		297.4	299.9	-6.1	.8	-3.1	-2.8	.2
New vehicles		220.2	222.0	4.0	.8	.2	.5	.9
New cars		220.4	222.3	4.0	.9	.1	.6	.9
New trucks and motorcycles ¹	12/83	108.9	109.7	4.2	.7	.2	.2	.7
Used cars		364.8	363.6	-5.4	-.3	-.6	-.8	-1.9
Motor fuel		280.1	290.3	-24.2	3.6	-12.0	-11.2	2.6
Gasoline		279.1	289.6	-24.3	3.8	-12.0	-11.4	2.6
Gasoline, leaded regular	1/76	152.2	159.7	-25.2	4.9	-13.2	-11.9	3.8
Gasoline, unleaded regular	1/76	158.8	165.1	-25.3	4.0	-12.5	-11.7	2.8
Gasoline, unleaded premium	8/81	75.5	76.6	-20.9	1.5	-9.6	-8.8	1.5
Automobile maintenance and repair		362.2	362.8	3.5	.2	.1	.6	.1
Body work ¹	12/77	183.4	184.9	4.4	.8	.4	1.3	.8
Automobile drive train, brake, and miscellaneous mechanical repair ¹	12/77	182.9	183.3	4.3	.2	.4	.8	.2
Maintenance and servicing ¹	12/77	160.4	160.9	2.5	.3	-.3	-.2	.3
Power plant repair	12/77	173.9	173.4	3.6	-.3	.4	.3	-.3
Other private transportation ¹		300.4	299.8	4.9	-.2	.7	-.1	-.2
Other private transportation commodities ¹		204.6	204.9	.7	.1	.3	-.7	.1
Motor oil, coolant, and other products ¹	12/77	155.5	154.8	.3	-.5	.3	-1.1	-.5
Automobile parts and equipment ¹	12/77	128.7	129.1	.8	.3	.2	-.6	.3
Tires ¹		174.3	175.1	.3	.5	.5	-1.1	.5
Other parts and equipment ¹	12/77	135.1	134.9	1.9	-.1	-.2	.6	-.1
Other private transportation services ¹		328.5	327.7	5.6	-.2	.8	.1	-.2
Automobile insurance ¹		397.8	399.2	13.1	.4	1.3	.8	.4
Automobile finance charges ¹	12/77	150.5	146.5	-10.0	-2.7	-.2	-1.9	-2.7
Automobile rental, registration, and other fees ¹	12/77	166.5	167.7	4.1	.7	.4	.2	.7
Automobile registration, license, and inspection fees ^{1 4}	12/77	154.0	154.0	1.4	.0	.1	.0	.0
State registration ^{1 2}		214.2	214.2	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0
Drivers' license ^{1 2}	12/77	174.3	174.3	5.6	.0	.0	.0	.0
Automobile inspection ^{1 2}	12/77	160.7	161.0	11.5	.2	.0	-.6	.2
Other automobile related fees ¹	12/77	193.0	196.5	8.8	1.8	.8	.6	1.8
Public transportation ¹		413.0	413.8	6.8	.2	-.1	.2	.2
Airline fare ¹		476.5	478.4	3.4	.4	-.6	.4	.4
Other intercity transportation ^{1 4}		220.1	221.5	12.2	.6	.7	1.0	.6
Intercity bus fare ^{1 2}		515.2	518.7	13.9	.7	.8	1.2	.7
Intercity train fare ^{1 2}		408.0	409.7	5.9	.4	.0	.3	.4
Intracity public transportation ^{1 4}		206.5	206.6	8.7	.0	.1	.0	.0
Intracity mass transit ^{1 2}		380.4	380.6	9.6	.1	.1	.0	.1
Taxi fare ^{1 2}		335.5	335.6	2.7	.0	.1	.1	.0
Medical care		425.7	427.3	7.4	.4	.8	.7	.6
Medical care commodities		270.7	271.7	6.6	.4	.5	.4	.3
Prescription drugs		276.5	277.9	8.5	.5	.8	.4	.5
Anti-infective drugs ^{1 2}	12/77	191.7	192.1	7.7	.2	.3	.9	.2
Tranquilizers and sedatives ²	12/77	256.3	257.9	10.0	.6	1.1	.4	.5
Circulatories and diuretics ^{1 2}	12/77	200.0	202.2	10.2	1.1	1.5	1.4	1.1
Hormones, diabetic drugs, biologicals, and prescription medical supplies ²	12/77	253.1	254.4	8.3	.5	.4	-.8	.6
Pain and symptom control drugs ^{1 2}	12/77	219.8	220.3	6.2	.2	1.1	.1	.2
Supplements, cough and cold preparations, and respiratory agents ²	12/77	202.4	203.3	8.4	.4	1.3	.4	.4
Nonprescription drugs and medical supplies ^{1 3}	12/77	179.7	180.1	5.0	.2	.2	.7	.2
Eyeglasses ^{1 2}	12/77	148.0	148.7	4.0	.5	.3	.5	.5
Internal and respiratory over-the-counter drugs ¹		296.0	296.4	5.2	.1	-.1	1.0	.1
Nonprescription medical equipment and supplies ¹	12/77	174.0	174.3	5.6	.2	1.1	.5	.2
Medical care services		459.5	461.3	7.8	.4	.9	.7	.7
Professional services		387.4	388.8	6.5	.4	.8	.6	.5
Physicians' services		426.8	429.0	7.2	.5	1.1	.5	.7
Dental services ¹		360.9	362.4	5.6	.4	.9	.3	.4
Other professional services ^{1 2}	12/77	176.8	175.9	6.4	-.5	.6	.8	-.5
Other medical care services ²		550.0	552.3	8.7	.4	1.0	.9	.8
Hospital and other medical services ²	12/77	231.0	231.2	5.3	.1	.7	.5	.6
Hospital room		729.4	729.8	5.1	.1	1.0	.4	.7
Other hospital and medical care services ²	12/77	228.7	229.0	5.5	.1	.4	.6	.5

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Table 11. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers: Nonfood expenditure categories, U.S. city average—Continued

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group and item	Other index base	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to May 1986 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Apr. 1986	May 1986	May 1985	Apr. 1986	Feb. to Mar.	Mar. to Apr.	Apr. to May
Entertainment		266.9	267.3	3.2	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.3
Entertainment commodities		258.4	258.7	2.2	.1	-.1	-.1	.4
Reading materials ¹	12/77	180.6	181.3	5.0	.4	.6	.4	.4
Newspapers ¹		340.1	340.8	3.9	.2	.4	.5	.2
Magazines, periodicals, and books ¹	12/77	191.2	192.5	6.5	.7	.9	.3	.7
Sporting goods and equipment	12/77	133.9	133.4	.2	-.4	-.4	-.8	.2
Sports vehicles, including bicycles ^{1 4}	12/77	138.0	137.3	.4	-.5	-.2	-.6	-.5
Sport vehicles ^{1 2}	12/77	137.1	136.3	.2	-.6	-.4	-.8	-.6
Bicycles ²		206.2	205.7	.7	-.2	1.1	-.4	-.4
Other sporting goods ^{1 4}	12/77	123.0	123.0	-.5	.0	-1.2	.0	.0
Indoor and warm weather sport equipment ^{1 2}	12/77	115.2	115.3	.2	.1	-.4	.2	.1
Other sporting goods and equipment ²	12/77	128.7	128.8	-.8	.1	-1.8	.1	.1
Toys, hobbies, and other entertainment	12/77	144.2	144.6	1.8	.3	-.5	.1	.3
Toys, hobbies, and music equipment	12/77	136.2	136.8	1.2	.4	-.7	-.5	.4
Photographic supplies and equipment	12/77	141.5	142.2	3.3	.5	.0	.9	.3
Pet supplies and expense ¹	12/77	160.1	159.8	1.8	-.2	.0	.3	-.2
Entertainment services ¹		283.0	283.6	5.0	.2	.0	.3	.2
Fees for participant sports ^{1 3}	12/77	178.6	178.5	5.4	-.1	.2	.6	-.1
Admissions ¹	12/77	166.2	167.2	4.2	.6	.1	-.5	.6
Other entertainment services ^{1 3}	12/77	145.6	146.1	4.4	.3	-.3	.8	.3
Other goods and services		337.6	338.0	6.0	.1	.4	.4	.2
Tobacco products ¹		346.0	346.0	6.9	.0	.2	.2	.0
Cigarettes ^{1 2}		355.4	355.4	7.1	.0	.2	.2	.0
Other tobacco products and smoking accessories ²	12/77	172.5	172.3	3.8	-.1	.2	.2	.1
Personal care ¹		288.2	288.6	3.6	.1	.4	.1	.1
Toilet goods and personal care appliances ¹		288.4	288.6	3.9	.1	.5	.1	.1
Other toilet goods and small appliances, including hair and dental products ^{1 4}	12/77	168.6	168.6	3.5	.0	.7	.1	.0
Products for the hair, hairpieces, and wigs ^{1 2}	12/77	161.3	160.7	3.2	-.4	.4	-.2	-.4
Dental and shaving products ^{1 2}	12/77	182.3	181.7	5.0	-.3	1.1	.6	-.3
Other toilet goods and small personal care appliances ^{1 2}	12/77	166.3	167.5	2.6	.7	.4	.0	.7
Cosmetics, bath and nail preparations manicure and eye makeup implements ¹	12/77	164.9	165.2	4.7	.2	.1	.2	.2
Personal care services ¹		288.4	289.0	3.3	.2	.3	.0	.2
Beauty parlor services for females ¹		289.1	289.5	3.0	.1	.3	.1	.1
Haircuts and other barber shop services for males ¹	12/77	162.4	162.9	3.9	.3	.4	-.1	.3
Personal and educational expenses		421.2	422.0	8.0	.2	.5	.8	.7
School books and supplies		379.1	379.1	8.5	.0	.9	.6	.7
Personal and educational services		431.8	432.8	7.9	.2	.5	.8	.8
Tuition and other school fees	12/77	219.7	219.7	8.4	.0	.6	.6	.8
College tuition	12/77	220.0	220.0	8.6	.0	.5	.7	.8
Elementary and high school tuition	12/77	218.9	218.9	7.9	.0	.7	.8	.7
Personal expenses ¹	12/77	227.4	229.6	6.0	1.0	.2	1.2	1.0
Special indexes:								
Motor fuel, motor oil, coolant and other products		278.4	288.3	-23.8	3.6	-11.8	-11.1	2.5
Utilities and public transportation		366.1	368.6	1.5	.7	-.3	-.1	-.2
Housekeeping and home maintenance services ¹		400.1	400.5	2.4	.1	-.2	.2	.1

¹ Not seasonally adjusted.

² This index series will not be published after December 1986.

³ Index coverage will be redefined effective January 1987. The current definition will not be published after December 1986.

⁴ New aggregate index. Monthly data for this series back to January 1978 are available from the Bureau of Labor Statistics.

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

Table 12. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers: Nonfood expenditure categories, seasonally adjusted, U.S. city average

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group and item	Other index base	Seasonally adjusted indexes		Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for—					
		Apr. 1986	May 1986	3 months ending in—				6 months ending in—	
				Aug. 1985	Nov. 1985	Feb. 1986	May 1986	Nov. 1985	May 1986
Housing		351.7	351.3	3.8	3.6	2.2	1.4	3.7	1.8
Shelter		388.7	389.1	6.1	4.9	5.2	6.6	5.5	5.9
Renters' costs	12/82	108.8	108.9	5.5	6.3	4.2	6.9	5.9	5.5
Rent, residential ¹		277.6	277.8	5.6	6.6	4.2	7.5	6.1	5.9
Other renters' costs		411.6	411.3	7.0	4.5	.9	2.5	5.8	1.7
Lodging while out of town		432.6	429.2	9.5	5.4	-3.6	.0	7.5	-1.8
Lodging while at school ¹	12/82	121.0	121.0	1.4	23.0	.0	-.3	11.7	-.2
Tenants' insurance ¹	12/77	176.8	177.6	3.4	6.3	8.6	4.4	4.8	6.5
Homeowners' costs	12/82	108.3	108.5	6.4	4.3	5.4	7.3	5.3	6.4
Owners' equivalent rent	12/82	108.3	108.4	6.4	4.3	5.4	6.9	5.3	6.2
Household insurance ¹	12/82	108.5	109.0	3.5	5.9	10.3	4.5	4.7	7.4
Maintenance and repairs ¹		364.6	363.8	4.3	2.3	7.0	-10.5	3.3	-2.1
Maintenance and repair services ¹		419.2	420.0	9.6	1.2	5.4	-6.0	5.3	-.4
Maintenance and repair commodities ¹		259.4	258.0	-.2	3.3	8.5	-14.2	1.5	-3.5
Paint and wallpaper, supplies, tools, and equipment ^{1 2}	12/77	146.8	146.2	-1.6	6.0	13.2	-25.9	2.1	-8.5
Lumber, awnings, glass, and masonry ^{1 2}	12/77	127.9	128.1	1.3	1.9	7.5	1.3	1.6	4.4
Plumbing, electrical, heating, and cooling supplies ^{1 2}	12/77	143.6	145.1	.8	-.3	.5	-2.7	.3	-1.1
Miscellaneous supplies and equipment	12/77	148.2	146.4	.0	.0	4.7	-3.5	.0	.5
Fuel and other utilities		386.5	383.1	.6	1.8	-2.9	-10.2	1.2	-6.6
Fuels		465.0	459.1	-3.6	1.4	-5.1	-15.7	-1.1	-10.5
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas		524.6	501.4	-8.7	22.3	-34.4	-43.4	5.6	-39.0
Fuel oil		515.4	489.2	-10.3	26.0	-39.2	-47.5	6.3	-43.5
Other fuels	6/78	188.3	186.1	.2	3.3	-.4	-17.6	1.8	-9.4
Gas (piped) and electricity		444.6	442.2	-2.1	-3.7	5.1	-7.3	-2.9	-1.3
Electricity		366.3	363.3	.7	.6	8.3	-8.9	.6	-.7
Utility (piped) gas		555.8	555.0	-5.8	-9.0	.4	-5.1	-7.4	-2.4
Other utilities and public services ¹		252.1	252.2	13.0	2.8	3.3	5.6	7.8	4.4
Telephone services ¹		203.8	203.7	15.2	2.4	1.6	5.7	8.6	3.6
Local charges ¹	12/77	187.5	187.4	30.3	4.1	3.8	9.5	16.4	6.6
Interstate toll calls ¹	12/77	112.2	112.2	-15.7	-.4	.0	.0	-8.4	.0
Intrastate toll calls ¹	12/77	124.8	124.9	8.0	.3	-4.1	-.3	4.1	-2.2
Water and sewerage maintenance ¹		419.3	420.7	9.3	2.7	5.6	5.5	5.9	5.5
Cable television ¹	12/83	114.8	114.8	6.3	2.2	8.9	1.4	4.2	5.1
Refuse collection ¹	12/83	117.0	117.3	6.8	7.8	12.6	4.2	7.3	8.3
Household furnishings and operation		245.0	245.4	1.0	2.3	.3	.0	1.7	.2
Housefurnishings		196.7	197.4	-.6	1.0	-1.2	-.4	.2	-.8
Textile housefurnishings		243.2	245.0	-2.3	2.5	-.5	.0	.1	-.2
Household linens ²	12/77	142.2	142.2	-6.5	9.7	-4.4	-1.4	1.3	-2.9
Curtains, drapes, slipcovers, and sewing materials ^{1 2}	12/77	164.8	166.2	-3.3	-5.0	11.6	.2	-4.2	5.8
Furniture and bedding		226.3	228.5	3.1	5.2	1.6	-2.4	4.1	-.4
Bedroom furniture ¹	12/77	165.1	167.2	-2.5	13.6	-8.6	21.7	5.2	5.5
Sofas	12/77	122.8	123.0	1.0	-1.3	5.7	-3.2	-.2	1.1
Living room chairs and tables ¹	12/77	132.3	133.1	-.6	18.7	-1.5	.9	8.6	-.3
Other furniture	12/77	137.6	137.7	4.3	.6	-1.4	-15.9	2.4	-8.9
Appliances including TV and sound equipment ¹		142.3	141.9	-5.6	-4.4	-3.1	2.0	-5.0	-.6
Television and sound equipment ¹	12/77	93.2	92.7	-7.2	-5.8	-3.0	-.4	-6.5	-1.7
Television ¹		83.6	83.0	-10.1	-8.6	-1.9	-1.9	-9.3	-1.9
Sound equipment ¹	12/77	102.2	101.7	-4.5	-4.2	-3.8	.8	-4.3	-1.6
Household appliances ^{1 3}		187.0	187.1	-3.8	-2.1	-3.6	5.5	-2.9	.9
Refrigerator and home freezer ¹		199.5	200.6	-2.2	-3.0	2.2	2.4	-2.6	2.3
Laundry equipment ¹	12/77	150.1	148.8	-.8	5.0	1.9	-4.4	2.0	-1.3
Other household appliances ^{1 3}	12/77	118.0	118.1	-4.9	-3.3	-7.0	9.3	-4.1	.9
Stoves, dishwashers, vacuums, and sewing machines ^{1 3}	12/77	118.0	117.6	-10.4	-.7	-14.7	16.1	-5.7	-.5
Office machines, small electric appliances, and air conditioners ^{1 3}	12/77	117.7	118.2	.7	-5.9	.7	3.5	-2.7	2.1

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 12. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers: Nonfood expenditure categories, seasonally adjusted, U.S. city average—Continued

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group and item	Other index base	Seasonally adjusted indexes		Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for—					
		Apr. 1986	May 1986	3 months ending in—				6 months ending in—	
				Aug. 1985	Nov. 1985	Feb. 1986	May 1986	Nov. 1985	May 1986
Housefurnishings—Continued:									
Other household equipment ¹	12/77	142.4	141.9	-3.1	2.6	-0.8	0.0	-0.3	-0.4
Floor and window coverings, infants', laundry, cleaning, and outdoor equipment ¹	12/77	144.8	143.5	-6.3	6.2	-6	7.0	-3	3.1
Clocks, lamps, and decor items ¹	12/77	131.8	131.3	-8.6	11.1	-23.2	16.8	.7	-5.3
Tableware, serving pieces, and nonelectric kitchenware ¹	12/77	147.0	146.4	2.0	-3.5	11.0	-3.2	-8	3.6
Lawn equipment, power tools, and other hardware ¹	12/77	140.4	140.5	-4.1	4.5	-4.1	-7.6	.1	-5.9
Housekeeping supplies		315.4	315.1	2.1	4.6	1.1	-5	3.3	.3
Laundry and cleaning products including soap ^{1,4}	12/77	166.6	164.4	3.1	7.2	11.5	-6.3	5.1	2.2
Soaps and detergents ^{1,2}		320.3	317.3	1.6	7.1	13.8	-4.9	4.3	4.0
Other laundry and cleaning products ^{1,2}	12/77	163.9	160.8	5.5	7.0	8.5	-8.0	6.2	-1
Household paper products and stationery supplies ^{1,4}	12/77	155.0	155.7	-1.0	.5	-.5	-1.8	-.3	-1.1
Cleansing and toilet tissue, paper towels and napkins ^{1,2}	12/77	157.2	157.8	-3.7	-.7	-1.5	-4.2	-2.2	-2.9
Stationery, stationery supplies, and gift wrap ^{1,2}	12/77	152.3	153.2	2.7	2.1	.5	1.6	2.4	1.1
Other household lawn and garden supplies ⁴	12/77	153.6	155.0	1.1	5.9	-6.8	7.6	3.4	.1
Miscellaneous household products ^{1,2}	12/77	160.5	161.5	.5	2.8	-2.2	6.7	1.6	2.1
Lawn and garden supplies ²	12/77	143.3	144.9	1.4	7.8	-7.7	5.1	4.5	-1.5
Housekeeping services ¹		347.1	347.4	3.6	2.7	2.1	1.3	3.1	1.7
Postage ¹		372.7	372.7	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0
Moving, storage, freight, household laundry, and drycleaning services ^{1,3}	12/77	192.8	193.1	9.3	7.2	4.1	1.9	8.3	3.0
Appliance and furniture repair ¹	12/77	159.3	159.4	4.7	2.6	3.3	2.0	3.7	2.7
Apparel and upkeep		205.5	205.3	1.8	4.2	-3.4	-2	3.0	-1.8
Apparel commodities		190.6	190.2	.8	4.3	-5.1	-1.0	2.5	-3.1
Apparel commodities less footwear		186.9	186.5	1.3	4.1	-4.4	-1.7	2.7	-3.0
Men's and boys' ¹		199.3	199.6	1.6	3.5	-1.2	.0	2.5	-.6
Men's	12/77	126.1	126.3	.6	3.2	.3	-.3	1.9	.0
Suits, sport coats, coats, and jackets ⁴	12/77	109.8	109.2	.4	5.7	-1.1	3.7	3.0	1.3
Suits, sport coats, and jackets ²	12/77	111.9	111.9	1.1	7.6	-.4	6.3	4.3	2.9
Coats and jackets ²	12/77	105.4	103.5	-2.3	.8	-2.3	-.4	-.8	-1.3
Furnishings and special clothing ¹	12/77	149.6	150.4	8.7	9.7	-7.6	-.8	9.2	-4.2
Shirts	12/77	134.4	136.1	-2.3	7.3	-5.7	3.3	2.4	-1.3
Dungarees, jeans, and trousers	12/77	123.4	123.4	-5.4	1.3	3.6	-2.6	-2.1	.5
Boys' ¹	12/77	127.2	127.0	3.2	4.8	-5.8	.6	4.0	-2.6
Coats, jackets, sweaters, and shirts ²	12/77	123.6	123.9	5.6	7.8	-19.0	5.3	6.7	-7.6
Furnishings ²	12/77	138.1	137.5	3.6	.6	5.0	-4.5	2.1	.1
Suits, trousers, sport coats, and jackets ²	12/77	126.1	125.9	-1.0	4.9	2.6	-.9	1.9	.8
Women's and girls' ¹		168.1	167.1	-.5	7.5	-11.0	-3.7	3.4	-7.5
Women's	12/77	112.6	111.6	-1.0	9.4	-11.2	-5.2	4.1	-8.2
Coats and jackets		157.6	152.4	-2.8	33.1	-28.7	-27.7	13.7	-28.2
Dresses		164.6	160.6	-15.1	23.0	-9.7	-4.8	2.2	-7.3
Separates and sportswear	12/77	106.3	105.9	5.9	6.3	-2.2	.8	6.1	-.8
Underwear, nightwear, and hosiery	12/77	141.0	139.2	-2.0	4.4	-1.1	-3.7	1.1	-2.4
Suits	12/77	91.8	95.4	10.5	-11.5	-35.4	.8	-1.1	-19.3
Girls' ¹	12/77	106.4	109.3	2.2	3.6	-12.2	.7	2.9	-5.9
Coats, jackets, dresses, and suits ²	12/77	99.4	100.2	1.2	3.5	-22.5	6.7	2.3	-9.1
Separates and sportswear ²	12/77	103.3	104.1	.4	5.3	-12.3	-2.3	2.8	-7.4
Underwear, nightwear, hosiery, and accessories ²	12/77	131.6	132.8	7.2	.0	4.3	-4.1	3.6	.0
Infants' and toddlers' ¹		331.3	334.3	.8	12.8	10.2	7.1	6.6	8.7
Other apparel commodities ¹		204.1	203.8	5.0	-5.2	3.4	-.8	-.2	1.3
Sewing materials and notions ^{1,3}	12/77	124.6	123.2	-.3	3.0	1.0	2.3	1.3	1.6
Jewelry and luggage ^{1,3}	12/77	135.3	135.7	7.3	-8.2	4.5	-2.3	-.7	1.0
Footwear		211.5	210.9	-.4	4.4	-8.5	2.3	2.0	-3.2
Men's	12/77	143.3	143.2	1.7	5.2	-2.8	2.0	3.4	-.4
Boys' and girls' ¹	12/77	137.3	135.9	-4.9	6.3	-8.7	4.5	.6	-2.3
Women's	12/77	119.2	119.7	-1.0	6.0	-13.4	-.3	2.5	-7.1
Apparel services		329.5	330.2	6.5	3.3	5.0	3.0	4.9	4.0
Laundry and dry cleaning other than coin operated	12/77	195.6	196.1	4.5	4.7	3.8	2.5	4.6	3.1
Other apparel services ¹	12/77	175.5	175.8	7.9	2.9	5.7	4.7	5.3	5.2

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 12. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers: Nonfood expenditure categories, seasonally adjusted, U.S. city average—Continued

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group and item	Other index base	Seasonally adjusted indexes		Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for—					
		Apr. 1986	May 1986	3 months ending in—				6 months ending in—	
				Aug. 1985	Nov. 1985	Feb. 1986	May 1986	Nov. 1985	May 1986
Transportation		304.1	304.8	-0.9	3.3	-2.6	-19.4	1.2	-11.4
Private		298.1	298.8	-1.3	3.1	-3.5	-20.6	.9	-12.4
New vehicles		220.0	222.0	2.3	4.5	2.8	6.6	3.4	4.7
New cars		220.4	222.3	2.5	4.0	3.2	6.6	3.2	4.8
New trucks and motorcycles ¹	12/83	108.9	109.7	-4	8.6	4.2	4.5	4.0	4.3
Used cars		369.2	362.2	-9.3	.2	1.0	-12.4	-4.7	-6.0
Motor fuel		280.1	287.4	.2	.0	-20.0	-58.8	.1	-42.6
Gasoline		279.1	286.4	.5	-4	-20.2	-59.0	.1	-42.8
Gasoline, leaded regular	1/76	152.2	158.0	1.3	-4	-21.9	-60.2	.5	-44.2
Gasoline, unleaded regular	1/76	159.1	163.6	-4	.0	-21.3	-60.1	-2	-44.0
Gasoline, unleaded premium	8/81	75.5	76.6	-4	-4.1	-16.1	-51.1	-2.3	-35.9
Automobile maintenance and repair		362.6	362.8	3.1	4.4	3.3	3.1	3.7	3.2
Body work ¹	12/77	183.4	184.9	5.1	4.5	-2.4	10.8	4.8	4.0
Automobile drive train, brake, and miscellaneous mechanical repair ¹	12/77	182.9	183.3	.2	6.5	4.8	5.9	3.3	5.3
Maintenance and servicing ¹	12/77	160.4	160.9	1.0	4.1	5.7	-7	2.6	2.4
Power plant repair	12/77	174.1	173.6	5.9	3.8	3.1	1.9	4.8	2.5
Other private transportation ¹		300.4	299.8	2.4	8.8	6.6	1.9	5.5	4.2
Other private transportation commodities ¹		204.6	204.9	2.8	-2.3	3.4	-1.0	.2	1.2
Motor oil, coolant, and other products ¹	12/77	155.5	154.8	5.3	.0	1.0	-5.0	2.6	-2.0
Automobile parts and equipment ¹	12/77	128.7	129.1	2.5	-2.8	3.8	-3	-2	1.7
Tires ¹		174.3	175.1	1.8	-2.3	2.5	-9	-2	.8
Other parts and equipment ¹	12/77	135.1	134.9	3.4	-3.3	6.8	.9	.0	3.8
Other private transportation services ¹		328.5	327.7	2.2	10.8	7.0	2.5	6.4	4.7
Automobile insurance ¹		397.8	399.2	9.3	17.4	15.9	10.1	13.3	13.0
Automobile finance charges ¹	12/77	150.5	146.5	-14.2	2.3	-9.5	-17.5	-6.3	-13.6
Automobile rental, registration, and other fees ¹	12/77	166.5	167.7	6.1	1.5	3.5	5.4	3.8	4.4
Automobile registration, license, and inspection fees ^{1 4}	12/77	154.0	154.0	7.3	-2.1	.5	.3	2.5	.4
State registration ^{1 2}		214.2	214.2	7.1	-6.3	-2	.0	.2	-1
Drivers' license ^{1 2}	12/77	174.3	174.3	5.7	17.3	.2	.0	11.3	.1
Automobile inspection ^{1 2}	12/77	160.7	161.0	16.1	33.4	1.5	-1.7	24.5	-1
Other automobile related fees ¹	12/77	193.0	196.5	4.3	8.8	8.6	13.7	6.5	11.1
Public transportation ¹		413.0	413.8	6.2	6.9	13.1	1.2	6.6	7.0
Airline fare ¹		476.5	478.4	1.7	13.4	-1.2	.6	7.4	-3
Other intercity transportation ^{1 4}		220.1	221.5	12.5	7.9	19.0	9.8	10.2	14.3
Intercity bus fare ^{1 2}		515.2	518.7	13.7	9.8	21.0	11.5	11.7	16.1
Intercity train fare ^{1 2}		408.0	409.7	6.7	.5	14.2	2.6	3.5	8.2
Intracity public transportation ^{1 4}		206.5	206.6	9.4	1.9	24.5	.8	5.5	12.0
Intracity mass transit ^{1 2}		380.4	380.6	10.3	1.7	27.4	.8	5.9	13.3
Taxi fare ^{1 2}		335.5	335.6	1.7	4.3	3.5	1.2	3.0	2.4
Medical care		424.7	427.2	7.0	6.5	7.4	8.7	6.7	8.0
Medical care commodities		269.9	270.6	8.1	5.7	8.0	4.7	6.9	6.3
Prescription drugs		275.1	276.5	10.3	6.7	10.0	6.9	8.5	8.5
Anti-infective drugs ^{1 2}	12/77	191.7	192.1	10.7	8.6	5.5	6.0	9.6	5.8
Tranquillizers and sedatives ²	12/77	254.0	255.3	12.8	3.4	15.4	8.6	8.0	11.9
Circulatories and diuretics ^{1 2}	12/77	200.0	202.2	7.9	6.6	9.4	17.3	7.2	13.3
Hormones, diabetic drugs, biologicals, and prescription medical supplies ²	12/77	251.3	252.9	10.1	13.1	9.4	.8	11.6	5.0
Pain and symptom control drugs ^{1 2}	12/77	219.8	220.3	4.5	3.9	10.6	5.8	4.2	8.2
Supplements, cough and cold preparations, and respiratory agents ²	12/77	201.0	201.9	10.7	7.1	7.0	9.2	8.9	8.1
Nonprescription drugs and medical supplies ^{1 3}	12/77	179.7	180.1	5.7	3.7	5.8	4.8	4.7	5.3
Eyeglasses ^{1 2}	12/77	148.0	148.7	4.0	4.2	2.5	5.3	4.1	3.9
Internal and respiratory over-the-counter drugs ¹		296.0	296.4	6.2	3.7	6.7	4.2	5.0	5.4
Nonprescription medical equipment and supplies ¹	12/77	174.0	174.3	5.7	4.1	5.6	7.2	4.9	6.4
Medical care services		458.6	461.6	6.8	6.6	7.5	9.5	6.7	8.5
Professional services		386.6	388.4	6.5	6.8	5.2	7.5	6.6	6.4
Physicians' services		425.5	428.6	7.1	7.3	4.8	9.7	7.2	7.2
Dental services ¹		360.9	362.4	5.3	4.6	5.8	6.7	5.0	6.2
Other professional services ^{1 2}	12/77	176.8	175.9	4.9	13.0	4.5	3.5	8.9	4.0
Other medical care services ²		549.5	554.0	7.1	6.4	9.7	11.4	6.7	10.6
Hospital and other medical services ²	12/77	230.8	232.1	3.9	3.5	6.8	7.0	3.7	6.9
Hospital room		729.4	734.2	2.6	2.6	6.7	8.7	2.6	7.7
Other hospital and medical care services ²	12/77	228.5	229.7	5.1	4.2	6.6	6.1	4.6	6.4

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 12. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers: Nonfood expenditure categories, seasonally adjusted, U.S. city average—Continued

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group and item	Other index base	Seasonally adjusted indexes		Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for—					
		Apr. 1986	May 1986	3 months ending in—				6 months ending in—	
				Aug. 1985	Nov. 1985	Feb. 1986	May 1986	Nov. 1985	May 1986
Entertainment		266.7	267.6	3.3	4.0	4.6	1.5	3.7	3.1
Entertainment commodities		257.6	258.7	2.2	3.8	1.6	1.1	3.0	1.3
Reading materials ¹	12/77	180.6	181.3	5.2	4.4	4.8	5.7	4.8	5.3
Newspapers ¹		340.1	340.8	.7	7.4	3.5	4.2	4.0	3.9
Magazines, periodicals, and books ¹	12/77	191.2	192.5	11.0	.9	6.4	7.8	5.8	7.1
Sporting goods and equipment	12/77	133.2	133.4	2.7	4.2	-2.1	-4.1	3.5	-3.1
Sports vehicles, including bicycles ^{1 4}	12/77	138.0	137.3	2.1	7.2	-2.0	-5.3	4.6	-3.7
Sport vehicles ^{1 2}	12/77	137.1	136.3	2.4	9.4	-3.1	-7.0	5.8	-5.1
Bicycles ²		205.8	204.9	1.4	-8	1.2	1.2	.3	1.2
Other sporting goods ^{1 4}	12/77	123.0	123.0	.3	2.0	.6	-4.7	1.1	-2.1
Indoor and warm weather sport equipment ^{1 2}	12/77	115.2	115.3	.0	-2.4	3.9	-7	-1.2	1.6
Other sporting goods and equipment ²	12/77	128.7	128.8	.6	4.4	-1.2	-6.6	2.5	-3.9
Toys, hobbies, and other entertainment	12/77	143.9	144.3	.0	6.6	.8	-3	3.3	.3
Toys, hobbies, and music equipment	12/77	135.8	136.3	-3	8.3	.3	-3.2	3.9	-1.5
Photographic supplies and equipment	12/77	141.2	141.6	-6	1.5	7.5	4.9	.4	6.2
Pet supplies and expense ¹	12/77	160.1	159.8	2.6	2.8	1.3	.5	2.7	.9
Entertainment services ¹		283.0	283.6	5.0	4.5	8.5	2.3	4.7	5.4
Fees for participant sports ^{1 3}	12/77	178.6	178.5	4.6	6.7	7.8	2.7	5.6	5.2
Admissions ¹	12/77	166.2	167.2	6.9	.7	8.8	.7	3.8	4.7
Other entertainment services ^{1 3}	12/77	145.6	146.1	2.0	3.2	9.0	3.4	2.6	6.2
Other goods and services		338.5	339.3	7.1	4.5	8.7	3.9	5.8	6.2
Tobacco products ¹		346.0	346.0	9.6	3.9	12.6	1.9	6.7	7.1
Cigarettes ^{1 2}		355.4	355.4	10.0	3.9	13.2	1.8	6.9	7.4
Other tobacco products and smoking accessories ²	12/77	171.5	171.6	5.4	5.1	2.9	1.9	5.3	2.4
Personal care ¹		288.2	288.6	3.3	3.2	5.3	2.5	3.3	3.9
Toilet goods and personal care appliances ¹		288.4	288.6	3.2	2.7	7.0	2.7	3.0	4.8
Other toilet goods and small appliances, including hair and dental products ^{1 4}	12/77	168.6	168.6	1.2	2.5	7.5	2.9	1.9	5.2
Products for the hair, hairpieces, and wigs ^{1 2}	12/77	161.3	160.7	4.2	4.7	4.9	-7	4.4	2.0
Dental and shaving products ^{1 2}	12/77	182.3	181.7	-9	5.2	10.4	5.5	2.1	7.9
Other toilet goods and small personal care appliances ^{1 2}	12/77	166.3	167.5	-2	-2.4	8.7	4.7	-1.3	6.6
Cosmetics, bath and nail preparations									
manicure and eye makeup implements ¹	12/77	164.9	165.2	7.3	3.5	5.8	2.2	5.4	4.0
Personal care services ¹		288.4	289.0	3.6	3.7	3.7	2.2	3.7	3.0
Beauty parlor services for females ¹		289.1	289.5	3.3	3.3	3.1	2.2	3.3	2.7
Haircuts and other barber shop services for males ¹	12/77	162.4	162.9	3.9	4.6	4.8	2.2	4.3	3.5
Personal and educational expenses		423.9	427.0	9.0	6.5	8.1	8.4	7.7	8.3
School books and supplies		379.1	381.8	9.3	8.8	6.8	9.2	9.1	8.0
Personal and educational services		434.8	438.1	8.8	6.2	8.0	8.4	7.5	8.2
Tuition and other school fees	12/77	221.7	223.5	9.0	7.2	8.9	8.7	8.1	8.8
College tuition	12/77	221.8	223.6	10.1	7.4	8.5	8.5	8.7	8.5
Elementary and high school tuition	12/77	221.3	222.9	7.4	5.8	9.1	9.3	6.6	9.2
Personal expenses ¹	12/77	227.4	229.6	6.4	2.9	5.2	9.6	4.7	7.4
Special indexes:									
Motor fuel, motor oil, coolant and other products		278.4	285.4	.3	.0	-19.5	-58.2	.2	-42.0
Utilities and public transportation		370.2	369.3	2.4	-5	7.0	-2.8	.9	2.0
Housekeeping and home maintenance services ¹		400.1	400.5	4.5	2.6	2.5	.2	3.5	1.4

¹ Not seasonally adjusted.

² This index series will not be published after December 1986.

³ Index coverage will be redefined effective January 1987. The current definition will not be published after December 1986.

⁴ New aggregate index. Monthly data for this series back to January 1978 are available from the Bureau of Labor Statistics.

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

Table 13. 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 May 1986 from—			Percent change to Apr. 1986 from—		
			Feb. 1986	Mar. 1986	Apr. 1986	May 1986	May 1985	Mar. 1986	Apr. 1986	Apr. 1985	Feb. 1986	Mar. 1986
Area²												
U.S. city average			327.5	326.0	325.3	326.3	1.6	0.1	0.3	1.6	-0.7	-0.2
Chicago, Ill.-Northwestern Ind.	M		326.4	323.9	323.7	324.2	1.4	.1	.2	1.4	-.8	-.1
Detroit, Mich. ³	M		322.9	320.0	318.8	321.7	1.8	.5	.9	.9	-1.3	-.4
L.A.-Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif.	M		326.6	328.2	326.8	329.4	3.2	.4	.8	3.5	.1	-.4
N.Y., N.Y.-Northeastern N.J.	M		322.3	322.4	321.4	320.6	2.6	-.6	-.2	3.1	-.3	-.3
Philadelphia, Pa.-N.J.	M		320.1	319.1	317.8	318.9	1.5	-.1	.3	1.7	-.7	-.4
Anchorage, Alaska ⁴	1	10/67	-	291.2	-	288.9	3.6	-.8	-	-	-	-
Baltimore, Md.	1		-	331.1	-	329.1	1.9	-.6	-	-	-	-
Boston, Mass.	1		-	324.9	-	322.6	2.3	-.7	-	-	-	-
Cincinnati, Ohio-Ky.-Ind. ⁴	1		-	329.4	-	332.0	.5	.8	-	-	-	-
Denver-Boulder, Colo. ⁴	1		-	355.7	-	356.3	.0	.2	-	-	-	-
Miami, Fla.	1	11/77	-	174.5	-	173.0	1.2	-.9	-	-	-	-
Milwaukee, Wis. ⁴	1		-	329.1	-	332.0	.3	.9	-	-	-	-
Northeast Pennsylvania ⁵	1		-	309.3	-	309.2	1.0	.0	-	-	-	-
Portland, Ore.-Wash. ⁴	1		-	315.0	-	314.6	1.4	-.1	-	-	-	-
St. Louis, Mo.-Ill.	1		-	319.2	-	318.6	.9	-.2	-	-	-	-
San Diego, Calif. ⁴	1		-	379.2	-	382.8	2.9	.9	-	-	-	-
Seattle-Everett, Wash. ⁴	1		-	325.0	-	323.5	.8	-.5	-	-	-	-
Washington, D.C.-Md.-Va.	1		-	329.1	-	329.6	3.1	.2	-	-	-	-
Atlanta, Ga. ⁴	2		336.9	-	334.9	-	-	-	-	3.2	-.6	-
Buffalo, N.Y. ⁴	2		310.1	-	308.0	-	-	-	-	.9	-.7	-
Cleveland, Ohio ⁶	2		350.2	-	346.9	-	-	-	-	1.3	-.9	-
Dallas-Fort Worth, Tex.	2		347.0	-	341.4	-	-	-	-	1.7	-1.6	-
Honolulu, Hawaii ⁴	2		301.2	-	299.0	-	-	-	-	2.2	-.7	-
Houston, Tex.	2		337.2	-	330.0	-	-	-	-	-1.6	-2.1	-
Kansas City, Mo.-Kans. ⁴	2		321.1	-	320.7	-	-	-	-	.3	-.1	-
Minneapolis-St.Paul, Minn.-Wis. ⁴	2		339.9	-	338.4	-	-	-	-	1.4	-.4	-
Pittsburgh, Pa.	2		330.1	-	328.1	-	-	-	-	1.2	-.6	-
San Francisco-Oakland, Calif. ⁷	2		341.1	-	339.3	-	-	-	-	2.7	-.5	-
Region⁸												
Northeast	2	12/77	174.5	-	173.7	-	-	-	-	2.3	-.5	-
North Central	2	12/77	175.4	-	173.9	-	-	-	-	.6	-.9	-
South	2	12/77	176.6	-	175.1	-	-	-	-	1.4	-.8	-
West	2	12/77	177.5	-	176.8	-	-	-	-	2.2	-.4	-
Population size class⁹												
A-1 ⁹	2	12/77	174.7	-	173.9	-	-	-	-	2.5	-.5	-
A-2 ⁹	2	12/77	178.7	-	177.4	-	-	-	-	1.5	-.7	-
B	2	12/77	176.9	-	175.6	-	-	-	-	1.2	-.7	-
C	2	12/77	174.7	-	173.4	-	-	-	-	1.2	-.7	-
D	2	12/77	174.0	-	172.7	-	-	-	-	1.0	-.7	-

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 13. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Selected areas, all items index—Continued

(1967=100, unless otherwise noted)

Area, region, and population size class	Pricing schedule ¹	Other index base	Indexes				Percent change to May 1986 from—			Percent change to Apr. 1986 from—			
			Feb. 1986	Mar. 1986	Apr. 1986	May 1986	May 1985	Mar. 1986	Apr. 1986	Apr. 1985	Feb. 1986	Mar. 1986	
Region/population size class cross classification⁸													
Northeast/A	2	12/77	171.8	-	171.0	-	-	-	-	-	2.6	-0.5	-
North Central/A	2	12/77	179.2	-	177.8	-	-	-	-	-	1.1	-0.8	-
South/A	2	12/77	177.3	-	175.5	-	-	-	-	-	1.8	-1.0	-
West/A	2	12/77	179.8	-	179.6	-	-	-	-	-	2.9	-1.1	-
Northeast/B	2	12/77	176.4	-	174.7	-	-	-	-	-	.7	-1.0	-
North Central/B	2	12/77	173.7	-	172.1	-	-	-	-	-	.2	-0.9	-
South/B	2	12/77	178.2	-	177.0	-	-	-	-	-	1.9	-0.7	-
West/B	2	12/77	177.6	-	176.7	-	-	-	-	-	1.3	-0.5	-
Northeast/C	2	12/77	183.1	-	183.0	-	-	-	-	-	2.9	-1.1	-
North Central/C	2	12/77	170.4	-	168.5	-	-	-	-	-	-1.1	-1.1	-
South/C	2	12/77	175.3	-	173.6	-	-	-	-	-	.8	-1.0	-
West/C	2	12/77	171.1	-	170.5	-	-	-	-	-	2.2	-0.4	-
Northeast/D ⁵	2	12/77	178.9	-	177.9	-	-	-	-	-	2.1	-0.6	-
North Central/D	2	12/77	170.7	-	170.0	-	-	-	-	-	.5	-0.4	-
South/D	2	12/77	174.7	-	173.2	-	-	-	-	-	.9	-0.9	-
West/D ⁵	2	12/77	174.8	-	172.6	-	-	-	-	-	1.1	-1.3	-

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

M - Every month.

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

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

² Area is generally the Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area (SMSA), exclusive of farms. L.A.-Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif. is a combination of two SMSA's, and N.Y., N.Y.-Northeastern N.J. and Chicago, Ill.-Northwestern Ind. are the more extensive Standard Consolidated Areas. Area definitions are those established by the Office of Management and Budget in 1973, except for Denver-Boulder, Colo. which does not include Douglas County. Definitions do not include revisions made since 1973.

³ Detroit, Mich. will no longer be published on a monthly basis after December 1986. Beginning after December 1986, a local index will be published for even numbered months only.

⁴ Due to smaller sample sizes in this area, data will no longer be published on a bi-monthly basis after December 1986. A local index will be published on a semi-annual average basis.

⁵ This index will no longer be published after December 1986.

⁶ After December 1986, Cleveland, Ohio will be published in odd instead of even numbered months.

⁷ After December 1986, this index series will be published on a monthly basis.

⁸ Regions are defined as the four Census regions.

The population size classes are aggregations of areas which have urban population as defined:

A-1 - More than 4,000,000.

A-2 - 1,250,000 to 4,000,000.

B - 385,000 to 1,250,000.

C - 75,000 to 385,000.

D - Less than 75,000.

Population size class A is the aggregation of population size classes A-1 and A-2.

After December 1986, indexes for the regions, size classes, and region/size class cross-classes will be published on a monthly basis.

⁹ A-1 and A-2 will be aggregated to produce a population size class A index after December 1986. A-1 and A-2 will no longer be published separately after December 1986.

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

Table 14. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Selected areas, food at home expenditure categories

(1967=100, unless otherwise noted)

Area, region, and population size class	Other index base	Total food at home	Cereals and bakery products	Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs ¹	Dairy products	Fruits and vegetables	Other foods at home ¹
Indexes, May 1986							
Area ²							
U.S. city average		302.1	323.8	263.4	257.1	336.5	374.6
Anchorage, Alaska ³	10/67	285.9	286.1	258.4	250.2	297.1	351.7
Atlanta, Ga. ³		312.5	310.7	243.7	305.9	385.0	388.7
Baltimore, Md.		303.2	329.2	263.0	259.5	357.7	369.4
Boston, Mass.		290.2	324.9	268.0	234.7	322.7	343.5
Buffalo, N.Y. ³		304.8	298.4	260.3	255.0	371.9	384.1
Chicago, Ill.-Northwestern Ind.		293.6	320.8	266.1	244.4	328.8	356.1
Cincinnati, Ohio-Ky.-Ind. ³		323.6	389.6	268.2	258.4	342.5	420.8
Cleveland, Ohio		303.3	326.8	285.6	264.3	303.7	359.8
Dallas-Fort Worth, Tex.		307.3	327.8	247.7	264.5	343.1	389.9
Denver-Boulder, Colo. ³		280.7	302.4	238.5	266.9	289.3	351.7
Detroit, Mich.		290.5	336.2	262.8	242.4	278.1	372.4
Honolulu, Hawaii ³		335.8	329.5	297.9	301.5	382.7	407.5
Houston, Tex.		316.3	318.7	269.9	301.7	333.6	389.9
Kansas City, Mo.-Kans. ³		301.7	323.1	247.4	283.9	359.4	355.8
L.A.-Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif.		305.3	335.7	267.8	251.5	317.5	387.2
Miami, Fla.	11/77	160.2	166.8	153.3	152.1	182.9	157.4
Milwaukee, Wis. ³		292.4	337.7	267.9	252.8	310.8	335.0
Minneapolis-St. Paul, Minn.-Wis. ³		300.5	349.1	248.3	282.0	319.2	348.5
N.Y., N.Y.-Northeastern N.J.		314.3	329.7	271.4	267.2	363.1	398.1
Northeast Pennsylvania ⁴		295.8	305.7	274.5	233.4	325.3	366.7
Philadelphia, Pa.-N.J.		300.6	325.2	265.8	251.1	322.7	386.6
Pittsburgh, Pa.		285.2	312.7	236.8	223.9	326.6	371.4
Portland, Oreg.-Wash. ³		293.3	327.9	269.2	228.4	318.0	370.3
St. Louis, Mo.-Ill.		301.1	342.8	241.9	290.4	358.5	361.3
San Diego, Calif. ³		303.9	332.6	269.5	243.9	326.1	377.7
San Francisco-Oakland, Calif.		308.2	340.3	274.3	247.6	322.1	396.9
Seattle-Everett, Wash. ³		292.7	307.0	246.1	249.9	285.7	400.8
Washington, D.C.-Md.-Va.		333.9	350.1	293.1	250.6	385.2	428.6
Region ⁵							
Northeast	12/77	156.2	169.3	149.8	142.1	177.1	152.8
North Central	12/77	151.2	170.1	142.9	139.6	165.9	151.1
South	12/77	157.0	170.6	145.4	152.6	177.3	156.1
West	12/77	160.8	177.7	149.4	148.7	178.7	162.3
Population size class ⁵							
A-1 ⁶	12/77	156.0	169.9	149.0	146.0	169.7	155.5
A-2 ⁶	12/77	157.5	173.8	146.6	147.3	177.4	157.6
B	12/77	157.5	172.6	146.9	146.3	181.2	155.6
C	12/77	153.8	170.8	143.5	143.2	172.0	154.3
D	12/77	153.6	168.9	146.9	142.1	176.1	149.1

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 14. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Selected areas, food at home expenditure categories—Continued

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Area, region, and population size class	Other index base	Total food at home	Cereals and bakery products	Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs ¹	Dairy products	Fruits and vegetables	Other foods at home ¹
	Indexes, May 1986						
Region/population size class cross classification ⁵							
Northeast/A	12/77	155.6	168.0	148.7	144.1	174.5	152.9
North Central/A	12/77	153.4	171.2	146.2	143.6	166.5	151.9
South/A	12/77	161.8	173.8	151.0	154.1	179.4	163.5
West/A	12/77	159.9	178.8	146.8	150.4	172.6	164.6
Northeast/B	12/77	158.6	172.8	152.6	139.7	185.3	153.5
North Central/B	12/77	146.9	169.8	135.9	137.6	161.1	147.0
South/B	12/77	158.3	169.1	144.2	152.6	184.5	158.2
West/B	12/77	163.4	180.4	154.0	150.6	186.2	160.9
Northeast/C	12/77	157.9	172.2	155.1	139.7	181.6	150.5
North Central/C	12/77	150.2	168.6	138.7	135.5	169.2	154.7
South/C	12/77	152.9	172.1	139.7	151.2	167.9	153.9
West/C	12/77	157.0	169.0	147.7	143.0	174.3	159.2
Northeast/D ⁴	12/77	153.2	167.9	143.7	133.9	176.1	154.4
North Central/D	12/77	149.1	168.8	143.1	134.4	164.2	147.8
South/D	12/77	153.9	165.1	149.4	152.7	177.6	143.9
West/D ⁴	12/77	164.2	179.5	153.8	144.7	196.4	159.6

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 14. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Selected areas, food at home expenditure categories—Continued

Area, region, and population size class	Total food at home	Cereals and bakery products	Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	Dairy products	Fruits and vegetables	Other foods at home
Percent change from April 1986 to May 1986						
Area ²						
U.S. city average	0.2	0.4	-0.3	0.1	2.1	-0.4
Anchorage, Alaska ³ .....	.9	.5	1.5	-.6	3.2	-.3
Atlanta, Ga. ³	-.1	1.6	-1.2	.9	5.5	-3.0
Baltimore, Md.	-.3	-2.1	1.5	1.3	-1.6	-1.5
Boston, Mass. ....	.7	1.1	-1.3	-.3	4.7	.8
Buffalo, N.Y. ³ .....	.6	1.4	.2	.0	.9	.7
Chicago, Ill.-Northwestern Ind.	-.7	-.2	-2.3	.0	3.2	-1.4
Cincinnati, Ohio-Ky.-Ind. ³	1.1	1.3	3.1	.2	.2	.0
Cleveland, Ohio	-.9	-.3	-.7	.6	-1.1	-2.2
Dallas-Fort Worth, Tex. ....	.5	-.1	-2.4	-.8	4.6	1.9
Denver-Boulder, Colo. ³ .....	.6	-.1	-.8	-1.6	8.4	-.5
Detroit, Mich. ....	.9	-.4	1.7	.2	2.4	.2
Honolulu, Hawaii ³	2.3	1.0	1.9	.1	4.3	3.1
Houston, Tex. ....	.3	1.7	-1.4	2.8	3.9	-1.3
Kansas City, Mo.-Kans. ³ .....	.0	.3	-1.2	1.1	1.9	-.4
L.A.-Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif. ....	.5	.0	.1	-.6	3.0	.3
Miami, Fla.	-.5	-.5	-.8	-.1	-.8	-.2
Milwaukee, Wis. ³ .....	.7	.6	.6	1.2	3.5	-1.0
Minneapolis-St. Paul, Minn.-Wis. ³ .....	.1	.6	-.8	.0	1.2	.2
N.Y., N.Y.-Northeastern N.J.	-.3	.2	-.3	-.9	.8	-1.1
Northeast Pennsylvania ⁴	-.7	-.5	-2.5	-.9	1.8	-.1
Philadelphia, Pa.-N.J. ....	.0	.6	.5	.0	-.2	-.7
Pittsburgh, Pa. ....	.7	-.1	.2	1.4	1.6	.8
Portland, Oreg.-Wash. ³ .....	.2	.0	1.4	1.3	.1	-1.5
St. Louis, Mo.-Ill.	-.6	-.7	-.5	.5	-1.7	-.6
San Diego, Calif. ³	1.6	2.7	.7	.2	3.5	1.4
San Francisco-Oakland, Calif. ....	.1	.6	-.4	.0	2.1	-.7
Seattle-Everett, Wash. ³ .....	.2	.0	.1	1.2	2.3	-1.2
Washington, D.C.-Md.-Va.	1.2	1.5	.8	-.1	1.4	1.9
Region ⁵						
Northeast .....	.0	.6	-.2	-.5	1.2	-.7
North Central	-.1	.0	-.9	.1	2.9	-.7
South .....	.3	.5	-.6	.8	2.1	-.4
West .....	.9	.4	.8	-.1	2.9	.3
Population size class ⁵						
A-1 ⁶	-.1	.1	-.3	-.5	1.6	-.6
A-2 ⁶ .....	.3	.5	-.3	.5	1.8	-.1
B	1.0	1.0	.8	.2	3.0	.2
C .....	.1	.4	-.5	.7	1.7	-.7
D	-.5	-.2	-2.1	-.3	3.2	-.7

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 14. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Selected areas, food at home expenditure categories—Continued

Area, region, and population size class	Total food at home	Cereals and bakery products	Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	Dairy products	Fruits and vegetables	Other foods at home
	Percent change from April 1986 to May 1986					
Region/population size class cross classification ⁵						
Northeast/A	-0.1	0.4	-0.2	-0.5	1.0	-0.6
North Central/A	-.1	.0	-.5	.3	1.7	-.8
South/A .....	.3	.4	-.3	.7	2.0	-.1
West/A .....	.4	.4	.0	-.2	2.7	.1
Northeast/B .....	.4	1.3	.0	-.8	1.5	.2
North Central/B	1.4	2.4	.6	-.4	5.4	.8
South/B .....	.6	.5	.3	1.2	2.5	-.4
West/B	1.6	.4	2.5	.1	3.6	.8
Northeast/C	-.1	.9	.2	.3	.9	-1.9
North Central/C .....	.0	-.6	-.9	.8	3.5	-.6
South/C	-.1	.5	-.8	.9	1.1	-.6
West/C .....	.7	.8	.4	.6	1.7	.3
Northeast/D ⁴	-.3	.2	-1.7	-.8	2.4	-.6
North Central/D	-1.3	-1.1	-3.6	-.4	3.4	-1.7
South/D	-.3	.2	-2.1	.1	3.4	-.5
West/D ⁴ .....	.9	.3	.7	-.1	3.4	.5

¹ Index is on an April 1967=100 base in Northeastern Pennsylvania and Portland, Oreg.-Wash.

² Area is generally the Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area (SMSA), exclusive of farms. L.A.-Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif. is a combination of two SMSA's, and N.Y., N.Y.-Northeastern N.J. and Chicago, Ill.-Northwestern Ind. are the more extensive Standard Consolidated Areas. Area definitions are those established by the Office of Management and Budget in 1973, except for Denver-Boulder, Colo. which does not include Douglas County. Definitions do not include revisions made since 1973.

³ Due to smaller sample sizes in this area, data will no longer be published on a bi-monthly basis after December 1986. A local index will be published on a semi-annual average basis.

⁴ This index will no longer be published after December 1986.

⁵ Regions are defined as the four Census regions. The population size classes are aggregations of areas which have urban population as defined:
 A-1 - More than 4,000,000.
 A-2 - 1,250,000 to 4,000,000.
 B - 385,000 to 1,250,000.
 C - 75,000 to 385,000.
 D - Less than 75,000.

Population size class A is the aggregation of population size classes A-1 and A-2.

⁶ A-1 and A-2 will be aggregated to produce a population size class A index after December 1986. A-1 and A-2 will no longer be published separately after December 1986.

Table 15. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Areas priced monthly, by expenditure category and commodity and service group, percent change from April 1986 to May 1986

Group	U.S. city average	Chicago, Ill.-Northwestern Ind.	Detroit, Mich. ¹	Los Angeles-Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif.	New York, N.Y.-Northeastern N.J.	Philadelphia, Pa.-N.J.
	Expenditure category					
All items	0.3	0.2	0.9	0.8	-0.2	0.3
Food and beverages .....	.3	-.3	.6	.3	.3	.2
Food .....	.3	-.4	.7	.4	.3	.2
Food at home .....	.2	-.7	.9	.5	-.3	.0
Cereals and bakery products .....	.4	-.2	-.4	.0	.2	.6
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	-.3	-2.3	1.7	.1	-.3	.5
Meats, poultry, and fish .....	.1	-2.0	1.7	.4	.1	.9
Dairy products .....	.1	.0	.2	-.6	-.9	.0
Fruits and vegetables	2.1	3.2	2.4	3.0	.8	-.2
Other foods at home	-.4	-1.4	.2	.3	-1.1	-.7
Food away from home .....	.5	.1	.1	.1	1.6	.7
Alcoholic beverages .....	.0	.9	-.3	.2	.0	-.3
Housing .....	.1	-.3	.6	1.2	-.8	.1
Shelter .....	.2	.3	.6	-.7	-.4	.7
Renters' costs .....	.2	.1	.3	-.4	.2	.8
Rent, residential .....	.2	.3	.9	-.4	.1	.9
Other renters' costs .....	.1	-1.2	-2.2	-.4	1.3	.0
Homeowners' costs .....	.2	.2	.7	-.8	-.8	.7
Owners' equivalent rent .....	.2	.2	.7	-.7	-.8	.6
Fuel and other utilities .....	.2	-1.3	.0	11.9	-2.3	-1.3
Fuels .....	.2	-1.8	.0	19.3	-2.9	-1.7
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas	-4.1	-3.1	-.5	.0	-5.4	-5.5
Fuel oil	-4.7	-3.1	-.6	NA	-5.6	-5.8
Other fuels	-1.6	-3.3	.0	.0	.0	.0
Gas (piped) and electricity	1.2	-1.6	.0	19.4	-1.8	.0
Electricity	-.2	-1.8	.0	-2.1	-2.6	.2
Utility (piped) gas	3.3	-1.2	.0	39.9	-.7	-.1
Household furnishings and operation .....	.1	-1.0	1.6	1.1	-.7	.0
Apparel and upkeep	-.4	.1	-.4	-.6	-.6	.2
Apparel commodities	-.5	.1	-.5	-.7	-1.1	.2
Men's and boys' apparel .....	.3	.1	1.6	-.5	-1.2	-1.8
Women's and girls' apparel	-1.8	-.8	-3.7	-1.7	-2.0	.3
Footwear .....	.0	-.4	-2.9	1.7	-3.5	6.8
Transportation .....	.8	1.6	2.3	.9	.0	1.1
Private transportation .....	.8	1.9	2.4	1.0	.1	1.1
Motor fuel	3.5	6.8	12.3	2.9	-.6	5.4
Gasoline	3.6	7.3	12.6	3.0	-.6	5.6
Gasoline, leaded regular	4.8	9.3	15.8	2.6	.1	5.8
Gasoline, unleaded regular	3.7	7.4	12.6	3.4	-.5	6.4
Gasoline, unleaded premium	1.5	4.6	5.1	2.9	-1.0	4.1
Public transportation .....	.4	-.4	.0	.3	-.4	.7
Medical care .....	.4	.5	.5	.3	.3	-.4
Entertainment .....	.2	-.4	-.6	.9	.4	-.2
Other goods and services .....	.1	-.3	.4	.3	-.1	1.0
Personal care .....	.1	-1.1	1.3	-.1	-.2	.1

Table 15. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Areas priced monthly, by expenditure category and commodity and service group, percent change from April 1986 to May 1986—Continued

Group	U.S. city average	Chicago, Ill.-Northwestern Ind.	Detroit, Mich. ¹	Los Angeles-Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif.	New York, N.Y.-Northeastern N.J.	Philadelphia, Pa.-N.J.
	Commodity and service group					
All items	0.3	0.2	0.9	0.8	-0.2	0.3
Commodities .....	.3	.4	1.5	.7	-.3	.3
Food and beverages .....	.3	-.3	.6	.3	.3	.2
Commodities less food and beverages .....	.3	1.0	2.0	.9	-.8	.4
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	.5	1.2	3.6	1.5	-1.2	.5
Durables .....	.1	.6	.3	.1	-.1	.1
Services .....	.3	-.1	.3	.9	-.2	.4
Medical care services .....	.4	.6	.6	.3	.2	-.5
Special indexes:						
All items less shelter .....	.4	.1	1.0	1.3	-.2	.2
All items less medical care .....	.3	.2	.9	.8	-.3	.4
All items less energy .....	.2	-.1	.5	.1	-.1	.3
Energy	1.6	2.1	4.4	9.5	-2.2	.7
Commodities less food .....	.3	.9	1.9	.9	-.8	.3
Nondurables less food .....	.5	1.2	3.3	1.4	-1.2	.4
Nondurables .....	.4	.4	2.0	.8	-.3	.3
Services less rent of shelter .....	.3	-.3	.1	2.5	-.1	.2
Services less medical care .....	.3	-.2	.3	1.0	-.3	.5

¹ Detroit, Mich. will no longer be published on a monthly basis after December 1986. Beginning after December 1986, a local index will be

published for even numbered months only.
^{NA} Data not adequate for publication.

Table 18. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Areas priced monthly, by expenditure category and commodity and service group. Indexes, May 1986, and percent changes, March 1986 to May 1986

(1967=100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	U.S. city average		Chicago, Ill.-Northwestern Ind.		Detroit, Mich. ¹		Los Angeles-Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif.		New York, N.Y.-Northeastern N.J.		Philadelphia, Pa.-N.J.	
	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change
	Expenditure category											
All items	326.3	0.1	324.2	0.1	321.7	0.5	329.4	0.4	320.6	-0.6	318.9	-0.1
All items (1957-59=100)	379.5	-	368.3	-	369.6	-	387.4	-	381.5	-	372.4	-
Food and beverages	309.4	.5	295.8	-.2	289.2	.5	303.4	.2	320.6	1.0	312.1	.2
Food	317.0	.5	303.5	-.3	292.6	.5	313.8	.3	331.9	1.1	322.0	.2
Food at home	302.1	.3	293.6	-.6	290.5	.3	305.3	.3	314.3	.3	300.6	-.2
Cereals and bakery products	323.8	.3	320.8	.4	336.2	1.8	335.7	.1	329.7	.5	325.2	.2
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	263.4	-1.6	266.1	-5.5	262.8	-.7	267.8	-1.2	271.4	-1.7	265.8	-2.5
Meats, poultry, and fish	270.7	-1.2	276.3	-5.1	265.8	-.5	270.7	-.7	276.2	-1.4	274.7	-2.1
Dairy products	257.1	.1	244.4	.8	242.4	.3	251.5	-.6	267.2	-.9	251.1	.8
Fruits and vegetables	336.5	5.4	328.8	9.7	278.1	2.5	317.5	7.8	363.1	6.6	322.7	4.8
Other foods at home	374.6	-.3	356.1	-.8	372.4	-.2	387.2	-1.5	398.1	-1.0	386.6	-.6
Food away from home	358.8	.9	328.2	.2	309.6	.8	330.9	.3	375.4	2.7	385.9	1.0
Alcoholic beverages	239.4	.3	217.7	1.3	271.4	.0	223.0	-.4	229.6	.1	242.9	.7
Housing	358.5	.4	366.9	.6	360.9	.9	369.4	.4	333.1	-1.0	334.1	.4
Shelter	400.9	1.0	429.1	1.7	399.3	1.2	412.9	-1.2	357.6	-.3	366.6	1.9
Renters' costs ²	121.1	1.3	121.6	2.4	119.0	.1	125.1	-.6	121.8	1.5	126.6	3.3
Rent, residential	278.4	1.2	246.4	1.6	258.8	.5	335.3	-.6	290.9	1.3	303.3	3.3
Other renters' costs	411.3	1.4	424.8	7.4	349.1	-2.2	363.1	-1.4	445.7	2.8	475.4	2.5
Homeowners' costs ²	118.9	.8	120.5	1.3	115.2	1.2	123.6	-1.5	122.1	-1.6	124.5	1.3
Owners' equivalent rent ²	118.9	.8	119.7	1.4	115.3	1.2	123.7	-1.5	122.3	-1.6	124.6	1.3
Fuel and other utilities	382.5	-.8	321.4	-2.3	443.4	-1.4	382.9	13.7	377.1	-4.4	383.9	-3.3
Fuels	460.6	-1.5	388.5	-3.2	521.1	-1.8	528.7	20.7	477.5	-5.8	447.7	-5.1
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas ³	496.8	-.7	499.9	-3.8	547.4	-1.2	162.8	-.6	533.6	-12.2	503.0	-12.7
Fuel oil ⁴	484.6	-10.8	177.9	-3.9	180.5	-1.3	NA	NA	173.3	-12.6	169.6	-13.5
Other fuels ⁵	184.6	-3.9	148.1	-3.3	182.0	-.3	162.8	-.6	198.3	-1.7	176.1	2.0
Gas (piped) and electricity	444.6	.5	359.5	-3.1	513.8	-1.9	531.0	20.8	446.9	-2.7	421.7	-1.4
Electricity	357.8	-1.2	303.2	-6.2	335.3	.0	377.3	.1	380.3	-4.6	402.2	-2.3
Utility (piped) gas	569.8	3.0	409.7	.9	669.1	-3.1	737.9	40.3	564.1	.0	437.5	-.2
Household furnishings and operation	249.9	.0	245.1	-.2	218.0	3.0	233.0	-2.3	253.2	-.4	247.1	.5
Apparel and upkeep	206.4	.0	165.6	-.8	168.2	-.9	182.4	-.8	190.8	.1	180.7	-.5
Apparel commodities	190.7	-.1	146.7	-1.3	151.8	-1.3	168.8	-.6	167.2	-.2	183.7	-.5
Men's and boys' apparel	200.2	1.0	138.5	-.4	170.3	3.5	173.4	-.6	162.5	.4	165.8	1.2
Women's and girls' apparel	164.9	-1.6	119.2	-4.5	135.6	-4.6	127.6	-1.7	142.1	-2.9	103.2	-.7
Footwear	211.5	.7	187.4	-.8	138.8	-4.3	213.9	2.7	192.8	-2.3	200.3	-1.9
Transportation	305.7	-1.3	300.6	-.4	308.7	.8	326.8	.2	331.7	-2.6	324.2	-2.4
Private transportation	297.8	-1.4	287.5	-.5	304.7	.9	325.4	.2	301.2	-3.2	320.6	-2.7
Motor fuel ⁵	148.8	-6.2	146.7	-3.4	158.3	4.1	157.8	.5	141.2	-15.0	153.2	-12.0
Gasoline ⁵	148.5	-6.2	145.8	-3.5	157.9	4.4	157.8	.6	140.7	-15.1	153.6	-12.1
Gasoline, leaded regular ⁶	159.1	-5.2	162.8	-1.2	171.2	7.1	172.5	2.3	142.0	-15.4	165.5	-11.4
Gasoline, unleaded regular ⁶	164.4	-6.6	161.9	-4.3	177.7	3.9	181.7	.1	146.9	-16.0	165.0	-12.8
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁷	76.7	-7.4	84.0	-3.6	80.4	1.0	81.9	.6	72.6	-13.9	73.7	-10.9
Public transportation	423.7	.6	433.9	.0	405.2	.0	345.5	1.1	469.0	-.4	378.1	NA
Medical care	429.7	.9	426.4	1.1	459.4	.8	453.9	.7	438.8	.8	467.5	.6
Entertainment	272.9	.4	281.8	-.3	233.9	-2.5	233.8	1.1	288.9	.6	252.7	1.4
Other goods and services	342.1	.3	345.3	-.3	316.0	.4	332.6	.9	356.1	-.1	368.8	1.5
Personal care	290.9	.2	278.8	-1.1	234.9	1.3	287.7	.5	312.4	-.3	291.5	.1

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 16. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Areas priced monthly, by expenditure category and commodity and service group. Indexes, May 1986, and percent changes, March 1986 to May 1986—Continued

(1967=100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	U.S. city average		Chicago, Ill.-Northwestern Ind.		Detroit, Mich. ¹		Los Angeles-Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif.		New York, N.Y.-Northeastern N.J.		Philadelphia, Pa.-N.J.	
	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change
Commodity and service group												
All items	326.3	0.1	324.2	0.1	321.7	0.5	329.4	0.4	320.6	-0.6	318.9	-0.1
Commodities	282.1	-0.6	278.8	-0.4	264.3	.7	269.2	-0.1	278.8	-1.0	272.8	-1.2
Food and beverages	309.4	.5	295.8	-0.2	289.2	.5	303.4	.2	320.6	1.0	312.1	.2
Commodities less food and beverages	263.4	-1.2	262.7	-0.5	247.3	.9	250.2	-0.4	247.1	-2.8	246.1	-2.3
Nondurables less food and beverage	263.3	-2.1	246.7	-1.0	242.4	1.4	254.6	.0	252.3	-4.3	252.6	-4.1
Durables	269.6	.0	279.2	.1	252.2	.4	250.4	-0.9	241.4	.0	247.2	.6
Services	397.9	.8	393.9	.6	411.2	.3	420.7	.8	381.8	-0.2	397.4	1.1
Medical care services	464.2	.9	470.0	1.2	482.0	.9	483.7	.9	470.7	.6	517.0	.7
Special indexes:												
All items less shelter	304.7	-0.2	289.8	-0.4	297.1	.4	300.4	.9	309.1	-0.6	308.8	-0.6
All items less medical care	320.6	.0	318.3	.0	312.5	.5	322.7	.3	314.4	-0.6	310.8	-0.1
All items less energy ⁵	325.0	.5	182.4	.4	173.1	.6	177.6	-0.3	170.3	.2	169.9	.8
Energy ⁴	367.6	-3.6	159.2	-3.2	174.3	.4	189.5	8.3	157.6	-9.0	173.8	-7.7
Commodities less food	262.1	-1.2	261.1	-0.5	248.8	.9	249.0	-0.4	245.2	-2.7	245.1	-2.2
Nondurables less food	260.5	-1.9	244.1	-0.9	244.5	1.3	251.1	.0	248.4	-4.1	250.6	-3.7
Nondurables	287.4	-0.7	273.1	-0.6	267.1	.9	280.2	.1	289.2	-1.3	285.3	-1.8
Services less rent of shelter ²	117.8	.6	113.1	-0.4	118.5	-0.1	123.7	2.8	119.1	.0	123.3	.6
Services less medical care	388.3	.8	381.3	.5	391.7	.2	411.2	.8	371.2	-0.2	379.0	1.2

¹ Detroit, Mich. will no longer be published on a monthly basis after December 1986. Beginning after December 1986, a local index will be published for even numbered months only.

² Indexes on a December 1982=100 base.

³ Indexes on a June 1978=100 base in L.A.-Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif.

⁴ Indexes on a June 1978=100 base, except U.S. city average.

⁵ Indexes on a June 1978=100 base.

⁶ Indexes on a January 1976=100 base.

⁷ Indexes on an August 1981=100 base.

⁸ Indexes on a December 1977=100 base, except U.S. city average.

^{NA} Data not adequate for publication.

Table 17. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Areas priced bimonthly, by expenditure category and commodity and service group. Indexes, May 1986, and percent changes, March 1986 to May 1986

(1967=100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Area pricing schedule 1 ¹													
	Anchorage, Alaska 2 3		Baltimore, Md.		Boston, Mass.		Cincinnati, Ohio-Ky.-Ind. 3		Denver-Boulder, Colo. 3		Miami, Fla. 4		Milwaukee, Wis. 3	
	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change
	Expenditure category													
All items	288.9	-0.8	329.1	-0.6	322.6	-0.7	332.0	0.8	356.3	0.2	173.0	-0.9	332.0	0.9
All items (1957-59=100) ⁵	315.6	-	382.1	-	386.5	-	376.9	-	379.4	-	-	-	374.8	-
Food and beverages	322.9	.7	312.3	-.2	300.1	1.2	319.4	.7	283.7	-1.7	164.2	.0	296.0	.9
Food	295.5	.8	318.0	-.2	307.2	1.4	328.4	.6	289.5	-2.0	165.0	.1	308.1	1.0
Food at home	285.9	1.0	303.2	-.7	290.2	.9	323.6	1.1	280.7	-2.9	160.2	.1	292.4	1.1
Cereals and bakery products	286.1	.4	329.2	-2.5	324.9	1.6	389.6	2.4	302.4	-.4	166.8	-1.5	337.7	1.3
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	258.4	1.8	263.0	-.5	268.0	-1.4	268.2	1.3	238.5	-6.5	153.3	.2	267.9	-6
Meats, poultry, and fish	261.4	2.3	271.9	.2	273.9	-1.4	275.5	1.9	244.2	-6.4	155.6	.5	275.3	.0
Dairy products	250.2	-1.3	259.5	1.1	234.7	-1.2	258.4	-.2	266.9	-2.8	152.1	.0	252.8	.0
Fruits and vegetables	297.1	2.2	357.7	-.3	322.7	7.8	342.5	4.8	289.3	-.1	182.9	-.2	310.8	9.6
Other foods at home	351.7	.5	369.4	-.9	343.5	.1	420.8	-.7	351.7	-2.2	157.4	1.0	335.0	-.5
Food away from home	321.7	.3	356.4	.7	344.3	2.1	329.7	-.3	315.3	.0	174.6	.0	353.5	.7
Alcoholic beverages	274.0	.3	268.5	.3	242.8	.0	250.7	2.2	262.4	1.7	151.2	.3	213.2	-3
Housing	278.5	-.3	365.4	-.4	338.0	-1.2	365.2	.5	439.7	.5	176.3	-.8	380.1	1.1
Shelter	253.5	-.6	430.0	.3	377.0	.2	413.8	.8	530.6	.5	185.1	-.4	432.1	1.6
Renters' costs ⁶	113.0	-.4	121.5	.0	123.1	1.0	116.0	-1.2	113.6	1.1	107.9	-.2	120.1	1.6
Rent, residential	248.3	-1.0	262.3	.0	318.7	1.1	225.1	-.7	266.0	1.1	163.3	-.2	255.6	1.6
Other renters' costs	344.7	5.1	313.9	.1	344.5	-.1	340.6	-3.9	431.8	.4	201.0	-.6	368.0	2.1
Homeowners' costs ⁶	109.2	-.7	122.1	.4	125.5	-.2	113.9	1.7	111.4	.4	109.2	-.5	120.3	1.6
Owners' equivalent rent ⁶	109.2	-.7	122.6	.4	126.5	-.2	114.2	1.6	110.9	.2	108.9	-.5	120.4	1.4
Fuel and other utilities	279.7	-.1	345.5	-.3	341.5	-5.6	407.1	-.5	364.0	1.0	176.2	-3.1	408.3	-.8
Fuels ⁷	369.7	-.2	404.2	-.4	390.4	-7.3	484.4	-.4	516.3	.9	202.8	-4.9	481.7	1.7
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas ⁸	437.9	-11.6	514.6	-.9	465.0	-14.1	151.7	-4.3	149.2	-3.1	183.0	-1.2	525.7	-5.5
Fuel oil ⁹	190.9	-13.1	173.2	-.9	160.2	-14.5	157.4	-5.2	134.1	1.1	180.2	.0	167.5	-5.5
Other fuels ⁹	187.2	-.6	144.6	-11.2	229.4	.0	133.2	-1.0	152.2	-3.8	183.6	-1.3	162.5	-5.2
Gas (piped) and electricity ⁷	261.3	2.8	362.0	-1.0	324.1	-.6	476.0	.2	524.1	1.0	203.3	-5.0	462.2	3.4
Electricity ¹⁰	202.2	1.3	299.1	-1.8	297.3	-.8	297.5	.0	209.6	3.1	207.4	-5.3	351.9	5.0
Utility (piped) gas ¹⁰	194.1	4.7	481.3	.5	359.1	-.2	688.9	.5	257.1	-1.8	144.9	2.6	580.3	2.0
Household furnishings and operation	341.6	.4	258.6	.4	246.7	-.7	242.3	1.0	252.9	-.3	143.9	.0	246.3	1.7
Apparel and upkeep	213.8	-2.3	236.4	.7	231.7	-.6	228.5	-1.0	191.3	.9	145.3	.1	232.1	-.9
Apparel commodities	192.8	-2.8	214.2	.8	216.5	-.8	214.1	-1.3	160.9	1.1	136.1	.1	227.5	-1.1
Men's and boys' apparel	188.8	-1.9	245.7	6.7	196.4	2.5	196.0	3.3	225.9	3.5	147.3	2.6	215.2	1.1
Women's and girls' apparel	185.2	-1.7	173.7	-3.9	207.7	-2.4	196.2	-4.4	140.0	.0	123.5	-1.4	207.0	-1.9
Footwear	218.3	-9.9	242.4	2.9	256.0	1.4	228.1	-3.8	179.7	1.6	138.2	1.8	316.9	-5.2
Transportation	292.6	-.3	302.0	-.3	328.1	-.3	280.0	2.0	299.7	.7	176.9	-2.9	300.6	1.3
Private transportation	286.7	-3.2	298.5	-3.6	329.4	-3.5	281.9	2.1	294.6	.6	171.1	-3.4	293.1	1.4
Motor fuel ⁹	146.7	-16.7	160.8	-13.5	142.8	-14.8	156.6	6.5	137.9	5.7	156.8	-13.0	158.9	6.5
Gasoline ⁹	145.4	-17.2	160.5	-13.6	142.2	-15.0	156.4	6.6	135.5	5.8	156.2	-13.1	158.3	6.7
Gasoline, leaded regular ¹¹	141.8	-17.7	170.0	-14.5	149.1	-15.0	167.3	7.4	135.6	5.9	156.4	-14.8	175.1	6.4
Gasoline, unleaded regular ¹¹	144.4	-17.6	170.5	-14.0	160.0	-15.4	173.2	7.4	133.2	5.7	156.3	-12.4	176.8	7.1
Gasoline, unleaded premium ¹²	81.1	-11.9	78.0	-12.2	73.7	-14.1	82.6	3.1	71.8	4.5	74.8	-12.9	79.6	5.2
Public transportation	334.1	-.4	364.6	3.4	347.5	.0	370.5	.2	387.6	2.0	256.4	1.7	442.9	1.1
Medical care	429.3	.8	406.9	1.3	438.3	1.3	435.6	.4	415.5	1.7	199.7	.2	395.3	.6
Entertainment	284.3	-1.1	274.2	1.6	286.3	.6	241.0	2.2	289.8	.2	136.8	-1.7	283.6	-.1
Other goods and services	306.8	.6	335.0	1.3	373.6	-.4	346.3	.4	362.4	-.4	195.7	.5	321.7	.6
Personal care	276.7	1.7	292.1	3.8	278.3	-1.8	277.9	.1	322.2	.8	174.9	.1	285.7	1.5

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Table 17. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Areas priced bimonthly, by expenditure category and commodity and service group. Indexes, May 1986, and percent changes, March 1986 to May 1986—Continued

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Area pricing schedule 1 ¹													
	Anchorage, Alaska _{2 3}		Baltimore, Md.		Boston, Mass.		Cincinnati, Ohio-Ky.-Ind. ₃		Denver- Boulder, Colo. ₃		Miami, Fla. ₄		Milwaukee, Wis. ₃	
	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change
	Commodity and service group													
All items	288.9	-0.8	329.1	-0.6	322.6	-0.7	332.0	0.8	356.3	0.2	173.0	-0.9	332.0	0.9
Commodities	275.4	-1.5	295.5	-1.4	281.6	-1.6	294.2	1.0	288.2	-3	157.7	-1.3	288.3	1.0
Food and beverages	322.9	.7	312.3	-2	300.1	1.2	319.4	.7	283.7	-1.7	164.2	.0	296.0	.9
Commodities less food and beverages	242.8	-2.9	280.5	-2.2	264.1	-3.6	271.0	1.2	284.9	.6	153.5	-2.3	280.2	1.0
Nondurables less food and beverage	249.5	-5.3	280.7	-3.6	281.0	-6.0	278.1	1.6	252.5	1.6	152.8	-3.8	282.9	1.5
Durables	239.3	.1	292.6	.1	247.0	.8	273.2	.7	322.4	-7	159.8	-1	272.5	.4
Services	322.0	-.1	383.4	.4	386.2	.2	395.5	.6	465.7	.6	191.7	-.5	405.3	.8
Medical care services	470.9	.7	439.2	1.4	482.9	1.2	452.0	.4	451.6	1.7	205.5	.3	427.9	.8
Special indexes:														
All items less shelter	311.2	-.9	305.4	-.8	307.5	-1.0	306.3	.8	296.8	.0	167.6	-1.0	301.6	.7
All items less medical care	289.2	-.9	325.1	-.7	316.9	-.8	325.6	.8	352.0	.1	171.4	-.9	328.6	.9
All items less energy ¹³	161.2	.0	169.9	.4	174.3	.4	174.5	.6	186.8	-1	172.8	.0	183.5	.6
Energy ⁹	166.0	-9.7	148.4	-8.6	160.6	-10.3	168.4	2.2	175.7	2.9	177.8	-9.0	184.6	3.4
Commodities less food	246.2	-2.7	279.9	-2.1	262.7	-3.5	270.8	1.3	283.2	.6	153.5	-2.2	276.2	1.0
Nondurables less food	252.9	-4.7	279.5	-3.4	276.3	-5.6	275.6	1.6	252.0	1.6	152.7	-3.6	274.0	1.4
Nondurables	288.3	-2.1	297.7	-1.9	291.4	-2.2	302.7	1.1	268.9	-1	159.0	-1.7	289.9	1.2
Services less rent of shelter ⁶	122.2	.3	122.2	.4	121.7	.2	115.9	.4	117.1	.7	118.2	-.4	110.9	.3
Services less medical care	308.1	-.2	375.4	.3	376.1	.1	382.0	.6	464.4	.4	190.0	-.6	400.2	.8

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Table 17. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Areas priced bimonthly, by expenditure category and commodity and service group. Indexes, May 1986, and percent changes, March 1986 to May 1986—Continued

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Area pricing schedule 1 ¹											
	Northeast Pennsylvania ¹⁴		Portland, Oreg.-Wash. ³		St. Louis, Mo.-Ill.		San Diego, Calif. ³		Seattle-Everett, Wash. ³		Washington, D.C.-Md.-Va.	
	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change
	Expenditure category											
All items	309.2	0.0	314.6	-0.1	318.6	-0.2	382.8	0.9	323.5	-0.5	329.6	0.2
All items (1957-59=100) ¹⁵	364.8	-	371.8	-	372.2	-	402.4	-	380.1	-	384.0	-
Food and beverages	295.9	-2	305.5	-5	307.9	.5	327.0	2.0	298.7	1.2	328.2	1.5
Food	305.5	-2	313.9	-5	312.9	.5	341.4	2.2	307.9	1.3	331.9	1.6
Food at home	295.8	-4	293.3	-6	301.1	.5	303.9	2.5	292.7	1.6	333.9	2.0
Cereals and bakery products	305.7	-2	327.9	.4	342.8	.2	332.6	2.7	307.0	-5	350.1	1.3
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs ¹⁶	274.5	-3.0	269.2	-1.8	241.9	.0	269.5	-4	246.1	-1.5	293.1	1.9
Meats, poultry, and fish	279.8	-2.9	274.1	-1.5	247.5	.1	274.3	-2	254.1	-5	303.6	2.7
Dairy products	233.4	-1.3	228.4	.0	290.4	-5	243.9	-8	249.9	1.7	250.6	1.0
Fruits and vegetables	325.3	4.0	318.0	4.1	358.5	3.3	326.1	9.5	285.7	9.7	385.2	3.5
Other foods at home ¹⁶	366.7	.4	370.3	-2.5	361.3	-1	377.7	2.7	400.8	1.2	428.6	1.8
Food away from home	333.4	.5	362.6	-3	343.3	.5	430.7	1.7	344.2	.8	332.8	.9
Alcoholic beverages	224.0	-1.0	232.0	.3	257.6	.5	207.6	-1.1	241.3	-4	287.7	1.0
Housing	333.8	.8	321.3	-4	352.2	-3	485.1	1.0	361.2	-7	352.4	.4
Shelter	377.2	2.4	365.7	.4	407.9	-5	625.9	1.5	412.7	.4	379.6	-3
Renters' costs ⁶	120.1	3.8	112.9	.7	120.4	1.9	136.4	1.6	114.6	.5	125.7	.2
Rent, residential	289.0	3.5	249.9	.4	235.9	1.8	371.0	1.5	277.5	.2	303.6	.3
Other renters' costs	420.7	5.9	381.2	3.3	379.6	1.9	398.4	2.0	464.3	2.7	432.2	.0
Homeowners' costs ⁶	118.9	2.3	111.4	.2	117.2	-1.3	138.2	1.5	112.7	.1	119.3	-6
Owners' equivalent rent ⁶	119.3	2.4	111.3	.2	117.6	-1.3	138.7	1.5	112.2	.1	119.4	-6
Fuel and other utilities	479.2	-1.7	385.1	-4	333.7	.9	340.0	4.1	357.4	-6.6	355.7	-2.5
Fuels	472.2	-2.3	381.4	-7	408.6	1.3	434.9	4.9	470.7	-9.7	450.4	-3.6
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas ¹⁷	551.0	-6.5	433.5	-9	487.1	-2.5	215.4	-4.1	458.9	-3.9	619.6	-15.0
Fuel oil ⁹	176.6	-9.1	145.5	-9	186.8	-2.4	195.2	-3.7	168.2	-4.3	166.5	-12.0
Other fuels ⁹	166.5	-2.9	NA	NA	148.2	-2.5	218.3	-4.2	173.4	.0	339.2	NA
Gas (piped) and electricity	295.6	1.5	332.8	-6	385.0	1.9	457.2	5.1	433.7	-12.3	417.9	-1
Electricity ¹⁰	190.7	2.7	186.8	.0	304.9	5.3	458.8	.0	438.7	-13.5	304.7	-1.4
Utility (piped) gas ¹⁸	162.1	-5	173.9	-2.6	475.3	-2.0	454.4	16.5	418.1	-6.5	528.9	1.2
Household furnishings and operation	225.2	-1	226.3	-2.5	248.4	-1.1	225.7	-3.4	251.5	.9	278.1	5.1
Apparel and upkeep	213.2	.1	196.3	-6	196.9	-4	218.6	-1	198.9	-2	214.5	-8
Apparel commodities	209.5	.0	189.3	-6	185.8	-4	201.5	-2	185.0	-2	188.2	-1.8
Men's and boys' apparel	217.6	-2.1	208.8	-5	191.2	1.0	185.5	.7	193.0	.1	200.1	3.0
Women's and girls' apparel	191.9	2.0	166.4	-2.5	148.7	-9	184.1	-3.5	143.6	-1.7	156.7	-6.7
Footwear	237.6	-5	220.1	-2	157.3	-4.5	227.0	.1	209.9	4.5	223.5	-1.7
Transportation	286.6	-1.2	310.5	-1.3	282.5	-1.0	319.8	.3	285.9	-1.9	302.3	-1.5
Private transportation	295.2	-1.3	318.7	-1.4	288.0	-1.0	316.4	.4	286.1	-2.1	290.0	-3.0
Motor fuel ⁹	144.6	-4.6	149.4	-9.3	141.3	-4.6	162.8	1.0	149.4	-8.2	154.3	-11.3
Gasoline ⁹	144.4	-4.4	149.3	-9.4	141.0	-4.7	162.8	1.2	148.9	-8.3	154.0	-11.4
Gasoline, leaded regular ¹⁹	144.8	-4.7	143.3	-9.8	150.4	-3.3	174.1	1.9	171.4	-9.3	162.8	-13.3
Gasoline, unleaded regular ¹⁹	141.4	-3.9	149.4	-8.6	154.6	-5.4	185.0	1.0	175.9	-7.4	164.3	-11.5
Gasoline, unleaded premium ¹²	73.7	-5.5	73.6	-10.5	79.5	-4.2	84.8	1.0	73.2	-10.4	79.6	-10.0
Public transportation	262.8	.7	336.9	.2	262.3	-8	371.4	-6	310.6	.7	439.3	12.5
Medical care	463.1	-2	430.7	2.7	401.5	.7	387.8	1.2	398.7	.0	454.3	1.4
Entertainment	264.6	-1.0	255.1	3.4	263.4	.6	267.8	1.3	267.1	-1.4	263.3	-1.1
Other goods and services	326.8	.5	370.7	1.1	338.8	-1	325.5	.1	356.1	2.4	338.3	.3
Personal care	292.1	.9	301.1	3.4	290.4	-2	300.7	.2	322.6	1.1	266.1	1.0

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Group	Area pricing schedule 1 ¹											
	Northeast Pennsylvania ¹⁴		Portland, Oreg.-Wash. ³		St. Louis, Mo.-Ill.		San Diego, Calif. ³		Seattle-Everett, Wash. ³		Washington, D.C.-Md.-Va.	
	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change
	Commodity and service group											
All items	309.2	0.0	314.6	-0.1	318.6	-0.2	382.8	0.9	323.5	-0.5	329.6	0.2
Commodities	283.9	- .8	279.1	-1.1	284.3	- .4	308.4	.5	277.7	- .4	284.7	- .2
Food and beverages	295.9	- .2	305.5	- .5	307.9	.5	327.0	2.0	298.7	1.2	328.2	1.5
Commodities less food and beverages	274.8	-1.2	263.7	-1.5	263.9	- .9	293.7	- .5	264.0	-1.3	256.7	-1.3
Nondurables less food and beverage	278.6	-1.7	266.0	-2.3	252.0	-1.2	275.1	.5	270.8	-2.4	264.5	-4.9
Durables	270.4	- .6	274.0	- .5	277.2	- .6	314.9	-1.8	267.7	.0	255.1	3.9
Services	359.0	1.1	370.7	1.0	378.1	.1	499.3	1.4	399.5	- .5	392.2	.5
Medical care services	522.0	- .3	464.4	1.9	431.7	.6	411.7	1.4	426.5	.0	495.3	1.6
Special indexes:												
All items less shelter	296.1	- .6	301.3	- .3	294.4	- .1	303.3	.7	295.8	- .7	311.2	.3
All items less medical care	300.7	.0	307.9	- .3	313.5	- .3	382.1	1.0	319.1	- .5	323.1	.1
All items less energy ¹³	169.8	.4	168.9	.4	175.5	- .1	207.4	.8	177.9	.5	176.9	1.0
Energy ⁹	163.2	-3.1	159.7	-5.1	153.4	-1.2	184.0	2.7	175.5	-9.0	162.7	-7.5
Commodities less food	271.3	-1.2	262.1	-1.5	264.2	- .9	289.9	- .6	262.4	-1.3	258.5	-1.3
Nondurables less food	272.3	-1.6	262.4	-2.2	252.5	-1.1	268.2	.4	266.8	-2.2	266.3	-4.5
Nondurables	287.6	- .9	285.8	-1.4	282.8	- .3	301.8	1.3	285.7	- .6	297.2	-1.6
Services less rent of shelter ⁶	118.8	.1	122.3	1.3	114.3	.4	119.3	1.3	115.4	-1.1	123.1	1.3
Services less medical care	335.6	1.4	358.0	.8	368.0	.0	507.2	1.4	394.4	- .5	379.3	.4

¹ Areas on pricing schedule 2 (See footnote 1 table 13) will appear next month.

² Indexes on a October 1967 = 100 base unless otherwise indicated.

³ Due to smaller sample sizes in this area, data will no longer be published on a bi-monthly basis after December 1986. Local indexes will be published on a semi-annual average basis.

⁴ Indexes are on a November 1977 = 100 base unless otherwise indicated.

⁵ The 1957-59 = 100 base is not available for Anchorage, Alaska and Denver-Boulder, Colo.; index for Anchorage, Alaska is on a May-October 1960 = 100 base; index for Denver-Boulder, Colo. is on a January 1964 = 100 base.

⁶ Indexes on a November 1982 = 100 base.

⁷ Index on a June 1978 = 100 base in Miami, Fla.

⁸ Indexes on a June 1978 = 100 base in Cincinnati, Ohio-Ky.-Ind.; Denver-Boulder, Col.; and Miami, Fla.

⁹ Indexes on a June 1978 = 100 base.

¹⁰ Indexes on a June 1978 = 100 base in Anchorage, Alaska; Denver-Boulder, Col.; and Miami, Fla.

¹¹ Indexes on a June 1978 = 100 base in Anchorage, Alaska; Denver-Boulder, Col.; and Miami, Fla. Indexes on a January 1976 = 100 base in Baltimore, Md.; Boston, Mass.; Cincinnati, Ohio-Ky.-Ind.; and Milwaukee, Wis.

¹² Indexes on an August 1981 = 100 base.

¹³ Indexes are on the bases listed below:

Anchorage, Alaska.....January 1978 = 100.

Baltimore, Md.....March 1978 = 100.

Boston, Mass.....January 1978 = 100.

Cincinnati, Ohio-Ky.-Ind.....March 1978 = 100.

Denver-Boulder, Colo.....January 1978 = 100.

Miami, Fla.....November 1977 = 100.

Milwaukee, Wis.....November 1977 = 100.

Northeastern Pennsylvania.....November 1977 = 100.

Portland, Oreg.-Wash.....January 1978 = 100.

St. Louis, Mo.-Ill.....March 1978 = 100.

San Diego, Calif.....November 1977 = 100.

Seattle-Everett, Wash.....November 1977 = 100.

Washington, D.C.-Md.-Va.....November 1977 = 100.

¹⁴ Data for Northeast, Pa. will no longer be published after December 1986.

¹⁵ The 1957-59 = 100 base is not available for San Diego, Calif.; index is on a February 1965 = 100 base.

¹⁶ Index is on an April 1967 = 100 base in Northeastern Pennsylvania and Portland, Oreg.-Wash.

¹⁷ Index on a June 1978 = 100 base in San Diego, Calif.

¹⁸ Indexes on a June 1978 = 100 base in Northeast, Pa.; and Portland, Oreg.-Wash.

¹⁹ Indexes on a June 1978 = 100 base in Northeast, Pa.; and Portland, Oreg.-Wash. Indexes on a January 1976 = 100 base in St. Louis, Mo.-Ill.; San Diego, Calif.; Seattle-Everett, Wash.; and Washington, D.C.-Md.-Va.

^{NA} Data not adequate for publication.

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

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Area, region, and population size class	Pricing schedule ¹	Other index base	Indexes				Percent change to May 1986 from—			Percent change to Apr. 1986 from—		
			Feb. 1986	Mar. 1986	Apr. 1986	May 1986	May 1985	Mar. 1986	Apr. 1986	Apr. 1985	Feb. 1986	Mar. 1986
Area²												
U.S. city average			323.2	321.4	320.4	321.4	1.1	0.0	0.3	1.2	-0.9	-0.3
Chicago, Ill.-Northwestern Ind.	M		312.8	309.7	309.1	309.6	.9	.0	.2	.9	-1.2	-.2
Detroit, Mich. ³	M		312.3	309.3	308.1	311.0	1.4	.5	.9	.6	-1.3	-.4
L.A.-Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif.	M		320.4	321.6	320.2	322.7	2.7	.3	.8	2.9	-1.1	-.4
N.Y., N.Y.-Northeastern N.J.	M		314.7	314.5	313.2	312.3	2.1	-.7	-.3	2.7	-.5	-.4
Philadelphia, Pa.-N.J.	M		322.8	321.4	319.7	320.8	1.1	-.2	.3	1.4	-1.0	-.5
Anchorage, Alaska ⁴	1	10/67	-	284.4	-	281.8	3.6	-.9	-	-	-	-
Baltimore, Md.	1		-	329.5	-	326.8	1.4	-.8	-	-	-	-
Boston, Mass.	1		-	322.3	-	319.3	1.9	-.9	-	-	-	-
Cincinnati, Ohio-Ky.-Ind. ⁴	1		-	321.8	-	324.8	.2	.9	-	-	-	-
Denver-Boulder, Colo. ⁴	1		-	350.1	-	350.3	-.5	.1	-	-	-	-
Miami, Fla.	1	11/77	-	175.1	-	173.4	.7	-1.0	-	-	-	-
Milwaukee, Wis. ⁴	1		-	347.2	-	350.6	.1	1.0	-	-	-	-
Northeast Pennsylvania ⁵	1		-	308.3	-	308.1	1.0	-.1	-	-	-	-
Portland, Oreg.-Wash. ⁴	1		-	304.3	-	303.2	.7	-.4	-	-	-	-
St. Louis, Mo.-Ill.	1		-	315.0	-	314.2	.4	-.3	-	-	-	-
San Diego, Calif. ⁴	1		-	341.9	-	345.2	2.6	1.0	-	-	-	-
Seattle-Everett, Wash. ⁴	1		-	311.4	-	309.4	.3	-.6	-	-	-	-
Washington, D.C.-Md.-Va.	1		-	330.5	-	330.2	2.2	-.1	-	-	-	-
Atlanta, Ga. ⁴	2		334.3	-	331.7	-	-	-	-	2.9	-.8	-
Buffalo, N.Y. ⁴	2		295.8	-	292.7	-	-	-	-	.3	-1.0	-
Cleveland, Ohio ⁶	2		328.3	-	324.4	-	-	-	-	.8	-1.2	-
Dallas-Fort Worth, Tex.	2		340.4	-	334.1	-	-	-	-	1.4	-1.9	-
Honolulu, Hawaii ⁴	2		308.5	-	306.0	-	-	-	-	2.0	-.8	-
Houston, Tex.	2		334.3	-	327.7	-	-	-	-	-1.5	-2.0	-
Kansas City, Mo.-Kans. ⁴	2		310.1	-	308.9	-	-	-	-	-.3	-.4	-
Minneapolis-St.Paul, Minn.-Wis. ⁴	2		334.9	-	332.3	-	-	-	-	.9	-.8	-
Pittsburgh, Pa.	2		311.4	-	307.8	-	-	-	-	.3	-1.2	-
San Francisco-Oakland, Calif. ⁷	2		336.0	-	333.2	-	-	-	-	2.2	-.8	-
Region⁸												
Northeast	2	12/77	172.3	-	171.1	-	-	-	-	1.9	-.7	-
North Central	2	12/77	171.8	-	170.0	-	-	-	-	.2	-1.0	-
South	2	12/77	176.1	-	174.1	-	-	-	-	.9	-1.1	-
West	2	12/77	175.4	-	174.5	-	-	-	-	1.8	-.5	-
Population size class⁹												
A-1 ⁹	2	12/77	170.5	-	169.3	-	-	-	-	2.0	-.7	-
A-2 ⁹	2	12/77	175.5	-	173.8	-	-	-	-	1.0	-1.0	-
B	2	12/77	174.2	-	172.7	-	-	-	-	.9	-.9	-
C	2	12/77	175.0	-	173.4	-	-	-	-	.8	-.9	-
D	2	12/77	175.2	-	173.6	-	-	-	-	.5	-.9	-

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, region, and population size class	Pricing schedule ¹	Other index base	Indexes				Percent change to May 1986 from—			Percent change to Apr. 1986 from—		
			Feb. 1986	Mar. 1986	Apr. 1986	May 1986	May 1985	Mar. 1986	Apr. 1986	Apr. 1985	Feb. 1986	Mar. 1986
Region/population size class cross classification⁸												
Northeast/A	2	12/77	168.1	-	166.9	-	-	-	-	2.1	-0.7	-
North Central/A	2	12/77	174.0	-	172.1	-	-	-	-	.6	-1.1	-
South/A	2	12/77	177.0	-	174.9	-	-	-	-	1.3	-1.2	-
West/A	2	12/77	175.5	-	174.9	-	-	-	-	2.3	-3	-
Northeast/B	2	12/77	173.4	-	171.7	-	-	-	-	.7	-1.0	-
North Central/B	2	12/77	169.7	-	167.7	-	-	-	-	-4	-1.2	-
South/B	2	12/77	174.6	-	173.2	-	-	-	-	1.5	-8	-
West/B	2	12/77	178.2	-	177.1	-	-	-	-	1.1	-6	-
Northeast/C	2	12/77	187.8	-	187.4	-	-	-	-	2.7	-2	-
North Central/C	2	12/77	167.1	-	165.1	-	-	-	-	-4	-1.2	-
South/C	2	12/77	176.6	-	174.3	-	-	-	-	.2	-1.3	-
West/C	2	12/77	169.6	-	168.9	-	-	-	-	1.8	-4	-
Northeast/D ⁵	2	12/77	178.6	-	177.2	-	-	-	-	1.7	-8	-
North Central/D	2	12/77	172.4	-	171.4	-	-	-	-	.0	-6	-
South/D	2	12/77	176.0	-	174.0	-	-	-	-	.2	-1.1	-
West/D ⁵	2	12/77	176.3	-	173.9	-	-	-	-	.9	-1.4	-

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 Area is generally the Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area (SMSA), exclusive of farms. L.A.-Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif. is a combination of two SMSA's, and N.Y., N.Y.-Northeastern N.J. and Chicago, Ill.-Northwestern Ind. are the more extensive Standard Consolidated Areas. Area definitions are those established by the Office of Management and Budget in 1973, except for Denver-Boulder, Colo. which does not include Douglas County. Definitions do not include revisions made since 1973.

³ Detroit, Mich. will no longer be published on a monthly basis after December 1986. Beginning after December 1986, a local index will be published for even numbered months only.

⁴ Due to smaller sample sizes in this area, data will no longer be published on a bi-monthly basis after December 1986. A local index will be published on a semi-annual average basis.

⁵ This index will no longer be published after December 1986.

⁶ After December 1986, Cleveland, Ohio will be published in odd instead of even numbered months.

⁷ After December 1986, this index series will be published on a

monthly basis.

⁸ Regions are defined as the four Census regions.

The population size classes are aggregations of areas which have urban population as defined:

A-1 - More than 4,000,000.

A-2 - 1,250,000 to 4,000,000.

B - 385,000 to 1,250,000.

C - 75,000 to 385,000.

D - Less than 75,000.

Population size class A is the aggregation of population size classes A-1 and A-2.

⁹ A-1 and A-2 will be aggregated to produce a population size class A index after December 1986. A-1 and A-2 will no longer be published separately after December 1986.

NOTE: Local area CPI indexes are by-products of the national CPI program. Because each local index is a small subset of the national index, it has a smaller sample size and is, therefore, subject to substantially more sampling and other measurement error than the national index. As a result, local area indexes show greater volatility than the national index, although their long-term trends are quite similar.

Therefore, the Bureau of Labor Statistics strongly urges users to consider adopting the national average CPI for use in escalator clauses.

Table 19. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers : Selected areas, food at home expenditure categories

(1967=100, unless otherwise noted)

Area, region, population size class	Other index base	Total food at home	Cereals and bakery products	Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs ¹	Dairy products	Fruits and vegetables	Other foods at home ¹
Indexes, May 1986							
Area ²							
U.S. city average		300.4	322.1	262.6	255.8	331.6	374.3
Anchorage, Alaska ³	10/67	279.0	282.6	242.5	242.5	297.9	350.7
Atlanta, Ga. ³		311.2	310.3	244.7	295.1	371.2	398.6
Baltimore, Md.		300.1	327.4	264.6	254.7	356.2	356.6
Boston, Mass.		285.0	319.5	266.1	233.8	314.8	331.5
Buffalo, N.Y. ³		302.2	294.5	265.9	255.1	352.5	378.7
Chicago, Ill.-Northwestern Ind.		289.5	327.1	254.3	240.2	330.9	356.3
Cincinnati, Ohio-Ky.-Ind. ³		322.2	392.5	270.2	259.4	347.9	409.8
Cleveland, Ohio		300.2	318.9	285.7	252.2	310.1	356.5
Dallas-Fort Worth, Tex.		308.4	317.9	249.4	270.4	348.3	394.3
Denver-Boulder, Colo. ³		282.1	278.5	233.3	266.7	308.3	366.4
Detroit, Mich.		291.6	336.4	263.6	244.1	293.7	366.9
Honolulu, Hawaii ³		346.7	319.3	325.2	301.3	382.9	417.1
Houston, Tex.		314.6	315.5	267.0	293.8	323.6	401.4
Kansas City, Mo.-Kans. ³		296.9	310.8	248.3	283.3	345.3	355.3
L.A.-Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif.		301.4	321.1	265.0	252.0	308.0	387.7
Miami, Fla.	11/77	163.7	170.7	162.6	152.0	188.8	154.5
Milwaukee, Wis. ³		298.7	354.2	275.3	254.4	311.1	342.7
Minneapolis-St. Paul, Minn.-Wis. ³		300.6	350.5	252.1	279.1	310.1	358.3
N.Y., N.Y.-Northeastern N.J.		308.2	329.3	269.6	264.5	341.0	390.5
Northeast Pennsylvania ⁴		297.2	298.2	267.8	231.7	352.8	367.7
Philadelphia, Pa.-N.J.		302.6	325.7	268.1	249.6	323.8	391.0
Pittsburgh, Pa.		287.4	309.3	240.7	226.3	335.5	373.6
Portland, Oreg.-Wash. ³		295.1	330.4	258.2	235.7	328.2	384.0
St. Louis, Mo.-Ill.		301.6	359.0	241.9	284.9	358.3	364.0
San Diego, Calif. ³		306.3	344.9	264.4	255.5	321.6	382.0
San Francisco-Oakland, Calif.		306.4	345.6	275.4	244.3	317.7	388.8
Seattle-Everett, Wash. ³		291.4	308.6	243.7	248.5	289.2	393.0
Washington, D.C.-Md.-Va.		327.1	323.6	291.3	250.6	377.7	421.3
Region ⁵							
Northeast	12/77	155.1	169.3	149.4	141.3	172.7	152.3
North Central	12/77	150.9	172.3	141.8	139.1	165.9	151.6
South	12/77	156.2	166.9	145.4	152.5	175.9	156.2
West	12/77	160.3	175.1	149.7	149.4	175.7	163.1
Population size class ⁵							
A-1 ⁶	12/77	154.0	169.0	147.4	144.8	164.5	154.0
A-2 ⁶	12/77	156.5	172.3	146.8	145.9	175.5	156.7
B	12/77	157.7	173.6	147.5	145.7	182.4	156.6
C	12/77	153.0	168.2	142.8	142.5	170.7	154.6
D	12/77	153.8	169.1	146.7	142.9	173.5	150.7

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 19. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers : Selected areas, food at home expenditure categories—Continued

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Area, region, population size class	Other index base	Total food at home	Cereals and bakery products	Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs ¹	Dairy products	Fruits and vegetables	Other foods at home ¹
	Indexes, May 1986						
Region/population size class cross classification⁵							
Northeast/A	12/77	153.5	167.3	148.1	143.0	166.9	151.4
North Central/A	12/77	152.5	173.1	144.4	142.2	167.2	151.4
South/A	12/77	160.9	168.6	151.8	152.6	178.4	163.5
West/A	12/77	158.4	175.1	145.8	150.2	168.5	163.7
Northeast/B	12/77	159.9	176.3	151.3	136.5	195.7	154.6
North Central/B	12/77	149.5	177.9	139.6	138.2	162.7	149.2
South/B	12/77	156.6	165.3	143.4	153.6	181.4	157.6
West/B	12/77	165.2	179.5	157.4	152.8	184.7	164.8
Northeast/C	12/77	156.4	170.6	153.8	140.0	172.3	152.6
North Central/C	12/77	149.7	167.7	138.6	134.6	169.4	155.1
South/C	12/77	151.8	167.1	137.1	150.8	168.4	154.2
West/C	12/77	157.5	167.6	149.5	144.3	176.4	158.2
Northeast/D ⁴	12/77	157.0	169.5	150.4	138.9	178.8	155.3
North Central/D	12/77	147.9	169.6	138.9	135.5	159.7	150.1
South/D	12/77	154.8	166.2	151.3	153.2	175.5	145.1
West/D ⁴	12/77	161.6	174.6	149.2	142.8	193.1	162.5

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 19. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers : Selected areas, food at home expenditure categories—Continued

Area, region, population size class	Total food at home	Cereals and bakery products	Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	Dairy products	Fruits and vegetables	Other foods at home
	Percent change from April 1986 to May 1986					
Area ²						
U.S. city average	0.2	0.4	-0.3	0.1	2.0	-0.5
Anchorage, Alaska ³	1.0	.5	1.7	-.8	3.7	-.3
Atlanta, Ga. ³	-.2	1.6	-1.2	.9	5.4	-3.1
Baltimore, Md.	-.3	-2.1	1.7	1.4	-1.2	-1.8
Boston, Mass. ....	.5	1.0	-1.2	-.3	3.7	.9
Buffalo, N.Y. ³ .....	.8	1.4	1.1	.0	.9	.6
Chicago, Ill.-Northwestern Ind.	-.8	-.2	-2.5	.0	3.5	-1.4
Cincinnati, Ohio-Ky.-Ind. ³	1.2	1.4	3.5	.0	-.2	-.1
Cleveland, Ohio	-.9	-.3	-.8	.8	-.7	-2.2
Dallas-Fort Worth, Tex. ....	.5	.1	-2.7	-1.1	5.4	2.0
Denver-Boulder, Colo. ³ .....	.6	.1	-.9	-1.1	8.2	-.5
Detroit, Mich.	1.0	-.4	1.7	.3	2.9	.1
Honolulu, Hawaii ³	1.9	1.0	.9	.1	3.6	3.1
Houston, Tex. ....	.1	1.7	-1.5	3.1	3.7	-1.9
Kansas City, Mo.-Kans. ³	-.2	.3	-1.4	1.0	1.5	-.5
L.A.-Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif. ....	.3	-.1	-.1	-.6	2.6	.2
Miami, Fla.	-.4	-.7	-.5	.1	-.7	-.2
Milwaukee, Wis. ³ .....	.6	.6	.7	1.0	3.1	-1.0
Minneapolis-St. Paul, Minn.-Wis. ³ .....	.0	.6	-.7	.0	.9	.1
N.Y., N.Y.-Northeastern N.J.	-.3	.2	-.3	-.9	.7	-1.1
Northeast Pennsylvania ⁴	-.6	-.2	-2.5	-.9	1.7	-.1
Philadelphia, Pa.-N.J.	-.1	.6	.6	.0	-1.2	-.6
Pittsburgh, Pa. ....	.7	-.1	.0	1.4	1.9	.9
Portland, Oreg.-Wash. ³ .....	.1	.1	1.0	1.2	.7	-1.5
St. Louis, Mo.-Ill.	-.5	-.7	-.1	.4	-1.9	-.5
San Diego, Calif. ³	1.8	3.2	.9	.3	3.9	1.5
San Francisco-Oakland, Calif. ....	.2	.3	-.4	.0	2.8	-.7
Seattle-Everett, Wash. ³ .....	.1	-.1	.2	1.1	2.4	-1.4
Washington, D.C.-Md.-Va.	1.4	1.5	1.0	.0	2.5	1.9
Region ⁵						
Northeast .....	.0	.6	-.2	-.4	1.0	-.7
North Central .....	.0	.1	-.8	.2	3.0	-.7
South .....	.1	.4	-.7	.9	2.2	-.4
West .....	.8	.4	.7	.0	2.6	.3
Population size class ⁵						
A-1 ⁶	-.1	.1	-.3	-.5	1.4	-.7
A-2 ⁶ .....	.3	.5	-.2	.5	1.9	-.3
B .....	.8	1.0	.5	.1	2.9	.3
C .....	.0	.4	-.5	.7	1.8	-.9
D	-.4	-.1	-2.1	-.3	3.1	-.9

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 19. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers : Selected areas, food at home expenditure categories—Continued

Area, region, population size class	Total food at home	Cereals and bakery products	Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	Dairy products	Fruits and vegetables	Other foods at home
	Percent change from April 1986 to May 1986					
Region/population size class cross classification ⁵						
Northeast/A	-0.1	0.4	-0.1	-0.5	0.7	-0.5
North Central/A	-1	.0	-.5	.3	1.9	-.9
South/A .....	.2	.3	-.3	.7	2.4	-.2
West/A .....	.4	.3	-.1	-.3	2.7	-.1
Northeast/B .....	.4	1.3	-.1	-.9	1.5	.2
North Central/B	1.4	2.4	.4	-.3	5.4	.8
South/B .....	.5	.5	.1	1.3	2.4	-.3
West/B	1.5	.4	2.3	.1	3.6	.8
Northeast/C	-.2	.9	.1	.2	1.0	-1.9
North Central/C .....	.0	-.5	-1.0	.7	4.0	-.8
South/C	-.1	.5	-.8	1.0	1.0	-.7
West/C .....	.4	.5	.3	.6	.7	.3
Northeast/D ⁴	-.2	.3	-1.2	-.8	2.3	-.6
North Central/D	-1.3	-1.1	-3.4	-.4	3.5	-1.7
South/D	-.3	.2	-2.1	.1	3.4	-.5
West/D ⁴ .....	.9	.6	.6	-.1	2.9	.4

¹ Index is on an April 1967=100 base in Northeastern Pennsylvania and Portland, Oreg.-Wash.

² Area is generally the Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area (SMSA), exclusive of farms. L.A.-Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif. is a combination of two SMSA's, and N.Y., N.Y.-Northeastern N.J. and Chicago, Ill.-Northwestern Ind. are the more extensive Standard Consolidated Areas. Area definitions are those established by the Office of Management and Budget in 1973, except for Denver-Boulder, Colo. which does not include Douglas County. Definitions do not include revisions made since 1973.

³ Due to smaller sample sizes in this area, data will no longer be published on a bi-monthly basis after December 1986. A local index will be published on a semi-annual average basis.

⁴ This index will no longer be published after December 1986.

⁵ Regions are defined as the four Census regions. The population size classes are aggregations of areas which have urban population as defined:

- A-1 - More than 4,000,000.
- A-2 - 1,250,000 to 4,000,000.
- B - 385,000 to 1,250,000.
- C - 75,000 to 385,000.
- D - Less than 75,000.

Population size class A is the aggregation of population size classes A-1 and A-2.

⁶ A-1 and A-2 will be aggregated to produce a population size class A index after December 1986. A-1 and A-2 will no longer be published separately after December 1986.

Table 20. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers : Areas priced monthly, by expenditure category and commodity and service group, percent change from April 1986 to May 1986

Group	U.S. city average	Chicago, Ill.-Northwestern Ind.	Detroit, Mich. ¹	Los Angeles-Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif.	New York, N.Y.-Northeastern N.J.	Philadelphia, Pa.-N.J.
	Expenditure category					
All items	0.3	0.2	0.9	0.8	-0.3	0.3
Food and beverages .....	.2	-.3	.6	.2	.3	.1
Food .....	.3	-.4	.7	.3	.3	.2
Food at home .....	.2	-.8	1.0	.3	-.3	-.1
Cereals and bakery products .....	.4	-.2	-.4	-.1	.2	.6
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	-.3	-2.5	1.7	-.1	-.3	.6
Meats, poultry, and fish .....	.0	-2.2	1.7	.1	.0	1.0
Dairy products .....	.1	.0	.3	-.6	-.9	.0
Fruits and vegetables	2.0	3.5	2.9	2.6	.7	-1.2
Other foods at home	-.5	-1.4	.1	.2	-1.1	-.6
Food away from home .....	.5	.1	.1	.1	1.6	.7
Alcoholic beverages .....	.0	1.1	-.4	.2	-.2	-.4
Housing .....	.1	-.3	.5	1.3	-.9	.1
Shelter .....	.2	.3	.5	-.7	-.4	.7
Renters' costs .....	.2	.1	.5	-.5	.2	.8
Rent, residential .....	.2	.3	.9	-.4	.1	.9
Other renters' costs	-.1	-1.3	-3.0	-.4	1.3	.0
Homeowners' costs .....	.2	.3	.7	-.7	-.6	.6
Owners' equivalent rent .....	.2	.2	.7	-.8	-.9	.6
Fuel and other utilities .....	.1	-1.3	.0	11.5	-2.4	-1.3
Fuels .....	.1	-1.8	.0	18.5	-3.0	-1.7
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas	-4.1	-3.1	-.5	.0	-5.4	-5.5
Fuel oil	-4.7	-3.1	-.5	NA	-5.6	-5.8
Other fuels	-1.5	-3.4	.0	.0	.0	.0
Gas (piped) and electricity	1.1	-1.6	.0	18.7	-1.8	.0
Electricity	-.2	-1.8	.0	-2.1	-2.6	.2
Utility (piped) gas	3.0	-1.2	.0	39.9	-.7	-.1
Household furnishings and operation .....	.0	-1.0	1.5	1.4	-1.1	-.1
Apparel and upkeep	-.5	.2	-.5	-.6	-.7	-.3
Apparel commodities	-.6	.3	-.7	-.7	-1.2	-.4
Men's and boys' apparel .....	.4	.4	.7	-.6	-1.0	-2.0
Women's and girls' apparel	-2.0	-.8	-3.7	-1.8	-2.1	-2.8
Footwear .....	.0	-.6	-2.7	1.7	-4.1	7.6
Transportation .....	.8	1.7	2.3	.9	-.1	1.1
Private transportation .....	.8	1.9	2.4	1.0	-.1	1.2
Motor fuel	3.7	6.7	12.4	3.0	-.6	5.4
Gasoline	3.8	7.3	12.6	3.0	-.6	5.6
Gasoline, leaded regular	4.9	9.2	15.9	2.5	.1	5.8
Gasoline, unleaded regular	4.0	7.4	12.6	3.4	-.5	6.4
Gasoline, unleaded premium	1.5	4.5	5.2	3.0	-1.0	4.1
Public transportation .....	.2	-.3	.0	.3	-.3	.6
Medical care .....	.4	.5	.5	.3	.3	-.5
Entertainment .....	.1	-.6	-.5	1.0	.5	-.2
Other goods and services .....	.1	-.4	.4	.3	-.2	1.1
Personal care .....	.1	-1.4	1.3	-.1	-.3	.3

Table 20. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers : Areas priced monthly, by expenditure category and commodity and service group, percent change from April 1986 to May 1986—Continued

Group	U.S. city average	Chicago, Ill.-Northwestern Ind.	Detroit, Mich. ¹	Los Angeles-Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif.	New York, N.Y.-Northeastern N.J.	Philadelphia, Pa.-N.J.
	Commodity and service group					
All items	0.3	0.2	0.9	0.8	-0.3	0.3
Commodities .....	.3	.5	1.5	.7	-.4	.3
Food and beverages .....	.2	-.3	.6	.2	.3	.1
Commodities less food and beverages .....	.4	1.2	2.0	.9	-.9	.4
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	.6	1.5	3.8	1.5	-1.3	.6
Durables .....	.1	.7	.2	.2	-.1	.1
Services .....	.3	-.2	.3	.9	-.3	.4
Medical care services .....	.4	.6	.7	.3	.2	-.6
Special indexes:						
All items less shelter .....	.3	.1	1.0	1.3	-.3	.2
All items less medical care .....	.3	.2	1.0	.8	-.4	.4
All items less energy .....	.1	-.1	.4	.1	-.1	.2
Energy	1.7	2.4	4.9	8.6	-2.2	1.1
Commodities less food .....	.3	1.1	1.9	.9	-.9	.4
Nondurables less food .....	.6	1.4	3.5	1.4	-1.2	.5
Nondurables .....	.4	.5	2.1	.8	-.4	.4
Services less rent of shelter .....	.3	-.4	.1	2.5	-.2	.2
Services less medical care .....	.2	-.2	.3	1.0	-.3	.5

¹ Detroit, Mich. will no longer be published on a monthly basis after December 1986. Beginning after December 1986, a local index will be

published for even numbered months only.
^{NA} Data not adequate for publication.

Table 21. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers : Areas priced monthly, by expenditure category and commodity and service group. Indexes, May 1986 and percent changes March 1986 to May 1986

(1967=100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	U.S. city average		Chicago, Ill.-Northwestern Ind.		Detroit, Mich. ¹		Los Angeles-Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif.		New York, N.Y.-Northeastern N.J.		Philadelphia, Pa.-N.J.	
	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change
Expenditure category												
All items	321.4	0.0	309.6	0.0	311.0	0.5	322.7	0.3	312.3	-0.7	320.8	-0.2
All items (1957-59=100)	373.7	-	351.8	-	357.3	-	379.5	-	371.6	-	374.6	-
Food and beverages	309.0	.5	291.8	-2	291.2	.4	308.1	.2	316.3	1.0	320.9	.2
Food	316.4	.4	298.2	-3	294.6	.5	318.5	.3	327.0	1.0	331.0	.2
Food at home	300.4	.2	289.5	-6	291.6	.3	301.4	.2	308.2	.1	302.6	-2
Cereals and bakery products	322.1	.3	327.1	.4	336.4	1.6	321.1	.1	329.3	.4	325.7	.2
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	262.6	-1.7	254.3	-5.7	263.6	-1.0	265.0	-1.3	269.6	-1.7	268.1	-2.5
Meats, poultry, and fish	269.7	-1.4	265.0	-5.2	266.3	-8	268.3	-9	273.8	-1.4	276.1	-2.1
Dairy products	255.8	.1	240.2	.8	244.1	.4	252.0	-5	264.5	-9	249.6	.8
Fruits and vegetables	331.6	5.4	330.9	10.5	293.7	3.4	308.0	7.5	341.0	6.5	323.8	4.7
Other foods at home	374.3	-3	356.3	-9	366.9	-1	387.7	-1.6	390.5	-1.0	391.0	-7
Food away from home	362.0	.9	320.5	.2	314.0	.7	353.1	.3	376.7	2.9	421.0	1.0
Alcoholic beverages	242.2	.3	228.9	1.4	272.4	.0	226.8	-2	232.2	.1	250.6	.6
Housing	351.6	.4	332.1	.5	343.6	.9	357.2	.5	318.9	-1.2	340.2	.5
Shelter	388.8	1.0	376.7	1.7	376.7	1.2	393.4	-1.2	335.9	-3	384.4	1.9
Renters' costs ²	108.8	1.3	108.7	2.3	110.2	.2	109.8	-6	108.8	1.4	112.5	3.3
Rent, residential	277.5	1.2	246.4	1.6	258.8	.5	335.3	-6	290.9	1.3	303.3	3.3
Other renters' costs	411.3	1.5	454.8	8.5	337.0	-3.0	352.0	-2.0	437.3	2.8	474.9	2.3
Homeowners' costs ²	108.3	.8	107.6	1.4	110.3	1.2	110.1	-1.4	108.8	-1.6	110.6	1.2
Owners' equivalent rent ²	108.3	.9	107.1	1.4	110.4	1.3	109.9	-1.5	108.9	-1.6	110.8	1.3
Fuel and other utilities	383.0	-9	322.4	-2.4	445.6	-1.4	379.8	13.2	377.3	-4.6	383.4	-3.2
Fuels	459.7	-1.6	389.0	-3.2	523.6	-1.8	520.8	19.8	477.2	-6.0	447.1	-5.2
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas ³	499.9	-9.6	508.3	-3.8	558.7	-1.2	162.8	-6.9	533.4	-12.1	501.9	-12.8
Fuel oil ⁴	487.7	-10.8	178.5	-3.9	180.9	-1.3	NA	NA	173.4	-12.6	169.2	-13.5
Other fuels ⁵	185.7	-3.7	155.3	-3.4	196.9	-3	162.8	-6.9	195.0	-1.8	176.1	2.0
Gas (piped) and electricity	443.0	.4	359.4	-3.1	514.9	-1.9	524.5	20.1	446.6	-2.7	421.7	-1.4
Electricity	357.1	-1.2	303.2	-6.2	335.3	.0	377.3	.1	380.3	-4.6	402.2	-2.3
Utility (piped) gas	565.0	2.7	409.7	.9	669.1	-3.1	737.9	40.3	564.1	.0	437.5	-2
Household furnishings and operation	246.1	.0	232.6	.0	202.7	3.2	227.9	-2.3	247.6	-6	234.5	.9
Apparel and upkeep	205.1	.0	171.8	-5	166.7	-1.1	182.3	-6	190.1	-1	154.1	-1.3
Apparel commodities	190.1	-2	150.9	-1.0	150.5	-1.4	169.8	-4	168.0	-4	134.7	-1.5
Men's and boys' apparel	200.0	1.0	148.1	.1	162.7	3.1	173.7	-2	163.3	.6	139.5	.0
Women's and girls' apparel	165.9	-1.8	127.3	-4.2	135.3	-4.6	128.3	-1.8	144.3	-2.9	80.4	-2.2
Footwear	212.0	.6	168.3	-1.0	141.1	-4.1	229.1	2.8	196.1	-3.0	201.9	-2.3
Transportation	305.9	-1.4	301.4	-6	297.3	.8	324.8	.1	332.9	-2.9	330.4	-2.7
Private transportation	299.9	-1.5	290.2	-7	293.8	.9	324.1	.1	303.6	-3.6	328.3	-2.9
Motor fuel ⁵	149.4	-6.2	148.8	-3.3	162.2	4.2	156.9	.6	142.2	-15.0	155.3	-12.0
Gasoline ⁵	149.1	-6.2	147.9	-3.5	161.7	4.3	156.9	.6	141.7	-15.1	155.7	-12.0
Gasoline, leaded regular ⁶	159.7	-5.3	164.5	-1.1	176.8	7.2	171.0	2.3	144.0	-15.4	166.5	-11.4
Gasoline, unleaded regular ⁶	165.1	-6.6	165.5	-4.3	179.8	3.9	179.1	.1	146.8	-16.0	167.7	-12.8
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁷	76.6	-7.5	83.4	-3.6	81.6	1.0	82.4	.6	72.7	-13.9	73.6	-10.9
Public transportation	413.8	.4	437.5	.0	409.2	.0	347.3	1.0	469.2	-3	378.1	NA
Medical care	427.3	.9	432.7	1.1	446.4	.8	446.7	.7	421.7	.9	494.3	.6
Entertainment	267.3	.3	320.7	-4	224.4	-2.6	212.0	1.1	281.6	.9	243.0	1.6
Other goods and services	338.0	.3	337.8	-3	326.0	.4	330.5	.9	350.1	-2	354.0	1.7
Personal care	288.6	.2	256.6	-1.4	254.7	1.4	286.6	.5	317.1	-3	274.7	.3

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 21. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers : Areas priced monthly, by expenditure category and commodity and service group. Indexes, May 1986 and percent changes March 1986 to May 1986—Continued

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	U.S. city average		Chicago, Ill.-Northwestern Ind.		Detroit, Mich. ¹		Los Angeles-Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif.		New York, N.Y.-Northeastern N.J.		Philadelphia, Pa.-N.J.	
	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change
Commodity and service group												
All items	321.4	0.0	309.6	0.0	311.0	0.5	322.7	0.3	312.3	-0.7	320.8	-0.2
Commodities	281.3	-6	269.4	-4	256.2	.7	267.1	-1	275.6	-1.1	276.6	-1.3
Food and beverages	309.0	.5	291.8	-2	291.2	.4	308.1	.2	316.3	1.0	320.9	.2
Commodities less food and beverages	262.9	-1.3	251.2	-5	236.0	.9	245.6	-4	245.4	-3.0	246.5	-2.5
Nondurables less food and beverage	263.6	-2.2	247.8	-1.0	243.2	1.5	255.0	.0	254.3	-4.6	239.7	-4.6
Durables	263.5	-1	256.2	.2	230.1	.2	239.6	-8	233.0	.2	259.0	.8
Services	393.2	.7	378.2	.4	402.9	.3	414.5	.8	373.3	-2	406.4	1.1
Medical care services	461.3	.9	474.3	1.2	469.4	1.0	475.4	.9	449.6	.6	556.4	.6
Special indexes:												
All items less shelter	303.0	-3	289.5	-5	292.0	.3	298.3	.9	305.5	-8	307.1	-7
All items less medical care	316.1	.0	303.4	-1	302.5	.5	316.3	.3	306.8	-8	312.3	-3
All items less energy ⁵	319.2	.4	173.3	.3	166.5	.5	173.8	-3	165.6	.2	171.0	.8
Energy ⁴	364.6	-3.8	159.3	-3.3	175.5	.6	184.5	7.3	157.0	-9.5	172.5	-8.2
Commodities less food	261.6	-1.2	250.3	-4	237.7	.8	244.7	-3	243.6	-2.9	245.9	-2.4
Nondurables less food	260.9	-2.1	245.9	-8	245.5	1.4	251.8	.0	250.4	-4.3	239.1	-4.2
Nondurables	287.5	-8	271.7	-6	268.6	.9	282.7	.1	288.0	-1.5	263.2	-1.9
Services less rent of shelter ²	106.2	.5	103.3	-6	107.6	-1	111.0	2.7	105.1	-1	108.5	.6
Services less medical care	383.6	.7	364.4	.3	384.3	.3	405.2	.7	363.7	-3	385.3	1.2

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² Indexes on a December 1984 = 100 base.

³ Indexes on a June 1978 = 100 base in L.A.-Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif.

⁴ Indexes on a June 1978 = 100 base, except U.S. city average.

⁵ Indexes on a June 1978 = 100 base.

⁶ Indexes on a January 1976 = 100 base.

⁷ Indexes on an August 1981 = 100 base.

⁸ Indexes on a December 1977 = 100 base, except U.S. city average.

^{NA} Data not adequate for publication.

Table 22. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers : Areas priced bimonthly, by expenditure category and commodity and service group. Indexes, May 1986 and percent changes March 1986 to May 1986

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Area pricing schedule 1 ¹													
	Anchorage, Alaska 2 3		Baltimore, Md.		Boston, Mass.		Cincinnati, Ohio-Ky.-Ind. 3		Denver-Boulder, Colo. ³		Miami, Fla. ⁴		Milwaukee, Wis. ³	
	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change
	Expenditure category													
All items	281.8	-0.9	326.8	-0.8	319.3	-0.9	324.8	0.9	350.3	0.1	173.4	-1.0	350.6	1.0
All items (1957-59=100) ⁵	307.8	-	379.4	-	382.6	-	368.6	-	373.1	-	-	-	395.9	-
Food and beverages	321.1	.5	312.8	-.2	295.5	1.0	319.8	.7	292.3	-1.7	170.3	.2	302.7	.9
Food	295.4	.6	319.9	-.2	301.1	1.1	329.2	.5	298.7	-2.0	171.0	.2	313.7	.9
Food at home	279.0	.8	300.1	-.7	285.0	.5	322.2	1.0	282.1	-2.9	163.7	.2	298.7	1.0
Cereals and bakery products	282.6	.4	327.4	-2.4	319.5	1.6	392.5	2.3	278.5	-.5	170.7	-1.7	354.2	1.1
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	242.5	1.4	264.6	-.6	266.1	-1.6	270.2	1.5	233.3	-6.5	162.6	.5	275.3	-.6
Meats, poultry, and fish	245.5	2.0	273.7	.2	272.6	-1.6	277.0	2.0	239.4	-6.4	164.8	.7	282.5	-.1
Dairy products	242.5	-1.5	254.7	1.2	233.8	-1.2	259.4	-.4	266.7	-2.4	152.0	.1	254.4	-.1
Fruits and vegetables	297.9	2.1	356.2	.0	314.8	6.4	347.9	3.7	308.3	-.1	188.8	.1	311.1	9.6
Other foods at home	350.7	.4	356.6	-1.0	331.5	.0	409.8	-.8	366.4	-2.2	154.5	.8	342.7	-.5
Food away from home	335.0	.3	373.6	.8	340.6	2.3	337.1	-.3	345.1	.0	188.1	.0	357.0	.7
Alcoholic beverages	261.3	.2	254.0	.4	258.5	.0	245.9	2.2	266.9	1.9	156.8	.6	229.3	-.4
Housing	267.3	-.3	363.2	-.5	339.1	-1.3	351.6	.6	425.3	.5	176.7	-.8	429.7	1.1
Shelter	239.9	-.7	421.7	.3	381.2	.1	385.5	.9	504.4	.6	187.1	-.4	508.9	1.6
Renters' costs ⁶	100.8	-.7	109.3	.0	110.5	1.0	107.3	-1.3	103.9	1.2	104.1	-.3	107.4	1.6
Rent, residential	248.3	-1.0	262.3	.0	318.7	1.1	225.1	-.7	266.0	1.1	163.3	-.2	255.6	1.6
Other renters' costs	359.1	5.5	314.1	.1	339.8	-.1	341.3	-4.0	422.0	.6	199.9	-.8	365.4	2.0
Homeowners' costs ⁶	101.1	-.7	110.7	.5	110.8	-.3	106.1	1.7	103.9	.3	105.0	-.6	107.9	1.6
Owners' equivalent rent ⁶	101.1	-.7	111.2	.5	111.2	-.3	106.4	1.7	103.5	.2	104.7	-.6	107.8	1.4
Fuel and other utilities	277.0	.7	346.6	-3.4	342.1	-5.6	412.2	-.5	362.5	1.0	178.5	-3.0	407.5	-1.0
Fuels ⁷	371.2	1.0	403.9	-4.4	390.5	-7.3	494.2	-.4	513.1	.8	201.2	-4.7	480.0	1.6
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas ⁸	438.2	-10.1	515.5	-9.4	464.8	-14.1	156.4	-4.2	149.0	-3.1	183.4	-1.3	529.2	-5.4
Fuel oil ⁹	189.6	-13.1	173.2	-9.3	160.2	-14.5	158.5	-5.1	134.2	1.0	180.1	.0	168.9	-5.4
Other fuels ⁹	196.5	-.6	144.6	-11.3	229.4	.0	149.8	-1.1	152.4	-3.8	183.5	-1.4	162.5	-5.2
Gas (piped) and electricity ⁷	261.4	2.8	359.4	-1.1	324.4	-.6	484.3	.2	524.3	.9	201.7	-4.8	460.6	3.5
Electricity ¹⁰	202.4	1.3	299.1	-1.8	297.3	-.8	297.5	.0	209.6	3.1	207.4	-5.3	351.9	5.0
Utility (piped) gas ¹⁰	194.1	4.7	481.3	.5	359.1	-2.2	688.9	.5	257.1	-1.8	144.9	2.6	580.3	2.0
Household furnishings and operation	337.2	.4	268.2	.3	246.4	-.8	244.4	1.2	248.0	-.4	144.1	.1	248.3	2.1
Apparel and upkeep	210.3	-2.3	229.7	.5	226.6	-1.5	233.0	-.8	215.5	.7	146.9	.5	228.5	.4
Apparel commodities	183.6	-3.0	205.2	.6	213.0	-1.8	220.1	-1.0	185.6	.7	138.6	.5	223.0	.3
Men's and boys' apparel	194.2	-2.2	227.0	6.6	183.8	2.7	207.7	3.3	228.2	3.2	159.7	3.5	225.5	2.4
Women's and girls' apparel	169.3	-2.4	167.1	-4.0	217.6	-4.9	195.7	-3.4	172.1	-.1	119.7	-1.6	183.2	1.3
Footwear	197.2	-9.3	210.1	2.6	251.9	1.3	232.4	-4.2	178.5	1.3	126.6	1.9	333.3	-6.4
Transportation	291.9	-3.7	303.1	-3.3	327.1	-3.2	277.1	2.0	300.9	.5	175.5	-3.3	298.3	1.5
Private transportation	289.8	-3.6	302.7	-3.6	329.4	-3.5	281.6	2.1	298.2	.5	172.2	-3.6	291.9	1.5
Motor fuel ⁹	150.4	-16.7	162.6	-13.6	142.1	-14.8	157.1	6.4	137.9	5.7	155.0	-13.0	158.6	6.4
Gasoline ⁹	149.1	-17.2	162.2	-13.6	141.5	-15.0	156.9	6.6	135.5	5.8	154.5	-13.1	158.0	6.7
Gasoline, leaded regular ¹¹	144.8	-17.7	170.8	-14.5	148.9	-15.0	167.2	7.4	135.3	5.9	156.1	-14.8	175.6	6.4
Gasoline, unleaded regular ¹¹	149.2	-17.7	172.8	-14.0	159.1	-15.4	174.1	7.5	135.0	5.8	153.6	-12.4	176.3	7.1
Gasoline, unleaded premium ¹²	81.0	-12.0	78.1	-12.1	73.6	-14.0	83.0	3.1	78.1	4.6	74.3	-13.0	79.8	5.0
Public transportation	339.8	-4.6	331.9	2.1	346.5	.0	348.7	.2	358.0	1.8	254.3	1.4	431.3	1.2
Medical care	415.5	.8	383.8	1.3	427.5	1.4	456.0	.4	411.4	1.7	197.4	.2	394.1	.6
Entertainment	259.5	-.6	273.3	2.0	275.7	.6	225.4	3.6	271.2	.1	146.6	-1.5	272.3	.1
Other goods and services	314.6	.6	325.9	1.1	368.7	-.5	345.1	.6	360.9	-.6	187.0	.5	335.1	.6
Personal care	288.5	1.7	288.4	3.7	271.3	-2.2	292.4	.2	317.4	.9	163.8	.2	297.4	1.6

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 22. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers : Areas priced bimonthly, by expenditure category and commodity and service group. Indexes, May 1986 and percent changes March 1986 to May 1986—Continued

(1967= 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Area pricing schedule 1 ¹													
	Anchorage, Alaska ² ₃		Baltimore, Md.		Boston, Mass.		Cincinnati, Ohio-Ky.-Ind. ₃		Denver-Boulder, Colo. ³		Miami, Fla. ⁴		Milwaukee, Wis. ³	
	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change
	Commodity and service group													
All items	281.8	-0.9	326.8	-0.8	319.3	-0.9	324.8	0.9	350.3	0.1	173.4	-1.0	350.6	1.0
Commodities	270.8	-1.7	299.6	-1.6	283.0	-1.9	287.6	1.1	291.0	-.5	161.7	-1.4	289.4	1.1
Food and beverages	321.1	.5	312.8	-.2	295.5	1.0	319.8	.7	292.3	-1.7	170.3	-.2	302.7	.9
Commodities less food and beverages	239.5	-3.2	286.9	-2.4	269.7	-3.9	262.4	1.5	286.4	.4	156.1	-2.6	278.3	1.3
Nondurables less food and beverage	248.5	-5.9	278.6	-4.1	278.5	-6.2	279.9	1.9	259.3	1.4	154.6	-4.2	288.4	2.1
Durables	230.8	.0	299.6	-.1	254.4	.5	251.2	1.0	313.0	-1.2	159.1	-.2	260.1	.3
Services	315.3	-.1	374.9	.2	381.1	.2	394.3	.6	448.7	.6	190.4	-.5	468.6	.8
Medical care services	449.3	.7	410.9	1.4	468.0	1.3	481.4	.3	444.5	1.7	200.4	.3	427.4	.8
Special indexes:														
All items less shelter	307.8	-1.0	305.8	-1.1	303.6	-1.2	307.0	.9	297.0	-.1	169.2	-1.2	302.0	.8
All items less medical care	282.4	-1.0	323.8	-.9	314.3	-1.0	317.7	1.0	347.2	.0	172.1	-1.0	347.9	1.0
All items less energy ¹³	156.6	.0	168.1	.2	172.2	.2	169.7	.7	182.9	-.2	173.6	.1	195.1	.7
Energy ⁹	165.4	-10.4	149.5	-9.0	160.3	-10.4	169.3	2.5	177.0	2.8	173.3	-9.4	181.8	3.6
Commodities less food	242.2	-2.9	285.5	-2.3	268.3	-3.7	262.4	1.5	285.0	.5	156.2	-2.4	275.3	1.3
Nondurables less food	250.7	-5.1	276.6	-3.8	274.9	-5.9	276.8	1.9	258.7	1.5	154.7	-4.0	280.5	2.0
Nondurables	286.9	-2.4	296.9	-2.1	287.8	-2.5	303.8	1.2	276.7	-.3	163.2	-1.7	296.0	1.4
Services less rent of shelter ⁶	106.9	.6	108.7	.3	109.1	.2	105.8	.5	108.2	.6	107.0	-.6	103.8	.3
Services less medical care	302.6	-.1	368.6	.1	372.2	.1	377.6	.7	446.3	.5	189.2	-.6	467.8	.8

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 22. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers : Areas priced bimonthly, by expenditure category and commodity and service group. Indexes, May 1986 and percent changes March 1986 to May 1986—Continued

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Area pricing schedule 1 ¹											
	Northeast Pennsylvania ⁴		Portland, Oreg.-Wash. ³		St. Louis, Mo.-Ill.		San Diego, Calif. ³		Seattle-Everett, Wash. ³		Washington, D.C.-Md.-Va.	
	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change
	Expenditure category											
All items	308.1	-0.1	303.2	-0.4	314.2	-0.3	345.2	1.0	309.4	-0.6	330.2	-0.1
All items (1957-59=100) ¹⁵	363.5	-	358.4	-	367.0	-	362.8	-	363.6	-	384.7	-
Food and beverages	293.1	-2	305.9	-5	307.9	.4	334.9	1.9	296.8	1.1	332.0	1.6
Food	302.0	-2	313.8	-5	312.4	.4	348.6	2.1	305.5	1.2	336.0	1.6
Food at home	297.2	-4	295.1	-6	301.6	.3	306.3	2.4	291.4	1.4	327.1	1.9
Cereals and bakery products	298.2	.1	330.4	.4	359.0	.2	344.9	3.6	308.6	-.5	323.6	1.2
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs ¹⁶	267.8	-3.1	258.2	-2.2	241.9	.3	264.4	-.2	243.7	-1.3	291.3	1.5
Meats, poultry, and fish	273.2	-3.0	261.7	-2.0	246.9	.4	267.9	.0	250.8	-.2	299.3	2.3
Dairy products	231.7	-1.3	235.7	.0	284.9	-.6	255.5	-.7	248.5	1.7	250.6	1.2
Fruits and vegetables	352.8	3.2	328.2	5.0	358.3	2.8	321.6	7.8	289.2	8.4	377.7	4.1
Other foods at home ¹⁶	367.7	.4	384.0	-2.5	364.0	-.1	382.0	2.7	393.0	1.1	421.3	1.9
Food away from home	311.4	.5	360.4	-.4	338.3	.5	449.1	1.7	340.7	.7	358.8	1.0
Alcoholic beverages	229.7	-1.1	236.6	.3	265.7	.6	219.3	-.8	243.1	-.9	286.8	.6
Housing	344.9	.6	306.0	-.4	354.0	-.3	395.9	1.0	334.1	-.9	348.3	.5
Shelter	392.9	2.2	341.3	.4	403.6	-.5	483.3	1.5	371.4	.3	374.9	-.2
Renters' costs ⁶	109.7	3.9	107.5	.7	108.5	1.9	113.3	1.6	107.2	.5	110.2	.3
Rent, residential	289.0	3.5	249.9	.4	235.9	1.8	371.0	1.5	277.5	.2	303.6	.3
Other renters' costs	418.1	6.3	390.8	4.1	381.3	2.2	393.9	2.3	472.8	3.0	428.1	.0
Homeowners' costs ⁶	109.8	2.3	108.8	.2	107.7	-1.3	114.4	1.6	105.5	.1	108.6	-.5
Owners' equivalent rent ⁶	109.9	2.4	106.9	.2	107.8	-1.3	114.5	1.5	105.4	.1	108.9	-.5
Fuel and other utilities	480.4	-1.6	385.9	-.4	336.3	.9	340.3	4.1	360.3	-6.8	357.6	-2.2
Fuels	476.0	-2.2	382.3	-.8	412.0	1.2	435.5	5.0	477.9	-10.0	452.6	-3.2
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas ¹⁷	561.5	-6.2	431.7	-.9	515.0	-2.5	213.2	-.4	459.3	-.4	648.7	-15.4
Fuel oil ⁹	181.2	-9.1	145.1	-.9	186.5	-2.4	195.5	-3.6	167.6	-4.3	169.1	-12.0
Other fuels ⁹	169.1	-2.9	NA	NA	165.7	-2.5	218.3	-.4	182.9	.0	339.3	NA
Gas (piped) and electricity	295.2	1.5	332.4	-.7	385.7	1.8	457.2	5.2	428.7	-12.1	418.9	.0
Electricity ¹⁸	190.7	2.7	186.8	.0	304.9	5.3	458.8	.0	438.7	-13.5	304.7	-1.4
Utility (piped) gas ¹⁸	162.1	-.5	173.9	-2.6	475.3	-2.0	454.4	16.5	418.1	-6.5	528.9	1.2
Household furnishings and operation	235.7	-.6	232.0	-2.6	243.0	-.8	223.0	-3.7	255.6	1.0	280.7	5.4
Apparel and upkeep	213.8	-.5	194.7	-.8	191.1	-.6	211.0	.2	195.7	.4	219.9	-2.2
Apparel commodities	210.2	-.7	189.1	-.9	181.3	-.6	192.2	.3	184.1	.5	194.3	-3.3
Men's and boys' apparel	219.3	-2.6	201.3	-.7	192.5	-.3	170.4	1.1	191.9	.6	199.1	3.8
Women's and girls' apparel	179.7	1.4	184.7	-2.6	148.5	-.7	171.0	-3.0	141.8	-.9	179.0	-10.2
Footwear	267.6	-.5	192.5	.1	183.3	-3.7	207.7	.4	252.5	4.8	203.2	-.4
Transportation	283.8	-1.3	311.3	-1.4	275.1	-1.3	323.8	.2	280.3	-2.0	304.1	-1.8
Private transportation	293.3	-1.3	321.5	-1.4	280.1	-1.3	322.7	.3	280.9	-2.2	295.6	-2.7
Motor fuel ⁹	145.7	-4.6	148.3	-9.4	143.2	-4.6	161.3	1.0	149.6	-8.3	154.7	-11.2
Gasoline ⁹	145.5	-4.4	148.3	-9.4	143.0	-4.6	161.2	1.2	149.1	-8.2	154.4	-11.4
Gasoline, leaded regular ¹⁹	145.1	-4.7	143.1	-9.8	152.4	-3.3	172.1	2.0	171.2	-9.3	164.1	-13.3
Gasoline, unleaded regular ¹⁹	143.3	-3.9	146.9	-8.6	156.8	-5.5	184.7	1.0	172.4	-7.4	164.3	-11.5
Gasoline, unleaded premium ¹²	73.7	-5.5	73.9	-10.5	79.2	-4.2	84.2	1.0	73.2	-10.4	79.8	-9.8
Public transportation	241.7	.5	341.8	.2	270.3	-.6	373.5	-.6	309.5	.8	415.1	8.0
Medical care	435.0	-.2	385.6	1.9	403.9	.6	398.9	1.3	405.1	-.1	478.8	1.4
Entertainment	250.3	-.2	229.6	2.9	238.9	.5	278.3	1.3	271.4	-3.1	297.7	-3.0
Other goods and services	328.5	.7	345.1	1.5	339.2	.0	316.7	.2	344.8	3.0	343.7	.4
Personal care	301.1	1.3	257.5	3.8	300.1	-.3	295.2	.4	308.9	1.2	313.2	1.1

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 22. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers : Areas priced bimonthly, by expenditure category and commodity and service group. Indexes, May 1986 and percent changes March 1986 to May 1986—Continued

(1967=100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Area pricing schedule 1 ¹											
	Northeast Pennsylvania ¹⁴		Portland, Oreg.-Wash. ³		St. Louis, Mo.-Ill.		San Diego, Calif. ³		Seattle-Everett, Wash. ³		Washington, D.C.-Md.-Va.	
	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change
	Commodity and service group											
All items	308.1	-0.1	303.2	-0.4	314.2	-0.3	345.2	1.0	309.4	-0.6	330.2	-0.1
Commodities	284.7	-8	276.4	-1.3	283.9	-5	298.1	.5	274.7	-6	290.7	-6
Food and beverages	293.1	-2	305.9	-5	307.9	.4	334.9	1.9	296.8	1.1	332.0	1.6
Commodities less food and beverages	277.6	-1.2	260.1	-1.7	263.4	-1.1	277.6	-4	260.0	-1.5	263.8	-1.8
Nondurables less food and beverage	282.7	-1.8	262.0	-2.8	253.2	-1.5	271.8	.6	269.6	-2.2	274.7	-5.2
Durables	269.3	-5	260.2	-5	272.9	-5	284.1	-1.6	255.1	-7	254.0	2.3
Services	359.2	1.1	349.7	.8	370.6	.0	421.6	1.4	372.5	-6	391.6	.4
Medical care services	484.5	-4	408.9	1.6	431.0	.5	429.6	1.5	429.9	.0	522.5	1.6
Special indexes:												
All items less shelter	291.8	-6	297.0	-5	289.3	-2	307.1	.8	293.3	-9	317.5	.0
All items less medical care	302.0	-1	298.6	-5	309.3	-3	342.2	1.0	304.6	-7	322.8	-2
All items less energy ¹³	168.9	.3	162.0	.2	172.5	-1	184.8	.8	169.2	.3	176.8	.7
Energy ⁹	163.4	-3.1	157.2	-5.6	153.5	-1.6	182.8	2.8	175.1	-9.1	162.8	-7.4
Commodities less food	274.2	-1.2	258.8	-1.7	263.9	-1.0	274.6	-5	258.6	-1.5	265.3	-1.7
Nondurables less food	276.5	-1.7	259.2	-2.6	254.1	-1.4	266.3	.5	265.8	-2.1	275.8	-4.8
Nondurables	288.2	-9	284.4	-1.6	283.3	-5	304.7	1.4	284.1	-6	304.6	-1.7
Services less rent of shelter ⁶	106.7	.1	111.5	1.2	105.9	.4	106.1	1.2	104.3	-1.4	106.7	.9
Services less medical care	341.3	1.4	340.6	.7	360.1	.0	418.8	1.4	364.8	-7	375.9	.3

¹ Areas on pricing schedule 2 (See footnote 1 table 18) will appear next month.

² Indexes on an October 1967=100 base unless otherwise indicated.

³ Due to smaller sample sizes in this area, data will no longer be published on a bi-monthly basis after December 1986. Local indexes will be published on a semi-annual average basis.

⁴ Indexes on a November 1977=100 base unless otherwise indicated.

⁵ The 1957-59=100 base is not available for Anchorage, Alaska and Denver-Boulder, Colo.; index for Anchorage, Alaska is on a May-October 1960=100 base; index for Denver-Boulder, Colo. is on a January 1964=100 base.

⁶ Indexes on a November 1984=100 base.

⁷ Index on a June 1978=100 base in Miami, Fla.

⁸ Indexes on a June 1978=100 base in Cincinnati, Ohio-Ky.-Ind.; Denver-Boulder, Col.; and Miami, Fla.

⁹ Indexes on a June 1978=100 base.

¹⁰ Indexes on a June 1978=100 base in Anchorage, Alaska; Denver-Boulder, Col.; and Miami, Fla.

¹¹ Indexes on a June 1978=100 base in Anchorage, Alaska; Denver-Boulder, Col.; and Miami, Fla. Indexes on a January 1976=100 base in Baltimore, Md.; Boston, Mass.; Cincinnati, Ohio-Ky.-Ind.; and Milwaukee, Wis.

¹² Indexes on an August 1981=100 base.

¹³ Indexes are on the bases listed :
Anchorage, Alaska.....January 1978=100.

Baltimore, Md.....March 1978=100.

Boston, Mass.....January 1978=100.

Cincinnati, Ohio-Ky.-Ind.....March 1978=100.

Denver-Boulder, Colo.....January 1978=100.

Miami, Fla.....November 1977=100.

Milwaukee, Wis.....November 1977=100.

Northeastern Pennsylvania.....November 1977=100.

Portland, Oreg.-Wash.....January 1978=100.

St. Louis, Mo.-Ill.....March 1978=100.

San Diego, Calif.....November 1977=100.

Seattle-Everett, Wash.....November 1977=100.

Washington, D.C.-Md.-Va.....November 1977=100.

¹⁴ Data for Northeast, Pa. will no longer be published after December 1986.

¹⁵ The 1957-59=100 base is not available for San Diego, Calif.; index is on a February 1965=100 base.

¹⁶ Index is on an April 1967=100 base in Northeastern Pennsylvania and Portland, Oreg.-Wash.

¹⁷ Index on a June 1978=100 base in San Diego, Calif.

¹⁸ Indexes on a June 1978=100 base in Northeast, Pa.; and Portland, Oreg.-Wash.

¹⁹ Indexes on a June 1978=100 base in Northeast, Pa.; and Portland, Oreg.-Wash. Indexes on a January 1976=100 base in St. Louis, Mo.-Ill.; San Diego, Calif.; Seattle-Everett, Wash.; and Washington, D.C.-Md.-Va.

^{NA} Data not adequate for publication.

Table P-1. 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	
	Apr. 1986	May 1986	Apr. 1986	May 1986	Apr. 1986	May 1986	Apr. 1986	May 1986
Area ¹								
U.S. city average ²	\$25.099	\$26.626	\$58.140	\$61.435	\$40.259	\$40.334	\$0.875	\$0.830
Chicago, Ill.-Northwestern Ind.	22.585	22.369	50.400	49.903	46.076	45.698	.899	.871
Detroit, Mich.	29.683	29.644	60.089	59.828	46.640	46.640	.917	.911
L.A.-Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif.	18.071	26.924	53.084	77.228	43.834	43.460	NA	NA
N.Y., N.Y.-Northeastern N.J.	36.472	36.122	80.524	79.698	64.063	62.656	.935	.883
Philadelphia, Pa.-N.J.	30.236	30.251	71.999	71.999	51.666	51.832	.902	.850
Anchorage, Alaska ³	16.330	16.960	34.070	35.635	36.354	36.352	.996	.966
Baltimore, Md.	30.570	30.110	66.220	65.080	41.540	41.540	.946	.883
Boston, Mass.	33.040	32.370	74.120	72.430	39.921	42.471	.848	.803
Cincinnati, Ohio-Ky.-Ind. ³	25.833	25.696	58.223	57.881	37.270	37.270	.817	.803
Denver-Boulder, Colo. ³	23.738	23.738	51.342	51.342	38.099	39.108	NA	NA
Miami, Fla.	26.840	27.700	57.190	59.320	46.229	46.229	NA	NA
Milwaukee, Wis. ³	27.062	28.426	62.400	65.549	37.150	39.010	.828	.808
Northeast Pennsylvania ³	29.667	29.589	68.077	67.873	45.220	45.053	.826	.774
Portland, Oreg.-Wash. ³	27.391	26.732	63.819	62.128	24.469	24.469	.666	.681
St. Louis, Mo.-Ill.	29.590	28.652	56.956	55.279	36.548	37.564	.828	.819
San Diego, Calif. ³	16.715	23.294	56.589	68.128	59.652	59.652	NA	NA
Seattle-Everett, Wash. ³	26.760	26.759	56.722	56.723	16.104	16.623	.797	.804
Washington, D.C.-Md.-Va.	32.375	31.565	75.231	73.577	39.355	39.327	.964	.892
Atlanta, Ga. ³	28.997	29.277	62.138	62.845	36.261	36.926	.760	.727
Buffalo, N.Y. ³	29.651	29.401	64.991	64.369	43.961	44.494	.935	.860
Cleveland, Ohio	23.300	23.620	51.820	52.620	45.580	53.580	.938	.886
Dallas-Fort Worth, Tex.	22.628	20.682	48.905	42.051	40.753	23.145	NA	NA
Honolulu, Hawaii ^{3,4}	63.360	60.240	149.400	141.600	45.360	39.570	NA	NA
Houston, Tex.	21.460	21.460	43.870	43.870	37.980	37.980	NA	NA
Kansas City, Mo.-Kans. ³	20.112	19.594	43.296	42.982	30.962	33.742	NA	NA
Minneapolis-St.Paul, Minn.-Wis. ³	23.326	25.342	54.035	58.775	35.550	36.681	.841	.808
Pittsburgh, Pa.	28.183	28.211	60.986	61.175	42.811	42.811	.753	.742
San Francisco-Oakland, Calif.	16.689	19.581	45.964	64.180	40.837	40.837	NA	NA
Region ⁵								
Northeast	31.530	31.199	70.114	69.388	50.061	50.213	.886	.833
North Central	26.472	26.675	56.750	57.252	39.487	40.084	.813	.793
South	25.961	25.666	57.822	55.985	39.153	38.895	.897	.855
West ²	19.313	24.995	52.414	68.089	35.482	35.279	.736	.743
Region/population size class cross classification ⁵								
Northeast/A	32.038	31.847	70.917	70.514	52.943	52.840	.906	.856
North Central/A	26.415	26.486	55.790	55.973	41.526	42.632	.859	.839
South/A	28.293	27.765	62.165	60.607	39.972	38.313	.943	.879
West/A	18.204	26.274	52.770	75.328	34.124	34.167	.832	.833
Northeast/B	30.219	29.856	68.809	67.712	44.496	45.332	.848	.801
North Central/B	28.304	28.304	61.702	61.817	38.953	39.702	.828	.791
South/B	24.811	25.395	57.413	53.583	32.967	33.680	.903	.875
West/B ²	18.583	24.191	51.104	68.588	36.821	36.110	.667	.682
Northeast/C	32.240	31.776	70.541	70.070	47.079	47.321	.883	.819
North Central/C	26.495	27.972	56.131	59.788	37.060	36.453	.805	.787
South/C	24.633	24.572	54.484	54.333	39.887	40.194	NA	NA
West/C	22.584	22.981	53.293	55.992	39.636	39.707	.996	.966
Northeast/D ³	27.938	26.198	62.525	58.187	46.894	47.115	.876	.828
North Central/D	23.308	23.136	52.542	51.883	36.953	37.298	.728	.724
South/D	28.974	26.339	63.715	56.531	40.894	40.859	.854	.810
West/D ³	21.244	20.920	48.800	47.871	30.541	31.111	.640	.645

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Table P-2. 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 May 1986		Average price per KWH of electricity		Range of KWH consumption for May 1986	
	Apr. 1986	May 1986	Low	High	Apr. 1986	May 1986	Low	High
Area ¹								
U.S. city average ²	\$0.597	\$0.627	1	1,291	\$0.074	\$0.074	5	7,512
Chicago, Ill.-Northwestern Ind. ....	.473	.467	30	701	.084	.082	169	6,708
Detroit, Mich. ....	.639	.639	21	356	.091	.091	63	3,174
L.A.-Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif. ....	.520	.727	9	352	.084	.082	75	3,107
N.Y., N.Y.-Northeastern N.J.	1.000	.994	3	312	.120	.117	88	2,929
Philadelphia, Pa.-N.J. ....	.717	.715	16	632	.086	.086	216	3,845
Anchorage, Alaska ³ .....	.326	.342	47	366	.072	.072	82	5,432
Baltimore, Md. ....	.773	.762	17	168	.069	.069	197	3,510
Boston, Mass. ....	.756	.739	10	132	.079	.082	140	2,658
Cincinnati, Ohio-Ky.-Ind. ³ .....	.636	.633	4	330	.065	.065	491	3,028
Denver-Boulder, Colo. ³ .....	.654	.654	19	225	.080	.082	77	1,732
Miami, Fla. ....	.809	.830	8	52	.090	.090	304	2,961
Milwaukee, Wis. ³ .....	.649	.682	8	235	.069	.073	264	1,188
Northeast Pennsylvania ³ .....	.627	.624	64	232	.086	.087	175	5,672
Portland, Oreg.-Wash. ³ .....	.654	.637	34	130	.049	.049	540	7,152
St. Louis, Mo.-Ill. ....	.555	.543	46	1,291	.068	.068	172	2,744
San Diego, Calif. ³ .....	.526	.613	20	237	.118	.118	134	1,337
Seattle-Everett, Wash. ³ .....	.648	.648	5	400	.039	.039	304	6,774
Washington, D.C.-Md.-Va. ....	.816	.793	6	442	.072	.071	30	3,763
Atlanta, Ga. ³ .....	.614	.621	34	375	.061	.061	187	4,150
Buffalo, N.Y. ³ .....	.636	.628	28	475	.087	.088	187	3,928
Cleveland, Ohio .....	.554	.562	5	282	.086	.107	167	2,351
Dallas-Fort Worth, Tex. ....	.635	.580	3	169	.056	.028	275	6,349
Honolulu, Hawaii ^{3 4}	1.906	1.826	1	44	.088	.076	178	2,317
Houston, Tex. ....	.404	.404	83	297	.071	.080	224	7,512
Kansas City, Mo.-Kans. ³ .....	.466	.448	9	171	.063	.066	5	5,035
Minneapolis-St.Paul, Minn.-Wis. ³ .....	.542	.587	16	563	.066	.068	126	2,039
Pittsburgh, Pa. ....	.572	.573	42	425	.082	.082	240	3,257
San Francisco-Oakland, Calif. ....	.422	.518	12	159	.086	.086	108	2,457
Region ⁵								
Northeast .....	.729	.722	3	632	.094	.094	88	6,610
North Central .....	.580	.586	1	1,291	.070	.070	5	6,708
South .....	.613	.600	3	588	.068	.068	30	7,512
West ² .....	.522	.649	5	736	.075	.074	50	7,152
Region/population size class cross classification ⁵								
Northeast/A .....	.741	.738	3	632	.099	.098	88	3,928
North Central/A .....	.575	.577	4	1,291	.078	.079	5	6,708
South/A .....	.667	.654	3	442	.070	.069	30	7,512
West/A .....	.516	.705	5	400	.073	.073	75	6,774
Northeast/B .....	.698	.689	18	589	.078	.080	160	5,672
North Central/B .....	.617	.617	21	476	.063	.062	373	3,041
South/B .....	.580	.571	5	274	.061	.063	441	6,513
West/B ² .....	.509	.624	11	225	.080	.079	77	7,152
Northeast/C .....	.747	.742	5	262	.091	.092	117	6,610
North Central/C .....	.568	.606	22	493	.064	.064	216	5,451
South/C .....	.592	.591	6	588	.068	.069	221	4,550
West/C .....	.545	.567	11	366	.077	.077	82	5,432
Northeast/D ³ .....	.628	.586	29	387	.100	.100	133	1,812
North Central/D550	.547	1	379	.068	.068	100	3,360
South/D628	.564	26	320	.070	.070	308	6,316
West/D ³519	.510	27	736	.061	.063	50	2,477

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Table P-3. 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	
	Apr. 1986	May 1986	Apr. 1986	May 1986	Apr. 1986	May 1986	Apr. 1986	May 1986
Area ³								
U.S. city average	\$0.895	\$0.927	\$0.815	\$0.852	\$0.888	\$0.923	\$1.061	\$1.075
Chicago, Ill.-Northwestern Ind. ....	.908	.970	.831	.904	.881	.943	1.133	1.182
Detroit, Mich. ....	.837	.945	.746	.864	.854	.963	1.002	1.055
L.A.-Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif.	1.002	1.031	.910	.932	.981	1.015	1.167	1.200
N.Y., N.Y.-Northeastern N.J. ....	.911	.907	.818	.813	.864	.860	1.037	1.029
Philadelphia, Pa.-N.J. ....	.833	.879	.797	.844	.794	.844	.983	1.023
Anchorage, Alaska ⁴	1.019	.960	.981	.918	1.021	.961	1.170	1.134
Baltimore, Md. ....	.947	.924	.865	.846	.910	.889	1.109	1.075
Boston, Mass. ....	.924	.905	.833	.823	.895	.880	1.069	1.036
Cincinnati, Ohio-Ky.-Ind. ⁴ .....	.798	.907	.740	.853	.778	.893	1.009	1.086
Denver-Boulder, Colo. ⁴ .....	.800	.805	.748	.752	.824	.831	.983	.973
Miami, Fla. ....	.936	.923	.844	.831	.919	.904	1.008	.996
Milwaukee, Wis. ⁴ .....	.822	.930	.783	.883	.820	.934	.989	1.083
Northeast Pennsylvania ⁴ .....	.852	.910	.813	.864	.842	.907	1.001	1.060
Portland, Oreg.-Wash. ⁴ .....	.853	.870	.781	.805	.873	.897	1.017	1.009
St. Louis, Mo.-Ill. ....	.841	.877	.754	.799	.837	.864	1.037	1.084
San Diego, Calif. ⁴	1.023	1.055	.902	.942	1.039	1.067	1.224	1.255
Seattle-Everett, Wash. ⁴ .....	.906	.938	.812	.865	.926	.949	1.086	1.093
Washington, D.C.-Md.-Va.	1.004	.991	.877	.857	.961	.952	1.214	1.196
Atlanta, Ga. ⁴ .....	.828	.865	.717	.756	.836	.875	.980	1.010
Buffalo, N.Y. ⁴ .....	.873	.881	.834	.844	.864	.870	.980	.994
Cleveland, Ohio ....	.867	.952	.749	.851	.843	.930	1.077	1.139
Dallas-Fort Worth, Tex. ....	.803	.798	.741	.756	.801	.786	.935	.923
Honolulu, Hawaii ⁴	1.220	1.202	1.085	1.057	1.233	1.214	1.352	1.333
Houston, Tex. ....	.766	.775	.695	.712	.739	.744	.944	.953
Kansas City, Mo.-Kans. ⁴ .....	.758	.834	.709	.792	.768	.842	.903	.968
Minneapolis-St.Paul, Minn.-Wis. ⁴ .....	.884	.945	.836	.896	.897	.959	1.017	1.071
Pittsburgh, Pa. ....	.840	.877	.796	.835	.826	.863	.995	1.023
San Francisco-Oakland, Calif. ....	.963	1.006	.839	.888	.964	1.007	1.151	1.184
Region ⁵								
Northeast .....	.911	.913	.836	.847	.887	.890	1.049	1.038
North Central .....	.847	.925	.787	.871	.850	.928	1.041	1.096
South .....	.867	.881	.788	.806	.860	.874	1.032	1.040
West .....	.964	.993	.865	.893	.961	.992	1.149	1.176
Region/population size class cross classification ⁵								
Northeast/A .....	.890	.897	.813	.827	.850	.860	1.030	1.028
North Central/A .....	.855	.934	.777	.862	.852	.931	1.058	1.114
South/A .....	.869	.866	.770	.778	.850	.844	1.036	1.028
West/A .....	.992	1.024	.892	.922	.960	1.013	1.165	1.197
Northeast/B .....	.888	.897	.825	.841	.862	.898	1.008	.993
North Central/B .....	.860	.935	.788	.856	.862	.937	1.095	1.137
South/B .....	.845	.884	.770	.809	.853	.895	.986	1.014
West/B .....	.947	.977	.848	.881	.951	.979	1.124	1.146
Northeast/C .....	.998	.970	.899	.895	.986	.955	1.181	1.122
North Central/C .....	.821	.903	.786	.872	.830	.911	.945	1.017
South/C .....	.883	.893	.816	.821	.880	.892	1.078	1.086
West/C .....	.949	.972	.864	.886	.951	.978	1.136	1.159
Northeast/D ⁴ .....	.986	.981	.908	.910	.972	.967	1.149	1.136
North Central/D .....	.848	.922	.827	.903	.863	.939	NA	NA
South/D873	.882	.789	.815	.857	.860	1.023	1.017
West/D ⁴814	.831	.790	.808	.830	.847	NA	NA

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Table P-4. Average retail food prices, U.S. city average and four regions ¹

Food and unit	U.S. average		Northeast		North Central		South		West	
	Apr. 1986	May 1986	Apr. 1986	May 1986	Apr. 1986	May 1986	Apr. 1986	May 1986	Apr. 1986	May 1986
Cereals and bakery products:										
Flour, white, all purpose, per lb.	\$0.206	\$0.211	\$0.226	\$0.229	\$0.184	\$0.185	\$0.215	\$0.211	\$0.206	\$0.215
Rice, white, long grain, precooked, per lb.	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Rice, white, long grain, uncooked, per lb. ....	.453	.451	NA	NA	NA	NA	.390	.386	.512	.506
Spaghetti and macaroni, per lb. ....	.743	.734	.709	.686	.718	.719	.795	.785	NA	NA
Bread, white, pan, per lb.										
Bread, white, pan, per lb. ....	.561	.562	.665	.669	.532	.538	.534	.535	.548	.540
Bread, French, per lb.	1.028	1.045	NA	NA	1.045	1.058	NA	NA	1.064	1.082
Bread, whole wheat, pan, per lb. ....	.852	.859	.976	.977	NA	NA	.807	.820	.844	.835
Rolls, hamburger, per lb.										
Rolls, hamburger, per lb.	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Cupcakes, chocolate, per lb.										
Cupcakes, chocolate, per lb.	2.239	2.284	NA	NA	2.294	2.351	NA	NA	2.364	2.404
Cookies, chocolate chip, per lb.										
Cookies, chocolate chip, per lb.	1.956	2.014	1.996	2.040	1.816	1.816	2.024	2.132	1.970	2.061
Crackers, soda, salted, per lb.										
Crackers, soda, salted, per lb. ....	.977	.998	NA	NA	.977	.989	.973	.989	NA	NA
Meats, poultry, fish and eggs:										
Meats:										
Beef and veal:										
Ground chuck, 100% beef, per lb.	1.627	1.589	1.577	1.512	1.567	1.524	1.718	1.692	NA	NA
Ground beef, 100% beef, per lb.	1.219	1.187	1.323	1.371	1.229	1.156	1.279	1.260	1.139	1.097
Chuck roast, U.S. Choice, bone-in, per lb.	1.532	1.538	1.604	1.567	1.466	1.459	1.536	1.555	1.574	1.648
Round roast, U.S. Choice, boneless, per lb.	2.414	2.436	2.338	2.401	2.384	2.397	2.503	2.446	2.532	2.621
Rib roast, U.S. Choice, bone-in, per lb.	3.289	3.155	3.293	2.931	3.273	3.257	3.411	3.349	2.872	2.936
Steak, round, U.S. Choice, boneless, per lb.										
Steak, round, U.S. Choice, boneless, per lb.	2.750	2.737	2.896	2.813	2.602	2.615	2.742	2.745	2.721	2.781
Steak, sirloin, U.S. Choice, bone-in, per lb.										
Steak, sirloin, U.S. Choice, bone-in, per lb.	2.904	2.990	2.962	3.024	2.824	2.855	2.883	3.086	NA	NA
Steak, chuck, U.S. Choice, bone-in, per lb.										
Steak, chuck, U.S. Choice, bone-in, per lb.	1.516	1.483	1.515	1.507	1.451	1.354	NA	NA	NA	NA
Steak, T-bone, U.S. Choice, bone-in, per lb.										
Steak, T-bone, U.S. Choice, bone-in, per lb.	3.903	3.962	NA	NA	3.799	3.805	3.839	3.957	NA	NA
Steak, porterhouse, U.S. Choice, bone-in, per lb.										
Steak, porterhouse, U.S. Choice, bone-in, per lb.	3.956	4.165	4.012	4.152	4.055	4.247	NA	NA	NA	NA
Pork:										
Bacon, sliced, per lb.	1.871	1.869	1.981	1.908	1.901	1.878	1.837	1.845	1.788	1.851
Chops, center cut, bone-in, per lb.	2.363	2.395	2.300	2.253	2.254	2.301	2.324	2.354	2.615	2.737
Ham, rump or shank half, bone-in, smoked, per lb.	1.299	1.315	1.194	1.225	NA	1.266	1.184	1.241	1.543	1.489
Sirloin roast, bone-in, per lb.	1.641	1.653	NA	NA	1.554	1.565	NA	NA	1.628	1.665
Shoulder picnic, bone-in, smoked, per lb.										
Shoulder picnic, bone-in, smoked, per lb.	1.005	.963	NA	NA	NA	NA	.946	.952	NA	NA
Sausage, fresh, loose, per lb.										
Sausage, fresh, loose, per lb.	1.779	1.771	NA	NA	1.806	1.734	1.644	1.674	2.152	2.144
Ham, canned, 3 or 5 lbs, per lb.										
Ham, canned, 3 or 5 lbs, per lb.	2.570	2.549	2.657	2.603	2.518	2.560	2.599	2.570	2.522	2.447
Other meats:										
Frankfurters, all meat or all beef, per lb.	1.847	1.869	2.039	1.999	1.886	1.902	1.653	1.760	1.774	1.772
Bologna, all beef or mixed, per lb.	2.118	2.103	2.346	2.234	2.088	2.100	1.992	2.002	2.250	2.220
Beef liver, per lb. ....	.973	.958	NA	NA	.975	.970	.979	.950	.946	.948
Poultry:										
Chicken, fresh, whole, per lb. ....	.752	.769	.818	.831	.705	.724	.689	.692	.812	.842
Chicken breast, bone-in, per lb.	1.693	1.682	1.732	1.779	1.578	1.580	1.589	1.525	1.862	1.850
Chicken legs, bone-in, per lb.	1.067	1.061	.926	.975	1.108	1.122	NA	NA	NA	NA
Turkey, frozen, whole, per lb.	1.042	1.034	1.001	1.026	1.034	1.039	1.096	1.043	1.025	1.022
Fish and seafood:										
Tuna, light, chunk, per lb.	2.018	2.021	2.082	2.101	1.932	1.965	NA	NA	2.070	2.067
Eggs:										
Grade A, large, per doz. ....	.890	.820	1.018	.941	.812	.750	.871	.797	NA	NA
Grade AA, large, per doz. ....	.964	.917	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	1.019	.978
Dairy products:										
Milk, fresh, whole, fortified, per 1/2 gal.	1.109	1.107	1.055	1.055	1.088	1.074	1.295	1.288	1.046	1.046
Milk, fresh, skim, per 1/2 gal.	1.013	1.013	NA	NA	.952	.943	1.192	1.200	NA	NA
Milk, fresh, low fat, per 1/2 gal.	1.078	1.065	1.082	1.050	NA	NA	NA	NA	1.029	1.026
Butter, salted, grade AA, stick, per lb.	2.132	2.118	2.108	2.108	2.059	2.032	2.193	2.196	2.168	2.141
American processed cheese, per lb.	2.590	2.539	2.654	2.610	2.418	2.398	NA	NA	NA	NA
Cheddar cheese, natural, per lb.	3.041	3.044	3.006	2.989	NA	NA	3.148	3.112	3.022	3.071
Ice cream, prepackaged, bulk, regular, per 1/2 gal.	2.382	2.368	2.571	2.531	2.347	2.380	2.208	2.202	2.468	2.430
Yogurt, natural, fruit flavored, per 1/2 pt. ....	.571	.575	NA	NA	.591	.584	NA	NA	.511	.521

See footnotes at end of table.

Table P-4. Average retail food prices, U.S. city average and four regions ¹—Continued

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	Apr. 1986	May 1986	Apr. 1986	May 1986	Apr. 1986	May 1986	Apr. 1986	May 1986	Apr. 1986	May 1986
Fruits and vegetables:										
Fresh fruits and vegetables:										
Apples, red Delicious, per lb.	\$0.728	\$0.770	\$0.726	\$0.764	\$0.694	\$0.723	\$0.776	\$0.815	\$0.720	\$0.778
Bananas, per lb. ....	.464	.461	.485	.493	.424	.437	.513	.477	.440	.439
Oranges, navel, per lb. ....	.463	.499	.503	.529	.498	.524	.502	.522	.408	.460
Oranges, Valencia, per lb.	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	.429	NA	NA
Cherries, per lb.	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Grapefruit, per lb. ....	.433	.434	.403	.408	.420	.445	.432	.456	.483	.441
Grapes, Emperor or Tokay, per lb.	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Grapes, Thompson seedless, per lb.	NA	NA	NA	NA	1.336	NA	1.364	NA	NA	NA
Lemons, per lb. ....	.799	.775	.805	.743	.762	.769	.870	.854	.736	.725
Peaches, per lb.	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	1.228
Pears, Anjou, per lb. ....	.770	.827	.768	.836	.783	.882	.820	.914	.746	.765
Strawberries, dry pint, per 12 oz. ....	.797	.718	1.108	.853	.782	.689	.844	.788	.667	.633
Potatoes, white, all types, per lb. ² ....	.215	.225	.224	.238	.193	.219	.218	.219	.224	.224
Lettuce, iceberg, per lb. ....	.562	.659	.608	.658	.619	.716	.572	.684	.497	.606
Tomatoes, field grown, per lb. ....	.805	.879	.913	.925	.913	.990	.747	.831	.730	.834
Beans, green, snap, per lb. ....	.947	1.010	1.002	1.000	NA	NA	.961	.992	.902	1.038
Cabbage, per lb. ....	.277	.304	.296	.328	.302	.330	.246	.271	.344	.357
Carrots, short trimmed and topped, per lb. ....	.360	.360	.409	.404	.378	.370	.398	.389	.314	.326
Celery, per lb. ....	.447	.549	.473	.537	.461	.548	.447	.564	.424	.545
Corn on the cob, per lb.	NA	.526	NA	NA	NA	.489	.652	.596	NA	NA
Cucumbers, per lb. ....	.625	.477	.607	.443	.591	.516	.656	.484	.647	.478
Mushrooms, per lb.	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	2.079	2.209
Onions, dry yellow, per lb. ....	.286	.316	.289	.348	.295	.357	.324	.321	.241	.264
Onions, green (scallions), per lb.	1.066	1.118	NA	NA	1.110	1.139	NA	NA	NA	NA
Peppers, sweet, per lb.	1.165	1.119	1.001	1.030	1.278	1.145	1.274	1.165	1.419	1.277
Radishes, per lb. ....	.850	.782	.882	.857	.933	.842	.876	.767	.767	.721
Processed fruits and vegetables:										
Orange juice, frozen concentrate, 12oz. can, per 16 oz.	1.579	1.535	1.711	1.665	1.516	1.463	1.568	1.515	1.435	1.436
Potatoes, frozen, French fried, per lb. ....	.677	.683	.815	.833	.585	.584	.705	.709	NA	NA
Tomatoes, canned, whole, per lb. ....	.508	.516	.474	.467	.598	.592	NA	NA	NA	NA
Other foods at home:										
Sugar and sweets:										
Hard candy, solid, per lb.	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	2.048	NA	NA	NA	NA
Sugar, white, all sizes, per lb. ....	.354	.355	.377	.380	.344	.341	.344	.345	.371	.373
Sugar, white, 33-80 oz. pkg, per lb. ....	.341	.342	.359	.362	.337	.334	.336	.337	NA	NA
Fats and oils:										
Margarine, stick, per lb. ....	.813	.798	.757	.752	.804	.773	.770	.759	.979	.983
Margarine, soft, tubs, per lb.	1.021	1.022	1.052	1.053	1.012	1.007	.857	.853	1.107	1.116
Shortening, vegetable oil blends, per lb. ....	.896	.896	NA	NA	.889	.898	.876	.873	.871	.871
Peanut butter, creamy, all sizes, per lb.	1.544	1.569	1.596	1.635	1.449	1.446	1.495	1.516	1.669	1.708
Nonalcoholic beverages:										
Cola, nondiet, returnable bottles, 6 or 8 pk., per 16 oz. ³ ....	.281	.274	.355	.352	.269	.257	NA	NA	NA	NA
Cola nondiet, cans, 72oz. 6 pk., per 16 oz. ³ ....	.514	.469	.548	.495	.510	.509	.493	.438	.507	.455
Coffee, 100%, ground roast, all sizes, per lb.	3.706	3.655	3.626	3.566	3.645	3.603	3.860	3.827	3.778	3.717
Coffee, 100%, ground roast, 13.1-20 oz. can, per lb.	3.737	3.698	3.652	3.575	NA	NA	3.851	3.850	NA	NA
Coffee, instant, plain, regular, 6.1-14 oz., per 16 oz.	10.256	10.213	NA	NA	10.297	10.028	NA	NA	10.408	10.352
Coffee, freeze dried, plain, regular, all sizes, per 16 oz.	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	14.476	NA	NA	NA	NA
Coffee, freeze dried, decaffeinated, all sizes, per 16 oz.	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Other prepared foods:										
Potato chips, per 16 oz.	2.621	2.622	2.700	2.711	2.359	2.335	2.705	2.717	2.894	2.901
Pork and beans, canned, per 16 oz.	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Alcoholic beverages:										
Bourbon whiskey, 375 ml-1.75 liter, per 25.4oz. ⁴	7.331	7.419	NA	NA	NA	NA	7.531	7.609	6.775	6.875
Vodka, domestic, 375 ml-1.75 liter, per 25.4oz. ⁴	5.853	5.876	5.893	5.901	NA	NA	NA	NA	5.656	5.659

¹ Regions are defined as the four Census regions.

² New average price series as of March 1986.

³ Deposit may be included in price.

⁴ New average price series as of January 1986.

NA Data not adequate for publication.

Technical Notes

Brief Explanation of the CPI

The Consumer Price Index (CPI) is a measure of the average change in prices over time in a fixed market basket of goods and services. The Bureau of Labor Statistics publishes CPI's for two population groups: (1) a CPI for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U) which covers approximately 80 percent of the total noninstitutional civilian population; and (2) a CPI for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W) which represents about half the population covered by the CPI-U. 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 85 urban areas across the country from about 4,000 food stores, 24,000 rental units, and 28,000 establishments—department stores, 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 85 locations. Prices of most other commodities and services are collected every month in the five largest geographic areas and every other month in other areas. Prices of most goods and services are obtained by personal visits of the Bureau's trained representatives. 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-classifications of regions and population-size classes, and for 28 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 index measures price changes 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.

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 Washinton 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

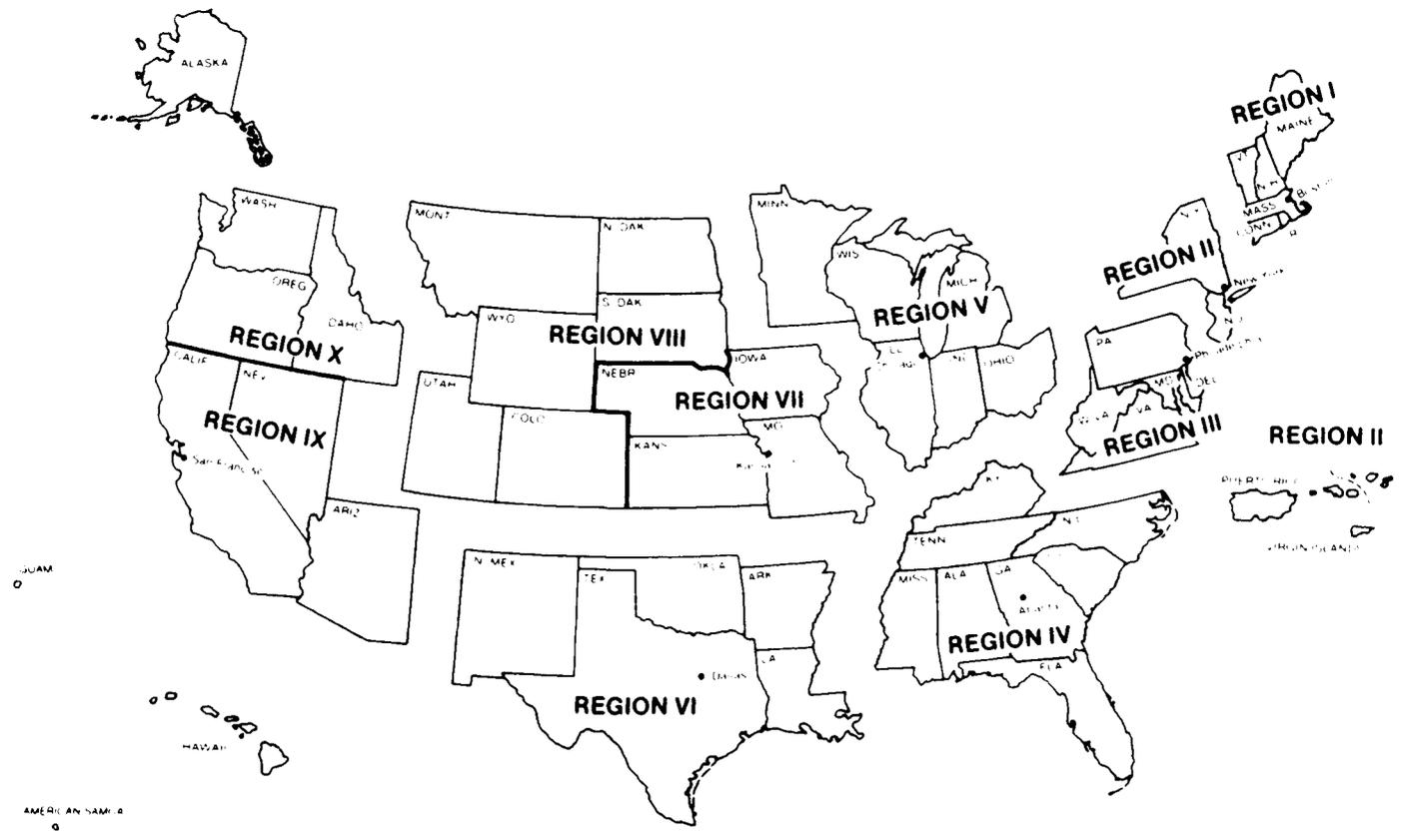
climatic conditions, production cycles, model changeovers, holidays, and sales.

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

Seasonal factors used in computing the seasonally adjusted indexes are derived by the X-11 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 1981 through 1985 were replaced at the end of 1985. The seasonal movement of all items and 44 other aggregations is derived by combining the seasonal movement of 51 selected components. Each year the seasonal status of every series is reevaluated based upon certain statistical criteria. If any of the 51 components change their seasonal adjustment status from seasonally adjusted to not seasonally adjusted, not seasonally adjusted data will be used for the last 5 years, but the seasonally adjusted indexes will be used before that period. If any of the 51 components change their status from not seasonally adjusted to seasonally adjusted, seasonally adjusted data will be used for the last 5 years, but not seasonally adjusted indexes will be used before that period.

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