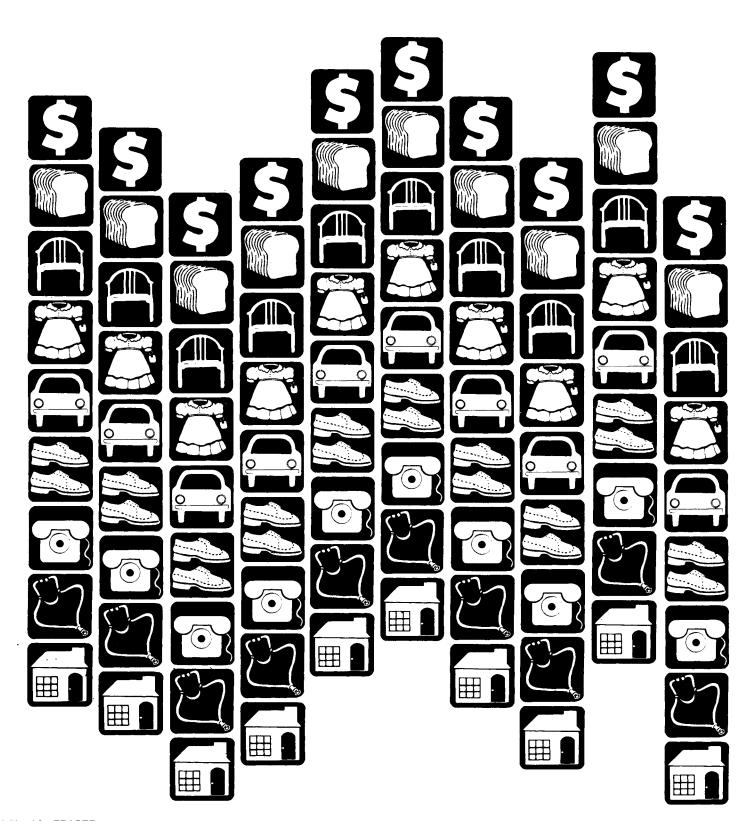
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#### Price Movements November 1983

The Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U) increased 0.2 percent before seasonal adjustment in November to a level of 303.1. For the 12-month period ended in November, the CPI-U has increased 3.2 percent.

The Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W) was virtually unchanged in November, prior to seasonal adjustment. The November level of 301.4 was 2.8 percent higher than the index in November 1982. The CPI-W is used for indexing Social Security and some other Federal payments. It is also commonly used as an escalator in collective bargaining agreements.

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

On a seasonally adjusted basis, the CPI for All Urban Consumers rose 0.3 percent in November. The increase was somewhat less than in recent months and the same as the average monthly rate of advance recorded during 1982 and in the first 11 months of 1983. The housing index rose more than in October and accounted for over one-half of the increase in the overall CPI in November. Increases in the transportation, food and beverage, and entertainment components were smaller than in October and more than offset the acceleration in the housing index. Increases in the other major categories of consumer spending were about the same as in October.

The transportation index rose 0.2 percent in

November, following an increase of 0.6 percent in October. The slowdown in November was primarily due to automobile and gasoline prices. The November increase of 0.6 percent in the used car index follows an average monthly increase of 1.6 percent in the preceding 6-month period. New car prices were unchanged in November, after seasonal adjustment, following substantial increases in the preceding 3 months. Gasoline prices—down 0.8 percent—registered their second consecutive monthly decline, after advancing sharply from April through September. Since their peak level in March 1981, gasoline prices have dropped 9.2 percent. Among the automotive expenses, the cost of automobile insurance—up 1.1 percent—rose substantially for the second month in a row, while automobile finance charges increased 4.9 percent over the past 4 months after declining 21.6 percent in the 12 months ended in July. The index for public transporation rose 0.6 percent, largely due to a 1.2-percent increase in airline fares.

The food and beverage component rose 0.1 percent in November, following an increase of 0.5 percent in October. Grocery store food prices declined 0.1 percent, largely as a result of decreases in the indexes for fruits and vegetables and meats, poultry, fish, and eggs. The 4.3—percent drop in fresh vegetable prices in November followed a 16.2-percent increase in the preceding 3-month period. Fresh fruit prices also declined in November and were 3.3 percent below their level of a

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

		Seasonal	ly adjusted						
Expenditure category			Changes	from preced	ling month			Compound	Unadjusted
Exponence outogory				1983				annual rate 3 months	ended Nov. 1983
	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	ended Nov. 1983	
All items.	. 0.5	0.2	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.4	0.3	4.9	3.2
ood and beverages	.3	3	1	.2	.4	.5	.1	3.9	2.2
lousing	3	.2	.4	.2	.5	.2	.5	4.9	2.5
Apparel and upkeep	7	.4	.6	.4	0	0	.1	.2	2.7
ransportation	1.3	.4	.5	1.0	.8	.6	.2	6.5	3.5
Medical care	4	.5	.6	.5	.4	.4	.4	4.6	6.6
Intertainment	2	.4	.4	.3	.4	.7	.3	6.0	4.0
Other goods and services	4	.6	1.3	.6	1	.7	.6	5.3	8.9

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

	Seasonally adjusted											
Expenditure category	,		Changes	from preced	ding month			Compound annual rate	Unadjusted 12 months			
Experiantic category				1983				3 months ended Nov. 1983	ended Nov. 1983			
	May	June	July	August	September	October	November					
All items	0.4	0.2	0.3	0.5	0.4	0.4	0.1	3.8	2.8			
Food and beverages	.3 .2	3	1 .2	.2 .5	.4 .3	.5	.1	3.7 2.1	2.2 1.5			
Housing	.6	.4	.4	.3	.2	.1	.3	2.0	2.7			
Transportation Medical care	1.1 .4	.4 .5	.6 5	1.0	.9 .4	.7 .4	.1	6.9 5.1	3.7 6.8			
Entertainment	.1	.4	.5	.4	.3	.7	.2	5.2	4.1			
Other goods and services	.4	.5	1,4	.7	1	.7	.7	5.1	9.1			

year ago. Pork prices—down 1.8 percent—and beef prices—unchanged in November—were both lower than a year ago. On the other hand, poultry prices, which increased 1.1 percent in November, are 5.1 percent above last year. Prices for cereal and bakery products—up 0.6 percent—registered their largest increase in 18 months. The 0.4 percent rise in the other foods at home group was largely due to the third consecutive sharp monthly increase in prices for fats and oils. Dairy product prices were unchanged for the third consecutive month. The other two components of the food and beverage index—restaurant meals and alcoholic beverages—increased 0.5 and 0.2 percent, respectively.

The housing component advanced 0.5 percent in November, after increasing 0.2 percent in October. The index for fuels and utilities, which had registered a slight decline in October, rose 0.8 percent in November and was largely responsible for the acceleration. The index for electricity rose sharply, after seasonal adjustment. Fuel oil prices declined 0.8 percent to a level 11.4 percent below last November. Natural gas prices declined 1.0 percent in November and over the last 6 months have decreased at an annual rate of 5.8 percent. Shelter costs rose 0.4 percent, with both renters' and homeowners' cost up 0.4 percent. Maintenance and repair costs increased 0.7 percent. The index for household furnishings and operations rose 0.3 percent in November, about the same as in the 2 preceding months.

The medical care component rose 0.4 percent in November, continuing the recent more moderate trend evident since March. The index for medical care commodities, which includes prescription drugs and non-prescription drugs and medical supplies, increased 0.7 percent. Charges for professional medical services rose 0.6 percent, while the cost for hospital rooms declined

0.2 percent, following seasonal adjustment.

The index for apparel and upkeep rose 0.1 percent in November, after remaining unchanged in the 2 preceding months. A 0.7-percent increase in the cost of apparel services more than offset a small decline in clothing prices. Substantial declines in women's apparel, reflecting widespread sale prices, were primarily responsible for the clothing price decrease.

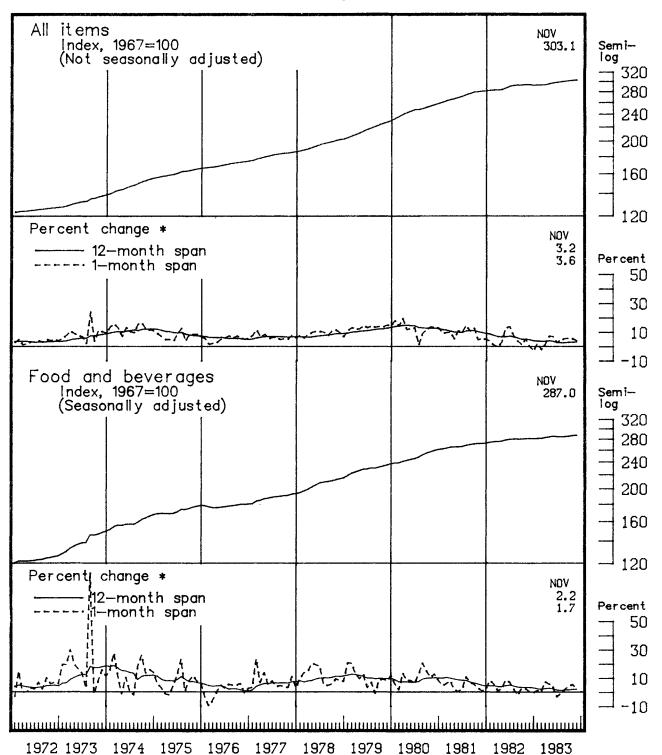
The index for entertainment rose 0.3 percent in November, following an increase of 0.7 percent in October. A decline in the cost of reading materials was largely responsible for the moderation. The 0.6 percent rise in the index for other goods and services was about the same as in October. Large increases in the indexes for toilet goods and personal care services accounted for almost half of the November advance.

## 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 November, following increases of 0.4 percent in each of the preceding 2 months. Substantially smaller increases in the transportation and food and beverage components were largely responsible for the deceleration.

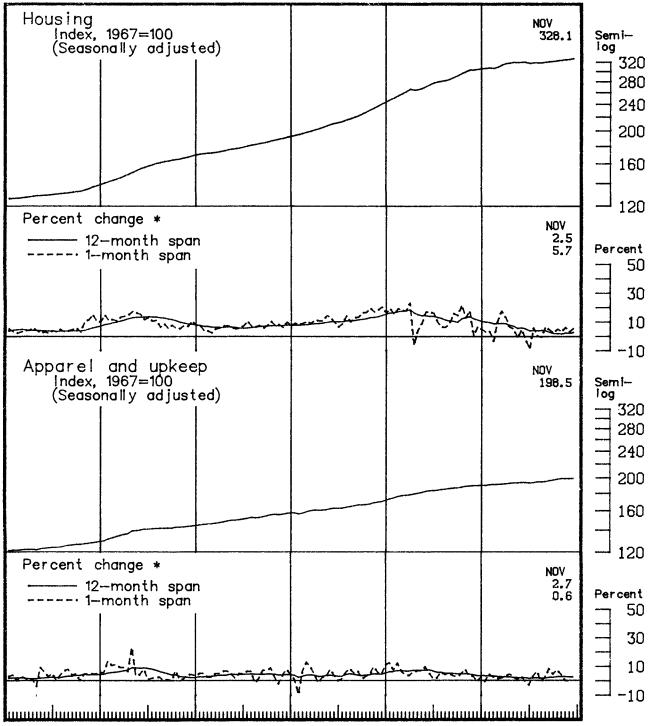
The 0.1 percent rise in the CPI-W compares with an increase of 0.3 percent in the CPI-U. In the CPI-U, the homeowners' cost index—which uses a rental equivalence approach—rose 0.4 percent in November. Homeownership in the CPI-W, which is based on house prices, mortgage interest rates, property taxes, property insurance, and maintenance and repair costs, declined 0.2 percent in November. Declines in house prices and mortgage interest rates more than offset increases in property insurance, property taxes, and maintenance and repair costs.

Chart 1. CPI-U: All items, food and beverages, 1972-83



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

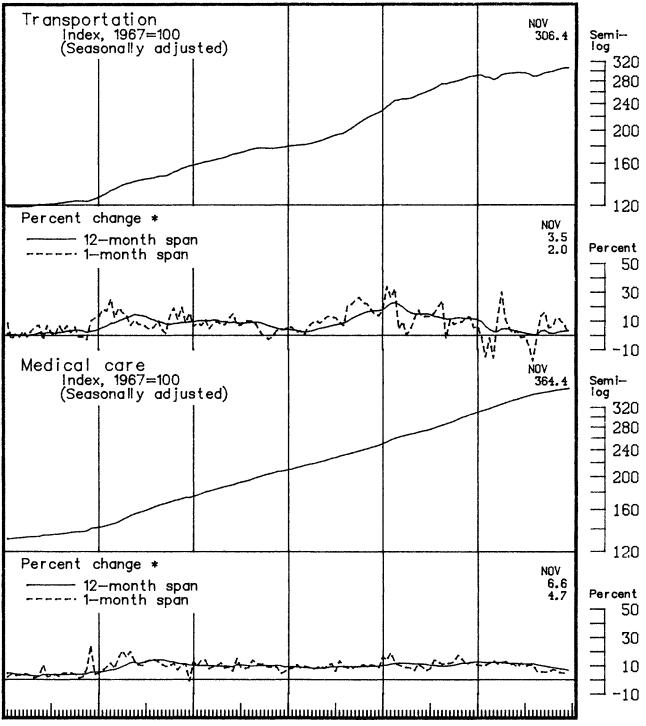
Chart 2. CPI-U: Housing, apparel and upkeep, 1972-83



1972 1973 1974 1975 1976 1977 1978 1979 1980 1981 1982 1983

<sup>\*</sup> 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.

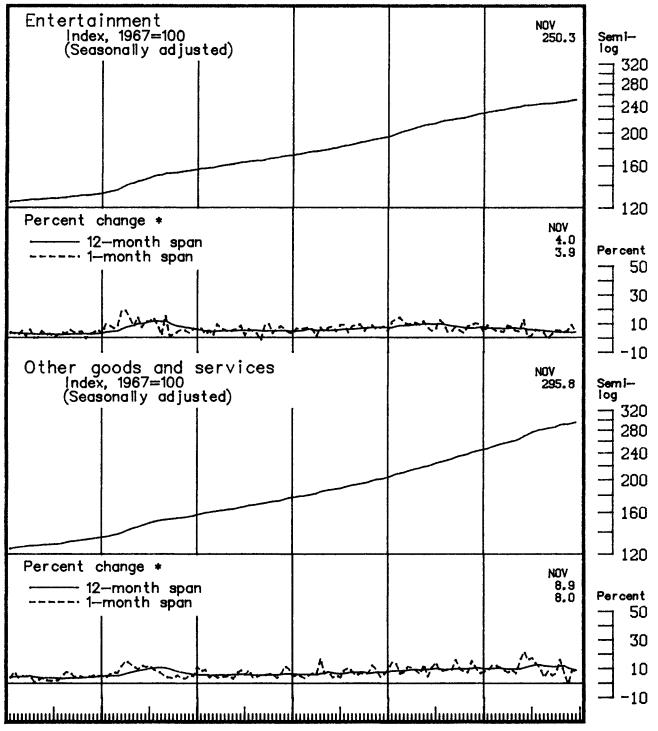
Chart 3. CPI-U: Transportation and medical care, 1972-83



1972 1973 1974 1975 1976 1977 1978 1979 1980 1981 1982 1983

<sup>\*</sup> 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, 1972-83



1972 1973 1974 1975 1976 1977 1978 1979 1980 1981 1982 1983

<sup>\*</sup> Percent changes over 12—month spans are calculated from unadjusted data. Percent changes over 1—month spans are annual rates calculated from seasonally adjusted data.

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

Group	Relative importance, December	Unadjuste	d indexes	Unadj percent o Nov. 198		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—			
	1982	Oct. 1983	Nov. 1983	Nov. 1982	Oct. 1983	Aug. to Sept.	Sept. to Oct.	Oct. to Nov	
				Expenditur	e category				
A. 11 - 12	400,000	200.0			- 00	^-			
All items	100.000	302.6	303.1	3.2	0.2	0.5	0.4	0.3	
All items(1957-59=100)	-	352.0	352.5	_	-	-	_	_	
Food and beverages	20.069	285.7	285.3	2.2	1	.4	.5	.1	
Food	18.963	292.9	292.5	2.1	1	.3	.5	1 .1	
Food at home	12.867	282.3	281.4	1.1	1 3	.2	.4	1	
Cereals and bakery products 1	1.700	294.0	295.7	3.6	.6	1	.1	.6	
	4.216	257.1	256.6	-2.7	.0 2	1 3	.1	2	
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	1.699	257.1	250.6 250.2	1.1		3 .0	.0	2	
Dairy products <sup>1</sup>					.0			1	
Fruits and vegetables	1.860	296.7	288.9	4.6	-2.6	1.6	1.6	-1.0	
Other food at home	3.391	342.7	343.4	2.7	.2	.5	.5	.4	
Sugar and sweets 1	.491	375.5	376.0	1.5	.1	.2	2	.1	
Fats and oils 1	.348	271.1	275.4	6.5	1.6	2.6	2.4	1.6	
Nonalcoholic beverages	1.409	436.4	435.2	2.1	3	.1	1.0	.1	
Other prepared foods 1	1.143	276.8	277.9	2.8	.4	.3	4	.4	
Food away from home	6.097	323.9	324.8	4.3	.3	.5	.6	.5	
Alcoholic beverages	1.106	218.9	218.6	3.7	1	.8	.2	.2	
Housing	37.721	326.8	327.0	2.5	.1	.5	.2	.5	
Shelter	21.339	349.8	351.1	3.1	.4	.5	.4	.4	
Renters' costs 2	6.932	104.8	105.0	_	.2	.7	.4	.4	
Rent, residential 1	6.029	240.4	241.3	4.8	.4	.5	.4	.4	
Other renters' costs	.904	362.0	359.8	6.5	6	1.3	.6	.6	
Homeowners' costs 1 2	13.881	103.9	104.3	_	.4	.5	.4	.4	
Owners' equivalent rent 1 2	13.490	103.8	104.2	-	.4	.5	.3	.4	
Household insurance 1 2	.391	105.5	106.1	_	.6	.5	1.4	.6	
Maintenance and repairs 1	.526	351.1	353.4	4,2	.7	4	1.3	.7	
Maintenance and repairs ervices 1	.284	397.2	398.5	6.7	.3	<del>4</del> 3	2.5	.3	
Maintenance and repair commodities 1	.242	259.5	262.3	1.7	1.1	5	2	1.1	
Fuel and other utilities	8.377	374.4	371.3	2.5	8	.7	1	.8	
Fuels	6.214	474.4	468.1	1.3	-1.3	.8	3	.8	
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas	1.552	624.7	623.9	-9.7	1	1.9	.2	6	
Gas (piped) and electricity	4.661	435.6	428.2	5.1	-1.7	.5	4	1.2	
Other utilities and public services 1	2.163	215.8	217.3	5.9	.7	.3	.2	.7	
Household furnishings and operation	8.005	239.4	239.9	2.0	.2	.2	.2	.3	
Housefurnishings	4.091	198.0	198.4	1.7	.2	.1	.1	.4	
Housekeeping supplies	1.686	296.6	297.0	2.3	.1	.2	.5	1 3	
Housekeeping services 1	2.228	321.6	322.3	2.5	.2	.5	.2	.2	
Apparel and upkeep	5.205	200.7	200.7	2.7	.0	.0	.0	.1	
Apparel commodities	4.422	188.7	188.6	2.3	1	.0	1	1	
Men's and boys' apparel		192.1	193.0	2.1	.5	2	2	.4	
Women's and girls' apparel		168.6	167.0	3.0	9	<b>4</b>	.4	7	
Infants' and toddlers' apparel 1		289.0	288.7	5.3	1	2.0	.6	1	
Footwear		208.6	209.1	1.1	.2	.2	3	.0	
Other apparel commodities 1	.602	215.5	216.6	1.8	.5	.6	9	.5	
	.783	294.6	296.2 <	5.0	.5	.3		, .	

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

Group	Relative importance, December	Unadjuste	d indexes		justed change to 3 from—		asonally adju ent change f	
	1982	Oct. 1983	Nov. 1983	Nov. 1982	Oct. 1983	Aug. to Sept.	Sept. to Oct.	Oct. to Nov
				Expenditur	e category			
_								
Transportation	21.791	305.0	306.3	3.5	0.4	0.8	0.6	0.2
Private transportation		300.4	301.7	3.5	.4	.9	.6	.1
New vehicles <sup>3</sup>		203.9	205.7	3.5	.9	.9	.5	.1
New cars	3.506	204.3	206.2	3.6	.9	1.0	.7	.0
Used cars	4.056	350.4	356.1	14.7	1.6	2.1	2.1	.6
Motor fuel	6.191	382.5	378.3	-2.6	-1.1	.5	5	8
Gasoline		382.4	378.1	-2.6	-1. <u>1</u>	.4	4	8
Maintenance and repair	1.707	333.5	335.2	4.0	.5	.3	.3	.5
Other private transportation 1	4.360	263.3	265.6	1.9	.9	.3	1.0	.9
Other private transportation commodities 1	.745	208.1	209.2	-2.7	.5	3	1	.5
Other private transportation services 1	3.615	280.5	283.1	2.8	.9	.5	1.2	.9
Public transportation 1	1.541	368.2	370.3	4.0	.6	.4	.4	.6
Medical care	5,995	362.9	364.9	6.6	.6	.4	.4	.4
Medical care commodities	.976	227.5	228.9	7.5	.6	.5	8.	.7
Medical care services	5.019	392.9	395.0	6.5	.5	.4	.3	.3
Professional services 1	2.272	329.7	331.7	7.6	.6	.5	.6	.6
Other medical care services	2.748	469.3	471.5	5.5	.5	.3	.0	.1
Entertainment	4.206	249.1	249.5	4.0	.2	.4	.7	.3
Entertainment commodities	2.485	249.3	249.0	3.1	1	.0	.8	.2
Entertainment services 1	1.721	249.2	250.5	5.2	.5	.9	.8	.5
Other goods and services	5.014	296.8	298.1	8.9	.4	1	.7	6
Tobacco products 1	1,387	299.0	299.9	13.6	.3	.1	.3	.3
Personal care 1	1.857	263.3	265.6	4.5	.9	.3	.1	.9
Toilet goods and personal care appliances 1	.850	263.0	265.7	4.8	1.0	.2	.2	1.0
Personal care services 1	1.007	264.6	266.6	4.2	.8	.5	.0	.8
Personal and educational expenses	1.770	350.9	351.3	9.8	.1	-,7	1.6	.7
School books and supplies	.220	308.8	308.8	9.1	.0	.3	5	.9
Personal and educational services	1.549	360.6	361.0	9.9	.1	8	1.9	.7
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All items	100.000	302.6	303.1	3.2	0.2	0.5	0.4	0.3
Commodities	52.908	275.0	275.2	2.8	.1	.5	.4	.1
Food and beverages	20.069	285.7	285.3	2.2	1	.4	.5	.1
Commodities less food and beverages	32.839	265.8	266.3	3.1	.2	.6	.4	.1
Nondurables less food and beverages <sup>1</sup>	19.781	275.2	274.5	1.1	3	.4	2	3
Apparel commodities	4.422	188.7	188.6	2.3	1	.0	1	1
Nondurables less food, beverages,								
and apparel 1		324.3	323.3	.8	3	.0	3	3
Durables	13.058	258.7	261.0	5.8	.9	.8	.7	.9
Services	47.092	350.2	351.0	3.7	.2	.4	.4	.6
Rent of shelter 1 2	20.340	104.1	104.5	_	.4	.6	.3	.4
Household services less rent of shelter 1 2	9.810	104.8	104.2	_	6	.3	3	6
Transportation services	6.863	307.8	310.1	3.4	.7	.4	.8	.7
Medical care services	5.019	392.9	395.0	6.5	.5	.4	.3	.3
Other services	5.060	285.2	286.5	. 6.4	.5	.2	.9	.7

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Group	Relative importance, December	ance, mber			justed change to 33 from—	Seasonally adjusted percent change from						
	1982	Oct. 1983	Nov. 1983	Nov. 1982	Oct. 1983	Aug. to Sept.	Sept. to Oct.	Oct. to Nov				
	Commodity and service group											
Special indexes:												
All items less food	81.037	303.2	303.9	3.5	0.2	0.5	0.4	0.4				
All items less shelter	78.661	287.5	287.8	3.5	.1	.5	.4	.3				
All items less homeowners' costs 2		103.5	103.6	-	;	.4	.5	.3				
All items less medical care	94.005	299.3	299.7	3.1	;i	.5	.4	.3				
Commodities less food	33.945	263.6	264.1	3.2	.2	.6	.3	1 .1				
Nondurables less food 1		270.2	269.5	1.3	3	.4	1	3				
Nondurables less food and apparel 1	16.464	310.2	309.3	1.0	3	.0	3	3				
Nondurables	39.850	281.7	281.1	1.7	2	.4	.4	.1				
Services less rent of shelter 1 2	26.752	104.5	104.7	_	.2	.7	.3					
Services less medical care 1	42.073	343,3	344.1	3.4	.2	.7	.3	.2 .2				
Energy 4	12.405	425.1	419.9	6	-1.2	.7	-,4	.0				
All items less energy		293.4	294.4	3.8	.3	.4	.5	.4				
All items less food and energy		291.8	293.2	4.3	.5	.5	.5	.4				
Commodities less food and energy		247.6	248.9	5.2	.5	.6	.6	.3				
Energy commodities		418.2	414.4	-4.0	9	.8	4	8				
Services less energy	42.431	343.3	344.9	3.5	.5	.4	.5	.5				
Purchasing power of the consumer dollar:												
1967 = \$1.00  \tag{1}	-	\$.330	\$.330	-3.2	.0	6	3	.0				
1957-59 = \$1.00 ¹	_	.284	.284	_		_	-	_				

Not seasonally adjusted.
Indexes on a December 1982=100 base.

New series; includes direct pricing of new trucks and motorcycles as

of September 1982.

Leading to Exclude motor oil, coolant, and other products as of January 1983.

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

	Sea	sonally ad	justed ind	exes		Seas	onally adj percent o			
Group	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	3	months e	ending in-	-	6 months	ending in-
	1983	1983	1983	1983	Feb. 1983	May 1983	Aug. 1983	Nov. 1983	May 1983	Nov. 1983
			Υ		Expendit	ure catego	ory	·	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	
All items		-	-	-	-1.2	5.1	4.2	4.9	1.9	4.6
Food and beverages	. 284.3	285.3	286.6	287.0	.4	5.5	7	3.9	2.9	1.6
Food		292.5	293.9	294.3	.1	5.5	8	3.8	2.8	1.4
Food at home		282.3	283.5	283.3	-1.0	6.4	-3.1	2.4	2.7	4
Cereals and bakery products 1		293.7	294.0	295.7	4.6	4.2	3.2	2.3	4.4	2.8
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs		257.8	258.1	257.5	-2.3	4.0	-9.6	-1.8	.8	-5.8
Dairy products <sup>1</sup>		250.2	250.1	250.2	3.8	1.0	2	.0	2.4	1
Fruits and vegetables		298.2	303.1	300.0	-13.6	28.7	-1.2	9.2	5.4	3.8
Other food at home		340.7	342.4	343.6	3.8	2.0	.0	5.4	2.9	2.7
Sugar and sweets 1		376.4	375.5	376.0	.4	2.6	2.9	.2	1.5	1.6
Fats and oils 1		264.8	271.1	275.4	9	.5	3	29.6	2	13.7
Nonalcoholic beverages		431.2	435.5	436.1	2.4	1.4	4	5.1	1.9	2.3
Other prepared foods 1		277.8	276.8	277.9	7.5	3.1	4	1.5	5.2	.5
Food away from home		322.5	324.5	326.1	3.0	4.0	3.8	6.5	3.5	5.2
Alcoholic beverages		218.6	219.1	219.5	3.1	4.6	2.2	4.9	3.8	3.6
Housing		325.8	326.6	328.1	-1.2	3.3	3.4	4.9	1.0	4.1
Shelter	j ,	348.4	349.8	351.2	-1.9	4.3	4.6	5.4	1.2	5.0
Renters' costs 2		104.3	104.7	105.1	_	4.4	5.6	5.9		5.8
Rent, residential 1		239.5	240.4	241.3	5.1	3.5	5.4	5.3	4.3	5.3
Other renters' costs		359.1	361.3	363.4	-2.2	9.9	8.2	10.6	3.7	9.4
Homeowners' costs 1 2	103.0	103.5	103.9	104.3		4.4	4.0	5.1	_	4.6
Owners' equivalent rent 1 2	. 103.0	103.5	103.8	104.2	_	4.0	4.4	4.7	-	4.6
Household insurance 1 2	. 103.5	104.0	105.5	106.1	_	6.1	4.4	10.4	_	7.4
Maintenance and repairs 1	347.9	346.6	351.1	353.4	.5	5.9	4.2	6.5	3.2	5.4
Maintenance and repair services 1		387.6	397.2	398.5	.2	10.1	6.3	10.6	5.0	8.4
Maintenance and repair commodities 1		259.9	259.5	262.3	2.3	1.1	1.9	1.7	1.7	1.8
Fuel and other utilities	1	373.6	373.1	375.9	2	2.1	2.5	5.3	.9	3.9
Fuels		473.5	472.2	475.9	-3.1	1.6	2.0	5.4	8	3.7
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas		635.9	637.4	633.4	-30.8	-11.6	2.3	6.2	-21.8	4.2
Gas (piped) and electricity		432.3	430.4	435.6	7.5	5.9	1.8	5.2	6.7	3.5
Other utilities and public services 1		215.4	215.8	217.3	11.8	3.1	4.4	4.7	7.3	4.6
Household furnishings and operation		239.0	239.5	240.2	2.4	2.0	1.0	2.9	2.2	1.9
Housefurnishings		197.6	197.8	198.6	1.9	1.8	1.0	2.2	1.9	1.6
Housekeeping supplies		296.3	297.8	298.2	3.8	1.6	.5	3.3	2.7	1.9
Housekeeping services 1	. 319.3	320.9	321.6	322.3	2.1	2.7	1.6	3.8	2.4	2.7
Apparel and upkeep	. 198.4	198.4	198.4	198.5	2.1	3.3	5.4	.2	2.7	2.8
Apparel commodities		186.3	186.2	186.0	2.0	2.9	5.1	6	2.4	2.2
Men's and boys' apparel	. 189.8	189.5	189.1	189.8	2.6	4.6	1.5	.0	3.6	.7
Women's and girls' apparel		164.4	165.1	163.9	.0	2.8	12.3	-2.6	1.4	4.5
Infants' and toddlers' apparel 1		287.4	289.0	288.7	6.9	2.8	1.7	10.0	4.8	5.8
Footwear		207.8	207.1	207.0	5.4	-1.0	.4	8	2.2	2
Other apparel commodities 1	. 216.2	217.4	215.5	216.6	1.3	3.0	2.3	.7	2.2	1.5
Apparel services	. 293.2	294.0	295.2	297.4	2.6	5.4	6.5	5.9	4.0	6.2

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

	Sea	sonally ad	justed ind	exes		Seas	percent of	justed and change fo		
Group	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	3	months e	ending in-	-	6 months	ending in-
	1983	1983	1983	1983	Feb. 1983	May 1983	Aug. 1983	Nov. 1983	May 1983	Nov. 1983
		T			Expendite	ure catego	ory		T	
Transportation	. 301.6	304.1	305.9	306.4	-9.0	9.6	8.1	6.5	-0.1	7.3
Private transportation	. 297.0	299.6	301.5	301.9	-9.8	10.1	8.1	6.8	3	7.4
New vehicles <sup>3</sup>		204.3	205.3	205.5	5.1	-1.0	3.8	6.3	2.0	5.0
New cars		204.5	205.9	206.0	4.9	-1.0	3.8	7.1	1.9	5.5
Used cars		340.8	348.0	350.1	11.2	8.6	18.4	21.0	9.9	19.7
Motor fuel		388.9	387.1	384.1	-35.7	31.6	9.9	-3.1	-8.0	3.2
Gasoline	1	388.7	387.0	383.9	-35.8	32.3	9.7	-3.4	-7.8	3.0
Maintenance and repair		332.6	333.5	335.2	4.0	3.5	4.1	4.3	3.8	4.2
Other private transportation 1		260.8	263.3	265.6	-1.5	-1.5	2.0	8.9	-1.5	5.4
Other private transportation commodities 1	208.9	208.3	208.1	209.2	2	-7.4	-3.7	.6	-3.9	-1.6
Other private transportation services 1		277.3	280.5	283.1	-1.7	3	3.1	10.7	-1.0	6.8
Public transportation 1		366.6	368.2	370.3	9	4.6	6.6	5.9	1.8	6.3
Medical care	. 360.3	361.7	363.0	364.4	10.1	5.5	6.3	4.6	7.8	5.5
Medical care commodities		226.3	228.0	229.6	5.5	10.2	6.3	8.0	7.8	7.2
Medical care services		391.7	392.9	394.1	11.1	4.6	6.3	4.1	7.8	5.2
Professional services 1		327.6	329.7	331.7	9.5	5.6	8.1	7.2	7.5	7.6
Other medical care services		469.2	469.3	469.6	12.1	3.7	4.8	1.5	7.8	3.2
Entertainment	. 246.7	247.7	249.5	250.3	3.9	1.5	4.5	6.0	2.7	5.2
Entertainment commodities	1	248.2	250.1	250.5	2.8	.5	5.7	3.8	1.7	4.7
Entertainment services 1		247.2	249.2	250.5	5.8	2.7	3.0	9.3	4.2	6.1
Other goods and services	292.0	291.8	293.9	295.8	13.7	5.8	10.0	5.3	9.7	7.6
Tobacco products 1		298.0	299.0	299.9	31.7	3.6	18.6	3.0	16.8	10.5
Personal care 1		263.0	263.3	265.6	5.8	2.5	4.2	5.4	4.1	4.8
Toilet goods and personal care appliances 1		262.4	263.0	265.7	4.0	4.1	5.2	5.9	4.1	5.6
Personal care services 1		264.6	264.6	266.6	7.4	1.1	3.4	5.1	4.2	4.3
Personal and educational expenses		336.0	341.3	343.8	10.9	11.3	9.9	6.8	11.1	8.3
School books and supplies		303.9	302.4	305.1	11.8	11.4	10.5	2.7	11.6	6.5
Personal and educational services		343.9	350.4	352.9	10.7	11.2	9.8	7.5	11.0	8.6
		1		Co	mmodity a	nd service	e group	L		.,.
All items					1.0	E 4	4.0	4.0	1.0	4.6
All items  Commodities		274.5	275.6	275.0	-1.2	5.1	4.2	4.9	1.9	4.6
Food and beverages		1	275.6	275.8	-2.7	6.3	4.1	4.0 3.9	1.7 2.9	4.0
		285.3	286.6	287.0	.4	5.5	7 7.1			1.6
Commodities less food and beverages Nondurables less food and beverages 1		265.1 275.8	266.1 275.2	266.3 274.5	-4.7 -8.8	6.8 9.5	7.1 5.1	4.2 3	.9	5.6
			1	1				1	1	2.4
Apparel commodities Nondurables less food, beverages,		186.3	186.2	186.0	2.0	2.9	5.1	6	2.4	2.2
and apparel 1		325.2	324.3	323.3	-8.8	9.5	5.9	-2.3	1	1.7
Durables		255.6	257.4	259.7	4.6	2.3	6.2	10.1	3.5	8.2
Services	. 346.5	348.0	349.4	351.4	0.	4.2	4.4	5.8	2.1	5.1
Rent of shelter 1 2	103.2	103.8	104.1	104.5	-	4.0	4.8	5.1	-	5.0
Household services less rent of shelter ' 4	. 104.8	105.1	104.8	104.2		9.0	6.3	-2.3	-	1.9
Transportation services		305.4	307.8	310.1	1	1.7	4.2	8.0	.8	6.1
Medical care services	. 390.2	391.7	392.9	394.1	11.1	4.6	6.3	4.1	7.8	5.2
Other services		280.2	282.7	284.6	6.6	5.2	5.8	7.3	5.9	6.6

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

	Sea	sonally ad	justed ind	exes		Seas	onally adj			
Group	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	3	months e	ending in-	-	6 months ending in	
	1983	1983	1983	1983	Feb. 1983	May 1983	Aug. 1983	Nov. 1983	May 1983	Nov. 1983
				Cor	nmodity a	nd service	group			
Special indexes:										
All items less food	300.3	301.8	303.0	304.1	-1.4	5.3	5.4	5.2	1.9	5.3
All items less shelter	285.0	286.4	287.5	288.3	3	5.6	4.0	4.7	2.6	4.4
All items less homeowners' costs 2	102.6	103.0	103.5	103.8	-	5.3	4.4	4.8	-	4.6
All items less medical care	296.7	298.1	299.3	300.2	-1.6	5.2	4.1	4.8	1.7	4.5
Commodities less food	261.4	263.0	263.9	264.1	-4.5	6.6	6.9	4.2	9	5.5
Nondurables less food 1	269.6	270.6	270.2	269.5	-8.2	9.2	5.0	1	.2	2.4
Nondurables less food and apparel 1	310.9	311.0	310.2	309.3	-8.0	9.4	5.6	-2.0	.3	1.7
Nondurables	280.4	281.5	282.5	282.8	-6.5	8.3	2.0	3.5	.6	2.7
Services less rent of shelter 1 2	103.5 339.9	104.2	104.5	104.7	- ,	4.8 4.7	5.2 4.7	4.7	1 7.	5.0
	425.4	342.2 428.2	343.3 426.6	344.1 426.6	8 -21.5	4.7 15.2	4.7 5.7	5.0 1.1	1.9 -4.9	4.9 3.4
Energy 4	425.4 290.4	291.7	293.2	294.3	2.0	4.0	5.7 4.0	5.5	3.0	3.4 4.7
All items less energy	288.5	289.9	293.2	294.3	2.0 2.7	3.4	4.0 5.4	5.8 5.8	3.0	5.6
Commodities less food and energy	244.3	245.7	247.1	247.8	5.5	2.9	6.3	5.9	4.2	6.1
Energy commodities	422.2	425.4	423.9	420.7	-35.6	21.8	8.4	-1.4	-11.4	3.4
Services less energy	339.7	341.2	342.9	344.6	8	3.9	4.7	5.9	1.5	5.3

Not seasonally adjusted.
Indexes on a December 1982=100 base.
New series; includes direct pricing of new trucks and motorcycles as

of September 1982.

Leading Excludes motor oil, coolant, and other products as of January 1983.

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

Group and item	Other	Unadjuste	ed indexes		justed change to 33 from—		asonally adju ent change fr	
	base	Oct. 1983	Nov. 1983	Nov. 1982	Oct. 1983	Aug. to Sept.	Sept. to Oct.	Oct. to Nov.
Food and beverages		285.7	285.3	2,2	-0.1	0.4	0.5	0.1
Food		292.9	292.5	2.1	1	.3	.5	.1
Food at home		282.3	281.4	1.1	3	.2	.4	1
Cereals and bakery products 1		294.0	295.7	3.6	.6	1	.1	.6
Cereal and cereal products		158.1	157.9	3.1	1	.1	.1	.5
Flour and prepared flour mixes		141.4	140.8	1.1	4	7	4	.6
Cereal 1		177.6	177.3	6.0	2	.2		2
Rice, pasta, and cornmeal 1		145.5	146.1	.0	.4	.3	3	.4
Bakery products 1		154.8	156.0	3.8	.8	1	.3	.8
White bread 1		254.4	257.0	4.1	1.0	1	.6	1.0
Other bread 1	12/77	149.8	151.9	3.1	1.4	2	0.0	1.4
Fresh biscuits, rolls, and muffins 1	12/77	154.4	155.7	3.2	.8	5	1.2	.8
Fresh cakes and cupcakes 1		156.2	157.9	4.9	1.1	.2	.6	1.1
Cookies		156.2	157.6	2.6	1.0	1	-1.1	.9
Crackers and bread and cracker products 1		147.7	147.8	3.1	1.0	-2.0	4	.5
		155.8	156.8	4.8	.6	-2.0 .4	4	.6
Fresh sweetrolls, coffeecake, and donuts 1	12///	155.6	130.6	4.6	٠.6	.4	1	0.
fresh pies, tarts, and turnovers 1	12/77	161.9	160.6	3.1	8	1.2	.4	8
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs		257.1	256.6	-2.7	~.2	3	.1	2
Meats, poultry, and fish		261.9	260.8	-3.7	4	5	2	2
Meats		260.4	258.6	-5.5	7	9	.0	5
Beef and veal		266.2	265.7	-2.3	2	5	.9	.0
Ground beef other than canned		250.9	251.6	-4.3	.3	2	2	.1
Chuck roast		265.8	266.2	-5.5	.2	8	2	.5
Round roast		234.4	235.3	-2.5	.4	.3	2.2	.9
Round steak		251.5	250.0	-2.8	6	9	1.8	4
Sirloin steak	i .	268.4	265.3	2.1	-1.2	-1.5	.4	.3
Other beef and veal		164.0	163.2	5	5	7	1.0	.2
Pork		246.4	241.1	-12.1	-2.2	-1.6	-1.5	-1.8
Bacon		262.5	253.7	-15.1	-3.4	-2.2	-2.4	-2.4
Chops		227.2	222.3	-10.7	-2.2	-2.3	7	8
Ham other than canned		111.6	109.1	-14.3	-2.2	6	-2.4	-3.2
Sausage <sup>1</sup>		307.4	305.0	-9.7	8	8	-1.3	8
Canned ham		251.9	248.0	-8.3	-1.5	9	-2.9	-2.3
Other pork 1		134.4	131.5	-12.1	-2.2	.4	-3.3	-2.2
Other meats 1		262.2	262.6	-3.3	.2	8	2	-2.2
Frankfurters 1		260.8	259.7	-5.4	4	-2.6	2	4
		152.8	1	1	.0		1	4
Bologna, liverwurst, and salami 1			152.8	-2.4	1	1		
Other lunchmeats 1		135.2	135.8	-3.9	.4	2	7	.4
Lamb and organ meats 1		133.7	134.6	6	.7	.1	1	.7
Poultry 1	••••	199.6	201.7	5.1	1.1	1.9	~2.3	1.1
Fresh whole chicken 1		199.1	207.6	9.7	4.3	3.7	-5.0	4.3
Fresh and frozen chicken parts 1		132.2	134.1	7.0	1.4	3.2	-2.7	1.4
Other poultry 1		126.0	120.6	-3.8	-4.3	-2.2	2.5	-4.3
Fish and seafood		374.1	374.9	2.3	.2	5	.7	.4
Canned fish and seafood 1		133.5	132.6	-4.6	7	-1.5	3	7
Fresh and frozen fish and seafood		147.8	148.8	6.3	.7	.3	1.3	1.0
Eggs		200.1	208.2	19.0	4.0	3.4	5.7	6

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

Group and item	Other	Unadjuste	d indexes	Unadj percent d Nov. 198	hange to		sonally adjustent change fr	
	base	Oct. 1983	Nov. 1983	Nov. 1982	Oct. 1983	Aug. to Sept.	Sept. to Oct.	Oct. to Nov.
Dairy products <sup>1</sup>		250.1	250.2	1.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Fresh milk and cream		135.9	135.9	.6	.0	3	2	2
Fresh whole milk		221.9	222.1	.5	.1	2	4	1
Other fresh milk and cream 1		136.6	136.4	.7	1	3	.1	1
Processed dairy products		149.2	149.3	1.8	.1	.4	.1	2
Butter		256.2	254.8	.9	5	8	.6	6
Cheese		146.7	146.8	1.6	.1	.1	1	3
Ice cream and related products 1		154.9	155.3	1.9	.3	1.2	.3	.3
Other dairy products 1	12/77	145.2	145.7	3.4	.3	.1	5	.3
Fruits and vegetables		296.7	288.9	4.6	-2.6	1.6	1.6	-1.0
Fresh fruits and vegetables		304.9	288.7	7.6	5.3	2.3	3.1	-2.6
Fresh fruits		304.4	279.5	-3.3	-8.2	7	.9	~1.2
Apples	I	271.8	265.9	11.1	-2.2	19.0	-2.4	3.0
Bananas		272.8	233.1	-4.3	-14.6	-6.2	.4	-15.7
Oranges		299.0	307.8	-23.0	2.9	-5.6	-9.8	5.9
Other fresh fruits		171.1	148.5	3.6	-13.2	-3.1	10.6	-5.2
Fresh vegetables		305.5	297.4	19.4	-2.7	5.3	4.3	-4.3
Potatoes		316.9	305.0	26.7	-3.8	11.4	1.6	-3.2
Lettuce 1		360.4	329.8	27.2	-8.5	14.7	6.9	-8.5
Tomatoes 1		241.9	243.0	.0	.5	5.8	14.0	.5
Other fresh vegetables	12/77	163.0	163.0	18.5	.0	2	3.0	-4.0
Processed fruits and vegetables 1		290.3	291.6	1.5	.4	.2	.0	.4
Processed fruits		150.6	151.2	1.0	.4	.5	.0	.4
Frozen fruit and fruit juices		142.1	143.3	-1.6	.8	.9	.1	.6
Fruit juices other than frozen		155.1	155.5	1.4	.3	.1	.2	.1
Canned and dried fruits 1		152.9	153.2	2.7	.2	.2	6	.2
Processed vegetables 1		141.1	141.8	2.0	.5	.3	.4	.5
Frozen vegetables 1		150.6	151.8	1.9	.8	3	-1.2	.8
Cut corn and canned beans except lima 1  Other canned and dried vegetables 1		142.4 135.7	143.2 136.0	1.7 2.3	.6 .2	1 .8	.4 1.3	.6 .2
Other foods at home		342.7	343.4	2.7	.2	.5	.5	.4
Sugar and sweets 1		375.5	376.0	1.5	.1	.2	2	.1
Candy and chewing gum		151.8	152.0	1.6	.1	.3	.4	.2
Sugar and artificial sweeteners 1		169.6	170.4	3.1	.5	.4	4	.5
Other sweets 1		152.2	151.7	5	3	1	3	3
Fats and oils'		271.1	275.4	6.5	1.6	2.6	2.4	1.6
Margarine 1		264.6	268.9	4.4	1.6	.8	2.0	1.6
Nondairy substitutes and peanut butter 1		151.6	151.8	1	.1	6	1.8	.1
Other fats, oils, and salad dressings 1		140.7	143.8	10.8	2.2	5.1	2.8	2.2
Nonalcoholic beverages		436.4	435.2	2.1	3	.1	1.0	.1
Cola drinks, excluding diet cola		317.2	315.7	2.2	5	.2	.9	.0
Carbonated drinks, including diet cola	12/77	150.8	149.4	3.2	9	1.0	1.8	1
Roasted coffee 1		352.8	355.4	-1.3	.7	6	3	.7
Freeze dried and instant coffee 1		350.2	352.4	2.4	.6	-1.1	.5	.6
Other noncarbonated drinks		141.9	141.8	2.2	1	.6	.6	1
Other prepared foods 1		276.8	277.9	2.8	.4	.3	4	.4
Canned and packaged soup		141.3	142.0	4.0	.5	.2	.4	.4
Frozen prepared foods 1		154.7	156.4	4.5	1.1	.4	6	1.1
Snacks 1		159.0	158.6	3.6	3	.4	6	3
Seasonings, olives, pickles, and relish		159.6	160.7	2.3	.7	.2	.4	.4
Other condiments		156.0	155.4	2.4	4	.4	.3	1
Miscellaneous prepared foods 1		151.8	152.8	1.7	.7	.5	3	.7
Other canned and packaged prepared foods	12/77	146.2	147.0	1.4	.5	1.1	5	.6

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

Group and item	Other index			Unadjusted percent change to Nov. 1983 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—			
	base	Oct. 1983	Nov. 1983	Nov. 1982	Oct. 1983	Aug. to Sept.	Sept. to Oct.	Oct. to Nov.	
Food away from home		323.9	324.8	4.3	0.3	0.5	0.6	0.5	
Lunch	12/77	156.7	157.1	3.6	.3	.6	.8	.3	
Dinner	12/77	155.5	156.2	4.3	.5	.8	.5	.6	
Other meals and snacks	12/77	160.7	160.8	5.3	.1	1	.9	.2	
Alcoholic beverages		218.9	218.6	3.7	1	.8	.2	.2	
Alcoholic beverages at home	12/77	141.4	140.9	3.5	4	.8	.3	1	
Beer and ale		226.1	225.9	6.3	1	.8	.0	.2	
Whiskey 1		153.5	152.9	1.5	4	1.4	1	4	
Wine 1		237.1	234.8	5	-1.0	.4	.6	-1.0	
Other alcoholic beverages 1	12/77	122.3	121.5	.9	7	.1	2	7	
Alcoholic beverages away from home	12/77	148.7	149.9	4.4	.8	.7	.5	1.0	
Special indexes:					'		}		
Domestically produced farm food 1		268.5	267.7	.9	3	.0	3	3	
Selected beef cuts 1		265.6	265.3	-2.4	1	-1.1	7	1	
Imported food and fishery products	12/77	137.4	136.7	1.9	5	1	.7	2	

Not seasonally adjusted.

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

		adju	onally sted exes		Seas	onally adj percent o			
Group and item	Other index base	Oct.	Nov.	3	months e	nding in-	-	6 months	ending in-
		1983	1983	Feb. 1983	May 1983	Aug. 1983	Nov. 1983	May 1983	Nov. 1983
Food and beverages		286.6	287.0	0.4	5.5	-0.7	3.9	2.9	1.6
Food		293.9	294.3	.1	5.5	8	3.8	2.8	1.4
Food at home		283.5	283.3	-1.0	6.4	-3.1	2.4	2.7	4
Cereals and bakery products 1		294.0	295.7	4.6	4.2	3.2	2.3	4.4	2.8
Cereal and cereal products	12/77	158.4	159.2	-2.3	9.4	2.6	3.1	3.4	2.8
Flour and prepared flour mixes	12/77	141.1	141.9	3	2.3	4.6	-1.9	1.0	1.3
Cereal 1	12/77	177.6	177.3	4.9	16.3	3.5	.2	10.4	1.8
Rice, pasta, and cornmeal 1	12/77	145.5	146.1	-2.2	-1.4	2.2	1.4	-1.8	1.8
Bakery products 1	12/77	154.8	156.0	5.7	2.9	2.6	3.9	4.3	3.3
White bread 1		254.4	257.0	5.0	4.6	.8	6.3	4.8	3.5
Other bread 1		149.8	151.9	3.9	、 2.7	1.1	4.9	3.3	3.0
Fresh biscuits, rolls, and muffins 1		154.4	155.7	6.0	-2.8	3.7	6.1	1.5	4.9
Fresh cakes and cupcakes 1		156.2	157.9	9.6	1.8	.5	8.0	5.7	4.2
Cookies		156.8	158.2	-5.3	8.4	9.0	-1.3	1.3	3.8
Crackers and bread and cracker products 1		147.7	147.8	9.2	3.9	9.8	-9.2	6.5	1
Fresh sweetrolls, coffeecake, and donuts 1		155.8	156.8	12.9	5	3.4	3.9	6.0	3.7
Frozen and refrigerated bakery products and fresh pies, tarts, and turnovers 1	1	161.9	160.6	3	4.4	5.2	3.0	2.1	4.1
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs		258.1	257.5	-2.3	4.0	-9.6	-1.8	.8	-5.8
Meats, poultry, and fish		262.9	262.3	-1.9	. 1	-9.0	-3.7	9	-6.4
Meats		261.4	260.2	-3.6	.6	-12.8	-5.3	-1.5	-9.2
Beef and veal	.]	270.3	270.3	-6.1	8.3	-11.8	1.3	.9	-5.5
Ground beef other than canned		255.8	256.0	-10.2	4.7	-9.5	-1.5	-3.0	-5.6
Chuck roast	.[	270.9	272.2	-7.7	6.5	-17.4	-1.9	8	-10.0
Round roast	.	238.0	240.1	-8.8	6.5	-18.7	14.3	-1.5	-3.6
Round steak	.!	254.3	253.3	.2	5.8	-17.2	1.9	2.9	-8.2
Sirloin steak	.	270.0	270.7	8.1	14.0	-8.5	-3.6	11.0	-6.1
Other beef and veal	12/77	165.3	165.7	-3.6	8.7	-8.9	2.2	2.4	-3.5
Pork		242.8	238.5	1	-9.9	-19.1	-18.0	-5.2	-18.5
Bacon		256.3	250.2	-5.7	-14.6	-14.5	-24.6	-10.2	-19.7
Chops		224.3	222.5	.3	-7.9	-20.1	-13.9	-3.9	-17.1
Ham other than canned		107.9	104.5	8.5	-23.9	-16.1	-22.3	-9.1	-19.3
Sausage <sup>1</sup>		307.4	305.0	-4.4	-3.9	-18.7	-10.9	-4.2	-14.9
Canned ham		249.4	243.6	9.0	.3	-17.3	-22.0	4.6	-19.7
Other pork <sup>1</sup>		134.4	131.5	2.2	-21.9	-8.2	-18.5	-10.7	-13.5
Other meats 1		262.2	262.6	-3.5	-2.2	-4.6	-3.0	-2.9	-3.8
Frankfurters 1		260.8	259.7	-7.1	-3.9	-4.0	-10.1	-5.5	-5.2
Bologna, liverwurst, and salami 1		152.8	152.8	-5.3	8	-2.6	-1.0	-3.0	-1.8
Other lunchmeats 1		135.2	135.8	-4.5	-5.6	-3.7	-1.7	-5.0	-2.7
Lamb and organ meats 1		133.7	134.6	5.4	5.7	-14.4	2.4	5.5	-6.4
Poultry 1		199.6	201.7	4.2	-4.1	18.9	2.4	.0	10.4
Fresh whole chicken <sup>1</sup>	1	199.1	207.6	2.8	-5.9	34.4	11.3	-1.7	22.3
Fresh and frozen chicken parts 1		132.2	134.1	2.9	1.3	17.1	7.5	2.1	12.2
Other poultry 1		126.0	120.6	7.5	-7.0	1.0	-15.3	.0	-7.5
		376.0	377.5	7.9	-7.0 .5	-1.5	2.4	4.2	-7.5
Fish and seafood								1	
Carined fish and seafood 1		133.5	132.6	.3	-5.4	-3.7	-9.4	-2.6	-6.6
Fresh and frozen fish and seafood	. 12/77	149.3	150.8	10.8	2.8	1.1	10.7	6.7	5.8
Eggs		201.7	200.4	-18.7	124.4	-20.8	38.9	35.1	4.9

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

	Out -	Seas adju inde			Seas	onally adj percent o			
Group and item	Other index base	Oct.	Nov.	3	months e	ending in-	-	6 months	ending
		1983	1983	Feb. 1983	May 1983	Aug. 1983	Nov. 1983	May 1983	Nov 1983
Deire, and destal		050.4	050.0	0.0	4.0	0.0	0.0	0.4	0
Dairy products'	40 (77	250.1	250.2	3.8	1.0	-0.2	0.0	2.4	-0.
Fresh milk and cream	12/77	136.3	136.0	3.0	.6	1.8	-2.9	1.8	
Fresh whole milk	40/33	222.8	222.5	2.0	.5	2.4	-2.8	1.3	-
Other fresh milk and cream 1	12/77	136.6	136.4	5.7	-1.4	.0	-1.2	2.1	-
Processed dairy products	12/77	149.5	149.2	1.4	4.4	.5	1.1	2.9	
Butter		253.9	252.5	8.1	.5	-1.4	-3.1	4.2	-2
Cheese	12/77	147.1	146.7	1.4	3.6	2.5	-1,1	2.5	
ice cream and related products 1	12/77	154.9	155.3	1.8	1,3	-2.8	7.5	1.6	2
Other dairy products ¹	12/77	145.2	145.7	2.0	8.7	3.6	5	5.3	1
ruits and vegetables		303.1	300.0	-13.6	28.7	-1.2	9.2	5.4	3
Fresh fruits and vegetables		316.3	308.1	-20.4	60.4	-5.7	11.4	13.0	2
Fresh fruits		298.1	294.5	-18.8	9.9	2.3	-4.1	-5.5	-
Apples		297.0	306.0	-18.8	-1.7	-6.9	104.8	-10.7	38
Bananas		286.6	241.6	-2.2	94.9	10.6	-60.3	38.1	-33
Oranges		273.3	289.3	-53.7	14.3	.9	-34.0	-27.2	-18
Other fresh fruits	12/77	166.3	157.6	16.4	-6.7	8	6.6	4.2	
Fresh vegetables		334.2	319.8	-16.9	116.5	-7.8	22.3	34.2	
Potatoes		346.7	335.5	-17.8	45.1	50.1	43.8	9.2	40
Lettuce 1		360.4	329.8	-14.8	251.3	-44.8	58.6	73.0	(
Tomatoes 1		241.9	243.0	41.7	82.0	-82.0	115.8	60.6	-3
Other fresh vegetables	12/77	183.1	175.8	15.4	67.6	7.0	-4.9	39.1	Ū
Processed fruits and vegetables '		290.3	291.6	.1	-1.0	4.0	2.9	4	:
Processed fruits	12/77	151.5	152.1	8	-1.8	3.0	3.8	-1.3	
Frozen fruit and fruit juices	12/77	143.2	144.0	-7.2	-7.8	2.9	6.4	-7.5	· ·
Fruit juices other than frozen	12/77	156.4	156.6	1.3	-1.3	3.7	1.8	.0	
	12/77	152.9	153.2	, ,				1 /	
Canned and dried fruits 1			1	5.2	.8	5.9	8	3.0	
Processed vegetables 1	12/77	141.1	141.8	-2.6	6	6.8	4.6	-1.6	;
Frozen vegetables 1	12/77	150.6	151.8	6.0	.0	4.3	-2.6	3.0	
Cut corn and canned beans except lima '  Other canned and dried vegetables '	12/77 12/77	142.4 135.7	143.2 136.0	-6.4 -5.6	3 9	10.8 6.6	3.4 9.7	-3.4 -3.3	
-									
Other foods at home		342.4 375.5	343.6 376.0	3.8	2.0 2.6	.0 2.9	5.4 .2	2.9 1.5	
Candy and chewing gum	12/77	152.3	152.6	.0	3	3.2	3.5	1	
Sugar and artificial sweeteners 1	12/77	169.6	170.4	1.7	3.2	6.1	1.7	2.4	
Other sweets 1	12/77	152.2	151.7	5	8	2.1	-2.8	7	
Fats and oils'	12///	271.1	275.4	9	6 .5	3	29.6	2	1:
Margarine 1		264.6	268.9	-2.5	1.9	.2	19.5	3	
Nondairy substitutes and peanut butter 1	12/77	151.6	151.8	-2.5 5	-2.9	-2.4	5.4	-1.7	,
Other fats, oils, and salad dressings 1	12/77	140.7	143.8	5	1.2	-2.4 .3	48.3	.6	
	12///		i					1	2
Nonalcoholic beverages		435.5	436.1	2.4	1,4	4	5.1	1.9	
Cola drinks, excluding diet cola	12/77	316.9 150.2	317.0 150.0	3 2.8	.8 2.2	3.9 -3.2	4.8 11.4	.3 2.5	
Roasted coffee 1		352.8	355.4	6.7	-5.5	-3.2 -5.2	7	2.5	_;
Freeze dried and instant coffee 1		350.2	352.4	6.1	-5.5 2.7	-5.2 .8		4.3	_,
Other noncarbonated drinks	12/77	142.5	142.4	1.7	9	.6 3.5	.1 4.3	4.3	;
Other prepared foods 1	12/11	276.8	277.9	7.5	9 3.1	3.5 4	4.3 1.5	5.2	,
Canned and packaged soup	12/77	142.4	143.0	2.9	3.1 6.5	4 2.0	4.3	4.7	;
Frozen prepared foods 1		154.7	156.4	6.3	6.5	1.8	3.4	6.4	
Snacks 1	12/77	154.7	158.6	12.3	7.8		-1.7	1	
Seasonings, olives, pickles, and relish	12/77					-3.2		10.0	-
Other condiments		159.8	160.4	9.0	-1.0	-2.5	3.8	3.9	
Miscellaneous prepared foods 1	12/77	156.6	156.5	6.2	-1.0	2.1	2.6	2.5	:
	12/77	151.8	152.8	3.5	1.3	-1.3	3.5	2.4	
Other canned and packaged prepared foods	12/77	146.8	147.7	1.9	-1.4	.0	5.0	.3	:

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

	045.53	Seasonally adjusted indexes		Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for—							
Group and item	Other index base	Oct.	Nov.	3	months e	6 months ending in—					
		1983	1983	Feb. 1983	May 1983	Aug. 1983	Nov. 1983	May 1983	Nov. 1983		
Food away from home		324.5	326.1	3.0	4.0	3.8	6.5	3.5	5.2		
Lunch	. 12/77	157.3	157.7	2.1	3.4	2.4	6.6	2.8	4.5		
Dinner		155.8	156.8	3.0	2.1	4.5	7.8	2.5	6.1		
Other meals and snacks	. 12/77	161.0	161.4	3.4	7.4	5.7	4.9	5.4	5.3		
Alcoholic beverages	.	219.1	219.5	3.1	4.6	2.2	4.9	3.8	3.6		
Alcoholic beverages at home	. 12/77	141.7	141.5	2.7	5.3	2.3	3.8	4.0	3.0		
Beer and ale		226.3	226.8	8.5	6.4	5.9	4.3	7.4	5.1		
Whiskey <sup>1</sup>		153.5	152.9	.5	1.1	.8	3.5	.8	2.1		
Wine 1	.	237.1	234.8	-2.0	7.7	-7.0	.0	2.7	-3.6		
Other alcoholic beverages 1		122.3	121.5	1.0	2.7	3.0	-2.9	1.8	.0		
Alcoholic beverages away from home	. 12/77	149.0	150.5	2.5	4.5	1.6	9.0	3.5	5.2		
Special indexes:											
Domestically produced farm food 1		268.5	267.7	2.0	6.1	-2.1	-2.2	4.0	-2.1		
Selected beef cuts 1	.	265.6	265.3	.1	14.7	-14.7	-7.5	7.2	-11.2		
Imported food and fishery products	. 12/77	137.5	137.2	3.3	3.3	3	1.5	3.3	.6		

Not seasonally adjusted.

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

Group and item	Other index	Unadjuste	d indexes	Unadjusted percent change to Nov. 1983 from		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
	base	Oct. 1983	Nov. 1983	Nov. 1982	Oct. 1983	Aug. to Sept.	Sept. to Oct.	Oct. to Nov.
Housing		326.8	327.0	2.5	0.1	0.5	0.2	0.5
Shelter		349.8	351.1	3.1	.4	.5	.4	.4
Renters' costs	12/82	104.8	105.0	-	.2	.7	.4	.4
Rent, residential 1		240.4	241.3	4.8	.4	.5	.4	.4
Other renters' costs		362.0	359.8	6.5	6	1.3	.6	.6
Lodging while out of town		376.9	373.0	6.1	-1.0	2	1.6	.5
Lodging while at school 1	12/82	107.4	107.4	-	.0	6.5	.6	.0
Tenants' insurance 1	12/77	159.6	160.4	6.9	.5	.5	1.6	.5
Homeowners' costs 1	12/82	103.9	104.3	-	.4	.5	j .4	.4
Owners' equivalent rent 1	12/82	103.8	104.2	-	.4	.5	.3	.4
Household insurance 1	12/82	105.5	106.1	-	.6	.5	1.4	.6
Maintenance and repairs 1		351.1	353.4	4.2	.7	4	1.3	.7
Maintenance and repair services 1		397.2	398.5	6.7	.3	3	2.5	.3
Maintenance and repair commodities 1		259.5	262.3	1.7	1.1	5	2	1.1
Paint and wallpaper, supplies, tools, and equipment 1	12/77	153.9	155.2	1.4	.8	1	1	.8
Lumber, awnings, glass, and masonry 1	12/77	124.8	124.3	.8	4	5	-1.3	4
Plumbing, electrical, heating, and cooling supplies 1	12/77	145.3	143.8	5.9	-1.0	2.0	2	-1.0
Miscellaneous supplies and equipment 1	12/77	140.2	142.2	2.0	1.4	9	.0	1.4
Fuel and other utilities		374.4	371.3	2.5	8	.7	1	.8
Fuels		474.4	468.1	1.3	-1.3	.8	3	8.
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas		624.7	623.9	-9.7	1	1.9	.2	6
Fuel oil		632.6	631.5	-11.4	2	2.2	.4	8
Other fuels	6/78	191.0	191.4	1.3	.2	1	.0	~.3
Gas (piped) and electricity		435.6	428.2	5.1	-1.7	.5	4	1.2
Electricity		339.2	331.8	4.2	-2.2	1.3	1.5	1.2
Utility (piped) gas 1		582.4	576.3	6.1	-1.0	.1	-1.4	-1.0
Other utilities and public services 1		215.8	217.3	5.9	.7	.3	.2	.7
Telephone services 1		174.1	175.4	5.3	.7	.3	2	.7
Local charges 1	12/77	142.2	143.8	6.2	1.1	.4	3	1.1
Interstate toll calls 1	12/77	121.5	121.5	1.5	.0	.0	3	.0
Intrastate toli calls 1	12/77	119.0	119.8	7.8	.7	.3	.3	.7
Water and sewerage maintenance 1		361.7	363.6	8.5	.5	.3	1.4	.5
Household furnishings and operation		239.4	239.9	2.0	.2	.2	.2	.3
Housefurnishings		198.0	198.4	1.7	.2	.1	.1	.4
Textile housefurnishings		228.8	229.6	3.1	.3	1.0	-1.3	.7
Household linens	. 12/77	136.0	135.7	1.4	2	1.4	-2.3	1.3
Curtains, drapes, slipcovers, and sewing materials 1	12/77	149.6	151.1	4.9	1.0	1.0	6	1.0
Furniture and bedding		219.8	220.1	2.8	.1	2	1.0	.1
Bedroom furniture 1	12/77	152.9	152.6	4.4	2	.8	.3	2
Sofas 1	12/77	118.8	119.8	2.9	.8	.3	1.0	.8
Living room chairs and tables 1	12/77	125.4	125.6	2.9	.2	.6	1.0	.2
Other furniture	12/77	141.2	141.4	.9	.1	-1.2	1.6	3
Appliances including TV and sound equipment '		151.2	151.0	5	1	.3	.1	1
Television and sound equipment 1	12/77	104.9	105.0	-2.9	.1	.0	2	.1
Television '	46 :=-	99.1	98.8	-4.0	3	5	5	3
Sound equipment 1	12/77	111.0	111.6	-2.0	.5	.5	1	.5
Household appliances 1		190.3	189.2	2.2	6	.6	.6	6
Refrigerator and home freezer 1	46.4=-	194.0	193.0	.2	5	.5	.8	5
Laundry equipment 1	12/77	142.7	144.1	2.9	1.0	.5	.0	1.0
Other household appliances 1	12/77	127.0	125.9	2.6	9	.6	.6	9
Stoves, dishwashers, vacuums, and sewing machines 1 Office machines, small electric appliances, and	12/77		125.8	4.2	1	1.4	.4	1
air conditioners 1	12/77	128.3	126.2	1.2	-1.6	.1	8.	-1.6

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

Group and item	Other	Unadjuste	d indexes	Unadj percent o Nov. 198	hange to		sonally adjustent change fr	
	base	Oct. 1983	Nov. 1983	Nov. 1982	Oct. 1983	Aug. to Sept.	Sept. to Oct.	Oct. to Nov.
Housefurnishings—Continued:								
Other household equipment 1	12/77	141.3	142.1	2.2	0.6	-0.1	0.2	0.6
Floor and window coverings, infants', laundry, cleaning, and			1					
outdoor equipment 1	12/77	146.5	147.3	3.3	.5	1	1.6	
Clocks, lamps, and decor items 1	12/77	134.0	135.5	3.2	1,1	.5	.8	1.
Tableware, serving pieces, and nonelectric kitchenware 1	12/77	145.6	146.2	1,1	.4	7	-1.4	
Lawn equipment, power tools, and other hardware 1,	12/77	135.9	136.6	1.8	.5	.4	.9	١.
Housekeeping supplies		296.6	297.0	2.3	.1	.2	.5	
Soaps and detergents 1		295.2	296.7	4.7	.5	.6	3	
Other laundry and cleaning products 1	12/77	151.6	151.5	2.9	1	.7	3	<b>-</b> .
Cleansing and toilet tissue, paper towels and napkins 1	12/77	147.8	148.2	.0	.3	1	1	
Stationery, stationery supplies, and gift wrap 1	12/77	139.5	140.9	1.9	1.0	.0	0.	1.
Miscellaneous household products 1	12/77	155.9	155.5	2.6	3	.5	.6	
Lawn and garden supplies	12/77	144.1	143.0	.8	8	-1.2	3.7	_
Housekeeping services 1		321.6	322.3	2.5	.2	.5	.2	
Postage 1		337.5	337.5	.0	.0	.0	.0	
Moving, storage, freight, household laundry, and drycleaning		007.10	557.5				"	ľ
services	12/77	167.1	168.1	6.6	.6	2.1	1,0	
Appliance and furniture repair 1	12/77	145.8	146.2	4.8	.3	.3	.3	
parel and upkeep		200.7	200.7	2.7	.0	.0	.0	
pparel commodities		188.7	188.6	2.3	1	.0	1	-
Apparel commodities less footwear		185.4	185.2	2.5	1	1	.0	-
Men's and boys'		192.1	193.0	2.1	.5	2	2	
Men's	12/77	120.8	121.6	1.9	.7	3	1	
Suits, sport coats, and jackets	12/77	113.7	114.8	3.0	1.0	-2.0	.4	1
Coats and jackets	12/77	105.7	105.5	2.0	2	1.6	.5	
Furnishings and special clothing 1	12/77	145.7	147.3	3.4	1.1	.4	.2	1
Shirts	12/77	125.1	125.2	5	.1	1.5	~1.7	
Dungarees, jeans, and trousers	12/77	113.1	113.9	1.2	.7	8	2	
Boys'	12/77	125.4	125.2	3.0	2	.2	1	
Coats, jackets, sweaters, and shirts	12/77	120.9	119.9	5.5	8	1.3	1.1	-
Furnishings	12/77	136.2	137.6	3.8	1.0	3	1	1
Suits, trousers, sport coats, and jackets	12/77	124.7	124.4	.8	2	.0	6	-
Women's and girls'	•	168.6	167.0	3.0	9	4	.4	-
Women's	12/77	112.3	110.9	3.4	-1.2	4	.2	-
Coats and jackets		175.9	173.3	2.2	-1.5	7	.7	-
Dresses		173.8	171.9	6.5	-1.1	-1.6	4	_
Separates and sportswear	12/77	103.9	102.0	1.9	-1.8	5	2.0	-2
Underwear, nightwear, and hosiery 1	12/77	135.6	136.1	4.2	.4	1.4	.4	1
Suits	12/77	89.9	85.7	-1.9	-4.7	-3.7	-1.7	-3
Girls'	12/77	111.4	111.8	1.3	.4	.1	1.5	i
Coats, jackets, dresses, and suits	12/77	105.8	106.2	2.2	.4	7	4.4	1
Separates and sportswear	12/77	106.8	107.6	1.5	.7	1.8	4	1
Underwear, nightwear, hosiery, and accessories	12/77	129.0	128.7	5	2	.1	5	-
Infants' and toddlers' 1		289.0	288.7	5.3	1	2.0	.6	-
Other apparel commodities 1		215.5	216.6	1.8	.5	.6	9	
Sewing materials and notions 1	12/77	120.4	118.6	-1.2	-1.5	.2	-1.2	-1
Jewelry and luggage 1	12/77	147.4	149.2	3.0	1.2	.7	7	1
Footwear		208.6	209.1	1.1	.2	.2	3	i
Men's		135.0	135.8	2.5	.6	1.3	6	1
Boys' and girls' 1		131.1	131.8	1.9	.5	.1	.5	
Women's	12/77	127.1	126.7	7	3	4	8	-
Apparel services		294.6	296.2	5.0	.5	.3	.4	
Laundry and drycleaning other than coin operated	12/77	176.0	177.0	5.4	.6	.2	.6	
Other apparel services 1	12/77	153.8	154.5	4.3	.5	.7	.1	

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

Group and item	Other index	Unadjuste	ed indexes	Unadj percent o Nov. 198	hange to		sonally adjustent change fr	
	base	Oct. 1983	Nov. 1983	Nov. 1982	Oct. 1983	Aug. to Sept.	Sept. to Oct.	Oct. to Nov.
Transportation		305.0	306.3	3.5	0.4	0.8	0.6	0.2
Private		300.4	301.7	3.5	.4	.9	.6	.1
New vehicles <sup>2</sup>		203.9	205.7	3.5	.9	.9	.5	.1
New cars		204.3	206.2	3.6	.9	1.0	.7	.0
Used cars		350.4	356.1	14.7	1.6	2.1	2.1	.6
Motor fuel		382.5	378.3	-2.6	-1.1	.5	5	8
Gasoline		382.4	378.1	-2.6	-1.1	.4	4	8
Automobile maintenance and repair		333.5	335.2	4.0	.5	.3	.3	.5
Body work 1	12/77	169.0	169.5	5.3	.3	.4	.8	.3
Automobile drive train, brake, and miscellaneous mechanical repair <sup>1</sup>	12/77	161.9	163.4	6.3	.9	1.1	.7	.9
Maintenance and servicing 1	12/77	152.5	152.7	2.3	.1	1	1	.1
Power plant repair	12/77	159.1	160.2	3.8	.7	.4	.2	.8
Other private transportation 1		263.3	265.6	1.9	.9	.3	1.0	.9
Other private transportation commodities 1		208.1	209.2	-2.7	.5	3	1	.5
Motor oil, coolant, and other products 1	12/77	152.7	152.9	3	.1	.5	-1.0	.1
Automobile parts and equipment 1	12/77	131.9	132.7	-3.1	.6	4	.0	.6
Tires 1		181.7	183.1	-3.8	.8	9	.0	.8
Other parts and equipment 1	12/77	133.0	133.0	-1.6	.0	1.0	.1	.0
Other private transportation services 1		280.5	283.1	2.8	.9	.5	1.2	.9
Automobile insurance 1		309.4	312.8	9.0	1.1	.3	1.8	1.1
Automobile finance charges 1	12/77	157.2	159.1	-11.1	1.2	.6	.5	1.2
Automobile rental, registration, and other fees 1	12/77	147.1	147.3	5.8	.1	.6	.1	.1
State registration 1		195.4	195.4	6.3	.0	.4	.1	.0
Drivers' license 1	12/77	154.0	154.5	16.3	.3	.0	.7	.3
Automobile inspection 1	12/77	139.8	139.8	8.8	.0	.6	.0	.0
Other automobile-related fees 1	12/77	160.2	160.5	3.5	.2	1.1	2	.2
Public transportation 1		368.2	370.3	4.0	.6	.4	.4	.6
Airline fare 1		426.6	431.6	4.9	1.2	.6	.8	1.2
Intercity bus fare 1		417.7	416.0	11.3	4	.6	.6	4
Intracity mass transit 1		324.8	324.3	2.6	2	.3	.1	2
Taxi fare ¹ Intercity train fare ¹		303.1 365.4	304.7 364.8	1.4 4.7	.5 2	.4	1 .2	.5 2
Medical care		362.9	364.9	6.6	.6	.4	.4	.4
Medical care commodities		227.5	228.9	7.5	.6	.5	.8	.7
Prescription drugs		218.6	220.8	9.9	1.0	.6	.9	1.1
Anti-infective drugs 1	12/77	158.6	159.1	6.0	.3	.1	.3	.3
Tranquilizers and sedatives	12/77	182.8	186.9	14.3	2.2	.9	1.2	1.7
Circulatories and diuretics 1	12/77	158.1	159.9	11.0	1.1	.3	1.5	1.1
Hormones, diabetic drugs, biologicals, and prescription medical				i				•
supplies	12/77	201.9	204.0	10.9	1.0	1.0	1.1	1.4
Pain and symptom control drugs 1	12/77	178.7	180.5	10.1	1.0	1.0	.7	1.0
Supplements, cough and cold preparations, and respiratory agents	12/77	164.2	164.7	7.4	9	.9		
Nonprescription drugs and medical supplies <sup>1</sup>	12/77	157.5	157.9	7.4 5.3	.3 .3	.9	.2 .1	.4
Eyeglasses 1	12/77	137.3	137.8				3	
Internal and respiratory over-the-counter drugs 1	, , ,	256.1	256.4	3.7 6.0	.4	1.1	.2	.4 .1
Nonprescription medical equipment and supplies 1	12/77	151.8	152.7	5.2	.6	.1	.4	.6
Medical care services		392.9	395.0	6.5	.5	.4	.3	.3
Professional services 1		329.7	331.7	7.6	.6	.5	.6	.6
Physicians' services 1		358.5	360.5	7.5	.6	.5	.6	.6
Dental services 1		310.7	312.9	8.2	.7	.6	.8	.7
Other professional services '	12/77	155.4	155.9	5.9	.3	.2	.7	.3
Other medical care services		469.3	471.5	5.5	.5	.3	.0	.1
Hospital and other medical services	12/77	199.4	201.0	10.1	.8	.7	.4	.3
Hospital room		638.0	641.9	9.4	.6	1.2	.5	2
Other hospital and medical care services	12/77	195.1	197.1	10.7	1.0	.1	.5	.8

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

Group and item	Other	Unadjuste	d indexes	Unadjusted percent change to Nov. 1983 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from-		
	base	Oct. 1983	Nov. 1983	Nov. 1982	Oct. 1983	Aug. to Sept.	Sept. to Oct.	Oct. to Nov.
Entertainment		249.1	249.5	4.0	0.2	0.4	0.7	0.3
Entertainment commodities		249.3	249.0	3.1	1	.0	.8	.2
Reading materials 1		163.4	162.9	6.2	3	.2	1.4	3
Newspapers 1		306.9	307.7	5.8	.3	.2	1.0	.3
Magazines, periodicals, and books 1		171.7	170.2	6.6	9	.1	1.8	9
Sporting goods and equipment	12/77	134.5	134.7	2.0	.1	.8	1	.0
Sport vehicles 1		137.3	137.8	3.0	.4	.4	1	.4
Indoor and warm weather sport equipment 1		118.6	118.1	-1.5	4	2	.0	4
Bicycles		199.9	198.6	-1.3	<del>4</del> 7	.2	2	2
Other sporting goods and equipment <sup>1</sup>		134.0	134.5	2.3	.4	1.1	4	.4
Toys, hobbies, and other entertainment		139.3	139.1	2.0	1	1	.6	.4
		137.3	136.7	.9	1 4	4	.7	.1
Toys, hobbies, and music equipment		131.9	130.7	. <del>9</del> 2.1	4 2	4	1.2	.5
Photographic supplies and equipment	12///							
Pet supplies and expense '		148.5	148.8	3.8	.2	.7	.0	.2
Entertainment services 1		249.2	250.5	5.2	.5	.9	.8	.5
Fees for participant sports 1		155.6	156.4	5.0	.5	1.4	.8	.5
Admissions Other entertainment services <sup>1</sup>		145.8 132.6	146.6 133.3	7.1 2.7	.5 .5	.7	.7 1.2	.7 .5
Other goods and services		296.8	298.1	8.9	.4	1	.7	   .6
Tobacco products 1		299.0	299.9	13.6	.3	i	.3	.3
Cigarettes 1		307.4	308.2	14.2	.3	1 3	.3	.3
Other tobacco products and smoking accessories		151.4	152.7	6.9	.9	.3	.1	1.4
Personal care 1		263.3	265.6	4.5	.9	.3	.1	9.9
Toilet goods and personal care appliances <sup>1</sup>		263.0	265.7	4.5	1.0	.3	.2	1.0
			154.5	4.0 4.2		.1	2 2	
Products for the hair, hairpieces, and wigs 1	12///	152.7			1.2	.5		1.2
Dental and shaving products <sup>1</sup>		163.1	166.7	6.0	2.2	_	1.4	2.2
makeup implements 1		147.7	148.9	5.1	.8	2	4	.8
Other toilet goods and small personal care appliances 1		150.5	150.5	4.0	.0	.7	.4	.0
Personal care services 1		264.6	266.6	4.2	.8	.5	.0	.8
Beauty parlor services for females 1		267.5	269.8	4.2	.9	.6	2	.9
Haircuts and other barber shop services for males 1	. 12/77	146.8	147.5	4.3	.5	.3	.5	.5
Personal and educational expenses		350.9	351.3	9.8	.1	7	1.6	.7
School books and supplies	.]	308.8	308.8	9.1	.0	.3	5	.9
Personal and educational services		360.6	361.0	9.9	.1	8	1,9	.7
Tuition and other school fees		182.9	182.9	9.4	.0	-1.4	2.5	1.0
College tuition		182.7	182.7	9.5	.0	.0	1.1	1.0
Elementary and high school tuition		183.9	183.9	9.0	.ö	-6.9	8.5	.8
Personal expenses 1		193.4	194.6	11.8	.6	1.5	.4	.6
Special indexes:								
Motor fuel, motor oil, coolant and other products		377.8	373.7	-2.6	-1.1	.5	5	8
Utilities and public transportation		343.0	340.7	5.1	7	.1	.1	.8
Housekeeping and home maintenance services 1		363.4	364.2	2.6	.2	.4	.5	.2

Not seasonally adjusted.

of September 1982.

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

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> New series; includes direct pricing of new trucks and motorcycles as

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

		adju	onally isted exes		Sea		ljusted a change f	nnual rate for—	
Group and item	Other index base	Oct.	Nov.	3	months e	nding in-	-	6 months	ending in—
		1983	1983	Feb. 1983	May 1983	Aug. 1983	Nov. 1983	<b>May</b> 1983	Nov. 1983
. Housing		326.6	328.1	   -1,2	3.3	3.4	4.9	1.0	4.1
Shelter		349.8	351.2	-1.9	4.3	4.6	5.4	1.2	5.0
Renters' costs	1	104.7	105.1	_	4.4	5.6	5.9		5.8
Rent, residential 1		240.4	241.3	5.1	3.5	5.4	5.3	4.3	5.3
Other renters' costs		361.3	363.4	-2.2	9.9	8.2	10.6	3.7	9.4
Lodging while out of town		378.8	380.6	-4.9	12.3	9.9	7.8	3.3	8.8
Lodging while at school 1		107.4	107.4	-	.0	.4	31.5	-	14.9
Tenants' insurance 1		159.6	160.4	6.3	7.0	3.4	10.9	6.6	7.1
Homeowners' costs 1	12/82	103.9	104.3	-	4.4	4.0	5.1	-	4.6
Owners' equivalent rent 1		103.8 105.5	104.2	_	4.0 6.1	4.4 4.4	4.7 10.4	_	4.6 7.4
Household insurance <sup>1</sup> Maintenance and repairs <sup>1</sup>		351.1	106.1 353.4	.5	6.1 5.9	4.4	6.5	3.2	7.4 5.4
Maintenance and repairs		397.2	398.5	.2	10.1	6.3	10.6	5.0	8.4
Maintenance and repair commodities 1		259.5	262.3	2.3	1.1	1.9	1.7	1.7	1.8
Paint and wallpaper, supplies, tools, and equipment 1		153.9	155.2	3.2	.5	-1.0	2.9	1.8	.9
Lumber, awnings, glass, and masonry 1		124.8	124.3	-1.0	9.1	4.5	-8.5	3.9	-2.2
Plumbing, electrical, heating, and cooling supplies 1		145.3	143.8	3.6	8.4	8.6	3.1	6.0	5.8
Miscellaneous supplies and equipment 1	12/77	140.2	142.2	.3	.3	5.6	2.0	.3	3.8
Fuel and other utilities	1	373.1	375.9	2	2.1	2.5	5.3	.9	3.9
Fuels	1	472.2	475.9	-3.1	1.6	2.0	5.4	8	3.7
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas		637.4	633.4	-30.8	-11.6	2.3	6.2	-21.8	4.2
Fuel oil		646.8 192.3	641.8	-32.9 -11.9	-15.8 14.5	1.3 6.0	7.5 -1.4	-24.8	4.3 2.2
Gas (piped) and electricity	1	430.4	435.6	7.5	5.9	1.8	5.2	.4 6.7	3.5
Electricity		337.2	341.4	-1.7	.9	1.1	17.5	4	9.0
Utility (piped) gas 1		582.4	576.3	13.1	26.4	-2.7	-8.8	19.6	-5.8
Other utilities and public services 1		215.8	217.3	11.8	3.1	4.4	4.7	7.3	4.6
Telephone services 1		174.1	175.4	12.8	2.6	2.6	3.5	7.6	3.0
Local charges 1		142.2	143.8	14.0	2.9	3.5	4.9	8.3	4.2
Interstate toll calls 1	12/77	121.5	121.5	7.2	.0	.3	-1.3	3.5	5
Intrastate toll calls 1	12/77	119.0	119.8	18.4	4.2	4.2	5.2	11.1	4.7
Water and sewerage maintenance 1		361.7	363.6	10.9	5.1	9.1	8.9	8.0	9.0
Household furnishings and operation		239.5	240.2	2.4	2.0	1.0	2.9	2.2	1.9
Housefurnishings		197.8 227.0	198.6 228.7	1.9 12.4	1.8 1.4	1.0 -2.6	2.2 1.8	1.9 6.8	1.6
Textile housefurnishings  Household linens		134.1	135.8	19.5	1.4 -12.5	-2.6	1.8	2.3	4 .6
Curtains, drapes, slipcovers, and sewing materials 1		149.6	151.1	4.8	10.6	-1.1	5.8	7.6	2.3
Furniture and bedding		220.2	220.5	2.1	5.7	.0	3.7	3.9	1.8
Bedroom furniture 1		152.9	152.6	1.1	15.3	-1.6	3.5	7.9	.9
Sofas 1		118.8	119.8	.3	5.6	-2.7	8.8	2.9	2.9
Living room chairs and tables 1	12/77	125.4	125.6	-3.6	9.9	-1.3	7.0	3.0	2.8
Other furniture	12/77	141.9	141.5	4.1	3.4	-3.9	.3	3.7	-1.8
Appliances including TV and sound equipment 1		151.2	151.0	5	8	-1.6	1.1	7	3
Television and sound equipment 1		104.9	105.0	-3.6	-3.7	-3.7	4	-3.7	-2.1
Television <sup>1</sup> Sound equipment <sup>1</sup>	10/77	99.1	98.8	-3.8	-6.5	4	-5.1	-5.2	-2.8
Household appliances 1	12/77	111.0	111.6	-3.8	-1.8	-5.9	3.7	-2.8	-1.2
Refrigerator and home freezer 1		190.3 194.0	189.2 193.0	2.4 -1.0	3.3 4.0	.4 -5.4	2.6 3.4	2.8 1.5	1.5 ~1.1
Laundry equipment 1		142.7	144.1	5.2	4.0	-5.4 -4.1	6.0	5.1	.8
Other household appliances 1	12/77	127.0	125.9	3.0	2.3	3.6	1.6	2.6	2.6
Stoves, dishwashers, vacuums, and sewing machines 1	12/77	125.9	125.8	5.4	3.0	1.6	7.0	4.2	4.3
Office machines, small electric appliances, and air conditioners 1									
all conditioners	12/77	128.3	126.2	1.3	1.3	5.5	-3.1	1.3	1.1

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

	Other	adju	onally sted exes		Seas	sonally ad percent		nnual rate or—	
Group and item	Other index base	Oct.	Nov.	3	months e	nding in	-	6 months e	ending in
		1983	1983	Feb. 1983	May 1983	Aug. 1983	Nov. 1983	May 1983	Nov. 1983
Housefurnishings—Continued:									
Other household equipment 1	12/77	141.3	142.1	3.2	-0.9	3.8	2.6	1.2	3.
Floor and window coverings, infants', laundry, cleaning, and									
outdoor equipment 1	12/77	146.5	147.3	2.0	3	3.4	8.3	.8	5.8
Clocks, lamps, and decor items 1	12/77	134.0	135.5	3.4	.3	6	10.0	1.8	4.
Tableware, serving pieces, and nonelectric kitchenware 1	12/77	145.6	146.2	3.1	-1.6	10.3	-6.6	.7	1.
Lawn equipment, power tools, and other hardware '	12/77	135.9	136.6	3.6	9	-2.6	7.3	1.3	2.
Housekeeping supplies		297.8	298.2	3.8	1.6	.5	3.3	2.7	1.
Soaps and detergents 1	40/77	295.2	296.7	9.6	6.2	1	3.2	7.9	1.
Other laundry and cleaning products 1	12/77	151.6	151.5	5.0	3.3	1.9	1.3	4.1	1.
Cleansing and toilet tissue, paper towels and napkins 1	12/77 12/77	147.8 139.5	148.2 140.9	6.1	-6.2 3.5	.3 9	.3 4.1	3 2.2	
Miscellaneous household products '	12/77	155.9	155.5	7.3	3.5	9 8	3.7	3,7	1. 1.
Lawn and garden supplies	12/77	146.9	145.8	-1.6	.3	-2.2	7.2	-,7	2
Housekeeping services 1	12///	321.6	322.3	2.1	2.7	1.6	3.8	2.4	2
Postage 1		337.5	337.5	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0	_
Moving, storage, freight, household laundry, and drycleaning		007.0	007.0	"					İ
services	12/77	167.6	168.4	5.4	2.5	3.5	15.3	4.0	9
Appliance and furniture repair 1	12/77	145.8	146.2	5.0	4.9	5.7	3.6	4.9	4
parel and upkeep		198.4	198.5	2.1	3.3	5.4	.2	2.7	2
Apparel commodities		186.2	186.0	2.0	2.9	5.1	6	2.4	2
Apparel commodities less footwear		182.7	182.5	1.8	3.4	6.1	7	2.6	2
Men's and boys'	40/77	189.1	189.8	2.6	4.6	1.5	.0	3.6	
Men's	12/77	119.0	119.4	2.8	3.4	1.7	3	3.1	١,
Suits, sport coats, and jackets	12/77 12/77	110.7 102.7	111.8 102.8	1.9	5.2 2.0	7.4 -3.1	-2.5 9.0	3.5 1.2	2
Coats and jackets  Furnishings and special clothing <sup>1</sup>	12/77	145.7	147.3	.4 .6	5.4	-3.1 .8	7.1	3.0	3
Shirts	12/77	122.9	122.6	.7	4.3	.5 -5.3	-1.6	2.4	-3
Dungarees, jeans, and trousers	12/77	112.0	112.3	3.6	2.9	-5.5 .7	-2.8	3.3	-1
Boys'	12/77	123.8	123.8	.7	7.9	3.0	.3	4.2	1
Coats, jackets, sweaters, and shirts	12/77	118.1	117.8	.4	10.0	2.8	9.0	5.1	5
Furnishings		135.1	136.8	5.6	6.4	3	3.6	6.0	1
Suits, trousers, sport coats, and jackets		124.1	123.7	-1.0	6.0	2.3	-3.8	2.5	-
Women's and girls'		165.1	163.9	.0	2.8	12.3	-2.6	1.4	4
Women's	12/77	110.0	109.0	-1.1	3.1	16.8	-4.3	1.0	5
Coats and jackets		169.3	168.9	2.9	4.9	2.4	-1.2	3,9	
Dresses		169.4	169.0	8.3	-1.0	30.7	-8.5	3.6	9
Separates and sportswear	12/77	102.4	100.1	-7.1	3.8	15.6	-3.1	-1.8	5
Underwear, nightwear, and hosiery 1	12/77	135.6	136.1	-1.8	9.6	.6	9.0	3.7	4
Suits	12/77	85.3	82.4	-14.8	-8.6	70.1	-30.0	-11.8	9
Girls'  Coats, jackets, dresses, and suits		108.8 103.1	109.4 104.1	3.0 1.2	-1.1 -21.2	-5.1 14.0	8.9 19.8	.9 -10.7	16
Separates and sportswear	12/77	103.1	104.1	6.4	17.5	-23.1	10.6	11.8	-7
Underwear, nightwear, hosiery, and accessories	12/77	128.0	127.8	-1.2	.6	1.3	-2.5	3	-′.
Infants' and toddlers'	·	289.0	288.7	6.9	2.8	1.7	10.0	4.8	5
Other apparel commodities <sup>1</sup>		215.5	216.6	1.3	3.0	2.3	.7	2.2	1
Sewing materials and notions 1	12/77	120.4	118.6	1.7	8.2	-4.2	-9.5	4.9	-6
Jewelry and luggage 1	12/77	147.4	149.2	1.4	1.4	4.5	4.7	1.4	4
Footwear		207.1	207.0	5.4	-1.0	.4	8	2.2	-
Men's	12/77	133.9	135.1	3.4	1.5	-1.2	6.5	2.4	2
Boys' and girls' 1	12/77	131.1	131.8	6.0	1.5	-4.2	4.7	3.7	
Women's	12/77	125.2	125.0	1.9	3	1.3	-5.3	.8	-2
Apparel services		295.2	297.4	2.6	5.4	6.5	5.9	4.0	6
Laundry and drycleaning other than coin operated	12/77	176.7	177.7	3.4	4.3	8.2	5.8	3.8	7
Other apparel services 1	12/77	153.8	154.5	2.7	9.4	.5	4.8	6.0	2

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

		adju	onally isted exes		Seas		justed ar change f	nnual rate or	
Group and item	Other index base	Oct.	Nov.	3	months e	nding in-	-	6 months	ending in—
		1983	1983	Feb. 1983	May 1983	Aug. 1983	Nov. 1983	May 1983	Nov. 1983
Transportation		305.9	306.4	-9.0	9.6	8.1	6.5	-0.1	7.3
Private		301.5	301.9	-9.8	10.1	8.1	6.8	3	7.4
New vehicles <sup>2</sup>		205.3	205.5	5.1	-1.0	3.8	6.3	2.0	5.0
New cars		205.9	206.0	4.9	-1.0	3.8	7.1	1.9	5.5
Used cars		348.0	350.1	11.2	8.6	18.4	21.0	9.9	19.7
Motor fuel		387.1	384.1	-35.7	31.6	9.9	-3.1	-8.0	3.2
Gasoline		387.0	383.9	-35.8	32.3	9.7	-3.4	-7.8	3.0
Automobile maintenance and repair		333.5	335.2	4.0	3.5	4.1	4.3	3.8	4.2
Body work 1	12/77	169.0	169.5	4.3	7.1	3.9	5.9	5.7	4.9
Automobile drive train, brake, and miscellaneous mechanical	40/77	4040	400.4				44.0	5.0	
repair 1		161.9	163.4	6.4	4.2	3.1	11.8	5.3	7.4
Maintenance and servicing 1		152.5 158.9	152.7 160.2	4.9 1.8	1.6 3.7	2.9 3.9	3 5.7	3.2 2.7	1.3 4.8
Power plant repair  Other private transportation 1		263.3	265.6	-1.5	-1.5	2.0	5.7 8.9	-1.5	5.4
Other private transportation commodities 1		208.1	209.2	2	-7.4	-3.7	.6	-3.9	-1.6
Motor oil, coolant, and other products '		152.7	152.9	4.0	-7.4	-3.7 -4.1	-1.6	2.4	-2.8
Automobile parts and equipment 1		131.9	132.7	9	-8.8	-3.5	-1.0	-4.9	-1.3
Tires 1		181.7	183.1	.4	-11.1	-3.6	7	-5.5	-2.1
Other parts and equipment 1		133.0	133.0	-4.1	-3.0	-3.3	4.3	-3.5	.5
Other private transportation services 1		280.5	283.1	-1.7	3	3.1	10.7	-1.0	6.8
Automobile insurance 1		309.4	312.8	12.7	7.8	2.3	13.7	10.2	7.9
Automobile finance charges 1	12/77	157.2	159.1	-27.6	-23.1	2.4	9.9	-25.4	6.0
Automobile rental, registration, and other fees 1	12/77	147.1	147.3	2.6	11.0	6.3	3.6	6.7	4.9
State registration 1		195.4	195.4	2.4	17.0	4.9	1.7	9.5	3.3
Drivers' license '	12/77	154.0	154.5	2.1	1.2	70.5	4.0	1.7	33.1
Automobile inspection 1	12/77	139.8	139.8	.3	8.3	26.0	2.3	4.2	13.5
Other automobile-related fees 1	12/77	160.2	160.5	3.1	6.0	.8	4.4	4.6	2.5
Public transportation 1		368.2	370.3	9	4.6	6.6	5.9	1.8	6.3
Airline fare 1		426.6	431.6	-5.8	5.7	9.6	10.8	2	10.2
Intercity bus fare 1		417.7	416.0	11.1	20.0	11.5	3.1	15.5	7.2
Intracity mass transit 1		324.8	324.3	4.2	2.3	3.1	.7	3.3	1.9
Taxi fare ¹Intercity train fare ¹		303.1 365.4	304.7 364.8	.9 4.1	1.2 .6	.4 14.6	3.1	1.1 2.3	1.7 7.2
Medical care		363.0	364.4	10.1	5.5	6.3	4.6	7.8	5.5
Medical care commodities		228.0	229.6	5.5	10.2	6.3	8.0	7.8	7.2
Prescription drugs		219.0	221.5	8.0	13.9	6.6	11.2	10.9	8.9
Anti-infective drugs 1	12/77	158.6	159.1	8.8	6.7	5.5	3.1	7.7	4.3
Tranquilizers and sedatives	12/77	183.7	186.9	10.9	19.7	10.4	16.8	15.2	13.5
Circulatories and diuretics 1	12/77	158.1	159.9	9.2	18.3	5.0	12.1	13.6	8.5
Hormones, diabetic drugs, biologicals, and prescription medical	10/77	200 5	205.4	7.0	40.4		450	400	
supplies		202.5	205.4	7.8	18.1	3.3	15.3	12.8	9.2
Pain and symptom control drugs <sup>1</sup>		178.7	180.5	11.7	9.1	8.1	11.4	10.4	9.7
agents	12/77	164.2	164.9	10.5	5.4	7.2	6.3	8.0	6.8
Nonprescription drugs and medical supplies 1		157.5	157.9	4.6	8.4	5.3	3.1	6.5	4.2
Eyeglasses 1		137.3	137.8	5.2	.9	3.9	4.8	3.0	4.3
Internal and respiratory over-the-counter drugs 1		256.1	256.4	5.4	9.8	6.7	2.2	7.6	4.4
Nonprescription medical equipment and supplies 1		151.8	152.7	2.5	11.1	2.7	4.6	6.7	3.6
Medical care services Professional services <sup>1</sup>		392.9	394.1	11.1	4.6	6.3	4.1	7.8	5.2
Physicians' services 1		329.7 358.5	331.7 360.5	9.5 11.8	5.6 5.4	8.1 6.4	7.2	7.5 8.6	7.6 6.5
Dental services '		310.7	312.9	6.8	5.4 6.4	11.0	6.5 8.6	6.6	6.5 9.8
Other professional services 1		155.4	155.9	9.3	3.5	5.9	5.0	6.3	5.5
Other medical care services		469.3	469.6	12.1	3.7	4.8	1.5	7.8	3.2
Hospital and other medical services		199.2	199.8	12.7	10.9	11.1	5.6	11.8	8.3
Hospital room		639.3	638.1	11.1	10.5	10.1	6.0	10.8	8.0
Other hospital and medical care services		194.5	196.1	14.7	10.2	12.2	5.7	12.4	8.9
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Table 6. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Nonfood expenditure categories, seasonally adjusted, U.S. city average —Continued

	Q.11	adju	onally sted exes		Seas	sonally ad percent		nnual rate for—	
Group and item	Other index base	Oct.	Nov.	3	months e	nding in-	_	6 months e	ending in—
		1983	1983	Feb. 1983	May 1983	Aug. 1983	Nov. 1983	May 1983	Nov. 1983
Entertainment		249.5	250.3	3.9	1.5	4.5	6.0	2.7	5.2
Entertainment commodities		250.1	250.5	2.8	.5	5.7	3.8	1.7	4.7
Reading materials 1	12/77	163.4	162.9	7.2	9.5	3.0	5.1	8.4	4.0
Newspapers 1		306.9	307.7	7.9	7.1	2.5	5.7	7.5	4.1
Magazines, periodicals, and books 1	12/77	171.7	170.2	6.7	11.8	3.9	4.3	9.2	4.1
Sporting goods and equipment	12/77	135.2	135.2	1.2	-2.4	5.9	3.0	6	4.4
Sport vehicles 1	12/77	137.3	137.8	7.1	-1.2	3.6	2.7	2.9	3.1
Indoor and warm weather sport equipment 1	12/77	118.6	118.1	2.0	.0	-5.5	-2.3	1.0	-3.9
Bicycles		199.3	199.0	-3.4	-2.2	7.3	6	-2.8	3.3
Other sporting goods and equipment <sup>1</sup>	12/77	134.0	134.5	1.8	.3	2.8	4.3	1.1	3.5
Toys, hobbies, and other entertainment		139.6	140.2	1.5	9	3.8	3.5	.3	3.7
Toys, hobbies, and music equipment		137.7	137.9	.3	-1.7	3.0	1.8	7	2.4
Photographic supplies and equipment		132.3	133.0	5.3	-4.8	2.5	5.6	.2	4.0
Pet supplies and expense 1	12/77	148.5	148.8	4.3	.6	6.8	3.6	2.4	5.2
Entertainment services 1	12///	249.2	250.5	5.8	2.7	3.0	9.3	4.2	6.1
Fees for participant sports 1	12/77	155.6	156.4	4.4	.5	3.8	11.5	2.4	7.6
Admissions	12/77	146.2	147.2	8.7	7.0	4.3	8.6	7.9	6.4
Other entertainment services <sup>1</sup>	12/77	132.6	133.3	1.5	5.0	-6.2	11.2	3.3	2.1
Other goods and services		293.9	295.8	13.7	5.8	10.0	5.3	9.7	7.6
Tobacco products 1		299.0	299.9	31.7	3.6	18.6	3.0	16.8	10.5
Cigarettes <sup>1</sup>		307.4	308.2	33.5	3.5	19.9	2.8	17.5	11.0
Other tobacco products and smoking accessories	12/77	151.2	153.3	14.4	1.9	4.6	7.4	8.0	6,0
Personal care 1		263.3	265.6	5.8	2.5	4.2	5.4	4.1	4.8
Toilet goods and personal care appliances 1		263.0	265.7	4.0	4.1	5.2	5.9	4.1	5.6
Products for the hair, hairpieces, and wigs 1	12/77	152.7	154.5	5	7.5	5.4	4.5	3.4	5.0
Dental and shaving products 1	12/77	163.1	166.7	5.5	4.9	-2.9	17.8	5.2	6.9
Cosmetics, bath and nail preparations, manicure and eye		1							
makeup implements 1	12/77	147.7	148.9	11.5	-1.4	10.0	.8	4.9	5.3
Other toilet goods and small personal care appliances 1	12/77	150.5	150.5	-1.6	7.4	6.1	4.4	2.8	5.2
Personal care services 1		264.6	266.6	7.4	1.1	3.4	5.1	4.2	4.3
Beauty parlor services for females 1		267.5	269.8	8.8	.2	3.1	5.0	4.4	4.0
Haircuts and other barber shop services for males 1	12/77	146.8	147.5	4.9	2.8	4.2	5.3	3.9	4.8
Personal and educational expenses		341.3	343.8	10.9	11.3	9.9	6.8	11.1	8.3
School books and supplies		302.4	305.1	11.8	11.4	10.5	2.7	11.6	6.5
Personal and educational services		350.4	352.9	10.7	11.2	9.8	7.5	11.0	8.6
Tuition and other school fees	12/77	176.5	178.3	9.1	11.3	8.7	8.5	10.2	8.6
College tuition		176.5	178.2	8.6	11.0	9.7	8.5	9.8	9.1
Elementary and high school tuition	12/77	177.0	178.5	10.9	12.4	4.9	7.7	11.7	6.3
Personal expenses		193.4	194.6	13.2	12.8	10.6	10.5	13.0	10.5
Special indexes:									
Motor fuel, motor oil, coolant and other products		382.4	379.4	-35.0	30.6	9.5	-2.9	-7.9	3.1
Utilities and public transportation		340.3	343.1	8.1	5.9	2.4	4.3	7.0	3.3
Housekeeping and home maintenance services 1		363.4	364.2	.3	3.5	2.1	4.6	1.9	3.4

Not seasonally adjusted.

of September 1982. NOTE: Index applies to a month as a whole, not to any specific date.

New series; includes direct pricing of new trucks and motorcycles as

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

Group	Relative importance, December	Unadjuste	d indexes	percent d	justed change to 3 from—	Seasonally adjusted percent change from—			
	1982	Oct. 1983	Nov. 1983	Nov. 1982	Oct. 1983	Aug. to Sept.	Sept. to Oct.	Oct. to Nov	
				Expenditur	e category			•	
NII itama	100.000	301.3	301.4	2.8	0.0	0.4	0.4	0.1	
All items	1	350.5	350.6	2.0	0.0	0.4	0.4	0.1	
		285.9	285.6	2.2	1	.4	.5		
Food and beverages		292.9	292.6	2.2	1	.3	.5	.1	
Food	1	281.3	280.5	1.1	3	.2	.4	1	
Food at home				3.6	1		.1	1	
Cereals and bakery products 1		292.6	294.3	-2.8	.6	1			
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs		256.6	256.1		2	6	.1	2	
Dairy products 1		249.2	249.3	1.1	.0	.0	1	.0	
Fruits and vegetables		292.7	285.1	5.1	-2.6	2.0	1.7	-1.3	
Other food at home		343.5	344.2	2.7	.2	.6	.4	.3	
Sugar and sweets 1		375.3	375.7	1.5	.1	.1	2	.1	
Fats and oils 1		271.2	275.5	6.6	1.6	2.7	2.5	1.6	
Nonalcoholic beverages		438.4	437.3	2.2	3	.4	.9	.0	
Other prepared foods 1		278.2	279.4	2.8	.4	.3	4	.4	
Food away from home		327.2	328.0	4.3	.2	.5	.7	.4	
Alcoholic beverages		221.8	221.5	4.0	1	1.0	.3	.2	
Housing		325.2	324.5	1.5	2	.3	.1	.1	
Shelter		347.6	347.1	1.2	1	.3	.1	1	
Rent, residential 1	1	239.8	240.7	4.8	.4	.5	.4	.4	
Other rental costs		359.3	357.3	6.5	6	1.2	.5	.6	
Homeownership		385.9	384.9	.3	3	.2	.0	2	
Home purchase 1		301.3	300.0	3.3	4	2	7	4	
Financing, taxes, and insurance 1		500.6	499.2	-3.0	3	.7	.1	3	
Maintenance and repairs		348.1	349.1	4.2	.3	3	1.5	.7	
Maintenance and repair services  Maintenance and repair	2.322	392.5	393.3	5.2	.2	-,1	2.1	.7	
commodities 1	857	254.7	255.9	1.7	.5	9	2	.5	
Fuel and other utilities		375.7	372.8	2.5	8	.6	1	.7	
Fuels		474.0	467.8	1.3	-1.3	.7	2	.8	
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas		627.2	626.4	-9.7	-,1	1.9	.4	6	
Gas (piped) and electricity	1	434.5	427.5	5.1	-1.6	.4	4	1.2	
Other utilities and public services 1		216.9	218.4	6.1	-1.0	.2	.2	.7	
Household furnishings and operation		236.2	236.7	2.1	.,	.3	.2	.3	
Housefurnishings		196.0	196.4	1.8	.2	.2	.2	.3	
Housekeeping supplies		293.6	293.9	2.4	.1	.2	.3	.3	
Housekeeping services 1		321.7	322.3	2.7	.1	. <u>2</u> .5	.3	.2	
Apparel and upkeep		199.8	199.7	2.7	ے. 11	.5 .2	.1	.2	
• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	1	188.4	188.2	2.7		.1		.3	
Apparel commodities		192.5		2.4	1 .5		.1	.5	
Men's and boys' apparel			193.4			.2	1	5	
Women's and girls' apparel		170.4 299.9	168.6	2.9 4.4	-1.1	2 1.9	.7	5 6	
Infants' and toddlers' apparel 1			298.1		6		.7		
Cother appeal commodition 1		208.1	209.1	1.2	.5	.0	3	.2	
Other apparel commodities 1		204.0	205.2	1.9	.6	.6	9	.6	
Apparel services	.649	292.6	294.3	5.0	.6	.4	.3	1.0	

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

Transportation	20.188 3.614	Oct. 1983	Nov. 1983	Nov. 1982	Oct. 1983	Aug. to	Sept. to	Oot to No.
Private transportation	20.188 3.614	206.0		•		Sept.	Oct.	Oct. to Nov
Private transportation	20.188 3.614	200.0		Expenditur	e category			
Private transportation	20.188 3.614	306.9	308.2	3.7	0.4	0.9	0.7	0.1
New vehicles <sup>2</sup>	3.614	303.6	304.9	3.7	.4	.9	.7	.1
		203.3	205.0	3.3	.8	1.0	.4	.0
	3.084	203.8	205.7	3.5	.9	1.1	.5	.0
Used cars		350.4	356.1	14.7	1.6	2.0	2.2	.5
Motor fuel		384.3	380.2	-2.4	-1.1	.6	5	8
Gasoline		384.3	380.1	-2.4	-1.1	.5	5	8
Maintenance and repair		334.1	335.6	3.9	.4	.5	.2	.4
Other private transportation 1		264.4	266.6	1.4	.8	.3	1.0	.8
Other private trans. commodities 1		210.7	200.0	-2.8	.8 .5	.3 1	1	.8
Other private trans. commodities	3.567	281.1	283.7		.9			.9
Other private trans. services	3.307			2.2	9	.4	1.2	
Public transportation 1		358.5	359.9	3.4		.4	.4	.4
Medical care		360.9	362.9	6.8	.6	.4	.4	.5
Medical care commodities		227.8	229.1	7.4	.6	.6	.7	.9
Medical care services		390.2	392.3	6.7	.5	.4	.3	.4
Professional services 1		330.1	332.0	7.7	.6	.5	.6	.6
Other medical care services		465.6	467.9	5.8	.5	.3	.0	.2 .2
Entertainment	3.444	245.4	245.7	4.1	.1	.3	.7	.2
Entertainment commodities	2.171	243.7	243.4	3.4	1	2	.7	.1
Entertainment services 1	1.273	249.7	251.0	5.3	.5	1.0	.8	.5
Other goods and services	4.289	294.1	295.5	9.1	.5	1	.7	.7
Tobacco products 1	1.456	298.8	299.7	13.8	.3	.1	.3	.3
Personal care 1	1.655	261.5	263.7	4.6	.8	.3	.2	.8
Toilet goods and personal care	1				1		1	
appliances 1	.816	263.9	266.6	4.9	1.0	.2	.3	1.0
Personal care services 1	.839	259.6	261.4	4.3	.7	.5	.1	.7
Personal and educational expenses		352.4	352.9	9,8	;i	8	1.7	.8
School books and supplies		312.9	313.0	9.1	.0	.2	4	.9
Personal and educational services		362.0	362.6	9.9		-1.0	2.1	.8
reisonal and educational services	1.000	302.0	302.0	3.3	ء.	-1,0		
				commodity an	d service grou	1Þ		
All items	100,000	301.3	301.4	2.8	0.0	0.4	0.4	0.1
Commodities		276.1	276.2	3.0	.0	.4	.3	0.
Food and beverages		285.9	285.6	2.2	1	.4	.5	.1
Commodities less food and beverages		267.3	267.5	3.3	1	.4	.2	
Nondurables less food and beverages	18.286	277.4	276.6	1.2	3	.4	2	3
Apparel commodities	3.881	188.4	188.2	2.4	1	.1	.1	5
Nondurables less food, beverages,		100.4	100.2	2.4	1			
and apparel 1	. 14.404	325.9	324.8	.9	3	.0	3	3
Durables		257.7	258.7	5.1	.4	.4	.1	.4
Services	. 40.434	348.1	348.2	2.6	.0	.5	.4	.4
Rent, residential 1		239.8	240.7	4.8	.4	.5	.4	.4
Household services less rent		414.8	413.2	.7	4	.5	.3	.3
Transportation services		303.9	306.0	2.9	.7	.4	.8	.7
Medical care services		390.2	392.3	6.7	.5	.4	.3	.4
Other services		282.2	283.6	6.3	.5	.2	.9	.7

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

Group	Relative Unadjusted indexes importance, December			Unad percent o Nov. 198		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—					
	1982	Oct. 1983	Nov. 1983	Nov. 1982	Oct. 1983	Aug. to Sept.	Sept. to Oct.	Oct. to Nov			
	Commodity and service group										
Special indexes:											
All items less food	82.036	302.1	302.3	3.0	0.1	0.5	0.3	0.2			
All items less shelter	71.340	287.5	287.8	3.5	.1	.5	.5	.3			
All items less mortgage interest costs	90.633	288.1	288.3	3.7	.1	.3	.3	.3			
All items less home purchase and							ĺ	1			
mortgage interest costs	81.919	286.8	287.2	3.7	.1	.5	.4	.3			
All items less medical care	95.325	298.2	298.2	2.7	.0	.4	.3	.1			
Commodities less food	41.602	265.1	265.3	3.4	.1	.5	.2	.0			
Nondurables less food 1	19.334	272.3	271.5	1.3	3	.4	2	3			
Nondurables less food and apparel 1	15.452	311.9	310.9	1.1	3	.0	3	3			
Nondurables		282.7	282.1	1.7	2	.4	.4	.1			
Services less rent		368.8	368.8	2.3	.0	.4	.4	.4			
Services less medical care 1		341.3	341.3	2.2	.0	.6	.3	.0			
Energy <sup>3</sup>		425.8	420.8	7	-1.2	.6	3	.0			
All items less energy	88.480	291.3	291.8	3.3	.2	.4	.4	.2			
All items less food and energy		289.5	290.3	3.6	.3	.4	.4				
Commodities less food and energy		247.1	247.8	4.9	.3	.4	.3	.1			
Energy commodities		419.6	415.8	-3.7	9	.8	3	8			
Services less energy	36.408	340.8	341.6	2.4	.2	.5	.5	.3			
Purchasing power of the consumer dollar:											
1967=\$1.00 1	-	\$.332	\$.332	-2.6	.0	6	.0	.0			
1957-59=\$1.00 <sup>1</sup>	i -	.285	.285	_	- '	_	-	-			

<sup>Not seasonally adjusted.

New series; includes direct pricing of new trucks and motorcycles as of September 1982.</sup> 

Excludes motor oil, coolant, and other products as of January 1983. 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

	Sea	sonally ad	justed ind	lexes	Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for—						
Group	Aug. 1983	Sept. 1983	Oct. 1983	Nov. 1983	3	months e	6 months ending in-				
					Feb. 1983	May 1983	Aug. 1983	Nov. 1983	May 1983	Nov. 1983	
	Expenditure category										
All items	_	_	_	-	-1.9	5.4	4.1	3.8	1.7	4.0	
Food and beverages	284.6	285.6	286.9	287.2	.4	5.4	7	3.7	2.9	1.5	
Food	291.7	292.7	294.1	294.4	.0	5.5	-1.0	3.8	2.7	1.4	
Food at home	280.8	281.5	282.6	282.4	9	6.2	-2.9	2.3	2.6	4	
Cereals and bakery products 1	292.5	292.3	292.6	294.3	4.7	4.0	3.2	2.5	4.3	2.8	
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	258.8	257.2	257.5	257.0	-2.0	3.9	<del>-9</del> .2	-2.8	.9	-6.0	
Dairy products 1	249.4	249.4	249.2	249.3	3.9	.8	3	2	2.4	2	
Fruits and vegetables	289.6	295.4	300.5	296.7	-13.6	29.9	-1.5	10.2	6.0	4.2	
Other food at home	339.8	341.8	343.3	344.5	3.8	1.7	.2	5.6	2.7	2.9	
Sugar and sweets 1	375.7	376.2	375.3	375.7	.5	2.5	3.0	.0	1.5	1.5	
Fats and oils 1	257.8	264.7	271.2	275.5	6	.2	6	30.4	2	13.8	
Nonalcoholic beverages	432.1	434.0	438.0	438.2	2.3	.7	.1	5.8	1.5	2.9	
Other prepared foods 1	278.5	279.4	278.2	279.4	7.4	2.9	4	1.3	5.1	.4	
Food away from home	324.0	325.7	327.9	329.3	2.9	4.1	3.4	6.7	3.5	5.0	
Alcoholic beverages	219.0	221.1	221.8	222.2	4.4	4.1	1.5	6.0	4.3	3.7	
Housing	323.7	324.8	325.0	325.4	-3.0	4.0	3.3	2.1	.4	2.7	
Shelter	346.4	347.3	347.6	347.3	-4.8	4.8	4.1	1.0	1	2.6	
Rent, residential 1	237.6	238.9	239.8	240.7	5.0	3.7	5.2	5.3	4.3	5.3	
Other rental costs	352.6	356.8	358.6	360.9	-1.2	9.6	8.1	9.8	4.1	8.9	
Homeownership	385.2	385.9	385.9	385.1	-6.9	5.0	3.8	1	-1.1	1.8	
Home purchase 1	304.1	303.4	301.3	300.0	4.6	14.6	.3	-5.3	9.5	-2.6	
Financing, taxes, and insurance 1	496.6	500.0	500.6	499.2	-16.9	-1.8	6.3	2.1	-9.7	4.2	
Maintenance and repairs	344.0	343.0	348.1	350.4	8.	2.6	5.8	7.7	1.7	6.7	
Maintenance and repair services	384.7	384.3	392.5	395.3	4	3.0	6.8	11.5	1.3	9.1	
Maintenance and repair										ı	
commodities 1	257.5	255.2	254.7	255.9	4.7	1.7	3.0	-2.5	3.2	.2	
Fuel and other utilities	372.7	374.9	374.7	377.4	2	2.2	2.6	5.1	1.0	3.9	
Fuels	469.6	473.0	472.1	475.7	-3.2	1.7	2.0	5.3	8	3.6	
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas	625.9	637.7	640.0	635.9	-30.8	-11.4	2.0	6.5	-21.7	4.3	
Gas (piped) and electricity	429.7	431.4	429.8	434.9	7.4	6.0	2.0	4.9	6.7	3.4	
Other utilities and public services 1	215.9	216.4	216.9	218.4	11.5	3.4	4.8	4.7	7.4	4.7	
Household furnishings and operation	235.2	235.9	236.4	237.1	2.6	1.9	.9	3.3	2.3	2.1	
Housefurnishings		195.6	196.0	196.6	2.3	1.7	.6	2.7	2.0	1.6	
Housekeeping supplies	293.0	293.7	294.5	295.4	3.5	1.9	.8	3.3	2.7	2.1	
Housekeeping services 1	319.1	320.8	321.7	322.3	2.4	2.4	2.0	4.1	2.4	3.0	
Apparel and upkeep	197.0	197.3	197.5	198.0	.8	4.2	4.4	2.0	2.5	3.2	
Apparel commodities	185.5	185.7	185.9	186.0	.7	3.8	4.2	1.1	2.2	2.6	
Men's and boys' apparel		189.8	189.7	190.7	1.9	4.1	.6	2.8	3.0	1.7	
Women's and girls' apparel	166.1	165.7	166.9	166.1	-2.9	5.4	10.0	.0	1.1	4.9	
Infants' and toddlers' apparel 1		297.9	299.9	298.1	5.7	1.9	1.9	8.2	3.8	5.0	
Footwear		207.4	206.7	207.2	4.6	4	1.0	4	2.1	.3	
Other apparel commodities 1	204.6	205.9	204.0	205.2	.6	3.2	2.6	1.2	1.9	1.9	
Apparel services	291.0	292.1	292.9	295.8	2.4	6.1	5.0	6.8	4.2	5.9	

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

	Sea	sonally ad	ljusted ind	exes	Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for—							
Group	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov. 1983	3 months ending in—				6 months ending in-			
	1983	1983	1983		Feb. 1983	May 1983	Aug. 1983	Nov. 1983	May 1983	Nov. 1983		
	Expenditure category											
Transportation	303.1	305.8	307.9	308.2	-9.1	9.9	8.2	6.9	-0.1	7.5		
Private transportation		302.6	304.6	304.9	-9.9	10.3	8.4	7.0	3	7.7		
New vehicles <sup>2</sup>		204.0	204.9	204.8	5.1	-1.6	3.6	5.9	1.7	4.8		
New cars		204.3	205.4	205.5	5.1	-1.4	3.6	6.9	1.8	5.3		
Used cars		340.5	348.0	349.8	11.0	8.6	18.8	20.6	9.8	19.7		
Motor fuel		390.8	389.0	386.0	-36.0	32.8	9.4	-2.6	-7.8	3.2		
Gasoline		390.8	389.0	385.9	-36.0	33.2	9.4	-2.0 -2.9	-7.7	3.1		
Maintenance and repair		333.7	334.4	335.9	3.6	3.5	3.6	4.8	3.6	4.2		
Other private transportation 1		261.8	264.4	266.6	-2.7	-2.3	2.3	8.7	-2.5	5.5		
Other private transportation		210.9	210.7	211.7	6	-7.3	-3.9	1.0	-4.0	-1.5		
Other private trans. services '		277.8	281.1	283.7	-3.3	-1.2	3.5	10.4	-2.2	6.9		
Public transportation 1		357.2	358.5	359.9	6	4.1	5.2	4.8	1.7	5.0		
		359.6	360.9	362.6	10.8	5.2	6.5	5.1	7.9	5.8		
Medical care		1	I .	1	5.7	8.5	6.3			7.7		
Medical care commodities		226.7	228.3	230.3				9.2	7.1	7.7 5.5		
Medical care services		388.9	390.0	391.5	11.8	4.4	6.7	4.3	8.1			
Professional services 1		328.0	330.1	332.0	9.8	5.6	8.4	6.9	7.7	7.6		
Other medical care services		465.3	465.1	466.0	13.2	3.5	5.0	1.9	8.2	3.4		
Entertainment		244.1	245.9	246.5	4.3	1.9	5.1	5.2	3.1	5.1		
Entertainment commodities		242.6	244.4	244.6	3.4	1.2	6.3	2.7	2.3	4.5		
Entertainment services 1		247.8	249.7	251.0	5.8	2.8	3.2	9.4	4.3	6.3		
Other goods and services		290.1	292.0	293.9	15.2	5.4	10.9	5.1	10.2	7.9		
Tobacco products 1		297.8	298.8	299.7	31.8	3.7	19.1	3.0	16.9	10.7		
Personal care 1	260.1	260.9	261.5	263.7	5.5	2.8	4.4	5.7	4.2	5.0		
Toilet goods and personal care		1		)					i I			
appliances 1		263.0	263.9	266.6	4.3	4.0	5.2	6.2	4.1	5.7		
Personal care services 1		259.3	259.6	261.4	6.7	1.6	3.8	5.2	4.1	4.5		
Personal and educational expenses		337.3	343.2	345.8	11.0	11.5	10.0	6.9	11.2	8.4		
School books and supplies		308.0	306.8	309.6	11.8	11.3	11.0	2.9	11.5	6.9		
Personal and educational services	348.4	345.0	352.1	354.8	10.8	11.5	9.9	7.6	11.1	8.7		
		Commodity and service group										
				Γ								
All items					-1.9	5.4	4.1	3.8	1.7	4.0		
Commodities		275.9	276.7	276.7	-1.8	7.7	3.6	2.8	2.8	3.2		
Food and beverages		285.6	286.9	287.2	.4	5.4	7	3.7	2.9	1.5		
Commodities less food and beverages		267.1	267.6	267.5	-2.9	8.8	5.8	2.3	2.8	4.0		
Nondurables less food and beverages <sup>1</sup>		277.9	277.4	276.6	-9.0	9.9	5.4	4	.0	2.4		
Apparel commodities Nondurables less food, beverages,	185.5	185.7	185.9	186.0	.7	3.8	4.2	1.1	2.2	2.6		
and apparel 1		327.0	325.9	324.8	-9.1	10.0	6.4	-2.7	.0	1.7		
Durables		256.2	256.4	257.4	7.0	6.2	3.4	3.5	6.6	3.4		
Services		345.9	347.4	348.8	-2.1	2.1	5.0	5.3	.0	5.2		
Rent, residential 1	237.6	238.9	239.8	240.7	5.0	3.7	5.2	5.3	4.3	5.3		
Household services less rent		412.8	413.9	415.0	-7.2	1.2	5.1	4.3	-3.1	4.7		
Transportation services	300.3	301.6	304.0	306.1	9	.9	3.8	8.0	.0	5.9		
Medical care services	387.4	388.9	390.0	391.5	11.8	4.4	6.7	4.3	8.1	5.5		
Other services	277.0	277.6	280.1	282.1	6.5	5.3	5.4	7.6	5.9	6.5		

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

	Seasonally adjusted indexes				Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for—						
Group	Aug. 1983	Sept. 1983	Oct. 1983	Nov. 1983	3	months e	6 months ending in-				
					Feb. 1983	May 1983	Aug. 1983	Nov. 1983	May 1983	Nov. 1983	
	Commodity and service group										
Special indexes:											
All items less food	299.7	301.1	302.0	302.5	-2.2	5.5	5.4	3.8	1.6	4.6	
All items less shelter	285.0	286.4	287.7	288.5	6	5.7	4.2	5.0	2.5	4.6	
All items less mortgage interest costs	286.0	286.9	287.8	288.6	1.2	6.6	3.1	3.7	3.8	3.4	
All items less home purchase and									1		
mortgage interest costs	284.4	285.7	286.8	287.8	1	5.3	4.6	4.9	2.5	4.7	
All items less medical care	296.0	297.3	298.3	298.7	-2.3	5.5	4.0	3.7	1.5	3.9	
Commodities less food	263.7	264.9	265.4	265.3	-2.8	8.8	5.5	2.4	2.8	4.0	
Nondurables less food 1	271.7	272.8	272.3	271.5	-8.2	9.8	5.0	3	.4	2.3	
Nondurables less food and apparel 1		312.8	311.9	310.9	-8.1	9.8	6.0	-2.3	.5	1.8	
Nondurables	281.5	282.5	283.6	283.8	-6.6	7.9	2.5	3.3	.4	2.9	
Services less rent	364.8	366.4	368.0	369.5	-3.2	2.0	5.1	5.3	6	5.2	
Services less medical care 1	338.1	340.2	341.3	341.3	-3.3	2.8	5.6	3.8	3	4.7	
Energy <sup>3</sup>		429.1	427.7	427.5	-22.7	16.9	5.8	1.0	-4.9	3.4	
All items less energy		290.0	291.2	291.8	` 1.3	4.0	4.0	4.2	2.6	4.1	
All items less food and energy		288.0	289.2	289.8	1.7	3.6	5.3	4.3	2.7	4.8	
Commodities less food and energy	245.1	246.0	246.7	247.0	5.9	5.8	5.0	3.1	5.9	4.1	
Energy commodities	423.3	426.6	425.3	422.1	-35.9	24.0	8.0	-1.1	-10.9	3.4	
Services less energy	337.1	338.7	340.5	341.5	-3.1	1.7	5.4	5.3	7	5.4	

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Not seasonally adjusted.

New series; includes direct pricing of new trucks and motorcycles as of September 1982.

Excludes motor oil, coolant, and other products as of January 1983. 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

Group and item	Other index	Unadjuste	ed indexes	Unadj percent d Nov. 198	hange to	Seasonally adjusted percent change from—			
	base	Oct. 1983	Nov. 1983	Nov. 1982	Oct. 1983	Aug. to Sept.	Sept. to Oct.	Oct. to Nov.	
od and beverages		285.9	285.6	2.2	-0.1	0.4	0.5	0.	
ood		292.9	292.6	2.1	1	.3	.5		
Food at home		281.3	280.5	1.1	3	.2	.4		
Cereals and bakery products 1		292.6	294.3	3.6	.6	1	.1		
Cereal and cereal products	12/77	158.8	158.6	2.9	1	.3	.0		
Flour and prepared flour mixes	12/77	141.9	141.3	1.3	4	5	5		
Cereal 1		179.8	179.4	5.9	2	.1	.1		
Rice, pasta, and cornmeal 1		146.6	147.2	1	.4	.2	3		
Bakery products 1		153.5	154.8	3.8	.8	1	.3		
White bread <sup>1</sup>		250.0	252.7	4.2	1.1	1	.6	1.	
Other bread 1	12/77	151.8	154.1	3.1	1.5	2	1	1.	
Fresh biscuits, rolls, and muffins 1		150.6	151.7	3.3	.7	6	1.3	' :	
Fresh cakes and cupcakes 1		154.5	156.2	5.0	1.1	0	1.5	1.	
Cookies		156.8	158.4	2.5	1.0	.3	-1.1	1.	
Crackers and bread and cracker products 1		149.1	149.2	3.2		-2.2	3	1	
Fresh sweetrolls, coffeecake, and donuts 1	12/77	158.5	159.6	4.8	.1 .7	.4	1		
Frozen and refrigerated bakery products and fresh pies, tarts, and turnovers '	12/77	154.9	154.0	3.6	6	1.2	.4		
		-					•		
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs		256.6	256.1	-2.8	2	6	.1		
Meats, poultry, and fish		261.4	260.2	-3.8	5	8	2		
Meats		260.0	258.1	-5.5	7	-1.1	.0		
Beef and veal	İ	266.7	266.1	-2.3	2	9	1.0		
Ground beef other than canned		252.1	252.5	-4.4	.2	5	3	-	
Chuck roast	1	273.1	274.0	-5.6	.3	7	.0		
Round roast		237.2	238.1	-2.5	.4	-1.0	2.3	1.	
Round steak		250.9	248.6	-2.5	9	-1.0	2.3	-1	
Sirloin steak		270.1	266.9	2.4	-1.2	-1.2	.9		
Other beef and veal	12/77	162.6	161.8	4	5	6	.9		
Pork		246.0	240.7	-12.0	-2.2	-1.6	-1.6	-1	
Bacon		266.4	256.8	-15.5	-3.6	-1.8	-2.5	-2	
Chops		225.6	220.3	-10.8	-2.3	-2.2	5	_	
Ham other than canned	12/77	108.8	106.4	-14.3	-2.2	-1.1	-1.9	-3	
Sausage¹		308.4	305.9	-9.6	8	-1.0	-1.2	_	
Canned ham		257.7	254.3	-7.5	-1.3	8	-2.8	-1	
Other pork <sup>1</sup>		133.9	131.1	-11.8	-2.1	.3	-3.1	-2	
Other meats 1	,,	262.0	262.4	-3.4	.2	8	2	_	
Frankfurters 1		259.7	258.8	-5.5	3	-2.7	.4	ļ _	
Bologna, liverwurst, and salami 1		152.8	152.8	-2.3	.0	3	1		
Other lunchmeats 1		133.3	133.9	-3.7	.5	2	7	1	
Lamb and organ meats '		136.8	137.8	-3.7 5	.5	2	1		
Poultry 1		197.6	199.7	5.1	1.1	2.1	-2.5	1	
Fresh whole chicken <sup>1</sup>		196.7	205.1	9.4	4.3	3.6	-2.5 -5.1	4	
Fresh and frozen chicken parts 1		130.5	132.1	7.0	1.2	3.3	-2.8	1	
Other poultry 1		125.5	120.3	-3.5	-4.1	-1.9	2.3	-4	
Fish and seafood		372.0	373.4	2.2		-1.9	.8	1	
Canned fish and seafood 1					.4	8 -1.5		_	
		132.9	132.1	-4.6	6	1	4	1	
Fresh and frozen fish and seafood		147.1	148.5	6.4	1.0	2	1.4	1	
Eggs	1	201.0	209.3	18.8	4.1	2.1	5.3	-	

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

Group and item	Other index	Unadjust	Unadjusted indexes		usted hange to 3 from—	Seasonally adjusted percent change from			
	base	Oct. 1983	Nov. 1983	Nov. 1982	Oct. 1983	Aug. to Sept.	Sept. to Oct.	Oct. to Nov.	
Dairy products <sup>1</sup>		249.2	249.3	1.1	0.0	0.0	-0.1	0.0	
Fresh milk and cream			135.3	.5	.1	3	3	1	
Fresh whole milk	II	220.9	221.2	.5	.1	1	4	2	
Other fresh milk and cream 1			135.8	.7	1	3	.1	1	
Processed dairy products		149.4	149.5	1.8	.1	.5	1	3	
Butter		258.7	257.4	.9	5	-1.0	.5	5	
Cheese			147.1	1.6	.1	.1	1	2	
Ice cream and related products 1			154.2	1.8	.1	1.3	.3	.1	
Other dairy products 1			146.1	3.3	.2	.0	5	.2	
Fruits and vegetables		292.7	285.1	5.1	-2.6	2.0	1.7	-1.3	
Fresh fruits and vegetables		298.9	283.4	8.6	-5.2	2.9	2.9	-2.6	
Fresh fruits		293.4	269.3	-2.2	-8.2	1.4	.9	-1.5	
Apples		273.8	267.3	11.4	-2.4	19.4	-2.2	2.3	
Bananas		270.3	230.7	-4.6	~14.7	-7.6	.3	-15.9	
Oranges		271.3	279.3	-22.5	2.9	-3.3	-11.4	6.1	
Other fresh fruits	12/77		142.9	3.9	-13.2	-3.3	11.2	-4.2	
Fresh vegetables		303.9	296.2	19.4	-2.5	6.3	4.1	-4.2	
Potatoes		311.7	300.1	27.2	-3.7	11.6	.9	-3.5	
Lettuce 1		360.9	330.0	27.0	-8.6	15.0	6.7	-8.6	
Tomatoes '		246.8	246.9	.1	.0	6.0	14.2	.0	
Other fresh vegetables			162.3	18.4	.4	.1	3.1	-4.1	
Processed fruits and vegetables 1		288.2	289.5	1.5	.5	.2	1 .1	.5	
Processed fruits		<b>I</b>	150.8	.9	.3	.5	.0	.3	
Frozen fruit and fruit juices	ľ		142.6	-1.5	.9	.8	1	.8	
Fruit juices other than frozen		1	154.6	1.3	.4	.2	.2	.3	
Canned and dried fruits 1			153.5	2.5	.1	.3	6	.1	
Processed vegetables 1			140.7 153.4	2.1	.5 .9	.2 4	.4	.5 .9	
Frozen vegetables 1			140.8	1.7	.9	4 1	-1.2 .5	.9	
Other canned and dried vegetables 1			134.5	2.2	.2	.8	1.2	.2	
Other foods at home		343.5	344.2	2.7	.2	.6	.4	.3	
Sugar and sweets 1	<b>F</b>	375.3	375.7	1.5	.1	.1	2	.1	
Candy and chewing gum			151.8	1.5	.1	.3	.2	.5	
Sugar and artificial sweeteners 1		170.8	171.7	3.1	.5	.4	5	.5	
Other sweets 1		150.1	149.5	5	4	1	3	4	
Fats and oils1		271.2	275.5	6.6	1.6	2.7	2.5	1.6	
Margarine 1		262.6	267.1	4.0	1.7	.9	2.1	1.7	
Nondairy substitutes and peanut butter 1	12/77	149.8	150.1	1	.2	6	1.8	.2	
Other fats, oils, and salad dressings 1	12/77		144.5	10.9	2.1	5.0	2.9	2.1	
Nonalcoholic beverages		438.4	437.3	2.2	3	.4	.9	.0	
Cola drinks, excluding diet cola		314.7	313.2	2.3	5	.4	1.1	2	
Carbonated drinks, including diet cola			147.5	3.6	8	.8	2.4	4	
Roasted coffee 1		347.6	350.2	-1.3	.7	7	2	.7	
Freeze dried and instant coffee 1		349.3	351.6	2.3	.7	-1.1	.5	.7	
Other noncarbonated drinks			142.1	2.2	1	8.	.4	1	
Other prepared foods 1		278.2	279.4	2.8 3.9	.4	.3	4	.4	
Canned and packaged soupFrozen prepared foods 1	12/77 12/77		143.9 155.7	4.4	.5 1.3	1 .5	.6 8	1.3	
Snacks 1			160.7	3.5	1	.5	6 7	1	
Seasonings, olives, pickles, and relish			159.9	2.4	.8	.6	1	1	
Other condiments			157.2	2.5	4	.3	.3	.1	
Miscellaneous prepared foods 1			153.0	1.8	.7	.5	3	.7	
Other canned and packaged prepared foods			148.2	1.2	.5	.8	5	.6	
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Table 9. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers: Food expenditure categories, U.S. city average —Continued

Group and item	Other index	Nov 1983 from—				Sept. to Oct.  0.7 .6 .5 1.1 .3 .2		
	base	Oct. 1983	Nov. 1983	Nov. 1982	Oct. 1983	Aug. to Sept.		Oct. to Nov.
Food away from home		327.2	328.0	4.3	0.2	0.5	0.7	0.4
Lunch	12/77	158.3	158.7	3.6	.3	.6	.6	.3
Dinner	12/77	157.2	157.9	4.3	.4	.6	.5	.6
Other meals and snacks	12/77	161.2	161.2	5.2	.0	1	1.1	.3
Alcoholic beverages		221.8	221.5	4.0	1	1.0	.3	.2
Alcoholic beverages at home	12/77	143.4	143.0	4.0	3	1.0	.2	1
Beer and ale		225.3	225.2	6.4	.0	1.0	.3	.4
Whiskey 1		154.0	153.4	1.5	4	1.4	1	4
Wine 1		245.5	242.3	6	-1.3	.5	.7	-1.3
Other alcoholic beverages 1	12/77	122.2	121.5	.9	6	1	1	6
Alcoholic beverages away from home	12/77	149.8	150.9	4.2	.7	.5	.4	1.1
Special indexes:								
Domestically produced farm food 1		267.4	266.7	.9	3	.0	3	3
Selected beef cuts 1		266.7	266.4	-2.5	1	-1.0	8	1
Imported food and fishery products		137.4	136.8	2.0	4	1	.9	1

Not seasonally adjusted.

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

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Group and item	Other index base	Oct.	Nov.	3	months e	ending in-	_	6 months	ending in—
		1983	1983	Feb. 1983	May 1983	Aug. 1983	Nov. 1983	May 1983	Nov. 1983
Food and beverages		286.9	287.2	0.4	5.4	-0.7	3.7	2.9	1.5
Food		294.1	294.4	.0	5.5	-1.0	3.8	2.7	1.4
Food at home		282.6	282.4	9	6.2	-2.9	2.3	2.6	4
Cereals and bakery products 1		292.6	294.3	4.7	4.0	3.2	2.5	4.3	2.8
Cereal and cereal products	12/77	159.3	159.6	-2.3	9.4	3.1	1.8	3.4	2.4
Flour and prepared flour mixes	12/77	141.6	142.3	.0	3.5	3.7	-1.9	1.7	.8
Cereal 1	12/77	179.8	179.4	4.8	15.8	3.9	2	10.2	1.8
Rice, pasta, and cornmeal 1	12/77	146.6	147.2	-2.7	-1.4	2.8	1.1	-2.0	1.9
Bakery products 1	12/77	153.5	154.8	5.8	2.7	2.9	4.0	4.2	3.4
White bread 1		250.0	252.7	5.2	4.1	.8	6.6	4.7	3.7
Other bread 1	12/77	151.8	154.1	3.3	3.2	1.1	5.1	3.2	3.1
Fresh biscuits, rolls, and muffins 1	12/77	150.6	151.7	6.1	-3.2	4.7	5.7	1.4	5.2
Fresh cakes and cupcakes '	12/77	154.5	156.2	9.5	2.1	.8	7.8	5.7	4.2
Cookies	12/77	157.6	159.4	-5.5	8.3	7.1	1.0	1.2	4.0
Crackers and bread and cracker products 1	12/77	149.1	149.2	9.4	4.4	9.1	-9.1	6.9	4
Fresh sweetrolls, coffeecake, and donuts 1Frozen and refrigerated bakery products and	12/77	158.5	159.6	12.4	3	3.4	4.1	5.9	3.7
fresh pies, tarts, and turnovers 1	12/77	154.9	154.0	1.1	4.1	5.4	4.0	2.6	4.7
Mosts Boults, fish and ages		257.5	257.0	-2.0	3.9	-9.2	-2.8	.9	-6.0
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs  Meats, poultry, and fish		262.2	261.7	1.9	.1	-8.7	-4.5	9	-6.6
Meats, poditry, and lish		260.8	259.8	3.6	.1 .9	-12.7	- <del>5</del> .8	-1.4	-0.0 -9.3
Beef and veal		270.8	271.0	-5.9	8.3	-11.1	-5.6 .6	.9	-5.4
Ground beef other than canned		257.0	256.3	-9.5	5.0	-8.6	-4.1	-2.5	-6.4
Chuck roast		279.8	279.6	-7.6	8.1	-17.7	-3.4	1	-10.8
Round roast		240.1	243.2	-8.8	4.7	-14.5	10.7	-2.3	-10.0 -2.7
Round steak		254.2	251.4	1.2	6.2	-16.9	1.0	3.7	-8.4
Sirloin steak		273.4	273.7	8.3	9.6	-6.7	6	8.9	-3.7
Other beef and veal		164.1	164.6	-3.8	8.3	-7.9	2.7	2.1	-2.7
Pork	ľ	242.1	238.1	.1	-9.0	-19.7	-17.9	-4.5	-18.8
Bacon	1	259.9	253.5	-6.9	-11.2	-19.0	-24.0	-9.0	-21.5
Chops		223.4	221.4	.2	-9.5	-19.2	-13.5	-4.8	-16.4
Ham other than canned		104.9	101.8	7.3	-19.8	-20.6	-21.4	-7.3	-21.0
Sausage <sup>1</sup>		308.4	305.9	-4.3	-4.3	-17.8	-11.4	-4.3	-14.6
Canned ham		255.4	250.5	6.7	1.3	-15.6	-19.9	3.9	-17.8
Other pork 1		133.9	131.1	2.4	-21.8	-7.7	-18.1	-10.5	-13.1
Other meats 1		262.0	262.4	-3.6	-2.5	-4.3	-3.0	-3.1	-3.6
Frankfurters 1		259.7	258.8	-7.4	-5.0	1.1	-10.3	-6.2	-4.8
Bologna, liverwurst, and salami 1		152.8	152.8	-4.8	-1.0	-2.1	-1.3	-2.9	-1.7
Other lunchmeats 1		133.3	133.9	-3.7	-5.7	-3.8	-1.8	-4.7	-2.8
Lamb and organ meats 1	12/77	136.8	137.8	4.7	6.1	-14.8	3.6	5.4	-6.1
Poultry 1		197.6	199.7	4.1	-3.7	18.9	2.4	.1	10.4
Fresh whole chicken 1	46:	196.7	205.1	2.2	-5.6	34.5	10.6	-1.8	22.0
Fresh and frozen chicken parts 1		130.5	132.1	3.6	1.0	17.0	6.9	2.3	11.9
Other poultry 1		125.5	120.3	8.3	-6.7	.6	-14.5	.5	-7.2
Fish and seafood		374.2	375.3	7.6	-1.2	1.6	.9	3.1	1.2
Canned fish and seafood 1		132.9	132.1	.3	-4.8	-4.0	-9.4	-2.3	-6.8
Fresh and frozen fish and seafood	1	148.7	150.2	10.9	1.1	4.5	9.3	5.9	6.9
Eggs	1	202.0	200.9	-17.8	120.5	-16,1	31.0	34.6	4.8

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

	O4b - ::		onally sted exes	Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for—							
Group and item	Other index base	Oct.	Nov.	3	months e	ending in-	_	6 months	ending in		
		1983	1983	Feb. 1983	May 1983	Aug. 1983	Nov. 1983	May 1983	Nov. 1983		
Dairy products'		249.2	249.3	3.9	0.8	-0.3	-0.2	2.4	-0.2		
Fresh milk and cream	12/77	135.6	135.4	3.0	.6	1.5	-2.9	1.8	7		
Fresh whole milk	12,,,	221.8	221.4	2.9	5	2.6	-2.8	1.2	2		
Other fresh milk and cream 1	12/77	136.0	135.8	5.8	-1.5	3	-1.2	2.1	7		
Processed dairy products	12/77	149.5	149.1	2.5	4.1	.3	.3	3.3	.3		
Butter		256.4	255.1	7.6	.6	5	-3.8	4.1	-2.2		
Cheese	12/77	147.4	147.1	.8	3.6	2.2	5	2.2	.8		
Ice cream and related products 1	12/77	154.0	154.2	1.9	1.3	-3.1	7.3	1.6	2.0		
Other dairy products 1	12/77	145.8	146.1	2.3	8.7	3.3	-1.1	5.4	1.1		
ruits and vegetables		300.5	296.7	-13.6	29.9	-1.5	10.2	6.0	4.2		
Fresh fruits and vegetables		311.4	303.4	-20.5	64.4	-5.6	13.0	14.3	3.2		
Fresh fruits		289.3	285.0	-18.1	12.5	-4.1	3.3	-4.0	5		
Apples		298.6	305.5	-17.7	4.8	-12.3	103.8	~7.1	33.7		
Bananas		282.7	237.8	.3	96.7	13.2	-63.0	40.5	-35.3		
Oranges		249.1	264.2	-52.0	7.5	2.4	-31.8	-28.2	-16.		
Other fresh fruits	12/77	159.7	153.0	14.3	-4.1	-5.7	12.7	4.7	3.		
Fresh vegetables		333.2	319.2	-17.6	115.1	-9.7	26.6	33.2	6.9		
Potatoes		342.5	330.5	-18.6	47.5	56.0	39.5	9.6	47.		
Lettuce 1		360.9	330.0	-14.3	234.1	-42.6	58.3	69.3	-4.		
Tomatoes 1		246.8	246.9	41.6	83.8	-82.0	114.6	61.3	-37.9		
Other fresh vegetables	12/77	182.5	175,1	12.7	72.6	4.7	-3.8	39.5	.:		
Processed fruits and vegetables 1		288.2	289.5	.0	7	4.0	3.0	4	3.		
Processed fruits	12/77	151.1	151.6	5	-2.6	3.8	3.2	-1.6	3.		
Frozen fruit and fruit juices	12/77	142.4	143.5	-8.5	-6.3	3.8	6.1	-7.4	4.9		
Fruit juices other than frozen	12/77	155.1	155.5	1.8	-1.8	2.6	2.6	.0	2.0		
Canned and dried fruits 1	12/77	153.4	153.5	5.5	.3	5.4	8	2.8	2.		
Processed vegetables 1	12/77	140.0	140.7	-2.6	3	6.9	4.7	-1.4	5.8		
Frozen vegetables <sup>1</sup>	12/77	152.0	153.4	6.3	.3	4.5	-2.8	3.2	.3		
Cut corn and canned beans except lima 1	12/77 12/77	140.0 134.2	140.8 134.5	-6.2 -5.4	.0 9	10.0 6.3	3.8 9.4	-3.2 -3.2	6.9 7.9		
•	12,77										
Other foods at home		343.3 375.3	344.5 375.7	3.8	1.7 2.5	.2 3.0	5.6 .0	2.7 1.5	2.9 1.5		
Candy and chewing gum	12/77	151.9	152.6	.0	.0	2.4	4.0	.0	3.		
Sugar and artificial sweeteners 1	12/77	170.8	171.7	1.2	3.9	5.6	1.6	2.5	3.0		
Other sweets 1	12/77	150.1	149.5	.0	-1.6	2.7	-2.9	8			
Fats and oils¹	12/11	271.2	275.5	6	.2	6	30.4	2	13.		
Margarine 1		262.6	267.1	-2.3	.3	6	20.2	-1.0	9.		
Nondairy substitutes and peanut butter 1	12/77	149.8	150.1	5	-2.6	-2.7	5.5	-1.6	1.3		
Other fats, oils, and salad dressings 1	12/77	141.5	144.5	.0	1.5	.3	48.5	.8	22.0		
Nonalcoholic beverages		438.0	438.2	2.3	.7	.1	5.8	1.5	2.9		
Cola drinks, excluding diet cola		314.7	314.1	.4	3	3.8	5.1	.1	4.		
Carbonated drinks, including diet cola	12/77	148.7	148.1	2.5	.6	.0	11.9	1.5	5.8		
Roasted coffee \		347.6	350.2	6.6	-5.3	-5.3	7	.5	-3.6		
Freeze dried and instant coffee 1		349.3	351.6	6.3	2.3	.6	.1	4.3			
Other noncarbonated drinks	12/77	142.8	142.7	1.7	6	3.2	4.6	.6	3.		
Other prepared foods 1	l	278.2	279.4	7.4	2.9	4	1.3	5.1	٠.		
Canned and packaged soup	12/77	144.2	144.8	4.4	7.0	1.1	3.4	5.7	2.		
Frozen prepared foods '	12/77	153.7	155.7	5.8	6.5	1.3	3.9	6.1	2.		
Snacks 1	12/77	160.8	160.7	11.8	8.0	-3.2	-1.7	9.9	-2.		
Seasonings, olives, pickles, and relish	12/77	158.7	159.4	8.5	8	-1.8	3.6	3.8			
Other condiments	12/77	158.2	158.3	6.6	-1.3	2.1	2.6	2.6	2.		
Miscellaneous prepared foods '	12/77	152.0	153.0	3.8	1.6	-1.3	3.2	2.7	٠.		
Other canned and packaged prepared foods	12/77	147.7	148.6	3.6	-2.4	.3	3.6	.5	1.		

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

Group and item	Other	Seas adju inde		Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for—							
Group and item	index base	Oct.	Nov.	3	months e	ending in-	-	May 1983 3.5 2.6	ending in—		
		1983	1983	Feb. 1983	May 1983	Aug. 1983	Nov. 1983		Nov. 1983		
Food away from home		327.9	329.3	2.9	4.1	3.4	6.7	3.5	5.0		
Lunch	12/77	158.8	159.3	2.1	3.1	2.6	6.3	2.6	4.4		
Dinner	12/77	157.4	158.4	4.0	1.8	4.0	7.4		5.7		
Other meals and snacks	12/77	161.5	162.0	2.4	8.0	4.9	5.6	5.1	5.3		
Alcoholic beverages		221.8	222.2	4.4	4.1	1.5	6.0	4.3	3.7		
Alcoholic beverages at home		143.5	143.4	3.5	6.2	1.4	4.6	4.8	3.0		
Beer and ale		225.5	226.3	8.5	5.5	4.6	7.0	7.0	5.8		
Whiskey <sup>1</sup>		154.0	153.4	1.1	.8	.5	3.5	.9	2.0		
Wine <sup>1</sup>		245.5	242.3	-3.1	8.9	-7.2	2	2.7	-3.8		
Other alcoholic beverages 1		122.2	121.5	.3	3.0	3.3	-2.9	1.7	.2		
Alcoholic beverages away from home	12/77	149.8	151.4	4.2	3.0	1.6	8.3	3.6	4.9		
Special indexes:											
Domestically produced farm food 1		267.4	266.7	2.4	5.5	-2.4	-1.9	4.0	-2.1		
Selected beef cuts 1		266.7	266.4	.4	14.6	-15.2	-7.4	7.3	-11.4		
Imported food and fishery products	12/77	137.7	137.5	2.7	3.0	.3	2.4	2.8	1.3		

Not seasonally adjusted.

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

Group and item	Other index	Unadjuste	d indexes	Unadj percent o Nov. 198	hange to	Seasonally adjusted percent change from—			
	base	Oct. 1983	Nov. 1983	Nov. 1982	Oct. 1983	Aug. to Sept.	Sept. to Oct.	Oct. to Nov.	
Housing		325.2	324.5	1,5	-0.2	0.3	0.1	0.1	
Shelter		347.6	347.1	1.2	1	.3	.1	-,1	
Rent, residential 1		239.8	240.7	4.8	.4	.5	.4	.4	
Other rental costs		359.3	357.3	6.5	6	1.2	.5	.6	
Lodging while out of town		374.2	370.9	6.2	9	.7	.7	.7	
Lodging while at school 1	12/82	107.0	107.0	-	.0	6.1	.6	.0	
Tenants' insurance 1	12/77	158.6	159.4	6.9	.5	.5	1.5	.5	
Homeownership		385.9	384.9	.3	3	.2	.0	2	
Home purchase 1		301.3	300.0	3.3	4	2	7	4	
Financing, taxes, and insurance 1		500.6	499.2	-3.0	3	.7	.1	-:3	
Property insurance		437.4	438.0	6.9	.1	1.0	.6	.1	
Property taxes 1		239.1	239.6	5.3	.2	.6	.3	.2	
Contracted mortgage interest cost 1		634.7	632.2	-4.7	4	.7	.1	4	
Mortgage interest rates 1		208.8	208.6	-7.9	1	.8	.8	1	
Maintenance and repairs		348.1	349.1	4.2	.3	3	1.5	.7	
Maintenance and repair services		392.5	393.3	5.2	.2	1	2.1	.7	
Maintenance and repair commodities 1		254.7	255.9	1.7	.5	9	2	.5	
Paint and wallpaper, supplies, tools,		l	l i		l	ļ	1	}	
and equipment	12/77	145.7	147.3	1.0	1,1	-1,2	1	1.1	
Lumber, awnings, glass, and masonry <sup>1</sup>	12/77	124.2	123.8	2.5	3	-1.2	9	3	
and cooling supplies 1	12/77	141.3	139.1	2.8	-1.6	.9	.4	-1.6	
Miscellaneous supplies and equipment 1	12/77	141.9	144.0	1.7	1.5	8	2	1.5	
Fuel and other utilities	I	375.7	372.8	2.5	8	.6	1	.7	
Fuels		474.0	467.8	1.3	1.3	.7	2	.8	
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas		627.2	626.4	-9.7	1	1.9	.4	6	
Fuel oil		635.1	633.9	-11.3	2	1.9	.6	6	
Other fuels	6/78	191.9	192.4	1.1	.3	2	.2	3	
Gas (piped) and electricity		434.5	427.5	5.1	-1.6	.4	4	1.2	
Electricity		338.8	330.8	4.3	-2.4	1.3	1.4	1.2	
Utility (piped) gas 1		578.3	574.0	6.0	7	.1	-1.4	7	
Other utilities and public services 1		216.9	218.4	6.1	.7	.2	.2	.7	
Telephone services 1		174.7	176.0	5.4	l .7	.3	2	.7	
Local charges 1	12/77	142.8	144.4	6.3	1.1	.4	2	1.1	
Interstate toll calls 1	12/77	121.9	121.9	1.4	.0	1	3	.0	
Intrastate toll calls 1	12/77	119.1	119.8	8.0	.6	.3	.3	.6	
Water and sewerage maintenance 1		366.2	367.8	8.8	.4	.2	1.4	.4	
Household furnishings and operation		236.2	236.7	2.1	.2	.3	.2	.3	
Housefurnishings		196.0	196.4	1.8	.2	.2	.2	.3	
Textile housefurnishings		232.0	233.0	3.2	.4	1.4	-1.7	.7	
Household linens	12/77	137.0	136.4	1.0	4	1.5	-2.7	.0	
Curtains, drapes, slipcovers,		}	}		)	}			
and sewing materials 1	12/77	153.6	155.6	5.5	1.3	1.0	8	1.3	
Furniture and bedding		216.6	217.1	3.2	.2	.0	.6	.0	
Bedroom furniture 1		149.0	149.5	5.2	.3	.5	.1	.3	
Sofas 1	12/77	119.2	120.0	2.6	] .7	.4	.9	.7	
Living room chairs and tables 1	12/77	126.5	126.6	3.3	.1	.6	1.0	.1	
Other furniture	12/77	137.2	137.1	1.3	1	.1	.8	1	
Appliances including TV and sound equipment 1	,	151.7	151.6	.1	1	.3	.3	1	
Television and sound equipment 1	12/77	103.9	104.1	-3.0	.2	1	3	.2	
Television 1	46:==	97.8	97.4	-4.2	4	7	5	4	
Sound equipment 1	12/77	110.0	110.7	-2.1	.6	.5	2	.6	
Household appliances 1		190.5	190.1	2.4	2	.6	.7	2	
Refrigerator and home freezer 1	12/77	200.0	198.9	.3	6	.4	1.0	6	
Laundry equipment 1 Other household appliances 1		144.1	145.2	3.5	.8	.6	.3	.8	
Stoves, dishwashers, vacuums, and	12/77	125.2	124.6	3.2	5	.6	8.	5	
sewing machines '	12/77	104 1	1246	4 5	4	1 12	_		
Office machines, small electric	12/1/	124.1	124.6	4.5	.4	1.2	.4	.4	
appliances, and air conditioners 1	12/77	126.4	124.6	10	4.4		10		
appliances, and all conditioners	12/1/	120.4	124.0	1.8	-1.4	.1	1.2	-1.4	

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

Group and item	Other index	Unadjuste	d indexes	Unadj percent c Nov. 198	hange to	Seasonally adjusted percent change from—			
	base	Oct. 1983	Nov. 1983	Nov. 1982	Oct. 1983	Aug. to Sept.	Sept. to Oct.	Oct. to Nov.	
Housefurnishings—Continued:			}						
Other household equipment 1	12/77	138.9	139.7	1.9	0.6	-0.1	0.1	0.6	
Floor and window coverings, infants', laundry,									
cleaning, and outdoor equipment 1	12/77	138.2	138.8	3.2	.4	3	1.6		
Clocks, lamps, and decor items 1	12/77	129.3	131.0	3.3	1.3	.1	.7	1.	
Tableware, serving pieces,					_	_			
and nonelectric kitchenware 1	12/77	141.7	142.4	1.0	.5	6	-1.3		
Lawn equipment, power tools, and other hardware 1	12/77	141.2	141.8	16		.6	.7		
Housekeeping supplies	12///	293.6	293.9	1.6 2.4	.4 .1	.6 .2	.3		
Soaps and detergents 1	1	291.1	292.7	4.6	.5	.6	3		
Other laundry and cleaning products 1	12/77	150.5	150.2	2.7	2	.7	3		
Cleansing and toilet tissue, paper						.,			
towels and napkins 1	12/77	148.0	148.3	.1	.2	.1	1		
Stationery, stationery supplies, and gift wrap 1	12/77	142.6	144.0	1.8	1.0	.1	.0	1.	
Miscellaneous household products 1	12/77	150.4	150.0	2.6	3	.5	.6		
Lawn and garden supplies	12/77	137.2	136.0	.8	9	7	2.9	-1.	
Housekeeping services 1		321.7	322.3	2.7	.2	.5	.3		
Postage '		337.5	337.5	.0	.0	.0	.0		
Moving, storage, freight, household	40/	407.0	400.0		_				
laundry, and drycleaning services	12/77	167.3	168.2	6.6	.5	1.9	1.1		
Appliance and furniture repair 1	12/77	144.0	144.3	4.6	.2	.3	.3		
pparel and upkeep		199.8	199.7	2.7	1	.2	.1		
Apparel commodities		188.4	188.2	2.4	1	1 .1	1 3		
Apparel commodities less footwear	(	185.0	184.5	2.6	3	.1	.2		
Men's and boys'		192.5	193.4	2.4	.5	.2	1		
Men's	12/77	121.4	122.2	2.1	.7	.1	.0		
Suits, sport coats, and jackets	12/77	106.9	107.7	3.4	.7	-1.3	.8	1.4	
Coats and jackets	12/77	108.9	108.8	3.2	1	2.5	1.7		
Furnishings and special clothing 1		141.9	143.6	3.2	1.2	.6	.2	1.	
Shirts		127.8	127.8	7	.0	1.9	-1.3		
Dungarees, jeans, and trousers		119.1	120.1	1.7	.8	5	.2	ا	
Boys'		123.9	123.8 122.1	3.4	1 5	.6 1.6	.2 1.2	-,	
Coats, jackets, sweaters, and shirts Furnishings		122.7 131.9	133.3	6.5 3.7	5 1.1	1	.2	1.	
Suits, trousers, sport coats, and jackets		121.8	121.6	.9	2	.3	8	<u>.</u> .	
Women's and girls'		170.4	168.6	2.9	-1.1	2	.7		
Women's		114.0	112.4	3.3	-1.4	2	.4		
Coats and jackets		181.2	177.4	2.4	-2.1	.9	.2		
Dresses	]	158.9	158.0	7.0	6	8	-2.0		
Separates and sportswear		104.2	102.4	1.5	-1.7	.0	1.9	-1.	
Underwear, nightwear, and hosiery 1		135.3	135.7	4.2	.3	1.4	.4	·	
Suits		112.6	105.8	.0	-6.0	-5.1	1.1	<b>−4</b> .	
Girls'		110.4	110.8	1.1	.4	.0	1.6		
Coats, jackets, dresses, and suits	12/77 12/77	103.1 107.4	103.3 108.3	1.1 2.3	.2 .8	-1.3 .6	4.9 4	1.	
Underwear, nightwear,	12///	107.4	100.3	2.5				''	
hosiery, and accessories	12/77	127.6	127.5	5	1	5	5		
Infants' and toddlers' 1		299.9	298.1	4.4	6	1.9	.7		
Other apparel commodities 1	1	204.0	205.2	1.9	.6	.6	9		
Sewing materials and notions 1	12/77	118.5	116.8	-1.2	-1.4	.3	-1.4	-1.	
Jewelry and luggage 1	12/77	138.0	140.0	3.2	1.4	.7	7	1.	
Footwear		208.1	209.1	1.2	.5	.0	3	. !	
Men's	12/77	136.9	137.6	2.5	.5	1.6	4		
Boys' and girls' 1		133.2	134.0	1.7	.6	.2	.2		
Women's		122.6	122.9	6	.2	9	7	٠ .	
Apparel services	}	292.6	294.3	5.0	.6	.4	.3	1.	
Laundry and dry cleaning other	10/77	174.9	175.4	E 1	_		[ _		
than coin operated Other apparel services <sup>1</sup>		174.3	175.4	5.4 4.3	.6 .5	.2 .6	.5	1.	
Outer apparer services	12/77	154.9	155.6	4.5	ن.	٠.	.1	1 .	

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

Group and item	Other index	Unadjuste	d indexes	Unadj percent o Nov. 198	hange to	Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
	base	Oct. 1983	Nov. 1983	Nov. 1982	Oct. 1983	Aug. to Sept.	Sept. to Oct.	Oct. to Nov.
Transportation		306.9	308.2	3.7	0.4	0.9	0.7	0.1
Private		303.6	304.9	3.7	.4	.9	.7	.1
New vehicles <sup>2</sup>		203.3	205.0	3.3	.8	1.0	.4	.0
New cars		203.8	205.7	3.5	.9	1.1	.5	.0
Used cars		350.4 384.3	356.1 380.2	14.7 -2.4	1.6 ~1.1	2.0 .6	2.2 5	.5 8
Motor fuel		384.3	380.2	-2.4 -2.4	-1.1	.5	5 5	8 8
Automobile maintenance and repair		334.1	335.6	3.9	.4	.5	.2	.4
Body work 1	12/77	167.8	168.2	5.3	.2	.3	.8	.2
Automobile drive train, brake,						}		
and miscellaneous mechanical repair 1	12/77	165.7	167.2	6.0	.9	1.0	.7	.9
Maintenance and servicing 1	12/77	151.7	151.9	2.2	.1	2	1	.1
Power plant repair	12/77	158.5	159.5	3.6	.6	.6	.1	.8
Other private transportation 1		264.4	266.6	1.4	.8	.3	1.0	.8
Other private transportation commodities 1		210.7	211.7	-2.8	.5	1	<u>1</u>	.5
Motor oil, coolant, and other products 1	12/77	152.2	151.7	4	3	.4	7	3
Automobile parts and equipment 1	12/77	133.8	134.6	-3.2	.6	2	.0	.6
Tires 1 Other parts and equipment 1	12/77	185.4 132.8	187.0 132.9	-3.6 -1.8	.9	8 1.1	.0	.9
Other private transportation services <sup>1</sup>	12///	281.1	283.7	2.2	.1 .9	.4	1,2	.1 .9
Automobile insurance 1		308.8	312.1	9.1	1.1	.3	1.8	1,1
Automobile finance charges 1	12/77	156.8	158.7	-10.9	1.2	.5	.6	1.2
Automobile rental, registration, and								
other fees 1	12/77	148.2	148.3	5.9	.1	.5	.2	.1
State registration 1		195.2	195.2	6.4	.0	.4	.0	.0
Drivers' license '	12/77	154.4	154.8	16.3	.3	.0	.7	.3
Automobile inspection 1	12/77	140.5	140.5	8.2	.0	.5	.0	.0
Other automobile related fees '	12/77	167.6	167.7	2.9	.1	.9	1	.1
Public transportation <sup>1</sup>		358.5	359.9	3.4	.4	.4	. <u>4</u>	.4
Airline fare 1		422.5	427.2	4.5	1,1	.6	.7	1.1
Intercity bus fare 1		417.6	416.9	11.0	2	.6	.6	2
Intracity mass transit '		323.0 312.2	322.5 313.5	2.2 1.1	2 .4	.3	.2 2	2 .4
Intercity train fare 1		366.1	365.6	4.7	1	.1	.2	1
Medical care		360.9	362.9	6.8	.6	.4	.4	.5
Medical care commodities		227.8	229.1	7.4	.6	.6	.7	.9
Prescription drugs		219.9	222.1	9.9	1.0	.7	9.9	1.4
Anti-infective drugs 1	12/77	160.8	161.5	6.0	.4	.1	.3	.4
Tranquilizers and sedatives	12/77	182.6	186.7	14.4	2.2	1.1	1.3	1.9
Circulatories and diuretics 1	12/77	157.9	159.7	11.0	1.1	.2	1.4	1.1
Hormones, diabetic drugs, biologicals,								
and prescription medical supplies	12/77	204.0	206.1	11.3	1.0	.8	1.3	1.6
Pain and symptom control drugs '	12/77	180.6	182.4	9.9	1.0	1,1	.7	1.0
Supplements, cough and cold preparations, and respiratory agents	12/77	164.5	165.1	7.5	.4	1.0	.4	.7
Nonprescription drugs and medical supplies 1	12/77	158.3	158.8	5.5	.3	.4	.1	.3
Eyeglasses '	12/77	136.2	136.6	3.8	.3	1.2	4	.3
Internal and respiratory over-the-counter drugs 1	,	257.4	257.7	6.0	.1	.2	.2	.1
Nonprescription medical equipment		207.4	257.7	0.0	. '	ے.		- '
and supplies 1	12/77	153.0	154.1	5.4	.7	1	.5	.7
Medical care services		390.2	392.3	6.7	.5	.4	.3	.4
Professional services 1		330.1	332.0	7.7	.6	.5	.6	.6
Physicians' services 1		362.3	364.3	7.6	.6	.5	.5	.6
Dental services 1 Other professional services 1	40 (77	308.5	310.7	8.3	.7	.6	.8	.7
	12/77	151.8	152.5	6.0	.5	.2	.7	.5
		465.6	467.9	5.8	.5	.3	.0	.2
Other medical care services			1 3		٥	7	2	_
Other medical care services	12/77	197.3	199.0	10.1	.9	.7	.3	.5
Other medical care services			1 3		.9 .6	.7 1.3	.3 .0	.5 .2

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

Group and item	Other	Unadjuste	d indexes	Unadj percent d Nov. 198	hange to	Seasonally adjusted percent change from—			
	base	Oct. 1983	Nov. 1983	Nov. 1982	Oct. 1983	Aug. to Sept.	Sept. to Oct.	Oct. to Nov.	
Entertainment		245.4	245.7	4.1	0.1	0.3	0.7	0.2	
Entertainment commodities	1	243.7	243.4	3.4	1	2	.7	.1	
Reading materials 1		162.8	162.3	6.3	3	.2	1.4	3	
Newspapers 1		307.0	307.8	6.0	.3	.2	1.0	.3	
Magazines, periodicals, and books 1		172.0	170.4	6.8	9	.2	1.9	9	
Sporting goods and equipment		128.6	128.7	3.2	.1	.6	1	.1	
Sport vehicles 1		128.2	128.5	5.2	.2	.5	2	.2	
Indoor and warm weather sport equipment 1		116.4	116.0	-1.4	3	3	.1	3	
Bicycles		200.7	199.3	1	7	.1	2	3	
Other sporting goods and equipment 1		133.8	134.4	2.4	.4	1.2	5	.4	
Toys, hobbies, and other entertainment		138.1	137.8	1.9	2	~.1	.6	1	
Toys, hobbies, and music equipment		133.5	132.8	.8	5	4	.9	2	
Photographic supplies and equipment		133.0	132.7	2.0	2	7	1.0	.2	
Pet supplies and expense 1		149.6	149.9	3.7	.2	.7	.0	.2	
Entertainment services 1	1	249.7	251.0	5.3	.5	1.0	.8	.5	
Fees for participant sports 1	12/77	156.9	157.7	5.1	.5	1.5	.9	.5	
Admissions		144.8	145.6	7.1	.6	.2	.5	.8	
Other entertainment services 1		133.6	134.4	2.8	.6	1.2	1.0	.6	
Other goods and services	Ì	294.1	295.5	9.1	.5	1	.7	.7	
Tobacco products 1		298.8	299.7	13.8	.3	.1	.3	.3	
Cigarettes 1		306.5	307.3	14.3	.3	.1	.3	.3	
Other tobacco products and smoking	İ					1	1		
accessories	12/77	151.4	152.7	6.8	.9	.3	.5	1.1	
Personal care 1		261.5	263.7	4.6	.8	.3	.2	.8	
Toilet goods and personal care appliances 1		263.9	266.6	4.9	1.0	.2	.3	1.0	
Products for the hair, hairpieces, and wigs 1	12/77	151.9	153.6	4.3	1.1	.1	1	1.1	
Dental and shaving products 1		161.2	165.1	6.2	2.4	.4	1.3	2.4	
Cosmetics, bath and nail preparations	1					1	1		
manicure and eye makeup implements 1	12/77	148.9	150.1	5.5	.8	2	.0	.8	
Other toilet goods and small	1_,	1				-	1 7	,,,	
personal care appliances †	12/77	154.1	154.1	3.8	.0	.7	.5	.0	
Personal care services 1		259.6	261.4	4.3	.7	.5	1 .1	.7	
Beauty parlor services for females 1		260.7	262.9	4.3	.8	.5	2	.8	
Haircuts and other barber shop	1								
services for males 1	12/77	145.6	146.3	4.3	.5	.3	.6	.5	
Personal and educational expenses		352.4	352.9	9.8	.1	8	1.7	.8	
School books and supplies		312.9	313.0	9.1	.0	.2	4	.9	
Personal and educational services		362.0	362.6	9.9	.2	-1.0	2.1	.8	
Tuition and other school fees		183.3	183.3	9.3	.0	-1.9	2.8	1.0	
College tuition		182.6	182.6	9.4	.0	1	1.0	1.0	
Elementary and high school tuition		184.9	184.9	9.0	.0	-6.6	8.4	.8	
Personal expenses 1		193.9	195.2	12.2	.7	1.4	.5	.7	
Special indexes:									
Motor fuel, motor oil, coolant and other products	.]	379.5	375.5	-2.4	-1.1	.6	4	8	
Insurance and finance 1		419.7	419.8	-1.7	.0	.6	.4	.0	
Utilities and public transportation		341.8	339.4	5.0	7	.2	.0	.7	
Housekeeping and home maintenance services	.1	369.7	370.4	4.2	.2	.2	1.5	.4	

Not seasonally adjusted.

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

New series; includes direct pricing of new trucks and motorcycles as

of September 1982.

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

		adju	onally ested exes		Seas	sonally ac percent		nnual rate for—	
Group and item	Other index base	Oct.	Nov.	3	months e	nding in-	-	6 months e	ending in
		1983	1983	Feb. 1983	May 1983	Aug. 1983	Nov. 1983	May 1983	Nov. 1983
Housing		325.0	325.4	-3.0	4.0	3.3	2.1	0.4	2.7
Shelter		347.6	347.3	-4.8	4.8	4.1	1.0	1	2.6
Rent, residential 1		239.8	240.7	5.0	3.7	5.2	5.3	4.3	5.3
Other rental costs		358.6	360.9	-1.2	9.6	8.1	9.8	4.1	8.9
Lodging while out of town		375.3	378.1	~3.8	12.0	8.5	8.9	3.8	8.7
Lodging while at school 1		107.0	107.0	-	.0	.4	29.5	-	14.0
Tenants' insurance 1		158.6	159.4	6.6	6.8	3.7	10.7	6.7	7.1
Homeownership		385.9	385.1	-6.9	5.0	3.8	1	-1.1	1.8
Home purchase 1		301.3	300.0	4.6	14.6	.3	-5.3	9.5	-2.6
Financing, taxes, and insurance 1		500.6	499.2	-16.9	-1.8	6.3	2.1	-9.7	4.2
Property insurance		437.4	438.0	8.2	8.3	4.3	6.9	8.3	5.6
Property taxes 1  Contracted mortgage interest cost 1		239.1	239.6	7.0	4.2	5.8	4.3	5.6	5.0
Mortgage interest rates 1		634.7 208.8	632.2 208.6	-21.2 -24.7	-3.2 -15.5	6.4 6.3	1.5 6.2	-12.6 -20.2	3.9 6.2
Maintenance and repairs		348.1	350.4	-24.7	2.6	5.8	7.7	1.7	6.7
Maintenance and repair services		392.5	395.3	4	3.0	6.8	11.5	1.3	9.
Maintenance and repair commodities 1		254.7	255.9	4.7	1.7	3.0	-2.5	3.2	
Paint and wallpaper, supplies, tools, and equipment '		145.7	147.3	5.9	.3	-1.3	8	3.0	-1. <sup>-</sup>
Lumber, awnings, glass, and masonry <sup>1</sup>		124.2	123.8	4.7	7.1	8.3	-9.1	5.9	1
and cooling supplies 1	12/77	141.3	139.1	3.9	4.2	4.4	-1.1	4.0	1.
Miscellaneous supplies and equipment 1		141.9	144.0	1.7	-2.5	5.8	2.0	4	3.
Fuel and other utilities		374.7	377.4	2	2.2	2.6	5.1	1.0	3.
Fuels	į.	472.1	475.7	-3.2	1.7	2.0	5.3	8	3.
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas		640.0	635.9	-30.8	-11.4	2.0	6.5	-21.7	4.
Fuel oil	.}	649.4	645.5	-33.5	-14.7	1.3	7.9	-24.7	4.
Other fuels	6/78	193.3	192.8	-13.0	15.1	5.3	-1.0	.1	2.
Gas (piped) and electricity		429.8	434.9	7.4	6.0	2.0	4.9	6.7	3.
Electricity		336.8	340.7	-1.6	1.9	1.2	16.3	.1	8.
Utility (piped) gas 1		578.3	574.0	12.4	26.2	-3.5	-7.8	19.1	<b>−5</b> .
Other utilities and public services 1		216.9	218.4	11.5	3.4	4.8	4.7	7.4	4.
Telephone services <sup>1</sup>		174.7	176.0	12.8	2.6	3.0	3.5	7.6	3.
Local charges 1		142.8	144.4	13.3	3.2	3.7	5.1	8.1	4.
Interstate toll calls 1		121.9	121.9	6.8	.3	.3	-1.6	3.5	
Intrastate toll calls '		119.1 366.2	119.8 367.8	18.9 11.1	4.6 5.4	4.2 9.9	5.2 8.7	11.5 8.2	4. 9.
Household furnishings and operation		236.4	237.1	2.6	1.9	.9	3.3	2.3	2.
Housefurnishings		196.0	196.6	2.3	1.7	.6	2.7	2.0	1.
Textile housefurnishings		230.2	231.8	15.2	.9	-4.1	1.7	7.8	-1.
Curtains, drapes, slipcovers,	12/77	135.2	135.2	25.1	-13.9	1.5	-4.6	3.8	~1.
and sewing materials 1	12/77	153.6	155.6	5.5	12.9	-2.1	6.1	9.1	2.
Furniture and bedding		217.0	216.9	3.1	6.8	1.1	2.1	4.9	1.
Bedroom furniture 1		149.0	149.5	1.7	18.2	-1.6	3.6	9.7	l '.
Sofas 1	12/77	119.2	120.0	.3	5.2	-3.3	8.4	2.8	2.
Living room chairs and tables 1	12/77	126.5	126.6	-3.2	10.2	.0	6.9	3.3	3.
Other furniture	12/77	137.9	137.7	.6	6.6	-4.8	3.3	3.6	
Appliances including TV and sound equipment 1		151.7	151.6	5	1.1	-2.4	2.1	.3	
Television and sound equipment 1		103.9	104.1	-4.4	-3.7	-3.0	8	-4.1	-1.
Television 1		97.8	97.4	-4.6	-5.8	.0	-6.3	-5.2	-3.
Sound equipment 1		110.0	110.7	-4.5	-1.8	-5.6	3.7	-3.2	-1.
Household appliances 1		190.5	190.1	2.4	4.8	-1.9	4.5	3.6	1.
Refrigerator and home freezer 1		200.0	198.9	6	4.5	-6.0	3.5	1.9	j -1.
Laundry equipment 1 Other household appliances 1	. 12/77 . 12/77	144.1 125.2	145.2 124.6	5.8 2.7	6.6 3.7	-4.9 2.6	6.9	6.2 3.2	2
Stoves, dishwashers, vacuums, and	12/11	125.2	124.0	2.1	3.7	2.0	3.9	3.2	3.
sewing machines 1	12/77	124.1	124.6	3.4	5.1	1.3	8.4	4.2	4.
appliances, and air conditioners 1	12/77	126.4	124.6	1.6	2.3	3.9	6	2.0	1
appriarioss, and all conditioners	12/11	120.4	124.0	1.0	2.3	ე ა.ყ	0	2.0	1 1

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

		adju	onally isted exes		Seas	sonally ad percent		nnual rate or—	
Group and item	Other index base	Oct.	Nov.	3	months e	nding in-	_	6 months	ending in—
	<del> </del>	1983	1983	Feb. 1983	May 1983	Aug. 1983	Nov. 1983	May 1983	Nov. 1983
Housefurnishings—Continued:								i	
Other household equipment 1	12/77	138.9	139.7	2.4	0.3	2.6	2.3	1.3	2.5
Floor and window coverings, infants', laundry,	40.477	400.0							
cleaning, and outdoor equipment 1		138.2 129.3	138.8 131.0	1.2 1.6	1.8 3.2	2.7 .0	7.2 8.7	1.5 2.4	4.9 4.3
Tableware, serving pieces,	12///	129.3	131.0	1.0	3.2	.0	0.7	2.4	4.3
and nonelectric kitchenware 1	12/77	141.7	142.4	2.3	6	8.1	-5.4	.9	1.1
Lawn equipment, power tools,				1					l
and other hardware 1		141.2	141.8	3.2	-1.1	-2.5	7.4	1.0	2.3
Housekeeping supplies		294.5	295.4	3.5	1.9	.8	3.3	2.7	2.1
Soaps and detergents 1		291.1 150.5	292.7 150.2	9.2 4.7	6.4 3.6	5 1.6	3.5	7.8 4.1	1.5 1.3
Other laundry and cleaning products 1	12/1/	150.5	150.2	4.7	3.0	1.0	1.1	4.1	1.3
towels and napkins 1	12/77	148.0	148.3	6.6	-6.5	.3	.5	1	.4
Stationery, stationery supplies, and gift wrap 1	12/77	142.6	144.0	.9	3.4	-1.1	4.3	2.1	1.5
Miscellaneous household products 1	12/77	150.4	150.0	8.2	.0	8	3.3	4.0	1.2
Lawn and garden supplies		140.0	137.8	.9	6.0	-5.4	2.1	3.4	-1.7
Housekeeping services <sup>1</sup>		321.7	322.3	2.4	2.4	2.0	4.1	2.4	3.0
Postage <sup>1</sup>	·	337.5	337.5	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0
laundry, and drycleaning services	12/77	168.1	168.9	3.3	3.6	5.1	15.0	3.4	9.9
Appliance and furniture repair 1	1	144.0	144.3	4.7	5.0	5.5	3.4	4.8	4.4
Apparel and upkeep		197.5	198.0	.8	4.2	4.4	2.0	2.5	3.2
Apparel commodities		185.9	186.0	.7	3.8	4.2	1.1	2.2	2.6
Apparel commodities less footwear		182.3	182.4	.2	4.3	5.0	1.5	2.3	3.3
Men's and boys'	.	189.7	190.7	1.9	4.1	.6	2.8	3.0	1.7
Men's	L	119.6	120.5	2.0	3.8	7	3.4	2.9	1.3
Suits, sport coats, and jackets		104.4	105.4	1.2	4.4	6.7	1.5	2.8	4.1
Coats and jackets Furnishings and special clothing <sup>1</sup>		106.0 141.9	106.3 143.6	4.3	1.9 3.8	-10.6 1.1	19.4 8.2	3.1 1.9	3.3 4.6
Shirts		126.0	125.5	.6	4.5	-8.2	.6	2.5	-3.9
Dungarees, jeans, and trousers		117.9	118.8	.3	5.6	-1.0	1.7	2.9	.3
Boys'		122.6	122.6	1.4	6.2	3.0	3.0	3.7	3.0
Coats, jackets, sweaters, and shirts		120.1	119.9	1.8	7.6	5.7	11.0	4.7	8.3
Furnishings		131.2	132.6	3.5	7.3	6	4.7	5.4	2.0
Suits, trousers, sport coats, and jackets  Women's and girls'		121.3 166.9	121.0 166.1	7 -2.9	6.5 5.4	1.0 10.0	-2.9 .0	2.9 1.1	-1.0 4.9
Women's		111.7	111.0	-5.1	5.4	16.2	-1.8	0.	6.8
Coats and jackets		173.4	173.4	3.3	15.6	-12.1	4.5	9.3	-4.1
Dresses		155.3	155.2	-2.5	.0	50.8	-11.0	-1.2	15.8
Separates and sportswear		102.5	101.1	-10.8	5.9	10.1	2.0	-2.8	6.0
Underwear, nightwear, and hosiery 1	1	135.3	135.7	-1.5	9.6	.6	8.7	3.9	4.6
Suits	1	108.0	103.3	-25.4 4.9	2.9 5.3	83.2 -12.5	-28.9 7.7	-12.4 5.1	14.1 -2.9
Coats, jackets, dresses, and suits		107.5	100.2	3.2	-9.9	-4.0	17.1	-3.6	6.0
Separates and sportswear		103.5	104.9	7.6	28.7	-25.8	6.3	17.7	-11.2
Underwear, nightwear,	1						ŀ		1
hosiery, and accessories		126.8	126.6	-1.3	-1.3	5.5	-4.6	-1.3	3
Infants' and toddlers' 1	·1	299.9	298.1	5.7	1.9 3.2	1.9	8.2	3.8 1.9	5.0 1.9
Sewing materials and notions 1		204.0	205.2 116.8	1.0	7.3	2.6 -2.6	1.2 -9.6	4.1	-6.2
Jewelry and luggage 1		138.0	140.0	.6	1.8	4.5	5.9	1.2	5.2
Footwear		206.7	207.2	4.6	4	1.0	4	2.1	.3
Men's	. 12/77	136.2	136.9	4.6	.0	-1.5	7.3	2.3	2.8
Boys' and girls' 1		133.2	134.0	4.9	2.7	-5.0	4.3	3.8	4
Women's		120.9	121.2	.7	-1.6	4.0	-5.1	5	7
Apparel services  Laundry and dry cleaning other	1	292.9	295.8	2.4	6.1	5.0	6.8	4.2	5.9
than coin operated	. 12/77	174.6	176.5	2.9	4.6	7.2	7.3	3.7	7.3
Other apparel services 1		154.9	155.6	3.0	9.4	.5	4.5	6.1	2.5

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

		adju	onally sted exes	Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for—						
Group and item	Other index base	Oct.	Nov.	3	months e	nding in-		6 months	ending in-	
		1983	1983	Feb. 1983	May 1983	Aug. 1983	Nov. 1983	May 1983	Nov. 1983	
Transportation		307.9	308.2	-9.1	9.9	8.2	6.9	-0.1	7.5	
Private		304.6	304.9	-9.9	10.3	8.4	7.0	3	7.7	
New vehicles <sup>2</sup>		204.9	204.8	5.1	-1.6	3.6	5.9	1.7	4.8	
New cars		205.4	205.5	5.1	-1.4	3.6	6.9	1.8	5.3	
Used cars	1	348.0	349.8	11.0	8.6	18.8	20.6	9.8	19.7	
Motor fuel	]	389.0	386.0	-36.0	32.8	9.4	-2.6	-7.8	3.2	
GasolineAutomobile maintenance and repair		389.0 334.4	385.9 335.9	-36.0 3.6	33.2 3.5	9.4 3.6	-2.9 4.8	-7.7 3.6	3.1 4.2	
Body work 1		167.8	168.2	4.3	7.1	4.2	5.4	5.7	4.2	
Automobile drive train, brake,	12,,,	107.0	100.2	7.5	···	7.2	5.7	3.7	7.0	
and miscellaneous mechanical repair 1	12/77	165.7	167.2	6.0	3.8	3.0	11.3	4.9	7.1	
Maintenance and servicing 1	12/77	151.7	151.9	5.2	1.3	3.2	8	3.3	1.2	
Power plant repair	12/77	158.3	159.5	1.6	4.2	2.8	6.0	2.9	4.4	
Other private transportation 1		264.4	266.6	-2.7	-2.3	2.3	8.7	-2.5	5.5	
Other private transportation commodities 1		210.7	211.7	6	-7.3	-3.9	1.0	-4.0	-1.5	
Motor oil, coolant, and other products 1	12/77	152.2	151.7	4.0	.3	-3.3	-2.3	2.1	-2.8	
Automobile parts and equipment 1	12/77	133.8 185.4	134.6 187.0	-1.4 .2	-8.7 -10.5	-3.8 -4.0	1.5 .2	-5.1 -5.3	-1.2 -1.9	
Other parts and equipment 1		132.8	132.9	-5.2	-3.5	-3.3	5.0	-4.4	-1.9	
Other private transportation services 1		281.1	283.7	-3.3	-1.2	3.5	10.4	-2.2	6.9	
Automobile insurance 1		308.8	312.1	12.9	7.8	2.7	13.3	10.3	7.9	
Automobile finance charges 1	12/77	156.8	158.7	-28.1	-22.7	3.2	9.9	-25.4	6.5	
Automobile rental, registration, and				}				}		
other fees 1		148.2	148.3	2.3	12.2	6.5	3.0	7.1	4.7	
State registration 1		195.2	195.2	2.0	18.0	5.1	1.4	9.7	3.3	
Drivers' license '		154.4	154.8	1.8	1.2	71.2	3.7	1.5	33.3	
Automobile inspection 1	12/77 12/77	140.5 167.6	140.5	.3	8.2	23.9	2.0	4.2	12.4	
Public transportation <sup>1</sup>		358.5	167.7 359.9	3.0	6.0 4.1	5 5.2	3.4 4.8	4.5 1.7	1.4 5.0	
Airline fare 1		422.5	427.2	-7.0	6.0	9.9	10.0	7	10.0	
Intercity bus fare 1		417.6	416.9	10.7	19.6	10.0	4.1	15.1	7.0	
Intracity mass transit 1		323.0	322.5	3.3	2.3	1.9	1.1	2.8	1.5	
Taxi fare 1		312.2	313.5	.9	1.0	.3	2.2	1.0	1.2	
Intercity train fare 1		366.1	365.6	3.4	.6	14.9	.4	2.0	7.4	
Medical care		360.9	362.6	10.8	5.2	6.5	5.1	7.9	5.8	
Medical care commodities		228.3	230.3	5.7	8.5	6.3	9.2	7.1	7.7	
Prescription drugs		220.1	223.2	8.1	12.3	6.7	12.5	10.2	9.6	
Anti-infective drugs 1		160.8	161.5	8.7	6.0	6.0	3.5	7.4	4.7	
Tranquilizers and sedatives		183.5	186.9	10.2	20.0	9.4	18.3	15.0	13.8	
Circulatories and diuretics '	12///	157.9	159.7	9.5	17.9	5.3	11.5	13.6	8.4	
and prescription medical supplies	12/77	204.4	207.6	10.0	17.1	2.8	15.9	13.5	9.2	
Pain and symptom control drugs 1	12/77	180.6	182.4	10.8	9.2	8.0	11.5	10.0	9.8	
Supplements, cough and cold preparations,			}	1						
and respiratory agents		164.7	165.9	8.0	6.8	6.4	8.9	7.4	7.6	
Nonprescription drugs and medical supplies 1	12/77	158.3	158.8	5.1	8.1	5.5	3.3	6.6	4.4	
Eyeglasses <sup>1</sup> Internal and respiratory over-the-counter	12/77	136.2	136.6	5.6	1.2	3.9	4.5	3.4	4.2	
drugs 1		257.4	257.7	5.7	9.6	6.8	2.2	7.6	4.5	
Nonprescription medical equipment	10/77	1500	1544		44.0					
and supplies '	12/77	153.0 390.0	154.1 391.5	3.3 11.8	11.0 4.4	2.9 6.7	4.5 4.3	7.1 8.1	3.7 5.5	
Professional services 1		330.1	332.0	9.8	4.4 5.6	8.4	6.9	7.7	7.6	
Physicians' services 1		362.3	364.3	11.8	5.6	6.7	6.3	8.7	6.5	
Dental services 1	]	308.5	310.7	6.9	6.0	11.5	8.7	6.4	10.1	
Other professional services 1	12/77	151.8	152.5	9.5	3.6	5.5	5.4	6.5	5.5	
Other medical care services		465.1	466.0	13.2	3.5	5.0	1.9	8.2	3.4	
Hospital and other medical services		196.9	197.8	14.0	9.4	11.2	5.9	11.7	8.5	
Hospital room		628.9	630.1	12.4	9.8	10.1	6.2	11.1	8.1	
Other hospital and medical care	10/77	1000	1010			44.0		400		
services	12/77	192.9	194.2	15.9	9.3	11.9	5.5	12.6	8.7	

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

	Other		onally sted exes		Seas	sonally ad percent		nnual rate or—	
Group and item	index base	Oct.	Nov.	3	months e	nding in-		6 months e	ending in—
		1983	1983	Feb. 1983	May 1983	Aug. 1983	Nov. 1983	May 1983	Nov. 1983
Entertainment		245.9	246.5	4.3	1.9	5.1	5.2	3.1	5.1
Entertainment commodities		244.4	244.6	3.4	1.2	6.3	2.7	2.3	4.5
Reading materials 1	12/77	162.8	162.3	7.5	9.6	2.8	5.3	8.6	4.1
Newspapers 1		307.0	307.8	8.4	7.3	2.3	5.9	7.9	4.1
Magazines, periodicals, and books 1	12/77	172.0	170.4	6.4	12.7	3.6	4.6	9.5	4.1
Sporting goods and equipment	12/77	129.4	129.5	3.9	6	7.5	2.5	1.6	5.0
Sport vehicles 1	12/77	128.2	128.5	13.0	1.6	4.2	2.2	7.2	3.2
Indoor and warm weather sport equipment 1	12/77	116.4	116.0	1.0	.3	-4.7	-2.0	.7	-3.4
Bicycles		200.3	199.7	-5.1	-1.2	8.0	-1.6	-3.2	3.1
Other sporting goods and equipment 1	12/77	133.8	134.4	1.8	1.2	1.8	4.6	1.5	3.2
Toys, hobbies, and other entertainment	12/77	138.4	138.6	3.0	-1.7	3.9	2.6	.6	3.3
Toys, hobbies, and music equipment	12/77	134.3	134.0	.9	-3.3	4.0	1.2	-1.2	2.6
Photographic supplies and equipment	12/77	133.1	133.4	6.3	-3.9	3.7	2.1	1.1	2.9
Pet supplies and expense 1	12/77	149.6	149.9	3.9	.5	7.0	3.5	2.2	5.3
Entertainment services 1		249.7	251.0	5.8	2.8	3.2	9.4	4.3	6.3
Fees for participant sports 1	12/77	156.9	157.7	4.3	1.1	2.9	12.3	2.7	7.5
Admissions	12/77	144.8	145.9	9.1	7.7	5.8	6.0	8.4	5.9
Other entertainment services 1	12/77	133.6	134.4	1.5	4.3	-5.6	11.8	2.9	2.7
Other goods and services		292.0	293.9	15.2	5.4	10.9	5.1	10.2	7.9
Tobacco products 1		298.8	299.7	31.8	3.7	19.1	3.0	16.9	10.7
Cigarettes 1		306.5	307.3	33.3	3.8	20.2	2.8	17.6	11.1
Other tobacco products and smoking		1				!			
accessories	12/77	151.6	153.2	14.1	1.1	4.7	7.7	7.4	6.1
Personal care 1		261.5	263.7	5.5	2.8	4.4	5.7	4.2	5.0
Toilet goods and personal care appliances 1	404==	263.9	266.6	4.3	4.0	5.2	6.2	4.1	5.7
Products for the hair, hairpieces, and wigs 1	12/77	151.9	153.6	.3	7.2	5.2	4.6	3.7	4.9
Dental and shaving products '	12/77	161.2	165.1	6.3	4.6	-2.7	17.7	5.5	7.0
Cosmetics, bath and nail preparations	40/77	440.0	450.4	400	4.0	400	0.4	4.0	6.4
manicure and eye makeup implements 1	12/77	148.9	150.1	12.0	-1.9	10.0	2.4	4.8	6.1
Other toilet goods and small	12/77	154.1	154.1	-2.1	7.5	5.7	4.5	2.6	5.1
personal care appliances 1	12///	259.6	261.4	6.7	1.6	3.8	5.2		4.5
Personal care services <sup>1</sup>		260.7	262.9	7.7	.9	3.6	5.2	4.1 4.2	4.5
Haircuts and other barber shop		200.7	202.9	, ···	.9	3.0	3.0	4.2	4.3
services for males 1	12/77	145.6	146.3	4.6	3.1	4.0	5.4	3.9	4.7
Personal and educational expenses	12///	343.2	345.8	11.0	11.5	10.0	6.9	11.2	8.4
School books and supplies		306.8	309.6	11.8	11.3	11.0	2.9	11.5	6.9
Personal and educational services		352.1	354.8	10.8	11.5	9.9	7.6	11.1	8.7
Tuition and other school fees	12/77	176.9	178.7	9.1	11.2	8.9	8.0	10.2	8.4
College tuition	12/77	176.3	178.1	8.9	10.5	10.2	7.8	9.7	9.0
Elementary and high school tuition		178.1	179.5	11.4	12.3	3.7	8.4	11.9	6.1
Personal expenses 1		193.9	195.2	13.3	13.6	11.5	10.5	13.4	11.0
Special indexes:									
Motor fuel, motor oil, coolant and other products		384.1	381.2	-35.0	30.9	9.5	-2.5	-7.8	3.3
Insurance and finance 1		419.7	419.8	-13.8	-1.5	5.6	4.1	-7.9	4.8
Utilities and public transportation		339.1	341.4	8.8	6.2	1.6	3.5	7.5	2.5
Housekeeping and home maintenance services	1	370.1	371.5	.8	2.3	5.7	8.3	1.5	7.0

Not seasonally adjusted.

of September 1982.

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

New series; includes direct pricing of new trucks and motorcycles as

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

Area casing and annulation at a start	Pricing	Other		Inde	exes			ent chang 1983 fro			ent chang 1983 fro	
Area, region, and population size class	sched- ule <sup>1</sup>	index base	Aug. 1983	Sept. 1983	Oct. 1983	Nov. 1983	Nov. 1982	Sept. 1983	Oct. 1983	Oct. 1982	Aug. 1983	Sept. 1983
Area <sup>2</sup>												
U.S. city average		{	300.3	301.8	302.6	303.1	3.2	0.4	0.2	2.9	0.8	0.3
Chicago, IllNorthwestern Ind			301.6	303.0	302.3	303.9	3.3	.3	.5	2.7	.2	2
Detroit, Mich		ì	298.8	299.2	298.2	299.9	1.3	.2	.6	1.0	2	3
L.ALong Beach, Anaheim, Calif	М	ĺ	295.2	296.4	297.0	296.5	2.8	.0	2	2.6	.6	.2
N.Y., N.YNortheastern N.J		}	289.5	292.1	292.9	293.9	3.6	.6	.3	3.0	1.2	.3
Philadelphia, PaN.J	М	ļ	289.9	291.4	291.2	291.7	3.1	.1	.2	3.3	.4	1
Anchorage, Alaska		10/67	-	267.9	-	270.4	5.1	.9	-	-		_
Baltimore, Md			-	302.9	-	304.7	5.0	.6	-	-	-	-
Boston, Mass	1		-	290.6	-	294.0	3.2	1.2	-	-	-	-
Cincinnati, Ohio-KyInd		j	-	314.6	-	316.8	4.1	.7	-	-	<b>-</b> i	-
Denver-Boulder, Colo	1		-	339.4	-	339.8	4.2	.1 [	-	-		-
Miami, Fla	1	11/77	-	162.9	_	164.0	4.6	.7	-	_	-	-
Milwaukee, Wis		j	-	313.9	_	312.5	3.1	4	-	_	_	_
Northeast Pennsylvania		1	_	287.2	_	288.5	3.3	.5	_	_	[	
Portland, OregWash		1	_	293.3	_	293.9	2.9	.2	_	_	_ '	· -
St. Louis, MoIII		1	_	302.0		299.6	3.3	8	_ '	_		i _
San Diego, Calif			_	340.4	_	342.3	6.4	.6	_	_	_	_
Seattle-Everett, Wash			_	308.8	_	309.5	4.0	.2	_	_		-
Washington, D.CMdVa			_	297.0	_	298.6	4.3	.5	_	_	-	-
Atlanta, Ga	2		303.9	_	304.4	_	_	_	_	2.2	.2	_
Buffalo, N.Y	1	ļ	285.9	_	288.5	_	j _	_	_	4.1	.9	- 1
Cleveland, Ohio		{	327.3	_	332.5	_	} _ !	_	_	5.0	1.6	}
Dallas-Fort Worth, Tex		1	315.9		318.5	_	-	_	_	3.8	.8	_
Honolulu, Hawaii		l	273.5		276.4	_		_	_	.4	1.1	_
Houston, Tex		1	324.0	\ <u>-</u>	324.3	_	] -	_		2.1	.1	-
			301.3	-	303.3	-	, -	-	-		.7	-
Kansas City, MoKans				-		-	-	-	_	4.8		_
Minneapolis-St.Paul, MinnWis			316.2	-	316.8	{ -	- ,	-	-	3.0	.2	-
Pittsburgh, PaSan Francisco-Oakland, Calif			310.2 306.0	-	313.7 305.7	{ -	_	_	-	4.3 1.1	1.1 1	_
Region <sup>3</sup>												
Northeast	2	12/77	157.8	_	159.3	_	_	_ :	_	3.4	1.0	_
North Central	_	12/77	163.7	_	164.6	_		_	_	2.6	.5	l -
South	, –	12/77	162.6	\ <u>-</u>	164.1	1 -		_		3.2	.9	} -
West	2	12/77	161.5	] _	162.5	-	-	_		2.3	.9 .6	] _
Population size class <sup>3</sup>	_	12///	101.5		102.5			-		2.0	.0	
A-1	2	12/77	158.4	_	159.5					0.6	-	
A-2		12/77	164.2	l	165.3	-	-	_	_	2.6	.7	-
				} -		, -	-	-	-	2.9	.7	- 1
B		12/77	162.4	-	163.9	1 -	-	_	-	3.1	.9	j -
<u>C</u>	2 2	12/77 12/77	161.0 161.6	-	162.3 163.3	-		-	-	3.1 2.9	.8 1.1	-
D												

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

Northeast/A	A	Pricing	Other		Inde	exes			ent chanç . 1983 fro			ent chang 1983 fro	
Northeast/A	Area, region, and population size class					1		1					Sept. 1983
North Central/A         2         12/77         166.6         -         167.3         -         -         -         2.6         .4           South/A         2         12/77         162.4         -         163.3         -         -         -         -         3.3         .6           West/A         2         12/77         162.7         -         163.5         -         -         -         -         2.0         .5           Northeast/B         2         12/77         161.5         -         163.1         -         -         -         4.2         1.0           North Central/B         2         12/77         162.2         -         162.6         -         -         -         2.3         .2           South/B         2         12/77         162.9         -         164.9         -         -         -         -         3.3         1.2           West/B         2         12/77         162.5         -         163.8         -         -         -         2.3         .8           Northeast/C         2         12/77         155.5         -         167.1         -         -         -         -													
South/A       2       12/77       162.4       -       163.3       -       -       -       3.3       .6         West/A       2       12/77       162.7       -       163.5       -       -       -       2.0       .5         Northeast/B       2       12/77       161.5       -       163.1       -       -       -       4.2       1.0         North Central/B       2       12/77       162.2       -       162.6       -       -       -       2.3       .2         South/B       2       12/77       162.9       -       164.9       -       -       -       2.3       .2         West/B       2       12/77       162.5       -       163.8       -       -       -       2.3       .8         Northeast/C       2       12/77       165.5       -       167.1       -       -       -       4.0       1.0         North Central/C       2       12/77       159.6       -       161.1       -       -       -       -       3.3       .9         South/C       2       12/77       155.2       -       155.9       -       -       - <td>Northeast/A</td> <td>2</td> <td>12/77</td> <td>155.0</td> <td>_</td> <td>156.5</td> <td>_</td> <td>_</td> <td>_</td> <td>_</td> <td>3.1</td> <td>1.0</td> <td>_</td>	Northeast/A	2	12/77	155.0	_	156.5	_	_	_	_	3.1	1.0	_
West/A       2       12/77       162.7       -       163.5       -       -       -       2.0       .5         Northeast/B       2       12/77       161.5       -       163.1       -       -       -       4.2       1.0         North Central/B       2       12/77       162.2       -       162.6       -       -       -       2.3       .2         South/B       2       12/77       162.9       -       164.9       -       -       -       3.3       1.2         West/B       2       12/77       162.5       -       163.8       -       -       -       2.3       .8         Northeast/C       2       12/77       165.5       -       167.1       -       -       -       4.0       1.0         North Central/C       2       12/77       159.6       -       161.1       -       -       -       3.3       .9         South/C       2       12/77       162.3       -       163.5       -       -       -       2.8       .7         West/C       2       12/77       155.2       -       155.9       -       -       -       - <td>North Central/A</td> <td></td> <td>12/77</td> <td>166.6</td> <td>-</td> <td>167.3</td> <td>- 1</td> <td>-</td> <td>-</td> <td>-</td> <td>2.6</td> <td>.4</td> <td>-</td>	North Central/A		12/77	166.6	-	167.3	- 1	-	-	-	2.6	.4	-
Northeast/B         2         12/77         161.5         -         163.1         -         -         -         4.2         1.0           North Central/B         2         12/77         162.2         -         162.6         -         -         -         2.3         .2           South/B         2         12/77         162.5         -         164.9         -         -         -         3.3         1.2           West/B         2         12/77         162.5         -         163.8         -         -         -         2.3         .8           Northeast/C         2         12/77         155.5         -         167.1         -         -         -         4.0         1.0           North Central/C         2         12/77         159.6         -         161.1         -         -         -         3.3         .9           South/C         2         12/77         162.3         -         163.5         -         -         -         -         2.8         .7           West/C         2         12/77         155.2         -         155.9         -         -         -         -         2.2         .5	South/A	2	12/77	162.4	-	163.3	-	-	-	-	3.3	.6	-
North Central/B         2         12/77         162.2         -         162.6         -         -         -         -         2.3         .2           South/B         2         12/77         162.9         -         164.9         -         -         -         -         3.3         1.2           West/B         2         12/77         162.5         -         163.8         -         -         -         -         2.3         .8           Northeast/C         2         12/77         155.5         -         167.1         -         -         -         4.0         1.0           North Central/C         2         12/77         159.6         -         161.1         -         -         -         -         3.3         .9           South/C         2         12/77         162.3         -         163.5         -         -         -         -         2.8         .7           West/C         2         12/77         155.2         -         155.9         -         -         -         -         2.2         .5           Northeast/D         2         12/77         160.0         -         161.6         -		_	12/77	162.7	-	163.5	-	-	-	_	2.0	.5	-
South/B       2       12/77       162.9       -       164.9       -       -       -       3.3       1.2         West/B       2       12/77       162.5       -       163.8       -       -       -       -       2.3       .8         Northeast/C       2       12/77       165.5       -       167.1       -       -       -       4.0       1.0         North Central/C       2       12/77       159.6       -       161.1       -       -       -       -       3.3       .9         South/C       2       12/77       162.3       -       163.5       -       -       -       -       2.8       .7         West/C       2       12/77       155.2       -       155.9       -       -       -       2.2       .5         Northeast/D       2       12/77       160.0       -       161.6       -       -       -       -       3.7       1.0         North Central/D       2       12/77       162.8       -       165.1       -       -       -       -       -       -       -       1.9       .9       .9         South/D       <	Northeast/B		12/77	161.5	-	163.1		-		-	4.2	1.0	-
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Northeast/C       2       12/77       165.5       -       167.1       -       -       -       4.0       1.0         North Central/C       2       12/77       159.6       -       161.1       -       -       -       3.3       .9         South/C       2       12/77       162.3       -       163.5       -       -       -       2.8       .7         West/C       2       12/77       155.2       -       155.9       -       -       -       2.2       .5         Northeast/D       2       12/77       160.0       -       161.6       -       -       -       -       3.7       1.0         North Central/D       2       12/77       160.7       -       162.1       -       -       -       -       1.9       .9         South/D       2       12/77       162.8       -       165.1       -       -       -       -       -       3.3       1.4	South/B	_	12/77	162.9	-	164.9	-	-	-	-	3.3	1.2	-
North Central/C       2       12/77       159.6       -       161.1       -       -       -       3.3       .9         South/C       2       12/77       162.3       -       163.5       -       -       -       2.8       .7         West/C       2       12/77       155.2       -       155.9       -       -       -       2.2       .5         Northeast/D       2       12/77       160.0       -       161.6       -       -       -       -       2.2       .5         North Central/D       2       12/77       160.7       -       162.1       -       -       -       1.9       .9         South/D       2       12/77       162.8       -       165.1       -       -       -       -       3.3       1.4		_	12/77	162.5	-	163.8	-	-	-	i -	2.3	.8	-
South/C     2     12/77     162.3     -     163.5     -     -     -     -     2.8     .7       West/C     2     12/77     155.2     -     155.9     -     -     -     -     2.2     .5       Northeast/D     2     12/77     160.0     -     161.6     -     -     -     -     3.7     1.0       North Central/D     2     12/77     160.7     -     162.1     -     -     -     1.9     .9       South/D     2     12/77     162.8     -     165.1     -     -     -     -     3.3     1.4		_	12/77	165.5	-	167.1	-	-	-	-	4.0		_
West/C     2     12/77     155.2     -     155.9     -     -     -     -     2.2     .5       Northeast/D     2     12/77     160.0     -     161.6     -     -     -     -     3.7     1.0       North Central/D     2     12/77     160.7     -     162.1     -     -     -     1.9     .9       South/D     2     12/77     162.8     -     165.1     -     -     -     3.3     1.4		_	12/77	159.6	-	161.1	-	-	-	-	3.3		-
Northeast/D     2     12/77     160.0     -     161.6     -     -     -     3.7     1.0       North Central/D     2     12/77     160.7     -     162.1     -     -     -     1.9     .9       South/D     2     12/77     162.8     -     165.1     -     -     -     3.3     1.4					-		-	-	-	-			-
North Central/D			12/77	155.2	i -	155.9	-	-	-	-	2.2	.5	-
South/D		_		160.0	-	161.6	-	-	-	-	3.7	1.0	-
			_		-	162.1	-	-	-	-		.9	-
West/D	South/D	_	12/77	162.8	-	165.1	-	-	-	-	3.3	1.4	_
	West/D	2	12/77	162.2	-	163.9	-	-	-	-	3.7	1.0	_

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

More than 4,000,000.

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

В 385,000 to 1,250,000.

С 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.

NOTE: Local area CPI indexes are by-products of the national CPI 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.

M - Every month.

<sup>1 -</sup> January, March, May, July, September, and November.

 <sup>2 -</sup> February, April, June, August, October, and December.
 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.

Regions are defined as the four Census regions.

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

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

Area, region, population size class	Other index base	Total food at home	Cereals and bakery products	Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs 1	Dairy products	Fruits and vegetables	Other foods at home
			Inde	xes, Novembe	er 1983		
Area <sup>2</sup>							
J.S. city average		281.4	295.7	256.6	250.2	288.9	343.4
Anchorage, Alaska	10/67	261.9	267.2	242.0	249.5	250.2	316.3
itlanta, Ĝa	1	293.9	299.4	246.2	279.5	331.2	359.1
Baltimore, Md		276.3	298.1	244.9	237.3	297.8	345.4
Boston, Mass	į	264.3	296.7	254.5	226.2	264.5	307.0
Buffalo, N.Y	í	279.3	277.1	246.0	251.5	288.7	358.2
Chicago, IIINorthwestern Ind		270.9	292.2	250.2	235.0	281.3	330.8
Cincinnati, Ohio-KyInd		307.7	354.7	267.1	261.4	311.6	388.1
		287.6	298.7	274.2	252.6		350.1
Cleveland, Ohio						273.6	
Dallas-Fort Worth, Tex	Ì	285.6	295.2	250.9	255.7	288.8	351.9
Denver-Boulder, Colo		270.5	285.0	235.6	262.9	277.9	332.
Detroit, Mich	1	267.0	295.9	253.3	236.3	250.6	324.5
Ionolulu, Hawaii	ì	300.1	291.1	278.9	291.2	306.5	358.9
louston, Tex	(	294.4	291.7	275.9	281.4	291.4	340.3
Cansas City, MoKans	i	271.3	295.6	245.1	250.3	274.7	318.5
ALong Beach, Anaheim, Calif	İ	285.4	301.4	263.7	246.8	271.8	357.3
Miami, Fla	11/77	150.1	154.5	150.2	142.4	158.5	147.4
Milwaukee, Wis		269.2	300.2	255.2	253.9	263.8	300.1
Minneapolis-St. Paul, MinnWis		277.8	313.0	245.5	266.8	265.4	321.1
N.Y., N.YNortheastern N.J	ļ	287.6	297.4	252.2	261.9	307.9	366.6
Northeast Pennsylvania	}	270.3	272.8	264.5	242.5	265.3	321.7
Philadelphia, PaN.J		278.8	304.5	248.0	247.1	287.9	352.3
Pittsburgh, Pa	į	286.3	302.1	265.3	231.6	298.6	351.4
Portland, OregWash	(	276.0	297.1	269.9	217.0	271.1	346.8
	j	282.0	309.9	247.8	258.8	300.3	339.7
St. Louis, MoIII	į	279.9	299.7		1		
San Diego, Calif				255.4	244.9	289.1	336.4
San Francisco-Oakland, Calif		284.4	311.0	260.8	244.0	279.2	358.6
Seattle-Everett, Wash		289.4	307.3	271.9	258.0	248.1	372.2
Washington, D.CMdVa		297.1	311.4	272.0	226.3	310.5	382.4
Region <sup>3</sup>							
Northeast	12/77	144.7	155.0	143.2	140.6	150.7	139.9
North Central	12/77	141.8	154.8	140.3	136.2	144.8	139.2
South	12/77	146.6	155.3	144.7	144.6	152.7	142.7
Vest	12/77	149.2	163.0	144.3	146.1	152.2	148.6
Population size class <sup>3</sup>							
<b>4-1</b>	12/77	143.8	153.7	140.8	142.7	145.7	142.
<b>4-2</b>	12/77	146.6	159.5	144.2	141.0	150.6	144.
3	12/77	145.6	155.8	144.2	142.1	152.4	140.
C	12/77	144.8	157.7	142.2	140.1	151.8	140.8
D	12/77	146.4	157.1	146.4	140.4	153.3	141.

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

Area, region, population size class	Other index base	Total food at home	Cereals and bakery products	Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs <sup>1</sup>	Dairy products	Fruits and vegetables	Other foods at home1
			Inde	exes, Novembe	er 1983		,
Region/population size class cross classification <sup>3</sup>							
Northeast/A	12/77	143.6	153.7	140.4	141.7	148.8	140.6
North Central/A	12/77	142.1	154.3	141.1	137.2	143.2	139.5
South/A	12/77	148.7	158.3	146.9	142.9	151.0	148.1
West/A	12/77	149.6	162.8	144.4	148.7	148.9	150.7
Northeast/B	12/77	145.8	153.9	149.6	140.2	151.0	137.3
North Central/B	12/77	137.6	151.3	136.7	134.3	140.6	133.2
South/B	12/77	146.3	153.4	143.9	145.2	154.4	142.2
West/B	12/77	150.4	165.5	144.9	145.6	158.9	147.8
Northeast/C	12/77	149.1	161.5	150.3	139.8	161.3	139.5
North Central/C	12/77	141.9	155.0	139.4	134.8	147.3	140.2
South/C	12/77	144.8	157.4	141.3	143.7	151.3	140.7
West/C	12/77	144.3	157.8	138.6	142.1	147.5	143.9
Northeast/D	12/77	144.2	158.5	144.6	131.8	149.3	140.2
North Central/D	12/77	144.8	160.0	141.9	136.8	150.9	142.8
South/D	12/77	146.7	150.2	149.3	148.1	155.1	138.0
West/D	12/77	152.1	166.0	152.5	140.3	158.8	147.5

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

Area, region, population size class	Total food at home	Cereals and bakery products	Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	Dairy products	Fruits and vegetables	Other foods at home
		Percent char	nge from Octo	ber 1983 to I	November 1983	
Area ²						
J.S. city average	-0.3	0.6	-0.2	0.0	-2.6	0.2
Anchorage, Alaska	.6	1	1.3	5	1.8	3
Atlanta, Ga	1	.4	-1.2	1.2	-2.6	1.5
Baltimore, Md	.0	.3	8	.2	.6	.4
Boston, Mass	.0	.2	1.4	.1	-1.7	-1.0
Buffalo, N.Y	.4	3	2	.6	-1.1	2.2
Chicago, IIINorthwestern Ind	.2	2.0	.0	6	-2.1	1.1
Cincinnati, Ohio-KyInd	3	1.8	1	-2.6	-2.9	9,
Cleveland, Ohio	8	9	8	.1	-3.3	3
Dallas-Fort Worth, Tex	.2	1.5	.7	-1.3	-3.3	1.4
Denver-Boulder, Colo	.6	-1.0	1.4	.2	-1.1	1.0
	.6		4	3.4		
Detroit, Mich		.4		1	1.2 -5.5	 (
donolulu, Hawaii	-1.8	4	-1.9	.0		-
fouston, Tex	6	3.9	-1.6	1	-3.4	
(ansas City, MoKans	-1.6	-1.5	-1.0	0.	-5.5	8
ALong Beach, Anaheim, Calif	2	.6	1	.1	-2.7	
Miami, Fla	9	6	.9	-1.2	-2.1	-2.
Milwaukee, Wis	1	-1.2	.3	-1.1	2.2	,·
Minneapolis-St. Paul, MinnWis	1.1	3	1.5	1.6	7	1.8
N.Y., N.YNortheastern N.J	4	1.1	6		-3.0	
Northeast Pennsylvania	-1.0	9	.1	.3	-4.4	9
Philadelphia, PaN.J	5	1.1	-1.5	.1	-2.9	
Pittsburgh, Pa	.6	1.1	1.8	.5	-3.4	1.1
Portland, OregWash	.1	2.1	3	5	1	
St. Louis, MoIII	8	.3	-2.0	8	-2.3	1.0
San Diego, Calif	1	.8	-1.8	.5	.5	
San Francisco-Oakland, Calif	.2	.8	.9	3	-3.2	1.
Seattle-Everett, Wash	.0	.1	.2	2	.3	
	-1.7	3	-1.9	-1.1	-5.4	 
Washington, D.CMdVa	-1.7	3	-1.9	~1.1	-5.4	
Region <sup>3</sup>					}	
Northeast	2	.8	.0	.3	-2.6	.:
North Central	2	.7	2	.1	-2.1	
South	7	1	5	3	-3.6	
West	.0	.7	.1	.1	-1.9	.6
Population size class <sup>3</sup>						
A-1	2	1.1	4	.4	-2.5	.0
N-2	3	.4	2	3	-2.3	
3	6	-,1	.0	3	-3.8	.0
<b>3</b>	2	.9	1	.4	-1.9	:
O	4	.2	.1	.0	-2.7	:

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

Area, region, population size class	Total food at home	Cereals and bakery products	Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	Dairy products	Fruits and vegetables	Other foods at home
		Percent chai	nge from Octob	per 1983 to I	November 1983	B
Region/population size class cross classification <sup>3</sup>			1			
Northeast/A	-0.3	0.9	-0.3	0.1	-2.8	0.5
North Central/A	.0	.7	4	.2	-1.6	.7
South/A	6	.9	8	5	-3.0	.2
West/A	1	.6	.1	.0	-2.2	.5
Northeast/B	7	.0	1	.6	-4.6	1
North Central/B	1	5	.3	7	-2.2	.8
South/B	-1.5	-1.1	1	-1.1	-6.3	~.6
West/B		1.6	.2	.2	1	.4
Northeast/C		1.4	.8	.6	.6	3
North Central/C		1.7	.5	.0	-2.3	6
South/C		.3	8	.6	-2.3	.1
West/C		.2	9	.4	-3.5	.1
Northeast/D		.7	1.8	.1	-3.1	.3
North Central/D		.6	-1.0	.2	-3.5	-1.2
South/D	4	5	5	.0	-1.6	.1
West/D	.4	.1	2.5	]6	-3.1	.7

<sup>1</sup> Index is on an April 1967=100 base in Northeastern

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.

75,000 to 385,000. Less than 75,000. D

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

Pennsylvania and Portland, Oreg.-Wash.

<sup>2</sup> 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, III.-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.

Table 15. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Areas priced monthly, by expenditure category and commodity and service group, percent change from October 1983 to November 1983

Group	U.S. city average	Chicago, III Northwestern Ind.	Detroit, Mich.	Los Angeles- Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif.	New York, N.Y Northeastern N.J.	Philadelphia PaN.J.
			Expend	diture category		
All items	0.2	0.5	0.6	-0.2	0.3	0.2
Food and beverages	1	.4	.4	3	3	5
Food	1	.5	.4	2	3	6
Food at home	3	.2	.6	2	4	5
Cereals and bakery products	5 .6	2.0	.4	.6	1.1	1.1
	.0 2	.0	- <b>4</b>	1	6	-1.5
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs			• • •	1		
Meats, poultry, and fish	4	4	-1.0	~.6	7	-1.6
Dairy products	.0	6	3.4	.1	,1	.1
Fruits and vegetables		-2.1	1.2	-2.7	-3.0	-2.9
Other foods at home		1.1	.3	.4	.4	.7
Food away from home	.3	.9	.0	3	.0	6
Alcoholic beverages	1	1	.0	-1.6	.0	.0
Housing	.1	.9	.4	4	.6	.5
Shelter	.4	.8	5	1.2	.9	.3
Renters' costs	.2	.1	.0	1.1	.3	.6
Rent, residential	.4	.0	.3	1.2	.6	.4
Other renters' costs	<b>6</b>	.2	-1.5	.8	-1.2	1.2
Homeowners' costs	.4	1.2	6	1.1	1.3	.2
Owners' equivalent rent	.4	1.2	6	1.2	1.3	.3
Fuel and other utilities	8	1.4	1.6	-8.4	.0	.0
Fuels	-1.3	1.9	2.3	-12.5	.0	8
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas	1	5	1.0	.0	3	1
Gas (piped) and electricity	-1.7	2.2	2.5	-12.6	.1	-1.2
Household furnishings and operation	.2	.7	1.1	1	.3	1.6
Apparel and upkeep	.0	1.3	.0	1	9	-1.2
Apparel commodities	1	1.5	.0	1	-1.2	-1.3
Men's and boys' apparel		2.2	.3	-1.1	2	-1.1
Women's and girls' apparel		4.0	1.8	2	-3.4	-2.1
Footwear	.2	.3	.0	-4.0	7	-1.0
Transportation	.4	.2	.9	.2	.7	.4
Private transportation		.2	.9 .9	.2	.8	.2
		.0			1	
Public transportation	.6	.0	.7	.0	.2	2.5
Medical care	.6	.2	1.8	.2	.9	2
Entertainment	.2	.2	4	2	.2	1.4
Other goods and services	.4	.0	.5	.1	.7	.2
Personal care	.9	.3	.9	.3	1.1	.7

Table 15. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Areas priced monthly, by expenditure category and commodity and service group, percent change from October 1983 to November 1983—Continued

Group	U.S. city average	Chicago, III Northwestern Ind.	Detroit, Mich.	Los Angeles- Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif.	New York, N.Y Northeastern N.J.	Philadelphia, PaN.J.
			Commodity	and service group	)	
All items	0.2	0.5	0.6	-0.2	0.3	0.2
Commodities Food and beverages Commodities less food and beverages Nondurables less food and beverages Durables Services Medical care services	.1 1 .2 3 .9	.5 .4 .5 .2 1.1 .6	.4 .4 .4 4 1.5	2 3 .0 4 .6	.0 3 .2 5 1.5	.0 5 .3 .3 .3
Special indexes:  All items less shelter  All items less medical care  All items less energy  Energy ¹  Commodities less food  Nondurables less food  Nondurables  Services less rent of shelter  Services less medical care	.1	.5 .6 .5 .3 .5 .2 .3 .5 .7	.8 .5 .5 1.0 .5 4 .0 1.5	6 2 .4 -5.4 1 5 4 -1.5	.1 .3 .4 3 .2 4 4 .6	.1 .2 .2 6 .3 .3 1 .4

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Excludes motor oil, coolant, and other products as of January 1983.

Table 16. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Areas priced monthly, by expenditure category and commodity and service group. Indexes, November 1983, and percent changes, September 1983 to November 1983

Group		U.S. city erage	North	icago, III western nd.		etroit, flich.	Long Ana	Angeles- Beach, aheim, Calif.	North	v York, N.Y neastern N.J.		delphia, ıN.J.
	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent
						Expenditur	e cate	gory	·			
All items	303.1	0.4	303.9	0.3	299.9	0.2	296.5	0.0	293.9	0.6	291.7	0.1
All items (1957-59=100)	352.5	-	345.2	-	344.5	-	348.7	-	349.8	_	340.7	-
Food and beverages	285.3	.0	274.7	.5	265.1	9	281.0	.2	286.9	4	291.5	7
Food	292.5	.0	282.2	.5	268.3	_1.0	291.4	.3	296.7	4	301.0	8
Food at home	281.4	4	270.9	.3	267.0	-1.8	285.4	.4	287.6	9	278.8	7
Cereals and bakery products		.7	292.2	.9	295.9	-1.6	301.4	.9	297.4	1.0	304.5	
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs			250.2	2	253.3	5	263.7	.5	252.2		248.0	į.
Meats, poultry, and fish		-1.3	255.6	7	255.0	7	264.9	.1	254.0	-1.7	254.0	-3.0
Dairy products		.0	235.0	9	236.3	-3.7	246.8	.4	261.9	.7	247.1	.5
Fruits and vegetables		-2.9	281.3	-1.2	250.6	-2.8	271.8	-1.5	307.9	-4.6	287.9	-3.3
Other foods at home	343.4	.8	330.8	1.9	324.5	-1.8	357.3	1.0	366.6	.4	352.3	1.4
Food away from home	324.8	.8	309.5	.9	282.2	.7	303.8	.2	319.3	.8	366.6	8
Alcoholic beverages		.1	198.1	.3	247.7	3	199.8	-1.1	210.0	1	222.6	1
Housing	327.0	.2	336.4	4	331.1	.2	320.3	2	305.4	.9	296.4	4
Shelter	351.1	.7	372.0	.9	351.2	1	353.4	1.6	310.6	1.7	305.9	.2
Renters' costs 1	105.0	.6	105.2	.9	103.6	.8	106.0	2.0	105.2	.7	105.6	7
Rent, residential		.8	214.3	.6	222.8	.8	283.2	1.8	251.8	1.0	251.9	1.0
Other renters' costs	359.8	4	355.3	2.5	320.4	.5	320.5	5.4	380.8	7	406.0	-8.9
Homeowners' costs 1	104.3	8.	104.3	.8	100.9	4	106.2	1.2	105.3	2.0	103.7	.5
Owners' equivalent rent 1	104.2	.7	104.2	.8	100.8	5	106.2	1.2	105.2	2.0	103.5	.5
Fuel and other utilities	371.3	-1.4	334.7	-7.3	410.4	.0	316.7	-7.3	392.1	6	361.0	-1.6
Fuels	468.1	-2.1	423.2	-9.3	488.0	-1.4	435.0	-11.3	513.9	7	442.6	-1.9
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas 2	623.9	.1	616.2	.1	657.1	1.3	175.8	3.2	659.1	1	630.5	9.
Gas (piped) and electricity	428.2	-2.8	384.5	-10.6	466.2	-1.7	436.1	-11.4	449.7	-1.1	368.2	-3.6
Household furnishings and operation	239.9	.4	234.3	3.0	219.8	1.0	219.7	-1.1	246.0	.1	244.2	5
Apparel and upkeep	200.7	.1	175.0	1.3	172.1	-1.0	175.1	3	187.8	6	185.2	3
Apparel commodities			159.4	1.5	157.2	-1.3	165.3	6	169.2	8	170.9	2
Men's and boys' apparel	193.0	1.2	146.9	3.6	174.4	1.4	163.9	.9	165.4	.2	168.4	-1.3
Women's and girls' apparel	167.0	-1.1	146.7	2.2	147.3	8	131.0	1.7	144.9	-1.4	123.4	.3
Footwear	209.1	.5	191.5	.5	158.4	3	208.8	-3.7	201.3	4	197.1	-1.0
Transportation		3	303.4	1.2	301.7	1	311.3		325.8		313.7	
Private transportation			295.0	1.1	298.8	.9	312.2		307.9	1.3	313.8	
Public transportation	370.3	1.0	387.8	1.7	369.3	2.4	290.2	-2.3	396.4	1	323.5	.5
Medical care			367.3	.4	376.1		385.0		363.4		387.0	
Entertainment			260.8	2			214.8		258.3		239.6	
Other goods and services			291.4	.7	291.6	I .	280.5		311.7	1	312.1	
Personal care	265.6	1.0	251.0	1.6	230.2	5	255.4	.4	272.4	1.5	244.9	2

Table 16. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Areas priced monthly, by expenditure category and commodity and service group. Indexes, November 1983, and percent changes, September 1983 to November 1983—Continued

Group		J.S. city erage	Chicago, III Northwestern Ind.		Detroit, Mich.		Los Angeles- Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif.		New York, N.Y Northeastern N.J.			delphia, 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	303.1	0.4	303.9	0.3	299.9	0.2	296.5	0.0	293.9	0.6	291.7	0.1		
Commodities		.3	272.4	1.0	259.4		259.0	4	,267.8	.0	269.4	.0		
Food and beverages	285.3	.0	274.7	.5	265.1	9	281.0	.2	286.9		291.5			
Commodities less food and beverages	266.3	.5	265.6	1.3	252.1	.4	247.1	8	252.1	.3	252.6			
Nondurables less food and beverage		5	258.0	.0	254.8		251.3	-2.0	262.0		269.1			
Durables	261.0	1.8	268.4	3.5	248.5	1.7	247.2	.8	238.2	1.7	239.4	1.8		
Services	351.0	.6	354.4	4	361.8	.6	357.2	.5	335.7	1.3	334.5	.3		
Medical care services	395.0	1.0	408.5	.1	390.6	2.6	409.9	.2	388.8	1.8	426.0	.5		
Special indexes:								ı						
All items less shelter	287.8	.3	277.9	.1	280.8	.3	275.7	5	288.7	.3	289.6	1 .1		
All items less medical care	299.7	.4	300.0	.3	293.5	.1	291.6	.0	290.0	.6	286.2	.1		
All items less energy 3	294.4	.8	166.2	1.2	158.3	.4	158.3	1.0	152.4	.8	151.8			
Energy 4 5	419.9	-2.2	189.2	-5.7	185.6	-1.1	189.9	-7.9	184.8	-1.0	192.9	-1.2		
Commodities less food	264.1	.5	263.0	1.3	252.7	.4	244.7	9	249.1	.3	250.5	l .		
Nondurables less food	269.5	4	253.2	.0	254.7	7	246.0	-1.9	256.1	4	264.4	4		
Nondurables	281.1	2	268.3	.3	261.7	8	267.3	8	276.1	4	283.3	6		
Services less rent of shelter 1	104.7	.5	104.4	-1.3	104.8	1.2	104.4	6	106.6	1.1	104.8	.4		
Services less medical care	344.1	.6	344.4	5	347.9	.4	349.2	.5	328.2	1.2	319.8	.2		

<sup>1</sup> Indexes on a December 1982=100 base.

 $<sup>^{2}\,</sup>$  Indexes on a June 1978=100 base in L.A.-Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif.

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

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

Excludes motor oil, coolant, and other products as of January 1983.

Table 17. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Areas priced bimonthly, by expenditure category and commodity and service group. Indexes, November 1983, and percent changes, September 1983 to November 1983

						Area	pricing	g schedu	le 11					
Group		norage, iska ²		imore, Md.		ston, ass.		cinnati, KyInd.	Bo	nver- ulder, olo.		iami, ·la.³	1	vaukee, Vis.
	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percen
						Ex	penditu	ire categ	ory					
All items	270.4	0.9	304.7	0.6	294.0	1.2	316.8	0.7	339.8	0.1	164.0	0.7	312.5	-0.4
All items (1957-59=100) 4		-	353.8		352.2		359.6		361.9	-	-	-	352.8	
Food and beverages	295.1	.7	285.4	.9	267.4	.8	300.5	.9	270.9	.6	154.8	.6	273.6	7
Food		1	290.2		273.8		308.3	.9	277.9	.8	155.5	1	284.9	1
Food at home		1	276.3	1	264.3		307.7	.7	270.5	.9	150.1	1	269.2	1
Cereals and bakery products			298.1	1	296.7	1.2	354.7	2.0	285.0	-1.9	154.5	1	300.2	1
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs			244.9	1	254.5		267.1	.7	235.6	.9	150.2		255.2	
Meats, poultry, isri, and eggs	1		244.9		257.6		268.4	1 .1	236.3	.9	151.0		259.4	
Dairy products			237.3		226.2	1	261.4	9	262.9	8.	142.4		253.9	
			297.8	II .	264.5	1	311.6	1	277.9	5	158.5		263.8	1
Fruits and vegetables Other foods at home			345.4		307.0		388.1	2.2	332.1	3.0	147.4		300.1	
		.6												
Food away from home			326.4	II .	296.4		301.6	į.	300.2	.4	166.3	1	329.8	1
Alcoholic beverages	253.8	.4	249.2	1.1	214.5	1.1	242.8	1.1	236.0	-1.5	142.6	3	195.2	6
Housing			334.2	-	314.5	1	345.6	1	412.3	7	166.4		347.5	
Shelter			369.5		325.7		376.0	.8	497.2	1.1	175.3		372.4	
Renters' costs 5	108.5	6	105.2	.4	104.7	.7	103.5	-1.5	106.0	.9	102.2	3	104.8	.2
Rent, residential	242.6	~.7	225.8	.3	267.6	.8	202.0	.0	248.5	.9	156.2	4	223.5	.2
Other renters' costs	275.8	5	291.1	1.5	321.4	.0	307.5	-10.3	398.0	.7	176.8	.9	313.6	.1
Homeowners' costs 5	105.9	.7	104.4	8	109.1	2.1	103.9	1.9	104.5	1.2	103.4	7	102.8	-1.6
Owners' equivalent rent 5	105.9	.7	104.1	8	109.4	2.1	103.9	2.0	104.4	1.2	103.4	8	102.7	1.8
Fuel and other utilities			344.9	-3.3	380.5	1.7	415.2	-1.6	328.1	-5.7	159.8	4.2	408.3	-3.2
Fuels <sup>6</sup>		.3	427.0	-4.0	468.3	2.1	507.3	-2.1	468.6	-8.0	187.6	6.2	496.8	-4.0
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas 7	486.5		636.3		642.5		196.0		154.7	.8	175.2		652.5	5 .5
Gas (piped) and electricity 6	217.7	.3	347.7	-6.7	338.0	4.6	480.4	-2.8	473.3	-8.3	187.9	6.3	455.4	-5.2
Household furnishings and operation			253.0	1.8	238.1	2.0	232.9		246.0	-2.1	138.9		239.7	
Apparel and upkeep	208.1	2.5	217.3	3.9	214.6	1.4	227.0	5	187.6	1.0	136.7	2.3	234.5	7
Apparel commodities	1		201.7		203.1	1	218.3		159.4	.7	130.4		233.0	
Men's and boys' apparel		1	220.3		176.8		199.8	1.2	209.9	.7	140.2		217.7	
Women's and girls' apparel			164.2		200.1		208.7	.9	147.8	-1.1	116.3	1	228.0	
Footwear	1		230.3		244.2	1	240.7	3.7	171.9	.4	130.6	1	275.6	
Transportation	278.4	2.5	301.2	.8	328.1	.5	286.3	1.2	311.0	.5	179.1	.6	308.2	.6
Private transportation	1 ' ' '		299.5		333.1	1	290.5		306.1	.2	175.1		302.0	
Public transportation			336.6		312.0	1	327.5	1	395.3	4.8	234.5	1	419.8	
Medical care	360.5	.0	345.0	1.2	339.2	1.8	381.0	1.2	346.8	.3	177.8	1.4	354.3	.2
Entertainment			246.3		249.6	1		1.5	282.7	.2	130.1		263.7	
Other goods and services			295.1		293.9		305.9		318.3		169.4		276.1	
Personal care			267.6		251.1		261.1	3.5	292.6		157.5		260.1	

Table 17. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Areas priced bimonthly, by expenditure category and commodity and service group. Indexes, November 1983, and percent changes, September 1983 to November 1983—Continued

						Area	pricing	schedu	le 1¹							
Group		norage, iska ²		imore, //d.		ston, ass.	Cincinnati, Ohio-KyInd.		Denver- Boulder, Colo.			iami, la.³		raukee, Vis.		
	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change		
		Commodity and service group														
All items	270.4	0.9	304.7	0.6	294.0	1.2	316.8	0.7	339.8	0.1	164.0	0.7	312.5	-0.4		
Commodities	263.1	1.2	289.2	1.2	273.8	.8	291.1	.7	287.8	.0	154.4	.5	282.8	.0		
Food and beverages	295.1	.7	285.4	.9	267.4	.8	300.5	.9	270.9	.6	154.8	.6	273.6			
Commodities less food and beverages	238.6	1.5	285.6	1.4	272.7	.9	277.6	.4	292.3	4	154.4	.5	285.1			
Nondurables less food and beverage	252.3	1.1	293.0	1.1	304.2	.7	295.7	1	264.9	7	159.0		297.3			
Durables	226.8	2.0	286.7	1.9	233.6	1.2	264.8	1.4	321.2	.0	153.3	1.5	266.5	1.4		
Services	295.7	.7	331.5	2	328.5	1.5	361.9	.8	426.4	.3	176.5	.8	364.2	-1.0		
Medical care services	394.4	2	372.2	1.1	367.4	1.9	397.4	.9	375.7	1	184.3	1.6	387.7	.1		
Special indexes:					•	ļ						1				
All items less shelter	288.0	1.2	288.2	.8	284.8	1.0	295.9	7.	284.9	2	159.0	1.1	291.1	3		
All items less medical care	272.3		302.5	.6	291.7	1.1	312.8	.7	338.9	.1	163.2	.6	310.0			
All items less energy 8			152.5	1.2	152.7	1.3	162.2	1.1	175.1	.9	160.9	.6	168.5			
Energy 9 10	176.6	.2	173.9	-3.2	201.6	.7	193.1	-1.8	198.2	-6.4	200.1		208.1	-3.2		
Commodities less food	240.9	1.4	283.9	1.4	269.2	.9	276.8	.5	288.8	4	154.0		279.9	.3		
Nondurables less food	253.2	1.0	289.6	1.1	294.9	.8	291.2	1	261.2	8	158.0	2	285.1	5		
Nondurables	276.3	.9	291.3	1.0	285.5	.8	301.5	.4	268.8	1	156.7	.2	284.6	6		
Services less rent of shelter 5	106.9	1.2	106.6	1	102.7	1.4	106.8	.8	104.7	5	106.2	2.0	103.4	9		
Services less medical care	285.4	.7	325.2	3	324.0	1.4	351.5	.8	430.1	.3	175.6	.7	359.3	-1.0		

Table 17. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Areas priced bimonthly, by expenditure category and commodity and service group. Indexes, November 1983, and percent changes, September 1983 to November 1983—Continued

					Ar	ea pricing	schedu	ule 1¹				
Group	_	rtheast isylvania		rtland, Wash.	1	Louis, oIII.		San Diego, Calif.		attle- erett, /ash.		hington, ·MdVa.
	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percen change
						Expenditu	e cate	jory			,	
All items			293.9	0.2	299.6	-0.8	342.3	0.6	309.5	0.2	298.6	0.5
All items (1957-59=100) 11	340.4	-	347.4	-	350.0	-	359.8	-	363.6	-	347.9	-
Food and beverages	268.5	4	285.5	.2	284.8	2	300.7	1.1	287.8	.3	293.6	3
Food		5	293.3	.2	289.5	2	314.0	1.2	296.8	.3	297.0	2
Food at home		1	276.0	.1	282.0	6	279.9	2.0	289.4	.2	297.1	-1.1
Cereals and bakery products		1	297.1	3.3	309.9	.8	299.7	1.0	307.3	.1	311.4	
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs 12			269.9	-1.1	247.8	-2.4	255.4	1.3	271.9	3	272.0	
Meats, poultry, and fish			273.9	-1.3	252.2	-3.0	255.6	.5	276.5	-1.2		
Dairy products			217.0	-1.3	258.8	-3.0	244.9	.9	258.0	5	226.3	1
	-	1	271.1		300.3	1	289.1	2.3	248.1	5 -1.5	310.5	1
Fruits and vegetables Other foods at home 12			346.8	.7 3	339.7	-1.9 1.1	336.4		372.2	1.9	382.4	
			334.6	3	309.6	1	395.3					1
Food away from home		_			1	.7	1	.1	315.7	.6	301.3	1
Alcoholic beverages	206.8	.5	217.1	1	235.6	8	191.0	5	230.9	.6	256.3	-1.0
Housing	1	1	302.1	.0	327.6	-2.2	415.0		340.6	.2	310.3	1
Shelter			334.2	.5	361.4	8	499.4	.8	370.3	-1.0	329.0	
Renters' costs 5			102.5	.3	105.2	1	109.7	.8	101.9	-1.2	107.1	
Rent, residential			228.6	.6	206.2	2	296.9	.6	248.5	8	258.9	
Other renters' costs			325.7	-2.3	330.4	.3	338.9	3.4	393.2	-3.1	365.3	-1.9
Homeowners' costs 5	105.0	1.5	101.8	.6	104.0	-1.1	109.5	.8	101.5	-1.0	104.3	1.6
Owners' equivalent rent 5	105.0	1.5	101.9	.5	104.1	-1.1	109.7	.8	101.2	-1.1	104.2	1.6
Fuel and other utilities			378.3	.9	326.3	-6.4	347.6	-1.2	377.6	4.7	342.2	-4.3
Fuels	491.3	.0	405.8	1.3	408.7	-8.1	488.1	-2.0	536.3	7.3	480.5	-6.1
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas 13	642.7		654.7	3.7	562.1	.5	208.5		630.2		809.8	1
Gas (piped) and electricity	275.8		286.0	l .	377.0		514.6		443.8	1	419.3	1
Household furnishings and operation			221.4	-2.2	246.1	7	218.9		249.2		240.1	
Apparel and upkeep	205.1	3	198.8	-1.9	191.7	-1.5	203.3	-1.0	192.0	-3.3	203.5	-1.8
Apparel commodities		4	193.3	-2.4	181.4	-1.7	193.3	-1.5	179.3	-3.8	185.5	-2.4
Men's and boys' apparel			212.1	1.7	174.7	-4.5	187.7	-1.2	199.3		185.9	1
Women's and girls' apparel			182.5	-6.0	168.2	1	163.1	-4.6	145.0		168.2	
Footwear			198.7	-5.2	153.0	1	225.4	1.4	194.2		221.7	1
Transportation	297.2	1.6	296.6	.5	286.8	.2	303.7	.7	289.5	.2	299.1	1.3
Private transportation		1	306.4	1	293.5	.0	301.9	1	289.0	1	1	,
Public transportation			291.1	-3.0	239.1	6.3	328.5		324.1	1		
Medical care	392.7	2	368.2	1.6	342.4	.6	342.5	1.7	346.0	6	390.8	2
Entertainment	1		234.0	1				1	254.9			
Other goods and services			322.3		294.6		284.4		321.4	3.0		
Personal care			283.9		254.6		263.9		315.3		240.7	

Table 17. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Areas priced bimonthly, by expenditure category and commodity and service group. Indexes, November 1983, and percent changes, September 1983 to November 1983—Continued

					Ar	ea pricing	sched	ule 1¹				
Group	Northeast Pennsylvania			rtland, Wash.		Louis, oIII.		n Diego, Calif. Seattle- Everett, Wash.			hington, MdVa.	
	Index	Percent change	index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change
					Com	modity and	d servi	ce group				
All items	288.5	0.5	293.9	0.2	299.6	-0.8	342.3	0.6	309.5	0.2	298.6	0.5
Commodities	275.6	.1	276.8	2	277.9	3	293.6	.2	278.6	3	271.5	.3
Food and beverages	268.5	4	285.5	.2	284.8	2	300.7	1.1	287.8	.3	293.6	3
Commodities less food and beverages	278.5	.5	270.8	4	267.3	3	286.0	5	271.0	7	254.3	.6
Nondurables less food and beverage	291.3	1	284.6	-1.2	263.0	-1.1	268.2	-2.1	285.4	-1.9	277.4	9
Durables	261.9	1.4	266.2	.8	270.8	.6	306.2	1.6	265.6	1.0	232.8	3.1
Services	315.4	1.0	324.2	.7	339.0	-1.4	421.9	1.0	363.5	.7	339.0	.7
Medical care services	441.9	4	403.1	1.5	370.0	.5	366.5	1.8	373.1	7	427.1	2.2
Special indexes:	1					1						İ
All items less shelter	279.5	.3	283.3	.2	280.7	8	283.7	.5	288.6	.6	286.5	.1
All items less medical care	282.6		289.6	.1	296.8	9	342.0	.5	307.2	.3	293.6	.4
All items less energy 8	153.9	.5	153.8	.5	160.8	.0	181.6	1.1	165.8	.1	155.7	1.1
Energy <sup>9</sup> 10	188.2	2	187.7	-1.4	175.4	-5.7	205.1	-4.6	213.0	.9	191.7	-3.6
Commodities less food	274.1	.4	268.2	4	266.8	4	281.7	5	268.6	6	255.0	.6
Nondurables less food	282.8	1	278.1	-1.2	261.6	-1.1	260.5	-2.0	279.5	-1.7	276.2	
Nondurables	279.4	3	285.6	6	276.5	7	285.0	4	287.8	8	287.7	6
Services less rent of shelter 5	104.5	.7	103.6	1.0	103.6	-1.8	107.8	1.0	106.2	2.3	106.5	1
Services less medical care	296.8	1.2	313.5	.6	332.0	-1.7	426.0	.9	360.5	.9	328.0	.6
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Areas on pricing schedule 2 (See table 13) will appear next month.

Indexes are on the bases listed:

Anchorage, Alaska	January 1978=100.
Baltimore, Md	March 1978=100.
Boston, Mass	January 1978=100.
Cincinnati, Ohio-KyInd	March 1978=100.

Denver-Boulder, Colo.....January 1978 == 100. Miami, Fla.....November 1977=100. Milwaukee, Wis.....November 1977=100. Northeastern Pennsylvania...November 1977 = 100. Portland, Oreg.-Wash.....January 1978 == 100.

St. Louis, Mo.-III......March 1978=100. San Diego, Calif......November 1977 = 100.

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

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

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

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

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

Indexes on a November 1982=100 base.

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

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

Indexes on a June 1978=100 base.

Excludes motor oil, coolant, and other products as of January 1983.

<sup>11</sup> The 1957-59=100 base is not available for San Diego, Calif.; index is on a February 1965=100 base.

12 Index is on an April 1967=100 base in Northeastern Pennsylvania

and Portland, Oreg.-Wash.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>13</sup> Index on a June 1978=100 base in San Diego, Calif.

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

Associate and association story	Pricing	Other		Inde	exes			ent chang 1983 fro			ent chang 1983 fro	
Area, region, and population size class	sched- ule¹	index base	Aug. 1983	Sept. 1983	Oct. 1983	Nov. 1983	Nov. 1982	Sept. 1983	Oct. 1983	Oct. 1982	Aug. 1983	Sept. 1983
Area <sup>2</sup>												
U.S. city average			299.5	300.8	301.3	301.4	2.8	0.2	0.0	2.6	0.6	0.2
Chicago, IIINorthwestern Ind			297.4 303.7	299.1 304.6	294.5 298.9	295.7 301.8	.9	-1.1 9	.4 1.0	.4	-1.0 -1.6	-1.5
Detroit, Mich							3.3			2.6		-1.9
L.ALong Beach, Anaheim, Calif			293.7	296.7	299.0	297.8	2.1	.4	4	2.1	1.8	8.
N.Y., N.YNortheastern N.J			288.4	288.1	288.7	287.3	1.9	3	5	2.1	.1	.2
Philadelphia, PaN.J	М		293.3	294.2	294.2	294.8	4.5	.2	.2	4.6	.3	.0
Anchorage, Alaska		10/67	_	260.8	-	264.0	3.8	1.2	-	-	_	_
Baltimore, Md			-	299.5	-	302.4	4.4	1.0	- '	-	-	-
Boston, Mass			-	288.6	-	292.5	2.8	1.4	-	_	-	-
Cincinnati, Ohio-KyInd			-	311.2	-	316.0	2.9	1.5	-	-	-	-
Denver-Boulder, Colo	1		-	337.3	-	338.4	1.8	.3	_	_	-	-
Miami, Fla	1	11/77	-	164.3	-	164.9	4.3	.4	-	-	-	- 1
Milwaukee, Wis	1		-	329.1	-	328.9	7.2	1	_	_	_	_
Northeast Pennsylvania	1		_	290.0	-	290.9	3.7	.3	-	_	-	_
Portland, OregWash			-	288.2	-	289.6	2.2	.5	-	_	-	-
St. Louis, MoIII	1		_	299.1	_	299.3	3.6	.1	-	_	_	-
San Diego, Calif	1	l	-	323.9	-	323.7	1.7	1	_	_	_	_
Seattle-Everett, Wash	1	}	_	297.7	_	299.0	1.7	.4	_	_	-	
Washington, D.CMdVa	1	}	-	300.9	-	302.7	3.8	.6	_	-	-	-
Atlanta, Ga	2		304.3	_	306.3	_	_	_	_	2.5	.7	_
Buffalo, N.Y	1		285.1	-	286.8	_	_	_	_	4.6	.6	_
Cleveland, Ohio			317.6	_	317.6	} _	_	-	_	1.1	.0	_
Dallas-Fort Worth, Tex		1	309.0	_	314.7	-	_ :	_	_	4.0	1.8	_
Honolulu, Hawaii	_	l	278.2	_	285.9	_	_ '		_	4.1	2.8	
Houston, Tex		1	321.6	_	322.4	_		_	_	2.4	.2	-
Kansas City, MoKans			299.3	_	303.9	_	_	_	_	5.8	1.5	-
Minneapolis-St.Paul, MinnWis			308.5	_	312.7	_	_	_	_	1.7	1.4	{ _
Pittsburgh, Pa			304.2	_	304.7	_	_		_	1.5	.2	_
San Francisco-Oakland, Calif			301.6	_	301.4	-	-	-	-	.0	1	-
Region <sup>3</sup>					}							
Northeast	2	12/77	157.7	_	158.5	_	_	_	-	3.3	.5	_
North Central		12/77	163.6	_	163.5	_	-		_	2.1	1	-
South		12/77	162.3	_	164.2	_	_	_	_	3.3	1.2	_
West	_	12/77	160.0	_	161.8	_	-	_	_	1.6	1.1	_
Population size class <sup>3</sup>												
•		10/77	450.0		450 4		}				_	
A-1		12/77	158.2	-	158.4	-	-	-	-	2.1	.1	-
A-2		12/77	163.4	-	164.5	-	-	-	-	2.6	.7	-
B		12/77	162.1	-	163.6	-	-	-	-	3.0	.9	_
C		12/77	160.5	-	162.0	-	-	-	-	3.3	.9	-
D	2	12/77	161.8	-	163.1	-	} -	-	-	2.6	.8	- 1

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

According and accordation size along	Pricing	Other		Inde	exes			ent chang . 1983 fro		Percent change to Oct. 1983 from—		
Area, region, and population size class	sched- ule¹	index base	Aug. 1983	Sept. 1983	Oct. 1983	Nov. 1983	Nov. 1982	Sept. 1983	Oct. 1983	Oct. 1982	Aug. 1983	Sept 1983
Region/population size class cross classification <sup>3</sup>												
lortheast/A	2	12/77	154.7	_	155.0	_	_	_	_	2.6	0.2	-
lorth Central/A		12/77	166.1	-	165.6	-	-	- '	-	2.1	3	- 1
outh/A		12/77	162.7	-	164.0	-	-	-	-	3.4	.8	1 -
Vest/A		12/77	160.9	_	162.8	-	-	-	-	1.4	1.2	1 -
lortheast/B	2	12/77	161.0	-	162.6	-	-	-	-	4.1	1.0	-
lorth Central/B		12/77	162.8	-	162.6	-	_	-	-	1.8	1	- 1
outh/B		12/77	162.5	-	164.3	-	-	-	-	3.3	1.1	-
/est/B	2	12/77	161.8	-	164.2	-	-	-	-	2.4	1.5	-
lortheast/C		12/77	166.9	-	168.6	-	-	-	-	5.6	1.0	-
lorth Central/C		12/77	158.0	-	159.2	-	-	-	-	3.0	.8	i -
outh/C		12/77	162.2	-	164.3	-	-	-	-	3.4	1.3	-
/est/C		12/77	153.1	-	153.3	-	-	-	-	1	.1	-
lortheast/D		12/77	161.2	-	161.7	-	-	-	-	3.6	.3	-
lorth Central/D		12/77	162.6	-	163.0	-	-	-	-	2.1	.2	-
outh/D	2	12/77	161.5	-	164.2	-	-	-	-	2.8	1.7	-
/est/D	2	12/77	161.2	-	162.2	-	-	-	-	2.3	.6	

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Foods, fuels, and several other items priced every month in all areas; most other goods and services priced as indicated:

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.

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

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

M - Every month.

<sup>1 -</sup> January, March, May, July, September, and November.

<sup>2 -</sup> February, April, June, August, October, and December.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> 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.

Regions are defined as the four Census regions.

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

Area, region, population size class	Other index base	Total food at home	Cereals and bakery products	Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs <sup>1</sup>	Dairy products	Fruits and vegetables	Other foods at home
		. , .	Inde	exes, Novembe	er 1983		
Area <sup>2</sup>			-				
J.S. city average		280.5	294.3	256.1	249.3	285.1	344.2
Anchorage, Alaska	10/67	255.3	263.4	226.3	243.3	251.2	314.6
Atlanta, Ga		293.0	299.8	247.9	267.7	317.2	368.4
Baltimore, Md	§	273.3	296.7	244.2	232.9	299.5	334.6
Boston, Mass		261.5	292.9	253.4	225.4	263.1	298.0
Buffalo, N.Y		276.8	271.9	247.8	251.4	277.7	354.8
						1	
Chicago, IllNorthwestern Ind		267.2	298.3	239.0	231.1	281.1	331.2
Cincinnati, Ohio-KyInd		307.2	360.6	268.7	264.0	310.6	380.4
Cleveland, Ohio		285.9	292.2	276.0	241.4	279.1	347.1
Dallas-Fort Worth, Tex		288.0	285.3	254.5	262.0	292.6	356.8
Denver-Boulder, Colo		273.7	263.8	232.9	264.5	297.5	347.8
Detroit, Mich		269.1	296.9	254.5	238.4	266.6	319.6
tonolulu, Hawaii		308.0	283.7	295.3	291.3	310.1	367.3
louston, Tex		294.0	289.5	272.8	273.1	287.1	352.3
(ansas City, MoKans		268.3	284.6	246.3	250.4	262.8	318.4
.ALong Beach, Anaheim, Calif		283.4	288.0	263.7	247.6	265.5	359.3
Miami, Fla		152.5	158.8	157.2	142.0	157.8	145.0
Milwaukee. Wis		275.6	314.9	262.2	256.4	266.1	307.6
Minneapolis-St. Paul, MinnWis		279.8	312.8	247.8	265.0		331.7
						262.0	,
N.Y., N.YNortheastern N.J		283.0	296.7	251.5	259.4	290.7	360.2
Northeast Pennsylvania		269.7	265.1	257.6	240.7	280.4	324.3
Philadelphia, PaN.J		280.5	305.5	250.0	245.7	289.0	356.7
Pittsburgh, Pa		290.5	300.1	270.9	234.0	310.9	354.6
Portland, OregWash		278.6	299.0	259.4	224.1	280.7	362.5
St. Louis, MoIII		283.1	324.9	248.0	254.7	302.2	339.7
San Diego, Calif	(	283.0	309.5	251.9	256.6	287.7	341.0
San Francisco-Oakland, Calif		283.0	316.6	262.4	240.8	273.7	352.5
Seattle-Everett, Wash		288.4	309.2	271.4	256.5	250.1	365.6
Vashington, D.CMdVa		292.3	287.5	271.3	225.2	305.4	378.2
Region <sup>3</sup>							
•							
Northeast		144.1	155.1	143.2	139.8	147.5	139.8
North Central		141.7	156.9	139.4	135.8	144.5	139.7
South	12/77	146.1	152.1	144.6	144.5	151.6	143.5
Vest	12/77	149.4	160.5	145.2	146.8	149.7	150.0
Population size class <sup>3</sup>							İ
<b>4-1</b>		142.3	152.9	139.6	141.6	141.9	141.4
\-2	12/77	146.3	158.4	144.8	140.0	149.6	144.
3	12/77	146.2	156.6	145.0	141.8	152.9	142.0
S		144.3	155.4	141.4	139.6	150.6	141.8
)		146.8	157.4	146.4	141.4	150.4	143.

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

Area, region, population size class	Other index base	Total food at home	Cereals and bakery products	Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs '	Dairy products	Fruits and vegetables	Other foods at home <sup>1</sup>
			Inde	exes, Novembe	er 1983		
Region/population size class cross classification <sup>3</sup>							
Northeast/A	12/77	142.3	153.1	140.2	140.7	143.5	139.5
North Central/A	12/77	141.6	156.3	139.5	136.3	144.1	139.2
South/A	12/77	148.3	153.9	147.7	141.5	150.3	148.7
West/A	12/77	148.9	159.6	144.7	148.7	145.7	150.6
Northeast/B	12/77	147.0	157.3	148.4	137.5	158.4	138.8
North Central/B	12/77	140.0	158.7	140.1	134.7	140.0	135.2
South/B	12/77	145.5	150.0	143.6	146.1	153.3	141.9
West/B	12/77	152.4	164.5	147.9	147.9	156.9	152.4
Northeast/C	12/77	148.2	159.9	149.4	140.0	154.5	142.0
North Central/C	12/77	141.8	154.2	139.5	133.9	147.5	141.3
South/C	12/77	143.5	153.1	138.4	143.3	151.1	141.6
West/C	12/77	144.9	155.5	140.5	143.5	149.3	143.5
Northeast/D	12/77	147.4	159.8	150.7	136.7	150.4	141.2
North Central/D	12/77	144.1	160.9	138.5	138.2	146.9	144.9
South/D	12/77	147.6	151.2	151.0	148.7	152.0	140.1
West/D	12/77	150.4	162.4	148.2	138.5	154.7	150.9

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

Area <sup>2</sup> .S. city average	-0.3	Percent char	nge from Octo	ber 1983 to !									
	0.3		Percent change from October 1983 to November 1983										
S city average	-0.3	i											
.o. ory average	1	0.6	-0.2	0.0	-2.6	0.2							
nchorage, Alaska		.0	1.3	7	1.8	2							
tlanta, Ga		.5	-1.0	1.7	-2.5	1.6							
altimore, Md	2	.2	9	.2	1	.4							
oston, Mass	1	.3	1.1	.1	-1.5	-1.2							
uffalo, N.Y	.  .4	3	1	.5	-1.0	2.2							
hicago, IIINorthwestern Ind	0	1.8	3	6	-2.5	1.0							
incinnati, Ohio-KyInd	2	2.0	1	-2.3	-3.5	1.0							
leveland, Ohio	7	-1.1	8	.4	-3.2	.2							
allas-Fort Worth, Tex	.  .2	1.5	1.0	-1.4	-3.6	1.4							
enver-Boulder, Colo	.\ .6	9	1.3	.2	-1.6	1.6							
etroit, Mich	6	.5	6	3.8	.9	.4							
onolulu, Hawaii	1.3	4	9	.0	-5.5	6							
ouston, Tex	4	4.2	-1.7	.0	-2.3	.2							
ansas City, MoKans	1.4	-1.4	-1.0	.0	-5.1	9							
ALong Beach, Anaheim, Calif		.7	1	.1	-2.4	.5							
liami, Fla		8	1.0	-1.2	-2.9	-2.0							
lilwaukee, Wis		-1.2	.2	-1.1	1.6	4							
linneapolis-St. Paul, MinnWis		4	1.5	1.3	8	2.0							
Y., N.YNortheastern N.J		1.1	6	.1	-2.7								
ortheast Pennsylvania		9	.2	.3	-6.2	8							
hiladelphia, PaN.J		1.2	-1.7	.2	-3.0	.7							
ittsburgh, Pa		1.1	2.2	.5	-4.2	1.0							
ortland, OregWash		1.8	2	5	1.1	1.1							
t. Louis, MoIII	1	1.0	-2.1	7	-2.5	l : <del>,</del>							
an Diego, Calif		.7	-1.7	.5	1.5	.3							
an Francisco-Oakland, Calif		.7	.8	3	-3.0	1.4							
eattle-Everett, Wash		.0		3	3	5							
/ashington, D.CMdVa		5	-2.1	-1.4	-5.3	1							
<b>3</b> ,	-1.7	5	-2.1	-1.4	-5.3	1							
Region <sup>3</sup>													
ortheast		.9	1	.3	-2.6	.2							
orth Central	2	.7	3	.1	-2.3	.1							
outh	7	.0	6	3	-3.3	.0							
/est	1	.8	.2	.1	-2.0	.5							
Population size class <sup>3</sup>													
-1	2	1.1	6	.4	-2.4	.5							
-2		.4	1	2	-2.4								
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Table 19. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers: Selected areas, food at home expenditure categories—Continued

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	.6	4 8	.4	<b>-1.7</b>	.7
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	.1	1	.7	-4.4	1
	4	.1	7	-2.3	.9.
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1	1.4	.5	.2	3	.5
	1.4	.7	.6	.8	4
	1.7	.4	.0	-2.8	6
	.3	9	.6	-2.3	
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	.6		.3		-1.3
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Index is on an April 1967=100 base in Northeastern

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

A-1 - 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.

Pennsylvania and Portland, Oreg.-Wash.

<sup>2</sup> 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, III.-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.

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

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 October 1983 to November 1983

Group	U.S. city average	Chicago, III Northwestern Ind.	Detroit, Mich.	Los Angeles- Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif.	New York, N.Y Northeastern N.J.	Philadelphia PaN.J.
			Expend	iture category		
All items	0.0	0.4	1.0	-0.4	-0.5	0.2
Food and beverages	1	.3	.4	2	3	5
Food	1	.3	.4	2	3	6
Food at home	3	.0	.6	1	4	6
Cereals and bakery products	.6	1.8	.5	.7	1.1	1.2
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	2	3	6	1	6	-1.7
Meats, poultry, and fish	2 5	8	-1.1	1 6	6 7	-1.7 -1.8
	5 .0	6	3.8	1		
Dairy products		1	•	.1	.1	.2
Fruits and vegetables	-2.6	-2.5	.9	-2.4	-2.7	-3.0
Other foods at home	.2	1.0	.4	.5	.4	.7
Food away from home	.2	.9	.0	2	.0	6
Alcoholic beverages	1	.1	.0	-1.5	.2	.0
Housing	2	.5	1.3	8	-1.5	.7
Shelter	1	.3	1.2	.0	-2.6	.5
Rent, residential	.4	.0	.3	1.2	.6	.4
Other rental costs	6	.2	-2.1	1.1	-1.2	1.1
Homeownership	3	.4	1.3	3	-4.2	.5
Property taxes	.2	.0	.0	.0	.3	.1
Fuel and other utilities	8	1.4	1.8	-8.1	.0	.1
Fuels	-1.3	1.8	2.6	-12.0	.0	8
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas	1	5	1.3	.0	3	0 1
Gas (piped) and electricity	-1.6	2.2	2.8	-12.2	5	-1.2
Household furnishings and operation	.2	.6	1.3	2	.5	2.0
Apparel and upkeep	1	1.3	.3	1	9	-1.5
Apparel commodities	1	1.6	.3 .3	1	-1.2	-1.9
	.5	2.4	.5 .5	-1.3	.0	-1. <del>9</del> -1.1
Men's and boys' apparel  Women's and girls' apparel	-	4.3		1		
	-1.1		2.1	.2	-3.2	-3.5
Footwear	.5	.2	.0	-3.5	6	7
Transportation	.4	.2	.9	.2	.7	.3
Private transportation	.4	.2	.9	.2	.8	.2
Public transportation	.4	.0	.6	.0	.2	2.0
Medical care	.6	.2	1.7	.2	.9	2
Entertainment	.1	.1	3	2	.2	1.5
Other goods and services	.5	.0	.5	.1	.9	.2
Personal care	.8	.3	1.0	.2	1.1	.5

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 October 1983 to November 1983—Continued

Group	U.S. city average	Chicago, III Northwestern Ind.	Detroit, Mich.	Los Angeles- Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif.	New York, N.Y Northeastern N.J.	Philadelphia PaN.J.
			Commodity	and service group		
All items	0.0	0.4	1.0	-0.4	-0.5	0.2
Commodities	.0	.3	.7	3	5	.0
Food and beverages	1	.3	.4	2	3	5
Commodities less food and beverages	.1	.4	.9	3	6	.4
Nondurables less food and beverages	3	.1	3	4	4	.3
Durables	.4	.6	1.6	2	8	.5
Services	.0	.4	1.3	6	5	.4
Medical care services	.5	.0	2.1	.1	1.0	.2
Special indexes:						
All items less shelter	.1	.4	.8	6	.2	.1
All items less medical care	.0	.4	.9	4	6	.2
All items less energy	.2	.4	1.0	.1	5	.3
Energy 1	-1.2	.1	1.0	-4.8	3	6
Commodities less food		.4	.9	3	6	.4
Nondurables less food	3	.1	3	5	4	.3
Nondurables	2	.2	.0	4	3	2
Services less rent	.0	.5	1.3	9	8	.4
Services less medical care	.0	.5	1.2	6	7	.5

<sup>1</sup> Excludes motor oil, coolant, and other products as of January 1983.

Table 21. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers: Areas priced monthly, by expenditure category and commodity and service group. Indexes, November 1983 and percent changes September 1983 to November 1983

Group		J.S. city erage	North	icago, III western Ind.	•	etroit, lich.	Long Ana	Angeles- Beach, aheim, Galif.	North	v York, 1.Y neastern N.J.		Philadelphia, PaN.J.	
	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent	
A PARAMETER STATE OF THE STATE		·				Expenditur	e cateç	jory	<b>L</b>	<u> </u>	<b></b>	L	
All Harry	301.4	0,2	295.7	-1.1	301.8	-0.9	297.8	0.4	287.3	-0.3	294.8	0.2	
All items All items (1957-59=100)			335.9	-1.1	346.7	-0.9	350.2	-	341.9	-0.3	344.3	-	
Food and beverages	285.6	.0	270.7	.5	267.7	9	286.5	.3	284.1	3	299.5	8	
Food	292.6	.0	277.2	.5	270.9	-1.0	296.9	.4	293.5	3	309.2	9	
Food at home	280.5	4	267.2	.3	269.1	-1.7	283.4	.5	283.0	8	280.5	8	
Cereals and bakery products	294.3	.7	298.3	.7	296.9	-1.2	288.0	.9	296.7	1.0	305.5	.6	
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs		9	239.0	4	254.5	5	263.7	.5	251.5	-1.4	250.0	-2.6	
Meats, poultry, and fish	260.2	-1.4	244.9	9	256.0	7	265.6	.1	252.8	-1.8	255.0	-3.2	
Dairy products	249.3	.0	231.1	-1.0	238.4	-3.8	247.6	.4	259.4	.7	245.7	.5	
Fruits and vegetables	285.1	-2.8	281.1	-1.0	266.6	-3.4	265.5	-1.1	290.7	-3.9	289.0	-3.9	
Other foods at home	344.2	.8	331.2	1.9	319.6	-1.8	359.3	1.0	360.2	.4	356.7	1.5	
Food away from home	328.0	.8	302.3	.9	286.7	.8	324.7	.2	321.2	.9	399.6	8	
Alcoholic beverages	221.5	.1	205.8	.5	248.7	2	203.6	-1.1	212.9	1	229.3	1	
Housing		2	315.1	-3.6	341.4	-2.4	322.7	.6	291.5	-1.4	302.6	.2	
Shelter		1	343.9	-4.2	374.7	-3.6	356.4	1.9	288.9	-2.1	321.3	1.1	
Rent, residential		.8	214.3	.6	222.8		283.2	1.8	251.8		251.9	1.0	
Other rental costs		4	372.0	2.9	319.1	.7	311.7	7.1	374.5		406.5	-8.2	
Homeownership		3	403.1	-5.5	402.6		379.7	1.9	311.2		338.4	1.6	
Property taxes 1	239.6	.5	121.2	.0	130.1	.0	123.6	.0	120.7	.3	123.2	1.3	
Fuel and other utilities	372.8	-1.4	337.1	-7.2	412.3	.2	314.9	-7.0	394.2	5	360.3	-1.5	
Fuels	467.8	-2.2	425.0	-9.2	489.9	-1.1	430.2	-10.9	515.7	7	443.0	-1.9	
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas 2	626.4	.1	629.8	.1	657.7	1.6	175.8	3.2	658.8	1	630.4	1.0	
Gas (piped) and electricity		-2.8	384.3	-10.7	468.3	-1.5	431.8	-11.0	449.6	-1.0	368.4	-3.6	
Household furnishings and operation		.4	223.8	2.8	206.7	1.0	214.5	-1.3	240.5	.0	233.0	4	
Apparel and upkeep		.2	180.6	1.3	168.1	4	174.2	4	187.9		158.8	9	
Apparel commodities			162.9	1.6	153.0	5	165.4	7	170.6		142.0	-1.0	
Men's and boys' apparel		1.2	159.7	3.9	167.6		162.1	.7	165.8		147.0		
Women's and girls' apparel		9	153.9		142.1	.7	131.1	1.9	148.6	1	96.5		
Footwear	209.1	.7	173.3	.8	159.5	2	223.6	-3.5	204.7	4	198.7	7	
Transportation		.9	308.2	1.1	290.7	.9	312.0	1	329.5	1	322.7	.9	
Private transportation		.9	301.3	1.1	288.1	.9	313.6	.0	313.3	1	324.1	1.0	
Public transportation	359.9	.8	388.7	1.4	374.0	2.3	284.5	-2.0	390.4	1	319.1	.4	
Medical care	362.9	1.0	373.4	.4	369.1	2.2	379.1	.3	348.2	1.5	409.8	.3	
Entertainment	245.7	.7	296.1	2	211.2	.3	195.7	1.3	252.4	.8	232.3	2.3	
Other goods and services		1.2	282.0	.8	302.2		283.9	.4	307.5		299.7	.8	
Personal care	263.7	1.1	231.7	1.9	250.3	4	254.1	.4	277.9	1.5	229.3	3	

Table 21. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers: Areas priced monthly, by expenditure category and commodity and service group. Indexes, November 1983 and percent changes September 1983 to November 1983—Continued

Group		J.S. city erage	Chicago, III Northwestern Ind.		Detroit, Mich.		Los Angeles- Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif.		New York, N.Y Northeastern N.J.			delphia, 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	301.4	0.2	295.7	-1.1	301.8	-0.9	297.8	0.4	287.3	-0.3	294.8	0.2
Commodities	276.2	.1	266.4	4	260.1	-1.2	261.2	.2	264.5	7	272.6	.0
Food and beverages	285.6	.0	270.7	.5	267.7	9	286.5	.3	284.1	3	299.5	8
Commodities less food and beverages	267.5	.1	258.6	9	250.5	-1.4	247.8	.2	248.5	-1.0	253.4	.5
Nondurables less food and beverages	276.6	5	261.5	2	256.9	6	252.9	-2.2	266.2	4	258.0	5
Durables	258.7	.7	253.7	-1.5	243.3	-1.8	244.9	1.8	224.5	-1.6	248.9	1.6
Services	348.2	.4	346.5	-2.0	370.1	5	360.7	.6	327.0	.2	340.4	.5
Medical care services	392.3	1.0	412.6	.1	384.7	2.5	402.9	.1	369.1	1.9	458.9	.4
Special indexes:				:								
All items less shelter	287.8	.3	279.4	.1	277.0	.4	275.5	5	287.0	.3	289.3	.0
All items less medical care	298.2	.2	291.4	-1.2	295.7	-1.0	293.4	.4	283.8	4	288.7	.2
All items less energy 3	291.8	.5	160.7	6	159.1	9	158.9	1.2	148.3	1	153.1	.4
Energy 4 5	420.8	-2.2	191.1	-5.3	189.4	-1.0	187.4	-7.5	186.4	-1.0	195.6	-1,1
Commodities less food	265.3	.2	256.4	9	251.1	-1.3	245.6	.1	245.7	9	251.5	
Nondurables less food	271.5	5	256.8	1	256.7	5	247.9	-2.1	260.1	4	254.7	5
Nondurables	282.1	~.2	267.9	.2	264.1	8	270.8	9	276.6	3	281.7	7
Services less rent	368.8	.4	378.1	-2.4	386.4	<b>6</b>	375.4	.3	349.2	.1	352.4	.5
Services less medical care	341.3	.3	335.7	-2.2	356.5	7	353.6	.6	320.4	.1	323.3	.6

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

Indexes on a January 1981=100 base, except U.S. city average. Indexes on a June 1978=100 base in L.A.-Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif.

Indexes on a June 1978=100 base.

Excludes motor oil, coolant, and other products as of January 1983.

Table 22. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers: Areas priced bimonthly, by expenditure category and commodity and service group. Indexes, November 1983 and percent changes September 1983 to November 1983

						Area pricing schedule 1 <sup>1</sup>								
Group		horage, aska <sup>2</sup>		imore, Md.	Boston, Mass.		Cincinnati, Ohio-KyInd.		Denver- Boulder, Colo.		Miami, Fla. <sup>3</sup>		Milwaukee, Wis.	
	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percen change
			·	Expenditur				enditure category				Y		1
All items			302.4	1.0	292.5	1.4	316.0		338.4	0.3	164.9	0.4	328.9	
All items (1957-59 = 100) 4	288.4	-	351.1	-	350.4	-	358.7	-	360.4	-	-	-	371.3	-
Food and beverages	293.1	.5	285.6	.8	264.9	.7	301.5	.9	280.0	.6	159.7	.4	280.2	7
Food			291.7	.9	270.0	.6	309.8		287.8	.7	160.2	.4	290.5	
Food at home			273.3	.9	261.5	.0	307.2	1	273.7	.9	152.5	3	275.6	ŀ
Cereals and bakery products			296.7	.5	292.9	1.3	360.6		263.8	-1.9	158.8	4	314.9	0 1
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs			244.2	5	253.4	.6	268.7		232.9	.6	157.2	1.0	262.2	-2.2
Meats, poultry, and fish			248.5	-1.1	257.0	.4	270.4		234.5	2	157.9	.8	266.8	-2.5
Dairy products			232.9		225.4	.1	264.0	1	264.5	2 .8	142.0		256.4	-1.3
Fruits and vegetables			299.5	3.1	263.1	-1.8	310.6		297.5	8	157.8		266.1	-1.3 9
			334.6		298.0		380.4		347.8	3.1			307.6	1.0
Other foods at home		1				7 2.0					145.0			
Food away from home		.6	341.3		292.5	I .	308.4	1	327.6	.4	178.5	2.0	333.1	7
Alcoholic beverages	239.4	.6	236.4	.7	230.2	1.8	238.4	1.2	238.3	-1.4	149.8	7	210.8	5
Housing	254.0	1.1	328.5	.4	315.5	2.1	342.5	2.1	405.0	.0	165.7	1	391.6	2
Shelter	232.1	1.4	356.0	1.2	328.0	2.5	368.8	3.7	479.8	.9	175.0		441.6	
Rent, residential	242.6	7	225.8	.3	267.6	.8	202.0	.0	248.5	.9	156.2	4	223.5	
Other rental costs	281.6	5	295.5	1.0	319.0	.0	301.9	-10.8	385.9	.6	177.2		312.1	
Homeownership			411.5	1	354.0		434.8		551.6	.9	182.2	-1.1	515.5	
Property taxes 5			128.6		95.0		123.6		117.1	.0	134.6		124.6	
Fuel and other utilities	247.1	.4	347.3	-3.2	380.4	1.6	422.0	-1.9	327.1	-5.7	161.2	4.1	406.2	-3.1
Fuels 6		.3	429.6		467.9	1.9	520.2		466.9	-7.9	186.1	6.0	495.6	_
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas 7			638.1	.1	642.5	0.	200.3		155.0	.8	175.3		653.3	
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>6</sup>			343.8	1	337.8	4.3	493.4		473.6	-8.3	186.4	1	453.6	
Household furnishings and operation		_	261.6	1	236.5	1	232.6		244.8	-1.4	139.8		240.5	
Assessed and these	0040						0047		0400		400.7			_
Apparel and upkeep			213.1	4.5	211.3	.6	234.7		216.8	1.6	136.7		227.2	
Apparel commodities			195.7	4.9	201.1	.1	227.6		189.1	1.6	130.9		224.4	
Men's and boys' apparel			207.0		162.6		211.1		211.1	1.0	147.0		225.9	
Women's and girls' apparel		1	157.8	5.3	215.1	-1.1	214.8		194.7	.5	111.8		195.0	
Footwear	225.4	6.5	197.1	-3.7	238.3	1.5	245.3	3.7	170.8	.4	119.1	-1.7	294.7	5
Transportation	280.9	2.4	303.7	1.0	329.2	.5	283.2	1.3	312.8	.4	180.1	.2	305.7	.6
Private transportation			304.1	1.1	333.8	.7	289.1		310.4	.2	177.9		300.4	1
Public transportation			313.9		323.7	-1.4	314.5		365.1	4.2	234.6		406.5	
Medical care	351.0	.0	324.5	1.2	335.0	1.8	400.2	1.3	344.3	.3	177.1	1.2	349.2	.2
Entertainment	241.1	1.2	246.2	.1	241.8	1	228.0	1.2	269.8	.1	138.0	.9	253.3	.7
Other goods and services	268.2	.5	287.7	2.8	290.0	2.2	306.4	3.1	317.5	2.7	163.2	2.6	288.8	1.2
Personal care	271.0	1.0	265.2	5.3	245.6	2.7	275.4	3.8	288.6	1.1	148.1	1.2	270.3	1.6

Table 22. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers: Areas priced bimonthly, by expenditure category and commodity and service group. Indexes, November 1983 and percent changes September 1983 to November 1983—Continued

						Area	pricing	g schedu	le 1¹					
Group		norage, iska ²	Baltimore, Md.		Boston, Mass.		Cincinnati, Ohio-KyInd.		Denver- Boulder, Colo.		Miami, Fla. <sup>3</sup>			aukee, Vis.
	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change
	Commodity and service group													
All items	264.0	1.2	302.4	1.0	292.5	1.4	316.0	1.5	338.4	0.3	164.9	0.4	328.9	-0.1
Commodities	260.1	1.2	293.1	1.1	277.2	1.1	290.8	1.4	292.0	.6	159.4	.1	289.5	.1
Food and beverages	293.1	.5	285.6	.8	264.9	.7	301.5	.9	280.0		159.7	.4	280.2	7
Commodities less food and beverages	236.1	1.5	291.2	1.1	279.2	1.3	276.0		296.1		159.2	.0	290.9	
Nondurables less food and beverages	253.8	.8	293.5	1.0	300.7	.5	299.5		273.5	4	162.8	5	302.0	
Durables	219.1	1.9	292.2	1.3	245.4	2.3	255.9	3.2	317.5	1.2	156.1	.3	268.2	1.2
Services	285.3	1.3	319.3	.8	320.8	1.7	364.3	1.6	417.8	٥. ا	173.5	.8	404.2	3
Medical care services	379.0	2	347.1	1.1	359.4	2.0	425.0	.9	370.7	1	181.1	1.4	381.9	
Special indexes:			8											
All items less shelter	285.2	1.2	290.1	.9	282.8	1.0	298.0	.6	287.5	1	161.5	.9	290.9	3
All items less medical care	265.8	1.3	300.9	1.0	290.5	1.4	311.1	1.5	337.7	.3	164.3	.4	327.2	1
All items less energy 8	144.8	1.3	150.5	1.6	151.5	1.5	161.1	2.0	173.8	.9	161.4	.4	178.3	.3
Energy 9 10	178.6	.1	176.7	-3.1	201.5	.5	195.8	-2.0	198.3	-6.4	199.3	.3	207.5	-3.1
Commodities less food	237.7	1.5	288.8	1.1	276.2	1.3	275.1	1.7	292.3	.5	158.9	1	286.3	.4
Nondurables less food	252.7	.8	289.1	.9	293.4	.5	294.3	2	269.1	5	162.2	4	291.1	5
Nondurables	275.8	.7	291.7	.9	283.0	.6	303.8	.3	277.1	.1	161.1	.0	290.3	7
Services less rent	290.1	1.9	336.1	9.	331.1	1.8	396.5	1.8	449.5	1	177.2	1.0	438.4	3
Services less medical care	275.5	1.4	314.2	.8	316.4	1.7	351.0	1.8	419.2	.0	172.6	.8	402.6	3

Table 22. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers: Areas priced bimonthly, by expenditure category and commodity and service group. Indexes, November 1983 and percent changes September 1983 to November 1983—Continued

			Area pricing schedule 1 <sup>1</sup>										
Group		theast sylvania			St. Louis, MoIII.		San Diego, Calif.		Seattle- Everett, Wash.		Washington, D.CMdVa.		
	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent	
						Expenditur	e cate	jory			1		
All items		0.3	289.6	0.5	299.3	0.1	323.7	-0.1	299.0	0.4	302.7		
All items (1957-59=100) 11	343.3	-	342.3	-	349.5	-	340.2	-	351.3	-	352.6	-	
Food and beverages	264.6	8	286.7	.4	285.1	3	308.8	1.3	286.5	.4	297.5	2	
Food		8	294.1	.5	289.3	3	321.4	1.4	294.9	.3	301.3	.0	
Food at home		-1.1	278.6	.4	283.1	8	283.0	2.2	288.4	.2	292.3		
Cereals and bakery products		-1.3	299.0	3.1	324.9	.8	309.5	1.1	309.2	.0	287.5		
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs 12		.2	259.4	9	248.0		251.9	1.4	271.4	.0	271.3		
Meats, poultry, and fish		1	262.1	-1.1	252.0		250.6	.4	275.1	-1.0	274.0	1	
Dairy products		.6	224.1	.4	254.7	1	256.6	.9	256.5	5	225.2	1	
Fruits and vegetables		-5.7	280.7	2.0	302.2		287.7	3.8	250.1	-2.3	305.4	-8.0	
Other foods at home 12		4	362.5	2	339.7		341.0	3.3	365.6		378.2		
Food away from home		.3	332.9	.6	304.9		412.7	.1	312.2	.6	324.0		
Alcoholic beverages		.3	222.1	1	246.2		202.1	5	234.7	.8	254.1	-2.0	
Housing	325.3	.4	298.1	.6	330.9	.3	373.3	-1.1	321.5	.8	306.6	1.1	
Shelter	366.1	.9	326.5	1.1	366.7	2.1	438.9	-1.1	341.8	.1	323.8	2.0	
Rent, residential		1.4	228.6	.6	206.2	2	296.9	.6	248.5	8	258.9	2.3	
Other rental costs	332.7	-1.7	321.7	-2.9	327.9	.1	333.3	3.8	397.1	-3.3	363.6	-1.5	
Homeownership		.9	362.1	1.3	412.8		492.6	-1.4	368.0		364.2		
Property taxes 5		1.6	142.8	1.1	107.5		118.7	.0	142.0		120.3		
Fuel and other utilities	456.8	1	376.9	.8	330.0	-6.2	348.5	-1.3	376.5	4.9	343.1	-4.5	
Fuels	492.9	.0	404.8	1.1	414.0	-7.9	489.3	-2.0	536.1	7.8	479.0	-6.3	
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas 13	647.3	.0	651.7	3.6	593.7	.5	207.7	2.0	631.4	1.5	849.4	.9	
Gas (piped) and electricity	275.9	.0	288.9	7	379.2	-9.2	514.7	-2.1	439.9	11.3	420.5	-8.1	
Household furnishings and operation	224.5	4	227.3	-2.3	237.8	3	217.6	-1.3	257.8	.2	241.3	3.4	
Apparel and upkeep		5	194.5	-2.5	188.3		194.4	-1.3	189.8		227.4		
Apparel commodities		5	190.0		179.4	1	182.4	-1.8	179.2	1	211.8		
Men's and boys' apparel			211.8		175.7		171.2	-2.2	197.6		198.6		
Women's and girls' apparel		-3.0	185.4	-7.5	171.5	7	150.9	-4.4	141.6		228.2		
Footwear	256.8	.0	173.4	-5.3	178.1	-5.7	203.1	1.6	238.2	-1.2	201.7	-2.8	
Transportation			298.4	.8	282.5	1	306.4	.8	284.0		300.6		
Private transportation			309.5		288.7	1	306.3	.8	284.3	1	296.5		
Public transportation	227.5	1.3	295.9	-2.9	249.0	5.2	329.4	1.0	321.0	2.6	344.9	1.5	
Medical care	369.6	2	330.3	1.4	345.9	.6	350.5	1.7	349.9	4	409.6	2.2	
Entertainment	235.7	1.0	212.4	-1.5	221.5	-1.6	250.2	.2	265.9	.7	278.2	3	
Other goods and services		.7	303.9		296.1		278.2	2.9	310.2		302.4		
Personal care	283.7	4	245.2	1.2	263.1	1.6	260.5	4.5	301.5	1.3	282.4	-1.4	

Table 22. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers: Areas priced bimonthly, by expenditure category and commodity and service group. Indexes, November 1983 and percent changes September 1983 to November 1983—Continued

					Are	ea pricing	sched	ule 11				
Group	Northeast Pennsylvania		Portland, OregWash.		St. Louis, MoIII.		San Diego, Calif.		Seattle- Everett, Wash.		Washington D.CMdVa	
	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change
	Commodity and service group											
All items	290.9	0.3	289.6	0.5	299.3	0.1	323.7	-0.1	299.0	0.4	302.7	0.6
Commodities	279.1	.1	276.4	.4	279.9	3	288.8	.1	276.6	3	280.7	.3
Food and beverages		8	286.7	.4	285.1	3	308.8	1.3	286.5	.4	297.5	
Commodities less food and beverages	286.3	.5	269.5	.4	269.2	3	278.3	4	268.6	5	265.2	.5
Nondurables less food and beverages	295.3	2	283.1	-1.6	268.4	-1.4	264.3	-2.1	284.3	-1.9	294.7	-1.8
Durables	271.5	1.3	258.7	1.7	267.4	.4	289.1	.6	257.5	.5	236.1	2.6
Services	317.8	.8	313.9	.6	336.6	.7	383.6	3	341.7	1.5	338.2	1.0
Medical care services	409.5	5	355.0	1.2	370.9	.5	379.1	1.8	373.7	5	447.3	2.3
Special indexes:						ļ				ļ		
All items less shelter	275.9	.1	280.8	.2	278.1	8	287.2	.6	287.6	.6	296.2	.1
All items less medical care		.3	286.9	.5	296.5	.0	322.0	2	296.2	.5	297.1	.5
All items less energy *		.4	150.8	.7	159.8	.8	170.4		159.3	.4	157.5	
Energy <sup>9</sup> <sup>10</sup>		1	186.4	-1.8	179.0		203.9	-4.6	211.8	.7	191.6	-3.6
Commodities less food	281.7	.5	267.1	.4	268.9		274.5		266.4	4	265.6	
Nondurables less food	286.8	1	277.1	-1.5	267.2		258.0		278.7	-1.8	292.5	
Nondurables	278.8	5	285.2	6	279.6	8	287.4	2	286.5	8	298.4	-1.1
Services less rent	325.3	.7	331.3	.6	354.8	.7	399.9	1	358.5	1.8	361.4	.6
Services less medical care	304.0	1.0	306.9	.5	329.3	.6	382.2	5	336.7	1.7	324.9	.9

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

Indexes are on the bases listed:

Anchorage, Alaska	January 1978=100.
Baltimore, Md	March 1978=100.
Boston, Mass	January 1978 = 100.
Cincinnati, Ohio-KyInd	March 1978=100.

Denver-E	Boulder, C	olo	January	1978	= 100.
Miami, F	la		Novem	ber 197	77 = 100.
Milwauke	e, Wis		Noveml	ber 197	77=100.
Northeas	tern Penr	isylvani	aNovem	ber 19	77 = 100.
Portland,	OregWa	ash	January	1978	=100.
St. Louis	, MoIII		March	1978=	100.
San Dieg	jo, Calif		Novem	ber 193	77 = 100.
Seattle-E	verett, Wa	ash	Novem	ber 19	77 = 100.
Washing	ton, D.CI	MdVa.	Novem	ber 19	77=100.

<sup>9</sup> Indexes on a June 1978=100 base.

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

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

The 1957-59=100 base is not available for Anchorage, Alaska and Denver-Boulder, Colo.; index for Anchorage, Alaska is on a May-October 1969=100 base; index for Denver-Boulder, Colo. is on a January 1964 = 100 base.

Indexes on a January 1981=100 base.

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

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

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>10</sup> Excludes motor oil, coolant, and other products as of January 1983.

is on a February 1965=100 base is not available for San Diego, Calif.; index is on a February 1965=100 base.

12 Index on a April 1967=100 base in Northeastern Pennsylvania and Portland, Oreg.-Wash.

13 Index on a line 1070

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

# **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. Effective with the January 1978 index, the Bureau of Labor Statistics began publishing CPI's for two population groups: (1) a new CPI for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U) which covers approximately 80 percent of the total noninstitutional civilian population; and (2) a revised 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 which historically have been excluded from CPI coverage, 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 18,000 tenants, 18,000 housing units for property taxes, and about 24,000 establishments-grocery and 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 122 percent, for example, is shown as 222.0. 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 \$22.20.

For further details see the following: The Consumer Price Index: Concepts and Content Over the Years, Report 517, revised edition (Bureau of Labor Statistics, May 1978); The Revision of the Consumer Price Index, by W. John Layng, reprinted from the Statistical Reporter, February 1978, No. 78-5 (U.S. Dept. of Commerce), Revisions in the Medical Care Service Component of the Consumer Price Index, by Daniel H. Ginsburg, Monthly Labor Review, August 1978; and CPI Issues, Report 593, (Bureau of Labor Statistics, February 1980).

#### **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	236.4
Less previous index	233.2
Equals index point change:	3.2
Percent Change	
Index point difference	3.2
Divided by the previous index	233.2
Equals:	0.014
Results multiplied by one hundred	0.014x100
Equals percent change:	1.4

#### **Homeownership Changes**

Effective with release of the index for January 1983, the Bureau of Labor Statistics changed the way homeowner costs are measured in the CPI-U to rental equivalence. The rental equivalence approach calculates homeowner costs of the shelter based on the implicit rent owners would have to pay to rent the homes they own. The old method calculated homeowner costs as home purchase, mortgage interest costs, property taxes, property insurance, and maintenance and repair.

As previously announced, the CPI-W will be changed to rental equivalence effective with data for January 1985. The CPI experimental measures, known as the CPI-U, X-1 through CPI-U, X-5 are no longer being published.

The new homeowners' cost component was introduced into the CPI-U in such a manner that the indexes using the old and new methodologies were equal in the so-called link month—December 1982. A similar technique will be employed for the CPI-W in December 1984. This technical procedure has been used in previous revisions of the CPI. In accordance with historic practice, the BLS made available calculations for the CPI-U from January to June 1983 based on the old method of homeownership. A 6-month overlap period for the CPI-W will also be made available to users; it will run from January to June 1985. For further details, see: Changing the Homeownership Components of the Consumer Price Index to Rental Equivalence, CPI Detailed Report, January 1983.

## Seasonally Adjusted and Unadjusted Data

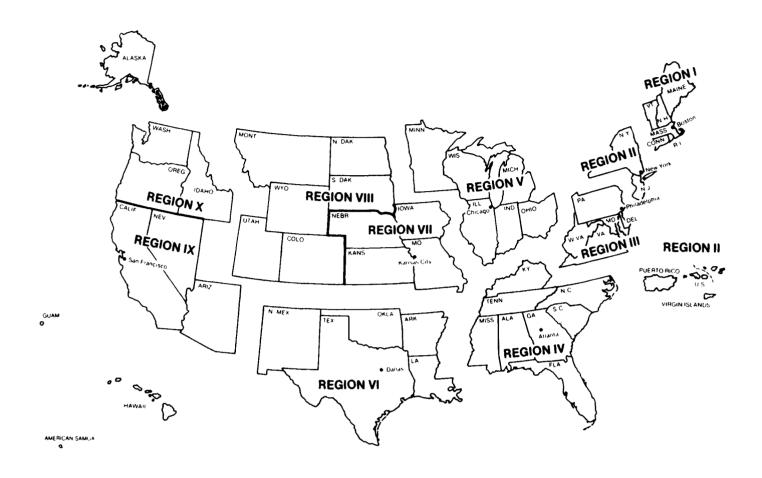
Because price data are used for different purposes by different groups, the Bureau of Labor Statistics publishes seasonally adjusted as well as unadjusted changes each month.

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 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 Variant of the Census Method II Seasonal Adjustment Program. The updated seasonal data at the end of the 1977 replaced data from 1967 through 1977. Subsequent annual updates have replaced 5 years of seasonal data, e.g., data from 1978 through 1982 were replaced at the end of 1982. The seasonal movement of all items and 43 other aggregations is derived by combining the seasonal movement of 50 selected components. Each year the seasonal status of every series is reevaluated based upon certain statistical criteria. If any of the 50 selected components changes its seasonal status, seasonal data from 1967 forward for the all items and for any of the 43 other aggregations that have that series as a component are replaced.

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