

A large graphic of a staircase made of 100 icons representing various household items and a dollar sign, symbolizing the cost of home ownership. The staircase is composed of 10 rows of 10 icons each. The icons include a dollar sign (\$), a stack of books, a bed, a dress, a car, shoes, a rotary phone, a house, and a pair of pants. The icons are arranged in a repeating pattern that forms the steps of the staircase, with the dollar sign icon appearing at the top of each row.



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November	December 19	December	January 21

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

October 1986

The Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U) rose 0.1 percent before seasonal adjustment in October to a level of 330.5 (1967=100). For the 12-month period ended in October, the CPI-U has increased 1.5 percent.

The Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W) was virtually unchanged in October, prior to seasonal adjustment. The October 1986 CPI-W level of 325.0 (1967=100) was 1.2 percent higher than the index in October 1985.

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

On a seasonally adjusted basis, the CPI-U rose 0.2 percent in October following an increase of 0.3 percent in September. The energy index, which had turned upward in September, declined 2.2 percent in October, reflecting decreases in prices for electricity, motor fuel, and fuel oil. Food and shelter costs—up 0.3 and 0.4 percent, respectively—increased slightly less than in September. Excluding food, shelter, and energy, the CPI-U advanced 0.4 percent in October after increasing 0.2 percent in September. Increases in the indexes for new cars, automobile finance charges, and automobile insurance accounted for virtually all of that acceleration.

During the first 10 months of 1986, the CPI-U rose at a seasonally adjusted annual rate of 0.7 percent, held down by energy prices, which declined at an annual rate of 22.7 percent. The CPI-U excluding energy advanced at a 3.8-percent annual rate for the first 10 months of 1986 compared to a 4.0-percent increase in the 12 months ended in December 1985.

The housing component, which rose 0.2 percent in September, was virtually unchanged in October, as declines in the indexes for fuel and other utilities and household furnishings and operations offset an increase in shelter costs. Charges for electricity, reflecting a shift to lower winter rates and some rate restructuring, declined a record 4.4 percent. Fuel oil prices, which recorded their first increase of 1986 in September, turned down in October by 1.4 percent. Although charges for natural gas rose 0.9 percent in October, their prices, as well as those for fuel oil and electricity, were lower in October than at the end of 1985. Shelter costs rose 0.4 percent in October.

The transportation component rose 0.1 percent in October following an increase of 0.4 percent in September. The turnaround in prices for motor fuels caused the smaller October advance. Gasoline prices—down 2.4 percent in October, following a similar September rise—have declined 30.8 percent in the first 10 months of 1986. As of October, gasoline prices were 38.7 percent below their peak level of March 1981. However, most other private transportation components rose more than in September. The new car index rose 0.8 percent, following a 0.2-percent rise in September. Higher priced 1987 models represented about 43 percent of the new car sample in October. (For a report on quality change for 1987 cars, see *Producer Price Indexes Data for October 1986*, page 4.) Automobile financing charges, which dropped a record 6.1 percent in September, rose 3.4 percent, largely due to the elimination of manufacturer financing concessions. Nevertheless, financing charges have declined 11.7 percent during the first 10 months of 1986.

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

Expenditure category	Seasonally adjusted							Unadjusted	
	Changes from preceding month							Compound annual rate 3 months ended October 1986	12 months ended October 1986
	1986								
	April	May	June	July	August	September	October		
	-.3	.2	.5	0	.2	.3	.2	2.7	1.5
Food and beverages . . . . .	.3	.4	.1	.8	.9	.4	.3	6.6	4.3
Housing . . . . .	.3	-.1	.5	0	.2	.2	.0	1.8	2.4
Apparel and upkeep . . . . .	.3	-.2	-.3	.2	.7	.8	.2	7.4	1.0
Transportation	-2.5	.3	.8	-1.2	-.9	.4	.1	-1.7	-5.7
Medical care . . . . .	.6	.6	.7	.5	.6	.6	.6	7.2	7.7
Entertainment . . . . .	.1	.4	.4	.2	0	.3	.3	2.4	3.0
Other goods and services . . . . .	.4	.4	.4	.9	.6	-.1	.4	3.7	5.9

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 October 1986	12 months ended October 1986
	1986								
	April	May	June	July	August	September	October		
All items	-.4	.2	.5	0	.2	.3	.1	2.5	1.2
Food and beverages . . . . .	.2	.4	.2	.9	.9	.3	.3	6.2	4.4
Housing . . . . .	.3	-.1	.5	0	.3	.2	-.1	1.6	2.3
Apparel and upkeep . . . . .	.2	-.1	-.3	.2	.9	.7	0	6.6	.8
Transportation	-2.6	.2	.8	-1.3	-1.0	.4	.1	-2.1	-6.2
Medical care . . . . .	.7	.6	.7	.5	.5	.6	.6	7.0	7.6
Entertainment . . . . .	.1	.3	.5	.1	.1	.2	.4	2.7	3.1
Other goods and services . . . . .	.4	.2	.3	1.0	.6	-.1	.4	3.7	5.7

Automobile insurance costs continued to rise, advancing 2.2 percent in October and 10.7 percent thus far this year. Used car prices rose slightly for the second consecutive month following 7 months of declines. The index for public transportation was virtually unchanged in October.

The food and beverage component increased 0.3 percent in October. Grocery store food prices rose 0.4 percent, the same as in September. Advances in the indexes for beef, fresh fruits and vegetables, and dairy products accounted for virtually all of the October increase. Beef prices rose 1.5 percent, the same as in September. Among other components of the meats, poultry, fish, and eggs category, pork, poultry, and egg prices, each declined in October. The 0.2-percent drop in pork prices follows a 16.6-percent increase during the preceding 4 months. Poultry and egg prices—down 0.7 and 0.9 percent, respectively—declined for the second consecutive month following large increases in July and August. Fresh fruit and vegetable prices registered their fourth consecutive advance, increasing 1.6 percent in October after declining 6.1 percent during the first 6 months of 1986. The index for dairy products rose 0.6 percent in October, largely due to a 0.8-percent increase in milk prices, their largest in 2 years. The other two components of the food and

beverage index—restaurant meals and alcoholic beverages—rose 0.2 and declined 0.1 percent, respectively.

The index for apparel and upkeep—up 0.2 percent in October—registered its fourth consecutive increase after declining in 5 of the first 6 months of the year. Clothing prices rose 0.2 percent, and charges for apparel services increased 0.4 percent in October.

The medical care component increased 0.6 percent in October to a level 7.7 percent above a year ago. In October, the index for medical care commodities—prescription drugs, nonprescription drugs, and medical supplies—rose 0.3 percent. The index for medical care services increased 0.6 percent, with the costs of physicians' services and hospital rooms up 0.5 and 0.6 percent, respectively.

The index for entertainment rose 0.3 percent in October, the same as in September. The other goods and services component turned upward in October, increasing 0.4 percent.

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 rose 0.1 percent in October.

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.

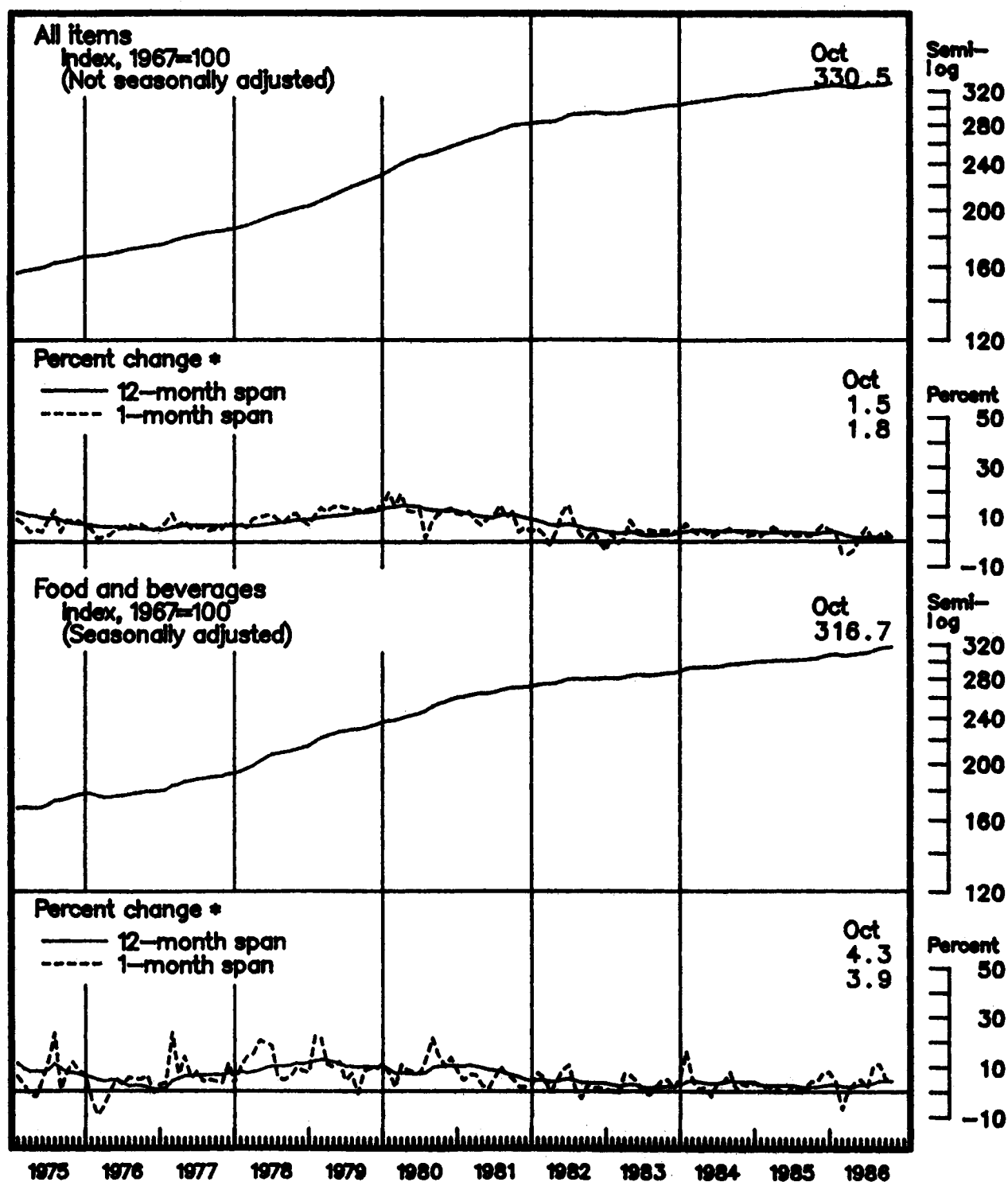
In addition to the national all-city average CPI-U and CPI-W indexes, the Bureau now publishes indexes for 28 local areas. In 1987, it will continue to publish indexes for all but one of these areas—Northeast Pennsylvania (Scranton-Wilkes-Barre). Because of the requirement to allocate the sample to provide 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.

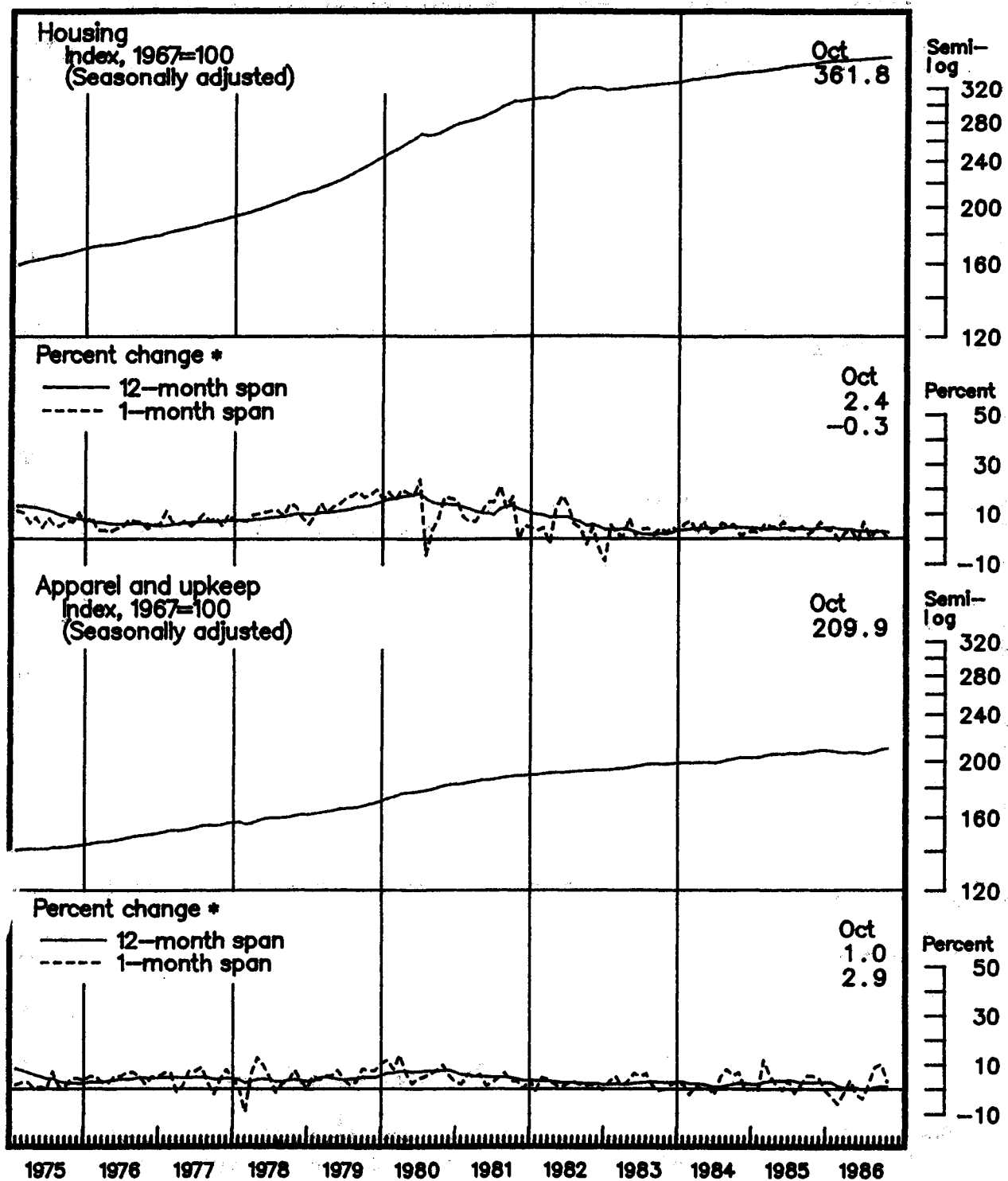
Indexes also are currently published bimonthly for 4 regions, 5 size classes, and 16 region-by-size groups. Beginning with January 1987, publication will become monthly; two of the size classes will be combined; and two of the region-by-size groups will be eliminated.

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



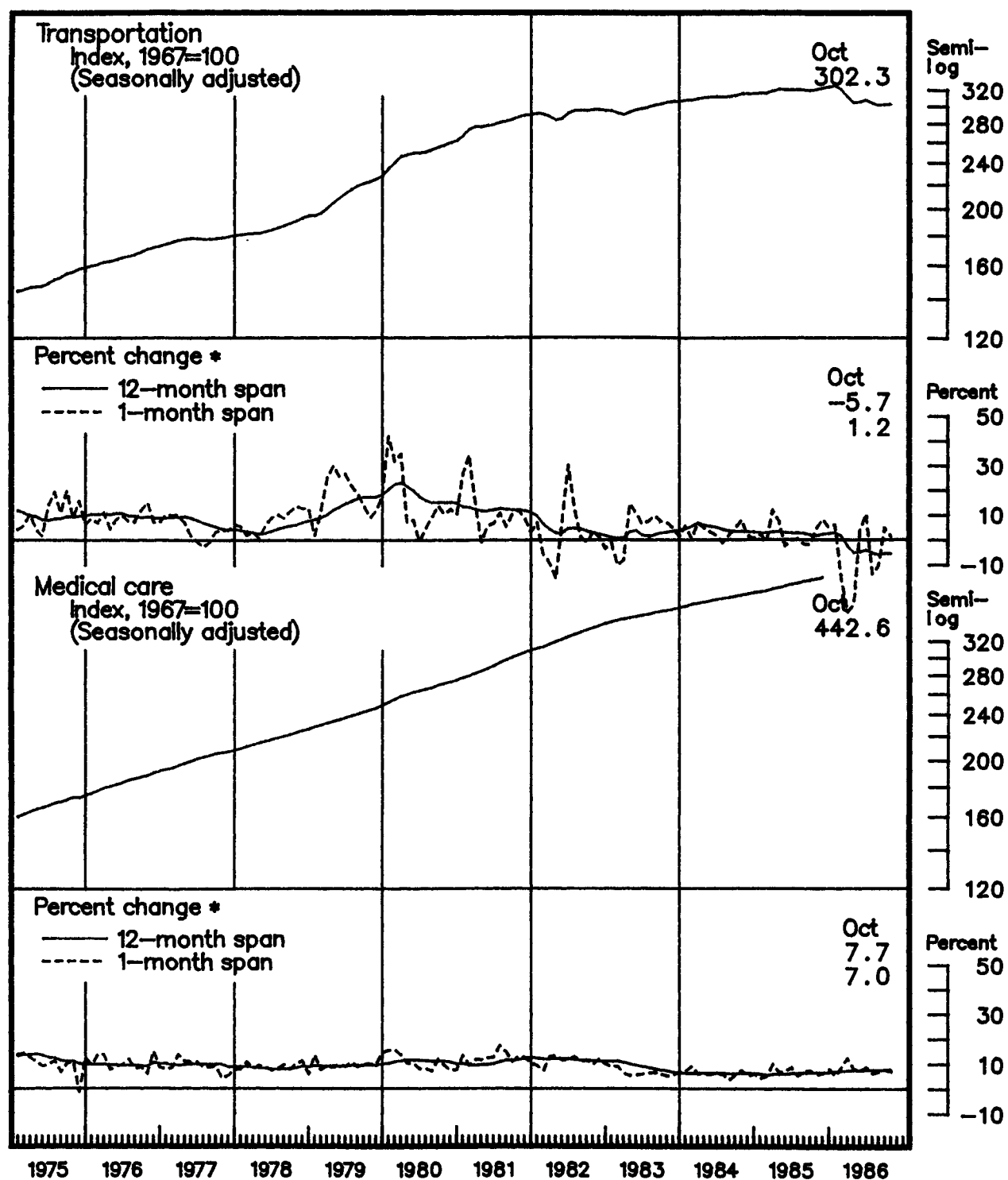
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Chart 2: CPI-U: Housing, apparel and upkeep, 1975-86



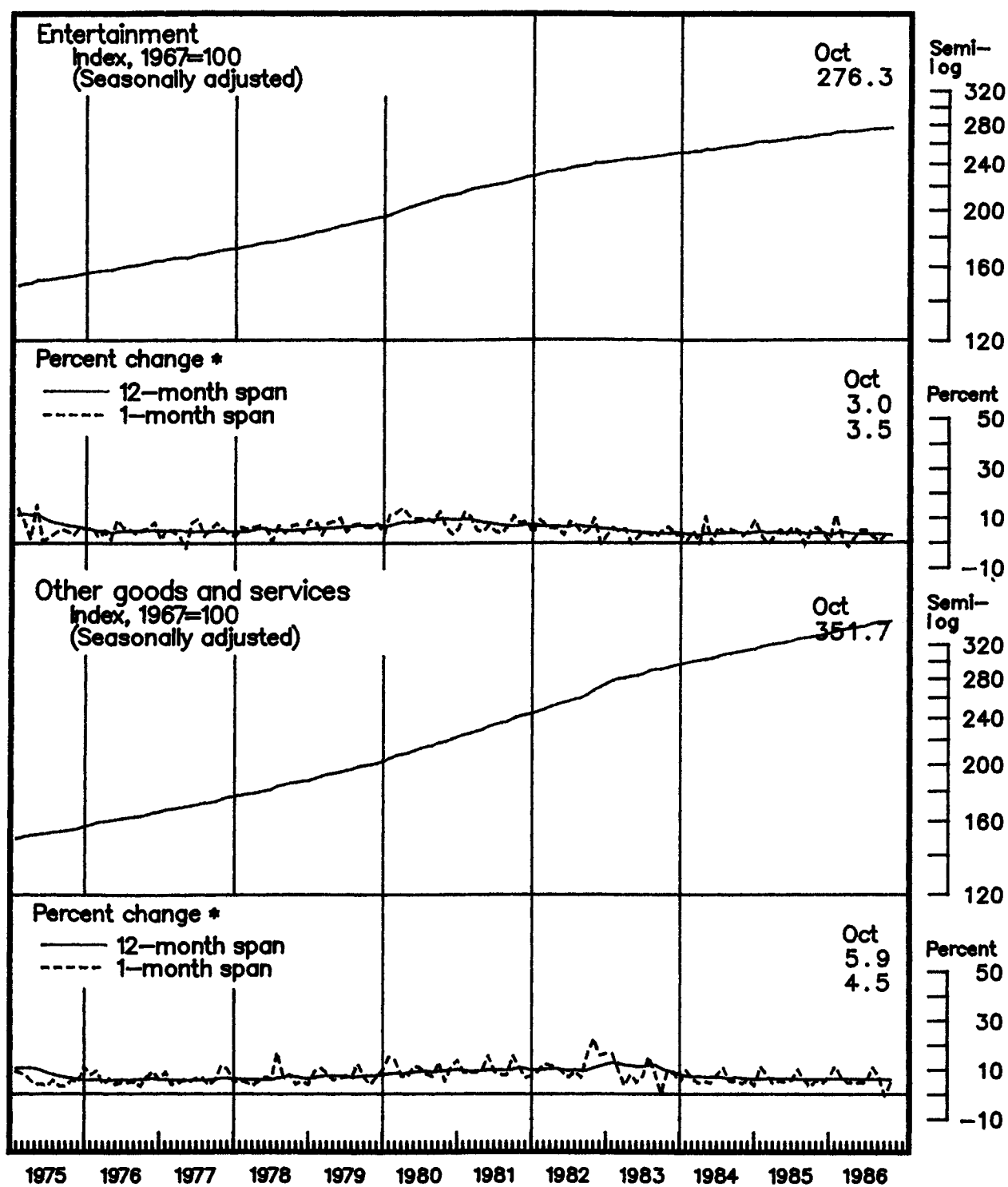
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Chart 3: CPI-U: Transportation and medical care, 1975-86



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

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



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

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Relative importance, December 1985	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Oct. 1986 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Sept. 1986	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Sept. 1986	July to Aug.	Aug. to Sept.	Sept. to Oct.
Expenditure category								
All items	100.000	330.2	330.5	1.5	0.1	0.2	0.3	0.2
All items(1957-59=100)	-	384.1	384.4	-	-	-	-	-
Food and beverages	19.619	315.1	315.6	4.3	.2	.9	.4	.3
Food	18.513	323.2	323.7	4.5	.2	.9	.4	.3
Food at home	12.380	309.0	309.5	4.8	.2	1.2	.4	.4
Cereals and bakery products ¹	1.707	328.5	328.4	3.0	.0	.6	.1	.0
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	3.884	284.7	284.9	9.1	.1	3.2	.6	.6
Dairy products ¹	1.573	258.5	260.0	1.1	.6	.0	.1	.6
Fruits and vegetables	1.938	329.1	328.6	3.6	-.2	.7	1.4	.9
Other food at home	3.279	373.7	374.4	3.1	.2	.0	-.1	.0
Sugar and sweets ¹ .....	.476	413.7	413.4	2.7	-.1	.2	.1	-.1
Fats and oils ¹ .....	.349	285.6	284.6	-2.3	-.4	.2	-.8	-.4
Nonalcoholic beverages	1.331	475.7	477.5	5.2	.4	-.4	-.6	-.1
Other prepared foods	1.121	303.8	304.7	2.7	.3	.4	.4	.4
Food away from home	6.133	363.3	364.0	3.9	.2	.4	.5	.2
Alcoholic beverages	1.106	240.4	240.6	1.8	.1	-.2	.2	-.1
Housing	37.884	363.7	363.0	2.4	-.2	.2	.2	.0
Shelter	22.255	407.6	409.5	5.2	.5	.3	.5	.4
Renters' costs ²	7.319	123.6	124.0	5.2	.3	.2	.4	.3
Rent, residential	6.354	283.2	284.6	5.4	.5	.1	.4	.4
Other renters' costs .....	.965	429.1	427.3	3.6	-.4	.6	.3	.0
Homeowners' costs ²	14.417	120.7	121.3	5.4	.5	.3	.6	.4
Owners' equivalent rent ²	14.015	120.7	121.3	5.4	.5	.3	.6	.4
Household insurance ^{1, 2} .....	.402	120.2	120.6	5.2	.3	.0	.3	.3
Maintenance and repairs ¹ .....	.519	376.2	379.0	2.6	.7	2.0	-.1	.7
Maintenance and repair services ¹ .....	.291	437.0	437.5	3.6	.1	1.0	.6	.1
Maintenance and repair commodities ¹ .....	.228	268.7	273.0	1.9	1.6	3.3	-1.0	1.6
Fuel and other utilities	6.061	388.3	379.1	-4.2	-2.4	.1	-.5	-1.2
Fuels	5.783	467.2	450.3	-7.8	-3.6	.0	-.6	-2.0
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas	1.323	453.5	451.9	-26.6	-.4	-1.5	.9	-1.1
Gas (piped) and electricity	4.459	461.1	441.4	-2.8	-4.3	.4	-.9	-2.2
Other utilities and public services ¹	2.298	255.6	257.1	5.1	.6	.1	-.1	.6
Household furnishings and operation	7.548	251.5	251.6	1.3	.0	.4	.2	-.1
Housefurnishings	3.744	202.2	202.2	.9	.0	.3	.3	-.3
Housekeeping supplies	1.636	320.1	319.8	1.3	-.1	.5	.1	-.1
Housekeeping services ¹	2.168	347.8	348.5	1.8	.2	.2	.1	.2
Apparel and upkeep	5.016	212.1	213.2	1.0	.5	.7	.8	.2
Apparel commodities	4.208	196.6	197.6	.5	.5	.9	.8	.2
Men's and boys' apparel	1.380	203.2	204.3	.5	.5	.3	1.1	-.2
Women's and girls' apparel	1.536	175.7	176.4	-.8	.4	1.4	1.4	.5
Infants' and toddlers' apparel ¹ .....	.117	309.7	312.0	3.3	.7	1.0	-.3	.7
Footwear .....	.626	212.0	215.1	1.3	1.5	.3	.1	1.0
Other apparel commodities ¹ .....	.549	221.1	219.8	2.3	-.6	1.6	-.2	-.6
Apparel services .....	.808	336.7	336.3	3.9	.5	.1	.6	.4

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Relative importance, December 1965	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Oct. 1966 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Sept. 1966	Oct. 1966	Oct. 1965	Sept. 1966	July to Aug.	Aug. to Sept.	Sept. to Oct.
		Expenditure category						
Transportation	21.367	302.2	302.6	-5.7	0.1	-0.9	0.4	0.1
Private transportation	19.790	293.7	294.1	-6.5	.1	-1.0	.4	.1
New vehicles	3.854	224.2	226.7	5.0	1.1	.3	.2	.7
New cars	3.433	224.5	227.1	5.0	1.2	.3	.2	.8
Used cars	4.352	359.5	360.6	-3.9	.3	-.4	.2	.1
Motor fuel	5.469	271.1	263.2	-29.7	-2.9	-4.6	2.5	-2.3
Gasoline		270.6	262.6	-29.6	-3.0	-4.7	2.5	-2.4
Maintenance and repair	1.667	365.0	365.7	2.6	.2	.2	.0	.1
Other private transportation ¹	4.428	302.3	307.6	6.2	1.6	.0	-.7	1.6
Other private transportation commodities ¹ .....	.627	200.3	198.9	-1.9	-.7	.1	-.7	-.7
Other private transportation services ¹	3.800	332.3	339.3	7.6	2.1	.0	-.7	2.1
Public transportation ¹	1.597	426.5	426.7	4.2	.0	.0	.1	.0
Medical care	6.450	439.7	442.3	7.7	.6	.6	.6	.6
Medical care commodities	1.072	276.7	277.5	6.2	.3	.2	.5	.3
Medical care services	5.378	475.7	476.6	6.1	.7	.6	.7	.6
Professional services	2.473	396.1	396.0	6.6	.5	.5	.8	.5
Other medical care services ²	2.905	571.9	576.4	9.3	.6	.7	.5	.7
Entertainment	4.197	275.3	276.5	3.0	.4	.0	.3	.3
Entertainment commodities	2.409	265.9	266.7	1.0	.3	.0	-.1	.1
Entertainment services ¹	1.788	269.2	290.8	5.7	.6	.1	.7	.6
Other goods and services	5.447	353.3	354.6	5.9	.4	.6	-.1	.4
Tobacco products ¹	1.535	356.8	357.2	6.8	.1	.5	.2	.1
Personal care ¹	1.863	292.0	293.1	2.8	.4	.4	-.1	.4
Toilet goods and personal care appliances ¹ .....	.950	288.2	289.9	3.0	.6	.7	-.3	.6
Personal care services ¹	1.013	296.5	297.1	2.7	.2	.1	.1	.2
Personal and educational expenses	2.049	445.2	447.8	7.9	.5	.8	-.2	.6
School books and supplies .....	.253	369.4	392.3	7.6	.7	.9	-.6	.9
Personal and educational services	1.796	457.8	460.2	8.0	.5	.8	-.1	.5
		Commodity and service group						
All items	100.000	330.2	330.5	1.5	0.1	0.2	0.3	0.2
Commodities	51.161	263.5	263.6	-1.5	.0	.1	.5	.0
Food and beverages	19.619	315.1	315.6	4.3	.2	.9	.4	.3
Commodities less food and beverages	31.562	262.3	262.1	-5.1	-.1	-.4	.5	-.2
Nondurables less food and beverages ¹	18.764	261.5	260.4	-6.7	-.4	-.7	1.3	-.4
Apparel commodities	4.206	196.6	197.6	.5	.5	.9	.8	.2
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel ¹	14.556	299.5	297.2	-11.4	-.8	-1.6	.9	-.8
Durables	12.796	269.3	270.5	.1	.4	-.2	.1	.3
Services	48.819	405.5	406.1	4.7	.1	.3	.2	.3
Rent of shelter ^{1 2}	21.250	121.7	122.2	5.3	.4	.3	.7	.4
Household services less rent of shelter ^{1 2}	9.703	114.9	112.9	.7	-1.7	.3	-.3	-1.7
Transportation services	7.084	356.2	360.5	5.7	1.2	.1	-.3	1.2
Medical care services	5.378	475.7	476.6	6.1	.7	.6	.7	.6
Other services	5.405	337.9	339.5	5.6	.5	.4	.3	.5

See footnotes at end of table.

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(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Relative importance, December 1985	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Oct. 1986 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Sept. 1986	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Sept. 1986	July to Aug.	Aug. to Sept.	Sept. to Oct.
		Commodity and service group						
Special indexes:								
All items less food	81.487	330.0	330.2	0.9	0.1	0.0	0.3	0.1
All items less shelter	77.745	307.9	307.8	.5	.0	.2	.3	.1
All items less homeowners' costs ²	85.583	111.7	111.7	.9	.0	.2	.3	.1
All items less medical care	93.550	324.2	324.4	1.1	.1	.2	.3	.1
Commodities less food	32.668	261.1	260.9	-4.9	-1	-4	.5	-2
Nondurables less food ¹	19.870	258.9	257.8	-8.2	-4	-7	1.3	-4
Nondurables less food and apparel ¹	15.662	290.2	288.1	-10.5	-7	-1.5	.8	-7
Nondurables	38.383	289.4	289.0	-2.1	-1	.1	.6	.0
Services less rent of shelter ^{1 2}	27.570	120.2	120.1	4.3	-1	.3	.3	-1
Services less medical care ¹	43.442	395.4	395.7	4.3	.1	.3	.5	.1
Energy	11.252	360.6	348.6	-18.4	-3.3	-1.9	.7	-2.2
All items less energy	88.748	330.0	331.4	4.1	.4	.4	.3	.4
All items less food and energy	70.235	329.9	331.6	4.0	.5	.3	.3	.4
Commodities less food and energy	25.875	264.5	265.5	1.3	.4	.3	.2	.2
Energy commodities	6.793	297.7	290.6	-29.1	-2.4	-4.0	2.1	-2.1
Services less energy	44.360	401.4	403.7	5.5	.6	.3	.3	.5
Purchasing power of the consumer dollar:								
1967 = \$1.00 ¹	-	\$.303	\$.303	-1.3	.0	-.3	-.3	.0
1957-59 = \$1.00 ¹	-	.260	.260	-	-	-	-	-

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—					
	July 1986	Aug. 1986	Sept. 1986	Oct. 1986	3 months ending in—				6 months ending in—	
					Jan. 1986	Apr. 1986	July 1986	Oct. 1986	Apr. 1986	Oct. 1986
Expenditure category										
All items	-	-	-	-	5.1	-4.3	2.7	2.7	0.3	2.7
Food and beverages	311.7	314.4	315.7	316.7	6.3	-9	5.6	6.6	2.7	6.1
Food	319.5	322.5	323.9	325.0	6.3	-1.1	5.8	7.1	2.5	6.4
Food at home	304.9	308.5	309.7	311.0	7.9	-3.4	6.7	8.2	2.1	7.5
Cereals and bakery products ¹	326.3	328.2	328.5	328.4	3.9	.6	4.8	2.6	2.3	3.7
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	274.1	282.9	284.7	286.3	12.1	-11.1	19.2	19.0	-2	19.1
Dairy products ¹	258.4	258.3	258.5	260.0	.2	-.6	2.5	2.5	-.2	2.5
Fruits and vegetables	325.1	327.5	332.1	335.0	20.2	-14.4	-.6	12.7	1.4	5.9
Other food at home	374.6	374.6	374.1	374.2	3.1	10.2	.2	-.4	6.6	-.1
Sugar and sweets ¹	412.4	413.1	413.7	413.4	2.5	6.4	1.0	1.0	4.4	1.0
Fats and oils ¹	287.3	287.8	285.6	284.6	1.2	-4.8	-1.7	-3.7	-1.8	-2.7
Nonalcoholic beverages	481.7	479.8	477.1	476.5	4.9	23.8	-1.9	-4.2	14.0	-3.1
Other prepared foods	301.8	302.9	304.1	305.3	1.4	1.3	3.4	4.7	1.3	4.0
Food away from home	360.4	361.8	363.7	364.4	3.3	3.6	4.3	4.5	3.5	4.4
Alcoholic beverages	240.4	239.9	240.4	240.1	4.5	.5	2.7	-.5	2.5	1.1
Housing	360.2	361.1	361.9	361.8	4.4	1.6	1.9	1.8	3.0	1.8
Shelter	403.6	404.8	406.7	408.3	5.7	7.7	2.9	4.7	6.7	3.8
Renters' costs ²	122.5	122.7	123.2	123.6	4.5	8.0	4.7	3.6	6.2	4.2
Rent, residential	281.5	281.7	282.9	284.0	5.6	8.1	4.4	3.6	6.9	4.0
Other renters' costs	417.6	420.2	421.5	421.4	-2.8	7.0	6.8	3.7	2.0	5.2
Homeowners' costs ²	119.6	119.9	120.6	121.1	6.1	8.1	2.4	5.1	7.1	3.7
Owners' equivalent rent ²	119.5	119.9	120.6	121.1	6.1	8.1	2.0	5.5	7.1	3.7
Household insurance ^{1 2}	119.9	119.9	120.2	120.6	3.9	9.3	5.5	2.4	8.6	3.9
Maintenance and repairs ¹	369.2	376.4	376.2	379.0	12.0	-11.6	1.8	11.0	-.5	6.3
Maintenance and repair services ¹	430.1	434.2	437.0	437.5	10.2	-7.2	5.3	7.1	1.1	6.2
Maintenance and repair commodities ¹	262.7	271.3	268.7	273.0	14.3	-17.0	-2.7	16.6	-2.6	6.5
Fuel and other utilities	383.4	383.6	381.8	377.1	3.6	-11.1	-2.4	-6.4	-4.0	-4.4
Fuels	457.9	458.1	455.3	446.0	3.4	-17.4	-6.2	-10.0	-7.6	-8.1
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas	465.0	457.8	481.8	456.5	13.2	-56.3	-36.5	-7.1	-29.7	-23.2
Gas (piped) and electricity	448.0	449.6	445.5	435.6	1.1	-2.8	2.2	-10.6	-.9	-4.4
Other utilities and public services ¹	255.6	255.9	255.6	257.1	4.3	6.6	7.0	2.4	5.5	4.7
Household furnishings and operation	250.5	251.4	251.9	251.6	1.6	-1.3	3.1	1.8	.2	2.4
Housefurnishings	201.2	201.9	202.6	202.0	1.4	-3.5	4.5	1.6	-1.1	3.0
Housekeeping supplies	319.2	320.8	321.1	320.8	1.7	-1.0	2.5	2.0	.3	2.3
Housekeeping services ¹	346.6	347.4	347.8	348.5	2.0	1.8	1.4	2.2	1.9	1.8
Apparel and upkeep	206.2	207.7	209.4	209.9	.0	-1.5	-1.3	7.4	-.8	2.9
Apparel commodities	190.1	191.8	193.4	193.8	-1.4	-2.3	-2.3	8.0	-1.9	2.7
Men's and boys' apparel	198.4	199.0	201.2	200.7	1.8	-1.8	-2.6	4.7	.0	1.0
Women's and girls' apparel	165.1	167.4	169.8	170.6	-6.4	-4.9	-4.9	14.0	-5.6	4.1
Infants' and toddlers' apparel ¹	307.5	310.6	309.7	312.0	16.6	3.5	-11.0	6.0	9.8	-2.9
Footwear	210.6	211.3	211.6	213.8	-.8	.4	-.4	6.2	-.2	2.9
Other apparel commodities ¹	218.1	221.6	221.1	219.8	1.1	-.4	5.3	3.2	.4	4.2
Apparel services	334.6	335.0	337.0	338.3	6.0	2.1	2.9	4.5	4.0	3.7

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

(1987 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Seasonally adjusted indexes				Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for—					
	July 1986	Aug. 1986	Sept. 1986	Oct. 1986	3 months ending in—				6 months ending in—	
					Jan. 1986	Apr. 1986	July 1986	Oct. 1986	Apr. 1986	Oct. 1986
Expenditure category										
Transportation	303.6	300.8	302.0	302.3	6.4	-23.9	-0.5	-1.7	-10.0	-1.1
Private transportation	295.4	292.3	293.6	294.0	6.3	-25.8	-1.1	-1.9	-11.2	-1.5
New vehicles	224.9	225.6	226.0	227.6	3.2	4.5	7.6	4.9	3.8	6.3
New cars	225.2	225.8	226.3	228.0	3.0	4.8	7.4	5.1	3.9	6.2
Used cars	358.9	357.3	358.1	358.4	3.7	-7.4	-10.7	-6	-2.0	-5.8
Motor fuel	275.5	262.7	269.2	262.9	6.3	-70.8	-5.6	-17.1	-44.2	-11.5
Gasoline	275.1	262.2	266.7	262.3	5.9	-70.9	-4.9	-17.4	-44.5	-11.4
Maintenance and repair	363.8	364.7	364.6	365.0	4.0	3.4	2.8	1.3	3.7	2.1
Other private transportation ¹	304.5	304.5	302.3	307.6	11.7	5.3	3.9	4.1	8.5	4.0
Other private transportation commodities ¹	201.6	201.8	200.3	198.9	1.2	-2.3	-1.2	-5.3	-6	-3.2
Other private transportation services ¹	334.6	334.6	332.3	339.3	13.4	6.8	4.5	5.7	10.1	5.1
Public transportation ¹	428.0	428.0	428.5	428.7	8.1	2.5	5.6	.7	5.3	3.1
Medical care	435.0	437.4	440.1	442.6	6.6	9.6	7.5	7.2	8.1	7.3
Medical care commodities	275.1	275.7	277.0	277.8	6.3	7.6	7.0	4.0	6.9	5.5
Medical care services	470.1	473.0	476.1	479.0	7.0	10.0	7.6	7.8	8.5	7.7
Professional services	391.3	393.3	396.5	398.4	5.7	8.3	5.1	7.5	7.0	6.3
Other medical care services ²	565.9	570.0	573.0	577.0	8.0	11.5	9.7	8.1	9.7	8.9
Entertainment	274.7	274.8	275.5	276.3	5.0	.9	4.0	2.4	2.9	3.2
Entertainment commodities	268.1	268.1	265.9	266.2	3.2	-2.2	3.2	.2	.5	1.7
Entertainment services ¹	287.0	287.3	289.2	290.8	7.0	5.2	5.0	5.4	6.1	5.2
Other goods and services	348.5	350.6	350.4	351.7	7.5	5.4	6.7	3.7	6.5	5.2
Tobacco products ¹	354.3	356.2	356.8	357.2	10.3	4.5	9.3	3.3	7.4	6.3
Personal care ¹	291.1	292.3	292.0	293.1	4.4	3.4	.8	2.8	3.9	1.8
Toilet goods and personal care appliances ¹	287.1	289.1	288.2	289.9	5.7	3.4	-8	4.0	4.5	1.5
Personal care services ¹	295.6	296.2	296.5	297.1	3.6	3.2	2.3	1.8	3.4	2.1
Personal and educational expenses	431.4	435.0	434.3	436.8	8.7	8.1	9.9	5.1	8.4	7.5
School books and supplies	382.8	386.2	384.0	367.3	8.0	8.3	9.3	4.8	8.2	7.0
Personal and educational services	443.0	446.7	446.2	448.5	9.0	8.1	10.1	5.1	8.5	7.5
Commodity and service group										
All items	-	-	-	-	5.1	-4.3	2.7	2.7	0.3	2.7
Commodities	281.6	281.9	283.3	283.3	5.1	-13.5	1.3	2.4	-4.7	1.9
Food and beverages	311.7	314.4	315.7	316.7	6.3	-9	5.6	6.6	2.7	6.1
Commodities less food and beverages	261.3	260.2	261.6	261.1	3.8	-20.6	-1.5	-3	-9.2	-9
Nondurables less food and beverages ¹	259.8	258.1	261.5	260.4	-6	-28.5	-3.3	.9	-15.7	-1.2
Apparel commodities	190.1	191.8	193.4	193.8	-1.4	-2.3	-2.3	8.0	-1.9	2.7
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel ¹	301.7	296.9	299.5	297.2	3.7	-36.3	-1.2	-5.8	-18.7	-3.5
Durables	269.6	269.0	269.3	270.2	2.8	-3.6	.6	.9	-.4	.7
Services	401.7	402.9	403.7	404.8	5.5	6.2	4.0	3.1	5.8	3.6
Rent of shelter ^{1 2}	120.5	120.9	121.7	122.2	4.6	7.0	3.7	5.6	5.8	4.7
Household services less rent of shelter ^{1 2}	114.9	115.3	114.9	112.9	-2.5	.7	12.4	-6.8	-.9	2.3
Transportation services	357.0	357.2	356.0	360.2	9.7	4.9	4.4	3.6	7.3	4.0
Medical care services	470.1	473.0	476.1	479.0	7.0	10.0	7.6	7.8	8.5	7.7
Other services	333.3	334.5	335.4	337.0	6.9	5.3	5.8	4.5	6.1	5.2

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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—					
	July 1986	Aug. 1986	Sept. 1986	Oct. 1986	3 months ending in—				6 months ending in—	
					Jan. 1986	Apr. 1986	July 1986	Oct. 1986	Apr. 1986	Oct. 1986
	Commodity and service group									
Special indexes:										
All items less food	327.5	327.6	328.6	329.0	5.0	-5.0	2.0	1.8	-0.1	1.9
All items less shelter	305.5	306.0	307.0	307.2	5.1	-7.5	2.5	2.2	-1.4	2.4
All items less homeowners' costs ²	110.9	111.1	111.4	111.5	5.2	-6.3	2.9	2.2	-7	2.6
All items less medical care	321.7	322.2	323.3	323.7	5.4	-5.2	2.4	2.5	-1	2.5
Commodities less food	260.1	259.1	260.5	260.0	3.7	-20.0	-1.4	-2	-8.9	-8
Nondurables less food ¹	257.3	255.6	258.9	257.8	-4	-27.0	-2.9	.8	-14.7	-1.1
Nondurables less food and apparel ¹	292.2	287.9	290.2	288.1	3.7	-33.9	-1.0	-5.5	-17.3	-3.3
Nondurables	287.1	287.4	289.1	289.0	5.1	-16.9	2.4	2.7	-6.5	2.5
Services less rent of shelter ^{1 2}	119.5	119.8	120.2	120.1	3.9	4.2	7.3	2.0	4.0	4.7
Services less medical care ¹	392.5	393.6	395.4	395.7	3.6	4.8	5.6	3.3	4.2	4.4
Energy	359.6	352.7	355.0	347.3	4.8	-48.4	-6.0	-13.0	-26.4	-9.6
All items less energy	327.3	328.6	329.6	330.9	5.4	2.9	3.6	4.5	4.1	4.0
All items less food and energy	327.5	328.4	329.3	330.7	5.0	3.9	3.1	4.0	4.5	3.5
Commodities less food and energy	262.6	263.4	264.0	264.5	2.8	-1.2	.9	2.9	.8	1.9
Energy commodities	303.1	290.9	297.1	290.9	7.5	-68.3	-12.7	-15.2	-41.7	-14.0
Services less energy	398.7	399.8	401.0	403.2	6.3	7.1	4.2	4.6	6.7	4.4

¹ Not seasonally adjusted.

² Indexes on a December 1982=100 base.

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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 Oct. 1986 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Sept. 1986	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Sept. 1986	July to Aug.	Aug. to Sept.	Sept. to Oct.
Food and beverages		315.1	315.6	4.3	0.2	0.9	0.4	0.3
Food		323.2	323.7	4.5	.2	.9	.4	.3
Food at home		309.0	309.5	4.8	.2	1.2	.4	.4
Cereals and bakery products ¹		328.5	328.4	3.0	.0	.6	.1	.0
Cereal and cereal products	12/77	176.3	175.1	2.8	-.7	.6	.5	.1
Flour and prepared flour mixes	12/77	152.7	151.4	.6	-.9	-.3	.1	.1
Cereal ¹	12/77	209.4	208.7	6.0	-.3	1.2	.9	-.3
Rice, pasta, and commel ¹	12/77	151.0	149.4	-1.1	-1.1	-.3	-.4	-1.1
Bakery products ¹	12/77	173.0	173.3	3.0	.2	.5	.1	.2
White bread ¹		274.3	273.7	2.2	-.2	.5	.0	-.2
Fresh other breads, biscuits, rolls, and muffins ^{1 2}	12/77	165.9	166.5	2.9	.4	1.3	.1	.4
Other bread ^{1 3}	12/77	165.3	165.8	3.3	.3	.0	1.0	.3
Fresh biscuits, rolls, and muffins ^{1 3}	12/77	186.4	187.1	2.5	.4	2.8	-.8	.4
Cookies, fresh cakes and cupcakes ^{1 2}	12/77	179.7	180.1	3.2	.2	.7	.4	.2
Fresh cakes and cupcakes ^{1 3}	12/77	175.3	177.1	3.3	1.0	.3	.3	1.0
Cookies ³	12/77	183.8	182.8	3.0	-.5	.4	1.0	-.4
Other bakery products ^{1 2}	12/77	178.8	179.7	3.9	.5	-.1	-.2	.5
Crackers and bread and cracker products ^{1 3}	12/77	178.7	179.9	3.3	.7	-.9	.0	.7
Fresh sweetrolls, coffeecake, and donuts ^{1 3}	12/77	174.4	175.1	4.5	.4	.2	.5	.4
Frozen and refrigerated bakery products and fresh pies, tarts, and turnovers ^{1 3}	12/77	184.5	185.2	3.9	.4	.3	-1.0	.4
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs		284.7	284.9	9.1	.1	3.2	.6	.6
Meats, poultry, and fish		292.7	293.0	9.7	.1	2.8	1.1	.6
Meats		283.6	283.9	8.7	.1	2.8	1.8	.8
Beef and veal		272.4	273.8	4.0	.5	2.1	1.5	1.5
Ground beef other than canned		246.3	249.0	2.5	1.1	2.2	.6	2.3
Chuck roast		265.9	274.2	4.6	3.1	4.1	.3	3.8
Round roast		228.4	233.6	4.2	2.3	1.9	2.2	2.0
Round steak		256.4	257.9	5.2	.6	3.6	4.2	.0
Sirloin steak		290.7	278.8	4.8	-4.1	1.6	.4	.7
Other beef and veal	12/77	173.9	173.5	4.4	-.2	2.0	1.0	.4
Pork		300.1	298.0	19.2	-.7	4.5	2.3	-.2
Bacon		337.2	323.2	18.8	-4.2	10.1	2.6	-3.2
Chops		282.4	274.9	19.6	-2.7	2.1	1.7	-.6
Ham ²	12/77	134.7	141.2	20.2	4.8	5.2	2.0	4.1
Ham other than canned ³	12/77	139.8	148.5	25.4	4.8	6.1	2.1	4.1
Canned ham ⁴		260.6	272.6	10.1	4.6	2.6	1.7	4.1
Other pork including sausage ^{1 2}	12/77	162.7	160.5	18.6	-1.4	3.6	3.2	-1.4
Other pork ³	12/77	163.4	158.2	19.0	-3.2	2.8	2.6	.6
Sausage ^{1 3}		362.0	366.2	18.0	1.2	3.6	4.2	1.2
Other meats ¹		282.5	283.5	5.1	.4	1.5	1.5	.4
Frankfurters ^{1 3}		277.6	281.3	5.0	1.3	2.6	1.5	1.3
Bologna, liverwurst, and salami ^{1 3}	12/77	167.4	166.9	7.1	-.3	2.3	2.1	-.3
Other lunchmeats ^{1 3}	12/77	144.5	145.7	4.7	.8	1.2	1.3	.8
Lamb and organ meats ^{1 3}	12/77	145.6	144.1	3.4	-1.0	-.1	1.0	-1.0
Poultry ¹		249.5	247.8	15.6	-.7	6.1	-2.2	-.7
Fresh whole chicken ¹		257.3	258.1	21.7	-.5	8.5	-5.1	-.5
Fresh and frozen chicken parts ¹	12/77	168.3	163.1	17.3	-3.1	7.0	-1.7	-3.1
Other poultry ¹	12/77	145.8	149.1	5.0	2.3	.8	2.5	2.3
Fish and seafood		447.2	451.6	10.7	1.0	-.1	.1	1.2
Canned fish and seafood ¹	12/77	133.4	135.8	1.9	1.8	-1.1	.4	1.8
Fresh and frozen fish and seafood	12/77	192.2	193.5	14.8	.7	.1	-.3	.9
Eggs		186.0	186.2	-.6	.1	10.9	-8.0	-.9

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 Oct. 1986 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Sept. 1986	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Sept. 1986	July to Aug.	Aug. to Sept.	Sept. to Oct.
Dairy products ¹		258.5	260.0	1.1	0.6	0.0	0.1	0.6
Fresh milk and cream	12/77	138.4	139.5	.7	.8	-.1	-.4	.8
Fresh whole milk		225.9	227.6	.8	.8	-.1	-.4	.8
Other fresh milk and cream ¹	12/77	139.3	140.5	1.1	.9	.1	-.4	.9
Processed dairy products ¹	12/77	157.1	157.6	1.6	.3	-.3	.7	.3
Cheese ¹	12/77	151.5	151.7	.5	.1	-.1	.1	.1
Ice cream and related products ¹	12/77	165.9	166.6	2.1	.4	-.8	1.5	.4
Other dairy products including butter ^{1 2}	12/77	159.9	160.8	3.3	.6	-.1	1.1	.6
Other dairy products ^{1 3}	12/77	160.1	161.2	4.1	.7	-.8	.4	.7
Butter ^{1 3}		267.8	268.9	2.3	.4	.9	1.9	.4
Fruits and vegetables		329.1	328.6	3.6	-.2	.7	1.4	.9
Fresh fruits and vegetables		351.4	351.2	9.0	-.1	1.3	2.5	1.6
Fresh fruits		384.1	375.1	4.6	-2.3	1.6	-.9	1.5
Apples		437.5	343.8	11.8	-21.4	14.3	-7.4	-11.2
Bananas		272.2	266.1	10.0	-2.2	-1.5	5.1	2.2
Oranges		418.8	431.3	-.4	3.0	-4.7	-1.5	9.3
Other fresh fruits	12/77	194.9	205.5	3.4	5.4	-2.9	3.2	5.0
Fresh vegetables		321.0	328.8	14.1	2.4	2.1	4.7	2.1
Potatoes		335.4	323.4	24.4	-3.6	7.3	10.3	2.4
Lettuce ¹		338.4	331.3	.2	-2.1	2.0	12.4	-2.1
Tomatoes ¹		239.7	287.8	23.1	20.1	-4.8	-2.0	20.1
Other fresh vegetables	12/77	181.9	188.1	13.7	3.4	5.0	3.5	.3
Processed fruits and vegetables ¹		307.3	306.6	-2.5	-.2	.2	-.6	-.2
Processed fruits	12/77	161.9	162.0	-4.0	.1	.3	.2	.4
Fruit juices and frozen fruit ²	12/77	160.1	160.2	-6.3	.1	.4	.4	.1
Frozen fruit and fruit juices ³	12/77	147.5	147.2	-14.2	-.2	.0	.3	.1
Fruit juices other than frozen ³	12/77	169.8	170.3	.0	.3	1.1	.3	.4
Canned and dried fruits ¹	12/77	165.6	165.4	.5	-.1	.5	-.2	-.1
Processed vegetables ¹	12/77	146.9	146.2	-.9	-.5	.1	-1.1	-.5
Frozen vegetables ¹	12/77	162.6	162.3	.2	-.2	-.1	-.2	-.2
Other processed vegetables ^{1 2}	12/77	141.6	140.7	-1.3	-.6	.2	-1.5	-.6
Cut corn and canned beans except lima ^{1 3}	12/77	147.8	146.9	-1.1	-.6	.5	-2.0	-.6
Other canned and dried vegetables ^{1 3}	12/77	138.5	137.7	-1.4	-.6	.0	-1.1	-.6
Other foods at home		373.7	374.4	3.1	.2	.0	-.1	.0
Sugar and sweets ¹		413.7	413.4	2.7	-.1	.2	.1	-.1
Sugar and artificial sweeteners ¹	12/77	170.6	169.4	-1.1	-.7	-.2	.2	-.7
Sweets including candy ²	12/77	173.3	173.6	4.1	.2	.6	.2	.5
Candy and chewing gum ³	12/77	173.4	173.8	3.9	.2	.3	.1	.4
Other sweets ^{1 3}	12/77	173.0	173.1	4.3	.1	.4	1.0	.1
Fats and oils ¹		285.6	284.6	-2.3	-.4	.2	-.8	-.4
Margarine ^{1 3}		291.6	289.0	-3.2	-.9	-1.3	-.1	-.9
Nondairy substitutes and peanut butter ^{1 3}	12/77	162.7	184.8	3.5	1.3	.7	-.5	1.3
Other fats, oils, and salad dressings ^{1 3}	12/77	143.5	142.3	-4.2	-.8	.8	-1.2	-.8
Nonalcoholic beverages		475.7	477.5	5.2	.4	-.4	-.6	-.1
Carbonated drinks ²	12/77	155.6	156.4	.9	.5	.5	.4	-.3
Cola drinks, excluding diet cola ⁵		324.6	326.4	1.1	.6	1.1	.7	-.4
Carbonated drinks, including diet cola ⁵	12/77	152.0	152.6	.4	.4	-1.1	.0	-.2
Coffee ^{1 6}		486.8	484.6	22.2	-.5	-2.6	-2.7	-.5
Roasted coffee ^{1 3}		477.9	473.4	25.6	-.9	-3.5	-3.4	-.9
Freeze dried and instant coffee ^{1 3}		452.4	452.7	19.0	.1	-1.5	-2.1	.1
Other noncarbonated drinks	12/77	155.4	156.8	1.3	.9	.2	-.5	.7
Other prepared foods		303.8	304.7	2.7	.3	.4	.4	.4
Canned and packaged soup	12/77	158.5	157.6	2.8	-.6	-.1	1.0	.1
Frozen prepared foods ¹	12/77	172.2	172.6	2.1	.2	1.5	-.5	.2
Snacks ¹	12/77	176.9	178.6	4.3	1.0	.9	-.3	1.0
Seasonings, condiments, sauces and spices ²	12/77	172.0	172.0	2.6	.0	-.1	1.1	.1
Seasonings, olives, pickles, and relish ³	12/77	174.2	175.7	3.4	.9	.0	1.9	.7
Other condiments ³	12/77	170.6	169.6	2.1	-.6	-.1	.7	-.3
Other prepared foods, including miscellaneous and baby food ^{1 2}	12/77	160.4	161.1	2.0	.4	.1	.1	.4
Miscellaneous prepared foods ^{1 3}	12/77	166.2	167.4	3.6	.7	.5	.1	.7
Other canned and packaged prepared foods ³	12/77	154.3	154.5	.1	.1	-.3	.1	.6

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 Oct. 1986 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Sept. 1986	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Sept. 1986	July to Aug.	Aug. to Sept.	Sept. to Oct.
Food away from home		363.3	364.0	3.9	0.2	0.4	0.5	0.2
Lunch	12/77	174.9	175.8	3.9	.5	.2	.2	.5
Dinner	12/77	174.8	175.1	3.4	.2	.3	.5	.3
Other meals and snacks	12/77	180.8	180.3	4.9	-.3	.3	.6	-.1
Alcoholic beverages		240.4	240.6	1.8	.1	-.2	.2	-.1
Alcoholic beverages at home	12/77	152.2	152.3	.9	.1	-.1	.1	-.3
Beer and ale		240.9	241.0	1.4	.0	.1	.2	.0
Wine ¹		241.2	241.0	1.3	-.1	-.2	-.2	-.1
Distilled spirits ^{1 2}	12/77	141.9	141.9	.1	.0	-.1	.2	.0
Other alcoholic beverages ^{1 3}	12/77	139.3	139.8	1.1	.4	-.3	.4	.4
Whiskey ^{1 3}		170.3	170.1	-.5	-.1	.1	.1	-.1
Alcoholic beverages away from home	12/77	176.6	176.9	5.0	.2	.1	.3	.2
Special indexes:								
Domestically produced farm food		293.1	293.3	4.6	.1	1.4	.7	.6
Selected beef cuts ¹		271.7	273.2	4.1	.6	1.3	.5	.6
Imported food and fishery products ⁴	12/77	152.5	153.0	5.9	.3	-.2	-.2	.5

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—					
		Sept. 1986	Oct. 1986	3 months ending in—				6 months ending in—	
				Jan. 1986	Apr. 1986	July 1986	Oct. 1986	Apr. 1986	Oct. 1986
Food and beverages		315.7	316.7	6.3	-0.9	5.6	6.6	2.7	6.1
Food		323.9	325.0	6.3	-1.1	5.6	7.1	2.5	6.4
Food at home		309.7	311.0	7.9	-3.4	6.7	8.2	2.1	7.5
Cereals and bakery products ¹		328.5	326.4	3.9	.6	4.8	2.6	2.3	3.7
Cereal and cereal products	12/77	176.1	176.2	5.0	-2	2.3	4.7	2.4	3.5
Flour and prepared flour mixes	12/77	151.8	152.0	1.1	1.1	.5	-3	1.1	.1
Cereal ¹	12/77	209.4	208.7	9.0	3.6	4.0	7.4	6.4	5.7
Rice, pasta, and cornmeal ¹	12/77	151.0	149.4	2.4	1.3	-1.0	-6.7	1.9	-3.9
Bakery products ¹	12/77	173.0	173.3	3.4	.2	5.3	3.3	1.8	4.3
White bread ¹	12/77	274.3	273.7	4.9	-1	3.1	1.2	2.3	2.2
Fresh other breads, biscuits, rolls, and muffins ^{1 2}	12/77	165.9	166.5	.5	.0	3.8	7.5	.2	5.6
Other bread ^{1 3}	12/77	165.3	165.8	3.0	1.2	3.8	5.2	2.1	4.5
Fresh biscuits, rolls, and muffins ^{1 3}	12/77	166.4	167.1	-1.7	-1.7	3.5	10.2	-1.7	6.6
Cookies, fresh cakes and cupcakes ^{1 2}	12/77	179.7	180.1	1.8	-1.6	7.0	5.5	.1	6.3
Fresh cakes and cupcakes ^{1 3}	12/77	175.3	177.1	1.9	-7	5.2	6.8	.6	6.0
Cookies ³	12/77	184.0	183.3	-4	-2.2	10.6	4.3	-1.3	7.4
Other bakery products ^{1 2}	12/77	178.8	179.7	5.7	2.3	6.7	1.1	4.0	3.9
Crackers and bread and cracker products ^{1 3}	12/77	178.7	179.9	1.2	2.1	11.1	-9	1.8	5.0
Fresh sweetrolls, coffeecake, and donuts ^{1 3}	12/77	174.4	175.1	14.6	-2.3	2.1	4.2	5.6	3.2
Frozen and refrigerated bakery products and fresh pies, tarts, and turnovers ^{1 3}	12/77	184.5	185.2	.0	7.8	9.1	-1.1	3.9	3.9
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs		284.7	286.3	12.1	-11.1	19.2	19.0	-2	19.1
Meats, poultry, and fish		292.7	294.6	12.9	-11.1	19.6	19.8	.2	19.7
Meats		283.5	285.7	11.9	-12.9	15.5	23.5	-1.3	19.5
Beef and veal		274.9	279.1	13.9	-19.7	4.5	22.7	-4.4	13.2
Ground beef other than canned		248.5	254.1	9.2	-17.2	.0	22.2	-4.9	10.5
Chuck roast		270.2	280.4	12.3	-29.8	10.4	37.6	-11.2	23.3
Round roast		234.7	239.3	18.8	-26.8	8.6	27.3	-7.5	17.6
Round steak		262.2	262.1	28.5	-23.0	-6.4	35.6	-8	11.4
Sirloin steak		283.3	285.4	18.8	-15.8	8.3	11.4	.0	9.9
Other beef and veal	12/77	176.2	176.9	6.0	-12.8	12.3	14.8	-3.9	13.6
Pork		296.2	295.6	16.4	-5.3	41.2	29.9	5.0	35.4
Bacon		333.5	322.9	5.1	-8.7	45.0	43.0	-2.0	44.0
Chops		279.6	278.0	20.5	-8.0	62.6	13.8	5.3	35.9
Ham ²	12/77	134.2	139.7	4.2	-2.7	32.5	55.5	.7	43.5
Ham other than canned ³	12/77	136.4	144.1	6.4	-5.0	51.0	62.1	.5	56.5
Canned ham ⁴		261.4	272.1	.3	5.3	.2	39.0	2.8	18.0
Other pork including sausage ^{1 2}	12/77	162.7	160.5	18.6	-9.6	48.9	24.0	3.6	35.9
Other pork ³	12/77	159.4	180.3	19.1	-12.5	52.8	26.3	2.1	39.9
Sausage ^{1 3}		362.0	366.2	13.0	-1.7	22.7	42.4	5.4	32.2
Other meats ¹		282.5	283.5	-3	-3.4	10.6	14.4	-1.8	12.5
Frankfurters ^{1 3}		277.8	281.3	-1.5	-5.6	5.1	24.3	-3.6	14.3
Bologna, liverwurst, and salami ^{1 3}	12/77	167.4	166.9	1.8	2.3	7.0	17.8	2.1	12.3
Other lunchmeats ^{1 3}	12/77	144.5	145.7	-4.0	-1.7	11.5	14.0	-2.9	12.8
Lamb and organ meats ^{1 3}	12/77	145.8	144.1	5.3	-9.0	20.2	-6	-2.1	9.4
Poultry ¹		249.5	247.8	7.5	-4.5	54.0	13.1	1.3	32.0
Fresh whole chicken ¹		257.3	256.1	9.6	-4.2	89.5	10.3	2.5	44.6
Fresh and frozen chicken parts ¹	12/77	168.3	163.1	11.1	-2.8	62.6	8.0	3.9	32.5
Other poultry ¹	12/77	145.8	149.1	.3	-6.9	4.4	24.7	-3.4	14.1
Fish and seafood		449.4	454.8	28.1	-4.2	17.0	4.8	10.7	10.7
Canned fish and seafood ¹	12/77	133.4	135.6	6.6	-2.3	-9	4.2	2.1	1.6
Fresh and frozen fish and seafood	12/77	193.8	195.3	35.8	-3.2	29.1	2.7	14.6	15.1
Eggs		169.6	166.1	-6.6	-9.0	12.0	4.6	-6.9	6.2

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—					
		Sept. 1986	Oct. 1986	3 months ending in—				8 months ending in—	
				Jan. 1986	Apr. 1986	July 1986	Oct. 1986	Apr. 1986	Oct. 1986
Dairy products ¹		258.5	260.0	0.2	-0.6	2.5	2.5	-0.2	2.5
Fresh milk and cream	12/77	138.7	139.8	-3.1	-3	5.3	1.2	-1.7	3.2
Fresh whole milk		226.4	228.3	-2.4	-1.4	5.3	1.2	-1.9	3.2
Other fresh milk and cream ¹	12/77	139.3	140.5	-2.8	.6	4.1	2.6	-1.1	3.4
Processed dairy products ¹	12/77	157.1	157.6	1.8	-.8	2.3	3.1	.5	2.7
Cheese ¹	12/77	151.5	151.7	.3	-.5	1.9	.5	-.1	1.2
Ice cream and related products ¹	12/77	165.9	166.6	4.5	-2.2	1.7	4.7	1.1	3.2
Other dairy products including butter ^{1 2}	12/77	159.9	160.8	2.6	-.3	4.4	6.5	1.2	5.4
Other dairy products ^{1 3}	12/77	160.1	161.2	8.6	1.3	7.6	1.0	3.9	4.2
Butter ^{1 3}		287.8	268.9	-2.0	-2.0	.5	13.5	-2.0	6.8
Fruits and vegetables		332.1	335.0	20.2	-14.4	-.6	12.7	1.4	5.9
Fresh fruits and vegetables		356.4	362.1	46.7	-22.4	.4	23.8	6.7	11.4
Fresh fruits		365.1	370.7	30.7	-8.1	-8.7	9.2	9.6	-.1
Apples		414.3	367.7	32.3	-.7	53.0	-22.2	14.6	9.1
Bananas		272.2	278.3	2.6	85.9	-38.7	25.2	38.1	-12.4
Oranges		355.2	388.2	67.5	-25.6	-28.9	10.7	11.7	-11.3
Other fresh fruits	12/77	193.0	202.7	19.0	-16.1	-6.8	22.7	-.1	7.1
Fresh vegetables		349.7	357.0	55.3	-33.3	15.1	42.1	1.7	27.9
Potatoes		349.0	357.3	3.2	-23.1	39.8	115.5	-10.9	73.6
Lettuce ¹		338.4	331.3	225.1	-38.8	-68.2	58.9	41.1	-28.9
Tomatoes ¹		239.7	287.8	550.3	-68.6	-28.6	58.0	42.8	6.2
Other fresh vegetables	12/77	214.5	215.2	7.8	-33.8	66.8	41.0	-15.5	53.3
Processed fruits and vegetables ¹		307.3	306.6	-2.3	-3.7	-1.4	-2.6	-3.0	-2.0
Processed fruits	12/77	162.1	162.8	-3.3	-12.7	-2.9	3.8	-8.1	.4
Fruit juices and frozen fruit ²	12/77	160.9	161.0	-3.4	-17.5	-6.7	3.8	-10.8	-1.6
Frozen fruit and fruit juices ³	12/77	148.2	148.4	-13.0	-31.4	-10.6	1.9	-22.7	-4.6
Fruit juices other than frozen ³	12/77	170.7	171.3	4.8	-8.5	-2.6	7.1	-2.1	2.1
Canned and dried fruits ¹	12/77	165.6	165.4	-2.4	.2	3.5	.7	-1.1	2.1
Processed vegetables ¹	12/77	146.9	146.2	.0	.0	2.5	-5.8	.0	-1.8
Frozen vegetables ¹	12/77	162.6	162.3	-.7	1.2	2.2	-1.9	.2	.1
Other processed vegetables ^{1 2}	12/77	141.6	140.7	.6	-.6	2.6	-7.3	.0	-2.5
Cut corn and canned beans except lima ^{1 3}	12/77	147.8	146.9	3.3	-1.3	2.4	-8.3	.9	-3.1
Other canned and dried vegetables ^{1 3}	12/77	138.5	137.7	-1.1	.0	2.6	-6.7	-.6	-2.1
Other foods at home		374.1	374.2	3.1	10.2	.2	-.4	6.6	-.1
Sugar and sweets ¹		413.7	413.4	2.5	6.4	1.0	1.0	4.4	1.0
Sugar and artificial sweeteners ¹	12/77	170.6	169.4	.0	.7	-2.3	-2.6	.4	-2.4
Sweets including candy ²	12/77	173.1	173.9	3.9	6.6	.7	5.2	5.2	2.9
Candy and chewing gum ³	12/77	173.6	174.3	2.9	8.8	.9	3.3	5.8	2.1
Other sweets ^{1 3}	12/77	173.0	173.1	3.4	4.1	3.8	6.0	3.8	4.9
Fats and oils ¹		285.6	284.6	1.2	-4.8	-1.7	-3.7	-1.8	-2.7
Margarine ^{1 3}		291.6	289.0	4.2	-3.3	-4.7	-6.8	.4	-6.8
Nondairy substitutes and peanut butter ^{1 3}	12/77	162.7	164.8	.3	-.5	8.6	6.0	-.1	7.3
Other fats, oils, and salad dressings ^{1 3}	12/77	143.5	142.3	.0	-7.6	-3.8	-5.2	-3.9	-4.5
Nonalcoholic beverages		477.1	476.5	4.9	23.8	-1.9	-4.2	14.0	-3.1
Carbonated drinks ²	12/77	156.2	155.8	.3	3.4	-2.5	2.6	1.8	.0
Cola drinks, excluding diet cola ⁵		326.6	325.4	.5	2.0	-4.0	5.9	1.2	.6
Carbonated drinks, including diet cola ⁵	12/77	151.8	151.5	-1.6	7.1	1.3	-5.1	2.7	-2.0
Coffee ^{1 6}		486.8	484.6	26.4	149.3	-10.8	-20.7	77.5	-15.9
Roasted coffee ^{1 3}		477.9	473.4	34.8	194.7	-13.6	-27.5	99.3	-20.8
Freeze dried and instant coffee ^{1 3}		452.4	452.7	18.8	111.0	-7.7	-13.3	58.3	-10.5
Other noncarbonated drinks	12/77	155.9	157.0	-1.0	-.5	5.3	1.5	-.8	3.4
Other prepared foods		304.1	305.3	1.4	1.3	3.4	4.7	1.3	4.0
Canned and packaged soup	12/77	158.5	158.6	-.3	-1.0	8.9	4.1	-.6	6.5
Frozen prepared foods ¹	12/77	172.2	172.6	.0	1.9	1.7	4.8	.9	3.2
Snacks ¹	12/77	176.9	178.6	4.0	4.2	2.3	6.5	4.1	4.4
Seasonings, condiments, sauces and spices ²	12/77	172.0	172.2	.2	3.4	2.4	4.8	1.8	3.6
Seasonings, olives, pickles, and relish ³	12/77	174.7	175.9	.0	3.6	-.5	10.9	1.6	5.1
Other condiments ³	12/77	170.3	169.6	-1.0	3.7	4.9	.9	1.3	2.9
Other prepared foods, including									
miscellaneous and baby food ^{1 2}	12/77	160.4	161.1	2.0	3.1	.0	2.8	2.5	1.4
Miscellaneous prepared foods ^{1 3}	12/77	166.2	167.4	1.5	7.3	.5	5.2	4.4	2.8
Other canned and packaged prepared foods ³	12/77	154.1	155.1	.8	-2.8	.5	2.1	-1.0	1.3

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—					
		Sept. 1986	Oct. 1986	3 months ending in—				6 months ending in—	
				Jan. 1986	Apr. 1986	July 1986	Oct. 1986	Apr. 1986	Oct. 1986
Food away from home		363.7	364.4	3.3	3.6	4.3	4.5	3.5	4.4
Lunch	12/77	174.9	175.8	3.1	3.3	5.2	4.0	3.2	4.6
Dinner	12/77	174.8	175.3	2.4	3.3	3.5	4.2	2.9	3.9
Other meals and snacks	12/77	181.0	180.8	3.5	5.2	8.0	3.4	4.3	5.6
Alcoholic beverages		240.4	240.1	4.5	.5	2.7	-.5	2.5	1.1
Alcoholic beverages at home	12/77	152.2	151.8	3.8	.3	.8	-1.0	2.0	-.1
Beer and ale		241.1	241.0	3.8	-.3	.8	1.3	1.7	1.1
Wine ¹		241.2	241.0	1.0	4.4	1.7	-1.8	2.7	-.1
Distilled spirits ^{1 2}	12/77	141.9	141.9	.0	.0	-.3	.6	.0	.1
Other alcoholic beverages ^{1 3}	12/77	139.3	139.8	1.7	1.4	-.6	1.7	1.6	.6
Whiskey ^{1 3}		170.3	170.1	-1.2	-.7	-.2	.2	-.9	.0
Alcoholic beverages away from home	12/77	176.6	176.9	7.8	3.1	7.1	2.3	5.4	4.7
Special indexes:									
Domestically produced farm food		294.3	296.0	6.2	-8.0	10.2	11.1	-1.1	10.6
Selected beef cuts ¹		271.7	273.2	20.6	-13.5	2.3	9.9	2.1	6.0
Imported food and fishery products ⁴	12/77	152.8	153.5	8.0	16.1	.3	.3	11.9	.3

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 Oct. 1986 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Sept. 1986	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Sept. 1986	July to Aug.	Aug. to Sept.	Sept. to Oct.
Housing		363.7	363.0	2.4	-0.2	0.2	0.2	0.0
Shelter		407.6	409.5	5.2	.5	.3	.5	.4
Renters' costs	12/82	123.6	124.0	5.2	.3	.2	.4	.3
Rent, residential ¹		263.2	264.6	5.4	.5	.1	.4	.4
Other renters' costs		429.1	427.3	3.6	-.4	.6	.3	.0
Lodging while out of town		452.4	448.4	2.3	-.9	.7	.3	.1
Lodging while at school ¹	12/82	127.6	128.4	6.4	.5	.2	5.6	.5
Tenants' insurance ¹	12/77	180.9	181.5	5.2	.3	-.1	.3	.3
Homeowners' costs	12/82	120.7	121.3	5.4	.5	.3	.6	.4
Owners' equivalent rent	12/82	120.7	121.3	5.4	.5	.3	.6	.4
Household insurance ¹	12/82	120.2	120.6	5.2	.3	.0	.3	.3
Maintenance and repairs ¹		376.2	379.0	2.6	.7	2.0	-.1	.7
Maintenance and repair services ¹		437.0	437.5	3.6	.1	1.0	.6	.1
Maintenance and repair commodities ¹		266.7	273.0	1.9	1.6	3.3	-1.0	1.6
Paint and wallpaper, supplies, tools, and equipment ^{1 2}	12/77	158.8	182.5	2.6	2.3	6.0	-1.7	2.3
Lumber, awnings, glass, and masonry ^{1 2}	12/77	130.9	131.2	1.3	.2	-.6	.3	.2
Plumbing, electrical, heating, and cooling supplies ^{1 2}	12/77	149.0	151.2	1.6	1.5	-1.1	.2	1.5
Miscellaneous supplies and equipment	12/77	145.6	145.6	.6	.0	-.5	.3	.0
Fuel and other utilities		386.3	379.1	-4.2	-2.4	.1	-.5	-1.2
Fuels		467.2	450.3	-7.8	-3.6	.0	-.6	-2.0
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas		453.5	451.9	-26.6	-.4	-1.5	.9	-1.1
Fuel oil		436.3	434.0	-30.1	-.5	-1.7	1.1	-1.4
Other fuels ³	6/78	179.1	180.0	-6.4	.5	-1.2	.1	.4
Gas (piped) and electricity		461.1	441.4	-2.8	-4.3	.4	-.9	-2.2
Electricity		389.8	361.3	-1.6	-7.3	-.5	.4	-4.4
Utility (piped) gas		550.5	552.4	-4.3	.3	1.6	-2.8	.9
Other utilities and public services ¹		255.6	257.1	5.1	.6	.1	-.1	.6
Telephone services ¹		206.6	207.7	4.5	.5	.0	-.4	.5
Local charges ¹	12/77	197.3	196.8	10.6	.8	.1	-.5	.8
Interstate toll calls ¹	12/77	101.2	101.2	-9.6	.0	-.3	.0	.0
Intrastate toll calls ¹	12/77	124.7	125.1	-1.1	.3	.2	-.5	.3
Water and sewerage maintenance ¹		424.1	426.6	5.6	.6	.3	.2	.6
Cable television ¹	12/83	116.0	116.6	4.3	.5	-.1	.9	.5
Refuse collection ¹	12/83	120.3	121.5	9.0	1.0	.5	1.2	1.0
Household furnishings and operation		251.5	251.6	1.3	.0	.4	.2	-.1
Housefurnishings		202.2	202.2	.9	.0	.3	.3	-.3
Textile housefurnishings		247.2	246.6	1.8	-.2	.7	.2	.0
Household linens ⁴	12/77	143.6	143.9	2.1	.2	-.6	.3	1.2
Curtains, drapes, slipcovers, and sewing materials ^{1 4}	12/77	165.3	164.2	1.5	-.7	1.6	-.4	-.7
Furniture and bedding		234.4	236.4	2.1	.9	-.3	.0	.1
Bedroom furniture ¹	12/77	171.6	175.6	6.1	2.3	-1.3	1.2	2.3
Sofas	12/77	128.3	127.3	4.6	-.8	1.9	1.1	-1.0
Living room chairs and tables ¹	12/77	129.5	130.6	.5	.8	-2.3	.4	.8
Other furniture	12/77	144.3	144.4	-2.6	.1	.4	-.3	-1.4
Appliances including TV and sound equipment ¹		139.3	138.7	-2.0	-.4	-.1	.1	-.4
Television and sound equipment ¹	12/77	92.0	91.7	-3.6	-.3	.1	-.1	-.3
Television ¹		81.4	81.4	-5.1	.0	-.4	-1.6	.0
Sound equipment ¹	12/77	102.2	101.6	-2.6	-.6	.4	.9	-.6
Household appliances ^{1 3}		185.2	184.0	-.2	-.6	-.3	.3	-.8
Refrigerator and home freezer ¹		192.2	191.8	-.1	-.3	-.5	.8	-.3
Laundry equipment ¹	12/77	150.2	150.8	.9	.4	.7	.6	.4
Other household appliances ^{1 3}	12/77	120.9	119.7	-.5	-1.0	-.6	.2	-1.0
Stoves, dishwashers, vacuums, and sewing machines ^{1 3}	12/77	122.1	119.3	-2.4	-2.3	-1.1	.2	-2.3
Office machines, small electric appliances, and air conditioners ^{1 3}	12/77	119.9	120.1	1.0	.2	-.2	.1	.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 Oct. 1986 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Sept. 1986	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Sept. 1986	July to Aug.	Aug. to Sept.	Sept. to Oct.
Housefurnishings—Continued:								
Other household equipment ¹	12/77	147.7	147.1	2.0	-0.4	0.4	0.6	-0.4
Floor and window coverings, infants', laundry, cleaning, and outdoor equipment ¹	12/77	156.0	158.0	3.9	1.3	-1.8	1.2	1.3
Clocks, lamps, and decor items ¹	12/77	137.2	137.8	-5	.4	-1.7	.9	.4
Tableware, serving pieces, and nonelectric kitchenware ¹	12/77	154.7	151.8	3.9	-2.0	2.4	-1	-2.0
Lawn equipment, power tools, and other hardware ¹	12/77	137.8	137.6	-6	-1	1.3	1.0	-1
Housekeeping supplies		320.1	319.8	1.3	-1	.5	.1	-1
Laundry and cleaning products including soap ^{1 5}	12/77	168.0	168.3	2.9	.2	-.4	.4	.2
Soaps and detergents ^{1 4}		321.5	323.7	3.1	.7	-1.1	.9	.7
Other laundry and cleaning products ^{1 4}	12/77	166.4	165.5	2.6	-5	.7	-1	-5
Household paper products and stationery supplies ^{1 5}	12/77	155.5	156.0	.4	.3	.1	.2	.3
Cleansing and toilet tissue, paper towels and napkins ^{1 4}	12/77	161.7	162.1	.1	.2	.5	.6	.2
Stationery, stationery supplies, and gift wrap ^{1 4}	12/77	148.7	149.4	.7	.5	-.3	-.4	.5
Other household lawn and garden supplies ⁵	12/77	159.7	158.4	.3	-.8	.8	.2	-.7
Miscellaneous household products ^{1 2}	12/77	167.3	168.3	2.2	.6	.8	.0	.6
Lawn and garden supplies ²	12/77	151.0	146.9	-2.2	-2.7	.5	.1	-2.6
Housekeeping services ¹		347.8	348.5	1.8	.2	.2	.1	.2
Postage ¹		371.9	371.9	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0
Moving, storage, freight, household laundry, and drycleaning services ^{1 3}	12/77	194.5	195.4	3.7	.5	.5	.2	.5
Appliance and furniture repair ¹	12/77	163.3	163.6	2.7	.2	.2	.2	.2
Apparel and upkeep		212.1	213.2	1.0	.5	.7	.8	.2
Apparel commodities		196.6	197.6	.5	.5	.9	.8	.2
Apparel commodities less footwear		184.0	184.6	.3	.3	1.0	1.0	.1
Men's and boys'		203.2	204.3	.5	.5	.3	1.1	-.2
Men's	12/77	128.3	129.1	1.1	.6	.2	1.0	.1
Suits, sport coats, coats, and jackets ⁵	12/77	119.0	118.7	3.4	.6	.4	2.4	-.6
Suits, sport coats, and jackets ⁴	12/77	124.9	125.9	5.4	.8	1.0	2.9	-.2
Coats and jackets ⁴	12/77	101.7	101.9	-3.0	.2	-3.3	.0	-1.5
Furnishings and special clothing ¹	12/77	156.4	157.4	-.5	.6	1.4	.8	.6
Shirts	12/77	135.3	135.8	.6	.4	.7	1.2	.1
Dungarees, jeans, and trousers	12/77	116.6	117.5	-.3	.8	-1.1	.3	.3
Boys'	12/77	130.3	130.9	-1.6	.5	.5	1.8	-.9
Coats, jackets, sweaters, and shirts ⁴	12/77	129.1	129.0	-2.1	-.1	.2	3.1	-.6
Furnishings ²	12/77	141.4	143.4	.0	1.4	-.4	.8	-.1
Suits, trousers, sport coats, and jackets ⁴	12/77	126.7	127.3	-1.8	.5	.6	1.3	-1.6
Women's and girls'		175.7	176.4	-.8	.4	1.4	1.4	.5
Women's	12/77	117.5	117.9	-.8	.3	1.2	1.3	.4
Coats and jackets		170.8	169.0	-9.7	-1.1	1.4	2.2	-2.0
Dresses		186.4	185.9	1.2	-.3	.6	4.6	-.2
Separates and sportswear	12/77	112.3	113.0	.8	.6	1.9	3.1	-1.0
Underwear, nightwear, and hosiery	12/77	141.3	142.3	.6	.7	.9	-.7	.8
Suits	12/77	90.6	92.2	-2.7	1.8	1.7	-3.1	6.2
Girls'	12/77	113.8	114.7	-.9	.8	2.3	1.7	-1.2
Coats, jackets, dresses, and suits ⁴	12/77	101.7	104.8	-4.0	3.0	3.4	3.3	-.2
Separates and sportswear ⁴	12/77	112.7	111.2	.1	-1.3	3.3	.7	-2.4
Underwear, nightwear, hosiery, and accessories ²	12/77	135.7	137.3	1.5	1.2	.0	2.6	.2
Infants' and toddlers'		309.7	312.0	3.3	.7	1.0	-.3	.7
Other apparel commodities ¹		221.1	219.8	2.3	-.6	1.6	-.2	-.6
Sewing materials and notions ^{1 3}	12/77	126.9	125.5	1.2	-1.1	.3	.0	-1.1
Jewelry and luggage ^{1 3}	12/77	149.8	149.2	2.7	-.4	2.1	-.3	-.4
Footwear		212.0	215.1	1.3	1.5	.3	.1	1.0
Men's	12/77	142.6	143.2	2.3	.4	1.2	-.1	.2
Boys' and girls'	12/77	134.6	137.3	3.3	2.0	-.7	1.1	2.0
Women's	12/77	124.1	126.6	-.9	2.0	-.2	.5	1.5
Apparel services		336.7	336.3	3.9	.5	.1	.6	.4
Laundry and dry cleaning other than coin operated	12/77	201.2	202.1	4.0	.4	.4	.8	.3
Other apparel services ¹	12/77	175.6	176.6	3.6	.6	-.2	.3	.8

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 Oct. 1986 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Sept. 1986	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Sept. 1986	July to Aug.	Aug. to Sept.	Sept. to Oct.
Transportation		302.2	302.6	-5.7	0.1	-0.9	0.4	0.1
Private		293.7	294.1	-6.5	.1	-1.0	.4	.1
New vehicles		224.2	226.7	5.0	1.1	.3	.2	.7
New cars		224.5	227.1	5.0	1.2	.3	.2	.8
New trucks and motorcycles ¹	12/83	110.2	110.7	4.2	.5	-.3	-.3	.5
Used cars		359.5	360.6	-3.9	.3	-.4	.2	.1
Motor fuel		271.1	263.2	-29.7	-2.9	-4.6	2.5	-2.3
Gasoline		270.6	262.6	-29.6	-3.0	-4.7	2.5	-2.4
Gasoline, leaded regular	1/76	148.9	144.3	-30.9	-3.1	-4.8	2.9	-2.3
Gasoline, unleaded regular	1/76	154.0	149.3	-30.8	-3.1	-5.0	2.4	-2.4
Gasoline, unleaded premium	8/81	72.1	70.4	-26.1	-2.4	-4.3	1.0	-2.4
Automobile maintenance and repair		365.0	365.7	2.8	.2	.2	.0	.1
Body work ¹	12/77	185.9	186.3	2.4	.2	.3	-.5	.2
Automobile drive train, brake, and miscellaneous mechanical repair ¹	12/77	180.0	180.5	4.1	.3	.3	.2	.3
Maintenance and servicing ¹	12/77	163.6	164.2	2.5	.4	.1	.4	.4
Power plant repair	12/77	176.0	175.6	2.5	-.2	.6	.1	-.2
Other private transportation ¹		302.3	307.6	6.2	1.8	.0	-.7	1.8
Other private transportation commodities ¹		200.3	198.9	-1.9	-.7	.1	-.7	-.7
Motor oil, coolant, and other products ¹	12/77	155.1	154.5	-1.7	-.4	-.9	.1	-.4
Automobile parts and equipment ¹	12/77	125.9	124.9	-2.0	-.8	.3	-.9	-.8
Tires ¹		168.3	166.4	-3.5	-1.1	.4	-1.3	-1.1
Other parts and equipment ¹	12/77	135.7	135.9	1.6	.1	.1	.0	.1
Other private transportation services ¹		332.3	339.3	7.6	2.1	.0	-.7	2.1
Automobile insurance ¹		412.7	421.6	13.9	2.2	.1	.6	2.2
Automobile finance charges ¹	12/77	134.0	138.5	-9.4	3.4	-1.2	-6.1	3.4
Automobile rental, registration, and other fees ¹	12/77	171.2	172.6	6.3	.8	.7	.1	.8
Automobile registration, license, and inspection fees ^{1 5}	12/77	158.2	158.3	2.9	.1	.9	.1	.1
State registration ^{1 4}		221.6	221.6	3.0	.0	1.1	.0	.0
Drivers' license ^{1 2}	12/77	175.9	175.9	1.2	.0	.2	.0	.0
Automobile inspection ^{1 2}	12/77	164.8	164.8	1.9	.0	.5	.0	.0
Other automobile related fees ¹	12/77	191.7	195.2	11.0	1.8	.4	.1	1.8
Public transportation ¹		428.5	428.7	4.2	.0	.0	.1	.0
Airline fare ¹		490.7	491.1	1.5	.1	-.2	.2	.1
Other intercity transportation ^{1 5}		222.2	221.7	7.7	-.2	.5	-.7	-.2
Intercity bus fare ^{1 2}		517.3	516.9	8.1	-.1	.7	-.7	-.1
Intercity train fare ^{1 2}		422.9	419.2	6.2	-.9	-.2	-.4	-.9
Intracity public transportation ^{1 5}		206.8	206.9	7.0	.0	.2	.1	.0
Intracity mass transit ^{1 2}		385.5	385.6	7.6	.0	.2	.2	.0
Taxi fare ^{1 2}		330.1	330.3	3.3	.1	.4	.1	.1
Medical care		439.7	442.3	7.7	.6	.6	.6	.6
Medical care commodities		276.7	277.5	6.2	.3	.2	.5	.3
Prescription drugs		283.0	264.1	8.2	.4	.5	.6	.3
Anti-infective drugs ^{1 2}	12/77	192.0	192.3	4.7	.2	-.1	.4	.2
Tranquilizers and sedatives ²	12/77	263.2	264.3	9.9	.4	.8	.8	.1
Circulatories and diuretics ^{1 2}	12/77	209.6	210.4	11.0	.4	.4	.4	.4
Hormones, diabetic drugs, biologicals, and prescription medical supplies ²	12/77	260.0	261.0	8.4	.4	.7	.5	.4
Pain and symptom control drugs ^{1 2}	12/77	224.9	225.0	7.6	.0	1.0	.4	.0
Supplements, cough and cold preparations, and respiratory agents ²	12/77	206.2	206.3	8.7	1.0	.0	.5	1.2
Nonprescription drugs and medical supplies ^{1 3}	12/77	180.2	180.6	4.2	.2	.1	.1	.2
Eyeglasses ^{1 2}	12/77	150.8	151.4	3.7	.4	.3	.1	.4
Internal and respiratory over-the-counter drugs ¹		297.5	297.7	4.1	.1	.1	.1	.1
Nonprescription medical equipment and supplies ¹	12/77	172.8	173.6	4.6	.5	-.1	.1	.5
Medical care services		475.7	478.8	8.1	.7	.6	.7	.6
Professional services		396.1	398.0	6.6	.5	.5	.8	.5
Physicians' services		434.1	436.3	7.5	.5	.6	1.0	.5
Dental services ¹		372.3	374.2	6.0	.5	.5	.8	.5
Other professional services ^{1 2}	12/77	181.1	181.5	4.5	.2	-.1	.1	.2
Other medical care services ²		571.9	576.4	9.3	.8	.7	.5	.7
Hospital and other medical services ²	12/77	240.1	242.3	6.8	.9	.4	.5	.7
Hospital room		759.3	765.8	6.6	.9	.4	.4	.6
Other hospital and medical care services ²	12/77	237.4	239.7	6.9	1.0	.6	.5	.8

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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 Oct. 1986 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Sept. 1986	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Sept. 1986	July to Aug.	Aug. to Sept.	Sept. to Oct.
Entertainment		275.3	276.5	3.0	0.4	0.0	0.3	0.3
Entertainment commodities		265.9	266.7	1.0	.3	.0	-.1	.1
Reading materials ¹	12/77	184.1	184.5	3.9	.2	.3	.3	.2
Newspapers ¹		342.4	344.2	3.5	.5	.1	.2	.5
Magazines, periodicals, and books ¹	12/77	195.5	195.3	4.3	-.1	.7	.5	-.1
Sporting goods and equipment	12/77	139.1	138.8	-3.2	-.2	.0	-.9	.0
Sports vehicles, including bicycles ^{1 5}	12/77	144.0	143.5	-4.1	-.3	-.2	-.5	-.3
Sport vehicles ^{1 2}	12/77	145.2	144.9	-4.9	-.2	-.2	-.5	-.2
Bicycles ²		203.0	201.2	-.8	-.9	-.1	-.3	-.7
Other sporting goods ^{1 5}	12/77	125.8	125.8	-.1	.0	.8	-.1	.0
Indoor and warm weather sport equipment ^{1 2}	12/77	117.3	117.5	.5	.2	1.3	-.6	.2
Other sporting goods and equipment ²	12/77	132.2	132.3	.5	.1	.7	.3	.1
Toys, hobbies, and other entertainment	12/77	145.7	146.7	1.7	.7	-.1	-.1	.7
Toys, hobbies, and music equipment	12/77	138.7	140.6	.3	1.4	.0	-.7	1.4
Photographic supplies and equipment	12/77	142.7	143.3	5.0	.4	.3	.1	.6
Pet supplies and expense ¹	12/77	160.4	160.1	1.9	-.2	.1	.4	-.2
Entertainment services ¹		289.2	290.8	5.7	.6	.1	.7	.6
Fees for participant sports ^{1 3}	12/77	181.6	182.9	6.2	.7	.0	1.4	.7
Admissions ¹	12/77	170.2	171.5	4.9	.8	-.1	-.4	.8
Other entertainment services ^{1 3}	12/77	149.1	149.2	5.4	.1	.5	.2	.1
Other goods and services		353.3	354.6	5.9	.4	.6	-.1	.4
Tobacco products ¹		356.8	357.2	6.8	.1	.5	.2	.1
Cigarettes ^{1 2}		367.5	368.0	7.0	.1	.5	.1	.1
Other tobacco products and smoking accessories ²	12/77	177.5	177.0	5.0	-.3	.8	1.3	-.2
Personal care ¹		292.0	293.1	2.8	.4	.4	-.1	.4
Toilet goods and personal care appliances ¹		288.2	289.9	3.0	.6	.7	-.3	.6
Other toilet goods and small appliances, including hair and dental products ^{1 5}	12/77	188.5	169.7	3.2	.7	.8	-.6	.7
Products for the hair, hairpieces, and wigs ^{1 4}	12/77	163.0	163.9	2.6	.6	.9	.7	.6
Dental and shaving products ^{1 2}	12/77	180.0	183.5	4.5	1.9	-.4	-1.7	1.9
Other toilet goods and small personal care appliances ^{1 2}	12/77	164.8	164.1	2.4	-.4	1.8	-.8	-.4
Cosmetics, bath and nail preparations								
manicure and eye makeup implements ¹	12/77	164.7	165.4	2.7	.4	.4	.2	.4
Personal care services ¹		296.5	297.1	2.7	.2	.1	.1	.2
Beauty parlor services for females ¹		298.8	299.3	2.2	.2	.2	.1	.2
Haircuts and other barber shop services for males ¹	12/77	165.5	165.9	3.8	.2	.2	.1	.2
Personal and educational expenses		445.2	447.6	7.9	.5	.8	-.2	.6
School books and supplies		389.4	392.3	7.6	.7	.9	-.6	.9
Personal and educational services		457.8	460.2	8.0	.5	.8	-.1	.5
Tuition and other school fees	12/77	234.3	235.5	8.1	.5	.8	-.2	.6
College tuition	12/77	233.5	234.7	7.5	.5	.9	-.4	.5
Elementary and high school tuition	12/77	236.5	237.9	10.2	.6	.7	.9	.9
Personal expenses ¹	12/77	236.8	238.1	7.5	.5	.9	.6	.5
Special indexes:								
Motor fuel, motor oil, coolant and other products		269.6	262.0	-29.2	-2.8	-4.6	2.4	-2.2
Utilities and public transportation		380.6	372.6	.7	-2.1	.4	-.6	-.9
Housekeeping and home maintenance services ¹		393.8	394.5	2.1	.2	.3	.2	.2

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 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.

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—					
		Sept. 1986	Oct. 1986	3 months ending in—				6 months ending in—	
				Jan. 1986	Apr. 1986	July 1986	Oct. 1986	Apr. 1986	Oct. 1986
Housing		361.9	361.8	4.4	1.6	1.9	1.8	3.0	1.8
Shelter		406.7	408.3	5.7	7.7	2.9	4.7	6.7	3.8
Renters' costs	12/82	123.2	123.6	4.5	8.0	4.7	3.6	6.2	4.2
Rent, residential ¹		282.9	284.0	5.6	8.1	4.4	3.6	6.9	4.0
Other renters' costs		421.5	421.4	-2.8	7.0	6.8	3.7	2.0	5.2
Lodging while out of town		444.0	444.4	-5.1	3.5	6.6	4.5	-9	5.6
Lodging while at school ¹	12/82	127.8	128.4	.3	-3	.0	28.1	.0	13.2
Tenants' insurance ¹	12/77	180.9	181.5	3.8	8.5	6.2	2.5	6.1	4.3
Homeowners' costs	12/82	120.6	121.1	6.1	8.1	2.4	5.1	7.1	3.7
Owners' equivalent rent	12/82	120.6	121.1	6.1	8.1	2.0	5.5	7.1	3.7
Household insurance ¹	12/82	120.2	120.8	3.9	9.3	5.5	2.4	6.6	3.9
Maintenance and repairs ¹		376.2	379.0	12.0	-11.6	1.8	11.0	-5	6.3
Maintenance and repair services ¹		437.0	437.5	10.2	-7.2	5.3	7.1	1.1	6.2
Maintenance and repair commodities ¹		268.7	273.0	14.3	-17.0	-2.7	18.6	-2.8	6.5
Paint and wallpaper, supplies, tools, and equipment ^{1 2}	12/77	158.8	182.5	21.8	-25.7	-5.6	29.6	-4.9	10.6
Lumber, awnings, glass, and masonry ^{1 2}	12/77	130.9	131.2	-1.5	5.7	1.5	-3	2.0	.8
Plumbing, electrical, heating, and cooling supplies ^{1 2}	12/77	149.0	151.2	5.2	-8.0	7.5	2.4	-1.6	4.9
Miscellaneous supplies and equipment	12/77	145.8	145.8	3.4	-3	.5	-1.1	1.5	-3
Fuel and other utilities		381.8	377.1	3.8	-11.1	-2.4	-6.4	-4.0	-4.4
Fuels		455.3	446.0	3.4	-17.4	-6.2	-10.0	-7.6	-8.1
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas		461.8	456.5	13.2	-58.3	-36.5	-7.1	-29.7	-23.2
Fuel oil		444.8	438.4	13.5	-61.0	-41.4	-7.9	-33.5	-26.5
Other fuels ³	6/78	180.7	181.5	12.3	-22.1	-9.7	-2.6	-8.5	-6.2
Gas (piped) and electricity		445.5	435.6	1.1	-2.8	2.2	-10.6	-9	-4.4
Electricity		375.2	358.8	5.9	-3.5	9.8	-16.5	1.1	-4.2
Utility (piped) gas		540.8	545.8	-5.8	-1.8	-8.0	-1.6	-3.8	-4.8
Other utilities and public services ¹		255.6	257.1	4.3	6.6	7.0	2.4	5.5	4.7
Telephone services ¹		208.8	207.7	2.8	7.0	7.7	.8	4.9	4.2
Local charges ¹	12/77	197.3	198.8	6.1	11.2	25.1	1.4	8.6	12.7
Interstate toll calls ¹	12/77	101.2	101.2	-.4	.0	-32.1	-1.2	-.2	-18.1
Intrastate toll calls ¹	12/77	124.7	125.1	-4.7	.3	-.3	.3	-2.2	.0
Water and sewerage maintenance ¹		424.1	426.6	8.4	5.5	8.7	4.5	5.9	5.6
Cable television ¹	12/83	116.0	116.6	5.5	8.9	-.3	5.3	8.2	2.4
Refuse collection ¹	12/83	120.3	121.5	13.2	6.4	5.2	11.3	9.7	8.2
Household furnishings and operation		251.9	251.6	1.6	-1.3	3.1	1.8	.2	2.4
Housefurnishings		202.8	202.0	1.4	-3.5	4.5	1.6	-1.1	3.0
Textile housefurnishings		245.5	245.4	.2	-3.1	7.6	3.2	-1.5	5.3
Household linens ⁴	12/77	140.4	142.1	3.8	.9	1.4	2.6	2.3	2.0
Curtains, drapes, slipcovers, and sewing materials ^{1 4}	12/77	165.3	164.2	-4.9	-.5	9.9	2.2	-2.7	6.0
Furniture and bedding		234.9	235.2	7.0	-8.9	12.8	-.8	-1.3	5.8
Bedroom furniture ¹	12/77	171.6	175.6	4.7	4.6	8.0	9.1	4.6	7.6
Sofas	12/77	128.9	127.8	7.4	-2.9	6.3	8.2	2.1	7.3
Living room chairs and tables ¹	12/77	129.5	130.6	6.3	-5.1	5.8	-4.5	.5	.5
Other furniture	12/77	145.8	143.8	-1.9	-15.4	13.7	-4.9	-8.9	4.0
Appliances including TV and sound equipment ¹		139.3	138.7	-3.3	.0	-2.5	-2.0	-1.7	-2.3
Television and sound equipment ¹	12/77	92.0	91.7	-4.5	.0	-8.2	-1.3	-2.3	-4.8
Television ¹		81.4	81.4	-4.8	-.5	-7.8	-7.5	-2.5	-7.6
Sound equipment ¹	12/77	102.2	101.8	-4.9	.8	-8.6	2.8	-2.1	-3.1
Household appliances ^{1 3}		185.2	184.0	-1.9	.2	3.5	-2.6	-.9	.4
Refrigerator and home freezer ¹		192.2	191.8	3.0	-.4	-2.9	.0	1.3	-1.4
Laundry equipment ¹	12/77	150.2	150.8	-3.7	4.4	-3.7	6.9	.3	1.5
Other household appliances ^{1 3}	12/77	120.9	119.7	-3.0	-.7	7.6	-5.5	-1.8	.8
Stoves, dishwashers, vacuums, and sewing machines ^{1 3}	12/77	122.1	119.3	-11.9	5.5	11.1	-12.1	-3.6	-1.2
Office machines, small electric appliances, and air conditioners ^{1 3}	12/77	119.9	120.1	5.5	-5.8	4.5	.3	-.3	2.4

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

(1987 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group and item	Other index base	Seasonally adjusted indexes		Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for—					
		Sept. 1986	Oct. 1986	3 months ending in—				6 months ending in—	
				Jan. 1986	Apr. 1986	July 1986	Oct. 1986	Apr. 1986	Oct. 1986
Household furnishings—Continued:									
Other household equipment ¹	12/77	147.7	147.1	2.2	3.1	0.3	2.5	2.7	1.4
Floor and window coverings, infants', laundry, cleaning, and outdoor equipment ¹	12/77	156.0	158.0	1.1	10.6	1.3	2.6	5.7	2.1
Clocks, lamps, and decor items ¹	12/77	137.2	137.6	-15.5	13.6	3.6	-1.7	-2.0	1.0
Tableware, serving pieces, and nonelectric kitchenware ¹	12/77	154.7	151.6	10.8	3.2	.8	1.1	7.0	.9
Lawn equipment, power tools, and other hardware ¹	12/77	137.8	137.6	5.9	-11.2	-4.9	6.9	-3.0	1.6
Housekeeping supplies									
Laundry and cleaning products including soap ^{1,5}	12/77	321.1	320.8	1.7	-1.0	2.5	2.0	.3	2.3
Soaps and detergents ^{1,4}	12/77	168.0	168.3	10.7	1.7	-1.4	1.0	6.1	-2
Other laundry and cleaning products ^{1,4}	12/77	321.5	323.7	10.2	4.2	-3.3	1.6	7.1	-9
Household paper products and stationery supplies ^{1,6}	12/77	166.4	165.5	11.1	-1.2	1.0	.0	4.6	.5
Cleaning and toilet tissue, paper towels and napkins ^{1,4}	12/77	155.5	156.0	-1.5	-3.6	4.5	2.6	-2.7	3.6
Stationery, stationery supplies, and gift wrap ^{1,4}	12/77	161.7	162.1	-4.1	-6.3	6.0	5.6	-5.2	5.6
Other household lawn and garden supplies ¹	12/77	148.7	149.4	1.9	-1.1	3.3	-1.1	.4	1.1
Miscellaneous household products ^{1,2}	12/77	160.8	159.7	-3.5	-3	4.1	1.0	-1.9	2.6
Lawn and garden supplies ²	12/77	167.3	168.3	2.5	.7	.0	5.9	1.6	2.9
Housekeeping services ¹	12/77	152.4	148.5	-6.9	-2.1	6.6	-7.7	-4.6	.1
Postage ¹	12/77	347.6	348.5	2.0	1.8	1.4	2.2	1.9	1.8
Moving, storage, freight, household laundry, and drycleaning services ^{1,3}	12/77	371.9	371.9	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0
Appliance and furniture repair ¹	12/77	163.3	163.6	2.5	3.3	2.5	2.5	2.9	2.5
Apparel and upkeep									
Apparel commodities	12/77	209.4	209.9	.0	-1.5	-1.3	7.4	-.6	2.9
Apparel commodities less footwear	12/77	193.4	193.8	-1.4	-2.3	-2.3	8.0	-1.9	2.7
Men's and boys'	12/77	190.2	190.4	-1.5	-2.7	-2.5	8.4	-2.1	2.8
Men's	12/77	201.2	200.7	1.8	-1.8	-2.6	4.7	.0	1.0
Suits, sport coats, coats, and jackets ⁵	12/77	127.0	127.1	2.2	-1.6	-1.3	5.2	.3	1.9
Suits, sport coats, and jackets ⁴	12/77	117.0	116.3	4.0	5.0	-4.1	9.1	4.5	2.3
Coats and jackets ⁴	12/77	123.2	122.9	5.2	4.5	-3.3	15.7	4.9	5.8
Furnishings and special clothing ¹	12/77	98.6	97.1	2.4	3.6	1.2	-17.9	3.0	-8.8
Shirts	12/77	158.4	157.4	-3.7	-6.5	-2.8	12.0	-5.1	4.3
Dungarees, jeans, and trousers	12/77	134.2	134.3	-3.5	-.6	-1.5	8.1	-2.1	3.2
Boys'	12/77	116.5	116.9	4.2	-5.3	1.7	-1.7	-.7	.0
Coats, jackets, sweaters, and shirts ⁴	12/77	129.3	126.1	-2.4	-.8	-8.4	5.5	-1.5	-1.7
Furnishings ²	12/77	125.0	124.3	-4.0	-6.0	-6.3	11.0	-6.0	2.0
Suits, trousers, sport coats, and jackets ⁴	12/77	142.5	142.4	3.7	-3.6	-1.1	1.4	-.1	.1
Women's and girls'	12/77	127.2	125.2	-2.2	6.1	-11.3	1.3	1.9	-5.2
Women's	12/77	169.6	170.6	-6.4	-4.9	-4.9	14.0	-5.6	4.1
Coats and jackets	12/77	113.2	113.7	-5.5	-4.9	-4.2	12.5	-5.2	3.8
Dresses	12/77	160.7	157.5	-20.6	-17.6	-4.5	6.6	-19.3	.9
Separates and sportswear	12/77	160.6	160.5	-9.7	2.6	-6.9	21.6	-3.8	6.4
Underwear, nightwear, and hosiery	12/77	107.6	106.7	-.6	3.5	-13.9	17.0	1.3	.4
Suits	12/77	140.9	142.0	2.0	-.3	-3.3	4.0	.9	.3
Girls'	12/77	81.0	86.0	-13.7	-26.3	20.6	19.8	-21.3	20.3
Coats, jackets, dresses, and suits ⁴	12/77	112.3	111.0	-3.9	-9.7	-1.5	12.0	-6.6	5.0
Separates and sportswear ⁴	12/77	100.0	99.6	-16.6	-7.8	-14.7	29.2	-12.3	5.0
Underwear, nightwear, hosiery, and accessories ²	12/77	110.3	107.6	1.1	-13.7	7.9	6.2	-6.6	7.0
Infants' and toddlers' ¹	12/77	136.0	136.3	1.5	-4.1	-2.4	11.6	-1.3	4.4
Other apparel commodities ¹	12/77	309.7	312.0	16.6	3.5	-11.0	6.0	9.8	-2.9
Sewing materials and notions ^{1,3}	12/77	221.1	219.6	1.1	-.4	5.3	3.2	.4	4.2
Jewelry and luggage ^{1,2}	12/77	126.9	125.5	8.3	-.3	.3	-3.1	3.9	-1.4
Footwear	12/77	149.8	149.2	-1.1	-.8	7.4	5.5	-1.0	6.5
Men's	12/77	211.6	213.8	-.8	.4	-.4	6.2	-.2	2.9
Boys' and girls' ¹	12/77	142.5	142.8	8.9	-3.1	-1.4	5.2	2.7	1.8
Women's	12/77	134.6	137.3	-1.6	5.9	-.3	9.9	2.0	4.7
Apparel services	12/77	123.4	125.2	-6.9	-1.6	.0	7.3	-5.3	3.6
Laundry and dry cleaning other than coin operated	12/77	337.0	336.3	6.0	2.1	2.9	4.5	4.0	3.7
Other apparel services ¹	12/77	201.8	202.5	5.4	.8	3.7	6.2	3.1	4.9
	12/77	175.6	176.6	4.3	5.7	1.6	2.8	5.0	2.2

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—					
		Sept. 1986	Oct. 1986	3 months ending in—				6 months ending in—	
				Jan. 1986	Apr. 1986	July 1986	Oct. 1986	Apr. 1986	Oct. 1986
Transportation		302.0	302.3	6.4	-23.9	-0.5	-1.7	-10.0	-1.1
Private		293.6	294.0	6.3	-25.8	-1.1	-1.9	-11.2	-1.5
New vehicles		226.0	227.6	3.2	4.5	7.6	4.9	3.8	6.3
New cars		226.3	228.0	3.0	4.8	7.4	5.1	3.9	6.2
New trucks and motorcycles ¹	12/83	110.2	110.7	8.5	1.9	7.2	-4	5.1	3.3
Used cars		358.1	358.4	3.7	-7.4	-10.7	-6	-2.0	-5.8
Motor fuel		269.2	262.9	6.3	-70.8	-5.6	-17.1	-44.2	-11.5
Gasoline		268.7	262.3	5.9	-70.9	-4.9	-17.4	-44.5	-11.4
Gasoline, leaded regular	1/76	147.6	144.2	7.5	-73.6	-3.9	-15.9	-46.7	-10.1
Gasoline, unleaded regular	1/76	152.9	149.2	5.5	-72.2	-3.7	-18.6	-45.8	-11.5
Gasoline, unleaded premium	8/81	72.1	70.4	-1.3	-59.7	-5.2	-20.7	-36.9	-13.3
Automobile maintenance and repair		364.6	365.0	4.0	3.4	2.8	1.3	3.7	2.1
Body work ¹	12/77	185.9	186.3	2.0	3.1	4.6	.0	2.5	2.3
Automobile drive train, brake, and miscellaneous mechanical repair ¹	12/77	180.0	180.5	3.7	6.8	3.0	2.9	5.3	2.9
Maintenance and servicing ¹	12/77	163.6	164.2	1.8	.7	4.0	3.5	1.3	3.8
Power plant repair	12/77	175.8	175.4	4.0	3.0	.9	1.8	3.5	1.4
Other private transportation ¹		302.3	307.6	11.7	5.3	3.9	4.1	8.5	4.0
Other private transportation commodities ¹		200.3	198.9	1.2	-2.3	-1.2	-5.3	-6	-3.2
Motor oil, coolant, and other products ¹	12/77	155.1	154.5	-3	-1.5	.0	-4.8	-9	-2.4
Automobile parts and equipment ¹	12/77	125.9	124.9	1.3	-2.5	-1.3	-5.3	-6	-3.3
Tires ¹		168.3	166.4	-7	-3.2	-2.1	-7.8	-2.0	-5.0
Other parts and equipment ¹	12/77	135.7	135.9	6.1	-6	.3	.9	2.7	.6
Other private transportation services ¹		332.3	339.3	13.4	6.8	4.5	5.7	10.1	5.1
Automobile insurance ¹		412.7	421.8	20.5	12.4	10.6	12.5	16.4	11.5
Automobile finance charges ¹	12/77	134.0	138.5	3.7	-7.1	-17.2	-15.6	-1.8	-16.4
Automobile rental, registration, and other fees ¹	12/77	171.2	172.6	3.7	4.5	10.5	6.5	4.1	8.5
Automobile registration, license, and inspection fees ^{1 5}	12/77	158.2	158.3	.3	.5	6.6	4.1	.4	5.4
State registration ^{1 4}		221.6	221.6	.2	.0	7.4	4.5	.1	5.9
Drivers' license ^{1 2}	12/77	175.9	175.9	.9	.0	2.8	.9	.5	1.8
Automobile inspection ^{1 2}	12/77	164.8	164.8	1.2	-1.7	5.8	2.2	-.2	4.0
Other automobile related fees ¹	12/77	191.7	195.2	8.9	9.7	15.9	9.8	9.3	12.8
Public transportation ¹		426.5	428.7	6.1	2.5	5.6	.7	5.3	3.1
Airline fare ¹		490.7	491.1	2.6	-3.1	6.7	.1	-.3	3.3
Other intercity transportation ^{1 5}		222.2	221.7	20.9	8.2	4.4	-1.4	14.4	1.5
Intercity bus fare ^{1 2}		517.3	516.9	21.7	11.3	1.1	-.3	16.4	.4
Intercity train fare ^{1 2}		422.9	419.2	17.6	-4.2	19.8	-5.7	6.1	6.3
Intracity public transportation ^{1 5}		206.8	206.9	13.5	8.7	4.6	1.6	11.0	3.1
Intracity mass transit ^{1 2}		385.5	385.6	14.7	9.8	4.9	1.4	12.2	3.1
Taxi fare ^{1 2}		330.1	330.3	6.9	2.0	1.8	2.3	4.4	2.1
Medical care		440.1	442.6	6.6	9.6	7.5	7.2	8.1	7.3
Medical care commodities		277.0	277.8	6.3	7.6	7.0	4.0	6.9	5.5
Prescription drugs		283.6	284.4	7.0	9.6	10.8	5.5	8.3	8.1
Anti-infective drugs ^{1 2}	12/77	192.0	192.3	2.0	9.2	5.6	2.1	5.5	3.9
Tranquilizers and sedatives ²	12/77	264.8	265.1	5.6	17.4	10.1	6.9	11.3	8.5
Circulators and diuretics ^{1 2}	12/77	209.6	210.4	7.1	18.4	14.0	4.9	12.6	9.4
Hormones, diabetic drugs, biologicals, and prescription medical supplies ²	12/77	260.5	261.5	8.9	4.0	14.7	8.4	6.4	10.5
Pain and symptom control drugs ^{1 2}	12/77	224.9	225.0	7.5	9.3	7.6	5.9	8.4	6.7
Supplements, cough and cold preparations, and respiratory agents ²	12/77	206.6	209.1	7.0	9.5	10.6	7.4	8.3	9.0
Nonprescription drugs and medical supplies ^{1 3}	12/77	180.2	160.6	4.5	7.5	3.2	1.6	6.0	2.4
Eyeglasses ^{1 2}	12/77	150.8	151.4	.0	8.8	2.7	3.5	4.3	3.1
Internal and respiratory over-the-counter drugs ¹		297.5	297.7	6.4	5.9	3.0	1.1	8.2	2.0
Nonprescription medical equipment and supplies ¹	12/77	172.8	173.6	2.2	10.7	4.0	1.9	6.4	2.9
Medical care services		476.1	479.0	7.0	10.0	7.6	7.8	8.5	7.7
Professional services		396.5	398.4	5.7	8.3	5.1	7.5	7.0	6.3
Physicians' services		435.0	437.2	8.2	8.5	6.6	8.8	7.4	7.7
Dental services ¹		372.3	374.2	5.1	7.2	4.7	7.1	6.2	5.9
Other professional services ^{1 2}	12/77	181.1	181.5	7.8	8.4	.9	1.1	8.1	1.0
Other medical care services ²		573.0	577.0	8.0	11.5	9.7	8.1	9.7	8.9
Hospital and other medical services ²	12/77	240.6	242.3	4.8	8.1	7.7	6.3	6.4	7.0
Hospital room		760.8	765.0	6.9	8.6	5.8	5.5	7.7	5.6
Other hospital and medical care services ²	12/77	238.1	239.9	4.0	6.9	8.4	8.1	5.4	8.2

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—					
		Sept. 1986	Oct. 1986	3 months ending in—				6 months ending in—	
				Jan. 1986	Apr. 1986	July 1986	Oct. 1986	Apr. 1986	Oct. 1986
Entertainment		275.5	276.3	5.0	0.9	4.0	2.4	2.9	3.2
Entertainment commodities		265.9	266.2	3.2	-2.2	3.2	.2	.5	1.7
Reading materials ¹	12/77	184.1	184.5	4.3	4.3	3.3	3.5	4.3	3.4
Newspapers ¹		342.4	344.2	2.1	6.5	1.9	3.4	4.3	2.7
Magazines, periodicals, and books ¹	12/77	195.5	195.3	6.6	2.1	4.5	4.2	4.3	4.3
Sporting goods and equipment	12/77	138.8	138.8	-1.1	-10.0	2.0	-3.4	-5.6	-7
Sports vehicles, including bicycles ^{1 5}	12/77	144.0	143.5	-3.7	-6.1	-2.7	-4.1	-4.9	-3.4
Sport vehicles ^{1 2}	12/77	145.2	144.9	-4.1	-8.7	-2.7	-3.8	-6.5	-3.2
Bicycles ²		202.4	201.0	-1.4	5.5	-2.7	-4.4	2.0	-3.6
Other sporting goods ^{1 5}	12/77	125.8	125.8	-3	-5.9	3.3	2.9	-3.2	3.1
Indoor and warm weather sport equipment ^{1 2}	12/77	117.3	117.5	-1.7	.0	.3	3.5	-.9	1.9
Other sporting goods and equipment ²	12/77	132.2	132.3	1.2	-9.6	6.7	4.3	-4.4	5.5
Toys, hobbies, and other entertainment	12/77	145.4	146.4	3.7	-.8	1.7	1.9	1.4	1.8
Toys, hobbies, and music equipment	12/77	138.4	140.3	2.9	-4.7	.6	2.6	-1.0	1.6
Photographic supplies and equipment	12/77	142.4	143.2	6.6	4.7	4.6	4.0	5.6	4.3
Pet supplies and expense ¹	12/77	160.4	160.1	4.4	-.3	2.5	1.0	2.0	1.8
Entertainment services ¹		289.2	290.8	7.0	5.2	5.0	5.4	6.1	5.2
Fees for participant sports ^{1 3}	12/77	181.6	182.9	5.9	7.0	3.0	8.8	6.5	5.8
Admissions ¹	12/77	170.2	171.5	8.6	.5	9.9	.9	4.5	5.3
Other entertainment services ^{1 3}	12/77	149.1	149.2	8.8	6.2	3.6	3.3	7.5	3.4
Other goods and services		350.4	351.7	7.5	5.4	6.7	3.7	6.5	5.2
Tobacco products ¹		356.8	357.2	10.3	4.5	9.3	3.3	7.4	6.3
Cigarettes ^{1 2}		367.5	368.0	10.9	4.3	9.9	3.1	7.5	6.4
Other tobacco products and smoking accessories ²	12/77	178.0	177.7	4.1	2.8	5.2	8.0	3.5	6.6
Personal care ¹		292.0	293.1	4.4	3.4	.8	2.8	3.9	1.8
Toilet goods and personal care appliances ¹		288.2	289.9	5.7	3.4	-.8	4.0	4.5	1.5
Other toilet goods and small appliances, including hair and dental products ^{1 5}	12/77	168.5	169.7	7.2	3.1	-1.4	3.9	5.2	1.2
Products for the hair, hairpieces, and wigs ^{1 4}	12/77	163.0	163.9	3.3	2.8	-4.4	9.0	3.0	2.1
Dental and shaving products ^{1 2}	12/77	180.0	183.5	17.4	3.1	-.6	-.9	10.0	-.8
Other toilet goods and small personal care appliances ^{1 2}	12/77	164.8	164.1	3.0	2.8	1.7	2.2	2.9	2.0
Cosmetics, bath and nail preparations									
manicure and eye makeup implements ¹	12/77	164.7	185.4	1.8	4.5	.2	4.5	3.1	2.3
Personal care services ¹		296.5	297.1	3.6	3.2	2.3	1.8	3.4	2.1
Beauty parlor services for females ¹		298.8	299.3	1.9	3.7	1.6	1.6	2.8	1.6
Haircuts and other barber shop services for males ¹	12/77	165.5	165.9	7.2	2.2	3.5	2.2	4.7	2.8
Personal and educational expenses		434.3	436.8	8.7	8.1	9.9	5.1	8.4	7.5
School books and supplies		364.0	387.3	8.0	8.3	9.3	4.8	8.2	7.0
Personal and educational services		446.2	448.5	9.0	8.1	10.1	5.1	8.5	7.5
Tuition and other school fees	12/77	226.8	228.2	9.8	8.8	9.0	4.9	9.3	6.9
College tuition	12/77	226.5	227.6	8.8	8.4	8.8	4.0	8.6	6.4
Elementary and high school tuition	12/77	228.9	231.0	10.7	9.2	10.4	10.7	10.0	10.6
Personal expenses ¹	12/77	236.8	238.1	3.5	7.9	10.2	8.5	5.7	9.3
Special indexes:									
Motor fuel, motor oil, coolant and other products		267.7	261.7	6.3	-70.1	-5.4	-16.9	-43.6	-11.3
Utilities and public transportation		374.2	370.7	2.4	1.7	3.2	-4.6	2.1	-.8
Housekeeping and home maintenance services ¹		393.8	394.5	2.9	.7	1.9	2.8	1.8	2.3

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 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.

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 Oct. 1986 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Sept. 1986	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Sept. 1986	July to Aug.	Aug. to Sept.	Sept. to Oct.
Expenditure category								
All items	100.000	324.9	325.0	1.2	0.0	0.2	0.3	0.1
All items(1957-59 = 100)	-	377.8	378.0	-	-	-	-	-
Food and beverages	21.114	315.0	315.4	4.4	.1	.9	.3	.3
Food	19.918	322.8	323.3	4.5	.2	.9	.4	.2
Food at home	13.440	307.5	307.9	4.8	.1	1.3	.3	.3
Cereals and bakery products ¹	1.858	326.8	326.8	3.0	.0	.6	.0	.0
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	4.275	284.0	284.4	9.2	.1	3.2	.5	.5
Dairy products ¹	1.704	257.1	258.6	1.1	.6	.0	.1	.6
Fruits and vegetables	1.973	324.2	322.9	3.8	-.4	.8	1.5	.6
Other food at home	3.629	373.5	374.4	3.0	.2	.1	-.1	.0
Sugar and sweets ¹ .....	.506	413.0	412.8	2.6	.0	.2	.1	.0
Fats and oils ¹ .....	.373	285.1	284.1	-2.2	-.4	.2	-.7	-.4
Nonalcoholic beverages	1.508	475.5	477.7	4.9	.5	-.2	-.5	-.1
Other prepared foods	1.243	305.2	305.9	2.5	.2	.4	.3	.3
Food away from home	6.478	366.6	367.3	3.9	.2	.4	.5	.2
Alcoholic beverages	1.195	243.4	243.5	1.8	.0	-.1	.1	-.1
Housing	35.163	356.6	355.6	2.3	-.3	.3	.2	-.1
Shelter	20.403	395.2	397.1	5.3	.5	.3	.5	.4
Renters' costs ²	6.580	110.9	111.4	5.3	.5	.2	.4	.4
Rent, residential	5.926	282.2	283.6	5.5	.5	.1	.4	.4
Other renters' costs .....	.654	428.9	426.7	3.7	-.5	.6	.5	-.1
Homeowners' costs ²	13.273	110.0	110.5	5.4	.5	.4	.5	.4
Owners' equivalent rent ²	12.929	110.0	110.5	5.4	.5	.3	.6	.4
Household insurance ^{1, 2} .....	.344	110.4	110.8	5.3	.4	.0	.3	.4
Maintenance and repairs ¹ .....	.550	370.6	373.1	2.3	.7	1.3	-.2	.7
Maintenance and repair services ¹ .....	.259	430.7	431.1	3.3	.1	.8	.5	.1
Maintenance and repair commodities ¹ .....	.291	261.1	264.3	1.5	1.2	1.7	-.9	1.2
Fuel and other utilities	7.870	389.1	379.3	-4.3	-2.5	.2	-.6	-1.3
Fuels	5.687	467.1	449.2	-7.6	-3.8	.2	-.8	-2.1
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas	1.307	456.6	454.6	-26.4	-.4	-1.5	.7	-1.2
Gas (piped) and electricity	4.380	460.3	439.6	-2.7	-4.5	.5	-1.1	-2.3
Other utilities and public services ¹	2.183	258.2	257.8	4.9	.6	.1	-.2	.6
Household furnishings and operation	6.891	247.5	247.5	1.2	.0	.4	.3	-.2
Housefurnishings	3.590	199.4	199.3	.8	-.1	.8	.4	-.5
Housekeeping supplies	1.663	317.9	317.8	1.6	.0	.3	.3	.0
Housekeeping services ¹	1.637	349.5	350.1	1.8	.2	.2	.1	.2
Apparel and upkeep	4.970	211.0	211.9	.8	.4	.9	.7	.0
Apparel commodities	4.209	196.2	197.1	.3	.5	1.0	.8	-.1
Men's and boys' apparel	1.364	202.3	203.6	.0	.6	.1	1.0	-.1
Women's and girls' apparel	1.564	178.1	178.1	-1.1	.0	2.0	1.3	-.3
Infants' and toddlers' apparel ¹ .....	.137	326.2	329.2	4.6	.9	1.5	-.7	.9
Footwear .....	.657	212.0	215.3	1.3	1.8	.3	.0	1.1
Other apparel commodities ¹ .....	.487	209.0	207.9	2.7	-.5	1.5	-.2	-.5
Apparel services .....	.761	334.2	335.6	3.8	.4	.2	.5	.3

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 Oct. 1986 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Sept. 1986	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Sept. 1988	July to Aug.	Aug. to Sept.	Sept. to Oct.
		Expenditure category						
Transportation	23.840	301.8	302.2	-6.2	0.1	-1.0	0.4	0.1
Private transportation	22.466	295.3	295.7	-6.9	.1	-1.1	.4	.1
New vehicles	4.022	223.3	225.7	4.8	1.1	.4	.2	.7
New cars	3.430	223.7	226.3	5.0	1.2	.2	.2	.8
Used cars	5.495	359.5	360.6	-3.9	.3	-.4	.2	.1
Motor fuel	6.191	271.9	264.0	-29.8	-2.9	-4.7	2.5	-2.3
Gasoline		271.4	263.4	-29.9	-2.9	-4.7	2.5	-2.4
Maintenance and repair	1.839	366.6	367.2	2.9	.2	.1	.1	.0
Other private transportation ¹	4.918	299.7	305.2	5.5	1.8	-.1	-.8	1.8
Other private transportation commodities ¹ .....	.697	202.7	201.1	-1.9	-.8	.1	-.6	-.8
Other private transportation services ¹	4.221	328.1	335.4	6.8	2.2	-.1	-.8	2.2
Public transportation ¹	1.375	418.8	418.9	4.9	.0	.1	.1	.0
Medical care	5.737	437.1	439.7	7.6	.6	.5	.6	.6
Medical care commodities .....	.961	275.8	276.6	6.0	.3	.2	.4	.3
Medical care services	4.776	472.6	475.6	7.9	.6	.6	.6	.6
Professional services	2.337	396.6	398.4	6.6	.5	.4	.8	.6
Other medical care services ³	2.439	568.1	572.7	9.2	.8	.7	.5	.7
Entertainment	3.894	270.0	271.1	3.1	.4	.1	.2	.4
Entertainment commodities	2.392	259.8	260.6	1.4	.3	.2	-.2	.2
Entertainment services ¹	1.502	288.9	290.7	5.9	.6	.1	.8	.6
Other goods and services	5.282	347.5	348.8	5.7	.4	.6	-.1	.4
Tobacco products ¹	1.835	356.5	356.8	6.8	.1	.5	.2	.1
Personal care ¹	1.892	289.5	290.8	2.9	.4	.4	-.1	.4
Toilet goods and personal care appliances ¹ .....	.928	288.7	290.5	3.0	.6	.7	-.3	.6
Personal care services ¹ .....	.964	290.6	291.6	2.8	.3	.1	.1	.3
Personal and educational expenses	1.554	446.1	448.7	7.7	.6	.8	-.3	.8
School books and supplies .....	.224	393.9	396.7	7.4	.7	1.0	-.6	.9
Personal and educational services	1.331	458.7	461.3	7.8	.6	.7	-.2	.8
		Commodity and service group						
All items	100.000	324.9	325.0	1.2	0.0	0.2	0.3	0.1
Commodities	54.919	282.6	282.6	-1.7	.0	.1	.5	.0
Food and beverages	21.114	315.0	315.4	4.4	.1	.9	.3	.3
Commodities less food and beverages	33.805	261.5	261.1	-5.6	-.2	-.4	.5	-.3
Nondurables less food and beverages ¹	19.735	261.5	260.2	-9.3	-.5	-.8	1.3	-.5
Apparel commodities	4.209	196.2	197.1	.3	.5	1.0	.8	-.1
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel ¹	15.525	298.4	296.0	-12.0	-.8	-1.7	.8	-.8
Durables	14.070	263.0	264.0	-.2	.4	-.3	.3	.3
Services	45.081	400.4	401.0	4.7	.1	.3	.2	.3
Rent of shelter ^{1 2}	19.446	110.3	110.8	5.4	.5	.4	.6	.5
Household services less rent of shelter ^{1 2}	8.866	106.0	103.8	.5	-2.1	.4	-.4	-2.1
Transportation services	7.435	349.2	353.8	5.5	1.3	.0	-.5	1.3
Medical care services	4.776	472.6	475.6	7.9	.6	.6	.6	.6
Other services	4.558	332.2	333.8	5.4	.5	.3	.3	.5

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Relative importance, December 1985	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Oct. 1986 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Sept. 1986	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Sept. 1986	July to Aug.	Aug. to Sept.	Sept. to Oct.
		Commodity and service group						
Special indexes:								
All items less food	80.082	323.9	324.0	0.3	0.0	0.0	0.3	0.1
All items less shelter	79.597	305.9	305.7	.1	-.1	.1	.3	.0
All items less homeowners' costs ²	86.727	103.2	103.2	.6	.0	.2	.2	.1
All items less medical care	94.263	319.3	319.3	.8	.0	.2	.3	.1
Commodities less food	35.000	260.3	260.0	-5.3	-.1	-.4	.5	-.2
Nondurables less food ¹	20.930	259.1	257.8	-8.7	-.5	-.7	1.3	-.5
Nondurables less food and apparel ¹	16.721	289.6	287.4	-11.0	-.8	-1.5	.8	-.8
Nondurables	40.848	269.5	269.0	-2.3	-.2	.1	.6	-.1
Services less rent of shelter ^{1 2}	25.635	108.3	108.2	4.1	-.1	.3	.2	-.1
Services less medical care ¹	40.305	390.3	390.6	4.3	.1	.3	.3	.1
Energy	11.878	356.9	344.8	-19.2	-3.4	-2.0	.7	-2.2
All items less energy	88.122	323.9	325.3	3.9	.4	.4	.3	.4
All items less food and energy	68.204	322.7	324.4	3.7	.5	.2	.2	.4
Commodities less food and energy	27.503	260.9	261.7	1.1	.3	.3	.2	.1
Energy commodities	7.498	298.2	290.9	-29.3	-2.4	-4.2	2.2	-2.1
Services less energy	40.701	395.7	398.2	5.5	.6	.2	.3	.6
Purchasing power of the consumer dollar:								
1967 = \$1.00 ¹	-	\$.308	\$.308	-1.0	.0	-.3	-.3	.0
1957-59 = \$1.00 ¹	-	.265	.265	-	-	-	-	-

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—					
	July 1986	Aug. 1986	Sept. 1986	Oct. 1986	3 months ending in—				6 months ending in—	
					Jan. 1986	Apr. 1986	July 1986	Oct. 1986	Apr. 1986	Oct. 1986
Expenditure category										
All items	-	-	-	-	5.3	-5.4	2.5	2.5	-0.2	2.5
Food and beverages	311.8	314.8	315.7	316.5	5.7	-6	6.3	6.2	2.5	6.2
Food	319.4	322.4	323.7	324.5	5.5	-6	6.5	6.5	2.4	6.5
Food at home	303.7	307.5	308.5	309.5	7.4	-3.0	7.4	7.9	2.0	7.7
Cereals and bakery products ¹	324.6	326.7	326.8	326.8	4.0	.6	4.7	2.7	2.3	3.7
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	274.6	283.3	284.8	286.1	9.3	-9.5	22.0	17.8	-5	19.9
Dairy products ¹	257.0	256.9	257.1	258.6	.2	-8	2.4	2.5	-3	2.4
Fruits and vegetables	320.5	323.0	327.8	329.8	22.0	-15.2	.0	12.1	1.7	5.9
Other food at home	374.4	374.6	374.1	374.1	3.1	9.6	.1	-3	6.3	-1
Sugar and sweets ¹	411.9	412.6	413.0	412.8	2.5	6.3	1.0	.9	4.4	.9
Fats and oils ¹	286.6	287.1	285.1	284.1	1.4	-5.1	-1.7	-3.4	-1.9	-2.6
Nonalcoholic beverages	481.0	479.6	477.4	476.7	4.8	22.0	-2.1	-3.5	13.1	-2.8
Other prepared foods	303.1	304.2	305.2	306.2	1.3	1.3	3.2	4.2	1.3	3.7
Food away from home	363.8	365.2	367.0	367.7	2.7	4.1	4.5	4.4	3.4	4.4
Alcoholic beverages	243.2	243.0	243.2	243.0	4.4	.5	2.7	-3	2.4	1.2
Housing	353.2	354.1	354.9	354.6	4.6	1.5	1.7	1.6	3.0	1.7
Shelter	391.6	392.6	394.5	396.1	6.0	7.8	3.0	4.7	6.9	3.8
Renters' costs ²	110.0	110.2	110.6	111.0	5.0	8.1	4.5	3.7	6.6	4.1
Rent, residential	280.6	280.8	281.9	283.0	5.8	8.2	4.4	3.5	7.0	3.9
Other renters' costs	417.5	419.8	421.7	421.2	-1.9	7.3	5.9	3.6	2.6	4.7
Homeowners' costs ²	108.9	109.3	109.9	110.3	6.3	8.1	2.2	5.2	7.2	3.7
Owners' equivalent rent ²	108.9	109.2	109.9	110.3	6.3	8.1	2.2	5.2	7.2	3.7
Household insurance ^{1,2}	110.1	110.1	110.4	110.8	4.2	8.5	6.0	2.6	6.4	4.3
Maintenance and repairs ¹	366.7	371.5	370.6	373.1	9.8	-8.9	2.3	7.2	.0	4.7
Maintenance and repair services ¹	425.2	428.6	430.7	431.1	8.7	-6.4	5.8	5.7	.9	5.8
Maintenance and repair commodities ¹	259.0	263.5	281.1	264.3	10.7	-11.2	-6	8.4	-8	3.8
Fuel and other utilities	384.0	384.6	382.3	377.4	3.7	-11.3	-2.6	-6.7	-4.1	-4.7
Fuels	457.5	458.3	454.6	445.2	3.8	-17.4	-6.3	-10.3	-7.4	-8.3
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas	468.5	461.3	464.5	458.9	12.9	-55.7	-36.4	-7.9	-29.3	-23.5
Gas (piped) and electricity	446.8	449.2	444.4	434.2	1.5	-3.0	2.0	-10.8	-8	-4.6
Other utilities and public services ¹	256.3	256.6	256.2	257.8	4.3	6.3	6.8	2.4	5.3	4.6
Household furnishings and operation	246.5	247.5	248.2	247.7	2.1	-1.3	2.5	2.0	.4	2.2
Housefurnishings	198.2	199.3	200.0	199.1	1.6	-3.2	3.1	1.8	-8	2.5
Housekeeping supplies	316.8	317.9	318.9	318.8	2.4	-1	1.8	2.5	1.2	2.2
Housekeeping services ¹	348.4	349.1	349.5	350.1	2.0	1.7	1.5	2.0	1.9	1.7
Apparel and upkeep	205.0	206.6	208.3	208.3	1.4	-3.1	-1.0	6.6	-9	2.7
Apparel commodities	189.7	191.6	193.1	193.0	.0	-3.9	-1.9	7.1	-2.0	2.5
Men's and boys' apparel	198.2	196.3	200.3	200.0	1.6	-3.0	-2.2	3.7	-7	.7
Women's and girls' apparel	166.6	170.0	172.2	171.6	-3.6	-6.3	-3.5	12.6	-6.0	4.2
Infants' and toddlers' apparel ¹	323.7	328.6	326.2	329.2	24.8	-1.7	-8.9	7.0	10.8	-1.3
Footwear	210.9	211.6	211.6	214.0	-2	.6	-1.1	6.0	.2	2.4
Other apparel commodities ¹	208.5	209.5	209.0	207.9	2.2	1.2	4.8	2.7	1.7	3.8
Apparel services	332.5	333.0	334.5	335.6	6.1	2.0	3.7	3.8	4.0	3.7

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—					
	July 1986	Aug. 1986	Sept. 1986	Oct. 1986	3 months ending in—				6 months ending in—	
					Jan. 1986	Apr. 1986	July 1986	Oct. 1986	Apr. 1986	Oct. 1986
	Expenditure category									
Transportation	303.2	300.2	301.3	301.6	6.2	-24.7	-1.2	-2.1	-10.6	-1.6
Private transportation	296.9	293.7	294.9	295.2	6.1	-26.4	-1.6	-2.3	-11.6	-1.9
New vehicles	223.9	224.7	225.1	226.6	3.4	3.9	7.3	4.9	3.6	6.1
New cars	224.6	225.0	225.5	227.2	3.0	4.7	7.8	4.7	3.8	6.3
Used cars	358.9	357.3	358.1	358.4	3.7	-7.4	-10.7	-.6	-2.0	-5.8
Motor fuel	276.5	263.5	270.0	263.7	6.8	-71.2	-5.0	-17.3	-44.5	-11.4
Gasoline	275.8	262.9	269.5	263.1	6.4	-71.4	-4.6	-17.2	-44.8	-11.1
Maintenance and repair	365.7	366.1	366.6	366.5	4.1	3.1	3.5	.9	3.6	2.2
Other private transportation ¹	302.4	302.2	299.7	305.2	11.1	4.8	2.7	3.8	7.9	3.2
Other private transportation commodities ¹	203.8	204.0	202.7	201.1	1.2	-1.9	-1.6	-5.2	-.4	-3.4
Other private transportation services ¹	331.2	330.9	328.1	335.4	12.8	6.1	3.3	5.2	9.4	4.2
Public transportation ¹	418.0	418.4	416.6	418.9	9.6	4.4	4.9	.9	7.0	2.9
Medical care	432.6	434.9	437.5	440.0	6.4	9.4	7.7	7.0	7.9	7.3
Medical care commodities	274.3	274.9	276.1	276.9	5.8	7.8	6.7	3.8	6.8	5.3
Medical care services	467.4	470.1	473.1	476.1	6.7	9.7	7.9	7.7	8.2	7.8
Professional services	392.3	394.0	397.0	399.2	5.5	7.9	6.0	7.2	6.7	6.6
Other medical care services ³	562.4	566.4	569.2	573.3	7.8	11.5	9.7	8.0	9.6	8.9
Entertainment	269.3	269.6	270.1	271.1	5.6	.8	4.0	2.7	3.1	3.3
Entertainment commodities	259.6	260.1	259.5	260.1	3.3	-1.5	3.1	.8	.9	2.0
Entertainment services ¹	266.5	266.7	268.9	290.7	8.1	4.4	5.0	6.0	6.2	5.5
Other goods and services	343.7	345.6	345.3	346.8	7.9	5.0	6.3	3.7	6.4	5.0
Tobacco products ¹	354.0	355.9	356.5	356.8	10.4	4.3	9.6	3.2	7.3	6.3
Personal care ¹	288.8	289.9	289.5	290.8	4.6	3.3	.8	2.8	3.9	1.8
Toilet goods and personal care appliances ¹	287.8	289.7	288.7	290.5	5.6	3.5	-.8	3.8	4.6	1.5
Personal care services ¹	290.2	290.5	290.8	291.6	3.9	2.8	2.5	1.9	3.3	2.2
Personal and educational expenses	433.5	436.8	435.6	439.0	8.7	7.9	9.4	5.2	8.3	7.3
School books and supplies	387.1	390.8	388.5	392.0	7.6	8.4	8.7	5.2	8.0	6.9
Personal and educational services	444.8	448.1	447.1	450.5	8.7	7.8	9.5	5.2	8.3	7.4
	Commodity and service group									
All items	-	-	-	-	5.3	-5.4	2.5	2.5	-0.2	2.5
Commodities	280.8	281.1	282.4	282.3	5.0	-13.9	1.3	2.2	-5.0	1.7
Food and beverages	311.8	314.6	315.7	316.5	5.7	-.6	6.3	6.2	2.5	6.2
Commodities less food and beverages	260.4	259.3	260.7	260.0	4.4	-21.7	-2.0	-.6	-9.6	-1.3
Nondurables less food and beverages ¹	260.1	258.1	261.5	260.2	-.1	-30.5	-2.9	.2	-16.7	-1.4
Apparel commodities	189.7	191.6	193.1	193.0	.0	-3.9	-1.9	7.1	-2.0	2.5
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel ¹	301.0	295.9	298.4	298.0	3.7	-37.8	-.8	-6.5	-19.7	-3.7
Durables	262.7	261.8	262.5	263.2	4.3	-4.1	-1.4	.8	.0	-.3
Services	397.0	398.0	398.6	399.9	5.7	6.0	3.9	3.0	5.8	3.4
Rent of shelter ^{1 2}	109.2	109.6	110.3	110.8	5.0	7.3	3.4	6.0	6.2	4.7
Household services less rent of shelter ^{1 2}	106.0	106.4	106.0	103.8	-2.7	.4	13.5	-8.0	-1.2	2.2
Transportation services	350.6	350.6	349.0	353.4	9.9	4.9	3.7	3.2	7.3	3.5
Medical care services	467.4	470.1	473.1	476.1	6.7	9.7	7.9	7.7	8.2	7.8
Other services	328.1	329.0	329.9	331.7	7.0	4.7	5.5	4.5	5.9	5.0

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—					
	July 1986	Aug. 1986	Sept. 1986	Oct. 1986	3 months ending in—				6 months ending in—	
					Jan. 1986	Apr. 1986	July 1986	Oct. 1986	Apr. 1986	Oct. 1986
Commodity and service group										
Special indexes:										
All items less food	321.6	321.6	322.5	322.8	5.3	-6.6	1.5	1.5	-0.8	1.5
All items less shelter	303.7	304.1	305.0	305.1	5.1	-8.5	2.4	1.9	-2.0	2.1
All items less homeowners' costs ²	102.5	102.7	102.9	103.0	5.2	-7.5	2.8	2.0	-1.4	2.4
All items less medical care	316.9	317.4	318.3	318.6	5.4	-6.2	2.2	2.2	-.6	2.2
Commodities less food	259.4	258.3	259.6	259.0	4.2	-21.0	-1.7	-.6	-9.3	-1.1
Nondurables less food ¹	257.7	255.8	259.1	257.8	-.1	-28.7	-2.6	.2	-15.6	-1.2
Nondurables less food and apparel ¹	291.8	287.3	289.6	287.4	3.5	-35.4	-.5	-5.9	-18.2	-3.3
Nondurables	287.2	287.5	289.2	289.0	5.2	-17.7	2.5	2.5	-6.9	2.5
Services less rent of shelter ^{1 2}	107.8	108.1	108.3	108.2	3.9	3.9	7.4	1.5	3.9	4.4
Services less medical care ¹	387.9	389.0	390.3	390.6	4.0	4.8	5.5	2.8	4.4	4.2
Energy	356.3	349.0	351.3	343.6	5.2	-50.5	-5.6	-13.5	-27.9	-9.7
All items less energy	321.4	322.8	323.7	324.9	5.4	2.6	3.4	4.4	3.9	3.9
All items less food and energy	320.7	321.5	322.3	323.6	5.2	3.5	2.7	3.7	4.3	3.2
Commodities less food and energy	259.3	260.1	260.7	261.0	3.6	-1.5	.3	2.6	1.0	1.5
Energy commodities	303.7	291.0	297.3	291.0	7.4	-68.9	-11.5	-15.7	-42.2	-13.6
Services less energy	393.5	394.4	395.5	397.8	6.4	7.0	4.2	4.4	6.7	4.3

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 Oct. 1986 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Sept. 1986	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Sept. 1986	July to Aug.	Aug. to Sept.	Sept. to Oct.
Food and beverages		315.0	315.4	4.4	0.1	0.9	0.3	0.3
Food		322.8	323.3	4.5	.2	.9	.4	.2
Food at home		307.5	307.9	4.8	.1	1.3	.3	.3
Cereals and bakery products ¹		326.8	326.8	3.0	.0	.6	.0	.0
Cereal and cereal products	12/77	176.7	175.6	2.7	-.6	.7	.5	.0
Flour and prepared flour mixes	12/77	153.0	151.6	.5	-.9	-.3	.1	.1
Cereal ¹	12/77	211.9	211.3	6.0	-.3	1.3	.9	-.3
Rice, pasta, and cornmeal ¹	12/77	152.2	150.5	-1.1	-1.1	-.1	-.5	-1.1
Bakery products ¹	12/77	171.7	172.0	3.1	.2	.6	.1	.2
White bread ¹		270.2	269.3	2.2	-.3	.6	.1	-.3
Fresh other breads, biscuits, rolls, and muffins ^{1 2}	12/77	164.8	165.4	2.7	.4	1.5	.1	.4
Other bread ^{1 3}	12/77	167.7	168.4	3.4	.4	.0	1.0	.4
Fresh biscuits, rolls, and muffins ^{1 3}	12/77	162.0	162.6	2.1	.4	3.0	-.9	.4
Cookies, fresh cakes and cupcakes ^{1 2}	12/77	179.2	179.5	3.1	.2	.7	.3	.2
Fresh cakes and cupcakes ^{1 3}	12/77	172.9	174.7	3.2	1.0	.3	.0	1.0
Cookies ³	12/77	185.2	184.1	3.0	-.6	.6	1.3	-.7
Other bakery products ^{1 2}	12/77	178.3	179.4	4.2	.6	.0	-.2	.6
Crackers and bread and cracker products ^{1 3}	12/77	180.1	181.6	3.2	.8	-.8	-.1	.8
Fresh sweetrolls, coffeecake, and donuts ^{1 3}	12/77	178.2	179.4	5.1	.7	.2	.5	.7
Frozen and refrigerated bakery products and fresh pies, tarts, and turnovers ^{1 3}	12/77	176.7	177.5	3.9	.5	.4	-1.2	.5
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs		284.0	284.4	9.2	.1	3.2	.5	.5
Meats, poultry, and fish		291.8	292.3	9.8	.2	2.8	.9	.5
Meats		283.3	283.8	8.8	.2	2.7	1.6	.6
Beef and veal		273.2	274.9	4.1	.6	2.2	.9	1.0
Ground beef other than canned		247.8	250.7	2.7	1.2	2.2	.6	2.4
Chuck roast		276.2	284.3	4.8	2.9	4.5	.5	3.8
Round roast		231.3	237.1	4.4	2.5	1.1	2.5	1.5
Round steak		252.7	256.4	6.0	1.5	3.7	3.0	1.4
Sirloin steak		293.0	282.0	4.9	-3.8	2.0	-.2	1.9
Other beef and veal	12/77	172.9	172.4	4.3	-.3	1.9	1.3	.8
Pork		296.7	296.8	19.3	-.6	4.2	2.5	-.1
Bacon		341.2	327.6	18.7	-4.0	9.7	3.0	-3.2
Chops		279.7	272.4	19.7	-2.6	2.0	1.9	-.5
Ham ²	12/77	133.4	139.4	20.2	4.5	5.3	2.2	3.6
Ham other than canned ³	12/77	136.3	142.9	25.9	4.8	6.4	2.0	4.1
Canned ham ³		265.9	276.6	9.8	4.0	2.3	2.2	3.5
Other pork including sausage ^{1 2}	12/77	162.1	160.1	18.7	-1.2	3.4	3.2	-1.2
Other pork ³	12/77	162.0	157.0	18.8	-3.1	2.3	2.8	-.2
Sausage ^{1 3}		363.4	367.5	18.5	1.1	3.5	4.0	1.1
Other meats ¹		281.8	282.9	5.1	.4	1.5	1.6	.4
Frankfurters ^{1 3}		275.6	279.2	4.8	1.3	2.5	1.7	1.3
Bologna, liverwurst, and salami ^{1 3}	12/77	167.4	166.9	7.1	-.3	2.2	2.3	-.3
Other lunchmeats ^{1 3}	12/77	142.5	143.7	4.7	.8	1.2	1.4	.8
Lamb and organ meats ^{1 3}	12/77	148.6	147.0	3.4	-1.1	-.1	1.3	-1.1
Poultry ¹		247.1	245.0	15.6	-.8	6.2	-2.2	-.8
Fresh whole chicken ¹		254.3	253.3	21.7	-.4	8.7	-5.3	-.4
Fresh and frozen chicken parts ¹	12/77	165.9	160.3	16.9	-3.4	7.0	-1.5	-3.4
Other poultry ¹	12/77	145.2	148.0	5.0	1.9	.8	2.8	1.9
Fish and seafood		445.1	450.3	10.9	1.2	.1	-.3	1.6
Canned fish and seafood ¹	12/77	132.8	135.3	1.8	1.9	-1.1	.3	1.9
Fresh and frozen fish and seafood	12/77	192.2	193.9	15.3	.9	.5	-.9	1.2
Eggs		186.8	186.8	-.8	.0	10.8	-7.8	-1.0

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 Oct. 1986 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Sept. 1986	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Sept. 1986	July to Aug.	Aug. to Sept.	Sept. to Oct.
Dairy products ¹		257.1	258.6	1.1	0.6	0.0	0.1	0.6
Fresh milk and cream	12/77	137.5	136.6	.7	.6	.1	-.4	.8
Fresh whole milk		224.6	226.3	.5	.8	-.1	-.4	.8
Other fresh milk and cream ¹	12/77	138.6	139.7	1.0	.8	.2	-.3	.8
Processed dairy products ¹	12/77	157.2	157.8	1.6	.4	-.3	.7	.4
Cheese ¹	12/77	151.8	152.0	.5	.1	-.1	.1	.1
Ice cream and related products ¹	12/77	164.7	165.4	2.0	.4	-.7	1.5	.4
Other dairy products including butter ^{1 2}	12/77	160.5	161.4	3.1	.6	-.1	1.1	.6
Other dairy products ^{1 3}	12/77	160.1	161.3	4.0	.7	-.7	.3	.7
Butter ^{1 3}		269.9	271.0	2.0	.4	.8	1.9	.4
Fruits and vegetables		324.2	322.9	3.8	-.4	.8	1.5	.6
Fresh fruits and vegetables		344.0	342.1	9.2	-.6	1.5	2.9	1.1
Fresh fruits		371.7	360.1	4.7	-3.1	2.9	-.7	.9
Apples		440.4	346.6	12.0	-21.3	13.5	-6.1	-11.5
Bananas		269.2	263.4	10.0	-2.2	-1.1	5.5	1.9
Oranges		379.9	386.6	-.8	2.3	-4.2	.1	7.9
Other fresh fruits	12/77	187.4	197.8	3.1	5.5	-2.2	2.7	5.6
Fresh vegetables		319.2	326.0	13.9	2.1	1.8	5.3	1.7
Potatoes		329.3	314.0	24.0	-4.6	6.3	11.3	1.0
Lettuce ¹		340.7	333.3	-.2	-2.2	1.3	12.4	-2.2
Tomatoes ¹		242.3	291.1	22.9	20.1	-4.6	-2.1	20.1
Other fresh vegetables	12/77	180.6	186.4	13.7	3.2	5.3	3.8	-.2
Processed fruits and vegetables ¹		304.8	304.1	-2.3	-.2	.2	-.7	-.2
Processed fruits	12/77	161.6	161.7	-3.9	.1	.4	.1	.4
Fruit juices and frozen fruit ²	12/77	159.7	159.9	-6.1	.1	.4	.4	.2
Frozen fruit and fruit juices ³	12/77	146.9	146.8	-14.2	-.1	.2	.3	-.1
Fruit juices other than frozen ³	12/77	168.8	169.3	.1	.3	1.1	.1	.6
Canned and dried fruits ¹	12/77	165.8	165.7	.6	-.1	.5	-.2	-.1
Processed vegetables ¹	12/77	145.7	145.0	-.8	-.5	.1	-1.1	-.5
Frozen vegetables ¹	12/77	164.6	164.3	.2	-.2	-.2	-.1	-.2
Other processed vegetables ^{1 2}	12/77	139.7	138.9	-1.2	-.8	.2	-1.4	-.6
Cut corn and canned beans except lima ^{1 3}	12/77	145.3	144.3	-1.1	-.7	.6	-2.0	-.7
Other canned and dried vegetables ^{1 3}	12/77	136.8	136.1	-1.3	-.5	.1	-1.2	-.5
Other foods at home		373.5	374.4	3.0	.2	.1	-.1	.0
Sugar and sweets ¹		413.0	412.8	2.6	.0	.2	.1	.0
Sugar and artificial sweeteners ¹	12/77	172.0	170.7	-1.1	-.8	-.2	.2	-.8
Sweets including candy ²	12/77	172.4	172.8	4.1	.2	.5	.2	.5
Candy and chewing gum ³	12/77	173.2	173.7	3.9	.3	.5	-.2	.7
Other sweets ^{1 3}	12/77	170.5	170.7	4.5	.1	.4	.9	.1
Fats and oils ¹		285.1	284.1	-2.2	-.4	.2	-.7	-.4
Margarine ^{1 3}		289.0	286.3	-3.1	-.9	-1.3	.1	-.9
Nondairy substitutes and peanut butter ^{1 3}	12/77	160.8	162.8	3.6	1.2	.6	-.4	1.2
Other fats, oils, and salad dressings ^{1 3}	12/77	144.1	143.0	-4.2	-.8	.8	-1.2	-.8
Nonalcoholic beverages		475.5	477.7	4.9	.5	-.2	-.5	-.1
Carbonated drinks ²	12/77	154.1	155.0	.9	.6	.5	.1	-.3
Cola drinks, excluding diet cola ³		321.9	323.9	1.2	.6	1.2	.4	-.1
Carbonated drinks, including diet cola ³	12/77	149.7	150.6	.8	.6	-1.1	.1	-.1
Coffee ^{1 4}		480.6	478.5	22.4	-.4	-2.6	-2.8	-.4
Roasted coffee ^{1 3}		470.8	466.4	25.6	-.9	-3.5	-3.4	-.9
Freeze dried and instant coffee ^{1 3}		451.5	451.9	19.0	.1	-1.6	-2.1	.1
Other noncarbonated drinks	12/77	155.7	157.3	1.3	1.0	.2	-.6	.8
Other prepared foods		305.2	305.9	2.5	.2	.4	.3	.3
Canned and packaged soup	12/77	160.8	159.8	2.9	-.6	-.2	1.3	-.1
Frozen prepared foods ¹	12/77	171.1	171.1	1.9	.0	1.5	-.3	.0
Snacks ¹	12/77	179.2	181.0	4.1	1.0	.9	-.3	1.0
Seasonings, condiments, sauces and spices ²	12/77	172.8	172.7	2.6	-.1	.1	.9	.2
Seasonings, olives, pickles, and relish ³	12/77	173.5	174.8	3.3	.7	.1	1.8	.5
Other condiments ³	12/77	172.4	171.4	2.2	-.6	.0	.5	-.2
Other prepared foods, including								
miscellaneous and baby food ^{1 2}	12/77	160.7	161.4	1.8	.4	.1	.1	.4
Miscellaneous prepared foods ^{1 3}	12/77	166.0	167.2	3.5	.7	.5	.1	.7
Other canned and packaged prepared foods ³	12/77	155.4	155.5	-.1	.1	-.3	.1	.6

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 Oct. 1966 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Sept. 1966	Oct. 1966	Oct. 1965	Sept. 1966	July to Aug.	Aug. to Sept.	Sept. to Oct.
Food away from home		366.6	367.3	3.9	0.2	0.4	0.5	0.2
Lunch	12/77	176.4	177.3	3.9	.5	.2	.2	.5
Dinner	12/77	176.6	177.0	3.3	.2	.3	.4	.3
Other meals and snacks	12/77	181.3	180.7	4.9	-.3	.3	.7	-.2
Alcoholic beverages		243.4	243.5	1.8	.0	-.1	.1	-.1
Alcoholic beverages at home	12/77	154.1	154.1	1.0	.0	-.2	.1	-.5
Beer and ale		239.7	239.5	1.4	-.1	-.2	.4	.0
Wine ¹		249.0	249.0	1.2	.0	-.2	-.2	.0
Distilled spirits ^{1 2}	12/77	142.0	142.1	.1	.1	-.1	.1	.1
Other alcoholic beverages ^{1 3}	12/77	139.2	139.8	1.2	.4	-.4	.4	.4
Whiskey ^{1 3}		170.5	170.4	-.5	-.1	.1	.0	-.1
Alcoholic beverages away from home	12/77	178.0	178.4	5.3	.2	.1	.3	.2
Special indexes:								
Domestically produced farm food		291.6	291.7	4.8	.0	1.4	.7	.4
Selected beef cuts ¹		273.3	275.2	4.2	.7	1.4	.5	.7
Imported food and fishery products ³	12/77	151.9	152.6	5.7	.5	-.1	-.3	.5

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—					
		Sept. 1986	Oct. 1986	3 months ending in—				6 months ending in—	
				Jan. 1986	Apr. 1986	July 1986	Oct. 1986	Apr. 1986	Oct. 1986
Food and beverages		315.7	316.5	5.7	-0.6	6.3	6.2	2.5	6.2
Food		323.7	324.5	5.5	-6	6.5	6.5	2.4	6.5
Food at home		306.5	309.5	7.4	-3.0	7.4	7.9	2.0	7.7
Cereals and bakery products ¹		326.6	326.6	4.0	.6	4.7	2.7	2.3	3.7
Cereal and cereal products	12/77	176.5	176.5	5.0	-5	1.6	4.9	2.2	3.2
Flour and prepared flour mixes	12/77	152.1	152.2	.8	.0	1.3	-.3	.4	.5
Cereal ¹	12/77	211.9	211.3	6.7	4.0	4.0	7.5	6.3	5.7
Rice, pasta, and cornmeal ¹	12/77	152.2	150.5	2.4	1.6	-1.3	-6.6	2.0	-4.0
Bakery products ¹	12/77	171.7	172.0	3.6	.0	5.1	3.6	1.6	4.3
White bread ¹		270.2	269.3	4.6	-2	3.0	1.3	2.2	2.2
Fresh other breads, biscuits, rolls, and muffins ^{1 2}	12/77	164.8	165.4	.2	.0	3.0	7.9	.1	5.4
Other bread ^{1 3}	12/77	167.7	168.4	3.0	1.0	3.7	5.9	2.0	4.8
Fresh biscuits, rolls, and muffins ^{1 3}	12/77	162.0	162.6	-2.0	-1.0	2.0	9.9	-1.5	5.9
Cookies, fresh cakes and cupcakes ^{1 2}	12/77	179.2	179.5	1.4	-1.1	7.3	5.1	.1	6.2
Fresh cakes and cupcakes ^{1 3}	12/77	172.9	174.7	1.7	-7	6.3	5.7	.5	6.0
Cookies ³	12/77	165.8	184.5	-4	-1.8	9.8	4.9	-1.1	7.3
Other bakery products ^{1 2}	12/77	178.3	179.4	6.9	1.8	6.8	1.6	4.3	4.1
Crackers and bread and cracker products ^{1 3}	12/77	180.1	161.6	.7	2.5	10.3	-2	1.6	4.9
Fresh sweetrolls, coffeecake, and donuts ^{1 3}	12/77	178.2	179.4	16.6	-3.3	2.5	5.5	6.2	4.0
Frozen and refrigerated bakery products and fresh pies, tarts, and turnovers ^{1 3}	12/77	176.7	177.5	-2	8.0	9.8	-1.6	3.8	3.9
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs		264.8	266.1	9.3	-9.5	22.0	17.8	-.5	19.9
Meats, poultry, and fish		292.7	294.3	10.0	-9.4	22.4	18.5	-.1	20.4
Meats		284.4	286.0	8.0	-10.6	19.5	21.2	-1.7	20.4
Beef and veal		277.9	280.8	7.2	-16.4	11.1	18.2	-5.3	14.6
Ground beef other than canned		249.8	255.8	9.5	-17.3	-.2	22.8	-4.8	10.7
Chuck roast		280.7	291.3	11.6	-29.3	8.8	41.0	-11.2	23.9
Round roast		239.7	243.4	9.8	-24.1	16.6	22.4	-6.7	19.5
Round steak		257.3	260.8	30.4	-22.1	-10.1	37.8	.8	11.3
Sirloin steak		284.5	289.8	18.1	-14.6	4.0	15.7	.4	9.7
Other beef and veal	12/77	173.8	175.2	11.7	-16.5	8.0	17.4	-3.4	12.6
Pork		294.9	294.7	15.8	-4.3	40.9	29.8	5.2	35.3
Bacon		338.5	327.6	4.6	-8.9	45.5	43.1	-2.4	44.3
Chops		276.9	275.4	18.9	-6.7	61.8	14.2	5.4	35.9
Ham ²	12/77	132.9	137.7	6.1	-3.4	31.6	54.5	1.2	42.6
Ham other than canned ³	12/77	135.0	140.5	6.6	-1.8	47.4	62.7	2.3	54.9
Canned ham ³		266.4	275.8	3.4	3.2	-.6	37.3	3.3	16.8
Other pork including sausage ^{1 2}	12/77	162.1	160.1	19.0	-9.0	48.9	23.1	4.0	35.4
Other pork ³	12/77	158.2	157.9	21.4	-11.2	52.2	21.5	3.8	36.0
Sausage ^{1 3}		363.4	367.5	15.2	-1.9	24.0	40.6	6.4	32.1
Other meats ¹		281.8	282.9	-.9	-2.9	9.9	15.1	-1.9	12.5
Frankfurters ^{1 3}		275.6	279.2	-1.6	-5.5	4.8	24.0	-3.8	14.0
Bologna, liverwurst, and salami ^{1 3}	12/77	167.4	166.9	2.1	2.1	7.0	17.8	2.1	12.3
Other lunchmeats ^{1 3}	12/77	142.5	143.7	-4.0	-1.8	11.1	14.6	-2.9	12.8
Lamb and organ meats ^{1 3}	12/77	148.6	147.0	4.0	-8.6	19.9	.5	-2.5	9.8
Poultry ¹		247.1	245.0	7.0	-4.0	54.2	12.7	1.3	31.8
Fresh whole chicken ¹		254.3	253.3	8.7	-3.7	89.9	10.4	2.3	44.8
Fresh and frozen chicken parts ¹	12/77	165.9	160.3	10.8	-2.3	61.1	7.3	4.0	31.5
Other poultry ¹	12/77	145.2	148.0	.6	-6.6	4.1	24.2	-3.1	13.7
Fish and seafood		446.9	453.9	29.8	-5.9	17.6	5.3	10.5	11.3
Canned fish and seafood ¹	12/77	132.8	135.3	6.8	-2.6	-.9	4.2	2.0	1.6
Fresh and frozen fish and seafood	12/77	193.4	195.7	42.5	-7.3	29.9	3.1	14.9	15.7
Eggs		190.8	188.7	-7.8	-10.9	12.7	4.6	-9.3	8.6

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—					
		Sept. 1986	Oct. 1986	3 months ending in—				6 months ending in—	
				Jan. 1986	Apr. 1986	July 1986	Oct. 1986	Apr. 1986	Oct. 1986
Dairy products ¹		257.1	258.6	0.2	-0.8	2.4	2.5	-0.3	2.4
Fresh milk and cream	12/77	137.9	139.0	-3.4	-6	4.8	2.0	-2.0	3.4
Fresh whole milk		225.1	227.0	-2.6	-1.4	5.1	1.2	-2.0	3.2
Other fresh milk and cream ¹	12/77	138.6	139.7	-3.1	.9	3.5	2.9	-1.2	3.2
Processed dairy products ¹	12/77	157.2	157.8	1.8	-1.0	2.3	3.4	.4	2.8
Cheese ¹	12/77	151.8	152.0	.5	-8	1.6	.8	-.1	1.2
Ice cream and related products ¹	12/77	164.7	165.4	4.3	-2.2	1.2	5.0	1.0	3.1
Other dairy products including butter ^{1 2}	12/77	160.5	161.4	2.1	-5	4.4	6.4	.8	5.4
Other dairy products ^{1 3}	12/77	160.1	161.3	6.1	1.0	7.8	1.2	3.5	4.5
Butter ^{1 3}		269.9	271.0	-2.4	-2.3	.5	13.1	-2.3	6.6
Fruits and vegetables		327.8	329.8	22.0	-15.2	.0	12.1	1.7	5.9
Fresh fruits and vegetables		350.7	354.5	48.8	-23.7	.6	24.4	6.6	11.8
Fresh fruits		354.3	357.6	30.4	-8.3	-10.9	12.9	9.3	.3
Apples		418.6	370.3	33.7	-1.7	51.4	-20.9	14.7	9.4
Bananas		270.6	275.8	3.9	79.4	-38.5	28.0	36.5	-11.3
Oranges		325.0	350.7	72.8	-26.5	-33.7	14.8	12.6	-12.7
Other fresh fruits	12/77	185.5	195.8	12.8	-12.8	-9.0	26.3	-.8	7.2
Fresh vegetables		348.9	354.7	58.4	-38.3	21.4	41.0	-.8	30.8
Potatoes		342.0	345.4	5.9	-22.4	40.6	103.7	-9.4	69.4
Lettuce ¹		340.7	333.3	224.7	-37.6	-68.2	54.0	42.4	-30.0
Tomatoes ¹		242.3	291.1	538.6	-68.8	-27.8	58.4	41.2	6.9
Other fresh vegetables	12/77	214.0	213.5	10.2	-34.2	63.3	41.1	-14.8	51.8
Processed fruits and vegetables ¹		304.8	304.1	-2.0	-3.4	-1.0	-2.7	-2.7	-1.9
Processed fruits	12/77	161.8	162.5	-3.3	-12.1	-3.2	3.8	-7.8	.2
Fruit juices and frozen fruit ²	12/77	160.5	160.9	-3.9	-17.0	-6.5	4.3	-10.7	-1.2
Frozen fruit and fruit juices ³	12/77	147.8	147.7	-12.2	-31.2	-11.8	1.6	-22.3	-5.3
Fruit juices other than frozen ³	12/77	169.3	170.3	5.0	-8.5	-2.8	7.4	-2.0	2.1
Canned and dried fruits ¹	12/77	165.6	165.7	-2.2	.2	3.7	.7	-1.0	2.2
Processed vegetables ¹	12/77	145.7	145.0	.0	.0	2.5	-5.6	.0	-1.6
Frozen vegetables ¹	12/77	164.6	164.3	-.5	1.2	2.2	-2.2	.4	.0
Other processed vegetables ^{1 2}	12/77	139.7	138.9	.0	.0	2.3	-6.9	.0	-2.4
Cut corn and canned beans except lima ^{1 3}	12/77	145.3	144.3	2.8	-1.1	2.2	-7.9	.8	-3.0
Other canned and dried vegetables ^{1 3}	12/77	136.8	136.1	-1.4	.3	2.3	-6.2	-.6	-2.0
Other foods at home		374.1	374.1	3.1	9.6	.1	-.3	6.3	-.1
Sugar and sweets ¹		413.0	412.8	2.5	6.3	1.0	.9	4.4	.9
Sugar and artificial sweeteners ¹	12/77	172.0	170.7	.0	.9	-2.3	-3.0	.5	-2.6
Sweets including candy ²	12/77	172.2	173.1	3.9	6.3	.9	5.2	5.1	3.1
Candy and chewing gum ³	12/77	173.0	174.2	3.4	7.3	.9	4.0	5.3	2.5
Other sweets ^{1 3}	12/77	170.5	170.7	3.5	4.4	4.1	5.8	4.0	5.0
Fats and oils ¹		285.1	284.1	1.4	-5.1	-1.7	-3.4	-1.9	-2.6
Margarine ^{1 3}		289.0	286.3	4.7	-3.4	-4.9	-8.5	.5	-6.7
Nondairy substitutes and peanut butter ^{1 3}	12/77	160.8	162.8	.3	-.3	8.9	5.9	.0	7.4
Other fats, oils, and salad dressings ^{1 3}	12/77	144.1	143.0	.3	-8.0	-4.0	-4.9	-4.0	-4.5
Nonalcoholic beverages		477.4	476.7	4.8	22.0	-2.1	-3.5	13.1	-2.8
Carbonated drinks ²	12/77	154.6	154.2	.3	4.0	-2.1	1.3	2.1	-.4
Cola drinks, excluding diet cola ³		323.5	323.3	.9	2.3	-4.2	6.0	1.6	.8
Carbonated drinks, including diet cola ³	12/77	149.7	149.6	-1.6	8.1	.3	-3.9	3.1	-1.8
Coffee ^{1 4}		480.6	478.5	27.0	152.0	-11.2	-21.1	78.9	-16.3
Roasted coffee ^{1 3}		470.8	466.4	35.4	193.8	-13.9	-27.2	99.4	-20.8
Freeze dried and instant coffee ^{1 3}		451.5	451.9	18.9	111.9	-7.9	-13.6	58.7	-10.8
Other noncarbonated drinks	12/77	156.2	157.5	-1.8	.5	5.0	1.5	-.6	3.3
Other prepared foods		305.2	306.2	1.3	1.3	3.2	4.2	1.3	3.7
Canned and packaged soup	12/77	160.8	160.6	.5	-1.3	6.7	3.8	-.4	6.3
Frozen prepared foods ¹	12/77	171.1	171.1	-.7	2.4	1.4	4.6	.8	3.0
Snacks ¹	12/77	179.2	181.0	3.5	4.4	2.0	6.7	4.0	4.3
Seasonings, condiments, sauces and spices ²	12/77	172.8	173.0	.0	3.4	2.1	5.0	1.7	3.6
Seasonings, olives, pickles, and relish ³	12/77	174.0	174.8	.2	4.8	-1.4	10.0	2.5	4.1
Other condiments ³	12/77	171.9	171.6	.0	3.6	3.8	1.4	1.8	2.6
Other prepared foods, including									
miscellaneous and baby food ^{1 2}	12/77	160.7	181.4	2.0	2.5	-.2	2.8	2.3	1.3
Miscellaneous prepared foods ^{1 3}	12/77	166.0	167.2	1.7	6.8	.2	5.2	4.3	2.7
Other canned and packaged prepared foods ³	12/77	155.2	156.1	1.3	-4.5	1.6	1.6	-1.7	1.6

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—					
		Sept. 1986	Oct. 1986	3 months ending in—				6 months ending in—	
				Jan. 1986	Apr. 1986	July 1986	Oct. 1986	Apr. 1986	Oct. 1986
Food away from home		367.0	367.7	2.7	4.1	4.5	4.4	3.4	4.4
Lunch	12/77	176.4	177.3	3.1	3.3	5.4	3.7	3.2	4.5
Dinner	12/77	176.6	177.2	2.4	3.0	3.7	4.2	2.7	4.0
Other meals and snacks	12/77	181.5	181.1	3.8	5.4	7.5	3.2	4.6	5.3
Alcoholic beverages		243.2	243.0	4.4	.5	2.7	-.3	2.4	1.2
Alcoholic beverages at home	12/77	154.3	153.6	3.2	1.6	1.6	-2.3	2.4	-.4
Beer and ale		239.7	239.7	3.3	.5	1.0	.7	1.9	.8
Wine ¹		249.0	249.0	1.1	3.4	1.9	-1.7	2.3	.1
Distilled spirits ^{1 2}	12/77	142.0	142.1	-.3	-.3	.3	.6	-.3	.4
Other alcoholic beverages ^{1 3}	12/77	139.2	139.8	1.5	1.2	.6	1.4	1.3	1.0
Whiskey ^{1 3}		170.5	170.4	-1.4	-.7	.0	.2	-1.0	.1
Alcoholic beverages away from home	12/77	178.0	178.4	7.3	3.5	7.6	2.7	5.4	5.1
Special indexes:									
Domestically produced farm food		293.1	294.3	6.3	-7.9	10.5	10.7	-1.1	10.6
Selected beef cuts ¹		273.3	275.2	20.9	-13.2	1.5	10.9	2.4	6.1
Imported food and fishery products ³	12/77	152.2	152.9	8.0	14.9	.0	.5	11.4	.3

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 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 Oct. 1986 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Sept. 1986	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Sept. 1986	July to Aug.	Aug. to Sept.	Sept. to Oct.
Housing		356.6	355.6	2.3	-0.3	0.3	0.2	-0.1
Shelter		395.2	397.1	5.3	.5	.3	.5	.4
Renters' costs	12/84	110.9	111.4	5.3	.5	.2	.4	.4
Rent, residential ¹		282.2	283.6	5.5	.5	.1	.4	.4
Other renters' costs		428.9	426.7	3.7	-.5	.6	.5	-.1
Lodging while out of town		450.4	445.8	2.4	-1.0	.9	.2	.2
Lodging while at school ¹	12/82	128.6	129.3	6.8	.5	.3	5.8	.5
Tenants' insurance ¹	12/77	179.7	180.5	4.9	.4	.1	.2	.4
Homeowners' costs	12/84	110.0	110.5	5.4	.5	.4	.5	.4
Owners' equivalent rent	12/84	110.0	110.5	5.4	.5	.3	.6	.4
Household insurance ¹	12/84	110.4	110.8	5.3	.4	.0	.3	.4
Maintenance and repairs ¹		370.6	373.1	2.3	.7	1.3	-.2	.7
Maintenance and repair services ¹		430.7	431.1	3.3	.1	.8	.5	.1
Maintenance and repair commodities ¹		261.1	264.3	1.5	1.2	1.7	-.9	1.2
Paint and wallpaper, supplies, tools, and equipment ^{1 2}	12/77	149.4	152.9	2.2	2.3	4.5	-1.8	2.3
Lumber, awnings, glass, and masonry ^{1 2}	12/77	127.9	128.4	1.7	.4	-.6	.3	.4
Plumbing, electrical, heating, and cooling supplies ^{1 2}	12/77	145.2	147.2	1.2	1.4	-1.0	-.1	1.4
Miscellaneous supplies and equipment	12/77	147.7	147.6	.7	-.1	-.2	-.1	-.1
Fuel and other utilities		389.1	379.3	-4.3	-2.5	.2	-.6	-1.3
Fuels		467.1	449.2	-7.8	-3.8	.2	-.8	-2.1
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas		456.6	454.8	-26.4	-.4	-1.5	.7	-1.2
Fuel oil		439.4	436.9	-29.9	-.6	-1.6	1.0	-1.5
Other fuels ³	6/78	180.3	181.1	-6.2	.4	-1.2	.0	.3
Gas (piped) and electricity		460.3	439.6	-2.7	-4.5	.5	-1.1	-2.3
Electricity		391.4	360.8	-1.5	-7.8	-.4	.3	-4.6
Utility (piped) gas		544.2	547.1	-4.4	.5	1.9	-3.1	1.1
Other utilities and public services ¹		256.2	257.8	4.9	.6	.1	-.2	.6
Telephone services ¹		206.7	207.9	4.4	.6	.0	-.4	.6
Local charges ¹	12/77	197.2	198.9	10.4	.9	.1	-.6	.9
Interstate toll calls ¹	12/77	101.6	101.6	-9.4	.0	-.4	.1	.0
Intrastate toll calls ¹	12/77	124.4	124.7	-1.3	.2	.2	-.4	.2
Water and sewerage maintenance ¹		428.0	430.7	5.7	.6	.3	.2	.6
Cable television ¹	12/83	115.8	116.4	4.5	.5	-.1	1.0	.5
Refuse collection ¹	12/83	120.7	121.9	9.2	1.0	.5	1.2	1.0
Household furnishings and operation		247.5	247.5	1.2	.0	.4	.3	-.2
Housefurnishings		199.4	199.3	.8	-.1	.6	.4	-.5
Textile housefurnishings		250.9	250.3	1.7	-.2	-.2	-.6	.4
Household linens ²	12/77	145.4	145.7	2.2	.2	-1.3	.0	1.5
Curtains, drapes, slipcovers, and sewing materials ^{1 2}	12/77	169.3	168.3	1.2	-.6	1.5	-.8	-.6
Furniture and bedding		230.9	232.7	2.2	.8	-.5	.3	.1
Bedroom furniture ¹	12/77	166.9	170.3	6.2	2.0	-1.1	1.2	2.0
Sofas	12/77	127.8	127.1	4.8	-.5	1.8	.5	-1.0
Living room chairs and tables ¹	12/77	130.7	131.7	.0	.8	-2.6	.6	.8
Other furniture	12/77	140.0	139.8	-3.0	-.1	.2	-.6	-1.1
Appliances including TV and sound equipment ¹		140.7	140.0	-2.2	-.5	.0	.1	-.5
Television and sound equipment ¹	12/77	91.1	90.9	-3.4	-.2	.2	-.2	-.2
Television ¹		80.2	80.3	-5.0	.1	-.2	-1.6	.1
Sound equipment ¹	12/77	101.1	100.6	-2.3	-.5	.5	.9	-.5
Household appliances ^{1 3}		188.0	186.5	-.4	-.8	-.3	.3	-.8
Refrigerator and home freezer ¹		198.8	198.0	-.1	-.4	-.6	.9	-.4
Laundry equipment ¹	12/77	151.1	151.7	.8	.4	.8	.7	.4
Other household appliances ^{1 3}	12/77	119.0	117.4	-.8	-1.3	-.5	.1	-1.3
Stoves, dishwashers, vacuums, and sewing machines ^{1 3}	12/77	120.0	116.8	-2.5	-2.7	-.7	.1	-2.7
Office machines, small electric appliances, and air conditioners ^{1 3}	12/77	117.6	117.7	.8	.1	-.4	.0	.1

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 Oct. 1986 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Sept. 1986	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Sept. 1986	July to Aug.	Aug. to Sept.	Sept. to Oct.
Housefurnishings—Continued:								
Other household equipment ¹	12/77	144.2	143.2	1.6	-0.7	0.7	0.5	-0.7
Floor and window coverings, infants' laundry, cleaning, and outdoor equipment ¹	12/77	144.0	145.6	3.0	1.1	-2.0	1.0	1.1
Clocks, lamps, and decor items ¹	12/77	132.1	133.1	-1.3	.8	-1.7	.9	.8
Tableware, serving pieces, and nonelectric kitchenware ¹	12/77	150.6	147.4	3.7	-2.1	2.2	.0	-2.1
Lawn equipment, power tools, and other hardware ¹	12/77	142.0	141.5	-8	-4	1.7	.6	-4
Housekeeping supplies		317.9	317.8	1.6	.0	.3	.3	.0
Laundry and cleaning products including soap ^{1 4}	12/77	166.3	166.6	3.1	.2	-.4	.5	.2
Soaps and detergents ^{1 2}		317.0	319.5	3.3	.8	-1.2	.9	.8
Other laundry and cleaning products ^{1 2}	12/77	165.3	164.3	2.8	-.6	.7	-.1	-.6
Household paper products and stationery supplies ^{1 4}	12/77	157.3	157.6	.4	.3	.1	.2	.3
Cleansing and toilet tissue, paper towels and napkins ^{1 2}	12/77	161.3	161.7	.1	.2	.5	.6	.2
Stationery, stationery supplies, and gift wrap ^{1 2}	12/77	152.3	153.0	.6	.5	-.3	-.5	.5
Other household lawn and garden supplies ⁴	12/77	155.8	154.6	.8	-.8	.9	.4	-.8
Miscellaneous household products ^{1 2}	12/77	161.8	162.7	2.1	.8	.8	-.1	.6
Lawn and garden supplies ²	12/77	146.0	141.6	-1.5	-3.0	.6	.5	-2.8
Housekeeping services ¹		349.5	350.1	1.8	.2	.2	.1	.2
Postage ¹		372.7	372.7	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0
Moving, storage, freight, household laundry, and drycleaning services ^{1 3}	12/77	195.4	196.3	3.6	.5	.5	.2	.5
Appliance and furniture repair ¹	12/77	161.1	161.4	2.9	.2	.3	.2	.2
Apparel and upkeep		211.0	211.9	.8	.4	.9	.7	.0
Apparel commodities		196.2	197.1	.3	.5	1.0	.8	-.1
Apparel commodities less footwear		193.5	193.9	.1	.2	1.1	.9	-.3
Men's and boys'		202.3	203.6	.0	.6	.1	1.0	-.1
Men's	12/77	128.0	128.9	.5	.7	.2	.8	.2
Suits, sport coats, coats, and jackets ⁴	12/77	113.0	113.9	2.2	.8	1.1	1.6	-.5
Suits, sport coats, and jackets ²	12/77	117.5	118.5	5.1	.9	1.6	2.9	-.2
Coats and jackets ²	12/77	103.9	104.4	-3.9	.5	-3.4	-.5	-1.2
Furnishings and special clothing ¹	12/77	151.8	152.7	-.3	.6	1.5	.7	.6
Shirts	12/77	138.3	138.9	.6	.4	.4	1.6	.1
Dungarees, jeans, and trousers	12/77	122.3	123.3	-.6	.8	-1.7	1.1	.2
Boys'	12/77	128.9	129.5	-1.5	.5	.4	2.1	-.9
Coats, jackets, sweaters, and shirts ²	12/77	130.5	130.6	-2.3	.1	.7	3.4	-.2
Furnishings ²	12/77	136.9	139.0	.0	1.5	-.8	1.1	.7
Suits, trousers, sport coats, and jackets ²	12/77	124.7	125.2	-1.6	.4	.4	1.5	-1.4
Women's and girls'		178.1	178.1	-1.1	.0	2.0	1.3	-.3
Women's	12/77	119.1	119.0	-1.2	-.1	1.7	1.2	.0
Coats and jackets		179.7	175.3	-7.6	-2.4	5.3	7.0	-3.7
Dresses		174.1	173.3	1.2	-.5	1.8	4.4	-.3
Separates and sportswear	12/77	112.7	113.4	.5	.6	2.0	4.5	-2.8
Underwear, nightwear, and hosiery	12/77	140.7	141.5	.4	.6	1.1	-.9	.7
Suits	12/77	108.7	107.9	-6.3	-.7	1.6	-1.4	1.3
Girls'	12/77	115.6	116.1	-.6	.4	4.9	1.7	-2.1
Coats, jackets, dresses, and suits ²	12/77	102.1	105.1	-5.7	2.9	2.9	2.2	-1.5
Separates and sportswear ²	12/77	117.2	114.9	2.8	-2.0	10.4	-.5	-3.9
Underwear, nightwear, hosiery, and accessories ²	12/77	134.6	136.0	1.6	1.0	.1	2.9	.2
Infants' and toddlers ¹		326.2	329.2	4.6	.9	1.5	-.7	.9
Other apparel commodities ¹		209.0	207.9	2.7	-.5	1.5	-.2	-.5
Sewing materials and notions ^{1 3}	12/77	124.7	123.4	1.4	-1.0	.2	-.2	-1.0
Jewelry and luggage ^{1 3}	12/77	140.0	139.5	3.3	-.4	2.0	-.1	-.4
Footwear		212.0	215.3	1.3	1.6	.3	.0	1.1
Men's	12/77	144.1	145.2	2.3	.8	1.0	-.1	.4
Boys' and girls' ¹	12/77	137.1	140.0	3.2	2.1	-.7	1.2	2.1
Women's	12/77	119.7	122.1	-1.4	2.0	-.1	.0	1.5
Apparel services		334.2	335.6	3.8	.4	.2	.5	.3
Laundry and dry cleaning other than coin operated	12/77	199.2	200.0	4.1	.4	.4	.9	.3
Other apparel services ¹	12/77	176.8	177.5	3.4	.4	-.3	.3	.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 Oct. 1986 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Sept. 1986	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Sept. 1986	July to Aug.	Aug. to Sept.	Sept. to Oct.
Transportation		301.8	302.2	-6.2	0.1	-1.0	0.4	0.1
Private		295.3	295.7	-6.9	.1	-1.1	.4	.1
New vehicles		223.3	225.7	4.8	1.1	.4	.2	.7
New cars		223.7	226.3	5.0	1.2	.2	.2	.8
New trucks and motorcycles ¹	12/83	110.1	110.7	4.0	.5	-.3	-.3	.5
Used cars		359.5	360.6	-3.9	.3	-.4	.2	.1
Motor fuel		271.9	284.0	-29.8	-2.9	-4.7	2.5	-2.3
Gasoline		271.4	283.4	-29.9	-2.9	-4.7	2.5	-2.4
Gasoline, leaded regular	1/76	149.4	144.8	-30.9	-3.1	-4.8	2.7	-2.4
Gasoline, unleaded regular	1/76	154.6	149.8	-30.9	-3.1	-5.0	2.7	-2.5
Gasoline, unleaded premium	8/81	72.2	70.5	-26.1	-2.4	-4.3	1.1	-2.4
Automobile maintenance and repair		366.6	367.2	2.9	.2	.1	.1	.0
Body work ¹	12/77	185.9	186.3	3.2	.2	.3	-.2	.2
Automobile drive train, brake, and miscellaneous mechanical repair ¹	12/77	185.1	185.7	4.2	.3	.3	.1	.3
Maintenance and servicing ¹	12/77	162.4	163.1	2.3	.4	-.1	.4	.4
Power plant repair	12/77	175.8	175.3	2.3	-.3	.5	.1	-.3
Other private transportation ¹		299.7	305.2	5.5	1.8	-.1	-.8	1.6
Other private transportation commodities ¹		202.7	201.1	-1.9	-.8	.1	-.6	-.8
Motor oil, coolant, and other products ¹	12/77	154.4	153.6	-1.5	-.5	-1.2	.4	-.5
Automobile parts and equipment ¹	12/77	127.5	126.4	-2.0	-.9	.4	-.9	-.9
Tires ¹		172.0	169.8	-3.5	-1.3	.5	-1.2	-1.3
Other parts and equipment ¹	12/77	134.9	135.2	1.7	.2	.1	-.1	.2
Other private transportation services ¹		328.1	335.4	6.8	2.2	-.1	-.8	2.2
Automobile insurance ¹		410.9	420.0	13.8	2.2	.1	.7	2.2
Automobile finance charges ¹	12/77	132.8	137.9	-9.5	3.8	-1.2	-6.3	3.8
Automobile rental, registration, and other fees ¹	12/77	171.4	172.5	5.5	.6	.8	.1	.6
Automobile registration, license, and inspection fees ^{1 4}	12/77	157.5	157.6	2.6	.1	.8	.0	.1
State registration ^{1 2}		219.9	219.9	2.7	.0	1.0	.0	.0
Drivers' license ^{1 2}	12/77	175.9	175.9	1.2	.0	.2	.0	.0
Automobile inspection ^{1 2}	12/77	163.6	163.6	1.6	.0	.5	.0	.0
Other automobile related fees ¹	12/77	200.5	203.8	10.5	1.6	.3	.0	1.6
Public transportation ¹		418.8	418.9	4.9	.0	.1	.1	.0
Airline fare ¹		483.7	483.7	1.2	.0	-.1	.2	.0
Other intercity transportation ^{1 4}		222.2	222.0	7.7	-.1	.7	-.7	-.1
Intercity bus fare ^{1 2}		516.4	516.9	8.2	.1	.9	-.7	.1
Intercity train fare ^{1 2}		423.3	420.1	6.4	-.8	-.1	-.5	-.8
Intracity public transportation ^{1 4}		209.4	209.4	7.4	.0	.2	.1	.0
Intracity mass transit ^{1 2}		385.8	386.0	8.0	.1	.2	.1	.1
Taxi fare ^{1 2}		338.7	339.0	3.1	.1	.3	.0	.1
Medical care		437.1	439.7	7.6	.8	.5	.6	.6
Medical care commodities		275.8	276.6	6.0	.3	.2	.4	.3
Prescription drugs		284.5	285.6	8.1	.4	.6	.6	.2
Anti-infective drugs ^{1 2}	12/77	194.9	195.2	4.8	.2	-.1	.5	.2
Tranquilizers and sedatives ²	12/77	263.0	264.3	9.9	.5	.7	.8	.1
Circulators and diuretics ^{1 2}	12/77	208.1	208.9	10.9	.4	.5	.4	.4
Hormones, diabetic drugs, biologicals, and prescription medical supplies ²	12/77	263.1	264.0	8.4	.3	.7	.6	.2
Pain and symptom control drugs ^{1 2}	12/77	226.8	226.8	7.3	.0	1.1	.4	.0
Supplements, cough and cold preparations, and respiratory agents ²	12/77	206.8	208.9	8.6	1.0	.0	.5	1.3
Nonprescription drugs and medical supplies ^{1 3}	12/77	181.5	181.9	4.2	.2	.1	.1	.2
Eyeglasses ^{1 2}	12/77	149.7	150.2	3.6	.3	.3	.1	.3
Internal and respiratory over-the-counter drugs ¹		298.7	298.8	4.0	.0	.1	.1	.0
Nonprescription medical equipment and supplies ¹	12/77	175.8	176.8	5.2	.6	-.2	.1	.6
Medical care services		472.6	475.8	7.9	.6	.8	.8	.6
Professional services		396.6	398.4	6.6	.5	.4	.8	.6
Physicians' services		438.8	441.0	7.5	.5	.6	.8	.8
Dental services ¹		369.4	371.2	6.1	.5	.4	.7	.5
Other professional services ^{1 2}	12/77	177.1	177.6	4.5	.3	-.1	.0	.3
Other medical care services ²		568.1	572.7	9.2	.8	.7	.5	.7
Hospital and other medical services ²	12/77	236.8	239.1	6.6	1.0	.6	.4	.8
Hospital room		744.6	751.2	6.3	.9	.3	.4	.5
Other hospital and medical care services ²	12/77	235.3	237.8	8.9	1.1	.7	.8	.8

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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 Oct. 1986 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Sept. 1986	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Sept. 1986	July to Aug.	Aug. to Sept.	Sept. to Oct.
Entertainment		270.0	271.1	3.1	0.4	0.1	0.2	0.4
Entertainment commodities		259.8	260.6	1.4	.3	.2	-.2	.2
Reading materials ¹	12/77	183.2	183.6	3.8	.2	.4	.3	.2
Newspapers ¹		342.8	344.4	3.3	.5	.1	.2	.5
Magazines, periodicals, and books ¹	12/77	195.5	195.3	4.4	-.1	.7	.5	-.1
Sporting goods and equipment	12/77	133.9	133.2	-2.0	-.5	.4	-.4	-.2
Sports vehicles, including bicycles ^{1 4}	12/77	137.4	136.3	-2.8	-.8	.0	.0	-.8
Sport vehicles ^{1 2}	12/77	136.5	135.5	-3.2	-.7	.0	.0	-.7
Bicycles ²		204.8	203.0	-.6	-.9	.0	.0	-.7
Other sporting goods ^{1 4}	12/77	124.9	125.1	.3	.2	.8	.1	.2
Indoor and warm weather sport equipment ^{1 2}	12/77	116.4	116.3	.9	-.1	1.4	-.2	-.1
Other sporting goods and equipment ²	12/77	131.7	132.1	.5	.3	.5	.3	.3
Toys, hobbies, and other entertainment	12/77	144.7	145.8	1.8	.8	-.1	-.1	.9
Toys, hobbies, and music equipment	12/77	135.4	137.6	.7	1.6	-.1	-.7	1.6
Photographic supplies and equipment	12/77	143.5	144.0	4.7	.3	.1	.1	.6
Pet supplies and expense ¹	12/77	161.9	161.5	2.0	-.2	.0	.4	-.2
Entertainment services ¹		288.9	290.7	5.9	.6	.1	.8	.6
Fees for participant sports ^{1 3}	12/77	182.7	184.2	6.7	.8	-.1	1.8	.8
Admissions ¹	12/77	169.1	170.4	4.9	.8	-.1	-.5	.8
Other entertainment services ^{1 3}	12/77	147.8	148.1	4.9	.2	.5	.1	.2
Other goods and services		347.5	348.8	5.7	.4	.6	-.1	.4
Tobacco products ¹		356.5	356.8	6.8	.1	.5	.2	.1
Cigarettes ^{1 2}		366.2	366.8	7.0	.2	.5	.1	.2
Other tobacco products and smoking accessories ²	12/77	176.9	176.3	4.7	-.3	.7	1.1	-.2
Personal care ¹		289.5	290.8	2.9	.4	.4	-.1	.4
Toilet goods and personal care appliances ¹		288.7	290.5	3.0	.6	.7	-.3	.6
Other toilet goods and small appliances, including hair and dental products ^{1 4}	12/77	168.3	169.4	3.0	.7	.7	-.6	.7
Products for the hair, hairpieces, and wigs ^{1 2}	12/77	161.9	162.7	2.5	.5	.7	.7	.5
Dental and shaving products ^{1 2}	12/77	177.6	181.3	4.5	2.1	-.4	-.1.8	2.1
Other toilet goods and small personal care appliances ^{1 2}	12/77	168.5	167.8	2.3	-.4	1.8	-.1.0	-.4
Cosmetics, bath and nail preparations								
manicure and eye makeup implements ¹	12/77	166.0	167.0	3.0	.6	.4	.2	.6
Personal care services ¹		290.8	291.6	2.8	.3	.1	.1	.3
Beauty parlor services for females ¹		291.0	291.8	2.2	.3	.1	.1	.3
Haircuts and other barber shop services for males ¹	12/77	164.2	164.7	3.8	.3	.1	.1	.3
Personal and educational expenses		446.1	448.7	7.7	.6	.8	-.3	.8
School books and supplies		393.9	396.7	7.4	.7	1.0	-.6	.9
Personal and educational services		458.7	461.3	7.8	.6	.7	-.2	.8
Tuition and other school fees	12/77	235.0	236.2	7.9	.5	.7	-.4	.7
College tuition	12/77	234.1	235.3	7.1	.5	.9	-.7	.5
Elementary and high school tuition	12/77	237.0	238.1	9.7	.5	.4	.9	.8
Personal expenses ¹	12/77	236.0	237.7	7.5	.7	.6	.6	.7
Special indexes:								
Motor fuel, motor oil, coolant and other products		270.4	262.7	-29.3	-2.8	-4.6	2.5	-2.4
Utilities and public transportation		378.9	370.1	.6	-2.3	.5	-.7	-1.0
Housekeeping and home maintenance services ¹		404.0	404.7	2.0	.2	.3	.2	.2

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—					
		Sept. 1986	Oct. 1986	3 months ending in—				6 months ending in—	
				Jan. 1986	Apr. 1986	July 1986	Oct. 1986	Apr. 1986	Oct. 1986
Housing		354.9	354.6	4.6	1.5	1.7	1.6	3.0	1.7
Shelter		394.5	396.1	6.0	7.8	3.0	4.7	6.9	3.8
Renters' costs	12/84	110.6	111.0	5.0	8.1	4.5	3.7	6.6	4.1
Rent, residential ¹		281.9	283.0	5.8	8.2	4.4	3.5	7.0	3.9
Other renters' costs		421.7	421.2	-1.9	7.3	5.9	3.6	2.6	4.7
Lodging while out of town		442.0	442.7	-8.2	6.8	4.3	5.1	.1	4.7
Lodging while at school ¹	12/82	128.6	129.3	.0	-3	.3	30.0	-2	14.2
Tenants' insurance ¹	12/77	179.7	180.5	3.3	8.1	5.5	2.9	5.7	4.2
Homeowners' costs	12/84	109.9	110.3	6.3	8.1	2.2	5.2	7.2	3.7
Owners' equivalent rent		109.9	110.3	6.3	8.1	2.2	5.2	7.2	3.7
Household insurance ¹	12/84	110.4	110.8	4.2	8.5	6.0	2.6	6.4	4.3
Maintenance and repairs ¹		370.6	373.1	9.8	-8.9	2.3	7.2	.0	4.7
Maintenance and repair services ¹		430.7	431.1	8.7	-6.4	5.8	5.7	.9	5.8
Maintenance and repair commodities ¹		261.1	284.3	10.7	-11.2	-6	8.4	-8	3.8
Paint and wallpaper, supplies, tools, and equipment ^{1 2}	12/77	149.4	152.9	21.0	-23.4	-3.2	21.6	-3.7	8.5
Lumber, awnings, glass, and masonry ^{1 2}	12/77	127.9	128.4	-3	5.8	1.3	.3	2.7	.8
Plumbing, electrical, heating, and cooling supplies ^{1 2}	12/77	145.2	147.2	5.0	-9.7	9.2	1.1	-2.6	5.1
Miscellaneous supplies and equipment	12/77	147.7	147.6	1.9	2.5	-3	-1.3	2.2	-8
Fuel and other utilities		382.3	377.4	3.7	-11.3	-2.6	-6.7	-4.1	-4.7
Fuels		454.8	445.2	3.8	-17.4	-6.3	-10.3	-7.4	-8.3
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas		464.5	458.9	12.9	-55.7	-36.4	-7.9	-29.3	-23.5
Fuel oil		447.9	441.3	13.3	-80.4	-41.4	-8.2	-33.0	-26.7
Other fuels ³	6/78	181.9	182.4	12.0	-21.6	-8.6	-3.6	-6.3	-6.2
Gas (piped) and electricity		444.4	434.2	1.5	-3.0	2.0	-10.8	-8	-4.6
Electricity		375.6	358.3	6.6	-3.6	10.8	-17.4	1.4	-4.3
Utility (piped) gas		535.6	541.7	-5.5	-2.1	-9.1	-7	-3.8	-5.0
Other utilities and public services ¹		256.2	257.8	4.3	6.3	6.8	2.4	5.3	4.6
Telephone services ¹		206.7	207.9	2.8	6.5	7.5	.8	4.7	4.1
Local charges ¹	12/77	197.2	198.9	6.4	10.4	24.9	1.4	8.4	12.5
Interstate toll calls ¹	12/77	101.6	101.6	.0	.0	-32.0	-1.2	.0	-18.0
Intrastate toll calls ¹	12/77	124.4	124.7	-5.3	.3	-3	.0	-2.5	-2
Water and sewerage maintenance ¹		428.0	430.7	6.4	5.2	6.4	4.6	5.8	5.5
Cable television ¹	12/83	115.8	116.4	6.2	6.1	.0	5.7	6.2	2.8
Refuse collection ¹	12/83	120.7	121.9	13.5	6.4	5.9	11.2	9.9	8.6
Household furnishings and operation		248.2	247.7	2.1	-1.3	2.5	2.0	.4	2.2
Housefurnishings		200.0	199.1	1.6	-3.2	3.1	1.8	-.8	2.5
Textile housefurnishings		247.9	248.8	1.3	-3.7	11.7	-1.9	-1.2	4.7
Household linens ²	12/77	141.7	143.8	4.0	.3	3.7	.8	2.1	2.3
Curtains, drapes, slipcovers, and sewing materials ^{1 2}	12/77	169.3	168.3	-4.3	.7	8.3	.5	-1.8	4.3
Furniture and bedding		231.6	231.8	6.9	-7.3	10.8	-.7	-.4	4.9
Bedroom furniture ¹	12/77	166.9	170.3	5.9	6.0	3.9	8.9	5.9	6.4
Sofas	12/77	128.3	127.0	10.3	-4.4	8.4	5.5	2.7	7.0
Living room chairs and tables ¹	12/77	130.7	131.7	4.9	-3.0	3.1	-4.7	.9	-.9
Other furniture	12/77	141.0	139.4	-1.7	-14.3	12.1	-6.1	-8.2	2.6
Appliances including TV and sound equipment ¹		140.7	140.0	-3.9	1.7	-4.7	-1.7	-1.1	-3.2
Television and sound equipment ¹	12/77	91.1	90.9	-4.6	.9	-8.7	-.9	-1.9	-4.9
Television ¹		80.2	80.3	-5.1	1.0	-8.8	-6.7	-2.1	-7.7
Sound equipment ¹	12/77	101.1	100.6	-4.2	1.2	-9.4	3.7	-1.5	-3.1
Household appliances ^{1 3}		186.0	186.5	-3.2	2.8	2.2	-3.2	-.2	-.5
Refrigerator and home freezer ¹		198.8	198.0	3.1	-.4	-2.6	-.4	1.3	-1.5
Laundry equipment ¹	12/77	151.1	151.7	-4.2	3.3	-3.2	7.7	-.5	2.1
Other household appliances ^{1 3}	12/77	119.0	117.4	-5.0	3.8	5.2	-6.8	-.7	-1.0
Stoves, dishwashers, vacuums, and sewing machines ^{1 3}	12/77	120.0	116.8	-13.3	8.6	9.8	-12.6	-3.0	-2.0
Office machines, small electric appliances, and air conditioners ^{1 3}	12/77	117.6	117.7	3.1	.0	1.4	-1.3	1.5	.0

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—					
		Sept. 1986	Oct. 1986	3 months ending in—				6 months ending in—	
				Jan. 1986	Apr. 1986	July 1986	Oct. 1986	Apr. 1986	Oct. 1986
Housefurnishings—Continued:									
Other household equipment ¹	12/77	144.2	143.2	2.6	1.4	0.3	2.0	2.0	1.1
Floor and window coverings, infants', laundry, cleaning, and outdoor equipment ¹	12/77	144.0	145.6	-.6	10.9	1.9	.3	5.0	1.1
Clocks, lamps, and decor items ¹	12/77	132.1	133.1	-17.4	10.3	4.3	-.3	-4.5	2.0
Tableware, serving pieces, and nonelectric kitchenware ¹	12/77	150.6	147.4	9.6	4.5	.8	.3	7.0	.5
Lawn equipment, power tools, and other hardware ¹	12/77	142.0	141.5	7.2	-12.6	-4.5	8.0	-3.2	1.6
Housekeeping supplies		318.9	318.8	2.4	-.1	1.8	2.5	1.2	2.2
Laundry and cleaning products including soap ^{1 4}	12/77	166.3	166.6	10.5	2.2	-1.2	1.2	6.3	.0
Soaps and detergents ^{1 2}		317.0	319.5	10.2	4.2	-3.0	2.0	7.2	-.5
Other laundry and cleaning products ^{1 2}	12/77	165.3	164.3	10.9	-.2	1.0	.0	5.2	.5
Household paper products and stationery supplies ^{1 4}	12/77	157.3	157.8	-1.8	-3.8	4.7	2.6	-2.8	3.6
Cleansing and toilet tissue, paper towels and napkins ^{1 2}	12/77	161.3	161.7	-4.4	-6.1	6.0	5.6	-5.3	5.8
Stationery, stationery supplies, and gift wrap ^{1 2}	12/77	152.3	153.0	1.6	-1.0	3.2	-1.3	.3	.9
Other household lawn and garden supplies ⁴	12/77	156.9	156.0	-2.3	-.3	3.4	2.9	-1.3	3.1
Miscellaneous household products ^{1 2}	12/77	161.8	162.7	2.5	.5	.2	5.3	1.5	2.8
Lawn and garden supplies ²	12/77	147.6	143.5	-5.4	-.6	7.8	-6.7	-3.0	.3
Housekeeping services ¹		349.5	350.1	2.0	1.7	1.5	2.0	1.9	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	195.4	196.3	4.3	2.7	2.9	4.4	3.5	3.7
Appliance and furniture repair ¹	12/77	161.1	161.4	2.8	3.3	2.5	2.8	3.1	2.7
Apparel and upkeep		208.3	208.3	1.4	-3.1	-1.0	6.6	-.9	2.7
Apparel commodities		193.1	193.0	.0	-3.9	-1.9	7.1	-2.0	2.5
Apparel commodities less footwear		189.8	189.3	.0	-4.6	-1.9	7.3	-2.3	2.6
Men's and boys'		200.3	200.0	1.6	-3.0	-2.2	3.7	-.7	.7
Men's	12/77	126.7	126.9	2.2	-2.5	-2.2	4.9	-.2	1.3
Suits, sport coats, coats, and jackets ⁴	12/77	110.9	110.3	2.6	4.9	-6.7	9.2	3.7	.9
Suits, sport coats, and jackets ²	12/77	115.9	115.7	2.9	4.0	-3.9	18.9	3.5	6.9
Coats and jackets ²	12/77	100.7	99.5	1.2	6.3	-2.3	-18.7	3.7	-10.9
Furnishings and special clothing ¹	12/77	151.8	152.7	-3.6	-5.7	-2.6	11.5	-4.6	4.2
Shirts	12/77	137.3	137.5	-3.2	-3.5	.9	8.6	-3.3	4.7
Dungarees, jeans, and trousers	12/77	122.4	122.7	5.0	-4.7	-.6	-1.6	.0	-1.1
Boys'	12/77	127.8	126.7	-1.9	-2.5	-7.6	6.6	-2.2	-.8
Coats, jackets, sweaters, and shirts ²	12/77	126.0	125.7	-6.4	-8.9	-8.2	16.5	-7.6	3.4
Furnishings ²	12/77	137.7	138.6	1.2	-2.3	-2.3	3.8	-.6	.7
Suits, trousers, sport coats, and jackets ²	12/77	125.3	123.5	-2.8	4.9	-9.8	2.0	1.0	-4.1
Women's and girls'		172.2	171.6	-3.6	-8.3	-3.5	12.6	-6.0	4.2
Women's	12/77	114.5	114.5	-5.1	-5.8	-4.9	12.4	-5.5	3.4
Coats and jackets		170.7	164.4	-13.2	-29.0	-14.6	38.7	-21.5	8.8
Dresses		168.9	168.4	-8.8	5.0	-12.9	25.8	-2.2	4.7
Separates and sportswear	12/77	109.6	106.5	3.4	-1.9	-12.5	15.2	.8	.4
Underwear, nightwear, and hosiery	12/77	140.1	141.1	2.6	-1.1	-3.4	3.8	.7	.1
Suits	12/77	98.7	100.0	-27.4	-24.9	32.5	6.2	-26.1	18.7
Girls'	12/77	114.7	112.3	-1.8	-13.8	-3.3	19.1	-8.0	7.3
Coats, jackets, dresses, and suits ²	12/77	101.2	99.7	-15.6	-7.3	-12.3	15.4	-11.6	.6
Separates and sportswear ²	12/77	115.4	110.9	6.1	-20.8	7.2	24.0	-8.3	15.3
Underwear, nightwear, hosiery, and accessories ²	12/77	134.9	135.2	.6	-5.0	-1.8	13.5	-2.2	5.5
Infants' and toddlers' ¹		326.2	329.2	24.8	-1.7	-8.9	7.0	10.8	-1.3
Other apparel commodities ¹		209.0	207.9	2.2	1.2	4.8	2.7	1.7	3.8
Sewing materials and notions ^{1 3}	12/77	124.7	123.4	6.7	2.9	.6	-4.4	4.8	-1.9
Jewelry and luggage ^{1 3}	12/77	140.0	139.5	.3	.3	6.7	5.9	.3	6.3
Footwear		211.6	214.0	-.2	.6	-1.1	6.0	.2	2.4
Men's	12/77	144.0	144.6	9.1	-3.3	-1.4	5.1	2.7	1.8
Boys' and girls' ¹	12/77	137.1	140.0	-.6	5.7	-2.6	11.0	2.5	4.0
Women's	12/77	119.1	120.9	-8.8	-2.0	.0	5.8	-5.5	2.9
Apparel services		334.5	335.6	6.1	2.0	3.7	3.8	4.0	3.7
Laundry and dry cleaning other than coin operated	12/77	199.8	200.4	5.5	1.0	3.7	6.2	3.2	5.0
Other apparel services ¹	12/77	176.8	177.5	4.0	5.2	2.8	1.8	4.6	2.3

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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—					
		Sept. 1986	Oct. 1986	3 months ending in—				6 months ending in—	
				Jan. 1986	Apr. 1986	July 1986	Oct. 1986	Apr. 1986	Oct. 1986
Transportation		301.3	301.6	6.2	-24.7	-1.2	-2.1	-10.6	-1.6
Private		294.9	295.2	6.1	-26.4	-1.6	-2.3	-11.6	-1.9
New vehicles		225.1	226.6	3.4	3.9	7.3	4.9	3.6	6.1
New cars		225.5	227.2	3.0	4.7	7.8	4.7	3.8	6.3
New trucks and motorcycles ¹	12/83	110.1	110.7	7.7	1.9	6.8	.0	4.8	3.3
Used cars		358.1	358.4	3.7	-7.4	-10.7	-6	-2.0	-5.8
Motor fuel		270.0	263.7	6.8	-71.2	-5.0	-17.3	-44.5	-11.4
Gasoline		269.5	263.1	6.4	-71.4	-4.6	-17.2	-44.8	-11.1
Gasoline, leaded regular	1/76	148.2	144.7	8.3	-74.2	-1.8	-16.8	-47.1	-9.6
Gasoline, unleaded regular	1/76	153.5	149.7	5.5	-72.4	-4.2	-18.2	-46.1	-11.5
Gasoline, unleaded premium	8/81	72.2	70.5	-4	-60.6	-4.7	-20.2	-37.4	-12.8
Automobile maintenance and repair		366.6	366.5	4.1	3.1	3.5	.9	3.6	2.2
Body work ¹	12/77	185.9	186.3	2.7	3.8	5.3	1.1	3.2	3.2
Automobile drive train, brake, and miscellaneous mechanical repair ¹	12/77	185.1	185.7	3.9	6.6	3.3	2.8	5.2	3.1
Maintenance and servicing ¹	12/77	162.4	163.1	2.0	.5	3.8	3.0	1.3	3.4
Power plant repair	12/77	175.6	175.1	3.8	3.0	1.2	1.2	3.4	1.2
Other private transportation ¹		299.7	305.2	11.1	4.6	2.7	3.8	7.9	3.2
Other private transportation commodities ¹		202.7	201.1	1.2	-1.9	-1.6	-5.2	-4	-3.4
Motor oil, coolant, and other products ¹	12/77	154.4	153.6	-5	-8	.5	-5.3	-6	-2.4
Automobile parts and equipment ¹	12/77	127.5	126.4	1.6	-2.4	-1.9	-5.2	-5	-3.5
Tires ¹		172.0	169.8	-9	-2.9	-2.3	-7.8	-1.9	-5.1
Other parts and equipment ¹	12/77	134.9	135.2	7.1	-6	-9	1.2	3.2	.1
Other private transportation services ¹		328.1	335.4	12.8	6.1	3.3	5.2	9.4	4.2
Automobile insurance ¹		410.9	420.0	20.0	12.5	10.1	12.8	16.2	11.5
Automobile finance charges ¹	12/77	132.8	137.9	3.7	-8.1	-17.6	-14.5	-2.3	-16.0
Automobile rental, registration, and other fees ¹	12/77	171.4	172.5	3.0	4.4	9.4	5.3	3.7	7.3
Automobile registration, license, and inspection fees ^{1 4}	12/77	157.5	157.6	.3	.8	5.8	3.6	.5	4.7
State registration ^{1 2}		219.9	219.9	.0	.0	6.9	3.9	.0	5.4
Drivers' license ^{1 2}	12/77	175.9	175.9	.9	.0	2.8	.9	.5	1.8
Automobile inspection ^{1 2}	12/77	163.6	163.6	1.0	-2.0	5.3	2.0	-.5	3.6
Other automobile related fees ¹	12/77	200.5	203.8	8.0	10.8	15.1	8.0	9.4	11.5
Public transportation ¹		418.8	418.9	9.6	4.4	4.9	.9	7.0	2.9
Airline fare ¹		483.7	483.7	1.5	-2.7	5.8	.3	-.6	3.0
Other intercity transportation ^{1 4}		222.2	222.0	22.0	6.6	3.9	-.4	14.0	1.7
Intercity bus fare ^{1 2}		516.4	516.9	23.0	9.9	.4	.9	16.3	.7
Intercity train fare ^{1 2}		423.3	420.1	18.4	-3.8	19.1	-5.6	6.7	6.0
Intracity public transportation ^{1 4}		209.4	209.4	15.2	9.2	4.3	1.3	12.1	2.8
Intracity mass transit ^{1 2}		385.8	386.0	16.4	10.3	4.6	1.4	13.3	3.0
Taxi fare ^{1 2}		338.7	339.0	6.6	1.7	2.4	1.8	4.1	2.1
Medical care		437.5	440.0	6.4	9.4	7.7	7.0	7.9	7.3
Medical care commodities		276.1	276.9	5.8	7.8	6.7	3.8	6.8	5.3
Prescription drugs		285.4	285.9	6.8	9.7	10.4	5.6	8.3	8.0
Anti-infective drugs ^{1 2}	12/77	194.9	195.2	1.7	9.5	5.3	2.1	5.5	3.7
Tranquilizers and sedatives ²	12/77	264.9	265.1	5.2	16.9	11.5	6.4	10.9	8.9
Circulatories and diuretics ^{1 2}	12/77	208.1	208.9	6.7	19.0	13.2	5.1	12.7	9.1
Hormones, diabetic drugs, biologicals, and prescription medical supplies ²	12/77	263.4	264.0	10.6	2.6	14.6	6.3	6.5	10.4
Pain and symptom control drugs ^{1 2}	12/77	226.8	226.8	7.2	9.2	7.1	5.8	8.2	6.5
Supplements, cough and cold preparations, and respiratory agents ²	12/77	207.0	209.7	7.4	9.0	10.3	7.4	8.2	8.8
Nonprescription drugs and medical supplies ^{1 3}	12/77	181.5	181.9	4.7	7.2	3.4	1.6	5.9	2.5
Eyeglasses ^{1 2}	12/77	149.7	150.2	-.6	9.1	2.7	3.3	4.2	3.0
Internal and respiratory over-the-counter drugs ¹		298.7	298.8	7.0	5.4	3.1	.7	6.2	1.9
Nonprescription medical equipment and supplies ¹	12/77	175.8	176.8	2.9	11.8	4.4	2.1	7.3	3.2
Medical care services		473.1	476.1	6.7	9.7	7.9	7.7	8.2	7.8
Professional services		397.0	399.2	5.5	7.9	6.0	7.2	6.7	6.6
Physicians' services		439.2	441.9	6.1	8.0	7.1	8.6	7.0	7.9
Dental services ¹		369.4	371.2	5.4	7.3	4.7	6.9	6.3	5.8
Other professional services ^{1 2}	12/77	177.1	177.6	7.0	9.3	.9	.9	8.2	.9
Other medical care services ²		569.2	573.3	7.8	11.5	9.7	8.0	9.6	8.9
Hospital and other medical services ²	12/77	237.3	239.1	4.5	7.4	7.3	7.3	6.0	7.3
Hospital room		746.1	749.7	5.9	8.2	6.6	4.7	7.0	5.6
Other hospital and medical care services ²	12/77	236.2	238.0	3.6	6.9	8.3	6.7	5.3	8.5

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—					
		Sept. 1986	Oct. 1986	3 months ending in—				6 months ending in—	
				Jan. 1986	Apr. 1986	July 1986	Oct. 1986	Apr. 1986	Oct. 1986
Entertainment		270.1	271.1	5.6	0.8	4.0	2.7	3.1	3.3
Entertainment commodities		259.5	260.1	3.3	-1.5	3.1	.8	.9	2.0
Reading materials ¹	12/77	183.2	183.6	4.1	4.3	2.9	3.8	4.2	3.3
Newspapers ¹		342.8	344.4	1.9	6.2	1.9	3.2	4.1	2.5
Magazines, periodicals, and books ¹	12/77	195.5	195.3	7.0	1.9	4.3	4.4	4.4	4.3
Sporting goods and equipment	12/77	133.8	133.5	-3.8	-4.9	1.8	-.9	-4.4	.5
Sports vehicles, including bicycles ^{1 4}	12/77	137.4	136.3	-3.4	-2.8	-1.7	-3.2	-3.1	-2.4
Sport vehicles ^{1 2}	12/77	136.5	135.5	-3.1	-5.1	-1.7	-2.9	-4.1	-2.3
Bicycles ²		204.4	203.0	-1.2	4.4	-2.5	-2.9	1.6	-2.7
Other sporting goods ^{1 4}	12/77	124.9	125.1	-.6	-4.7	2.6	4.3	-2.7	3.4
Indoor and warm weather sport equipment ^{1 2}	12/77	116.4	116.3	-1.4	1.0	-.7	4.6	-.2	1.9
Other sporting goods and equipment ²	12/77	131.7	132.1	.3	-8.2	6.4	4.4	-4.1	5.4
Toys, hobbies, and other entertainment	12/77	144.4	145.7	2.8	-.6	2.5	2.5	1.1	2.5
Toys, hobbies, and music equipment	12/77	135.1	137.2	3.0	-4.6	1.2	3.0	-.9	2.1
Photographic supplies and equipment	12/77	143.2	144.0	6.9	4.4	4.9	3.1	5.6	4.0
Pet supplies and expense ¹	12/77	161.9	161.5	4.4	.0	2.8	.7	2.2	1.8
Entertainment services ¹		288.9	290.7	8.1	4.4	5.0	6.0	6.2	5.5
Fees for participant sports ^{1 3}	12/77	182.7	184.2	7.9	6.3	2.5	10.4	7.1	6.4
Admissions ¹	12/77	169.1	170.4	8.6	.7	10.0	.5	4.6	5.1
Other entertainment services ^{1 3}	12/77	147.8	148.1	8.5	4.2	3.3	3.6	6.3	3.5
Other goods and services		345.3	346.8	7.9	5.0	6.3	3.7	6.4	5.0
Tobacco products ¹		356.5	356.8	10.4	4.3	9.6	3.2	7.3	6.3
Cigarettes ^{1 2}		366.2	366.8	10.9	4.2	9.9	3.2	7.5	6.5
Other tobacco products and smoking accessories ²	12/77	177.3	177.0	3.6	2.4	6.2	6.8	3.0	6.5
Personal care ¹		289.5	290.8	4.6	3.3	.8	2.8	3.9	1.8
Toilet goods and personal care appliances ¹		288.7	290.5	5.6	3.5	-.8	3.8	4.6	1.5
Other toilet goods and small appliances, including hair and dental products ^{1 4}	12/77	168.3	169.4	7.2	2.9	-1.2	3.1	5.0	1.0
Products for the hair, hairpieces, and wigs ^{1 2}	12/77	161.9	162.7	3.1	3.3	-3.9	7.7	3.2	1.7
Dental and shaving products ^{1 2}	12/77	177.6	181.3	17.9	3.4	-1.5	-.7	10.4	-1.1
Other toilet goods and small personal care appliances ^{1 2}	12/77	168.5	167.8	3.0	2.4	2.2	1.4	2.7	1.8
Cosmetics, bath and nail preparations									
manicure and eye makeup implements ¹	12/77	166.0	167.0	2.5	4.5	.0	5.2	3.5	2.6
Personal care services ¹		290.8	291.6	3.9	2.8	2.5	1.9	3.3	2.2
Beauty parlor services for females ¹		291.0	291.8	2.0	3.2	2.0	1.8	2.6	1.9
Haircuts and other barber shop services for males ¹	12/77	164.2	164.7	7.2	2.2	3.5	2.2	4.7	2.9
Personal and educational expenses		435.6	439.0	8.7	7.9	9.4	5.2	8.3	7.3
School books and supplies		388.5	392.0	7.6	8.4	8.7	5.2	8.0	6.9
Personal and educational services		447.1	450.5	8.7	7.8	9.5	5.2	8.3	7.4
Tuition and other school fees	12/77	227.5	229.1	10.0	8.1	9.3	4.3	9.1	6.8
College tuition	12/77	227.1	228.2	8.7	7.9	9.3	2.5	8.3	5.9
Elementary and high school tuition	12/77	229.4	231.2	10.9	9.6	9.9	8.4	10.2	9.1
Personal expenses ¹	12/77	236.0	237.7	3.5	7.9	10.8	7.8	5.7	9.3
Special indexes:									
Motor fuel, motor oil, coolant and other products		268.8	262.4	6.3	-70.4	-5.1	-16.9	-43.9	-11.2
Utilities and public transportation		372.2	368.6	2.3	2.0	3.1	-4.6	2.1	-.9
Housekeeping and home maintenance services ¹		404.0	404.7	3.0	.5	2.0	2.6	1.7	2.3

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 sched- ule ¹	Other index base	Indexes				Percent change to Oct. 1986 from—			Percent change to Sept. 1986 from—		
			July 1986	Aug. 1986	Sept. 1986	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986	Sept. 1986	Sept. 1985	July 1986	Aug. 1986
Area ²												
U.S. city average			328.0	328.6	330.2	330.5	1.5	0.6	0.1	1.8	0.7	0.5
Chicago, Ill.-Northwestern Ind.	M		331.1	331.4	333.9	328.7	1.9	-.8	-1.6	2.3	.8	.8
Detroit, Mich. ³	M		318.4	323.2	321.1	324.3	1.4	.3	1.0	.2	.8	-.6
L.A.-Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif.	M		330.9	330.9	334.6	336.2	3.1	1.6	.5	3.3	1.1	1.1
N.Y., N.Y.-Northeastern N.J.	M		325.1	325.9	326.6	327.8	3.3	.6	.4	3.1	.5	.2
Philadelphia, Pa.-N.J.	M		323.0	323.1	325.8	324.7	2.3	.5	-.3	2.9	.9	.8
Anchorage, Alaska ⁴	1	10/67	286.3	-	286.2	-	-	-	-	.6	.0	-
Baltimore, Md.	1		330.2	-	334.0	-	-	-	-	2.0	1.2	-
Boston, Mass.	1		323.6	-	328.2	-	-	-	-	2.1	1.4	-
Cincinnati, Ohio-Ky.-Ind. ⁴	1		332.4	-	333.0	-	-	-	-	1.0	.2	-
Denver-Boulder, Colo. ⁴	1		358.4	-	362.9	-	-	-	-	1.4	1.3	-
Miami, Fla.	1	11/77	171.2	-	174.3	-	-	-	-	.5	1.8	-
Milwaukee, Wis. ⁴	1		331.3	-	332.9	-	-	-	-	.2	.5	-
Northeast Pennsylvania ⁵	1		309.0	-	311.3	-	-	-	-	1.5	.7	-
Portland, Oreg.-Wash. ⁴	1		314.7	-	318.0	-	-	-	-	1.0	1.0	-
St. Louis, Mo.-Ill.	1		325.6	-	325.7	-	-	-	-	1.3	.0	-
San Diego, Calif. ⁴	1		383.1	-	385.9	-	-	-	-	2.3	.7	-
Seattle-Everett, Wash. ⁴	1		323.7	-	326.3	-	-	-	-	1.4	.8	-
Washington, D.C.-Md.-Va.	1		329.3	-	332.3	-	-	-	-	2.7	.9	-
Atlanta, Ga. ⁴	2		-	338.9	-	339.9	2.1	.3	-	-	-	-
Buffalo, N.Y. ⁴	2		-	307.5	-	309.4	.0	.6	-	-	-	-
Cleveland, Ohio ⁶	2		-	352.7	-	352.1	1.0	-.2	-	-	-	-
Dallas-Fort Worth, Tex.	2		-	346.2	-	345.9	.6	-.1	-	-	-	-
Honolulu, Hawaii ⁴	2		-	301.5	-	302.2	2.2	.2	-	-	-	-
Houston, Tex.	2		-	332.9	-	334.0	-1.1	.3	-	-	-	-
Kansas City, Mo.-Kans. ⁴	2		-	323.9	-	323.7	.2	-.1	-	-	-	-
Minneapolis-St.Paul, Minn.-Wis. ⁴	2		-	340.3	-	340.9	.1	.2	-	-	-	-
Pittsburgh, Pa.	2		-	330.1	-	331.8	1.0	.5	-	-	-	-
San Francisco-Oakland, Calif. ⁷	2		-	345.5	-	347.7	3.3	.6	-	-	-	-
Region ⁸												
Northeast	2	12/77	-	175.0	-	176.4	2.3	.8	-	-	-	-
North Central	2	12/77	-	176.2	-	176.5	.9	.2	-	-	-	-
South	2	12/77	-	176.4	-	177.5	1.0	.6	-	-	-	-
West	2	12/77	-	179.0	-	180.4	2.0	.8	-	-	-	-
Population size class ⁹												
A-1 ⁹	2	12/77	-	176.6	-	177.6	2.7	.6	-	-	-	-
A-2 ⁹	2	12/77	-	179.1	-	179.9	1.3	.4	-	-	-	-
B	2	12/77	-	176.6	-	178.3	1.1	1.0	-	-	-	-
C	2	12/77	-	175.0	-	175.9	1.2	.5	-	-	-	-
D	2	12/77	-	173.8	-	174.5	.4	.4	-	-	-	-

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 sched- ule ¹	Other index base	Indexes				Percent change to Oct. 1986 from—			Percent change to Sept. 1986 from—		
			July 1986	Aug. 1986	Sept. 1986	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986	Sept. 1986	Sept. 1985	July 1986	Aug. 1986
Region/population size class cross classification⁶												
Northeast/A	2	12/77	-	173.1	-	174.2	2.7	0.6	-	-	-	-
North Central/A	2	12/77	-	180.7	-	180.3	1.2	-2	-	-	-	-
South/A	2	12/77	-	176.7	-	177.6	1.1	.5	-	-	-	-
West/A	2	12/77	-	182.0	-	184.2	2.8	1.2	-	-	-	-
Northeast/B	2	12/77	-	174.7	-	178.0	1.8	1.9	-	-	-	-
North Central/B	2	12/77	-	172.5	-	174.0	.3	.9	-	-	-	-
South/B	2	12/77	-	178.6	-	180.0	1.5	.8	-	-	-	-
West/B	2	12/77	-	178.1	-	179.2	.7	.6	-	-	-	-
Northeast/C	2	12/77	-	182.8	-	183.8	1.2	.5	-	-	-	-
North Central/C	2	12/77	-	171.2	-	172.3	1.3	.6	-	-	-	-
South/C	2	12/77	-	174.8	-	175.8	.9	.6	-	-	-	-
West/C	2	12/77	-	173.0	-	173.1	2.0	.1	-	-	-	-
Northeast/D ⁵	2	12/77	-	176.8	-	178.1	1.4	.7	-	-	-	-
North Central/D	2	12/77	-	171.4	-	171.7	.1	.2	-	-	-	-
South/D	2	12/77	-	174.3	-	175.4	.3	.6	-	-	-	-
West/D ⁵	2	12/77	-	174.9	-	175.3	.5	.2	-	-	-	-

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

M - Every month.

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

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

² 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.

⁶ 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.

⁸ 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, October 1986							
Area ²							
U.S. city average		309.5	328.4	284.9	260.0	328.6	374.4
Anchorage, Alaska ³	10/67	289.5	284.5	273.7	252.5	284.0	355.7
Atlanta, Ga. ³		320.1	311.4	275.0	305.7	377.7	377.7
Baltimore, Md.		308.0	340.9	274.8	257.4	346.5	373.4
Boston, Mass.		294.0	327.4	287.3	234.7	300.3	343.7
Buffalo, N.Y. ³		313.9	306.3	289.4	255.3	357.3	381.7
Chicago, Ill.-Northwestern Ind.		301.5	320.0	290.0	251.3	314.0	359.0
Cincinnati, Ohio-Ky.-Ind. ³		332.3	386.9	285.4	269.5	335.7	430.6
Cleveland, Ohio		312.9	323.1	313.7	263.2	307.7	358.2
Dallas-Fort Worth, Tex.		313.0	327.4	263.7	281.5	329.5	389.8
Denver-Boulder, Colo. ³		291.4	309.6	264.9	272.7	275.3	363.1
Detroit, Mich.		301.5	338.3	290.9	241.2	284.4	372.1
Honolulu, Hawaii ³		341.5	323.6	306.8	308.5	378.6	421.0
Houston, Tex.		325.3	324.7	293.5	311.9	324.3	389.7
Kansas City, Mo.-Kans. ³		307.3	331.5	270.3	280.5	335.3	359.7
L.A.-Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif.		309.3	345.1	282.8	256.2	298.1	386.9
Miami, Fla.	11/77	163.2	168.5	162.4	153.0	178.2	158.6
Milwaukee, Wis. ³		300.9	342.7	293.8	265.4	293.5	333.8
Minneapolis-St. Paul, Minn.-Wis. ³		306.3	358.0	270.0	290.4	304.4	344.4
N.Y., N.Y.-Northeastern N.J.		324.8	336.9	293.8	270.9	358.0	404.1
Northeast Pennsylvania ⁴		300.5	307.3	292.8	236.7	318.8	362.3
Philadelphia, Pa.-N.J.		308.7	331.6	283.4	246.3	331.0	389.6
Pittsburgh, Pa.		288.9	314.8	264.2	225.8	302.4	358.4
Portland, Oreg.-Wash. ³		297.2	333.2	283.4	227.4	309.4	370.0
St. Louis, Mo.-Ill.		317.7	356.0	261.1	304.2	368.6	382.3
San Diego, Calif. ³		308.1	334.0	290.9	243.5	302.7	375.9
San Francisco-Oakland, Calif.		315.3	341.4	293.4	254.4	333.5	386.5
Seattle-Everett, Wash. ³		291.1	312.7	265.5	248.6	250.8	390.3
Washington, D.C.-Md.-Va.		328.0	335.2	295.9	251.7	372.8	412.9
Region ⁵							
Northeast	12/77	160.1	172.4	161.4	143.3	172.3	153.5
North Central	12/77	156.0	172.6	156.8	141.6	163.2	151.7
South	12/77	181.2	171.7	156.4	154.7	175.4	155.6
West	12/77	162.4	181.1	157.8	150.2	171.1	160.7
Population size class ⁵							
A-1 ⁶	12/77	160.4	172.9	160.9	147.7	166.2	156.7
A-2 ⁶	12/77	160.5	175.1	157.6	149.9	171.7	156.7
B	12/77	160.3	175.3	158.2	147.1	176.0	154.4
C	12/77	158.1	174.3	155.6	144.8	169.7	154.3
D	12/77	158.4	170.0	162.5	143.5	172.6	149.5

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, October 1986							
Region/population size class cross classification ⁵							
Northeast/A	12/77	160.1	171.2	160.9	145.0	171.3	154.1
North Central/A	12/77	158.2	172.4	159.7	146.8	163.1	153.4
South/A	12/77	163.7	173.7	159.5	156.9	174.0	161.9
West/A	12/77	162.0	182.3	156.0	152.8	164.9	163.0
Northeast/B	12/77	161.0	175.6	164.9	140.5	172.3	153.5
North Central/B	12/77	149.0	171.4	145.9	138.7	157.6	145.3
South/B	12/77	163.4	172.8	158.2	154.4	166.1	157.6
West/B	12/77	163.8	182.4	160.8	151.4	177.1	158.1
Northeast/C	12/77	160.3	176.0	162.9	140.9	178.0	149.6
North Central/C	12/77	155.2	173.8	152.9	139.9	166.3	154.3
South/C	12/77	158.0	173.4	153.6	153.6	166.6	154.4
West/C	12/77	160.3	175.5	156.6	143.5	172.0	160.0
Northeast/D ⁴	12/77	157.3	168.9	155.3	137.7	172.1	156.0
North Central/D	12/77	156.3	172.9	161.9	136.1	164.8	149.5
South/D	12/77	158.9	163.8	167.0	153.7	174.1	143.8
West/D ⁴	12/77	163.8	180.5	161.0	143.8	166.1	157.1

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 September 1986 to October 1986					
Area ²						
U.S. city average	0.2	0.0	0.1	0.6	-0.2	0.2
Anchorage, Alaska ³	-1	-1.3	-1.0	-7	1.2	.8
Atlanta, Ga. ³	-7	1.0	-2.1	1.0	-2.1	.5
Baltimore, Md.	-1.3	-.6	-.9	-1.1	-2.9	-1.1
Boston, Mass.	-1.5	1.0	-1.6	.0	-7.1	.0
Buffalo, N.Y. ³	1.1	1.0	2.0	-.3	2.3	-.2
Chicago, Ill.-Northwestern Ind.	-.3	-1.0	-.1	1.7	-3.1	.5
Cincinnati, Ohio-Ky.-Ind. ³	-.7	-1.2	-1.9	4.1	-5.2	1.0
Cleveland, Ohio .....	.4	-1.1	.1	-.1	3.5	.4
Dallas-Fort Worth, Tex.	1.3	4.2	-2.6	3.5	.7	2.8
Denver-Boulder, Colo. ³	-.9	.6	-.1	.1	-4.1	-1.1
Detroit, Mich. ....	.7	-.2	1.4	-.6	1.8	.5
Honolulu, Hawaii ³	2.6	-.6	6.8	2.2	2.0	-.3
Houston, Tex. ....	.8	.4	2.2	1.1	-2.4	1.2
Kansas City, Mo.-Kans. ³ .....	.7	.5	-.1	.6	2.4	.7
L.A.-Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif. ....	.6	.8	1.1	-.2	.6	.2
Miami, Fla. ....	.7	.2	1.1	.0	.6	1.0
Milwaukee, Wis. ³ .....	.2	.1	-.3	1.6	2.5	-.9
Minneapolis-St. Paul, Minn.-Wis. ³	-.2	-.2	-.7	1.0	.5	-.9
N.Y., N.Y.-Northeastern N.J. ....	.5	1.0	-.5	.5	1.3	1.0
Northeast Pennsylvania ⁴	-.1	.9	-.2	-1.0	1.4	-.7
Philadelphia, Pa.-N.J. ....	.1	-.1	-.1	-.8	1.7	.1
Pittsburgh, Pa.	-1.0	.6	.0	-.4	-3.5	-1.9
Portland, Oreg.-Wash. ³	-.2	-.4	1.1	.4	-.2	-1.9
St. Louis, Mo.-Ill.	1.1	1.1	-.9	1.7	3.7	1.7
San Diego, Calif. ³ .....	.8	.4	-1.0	-1.2	-1.3	4.8
San Francisco-Oakland, Calif.	1.0	-1.0	.4	1.1	4.4	.4
Seattle-Everett, Wash. ³	-.9	-.4	-.5	-.9	-2.3	-.8
Washington, D.C.-Md.-Va.	-1.4	-3.8	.1	-.6	-2.6	-1.4
Region ⁵						
Northeast .....	.3	.7	.0	.5	.3	.3
North Central .....	.2	-.6	.3	.9	-.6	.6
South .....	.1	.1	-.1	.8	-.7	.2
West	-.1	-.4	.1	.1	.5	-.5
Population size class ⁶						
A-1 ⁶ .....	.3	.4	.1	.3	.6	.6
A-2 ⁶ .....	.0	.0	-.3	.7	-.6	.3
B .....	.1	-.1	.6	.3	.2	-.4
C .....	.3	.0	.2	1.0	-.2	.3
D	-.3	-1.2	-.1	1.0	-1.7	.0

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 September 1986 to October 1986						
Region/population size class cross classification ⁵						
Northeast/A	0.2	0.6	-0.4	0.1	0.3	0.5
North Central/A .....	.2	-.4	.0	1.2	.0	.5
South/A	-.1	-.1	-.3	.6	-1.7	.4
West/A .....	.6	.3	.6	-.1	1.2	.6
Northeast/B .....	.9	1.3	1.4	.8	.9	.2
North Central/B	-.5	-.9	.2	-.6	-2.3	-.2
South/B .....	.4	.6	.6	.5	.6	.0
West/B	-.5	-1.9	-.1	.3	.6	-1.4
Northeast/C .....	.8	-.3	.7	1.3	2.2	.2
North Central/C .....	.5	-.7	.8	1.0	-.8	1.1
South/C .....	.1	.7	-.3	1.0	-.5	.2
West/C	-.5	.1	-.1	.4	-1.8	-.8
Northeast/D ⁴	-.7	-.1	-.1	1.2	-4.0	-.4
North Central/D .....	.4	-.6	.8	.7	-1.0	1.4
South/D	-.3	-2.1	-.2	1.7	-2.0	.1
West/D ⁴	-1.3	-.9	-1.6	-.3	.4	-2.7

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.

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

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 September 1986 to October 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	0.1	-1.6	1.0	0.5	0.4	-0.3
Food and beverages .....	.2	-1.0	.7	.5	.6	.1
Food .....	.2	-1.0	.7	.5	.6	.1
Food at home .....	.2	-.3	.7	.6	.5	.1
Cereals and bakery products .....	.0	-1.0	-.2	.8	1.0	-.1
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs .....	.1	-.1	1.4	1.1	-.5	-.1
Meats, poultry, and fish .....	.1	-.2	1.6	1.1	-.4	.1
Dairy products .....	.6	1.7	-.6	-.2	.5	-.8
Fruits and vegetables	-.2	-3.1	1.8	.6	1.3	1.7
Other foods at home .....	.2	.5	.5	.2	1.0	.1
Food away from home .....	.2	-2.3	.7	.4	1.1	.0
Alcoholic beverages .....	.1	-.5	-.1	.5	-.5	.6
Housing	-.2	-4.2	1.6	.3	-.1	-1.2
Shelter .....	.5	.7	-.1	.1	1.1	.7
Renters' costs .....	.3	1.2	-.1	.5	1.4	.2
Rent, residential .....	.5	.5	.4	.5	1.4	.3
Other renters' costs	-.4	5.1	-1.8	.0	1.5	.4
Homeowners' costs .....	.5	.2	-.2	-.2	.9	.9
Owners' equivalent rent .....	.5	.2	-.2	-.2	.8	.8
Fuel and other utilities	-2.4	-20.5	8.5	-.3	-4.9	-7.5
Fuels	-3.6	-26.2	11.6	-.2	-6.2	-9.9
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas	-.4	-.9	-1.8	3.1	.0	-.6
Fuel oil	-.5	-1.1	-2.0	NA	.0	-1.1
Other fuels ² .....	.5	.0	.0	3.1	.0	6.9
Gas (piped) and electricity	-4.3	-28.6	13.4	-.2	-8.6	-13.1
Electricity	-7.3	-41.8	-4.9	-.9	-11.4	-17.2
Utility (piped) gas .....	.3	-.8	30.4	.2	-4.4	-8.4
Household furnishings and operation .....	.0	-1.0	-1.3	1.8	.1	.1
Apparel and upkeep .....	.5	.0	.5	-.3	-.9	-.3
Apparel commodities .....	.5	.0	.6	-.3	-1.1	-.4
Men's and boys' apparel .....	.5	.2	-1.4	-.8	.6	-1.5
Women's and girls' apparel .....	.4	-.1	1.3	-2.7	-3.0	-4.1
Footwear	1.5	.8	1.8	3.5	.0	14.6
Transportation .....	.1	.7	1.3	.9	1.6	.9
Private transportation .....	.1	.8	1.4	.9	2.1	1.0
Motor fuel	-2.9	-3.1	-4.1	-4.8	-.9	-1.6
Gasoline	-3.0	-3.4	-4.1	-4.9	-.9	-1.7
Gasoline, leaded regular	-3.1	-3.2	-6.2	-4.6	-.4	-1.3
Gasoline, unleaded regular	-3.1	-3.4	-3.5	-5.5	-1.1	-2.4
Gasoline, unleaded premium	-2.4	-3.7	-2.4	-4.7	-1.0	-1.0
Public transportation .....	.0	.0	.0	.1	-.1	.3
Medical care .....	.6	.4	.4	.9	.7	.2
Entertainment .....	.4	1.3	-2.8	.3	-.1	-1.3
Other goods and services .....	.4	.7	.0	.4	.7	.0
Personal care .....	.4	1.5	-.7	1.0	2.3	.0

Table 15. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Areas priced monthly, by expenditure category and commodity and service group, percent change from September 1986 to October 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	0.1	-1.6	1.0	0.5	0.4	-0.3
Commodities .....	.0	-.6	-.2	.3	.4	.0
Food and beverages .....	.2	-1.0	.7	.5	.6	.1
Commodities less food and beverages	-.1	-.4	-.6	.2	.2	-.1
Nondurables less food and beverages	-.4	-.9	-1.7	-1.3	.0	-.3
Durables .....	.4	.4	.4	2.3	.7	.2
Services .....	.1	-2.4	2.2	.6	.4	-.7
Medical care services .....	.7	.5	.3	.9	.8	.1
Special indexes:						
All items less shelter .....	.0	-2.2	1.3	.7	.1	-.7
All items less medical care .....	.1	-1.7	1.0	.5	.4	-.3
All items less energy .....	.4	.3	.5	.7	.8	.4
Energy	-3.3	-17.6	5.4	-2.7	-4.6	-7.1
Commodities less food	-.1	-.4	-.6	.2	.2	-.1
Nondurables less food	-.4	-.9	-1.6	-1.2	.0	-.2
Nondurables	-.1	-.9	-.4	-.3	.4	-.1
Services less rent of shelter	-.1	-4.6	3.7	1.1	-.2	-1.6
Services less medical care .....	.1	-2.7	2.4	.6	.3	-.7

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

^{NA} Data not adequate for publication.

Table 16. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Areas priced monthly, by expenditure category and commodity and service group. Indexes, October 1986, and percent changes, August 1986 to October 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	330.5	0.6	328.7	-0.8	324.3	0.3	336.2	1.6	327.8	0.6	324.7	0.5
All items (1957-59=100)	384.4	-	373.4	-	372.6	-	395.3	-	390.1	-	379.2	-
Food and beverages	315.6	.3	300.4	-1.2	297.3	.4	306.8	.4	329.1	.5	319.1	.9
Food	323.7	.3	308.4	-1.2	301.3	.4	317.8	.3	341.0	.6	329.5	.9
Food at home	309.5	.2	301.5	-.3	301.5	.4	309.3	.3	324.8	.4	308.7	.8
Cereals and bakery products	328.4	.1	320.0	-2.3	338.3	-.1	345.1	1.5	336.9	.5	331.6	-.9
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	284.9	.7	290.0	.9	290.9	1.6	282.8	-.5	293.8	-.1	283.4	1.8
Meats, poultry, and fish	293.0	.9	300.7	1.2	295.2	1.9	285.4	-.4	299.4	.0	293.3	1.9
Dairy products	260.0	.7	251.3	1.8	241.2	-.1	256.2	.2	270.9	.9	246.3	1.4
Fruits and vegetables	328.6	-1.1	314.0	-4.4	284.4	.7	298.1	.0	358.0	-.4	331.0	1.7
Other foods at home	374.4	.1	359.0	.4	372.1	-.7	386.9	.7	404.1	1.3	389.6	-.1
Food away from home	364.0	.6	326.5	-2.8	313.3	.4	335.2	.3	381.4	1.0	392.0	1.3
Alcoholic beverages	240.6	.2	218.7	-1.2	271.5	-.4	220.5	1.5	230.8	-.2	244.7	.7
Housing	363.0	.2	370.5	-3.5	360.6	-.2	385.5	2.7	340.8	-.3	339.5	-.5
Shelter	409.5	1.1	436.3	1.3	407.6	1.5	433.2	3.1	371.7	.4	379.4	1.8
Renters' costs ²	124.0	.9	124.2	1.8	122.5	.7	131.3	2.7	126.9	.9	133.6	1.9
Rent, residential	284.6	1.0	251.6	1.0	265.4	2.0	352.3	2.8	303.6	.6	304.9	.9
Other renters' costs	427.3	.4	433.7	6.2	367.4	-4.4	372.7	-.3	459.5	2.2	638.3	6.7
Homeowners' costs ²	121.3	1.2	122.2	1.0	117.4	1.8	129.7	3.4	126.0	-.1	127.8	1.8
Owners' equivalent rent ²	121.3	1.2	121.3	1.0	117.6	1.9	129.6	3.5	126.1	-.2	127.7	1.6
Fuel and other utilities	379.1	-2.7	320.5	-19.4	427.1	-3.2	389.9	1.4	363.1	-4.1	369.6	-7.3
Fuels	450.3	-4.0	384.1	-24.9	496.2	-4.3	540.0	2.3	451.8	-5.6	423.8	-9.6
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas ³	451.9	1.0	470.2	-3.9	527.9	-1.7	167.8	3.1	484.7	1.0	447.2	.4
Fuel oil ⁴	434.0	1.1	167.0	-4.6	173.1	-2.0	NA	NA	156.5	1.0	149.7	.1
Other fuels ^{5,6}	180.0	.6	141.1	.1	183.1	1.0	167.8	3.1	198.3	.0	176.1	6.9
Gas (piped) and electricity	441.4	-5.0	357.7	-26.9	488.7	-4.6	542.4	2.3	430.2	-8.1	409.8	-13.1
Electricity	361.3	-7.3	308.6	-39.8	315.3	-8.6	373.2	-.8	368.7	-11.3	400.9	-17.2
Utility (piped) gas	552.4	-1.5	396.9	-.5	641.3	-3.2	769.6	4.3	537.8	-3.0	409.9	-8.4
Household furnishings and operation	251.6	.4	245.0	-.2	215.3	-1.2	242.8	2.4	258.7	1.1	252.2	.4
Apparel and upkeep	213.2	3.0	180.7	4.2	176.4	3.4	185.5	1.8	195.1	1.9	188.8	2.3
Apparel commodities	197.6	3.3	163.3	5.2	160.1	4.2	171.4	2.0	172.1	2.4	172.8	2.7
Men's and boys' apparel	204.3	3.3	146.4	6.5	179.2	.8	175.3	3.1	164.1	4.9	180.0	4.0
Women's and girls' apparel	176.4	5.5	146.1	6.3	145.2	7.0	127.9	1.3	155.8	1.6	111.0	2.7
Footwear	215.1	2.6	199.3	5.6	142.6	8.5	213.5	6.2	203.8	2.4	225.3	11.6
Transportation	302.6	.4	297.3	.8	304.6	.5	322.7	1.1	333.7	1.1	325.0	1.2
Private transportation	294.1	.4	284.1	.9	300.2	.5	321.2	1.0	302.1	1.4	319.1	1.3
Motor fuel ⁶	135.4	-1.0	131.1	-1.1	136.8	-5.2	132.0	-3.5	133.5	-.5	143.1	.1
Gasoline ⁶	135.0	-1.1	130.1	-.8	136.4	-5.2	131.9	-3.6	133.2	-.4	143.5	.1
Gasoline, leaded regular ⁷	144.3	-.9	146.9	-1.1	141.5	-8.1	144.6	-2.8	133.2	.2	153.6	.1
Gasoline, unleaded regular ⁷	149.3	-1.1	143.9	-.3	155.2	-4.1	150.2	-4.4	138.3	-.6	153.4	-.2
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁸	70.4	-1.4	74.8	-2.2	71.9	-6.1	69.7	-2.7	69.4	-.7	69.9	.7
Public transportation	428.7	.2	431.7	.0	411.4	.0	342.7	1.4	477.2	-.2	406.6	.3
Medical care	442.3	1.1	438.3	1.2	472.9	.5	466.2	1.1	453.1	1.8	483.3	.8
Entertainment	276.5	.7	293.7	4.6	236.4	-.5	232.5	-.8	293.4	-.3	255.3	-.6
Other goods and services	354.6	2.4	355.7	2.0	326.7	.9	339.9	1.3	370.9	3.4	380.8	2.4
Personal care	293.1	.3	280.5	1.0	232.1	-3.5	288.8	.1	314.7	1.2	289.6	.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, October 1986, and percent changes, August 1986 to October 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	330.5	0.6	328.7	-0.8	324.3	0.3	338.2	1.6	327.8	0.6	324.7	0.5
Commodities	283.6	.6	281.0	.0	265.2	.2	268.8	.6	283.4	.8	275.7	.9
Food and beverages	315.6	.3	300.4	-1.2	297.3	.4	306.8	.4	329.1	.5	319.1	.9
Commodities less food and beverages	262.1	.8	263.5	.9	244.7	.0	247.6	.8	248.8	1.0	246.5	.8
Nondurables less food and beverage	260.4	.9	247.7	1.2	236.3	-1.0	245.1	.0	252.2	.7	251.6	1.0
Durables	270.5	.6	279.7	.4	253.3	1.2	257.1	1.9	246.3	1.4	249.8	.4
Services	406.1	.6	401.6	-1.6	416.3	.5	437.0	2.4	392.5	.4	407.7	.1
Medical care services	478.8	1.2	485.0	1.4	497.0	.5	497.3	1.1	487.2	2.1	534.8	.7
Special indexes:												
All items less shelter	307.8	.5	293.6	-1.4	298.4	.0	303.3	1.0	314.2	.6	312.9	.1
All items less medical care	324.4	.6	322.4	-1.0	314.5	.3	329.2	1.6	321.4	.5	316.2	.5
All items less energy ²	331.4	.9	186.3	.9	176.5	.9	182.9	1.8	175.3	1.0	174.4	1.2
Energy ⁴	348.6	-2.8	150.3	-16.0	160.1	-4.6	173.7	-8	149.1	-4.1	163.7	-6.4
Commodities less food	260.9	.7	261.9	.8	246.2	.0	246.4	.9	246.9	.9	245.6	.8
Nondurables less food	257.8	.9	245.0	1.0	238.8	-1.0	242.2	.1	248.4	.8	249.8	1.1
Nondurables	289.0	.6	275.9	-.1	268.0	-.3	277.2	.2	293.7	.6	268.3	1.0
Services less rent of shelter ²	120.1	.3	115.6	-3.7	119.2	-.3	127.2	1.5	121.6	.6	125.7	-1.0
Services less medical care	395.7	.5	388.2	-1.9	395.8	.5	427.6	2.5	381.3	.3	388.5	.1

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

⁷ Indexes on a January 1976=100 base.

⁸ Indexes on an August 1981=100 base.

⁹ 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, October 1986, and percent changes, August 1986 to October 1986

(1967=100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Area pricing schedule 2 ¹									
	Atlanta, Ga. ²		Buffalo, N.Y. ²		Cleveland, Ohio ³		Dallas-Fort Worth, Tex.		Honolulu, Hawaii ²	
	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change
Expenditure category										
All items	339.9	0.3	309.4	0.6	352.1	-0.2	345.9	-0.1	302.2	0.2
All items (1957-59=100) ⁴	390.9	-	340.1	-	397.5	-	373.9	-	325.8	-
Food and beverages	327.4	-4	307.0	.1	314.7	.5	333.6	.6	332.2	1.8
Food	338.4	-6	312.3	.1	322.7	.5	338.5	.6	344.4	2.0
Food at home	320.1	-1.4	313.9	.0	312.9	.7	313.0	.5	341.5	2.4
Cereals and bakery products	311.4	.0	306.3	.5	323.1	-6	327.4	1.0	323.6	-8
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	275.0	-1.0	289.4	.3	313.7	1.3	263.7	-1.8	306.8	4.2
Meats, poultry, and fish	286.4	-1	295.5	.4	323.7	1.8	274.2	-1.1	311.6	4.3
Dairy products	305.7	-8	255.3	.7	263.2	.3	281.5	2.1	308.5	4.5
Fruits and vegetables	377.7	-3.3	357.3	-1.0	307.7	.2	329.5	1.0	378.6	.2
Other foods at home	377.7	-1.5	381.7	-3	358.2	1.0	389.8	1.5	421.0	2.2
Food away from home	373.3	.6	317.0	.2	348.6	.0	407.0	.7	355.2	1.1
Alcoholic beverages	199.6	1.6	251.6	.8	246.0	.5	269.6	.6	228.2	-1.1
Housing	387.0	-3	332.6	.2	397.0	-1.5	383.4	-1.4	261.9	-1.0
Shelter	438.7	.7	339.3	.5	455.7	.0	437.2	.6	301.6	.5
Renters' costs ⁵	129.3	.4	122.0	1.1	120.4	.8	118.6	-2	122.9	1.1
Rent, residential	265.9	.4	243.3	1.0	233.5	1.0	276.6	-3	304.1	1.4
Other renters' costs	476.2	.2	406.6	1.3	369.2	-2	426.1	.5	440.0	-1.9
Homeowners' costs ⁵	122.9	1.1	127.1	.4	117.7	-3	118.5	.9	117.8	.1
Owners' equivalent rent ⁵	123.2	1.1	127.2	.4	117.8	-3	119.1	1.0	117.8	.1
Fuel and other utilities	364.5	-4.6	461.4	-6	398.1	-5.8	360.1	-6.5	280.9	-3.5
Fuels	446.9	-8.0	505.2	-1.1	469.4	-7.8	473.4	-10.5	306.0	-5.8
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas ⁶	176.7	-1.5	417.2	-1.9	164.7	.7	189.7	-1.7	NA	NA
Fuel oil ⁷	167.0	5.5	137.6	-1.9	158.2	-5	NA	NA	NA	NA
Other fuels ⁷ ⁸	183.4	-5.3	156.4	.0	178.8	2.9	189.5	-1.7	NA	NA
Gas (piped) and electricity	450.0	-8.2	526.9	-1.0	475.5	-8.3	474.1	-10.8	303.8	-5.8
Electricity	344.3	-15.4	387.1	-2.1	339.3	-18.5	336.9	-14.1	294.2	-6.2
Utility (piped) gas	590.3	1.5	591.5	.1	596.2	.0	606.2	-2.6	358.3	-3.0
Household furnishings and operation	269.7	.4	248.9	.8	249.0	-8	263.1	-2.2	220.6	-5.4
Apparel and upkeep	224.3	7.4	246.2	-9	203.2	-8	225.5	.5	206.5	1.5
Apparel commodities	198.9	8.1	239.1	-1.2	193.1	-9	189.7	-1	196.9	1.7
Men's and boys' apparel	233.7	.6	304.3	1.3	220.4	-5	212.2	-5.1	219.3	1.5
Women's and girls' apparel	200.5	17.6	199.7	-3.5	159.1	-7.8	175.2	9.2	186.4	-4
Footwear	132.4	2.6	232.2	-2.3	189.7	10.4	206.4	.5	187.5	-1.3
Transportation	284.0	-5	268.1	.9	293.7	.7	298.1	.4	267.3	-3
Private transportation	276.5	-8	262.1	1.3	299.3	.7	295.0	.4	273.2	-4
Motor fuel ⁷	125.2	-3.5	124.3	1.7	136.1	-2.4	133.4	-2.8	160.7	-3
Gasoline ⁷	125.2	-3.6	124.1	1.7	135.4	-2.4	133.2	-2.8	161.0	-2
Gasoline, leaded regular ⁹	129.4	-3.1	134.6	2.6	137.9	-3.1	147.0	-3.4	162.1	.4
Gasoline, unleaded regular ⁹	142.4	-3.9	132.6	1.8	146.6	-2.9	149.2	-2.6	179.7	-1
Gasoline, unleaded premium ¹⁰	67.0	-3.6	64.7	.5	70.9	-1.5	67.6	-2.2	80.5	-1.8
Public transportation	347.6	2.1	368.2	-3.4	333.7	.0	379.8	1.0	239.9	.0
Medical care	448.1	1.4	356.6	.9	494.4	.2	457.2	1.4	442.9	.4
Entertainment	246.9	.4	295.4	5.5	280.6	2.1	293.0	1.7	286.3	.4
Other goods and services	346.5	1.3	356.7	1.6	362.4	1.8	353.5	1.6	372.1	3.3
Personal care	321.2	1.4	263.5	-3	296.6	.4	312.0	.6	305.6	-4

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Area pricing schedule 2 ¹									
	Atlanta, Ga. ²		Buffalo, N.Y. ²		Cleveland, Ohio ³		Dallas- Fort Worth, Tex.		Honolulu, Hawaii ²	
	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change
	Commodity and service group									
All items	339.9	0.3	309.4	0.6	352.1	-0.2	345.9	-0.1	302.2	0.2
Commodities	280.0	.7	276.4	.7	290.5	.1	297.3	-.1	280.9	.2
Food and beverages	327.4	-.4	307.0	.1	314.7	.5	333.6	.6	332.2	1.8
Commodities less food and beverages	253.1	1.4	256.5	1.1	268.2	-.1	273.6	-.7	242.4	-1.2
Nondurables less food and beverage	242.0	2.1	268.5	1.1	250.6	-.9	255.7	-.7	274.0	.3
Durables	272.3	.5	250.6	1.1	281.9	.8	299.0	-.6	212.3	-3.9
Services	438.8	-.1	365.5	.6	461.3	-.5	414.8	.0	331.0	.3
Medical care services	489.7	.9	366.8	1.0	536.5	.1	492.7	1.5	462.7	.2
Special indexes:										
All items less shelter	307.1	.2	302.9	.7	310.6	-.2	315.5	-.3	298.3	.1
All items less medical care	333.2	.2	306.7	.6	343.6	-.2	338.2	-.2	294.3	.2
All items less energy ¹¹	188.1	.9	167.1	.7	192.3	.5	188.9	.8	174.4	.4
Energy ⁷	148.5	-5.8	154.2	-.1	166.1	-5.8	151.3	-7.2	147.9	-2.6
Commodities less food	251.7	1.5	256.3	1.1	268.2	-.1	273.6	-.6	241.0	-1.2
Nondurables less food	239.1	2.1	266.7	1.0	249.7	-.9	256.2	-.7	267.5	.2
Nondurables	264.2	.7	288.7	.5	284.7	-.2	293.6	.0	307.5	1.2
Services less rent of shelter ⁵	124.9	-.8	113.9	.7	116.9	-.6	123.8	-.5	112.0	.2
Services less medical care	427.9	-.2	385.1	.6	444.3	-.5	402.2	-.2	313.1	.3

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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, October 1986, and percent changes, August 1986 to October 1986—Continued

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Area pricing schedule 2 ¹									
	Houston, Tex.		Kansas City, Mo.-Kans. ²		Minneapolis-St. Paul, Minn.-Wis. ²		Pittsburgh, Pa.		San Francisco-Oakland, Calif. ¹²	
	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change
Expenditure category										
All items	334.0	0.3	323.7	-0.1	340.9	0.2	331.8	0.5	347.7	0.6
All items (1957-59=100)	382.1	-	384.2	-	395.0	-	381.6	-	413.8	-
Food and beverages	343.1	.6	313.3	-.1	320.6	.8	302.6	-1.0	316.7	.4
Food	350.4	.7	319.7	-.1	332.0	.9	307.0	-1.1	327.7	.4
Food at home	325.3	1.3	307.3	-.3	306.3	.9	286.9	-1.6	315.3	.0
Cereals and bakery products	324.7	1.1	331.5	.5	358.0	1.4	314.8	-.3	341.4	-2.8
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	293.5	3.5	270.3	.1	270.0	2.2	264.2	1.7	293.4	-.4
Meats, poultry, and fish	304.3	3.7	278.9	.1	278.0	2.5	272.7	2.0	297.8	-.4
Dairy products	311.9	1.9	280.5	-.6	290.4	1.8	225.8	-.4	254.4	.9
Fruits and vegetables	324.3	-2.1	335.3	-1.3	304.4	.9	302.4	-6.5	333.5	6.7
Other foods at home	389.7	.5	359.7	-.2	344.4	-.8	358.4	-3.9	386.5	-2.5
Food away from home	430.6	-.5	354.3	.2	409.6	.8	371.6	.0	346.0	1.1
Alcoholic beverages	266.4	-1.4	255.4	.3	244.4	.6	280.7	-.1	216.9	.6
Housing	348.8	-.5	348.9	-1.6	390.7	-1.8	379.6	.7	411.9	.6
Shelter	376.9	-1.5	393.3	.3	469.5	-.1	451.7	1.6	467.8	1.0
Renters' costs ⁵	95.0	-2.1	124.2	.6	121.7	.0	119.7	.8	135.2	-2.2
Rent, residential	217.2	-2.0	236.4	.4	286.4	.1	257.9	.8	365.5	-.2
Other renters' costs	410.5	-2.8	364.4	2.2	448.9	-1.2	421.1	.9	412.0	-20.4
Homeowners' costs ⁵	97.6	-1.2	116.1	.2	117.9	-.2	116.1	1.9	140.1	3.2
Owners' equivalent rent ⁵	93.3	-1.5	115.9	.3	118.4	-.2	116.1	1.9	140.3	3.2
Fuel and other utilities	438.3	-.1	372.0	-7.8	363.2	-8.4	386.1	-.5	423.1	-.7
Fuels	553.2	-.7	439.2	-11.9	396.8	-11.7	492.2	-.7	500.0	-1.1
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas ¹³	159.4	-5.3	163.5	4.0	499.7	2.0	173.7	1.8	NA	NA
Fuel oil ⁷	NA	NA	154.3	.0	168.8	1.5	137.5	3.8	177.3	2.5
Other fuels ^{7, 8}	159.4	-5.3	169.9	6.7	163.6	4.1	NA	NA	NA	NA
Gas (piped) and electricity	559.1	-.6	443.0	-12.4	384.3	-13.7	495.9	-.8	505.3	-1.2
Electricity	475.3	-.8	309.4	-24.5	257.6	-13.7	351.7	.0	316.9	-2.3
Utility (piped) gas	572.2	.5	610.5	1.7	498.0	-13.7	630.0	-1.5	833.5	.0
Household furnishings and operation	244.9	2.0	249.9	.7	230.0	-.5	232.3	-.3	271.0	.2
Apparel and upkeep	250.3	-1.7	224.0	-.2	204.9	2.6	204.7	2.8	218.6	3.3
Apparel commodities	226.3	-2.6	210.2	-.5	195.1	2.9	194.5	3.2	198.4	2.6
Men's and boys' apparel	253.7	.5	220.7	2.8	217.7	2.3	174.5	1.8	207.3	3.8
Women's and girls' apparel	218.5	1.2	198.6	2.2	150.7	-1.8	176.8	1.7	179.7	2.7
Footwear	241.3	-2.0	248.3	-16.8	226.4	12.2	206.1	5.2	218.6	3.9
Transportation	271.0	1.1	284.8	1.1	277.8	.6	307.6	.9	303.3	.3
Private transportation	269.8	1.1	281.7	1.2	273.3	.8	300.5	1.0	299.6	.2
Motor fuel ⁷	128.6	.9	121.8	-.2	145.2	.8	130.7	1.6	132.7	-2.9
Gasoline ⁷	128.5	.9	121.3	-.2	144.7	.8	130.6	1.6	132.6	-3.1
Gasoline, leaded regular ⁹	137.8	.5	133.3	-.2	155.5	.6	139.6	2.1	141.3	-1.4
Gasoline, unleaded regular ⁹	140.1	1.0	135.1	.0	165.2	.8	140.8	1.1	149.9	-3.5
Gasoline, unleaded premium ¹⁰	67.5	.9	66.2	-1.3	77.5	1.3	66.8	2.1	69.2	-4.4
Public transportation	340.6	.3	352.2	-1.2	343.6	-1.7	428.2	-.6	332.8	.8
Medical care	504.9	.9	437.9	-.2	429.2	2.7	461.6	1.6	423.0	.4
Entertainment	298.5	.5	263.9	3.4	310.2	4.6	290.9	-1.3	285.8	.4
Other goods and services	353.2	2.6	369.0	3.4	360.1	2.0	328.7	2.3	362.7	1.3
Personal care	342.4	.0	299.9	1.9	281.4	-.6	243.7	-.1	296.7	.5

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Area pricing schedule 2 ¹									
	Houston, Tex.		Kansas City, Mo.-Kans. ²		Minneapolis-St. Paul, Minn.-Wis. ²		Pittsburgh, Pa.		San Francisco-Oakland, Calif. ¹²	
	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change
Commodity and service group										
All items	334.0	0.3	323.7	-0.1	340.9	0.2	331.8	0.5	347.7	0.6
Commodities	296.3	.6	287.5	.2	284.4	.8	276.7	.2	283.6	.4
Food and beverages	343.1	.6	313.3	-.1	320.6	.8	302.6	-1.0	316.7	.4
Commodities less food and beverages	270.1	.7	270.8	.3	261.2	.8	253.4	1.1	263.1	.3
Nondurables less food and beverage	266.1	.1	263.3	.0	263.0	1.2	239.6	1.1	253.1	.6
Durables	285.3	1.5	279.4	.7	269.1	.1	274.1	1.0	280.8	-.1
Services	400.3	-.1	381.9	-.3	436.5	-.4	426.3	.9	438.1	.9
Medical care services	549.8	1.0	482.0	-.1	465.8	3.2	509.1	1.8	461.8	.5
Special indexes:										
All items less shelter	322.0	.8	303.8	-.1	300.1	.3	302.9	.3	312.1	.5
All items less medical care	323.9	.2	317.6	.0	335.7	.0	324.4	.5	343.1	.6
All items less energy ¹¹	165.6	.4	181.1	.7	178.0	.9	175.9	.6	187.1	.9
Energy ⁷	161.5	.0	146.1	-7.3	150.6	-6.6	167.1	.1	172.1	-2.0
Commodities less food	269.8	.6	270.3	.3	260.5	.8	256.1	1.1	261.1	.3
Nondurables less food	265.7	.0	262.0	.0	260.8	1.2	244.1	1.1	249.4	.6
Nondurables	305.1	.4	288.5	.0	292.7	1.0	274.5	.0	286.6	.5
Services less rent of shelter ⁵	113.6	.9	115.1	-.7	117.7	-.7	117.5	.4	121.7	.7
Services less medical care	380.2	-.3	369.5	-.3	432.6	-.9	414.8	.7	433.1	.9

¹ Areas on pricing schedule 1 (See footnote 1, Table 13) will appear next month.

² 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.

³ After December 1986, Cleveland, Ohio will be published in odd instead of even numbered months.

⁴ For the following areas the 1957-59=100 base is not available; indexes are on the bases listed below:

Buffalo, N. Y. November 1963=100.

Dallas-Fort Worth, Tex. November 1963=100.

Honolulu, Hawaii. December 1963=100.

⁵ Indexes on a December 1982=100 base.

⁶ Indexes on a June 1978=100 base, except in Buffalo, N.Y. where 1967=100.

⁷ Indexes on a June 1978=100 base.

⁸ Index coverage will be redefined effective January 1987. The current definition will not be published after December 1986.

⁹ Indexes on a January 1976=100 base.

¹⁰ Indexes on an August 1981=100 base.

¹¹ Indexes are on the bases listed below:

Atlanta, Ga. December 1977=100.

Buffalo, N. Y. February 1978=100.

Cleveland, Ohio. February 1978=100.

Dallas-Fort Worth, Tex. February 1978=100.

Honolulu, Hawaii. December 1977=100.

Houston, Tex. April 1978=100.

Kansas City, Mo.-Kans. December 1977=100.

Minneapolis-St. Paul, Minn.-Wis. April 1978=100.

Pittsburgh, Pa. April 1978=100.

San Francisco-Oakland, Calif. December 1977=100.

¹² After December 1986, this index series will be published on a monthly basis.

¹³ Indexes on a June 1978=100 base, except in Minneapolis-St. Paul, Minn.-Wis. where 1967=100.

^{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 sched- ule ¹	Other index base	Indexes				Percent change to Oct. 1986 from—			Percent change to Sept. 1986 from—		
			July 1986	Aug. 1986	Sept. 1986	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986	Sept. 1986	Sept. 1985	July 1986	Aug. 1986
Area ²												
U.S. city average			322.9	323.4	324.9	325.0	1.2	0.5	0.0	1.4	0.6	0.5
Chicago, Ill.-Northwestern Ind.	M		316.0	316.2	318.3	313.4	1.5	-.9	-1.5	2.0	.7	.7
Detroit, Mich. ³	M		307.5	312.8	310.5	313.8	1.3	.3	1.0	.1	1.0	-.7
L.A.-Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif.	M		323.8	323.5	326.8	328.3	2.6	1.5	.5	2.9	.9	1.0
N.Y., N.Y.-Northeastern N.J.	M		316.5	317.2	317.5	318.7	2.8	.5	.4	2.7	.3	.1
Philadelphia, Pa.-N.J.	M		324.6	324.4	326.7	326.1	1.8	.5	-.2	2.4	.6	.7
Anchorage, Alaska ⁴	1	10/67	278.4	-	277.9	-	-	-	-	.2	-.2	-
Baltimore, Md.	1		327.9	-	330.9	-	-	-	-	1.4	.9	-
Boston, Mass.	1		320.8	-	325.2	-	-	-	-	1.8	1.4	-
Cincinnati, Ohio-Ky.-Ind. ⁴	1		324.9	-	324.7	-	-	-	-	.6	-.1	-
Denver-Boulder, Colo. ⁴	1		352.4	-	357.2	-	-	-	-	1.1	1.4	-
Miami, Fla.	1	11/77	171.6	-	174.5	-	-	-	-	.0	1.7	-
Milwaukee, Wis. ⁴	1		350.1	-	351.7	-	-	-	-	.1	.5	-
Northeast Pennsylvania ⁵	1		307.8	-	310.2	-	-	-	-	1.3	.8	-
Portland, Oreg.-Wash. ⁴	1		303.4	-	306.3	-	-	-	-	.3	1.0	-
St. Louis, Mo.-Ill.	1		320.6	-	320.7	-	-	-	-	.7	.0	-
San Diego, Calif. ⁴	1		345.0	-	347.4	-	-	-	-	2.1	.7	-
Seattle-Everett, Wash. ⁴	1		310.1	-	312.3	-	-	-	-	1.1	.7	-
Washington, D.C.-Md.-Va.	1		330.2	-	334.6	-	-	-	-	2.2	1.3	-
Atlanta, Ga. ⁴	2		-	335.4	-	335.9	1.8	.1	-	-	-	-
Buffalo, N.Y. ⁴	2		-	292.5	-	294.2	-.4	.6	-	-	-	-
Cleveland, Ohio ⁶	2		-	329.9	-	329.3	.7	-.2	-	-	-	-
Dallas-Fort Worth, Tex.	2		-	339.1	-	338.5	.3	-.2	-	-	-	-
Honolulu, Hawaii ⁴	2		-	308.3	-	308.8	2.0	.2	-	-	-	-
Houston, Tex.	2		-	330.5	-	331.7	-1.0	.4	-	-	-	-
Kansas City, Mo.-Kans. ⁴	2		-	311.9	-	311.3	-.5	-.2	-	-	-	-
Minneapolis-St.Paul, Minn.-Wis. ⁴	2		-	334.5	-	334.6	-.4	.0	-	-	-	-
Pittsburgh, Pa.	2		-	309.2	-	310.6	.2	.5	-	-	-	-
San Francisco-Oakland, Calif. ⁷	2		-	339.0	-	341.1	3.1	.6	-	-	-	-
Region ⁸												
Northeast	2	12/77	-	172.2	-	173.5	1.9	.8	-	-	-	-
North Central	2	12/77	-	172.2	-	172.4	.6	.1	-	-	-	-
South	2	12/77	-	175.3	-	176.3	.8	.6	-	-	-	-
West	2	12/77	-	176.4	-	177.8	1.7	.8	-	-	-	-
Population size class ⁹												
A-1 ⁹	2	12/77	-	171.8	-	172.5	2.3	.4	-	-	-	-
A-2 ⁹	2	12/77	-	175.3	-	176.0	.8	.4	-	-	-	-
B	2	12/77	-	173.5	-	175.1	.9	.9	-	-	-	-
C	2	12/77	-	174.8	-	175.7	.9	.5	-	-	-	-
D	2	12/77	-	174.5	-	175.1	.1	.3	-	-	-	-

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Area, region, and population size class	Pricing sched- ule ¹	Other index base	Indexes				Percent change to Oct. 1986 from—			Percent change to Sept. 1986 from—		
			July 1986	Aug. 1986	Sept. 1986	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986	Sept. 1986	Sept. 1985	July 1986	Aug. 1986
Region/population size cross classification ²												
Northeast/A	2	12/77	-	168.8	-	169.7	2.2	0.5	-	-	-	-
North Central/A	2	12/77	-	175.0	-	174.5	.8	-.3	-	-	-	-
South/A	2	12/77	-	176.1	-	176.9	.7	.5	-	-	-	-
West/A	2	12/77	-	176.9	-	179.0	2.5	1.2	-	-	-	-
Northeast/B	2	12/77	-	171.8	-	174.6	1.6	1.6	-	-	-	-
North Central/B	2	12/77	-	168.1	-	169.5	.0	.8	-	-	-	-
South/B	2	12/77	-	174.6	-	175.7	1.0	.6	-	-	-	-
West/B	2	12/77	-	176.3	-	179.3	.5	.6	-	-	-	-
Northeast/C	2	12/77	-	187.2	-	188.1	.9	.5	-	-	-	-
North Central/C	2	12/77	-	167.7	-	168.7	1.1	.6	-	-	-	-
South/C	2	12/77	-	175.3	-	176.3	.3	.6	-	-	-	-
West/C	2	12/77	-	171.1	-	171.2	1.7	.1	-	-	-	-
Northeast/D ³	2	12/77	-	176.2	-	177.2	1.1	.6	-	-	-	-
North Central/D	2	12/77	-	172.4	-	172.7	-.2	.2	-	-	-	-
South/D	2	12/77	-	175.0	-	175.9	-.2	.5	-	-	-	-
West/D ⁵	2	12/77	-	176.3	-	176.7	.4	.2	-	-	-	-

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

M - Every month.

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

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

² 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 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, 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, October 1986							
Area ²							
U.S. city average		307.9	326.8	284.4	258.6	322.9	374.4
Anchorage, Alaska ³	10/67	282.3	281.3	255.3	244.2	287.5	354.7
Atlanta, Ga. ³		318.5	311.4	277.6	293.6	363.2	387.9
Baltimore, Md.		304.7	338.4	274.8	252.5	345.4	361.6
Boston, Mass.		290.0	321.2	285.9	233.7	299.1	331.2
Buffalo, N.Y. ³		311.3	301.7	294.0	255.4	337.6	376.3
Chicago, Ill.-Northwestern Ind.		297.0	326.6	276.9	247.0	314.3	359.4
Cincinnati, Ohio-Ky.-Ind. ³		330.3	390.2	285.1	270.7	336.9	420.7
Cleveland, Ohio		308.3	315.2	312.8	250.8	311.5	354.6
Dallas-Fort Worth, Tex.		314.6	317.7	266.0	269.0	334.3	393.4
Denver-Boulder, Colo. ³		293.2	283.8	261.1	271.4	292.1	379.4
Detroit, Mich.		302.9	338.9	291.4	242.7	300.6	366.2
Honolulu, Hawaii ³		353.2	312.7	335.8	308.1	380.3	430.8
Houston, Tex.		324.1	321.4	291.1	304.1	313.0	402.1
Kansas City, Mo.-Kans. ³		303.3	319.3	270.5	280.1	323.6	359.5
L.A.-Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif.		305.8	330.7	281.1	256.3	288.6	388.2
Miami, Fla.	11/77	166.5	172.8	170.9	152.9	181.7	155.8
Milwaukee, Wis. ³		308.0	359.4	301.3	267.5	295.2	341.8
Minneapolis-St. Paul, Minn.-Wis. ³		307.2	359.1	273.6	287.3	294.7	354.3
N.Y., N.Y.-Northeastern N.J.		318.3	337.0	291.3	268.0	334.1	396.6
Northeast Pennsylvania ⁴		302.5	299.2	285.4	235.0	351.5	364.1
Philadelphia, Pa.-N.J.		311.3	332.2	286.7	244.7	335.5	393.2
Pittsburgh, Pa.		291.9	311.2	268.2	228.6	313.0	360.9
Portland, Oreg.-Wash. ³		298.7	335.0	272.9	234.8	315.7	383.7
St. Louis, Mo.-Ill.		319.3	373.2	262.8	298.6	366.8	388.3
San Diego, Calif. ³		308.5	343.4	284.8	255.1	301.5	380.0
San Francisco-Oakland, Calif.		312.7	347.1	294.4	250.7	325.9	379.3
Seattle-Everett, Wash. ³		289.9	314.3	262.0	247.8	256.1	382.7
Washington, D.C.-Md.-Va.		323.6	309.9	298.8	251.8	365.0	408.1
Region ⁵							
Northeast	12/77	159.0	172.4	161.0	142.4	167.6	153.0
North Central	12/77	155.7	174.7	155.5	141.0	162.5	152.2
South	12/77	160.5	168.0	159.0	154.6	173.1	155.9
West	12/77	161.9	177.9	158.1	150.7	168.1	161.6
Population size class ⁵							
A-1 ⁶	12/77	158.4	172.1	159.2	146.4	160.6	155.3
A-2 ⁶	12/77	159.8	173.8	158.2	148.6	169.7	156.1
B	12/77	160.5	176.1	159.0	146.4	175.4	155.4
C	12/77	157.3	171.5	155.1	144.0	168.2	154.8
D	12/77	158.5	170.1	162.4	144.4	169.6	151.1

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, 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, October 1986							
Region/population size class cross classification ⁵							
Northeast/A	12/77	158.0	170.6	160.1	143.8	163.9	152.4
North Central/A	12/77	157.3	174.4	157.5	145.2	163.2	153.0
South/A	12/77	163.3	169.1	161.0	155.8	172.5	162.4
West/A	12/77	160.5	178.6	155.2	152.6	160.5	162.4
Northeast/B	12/77	162.3	179.2	163.8	137.2	181.5	154.7
North Central/B	12/77	151.7	179.6	149.9	137.2	157.4	147.5
South/B	12/77	161.6	168.6	158.1	155.2	181.0	156.9
West/B	12/77	165.5	180.7	163.9	153.6	175.6	161.9
Northeast/C	12/77	158.9	174.4	161.7	141.2	168.4	151.8
North Central/C	12/77	155.0	172.6	153.1	136.0	168.5	155.0
South/C	12/77	157.0	168.3	151.7	153.1	167.2	154.9
West/C	12/77	160.7	172.6	158.3	144.7	173.8	159.1
Northeast/D ⁴	12/77	160.8	170.3	162.2	142.9	172.1	157.0
North Central/D	12/77	154.8	173.8	157.5	137.2	159.7	151.2
South/D	12/77	159.7	165.0	169.0	154.1	171.5	145.1
West/D ⁴	12/77	161.6	174.5	156.6	141.8	184.1	159.9

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, 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 September 1986 to October 1986					
Area ²						
U.S. city average	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.6	-0.4	0.2
Anchorage, Alaska ³	-2	-1.2	-1.7	-7	1.7	.8
Atlanta, Ga. ³	-6	1.0	-1.9	.6	-2.3	.6
Baltimore, Md.	-1.1	-.8	-.5	-1.1	-3.2	-.9
Boston, Mass.	-1.9	.7	-1.2	.0	-9.3	-.2
Buffalo, N.Y. ³ .....	.9	.9	1.4	-.3	2.1	-.2
Chicago, Ill.-Northwestern Ind.	-.3	-.9	-.2	1.8	-3.2	.5
Cincinnati, Ohio-Ky.-Ind. ³	-.5	-1.0	-1.8	3.9	-5.1	1.3
Cleveland, Ohio .....	.3	-1.3	-.1	-.1	3.5	.4
Dallas-Fort Worth, Tex.	1.3	4.0	-2.6	3.7	.5	3.3
Denver-Boulder, Colo. ³	-.9	.4	-.2	.2	-4.2	-1.1
Detroit, Mich. ....	.9	-.1	2.2	-.7	1.1	.4
Honolulu, Hawaii ³	4.1	-.4	10.8	2.4	2.4	-.4
Houston, Tex.	1.0	.2	2.3	1.2	-2.8	1.6
Kansas City, Mo.-Kans. ³ .....	.5	.7	-.2	.6	1.7	.6
L.A.-Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif. ....	.6	.9	1.2	-.2	.5	.2
Miami, Fla. ....	.7	.3	1.0	-.1	.1	1.0
Milwaukee, Wis. ³ .....	.2	.2	-.4	1.6	2.9	-.9
Minneapolis-St. Paul, Minn.-Wis. ³	-.6	-.2	-.6	1.1	-1.0	-1.0
N.Y., N.Y.-Northeastern N.J. ....	.4	1.1	-.5	.5	1.1	1.0
Northeast Pennsylvania ⁴	-.4	.8	-.5	-1.0	.2	-.9
Philadelphia, Pa.-N.J. ....	.2	-.2	-.1	-.9	2.6	.0
Pittsburgh, Pa.	-1.3	.5	-.1	-.4	-4.7	-2.0
Portland, Oreg.-Wash. ³	-.3	-.7	1.3	.3	-.7	-1.8
St. Louis, Mo.-Ill.	1.1	1.1	-.3	1.7	3.4	1.4
San Diego, Calif. ³ .....	.6	-.2	-1.0	-1.1	-3.1	5.0
San Francisco-Oakland, Calif. ....	.9	-.9	.4	1.1	4.3	.4
Seattle-Everett, Wash. ³	-.6	-.4	-.3	-.7	-1.4	-.6
Washington, D.C.-Md.-Va.	-1.2	-3.8	.0	-.5	-2.9	-1.1
Region ⁵						
Northeast .....	.3	.6	.0	.5	.1	.3
North Central .....	.2	-.6	.4	.9	-1.1	.5
South .....	.0	.0	.1	.6	-1.0	.3
West	-.1	-.6	.4	.1	.4	-.5
Population size class ⁵						
A-1 ⁶ .....	.4	.5	.1	.3	.5	.5
A-2 ⁶	-.1	.0	-.3	.7	-1.2	.3
B .....	.1	-.1	.6	.3	-.1	-.3
C .....	.3	-.1	.3	1.0	-.3	.4
D	-.3	-1.2	.1	1.0	-2.2	.1

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, 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 September 1986 to October 1986					
Region/population size class cross classification ⁵						
Northeast/A	0.1	0.8	-0.4	0.1	0.0	0.4
North Central/A .....	.2	-.4	.1	1.1	-.4	.5
South/A	-.1	-.1	-.2	.8	-1.9	.7
West/A .....	.5	.2	.7	-.1	1.0	.6
Northeast/B .....	.9	1.3	1.3	.7	1.2	.1
North Central/B	-.5	-.9	.2	-.6	-2.8	-.3
South/B .....	.4	.6	.6	.4	.2	.1
West/B	-.5	-2.3	.5	.3	.2	-1.6
Northeast/C .....	.6	-.3	.7	1.3	1.7	.2
North Central/C .....	.5	-.7	.9	1.2	-1.0	1.2
South/C .....	.1	.7	-.3	.9	-.3	.3
West/C	-.4	-.1	.1	.4	-1.6	-.7
Northeast/D ⁴	-.6	-.2	-.2	1.3	-3.5	-.4
North Central/D .....	.4	-.7	1.0	.7	-1.8	1.3
South/D	-.5	-2.0	-.1	1.7	-3.1	.2
West/D ⁴	-1.3	-1.1	-1.6	-.4	.9	-2.7

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.

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

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 September 1986 to October 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	0.0	-1.5	1.0	0.5	0.4	-0.2
Food and beverages .....	.1	-.9	.8	.5	.6	.2
Food .....	.2	-1.0	.8	.5	.6	.1
Food at home .....	.1	-.3	.9	.6	.4	.2
Cereals and bakery products .....	.0	-.9	-.1	.9	1.1	-.2
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs .....	.1	-.2	2.2	1.2	-.5	-.1
Meats, poultry, and fish .....	.2	-.3	2.4	1.1	-.5	.0
Dairy products .....	.6	1.8	-.7	-.2	.5	-.9
Fruits and vegetables	-.4	-3.2	1.1	.5	1.1	2.6
Other foods at home .....	.2	.5	.4	.2	1.0	.0
Food away from home .....	.2	-2.4	.7	.4	1.1	.0
Alcoholic beverages .....	.0	-.6	-.1	.5	-.6	.5
Housing	-.3	-4.6	1.6	.3	-.2	-1.2
Shelter .....	.5	.7	-.2	.0	1.1	.8
Renters' costs .....	.5	1.1	.0	.4	1.4	.3
Rent, residential .....	.5	.5	.4	.5	1.4	.3
Other renters' costs	-.5	5.9	-2.5	.0	1.4	.5
Homeowners' costs .....	.5	.3	-.2	-.3	.9	1.0
Owners' equivalent rent .....	.5	.3	-.2	-.2	.8	.9
Fuel and other utilities	-2.5	-20.5	8.6	-.3	-4.8	-7.3
Fuels	-3.8	-26.1	11.9	-.2	-6.1	-9.8
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas	-.4	-1.0	-1.6	3.1	.0	-.7
Fuel oil	-.6	-1.1	-2.0	NA	.0	-1.1
Other fuels ² .....	.4	.0	.0	3.1	.0	6.9
Gas (piped) and electricity	-4.5	-28.8	13.6	-.2	-8.6	-13.1
Electricity	-7.8	-41.8	-4.9	-.9	-11.4	-17.2
Utility (piped) gas .....	.5	-.8	30.4	.2	-4.4	-6.4
Household furnishings and operation .....	.0	-1.2	-1.6	1.6	.3	.1
Apparel and upkeep .....	.4	.0	.7	-.2	-1.1	1.5
Apparel commodities .....	.5	-.1	.9	-.2	-1.4	1.8
Men's and boys' apparel .....	.6	.4	-.4	-.3	.6	-1.3
Women's and girls' apparel .....	.0	-.5	.1	-3.0	-3.6	-2.9
Footwear	1.6	1.0	1.6	3.3	-.1	19.5
Transportation .....	.1	.8	1.3	.7	1.6	.9
Private transportation .....	.1	.9	1.3	.8	2.1	.9
Motor fuel	-2.9	-3.1	-4.0	-4.9	-.8	-1.7
Gasoline	-2.9	-3.4	-4.1	-4.9	-.9	-1.6
Gasoline, leaded regular	-3.1	-3.2	-6.2	-4.6	-.4	-1.3
Gasoline, unleaded regular	-3.1	-3.4	-3.6	-5.5	-1.1	-2.4
Gasoline, unleaded premium	-2.4	-3.8	-2.4	-4.6	-1.0	-1.1
Public transportation .....	.0	.0	.0	.1	-.1	.3
Medical care .....	.6	.4	.5	.9	.7	.2
Entertainment .....	.4	1.7	-3.6	.3	.1	-1.2
Other goods and services .....	.4	.7	.0	.5	.8	.0
Personal care .....	.4	1.3	-.7	1.1	2.1	.0

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 September 1986 to October 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	0.0	-1.5	1.0	0.5	0.4	-0.2
Commodities .....	.0	-.6	-.2	.2	.4	.1
Food and beverages .....	.1	-.9	.8	.5	.6	.2
Commodities less food and beverages	-.2	-.4	-.7	.0	.2	.1
Nondurables less food and beverages	-.5	-1.0	-1.7	-1.4	.0	.1
Durables .....	.4	.5	.2	1.9	.7	.2
Services .....	.1	-2.5	2.3	.7	.4	-.6
Medical care services .....	.6	.5	.4	.9	.8	.1
Special indexes:						
All items less shelter	-.1	-2.1	1.3	.6	.2	-.4
All items less medical care .....	.0	-1.7	1.0	.4	.4	-.2
All items less energy .....	.4	.3	.6	.7	.8	.5
Energy	-3.4	-16.5	4.9	-2.8	-4.3	-6.6
Commodities less food	-.1	-.4	-.7	.0	.2	.1
Nondurables less food	-.5	-1.0	-1.5	-1.2	-.1	.1
Nondurables	-.2	-1.0	-.3	-.4	.3	.1
Services less rent of shelter	-.1	-4.5	4.0	1.2	-.3	-1.5
Services less medical care .....	.1	-2.8	2.5	.6	.3	-.7

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

^{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, October 1986 and percent changes August 1986 to October 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	325.0	0.5	313.4	-0.9	313.6	0.3	328.3	1.5	318.7	0.5	326.1	0.5
All items (1957-59=100)	378.0	-	356.0	-	360.3	-	386.1	-	379.3	-	380.8	-
Food and beverages	315.4	.3	296.3	-1.1	299.4	.4	311.8	.5	324.6	.6	328.5	1.0
Food	323.3	.3	302.8	-1.2	303.5	.5	322.9	.4	336.0	.6	339.2	1.0
Food at home	307.9	.2	297.0	-.3	302.9	.5	305.8	.5	318.3	.4	311.3	.9
Cereals and bakery products	326.8	.0	326.6	-2.2	338.9	.2	330.7	1.6	337.0	.6	332.2	-1.0
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	284.4	.8	276.9	.8	291.4	2.0	281.1	.1	291.3	-.1	286.7	1.9
Meats, poultry, and fish	292.3	1.0	288.0	1.1	295.4	2.2	284.3	.2	296.2	.0	295.6	2.0
Dairy products	258.6	.7	247.0	1.8	242.7	-.2	256.3	.1	268.0	.9	244.7	1.2
Fruits and vegetables	322.9	-1.3	314.3	-4.7	300.6	.2	288.6	.3	334.1	.0	335.5	2.8
Other foods at home	374.4	.1	359.4	.4	366.2	-.8	388.2	.8	396.6	1.2	393.2	-.3
Food away from home	367.3	.6	318.9	-2.8	317.8	.4	357.7	.3	382.6	.9	427.8	1.2
Alcoholic beverages	243.5	.2	231.5	-1.0	272.6	-.4	224.2	1.5	233.5	-.3	252.3	.6
Housing	355.6	.1	334.9	-4.0	343.5	-.3	372.4	2.7	325.8	-.3	345.2	-.5
Shelter	397.1	1.1	382.9	1.2	384.8	1.5	412.5	3.1	348.9	.3	397.0	1.8
Renters' costs ²	111.4	1.0	110.9	1.5	113.3	.7	115.2	2.7	113.4	.7	118.0	2.0
Rent, residential	283.6	1.0	251.6	1.0	265.4	2.0	352.3	2.8	303.6	.6	304.9	.9
Other renters' costs	426.7	.1	461.0	6.0	355.5	-7.3	356.9	-1.4	450.7	2.2	633.1	7.6
Homeowners' costs ²	110.5	1.1	109.1	1.0	112.5	1.9	115.4	3.4	112.3	-.1	113.6	1.8
Owners' equivalent rent ²	110.5	1.2	108.5	.9	112.6	1.9	115.2	3.5	112.4	-.1	113.6	1.6
Fuel and other utilities	379.3	-2.9	321.3	-19.4	429.6	-3.2	386.5	1.3	362.7	-4.0	369.4	-7.1
Fuels	449.2	-4.3	384.3	-24.8	498.8	-4.2	531.6	2.2	451.0	-5.5	423.0	-9.6
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas ³	454.8	.9	477.9	-4.0	540.8	-1.4	167.8	3.1	484.4	1.0	445.8	.4
Fuel oil ⁴	436.9	1.0	167.5	-4.6	173.5	-2.0	NA	NA	156.6	1.0	149.3	.0
Other fuels ⁵	181.1	.6	148.0	.1	198.2	1.1	167.8	3.1	195.0	.0	176.1	6.9
Gas (piped) and electricity	439.6	-5.3	357.8	-27.1	489.7	-4.5	535.2	2.2	430.0	-8.1	409.8	-13.1
Electricity	360.8	-7.7	308.6	-39.8	315.3	-6.6	373.2	-.8	368.7	-11.3	400.9	-17.2
Utility (piped) gas	547.1	-1.6	396.9	-.5	641.3	-3.2	769.6	4.3	537.8	-3.0	409.9	-6.4
Household furnishings and operation	247.5	.4	232.0	-.7	199.3	-1.9	237.0	2.2	253.5	1.1	239.5	.4
Apparel and upkeep	211.9	2.9	186.3	4.4	179.8	2.5	185.4	2.0	195.1	1.7	160.8	2.4
Apparel commodities	197.1	3.3	166.8	5.6	164.1	2.9	172.5	2.4	173.7	2.2	142.3	2.9
Men's and boys' apparel	203.6	3.3	156.7	6.8	169.0	-.1	176.7	4.4	163.4	5.3	151.2	3.4
Women's and girls' apparel	178.1	5.2	152.9	7.1	159.0	4.3	128.1	.9	160.4	.6	84.6	.2
Footwear	215.3	2.6	178.8	5.3	144.1	6.7	228.3	5.9	208.4	2.1	229.6	14.6
Transportation	302.2	.4	297.3	.8	293.3	.5	319.0	.8	333.9	1.0	330.2	1.1
Private transportation	295.7	.4	286.0	1.0	289.4	.5	318.1	.8	303.5	1.3	325.8	1.2
Motor fuel ⁵	135.9	-1.0	133.0	-1.0	140.2	-5.1	131.2	-3.5	134.5	-.5	145.0	.1
Gasoline ⁵	135.6	-1.0	131.9	-.9	139.7	-5.2	131.1	-3.6	134.1	-.5	145.5	.2
Gasoline, leaded regular ⁷	144.8	-1.0	148.5	-1.1	146.1	-8.1	143.4	-2.8	135.1	.1	154.5	.2
Gasoline, unleaded regular ⁷	149.8	-1.1	147.1	-.3	157.0	-4.1	148.1	-4.5	138.2	-.6	155.9	-.2
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁸	70.5	-1.3	74.3	-2.2	72.9	-6.2	70.1	-2.6	69.5	-.7	69.8	.7
Public transportation	418.9	.1	435.6	.0	415.3	.0	344.6	1.2	476.3	-.1	410.7	.3
Medical care	439.7	1.1	444.4	1.2	458.8	.6	458.7	1.1	435.1	1.8	510.3	.8
Entertainment	271.1	.7	336.6	5.6	227.5	-.2	210.4	-.8	286.9	-.5	245.3	-.6
Other goods and services	348.8	1.8	347.2	1.4	336.7	.4	337.5	1.1	362.4	2.5	363.3	1.8
Personal care	290.8	.3	256.1	.9	251.8	-3.5	288.0	.2	319.3	1.2	272.7	.1

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, October 1986 and percent changes August 1986 to October 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	325.0	0.5	313.4	-0.9	313.6	0.3	328.3	1.5	318.7	0.5	326.1	0.5
Commodities	282.6	.5	270.8	-.1	257.5	.0	265.9	.6	279.8	.7	279.3	.9
Food and beverages	315.4	.3	296.3	-1.1	299.4	.4	311.8	.5	324.6	.6	328.5	1.0
Commodities less food and beverages	261.1	.7	250.7	.7	234.1	-.2	241.6	.6	246.7	.8	246.1	.7
Nondurables less food and beverage	260.2	.8	246.7	1.1	238.0	-1.4	244.2	.0	254.1	.5	237.7	.9
Durables	264.0	.5	256.7	.2	231.3	1.0	244.6	1.5	236.7	1.4	261.3	.3
Services	401.0	.5	385.6	-1.7	407.9	.5	430.3	2.3	383.2	.3	416.2	.1
Medical care services	475.6	1.2	489.3	1.3	483.2	.6	489.0	1.2	465.3	2.0	575.5	.8
Special indexes:												
All items less shelter	305.7	.4	292.7	-1.4	293.6	.0	300.2	.9	310.2	.6	310.9	.2
All items less medical care	319.3	.5	306.8	-1.0	304.7	.2	321.6	1.5	313.0	.4	317.2	.5
All items less energy ²	325.3	.9	176.8	.9	170.1	.9	178.7	1.7	170.2	.8	175.3	1.2
Energy ³	344.8	-2.8	149.7	-14.8	160.6	-4.6	167.7	-1.1	148.5	-3.7	162.3	-5.6
Commodities less food	260.0	.7	250.0	.6	235.9	-.2	240.7	.7	244.9	.8	245.6	.7
Nondurables less food	257.8	.8	245.1	.9	240.7	-1.3	241.8	.1	250.4	.5	237.5	1.0
Nondurables	289.0	.5	273.4	-.1	269.9	-.4	279.2	.3	292.4	.6	286.1	1.0
Services less rent of shelter ²	108.2	.1	105.6	-3.7	108.3	-.2	114.1	1.5	107.0	.3	110.4	-1.0
Services less medical care	390.6	.4	371.0	-2.1	388.4	.5	421.0	2.4	373.1	.1	394.1	.1

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

⁷ Indexes on a January 1976=100 base.

⁸ Indexes on an August 1981=100 base.

⁹ 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, October 1986 and percent changes August 1986 to October 1986

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Area pricing schedule 2 ¹									
	Atlanta, Ga. ²		Buffalo, N.Y. ²		Cleveland, Ohio ³		Dallas-Fort Worth, Tex.		Honolulu, Hawaii ²	
	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change
Expenditure category										
All items	335.9	0.1	294.2	0.6	329.3	-0.2	338.5	-0.2	308.8	0.2
All items (1957-59 = 100) ⁴	386.3	-	323.3	-	371.8	-	365.9	-	332.9	-
Food and beverages	331.0	-4	302.9	-1	317.5	.3	335.5	.5	339.7	2.2
Food	341.3	-6	306.6	-2	325.1	.4	341.5	.5	353.2	2.4
Food at home	319.5	-1.3	311.3	-4	309.3	.6	314.6	.4	353.2	2.9
Cereals and bakery products	311.4	.1	301.7	.4	315.2	-1.0	317.7	1.0	312.7	-.8
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	277.6	-9	294.0	-8	312.8	1.0	266.0	-2.1	335.8	5.5
Meats, poultry, and fish	289.9	.0	300.5	-7	323.3	1.5	276.0	-1.4	342.6	5.6
Dairy products	293.8	-1.0	255.4	.7	250.8	.2	289.0	2.3	308.1	4.6
Fruits and vegetables	363.2	-3.4	337.8	-1.1	311.5	.0	334.3	.4	380.3	.3
Other foods at home	387.9	-1.3	376.3	-3	354.6	1.0	393.4	1.6	430.8	2.1
Food away from home	386.6	.6	301.0	.2	366.6	.0	417.3	.7	356.0	1.3
Alcoholic beverages	209.1	2.0	263.9	.8	255.1	.5	255.4	.6	223.4	-1.4
Housing	374.7	-4	302.2	.3	353.7	-1.6	379.5	-1.6	293.4	-1.5
Shelter	427.3	.7	278.6	.5	388.6	.0	434.6	.5	317.3	.5
Renters' costs ⁵	115.1	.4	107.4	1.1	109.4	.6	107.3	-.3	109.7	1.0
Rent, residential	265.9	.4	243.3	1.0	233.5	1.0	278.6	-.3	304.1	1.4
Other renters' costs	479.4	.0	407.4	1.5	374.4	-1.8	421.9	.6	445.5	-2.6
Homeowners' costs ⁵	114.4	1.0	99.4	.4	109.4	-.3	108.8	.9	110.3	.1
Owners' equivalent rent ⁵	114.7	1.1	99.6	.4	109.5	-.4	108.1	.9	110.3	.1
Fuel and other utilities	367.0	-4.9	460.8	-.6	398.7	-5.9	361.5	-6.4	280.8	-3.5
Fuels	446.6	-8.2	504.4	-1.2	469.0	-8.0	473.0	-10.5	305.8	-5.8
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas ⁶	176.4	-1.3	422.4	-1.8	170.3	.7	189.4	-1.7	NA	NA
Fuel oil ⁷	166.8	5.4	137.8	-1.9	158.2	-.5	NA	NA	NA	NA
Other fuels ⁷ ⁸	183.4	-5.3	174.0	.0	197.7	2.9	189.2	-1.7	NA	NA
Gas (piped) and electricity	448.6	-8.4	526.8	-1.0	473.6	-8.5	474.0	-10.9	304.4	-5.7
Electricity	344.2	-15.4	387.1	-2.1	339.3	-18.5	336.9	-14.1	294.2	-8.2
Utility (piped) gas	590.3	1.5	591.5	.1	596.2	.0	606.2	-2.6	358.4	-3.0
Household furnishings and operation	264.5	.6	255.9	1.1	243.6	.0	253.7	-2.5	230.4	-7.1
Apparel and upkeep	230.3	6.6	236.4	-1.0	212.7	-.6	217.4	-.1	214.7	1.9
Apparel commodities	206.4	7.4	230.1	-1.1	206.0	-.7	184.5	-.6	204.6	2.1
Men's and boys' apparel	231.1	2.8	309.8	1.3	253.2	.3	208.3	-4.0	220.9	1.6
Women's and girls' apparel	204.4	15.9	174.6	-4.0	164.0	-8.2	165.2	5.0	162.9	-1.6
Footwear	148.3	3.2	212.6	-3.1	185.3	11.4	213.6	.4	173.2	-1.3
Transportation	267.8	-.9	265.9	1.1	285.8	.5	295.5	.3	265.4	-.3
Private transportation	276.2	-1.1	262.4	1.3	291.0	.5	294.0	.3	272.2	-.4
Motor fuel ⁷	125.4	-3.5	124.3	1.8	134.3	-2.3	131.5	-2.8	160.0	-.2
Gasoline ⁷	125.4	-3.5	124.0	1.7	133.6	-2.4	131.3	-2.8	160.2	-.3
Gasoline, leaded regular ⁹	129.6	-3.1	134.6	2.6	135.3	-3.1	144.5	-3.5	161.8	.4
Gasoline, unleaded regular ⁹	142.8	-3.9	132.1	1.7	145.3	-2.9	146.7	-2.7	179.4	-.1
Gasoline, unleaded premium ¹⁰	67.1	-3.6	64.5	.5	70.8	-1.4	67.3	-2.2	80.2	-1.7
Public transportation	373.6	1.3	350.3	-2.9	351.3	.0	348.0	.8	240.2	.0
Medical care	467.1	1.4	360.7	.8	500.0	.3	452.8	1.3	446.8	.5
Entertainment	271.5	1.1	275.9	5.8	282.8	2.2	270.4	1.6	300.5	.2
Other goods and services	329.7	1.2	334.8	1.4	369.9	1.7	335.2	1.2	362.6	2.5
Personal care	315.6	1.7	255.5	-.3	300.7	.2	300.7	.5	289.4	-.4

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

(1967=100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Area pricing schedule 2 ¹									
	Atlanta, Ga. ²		Buffalo, N.Y. ²		Cleveland, Ohio ³		Dallas-Fort Worth, Tex.		Honolulu, Hawaii ²	
	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change
Commodity and service group										
All items	335.9	0.1	294.2	0.6	329.3	-0.2	338.5	-0.2	308.8	0.2
Commodities	282.8	.6	274.7	.6	279.9	.1	293.2	-.2	286.4	.2
Food and beverages	331.0	-.4	302.9	-.1	317.5	.3	335.5	.5	339.7	2.2
Commodities less food and beverages	255.8	1.4	255.3	1.2	254.7	.0	267.6	-.8	247.6	-1.6
Nondurables less food and beverage	250.3	1.9	264.9	1.2	255.2	-.8	249.2	-.9	279.7	.3
Durables	268.2	.6	247.1	1.2	252.2	1.1	269.9	-.7	215.5	-4.8
Services	429.8	-.4	332.4	.5	421.6	-.6	410.0	-.1	343.6	.1
Medical care services	506.0	.9	376.5	.9	545.4	.1	481.9	1.5	469.1	.2
Special indexes:										
All items less shelter	310.1	.0	298.3	.6	310.9	-.2	310.4	-.4	302.7	.1
All items less medical care	328.7	.1	291.1	.6	320.3	-.2	330.6	-.3	301.2	.1
All items less energy ¹¹	185.5	.8	157.7	.7	178.5	.5	184.7	.7	178.4	.3
Energy ⁷	148.2	-5.8	151.0	.0	163.0	-5.8	149.2	-6.9	148.4	-2.3
Commodities less food	254.5	1.4	255.9	1.2	255.2	.0	267.3	-.7	245.8	-1.6
Nondurables less food	247.6	1.9	264.9	1.1	254.7	-.7	249.2	-.8	272.3	.1
Nondurables	290.7	.7	285.2	.5	288.6	-.1	291.1	-.1	314.5	1.4
Services less rent of shelter ⁵	111.3	-1.2	104.6	.6	108.0	-1.0	111.7	-.6	103.3	-.2
Services less medical care	416.7	-.5	327.6	.5	402.2	-.7	397.8	-.4	325.5	.1

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

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Area pricing schedule 2 ¹									
	Houston, Tex.		Kansas City, Mo.-Kans. ²		Minneapolis-St. Paul, Minn.-Wis. ²		Pittsburgh, Pa.		San Francisco-Oakland, Calif. ¹²	
	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change
Expenditure category										
All items	331.7	0.4	311.3	-0.2	334.6	0.0	310.6	0.5	341.1	0.6
All items (1957-59=100)	379.5	-	369.5	-	387.8	-	357.2	-	405.9	-
Food and beverages	337.6	.7	309.4	.0	315.3	.7	302.7	-1.1	318.5	.3
Food	344.5	.9	316.1	-1	326.7	.7	307.5	-1.2	328.4	.3
Food at home	324.1	1.5	303.3	-2	307.2	.7	291.9	-1.7	312.7	-2
Cereals and bakery products	321.4	1.1	319.3	.6	359.1	1.4	311.2	-4	347.1	-2.8
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	291.1	3.8	270.5	.1	273.6	2.0	268.2	1.7	294.4	-4
Meats, poultry, and fish	302.0	4.0	278.4	.1	281.5	2.3	276.6	2.0	299.4	-4
Dairy products	304.1	1.8	280.1	-5	287.3	1.9	228.6	-4	250.7	.9
Fruits and vegetables	313.0	-2.4	323.6	-1.0	294.7	-9	313.0	-7.1	325.9	6.2
Other foods at home	402.1	.8	359.5	-2	354.3	-8	360.9	-3.9	379.3	-2.4
Food away from home	410.3	-4	351.9	.1	393.0	.8	365.6	.0	354.5	1.1
Alcoholic beverages	267.5	-1.5	247.8	.4	238.8	.5	274.9	-1	221.3	1.0
Housing	348.2	-5	328.4	-1.8	387.4	-2.0	330.8	.7	396.2	.7
Shelter	374.7	-1.6	353.2	.3	459.0	-2	363.2	1.6	436.4	1.3
Renters' costs ⁵	97.8	-2.0	109.3	.6	110.4	-1	108.8	.8	114.0	-1.6
Rent, residential	217.2	-2.0	236.4	.4	286.4	.1	257.9	.8	365.5	-2
Other renters' costs	405.8	-2.2	369.0	1.9	457.3	-1.7	422.6	.8	412.9	-18.3
Homeowners' costs ⁵	99.7	-1.3	105.5	.2	109.5	-3	107.8	2.0	117.9	3.1
Owners' equivalent rent ⁵	97.7	-1.5	105.5	.2	109.7	-2	107.8	1.9	117.9	3.2
Fuel and other utilities	440.0	-1	370.4	-7.9	364.4	-8.3	377.9	-4	424.5	-8
Fuels	554.3	-7	437.8	-11.7	395.8	-11.7	481.1	-5	495.9	-1.2
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas ¹³	159.4	-5.3	167.0	3.3	500.6	2.0	167.7	2.1	NA	NA
Fuel oil ⁷	NA	NA	154.2	.0	168.8	1.5	137.5	3.8	177.4	2.5
Other fuels ^{7 8}	159.4	-5.3	181.3	6.7	164.5	4.1	NA	NA	NA	NA
Gas (piped) and electricity	559.4	-5	442.6	-12.5	383.0	-13.7	487.8	-8	499.7	-1.2
Electricity	475.3	-8	309.4	-24.5	257.6	-13.8	351.7	.0	316.9	-2.3
Utility (piped) gas	572.2	.5	610.5	1.7	498.0	-13.7	630.0	-1.5	833.5	.0
Household furnishings and operation	246.2	2.0	252.3	.6	234.1	-8	238.1	-3	275.4	-2
Apparel and upkeep	245.2	-1.3	215.5	-1.1	199.5	2.2	196.0	3.2	211.0	3.0
Apparel commodities	225.7	-2.0	202.2	-1.5	191.0	2.4	185.5	3.6	191.1	2.4
Men's and boys' apparel	252.9	.8	226.3	2.9	196.3	1.6	187.1	2.1	199.9	2.8
Women's and girls' apparel	216.2	1.5	173.5	2.6	157.9	-1.6	167.5	3.1	167.2	3.0
Footwear	241.4	-1.6	265.9	-17.4	213.9	11.9	164.2	5.1	213.1	3.7
Transportation	275.5	1.0	283.4	1.1	278.8	.6	305.9	.7	311.8	.3
Private transportation	275.2	1.0	281.1	1.2	276.8	.7	302.7	.8	309.6	.3
Motor fuel ⁷	129.4	.8	121.5	-1	144.5	.8	131.0	1.6	133.9	-3.0
Gasoline ⁷	129.3	.9	121.0	-2	144.0	.8	131.0	1.5	133.8	-3.0
Gasoline, leaded regular ⁹	136.5	.5	133.2	-1	154.4	.6	139.6	2.0	142.6	-1.4
Gasoline, unleaded regular ⁹	141.5	1.0	135.1	.1	164.8	.9	140.8	1.1	151.2	-3.4
Gasoline, unleaded premium ¹⁰	67.5	1.0	65.0	-1.2	77.6	1.4	67.3	2.1	69.5	-4.4
Public transportation	307.4	.3	340.4	-1.1	335.9	-1.2	417.2	-6	334.0	.6
Medical care	527.4	.9	437.4	-2	425.5	2.8	460.2	1.6	422.6	.3
Entertainment	293.8	.5	274.5	1.9	301.3	3.6	260.8	-1.5	247.0	.2
Other goods and services	349.3	1.8	366.2	2.7	348.3	1.5	334.4	1.7	363.2	1.2
Personal care	346.8	.1	301.1	1.8	264.4	-5	250.2	-1	304.1	.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, October 1986 and percent changes August 1986 to October 1986—Continued

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Area pricing schedule 2 ¹									
	Houston, Tex.		Kansas City, Mo.-Kans. ²		Minneapolis-St. Paul, Minn.-Wis. ²		Pittsburgh, Pa.		San Francisco-Oakland, Calif. ¹²	
	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change
Commodity and service group										
All items	331.7	0.4	311.3	-0.2	334.6	0.0	310.6	0.5	341.1	0.6
Commodities	295.3	.8	280.8	.1	280.3	.6	267.0	.2	283.6	.2
Food and beverages	337.6	.7	309.4	.0	315.3	.7	302.7	-1.1	318.5	.3
Commodities less food and beverages	271.6	.7	263.3	.1	259.0	.5	239.4	1.1	263.1	.2
Nondurables less food and beverage	270.0	.1	261.7	-2	259.0	1.1	236.9	1.2	252.5	.4
Durables	278.9	1.4	266.1	.5	261.9	-2	245.1	1.0	279.1	-2
Services	395.7	-1	366.5	-5	437.8	-6	393.3	.8	429.1	1.0
Medical care services	575.6	1.1	480.8	-1	470.1	3.2	509.6	1.8	461.1	.5
Special indexes:										
All items less shelter	322.9	.8	300.8	-3	297.6	.1	299.9	.2	312.0	.4
All items less medical care	320.5	.3	305.8	-2	330.1	-2	303.9	.4	336.4	.6
All items less energy ¹¹	163.5	.4	173.5	.6	174.4	.8	163.8	.4	183.1	.9
Energy ⁷	163.5	.0	143.7	-6.7	149.5	-5.9	160.4	.3	170.7	-2.1
Commodities less food	271.2	.6	262.8	.1	258.0	.5	242.1	1.0	261.3	.2
Nondurables less food	269.6	.1	260.1	-2	256.6	1.0	241.2	1.0	249.2	.4
Nondurables	304.8	.5	266.2	-1	288.1	.9	273.1	-1	287.2	.3
Services less rent of shelter ⁵	105.7	.9	104.8	-1.0	105.8	-1.0	103.9	.3	110.1	.7
Services less medical care	371.9	-3	354.1	-6	434.1	-1.1	380.3	.7	423.2	1.0

¹ Areas on pricing schedule 1 (See footnote 1, Table 18) will appear next month.

² 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.

³ After December 1986, Cleveland, Ohio will be published in odd instead of even numbered months.

⁴ For the following areas the 1957-59=100 base is not available; indexes are on the bases listed below:

Buffalo, N. Y. November 1963=100.

Dallas-Fort Worth, Tex. November 1963=100.

Honolulu, Hawaii. December 1963=100.

⁵ Indexes on a December 1984=100 base.

⁶ Indexes on a June 1978=100 base, except in Buffalo, N.Y. where 1967=100.

⁷ Indexes on a June 1978=100 base.

⁸ Index coverage will be redefined effective January 1987. The current definition will not be published after December 1986.

⁹ Indexes on a January 1976=100 base.

¹⁰ Indexes on an August 1981=100 base.

¹¹ Indexes are on the bases listed below:

Atlanta, Ga. December 1977=100.

Buffalo, N. Y. February 1978=100.

Cleveland, Ohio. February 1978=100.

Dallas-Fort Worth, Tex. February 1978=100.

Honolulu, Hawaii. December 1977=100.

Houston, Tex. April 1978=100.

Kansas City, Mo.-Kans. December 1977=100.

Minneapolis-St. Paul, Minn.-Wis. April 1978=100.

Pittsburgh, Pa. April 1978=100.

San Francisco-Oakland, Calif. December 1977=100.

¹² After December 1986, this index series will be published on a monthly basis.

¹³ Indexes on a June 1978=100 base, except in Minneapolis-St. Paul, Minn.-Wis. where 1967=100.

^{NA} Data not adequate for publication.

Table 23. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Region,¹ by expenditure category and commodity and service group

(December 1977 = 100)

Group	Northeast			North Central			South			West		
	Index		Percent change from—	Index		Percent change from—	Index		Percent change from—	Index		Percent change from—
	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986
	Expenditure category											
All items	176.4	2.3	0.8	176.5	0.9	0.2	177.5	1.0	0.6	180.4	2.0	0.8
Food and beverages	165.9	4.9	.4	159.8	4.4	.3	165.7	4.3	.2	167.0	3.4	.3
Food	166.4	5.2	.5	160.2	4.7	.3	166.0	4.4	.2	167.9	3.5	.2
Food at home	160.1	4.9	.3	156.0	5.4	.3	161.2	4.8	.1	162.4	3.8	.2
Cereals and bakery products	172.4	3.8	.3	172.6	2.3	-.2	171.7	2.8	-.1	181.1	3.1	.3
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	161.4	9.3	.7	156.8	10.5	1.0	158.4	9.2	.7	157.8	6.9	.1
Dairy products	143.3	.1	.8	141.6	1.4	.9	154.7	2.2	.7	150.2	.8	.3
Fruits and vegetables	172.3	2.2	-1.4	163.2	5.1	-1.5	175.4	4.0	-1.5	171.1	3.9	.8
Sugar and sweets	170.7	2.9	.0	170.2	2.2	.7	172.7	1.7	-.6	178.0	4.6	.4
Fats and oils	146.5	-.7	-.5	142.7	-1.8	-1.3	139.3	-4.5	-2.8	154.6	-2.0	.4
Nonalcoholic beverages	142.8	6.4	.4	136.3	6.6	.5	146.5	4.4	.3	146.7	2.7	-1.1
Other prepared foods	165.5	2.5	.7	167.2	2.6	.7	167.8	3.1	.5	176.2	2.4	.1
Food away from home	181.5	5.6	1.0	169.2	3.2	.3	177.3	3.5	.7	178.4	3.0	.3
Alcoholic beverages	158.7	2.3	.2	154.2	1.4	-.1	159.4	1.6	-.1	155.7	1.7	.6
Housing	185.8	3.0	.4	191.6	1.5	-1.0	185.5	1.6	.2	191.8	3.5	1.2
Shelter	207.6	7.9	1.1	210.9	4.2	.8	200.7	3.0	.8	203.3	5.2	1.5
Renters' costs ²	128.4	8.0	1.3	120.0	4.0	.8	118.1	3.4	.6	127.6	4.3	1.0
Rent, residential	181.1	8.2	.9	164.6	4.4	1.1	172.4	3.1	.6	199.8	5.0	1.4
Other renters' costs	226.9	6.9	2.9	214.6	2.0	-.6	230.4	5.3	-.2	214.7	-2.7	-2.5
Homeowners' costs ²	128.3	8.0	1.0	116.7	4.5	.9	114.0	2.9	.9	126.1	5.7	1.8
Owners' equivalent rent ²	128.6	8.1	1.0	116.6	4.5	1.0	113.8	2.9	1.0	126.0	5.5	1.8
Maintenance and repairs	180.9	4.7	1.0	159.1	.1	-.1	168.8	2.1	.6	167.5	2.8	1.1
Maintenance and repair services	193.5	5.4	1.6	173.4	-.3	-.7	175.6	4.3	1.5	180.3	1.7	-1.0
Maintenance and repair commodities	154.8	3.7	.0	140.7	.4	.4	149.5	-1.4	-.9	147.3	4.0	3.8
Fuel and other utilities	170.0	-8.9	-2.4	187.2	-3.5	-5.7	179.4	-1.9	-1.7	205.0	-.7	.7
Fuels ³	165.9	-13.1	-3.4	177.7	-5.4	-7.9	178.9	-5.5	-3.1	223.2	-4.0	1.0
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas ³	150.6	-28.8	.7	152.2	-25.6	.3	158.1	-23.1	.6	165.1	-19.1	5.6
Fuel oil ³	147.8	-30.7	.8	151.2	-30.1	.4	139.5	-29.4	.8	153.5	-25.2	7.6
Other fuels ^{3,4}	186.6	-1.0	.3	155.1	-6.3	.3	194.1	-12.1	.8	196.8	-2.0	1.6
Gas (piped) and electricity ³	173.9	-3.4	-5.1	182.3	-1.4	-8.9	181.4	-3.2	-3.5	231.0	-2.3	.5
Electricity ³	166.1	-3.4	-6.5	164.5	2.5	-14.2	177.5	-2.3	-4.6	187.7	-1.5	-.8
Utility (piped) gas ³	186.9	-3.5	-3.0	204.5	-5.1	-3.0	192.0	-5.2	-.5	306.8	-3.1	2.0
Other utilities and public services	163.9	5.5	.7	170.2	3.5	.0	158.0	5.4	.8	170.4	6.0	.1
Household furnishings and operation	146.9	1.2	.8	145.1	.2	-.5	147.9	1.9	.6	148.9	1.8	.9
Housefurnishings	133.8	-.1	.7	132.0	-.1	-.3	136.5	2.1	.9	136.8	2.2	1.5
Housekeeping supplies	158.5	3.5	1.3	164.7	-.5	-2.0	158.1	1.2	.5	167.5	1.0	.4
Housekeeping services	168.7	2.0	.6	161.1	1.4	.2	162.8	2.3	.3	161.8	1.5	.1
Apparel and upkeep	133.3	.2	2.8	131.3	.1	3.3	138.6	2.4	3.6	135.8	1.4	2.0
Apparel commodities	124.9	-.5	3.2	125.3	-.6	3.6	130.4	2.0	4.2	128.6	1.0	2.1
Men's and boys' apparel	126.7	-.5	4.6	120.8	.0	2.6	139.5	1.8	3.1	131.4	1.2	2.5
Women's and girls' apparel	114.3	-.3	5.0	117.9	-3.6	5.3	121.6	1.6	8.0	114.6	-1.4	2.9
Infants' and toddlers' apparel	128.5	-4.4	-2.3	165.3	10.9	2.9	125.9	10.0	-2.9	166.6	.1	4.5
Footwear	137.2	.4	2.1	128.4	1.3	3.7	132.9	2.7	2.5	142.5	.9	2.4
Other apparel commodities	142.4	-1.1	-2.6	154.5	3.1	1.3	133.3	1.1	-.8	140.5	6.7	-1.2
Apparel services	194.7	3.2	.3	180.9	3.6	1.8	199.2	4.6	1.0	195.4	4.0	1.6

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 23. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Region,¹ by expenditure category and commodity and service group—Continued

(December 1977=100)

Group	Northeast			North Central			South			West		
	Index		Percent change from—	Index		Percent change from—	Index		Percent change from—	Index		Percent change from—
	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986
Expenditure category												
Transportation	168.7	-5.1	0.8	165.8	-6.4	0.4	169.0	-6.6	0.2	174.7	-4.4	0.3
Private transportation	163.4	-6.4	.9	161.9	-7.2	.5	165.7	-7.2	.2	171.1	-4.9	.2
New vehicles	152.9	5.4	1.3	152.4	4.1	.7	151.5	5.2	.7	143.5	5.5	1.3
New cars	152.9	5.5	1.4	152.3	4.2	.8	152.0	5.1	.7	144.7	5.9	1.5
Used cars	211.4	-3.9	.7	211.2	-3.9	.7	211.3	-3.9	.8	211.1	-3.9	.7
Motor fuel ³	136.5	-30.1	.2	134.6	-30.2	-1.0	136.1	-30.0	-.7	134.4	-28.4	-2.5
Gasoline ³	136.3	-30.2	.2	134.1	-30.3	-1.1	135.8	-30.0	-.7	133.9	-28.5	-2.8
Gasoline, leaded regular ³	132.7	-31.2	.4	131.9	-30.8	-1.4	131.6	-31.5	-.8	129.6	-29.6	-1.8
Gasoline, unleaded regular ³	132.0	-31.6	.2	131.8	-31.2	-1.1	133.8	-30.9	-.6	131.8	-29.1	-3.3
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁵	69.9	-26.6	-.1	72.6	-25.4	-1.2	70.3	-26.2	-1.0	69.8	-25.4	-3.2
Maintenance and repair	175.5	4.0	.8	166.0	1.3	-.7	173.2	2.6	.7	181.5	3.4	.7
Other private transportation	162.4	4.0	1.4	158.7	5.2	1.8	170.4	6.1	-.1	191.7	9.9	1.0
Other private trans. commod	128.4	-1.3	-1.2	126.1	-2.9	.2	130.1	-2.5	-2.6	129.4	-.8	-1.7
Other private trans. services	168.5	4.7	1.7	164.9	6.5	2.0	182.0	8.1	.4	205.1	11.5	1.4
Public transportation	215.3	4.5	.0	248.2	5.1	-.6	242.4	3.5	.5	235.2	3.2	1.1
Medical care	210.0	8.7	1.3	205.6	7.3	.9	214.6	7.5	1.2	215.5	7.6	.9
Medical care commodities	200.5	6.5	.8	197.9	5.7	.3	200.9	6.0	.7	207.1	6.6	.4
Medical care services	212.0	9.1	1.4	207.2	7.6	1.0	217.7	7.8	1.4	217.0	7.9	1.0
Professional services	204.9	8.7	1.9	188.4	5.8	.9	201.1	6.2	1.3	199.7	5.8	.7
Other medical care services ⁶	219.1	9.5	.9	225.6	9.2	1.1	230.8	8.9	1.5	236.5	9.6	1.4
Entertainment	164.2	3.5	.7	157.4	4.2	1.6	163.9	2.1	.6	161.2	2.0	-.3
Entertainment commodities	158.2	1.4	.6	152.4	2.7	.7	154.1	-.5	.1	152.1	.3	-.7
Entertainment services	172.1	6.2	.9	165.0	6.5	2.8	177.9	5.4	1.1	175.6	4.4	.1
Other goods and services	202.9	6.3	2.9	195.1	5.7	2.0	199.9	5.9	2.6	199.4	5.2	1.4
Tobacco products	200.3	5.4	.2	210.7	8.7	.3	207.0	6.5	.4	210.7	7.0	.3
Personal care	169.7	4.6	.9	156.9	2.1	.0	167.8	2.3	.2	172.4	2.2	-.2
Personal and educational expenses	235.2	8.1	6.1	229.0	6.6	5.2	239.3	9.5	7.1	231.2	7.3	4.2
Commodity and service group												
All items	176.4	2.3	0.8	176.5	0.9	0.2	177.5	1.0	0.6	180.4	2.0	0.8
Commodities	158.5	-1.4	.8	157.6	-1.7	.4	161.1	-1.5	.6	158.8	-1.5	.4
Food and beverages	165.9	4.9	.4	159.8	4.4	.3	165.7	4.3	.2	167.0	3.4	.3
Commodities less food and beverages	152.5	-5.8	1.1	155.1	-5.3	.5	157.5	-4.8	.9	153.5	-4.5	.5
Nondurables less food and beverages	150.1	-9.3	1.2	149.4	-9.1	.5	151.9	-8.4	1.3	153.2	-7.9	.3
Apparel commodities	124.9	-.5	3.2	125.3	-.6	3.6	130.4	2.0	4.2	128.6	1.0	2.1
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel	160.4	-11.8	.6	159.4	-11.5	-.3	161.4	-11.6	.3	163.9	-10.7	-.4
Durables	160.5	.2	.9	164.6	-.2	.4	167.1	.2	.4	159.0	.5	.8
Services	199.0	6.1	.8	204.3	3.9	-.1	200.3	3.8	.7	206.8	5.1	1.2
Rent of shelter ²	128.6	8.1	1.1	117.6	4.3	.9	115.1	3.0	.8	126.6	5.1	1.5
Household services less rent of shelter ²	111.0	.5	-1.9	111.6	.1	-4.8	112.3	.6	-1.1	118.3	1.5	.3
Transportation services	182.0	4.5	1.0	177.3	5.0	.8	188.4	5.7	.5	203.5	7.9	1.2
Medical care services	212.0	9.1	1.4	207.2	7.6	1.0	217.7	7.8	1.4	217.0	7.9	1.0
Other services	196.4	6.2	2.9	182.3	5.1	3.2	195.3	6.0	2.7	189.8	4.8	1.3

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 23. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Region,¹ by expenditure category and commodity and service group—Continued

(December 1977=100)

Group	Northeast			North Central			South			West		
	Index		Percent change from—	Index		Percent change from—	Index		Percent change from—	Index		Percent change from—
	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986
	Commodity and service group											
Special indexes:												
All items less food	178.9	1.6	0.9	180.0	0.1	0.1	179.8	0.3	0.7	183.0	1.7	0.9
All items less shelter	167.4	.5	.7	165.2	.1	.0	169.3	.6	.6	172.1	.9	.6
All items less homeowners' costs ²	112.5	1.3	.8	109.6	.4	.1	111.6	.8	.6	113.6	1.2	.6
All items less medical care	174.6	1.9	.8	174.8	.5	.1	175.1	.6	.6	178.4	1.6	.8
Commodities less food	152.9	-5.5	1.1	155.2	-5.1	.5	157.7	-4.6	.9	153.8	-4.2	.5
Nondurables less food	150.6	-8.6	1.2	149.7	-8.6	.5	152.3	-7.9	1.3	153.4	-7.3	.3
Nondurables less food and apparel	160.3	-10.8	.6	159.0	-10.7	-.3	161.3	-10.7	.3	163.0	-9.6	-.3
Nondurables	158.5	-1.9	.8	154.8	-2.3	.4	158.9	-2.1	.7	160.4	-2.1	.3
Services less rent of shelter ²	121.2	4.3	.5	117.4	3.6	-.8	119.7	4.3	.5	122.8	5.2	.9
Services less medical care	197.6	5.7	.7	203.8	3.5	-.3	197.9	3.2	.5	205.7	4.8	1.2
Energy ³	153.7	-20.0	-2.2	157.4	-17.3	-5.2	156.4	-16.3	-2.0	168.8	-17.6	-.8
All items less energy	178.8	5.1	1.1	178.6	3.5	.8	179.8	3.6	.9	181.6	4.1	.9
All items less food and energy	182.5	5.0	1.3	183.4	3.3	.9	183.3	3.4	1.1	184.9	4.3	1.1
Commodities less food and energy	158.5	1.5	1.2	161.9	1.0	.7	164.8	1.5	1.1	159.6	1.5	.9
Energy commodities	142.8	-29.7	.4	138.6	-29.5	-.8	139.1	-29.3	-.6	142.7	-27.7	-1.9
Services less energy	200.4	6.9	1.3	204.7	4.8	1.1	200.6	4.6	1.1	204.9	5.8	1.2

¹ 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.

² Indexes on a December 1982=100 base.

³ Indexes on a June 1978=100 base.

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

⁵ Indexes on an August 1961=100 base.

⁶ This index series will not be published after December 1986.

Table 24. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Population size class,¹ by expenditure category and commodity and service group

(December 1977=100)

Group	A-1 ²			A-2 ²			B			C			D		
	Index		Percent change from—	Index		Percent change from—	Index		Percent change from—	Index		Percent change from—	Index		Percent change from—
	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986
Expenditure category															
All items	177.6	2.7	0.6	179.9	1.3	0.4	178.3	1.1	1.0	175.9	1.2	0.5	174.5	0.4	0.4
Food and beverages	164.8	4.7	.2	164.9	4.4	.3	164.4	4.0	.5	162.6	4.5	.4	165.8	3.5	.0
Food	165.7	5.0	.3	165.6	4.6	.3	164.6	4.0	.5	162.7	4.6	.4	166.1	3.6	.0
Food at home	160.4	5.2	.3	160.5	4.8	-.2	160.3	4.6	.5	158.1	4.8	.3	158.4	4.0	-.1
Cereals and bakery products	172.9	3.9	.0	175.1	2.2	-.2	175.3	3.5	.5	174.3	3.2	.4	170.0	.8	-.8
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	160.9	9.7	.4	157.6	9.2	.5	158.2	8.7	1.3	155.6	8.7	.8	162.5	9.3	.6
Dairy products	147.7	.3	.9	149.9	2.5	.7	147.1	.3	.8	144.8	1.9	.6	143.5	.6	.0
Fruits and vegetables	166.2	3.6	-.6	171.7	4.3	-.2	176.0	4.0	-.1	169.7	2.8	-.1	172.6	3.3	-.1
Sugar and sweets	173.5	2.8	-.7	173.3	3.0	-.9	175.8	3.8	1.8	171.0	1.5	-.1	165.8	2.0	.6
Fats and oils	152.5	.1	-.9	142.0	-.4	-.6	148.2	-.7	.5	141.2	-.4	-.3	135.6	-.2	-.3
Nonalcoholic beverages	145.1	5.5	1.1	145.8	5.9	-.1	138.7	3.7	-.1	143.6	6.6	1.1	138.7	3.2	.6
Other prepared foods	169.7	2.8	1.0	170.3	1.6	.4	171.1	3.3	.2	166.3	3.5	.6	162.2	1.8	-.1
Food away from home	177.2	4.4	.2	176.0	4.2	1.3	174.3	3.1	.5	174.2	4.4	.8	184.3	2.6	.2
Alcoholic beverages	151.8	.9	.1	155.6	2.2	.4	161.1	2.1	.6	161.1	2.5	-.1	160.5	1.3	-.2
Housing	190.1	4.1	-.1	193.9	2.1	-.1	188.7	2.1	1.0	184.4	1.9	.2	181.0	.5	-.1
Shelter	208.0	7.3	1.4	213.3	4.8	.8	206.0	4.5	1.5	199.5	4.4	.7	198.2	2.9	.5
Renters' costs ³	127.9	7.2	1.5	123.1	4.0	.2	123.4	4.8	1.3	120.7	4.4	.5	119.0	2.6	.5
Rent, residential	184.0	7.4	1.4	183.9	4.8	.5	180.0	4.7	1.2	174.6	4.5	1.0	166.6	2.7	.7
Other renters' costs	231.1	6.6	2.6	212.1	-.3	-.1	228.4	5.1	1.6	213.0	4.0	-.2	219.4	2.7	-.7
Homeowners' costs ³	125.7	7.3	1.4	122.0	5.4	1.0	120.2	4.4	1.5	117.8	4.4	.8	116.2	3.1	.5
Owners' equivalent rent ³	125.6	7.4	1.4	122.2	5.4	1.1	120.3	4.5	1.6	117.9	4.4	.8	115.9	3.0	.5
Maintenance and repairs	175.5	6.2	1.3	173.9	3.2	.3	164.0	.7	2.7	171.4	2.1	-.1	160.4	-.1	-.1
Maintenance and repair services	187.9	5.8	1.5	188.9	3.8	.0	168.3	.8	2.2	186.0	3.7	-.2	179.9	3.0	-.4
Maintenance and repair commodities	153.7	6.7	1.1	150.6	2.5	.7	157.0	.7	3.3	136.1	.6	-.1	133.2	-.6	-.3
Fuel and other utilities	182.6	-.4	-.4	182.2	-.5	-.3	185.0	-.3	-.8	187.3	-.2	-.4	172.4	-.5	-.1
Fuels ⁴	177.1	-.7	-.8	181.0	-.9	-.4	186.0	-.7	-.2	190.7	-.5	-.7	159.5	-.1	-.2
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas ⁴	158.3	-.2	.2	156.0	-.2	1.9	151.8	-.2	1.4	153.3	-.2	.5	141.5	-.2	1.9
Fuel oil ⁴	156.9	-.2	.1	150.1	-.3	2.5	148.5	-.3	1.6	142.9	-.3	.4	130.0	-.3	2.4
Other fuels ^{4,5}	177.3	-.1	1.4	186.6	-.1	-.2	170.8	-.3	.5	164.1	-.5	.8	178.0	-.6	.6
Gas (piped) and electricity ⁴	182.2	-.1	-.1	185.8	-.3	-.5	194.6	-.2	-.1	200.3	-.1	-.1	164.5	-.4	-.3
Electricity ⁴	159.2	-.2	-.1	172.3	-.3	-.6	179.2	-.4	-.2	188.5	.8	-.7	159.5	-.5	-.3
Utility (piped) gas ⁴	215.0	.1	-.1	208.1	-.7	-.1	229.9	-.5	-.9	221.7	-.3	-.6	172.6	-.9	-.3
Other utilities and public services	163.4	3.7	.2	159.4	4.8	.9	163.3	5.4	.6	167.5	6.5	.3	173.7	4.6	.1
Household furnishings and operation	148.1	1.5	.9	149.3	2.3	.1	146.9	1.2	1.0	142.3	-.2	-.5	148.8	1.6	.3
Housefurnishings	134.4	.9	1.3	137.7	3.4	.1	134.6	.2	1.7	129.9	-.1	-.3	137.2	1.1	-.1
Housekeeping supplies	163.6	3.0	.9	161.0	.2	-.1	164.1	1.7	-.1	155.3	-.1	-.1	161.1	1.1	1.1
Housekeeping services	165.4	1.4	.1	167.2	2.0	.4	161.1	2.4	.8	160.9	1.1	.1	162.6	2.7	.4
Apparel and upkeep	125.8	.0	2.4	139.4	.5	3.4	139.4	2.4	4.0	138.3	1.5	2.2	132.8	.6	2.9
Apparel commodities	116.2	-.6	2.9	131.2	-.6	3.7	132.1	2.2	4.3	132.3	1.4	2.5	128.3	.1	3.3
Men's and boys' apparel	116.8	-.8	4.2	132.8	1.1	2.4	139.2	1.8	5.8	135.4	-.4	.8	125.4	2.0	3.0
Women's and girls' apparel	100.7	-.2	3.0	122.3	-.3	7.1	124.2	2.1	8.1	123.8	2.9	6.9	122.7	-.2	4.2
Infants' and toddlers' apparel	144.4	1.8	-.8	147.3	3.9	1.5	137.5	4.7	3.3	143.8	1.6	-.1	150.6	7.1	.9
Footwear	130.7	.7	5.3	134.8	.1	1.4	137.1	.7	.7	138.3	3.1	1.8	134.8	3.5	4.2
Other apparel commodities	142.8	3.3	-.1	149.7	2.8	1.0	131.7	4.4	-.7	143.7	-.2	-.3	142.6	.3	1.2
Apparel services	191.1	2.6	.2	202.9	6.8	2.1	195.1	3.7	2.2	192.3	2.1	.6	172.1	4.2	-.2

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 24. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Population size class,¹ by expenditure category and commodity and service group—Continued

(December 1977=100)

Group	A-1 ²			A-2 ²			B			C			D		
	Index		Percent change from—	Index		Percent change from—	Index		Percent change from—	Index		Percent change from—	Index		Percent change from—
	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986
Expenditure category															
Transportation	171.7	-4.0	0.9	186.7	-6.6	0.2	170.5	-6.1	0.4	169.2	-6.2	0.2	165.7	-6.7	0.2
Private transportation	166.7	-5.2	1.1	162.9	-7.2	.2	167.2	-6.7	.3	166.0	-6.7	.1	161.2	-7.2	.4
New vehicles	148.5	5.5	2.3	151.1	5.2	1.0	152.3	4.4	.5	150.0	4.5	.2	152.1	5.4	.7
New cars	149.4	5.8	2.4	150.9	5.2	1.1	152.2	4.5	.5	150.7	4.7	.2	152.0	5.0	.7
Used cars	211.3	-4.0	.7	211.4	-3.9	.7	211.2	-3.9	.7	211.2	-3.9	.8	211.2	-3.9	.7
Motor fuel ⁴	133.9	-29.9	-2.0	135.4	-30.5	-1.1	136.0	-29.6	-.5	136.4	-29.3	-.5	135.4	-29.0	-.7
Gasoline ⁴	133.6	-30.0	-1.9	135.1	-30.5	-1.2	135.4	-29.7	-.7	136.1	-29.4	-.6	135.2	-29.1	-.7
Gasoline, leaded regular ⁴	130.6	-31.1	-1.9	130.9	-31.8	-.8	131.3	-31.0	-.9	132.9	-30.3	-.2	132.4	-29.6	-.9
Gasoline, unleaded regular ⁴	129.1	-31.4	-2.0	131.9	-31.7	-1.2	133.5	-30.4	-.5	134.6	-30.1	-.8	134.9	-29.8	-.2
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁶	70.4	-25.7	-1.7	70.7	-26.4	-1.5	69.9	-26.8	-.9	72.1	-24.7	-.8	67.7	-26.3	-2.0
Maintenance and repair	172.8	1.2	-.9	175.7	3.8	.4	176.5	3.9	.7	175.4	2.8	.7	164.3	2.1	1.8
Other private transportation	181.0	8.4	3.1	180.4	5.0	.1	171.7	5.9	.5	170.1	6.4	-.2	154.8	2.9	.1
Other private trans. commod	121.5	-2.8	-1.9	128.6	-.7	-1.5	131.2	-2.0	-1.6	133.2	-1.3	-.4	129.0	-3.4	-2.0
Other private trans. services	190.3	9.6	3.7	167.3	6.0	.3	181.3	7.3	.8	179.6	8.0	-.2	161.7	4.3	.5
Public transportation	214.1	5.5	.0	233.2	2.7	.0	246.1	5.1	.5	243.5	3.7	1.5	270.0	.9	-1.8
Medical care	207.9	7.7	1.3	211.2	8.1	1.0	209.1	7.1	.7	213.7	8.1	1.1	219.1	7.9	1.7
Medical care commodities	202.7	6.2	.7	194.8	6.6	.5	206.5	6.2	.8	199.7	6.1	.1	202.0	5.8	.5
Medical care services	209.0	8.1	1.4	214.5	8.4	1.1	209.7	7.3	.7	216.8	8.6	1.3	222.6	8.3	1.9
Professional services	198.1	6.3	1.5	199.1	7.0	1.1	191.5	6.4	.8	203.3	7.1	1.3	204.3	6.7	1.1
Other medical care services ⁷	221.1	9.8	1.3	228.8	9.6	1.1	227.7	8.0	.6	228.7	9.7	1.2	237.0	9.4	2.4
Entertainment	158.3	3.7	.4	164.7	4.1	1.0	161.2	1.5	1.3	166.3	2.8	.1	157.0	2.5	.3
Entertainment commodities	150.8	.7	-.8	154.8	2.2	.1	152.4	-.9	1.7	160.2	1.7	-.1	154.3	1.9	.5
Entertainment services	167.7	7.2	1.8	178.0	6.3	2.2	175.1	5.1	.7	176.0	4.3	.3	161.7	3.6	.0
Other goods and services	198.6	6.2	2.5	200.5	5.5	2.0	203.2	6.3	3.0	195.8	5.6	2.0	199.4	5.6	2.2
Tobacco products	206.1	7.5	.2	200.7	6.4	.2	208.8	7.3	.4	205.6	6.7	.1	215.6	5.5	.7
Personal care	166.0	3.9	.5	165.2	3.2	.4	171.4	2.0	.4	163.7	1.7	-.1	164.3	3.7	.2
Personal and educational expenses	225.6	7.2	5.5	243.2	6.8	4.8	239.8	10.0	7.7	232.8	8.7	6.0	233.0	7.8	5.6
Commodity and service group															
All items	177.6	2.7	0.6	179.9	1.3	0.4	178.3	1.1	1.0	175.9	1.2	0.5	174.5	0.4	0.4
Commodities	157.4	-.8	.5	160.8	-1.5	.6	160.5	-1.9	.9	158.4	-1.7	.4	157.5	-2.0	.5
Food and beverages	164.8	4.7	.2	164.9	4.4	.3	164.4	4.0	.5	162.6	4.5	.4	165.8	3.5	.0
Commodities less food and beverages	151.6	-4.8	.8	156.8	-5.3	.7	156.9	-5.4	1.2	155.0	-5.3	.3	152.3	-5.2	.7
Nondurables less food and beverages	147.5	-7.9	.5	150.9	-9.5	.9	153.9	-8.9	1.4	152.7	-8.7	.7	150.8	-9.2	1.2
Apparel commodities	116.2	-.6	2.9	131.2	-.6	3.7	132.1	2.2	4.3	132.3	1.4	2.5	128.3	.1	3.3
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel	161.2	-10.1	-.2	159.4	-12.2	-.1	162.8	-12.0	.5	161.3	-11.7	.0	160.2	-11.8	.6
Durables	159.7	.4	1.2	167.7	1.0	.4	164.8	-.5	.9	162.3	-.4	.1	159.3	.2	.2
Services	201.9	6.0	.5	205.2	4.2	.3	203.0	4.5	1.1	201.1	4.5	.7	199.6	3.3	.4
Rent of shelter ³	126.5	7.3	1.4	122.5	4.9	.7	121.3	4.7	1.5	118.7	4.4	.7	116.9	2.9	.5
Household services less rent of shelter ³	113.1	1.3	-4.9	111.1	-1.2	-2.4	113.0	1.0	-.4	114.7	1.7	-.4	112.1	.4	-1.3
Transportation services	193.0	6.9	1.8	180.2	4.8	.3	188.8	6.0	.7	187.4	5.7	.4	177.9	3.0	.3
Medical care services	209.0	8.1	1.4	214.5	8.4	1.1	209.7	7.3	.7	216.8	8.6	1.3	222.6	8.3	1.9
Other services	188.8	5.7	2.8	197.8	6.1	2.8	194.6	5.9	3.2	189.5	4.9	2.0	181.8	5.0	1.7

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 24. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Population size class,¹ by expenditure category and commodity and service group—Continued

(December 1977 = 100)

Group	A-1 ²			A-2 ²			B			C			D		
	Index		Percent change from—	Index		Percent change from—	Index		Percent change from—	Index		Percent change from—	Index		Percent change from—
	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986
Commodity and service group															
Special indexes:															
All items less food	180.4	2.2	0.6	182.9	0.5	0.5	181.1	0.5	1.1	178.7	0.4	0.5	176.2	-0.3	0.5
All items less shelter	167.5	1.2	.2	168.4	.2	.4	169.3	.2	.8	168.4	.4	.5	167.3	-.2	.4
All items less homeowners' costs ³	113.6	1.9	.4	111.5	.5	.3	111.2	.5	.9	110.9	.7	.5	109.9	.0	.4
All items less medical care	175.9	2.4	.5	178.1	.8	.4	176.5	.7	1.0	173.7	.8	.5	171.6	-.2	.3
Commodities less food	151.8	-4.5	.8	157.0	-5.0	.7	157.2	-5.1	1.2	155.3	-5.0	.3	152.6	-5.0	.7
Nondurables less food	147.7	-7.4	.5	151.2	-8.8	.9	154.3	-8.3	1.3	153.1	-8.1	.5	151.3	-8.6	1.1
Nondurables less food and apparel	160.4	-9.2	-.2	159.0	-11.1	.0	162.6	-11.1	.4	161.3	-10.8	.0	160.2	-11.0	.5
Nondurables	156.9	-1.1	.4	158.2	-2.4	.6	159.3	-2.4	.9	157.8	-2.2	.6	158.4	-2.8	.6
Services less rent of shelter ³	121.9	5.0	-.2	119.5	3.6	.0	119.7	4.4	.8	120.1	4.6	.6	117.8	3.5	.3
Services less medical care	201.2	5.8	.4	204.1	3.7	.3	202.1	4.2	1.2	199.1	4.0	.5	196.3	2.5	.1
Energy ⁴	157.0	-17.5	-6.2	157.6	-20.1	-3.1	160.4	-18.3	-1.0	163.5	-17.0	-.7	148.1	-19.2	-1.7
All items less energy	179.2	5.0	1.1	182.4	4.1	.8	180.4	3.7	1.2	177.5	3.8	.6	177.7	3.1	.7
All items less food and energy	183.0	5.0	1.4	186.7	4.0	1.0	184.4	3.7	1.4	181.3	3.5	.7	180.7	3.0	.8
Commodities less food and energy	157.0	1.6	1.1	164.2	1.5	.9	164.2	1.1	1.4	161.7	1.1	.4	159.3	1.2	.9
Energy commodities	141.8	-29.1	-1.5	140.2	-30.1	-.6	141.1	-29.2	-.2	141.8	-28.4	-.3	136.9	-29.0	-.1
Services less energy	202.2	8.7	1.6	205.8	5.3	.9	202.6	5.2	1.4	200.2	5.2	.8	201.9	4.1	.8

¹ 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.

² Data for this area will no longer be published after December 1986.

³ Indexes on a December 1982 = 100 base.

⁴ Indexes on a June 1978 = 100 base.

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

⁶ Indexes on an August 1981 = 100 base.

⁷ This index series will not be published after December 1986.

Table 25. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Cross classification of region and population size class,¹ by expenditure category and commodity and service group

(December 1977=100)

Group	Northeast											
	Size class A			Size class B			Size class C			Size class D ²		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986
	Expenditure category											
All items	174.2	2.7	0.6	178.0	1.8	1.9	183.8	1.2	0.5	178.1	1.4	0.7
Food and beverages	167.1	5.2	.5	163.2	4.5	.3	165.4	4.6	.7	161.1	4.7	.1
Food	167.6	5.3	.5	163.3	4.7	.2	165.5	4.5	.8	161.8	4.9	.1
Food at home	160.1	5.1	.2	161.0	4.7	.1	160.3	4.5	.8	157.3	4.7	.1
Cereals and bakery products	171.2	4.0	.4	175.6	4.2	1.1	176.0	3.4	-.9	168.9	1.0	.3
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	160.9	9.8	.3	164.9	9.6	1.0	162.9	7.2	2.5	155.3	7.4	1.8
Dairy products	145.0	-.2	.8	140.5	-.8	.1	140.9	1.4	.9	137.7	2.7	1.4
Fruits and vegetables	171.3	1.6	-1.1	172.3	1.1	-3.7	178.0	6.9	.4	172.1	2.1	-2.5
Other foods at home	154.1	4.1	.5	153.5	4.1	.9	149.6	1.8	-.3	158.0	6.2	-.8
Food away from home	185.3	6.1	1.3	169.2	4.6	.6	178.3	4.6	1.0	174.7	5.4	.1
Alcoholic beverages	158.0	1.7	.3	160.9	2.5	.6	164.0	8.0	-.5	149.1	.9	-.2
Housing	180.1	3.4	-.1	193.4	3.1	2.5	201.4	1.4	.1	189.8	1.7	.8
Shelter	196.4	7.8	.7	224.2	10.1	3.3	238.4	6.3	.5	218.1	7.0	1.5
Renters' costs ³	127.5	8.1	1.0	131.3	10.2	3.5	128.8	5.9	.3	132.6	6.8	1.3
Rent, residential	175.2	8.0	.7	187.1	11.0	2.9	208.3	6.4	.4	201.8	7.7	1.5
Other renters' costs	233.9	8.1	2.9	209.0	5.7	6.6	202.3	2.4	-.3	233.3	2.0	.3
Homeowners' costs ³	126.0	7.7	.6	134.2	10.9	3.5	130.5	6.8	.6	133.3	7.2	1.7
Owners' equivalent rent ³	126.2	7.8	.5	135.0	11.2	3.6	130.8	6.6	.5	133.9	7.3	1.6
Fuel and other utilities	169.5	-8.3	-3.8	170.4	-10.5	.6	172.1	-9.0	.0	169.0	-10.7	-1.5
Fuels ⁴	166.8	-11.8	-5.1	166.7	-15.6	.8	164.6	-13.6	-.6	160.7	-16.9	-2.5
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas ⁴	155.0	-27.9	1.1	148.8	-29.0	1.1	141.7	-30.3	-.9	144.4	-30.7	.6
Fuel oil ⁴	152.8	-29.2	1.1	146.8	-31.3	1.2	135.3	-34.0	-1.0	139.7	-33.5	.6
Other fuels ^{4,5}	200.5	-.3	1.3	168.2	-.5	.2	188.7	-1.3	-.8	184.0	-4.0	.1
Gas (piped) and electricity ⁴	171.5	-3.4	-7.4	179.8	-4.6	.6	180.5	-.7	-.5	171.3	-8.7	-4.2
Electricity ⁴	161.1	-3.9	-10.3	173.6	-3.8	1.9	174.7	-.8	-.7	180.7	-2.0	-1.4
Utility (piped) gas ⁴	187.9	-2.6	-3.1	194.0	-6.1	-2.1	189.7	-.5	-.2	157.3	-13.7	-8.5
Household furnishings and operation	148.1	1.9	.8	146.5	.9	2.1	140.9	-1.9	-.8	148.0	1.9	1.1
Apparel and upkeep	130.1	-.3	2.2	134.4	3.3	7.7	143.8	-.9	2.3	141.0	.4	-1.5
Apparel commodities	120.2	-1.2	2.6	129.1	3.3	8.8	137.2	-1.3	2.6	136.4	.3	-1.5
Men's and boys' apparel	119.5	-2.1	4.0	134.0	3.2	11.5	146.1	1.1	2.3	140.3	1.0	.3
Women's and girls' apparel	106.7	-1.6	2.4	126.2	5.6	14.0	129.7	-3.3	9.3	129.4	5.5	.5
Footwear	135.0	.6	3.5	143.4	-1.1	.1	137.8	.5	1.3	144.1	1.3	-5.5
Transportation	168.6	-4.6	1.0	167.3	-6.2	.7	170.6	-5.2	.4	168.6	-6.5	.1
Private transportation	162.2	-6.3	1.3	165.5	-6.6	.7	164.4	-6.1	.3	165.7	-7.1	.1
Motor fuel ⁴	134.5	-31.1	.2	137.1	-30.0	1.1	139.2	-28.0	-.8	144.1	-27.7	-.5
Gasoline ⁴	134.3	-31.2	.3	137.1	-30.0	1.1	138.9	-28.0	-.8	143.6	-28.0	-.5
Gasoline, leaded regular ⁴	130.9	-32.1	.7	135.5	-30.8	1.0	131.3	-30.2	-1.9	139.4	-28.4	.1
Gasoline, unleaded regular ⁴	128.8	-33.1	.2	133.6	-30.6	1.3	136.8	-28.7	-.2	140.4	-29.3	-.2
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁶	69.2	-27.3	.0	68.3	-27.9	.1	73.6	-23.4	-.9	73.1	-23.7	-2.0
Public transportation	208.2	4.6	-.2	214.1	2.5	.9	290.3	5.6	.5	231.7	3.3	.3
Medical care	208.7	8.8	1.5	211.0	9.0	1.0	210.3	7.5	.0	220.4	9.7	3.5
Entertainment	164.8	4.0	.0	157.4	1.2	3.8	167.4	3.5	.1	168.1	4.7	1.9
Other goods and services	202.6	6.2	2.9	198.0	5.5	2.2	208.4	6.7	3.4	206.3	8.6	2.7
Personal care	167.8	4.9	.9	165.7	3.0	.3	180.4	3.3	1.2	177.2	8.6	1.2

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 25. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Cross classification of region and population size class,¹ by expenditure category and commodity and service group—Continued

(December 1977 = 100)

Group	Northeast											
	Size class A			Size class B			Size class C			Size class D ²		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986
Commodity and service group												
All items	174.2	2.7	0.6	178.0	1.8	1.9	183.8	1.2	0.5	178.1	1.4	0.7
Commodities	157.9	-.8	.8	159.9	-2.4	1.6	159.8	-2.4	.4	157.1	-2.5	.1
Food and beverages	167.1	5.2	.5	163.2	4.5	.3	165.4	4.6	.7	161.1	4.7	.1
Commodities less food and beverages	150.4	-5.4	.9	156.5	-6.4	2.5	155.7	-6.3	.3	153.4	-6.7	.1
Nondurables less food and beverages	147.9	-8.6	1.0	152.6	-10.8	2.8	155.0	-9.6	.8	153.2	-10.9	.1
Durables	158.1	.6	1.0	167.0	.1	2.0	160.8	-1.3	-.4	161.4	.5	.2
Services	193.1	6.1	.5	203.9	6.8	2.1	220.7	5.3	.7	207.5	5.8	1.3
Medical care services	210.5	9.2	1.5	212.6	9.6	.9	212.9	7.5	-.1	224.8	11.0	4.3
Special indexes:												
All items less shelter	167.5	1.0	.5	165.8	-.6	1.4	168.7	-.3	.7	167.5	-.2	.5
All items less medical care	172.4	2.4	.6	176.2	1.3	1.9	182.4	.8	.6	175.8	.9	.5
All items less energy	175.9	5.2	1.0	181.6	5.3	2.0	187.8	3.9	.7	181.8	4.9	1.0
Energy ⁴	153.9	-19.3	-3.4	153.9	-21.6	.9	153.5	-19.8	-.6	152.8	-21.7	-1.7
Commodities less food	150.8	-5.1	.9	156.8	-6.1	2.4	156.0	-8.0	.3	153.4	-6.5	.1
Nondurables less food	148.5	-8.0	1.0	153.1	-10.1	2.8	155.5	-8.9	.8	153.0	-10.4	.1
Nondurables	158.4	-1.1	.7	158.0	-3.3	1.5	160.3	-2.7	.8	157.2	-3.5	.1
Services less rent of shelter ³	121.9	4.5	.3	118.5	3.4	.9	120.8	4.2	.9	121.8	4.6	1.2
Services less medical care	191.4	5.7	.4	203.0	6.4	2.3	221.5	5.0	.8	205.6	5.2	1.0

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 25. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Cross classification of region and population size class,¹ by expenditure category and commodity and service group—Continued

(December 1977=100)

Group	North Central											
	Size class A			Size class B			Size class C			Size class D		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986
	Expenditure category											
All items	180.3	1.2	-0.2	174.0	0.3	0.9	172.3	1.3	0.6	171.7	0.1	0.2
Food and beverages	159.8	4.5	.0	154.9	3.5	.3	159.3	4.9	.8	165.4	4.4	.5
Food	160.4	4.7	.0	154.6	3.5	.3	159.7	5.2	.8	165.3	4.6	.5
Food at home	158.2	5.8	.3	149.0	3.6	.1	155.2	5.1	.4	156.3	5.9	.5
Cereals and bakery products	172.4	2.4	-.7	171.4	3.1	-.3	173.8	2.5	.8	172.9	.6	.5
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	159.7	10.7	1.1	145.9	8.6	1.2	152.9	10.6	.8	161.9	11.3	.7
Dairy products	146.8	2.4	1.5	136.7	-2.2	.8	136.9	1.6	.1	136.1	1.2	-.4
Fruits and vegetables	163.1	5.5	-2.0	157.6	3.5	-1.1	166.3	1.5	-.6	164.8	10.2	-1.4
Other foods at home	153.4	4.1	.4	145.3	2.0	-.7	154.3	4.0	.4	149.5	2.7	1.8
Food away from home	165.1	2.5	-.5	167.1	3.6	1.0	169.8	5.5	1.7	185.6	2.3	.5
Alcoholic beverages	150.0	1.5	-.5	160.7	2.6	.8	152.1	.0	-.3	167.6	1.9	.5
Housing	201.8	1.8	-2.0	185.8	1.1	.9	183.3	2.9	.1	174.5	-1.1	-1.1
Shelter	228.7	4.8	.8	208.4	4.4	2.7	190.3	5.5	.5	182.1	-.1	-.8
Renters' costs ³	122.6	4.9	1.2	122.3	4.0	2.3	118.1	6.0	.2	110.3	-1.7	-1.3
Rent, residential	172.6	5.2	1.1	167.5	3.3	2.4	148.9	6.7	2.1	148.6	-.6	-1.2
Other renters' costs	215.8	2.6	1.6	233.3	7.3	2.0	202.3	3.4	-6.6	210.7	-6.3	-1.6
Homeowners' costs ³	119.2	4.7	.7	118.6	4.7	2.8	113.2	5.5	.7	110.4	1.0	-.5
Owners' equivalent rent ³	119.1	4.8	.8	118.8	4.7	2.8	113.1	5.6	.8	110.1	1.0	-.5
Fuel and other utilities	182.2	-3.1	-10.4	183.8	-4.2	-1.9	204.0	-.9	-.2	182.9	-5.1	-2.2
Fuels ⁴	173.1	-4.9	-13.8	169.8	-6.6	-2.6	205.8	-2.6	-.3	163.9	-10.0	-3.1
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas ⁴	161.9	-22.1	-1.0	147.3	-28.7	1.0	155.7	-24.9	.5	130.8	-31.9	2.7
Fuel oil ⁴	164.6	-25.2	-1.3	148.3	-31.8	1.5	150.5	-31.1	1.0	125.2	-38.5	3.1
Other fuels ^{4,5}	151.8	-5.8	1.0	142.7	-9.1	-1.7	170.0	-4.2	-.7	146.1	-9.3	1.7
Gas (piped) and electricity ⁴	174.6	-2.3	-15.1	174.1	-1.6	-3.2	218.7	3.1	-.5	171.1	-5.0	-4.0
Electricity ⁴	156.8	1.5	-24.7	142.2	3.3	-3.4	224.3	6.9	.5	137.9	-3.4	-5.8
Utility (piped) gas ⁴	195.8	-5.6	-3.5	219.8	-5.9	-3.0	211.4	-1.8	-1.8	211.4	-6.3	-2.7
Household furnishings and operation	146.7	-.1	-.5	138.1	-.5	-.1	144.0	.8	-1.0	148.1	1.4	-.4
Apparel and upkeep	126.8	.3	3.3	141.3	.3	3.9	135.2	.5	2.9	132.1	-1.9	3.0
Apparel commodities	119.9	-.3	3.9	136.1	-.4	3.4	129.1	.1	3.1	129.0	-2.4	3.4
Men's and boys' apparel	117.4	.1	2.7	136.7	-.9	3.8	120.5	-2.4	.2	117.3	4.9	4.5
Women's and girls' apparel	111.0	-2.7	5.5	129.8	-1.2	5.6	123.1	1.1	7.4	123.5	-13.8	1.1
Footwear	122.6	-.7	4.3	127.7	-2.1	1.2	131.8	1.1	.7	145.2	11.7	8.1
Transportation	165.8	-6.0	.4	165.5	-6.6	.1	165.4	-7.6	.4	166.3	-6.2	.3
Private transportation	161.6	-6.9	.5	163.0	-7.2	.1	162.2	-8.1	.4	161.2	-6.7	.8
Motor fuel ⁴	133.5	-30.9	-1.8	134.8	-30.2	-1.2	134.7	-30.2	-.4	138.2	-27.2	.9
Gasoline ⁴	132.8	-31.0	-1.8	134.9	-30.3	-1.2	134.2	-30.5	-.7	138.0	-27.1	1.0
Gasoline, leaded regular ⁴	130.6	-32.0	-2.2	126.6	-32.2	-3.0	134.5	-29.9	-.1	138.0	-26.6	.7
Gasoline, unleaded regular ⁴	129.4	-31.8	-1.5	133.7	-31.4	-.8	132.6	-31.3	-1.1	138.4	-27.6	1.2
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁶	73.3	-25.8	-2.5	74.6	-23.4	2.2	69.0	-27.2	-.9	57.5	-27.2	.0
Public transportation	236.9	5.7	.0	241.6	7.4	.4	256.8	3.7	.9	309.2	2.4	-5.6
Medical care	205.7	7.2	.8	207.0	6.5	.3	198.6	7.6	1.4	212.2	7.8	1.1
Entertainment	159.1	5.4	2.4	150.0	3.7	1.8	164.4	3.3	.8	150.0	2.5	-.2
Other goods and services	193.7	5.4	1.9	204.1	6.0	2.8	185.5	6.3	1.3	204.2	5.9	2.4
Personal care	153.8	1.0	.0	172.5	2.0	.4	142.6	2.4	-1.0	172.4	6.1	1.1

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Table 25. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Cross classification of region and population size class,¹ by expenditure category and commodity and service group—Continued

(December 1977 = 100)

Group	North Central											
	Size class A			Size class B			Size class C			Size class D		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986
	Commodity and service group											
All items	180.3	1.2	-0.2	174.0	0.3	0.9	172.3	1.3	0.6	171.7	0.1	0.2
Commodities	160.0	-1.5	.3	155.0	-2.9	.6	154.8	-1.9	.5	155.9	-1.5	.6
Food and beverages	159.8	4.5	.0	154.9	3.5	.3	159.3	4.9	.8	165.4	4.4	.5
Commodities less food and beverages	158.5	-5.1	.6	153.7	-6.2	.7	151.5	-5.5	.3	150.6	-4.8	.7
Nondurables less food and beverages	147.7	-8.7	.3	153.4	-10.3	1.0	151.1	-9.3	.1	149.0	-8.8	1.7
Durables	171.4	-2	.7	159.0	-5	.3	158.3	-2	.4	156.8	-1	-4
Services	209.0	4.0	-.8	203.1	4.3	1.3	198.8	5.0	.8	195.8	1.8	-4
Medical care services	208.0	7.5	.9	205.0	6.4	.2	198.5	8.1	1.7	216.7	8.4	1.3
Special indexes:												
All items less shelter	164.4	.2	-.5	164.0	-.6	.4	166.2	.2	.6	167.5	.1	.4
All items less medical care	178.7	.8	-.3	172.2	.0	.9	170.9	.9	.6	169.2	-.5	.1
All items less energy	183.1	3.7	.8	176.2	3.3	1.3	172.3	3.9	.7	173.7	2.4	.3
Energy ⁴	154.4	-17.4	-9.3	153.3	-18.1	-2.0	171.2	-15.2	-.3	152.5	-17.7	-1.5
Commodities less food	158.4	-4.9	.5	153.9	-6.0	.7	151.6	-5.4	.3	151.2	-4.5	.7
Nondurables less food	147.9	-8.1	.3	153.7	-9.8	.9	151.1	-8.9	.1	150.1	-8.1	1.6
Nondurables	154.1	-1.9	.2	154.2	-3.8	.7	155.2	-2.5	.5	157.6	-2.0	1.1
Services less rent of shelter ³	116.3	3.4	-2.0	115.6	4.1	.3	120.9	4.6	.8	118.3	2.6	-.1
Services less medical care	208.8	3.6	-1.0	202.7	4.0	1.4	198.8	4.7	.7	192.9	.8	-.6

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 25. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Cross classification of region and population size class,¹ by expenditure category and commodity and service group—Continued

(December 1977=100)

Group	South											
	Size class A			Size class B			Size class C			Size class D		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986
	Expenditure category											
All items	177.6	1.1	0.5	180.0	1.5	0.8	175.8	0.9	0.6	175.4	0.3	0.6
Food and beverages	167.4	4.3	.2	167.1	4.6	.7	162.4	4.5	.1	165.6	3.0	-.2
Food	167.9	4.4	.2	167.4	4.7	.7	162.5	4.7	.1	166.2	3.2	-.2
Food at home	163.7	4.5	-.6	163.4	5.8	.9	158.0	5.0	.0	158.9	3.5	-.3
Cereals and bakery products	173.7	1.3	-.6	172.6	4.2	.6	173.4	3.7	.6	163.8	.9	-2.2
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	159.5	9.2	.3	158.2	9.6	1.5	153.6	8.8	.5	167.0	9.7	.7
Dairy products	156.9	2.9	.4	154.4	1.9	1.0	153.6	3.5	1.0	153.7	-.3	.0
Fruits and vegetables	174.0	4.1	-3.3	186.1	7.0	1.1	166.6	1.6	-2.4	174.1	1.9	-1.9
Other foods at home	161.9	1.8	-.7	157.6	3.6	.1	154.4	3.8	.1	143.8	.3	.4
Food away from home	176.5	4.4	1.7	176.0	2.6	.2	175.0	4.0	.3	186.3	2.4	-.1
Alcoholic beverages	159.8	2.3	.3	161.7	1.8	.5	159.4	1.0	.1	152.2	-.5	-1.7
Housing	185.6	1.9	.1	188.7	2.3	.2	182.0	1.1	.4	185.1	1.0	-.1
Shelter	198.3	3.7	.9	201.6	2.9	.4	195.9	1.9	1.1	212.1	3.8	.7
Renters' costs ³	116.1	3.5	.8	119.4	3.7	-.2	115.2	2.3	1.1	120.6	4.6	.5
Rent, residential	178.2	3.5	.7	166.2	3.6	.0	168.4	1.6	1.1	173.0	3.5	.8
Other renters' costs	219.6	3.7	.6	249.2	4.2	-1.0	223.6	6.3	.6	224.1	9.9	-1.5
Homeowners' costs ³	116.1	3.8	1.0	114.7	2.6	.4	110.7	1.7	1.4	113.8	3.5	.9
Owners' equivalent rent ³	115.9	3.7	1.1	114.5	2.7	.4	110.5	1.7	1.5	113.2	3.3	.9
Fuel and other utilities	181.7	-5.7	-2.6	185.7	.9	-1.7	183.2	.5	-.7	159.0	-5.0	-2.5
Fuels ⁴	171.7	-9.9	-4.6	193.1	-1.0	-3.3	191.9	-3.8	-1.2	149.5	-8.4	-3.8
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas ⁴	164.1	-27.6	.1	168.1	-20.9	-.5	151.4	-17.6	3.3	151.2	-22.7	-.3
Fuel oil ⁴	150.0	-29.1	.7	158.2	-28.3	-1.3	118.3	-26.7	4.4	126.6	-32.6	-.6
Other fuels ^{4,5}	212.5	-24.1	-1.3	192.9	.4	1.3	182.6	-10.8	2.6	195.6	-6.6	.2
Gas (piped) and electricity ⁴	172.8	-8.7	-5.1	194.9	.6	-3.5	196.3	-2.4	-1.6	149.1	-4.8	-4.5
Electricity ⁴	164.1	-8.0	-8.1	195.9	2.1	-4.3	182.2	-2.0	-1.5	159.2	-.6	-4.9
Utility (piped) gas ⁴	194.5	-3.9	1.9	191.4	-4.5	-.3	232.7	-3.2	-1.5	127.9	-14.2	-3.5
Household furnishings and operation	150.6	3.9	.1	152.2	2.4	1.6	139.9	-.4	.0	148.0	1.4	.6
Apparel and upkeep	144.8	.6	4.2	140.3	3.2	2.9	139.6	3.0	2.0	122.9	3.3	7.0
Apparel commodities	133.9	-.8	4.6	130.8	3.2	3.5	133.9	3.2	2.4	117.6	2.8	8.3
Men's and boys' apparel	142.2	3.7	2.7	145.0	3.8	5.4	139.2	-2.0	.7	124.7	1.5	4.3
Women's and girls' apparel	128.3	-5.7	11.1	118.8	2.7	4.5	125.3	8.9	5.5	109.5	2.5	14.7
Footwear	132.1	.2	.8	130.7	3.8	.8	142.4	6.3	3.8	120.8	-1.3	7.1
Transportation	168.8	-6.4	.0	172.3	-6.2	.3	169.1	-6.6	.3	163.0	-7.6	.4
Private transportation	164.6	-7.3	.0	168.8	-6.7	.3	167.2	-7.1	.3	159.5	-6.1	.4
Motor fuel ⁴	138.6	-30.6	-1.5	135.5	-30.1	-1.0	137.6	-28.9	.4	129.4	-30.6	-.5
Gasoline ⁴	138.4	-30.7	-1.6	135.0	-30.1	-1.0	137.4	-28.9	.4	129.2	-30.6	-.5
Gasoline, leaded regular ⁴	134.3	-32.4	-1.8	132.5	-31.3	-1.3	132.7	-30.2	1.1	122.5	-32.9	-1.4
Gasoline, unleaded regular ⁴	133.9	-31.9	-1.5	133.5	-30.5	-.8	136.9	-29.8	-.1	128.3	-31.2	.9
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁶	71.2	-26.5	-1.4	69.3	-26.9	-.4	73.0	-24.0	-.3	66.2	-27.2	-1.9
Public transportation	242.3	4.5	-.2	259.7	4.7	1.7	216.5	3.3	.8	259.6	-1.2	-.5
Medical care	210.4	8.4	1.3	207.1	6.4	.9	219.2	7.8	1.3	226.1	7.4	1.8
Entertainment	161.9	3.1	1.0	168.5	1.3	1.0	165.2	2.5	-.1	155.6	.3	-.1
Other goods and services	197.9	6.2	1.9	208.7	7.7	4.3	197.5	4.7	2.0	192.2	4.6	2.0
Personal care	168.7	5.4	.6	172.5	2.6	.9	169.9	.2	-.2	154.5	.2	-.8

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 25. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Cross classification of region and population size class,¹ by expenditure category and commodity and service group—Continued

(December 1977 = 100)

Group	South											
	Size class A			Size class B			Size class C			Size class D		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986
	Commodity and service group											
All items	177.6	1.1	0.5	180.0	1.5	0.8	175.8	0.9	0.6	175.4	0.3	0.6
Commodities	160.7	-1.7	.5	163.8	-1.1	.9	160.0	-1.3	.4	158.9	-2.2	.9
Food and beverages	167.4	4.3	.2	167.1	4.6	.7	162.4	4.5	.1	165.6	3.0	-.2
Commodities less food and beverages	155.9	-5.2	.7	160.6	-4.4	1.0	157.6	-4.7	.6	154.6	-5.0	1.6
Nondurables less food and beverages	152.1	-10.0	1.1	153.4	-7.3	1.1	152.3	-7.6	1.3	148.3	-8.5	2.4
Durables	165.1	2.3	.2	170.7	-.6	.9	166.3	-.5	-.2	165.0	-.4	.7
Services	199.3	3.9	.5	202.5	4.3	.7	199.1	3.4	.8	199.5	3.3	.4
Medical care services	212.6	8.7	1.2	208.4	6.6	.9	225.4	8.3	1.6	228.7	7.5	2.0
Special indexes:												
All items less shelter	169.7	.4	.4	171.8	1.2	.9	168.6	.7	.4	164.9	-.4	.6
All items less medical care	175.7	.6	.5	178.2	1.1	.8	172.9	.3	.5	171.5	-.3	.5
All items less energy	179.8	4.1	.9	182.0	3.6	1.1	177.4	3.3	.7	179.8	3.0	1.0
Energy ⁴	154.1	-20.9	-3.1	161.8	-16.6	-2.2	163.7	-16.4	-.5	139.5	-19.8	-2.4
Commodities less food	156.2	-4.9	.7	160.7	-4.2	.9	157.7	-4.5	.6	154.6	-5.0	1.5
Nondurables less food	152.6	-9.3	1.0	153.8	-6.9	1.1	152.6	-7.3	1.2	148.4	-8.2	2.2
Nondurables	159.9	-2.9	.6	160.5	-1.2	.8	157.5	-1.6	.6	156.9	-2.8	1.0
Services less rent of shelter ³	121.7	4.2	.2	121.5	5.2	1.1	117.8	4.2	.4	116.3	3.1	.1
Services less medical care	197.8	3.4	.4	201.7	4.0	.7	195.4	2.6	.6	194.5	2.4	.0

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 25. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Cross classification of region and population size class,¹ by expenditure category and commodity and service group—Continued

(December 1977=100)

Group	West											
	Size class A			Size class B			Size class C			Size class D ²		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986
	Expenditure category											
All items	184.2	2.8	1.2	179.2	0.7	0.6	173.1	2.0	0.1	175.3	0.5	0.2
Food and beverages	165.6	3.8	.2	168.8	3.0	.6	165.6	3.9	.3	171.4	1.2	-.8
Food	167.2	4.1	.2	169.4	3.0	.6	165.0	3.8	.3	171.7	1.2	-.9
Food at home	162.0	4.5	.1	163.8	3.5	.7	160.3	4.1	.4	163.8	.7	-1.3
Cereals and bakery products	182.3	4.1	.4	182.4	2.0	-.1	175.5	3.2	1.3	180.5	.6	-.4
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	156.0	7.1	-.3	160.8	8.7	1.1	156.6	7.2	.2	161.0	5.5	-.8
Dairy products	152.8	1.4	.2	151.4	1.2	.9	143.5	-.8	.1	143.8	-.6	-.8
Fruits and vegetables	164.9	7.2	1.2	177.1	2.4	2.3	172.0	2.6	-1.5	186.1	-4.4	-1.6
Other foods at home	163.0	2.0	-.4	158.1	2.3	-.5	160.0	4.7	1.4	157.1	-.3	-2.2
Food away from home	176.7	3.4	.5	180.9	2.5	.4	175.1	3.2	.1	185.6	2.0	-.1
Alcoholic beverages	147.2	.6	1.0	160.7	1.8	.5	172.7	4.5	.1	167.1	2.6	.3
Housing	202.3	5.3	2.0	186.7	1.2	.6	173.8	2.6	-.1	177.9	1.3	1.0
Shelter	215.6	6.9	2.2	196.3	2.3	.8	181.4	4.6	.2	185.6	2.4	1.3
Renters' costs ³	131.7	5.1	1.2	122.8	2.7	.8	124.3	4.6	.4	119.0	3.4	2.3
Rent, residential	213.0	6.5	1.7	195.4	2.5	.7	180.9	4.9	.3	160.1	2.1	2.4
Other renters' costs	211.7	-9.2	-5.6	211.5	4.1	1.1	230.7	2.0	.6	215.7	14.7	1.6
Homeowners' costs ³	131.8	8.2	2.9	118.9	2.1	.8	123.8	4.7	.1	115.4	1.8	.5
Owners' equivalent rent ³	131.8	8.0	3.0	118.6	1.9	.9	124.2	4.8	.1	114.7	1.5	.5
Fuel and other utilities	218.9	.8	1.2	204.1	-1.9	.4	186.7	-1.8	-.6	185.7	-2.1	1.3
Fuels ⁴	251.0	-1.7	1.8	226.1	-6.0	.3	198.4	-5.9	-1.0	171.3	-5.8	2.0
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas ⁴	159.9	-25.3	7.5	159.7	-18.4	5.8	NA	NA	NA	138.4	-28.4	8.1
Fuel oil ⁴	152.7	-32.3	9.9	151.1	-22.4	7.2	NA	NA	NA	121.3	-37.0	12.1
Other fuels ^{4,5}	182.3	2.9	1.6	186.1	-6.6	2.1	217.1	-1.4	1.9	195.1	-.7	.8
Gas (piped) and electricity ⁴	257.4	-.3	1.6	236.3	-4.5	-.2	195.7	-6.5	-1.5	180.7	1.2	.7
Electricity ⁴	200.3	-.9	-.7	190.4	-5.2	-1.6	153.1	-2.2	-.6	187.7	6.1	.5
Utility (piped) gas ⁴	345.4	.3	3.7	331.3	-3.7	1.6	269.8	-10.5	-2.4	167.8	-7.5	1.2
Household furnishings and operation	150.5	2.7	1.7	145.5	.5	.3	146.5	.1	-.4	153.1	2.3	.0
Apparel and upkeep	131.5	1.0	2.6	140.6	1.9	2.6	133.5	2.9	1.3	151.7	.3	-1.4
Apparel commodities	123.2	.2	2.7	133.7	1.6	2.7	127.8	3.4	1.6	146.1	-.6	-1.6
Men's and boys' apparel	126.7	.8	3.3	137.0	-.1	3.6	137.7	5.8	.0	129.9	-1.3	-.4
Women's and girls' apparel	102.8	-4.7	3.6	127.3	1.1	2.7	113.8	1.7	6.4	149.1	2.8	-4.3
Footwear	141.6	1.9	4.8	147.9	-.1	.9	139.3	1.0	-1.3	136.9	-1.1	.6
Transportation	175.9	-3.8	.7	174.9	-5.4	.2	174.3	-4.0	-.5	167.4	-5.8	-.4
Private transportation	173.2	-4.3	.6	170.1	-6.3	.4	171.8	-4.3	-.8	160.4	-6.5	-.6
Motor fuel ⁴	133.3	-27.8	-3.2	136.6	-28.1	-.9	133.8	-29.8	-2.3	135.3	-30.4	-4.2
Gasoline ⁴	133.2	-27.8	-3.3	135.1	-28.4	-1.2	133.4	-29.9	-2.3	135.5	-30.5	-4.2
Gasoline, leaded regular ⁴	127.9	-28.9	-2.3	129.7	-29.2	.5	131.1	-31.4	-1.7	133.6	-30.3	-3.8
Gasoline, unleaded regular ⁴	130.8	-28.6	-4.0	133.2	-28.8	-1.6	129.2	-30.2	-2.7	137.9	-31.1	-4.8
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁶	69.9	-24.5	-3.1	69.3	-27.9	-4.1	69.1	-26.9	-2.7	73.9	-25.9	-3.5
Public transportation	223.7	3.0	1.3	253.1	5.8	-.9	221.4	1.4	5.4	262.1	.2	.8
Medical care	214.4	7.1	1.0	212.2	7.0	.6	225.1	10.1	1.1	213.7	8.0	1.0
Entertainment	156.8	2.2	-.6	162.2	.8	-.4	169.9	1.9	-.4	166.5	4.7	.8
Other goods and services	202.0	5.4	1.4	197.9	5.0	1.8	193.0	4.8	.8	199.7	4.5	1.4
Personal care	175.8	3.2	.1	173.2	.1	-.3	167.1	2.6	-.5	160.9	2.2	-.3

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 25. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Cross classification of region and population size class,¹ by expenditure category and commodity and service group—Continued

(December 1977 = 100)

Group	West											
	Size class A			Size class B			Size class C			Size class D ²		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986
	Commodity and service group											
All items	184.2	2.8	1.2	179.2	0.7	0.6	173.1	2.0	0.1	175.3	0.5	0.2
Commodities	157.8	-1.0	.5	160.6	-2.0	.6	159.6	-1.5	.1	158.2	-2.5	-.6
Food and beverages	165.6	3.8	.2	168.8	3.0	.6	165.6	3.9	.3	171.4	1.2	-.8
Commodities less food and beverages	152.7	-4.1	.7	155.2	-5.0	.6	155.0	-4.7	-.1	150.6	-5.0	-.5
Nondurables less food and beverages	150.4	-7.6	.3	156.3	-8.1	.8	153.6	-8.4	-.3	158.1	-9.4	-.9
Durables	159.3	.8	1.3	158.9	-.6	.4	161.9	.3	.2	151.9	2.2	.2
Services	215.7	6.2	1.8	202.3	3.2	.6	188.0	5.4	.1	199.5	3.9	1.1
Medical care services	216.6	7.3	1.2	212.3	7.1	.6	226.0	10.5	1.3	217.0	8.2	1.1
Special indexes:												
All items less shelter	172.0	1.4	.8	172.7	.2	.6	171.4	1.2	.1	172.5	.0	-.1
All items less medical care	182.6	2.6	1.2	177.2	.3	.6	170.0	1.4	.0	173.0	-.1	.1
All items less energy	185.2	4.9	1.4	180.0	2.9	.7	174.5	4.4	.2	177.5	3.0	.3
Energy ⁴	172.6	-17.0	-.9	173.1	-17.7	-.2	161.1	-19.0	-1.6	153.5	-18.2	-.8
Commodities less food	152.7	-3.9	.7	155.6	-4.7	.6	155.9	-4.3	-.1	151.3	-4.7	-.4
Nondurables less food	150.2	-6.9	.4	158.6	-7.4	.7	155.0	-7.5	-.3	158.6	-8.7	-.8
Nondurables	158.5	-1.6	.3	162.9	-2.3	.7	159.9	-2.1	.0	164.9	-4.0	-.8
Services less rent of shelter ³	124.5	5.6	1.4	121.0	4.2	.5	123.6	6.1	.1	117.0	5.0	.9
Services less medical care	215.6	6.1	1.8	201.1	2.8	.7	183.4	4.7	-.1	197.3	3.2	1.1

¹ 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.

² Data for this area will no longer be published after December 1986.

³ Indexes on a December 1982 = 100 base.

⁴ Indexes on a June 1978 = 100 base.

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

⁶ Indexes on an August 1981 = 100 base.

^{NA} Data not adequate for publication.

Table 26. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers: Region,¹ by expenditure category and commodity and service group

(December 1977 = 100)

Group	Northeast			North Central			South			West		
	Index		Percent change from—	Index		Percent change from—	Index		Percent change from—	Index		Percent change from—
	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986
	Expenditure category											
All items	173.5	1.9	0.8	172.4	0.6	0.1	176.3	0.6	0.6	177.8	1.7	0.8
Food and beverages	165.1	5.0	.4	159.5	4.5	.3	166.3	4.3	.2	168.3	3.3	.3
Food	165.4	5.2	.5	159.7	4.7	.3	166.6	4.4	.2	169.1	3.4	.2
Food at home	159.0	5.0	.3	155.7	5.4	.3	160.5	4.8	.0	161.9	3.6	.2
Cereals and bakery products	172.4	3.8	.2	174.7	2.2	-.2	168.0	2.7	-.2	177.9	2.9	.1
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	161.0	9.2	.8	155.5	10.4	1.2	159.0	9.6	.8	158.1	6.8	.4
Dairy products	142.4	.1	.8	141.0	1.3	.9	154.6	2.2	.7	150.7	.7	.3
Fruits and vegetables	167.6	2.8	-1.3	162.5	5.1	-2.2	173.1	3.7	-2.0	168.1	4.0	.8
Sugar and sweets	169.1	2.7	-.1	170.6	2.3	.6	173.7	1.8	-.6	178.5	4.5	.3
Fats and oils	145.6	-.6	-.3	144.2	-1.7	-1.4	138.2	-5.0	-2.8	154.1	-2.0	.4
Nonalcoholic beverages	142.2	6.0	.3	135.8	6.3	.4	148.5	4.0	.6	147.5	1.9	-1.2
Other prepared foods	165.9	2.5	.5	169.8	2.5	.7	166.6	3.0	.5	177.6	2.2	.2
Food away from home	181.9	5.6	.9	168.5	3.2	.2	181.4	3.5	.6	183.2	3.0	.3
Alcoholic beverages	161.6	2.4	.1	156.8	1.7	-.1	159.7	1.5	.1	157.2	1.7	1.0
Housing	182.6	2.8	.3	184.8	1.5	-1.1	185.1	1.5	.1	187.5	3.6	1.3
Shelter	202.1	7.8	1.1	200.1	4.3	.9	201.2	3.0	.8	195.9	5.2	1.6
Renters' costs ²	114.5	8.1	1.1	109.5	4.2	.8	107.7	3.3	.5	112.3	4.5	1.1
Rent, residential	180.9	8.2	.9	165.0	4.5	1.1	172.3	3.1	.6	199.1	5.0	1.4
Other renters' costs	225.0	7.3	2.9	219.0	2.1	-1.2	229.1	5.6	-.1	212.5	-2.9	-2.7
Homeowners' costs ²	113.6	8.0	1.1	108.6	4.5	.8	106.6	2.8	.9	112.7	5.7	1.8
Owners' equivalent rent ²	113.8	8.1	1.1	108.6	4.5	.9	106.5	2.8	.9	112.6	5.6	1.9
Maintenance and repairs	172.7	3.7	.7	155.3	.6	-.2	167.0	1.8	.5	185.5	2.2	.7
Maintenance and repair services	184.9	5.4	1.5	165.2	-.6	-.8	175.0	4.3	1.3	209.6	1.5	-1.0
Maintenance and repair commodities	145.0	1.9	-.2	137.1	1.2	.1	149.9	-.7	-.4	147.1	3.4	3.5
Fuel and other utilities	170.1	-.8	-.2	186.9	-.3	-.5	180.4	-.2	-.1	205.6	-.6	.6
Fuels ³	166.1	-13.0	-3.4	177.3	-.3	-.8	178.5	-.5	-.3	224.5	-3.9	.9
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas ³	151.1	-28.7	.7	154.9	-25.2	.1	159.7	-22.8	.6	164.9	-18.7	5.5
Fuel oil ³	148.1	-30.6	.7	152.9	-29.8	.1	141.4	-29.4	.6	154.7	-24.3	7.3
Other fuels ^{3,4}	188.9	-.9	.2	161.3	-.6	.2	193.8	-11.5	.7	193.9	-2.6	1.9
Gas (piped) and electricity ³	173.9	-.3	-.5	181.2	-.1	-.9	180.8	-.3	-.3	232.2	-2.2	.6
Electricity ³	165.8	-.3	-.6	164.1	2.4	-1.4	176.6	-.2	-.4	188.6	-1.5	-.8
Utility (piped) gas ³	187.2	-.3	-.3	203.2	-.5	-.3	191.5	-.5	-.4	307.1	-3.1	2.0
Other utilities and public services	163.5	5.6	.7	170.5	3.4	.0	159.2	5.3	.9	169.9	6.1	.1
Household furnishings and operation	145.4	1.5	.8	142.5	.1	-.6	145.0	1.8	.6	146.9	1.9	.9
Housefurnishings	133.9	.2	.5	130.0	-.3	-.5	133.6	1.6	.8	133.8	2.5	1.5
Housekeeping supplies	154.6	3.5	1.4	162.8	.1	-.1	158.7	1.4	.5	168.9	1.3	.5
Housekeeping services	170.2	1.9	.5	161.3	1.5	.3	162.7	2.4	.2	163.7	1.3	.1
Apparel and upkeep	130.5	-.1	2.4	132.2	.3	3.1	139.6	1.8	3.8	133.8	1.3	2.1
Apparel commodities	122.9	-.6	2.8	126.5	-.2	3.3	131.9	1.3	4.4	126.9	.8	2.2
Men's and boys' apparel	123.9	-.1	4.5	123.6	-.3	2.6	140.8	.9	3.2	129.4	1.3	2.7
Women's and girls' apparel	114.3	-.6	3.5	120.6	-2.9	4.8	125.5	.9	8.7	111.3	-1.9	3.2
Infants' and toddlers' apparel	138.5	-.3	-.2	177.8	13.2	2.7	133.9	9.3	-3.0	159.5	-.6	3.6
Footwear	136.5	.1	2.2	130.9	1.6	3.2	130.8	2.5	2.3	144.5	1.2	2.5
Other apparel commodities	129.5	.3	-.2	139.1	3.7	1.2	130.6	.9	-.7	139.8	6.6	-1.3
Apparel services	190.7	3.2	.3	182.4	3.5	1.7	199.5	4.8	1.0	192.9	3.9	1.5

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 26. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers: Region,¹ by expenditure category and commodity and service group—Continued

(December 1977 = 100)

Group	Northeast			North Central			South			West		
	Index		Percent change from—	Index		Percent change from—	Index		Percent change from—	Index		Percent change from—
	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986
Expenditure category												
Transportation	168.5	-5.8	0.8	165.0	-6.8	0.4	170.0	-7.1	0.2	175.0	-4.7	0.2
Private transportation	164.4	-7.0	.9	162.1	-7.4	.4	168.1	-7.5	.2	172.3	-5.2	.1
New vehicles	152.9	5.3	1.3	149.7	4.0	.7	151.0	5.2	.5	144.6	5.3	1.4
New cars	153.1	5.4	1.4	149.7	4.2	.8	151.6	5.1	.7	146.3	5.9	1.7
Used cars	211.4	-4.0	.7	211.2	-3.9	.7	211.3	-3.9	.7	211.1	-3.9	.7
Motor fuel ³	137.0	-30.2	.2	135.6	-30.2	-1.1	136.5	-30.0	-.7	134.3	-28.3	-2.6
Gasoline ³	136.8	-30.3	.2	135.1	-30.4	-1.2	136.2	-30.1	-.7	133.8	-28.4	-2.8
Gasoline, leaded regular ³	133.6	-31.2	.3	132.7	-30.8	-1.4	132.1	-31.5	-.8	128.8	-29.5	-1.9
Gasoline, unleaded regular ³	132.1	-31.7	.2	132.9	-31.2	-1.1	134.5	-30.9	-.6	131.6	-29.1	-3.3
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁵	70.0	-26.8	-.1	72.6	-25.5	-1.4	70.3	-26.2	-1.0	69.9	-25.5	-3.3
Maintenance and repair	174.2	3.7	.8	164.8	1.7	-.5	176.6	2.9	.7	185.1	3.4	.7
Other private transportation	163.1	3.6	1.3	156.9	4.6	1.6	170.7	5.7	-.2	189.9	9.0	.8
Other private trans. commod	133.7	-1.3	-1.2	126.2	-2.8	.1	131.5	-2.7	-2.8	128.4	-.5	-1.5
Other private trans. services	168.5	4.3	1.7	162.5	5.8	1.9	181.7	7.6	.4	203.5	10.4	1.2
Public transportation	210.8	5.3	-.1	245.6	6.0	-.4	233.5	3.2	.4	235.3	3.9	1.2
Medical care	208.2	8.4	1.2	205.2	7.0	.8	214.1	7.6	1.3	213.4	7.5	.9
Medical care commodities	196.9	6.1	.8	197.8	5.5	.3	206.2	6.3	.7	201.6	6.3	.3
Medical care services	210.9	9.0	1.4	206.8	7.4	1.0	215.7	7.8	1.4	215.6	7.6	.9
Professional services	204.3	8.4	1.8	190.2	5.8	.8	202.1	6.4	1.3	199.2	5.8	.6
Other medical care services ⁶	218.6	9.5	.9	225.9	9.0	1.1	226.4	8.9	1.5	237.3	9.7	1.4
Entertainment	160.0	3.9	.6	158.4	4.5	1.8	161.5	1.6	.6	153.6	1.5	-.5
Entertainment commodities	152.0	2.2	.4	149.6	2.7	.9	156.2	-.3	.5	145.0	.2	-.7
Entertainment services	172.8	6.3	.8	172.9	7.2	3.2	172.5	5.1	.9	170.4	3.8	.0
Other goods and services	198.2	6.0	2.3	194.1	5.7	1.5	195.4	5.6	2.0	197.3	5.1	1.1
Tobacco products	200.3	5.5	.2	213.1	8.7	.3	203.6	6.5	.4	211.7	6.9	.3
Personal care	167.1	4.6	.9	156.4	2.0	.0	168.2	2.5	.4	170.7	2.2	-.1
Personal and educational expenses	235.9	7.9	5.8	231.0	6.7	5.0	237.3	8.9	6.7	233.7	7.6	4.1
Commodity and service group												
All items	173.5	1.9	0.8	172.4	0.6	0.1	176.3	0.6	0.6	177.8	1.7	0.8
Commodities	158.6	-1.5	.7	155.5	-2.0	.4	161.9	-1.9	.6	158.4	-1.7	.3
Food and beverages	165.1	5.0	.4	159.5	4.5	.3	166.3	4.3	.2	168.3	3.3	.3
Commodities less food and beverages	153.4	-5.9	1.0	152.3	-5.7	.5	158.4	-5.4	.9	152.4	-4.8	.4
Nondurables less food and beverages	149.2	-9.6	1.0	150.2	-9.8	.5	152.4	-9.2	1.3	152.5	-8.5	.1
Apparel commodities	122.9	-.6	2.8	126.5	-.2	3.3	131.9	1.3	4.4	126.9	.8	2.2
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel	159.4	-12.0	.6	159.5	-12.4	-.4	161.1	-12.3	.3	163.1	-11.1	-.4
Durables	160.1	.2	.8	156.1	-.5	.4	165.4	-.4	.4	155.2	.2	.7
Services	196.3	5.9	.7	201.0	3.9	-.2	199.2	3.7	.5	204.2	5.1	1.1
Rent of shelter ²	114.1	8.2	1.2	108.8	4.4	.8	106.9	3.0	.8	112.5	5.2	1.6
Household services less rent of shelter ²	101.4	.3	-2.1	102.9	.1	-5.1	104.5	.6	-1.3	108.3	1.3	.3
Transportation services	179.7	4.4	1.0	172.6	4.8	.9	185.8	5.6	.5	202.2	7.6	1.0
Medical care services	210.9	9.0	1.4	206.8	7.4	1.0	215.7	7.8	1.4	215.6	7.6	.9
Other services	193.7	6.0	2.5	182.6	5.2	3.0	189.9	5.4	2.2	184.2	4.5	1.2

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 26. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers: Region,¹ by expenditure category and commodity and service group—Continued

(December 1977 = 100)

Group	Northeast			North Central			South			West		
	Index		Percent change from—	Index		Percent change from—	Index		Percent change from—	Index		Percent change from—
	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986
Commodity and service group												
Special indexes:												
All items less food	175.6	0.9	0.7	175.2	-0.4	0.1	178.3	-0.3	0.6	179.6	1.3	0.9
All items less shelter	165.8	.2	.6	164.2	-.3	-.1	168.9	.0	.5	171.3	.6	.5
All items less homeowners' costs ²	103.8	1.0	.7	102.1	.0	-.1	102.8	.3	.5	104.2	1.0	.6
All items less medical care	171.9	1.5	.6	170.8	.2	.1	174.0	.1	.5	175.9	1.3	.7
Commodities less food	153.7	-5.6	.9	152.6	-5.4	.5	158.6	-5.2	.9	152.8	-4.6	.5
Nondurables less food	150.0	-8.9	1.0	150.6	-9.1	.4	152.8	-8.7	1.3	152.8	-7.8	.2
Nondurables less food and apparel	159.6	-10.9	.5	159.3	-11.4	-.3	161.0	-11.5	.3	162.5	-10.0	-.3
Nondurables	157.8	-1.9	.7	155.1	-2.6	.3	159.5	-2.4	.7	160.9	-2.3	.2
Services less rent of shelter ²	107.5	4.2	.4	106.7	3.5	-1.0	108.4	4.1	.3	111.1	5.1	.8
Services less medical care	194.9	5.6	.6	200.3	3.5	-.3	196.9	3.1	.4	203.0	4.9	1.2
Energy ³	152.8	-20.8	-2.0	156.0	-18.3	-5.2	155.1	-19.1	-2.0	166.8	-18.1	-.9
All items less energy	175.5	4.8	1.0	173.9	3.4	.8	178.3	3.3	.8	178.6	4.0	.9
All items less food and energy	178.8	4.7	1.2	177.8	3.1	.9	181.4	3.1	1.0	181.0	4.1	1.1
Commodities less food and energy	157.9	1.4	1.0	157.2	.9	.7	164.1	1.0	1.1	157.3	1.2	.9
Energy commodities	142.6	-29.8	.4	139.6	-29.5	-.9	139.3	-29.4	-.6	142.4	-27.7	-2.1
Services less energy	197.6	6.8	1.3	201.1	4.7	1.1	199.3	4.6	1.0	202.0	5.8	1.3

¹ 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 - 365,000 to 1,250,000.
- C - 75,000 to 365,000.
- 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.

² Indexes on a December 1984 = 100 base.

³ Indexes on a June 1976 = 100 base.

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

⁵ Indexes on an August 1981 = 100 base.

⁶ This index series will not be published after December 1986.

Table 27. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers: Population size class,¹ by expenditure category and commodity and service group

(December 1977 = 100)

Group	A-1 ²			A-2 ²			B			C			D		
	Index		Percent change from—	Index		Percent change from—	Index		Percent change from—	Index		Percent change from—	Index		Percent change from—
	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986
Expenditure category															
All items	172.5	2.3	0.4	176.0	0.8	0.4	175.1	0.9	0.9	175.7	0.9	0.5	175.1	0.1	0.3
Food and beverages	164.5	4.8	.3	164.6	4.5	.2	165.1	4.0	.4	161.9	4.6	.5	166.1	3.4	-.1
Food	165.1	5.0	.3	165.1	4.6	.2	165.4	4.1	.4	161.8	4.7	.6	166.2	3.5	-.1
Food at home	158.4	5.3	.4	159.8	4.9	-.2	160.5	4.5	.4	157.3	4.7	.4	158.5	3.9	-.2
Cereals and bakery products	172.1	4.1	.1	173.8	2.2	-.2	176.1	3.4	.3	171.5	3.1	.2	170.1	.7	-.7
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	159.2	9.7	.6	158.2	9.2	.6	159.0	8.8	1.3	155.1	8.9	1.0	162.4	9.5	.8
Dairy products	146.4	.3	.8	148.6	2.6	.7	146.4	.2	.8	144.0	1.8	.6	144.4	.6	.0
Fruits and vegetables	160.8	4.2	-.3	169.7	4.2	-2.4	175.4	3.7	-1.1	168.2	2.7	-1.1	169.6	3.4	-2.8
Sugar and sweets	170.7	2.6	-.8	172.4	3.0	-.8	177.0	3.8	1.8	174.4	1.3	-.1	163.9	2.0	.7
Fats and oils	152.0	.3	-1.0	141.9	-4.7	-1.4	150.2	-.8	.5	136.1	-4.5	-3.1	138.3	-2.7	-.3
Nonalcoholic beverages	143.2	5.4	1.1	145.8	5.9	-1.1	139.5	3.2	-1.1	144.7	6.0	1.3	139.9	2.6	.5
Other prepared foods	169.6	2.8	.9	169.3	1.5	.5	172.5	3.0	.2	167.2	3.5	.5	165.8	1.7	-.1
Food away from home	180.7	4.5	.1	176.7	4.1	1.2	176.6	3.2	.5	173.1	4.5	.9	184.9	2.6	.2
Alcoholic beverages	155.6	1.2	.1	157.3	2.3	.4	160.4	2.1	.7	163.1	2.5	-.1	163.5	1.4	-.2
Housing	181.2	3.8	-.4	187.9	1.9	-.2	183.6	2.1	.9	187.7	2.0	.2	184.7	.3	-.2
Shelter	195.0	7.2	1.4	203.4	4.8	.7	197.2	4.5	1.5	205.0	4.6	.6	204.5	2.9	.4
Renters' costs ³	113.8	7.3	1.4	109.8	4.1	.3	111.1	4.8	1.3	109.8	4.5	.5	108.9	2.8	.6
Rent, residential	182.7	7.3	1.3	182.5	4.7	.6	179.7	4.7	1.2	175.0	4.7	1.0	166.9	2.8	.7
Other renters' costs	231.8	6.8	2.5	211.2	-1.8	-1.9	227.7	5.2	1.6	212.0	3.6	-2.7	221.6	2.9	-.8
Homeowners' costs ³	112.7	7.3	1.3	109.5	5.4	1.0	110.1	4.7	1.7	110.0	4.7	.7	108.1	3.1	.6
Owners' equivalent rent ³	112.6	7.3	1.4	109.5	5.4	1.0	110.1	4.7	1.7	110.1	4.8	.8	107.9	3.0	.5
Maintenance and repairs	169.0	5.3	1.0	170.2	3.1	-.1	167.7	.4	2.0	171.8	.9	-1.4	158.3	-1.6	-1.8
Maintenance and repair services	179.8	5.3	1.3	182.4	3.5	.1	175.6	.9	1.3	192.6	3.9	-1.8	176.7	1.8	-.4
Maintenance and repair commodities	140.8	5.3	.7	147.5	2.9	-.3	152.2	-.1	2.6	137.0	-.8	-1.1	134.4	-4.5	-3.0
Fuel and other utilities	182.0	-4.7	-6.7	182.4	-6.0	-3.1	185.9	-3.3	-.7	187.3	-2.1	-.4	172.7	-5.7	-1.8
Fuels ⁴	176.0	-7.3	-6.9	180.4	-9.1	-4.7	186.5	-6.8	-1.4	189.6	-5.7	-.7	159.8	-10.1	-2.7
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas ⁴	158.8	-26.1	.1	157.0	-27.1	1.8	153.0	-26.1	1.4	154.3	-24.7	.4	139.9	-29.3	1.9
Fuel oil ⁴	157.2	-27.6	.0	150.1	-30.4	2.3	149.1	-30.1	1.6	143.3	-30.7	.2	130.7	-35.1	2.3
Other fuels ^{4,5}	180.5	-1.8	1.3	190.2	-11.4	-.1	170.9	-3.8	.5	187.6	-5.6	.6	173.2	-8.5	.7
Gas (piped) and electricity ⁴	180.9	-1.0	-11.0	184.9	-5.3	-5.7	194.3	-2.2	-1.9	198.9	-.6	-1.0	165.0	-4.4	-3.6
Electricity ⁴	159.0	-2.0	-18.4	172.0	-3.3	-6.3	177.9	-.3	-2.5	188.9	1.2	-.6	158.7	-.6	-3.8
Utility (piped) gas ⁴	212.4	.1	-1.3	206.6	-7.7	-1.8	227.4	-5.1	-1.0	217.7	-3.3	-1.6	175.2	-9.5	-3.3
Other utilities and public services	163.7	3.6	.2	160.5	4.7	.9	163.9	5.4	.6	168.6	6.4	.3	173.8	4.6	.0
Household furnishings and operation	142.7	1.5	.6	149.5	2.3	.2	144.0	1.1	1.1	141.6	-.4	-.6	147.2	1.4	.3
Housefurnishings	129.5	.9	.7	139.5	2.8	.1	130.2	.1	1.7	130.2	-1.0	-.3	136.4	.8	.0
Housekeeping supplies	157.1	3.2	1.0	160.3	1.1	.3	165.3	1.7	.1	159.4	.1	-1.7	161.5	1.2	.9
Housekeeping services	166.3	1.2	.1	167.3	2.1	.3	163.6	2.4	.7	159.9	1.1	.2	162.8	2.7	.2
Apparel and upkeep	124.5	.2	2.5	138.1	.0	3.8	138.6	1.8	3.5	139.0	1.2	2.2	133.3	1.3	2.6
Apparel commodities	115.0	-.3	3.0	130.8	-1.1	4.1	131.9	1.4	3.7	134.1	1.1	2.4	128.3	.8	3.1
Men's and boys' apparel	114.8	-1.2	4.6	132.6	.3	2.2	139.1	1.6	5.7	137.4	-1.0	.9	126.3	1.0	2.7
Women's and girls' apparel	101.4	-2.1	2.2	123.2	-4.0	8.7	122.9	.7	5.1	131.3	2.3	6.0	122.1	-1.7	3.4
Infants' and toddlers' apparel	161.3	6.2	-.3	148.1	2.3	.3	144.8	3.1	1.9	152.2	2.4	-.8	147.9	10.6	.4
Footwear	131.8	.9	5.4	133.8	-.1	.9	136.0	.5	.4	136.2	3.0	1.7	140.7	3.4	4.5
Other apparel commodities	126.9	3.6	-.9	145.9	2.7	.7	134.8	3.9	-1.0	127.7	-.5	-4.0	135.5	2.8	1.8
Apparel services	190.7	2.8	.2	197.5	6.3	1.9	193.8	3.8	2.2	187.8	2.2	.6	179.5	5.0	-.2

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 27. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers: Population size class,¹ by expenditure category and commodity and service group—Continued

(December 1977=100)

Group	A-1 ²			A-2 ²			B			C			D		
	Index		Percent change from—	Index		Percent change from—	Index		Percent change from—	Index		Percent change from—	Index		Percent change from—
	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986
	Expenditure category														
Transportation	170.5	-4.8	0.9	166.3	-7.0	0.2	170.6	-6.3	0.3	169.2	-6.8	0.2	167.4	-6.9	0.2
Private transportation	165.9	-6.2	1.0	163.4	-7.6	.2	168.8	-6.7	.4	167.3	-7.1	.2	164.6	-7.3	.3
New vehicles	148.1	5.2	2.1	148.7	5.2	1.0	151.9	4.4	.5	150.0	4.2	.2	153.1	5.4	.6
New cars	149.5	5.6	2.3	148.4	5.2	1.1	151.7	4.5	.5	150.7	4.4	.2	152.9	4.9	.7
Used cars	211.3	-4.0	.7	211.4	-3.9	.7	211.2	-3.9	.8	211.2	-3.9	.8	211.1	-4.0	.7
Motor fuel ⁴	135.1	-30.0	-2.0	135.1	-30.7	-1.0	136.5	-29.7	-.8	137.7	-29.3	-.5	134.9	-29.0	-.5
Gasoline ⁴	134.8	-30.1	-1.8	134.9	-30.7	-1.0	136.1	-29.7	-.6	137.4	-29.4	-.6	134.7	-29.0	-.6
Gasoline, leaded regular ⁴	132.1	-31.2	-1.9	130.9	-31.9	-.7	131.4	-31.1	-1.1	133.7	-30.3	-.1	132.1	-29.5	-.8
Gasoline, unleaded regular ⁴	129.8	-31.5	-1.9	131.5	-31.9	-1.2	134.3	-30.4	-.5	136.9	-30.1	-.8	134.2	-29.7	.0
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁶	70.5	-25.9	-1.7	70.6	-26.6	-1.4	70.1	-26.6	-.6	72.8	-24.6	-.8	67.2	-26.5	-1.9
Maintenance and repair	172.5	1.1	-.7	175.4	3.8	.3	176.4	3.9	.8	178.4	2.9	.6	167.1	2.5	1.8
Other private transportation	176.1	7.2	3.0	160.3	4.6	.0	172.6	5.6	.4	168.0	5.5	-.2	155.8	2.2	-.1
Other private trans. commod	123.9	-2.5	-1.7	129.0	-1.1	-1.6	134.6	-1.9	-1.5	133.1	-1.3	-.4	130.2	-3.4	-2.3
Other private trans. services	184.3	8.4	3.5	167.3	5.6	.2	181.5	7.0	.7	176.6	6.9	-.1	162.2	3.4	.2
Public transportation	213.9	6.5	.0	230.2	2.9	.1	238.6	5.4	.2	240.2	3.5	1.7	260.1	1.3	-1.6
Medical care	205.1	7.5	1.3	212.6	8.1	.9	208.7	6.9	.7	213.4	8.1	1.0	214.2	7.6	1.7
Medical care commodities	200.6	5.8	.8	196.5	6.7	.4	206.6	5.9	.7	199.7	6.1	.0	198.3	5.4	.6
Medical care services	206.1	7.8	1.4	215.8	8.4	1.0	209.1	7.1	.7	216.3	8.4	1.2	217.5	8.1	1.9
Professional services	194.6	6.2	1.5	203.6	7.0	1.0	191.0	6.3	.7	206.4	7.2	1.3	202.6	6.7	1.1
Other medical care services ⁷	220.8	9.8	1.3	228.5	9.6	1.1	228.2	7.9	.6	226.3	9.6	1.1	230.0	9.1	2.4
Entertainment	156.6	4.3	.6	161.6	3.9	1.0	156.9	1.3	1.3	161.1	2.6	.2	156.3	2.4	.1
Entertainment commodities	142.5	1.5	-.8	156.2	2.4	.4	149.5	-.7	1.6	156.4	1.8	.1	153.0	1.9	.4
Entertainment services	177.1	7.7	2.3	171.0	6.1	2.0	172.0	5.0	.8	170.6	4.3	.4	162.9	3.5	-.2
Other goods and services	194.8	6.2	1.8	197.8	5.3	1.7	200.0	5.9	2.4	190.8	5.2	1.4	199.2	5.4	2.0
Tobacco products	205.9	7.5	.2	201.1	6.4	.2	209.3	7.3	.5	205.0	6.8	.1	213.9	5.5	.6
Personal care	164.5	3.9	.4	166.4	3.0	.4	169.9	1.9	.5	158.9	1.9	-.1	165.0	3.8	.4
Personal and educational expenses	225.7	7.4	5.1	243.6	6.7	4.9	241.2	9.6	7.2	230.9	8.0	5.3	236.6	7.3	5.8
Commodity and service group															
All items	172.5	2.3	0.4	176.0	0.8	0.4	175.1	0.9	0.9	175.7	0.9	0.5	175.1	0.1	0.3
Commodities	155.0	-1.1	.5	159.8	-1.9	.5	160.1	-2.1	.8	159.7	-2.0	.4	159.2	-2.1	.4
Food and beverages	164.5	4.8	.3	164.6	4.5	.2	165.1	4.0	.4	161.9	4.6	.5	166.1	3.4	-.1
Commodities less food and beverages	148.2	-5.4	.6	156.0	-5.7	.8	156.4	-5.6	1.0	157.2	-5.7	.3	154.8	-5.3	.7
Nondurables less food and beverages	146.8	-8.8	.3	151.4	-10.1	.9	154.0	-9.4	1.2	153.2	-9.3	.6	150.4	-9.2	1.2
Apparel commodities	115.0	-.3	3.0	130.8	-1.1	4.1	131.9	1.4	3.7	134.1	1.1	2.4	128.3	.8	3.1
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel	159.5	-11.0	-.4	159.7	-12.8	.0	162.8	-12.4	.4	160.8	-12.3	.0	159.4	-12.0	.6
Durables	152.0	.3	1.0	162.8	.6	.5	160.3	-.7	.8	162.4	-.8	.1	160.1	-.4	.2
Services	197.8	6.0	.4	200.8	4.0	.2	198.5	4.4	1.0	202.6	4.6	.5	202.6	3.1	.3
Rent of shelter ³	113.0	7.2	1.3	109.6	4.9	.7	110.4	4.6	1.5	110.0	4.7	.7	108.2	2.9	.5
Household services less rent of shelter ³	103.9	1.1	-5.5	102.3	-1.5	-2.7	104.7	.9	-.6	105.5	1.8	-.5	102.5	.0	-1.5
Transportation services	189.1	6.5	1.8	177.9	4.6	.3	185.3	5.9	.7	183.1	5.4	.3	173.8	2.8	.4
Medical care services	206.1	7.8	1.4	215.8	8.4	1.0	209.1	7.1	.7	216.3	8.4	1.2	217.5	8.1	1.9
Other services	189.6	5.7	2.5	192.9	5.8	2.6	188.9	5.5	2.9	181.3	4.5	1.7	183.1	4.9	1.6

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 27. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers: Population size class,¹ by expenditure category and commodity and service group—Continued

(December 1977 = 100)

Group	A-1 ²			A-2 ²			B			C			D		
	Index		Percent change from—	Index		Percent change from—	Index		Percent change from—	Index		Percent change from—	Index		Percent change from—
	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1988	Oct. 1988	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1988	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1988	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1988	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1988
	Commodity and service group														
Special indexes:															
All items less food	174.3	1.5	0.5	178.4	-0.1	0.4	177.2	0.1	1.0	178.8	-0.1	0.4	177.0	-0.8	0.5
All items less shelter	165.7	.9	.2	187.6	-.2	.3	168.4	-.1	.7	167.1	.0	.4	167.0	-.5	.3
All items less homeowners' costs ³	104.5	1.5	.3	102.6	.2	.3	102.9	.3	.8	102.8	.3	.5	101.7	-.3	.3
All items less medical care	171.0	2.0	.4	174.2	.4	.4	173.3	.5	.9	173.8	.5	.5	172.9	-.4	.3
Commodities less food	148.6	-5.0	.6	156.2	-5.4	.8	156.7	-5.3	1.0	157.5	-5.4	.3	155.1	-5.1	.7
Nondurables less food	147.4	-8.2	.3	151.8	-9.4	.9	154.4	-8.7	1.2	153.7	-8.7	.5	151.1	-8.6	1.1
Nondurables less food and apparel	159.2	-10.0	-.3	159.5	-11.6	.0	162.6	-11.4	.4	160.9	-11.4	-.1	159.7	-11.2	.6
Nondurables	156.4	-1.5	.3	156.4	-2.6	.6	159.9	-2.6	.8	157.7	-2.4	.5	156.6	-2.7	.5
Services less rent of shelter ³	108.7	4.9	-.5	107.7	3.4	-.2	108.6	4.2	.6	108.8	4.5	.5	106.3	3.2	.2
Services less medical care	197.0	5.8	.3	199.1	3.5	.1	197.3	4.1	1.0	201.0	4.1	.5	200.5	2.3	.1
Energy ⁴	155.3	-18.8	-8.0	155.9	-20.8	-3.0	159.6	-18.8	-1.0	161.7	-18.0	-.6	147.1	-19.7	-1.7
All items less energy	173.8	4.8	1.0	178.0	3.9	.8	176.5	3.5	1.1	177.2	3.6	.6	178.1	2.8	.6
All items less food and energy	176.4	4.8	1.3	181.5	3.7	.9	179.4	3.3	1.2	181.4	3.3	.6	181.4	2.7	.8
Commodities less food and energy	152.2	1.7	1.1	161.6	1.3	1.0	161.6	.8	1.3	162.5	.8	.4	160.3	.9	.8
Energy commodities	142.0	-29.2	-1.5	140.0	-30.2	-.6	141.4	-29.1	-.3	142.5	-28.5	-.3	136.3	-29.0	-1.1
Services less energy	197.8	6.6	1.5	200.9	5.2	.9	197.6	5.2	1.3	202.0	5.2	.7	205.3	4.0	.8

¹ 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.

² Data for this area will no longer be published after December 1986.

³ Indexes on a December 1984=100 base.

⁴ Indexes on a June 1978=100 base.

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

⁶ Indexes on an August 1981=100 base.

⁷ This index series will not be published after December 1986.

Table 28. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers: Cross classification of region and population size class,¹ by expenditure category and commodity and service group

(December 1977=100)

Group	Northeast											
	Size class A			Size class B			Size class C			Size class D ²		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986
	Expenditure category											
All items	169.7	2.2	0.5	174.6	1.6	1.6	188.1	0.9	0.5	177.2	1.1	0.6
Food and beverages	166.0	5.3	.5	162.4	4.6	.3	164.0	4.5	.7	165.5	4.8	-.1
Food	166.3	5.5	.5	162.4	4.7	.2	163.8	4.5	.8	166.0	5.0	-.1
Food at home	158.0	5.1	.2	162.3	4.7	.1	158.9	4.3	.7	160.8	5.0	-.1
Cereals and bakery products	170.6	4.1	.4	179.2	4.2	1.1	174.4	3.4	-1.0	170.3	1.1	.1
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	160.1	9.7	.3	163.8	9.8	1.0	161.7	7.2	2.3	162.2	7.5	1.5
Dairy products	143.8	-.3	.7	137.2	-.9	.1	141.2	1.4	.9	142.9	2.7	1.5
Fruits and vegetables	163.9	2.5	-.8	181.5	1.6	-3.5	168.4	6.2	.4	172.1	3.2	-3.5
Other foods at home	152.4	3.9	.3	154.7	3.8	.8	151.8	1.8	-.2	157.0	6.2	-.8
Food away from home	187.3	8.1	1.1	162.8	4.8	.6	176.1	4.6	.9	181.8	5.3	.0
Alcoholic beverages	160.9	1.9	.1	161.1	2.5	.6	168.3	6.0	-.4	156.3	.6	-.3
Housing	172.7	3.2	-.2	188.7	3.5	2.4	219.1	1.2	.1	190.3	1.4	.6
Shelter	184.6	7.7	.7	212.0	10.0	3.2	269.8	6.3	.4	217.4	6.9	1.5
Renters' costs ³	113.8	8.2	.9	116.9	10.5	3.3	115.1	5.9	.3	117.6	6.8	1.3
Rent, residential	174.9	8.0	.6	187.2	11.0	2.9	208.3	6.4	.4	201.8	7.7	1.5
Other renters' costs	233.0	9.1	3.2	207.7	5.5	6.1	199.7	2.2	-.5	230.0	1.8	.3
Homeowners' costs ³	111.5	7.6	.5	117.3	10.9	3.4	117.5	6.6	.6	116.9	7.2	1.7
Owners' equivalent rent ³	111.7	7.7	.5	117.6	11.2	3.5	117.6	6.8	.5	117.2	7.3	1.6
Fuel and other utilities	169.2	-8.6	-3.7	171.9	-9.3	.5	171.6	-8.9	.1	170.9	-11.4	-2.0
Fuels ⁴	166.1	-12.1	-5.0	168.5	-14.3	.6	164.1	-13.7	-.6	164.0	-17.0	-3.0
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas ⁴	155.1	-27.9	1.1	149.7	-28.4	1.1	141.4	-30.8	-1.0	144.1	-31.1	.6
Fuel oil ⁴	152.8	-29.2	1.1	147.1	-31.3	1.2	135.0	-34.2	-1.0	140.0	-33.6	.6
Other fuels ^{4 5}	201.2	-.4	1.0	169.2	-.5	.2	196.2	-1.1	-1.1	184.4	-4.0	.0
Gas (piped) and electricity ⁴	171.2	-3.3	-7.3	180.2	-4.7	.4	179.8	-.4	-.4	176.0	-7.7	-4.7
Electricity ⁴	161.0	-3.9	-10.2	173.4	-3.8	1.9	174.2	-.4	-.8	180.4	-2.1	-1.4
Utility (piped) gas ⁴	187.4	-2.6	-3.2	194.0	-6.2	-2.2	188.1	-.3	-.1	169.8	-14.8	-9.1
Household furnishings and operation	145.6	2.4	.8	147.7	.5	2.2	139.6	-2.2	-1.0	150.4	1.8	.7
Apparel and upkeep	126.1	-.6	2.1	132.6	2.6	6.2	146.7	-.9	1.3	137.5	1.9	-1.3
Apparel commodities	116.5	-1.5	2.6	128.2	2.5	7.0	142.5	-1.2	1.4	132.7	2.2	-1.3
Men's and boys' apparel	116.1	-3.0	4.0	127.7	3.7	10.7	151.1	.9	2.4	135.3	.2	.2
Women's and girls' apparel	104.3	-1.4	2.1	124.4	3.2	10.8	142.5	-3.7	4.1	132.5	6.6	1.0
Footwear	135.7	.4	3.8	146.2	-1.5	.0	128.8	.5	1.3	138.5	1.2	-5.5
Transportation	169.1	-5.5	1.0	166.9	-6.2	.7	168.4	-5.8	.3	167.1	-7.2	.1
Private transportation	163.6	-7.3	1.2	165.9	-6.5	.7	164.9	-6.0	.3	166.3	-7.6	.1
Motor fuel ⁴	135.3	-31.1	.2	137.0	-30.0	1.2	139.7	-28.1	-.8	144.5	-27.7	-.5
Gasoline ⁴	135.1	-31.3	.2	137.0	-30.0	1.2	139.3	-28.0	-.9	143.9	-28.0	-.6
Gasoline, leaded regular ⁴	132.3	-32.1	.8	135.7	-30.8	1.1	131.6	-30.2	-1.9	141.1	-28.3	.1
Gasoline, unleaded regular ⁴	128.9	-33.2	.1	134.0	-30.6	1.4	137.9	-28.7	-.2	139.2	-29.3	-.1
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁶	69.2	-27.3	.0	88.5	-27.9	.1	76.3	-23.4	-.9	73.2	-23.7	-2.0
Public transportation	207.2	5.7	-.1	204.8	2.2	.8	282.8	4.7	.5	198.2	4.5	.2
Medical care	205.5	8.4	1.4	212.2	9.0	1.0	216.3	7.5	-.1	212.1	9.0	3.2
Entertainment	160.3	4.4	-.1	157.5	1.9	3.6	158.4	3.5	.2	167.1	4.9	2.1
Other goods and services	197.8	6.0	2.3	195.1	5.4	1.9	197.4	6.1	2.5	211.3	7.0	2.7
Personal care	167.1	4.8	1.0	160.9	3.1	.4	167.2	3.3	1.1	183.1	8.2	1.0

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 28. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers: Cross classification of region and population size class,¹ by expenditure category and commodity and service group—Continued

(December 1977 = 100)

Group	Northeast											
	Size class A			Size class B			Size class C			Size class D ²		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986
	Commodity and service group											
All items	169.7	2.2	0.5	174.6	1.6	1.6	188.1	0.9	0.5	177.2	1.1	0.6
Commodities	156.6	-1.0	.7	160.0	-2.0	1.4	164.8	-2.4	.3	161.2	-2.0	.1
Food and beverages	166.0	5.3	.5	162.4	4.6	.3	164.0	4.5	.7	165.5	4.8	-.1
Commodities less food and beverages	149.2	-5.8	.9	157.5	-5.9	2.1	163.7	-6.4	.1	157.6	-6.4	.2
Nondurables less food and beverages	146.8	-9.3	.8	152.1	-10.3	2.6	154.7	-9.7	.5	154.1	-10.4	.1
Durables	154.4	.6	.9	164.2	.0	1.5	173.6	-1.4	-.5	164.5	.7	.3
Services	188.6	6.0	.4	199.6	6.7	2.0	230.6	5.2	.7	205.0	5.3	1.2
Medical care services	207.5	9.0	1.6	215.4	9.5	.9	219.7	7.6	-.2	217.5	10.3	4.0
Special indexes:												
All items less shelter	165.6	.7	.5	165.0	-.5	1.2	166.4	-.6	.5	168.0	-.4	.3
All items less medical care	188.1	1.9	.5	173.2	1.3	1.7	186.8	.5	.5	175.7	.7	.4
All items less energy	171.1	5.0	.9	177.2	5.0	1.7	192.5	3.7	.6	180.3	4.8	.8
Energy ⁴	152.6	-20.5	-3.0	153.7	-21.4	.9	152.1	-20.5	-.7	153.6	-22.4	-1.9
Commodities less food	149.7	-5.6	.9	157.7	-5.6	2.1	164.0	-6.0	.1	157.7	-6.1	.2
Nondurables less food	147.7	-8.7	.8	152.7	-9.6	2.4	155.4	-9.0	.5	154.2	-9.8	.1
Nondurables	157.3	-1.4	.6	157.6	-2.7	1.3	159.5	-2.7	.6	160.1	-2.7	.1
Services less rent of shelter ³	107.6	4.4	.1	106.1	3.2	.9	108.7	4.1	.8	106.8	3.9	.9
Services less medical care	186.8	5.6	.3	198.1	6.4	2.2	231.6	4.9	.7	203.7	4.8	.9

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 28. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers: Cross classification of region and population size class,¹ by expenditure category and commodity and service group—Continued

(December 1977=100)

Group	North Central											
	Size class A			Size class B			Size class C			Size class D		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986
	Expenditure category											
All items	174.5	0.8	-0.3	169.5	0.0	0.8	168.7	1.1	0.6	172.7	-0.2	0.2
Food and beverages	158.9	4.8	.0	158.7	3.6	.3	157.8	5.1	.8	165.4	4.3	.5
Food	159.2	4.8	.0	158.8	3.7	.3	158.2	5.5	.9	164.8	4.4	.4
Food at home	157.3	5.9	.3	151.7	3.8	.0	155.0	5.2	.4	154.8	5.5	.4
Cereals and bakery products	174.4	2.3	-6	179.6	3.1	-4	172.6	2.4	.6	173.8	.6	.5
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	157.5	10.8	1.2	149.9	8.6	1.5	153.1	10.6	1.0	157.5	11.6	1.0
Dairy products	145.2	2.3	1.3	137.2	-2.2	.8	136.0	1.5	.1	137.2	1.0	-3
Fruits and vegetables	163.2	5.8	-2.3	157.4	3.1	-2.2	166.5	2.1	-1.2	159.7	9.5	-3.0
Other foods at home	153.0	4.2	.4	147.5	2.0	-9	155.0	3.9	.5	151.2	2.4	1.6
Food away from home	163.2	2.5	-5	174.9	3.6	.9	165.5	5.8	1.8	187.4	2.3	.6
Alcoholic beverages	153.9	1.8	-5	158.1	2.7	.8	152.0	.0	-3	174.1	2.1	.3
Housing	191.5	1.8	-2.2	176.0	1.1	.9	177.1	3.1	.1	179.8	-1.0	-1.0
Shelter	212.5	4.9	.8	189.6	4.4	2.7	182.3	5.4	.6	189.4	.1	-7
Renters' costs ³	110.6	5.0	1.1	110.7	3.9	2.3	109.2	6.0	.2	103.4	-1.4	-1.2
Rent, residential	172.5	5.3	1.1	167.5	3.3	2.4	148.9	6.7	2.1	148.6	-6	-1.2
Other renters' costs	221.5	2.3	1.0	235.8	7.3	1.6	205.8	3.0	-8.2	210.7	-5.9	-1.4
Homeowners' costs ³	109.2	4.9	.7	110.4	4.7	2.8	108.2	5.5	.7	104.9	1.1	-4
Owners' equivalent rent ³	109.1	4.9	.7	110.4	4.6	2.8	108.2	5.6	.8	104.8	1.0	-5
Fuel and other utilities	183.0	-3.1	-10.4	184.2	-4.2	-1.9	201.4	-4	-2	183.1	-5.1	-2.3
Fuels ⁴	173.8	-4.9	-13.7	170.2	-6.6	-2.6	204.0	-2.0	-3	163.4	-9.8	-3.3
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas ⁴	165.3	-22.0	-1.1	148.3	-28.3	.8	158.4	-24.4	.4	129.7	-32.1	2.8
Fuel oil ⁴	165.1	-25.4	-1.6	149.1	-31.7	1.5	151.2	-31.1	1.0	125.6	-38.5	3.2
Other fuels ^{4,5}	166.0	-5.2	1.0	145.4	-9.3	-1.6	176.5	-4.1	-6	140.8	-9.5	1.8
Gas (piped) and electricity ⁴	174.9	-2.2	-15.1	174.5	-1.7	-3.2	215.3	3.6	-5	170.3	-5.0	-4.1
Electricity ⁴	157.0	1.4	-24.8	142.5	3.2	-3.4	222.7	6.9	.5	138.1	-3.4	-5.7
Utility (piped) gas ⁴	196.1	-5.4	-3.3	219.4	-5.8	-3.0	204.3	-1.4	-2.0	212.0	-6.2	-2.6
Household furnishings and operation	141.2	-4	-8	138.5	-4	-1	143.7	1.1	-8	149.8	1.2	-3
Apparel and upkeep	128.4	.7	3.0	144.9	.2	3.4	132.9	.1	2.9	132.0	-.8	3.3
Apparel commodities	121.7	.3	3.6	140.6	-.4	2.9	127.1	-.5	3.1	128.7	-1.1	3.7
Men's and boys' apparel	120.7	.1	2.7	142.4	-.8	4.2	114.8	-3.7	.0	126.9	4.0	3.5
Women's and girls' apparel	114.3	-2.1	5.0	135.7	-1.5	3.7	130.5	.4	6.8	113.5	-11.6	2.3
Footwear	121.8	-2	3.1	129.9	-1.4	1.1	135.8	1.7	1.5	159.8	10.4	7.8
Transportation	163.4	-6.6	.4	165.6	-7.1	.1	166.8	-7.7	.4	167.7	-6.0	.5
Private transportation	159.8	-7.5	.5	163.9	-7.5	.1	165.3	-8.0	.4	164.5	-6.4	.7
Motor fuel ⁴	134.8	-30.9	-1.8	134.6	-30.2	-1.2	136.8	-30.2	-.4	138.7	-27.2	1.0
Gasoline ⁴	134.1	-31.1	-1.8	134.7	-30.3	-1.1	136.3	-30.5	-.7	138.4	-27.1	.9
Gasoline, leaded regular ⁴	131.8	-32.0	-2.2	126.1	-32.2	-3.0	136.1	-29.9	-.1	138.8	-26.7	.7
Gasoline, unleaded regular ⁴	130.8	-31.8	-1.5	133.2	-31.4	-.8	135.8	-31.3	-1.2	138.5	-27.6	1.2
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁶	73.0	-26.0	-2.7	74.1	-23.5	2.2	69.8	-27.2	-.9	57.5	-27.2	.0
Public transportation	238.4	6.8	.0	243.7	7.6	.4	247.3	3.4	.8	300.7	2.7	-5.0
Medical care	205.5	7.0	.8	208.1	6.3	.3	202.8	7.5	1.3	204.8	7.5	1.1
Entertainment	164.3	5.9	2.8	147.1	3.5	2.0	155.5	3.3	.9	153.1	1.9	-.6
Other goods and services	193.2	5.6	1.4	202.0	5.8	2.3	185.0	6.1	.8	202.2	5.8	2.2
Personal care	152.5	.6	-.2	171.8	2.0	.4	145.4	2.4	-.9	169.9	6.1	1.4

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Table 28. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers: Cross classification of region and population size class,¹ by expenditure category and commodity and service group—Continued

(December 1977 = 100)

Group	North Central											
	Size class A			Size class B			Size class C			Size class D		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986
	Commodity and service group											
All items	174.5	0.8	-0.3	169.5	0.0	0.8	168.7	-1.1	0.6	172.7	-0.2	0.2
Commodities	155.9	-1.8	.2	155.1	-3.0	.5	153.5	-2.0	.5	157.2	-1.5	.6
Food and beverages	158.9	4.6	.0	158.7	3.6	.3	157.8	5.1	.8	165.4	4.3	.5
Commodities less food and beverages	153.0	-5.7	.3	152.3	-6.6	.6	150.4	-5.6	.3	152.6	-4.7	.7
Nondurables less food and beverages	148.1	-9.7	.2	156.5	-10.9	.8	151.3	-9.7	.1	149.6	-8.7	1.8
Durables	159.4	-3	.6	151.8	-7	.3	152.0	-7	.6	155.8	-6	-3
Services	204.6	4.0	-.9	194.8	4.2	1.2	195.2	5.1	.7	201.0	1.6	-.4
Medical care services	208.0	7.4	.9	205.9	6.2	.2	204.5	8.0	1.7	206.5	8.2	1.3
Special indexes:												
All items less shelter	163.0	-.2	-.6	164.7	-1.0	.4	164.9	.0	.6	167.3	-.3	.4
All items less medical care	173.0	.5	-.3	167.9	-.4	.8	167.2	.7	.6	171.1	-.7	.1
All items less energy	176.7	3.8	.8	170.9	3.1	1.2	168.4	3.7	.7	174.5	2.2	.4
Energy ⁴	153.5	-18.6	-8.8	152.1	-18.9	-2.0	168.9	-16.2	-.3	151.8	-18.0	-1.5
Commodities less food	153.2	-5.4	.3	152.6	-6.3	.6	150.5	-5.5	.3	153.2	-4.5	.7
Nondurables less food	148.5	-9.0	.1	156.5	-10.3	.8	151.3	-9.3	.1	151.2	-8.0	1.7
Nondurables	153.9	-2.3	.1	157.6	-3.9	.5	154.7	-2.5	.5	158.0	-1.9	1.0
Services less rent of shelter ³	106.3	3.4	-2.1	106.5	3.9	.2	108.6	4.5	.7	106.0	2.3	-.2
Services less medical care	204.1	3.7	-1.1	193.7	4.0	1.4	194.2	4.7	.6	200.0	.7	-.6

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 28. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers: Cross classification of region and population size class,¹ by expenditure category and commodity and service group—Continued

(December 1977=100)

Group	South											
	Size class A			Size class B			Size class C			Size class D		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986
	Expenditure category											
All items	176.9	0.7	0.5	175.7	1.0	0.6	176.3	0.3	0.6	175.9	-0.2	0.5
Food and beverages	168.8	4.5	.2	168.3	4.5	.5	161.9	4.5	.2	165.1	2.9	-.3
Food	169.4	4.6	.2	168.6	4.7	.5	161.8	4.7	.1	165.6	2.9	-.3
Food at home	163.3	4.7	-.5	161.6	5.6	.7	157.0	5.0	.1	159.7	3.2	-.4
Cereals and bakery products	169.1	1.4	-.5	168.6	4.1	.7	168.3	3.6	.6	165.0	1.0	-2.2
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	161.0	9.4	.3	158.1	9.7	1.4	151.7	9.5	.5	169.0	9.7	.7
Dairy products	155.8	3.2	.6	155.2	1.8	1.0	153.1	3.5	.9	154.1	-.4	-.2
Fruits and vegetables	172.5	4.0	-3.4	181.0	6.5	.2	167.2	1.5	-2.1	171.5	1.9	-2.8
Other foods at home	162.4	2.0	-.4	156.9	3.4	.1	154.9	3.6	.3	145.1	-.2	.6
Food away from home	182.9	4.6	1.5	184.2	2.8	.2	175.6	3.8	.2	181.5	2.3	-.1
Alcoholic beverages	159.2	2.4	.4	162.4	1.4	.7	162.0	1.1	.1	150.7	-.5	-1.9
Housing	184.7	1.4	-.1	181.5	2.3	.2	187.7	.9	.4	188.3	.6	-.2
Shelter	198.0	3.6	.8	191.6	2.8	.4	205.6	1.8	1.2	220.4	3.7	.7
Renters' costs ³	107.5	3.4	.7	108.7	3.6	-.1	105.8	2.1	1.1	109.6	4.4	.6
Rent, residential	177.4	3.3	.7	166.2	3.6	.0	168.4	1.6	1.1	173.0	3.5	.8
Other renters' costs	217.3	4.2	.4	248.8	4.2	-.6	219.7	6.1	.8	232.3	11.3	-1.7
Homeowners' costs ³	108.6	3.7	1.0	106.2	2.6	.5	104.5	1.8	1.5	107.3	3.5	.8
Owners' equivalent rent ³	108.4	3.6	1.0	106.3	2.8	.5	104.2	1.7	1.5	107.0	3.3	.9
Fuel and other utilities	183.1	-5.7	-2.7	187.4	1.0	-1.6	184.8	.4	-.8	158.7	-5.0	-2.5
Fuels ⁴	171.2	-9.8	-4.7	194.6	-1.0	-3.1	191.5	-3.6	-1.2	149.7	-8.3	-3.8
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas ⁴	163.8	-26.6	.2	171.1	-19.3	-.3	158.1	-16.7	3.2	149.1	-23.7	-.3
Fuel oil ⁴	151.0	-28.7	.9	158.9	-28.2	-1.3	121.1	-26.7	4.4	127.8	-32.5	-.5
Other fuels ^{4,5}	203.6	-21.3	-1.4	194.7	.4	1.3	185.7	-10.8	2.6	195.0	-6.7	.2
Gas (piped) and electricity ⁴	172.3	-6.9	-5.4	196.3	.5	-3.3	194.9	-2.4	-1.6	149.8	-4.6	-4.4
Electricity ⁴	164.0	-8.0	-8.3	196.8	2.3	-4.3	180.5	-2.0	-1.6	159.7	-.6	-4.8
Utility (piped) gas ⁴	193.7	-4.2	1.8	194.8	-4.6	-.3	232.5	-3.2	-1.6	128.2	-14.1	-3.3
Household furnishings and operation	149.7	3.2	.2	145.1	2.4	1.5	140.6	-.4	-.1	142.7	1.0	.6
Apparel and upkeep	146.6	.1	5.5	140.1	2.7	2.9	140.3	2.6	2.1	126.5	2.6	5.0
Apparel commodities	136.9	-1.3	6.2	131.1	2.5	3.4	135.3	2.7	2.3	120.2	1.8	6.0
Men's and boys' apparel	139.8	2.1	2.6	148.4	3.3	5.5	147.5	-2.4	.7	120.8	-.7	4.1
Women's and girls' apparel	137.9	-5.5	16.2	119.1	1.9	4.7	126.6	8.2	5.6	115.2	1.2	7.7
Footwear	126.0	.1	.5	131.3	3.8	.2	139.3	5.9	3.2	125.2	-.7	8.1
Transportation	169.4	-6.7	-.1	172.4	-6.5	.3	170.0	-7.8	.4	167.0	-8.0	.3
Private transportation	166.5	-7.2	-.1	170.9	-6.8	.3	168.9	-8.2	.3	164.7	-8.3	.4
Motor fuel ⁴	138.5	-30.8	-1.6	137.0	-30.1	-.9	138.5	-28.9	.4	128.5	-30.6	-.5
Gasoline ⁴	138.4	-30.8	-1.6	136.5	-30.1	-.9	138.3	-28.9	.3	128.3	-30.6	-.5
Gasoline, leaded regular ⁴	134.5	-32.5	-1.8	134.4	-31.3	-1.4	133.1	-30.1	1.1	121.5	-32.9	-1.4
Gasoline, unleaded regular ⁴	134.0	-32.0	-1.5	134.7	-30.5	-.8	138.9	-29.8	-.1	127.7	-31.2	.9
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁶	71.2	-26.5	-1.5	69.4	-26.9	-.4	73.0	-24.0	-.3	66.3	-27.2	-1.9
Public transportation	236.0	3.2	-.1	236.7	5.3	1.1	211.9	3.7	1.3	252.5	-.6	-.4
Medical care	214.1	8.5	1.2	208.0	6.4	.9	215.8	8.1	1.4	221.4	7.4	1.8
Entertainment	167.7	2.7	1.2	159.0	.8	1.1	161.6	1.8	-.1	153.7	.3	-.5
Other goods and services	192.3	5.9	1.4	204.9	6.9	3.1	191.6	4.2	1.6	191.4	4.6	1.9
Personal care	173.0	5.4	.6	175.8	2.6	1.2	162.6	.4	-.1	156.7	.6	-.5

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Table 28. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers: Cross classification of region and population size class,¹ by expenditure category and commodity and service group—Continued

(December 1977 = 100)

Group	South											
	Size class A			Size class B			Size class C			Size class D		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986
	Commodity and service group											
All items	176.9	0.7	0.5	175.7	1.0	0.6	176.3	0.3	0.6	175.9	-0.2	0.5
Commodities	162.3	-1.8	.6	162.3	-1.5	.7	162.2	-1.8	.4	159.8	-2.7	.7
Food and beverages	168.8	4.5	.2	168.3	4.5	.5	161.9	4.5	.2	165.1	2.9	-.3
Commodities less food and beverages	157.8	-5.6	.9	158.4	-4.9	.9	160.8	-5.6	.6	156.2	-5.8	1.3
Nondurables less food and beverages	154.3	-10.3	1.4	152.7	-8.2	1.1	153.6	-8.8	1.3	146.7	-9.3	1.9
Durables	163.6	1.2	.4	164.1	-.9	.7	168.7	-.9	-.2	165.7	-1.4	.5
Services	198.6	3.8	.4	196.4	4.1	.6	200.3	3.2	.7	203.2	3.3	.2
Medical care services	215.2	8.8	1.2	208.6	6.6	.9	218.1	8.5	1.6	224.2	7.5	2.0
Special indexes:												
All items less shelter	170.6	.0	.4	170.6	.6	.8	167.9	.0	.4	164.7	-.8	.5
All items less medical care	174.9	.2	.5	173.8	.6	.6	173.9	-.3	.5	172.6	-.9	.4
All items less energy	178.8	3.8	.9	176.9	3.4	1.0	178.0	3.1	.6	180.4	2.7	.8
Energy ⁴	153.3	-21.3	-3.2	161.7	-17.3	-2.1	161.5	-17.5	-.5	138.1	-20.8	-2.3
Commodities less food	157.9	-5.4	.9	158.6	-4.7	.9	160.9	-5.4	.6	156.1	-5.7	1.2
Nondurables less food	154.6	-9.6	1.3	153.2	-7.8	1.1	154.0	-8.3	1.2	146.8	-9.0	1.7
Nondurables	161.8	-2.9	.7	160.8	-1.8	.8	157.9	-2.2	.6	156.0	-3.2	.7
Services less rent of shelter ³	109.1	4.0	-.1	109.5	5.0	.7	108.0	3.9	.3	106.1	3.1	.0
Services less medical care	196.6	3.1	.3	194.9	3.8	.5	197.7	2.4	.5	199.3	2.4	-.1

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 28. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers: Cross classification of region and population size class,¹ by expenditure category and commodity and service group—Continued

(December 1977 = 100)

Group	West											
	Size class A			Size class B			Size class C			Size class D ²		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986
	Expenditure category											
All items	179.0	2.5	1.2	179.3	0.5	0.6	171.2	1.7	0.1	176.7	0.4	0.2
Food and beverages	167.5	3.7	.4	169.4	2.9	.4	167.3	3.6	.4	170.9	1.3	-.8
Food	168.9	3.9	.3	170.2	3.0	.5	166.6	3.6	.5	171.4	1.2	-.8
Food at home	160.5	4.3	.1	165.5	3.2	.5	160.7	3.7	.6	161.6	.7	-1.3
Cereals and bakery products	178.6	4.2	.3	180.7	1.6	-.6	172.6	2.5	1.0	174.5	-.1	-.9
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	155.2	7.0	.1	163.9	6.4	1.3	158.3	6.7	.2	156.6	6.2	-.8
Dairy products	152.6	1.3	.2	153.6	1.1	.9	144.7	-1.0	.1	141.8	-.7	-.9
Fruits and vegetables	160.5	6.8	1.3	175.6	3.1	1.2	173.8	1.9	-.1	184.1	-4.3	-1.3
Other foods at home	162.4	1.9	-.4	161.9	1.8	-.6	159.1	4.4	1.4	159.9	-.6	-2.3
Food away from home	185.0	3.4	.5	179.7	2.5	.4	179.0	3.4	.2	188.9	1.9	-.1
Alcoholic beverages	150.0	.6	1.2	159.5	2.2	.8	180.5	4.3	.2	164.8	2.7	.7
Housing	192.6	5.4	2.0	188.6	1.2	.6	169.7	2.7	.0	182.4	1.3	1.0
Shelter	200.7	7.0	2.3	198.5	2.2	.8	174.7	4.9	.2	192.8	2.3	1.3
Renters' costs ³	114.4	5.3	1.2	109.8	2.6	.7	110.4	4.8	.4	108.4	3.1	2.3
Rent, residential	212.4	6.5	1.7	194.5	2.5	.7	181.6	5.2	.4	160.1	2.1	2.4
Other renters' costs	206.4	-.8	-.5	210.7	3.8	.6	233.2	1.9	.7	219.6	15.6	.8
Homeowners' costs ³	115.2	8.3	2.9	109.3	2.1	.8	112.5	4.9	.2	106.3	1.8	.6
Owners' equivalent rent ³	115.0	8.1	3.0	109.0	1.9	.8	112.7	4.9	.2	105.9	1.5	.6
Fuel and other utilities	218.3	.9	1.0	203.7	-1.9	.5	186.8	-2.0	-.6	186.7	-2.0	1.3
Fuels ⁴	249.3	-1.5	1.6	227.0	-6.0	.4	198.9	-6.0	-1.0	171.1	-5.7	2.0
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas ⁴	160.0	-24.0	7.5	161.1	-17.6	5.4	NA	NA	NA	134.1	-30.5	8.8
Fuel oil ⁴	151.9	-32.2	10.2	152.8	-21.2	6.7	NA	NA	NA	121.2	-37.0	12.0
Other fuels ^{4,5}	180.6	3.0	2.1	185.4	-7.7	2.4	216.5	-1.5	1.8	193.6	-.7	.7
Gas (piped) and electricity ⁴	254.9	-.4	1.4	238.0	-4.5	-.1	196.3	-6.7	-1.5	180.5	1.1	.7
Electricity ⁴	200.5	-.8	-.7	190.5	-5.2	-1.6	151.7	-2.3	-.7	188.2	6.0	.5
Utility (piped) gas ⁴	343.3	.1	3.5	327.1	-3.7	1.6	272.2	-10.7	-2.3	188.9	-7.5	1.2
Household furnishings and operation	149.3	3.0	1.6	143.6	.6	.4	142.5	-.1	-.4	149.3	2.2	.1
Apparel and upkeep	129.1	.9	2.5	136.0	.7	2.1	136.5	4.0	2.5	153.6	1.7	-.5
Apparel commodities	121.4	.2	2.7	128.9	.2	2.1	132.6	4.6	3.0	148.3	1.0	-.5
Men's and boys' apparel	125.3	1.5	3.9	132.6	-.9	2.9	137.6	5.4	.1	131.3	-.4	-.4
Women's and girls' apparel	98.9	-5.8	2.9	115.1	-1.7	2.3	126.3	4.8	9.1	158.1	6.9	-1.7
Footwear	148.2	1.9	4.7	139.1	-.4	.7	141.6	2.7	-.9	143.1	-.7	-.1
Transportation	175.7	-4.3	.5	176.7	-5.3	.2	173.3	-4.3	-.5	168.0	-6.1	-.4
Private transportation	173.5	-4.8	.5	173.3	-5.9	.3	171.4	-4.6	-.9	162.8	-6.7	-.6
Motor fuel ⁴	132.9	-27.8	-3.3	137.6	-28.0	-1.0	135.1	-29.9	-2.3	132.1	-30.4	-4.2
Gasoline ⁴	132.8	-27.8	-3.3	136.2	-28.3	-1.4	134.7	-30.0	-2.4	132.3	-30.5	-4.3
Gasoline, leaded regular ⁴	127.4	-28.8	-2.4	129.0	-29.0	.2	132.3	-31.5	-1.8	130.4	-30.3	-3.8
Gasoline, unleaded regular ⁴	129.5	-28.7	-4.0	134.9	-28.7	-1.8	131.9	-30.3	-2.8	134.4	-31.1	-4.7
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁶	70.1	-24.7	-3.0	69.3	-27.6	-4.0	69.0	-27.0	-2.7	74.2	-25.9	-3.5
Public transportation	223.5	4.1	1.2	259.3	5.9	-.9	224.0	1.5	5.8	256.5	.7	1.3
Medical care	213.6	7.1	1.0	208.0	6.8	.5	223.0	9.6	.9	214.5	7.9	1.0
Entertainment	143.0	1.8	-.7	161.1	.1	-.6	173.9	1.8	-.4	157.2	4.7	.9
Other goods and services	200.1	5.6	1.2	194.8	4.6	1.4	191.2	4.5	.3	197.8	4.3	1.0
Personal care	175.7	3.4	.1	187.0	-.5	-.4	167.4	2.3	-.6	157.7	2.2	-.3

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 28. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers: Cross classification of region and population size class,¹ by expenditure category and commodity and service group—Continued

(December 1977=100)

Group	West											
	Size class A			Size class B			Size class C			Size class D ²		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986
	Commodity and service group											
All items	179.0	2.5	1.2	179.3	0.5	0.6	171.2	1.7	0.1	176.7	0.4	0.2
Commodities	156.1	-1.3	.5	161.7	-2.1	.5	159.7	-1.6	.2	160.7	-2.3	-.4
Food and beverages	167.5	3.7	.4	169.4	2.9	.4	167.3	3.6	.4	170.9	1.3	-.8
Commodities less food and beverages	149.4	-4.6	.5	156.7	-5.3	.5	154.8	-4.8	.0	154.2	-4.8	-.3
Nondurables less food and beverages	149.6	-8.3	.1	155.8	-8.6	.6	154.1	-8.9	-.1	157.5	-8.7	-.6
Durables	152.4	.6	1.1	159.5	-.9	.4	157.9	.1	.2	154.5	1.5	.4
Services	209.9	6.2	1.8	203.2	3.1	.6	186.4	5.4	.0	201.2	3.7	1.0
Medical care services	215.6	7.2	1.2	208.1	6.9	.5	228.2	10.0	1.0	220.5	8.1	1.0
Special indexes:												
All items less shelter	170.9	.9	.8	172.1	-.1	.5	171.3	.8	.1	171.4	-.1	-.1
All items less medical care	177.3	2.2	1.1	177.6	.1	.6	168.6	1.2	.1	174.7	-.1	.2
All items less energy	179.7	4.8	1.4	179.9	2.6	.6	172.2	4.2	.2	178.9	2.8	.3
Energy ⁴	168.7	-17.7	-1.1	172.7	-17.9	-.2	160.4	-19.7	-1.7	151.1	-18.5	-.9
Commodities less food	149.6	-4.3	.6	157.0	-5.0	.5	155.6	-4.5	.0	154.8	-4.4	-.1
Nondurables less food	149.7	-7.6	.3	156.0	-7.9	.6	155.6	-8.1	-.1	158.0	-6.0	-.5
Nondurables	159.1	-2.0	.3	163.1	-2.5	.6	161.2	-2.3	.2	164.7	-3.4	-.7
Services less rent of shelter ³	112.0	5.5	1.3	110.9	4.0	.5	110.8	5.9	-.2	106.9	4.9	.8
Services less medical care	209.3	6.1	1.8	202.6	2.7	.6	181.8	4.8	-.1	199.1	3.2	1.0

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- 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.

² Data for this area will no longer be published after December 1986.

³ Indexes on a December 1984=100 base.

⁴ Indexes on a June 1978=100 base.

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

⁶ Indexes on an August 1981=100 base.

^{NA} Data not adequate for publication.

Table P-1. Average residential prices for utility (pipel) gas, electricity, and fuel oil, U.S. city average and selected areas

Area, region and population size class	Utility (pipel) gas				Electricity		Fuel oil #2	
	per 40 therms		per 100 therms		per 500 KWH		per gallon	
	Sept. 1986	Oct. 1986	Sept. 1986	Oct. 1986	Sept. 1986	Oct. 1986	Sept. 1986	Oct. 1986
Area ¹								
U.S. city average ²	\$25.760	\$25.791	\$59.206	\$58.391	\$42.165	\$40.211	\$0.736	\$0.733
Chicago, Ill.-Northwestern Ind.	20.361	20.078	47.273	46.145	68.034	45.326	.827	.818
Detroit, Mich.	25.868	27.331	55.550	49.300	45.397	43.139	.892	.874
L.A.-Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif.	27.469	27.573	81.482	81.589	43.512	43.292	NA	NA
N.Y., N.Y.-Northeastern N.J.	35.584	35.509	78.938	78.588	64.384	60.346	.796	.796
Philadelphia, Pa.-N.J.	30.251	27.907	71.999	67.642	52.924	52.350	.758	.750
Anchorage, Alaska ³	16.960	16.960	35.630	35.630	39.933	40.620	.864	.858
Baltimore, Md.	30.060	30.020	64.940	64.840	41.540	41.140	.773	.767
Boston, Mass.	30.540	30.370	67.890	67.471	45.383	44.903	.730	.733
Cincinnati, Ohio-Ky.-Ind. ³	23.014	23.645	51.187	52.755	37.440	37.440	.732	.727
Denver-Boulder, Colo. ³	23.738	23.030	51.342	49.563	39.228	39.494	NA	NA
Miami, Fla.	26.100	27.660	55.340	59.260	43.643	44.487	NA	NA
Milwaukee, Wis. ³	28.363	28.363	65.394	65.394	38.480	38.480	.759	.754
Northeast Pennsylvania ³	29.585	29.226	67.727	66.769	45.053	45.053	.659	.662
Portland, Oreg.-Wash. ³	26.338	27.280	60.865	62.846	24.469	24.469	.665	.652
St. Louis, Mo.-Ill.	27.643	26.584	50.196	46.379	50.619	39.582	.784	.737
San Diego, Calif. ³	25.669	25.669	78.548	78.548	59.652	59.652	NA	NA
Seattle-Everett, Wash. ³	26.759	26.759	56.723	56.723	17.078	18.489	.895	.720
Washington, D.C.-Md.-Va.	30.898	31.295	72.390	71.968	39.213	38.747	.792	.793
Atlanta, Ga. ³	28.912	29.486	61.931	62.970	36.024	36.264	.691	.714
Buffalo, N.Y. ³	26.839	26.806	57.961	57.881	41.225	40.717	.760	.745
Cleveland, Ohio	22.880	22.880	50.780	50.780	55.690	47.360	.769	.769
Dallas-Fort Worth, Tex.	17.537	20.141	35.799	42.339	41.016	37.127	NA	NA
Honolulu, Hawaii ^{3, 4}	50.520	48.240	117.300	111.600	37.450	37.120	NA	NA
Houston, Tex.	19.400	20.820	38.710	37.940	36.540	36.540	NA	NA
Kansas City, Mo.-Kans. ³	19.013	19.048	39.266	39.789	46.884	33.687	NA	NA
Minneapolis-St.Paul, Minn.-Wis. ³	23.597	21.038	54.428	47.965	39.594	33.409	.790	.771
Pittsburgh, Pa.	32.077	31.867	59.579	59.579	42.780	42.780	.649	.646
San Francisco-Oakland, Calif.	19.055	19.055	65.095	65.095	38.990	38.990	NA	NA
Region ⁵								
Northeast	31.339	30.836	67.427	66.485	50.898	49.557	.735	.734
North Central	24.870	25.045	53.945	52.253	47.037	41.028	.733	.720
South	24.805	24.707	54.261	54.243	38.541	38.750	.748	.746
West ²	24.951	25.010	69.091	69.157	34.026	33.984	.695	.700
Region/population size class cross classification ⁵								
Northeast/A	32.372	31.815	68.864	67.917	53.941	51.996	.771	.770
North Central/A	23.453	23.418	51.363	48.104	53.896	41.451	.799	.786
South/A	26.664	27.643	58.382	60.123	39.094	38.774	.775	.771
West/A	26.737	26.829	79.241	79.334	33.982	33.668	.750	.771
Northeast/B	29.504	29.212	64.913	64.212	46.225	45.766	.708	.709
North Central/B	26.667	28.163	57.443	61.136	42.078	41.325	.728	.714
South/B	25.673	25.543	56.457	55.338	33.529	33.639	.753	.751
West/B ²	22.736	22.654	63.115	62.842	33.779	33.779	.666	.653
Northeast/C	30.826	30.665	67.851	67.421	47.176	46.603	.689	.686
North Central/C	29.058	28.511	62.590	59.592	42.064	42.144	.717	.702
South/C	23.533	23.193	52.781	51.834	38.813	39.523	NA	NA
West/C	22.089	22.101	54.150	54.180	38.198	38.185	.864	.858
Northeast/D ³	25.315	24.292	56.105	53.623	45.320	45.158	.716	.712
North Central/D	24.858	24.731	52.850	51.634	40.033	36.891	.647	.641
South/D	23.063	23.558	48.193	50.037	41.852	41.329	.714	.716
West/D ³	20.608	20.856	48.948	47.697	31.064	31.380	.599	.615

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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 Oct. 1986		Average price per KWH of electricity		Range of KWH consumption for Oct. 1986	
	Sept. 1986	Oct. 1986	Low	High	Sept. 1986	Oct. 1986	Low	High
Area ¹								
U.S. city average ²	\$0.591	\$0.599	1	1,291	\$0.080	\$0.074	5	7,512
Chicago, Ill.-Northwestern Ind. ....	.471	.467	22	634	.144	.084	169	6,708
Detroit, Mich. ....	.470	.612	21	356	.090	.086	63	3,174
L.A.-Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif. ....	.757	.759	9	352	.082	.081	75	3,107
N.Y., N.Y.-Northeastern N.J. ....	.813	.818	4	619	.128	.113	88	2,929
Philadelphia, Pa.-N.J. ....	.716	.670	16	629	.103	.086	216	3,845
Anchorage, Alaska ³ .....	.342	.342	47	366	.078	.078	82	5,432
Baltimore, Md. ....	.760	.759	17	168	.081	.068	197	3,510
Boston, Mass. ....	.693	.689	10	132	.087	.085	140	2,658
Cincinnati, Ohio-Ky.-Ind. ³ .....	.565	.581	3	330	.071	.065	491	3,028
Denver-Boulder, Colo. ³ .....	.654	.636	19	225	.083	.083	77	1,732
Miami, Fla. ....	.790	.826	8	52	.085	.087	304	2,961
Milwaukee, Wis. ³ .....	.680	.680	8	235	.072	.072	264	1,188
Northeast Pennsylvania ³ .....	.624	.615	64	232	.087	.087	175	5,672
Portland, Oreg.-Wash. ³ .....	.625	.646	34	130	.049	.049	540	7,152
St. Louis, Mo.-Ill. ....	.495	.462	46	1,291	.090	.071	172	2,744
San Diego, Calif. ³ .....	.687	.687	20	237	.118	.118	134	1,337
Seattle-Everett, Wash. ³ .....	.648	.648	5	400	.040	.041	304	6,774
Washington, D.C.-Md.-Va. ....	.778	.789	6	442	.079	.074	30	3,763
Atlanta, Ga. ³ .....	.612	.622	34	375	.072	.061	187	4,150
Buffalo, N.Y. ³ .....	.564	.564	28	475	.081	.080	187	3,928
Cleveland, Ohio ....	.544	.544	5	282	.110	.089	167	2,351
Dallas-Fort Worth, Tex. ....	.601	.564	3	171	.072	.062	275	6,349
Honolulu, Hawaii ^{3 4}	1.585	1.528	1	44	.072	.071	178	2,317
Houston, Tex. ....	.353	.345	85	297	.079	.080	224	7,512
Kansas City, Mo.-Kans. ³ .....	.430	.440	9	169	.087	.065	5	5,035
Minneapolis-St.Paul, Minn.-Wis. ³ .....	.541	.476	84	234	.074	.064	126	2,039
Pittsburgh, Pa. ....	.569	.572	31	425	.082	.082	240	3,257
San Francisco-Oakland, Calif. ....	.512	.512	12	159	.082	.082	108	2,457
Region ⁵								
Northeast .....	.668	.675	1	629	.099	.092	88	6,610
North Central .....	.535	.551	1	1,291	.085	.072	5	6,708
South .....	.582	.578	3	588	.072	.070	30	7,512
West ² .....	.653	.654	5	736	.072	.072	50	7,152
Region/population size class cross classification ⁵								
Northeast/A .....	.663	.678	4	629	.106	.096	88	3,928
North Central/A .....	.493	.525	3	1,291	.107	.078	5	6,708
South/A .....	.650	.648	3	442	.078	.073	30	7,512
West/A .....	.731	.733	5	400	.072	.072	75	6,774
Northeast/B .....	.695	.687	1	589	.083	.082	160	5,672
North Central/B .....	.584	.604	21	476	.066	.064	373	3,041
South/B .....	.578	.571	5	274	.066	.064	441	6,513
West/B ² .....	.567	.566	11	225	.074	.074	77	7,152
Northeast/C .....	.719	.714	5	276	.089	.088	117	6,610
North Central/C .....	.627	.593	22	471	.073	.073	216	5,451
South/C .....	.575	.564	6	588	.069	.068	221	4,550
West/C .....	.547	.548	11	366	.077	.077	82	5,432
Northeast/D ³ .....	.558	.537	29	387	.096	.096	133	1,812
North Central/D560	.554	1	428	.073	.068	100	3,360
South/D474	.493	26	320	.078	.072	308	6,316
West/D ³502	.509	27	736	.062	.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	
	Sept. 1986	Oct. 1986	Sept. 1986	Oct. 1986	Sept. 1986	Oct. 1986	Sept. 1986	Oct. 1986
Area ³								
U.S. city average	\$0.864	\$0.837	\$0.797	\$0.771	\$0.860	\$0.831	\$1.010	\$0.987
Chicago, Ill.-Northwestern Ind. ....	.902	.869	.851	.809	.871	.842	1.094	1.052
Detroit, Mich. ....	.851	.816	.762	.714	.872	.841	.966	.943
L.A.-Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif. ....	.896	.851	.820	.782	.887	.839	1.061	1.012
N.Y., N.Y.-Northeastern N.J. ....	.864	.856	.765	.762	.815	.806	.991	.982
Philadelphia, Pa.-N.J. ....	.835	.820	.790	.778	.803	.784	.979	.970
Anchorage, Alaska ⁴ .....	.922	.925	.877	.877	.923	.929	1.112	1.112
Baltimore, Md. ....	.876	.856	.800	.783	.842	.823	1.023	1.002
Boston, Mass. ....	.845	.841	.758	.756	.823	.814	.975	.974
Cincinnati, Ohio-Ky.-Ind. ⁴ .....	.811	.767	.757	.718	.796	.751	.996	.947
Denver-Boulder, Colo. ⁴ .....	.859	.823	.798	.766	.891	.854	1.031	.984
Miami, Fla. ....	.908	.896	.831	.818	.890	.881	.972	.958
Milwaukee, Wis. ⁴ .....	.858	.813	.818	.781	.859	.811	1.006	.955
Northeast Pennsylvania ⁴ .....	.834	.832	.789	.788	.824	.821	.999	1.002
Portland, Oreg.-Wash. ⁴ .....	.854	.820	.797	.768	.871	.831	.997	.967
St. Louis, Mo.-Ill. ....	.800	.778	.720	.699	.791	.767	1.010	.991
San Diego, Calif. ⁴ .....	.918	.874	.812	.787	.939	.895	1.138	1.104
Seattle-Everett, Wash. ⁴ .....	.913	.880	.855	.824	.915	.881	1.074	1.031
Washington, D.C.-Md.-Va. ....	.952	.939	.821	.802	.910	.898	1.162	1.152
Atlanta, Ga. ⁴ .....	.795	.770	.892	.666	.804	.777	.935	.912
Buffalo, N.Y. ⁴ .....	.812	.786	.777	.754	.801	.773	.924	.893
Cleveland, Ohio ....	.862	.814	.763	.714	.839	.788	1.045	1.009
Dallas-Fort Worth, Tex. ....	.747	.731	.704	.685	.740	.723	.859	.853
Honolulu, Hawaii ⁴	1.133	1.106	1.001	.990	1.136	1.129	1.290	1.271
Houston, Tex. ....	.747	.736	.679	.668	.725	.709	.912	.912
Kansas City, Mo.-Kans. ⁴ .....	.773	.716	.723	.673	.782	.722	.936	.861
Minneapolis-St.Paul, Minn.-Wis. ⁴ .....	.927	.882	.878	.833	.940	.895	1.051	1.014
Pittsburgh, Pa. ....	.813	.787	.779	.754	.796	.767	.978	.959
San Francisco-Oakland, Calif. ....	.898	.856	.805	.771	.908	.864	1.073	1.019
Region ⁵								
Northeast .....	.863	.853	.787	.779	.839	.828	.995	.986
North Central .....	.862	.828	.812	.780	.865	.830	1.014	.983
South .....	.841	.821	.768	.746	.834	.814	.995	.977
West .....	.895	.853	.820	.786	.896	.851	1.055	1.009
Region/population size class cross classification ⁵								
Northeast/A .....	.849	.838	.773	.764	.811	.797	.985	.976
North Central/A .....	.861	.823	.790	.749	.857	.821	1.035	.998
South/A .....	.824	.808	.735	.717	.803	.787	.981	.969
West/A .....	.899	.855	.820	.782	.894	.848	1.068	1.020
Northeast/B .....	.837	.836	.775	.774	.835	.834	.948	.941
North Central/B .....	.859	.824	.786	.749	.866	.828	1.017	1.000
South/B .....	.833	.815	.761	.740	.842	.824	.958	.947
West/B .....	.896	.858	.815	.785	.899	.864	1.029	.977
Northeast/C .....	.926	.914	.838	.820	.917	.908	1.083	1.075
North Central/C .....	.853	.824	.819	.795	.864	.831	.964	.928
South/C .....	.863	.838	.797	.772	.860	.835	1.050	1.030
West/C .....	.903	.853	.824	.776	.918	.859	1.046	1.012
Northeast/D ⁴ .....	.932	.913	.838	.828	.922	.901	1.092	1.069
North Central/D .....	.885	.861	.870	.846	.899	.873	NA	NA
South/D .....	.852	.828	.769	.748	.835	.817	1.001	.960
West/D ⁴ .....	.849	.825	.827	.808	.865	.835	NA	NA

¹ Also includes types of gasoline not shown separately.

² Unleaded premium replaced leaded premium in January 1984.

³ 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.

⁴ Due to smaller sample sizes in this area, data 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 below:

- 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.

^{NA} Data not adequate for publication.

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	
	Sept. 1986	Oct. 1986	Sept. 1986	Oct. 1986	Sept. 1986	Oct. 1986	Sept. 1986	Oct. 1986	Sept. 1986	Oct. 1986
Cereals and bakery products:										
Flour, white, all purpose, per lb.	\$0.211	\$0.208	\$0.231	\$0.227	\$0.191	\$0.188	\$0.215	\$0.213	\$0.211	\$0.208
Rice, white, long grain, precooked, per lb.	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Rice, white, long grain, uncooked, per lb. ....	.434	.436	NA	NA	NA	NA	.379	.380	.482	.496
Spaghetti and macaroni, per lb. ....	.732	.727	.692	.680	.718	.697	.771	.789	NA	NA
Bread:										
Bread, white, pan, per lb. ....	.566	.565	.680	.684	.544	.537	.529	.533	.555	.546
Bread, French, per lb.	1.056	1.045	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	1.099	1.075
Bread, whole wheat, pan, per lb. ....	.876	.879	.991	1.016	NA	NA	.810	.808	.884	.863
Rolls, hamburger, per lb.										
NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Cupcakes, chocolate, per lb.	2.370	2.402	NA	NA	2.363	2.383	NA	NA	2.575	2.601
Cookies, chocolate chip, per lb.	2.009	1.998	1.980	1.953	1.870	1.825	2.193	2.237	2.045	NA
Crackers, soda, salted, per lb. ....	.996	1.001	NA	NA	.957	.955	1.002	.993	NA	NA
Meats, poultry, fish and eggs:										
Meats:										
Beef and veal:										
Ground chuck, 100% beef, per lb.	1.638	1.650	1.566	1.604	1.570	1.593	1.754	1.726	NA	NA
Ground beef, 100% beef, per lb.	1.234	1.225	1.488	1.454	1.229	1.250	1.314	1.319	1.098	1.065
Chuck roast, U.S. Choice, bone-in, per lb.	1.497	1.575	1.566	1.702	1.417	1.459	1.524	1.588	1.560	1.657
Round roast, U.S. Choice, boneless, per lb.	2.457	2.487	2.345	2.412	2.438	2.484	2.565	2.582	2.643	2.530
Rib roast, U.S. Choice, bone-in, per lb.	3.276	3.176	3.195	2.969	3.267	3.246	3.457	3.449	3.015	2.994
Steak:										
Steak, round, U.S. Choice, boneless, per lb.	2.755	2.788	2.882	2.861	2.578	2.685	2.795	2.801	2.744	2.801
Steak, sirloin, U.S. Choice, bone-in, per lb.	3.013	2.941	3.069	3.030	2.794	2.742	3.207	3.060	NA	NA
Steak, chuck, U.S. Choice, bone-in, per lb.	1.553	1.624	1.571	1.618	1.485	1.532	NA	NA	NA	NA
Steak, T-bone, U.S. Choice, bone-in, per lb.	4.090	3.848	NA	NA	3.797	3.753	4.294	3.779	NA	NA
Steak, porterhouse, U.S. Choice, bone-in, per lb.	4.278	4.256	4.267	4.401	4.361	4.281	NA	NA	NA	NA
Pork:										
Bacon, sliced, per lb.	2.373	2.298	2.455	2.414	2.345	2.211	2.402	2.274	2.307	2.316
Chops, center cut, bone-in, per lb.	2.815	2.738	2.836	2.751	2.679	2.578	2.794	2.728	2.971	2.914
Ham, rump or shank half, bone-in, smoked, per lb.	1.585	1.663	1.582	1.639	NA	NA	1.459	1.616	1.740	1.784
Sirloin roast, bone-in, per lb.	1.889	1.892	NA	NA	1.807	1.882	NA	NA	1.900	1.823
Shoulder picnic, bone-in, smoked, per lb.										
NA	NA	1.182	NA	NA	NA	NA	1.093	1.112	NA	NA
Sausage, fresh, loose, per lb.	2.053	2.097	NA	NA	2.055	2.111	1.976	2.025	2.287	2.303
Ham, canned, 3 or 5 lbs, per lb.	2.704	2.817	2.784	2.797	2.638	2.798	2.786	2.917	2.603	2.688
Other meats:										
Frankfurters, all meat or all beef, per lb.	1.998	1.986	2.126	2.194	1.983	2.005	1.956	1.844	1.850	1.821
Bologna, all beef or mixed, per lb.	2.234	2.247	2.503	2.378	2.213	2.207	2.115	2.177	2.293	2.327
Beef liver, per lb. ....	.947	.979	.951	.962	.917	.985	.980	.930	.968	1.023
Poultry:										
Chicken, fresh, whole, per lb. ....	.910	.900	.964	.963	.863	.837	.855	.853	.965	.953
Chicken breast, bone-in, per lb.	2.015	1.972	2.030	1.955	1.932	1.868	1.995	1.955	2.090	2.096
Chicken legs, bone-in, per lb.	1.271	1.221	1.112	1.022	1.274	1.222	NA	NA	NA	NA
Turkey, frozen, whole, per lb.	1.119	1.129	1.145	1.144	1.134	1.131	1.091	1.114	1.105	1.133
Fish and seafood:										
Tuna, light, chunk, per lb.	1.975	2.009	1.916	2.002	1.953	1.967	NA	NA	2.059	2.081
Eggs:										
Grade A, large, per doz. ....	.868	.855	.977	.980	.791	.798	.855	.820	NA	NA
Grade AA, large, per doz. ....	.954	.983	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	1.016	1.057
Dairy products:										
Milk, fresh, whole, fortified, per 1/2 gal.	1.107	1.120	1.050	1.056	1.093	1.097	1.280	1.335	1.057	1.057
Milk, fresh, skim, per 1/2 gal.	NA	NA	NA	NA	.959	.999	NA	NA	NA	NA
Milk, fresh, low fat, per 1/2 gal.	1.060	1.077	1.029	1.044	NA	NA	NA	NA	1.020	1.023
Butter, salted, grade AA, stick, per lb.	2.192	2.189	2.120	2.161	2.163	2.172	2.290	2.215	2.217	2.209
American processed cheese, per lb.	2.586	2.608	2.670	2.700	2.385	2.444	NA	NA	NA	NA
Cheddar cheese, natural, per lb.	3.074	3.062	2.975	2.977	NA	NA	3.230	3.219	3.086	3.056
Ice cream, prepackaged, bulk, regular, per 1/2 gal.	2.360	2.377	2.561	2.620	2.395	2.359	2.174	2.175	2.389	2.429
Yogurt, natural, fruit flavored, per 1/2 pt. ....	.576	.580	NA	NA	.571	.596	NA	NA	.520	.527

See footnotes at end of table.

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

Food and unit	U.S. average		Northeast		North Central		South		West	
	Sept. 1986	Oct. 1986	Sept. 1986	Oct. 1986	Sept. 1986	Oct. 1986	Sept. 1986	Oct. 1986	Sept. 1986	Oct. 1986
Fruits and vegetables:										
Fresh fruits and vegetables:										
Apples, red Delicious, per lb.	\$0.925	\$0.691	\$0.941	\$0.694	\$1.012	\$0.736	\$0.912	\$0.685	\$0.861	\$0.662
Bananas, per lb. ....	.384	.372	.397	.407	.383	.359	.385	.375	.386	.351
Oranges, navel, per lb.	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Oranges, Valencia, per lb. ....	.457	.463	.489	.481	.508	.508	.504	.501	.365	.395
Cherries, per lb.	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Grapefruit, per lb. ....	.632	.647	.637	.652	.652	.624	.648	.616	.595	.685
Grapes, Emperor or Tokay, per lb.	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Grapes, Thompson seedless, per lb. ....	.984	1.158	.998	1.203	.967	1.162	.984	1.114	.961	1.137
Lemons, per lb. ....	.850	.794	.787	.779	.851	.786	.897	.795	.855	.806
Peaches, per lb. ....	.668	NA	.574	NA	.723	NA	.617	NA	.785	NA
Pears, Anjou, per lb.	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Strawberries, dry pint, per 12 oz.	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Potatoes, white, all types, per lb. ² ....	.266	.256	.302	.287	.238	.227	.254	.249	.271	.262
Lettuce, iceberg, per lb. ....	.531	.509	.589	.516	.547	.535	.594	.605	.446	.407
Tomatoes, field grown, per lb. ....	.674	.811	.703	.864	.742	.870	.689	.773	.600	.780
Beans, green, snap, per lb. ....	.782	.833	.754	.746	NA	NA	.917	.905	.629	.769
Cabbage, per lb. ....	.332	.325	.328	.326	.316	.312	.340	.326	.355	.354
Carrots, short trimmed and topped, per lb. ....	.367	.402	.403	.427	.372	.418	.435	.456	.333	.384
Celery, per lb. ....	.469	.474	.490	.492	.426	.462	.526	.545	.455	.428
Corn on the cob, per lb. ....	.427	.480	.313	NA	.449	.516	.508	.580	NA	NA
Cucumbers, per lb. ....	.410	.403	.351	.404	.374	.441	.432	.419	.477	.362
Mushrooms, per lb.	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	1.969	2.015
Onions, dry yellow, per lb. ....	.306	.313	.326	.329	.322	.332	.351	.353	.234	.246
Onions, green (scallions), per lb. ....	.996	1.152	NA	NA	.981	1.125	NA	NA	NA	NA
Peppers, sweet, per lb. ....	.702	.793	.659	.724	.775	.939	.836	.860	.507	.668
Radishes, per lb. ....	.881	.837	.959	.853	.921	.914	1.140	1.028	.623	.643
Processed fruits and vegetables:										
Orange juice, frozen concentrate, 12oz. can, per 16 oz.	1.458	1.449	1.530	1.566	1.423	1.417	1.436	1.389	1.411	1.344
Potatoes, frozen, French fried, per lb. ....	.714	.707	.806	.796	.721	.721	.715	.714	NA	NA
Tomatoes, canned, whole, per lb. ....	.516	.508	.479	.482	.596	.580	NA	NA	NA	NA
Other foods at home:										
Sugar and sweets:										
Hard candy, solid, per lb.	2.018	1.967	NA	NA	1.918	1.901	NA	NA	NA	NA
Sugar, white, all sizes, per lb. ....	.349	.347	.380	.367	.327	.329	.337	.337	.378	.378
Sugar, white, 33-80 oz. pkg, per lb. ....	.336	.333	.361	.346	.315	.318	.330	.329	NA	NA
Fats and oils:										
Margarine, stick, per lb. ....	.781	.767	.765	.738	.769	.777	.733	.709	.916	.895
Margarine, soft, tubs, per lb.	1.018	1.037	1.065	1.067	1.000	.996	.842	.951	1.104	1.090
Shortening, vegetable oil blends, per lb. ....	.835	.826	.918	.916	.796	.799	.814	.795	.851	.840
Peanut butter, creamy, all sizes, per lb.	1.608	1.627	1.681	1.693	1.553	1.550	1.532	1.543	1.722	1.813
Nonalcoholic beverages:										
Cola, nondiet, returnable bottles, 6 or 8 pk., per 16 oz. ³	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Cola nondiet, cans, 72oz. 6 pk., per 16 oz. ³ ....	.451	.452	NA	NA	.481	.519	.435	.463	.440	.428
Coffee, 100%, ground roast, all sizes, per lb.	3.315	3.269	3.108	3.092	3.334	3.311	3.544	3.515	3.483	3.325
Coffee, 100%, ground roast, 13.1-20 oz. can, per lb.	3.262	3.245	3.066	3.069	NA	NA	3.538	3.494	NA	NA
Coffee, instant, plain, regular, 6.1-14 oz., per 16 oz.	9.381	9.455	NA	NA	9.450	10.175	NA	NA	9.730	9.424
Coffee, freeze dried, plain, regular, all sizes, per 16 oz.	NA	NA	NA	NA	14.442	14.247	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.	2.701	2.752	2.711	2.845	2.382	2.470	2.795	2.888	3.091	3.184
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	7.425	7.386	NA	NA	NA	NA	7.574	7.538	6.993	6.964
Vodka, domestic, 375 ml-1.75 liter, per 25.4oz. ⁴	5.874	5.903	5.927	6.030	NA	NA	NA	NA	5.541	5.552

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	0.040×100
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

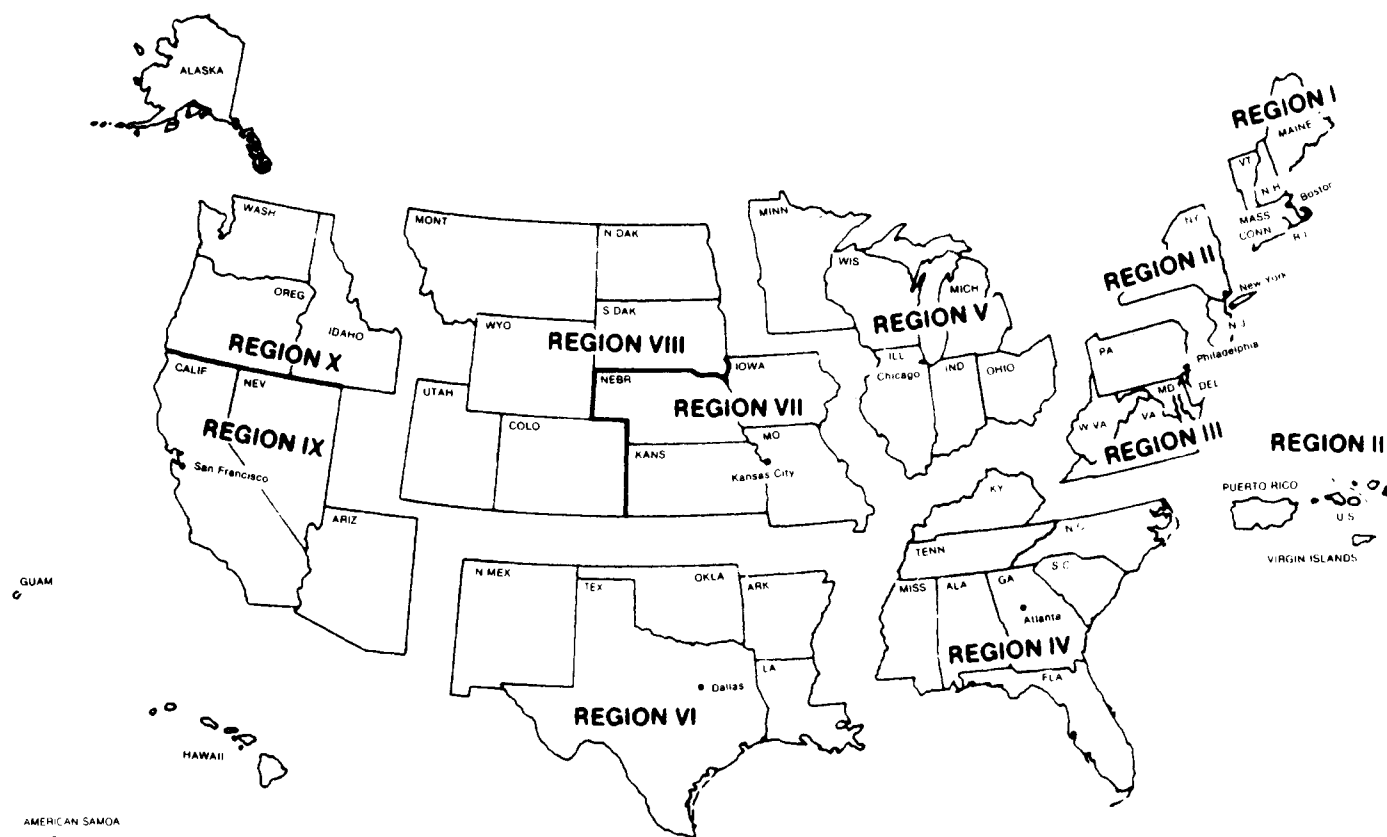
climatic conditions, production cycles, model changeovers, holidays, and sales.

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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