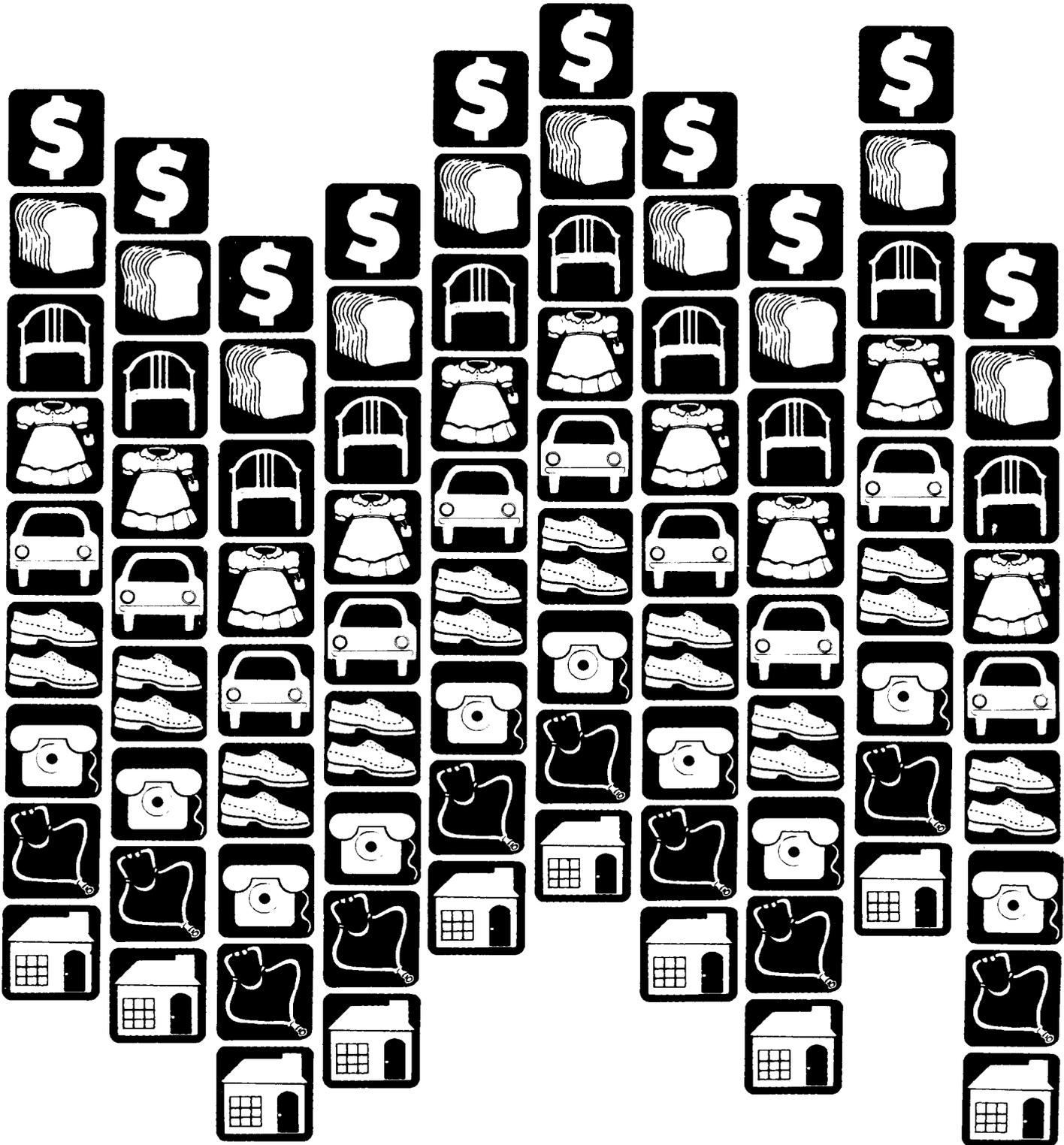


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NOTE: The Bureau of Labor Statistics currently is completing a major revision of the Consumer Price Index. Beginning with release of the CPI for January 1987 on February 27, 1987, the Bureau will introduce revised versions of the current CPI's both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

Price Movements November 1986

The Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U) rose 0.1 percent before seasonal adjustment in November to a level of 330.8 (1967=100). For the 12-month period ended in November, the CPI-U has increased 1.3 percent.

The Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W) also rose 0.1 percent in November, prior to seasonal adjustment. The November 1986 CPI-W level of 325.4 (1967=100) was 0.9 percent higher than the index in November 1985.

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

On a seasonally adjusted basis, the CPI-U rose 0.3 percent in November, following a 0.2-percent increase in October. The energy index continued to decline in November, but by substantially less than in the preceding month (0.7 percent compared with 2.2 percent). Food prices rose 0.5 percent in November, compared with 0.3 percent in October. Partially offsetting those movements was a smaller advance in shelter costs—up 0.2 percent following a 0.4-percent increase in October. For items other than food, shelter, and energy, prices on average advanced 0.3 percent. About 40 percent of this rise was due to increases in new car prices and financing charges.

During the first 11 months of 1986, the CPI-U advanced at an annual rate of 0.9 percent. This compares with a 3.8-percent increase in the year ended in December 1985.

The transportation component, which rose 0.1 percent in October, advanced 0.5 percent in November. Gasoline prices

declined substantially less in November than in October (0.6 percent compared with 2.4 percent). During the first 11 months, these prices have declined 31.2 percent and, as of November, were 39.1 percent below their peak level of March 1981. New car prices increased 0.9 percent in November following an 0.8-percent rise in October. Automobile financing charges—up 4.9 percent—rose sharply for the second consecutive month. (This increase largely reflects the elimination of manufacturer financing concessions on 1986 models.) Nevertheless, financing charges have declined 7.3 percent during the first 11 months of 1986. Automobile insurance costs continued to rise, increasing 0.8 percent in November and 11.6 percent thus far this year. Used car prices turned down again in November, after registering small increases in the preceding 2 months, and are 4.3 percent below their level at the end of 1985. The index for public transportation rose 0.7 percent in November as a 1.4-percent increase in airline fares more than offset small declines in intercity bus and train fares.

The housing component, which was virtually unchanged in October, decreased 0.1 percent in November, as declines in the indexes for fuel and other utilities and household furnishings and operations more than offset a small increase in shelter costs. Charges for natural gas dropped 3.2 percent, largely reflecting a shift to winter baseline rates in California. Fuel oil prices continued to drop, declining 1.3 percent in November and 34.1 percent so far this year. Despite registering a 1.1-percent increase in November, the index for electricity, like those for fuel oil and utility gas, was lower in November than at the end of 1985. Among other utilities,

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

Expenditure category	Seasonally adjusted							Compound annual rate 3 months ended November 1986	Unadjusted 12 months ended November 1986
	Changes from preceding month								
	1986								
	May	June	July	August	September	October	November		
All items .....	.2	.5	0	.2	.3	.2	.3	3.1	1.3
Food and beverages .....	.4	.1	.8	.9	.4	.3	.5	5.1	4.2
Housing	-.1	.5	0	2	.2	.0	-.1	.6	1.9
Apparel and upkeep	-.2	-.3	.2	.7	.8	.2	.2	5.1	.9
Transportation .....	.3	.8	-1.2	-.9	.4	.1	.5	4.0	-5.8
Medical care .....	.6	.7	.5	.6	.6	.6	.4	6.6	7.7
Entertainment .....	.4	.4	.2	.0	.3	.3	.4	3.8	3.1
Other goods and services .....	.4	.4	.9	.6	-.1	.4	.3	2.5	5.8

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

Expenditure category	Seasonally adjusted								Unadjusted
	Changes from preceding month							Compound annual rate 3 months ended November 1986	12 months ended November 1986
	1986								
	May	June	July	August	September	October	November		
All items .....	.2	.5	0	.2	.3	.1	.2	2.8	.9
Food and beverages .....	.4	.2	.9	.9	.3	.3	.5	4.5	4.2
Housing	-.1	.5	0	.3	.2	-.1	-.1	.1	1.7
Apparel and upkeep	-.1	-.3	.2	.9	.7	0	.2	3.7	.6
Transportation .....	.2	.8	-1.3	-1.0	.4	.1	.5	4.1	-6.3
Medical care .....	.6	.7	.5	.5	.6	.6	.4	6.4	7.5
Entertainment .....	.3	.5	.1	.1	.2	.4	.4	3.9	3.2
Other goods and services .....	.2	.3	1.0	.6	-.1	.4	.3	2.6	5.7

charges for local telephone services declined 1.7 percent. Shelter costs rose 0.2 percent in November, following a 0.4-percent increase in October. Within shelter, renters' costs rose 0.4 percent; homeowners' costs, 0.1 percent; and maintenance and repair costs declined 0.5 percent.

The food and beverage index rose 0.5 percent in November, following a 0.3-percent increase in October. Grocery store food prices also rose 0.5 percent in November. Increases in the indexes for meats, poultry, fish, and eggs and for fruits and vegetables accounted for about four-fifths of the grocery store food rise. Prices for beef and veal—up 1.2 percent in November—have risen 8.1 percent in the last 6 months following declines in each of the first 5 months of 1986. The indexes for both pork and eggs turned up in November. Partially offsetting these increases were declines in the prices for poultry and fish and seafood. The index for fruits and vegetables rose 1.5 percent after seasonal adjustment. Smaller than usual seasonal declines in prices for citrus fruits, coupled with increases in prices for tomatoes and potatoes, largely accounted for the advance. Prices for dairy products—up 0.5 percent in November—recorded their second significant increase after advancing only 0.6 percent in the entire first 9 months of 1986. The other two components

of the food and beverage index—restaurant meals and alcoholic beverages—rose 0.5 and 0.4 percent, respectively.

The index for apparel and upkeep—up 0.2 percent in November—registered its fifth consecutive increase after declining in 5 of the first 6 months of the year. Clothing prices rose 0.3 percent, following seasonal adjustment, and charges for apparel services increased 0.2 percent in November.

The medical care component increased 0.4 percent in November to a level 7.7 percent above a year ago. In November, the index for medical care commodities—prescription drugs, nonprescription drugs, and medical supplies—rose 0.3 percent. The index for medical care services increased 0.4 percent, with the costs of physicians' services and hospital rooms up 0.9 and 0.8 percent, respectively.

The indexes for entertainment and other goods and services rose 0.4 and 0.3 percent, respectively, about the same as in October.

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 0.2 percent in November.

The Consumer Price Index Revision

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

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

A number of methodological and sampling advances first introduced in the 1978 revision also have been enhanced and will be incorporated into the CPI for January 1987. For example, the selection of the urban areas and the allocation of outlet samples in which prices are collected for the CPI were done by the Bureau with the primary objective of producing the most accurate national CPI possible with the funds available. The January 1987 index also will be based, for the first time on the geographic distribution of consumers as of the 1980 Census of Population. The current CPI uses the 1970 Census of Population. The requirement to allocate the sample so as to provide the most accurate national CPI did result in some local areas not having samples sufficient to permit frequent publication. Therefore, beginning in January 1987, the Bureau will publish a number of local area CPI's less frequently. The areas affected by the changes in publication are identified later in this article.

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

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

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

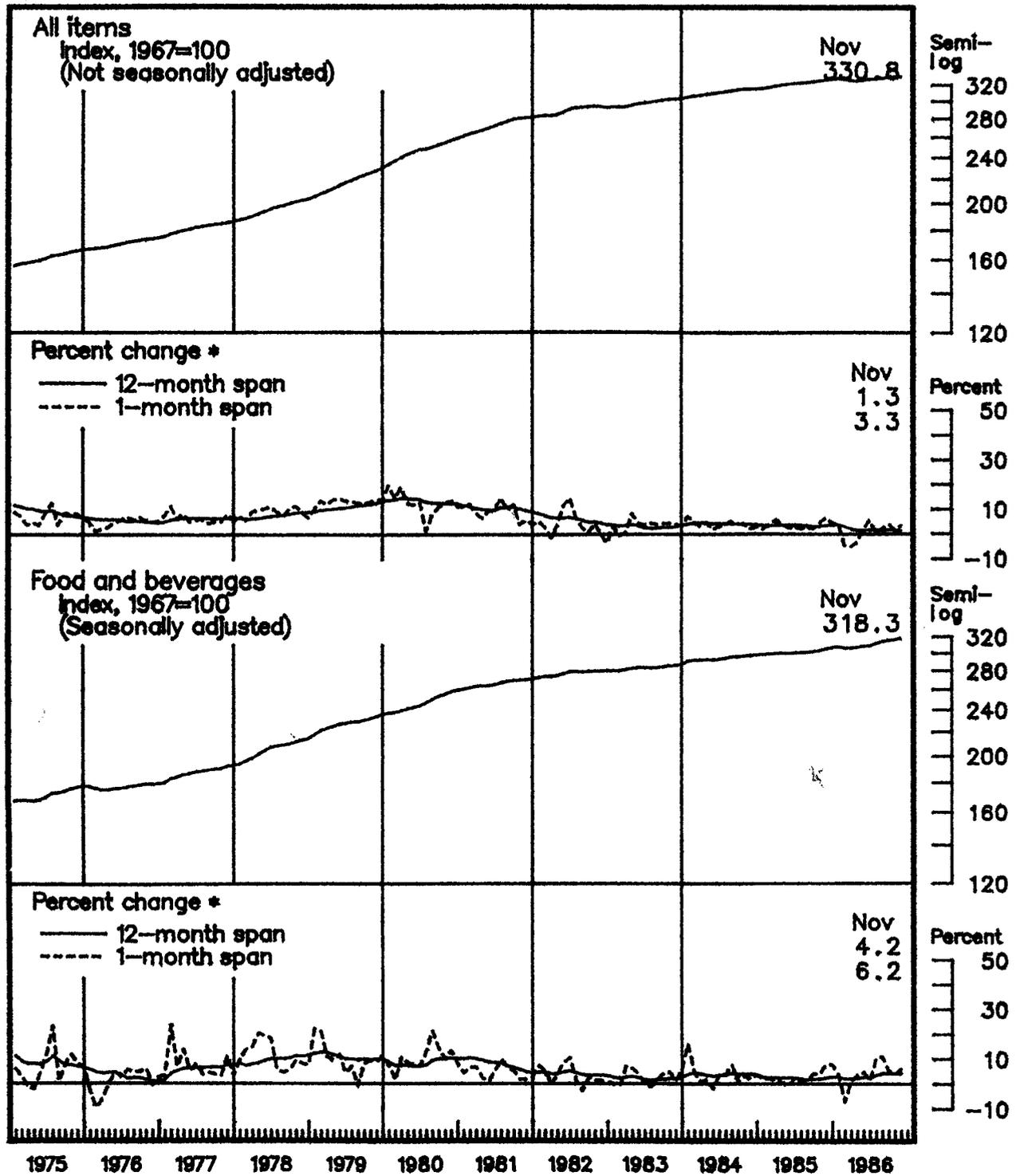
In addition to the national all-city average CPI-U and CPI-W indexes, the Bureau now publishes indexes for 28 local areas. In 1987, it will continue to publish indexes for all but one of these areas—Northeast Pennsylvania (Scranton-Wilkes-Barre). Because of the requirement to allocate the sample to provide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

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

Twelve areas now published bimonthly will be compiled on a semiannual average basis. These areas are: Buffalo-Niagara Falls, N.Y.; Cincinnati-Hamilton, Ohio-Ky.-Ind; Kansas City, Mo.-Kansas City, Kan.; Milwaukee, Wis.; Minneapolis-St. Paul, Minn.-Wis.; Atlanta, Ga.; Anchorage, Alaska; Denver-Boulder, Colo.; Honolulu, Hawaii; Portland-Vancouver, Ore.-Wash.; San Diego, Calif.; and Seattle-Tacoma, Wash. These semiannual average indexes, which refer to the arithmetic averages of the 6-month periods from January through June and July through December, will be published with release of the CPI for July and January, respectively, i.e., in the months of August and February. These series will be compiled and published on their present reference bases, 1967 = 100 for all areas other than Anchorage, which is on an October 1967 reference base. Also, the Cleveland-Akron-Lorain, Ohio, indexes will be published for odd-numbered rather than even-numbered months.

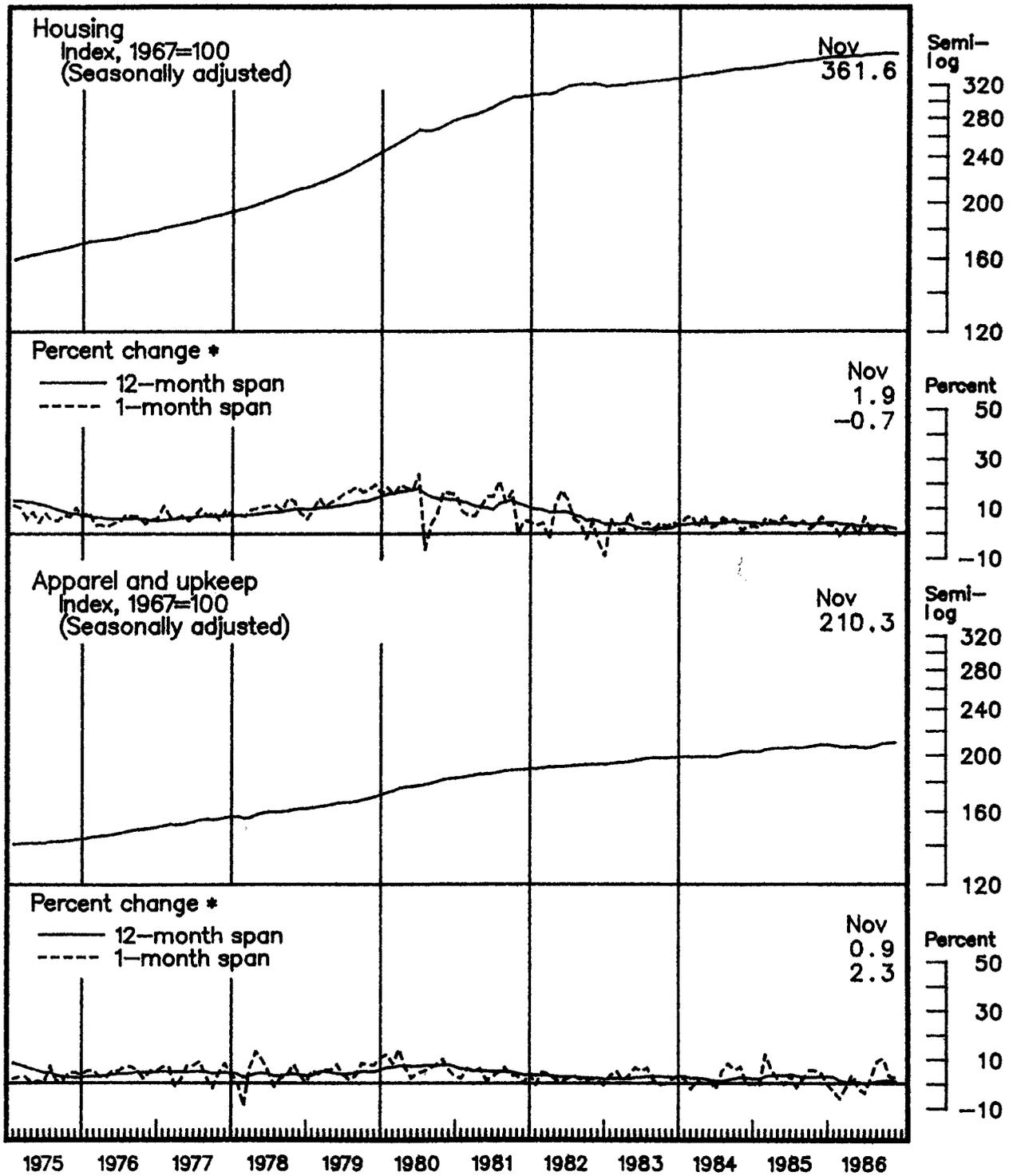
Indexes also are currently published bimonthly for 4 regions, 5 size classes, and 16 region-by-size groups. Beginning with January 1987, publication will become monthly; two of the size classes will be combined; and two of the region-by-size groups will be eliminated.

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



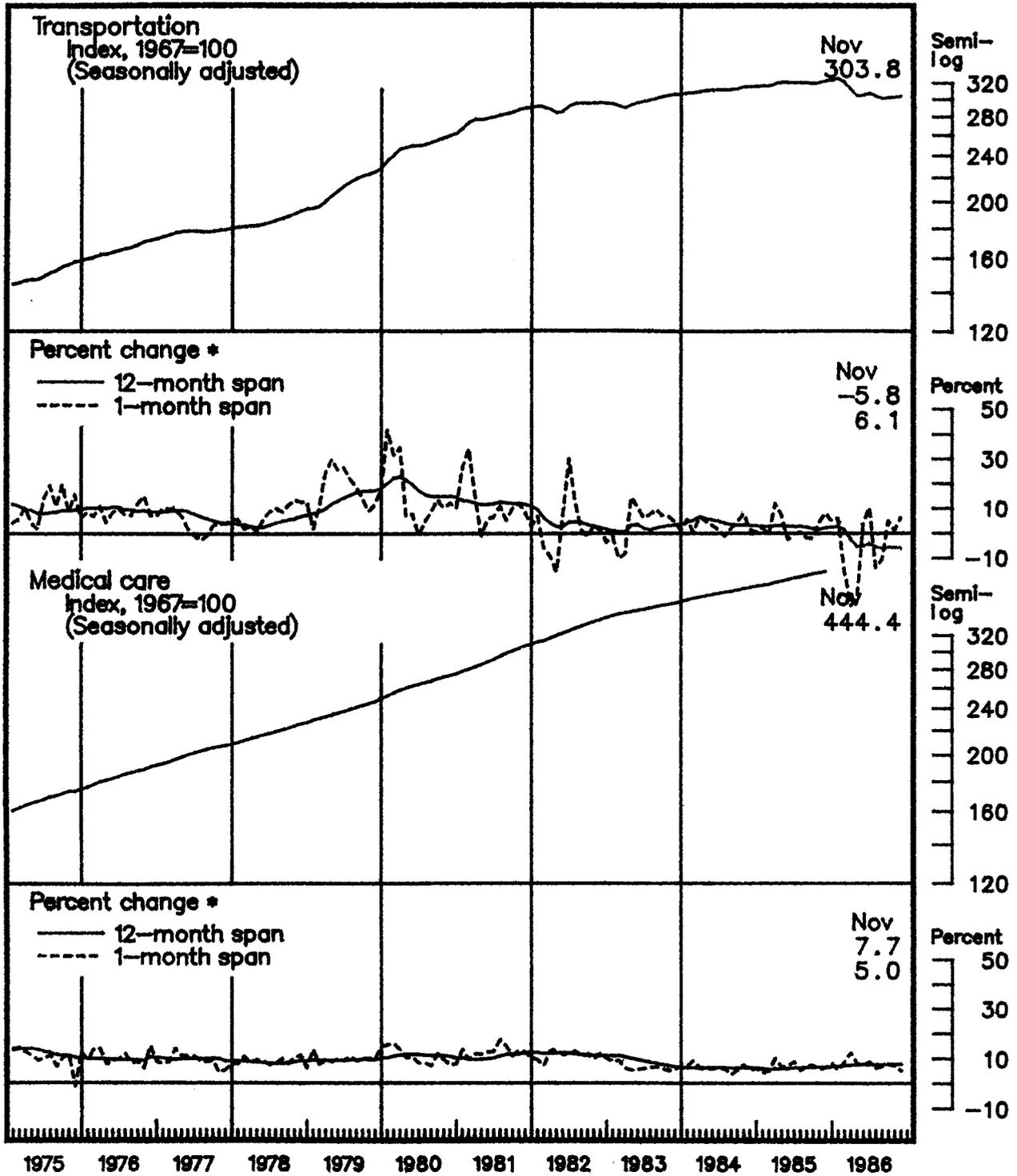
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Chart 2: CPI-U: Housing, apparel and upkeep, 1975-86



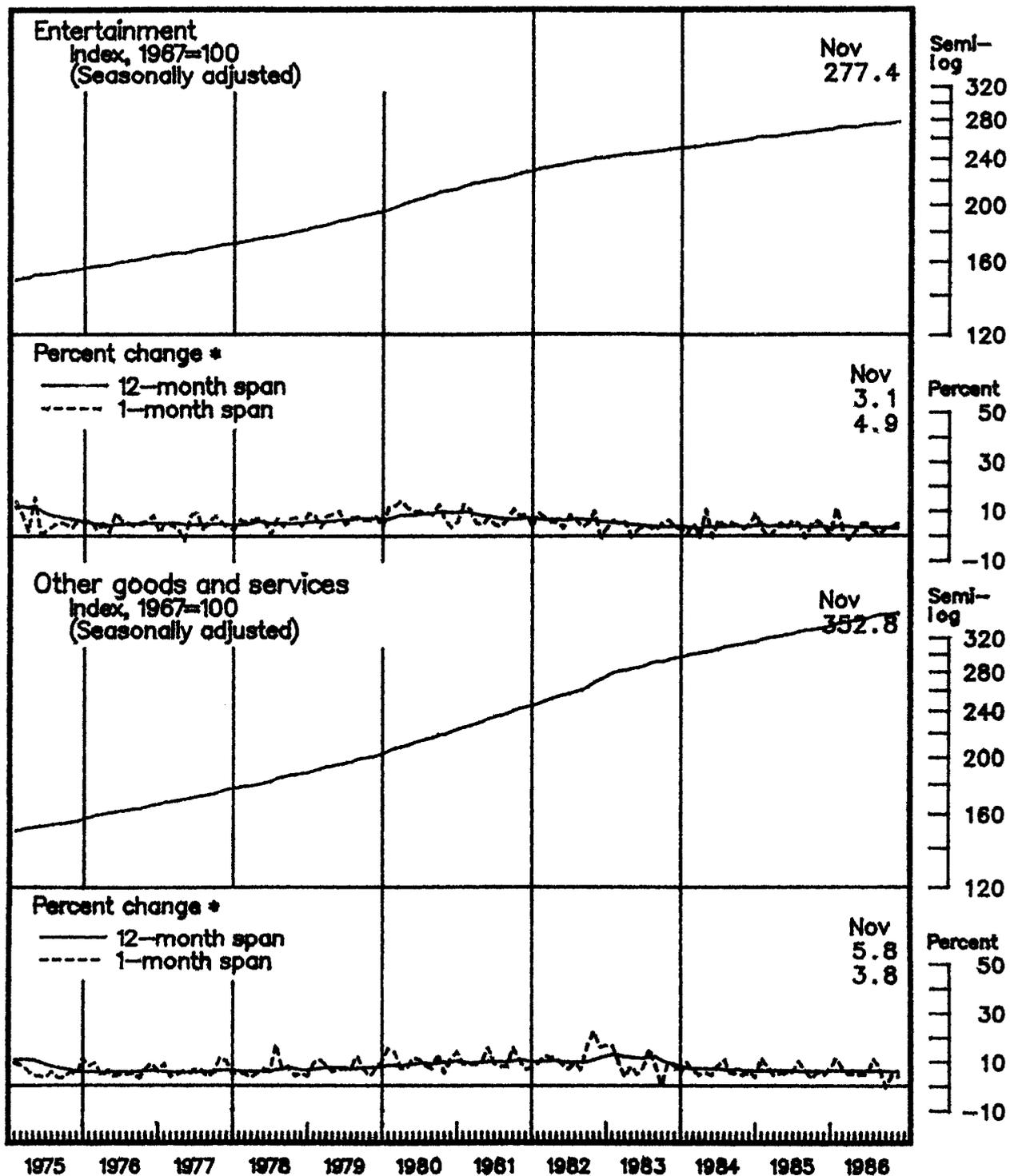
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Chart 3: CPI-U: Transportation and medical care, 1975-86



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



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		Oct. 1986	Nov. 1986	Nov. 1985	Oct. 1986	Aug. to Sept.	Sept. to Oct.	Oct. to Nov.
Expenditure category								
All items	100.000	330.5	330.8	1.3	0.1	0.3	0.2	0.3
All items(1957-59=100)	-	384.4	384.7	-	-	-	-	-
Food and beverages	19.619	315.8	316.4	4.2	.3	.4	.3	.5
Food	18.513	323.7	324.6	4.4	.3	.4	.3	.5
Food at home	12.380	309.5	309.9	4.5	.1	.4	.4	.5
Cereals and bakery products ¹	1.707	328.4	328.5	2.7	.0	.1	.0	.0
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	3.884	284.9	286.3	7.6	.5	.6	.6	.8
Dairy products ¹	1.573	260.0	261.2	1.6	.5	.1	.6	.5
Fruits and vegetables	1.938	328.6	327.8	4.3	-2	1.4	.9	1.5
Other food at home	3.279	374.4	373.9	3.2	-1	-1	.0	.2
Sugar and sweets ¹ .....	.478	413.4	412.4	2.7	-2	.1	-1	-2
Fats and oils ¹ .....	.349	284.6	285.4	-2.3	.3	-8	-4	.3
Nonalcoholic beverages	1.331	477.5	476.9	5.6	-1	-6	-1	.5
Other prepared foods	1.121	304.7	303.9	2.4	-3	.4	.4	-1
Food away from home	6.133	384.0	385.8	4.1	.5	.5	.2	.5
Alcoholic beverages	1.106	240.6	240.5	1.8	.0	.2	-1	.4
Housing	37.884	363.0	361.7	1.9	-4	.2	.0	-1
Shelter	22.255	409.5	410.2	4.8	.2	.5	.4	.2
Renters' costs ²	7.319	124.0	124.3	5.0	.2	.4	.3	.4
Rent, residential	6.354	284.6	285.6	5.1	.4	.4	.4	.4
Other renters' costs .....	.965	427.3	425.5	4.1	-4	.3	.0	.9
Homeowners' costs ²	14.417	121.3	121.5	4.9	.2	.6	.4	.1
Owners' equivalent rent ²	14.015	121.3	121.5	4.8	.2	.6	.4	.2
Household insurance ^{1 2} .....	.402	120.6	121.1	5.8	.4	.3	.3	.4
Maintenance and repairs ¹ .....	.519	379.0	377.1	1.2	-5	-1	.7	-5
Maintenance and repair services ¹ .....	.291	437.5	433.7	1.7	-9	.6	.1	-9
Maintenance and repair commodities ¹ .....	.228	273.0	272.9	.5	.0	-1.0	1.6	.0
Fuel and other utilities	8.081	379.1	371.1	-5.4	-2.1	-5	-1.2	-7
Fuels	5.763	450.3	437.8	-9.1	-2.8	-6	-2.0	-8
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas	1.323	451.9	452.0	-29.6	.0	.9	-1.1	-1.3
Gas (piped) and electricity	4.459	441.4	426.7	-3.1	-3.3	-9	-2.2	-7
Other utilities and public services ¹	2.298	257.1	255.4	3.9	-7	-1	.6	-7
Household furnishings and operation	7.548	251.6	251.2	.9	-2	.2	-1	-1
Housefurnishings	3.744	202.2	201.4	.3	-4	.3	-3	-4
Housekeeping supplies	1.636	319.8	320.4	1.3	.2	.1	-1	.3
Housekeeping services ¹	2.168	348.5	348.5	1.7	.0	.1	.2	.0
Apparel and upkeep	5.016	213.2	213.1	.9	.0	.8	.2	.2
Apparel commodities	4.208	197.6	197.4	.3	-1	.8	.2	.3
Men's and boys' apparel	1.380	204.3	205.3	.8	.5	1.1	-2	.6
Women's and girls' apparel	1.536	178.4	175.0	-8	-8	1.4	.5	.1
Infants' and toddlers' apparel ¹ .....	.117	312.0	307.0	.0	-1.6	-3	.7	-1.6
Footwear .....	.626	215.1	215.1	-2	.0	.1	1.0	-2
Other apparel commodities ¹549	219.8	221.1	2.9	.6	-2	-6	.6
Apparel services808	338.3	339.0	3.9	.2	.6	.4	.2

See footnotes at end of table.

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Expenditure category								
Transportation	21.387	302.6	304.3	-5.8	0.6	0.4	0.1	0.5
Private transportation	19.790	294.1	295.8	-6.7	.6	.4	.1	.4
New vehicles	3.854	226.7	230.2	5.5	1.5	.2	.7	.8
New cars	3.433	227.1	230.7	5.8	1.6	.2	.8	.9
Used cars	4.352	360.6	361.0	-4.1	.1	.2	.1	-.1
Motor fuel	5.469	263.2	260.9	-30.7	-.9	2.5	-2.3	-6
Gasoline		262.6	260.2	-30.8	-.9	2.5	-2.4	-6
Maintenance and repair	1.687	365.7	368.4	3.5	.7	.0	.1	.9
Other private transportation ¹	4.428	307.6	311.6	6.0	1.3	-.7	1.8	1.3
Other private transportation commodities ¹ .....	.627	198.9	200.0	-.8	.6	-.7	-.7	.6
Other private transportation services ¹	3.800	339.3	344.1	7.1	1.4	-.7	2.1	1.4
Public transportation ¹	1.597	428.7	431.7	4.6	.7	.1	.0	.7
Medical care	6.450	442.3	444.6	7.7	.5	.6	.6	.4
Medical care commodities	1.072	277.5	278.2	5.9	.3	.5	.3	.3
Medical care services	5.378	478.8	481.5	8.0	.6	.7	.6	.4
Professional services	2.473	398.0	399.8	6.5	.5	.8	.5	.6
Other medical care services ³	2.905	576.4	580.3	9.3	.7	.5	.7	.4
Entertainment	4.197	276.5	277.4	3.1	.3	.3	.3	.4
Entertainment commodities	2.409	266.7	267.6	1.4	.3	-.1	.1	.4
Entertainment services ¹	1.788	290.8	291.8	5.5	.3	.7	.6	.3
Other goods and services	5.447	354.6	354.9	5.8	.1	-.1	.4	.3
Tobacco products ¹	1.535	357.2	357.3	6.8	.0	.2	.1	.0
Personal care ¹	1.863	293.1	293.4	2.8	.1	-.1	.4	.1
Toilet goods and personal care appliances ¹ .....	.850	289.9	289.6	3.0	-.1	-.3	.6	-.1
Personal care services ¹	1.013	297.1	297.9	2.7	.3	.1	.2	.3
Personal and educational expenses	2.049	447.6	448.2	7.9	.1	-.2	.6	.7
School books and supplies .....	.253	392.3	392.5	7.6	.1	-.6	.9	.7
Personal and educational services	1.796	460.2	460.8	7.9	.1	-.1	.5	.7
Commodity and service group								
All items	100.000	330.5	330.8	1.3	0.1	0.3	0.2	0.3
Commodities	51.181	283.6	284.0	-1.8	.1	.5	.0	.2
Food and beverages	19.619	315.6	316.4	4.2	.3	.4	.3	.5
Commodities less food and beverages	31.562	262.1	262.4	-5.5	.1	.5	-.2	.1
Nondurables less food and beverages ¹	18.764	260.4	260.0	-9.3	-.2	1.3	-.4	-.2
Apparel commodities	4.208	197.6	197.4	.3	-.1	.8	.2	.3
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel ¹	14.556	297.2	296.7	-12.2	-.2	.9	-.8	-.2
Durables	12.798	270.5	271.8	.1	.5	.1	.3	.3
Services	48.819	406.1	406.1	4.5	.0	.2	.3	.3
Rent of shelter ^{1 2}	21.250	122.2	122.4	4.9	.2	.7	.4	.2
Household services less rent of shelter ^{1 2}	9.703	112.9	111.0	.2	-1.7	-.3	-1.7	-1.7
Transportation services	7.084	360.5	364.4	5.7	1.1	-.3	1.2	1.1
Medical care services	5.378	478.8	481.5	8.0	.6	.7	.6	.4
Other services	5.405	339.5	340.3	5.5	.2	.3	.5	.4

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Commodity and service group								
Special indexes:								
All items less food	81.487	330.2	330.4	0.6	0.1	0.3	0.1	0.2
All items less shelter	77.745	307.8	308.0	.3	.1	.3	.1	.3
All items less homeowners' costs ²	85.583	111.7	111.8	.6	.1	.3	.1	.4
All items less medical care	93.550	324.4	324.5	.8	.0	.3	.1	.2
Commodities less food	32.668	260.9	261.2	-5.3	.1	.5	-2	.0
Nondurables less food ¹	19.870	257.8	257.4	-8.7	-2	1.3	-4	-2
Nondurables less food and apparel ¹	15.662	268.1	267.7	-11.2	-1	.8	-7	-1
Nondurables	38.383	289.0	289.2	-2.4	.1	.6	.0	.3
Services less rent of shelter ^{1 2}	27.570	120.1	120.0	4.2	-1	.3	-1	-1
Services less medical care ¹	43.442	395.7	395.4	4.0	-1	.5	.1	-1
Energy	11.252	348.6	341.7	-19.6	-2.0	.7	-2.2	-7
All items less energy	88.748	331.4	332.3	3.9	.3	.3	.4	.4
All items less food and energy	70.235	331.6	332.5	3.8	.3	.3	.4	.3
Commodities less food and energy	25.875	265.5	266.1	1.3	.2	.2	.2	.2
Energy commodities	6.793	290.6	288.5	-30.5	-7	2.1	-2.1	-7
Services less energy	44.360	403.7	405.0	5.2	.3	.3	.5	.4
Purchasing power of the consumer dollar:								
1967=\$1.00 ¹	-	\$.303	\$.302	-1.3	-3	-3	.0	-3
1957-59=\$1.00 ¹	-	.260	.260	-	-	-	-	-

¹ Not seasonally adjusted.

² Indexes on a December 1982=100 base.

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

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

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

(1967=100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Seasonally adjusted indexes				Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for—					
	Aug. 1986	Sept. 1986	Oct. 1986	Nov. 1986	3 months ending in—				6 months ending in—	
					Feb. 1986	May 1986	Aug. 1986	Nov. 1986	May 1986	Nov. 1986
	Expenditure category									
All items	-	-	-	-	1.2	-2.1	2.7	3.1	-0.4	2.9
Food and beverages	314.4	315.7	316.7	318.3	1.2	3.2	7.6	5.1	2.2	6.3
Food	322.5	323.9	325.0	326.7	.8	3.4	7.9	5.3	2.1	6.6
Food at home	308.5	309.7	311.0	312.6	.1	2.3	10.1	5.4	1.2	7.7
Cereals and bakery products ¹	328.2	328.5	328.4	328.5	3.3	1.6	5.5	.4	2.5	2.9
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	282.9	284.7	286.3	288.1	-2.7	-4.7	33.9	7.6	-3.7	20.0
Dairy products ¹	258.3	258.5	260.0	261.2	.3	-.3	1.9	4.8	.0	3.2
Fruits and vegetables	327.5	332.1	335.0	340.0	-15.0	26.1	-5.2	16.2	3.5	4.9
Other food at home	374.6	374.1	374.2	374.8	12.3	-.1	1.2	.2	5.9	.7
Sugar and sweets ¹	413.1	413.7	413.4	412.4	7.4	2.6	1.9	-.7	4.9	.6
Fats and oils ¹	287.8	285.6	284.6	285.4	-1.0	-5.6	.8	-3.3	-3.3	-1.2
Nonalcoholic beverages	479.8	477.1	476.5	478.8	27.7	-1.6	-.2	-.8	12.1	-.5
Other prepared foods	302.9	304.1	305.3	305.1	1.2	2.6	2.8	2.9	1.9	2.9
Food away from home	361.8	363.7	364.4	366.2	2.4	5.3	3.8	5.0	3.8	4.4
Alcoholic beverages	239.9	240.4	240.1	241.0	2.7	1.0	1.7	1.8	1.9	1.8
Housing	361.1	361.9	361.8	361.6	1.8	1.6	3.3	.6	1.7	1.9
Shelter	404.8	406.7	408.3	409.2	4.5	6.4	3.8	4.4	5.5	4.1
Renters' costs ²	122.7	123.2	123.6	124.1	3.4	6.9	5.0	4.6	5.1	4.8
Rent, residential	281.7	282.9	284.0	285.0	3.9	7.5	4.4	4.8	5.7	4.6
Other renters' costs	420.2	421.5	421.4	425.1	1.1	1.9	8.9	4.7	1.5	6.8
Homeowners' costs ²	119.9	120.6	121.1	121.2	4.6	7.4	2.7	4.4	6.0	3.6
Owners' equivalent rent ²	119.9	120.6	121.1	121.3	4.6	7.0	3.1	4.8	5.8	3.9
Household insurance ^{1,2}	119.9	120.2	120.6	121.1	10.5	4.9	3.8	4.1	7.7	3.9
Maintenance and repairs ¹	376.4	376.2	379.0	377.1	7.6	-12.5	10.5	.7	-3.0	5.5
Maintenance and repair services ¹	434.2	437.0	437.5	433.7	6.1	-6.6	8.4	-.5	-.4	3.9
Maintenance and repair commodities ¹	271.3	268.7	273.0	272.9	9.6	-19.8	13.4	2.4	-6.2	7.8
Fuel and other utilities	383.6	381.8	377.1	374.3	-3.0	-9.9	1.4	-9.4	-6.5	-4.1
Fuels	458.1	455.3	446.0	442.5	-5.3	-15.8	-1.0	-12.9	-10.7	-7.2
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas	457.8	461.8	456.5	450.6	-34.4	-44.1	-28.5	-6.1	-39.4	-18.1
Gas (piped) and electricity	449.6	445.5	435.6	432.7	4.7	-7.3	6.0	-14.2	-1.5	-4.6
Other utilities and public services ¹	255.9	255.6	257.1	255.4	3.3	5.9	7.2	-.8	4.6	3.1
Household furnishings and operation	251.4	251.9	251.6	251.3	.3	.3	3.4	-.2	.3	1.6
Housefurnishings	201.9	202.6	202.0	201.2	-1.0	-.2	3.9	-1.4	-.6	1.2
Housekeeping supplies	320.8	321.1	320.8	321.7	.0	.1	4.0	1.1	.1	2.5
Housekeeping services ¹	347.4	347.8	348.5	348.5	2.1	1.5	1.9	1.3	1.8	1.6
Apparel and upkeep	207.7	209.4	209.9	210.3	-3.4	-.2	2.3	5.1	-1.8	3.7
Apparel commodities	191.8	193.4	193.8	194.3	-5.1	-.8	2.3	5.3	-3.0	3.8
Men's and boys' apparel	199.0	201.2	200.7	201.9	-.8	.0	-1.6	6.0	-.4	2.1
Women's and girls' apparel	167.4	169.8	170.8	170.7	-11.1	-3.1	3.7	8.1	-7.2	5.9
Infants' and toddlers' apparel ¹	310.6	309.7	312.0	307.0	6.1	9.2	-9.6	-4.6	7.6	-7.1
Footwear	211.3	211.6	213.8	213.4	-7.5	1.1	2.1	4.0	-3.2	3.1
Other apparel commodities ¹	221.6	221.1	219.8	221.1	2.3	-1.3	12.0	-.9	.5	5.4
Apparel services	335.0	337.0	338.3	339.0	5.0	3.1	2.5	4.9	4.0	3.7

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Seasonally adjusted indexes				Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for—					
	Aug. 1986	Sept. 1986	Oct. 1986	Nov. 1986	3 months ending in—				6 months ending in—	
					Feb. 1986	May 1986	Aug. 1986	Nov. 1986	May 1986	Nov. 1986
Expenditure category										
Transportation	300.8	302.0	302.3	303.8	-2.1	-18.5	-5.3	4.0	-10.7	-0.7
Private transportation	292.3	293.6	294.0	295.3	-3.1	-20.0	-6.2	4.2	-11.9	-1.1
New vehicles	225.6	226.0	227.6	229.5	2.8	6.9	5.1	7.1	4.8	6.1
New cars	225.8	226.3	228.0	230.0	3.3	6.5	5.1	7.7	4.9	6.4
Used cars	357.3	358.1	358.4	358.1	1.5	-12.8	-5.3	.9	-5.9	-2.3
Motor fuel	262.7	269.2	262.9	261.4	-19.8	-58.7	-29.2	-2.0	-42.4	-16.7
Gasoline	262.2	268.7	262.3	260.7	-19.5	-59.0	-29.0	-2.3	-42.5	-16.7
Maintenance and repair	364.7	364.6	365.0	368.4	3.3	3.2	3.8	4.1	3.2	4.0
Other private transportation ¹	304.5	302.3	307.6	311.6	7.4	2.8	4.3	9.7	5.1	7.0
Other private transportation commodities ¹	201.8	200.3	198.9	200.0	2.6	-1.0	-1.2	-3.5	.8	-2.4
Other private transportation services ¹	334.6	332.3	339.3	344.1	8.2	3.5	5.2	11.8	5.8	8.5
Public transportation ¹	428.0	428.5	428.7	431.7	9.4	1.4	4.1	3.5	5.4	3.8
Medical care	437.4	440.1	442.6	444.4	7.4	9.2	7.3	6.6	8.3	6.9
Medical care commodities	275.7	277.0	277.8	278.5	7.8	5.0	6.8	4.1	6.4	5.5
Medical care services	473.0	476.1	479.0	481.1	7.6	10.2	7.3	7.0	8.9	7.2
Professional services	393.3	396.5	398.4	400.6	5.1	8.1	5.3	7.6	6.6	6.4
Other medical care services ³	570.0	573.0	577.0	579.1	9.5	11.9	9.2	6.5	10.7	7.9
Entertainment	274.8	275.5	276.3	277.4	4.7	1.6	2.5	3.8	3.1	3.2
Entertainment commodities	266.1	265.9	266.2	267.3	1.7	.6	1.2	1.8	1.1	1.5
Entertainment services ¹	287.3	289.2	290.8	291.8	8.2	3.0	4.4	6.4	5.6	5.4
Other goods and services	350.6	350.4	351.7	352.8	8.4	4.7	7.6	2.5	6.5	5.1
Tobacco products ¹	356.2	356.8	357.2	357.3	12.5	2.1	11.7	1.2	7.2	6.3
Personal care ¹	292.3	292.0	293.1	293.4	5.3	2.5	1.9	1.5	3.9	1.7
Toilet goods and personal care appliances ¹	289.1	288.2	289.9	289.6	7.2	2.7	1.7	.7	4.9	1.2
Personal care services ¹	296.2	296.5	297.1	297.9	3.9	2.3	2.1	2.3	3.1	2.2
Personal and educational expenses	435.0	434.3	436.8	439.9	8.2	8.8	9.9	4.6	8.5	7.2
School books and supplies	386.2	384.0	387.3	390.2	7.1	9.1	10.0	4.2	8.1	7.1
Personal and educational services	446.7	446.2	448.5	451.8	8.6	8.8	9.9	4.6	8.7	7.2
Commodity and service group										
All items	-	-	-	-	1.2	-2.1	2.7	3.1	-0.4	2.9
Commodities	281.9	283.3	283.3	284.0	-1.9	-8.3	.7	3.0	-5.2	1.9
Food and beverages	314.4	315.7	316.7	318.3	1.2	3.2	7.6	5.1	2.2	6.3
Commodities less food and beverages	260.2	261.6	261.1	261.3	-4.1	-15.1	-3.6	1.7	-9.8	-1.0
Nondurables less food and beverages ¹	258.1	261.5	260.4	260.0	-11.0	-20.2	-7.7	3.0	-15.7	-2.5
Apparel commodities	191.8	193.4	193.8	194.3	-5.1	-8	2.3	5.3	-3.0	3.8
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel ¹	296.9	299.5	297.2	296.7	-9.5	-26.4	-10.4	-3	-18.4	-5.5
Durables	269.0	269.3	270.2	271.0	1.5	-3.3	-4	3.0	-1.0	1.3
Services	402.9	403.7	404.8	406.0	4.9	4.7	4.8	3.1	4.8	4.0
Rent of shelter ^{1 2}	120.9	121.7	122.2	122.4	3.5	7.0	4.1	5.1	5.2	4.6
Household services less rent of shelter ^{1 2}	115.3	114.9	112.9	111.0	3.7	1.8	11.1	-14.1	2.7	-2.3
Transportation services	357.2	356.0	360.2	364.3	7.1	2.9	4.6	8.2	5.0	6.4
Medical care services	473.0	476.1	479.0	481.1	7.6	10.2	7.3	7.0	8.9	7.2
Other services	334.5	335.4	337.0	338.4	7.0	4.7	5.6	4.7	5.9	5.2

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Seasonally adjusted indexes				Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for—					
	Aug. 1986	Sept. 1986	Oct. 1986	Nov. 1986	3 months ending in—				6 months ending in—	
					Feb. 1986	May 1986	Aug. 1986	Nov. 1986	May 1986	Nov. 1986
	Commodity and service group									
Special indexes:										
All items less food	327.6	326.8	329.0	329.6	1.5	-3.2	1.6	2.5	-0.9	2.0
All items less shelter	306.0	307.0	307.2	308.0	.5	-4.5	2.4	2.6	-2.0	2.5
All items less homeowners' costs ²	111.1	111.4	111.5	111.9	1.1	-3.9	2.9	2.9	-1.4	2.9
All items less medical care	322.2	323.3	323.7	324.5	1.1	-2.6	2.4	2.9	-.9	2.6
Commodities less food	259.1	260.5	260.0	260.1	-4.2	-14.7	-3.3	1.6	-9.6	-.9
Nondurables less food ¹	255.8	258.9	257.8	257.4	-10.2	-18.9	-7.3	2.6	-14.7	-2.4
Nondurables less food and apparel ¹	287.9	290.2	288.1	287.7	-8.6	-24.8	-9.5	-.3	-17.0	-5.0
Nondurables	287.4	289.1	289.0	289.8	-3.6	-10.2	1.3	3.4	-6.9	2.3
Services less rent of shelter ^{1 2}	119.8	120.2	120.1	120.0	5.7	3.5	7.0	.7	4.8	3.8
Services less medical care ¹	393.8	395.4	395.7	395.4	4.2	4.8	5.6	1.8	4.4	3.7
Energy	352.7	355.0	347.3	344.9	-12.5	-39.0	-14.0	-8.8	-26.9	-11.3
All items less energy	328.6	329.8	330.9	332.1	3.3	3.4	4.6	4.3	3.3	4.5
All items less food and energy	328.4	329.3	330.7	331.7	3.8	3.4	3.9	4.1	3.8	4.0
Commodities less food and energy	263.4	264.0	264.5	265.0	1.4	-1.1	2.5	2.5	.2	2.5
Energy commodities	290.9	297.1	290.9	288.8	-22.7	-56.3	-29.0	-2.9	-41.9	-16.9
Services less energy	399.8	401.0	403.2	404.7	5.4	6.0	4.8	5.0	5.7	4.8

¹ Not seasonally adjusted.

² Indexes on a December 1982 = 100 base.

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

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

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

(1967=100, unless otherwise noted)

Group and item	Other index base	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Nov. 1986 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Oct. 1986	Nov. 1986	Nov. 1985	Oct. 1986	Aug. to Sept.	Sept. to Oct.	Oct. to Nov.
Food and beverages		315.6	316.4	4.2	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.5
Food		323.7	324.6	4.4	.3	.4	.3	.5
Food at home		309.5	309.9	4.5	.1	.4	.4	.5
Cereals and bakery products ¹		326.4	326.5	2.7	.0	.1	.0	.0
Cereal and cereal products	12/77	175.1	174.5	1.8	-.3	.5	.1	-.2
Flour and prepared flour mixes	12/77	151.4	148.5	-3	-1.9	.1	.1	-.8
Cereal ¹	12/77	208.7	209.2	5.0	.2	.9	-.3	.2
Rice, pasta, and commel ¹	12/77	149.4	149.2	-2.2	-.1	-.4	-1.1	-.1
Bakery products ¹	12/77	173.3	173.6	3.0	.2	.1	.2	.2
White bread ¹		273.7	272.4	.7	-.5	.0	-.2	-.5
Fresh other breads, biscuits, rolls, and muffins ^{1 2}	12/77	166.5	167.6	3.6	.8	.1	.4	.8
Other bread ^{1 3}	12/77	165.8	167.2	4.1	.8	1.0	.3	.8
Fresh biscuits, rolls, and muffins ^{1 3}	12/77	167.1	168.3	3.1	.7	-.8	.4	.7
Cookies, fresh cakes and cupcakes ^{1 2}	12/77	180.1	181.0	3.8	.5	.4	.2	.5
Fresh cakes and cupcakes ^{1 3}	12/77	177.1	178.9	4.6	1.0	.3	1.0	1.0
Cookies ³	12/77	182.8	183.0	3.3	.1	1.0	-.4	.5
Other bakery products ^{1 2}	12/77	179.7	179.6	3.9	-.1	-.2	.5	-.1
Crackers and bread and cracker products ^{1 3}	12/77	179.9	176.9	2.0	-1.7	.0	.7	-1.7
Fresh sweetrolls, coffeecake, and donuts ^{1 3}	12/77	175.1	176.2	4.2	.6	.5	.4	.6
Frozen and refrigerated bakery products and fresh pies, tarts, and turnovers ^{1 3}	12/77	185.2	186.1	5.2	.5	-1.0	.4	.5
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs		284.9	286.3	7.6	.5	.6	.6	.6
Meats, poultry, and fish		293.0	293.7	7.8	.2	1.1	.6	.5
Meats		283.9	285.4	7.2	.5	1.8	.8	.9
Beef and veal		273.8	277.6	2.5	1.4	1.5	1.5	1.2
Ground beef other than canned		249.0	252.6	1.0	1.4	.6	2.3	.5
Chuck roast		274.2	277.9	1.6	1.3	.3	3.8	.4
Round roast		233.6	233.6	.0	.0	2.2	2.0	-.7
Round steak		257.9	256.7	1.5	-.5	4.2	.0	-1.0
Sirloin steak		278.8	282.0	3.7	1.1	.4	.7	1.9
Other beef and veal	12/77	173.5	177.1	4.3	2.1	1.0	.4	1.6
Pork		298.0	295.6	16.4	-.8	2.3	-.2	.7
Bacon		323.2	310.4	14.8	-4.0	2.6	-3.2	-2.3
Chops		274.9	275.4	14.9	.2	1.7	-.8	-.5
Ham ²	12/77	141.2	142.3	19.2	.8	2.0	4.1	-.1
Ham other than canned ³	12/77	146.5	146.4	22.3	-.1	2.1	4.1	-1.0
Canned ham ⁴		272.6	279.9	13.2	2.7	1.7	4.1	3.0
Other pork including sausage ^{1 2}	12/77	160.5	159.1	16.0	-.9	3.2	-1.4	-.9
Other pork ³	12/77	158.2	158.1	16.2	-.1	2.6	.6	.0
Sausage ^{1 3}		366.2	359.1	15.8	-1.9	4.2	1.2	-1.9
Other meats ¹		283.5	285.2	6.0	.6	1.5	.4	.6
Frankfurters ^{1 3}		281.3	280.9	5.7	-.1	1.5	1.3	-.1
Bologna, liverwurst, and salami ^{1 3}	12/77	166.9	168.5	7.7	1.0	2.1	-.3	1.0
Other lunchmeats ^{1 3}	12/77	145.7	146.1	5.6	.3	1.3	.8	.3
Lamb and organ meats ^{1 3}	12/77	144.1	146.8	5.3	1.9	1.0	-1.0	1.9
Poultry ¹		247.8	245.2	13.1	-1.0	-2.2	-.7	-1.0
Fresh whole chicken ¹		256.1	252.2	16.5	-1.5	-5.1	-.5	-1.5
Fresh and frozen chicken parts ¹	12/77	163.1	164.5	17.4	.9	-1.7	-3.1	.9
Other poultry ¹	12/77	149.1	145.0	3.1	-2.7	2.5	2.3	-2.7
Fish and seafood		451.6	449.7	7.3	-.4	.1	1.2	-.5
Canned fish and seafood ¹	12/77	135.8	136.5	2.0	.5	.4	1.8	.5
Fresh and frozen fish and seafood	12/77	193.5	191.9	9.7	-.6	-.3	.9	-.6
Eggs		186.2	195.8	2.6	5.2	-8.0	-.9	2.6

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1987=100, unless otherwise noted)

Group and item	Other index base	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Nov. 1986 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Oct. 1986	Nov. 1986	Nov. 1985	Oct. 1986	Aug. to Sept.	Sept. to Oct.	Oct. to Nov.
Dairy products ¹		260.0	281.2	1.6	0.5	0.1	0.6	0.5
Fresh milk and cream	12/77	139.5	140.6	1.7	.8	-.4	.8	.6
Fresh whole milk		227.6	229.5	1.4	.8	-.4	.8	.6
Other fresh milk and cream ¹	12/77	140.5	141.6	2.2	.8	-.4	.9	.8
Processed dairy products ¹	12/77	157.6	157.7	1.5	.1	.7	.3	.1
Cheese ¹	12/77	151.7	151.7	.1	.0	.1	.1	.0
Ice cream and related products ¹	12/77	166.8	167.1	2.9	.3	1.5	.4	.3
Other dairy products including butter ^{1 2}	12/77	160.8	160.7	2.9	-.1	1.1	.6	-.1
Other dairy products ^{1 3}	12/77	161.2	160.7	3.2	-.3	.4	.7	-.3
Butter ^{1 3}		268.9	289.3	2.6	.1	1.9	.4	.1
Fruits and vegetables		326.6	327.8	4.3	-.2	1.4	.9	1.5
Fresh fruits and vegetables		351.2	349.4	10.0	-.5	2.5	1.6	2.8
Fresh fruits		375.1	360.6	7.2	-3.9	-.9	1.5	2.7
Apples		343.8	332.7	5.0	-3.2	-7.4	-11.2	-3.9
Bananas		266.1	263.5	18.7	-1.0	5.1	2.2	5.9
Oranges		431.3	430.2	7.6	-.3	-1.5	9.3	12.5
Other fresh fruits	12/77	205.5	192.4	5.8	-6.4	3.2	5.0	1.4
Fresh vegetables		328.8	336.9	13.0	3.1	4.7	2.1	2.4
Potatoes		323.4	325.7	26.4	.7	10.3	2.4	3.0
Lettuce ¹		331.3	327.9	3.8	-1.0	12.4	-2.1	-1.0
Tomatoes ¹		287.8	316.3	14.2	9.9	-2.0	20.1	9.9
Other fresh vegetables	12/77	188.1	195.6	10.9	4.0	3.5	.3	-1.2
Processed fruits and vegetables ¹		306.6	306.9	-2.1	.1	-.6	-.2	.1
Processed fruits	12/77	162.0	162.0	-3.7	.0	.2	.4	.3
Fruit juices and frozen fruit ²	12/77	160.2	160.5	-5.8	.2	.4	.1	.5
Frozen fruit and fruit juices ³	12/77	147.2	148.6	-11.9	1.1	.3	.1	1.8
Fruit juices other than frozen ³	12/77	170.3	169.5	-1.1	-.5	.3	.4	-.5
Canned and dried fruits ¹	12/77	165.4	164.9	.4	-.3	-.2	-.1	-.3
Processed vegetables ¹	12/77	148.2	148.5	-.4	-.2	-1.1	-.5	-.2
Frozen vegetables ¹	12/77	162.3	161.5	-.1	-.5	-.2	-.2	-.5
Other processed vegetables ^{1 2}	12/77	140.7	141.4	-.5	.5	-1.5	-.6	.5
Cut corn and canned beans except lima ^{1 3}	12/77	146.9	146.7	-1.2	-.1	-2.0	-.6	-.1
Other canned and dried vegetables ^{1 3}	12/77	137.7	136.8	-.1	.8	-1.1	-.6	.8
Other foods at home		374.4	373.9	3.2	-.1	-.1	.0	.2
Sugar and sweets ¹		413.4	412.4	2.7	-.2	.1	-.1	-.2
Sugar and artificial sweeteners ¹	12/77	169.4	168.8	.2	-.4	.2	-.7	-.4
Sweets including candy ²	12/77	173.6	173.3	3.7	-.2	.2	.5	.1
Candy and chewing gum ³	12/77	173.8	173.9	3.9	.1	.1	.4	.2
Other sweets ^{1 3}	12/77	173.1	171.8	3.2	-.8	1.0	.1	-.8
Fats and oils ¹		284.6	285.4	-2.3	.3	-.8	-.4	.3
Margarine ^{1 3}		269.0	288.8	-4.1	-.1	-.1	-.9	-.1
Nondairy substitutes and peanut butter ^{1 3}	12/77	164.8	169.2	6.0	2.7	-.5	1.3	2.7
Other fats, oils, and salad dressings ^{1 3}	12/77	142.3	141.5	-4.8	-.6	-1.2	-.8	-.6
Nonalcoholic beverages		477.5	476.9	5.6	-.1	-.6	-.1	.5
Carbonated drinks ²	12/77	156.4	155.8	1.2	-.4	.4	-.3	.3
Cola drinks, excluding diet cola ⁵		326.4	326.4	1.7	.0	.7	-.4	.7
Carbonated drinks, including diet cola ⁶	12/77	152.6	151.0	.1	-1.0	.0	-.2	-.2
Coffee ^{1 6}		484.6	465.5	22.8	.2	-2.7	-.5	.2
Roasted coffee ^{1 3}		473.4	473.5	26.5	.0	-3.4	-.9	.0
Freeze dried and instant coffee ^{1 3}		452.7	454.2	19.5	.3	-2.1	.1	.3
Other noncarbonated drinks	12/77	156.8	157.2	1.9	.3	-.5	.7	.5
Other prepared foods		304.7	303.9	2.4	-.3	.4	.4	-.1
Canned and packaged soup	12/77	157.6	157.8	2.9	.1	1.0	.1	-.1
Frozen prepared foods ¹	12/77	172.8	172.5	1.6	-.1	-.5	-.2	-.1
Snacks ¹	12/77	178.6	177.2	3.3	-.8	-.3	1.0	-.8
Seasonings, condiments, sauces and spices ²	12/77	172.0	171.4	2.6	-.3	1.1	.1	-.1
Seasonings, olives, pickles, and relish ³	12/77	175.7	175.5	3.9	-.1	1.9	.7	-.1
Other condiments ³	12/77	169.6	168.7	1.7	-.5	.7	-.3	.1
Other prepared foods, including								
miscellaneous and baby food ^{1 2}	12/77	161.1	161.0	1.8	-.1	.1	.4	-.1
Miscellaneous prepared foods ^{1 3}	12/77	167.4	166.4	3.0	-.8	.1	.7	-.6
Other canned and packaged prepared foods ³	12/77	154.5	155.2	.5	.5	.1	.6	.5

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1967=100, unless otherwise noted)

Group and item	Other index base	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Nov. 1986 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Oct. 1986	Nov. 1986	Nov. 1985	Oct. 1986	Aug. to Sept.	Sept. to Oct.	Oct. to Nov.
Food away from home		364.0	365.8	4.1	0.5	0.5	0.2	0.5
Lunch	12/77	175.8	176.5	4.1	.4	.2	.5	.5
Dinner	12/77	175.1	175.9	3.6	.5	.5	.3	.5
Other meals and snacks	12/77	180.3	181.8	5.2	.8	.6	-.1	.8
Alcoholic beverages		240.6	240.5	1.8	.0	.2	-.1	.4
Alcoholic beverages at home	12/77	152.3	152.2	1.2	-.1	.1	-.3	.6
Beer and ale		241.0	241.3	1.8	.1	.2	.0	.6
Wine ¹		241.0	239.4	1.2	-.7	-.2	-.1	-.7
Distilled spirits ^{1 2}	12/77	141.9	142.0	.5	.1	.2	.0	.1
Other alcoholic beverages ^{1 3}	12/77	139.8	139.7	.6	-.1	.4	.4	-.1
Whiskey ^{1 3}		170.1	170.3	.4	.1	.1	-.1	.1
Alcoholic beverages away from home	12/77	176.9	176.9	4.1	.0	.3	.2	.0
Special indexes:								
Domestically produced farm food		293.3	293.9	4.2	.2	.7	.6	.4
Selected beef cuts ¹		273.2	276.6	2.3	1.2	.5	.6	1.2
Imported food and fishery products ⁴	12/77	153.0	152.7	5.7	-.2	-.2	.5	.1

¹ Not seasonally adjusted.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group and item	Other index base	Seasonally adjusted indexes		Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for—					
		Oct. 1986	Nov. 1986	3 months ending in—				6 months ending in—	
				Feb. 1986	May 1986	Aug. 1986	Nov. 1986	May 1986	Nov. 1986
Food and beverages		316.7	318.3	1.2	3.2	7.6	5.1	2.2	6.3
Food		325.0	326.7	.8	3.4	7.9	5.3	2.1	6.6
Food at home		311.0	312.6	.1	2.3	10.1	5.4	1.2	7.7
Cereals and bakery products ¹		328.4	328.5	3.3	1.6	5.5	.4	2.5	2.9
Cereal and cereal products	12/77	176.2	175.9	.2	.9	4.5	1.6	.6	3.0
Flour and prepared flour mixes	12/77	152.0	150.8	2.1	-.5	.0	-2.4	.8	-1.2
Cereal ¹	12/77	208.7	209.2	4.9	4.4	7.3	3.3	4.7	5.3
Rice, pasta, and commel ¹	12/77	149.4	149.2	-1.3	.3	-1.3	-6.2	-.5	-3.8
Bakery products ¹	12/77	173.3	173.6	3.1	.9	6.0	1.9	2.0	3.9
White bread ¹		273.7	272.4	.9	.7	4.2	-2.7	.8	.7
Fresh other breads, biscuits, rolls, and muffins ^{1 2}	12/77	166.5	167.8	1.7	-.5	8.1	5.2	.6	6.6
Other bread ^{1 3}	12/77	165.8	167.2	.5	4.8	2.5	8.8	2.6	5.6
Fresh biscuits, rolls, and muffins ^{1 3}	12/77	167.1	166.3	2.7	-5.2	14.3	1.4	-1.3	7.7
Cookies, fresh cakes and cupcakes ^{1 2}	12/77	180.1	181.0	2.3	1.4	7.0	4.8	1.8	5.9
Fresh cakes and cupcakes ^{1 3}	12/77	177.1	178.9	1.4	1.9	5.4	9.7	1.6	7.6
Cookies ³	12/77	183.3	184.3	-.9	1.6	8.1	4.7	.3	6.4
Other bakery products ^{1 2}	12/77	179.7	179.6	6.9	2.5	5.3	1.1	4.7	3.2
Crackers and bread and cracker products ^{1 3}	12/77	179.9	176.9	5.9	.5	6.0	-4.0	3.1	.9
Fresh sweetrolls, coffeecake, and donuts ^{1 3}	12/77	175.1	176.2	8.5	-1.2	3.5	6.1	3.6	4.8
Frozen and refrigerated bakery products and fresh pies, tarts, and turnovers ^{1 3}	12/77	185.2	186.1	5.5	8.8	7.2	-.4	7.1	3.3
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs		286.3	288.1	-2.7	-4.7	33.9	7.6	-3.7	20.0
Meats, poultry, and fish		294.6	296.2	-1.7	-5.0	31.8	9.4	-3.4	20.1
Meats		285.7	288.4	-2.9	-8.7	29.4	14.8	-5.9	21.9
Beef and veal		279.1	282.4	-4.8	-15.0	15.7	18.1	-10.0	16.9
Ground beef other than canned		254.1	255.4	-4.0	-18.0	15.2	14.5	-11.3	14.9
Chuck roast		280.4	281.6	-18.7	-13.7	27.4	19.6	-16.2	23.4
Round roast		239.3	237.6	-11.4	-10.2	9.8	14.7	-10.8	12.2
Round steak		262.1	259.6	-.3	-19.4	17.0	13.2	-10.4	15.1
Sirloin steak		285.4	290.7	3.0	-11.1	12.0	12.6	-4.3	12.3
Other beef and veal	12/77	176.9	179.8	-3.2	-10.3	20.7	13.0	-6.8	16.8
Pork		295.6	297.7	-2.2	-.6	68.3	12.0	-1.4	37.3
Bacon		322.9	315.4	.6	-9.3	114.6	-11.5	-4.5	37.8
Chops		278.0	276.5	-7.6	13.9	62.4	2.2	2.6	28.8
Ham ²	12/77	139.7	139.5	5.6	-7.5	63.4	26.3	-1.2	43.6
Ham other than canned ³	12/77	144.1	142.7	4.9	-9.2	90.7	23.0	-2.4	53.2
Canned ham ¹		272.1	280.2	4.8	-8.8	21.9	41.1	-2.2	31.1
Other pork including sausage ^{1 2}	12/77	160.5	159.1	6.3	-3.7	70.6	3.9	1.2	33.1
Other pork ³	12/77	160.3	160.3	-5.7	5.1	61.7	13.2	-.4	35.3
Sausage ^{1 3}		366.2	359.1	9.5	-1.5	46.3	14.2	3.8	29.2
Other meats ¹		283.5	285.2	3.2	-2.2	13.5	10.3	.4	11.9
Frankfurters ^{1 3}		281.3	280.9	4.7	-7.7	15.7	11.4	-1.6	13.6
Bologna, liverwurst, and salami ^{1 3}	12/77	166.9	168.5	2.3	-.8	18.6	11.7	.8	15.2
Other lunchmeats ^{1 3}	12/77	145.7	146.1	.6	-.3	13.0	9.9	.1	11.4
Lamb and organ meats ^{1 3}	12/77	144.1	146.8	7.1	.0	6.6	7.7	3.5	7.2
Poultry ¹		247.8	245.2	3.2	.4	84.8	-14.5	1.6	25.7
Fresh whole chicken ¹		256.1	252.2	.0	1.9	141.7	-25.2	.9	34.5
Fresh and frozen chicken parts ¹	12/77	163.1	164.5	3.8	4.6	105.4	-14.8	4.2	32.3
Other poultry ¹	12/77	149.1	145.0	7.6	-8.8	4.3	8.1	.1	6.2
Fish and seafood		454.8	452.4	2.4	17.3	7.0	3.1	9.6	5.0
Canned fish and seafood ¹	12/77	135.8	136.5	.3	1.5	-4.4	11.3	.9	3.1
Fresh and frozen fish and seafood	12/77	195.3	194.2	2.3	24.2	13.9	.2	12.7	6.8
Eggs		188.1	182.9	-21.8	.7	84.1	-23.6	-11.3	18.6

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group and item	Other index base	Seasonally adjusted indexes		Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for—					
		Oct. 1986	Nov. 1986	3 months ending in—				6 months ending in—	
				Feb. 1986	May 1986	Aug. 1986	Nov. 1986	May 1986	Nov. 1986
Dairy products ¹		260.0	261.2	0.3	-0.3	1.9	4.6	0.0	3.2
Fresh milk and cream	12/77	139.8	140.7	-2.9	1.8	3.2	4.4	-6	3.8
Fresh whole milk		228.3	229.7	-3.0	1.6	2.9	4.3	-7	3.6
Other fresh milk and cream ¹	12/77	140.5	141.6	.0	.9	2.9	5.3	.4	4.1
Processed dairy products ¹	12/77	157.6	157.7	1.3	-8	1.3	4.4	.3	2.8
Cheese ¹	12/77	151.7	151.7	-1.8	-8	2.4	.8	-1.3	1.6
Ice cream and related products ¹	12/77	166.6	167.1	6.3	-2.4	-1.2	9.4	1.9	3.9
Other dairy products including butter ^{1 2}	12/77	160.8	160.7	2.8	.8	1.8	6.5	1.8	4.1
Other dairy products ^{1 3}	12/77	161.2	160.7	5.5	3.6	.8	3.0	4.5	1.9
Butter ^{1 3}		268.9	269.3	-3	-2.6	3.3	10.3	-1.4	6.7
Fruits and vegetables		335.0	340.0	-15.0	26.1	-5.2	16.2	3.5	4.9
Fresh fruits and vegetables		362.1	372.1	-22.3	55.8	-7.6	31.0	10.0	10.1
Fresh fruits		370.7	380.8	7.3	20.8	-10.9	14.3	13.8	.9
Apples		367.7	353.2	25.0	15.1	117.9	-61.2	19.9	-8.1
Bananas		278.3	294.7	33.9	74.3	-49.1	67.4	52.8	-7.7
Oranges		388.2	436.8	17.2	2.3	-47.9	115.3	9.5	5.9
Other fresh fruits	12/77	202.7	205.6	-3.3	12.6	-20.9	45.8	4.4	7.4
Fresh vegetables		357.0	365.6	-39.5	89.2	-1.0	43.7	7.0	19.3
Potatoes		357.3	366.0	-18.5	-17.6	107.9	83.0	-18.1	95.0
Lettuce ¹		331.3	327.9	-14.6	247.3	-72.2	40.8	72.3	-37.5
Tomatoes ¹		287.8	316.3	-11.6	58.8	-56.7	180.1	18.5	10.1
Other fresh vegetables	12/77	215.2	212.6	-50.0	90.6	43.5	10.6	-2.4	26.0
Processed fruits and vegetables ¹		306.6	306.9	-2.4	-3.0	.0	-2.9	-2.7	-1.5
Processed fruits	12/77	162.8	163.3	-9.5	-6.4	-2.2	3.8	-8.0	.7
Fruit juices and frozen fruit ²	12/77	161.0	161.8	-12.4	-11.1	-2.7	4.1	-11.7	.6
Frozen fruit and fruit juices ³	12/77	149.4	151.1	-25.4	-21.4	-6.5	9.5	-23.4	1.2
Fruit juices other than frozen ³	12/77	171.3	170.4	-3.4	-2.6	1.2	.5	-3.0	.8
Canned and dried fruits ¹	12/77	165.4	164.9	.7	.7	2.4	-2.4	.7	.0
Processed vegetables ¹	12/77	146.2	146.5	1.4	-5	3.0	-5.3	.4	-1.2
Frozen vegetables ¹	12/77	162.3	161.5	2.2	-1.0	1.7	-3.4	.6	-9
Other processed vegetables ^{1 2}	12/77	140.7	141.4	1.4	-8	4.0	-6.3	.3	-1.3
Cut corn and canned beans except lima ^{1 3}	12/77	146.9	146.7	1.1	-1.3	6.6	-10.4	-1	-2.3
Other canned and dried vegetables ^{1 3}	12/77	137.7	138.8	1.4	-3	2.3	-3.7	.6	-7
Other foods at home		374.2	374.8	12.3	-1	1.2	.2	5.9	.7
Sugar and sweets ¹		413.4	412.4	7.4	2.6	1.9	-7	4.9	.6
Sugar and artificial sweeteners ¹	12/77	169.4	168.8	11.6	-3.0	-3.7	-3.2	4.1	-3.5
Sweets including candy ²	12/77	173.9	174.0	5.3	1.9	4.5	3.0	3.6	3.8
Candy and chewing gum ³	12/77	174.3	174.6	7.8	1.9	3.3	2.6	4.8	2.9
Other sweets ^{1 3}	12/77	173.1	171.8	1.9	4.9	5.1	1.2	3.4	3.1
Fats and oils ¹		284.6	285.4	-1.0	-5.6	.8	-3.3	-3.3	-1.2
Margarine ^{1 3}		289.0	286.8	1.2	-7.3	-5.8	-4.2	-3.2	-5.0
Nondairy substitutes and peanut butter ^{1 3}	12/77	164.8	169.2	-2.0	.5	11.8	14.7	-8	13.2
Other fats, oils, and salad dressings ^{1 3}	12/77	142.3	141.5	-1.9	-7.4	.3	-10.1	-4.7	-5.0
Nonalcoholic beverages		476.5	478.8	27.7	-1.6	-2	-8	12.1	-5
Carbonated drinks ²	12/77	155.8	156.3	6.1	-5.7	2.9	1.8	.0	2.3
Cola drinks, excluding diet cola ⁵		325.4	327.7	8.2	-9.9	5.4	4.1	-1.3	4.7
Carbonated drinks, including diet cola ⁵	12/77	151.5	151.2	3.8	1.3	-2.6	-1.6	2.5	-2.1
Coffee ^{1 6}		484.6	485.5	172.6	11.8	-15.7	-11.4	74.6	-13.6
Roasted coffee ^{1 3}		473.4	473.5	257.9	7.0	-20.1	-16.2	95.7	-18.2
Freeze dried and instant coffee ^{1 3}		452.7	454.2	108.7	16.9	-10.7	-6.5	56.2	-8.6
Other noncarbonated drinks	12/77	157.0	157.8	.3	-3.6	8.3	2.8	-1.7	5.5
Other prepared foods		305.3	305.1	1.2	2.6	2.8	2.9	1.9	2.9
Canned and packaged soup	12/77	158.6	158.4	-1.0	4.0	4.7	3.9	1.4	4.3
Frozen prepared foods ¹	12/77	172.6	172.5	-1.6	3.8	6.0	-1.4	1.1	2.2
Snacks ¹	12/77	178.6	177.2	7.9	.2	5.6	-5	4.0	2.5
Seasonings, condiments, sauces and spices ²	12/77	172.2	172.1	2.4	3.9	-2	4.8	3.1	2.2
Seasonings, olives, pickles, and relish ⁵	12/77	175.9	175.7	1.9	4.8	-1.2	10.4	3.3	4.5
Other condiments ³	12/77	169.8	169.9	1.4	4.4	-2	1.7	2.9	.7
Other prepared foods, including miscellaneous and baby food ^{1 2}	12/77	161.1	161.0	4.1	1.5	-2	2.0	2.8	.9
Miscellaneous prepared foods ^{1 3}	12/77	167.4	166.4	6.9	3.7	1.0	.7	5.3	.8
Other canned and packaged prepared foods ³	12/77	155.1	155.8	-5	-5	-2.1	5.0	-5	1.4

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group and item	Other index base	Seasonally adjusted indexes		Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for—					
		Oct. 1986	Nov. 1986	3 months ending in—				6 months ending in—	
				Feb. 1986	May 1986	Aug. 1986	Nov. 1986	May 1986	Nov. 1986
Food away from home		364.4	366.2	2.4	5.3	3.8	5.0	3.8	4.4
Lunch	12/77	175.8	176.7	2.6	4.8	3.8	5.1	3.7	4.4
Dinner	12/77	175.3	176.1	2.4	3.8	3.3	4.9	3.1	4.1
Other meals and snacks	12/77	180.8	182.2	3.0	6.3	6.5	5.2	4.7	5.8
Alcoholic beverages		240.1	241.0	2.7	1.0	1.7	1.8	1.9	1.8
Alcoholic beverages at home	12/77	151.8	152.7	2.1	.6	.5	1.8	1.5	1.1
Beer and ale		241.0	242.5	1.5	1.0	1.2	3.4	1.3	2.3
Wine ¹		241.0	239.4	6.6	.0	2.2	-3.6	3.2	-8
Distilled spirits ^{1 2}	12/77	141.9	142.0	1.4	.3	-8	1.1	.9	.1
Other alcoholic beverages ^{1 3}	12/77	139.8	139.7	.9	.9	-1.1	2.8	.9	.7
Whiskey ^{1 3}		170.1	170.3	1.9	-2	-5	.2	.8	-1
Alcoholic beverages away from home	12/77	178.9	178.9	5.5	2.8	6.1	1.8	4.2	4.0
Special indexes:									
Domestically produced farm food		296.0	297.2	-5.9	4.5	11.9	6.9	-8	9.4
Selected beef cuts ¹		273.2	276.6	1.6	-10.3	9.7	9.7	-4.5	9.7
Imported food and fishery products ⁴	12/77	153.5	153.6	18.8	4.0	-5	1.3	11.2	.4

¹ Not seasonally adjusted.

² New aggregate index. Monthly data for this series back to January 1976 are available from the Bureau of Labor Statistics.

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

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

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

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

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

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

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group and item	Other index base	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Nov. 1986 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Oct. 1986	Nov. 1986	Nov. 1985	Oct. 1986	Aug. to Sept.	Sept. to Oct.	Oct. to Nov.
Housing		363.0	361.7	1.9	-0.4	0.2	0.0	-0.1
Shelter		409.5	410.2	4.8	.2	.5	.4	.2
Renters' costs	12/82	124.0	124.3	5.0	.2	.4	.3	.4
Rent, residential ¹		284.6	285.6	5.1	.4	.4	.4	.4
Other renters' costs		427.3	425.5	4.1	-.4	.3	.0	.9
Lodging while out of town		448.4	445.1	3.0	-.7	.3	.1	1.1
Lodging while at school ¹	12/82	128.4	126.5	6.4	.1	5.6	.5	.1
Tenants' insurance ¹	12/77	181.5	182.4	5.7	.5	.3	.3	.5
Homeowners' costs	12/82	121.3	121.5	4.9	.2	.6	.4	.1
Owners' equivalent rent	12/82	121.3	121.5	4.8	.2	.6	.4	.2
Household insurance ¹	12/82	120.6	121.1	5.8	.4	.3	.3	.4
Maintenance and repairs ¹		379.0	377.1	1.2	-.5	-.1	.7	-.5
Maintenance and repair services ¹		437.5	433.7	1.7	-.9	.6	.1	-.9
Maintenance and repair commodities ¹		273.0	272.9	.5	.0	-1.0	1.6	.0
Paint and wallpaper, supplies, tools, and equipment ^{1 2}	12/77	162.5	162.1	.3	-.2	-1.7	2.3	-.2
Lumber, awnings, glass, and masonry ^{1 2}	12/77	131.2	135.2	5.4	3.0	.3	.2	3.0
Plumbing, electrical, heating, and cooling supplies ^{1 2}	12/77	151.2	152.1	1.9	.6	.2	1.5	.6
Miscellaneous supplies and equipment	12/77	145.6	145.4	.3	-.1	.3	.0	-.1
Fuel and other utilities		379.1	371.1	-5.4	-2.1	-.5	-1.2	-.7
Fuels		450.3	437.8	-9.1	-2.8	-.6	-2.0	-.8
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas		451.9	452.0	-29.6	.0	.9	-1.1	-1.3
Fuel oil		434.0	434.2	-33.3	.0	1.1	-1.4	-1.3
Other fuels ³	6/76	180.0	179.9	-7.5	-.1	.1	.4	-.6
Gas (piped) and electricity		441.4	426.7	-3.1	-3.3	-.9	-2.2	-.7
Electricity		361.3	354.1	-.7	-2.0	.4	-4.4	1.1
Utility (piped) gas		552.4	523.7	-6.5	-5.2	-2.8	.9	-3.2
Other utilities and public services ¹		257.1	255.4	3.9	-.7	-.1	.6	-.7
Telephone services ¹		207.7	205.3	2.9	-1.2	-.4	.5	-1.2
Local charges ¹	12/77	198.8	195.4	8.0	-1.7	-.5	.8	-1.7
Interstate toll calls ¹	12/77	101.2	101.2	-9.5	.0	.0	.0	.0
Intrastate toll calls ¹	12/77	125.1	124.8	-1.3	-.2	-.5	.3	-.2
Water and sewerage maintenance ¹		426.6	427.2	5.4	.1	.2	.6	.1
Cable television ¹	12/83	116.6	116.7	3.9	.1	.9	.5	.1
Refuse collection ¹	12/83	121.5	123.5	9.7	1.6	1.2	1.0	1.6
Household furnishings and operation		251.6	251.2	.9	-.2	.2	-.1	-.1
Housefurnishings		202.2	201.4	.3	-.4	.3	-.3	-.4
Textile housefurnishings		246.6	246.1	1.8	-.2	.2	.0	.3
Household linens ⁴	12/77	143.9	143.7	.1	-.1	.3	1.2	.5
Curtains, drapes, slipcovers, and sewing materials ^{1 4}	12/77	164.2	163.8	3.6	-.2	-.4	-.7	-.2
Furniture and bedding		236.4	235.4	.8	-.4	.0	.1	-.4
Bedroom furniture ¹	12/77	175.6	172.7	3.0	-1.7	1.2	2.3	-1.7
Sofas	12/77	127.3	129.2	4.5	1.5	1.1	-1.0	.8
Living room chairs and tables ¹	12/77	130.6	130.8	-1.1	.2	.4	.8	.2
Other furniture	12/77	144.4	143.6	-2.8	-.6	-.3	-1.4	-.1
Appliances including TV and sound equipment ¹		138.7	138.2	-1.6	-.4	.1	-.4	-.4
Television and sound equipment ¹	12/77	91.7	91.6	-3.1	-.1	-.1	-.3	-.1
Television ¹		81.4	81.1	-4.7	-.4	-1.6	.0	-.4
Sound equipment ¹	12/77	101.6	101.6	-2.0	.0	.9	-.6	.0
Household appliances ^{1 3}		184.0	183.1	.1	-.5	.3	-.6	-.5
Refrigerator and home freezer ¹		191.6	190.2	-.7	-.7	.8	-.3	-.7
Laundry equipment ¹	12/77	150.8	148.0	-.5	-1.9	.6	.4	-1.9
Other household appliances ^{1 3}	12/77	119.7	119.6	.5	-.1	.2	-1.0	-.1
Stoves, dishwashers, vacuums, and sewing machines ^{1 3}	12/77	119.3	116.1	-1.8	-1.0	.2	-2.3	-1.0
Office machines, small electric appliances, and air conditioners ^{1 3}	12/77	120.1	121.1	2.5	.8	.1	.2	.8

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1967=100, unless otherwise noted)

Group and item	Other index base	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Nov. 1966 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Oct. 1966	Nov. 1966	Nov. 1965	Oct. 1966	Aug. to Sept.	Sept. to Oct.	Oct. to Nov.
Household furnishings—Continued:								
Other household equipment ^{1,2}	12/77	147.1	146.3	0.8	-0.5	0.6	-0.4	-0.5
Floor and window coverings, infants', laundry, cleaning, and outdoor equipment ¹	12/77	166.0	157.0	3.1	-6	1.2	1.3	-6
Clocks, lamps, and decor items ¹	12/77	137.8	136.3	-1.6	-1.1	.9	.4	-1.1
Tableware, serving pieces, and nonelectric kitchenware ¹	12/77	151.6	149.6	1.2	-1.3	-1	-2.0	-1.3
Lawn equipment, power tools, and other hardware ¹	12/77	137.6	136.9	-6	.9	1.0	-1	.9
Housekeeping supplies								
Laundry and cleaning products including soap ^{1,6}	12/77	166.3	166.4	2.3	.1	.4	.2	.1
Soaps and detergents ^{1,4}	12/77	323.7	324.3	2.6	.2	.9	.7	.2
Other laundry and cleaning products ^{1,4}	12/77	165.5	165.4	1.9	-1	-1	-5	-1
Household paper products and stationery supplies ^{1,6}	12/77	166.0	166.1	.6	.1	.2	.3	.1
Cleaning and toilet tissue, paper towels and napkins ^{1,4}	12/77	162.1	162.1	.9	.0	.6	.2	.0
Stationery, stationery supplies, and gift wrap ^{1,4}	12/77	149.4	149.6	.6	.1	-4	.5	.1
Other household lawn and garden supplies ⁵	12/77	166.4	166.2	.5	.5	.2	-7	.6
Miscellaneous household products ^{2,3}	12/77	166.3	166.2	2.4	.6	.0	.6	.5
Lawn and garden services ²	12/77	146.9	147.6	-1.9	.8	.1	-2.9	.9
Housekeeping services ¹	12/77	346.5	346.5	1.7	.0	.1	.2	.0
Postage ¹	12/77	671.9	671.9	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0
Moving, storage, freight, household laundry, and drycleaning services ^{1,8}	12/77	196.4	194.9	6.0	-3	.2	.5	-3
Appliance and furniture repair ¹	12/77	166.6	166.9	2.8	.2	.2	.2	.2
Apparel and upkeep								
Apparel commodities.....	12/77	216.2	216.1	.6	.0	.6	.2	.2
Apparel commodities less footwear.....	12/77	167.6	167.4	.6	-1	.6	.2	.3
Men's and boys'.....	12/77	194.6	194.4	.4	-1	1.0	.1	.6
Men's.....	12/77	204.6	205.9	.6	.6	1.1	-2	.6
Suits, sport coats, coats, and jackets ⁶	12/77	189.1	189.7	1.2	.6	1.0	.1	.6
Suits, sport coats, and jackets ⁴	12/77	116.7	116.6	2.7	.1	2.4	-6	.1
Coats and jackets ⁴	12/77	126.6	126.7	4.5	-2	2.9	-2	-1
Furnishings and special clothing ¹	12/77	101.9	102.7	-2.6	.6	.0	-1.6	1.1
Shirts.....	12/77	167.4	166.5	.1	.7	.6	.6	.7
Dungarees, jeans, and trousers.....	12/77	195.6	196.2	2.9	1.6	1.2	.1	2.0
Boys'.....	12/77	117.5	117.2	-6	-6	.9	.3	-1.0
Coats, jackets, sweaters, and shirts ⁴	12/77	190.9	191.5	-7	.8	1.9	-9	1.0
Furnishings ²	12/77	126.0	126.2	-2	1.7	9.1	-6	2.5
Suits, trousers, sport coats, and jackets ⁴	12/77	149.4	149.3	.4	-1	.6	-1	-1
Women's and girls'.....	12/77	127.3	127.0	-1.6	-2	1.3	-1.6	.4
Women's.....	12/77	176.4	175.0	-6	-6	1.4	.5	.1
Coats and jackets.....	12/77	117.9	116.6	-6	-6	1.3	.4	.4
Dresses.....	12/77	169.0	169.9	-9.2	-1	2.2	-2.0	.7
Separates and sportswear.....	12/77	165.9	179.9	-1.0	-3.2	4.6	-2	-2.0
Underwear, nightwear, and hosiery.....	12/77	113.0	111.5	1.5	-1.6	6.1	-1.0	.5
Suits.....	12/77	142.3	142.7	.7	.3	-7	.8	.4
Girls'.....	12/77	92.2	92.9	-7	.6	-3.1	6.2	3.0
Coats, jackets, dresses, and suits ⁴	12/77	114.7	114.5	-6	-2	1.7	-1.2	-1
Separates and sportswear ⁴	12/77	104.8	104.0	-4.9	-6	3.3	-2	-1.0
Underwear, nightwear, hosiery, and accessories ²	12/77	111.2	111.5	1.3	.3	.7	-2.4	.6
Infants' and toddlers' ¹	12/77	137.3	137.5	1.7	.1	2.6	.2	.1
Other apparel commodities ¹	12/77	312.0	307.0	.0	-1.6	-3	.7	-1.6
Sewing materials and notions ^{1,5}	12/77	219.8	221.1	2.9	.6	-2	-6	.6
Jewelry and luggage ^{1,9}	12/77	126.5	124.4	.1	-9	.0	-1.1	-9
Footwear.....	12/77	149.2	150.6	3.9	1.1	-3	-4	1.1
Men's.....	12/77	215.1	215.1	-2	.0	.1	1.0	-2
Boys' and girls' ¹	12/77	143.2	143.9	1.3	.5	-1	.2	.1
Women's.....	12/77	137.3	135.3	.8	-1.5	1.1	2.0	-1.5
Apparel services.....	12/77	126.6	127.2	-1.9	.5	.5	1.5	.5
Laundry and dry cleaning other than coin operated.....	12/77	338.3	339.0	3.9	.2	.6	.4	.2
Other apparel services ¹	12/77	202.1	202.4	3.6	.1	.6	.3	.0
Other apparel services ¹	12/77	176.6	177.2	4.1	.3	.3	.6	.3

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1967=100, unless otherwise noted)

Group and item	Other index base	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Nov. 1986 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Oct. 1986	Nov. 1986	Nov. 1985	Oct. 1986	Aug. to Sept.	Sept. to Oct.	Oct. to Nov.
Transportation		302.6	304.3	-5.6	0.6	0.4	0.1	0.5
Private		294.1	295.8	-6.7	.6	.4	.1	.4
New vehicles		226.7	230.2	5.5	1.5	.2	.7	.8
New cars		227.1	230.7	5.6	1.6	.2	.8	.9
New trucks and motorcycles ¹	12/83	110.7	112.3	4.6	1.4	-3	.5	1.4
Used cars		360.6	361.0	-4.1	.1	.2	.1	-.1
Motor fuel		263.2	260.9	-30.7	-9	2.5	-2.3	-6
Gasoline		262.6	260.2	-30.8	-9	2.5	-2.4	-6
Gasoline, leaded regular	1/76	144.3	143.1	-31.9	-8	2.9	-2.3	-6
Gasoline, unleaded regular	1/76	149.3	147.8	-31.8	-1.0	2.4	-2.4	-7
Gasoline, unleaded premium	8/81	70.4	69.8	-26.8	-9	1.0	-2.4	-9
Automobile maintenance and repair		365.7	368.4	3.5	.7	.0	.1	.9
Body work ¹	12/77	186.3	188.9	3.5	1.4	-.5	.2	1.4
Automobile drive train, brake, and miscellaneous mechanical repair ¹	12/77	180.5	181.3	4.4	.4	.2	.3	.4
Maintenance and servicing ¹	12/77	164.2	165.6	3.6	.9	.4	.4	.9
Power plant repair	12/77	175.6	176.5	2.7	.5	.1	-.2	.5
Other private transportation ¹		307.6	311.8	6.0	1.3	-.7	1.8	1.3
Other private transportation commodities ¹		196.9	200.0	-.8	.6	-.7	-.7	.6
Motor oil, coolant, and other products ¹	12/77	154.5	154.7	-1.8	.1	.1	-.4	.1
Automobile parts and equipment ¹	12/77	124.9	125.7	-.6	.6	-.9	-.6	.6
Tires ¹		166.4	168.3	-1.6	1.1	-1.3	-1.1	1.1
Other parts and equipment ¹	12/77	135.9	135.2	1.6	-.5	.0	.1	-.5
Other private transportation services ¹		339.3	344.1	7.1	1.4	-.7	2.1	1.4
Automobile insurance ¹		421.8	425.1	12.6	.8	.6	2.2	.8
Automobile finance charges ¹	12/77	136.5	145.3	-8.1	4.9	-6.1	3.4	4.9
Automobile rental, registration, and other fees ¹	12/77	172.6	173.2	6.2	.3	.1	.6	.3
Automobile registration, license, and inspection fees ^{1 5}	12/77	158.3	159.1	3.3	.5	.1	.1	.5
State registration ^{1 4}		221.6	222.0	3.1	.2	.0	.0	.2
Drivers' license ^{1 2}	12/77	175.9	176.0	1.0	.1	.0	.0	.1
Automobile inspection ^{1 2}	12/77	164.8	173.9	7.5	5.5	.0	.0	5.5
Other automobile related fees ¹	12/77	195.2	195.3	10.0	.1	.1	1.6	.1
Public transportation ¹		428.7	431.7	4.6	.7	.1	.0	.7
Airline fare ¹		491.1	496.0	2.4	1.4	.2	.1	1.4
Other intercity transportation ^{1 5}		221.7	221.0	7.2	-.3	-.7	-.2	-.3
Intercity bus fare ^{1 2}		516.9	515.0	7.3	-.4	-.7	-.1	-.4
Intercity train fare ^{1 2}		419.2	419.4	6.7	.0	-.4	-.9	.0
Intracity public transportation ^{1 5}		206.9	206.9	6.9	.0	.1	.0	.0
Intracity mass transit ^{1 2}		385.6	385.6	7.6	.0	.2	.0	.0
Taxi fare ^{1 2}		330.3	330.3	2.4	.0	.1	.1	.0
Medical care		442.3	444.6	7.7	.5	.6	.6	.4
Medical care commodities		277.5	276.2	5.9	.3	.5	.3	.3
Prescription drugs		284.1	285.9	8.4	.6	.6	.3	.6
Anti-infective drugs ^{1 2}	12/77	192.3	193.8	5.3	.8	.4	.2	.8
Tranquilizers and sedatives ²	12/77	264.3	268.3	11.2	1.5	.6	.1	1.2
Circulatories and diuretics ^{1 2}	12/77	210.4	210.8	10.1	.2	.4	.4	.2
Hormones, diabetic drugs, biologicals, and prescription medical supplies ²	12/77	261.0	261.0	7.6	.0	.5	.4	-.1
Pain and symptom control drugs ^{1 2}	12/77	225.0	226.3	7.9	.6	.4	.0	.6
Supplements, cough and cold preparations, and respiratory agents ²	12/77	206.3	209.3	6.7	.5	.5	1.2	.6
Nonprescription drugs and medical supplies ^{1 3}	12/77	180.6	180.4	3.4	-.1	.1	.2	-.1
Eyeglasses ^{1 2}	12/77	151.4	152.0	3.4	.4	.1	.4	.4
Internal and respiratory over-the-counter drugs ¹		297.7	296.8	3.2	-.3	.1	.1	-.3
Nonprescription medical equipment and supplies ¹	12/77	173.6	173.3	4.0	-.2	.1	.5	-.2
Medical care services		476.8	481.5	8.0	.6	.7	.6	.4
Professional services		396.0	399.6	6.5	.5	.6	.5	.6
Physicians' services		436.3	439.7	7.8	.6	1.0	.5	.9
Dental services ¹		374.2	374.8	5.7	.1	.8	.5	.1
Other professional services ^{1 2}	12/77	181.5	181.5	2.9	.0	.1	.2	.0
Other medical care services ²		576.4	580.3	9.3	.7	.5	.7	.4
Hospital and other medical services ²	12/77	242.3	243.6	7.0	.6	.5	.7	.2
Hospital room		765.6	774.8	7.2	1.2	.4	.6	.8
Other hospital and medical care services ²	12/77	239.7	240.1	6.6	.2	.5	.6	-.1

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

(1967=100, unless otherwise noted)

Group and item	Other index base	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Nov. 1986 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Oct. 1986	Nov. 1986	Nov. 1985	Oct. 1986	Aug. to Sept.	Sept. to Oct.	Oct. to Nov.
Entertainment		276.5	277.4	3.1	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.4
Entertainment commodities		266.7	267.6	1.4	.3	-.1	.1	.4
Reading materials ¹	12/77	184.5	185.1	4.3	.3	.3	.2	.3
Newspapers ¹		344.2	346.3	3.7	.6	.2	.5	.6
Magazines, periodicals, and books ¹	12/77	195.3	195.4	5.1	.1	.5	-.1	.1
Sporting goods and equipment	12/77	138.8	139.1	-2.8	-.2	-.9	.0	-.2
Sports vehicles, including bicycles ^{1 5}	12/77	143.5	143.8	-3.8	.2	-.5	-.3	.2
Sport vehicles ^{1 2}	12/77	144.9	145.3	-4.5	.3	-.5	-.2	.3
Bicycles ²		201.2	200.8	-.1	-.2	-.3	-.7	.5
Other sporting goods ^{1 5}	12/77	125.8	125.9	.2	.1	-.1	.0	.1
Indoor and warm weather sport equipment ^{1 2}	12/77	117.5	117.9	1.7	.3	-.6	.2	.3
Other sporting goods and equipment ²	12/77	132.3	132.3	.2	.0	.3	.1	.0
Toys, hobbies, and other entertainment	12/77	146.7	147.3	1.9	.4	-.1	.7	.7
Toys, hobbies, and music equipment	12/77	140.6	140.8	.2	.1	-.7	1.4	.4
Photographic supplies and equipment	12/77	143.3	144.3	5.9	.7	.1	.6	1.2
Pet supplies and expense ¹	12/77	160.1	161.1	2.1	.6	.4	-.2	.6
Entertainment services ¹		290.8	291.8	5.5	.3	.7	.6	.3
Fees for participant sports ^{1 3}	12/77	182.9	183.4	5.8	.3	1.4	.7	.3
Admissions ¹	12/77	171.5	171.9	4.6	.2	-.4	.8	.2
Other entertainment services ^{1 3}	12/77	149.2	150.1	5.6	.8	.2	.1	.6
Other goods and services		354.6	354.9	5.8	.1	-.1	.4	.3
Tobacco products ¹		357.2	357.3	6.8	.0	.2	.1	.0
Cigarettes ^{1 2}		368.0	368.0	6.9	.0	.1	.1	.0
Other tobacco products and smoking accessories ²	12/77	177.0	177.4	4.9	.2	1.3	-.2	.2
Personal care ¹		293.1	293.4	2.8	.1	-.1	.4	.1
Toilet goods and personal care appliances ¹		289.9	289.6	3.0	-.1	-.3	.6	-.1
Other toilet goods and small appliances, including hair and dental products ^{1 5}	12/77	169.7	170.1	3.5	.2	-.6	.7	.2
Products for the hair, hairpieces, and wigs ^{1 4}	12/77	163.9	163.6	2.2	-.2	.7	.6	-.2
Dental and shaving products ^{1 2}	12/77	183.5	185.2	4.6	.9	-1.7	1.9	.9
Other toilet goods and small personal care appliances ^{1 2}	12/77	164.1	164.5	4.0	.2	-.8	-.4	.2
Cosmetics, bath and nail preparations								
manicure and eye makeup implements ¹	12/77	165.4	163.9	2.0	-.9	.2	.4	-.9
Personal care services ¹		297.1	297.9	2.7	.3	.1	.2	.3
Beauty parlor services for females ¹		299.3	300.3	2.4	.3	.1	.2	.3
Haircuts and other barber shop services for males ¹	12/77	165.9	166.1	3.0	.1	.1	.2	.1
Personal and educational expenses		447.6	448.2	7.9	.1	-.2	.6	.7
School books and supplies		392.3	392.5	7.6	.1	-.6	.9	.7
Personal and educational services		460.2	460.8	7.9	.1	-.1	.5	.7
Tuition and other school fees	12/77	235.5	235.4	7.9	.0	-.2	.6	.7
College tuition	12/77	234.7	234.6	7.4	.0	-.4	.5	.7
Elementary and high school tuition	12/77	237.9	237.5	9.2	-.2	.9	.9	.2
Personal expenses ¹	12/77	238.1	240.1	8.2	.8	.6	.5	.8
Special indexes:								
Motor fuel, motor oil, coolant and other products		262.0	259.7	-30.3	-.9	2.4	-2.2	-.6
Utilities and public transportation		372.6	365.9	.3	-1.8	-.6	-.9	-.5
Housekeeping and home maintenance services ¹		394.5	394.0	1.7	-.1	.2	.2	-.1

¹ Not seasonally adjusted.
² This index series will not be published after December 1986.
³ Index coverage will be redefined effective January 1987. The current definition will not be published after December 1986.
⁴ After December 1986, this index series, as a result of changes in the

CPI classification structure effective in January 1987, will be published only as a special sub-strata index based upon a substantially smaller sample.
⁵ New aggregate index. Monthly data for this series back to January 1978 are available from the Bureau of Labor Statistics.
 NOTE: Index applies to a month as a whole, not to any specific date.

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

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group and item	Other index base	Seasonally adjusted indexes		Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for—					
		Oct. 1966	Nov. 1966	3 months ending in—				6 months ending in—	
				Feb. 1966	May 1966	Aug. 1966	Nov. 1966	May 1966	Nov. 1966
Housing		361.6	361.6	1.6	1.6	3.3	0.6	1.7	1.9
Shelter		409.3	409.2	4.5	6.4	3.6	4.4	5.5	4.1
Renters' costs	12/62	123.6	124.1	3.4	6.9	5.0	4.6	5.1	4.6
Rent, residential ¹		284.0	285.0	3.9	7.5	4.4	4.6	5.7	4.6
Other renters' costs		421.4	425.1	1.1	1.9	8.9	4.7	1.5	6.6
Lodging while out of town		444.4	449.1	-5.3	.8	11.0	5.9	-2.3	6.4
Lodging while at school ¹	12/62	126.4	126.5	-.3	.0	1.0	27.2	-.2	13.3
Tenants' insurance ¹	12/77	181.5	182.4	2.3	4.4	4.3	4.7	6.8	4.5
Homeowners' costs	12/62	121.1	121.2	4.6	7.4	2.7	4.4	6.0	3.6
Owners' equivalent rent	12/62	121.1	121.3	4.6	7.0	3.1	4.6	5.6	3.9
Household insurance ¹	12/62	120.8	121.1	10.5	4.9	3.6	4.1	7.7	3.9
Maintenance and repairs ¹		379.0	377.1	7.6	-12.6	10.5	.7	-3.0	5.5
Maintenance and repair services ¹		437.5	433.7	6.1	-6.6	6.4	-.6	-.4	3.9
Maintenance and repair commodities		278.0	272.9	6.6	-19.8	13.4	2.4	-6.2	7.8
Paint and wallpaper, supplies, tools, and equipment ^{1,2}	12/77	162.5	162.1	14.1	-29.7	24.5	1.5	-10.5	12.4
Lumber, awnings, glass, and masonry ^{1,2}	12/77	191.2	195.2	7.0	1.9	-1.5	15.2	4.4	6.4
Plumbing, electrical, heating, and cooling supplies ^{1,2}	12/77	151.2	152.1	1.1	-1.1	-1.6	6.5	.0	6.6
Miscellaneous supplies and equipment	12/77	145.6	145.4	2.5	-2.2	.8	.8	.8	.4
Fuel and other utilities		377.1	374.9	-3.0	-9.9	1.4	-6.4	-6.5	-4.1
Fuels		446.0	442.5	-5.9	-16.6	-1.0	-12.6	-10.7	-7.2
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas		456.5	450.6	-34.4	-44.1	-26.5	-6.1	-36.4	-19.1
Fuel oil		436.4	436.5	-36.6	-46.4	-32.5	-6.7	-46.6	-20.7
Other fuels ¹	6/76	181.5	180.4	-.4	-16.7	-6.4	-.2	-10.0	-4.6
Gas (piped) and electricity		485.6	482.7	4.7	-7.9	6.0	-14.2	-1.5	-4.6
Electricity		666.9	662.6	7.9	-6.1	12.0	-11.1	-1.9	-.2
Utility (piped) gas		646.6	629.5	.7	-4.7	-1.6	-16.7	-2.0	-10.7
Other utilities and public services ¹		257.1	255.4	9.9	6.9	7.2	-.9	4.6	6.1
Telephone services ¹		207.7	205.3	1.6	6.9	7.9	-4.0	4.1	1.6
Local charges ¹	12/77	166.5	165.4	6.6	10.6	25.6	-5.7	7.1	6.6
Interstate toll calls ¹	12/77	101.2	101.2	.0	.0	-32.6	.0	.0	-15.1
Intrastate toll calls ¹	12/77	125.1	124.5	-3.4	-.9	.9	-1.6	-1.9	-.5
Water and sewerage maintenance ¹		426.6	427.2	6.2	6.6	6.7	6.7	6.6	6.2
Cable television ¹	12/69	116.6	116.7	6.2	1.4	-.7	6.0	6.2	2.6
Refuse collection ¹	12/69	121.5	123.5	12.2	4.2	6.3	16.4	6.2	11.2
Household furnishings and operation		251.6	251.9	.9	.9	3.4	-.2	.3	1.6
Housefurnishings		202.0	201.2	-1.0	-.2	3.9	-1.4	-.6	1.2
Textile housefurnishings		245.4	246.1	-1.6	-.5	6.1	1.6	-1.1	4.6
Household linens ⁴	12/77	142.1	142.5	-7.4	.3	-.3	6.2	-3.6	3.9
Curtains, drapes, slipcovers, and sewing materials ^{1,4}	12/77	164.2	163.6	6.6	-1.7	13.6	-6.0	3.9	3.9
Furniture and bedding		235.2	234.2	2.4	-3.4	5.6	-1.4	-.5	2.2
Bedroom furniture ¹	12/77	175.6	172.7	-5.6	16.4	-4.6	7.5	4.7	1.3
Sofas	12/77	127.5	126.6	3.6	-1.0	12.9	3.5	1.3	6.1
Living room chairs and tables ¹	12/77	130.6	130.6	-4.2	.8	-6.0	6.7	-1.6	-.3
Other furniture	12/77	143.8	143.9	1.1	-16.9	13.0	-6.1	-6.3	3.0
Appliances including TV and sound equipment ¹		136.7	136.2	-2.8	2.0	-2.6	-2.6	-.4	-2.6
Television and sound equipment ¹	12/77	91.7	91.6	-2.9	-.9	-6.3	-2.2	-1.9	-4.2
Television ¹		81.4	81.1	-1.9	-1.9	-7.4	-7.5	-1.9	-7.4
Sound equipment ¹	12/77	101.6	101.6	-3.6	.4	-5.7	1.2	-1.7	-2.3
Household appliances ^{1,3}		184.0	183.1	-2.4	5.2	.9	-3.2	1.3	-1.2
Refrigerator and home freezer ¹		191.6	190.2	3.0	2.5	-7.0	-1.0	2.7	-4.1
Laundry equipment ¹	12/77	150.8	148.0	2.4	-3.9	3.0	-3.4	-.8	-.3
Other household appliances ^{1,3}	12/77	119.7	119.6	-4.9	6.1	3.0	-3.6	1.3	-.3
Stoves, dishwashers, vacuums, and sewing machines ^{1,3}	12/77	119.3	118.1	-15.3	15.0	6.3	-11.9	-1.3	-2.3
Office machines, small electric appliances, and air conditioners ^{1,3}	12/77	120.1	121.1	4.8	2.4	-1.3	4.4	3.6	1.5

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1967=100, unless otherwise noted)

Group and item	Other index base	Seasonally adjusted indexes		Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for—					
		Oct. 1986	Nov. 1986	3 months ending in—				6 months ending in—	
				Feb. 1986	May 1986	Aug. 1986	Nov. 1986	May 1986	Nov. 1986
Household furnishings—Continued:									
Other household equipment ^{1 3}	12/77	147.1	146.3	-0.5	1.4	3.6	-1.4	0.4	1.1
Floor and window coverings, infants', laundry, cleaning, and outdoor equipment ¹	12/77	158.0	157.0	-3	7.0	-1.8	7.7	3.3	2.9
Clocks, lamps, and decor items ¹	12/77	137.8	136.3	-19.5	16.5	-9	9	-3.2	.0
Tableware, serving pieces, and nonelectric kitchenware ¹	12/77	151.6	149.6	11.6	-4.1	12.8	-13.0	3.4	-9
Lawn equipment, power tools, and other hardware ¹	12/77	137.6	138.9	-2.3	-6.5	-6	7.2	-4.4	3.2
Housekeeping supplies									
Laundry and cleaning products including soap ^{1 5}	12/77	320.8	321.7	.0	.1	4.0	1.1	.1	2.5
Soaps and detergents ^{1 4}	12/77	168.3	168.4	10.9	-5.8	2.2	2.7	2.2	2.4
Other laundry and cleaning products ^{1 4}	12/77	323.7	324.3	13.3	-4.8	-4.0	7.2	3.8	1.4
Household paper products and stationery supplies ^{1 5}	12/77	165.5	165.4	8.1	-7.5	11.0	-2.9	.0	3.9
Cleaning and toilet tissue, paper towels and napkins ^{1 4}	12/77	156.0	156.1	-8	-1.5	3.2	2.3	-1.2	2.7
Stationery, stationery supplies, and gift wrap ^{1 4}	12/77	162.1	162.1	-2.0	-3.9	6.5	3.5	-3.0	5.0
Other household lawn and garden supplies ⁵	12/77	149.4	149.6	.5	1.6	-.5	.8	1.1	.1
Miscellaneous household products ^{1 2}	12/77	159.7	160.6	-8.2	6.8	3.8	.2	-1.0	2.0
Lawn and garden supplies ²	12/77	168.3	169.2	-2.9	7.0	1.0	4.6	1.9	2.8
Housekeeping services ¹	12/77	148.5	149.8	-9.6	4.9	4.0	-6.2	-2.6	-1.2
Postage ¹	12/77	348.5	348.5	2.1	1.5	1.9	1.3	1.8	1.6
Moving, storage, freight, household laundry, and drycleaning services ^{1 3}	12/77	371.9	371.9	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0
Appliance and furniture repair ¹	12/77	195.4	194.9	4.3	1.9	4.4	1.4	3.1	2.9
Appliance and furniture repair ¹	12/77	163.6	163.9	3.0	2.3	3.0	2.2	2.6	2.6
Apparel and upkeep									
Apparel commodities	12/77	209.9	210.3	-3.4	-.2	2.3	5.1	-1.8	3.7
Apparel commodities less footwear	12/77	193.8	194.3	-5.1	-.8	2.3	5.3	-3.0	3.8
Men's and boys'	12/77	190.4	190.9	-4.5	-1.3	2.4	5.4	-2.9	3.9
Men's	12/77	200.7	201.9	-.8	.0	-1.6	6.0	-.4	2.1
Suits, sport coats, coats, and jackets ⁵	12/77	127.1	127.5	.3	-.3	-.9	5.9	.0	2.4
Suits, sport coats, and jackets ⁴	12/77	116.3	116.4	.0	4.7	-1.0	7.6	2.3	3.2
Coats and jackets ⁴	12/77	122.9	122.8	.7	8.6	.3	10.8	3.6	5.4
Furnishings and special clothing ¹	12/77	97.1	98.2	-1.6	-2.4	-5.9	-1.6	-2.0	-3.8
Shirts	12/77	157.4	158.5	-6.9	-2.0	.8	9.1	-4.5	4.8
Dungarees, jeans, and trousers	12/77	134.3	137.0	-4.7	3.7	-2.7	13.9	-.6	5.3
Boys'	12/77	116.9	115.7	5.2	-3.7	-3.4	-1.4	.7	-2.4
Coats, jackets, sweaters, and shirts ⁴	12/77	128.1	129.4	-8.0	2.5	-6.3	7.8	-1.8	.5
Furnishings ²	12/77	124.3	127.4	-18.9	10.3	-8.7	21.7	-5.4	5.4
Suits, trousers, sport coats, and jackets ⁴	12/77	142.4	142.2	6.7	-6.2	-1.1	2.6	.0	.7
Women's and girls'	12/77	125.2	125.7	2.2	-1.2	-7.6	.3	.5	-3.7
Women's	12/77	170.6	170.7	-11.1	-3.1	3.7	8.1	-7.2	5.9
Coats and jackets	12/77	113.7	114.1	-11.6	-3.2	4.0	8.9	-7.5	6.4
Dresses	12/77	157.5	158.6	-27.0	-16.7	8.0	3.6	-22.0	5.8
Separates and sportswear	12/77	180.5	176.9	-10.9	-7.4	6.0	9.6	-9.2	7.8
Underwear, nightwear, and hosiery	12/77	106.7	107.6	-3.7	3.9	-5.2	12.0	.0	3.0
Suits	12/77	142.0	142.6	-.6	-3.9	5.8	2.0	-2.2	3.9
Girls'	12/77	86.0	88.6	-42.7	20.5	11.3	26.2	-16.9	18.5
Coats, jackets, dresses, and suits ⁴	12/77	111.0	110.9	-9.6	-1.5	6.8	1.8	-5.6	4.3
Separates and sportswear ⁴	12/77	99.8	98.8	-19.2	.0	-6.7	8.5	-10.1	.6
Underwear, nightwear, hosiery, and accessories ²	12/77	107.6	108.5	-8.7	-.8	20.6	-3.6	-4.8	7.8
Infants' and toddlers ¹	12/77	136.3	136.4	4.2	-4.1	-4.7	12.0	.0	3.3
Other apparel commodities ¹	12/77	312.0	307.0	6.1	9.2	-9.6	-4.6	7.6	-7.1
Sewing materials and notions ^{1 3}	12/77	219.8	221.1	2.3	-1.3	12.0	-.9	.5	5.4
Jewelry and luggage ^{1 3}	12/77	125.5	124.4	.6	2.3	5.5	-7.7	1.5	-1.3
Footwear	12/77	149.2	150.8	2.8	-2.7	14.8	1.3	.0	7.9
Men's	12/77	213.8	213.4	-7.5	1.1	2.1	4.0	-3.2	3.1
Boys' and girls' ¹	12/77	142.8	143.0	-2.5	2.9	4.0	.8	.1	2.4
Women's	12/77	137.3	135.3	-8.6	5.6	-.3	6.5	-1.8	3.0
Apparel services	12/77	125.2	125.8	-12.7	-1.9	-1.9	10.1	-7.5	3.9
Laundry and dry cleaning other than coin operated	12/77	338.3	339.0	5.0	3.1	2.5	4.9	4.0	3.7
Other apparel services ¹	12/77	202.5	202.6	4.0	2.5	4.1	4.9	3.2	4.5
Other apparel services ¹	12/77	176.6	177.2	6.3	5.2	.0	5.1	5.7	2.5

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group and item	Other index base	Seasonally adjusted indexes		Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for—					
		Oct. 1986	Nov. 1986	3 months ending in—				6 months ending in—	
				Feb. 1986	May 1986	Aug. 1986	Nov. 1986	May 1986	Nov. 1986
Transportation		302.3	303.8	-2.1	-18.5	-5.3	4.0	-10.7	-0.7
Private		294.0	295.3	-3.1	-20.0	-6.2	4.2	-11.9	-1.1
New vehicles		227.6	229.5	2.8	6.9	5.1	7.1	4.8	6.1
New cars		228.0	230.0	3.3	6.5	5.1	7.7	4.9	6.4
New trucks and motorcycles ¹	12/83	110.7	112.3	4.2	4.9	2.6	6.7	4.5	4.6
Used cars		358.4	358.1	1.5	-12.8	-5.3	.9	-5.9	-2.3
Motor fuel		262.9	261.4	-19.8	-58.7	-29.2	-2.0	-42.4	-16.7
Gasoline		262.3	260.7	-19.5	-59.0	-29.0	-2.3	-42.5	-16.7
Gasoline, leaded regular	1/76	144.2	143.4	-21.7	-60.2	-31.1	.0	-44.2	-17.0
Gasoline, unleaded regular	1/76	149.2	148.1	-21.3	-60.0	-28.9	-3.2	-43.9	-17.0
Gasoline, unleaded premium	8/81	70.4	69.8	-15.7	-50.4	-24.9	-8.7	-35.4	-17.2
Automobile maintenance and repair		365.0	368.4	3.3	3.2	3.8	4.1	3.2	4.0
Body work ¹	12/77	186.3	188.9	-2.2	9.6	2.4	4.6	3.5	3.5
Automobile drive train, brake, and miscellaneous mechanical repair ¹	12/77	180.5	181.3	4.7	6.1	3.2	3.6	5.4	3.4
Maintenance and servicing ¹	12/77	164.2	165.6	5.1	-5	3.3	6.8	2.3	5.0
Power plant repair	12/77	175.4	176.3	2.8	2.3	4.0	1.6	2.6	2.8
Other private transportation ¹		307.6	311.6	7.4	2.8	4.3	9.7	5.1	7.0
Other private transportation commodities ¹		198.9	200.0	2.6	-1.0	-1.2	-3.5	.8	-2.4
Motor oil, coolant, and other products ¹	12/77	154.5	154.7	.0	-5.0	-1.5	-8	-2.5	-1.2
Automobile parts and equipment ¹	12/77	124.9	125.7	2.9	-3	-9	-4.0	1.3	-2.5
Tires ¹		166.4	168.3	1.6	-7	-2.1	-5.1	.5	-3.8
Other parts and equipment ¹	12/77	135.9	135.2	5.8	.9	1.2	-1.5	3.3	-1
Other private transportation services ¹		339.3	344.1	8.2	3.5	5.2	11.8	5.8	8.5
Automobile insurance ¹		421.8	425.1	16.5	10.0	9.6	15.5	13.2	12.5
Automobile finance charges ¹	12/77	138.5	145.3	-8.3	-16.5	-12.4	7.5	-13.0	-3.0
Automobile rental, registration, and other fees ¹	12/77	172.6	173.2	4.0	6.2	9.7	5.0	5.1	7.3
Automobile registration, license, and inspection fees ^{1 5}	12/77	158.3	159.1	.5	.3	10.2	2.6	.4	6.3
State registration ^{1 4}		221.6	222.0	-2	.0	12.2	.7	-1	6.3
Drivers' license ^{1 2}	12/77	175.9	176.0	.2	.0	3.7	.2	.1	2.0
Automobile inspection ^{1 2}	12/77	164.8	173.9	1.7	-1.0	6.8	24.0	.4	15.1
Other automobile related fees ¹	12/77	195.2	195.3	8.6	14.2	9.0	8.2	11.5	8.6
Public transportation ¹		428.7	431.7	9.4	1.4	4.1	3.5	5.4	3.8
Airline fare ¹		491.1	498.0	-1.1	.8	3.2	6.9	-1	5.0
Other intercity transportation ^{1 5}		221.7	221.0	20.2	10.4	4.4	-4.7	15.2	-3
Intercity bus fare ^{1 2}		516.9	515.0	21.7	12.4	1.5	-4.5	17.0	-1.6
Intercity train fare ^{1 2}		419.2	419.4	13.2	2.4	17.5	-4.9	7.7	5.7
Intracity public transportation ^{1 5}		206.9	206.9	22.1	.8	5.2	.8	10.9	3.0
Intracity mass transit ^{1 2}		385.6	385.6	25.5	.8	5.3	.7	12.5	3.0
Taxi fare ^{1 2}		330.3	330.3	4.3	1.2	3.6	.6	2.7	2.1
Medical care		442.6	444.4	7.4	9.2	7.3	6.6	8.3	6.9
Medical care commodities		277.8	278.5	7.6	5.0	6.8	4.1	6.4	5.5
Prescription drugs		284.4	286.2	10.2	7.3	9.9	6.2	8.7	8.1
Anti-infective drugs ^{1 2}	12/77	192.3	193.8	5.3	6.1	4.3	5.6	5.7	4.9
Tranquilizers and sedatives ²	12/77	265.1	268.3	15.4	9.3	11.6	8.8	12.3	10.2
Circulatories and diuretics ^{1 2}	12/77	210.4	210.8	9.5	18.7	10.8	3.9	13.0	7.3
Hormones, diabetic drugs, biologicals, and prescription medical supplies ²	12/77	261.5	261.3	11.1	1.0	15.6	3.3	5.9	9.2
Pain and symptom control drugs ^{1 2}	12/77	225.0	226.3	11.1	5.9	10.5	4.2	8.5	7.3
Supplements, cough and cold preparations, and respiratory agents ²	12/77	209.1	210.4	6.3	9.9	8.8	9.9	8.1	9.2
Nonprescription drugs and medical supplies ^{1 3}	12/77	160.6	160.4	5.1	5.3	2.7	.7	5.2	1.7
Eyeglasses ^{1 2}	12/77	151.4	152.0	1.9	5.5	2.4	3.8	3.7	3.1
Internal and respiratory over-the-counter drugs ¹		297.7	296.8	8.0	4.7	2.9	-5	5.4	1.2
Nonprescription medical equipment and supplies ¹	12/77	173.6	173.3	5.1	8.8	2.4	1.6	6.0	2.0
Medical care services		479.0	481.1	7.6	10.2	7.3	7.0	8.9	7.2
Professional services		398.4	400.8	5.1	8.1	5.3	7.6	6.6	6.4
Physicians' services		437.2	441.0	4.9	9.8	6.5	9.9	7.3	8.2
Dental services ¹		374.2	374.6	5.5	6.7	4.9	5.6	6.1	5.3
Other professional services ^{1 2}	12/77	181.5	181.5	4.1	3.6	2.5	1.3	3.9	1.9
Other medical care services ²		577.0	579.1	9.5	11.9	9.2	6.5	10.7	7.9
Hospital and other medical services ²	12/77	242.3	242.8	7.2	7.5	7.3	5.6	7.4	6.5
Hospital room		765.0	770.9	7.3	8.6	5.9	6.9	8.0	8.4
Other hospital and medical care services ²	12/77	239.9	239.8	7.9	5.4	9.1	4.8	6.6	6.9

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group and item	Other index base	Seasonally adjusted indexes		Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for—					
		Oct. 1986	Nov. 1986	3 months ending in—				6 months ending in—	
				Feb. 1986	May 1986	Aug. 1986	Nov. 1986	May 1986	Nov. 1986
Entertainment		276.3	277.4	4.7	1.6	2.5	3.8	3.1	3.2
Entertainment commodities		266.2	267.3	1.7	.6	1.2	1.8	1.1	1.5
Reading materials ¹	12/77	184.5	185.1	5.1	5.7	3.1	3.5	5.4	3.3
Newspapers ¹		344.2	346.3	3.8	4.1	1.7	5.5	3.9	3.6
Magazines, periodicals, and books ¹	12/77	195.3	195.4	6.4	7.6	4.7	1.7	7.0	3.1
Sporting goods and equipment	12/77	138.8	138.5	.3	-7.9	.6	-4.2	-3.9	-1.9
Sports vehicles, including bicycles ^{1 5}	12/77	143.5	143.8	-1.3	-9.1	-2.2	-2.5	-5.3	-2.3
Sport vehicles ^{1 2}	12/77	144.9	145.3	-2.6	-11.1	-2.2	-1.9	-7.0	-2.0
Bicycles ²		201.0	202.0	3.2	.2	-1.4	-2.1	1.7	-1.8
Other sporting goods ^{1 5}	12/77	125.8	125.9	.6	-5.6	6.3	.0	-2.5	3.1
Indoor and warm weather sport equipment ^{1 2}	12/77	117.5	117.9	3.5	-1.7	5.6	-3	.9	2.6
Other sporting goods and equipment ²	12/77	132.3	132.3	-1.5	-8.0	9.3	1.5	-4.8	5.3
Toys, hobbies, and other entertainment	12/77	146.4	147.4	1.1	.8	.3	5.0	1.0	2.6
Toys, hobbies, and music equipment	12/77	140.3	140.9	.9	-2.8	-1.4	4.4	-1.0	1.4
Photographic supplies and equipment	12/77	143.2	144.9	6.6	4.4	4.9	7.8	5.5	6.4
Pet supplies and expense ¹	12/77	160.1	161.1	.8	.5	3.8	3.3	.6	3.6
Entertainment services ¹		290.8	291.8	8.2	3.0	4.4	6.4	5.6	5.4
Fees for participant sports ^{1 3}	12/77	182.9	183.4	7.1	3.4	2.7	10.0	5.3	6.3
Admissions ¹	12/77	171.5	171.9	8.5	.7	6.8	2.4	4.6	4.6
Other entertainment services ^{1 3}	12/77	149.2	150.1	9.9	5.0	4.1	3.5	7.5	3.8
Other goods and services		351.7	352.8	8.4	4.7	7.6	2.5	6.5	5.1
Tobacco products ¹		357.2	357.3	12.5	2.1	11.7	1.2	7.2	6.3
Cigarettes ^{1 2}		368.0	368.0	13.2	2.0	12.1	1.0	7.5	6.4
Other tobacco products and smoking accessories ²	12/77	177.7	178.1	3.6	2.1	8.4	5.6	2.8	7.0
Personal care ¹		293.1	293.4	5.3	2.5	1.9	1.5	3.9	1.7
Toilet goods and personal care appliances ¹		289.9	289.6	7.2	2.7	1.7	.7	4.9	1.2
Other toilet goods and small appliances, including hair and dental products ^{1 5}	12/77	169.7	170.1	7.8	2.9	1.9	1.4	5.3	1.7
Products for the hair, hairpieces, and wigs ^{1 4}	12/77	163.9	163.6	4.8	-.7	.5	4.3	2.0	2.4
Dental and shaving products ^{1 2}	12/77	163.5	165.2	10.1	5.6	-1.5	4.7	7.8	1.5
Other toilet goods and small personal care appliances ^{1 2}	12/77	164.1	164.5	9.1	4.8	6.5	-4.0	6.9	1.1
Cosmetics, bath and nail preparations									
manicure and eye makeup implements ¹	12/77	165.4	163.9	5.3	2.7	1.0	-1.0	4.0	.0
Personal care services ¹		297.1	297.9	3.9	2.3	2.1	2.3	3.1	2.2
Beauty parlor services for females ¹		299.3	300.3	3.3	2.3	1.8	2.3	2.6	2.0
Haircuts and other barber shop services for males ¹	12/77	165.9	166.1	5.1	2.2	3.0	1.9	3.6	2.5
Personal and educational expenses		436.8	439.9	8.2	8.8	9.9	4.6	8.5	7.2
School books and supplies		387.3	390.2	7.1	9.1	10.0	4.2	8.1	7.1
Personal and educational services		448.5	451.8	8.6	8.8	9.9	4.6	6.7	7.2
Tuition and other school fees	12/77	228.2	229.7	8.9	8.9	9.3	4.3	8.9	6.8
College tuition	12/77	227.6	229.1	8.1	9.3	9.3	2.8	8.7	6.0
Elementary and high school tuition	12/77	231.0	231.5	6.8	9.8	9.9	8.6	9.3	9.2
Personal expenses ¹	12/77	238.1	240.1	5.1	9.0	10.5	8.2	7.1	9.4
Special indexes:									
Motor fuel, motor oil, coolant and other products		261.7	260.2	-19.3	-58.1	-28.6	-2.0	-41.9	-16.4
Utilities and public transportation		370.7	368.9	6.8	-2.9	5.8	-7.9	1.9	-1.3
Housekeeping and home maintenance services ¹		394.5	394.0	2.6	.5	2.6	1.0	1.6	1.8

¹ Not seasonally adjusted.

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

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

⁴ After December 1986, this index series, as a result of changes in the

CPI classification structure effective in January 1987, will be published only as a special sub-strata index based upon a substantially smaller sample.

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

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

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

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Relative importance, December 1985	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Nov. 1986 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Oct. 1986	Nov. 1986	Nov. 1985	Oct. 1986	Aug. to Sept.	Sept. to Oct.	Oct. to Nov.
Expenditure category								
All items	100.000	325.0	325.4	0.9	0.1	0.3	0.1	0.2
All items(1957-59=100)	-	378.0	378.4	-	-	-	-	-
Food and beverages	21.114	315.4	316.2	4.2	.3	.3	.3	.5
Food	19.918	323.3	324.2	4.4	.3	.4	.2	.5
Food at home	13.440	307.9	308.4	4.5	.2	.3	.3	.5
Cereals and bakery products ¹	1.858	326.8	327.0	2.8	.1	.0	.0	.1
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	4.275	284.4	285.8	7.7	.5	.5	.5	.4
Dairy products ¹	1.704	258.6	259.9	1.6	.5	.1	.6	.5
Fruits and vegetables	1.973	322.9	322.2	4.1	-.2	1.5	.6	1.5
Other food at home	3.629	374.4	373.9	3.1	-.1	-.1	.0	.2
Sugar and sweets ¹ .....	.506	412.8	411.9	2.7	-.2	.1	.0	-.2
Fats and oils ¹ .....	.373	284.1	284.5	-2.5	.1	-.7	-.4	.1
Nonalcoholic beverages	1.508	477.7	477.1	5.3	-.1	-.5	-.1	.5
Other prepared foods	1.243	305.9	305.3	2.3	-.2	.3	.3	.1
Food away from home	6.478	367.3	369.2	4.2	.5	.5	.2	.5
Alcoholic beverages	1.195	243.5	243.4	1.9	.0	.1	-.1	.4
Housing	35.163	355.6	354.3	1.7	-.4	.2	-.1	-.1
Shelter	20.403	397.1	397.8	4.9	.2	.5	.4	.1
Renters' costs ²	6.580	111.4	111.7	5.1	.3	.4	.4	.4
Rent, residential	5.926	283.6	284.6	5.1	.4	.4	.4	.2
Other renters' costs .....	.654	426.7	424.8	4.1	-.4	.5	-.1	.9
Homeowners' costs ²	13.273	110.5	110.7	4.9	.2	.5	.4	.1
Owners' equivalent rent ²	12.929	110.5	110.7	4.9	.2	.6	.4	.1
Household insurance ^{1,2} .....	.344	110.8	111.3	5.8	.5	.3	.4	.5
Maintenance and repairs ¹ .....	.550	373.1	372.4	1.3	-.2	-.2	.7	-.2
Maintenance and repair services ¹ .....	.259	431.1	428.2	1.7	-.7	.5	.1	-.7
Maintenance and repair commodities ¹ .....	.291	264.3	265.0	.9	.3	-.9	1.2	.3
Fuel and other utilities	7.870	379.3	371.3	-5.6	-2.1	-.6	-1.3	-.8
Fuels	5.687	449.2	437.1	-9.1	-2.7	-.8	-2.1	-.8
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas	1.307	454.8	455.0	-29.4	.0	.7	-1.2	-1.2
Gas (piped) and electricity	4.380	439.6	425.3	-3.2	-3.3	-1.1	-2.3	-.7
Other utilities and public services ¹	2.183	257.8	255.8	3.6	-.8	-.2	.6	-.8
Household furnishings and operation	6.891	247.5	247.2	.9	-.1	.3	-.2	-.1
Housefurnishings	3.590	199.3	198.5	.1	-.4	.4	-.5	-.3
Housekeeping supplies	1.663	317.8	318.4	1.6	.2	.3	.0	.3
Housekeeping services ¹	1.637	350.1	350.1	1.6	.0	.1	.2	.0
Apparel and upkeep	4.970	211.9	211.5	.6	-.2	.7	.0	.2
Apparel commodities	4.209	197.1	198.6	.1	-.3	.8	-.1	.2
Men's and boys' apparel	1.364	203.6	204.6	.4	.5	1.0	-.1	.5
Women's and girls' apparel	1.564	178.1	176.2	-1.2	-1.1	1.3	-.3	.0
Infants' and toddlers' apparel ¹ .....	.137	329.2	323.8	1.0	-1.8	-.7	.9	-1.8
Footwear .....	.657	215.3	215.6	-.1	.1	.0	1.1	.0
Other apparel commodities ¹ .....	.487	207.9	208.9	3.2	.5	-.2	-.5	.5
Apparel services .....	.781	335.6	336.2	3.9	.2	.5	.3	.3

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Relative importance, December 1985	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Nov. 1986 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Oct. 1986	Nov. 1986	Nov. 1985	Oct. 1986	Aug. to Sept.	Sept. to Oct.	Oct. to Nov.
Expenditure category								
Transportation	23.840	302.2	304.0	-6.3	0.6	0.4	0.1	0.5
Private transportation	22.486	295.7	297.5	-7.1	.6	.4	.1	.5
New vehicles	4.022	225.7	229.4	5.5	1.6	2.5	.7	1.0
New cars	3.430	226.3	230.0	5.6	1.6	.2	.6	.9
Used cars	5.495	360.6	361.0	-4.1	.1	.2	.1	-.1
Motor fuel	6.191	264.0	262.0	-30.6	-6	2.5	-2.3	-5
Gasoline		263.4	261.3	-30.9	-6	2.5	-2.4	-5
Maintenance and repair	1.839	367.2	369.7	3.5	.7	.1	.0	.9
Other private transportation ¹	4.918	305.2	309.5	5.4	1.4	-8	1.8	1.4
Other private transportation commodities ¹ .....	.697	201.1	202.3	-7	.6	-6	-8	.6
Other private transportation services ¹	4.221	335.4	340.7	6.4	1.6	-8	2.2	1.6
Public transportation ¹	1.375	418.9	421.1	5.2	.5	.1	.0	.5
Medical care	5.737	439.7	441.7	7.5	.5	.6	.6	.4
Medical care commodities .....	.961	276.6	277.0	5.8	.1	.4	.3	.1
Medical care services	4.776	475.6	478.2	7.9	.5	.6	.6	.4
Professional services	2.337	396.4	400.2	6.5	.5	.8	.6	.5
Other medical care services ³	2.439	572.7	576.2	9.2	.6	.5	.7	.4
Entertainment	3.694	271.1	272.1	3.2	.4	.2	.4	.4
Entertainment commodities	2.392	260.6	261.7	1.7	.4	-2	.2	.5
Entertainment services ¹	1.502	290.7	291.6	5.5	.3	.8	.6	.3
Other goods and services	5.282	348.8	349.2	5.7	.1	-1	.4	.3
Tobacco products ¹	1.835	356.6	356.9	6.8	.0	.2	.1	.0
Personal care ¹	1.892	290.8	291.2	2.9	.1	-1	.4	.1
Toilet goods and personal care appliances ¹ .....	.926	290.5	290.5	3.1	.0	-3	.6	.0
Personal care services ¹ .....	.964	291.6	292.4	2.7	.3	.1	.3	.3
Personal and educational expenses	1.554	446.7	449.4	7.7	.2	-3	.8	.8
School books and supplies .....	.224	396.7	396.9	7.5	.1	-8	.9	.7
Personal and educational services	1.331	461.3	462.1	7.7	.2	-2	.8	.8
Commodity and service group								
All items	100.000	325.0	325.4	0.9	0.1	0.3	0.1	0.2
Commodities	54.919	282.6	283.1	-2.0	.2	.5	.0	.2
Food and beverages	21.114	315.4	316.2	4.2	.3	.3	.3	.5
Commodities less food and beverages	33.805	261.1	261.5	-5.9	.2	.5	-.3	.1
Nondurables less food and beverages ¹	19.735	260.2	259.7	-10.0	-2	1.3	-5	-2
Apparel commodities	4.209	197.1	196.6	.1	-.3	.8	-.1	.2
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel ¹	15.525	296.0	295.6	-12.8	-.1	.8	-.8	-.1
Durables	14.070	264.0	265.3	-.2	.5	.3	.3	.5
Services	45.081	401.0	401.0	4.4	.0	.2	.3	.2
Rent of shelter ^{1 2}	19.446	110.8	111.0	4.9	.2	.6	.5	.2
Household services less rent of shelter ^{1 2}	8.866	103.8	102.0	-.1	-1.7	-.4	-2.1	-1.7
Transportation services	7.435	353.8	357.9	5.5	1.2	-.5	1.3	1.2
Medical care services	4.776	475.6	478.2	7.9	.5	.8	.8	.4
Other services	4.558	333.8	334.7	5.3	.3	.3	.5	.5

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1967=100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Relative importance, December 1965	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Nov. 1986 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Oct. 1986	Nov. 1986	Nov. 1985	Oct. 1986	Aug. to Sept.	Sept. to Oct.	Oct. to Nov.
Commodity and service group								
Special indexes:								
All items less food	80.082	324.0	324.2	0.0	0.1	0.3	0.1	0.2
All items less shelter	79.597	305.7	305.9	-.2	.1	.3	.0	.3
All items less homeowners' costs ²	86.727	103.2	103.2	.2	.0	.2	.1	.3
All items less medical care	94.263	319.3	319.6	.5	.1	.3	.1	.3
Commodities less food	35.000	260.0	260.3	-5.7	.1	.5	-.2	.1
Nondurables less food ¹	20.930	257.8	257.4	-9.3	-.2	1.3	-.5	-.2
Nondurables less food and apparel ¹	16.721	287.4	287.0	-11.7	-.1	.8	-.8	-.1
Nondurables	40.848	289.0	289.2	-2.7	.1	.8	-.1	.3
Services less rent of shelter ^{1,2}	25.635	108.2	108.1	4.0	-.1	.2	-.1	-.1
Services less medical care ¹	40.305	390.6	390.4	4.0	-.1	.3	.1	-.1
Energy	11.878	344.8	338.5	-20.4	-1.8	.7	-2.2	-.6
All items less energy	88.122	325.3	326.3	3.8	.3	.3	.4	.3
All items less food and energy	68.204	324.4	325.4	3.8	.3	.2	.4	.3
Commodities less food and energy	27.503	261.7	262.4	1.1	.3	.2	.1	.2
Energy commodities	7.498	290.9	289.1	-30.8	-.6	2.2	-2.1	-.6
Services less energy	40.701	398.2	399.6	5.2	.4	.3	.6	.4
Purchasing power of the consumer dollar:								
1987=\$1.00 ¹	-	\$.308	\$.307	-1.0	-.3	-.3	.0	-.3
1957-59=\$1.00 ¹	-	.265	.264	-	-	-	-	-

¹ Not seasonally adjusted.

² Indexes on a December 1984=100 base.

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

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

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

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Seasonally adjusted indexes				Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for—					
	Aug. 1986	Sept. 1986	Oct. 1986	Nov. 1986	3 months ending in—				6 months ending in—	
					Feb. 1986	May 1986	Aug. 1986	Nov. 1986	May 1986	Nov. 1986
	Expenditure category									
All items	-	-	-	-	1.1	-3.1	2.6	2.8	-1.0	2.7
Food and beverages	314.6	315.7	316.5	318.1	.9	3.2	8.4	4.5	2.0	6.5
Food	322.4	323.7	324.5	326.1	.6	3.4	8.6	4.7	2.0	6.6
Food at home	307.5	308.5	309.5	311.0	.0	2.4	11.1	4.6	1.2	7.8
Cereals and bakery products ¹	326.7	326.8	326.8	327.0	3.4	1.5	5.8	.4	2.5	3.1
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	283.3	284.8	286.1	287.2	-3.4	-2.8	35.7	5.6	-3.1	19.7
Dairy products ¹	256.9	257.1	258.8	259.9	.2	-3	1.7	4.8	-1	3.2
Fruits and vegetables	323.0	327.8	329.8	334.6	-15.4	25.6	-4.1	15.2	3.1	5.1
Other food at home	374.6	374.1	374.1	374.9	12.0	-5	1.5	.3	5.5	.9
Sugar and sweets ¹	412.6	413.0	412.8	411.9	7.4	2.5	2.0	-7	4.9	.6
Fats and oils ¹	287.1	285.1	284.1	284.5	-1.4	-5.7	.7	-3.6	-3.5	-1.5
Nonalcoholic beverages	479.8	477.4	476.7	479.0	26.4	-2.3	.4	-7	11.1	-1
Other prepared foods	304.2	305.2	306.2	306.5	1.1	2.0	3.2	3.1	1.5	3.1
Food away from home	365.2	367.0	367.7	369.6	2.8	4.9	4.0	4.9	3.9	4.5
Alcoholic beverages	243.0	243.2	243.0	243.9	2.7	1.3	2.2	1.5	2.0	1.8
Housing	354.1	354.9	354.6	354.2	2.2	1.4	3.2	.1	1.8	1.7
Shelter	392.6	394.5	396.1	396.6	5.2	6.6	3.6	4.1	5.9	3.9
Renters' costs ²	110.2	110.6	111.0	111.4	4.2	6.9	4.9	4.4	5.5	4.6
Rent, residential	280.8	281.9	283.0	283.7	4.2	7.5	4.4	4.2	5.9	4.3
Other renters' costs	419.8	421.7	421.2	424.8	.9	2.5	8.5	4.8	1.7	6.7
Homeowners' costs ²	109.3	109.9	110.3	110.4	5.4	7.3	3.0	4.1	6.4	3.5
Owners' equivalent rent ²	109.2	109.9	110.3	110.4	5.4	6.9	3.0	4.5	6.2	3.7
Household insurance ^{1,2}	110.1	110.4	110.8	111.3	10.3	4.5	4.1	4.4	7.4	4.3
Maintenance and repairs ¹	371.5	370.6	373.1	372.4	7.0	-10.5	8.7	1.0	-2.1	4.8
Maintenance and repair services ¹	428.6	430.7	431.1	428.2	5.4	-6.0	8.4	-4	-4	3.9
Maintenance and repair commodities ¹	283.5	281.1	284.3	285.0	8.5	-14.2	8.8	2.3	-3.5	5.5
Fuel and other utilities	384.6	382.3	377.4	374.4	-2.9	-10.2	1.6	-10.2	-6.6	-4.5
Fuels	458.3	454.8	445.2	441.7	-5.1	-15.7	-7	-13.7	-10.5	-7.4
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas	461.3	464.5	458.9	453.6	-34.4	-43.4	-28.4	-6.5	-39.0	-18.2
Gas (piped) and electricity	449.2	444.4	434.2	431.0	5.1	-7.3	6.5	-15.2	-1.3	-5.0
Other utilities and public services ¹	256.6	256.2	257.8	255.8	3.3	5.6	7.2	-1.2	4.4	2.9
Household furnishings and operation	247.5	248.2	247.7	247.5	.3	.0	3.5	.0	.2	1.7
Housefurnishings	199.3	200.0	199.1	198.5	-1.2	-4	3.9	-1.6	-8	1.1
Housekeeping supplies	317.9	318.9	318.8	319.7	1.1	-5	3.6	2.3	.3	2.9
Housekeeping services ¹	349.1	349.5	350.1	350.1	2.1	1.3	2.0	1.2	1.7	1.6
Apparel and upkeep	206.8	208.3	208.3	208.7	-3.4	-2	3.0	3.7	-1.8	3.3
Apparel commodities	191.6	193.1	193.0	193.3	-5.1	-1.0	3.0	3.6	-3.1	3.3
Men's and boys' apparel	198.3	200.3	200.0	201.0	-1.2	.0	-2.6	5.6	-6	1.4
Women's and girls' apparel	170.0	172.2	171.6	171.6	-11.0	-3.7	7.1	3.6	-7.5	5.5
Infants' and toddlers' apparel ¹	328.6	328.2	329.2	323.8	10.2	7.1	-6.6	-5.7	8.7	-6.2
Footwear	211.6	211.6	214.0	214.1	-8.5	2.3	1.3	4.8	-3.2	3.1
Other apparel commodities ¹	209.5	209.0	207.9	208.9	3.4	-8	11.7	-1.1	1.3	5.1
Apparel services	333.0	334.5	335.6	336.5	5.0	3.0	3.4	4.3	4.0	3.9

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1967=100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Seasonally adjusted indexes				Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for—					
	Aug. 1986	Sept. 1986	Oct. 1986	Nov. 1986	3 months ending in—				6 months ending in—	
					Feb. 1986	May 1986	Aug. 1986	Nov. 1986	May 1986	Nov. 1986
Expenditure category										
Transportation	300.2	301.3	301.6	303.2	-2.6	-19.4	-5.9	4.1	-11.4	-1.0
Private transportation	293.7	294.9	295.2	296.8	-3.5	-20.6	-6.7	4.3	-12.4	-1.3
New vehicles	224.7	225.1	228.6	228.9	2.8	6.6	5.0	7.7	4.7	6.3
New cars	225.0	225.5	227.2	229.3	3.2	6.6	4.9	7.9	4.8	6.4
Used cars	357.3	358.1	358.4	358.1	1.0	-12.4	-5.3	.9	-6.0	-2.3
Motor fuel	263.5	270.0	263.7	262.5	-20.0	-58.8	-29.3	-1.5	-42.6	-18.8
Gasoline	262.9	269.5	263.1	261.8	-20.2	-59.0	-29.0	-1.7	-42.8	-18.4
Maintenance and repair	366.1	366.8	366.5	369.7	3.3	3.1	3.7	4.0	3.2	3.8
Other private transportation ¹	302.2	299.7	305.2	309.5	6.6	1.9	3.2	10.0	4.2	6.6
Other private transportation commodities ¹	204.0	202.7	201.1	202.3	3.4	-1.0	-1.7	-3.3	1.2	-2.5
Other private transportation services ¹	330.9	328.1	335.4	340.7	7.0	2.5	4.0	12.4	4.7	8.1
Public transportation ¹	418.4	418.8	418.9	421.1	13.1	1.2	4.5	2.6	7.0	3.8
Medical care	434.9	437.5	440.0	441.7	7.4	8.7	7.4	6.4	8.0	6.9
Medical care commodities	274.9	276.1	276.9	277.3	8.0	4.7	6.5	3.5	8.3	5.0
Medical care services	470.1	473.1	476.1	478.2	7.5	9.5	7.8	7.1	8.5	7.3
Professional services	394.0	397.0	399.2	401.0	5.2	7.5	5.9	7.3	8.4	8.8
Other medical care services ²	566.4	569.2	573.3	575.8	9.7	11.4	9.3	8.7	10.8	7.9
Entertainment	269.6	270.1	271.1	272.2	4.6	1.5	3.0	3.9	3.1	3.5
Entertainment commodities	260.1	259.5	260.1	261.4	1.6	1.1	2.2	2.0	1.3	2.1
Entertainment services ¹	286.7	288.9	290.7	291.6	8.5	2.3	4.4	7.0	5.4	5.7
Other goods and services	345.6	345.3	348.8	347.8	8.7	3.9	7.8	2.6	6.2	5.1
Tobacco products ¹	355.9	356.5	358.8	358.9	12.6	1.9	11.9	1.1	7.1	6.4
Personal care ¹	289.9	289.5	290.8	291.2	5.3	2.5	1.8	1.8	3.9	1.8
Toilet goods and personal care appliances ¹	289.7	288.7	290.5	290.5	7.0	2.7	1.5	1.1	4.8	1.3
Personal care services ¹	290.5	290.8	291.6	292.4	3.7	2.2	2.1	2.6	3.0	2.4
Personal and educational expenses	436.8	435.6	439.0	442.3	8.1	8.4	9.5	5.1	8.3	7.3
School books and supplies	390.8	388.5	392.0	394.9	8.8	9.2	9.8	4.3	8.0	7.0
Personal and educational services	448.1	447.1	450.5	453.9	8.0	8.4	9.4	5.3	8.2	7.3
Commodity and service group										
All items	-	-	-	-	1.1	-3.1	2.6	2.8	-1.0	2.7
Commodities	261.1	262.4	262.3	263.0	-2.1	-8.9	.9	2.7	-5.5	1.6
Food and beverages	314.6	315.7	316.5	318.1	.9	3.2	6.4	4.5	2.0	6.5
Commodities less food and beverages	259.3	260.7	260.0	260.3	-4.1	-16.0	-3.9	1.8	-10.3	-1.2
Nondurables less food and beverages ¹	258.1	261.5	260.2	259.7	-11.1	-21.6	-8.1	2.5	-16.5	-2.9
Apparel commodities	191.6	193.1	193.0	193.3	-5.1	-1.0	3.0	3.6	-3.1	3.3
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel ¹	295.9	298.4	296.0	295.6	-8.9	-27.6	-10.8	-.4	-19.2	-5.8
Durables	261.8	262.5	263.2	264.5	1.8	-4.0	-2.8	4.2	-1.1	.8
Services	398.0	398.8	399.9	400.8	5.3	4.4	4.7	2.8	4.8	3.7
Rent of shelter ^{1 2}	109.6	110.3	110.8	111.0	3.4	8.9	4.1	5.2	5.2	4.7
Household services less rent of shelter ^{1 2}	106.4	106.0	103.8	102.0	3.6	1.6	12.1	-15.5	2.6	-2.7
Transportation services	350.6	349.0	353.4	357.7	7.0	2.5	4.0	8.3	4.7	8.1
Medical care services	470.1	473.1	476.1	478.2	7.5	9.5	7.6	7.1	8.5	7.3
Other services	329.0	329.9	331.7	333.2	6.7	4.2	5.1	5.2	5.4	5.2

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1967=100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Seasonally adjusted indexes				Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for—					
	Aug. 1986	Sept. 1986	Oct. 1986	Nov. 1986	3 months ending in—				6 months ending in—	
					Feb. 1986	May 1986	Aug. 1986	Nov. 1986	May 1986	Nov. 1986
Commodity and service group										
Special indexes:										
All items less food	321.6	322.5	322.8	323.4	1.4	-4.5	1.1	2.3	-1.6	1.7
All items less shelter	304.1	305.0	305.1	306.0	.1	-5.4	2.3	2.5	-2.7	2.4
All items less homeowners' costs ²	102.7	102.9	103.0	103.3	.8	-4.6	2.8	2.4	-1.9	2.6
All items less medical care	317.4	318.3	318.6	319.4	1.0	-3.7	2.3	2.5	-1.4	2.4
Commodities less food	258.3	259.6	259.0	259.2	-4.2	-15.5	-3.6	1.4	-10.0	-1.1
Nondurables less food ¹	255.8	259.1	257.8	257.4	-10.4	-20.3	-7.6	2.5	-15.5	-2.7
Nondurables less food and apparel ¹	287.3	289.6	287.4	287.0	-8.9	-25.6	-9.9	-.4	-17.7	-5.3
Nondurables	287.5	289.2	289.0	289.8	-3.6	-10.9	1.3	3.2	-7.3	2.2
Services less rent of shelter ^{1 2}	108.1	108.3	108.2	108.1	6.3	2.7	7.4	.0	4.5	3.8
Services less medical care ¹	389.0	390.3	390.6	390.4	4.3	4.4	5.8	1.4	4.4	3.6
Energy	349.0	351.3	343.6	341.4	-13.1	-40.5	-14.8	-8.4	-28.1	-11.7
All items less energy	322.6	323.7	324.9	326.0	3.2	2.9	4.7	4.0	3.1	4.4
All items less food and energy	321.5	322.3	323.8	324.8	4.0	2.8	3.6	3.9	3.4	3.7
Commodities less food and energy	260.1	260.7	261.0	261.6	1.7	-1.5	2.3	2.3	.1	2.3
Energy commodities	291.0	297.3	291.0	289.3	-22.8	-56.6	-29.2	-2.3	-42.1	-16.8
Services less energy	394.4	395.5	397.8	399.2	5.8	5.7	4.5	5.0	5.7	4.7

¹ Not seasonally adjusted.

² Indexes on a December 1984=100 base.

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

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

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

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group and item	Other index base	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Nov. 1986 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Oct. 1986	Nov. 1986	Nov. 1985	Oct. 1986	Aug. to Sept.	Sept. to Oct.	Oct. to Nov.
Food and beverages		315.4	316.2	4.2	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.5
Food		323.3	324.2	4.4	.3	.4	.2	.5
Food at home		307.9	308.4	4.5	.2	.3	.3	.5
Cereals and bakery products ¹		326.8	327.0	2.8	.1	.0	.0	.1
Cereal and cereal products	12/77	175.6	174.9	1.7	-.4	.5	.0	-.1
Flour and prepared flour mixes	12/77	151.8	148.6	-.3	-2.0	.1	.1	-.9
Cereal ¹	12/77	211.3	211.9	5.1	.3	.9	-.3	.3
Rice, pasta, and cornmeal ¹	12/77	150.5	150.5	-2.0	.0	-.5	-1.1	.0
Bakery products ¹	12/77	172.0	172.4	3.1	.2	.1	.2	.2
White bread ¹		269.3	268.2	.8	-.4	.1	-.3	-.4
Fresh other breads, biscuits, rolls, and muffins ^{1 2}	12/77	165.4	166.7	3.5	.8	.1	.4	.8
Other bread ^{1 3}	12/77	168.4	169.7	4.0	.8	1.0	.4	.6
Fresh biscuits, rolls, and muffins ^{1 3}	12/77	162.6	164.0	3.1	.9	-.9	.4	.9
Cookies, fresh cakes and cupcakes ^{1 2}	12/77	179.5	180.7	4.0	.7	.3	.2	.7
Fresh cakes and cupcakes ^{1 3}	12/77	174.7	176.7	4.6	1.1	.0	1.0	1.1
Cookies ³	12/77	164.1	164.5	3.4	.2	1.3	-.7	.6
Other bakery products ^{1 2}	12/77	179.4	179.5	4.4	.1	-.2	.6	.1
Crackers and bread and cracker products ^{1 3}	12/77	181.6	176.4	1.9	-1.6	-.1	.8	-1.6
Fresh sweetrolls, coffeecake, and donuts ^{1 3}	12/77	179.4	180.4	4.8	.6	.5	.7	.6
Frozen and refrigerated bakery products and fresh pies, tarts, and turnovers ^{1 3}	12/77	177.5	178.5	5.4	.6	-1.2	.5	.8
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs		284.4	285.8	7.7	.5	.5	.5	.4
Meats, poultry, and fish		292.3	293.1	8.0	.3	.9	.5	.3
Meats		283.8	285.3	7.3	.5	1.6	.6	.6
Beef and veal		274.9	278.8	2.8	1.4	.9	1.0	.5
Ground beef other than canned		250.7	253.9	1.0	1.3	.6	2.4	.5
Chuck roast		284.3	288.7	1.9	1.5	.5	3.8	.4
Round roast		237.1	237.8	.3	.3	2.5	1.5	-1.2
Round steak		256.4	254.9	1.7	-.6	3.0	1.4	-1.1
Sirloin steak		282.0	285.5	4.0	1.2	-.2	1.9	1.7
Other beef and veal	12/77	172.4	176.1	4.4	2.1	1.3	.8	2.6
Pork		296.8	294.4	16.4	-.8	2.5	-.1	.8
Bacon		327.6	313.9	14.4	-4.2	3.0	-3.2	-2.6
Chops		272.4	273.1	15.1	.3	1.9	-.5	.0
Ham ²	12/77	139.4	140.7	19.4	.9	2.2	3.6	.7
Ham other than canned ³	12/77	142.9	142.9	22.9	.0	2.0	4.1	-.8
Canned ham ³		276.6	284.1	12.9	2.7	2.2	3.5	2.6
Other pork including sausage ^{1 2}	12/77	160.1	158.7	16.1	-.9	3.2	-1.2	-.9
Other pork ³	12/77	157.0	156.9	16.1	-.1	2.8	-.2	1.0
Sausage ^{1 3}		367.5	360.6	15.9	-1.9	4.0	1.1	-1.9
Other meats ¹		282.9	284.3	6.0	.5	1.6	.4	.5
Frankfurters ^{1 3}		279.2	279.1	5.6	.0	1.7	1.3	.0
Bologna, liverwurst, and salami ^{1 3}	12/77	166.9	168.4	7.7	.9	2.3	-.3	.9
Other lunchmeats ^{1 3}	12/77	143.7	143.9	5.6	.1	1.4	.8	.1
Lamb and organ meats ^{1 3}	12/77	147.0	149.4	5.1	1.6	1.3	-1.1	1.6
Poultry ¹		245.0	242.6	13.2	-1.0	-2.2	-.8	-1.0
Fresh whole chicken ¹		253.3	249.9	18.8	-1.3	-5.3	-.4	-1.3
Fresh and frozen chicken parts ¹	12/77	160.3	161.8	17.0	.9	-1.5	-3.4	.9
Other poultry ¹	12/77	148.0	143.8	3.2	-2.8	2.8	1.9	-2.8
Fish and seafood		450.3	448.7	7.6	-.4	-.3	1.6	-.2
Canned fish and seafood ¹	12/77	135.3	136.0	1.9	.5	.3	1.9	.5
Fresh and frozen fish and seafood	12/77	193.9	192.5	10.2	-.7	-.9	1.2	-.7
Eggs		188.8	196.4	2.5	5.1	-7.8	-1.0	2.0

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group and item	Other index base	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Nov. 1986 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Oct. 1986	Nov. 1986	Nov. 1985	Oct. 1986	Aug. to Sept.	Sept. to Oct.	Oct. to Nov.
Dairy products ¹		258.6	259.9	1.6	0.5	0.1	0.6	0.5
Fresh milk and cream	12/77	138.6	139.8	1.6	.9	-.4	.8	.6
Fresh whole milk		226.3	228.2	1.4	.8	-.4	.8	.6
Other fresh milk and cream ¹	12/77	139.7	140.9	2.3	.9	-.3	.8	.9
Processed dairy products ¹	12/77	157.8	157.8	1.5	.0	.7	.4	.0
Cheese ¹	12/77	152.0	152.0	.1	.0	.1	.1	.0
Ice cream and related products ¹	12/77	165.4	165.8	2.9	.2	1.5	.4	.2
Other dairy products including butter ^{1 2}	12/77	161.4	161.3	2.9	-.1	1.1	.6	-.1
Other dairy products ^{1 3}	12/77	161.3	160.8	3.3	-.3	.3	.7	-.3
Butter ^{1 3}		271.0	271.7	2.4	.3	1.9	.4	.3
Fruits and vegetables		322.9	322.2	4.1	-.2	1.5	.6	1.5
Fresh fruits and vegetables		342.1	340.5	9.5	-.5	2.9	1.1	2.6
Fresh fruits		360.1	344.9	6.5	-4.2	-.7	.9	2.4
Apples		346.6	334.3	4.4	-3.5	-6.1	-11.5	-4.4
Bananas		263.4	260.6	17.9	-1.1	5.5	1.9	5.4
Oranges		388.6	385.0	5.3	-.9	.1	7.9	11.0
Other fresh fruits	12/77	197.8	184.6	5.6	-6.7	2.7	5.6	1.5
Fresh vegetables		326.0	336.6	12.5	3.3	5.3	1.7	2.5
Potatoes		314.0	316.6	26.2	.8	11.3	1.0	3.9
Lettuce ¹		333.3	332.9	3.5	-.1	12.4	-2.2	-.1
Tomatoes ¹		291.1	319.8	14.3	9.9	-2.1	20.1	9.9
Other fresh vegetables	12/77	186.4	193.8	10.2	4.0	3.8	-.2	-1.3
Processed fruits and vegetables ¹		304.1	304.5	-1.9	.1	-.7	-.2	.1
Processed fruits	12/77	161.7	161.7	-3.6	.0	.1	.4	.3
Fruit juices and frozen fruit ²	12/77	159.9	160.2	-5.5	.2	.4	.2	.2
Frozen fruit and fruit juices ³	12/77	146.8	148.5	-11.8	1.2	.3	-.1	1.9
Fruit juices other than frozen ³	12/77	169.3	168.5	-1.0	-.5	.1	.6	-.6
Canned and dried fruits ¹	12/77	165.7	165.1	.5	-.4	-.2	-.1	-.4
Processed vegetables ¹	12/77	145.0	145.3	-.3	.2	-1.1	-.5	.2
Frozen vegetables ¹	12/77	164.3	163.4	-.1	-.5	-.1	-.2	-.5
Other processed vegetables ^{1 2}	12/77	138.9	139.6	-.5	.5	-1.4	-.6	.5
Cut corn and canned beans except lima ^{1 3}	12/77	144.3	144.1	-1.3	-.1	-2.0	-.7	-.1
Other canned and dried vegetables ^{1 3}	12/77	136.1	137.3	.0	.9	-1.2	-.5	.9
Other foods at home		374.4	373.9	3.1	-.1	-.1	.0	.2
Sugar and sweets ¹		412.8	411.9	2.7	-.2	.1	.0	-.2
Sugar and artificial sweeteners ¹	12/77	170.7	170.2	.4	-.3	.2	-.8	-.3
Sweets including candy ²	12/77	172.8	172.5	3.7	-.2	.2	.5	.1
Candy and chewing gum ³	12/77	173.7	173.8	3.8	.1	-.2	.7	.2
Other sweets ^{1 3}	12/77	170.7	189.5	3.4	-.7	.9	.1	-.7
Fats and oils ¹		284.1	284.5	-2.5	.1	-.7	-.4	.1
Margarine ^{1 3}		288.3	285.8	-4.2	-.2	.1	-.9	-.2
Nondairy substitutes and peanut butter ^{1 3}	12/77	162.8	167.2	6.1	2.7	-.4	1.2	2.7
Other fats, oils, and salad dressings ^{1 3}	12/77	143.0	142.0	-5.1	-.7	-1.2	-.8	-.7
Nonalcoholic beverages		477.7	477.1	5.3	-.1	-.5	-.1	.5
Carbonated drinks ²	12/77	155.0	154.5	1.3	-.3	.1	-.3	.5
Cola drinks, excluding diet cola ³		323.9	324.1	1.8	.1	.4	-.1	.6
Carbonated drinks, including diet cola ³	12/77	150.8	148.8	.3	-1.2	.1	-.1	-.5
Coffee ^{1 4}		478.5	479.3	23.1	.2	-2.8	-.4	.2
Roasted coffee ^{1 3}		466.4	466.5	26.5	.0	-3.4	-.9	.0
Freeze dried and instant coffee ^{1 3}		451.9	453.5	19.5	.4	-2.1	.1	.4
Other noncarbonated drinks	12/77	157.3	157.6	1.9	.2	-.6	.8	.4
Other prepared foods		305.9	305.3	2.3	-.2	.3	.3	.1
Canned and packaged soup	12/77	159.8	160.0	3.0	.1	1.3	-.1	-.1
Frozen prepared foods ¹	12/77	171.1	171.4	1.8	.2	-.3	.0	.2
Snacks ¹	12/77	181.0	179.4	3.1	-.9	-.3	1.0	-.9
Seasonings, condiments, sauces and spices ²	12/77	172.7	172.2	2.6	-.3	.9	.2	-.1
Seasonings, olives, pickles, and relish ²	12/77	174.8	174.5	3.7	-.2	1.8	.5	-.3
Other condiments ³	12/77	171.4	170.7	1.9	-.4	.5	-.2	.2
Other prepared foods, including miscellaneous and baby food ^{1 2}	12/77	161.4	161.4	1.8	.0	.1	.4	.0
Miscellaneous prepared foods ^{1 3}	12/77	167.2	166.3	3.0	-.5	.1	.7	-.5
Other canned and packaged prepared foods ²	12/77	155.5	156.4	.4	.6	.1	.6	.6

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group and item	Other index base	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Nov. 1986 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Oct. 1986	Nov. 1986	Nov. 1985	Oct. 1986	Aug. to Sept.	Sept. to Oct.	Oct. to Nov.
Food away from home		367.3	369.2	4.2	0.5	0.5	0.2	0.5
Lunch	12/77	177.3	178.0	4.0	.4	.2	.5	.5
Dinner	12/77	177.0	177.8	3.6	.5	.4	.3	.5
Other meals and snacks	12/77	180.7	182.2	5.2	.8	.7	-.2	.7
Alcoholic beverages		243.5	243.4	1.9	.0	.1	-.1	.4
Alcoholic beverages at home	12/77	154.1	154.0	1.2	-.1	.1	-.5	.3
Beer and ale		239.5	239.8	1.7	.1	.4	.0	.5
Wine ¹		249.0	247.5	1.1	-.6	-.2	.0	-.6
Distilled spirits ^{1 2}	12/77	142.1	142.1	.6	.0	.1	.1	.0
Other alcoholic beverages ^{1 3}	12/77	139.8	139.5	.8	-.2	.4	.4	-.2
Whiskey ^{1 3}		170.4	170.4	.5	.0	.0	-.1	.0
Alcoholic beverages away from home	12/77	178.4	178.2	4.2	-.1	.3	.2	-.1
Special indexes:								
Domestically produced farm food		291.7	292.4	4.2	.2	.7	.4	.5
Selected beef cuts ¹		275.2	278.6	2.4	1.2	.5	.7	1.2
Imported food and fishery products ³	12/77	152.6	152.3	5.5	-.2	-.3	.5	.2

¹ Not seasonally adjusted.

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

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

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

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

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

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group and item	Other index base	Seasonally adjusted indexes		Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for—					
		Oct. 1986	Nov. 1986	3 months ending in—				6 months ending in—	
				Feb. 1986	May 1986	Aug. 1986	Nov. 1986	May 1986	Nov. 1986
Food and beverages		316.5	318.1	0.9	3.2	8.4	4.5	2.0	6.5
Food		324.5	326.1	.6	3.4	8.6	4.7	2.0	6.6
Food at home		309.5	311.0	.0	2.4	11.1	4.6	1.2	7.6
Cereals and bakery products ¹		326.8	327.0	3.4	1.5	5.8	.4	2.5	3.1
Cereal and cereal products	12/77	178.5	178.3	.9	.5	4.2	1.6	.7	2.9
Flour and prepared flour mixes	12/77	152.2	150.9	1.9	-.3	-.3	-2.6	.8	-1.4
Cereal ¹	12/77	211.3	211.9	4.8	4.6	7.4	3.5	4.7	5.4
Rice, pasta, and cornmeal ¹	12/77	150.5	150.5	-1.0	.3	-1.0	-6.1	-.4	-3.6
Bakery products ¹	12/77	172.0	172.4	3.4	1.0	6.3	1.9	2.2	4.1
White bread ¹		269.3	266.2	1.2	.6	4.3	-2.6	.9	.7
Fresh other breads, biscuits, rolls, and muffins ^{1 2}	12/77	166.4	166.7	1.5	-.5	8.4	4.9	.5	6.7
Other bread ²	12/77	168.4	169.7	.2	4.5	2.4	9.2	2.3	5.8
Fresh biscuits, rolls, and muffins ^{1 3}	12/77	162.6	164.0	2.0	-4.4	14.4	1.2	-1.3	7.8
Cookies, fresh cakes and cupcakes ^{1 2}	12/77	179.5	180.7	2.3	1.4	7.5	4.8	1.8	6.1
Fresh cakes and cupcakes ^{1 2}	12/77	174.7	176.7	1.0	2.9	5.8	9.1	1.9	7.4
Cookies ²	12/77	184.5	185.6	-.7	2.7	6.8	4.9	1.0	5.8
Other bakery products ^{1 2}	12/77	179.4	179.5	8.1	2.1	5.6	1.8	5.1	3.7
Crackers and bread and cracker products ^{1 2}	12/77	181.8	178.4	5.8	.2	6.0	-4.1	3.0	.8
Fresh sweetrolls, coffee cake, and donuts ^{1 3}	12/77	179.4	180.4	10.9	-1.6	3.5	7.2	4.3	5.3
Frozen and refrigerated bakery products and fresh pies, tarts, and turnovers ^{1 6}	12/77	177.5	178.5	5.5	9.2	6.0	-.9	7.3	3.4
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs		266.1	267.2	-3.4	-2.8	35.7	5.8	-3.1	19.7
Meats, poultry, and fish		294.3	295.3	-2.9	-2.9	33.7	7.5	-2.9	19.9
Meats		286.0	287.7	-4.0	-5.9	31.6	11.5	-4.9	21.1
Beef and veal		268.8	262.2	-7.1	-10.2	20.4	10.4	-6.7	15.3
Ground beef other than canned		255.8	267.0	-3.7	-16.5	15.7	14.8	-11.4	15.2
Chuck roast		291.3	292.5	-21.3	-10.4	27.6	20.1	-16.0	23.6
Round roast		243.4	240.4	-9.3	-10.5	11.7	11.6	-9.9	11.7
Round steak		260.8	266.0	-3.1	-15.4	14.9	14.0	-9.5	14.4
Sirloin steak		289.8	294.6	1.4	-11.3	13.7	14.2	-5.2	13.9
Other beef and veal	12/77	175.2	179.7	-1.8	-13.5	16.1	20.5	-7.9	18.3
Pork		294.7	297.1	-2.3	.0	65.6	13.7	-1.2	37.2
Bacon		327.6	319.0	.4	-10.4	113.9	-11.3	-5.2	37.7
Chops		275.4	275.3	-9.4	16.0	59.1	5.3	2.5	29.4
Ham ²	12/77	137.7	138.6	5.6	-9.5	64.9	26.8	-2.2	45.8
Ham other than canned ³	12/77	140.5	139.4	6.1	-10.3	94.7	23.3	-2.5	54.9
Canned ham ³		275.8	283.0	6.9	-10.3	19.8	38.9	-1.2	29.0
Other pork including sausage ^{1 2}	12/77	160.1	168.7	6.6	-3.1	68.9	4.1	1.6	32.6
Other pork ³	12/77	157.9	159.5	-5.1	5.1	58.3	15.4	-.1	35.1
Sausage ^{1 3}		367.5	360.6	9.0	-.9	47.4	13.5	4.0	29.3
Other meats ¹		282.9	284.3	2.9	-2.1	13.3	10.5	.4	11.9
Frankfurters ^{1 3}		279.2	279.1	4.0	-7.3	15.0	12.3	-1.8	13.7
Bologna, liverwurst, and salami ^{1 3}	12/77	166.9	168.4	2.3	-.8	18.2	12.0	.8	15.0
Other lunchmeats ^{1 3}	12/77	143.7	143.9	.9	.0	11.9	10.0	.4	11.0
Lamb and organ meats ^{1 3}	12/77	147.0	149.4	6.3	.0	6.5	7.8	3.1	7.0
Poultry ¹		245.0	242.6	3.8	.7	85.0	-14.9	2.2	25.4
Fresh whole chicken ¹		253.3	249.9	.4	1.7	143.6	-25.1	1.0	35.1
Fresh and frozen chicken parts ¹	12/77	160.3	161.8	4.1	4.4	102.8	-15.0	4.2	31.3
Other poultry ¹	12/77	148.0	143.8	8.0	-5.2	3.2	7.3	1.2	5.2
Fish and seafood		453.9	452.8	1.7	15.9	9.1	4.0	6.6	6.5
Canned fish and seafood ¹	12/77	135.3	136.0	.0	1.5	-4.4	11.3	.8	3.2
Fresh and frozen fish and seafood	12/77	195.7	194.4	3.9	23.9	16.0	-1.4	13.5	6.9
Eggs		188.7	192.4	-19.7	.9	81.8	-25.1	-10.0	16.7

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1967=100, unless otherwise noted)

Group and item	Other index base	Seasonally adjusted indexes		Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for—					
		Oct. 1986	Nov. 1986	3 months ending in—				6 months ending in—	
				Feb. 1986	May 1986	Aug. 1986	Nov. 1986	May 1986	Nov. 1986
Dairy products ¹		258.6	259.9	0.2	-0.3	1.7	4.8	-0.1	3.2
Fresh milk and cream.....	12/77	139.0	139.9	-3.4	2.1	3.2	4.4	-7	3.8
Fresh whole milk.....		227.0	228.4	-3.0	1.3	3.1	4.3	-9	3.7
Other fresh milk and cream ¹	12/77	139.7	140.9	.0	1.2	2.6	5.6	.6	4.1
Processed dairy products ¹	12/77	157.6	157.6	1.8	-8	1.0	4.4	.4	2.7
Cheese ¹	12/77	152.0	152.0	-1.8	-6	2.1	1.1	-1.3	1.8
Ice cream and related products ¹	12/77	165.4	165.6	6.9	-2.4	-1.5	6.9	2.1	3.8
Other dairy products including butter ^{1 2}	12/77	161.4	161.3	2.8	.5	1.8	6.4	1.7	4.1
Other dairy products ^{1 3}	12/77	161.3	160.8	6.0	3.1	1.3	3.0	4.5	2.1
Butter ^{1 3}		271.0	271.7	-8	-2.7	2.9	10.7	-1.7	6.7
Fruits and vegetables.....		329.8	334.8	-15.4	25.6	-4.1	15.2	3.1	5.1
Fresh fruits and vegetables.....		354.5	363.8	-20.9	49.6	-6.5	30.0	6.8	10.2
Fresh fruits.....		357.6	366.1	5.5	20.3	-8.6	10.8	12.8	.5
Apples.....		370.3	354.1	24.1	14.6	109.0	-60.1	19.4	-8.7
Bananas.....		275.8	290.8	33.7	72.4	-49.3	65.2	51.8	-8.5
Oranges.....		350.7	389.3	17.4	-3.9	-47.2	106.8	6.2	4.4
Other fresh fruits.....	12/77	195.6	198.7	-8.0	16.3	-20.4	46.2	3.4	7.9
Fresh vegetables.....		354.7	363.5	-39.6	85.6	-1.8	45.1	6.0	19.5
Potatoes.....		345.4	359.0	-17.9	-13.1	91.5	86.0	-15.5	88.8
Lettuce ¹		333.3	332.9	-16.1	242.1	-72.5	45.5	69.4	-36.6
Tomatoes ¹		291.1	319.6	-12.4	60.5	-56.4	176.3	16.6	10.2
Other fresh vegetables.....	12/77	213.5	210.7	-48.9	82.5	45.6	9.0	-3.4	26.0
Processed fruits and vegetables ¹		304.1	304.5	-2.2	-2.9	.5	-3.1	-2.6	-1.3
Processed fruits.....	12/77	162.5	163.0	-10.0	-5.5	-1.7	3.3	-7.6	.7
Fruit juices and frozen fruit ²	12/77	160.9	161.2	-11.6	-10.4	-2.7	3.3	-11.0	.2
Frozen fruit and fruit juices ³	12/77	147.7	150.5	-25.1	-20.0	-6.6	6.7	-22.6	.7
Fruit juices other than frozen ³	12/77	170.3	169.2	-2.5	-2.6	.7	.2	-2.6	.5
Canned and dried fruits ¹	12/77	165.7	165.1	1.2	.7	2.7	-2.6	1.0	.0
Processed vegetables ¹	12/77	145.0	145.3	1.7	-1.1	3.8	-5.3	.3	-1.0
Frozen vegetables ¹	12/77	164.3	163.4	2.7	-1.4	1.7	-3.4	.6	-9
Other processed vegetables ^{1 2}	12/77	136.9	139.6	.9	-9	4.1	-5.6	.0	-1.0
Cut corn and canned beans except lima ^{1 3}	12/77	144.3	144.1	.8	-1.6	7.0	-10.6	-4	-2.2
Other canned and dried vegetables ^{1 3}	12/77	136.1	137.3	.9	-3	2.6	-3.1	.3	-3
Other foods at home.....		374.1	374.9	12.0	-5	1.5	.3	5.5	.9
Sugar and sweets ¹		412.8	411.9	7.4	2.5	2.0	-7	4.9	.6
Sugar and artificial sweeteners ¹	12/77	170.7	170.2	12.3	-3.2	-3.4	-3.4	4.3	-3.4
Sweets including candy ²	12/77	173.1	173.2	5.1	2.4	4.1	3.3	3.7	3.7
Candy and chewing gum ³	12/77	174.2	174.5	7.3	1.9	3.5	2.6	4.6	3.0
Other sweets ^{1 3}	12/77	170.7	169.5	1.7	4.7	5.6	1.4	3.2	3.5
Fats and oils ¹		284.1	284.5	-1.4	-5.7	.7	-3.6	-3.5	-1.5
Margarine ^{1 3}		286.3	285.8	1.2	-8.2	-5.4	-4.4	-3.6	-4.9
Nondairy substitutes and peanut butter ^{1 3}	12/77	162.6	167.2	-2.3	1.0	11.7	14.9	-6	13.3
Other fats, oils, and salad dressings ^{1 3}	12/77	143.0	142.0	-2.1	-7.1	-5	-10.3	-4.6	-5.5
Nonalcoholic beverages.....		476.7	479.0	26.4	-2.3	.4	-7	11.1	-1
Carbonated drinks ²	12/77	154.2	155.0	7.0	-6.0	3.4	1.8	.3	2.5
Cola drinks, excluding diet cola ³		323.3	325.4	6.4	-9.7	5.7	3.9	-1.1	4.6
Carbonated drinks, including diet cola ³	12/77	149.6	148.6	4.1	2.2	-3.4	-1.9	3.1	-2.6
Coffee ^{1 4}		476.5	479.3	179.0	10.9	-16.0	-11.7	75.9	-13.9
Roasted coffee ^{1 3}		466.4	466.5	258.4	6.9	-20.3	-16.1	95.7	-18.2
Freeze dried and instant coffee ^{1 3}		451.9	453.5	111.6	15.8	-11.0	-6.5	58.6	-8.6
Other noncarbonated drinks.....	12/77	157.5	158.2	.0	-3.3	8.9	2.6	-1.7	5.7
Other prepared foods.....		306.2	306.5	1.1	2.0	3.2	3.1	1.5	3.1
Canned and packaged soup.....	12/77	160.8	160.5	-8	3.9	4.4	4.4	1.5	4.4
Frozen prepared foods ¹	12/77	171.1	171.4	-2.1	4.1	6.0	-7	1.0	2.6
Snacks ¹	12/77	161.0	179.4	7.6	.2	5.3	-7	3.9	2.3
Seasonings, condiments, sauces and spices ²	12/77	173.0	172.9	2.4	3.8	.2	4.5	3.0	2.4
Seasonings, olives, pickles, and relish ³	12/77	174.6	174.3	2.4	5.8	-1.2	6.2	4.1	3.4
Other condiments ³	12/77	171.6	171.9	2.2	3.6	.0	2.1	2.9	1.1
Other prepared foods, including miscellaneous and baby food ^{1 2}	12/77	161.4	161.4	4.1	1.0	-2	2.3	2.5	1.0
Miscellaneous prepared foods ^{1 3}	12/77	167.2	166.3	6.9	3.5	1.0	1.0	5.1	1.0
Other canned and packaged prepared foods ³	12/77	156.1	157.0	-1.3	-1.0	-1.0	5.0	-1.1	1.9

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group and item	Other index base	Seasonally adjusted indexes		Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for—					
		Oct. 1986	Nov. 1986	3 months ending in—				6 months ending in—	
				Feb. 1986	May 1986	Aug. 1986	Nov. 1986	May 1986	Nov. 1986
Food away from home		367.7	369.6	2.8	4.9	4.0	4.9	3.9	4.5
Lunch	12/77	177.3	178.2	2.1	5.2	3.7	5.1	3.7	4.4
Dinner	12/77	177.2	178.0	2.3	3.8	3.5	4.9	3.0	4.2
Other meals and snacks	12/77	181.1	182.4	2.6	7.1	6.2	4.7	4.8	5.5
Alcoholic beverages		243.0	243.9	2.7	1.3	2.2	1.5	2.0	1.8
Alcoholic beverages at home	12/77	153.6	154.0	2.9	1.0	1.6	-.5	2.0	.5
Beer and ale		239.7	241.0	1.4	.8	.7	3.7	1.1	2.2
Wine ¹		249.0	247.5	6.5	-.3	1.8	-3.2	3.0	-.7
Distilled spirits ^{1 2}	12/77	142.1	142.1	1.7	.3	-.3	.8	1.0	.3
Other alcoholic beverages ^{1 3}	12/77	139.8	139.5	.6	1.2	-.9	2.3	.9	.7
Whiskey ^{1 3}		170.4	170.4	2.1	.0	.0	-.2	1.1	-.1
Alcoholic beverages away from home	12/77	178.4	178.2	5.5	3.3	6.3	1.8	4.4	4.0
Special indexes:									
Domestically produced farm food		294.3	295.7	-5.8	3.6	13.1	6.6	-1.1	9.6
Selected beef cuts ¹		275.2	278.6	1.2	-10.3	9.8	10.2	-4.7	10.0
Imported food and fishery products ³	12/77	152.9	153.2	18.2	3.5	-.3	1.6	10.6	.7

¹ Not seasonally adjusted.

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

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

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

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

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

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group and Item	Other index base	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Nov. 1986 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Oct. 1986	Nov. 1986	Nov. 1985	Oct. 1986	Aug. to Sept.	Sept. to Oct.	Oct. to Nov.
Housing		355.6	354.3	1.7	-0.4	0.2	-0.1	-0.1
Shelter		397.1	397.8	4.9	.2	.5	.4	.1
Renters' costs	12/84	111.4	111.7	5.1	.3	.4	.4	.4
Rent, residential ¹		283.6	284.6	5.1	.4	.4	.4	.2
Other renters' costs		426.7	424.8	4.1	-.4	.5	-.1	.9
Lodging while out of town		445.8	442.5	3.0	-.7	.2	.2	.8
Lodging while at school ¹	12/82	129.3	129.3	6.8	.0	5.8	.5	.0
Tenants' insurance ¹	12/77	180.5	161.7	5.8	.7	.2	.4	.7
Homeowners' costs	12/84	110.5	110.7	4.9	.2	.5	.4	.1
Owners' equivalent rent	12/84	110.5	110.7	4.9	.2	.6	.4	.1
Household insurance ¹	12/84	110.8	111.3	5.8	.5	.3	.4	.5
Maintenance and repairs ¹		373.1	372.4	1.3	-.2	-.2	.7	-.2
Maintenance and repair services ¹		431.1	428.2	1.7	-.7	.5	.1	-.7
Maintenance and repair commodities ¹		264.3	265.0	.9	.3	-.9	1.2	.3
Paint and wallpaper, supplies, tools, and equipment ^{1 2}	12/77	152.9	153.2	.3	.2	-1.8	2.3	.2
Lumber, awnings, glass, and masonry ^{1 2}	12/77	126.4	132.5	5.7	3.2	.3	.4	3.2
Plumbing, electrical, heating, and cooling supplies ^{1 2}	12/77	147.2	147.9	1.4	.5	-.1	1.4	.5
Miscellaneous supplies and equipment	12/77	147.6	147.7	1.2	.1	-.1	-.1	.1
Fuel and other utilities		379.3	371.3	-5.6	-2.1	-.6	-1.3	-.8
Fuels		449.2	437.1	-9.1	-2.7	-.8	-2.1	-.8
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas		454.8	455.0	-29.4	.0	.7	-1.2	-1.2
Fuel oil		436.9	437.1	-33.1	.0	1.0	-1.5	-1.3
Other fuels ²	6/76	181.1	181.1	-7.1	.0	.0	.3	-.4
Gas (piped) and electricity		439.6	425.3	-3.2	-3.3	-1.1	-2.3	-.7
Electricity		390.6	353.3	-.7	-2.1	.3	-4.6	1.0
Utility (piped) gas		547.1	520.4	-6.6	-4.9	-3.1	1.1	-3.2
Other utilities and public services ¹		257.6	255.5	3.6	-.8	-.2	.6	-.6
Telephone services ¹		207.9	205.3	2.6	-1.3	-.4	.6	-1.3
Local charges ¹	12/77	198.9	195.1	7.5	-1.9	-.6	.9	-1.9
Interstate toll calls ¹	12/77	101.6	101.6	-9.4	.0	.1	.0	.0
Intrastate toll calls ¹	12/77	124.7	124.4	-1.5	-.2	-.4	.2	-.2
Water and sewerage maintenance ¹		430.7	431.3	5.3	.1	.2	.6	.1
Cable television ¹	12/83	116.4	116.6	4.1	.2	1.0	.5	.2
Refuse collection ¹	12/83	121.9	123.7	9.8	1.5	1.2	1.0	1.5
Household furnishings and operation		247.5	247.2	.9	-.1	.3	-.2	-.1
Housefurnishings		199.3	198.5	.1	-.4	.4	-.5	-.3
Textile housefurnishings		250.3	249.8	1.8	-.2	-.6	.4	.4
Household linens ²	12/77	145.7	145.5	.0	-.1	.0	1.5	.3
Curtains, drapes, slipcovers, and sewing materials ^{1 2}	12/77	168.3	167.8	3.8	-.3	-.8	-.6	-.3
Furniture and bedding		232.7	231.6	.8	-.5	.3	.1	-.4
Bedroom furniture ¹	12/77	170.3	167.4	2.6	-1.7	1.2	2.0	-1.7
Sofas	12/77	127.1	129.1	5.1	1.6	.5	-1.0	1.3
Living room chairs and tables ¹	12/77	131.7	131.9	-1.1	.2	.6	.8	.2
Other furniture	12/77	139.8	139.1	-3.3	-.5	-.6	-1.1	.1
Appliances including TV and sound equipment ¹		140.0	139.5	-2.0	-.4	.1	-.5	-.4
Television and sound equipment ¹	12/77	90.9	90.7	-3.0	-.2	-.2	-.2	-.2
Television ¹		80.3	80.0	-4.5	-.4	-1.6	.1	-.4
Sound equipment ¹	12/77	100.6	100.4	-2.0	-.2	.9	-.5	-.2
Household appliances ^{1 3}		186.5	185.5	-.4	-.5	.3	-.6	-.5
Refrigerator and home freezer ¹		198.0	195.8	-1.3	-1.1	.9	-.4	-1.1
Laundry equipment ¹	12/77	151.7	148.6	-.6	-2.0	.7	.4	-2.0
Other household appliances ^{1 3}	12/77	117.4	117.6	.0	.2	.1	-1.3	.2
Stoves, dishwashers, vacuums, and sewing machines ^{1 3}	12/77	116.8	116.1	-1.5	-.6	.1	-2.7	-.6
Office machines, small electric appliances, and air conditioners ^{1 3}	12/77	117.7	118.6	1.4	.6	.0	.1	.8

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1967=100, unless otherwise noted)

Group and item	Other index base	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Nov. 1986 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Oct. 1986	Nov. 1986	Nov. 1985	Oct. 1986	Aug. to Sept.	Sept. to Oct.	Oct. to Nov.
Household furnishings—Continued:								
Other household equipment ^{1 3}	12/77	143.2	142.7	0.4	-0.3	0.5	-0.7	-0.3
Floor and window coverings, infants', laundry, cleaning, and outdoor equipment ¹	12/77	145.6	144.6	2.3	-7	1.0	1.1	-7
Clocks, lamps, and decor items ¹	12/77	133.1	131.6	-2.3	-1.0	.9	.8	-1.0
Tableware, serving pieces, and nonelectric kitchenware ¹	12/77	147.4	145.6	1.3	-1.2	.0	-2.1	-1.2
Lawn equipment, power tools, and other hardware ¹	12/77	141.5	143.3	-1.0	1.3	.6	-4	1.3
Housekeeping supplies		317.8	316.4	1.6	.2	.3	.0	.3
Laundry and cleaning products including soap ^{1 4}	12/77	166.6	166.7	2.5	.1	.5	.2	.1
Soaps and detergents ^{1 2}		319.5	319.6	2.6	.1	.9	.6	.1
Other laundry and cleaning products ^{1 2}	12/77	164.3	164.3	2.1	.0	-1	-6	.0
Household paper products and stationery supplies ^{1 4}	12/77	157.8	157.9	.6	.1	.2	.3	.1
Cleaning and toilet tissue, paper towels and napkins ^{1 2}	12/77	161.7	161.8	1.1	.1	.6	.2	.1
Stationery, stationery supplies, and gift wrap ^{1 2}	12/77	153.0	153.1	.5	.1	-5	.5	.1
Other household lawn and garden supplies ⁴	12/77	154.6	155.4	1.0	.5	.4	-6	.3
Miscellaneous household products ^{1 2}	12/77	162.7	163.6	2.4	.6	-1	.6	.6
Lawn and garden supplies ²	12/77	141.6	142.2	-1.4	.4	.5	-2.8	.4
Housekeeping services ¹		350.1	350.1	1.6	.0	.1	.2	.0
Postage ¹		372.7	372.7	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0
Moving, storage, freight, household laundry, and drycleaning services ^{1 3}	12/77	196.3	196.0	3.0	-2	.2	.5	-2
Appliance and furniture repair ¹	12/77	161.4	161.7	2.8	.2	.2	.2	.2
Apparel and upkeep		211.9	211.5	.6	-2	.7	.0	.2
Apparel commodities		197.1	196.6	.1	-3	.8	-1	.2
Apparel commodities less footwear.....		193.9	193.3	.1	-3	.9	-3	.2
Men's and boys' ¹		203.6	204.6	.4	.5	1.0	-1	.5
Men's.....	12/77	128.9	129.6	.9	.5	.8	.2	.4
Suits, sport coats, coats, and jackets ⁴	12/77	113.9	114.2	2.1	.3	1.6	-5	.5
Suits, sport coats, and jackets ²	12/77	118.5	118.2	4.6	-3	2.9	-2	-3
Coats and jackets ²	12/77	104.4	105.9	-3.0	1.4	-5	-1.2	1.5
Furnishings and special clothing ¹	12/77	152.7	153.5	-1	.5	.7	.6	.5
Shirts.....	12/77	138.9	141.7	2.6	2.0	1.6	.1	2.3
Dungarees, jeans, and trousers.....	12/77	123.3	123.1	-1.1	-2	1.1	.2	-9
Boys' ¹	12/77	129.5	129.9	-8	.3	2.1	-9	.8
Coats, jackets, sweaters, and shirts ²	12/77	130.6	132.4	-5	1.4	3.4	-2	2.1
Furnishings ²	12/77	139.0	138.9	.3	-1	1.1	.7	-6
Suits, trousers, sport coats, and jackets ²	12/77	125.2	124.7	-1.5	-4	1.5	-1.4	.0
Women's and girls' ¹		178.1	176.2	-1.2	-1.1	1.3	-3	.0
Women's.....	12/77	119.0	117.5	-1.4	-1.3	1.2	.0	.3
Coats and jackets.....		175.3	174.0	-7.7	-7	7.0	-3.7	1.0
Dresses.....		173.3	167.2	-1.4	-3.5	4.4	-3	-2.3
Separates and sportswear.....	12/77	113.4	111.8	1.0	-1.4	4.5	-2.8	.8
Underwear, nightwear, and hosiery.....	12/77	141.5	141.9	.5	.3	-9	.7	.4
Suits.....	12/77	107.9	105.7	-5.2	-2.0	-1.4	1.3	.7
Girls' ¹	12/77	116.1	115.9	-2	-2	1.7	-2.1	.2
Coats, jackets, dresses, and suits ²	12/77	105.1	105.0	-4.9	-1	2.2	-1.5	.3
Separates and sportswear ²	12/77	114.9	114.4	3.0	-4	-5	-3.9	.5
Underwear, nightwear, hosiery, and accessories ²	12/77	136.0	136.1	1.8	.1	2.9	.2	.0
Infants' and toddlers' ¹		329.2	323.8	1.0	-1.6	-7	.9	-1.6
Other apparel commodities ¹		207.9	208.9	3.2	.5	-2	-5	.5
Sewing materials and notions ^{1 3}	12/77	123.4	122.1	-1	-1.1	-2	-1.0	-1.1
Jewelry and luggage ^{1 3}	12/77	139.5	141.0	4.4	1.1	-1	-4	1.1
Footwear		215.3	215.6	-1	.1	.0	1.1	.0
Men's.....	12/77	145.2	145.9	1.2	.5	-1	.4	.4
Boys' and girls' ¹	12/77	140.0	138.3	.6	-1.2	1.2	2.1	-1.2
Women's.....	12/77	122.1	123.1	-2.1	.8	.0	1.5	.5
Apparel services		335.6	336.2	3.9	.2	.5	.3	.3
Laundry and dry cleaning other than coin operated.....	12/77	200.0	200.2	3.6	.1	.9	.3	.1
Other apparel services ¹	12/77	177.5	178.1	3.9	.3	.3	.4	.3

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

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group and item	Other index base	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Nov. 1986 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Oct. 1986	Nov. 1986	Nov. 1985	Oct. 1986	Aug. to Sept.	Sept. to Oct.	Oct. to Nov.
Transportation		302.2	304.0	-6.3	0.6	0.4	0.1	0.5
Private		295.7	297.5	-7.1	.6	.4	.1	.5
New vehicles		225.7	229.4	5.5	1.6	.2	.7	1.0
New cars		226.3	230.0	5.6	1.6	.2	.8	.9
New trucks and motorcycles ¹	12/83	110.7	112.3	4.6	1.4	-.3	.5	1.4
Used cars		360.6	361.0	-4.1	.1	.2	.1	-.1
Motor fuel		264.0	262.0	-30.8	-.8	2.5	-2.3	-.5
Gasoline		263.4	261.3	-30.9	-.8	2.5	-2.4	-.5
Gasoline, leaded regular	1/76	144.8	143.8	-31.9	-.7	2.7	-2.4	-.6
Gasoline, unleaded regular	1/76	149.8	148.6	-31.9	-.8	2.7	-2.5	-.5
Gasoline, unleaded premium	8/81	70.5	70.0	-26.9	-.7	1.1	-2.4	-.7
Automobile maintenance and repair		367.2	369.7	3.5	.7	.1	.0	.9
Body work ¹	12/77	186.3	188.4	3.9	1.1	-.2	.2	1.1
Automobile drive train, brake, and miscellaneous mechanical repair ¹	12/77	185.7	186.3	4.3	.3	.1	.3	.3
Maintenance and servicing ¹	12/77	163.1	164.5	3.5	.9	.4	.4	.9
Power plant repair	12/77	175.3	176.2	2.8	.5	.1	-.3	.5
Other private transportation ¹		305.2	309.5	5.4	1.4	-.8	1.8	1.4
Other private transportation commodities ¹		201.1	202.3	-.7	.6	-.6	-.8	.6
Motor oil, coolant, and other products ¹	12/77	153.6	153.7	-1.7	.1	.4	-.5	.1
Automobile parts and equipment ¹	12/77	126.4	127.3	-.5	.7	-.9	-.9	.7
Tires ¹		189.8	171.7	-1.5	1.1	-1.2	-1.3	1.1
Other parts and equipment ¹	12/77	135.2	134.7	1.7	-.4	-.1	.2	-.4
Other private transportation services ¹		335.4	340.7	6.4	1.8	-.8	2.2	1.8
Automobile insurance ¹		420.0	423.3	12.7	.8	.7	2.2	.8
Automobile finance charges ¹	12/77	137.9	144.6	-6.1	5.0	-6.3	3.8	5.0
Automobile rental, registration, and other fees ¹	12/77	172.5	173.3	5.6	.5	.1	.6	.5
Automobile registration, license, and inspection fees ^{1 4}	12/77	157.6	158.5	3.1	.6	.0	.1	.6
State registration ^{1 2}		219.9	220.3	2.8	.2	.0	.0	.2
Drivers' license ^{1 2}	12/77	175.9	178.0	1.0	.1	.0	.0	.1
Automobile inspection ^{1 2}	12/77	163.6	173.5	7.7	6.1	.0	.0	6.1
Other automobile related fees ¹	12/77	203.8	204.4	9.7	.3	.0	1.6	.3
Public transportation ¹		418.9	421.1	5.2	.5	.1	.0	.5
Airline fare ¹		483.7	490.5	2.4	1.4	.2	.0	1.4
Other intercity transportation ^{1 4}		222.0	221.4	6.9	-.3	-.7	-.1	-.3
Intercity bus fare ^{1 2}		516.9	515.2	7.0	-.3	-.7	.1	-.3
Intercity train fare ^{1 2}		420.1	420.5	6.6	.1	-.5	-.8	.1
Intracity public transportation ^{1 4}		209.4	209.4	7.3	.0	.1	.0	.0
Intracity mass transit ^{1 2}		386.0	386.0	8.0	.0	.1	.1	.0
Taxi fare ^{1 2}		339.0	339.0	2.2	.0	.0	.1	.0
Medical care		439.7	441.7	7.5	.5	.6	.6	.4
Medical care commodities		276.6	277.0	5.6	.1	.4	.3	.1
Prescription drugs		285.6	287.3	8.3	.6	.6	.2	.6
Anti-infective drugs ^{1 2}	12/77	195.2	196.5	5.2	.7	.5	.2	.7
Tranquilizers and sedatives ²	12/77	264.3	268.5	11.3	1.6	.8	.1	1.3
Circulatories and diuretics ^{1 2}	12/77	208.9	209.3	10.2	.2	.4	.4	.2
Hormones, diabetic drugs, biologicals, and prescription medical supplies ²	12/77	264.0	263.9	7.8	.0	.6	.2	.6
Pain and symptom control drugs ^{1 2}	12/77	226.8	228.0	7.6	.5	.4	.0	.5
Supplements, cough and cold preparations, and respiratory agents ²	12/77	208.9	209.9	8.8	.5	.5	1.3	.6
Nonprescription drugs and medical supplies ^{1 3}	12/77	181.9	181.5	3.4	-.2	.1	.2	-.2
Eyeglasses ^{1 2}	12/77	150.2	150.9	3.4	.5	.1	.3	.5
Internal and respiratory over-the-counter drugs ¹		298.8	297.5	3.0	-.4	.1	.0	-.4
Nonprescription medical equipment and supplies ¹	12/77	176.8	176.6	4.5	-.1	.1	.6	-.1
Medical care services		475.6	478.2	7.9	.5	.6	.6	.4
Professional services		398.4	400.2	6.5	.5	.8	.6	.5
Physicians' services		441.0	444.2	7.7	.7	.8	.8	.9
Dental services ¹		371.2	371.7	5.7	.1	.7	.5	.1
Other professional services ^{1 2}	12/77	177.6	177.6	3.0	.0	.0	.3	.0
Other medical care services ²		572.7	578.2	9.2	.6	.5	.7	.4
Hospital and other medical services ²	12/77	239.1	240.4	6.8	.5	.4	.8	.3
Hospital room		751.2	758.7	6.9	1.0	.4	.5	.8
Other hospital and medical care services ²	12/77	237.8	238.1	6.8	.1	.6	.8	.0

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

(1967=100, unless otherwise noted)

Group and item	Other index base	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Nov. 1986 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Oct. 1986	Nov. 1986	Nov. 1985	Oct. 1986	Aug. to Sept.	Sept. to Oct.	Oct. to Nov.
Entertainment		271.1	272.1	3.2	0.4	0.2	0.4	0.4
Entertainment commodities		290.6	261.7	1.7	.4	-.2	.2	.5
Reading materials ¹	12/77	183.6	184.2	4.2	.3	.3	.2	.3
Newspapers ¹		344.4	348.5	3.8	.6	.2	.5	.6
Magazines, periodicals, and books ¹	12/77	195.3	195.4	5.1	.1	.5	-.1	.1
Sporting goods and equipment	12/77	133.2	133.6	-1.5	.3	-.4	-.2	.0
Sports vehicles, including bicycles ^{1,4}	12/77	136.3	136.8	-2.2	.4	.0	-.8	.4
Sport vehicles ^{1,2}	12/77	135.5	136.1	-2.7	.4	.0	-.7	.4
Bicycles ²		203.0	202.6	.1	-.2	.0	-.7	.4
Other sporting goods ^{1,4}	12/77	125.1	125.4	.9	.2	.1	.2	.2
Indoor and warm weather sport equipment ^{1,2}	12/77	116.3	118.5	1.8	.2	-.2	-.1	.2
Other sporting goods and equipment ²	12/77	132.1	132.6	.9	.4	.3	.3	.4
Toys, hobbies, and other entertainment	12/77	145.8	146.6	2.1	.5	-.1	.9	.9
Toys, hobbies, and music equipment	12/77	137.8	138.1	.8	.4	-.7	1.6	.9
Photographic supplies and equipment	12/77	144.0	145.3	5.9	.9	.1	.8	1.0
Pet supplies and expense ¹	12/77	181.5	162.5	2.1	.8	.4	-.2	.8
Entertainment services ¹		290.7	291.8	5.5	.3	.8	.8	.3
Fees for participant sports ^{1,3}	12/77	184.2	184.8	6.1	.2	1.8	.8	.2
Admissions ¹	12/77	170.4	170.8	4.5	.2	-.5	.8	.2
Other entertainment services ^{1,3}	12/77	148.1	146.9	5.0	.5	.1	.2	.5
Other goods and services		348.8	349.2	5.7	.1	-.1	.4	.3
Tobacco products ¹		356.8	356.9	6.8	.0	.2	.1	.0
Cigarettes ^{1,2}		366.8	366.7	8.9	.0	.1	.2	.0
Other tobacco products and smoking accessories ²	12/77	178.3	177.1	4.9	.5	1.1	-.2	.5
Personal care ¹		290.8	291.2	2.9	.1	-.1	-.4	.1
Toilet goods and personal care appliances ¹		290.5	290.5	3.1	.0	-.3	.8	.0
Other toilet goods and small appliances, including hair and dental products ^{1,4}	12/77	169.4	170.0	3.4	.4	-.6	.7	.4
Products for the hair, hairpieces, and wigs ^{1,2}	12/77	182.7	162.4	2.1	-.2	.7	.5	-.2
Dental and shaving products ^{1,2}	12/77	181.3	183.3	4.8	1.1	-1.8	2.1	1.1
Other toilet goods and small personal care appliances ^{1,2}	12/77	167.8	168.4	3.8	.4	-1.0	-.4	.4
Cosmetics, bath and nail preparations manicure and eye makeup implements ¹	12/77	167.0	165.5	2.2	-.9	.2	.6	-.9
Personal care services ¹		291.6	292.4	2.7	.3	.1	.3	.3
Beauty parlor services for females ¹		291.8	292.9	2.5	.4	.1	.3	.4
Haircuts and other barber shop services for males ¹	12/77	164.7	164.9	3.0	.1	.1	.3	.1
Personal and educational expenses		448.7	449.4	7.7	.2	-.3	.8	.8
School books and supplies		396.7	396.9	7.5	.1	-.6	.9	.7
Personal and educational services		481.3	462.1	7.7	.2	-.2	.8	.8
Tuition and other school fees	12/77	236.2	238.2	7.6	.0	-.4	.7	.7
College tuition	12/77	235.3	235.2	7.0	.0	-.7	.5	.7
Elementary and high school tuition	12/77	238.1	238.0	8.7	.0	.9	.8	.3
Personal expenses ¹	12/77	237.7	239.7	8.2	.8	.6	.7	.8
Special indexes:								
Motor fuel, motor oil, coolant and other products		262.7	260.8	-30.3	-.7	2.5	-2.4	-.4
Utilities and public transportation		370.1	363.1	.1	-1.9	-.7	-1.0	-.7
Housekeeping and home maintenance services ¹		404.7	404.3	1.6	-.1	.2	.2	-.1

¹ Not seasonally adjusted.

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

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

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

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

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

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group and item	Other index base	Seasonally adjusted indexes		Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for—					
		Oct. 1986	Nov. 1986	3 months ending in—				6 months ending in—	
				Feb. 1986	May 1986	Aug. 1986	Nov. 1986	May 1986	Nov. 1986
Housing		354.6	354.2	2.2	1.4	3.2	0.1	1.8	1.7
Shelter		396.1	396.6	5.2	6.8	3.6	4.1	5.9	3.9
Renters' costs	12/84	111.0	111.4	4.2	6.9	4.9	4.4	5.5	4.6
Rent, residential ¹		283.0	283.7	4.2	7.5	4.4	4.2	5.9	4.3
Other renters' costs		421.2	424.8	.9	2.5	8.5	4.8	1.7	6.7
Lodging while out of town		442.7	448.1	-3.6	.0	11.7	4.5	-1.8	8.0
Lodging while at school ¹	12/82	129.3	129.3	.0	-3	1.7	28.3	-2	14.2
Tenants' insurance ¹	12/77	180.5	181.7	8.6	4.4	3.9	5.5	6.5	4.7
Homeowners' costs	12/84	110.3	110.4	5.4	7.3	3.0	4.1	6.4	3.5
Owners' equivalent rent	12/84	110.3	110.4	5.4	6.9	3.0	4.5	6.2	3.7
Household insurance ¹	12/84	110.8	111.3	10.3	4.5	4.1	4.4	7.4	4.3
Maintenance and repairs ¹		373.1	372.4	7.0	-10.5	8.7	1.0	-2.1	4.8
Maintenance and repair services ¹		431.1	428.2	5.4	-6.0	8.4	-4	-4	3.9
Maintenance and repair commodities ¹		264.3	265.0	8.5	-14.2	8.8	2.3	-3.5	5.5
Paint and wallpaper, supplies, tools, and equipment ^{1,2}	12/77	152.9	153.2	13.2	-25.9	17.5	2.7	-8.5	9.8
Lumber, awnings, glass, and masonry ^{1,2}	12/77	128.4	132.5	7.5	1.3	-1.9	16.6	4.4	7.0
Plumbing, electrical, heating, and cooling supplies ^{1,2}	12/77	147.2	147.9	.5	-2.7	.6	7.4	-1.1	3.9
Miscellaneous supplies and equipment	12/77	147.6	147.7	4.7	-3.5	3.9	-3	.5	1.8
Fuel and other utilities		377.4	374.4	-2.9	-10.2	1.6	-10.2	-6.6	-4.5
Fuels		445.2	441.7	-5.1	-15.7	-7	-13.7	-10.5	-7.4
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas		458.9	453.6	-34.4	-43.4	-28.4	-6.5	-39.0	-18.2
Fuel oil		441.3	435.4	-39.2	-47.5	-32.4	-7.2	-43.5	-20.8
Other fuels ³	6/78	182.4	181.6	-4	-17.6	-8.7	-7	-9.4	-4.8
Gas (piped) and electricity		434.2	431.0	5.1	-7.3	6.5	-15.2	-1.3	-5.0
Electricity		358.3	362.0	8.3	-8.9	12.7	-12.5	-7	-7
Utility (piped) gas		541.7	524.8	.4	-5.1	-1.5	-19.0	-2.4	-10.7
Other utilities and public services ¹		257.8	255.8	3.3	5.6	7.2	-1.2	4.4	2.9
Telephone services ¹		207.9	205.3	1.6	5.7	7.9	-4.4	3.6	1.6
Local charges ¹	12/77	198.9	195.1	3.8	9.5	25.4	-6.3	6.6	8.4
Interstate toll calls ¹	12/77	101.8	101.8	.0	.0	-33.0	.4	.0	-18.0
Intrastate toll calls ¹	12/77	124.7	124.4	-4.1	-3	.0	-1.6	-2.2	-8
Water and sewerage maintenance ¹		430.7	431.3	5.6	5.5	6.4	3.8	5.5	5.1
Cable television ¹	12/83	116.4	116.6	8.9	1.4	-3	6.8	5.1	3.2
Refuse collection ¹	12/83	121.9	123.7	12.6	4.2	7.0	15.6	8.3	11.2
Household furnishings and operation		247.7	247.5	.3	.0	3.5	.0	.2	1.7
Housefurnishings		199.1	198.5	-1.2	-4	3.9	-1.6	-8	1.1
Textile housefurnishings		248.8	249.8	-5	.0	7.6	.5	-2	4.0
Household linens ²	12/77	143.8	144.3	-4.4	-1.4	-1.4	7.5	-2.9	3.0
Curtains, drapes, slipcovers, and sewing materials ^{1,2}	12/77	168.3	167.8	11.6	.2	11.3	-8.6	5.8	1.9
Furniture and bedding		231.8	230.9	1.6	-2.4	4.4	-2	-4	2.1
Bedroom furniture ¹	12/77	170.3	167.4	-8.6	21.7	-5.4	6.2	5.5	.2
Sofas	12/77	127.0	128.6	5.7	-3.2	15.6	3.2	1.1	9.3
Living room chairs and tables ¹	12/77	131.7	131.9	-1.5	.9	-9.3	6.3	-3	-1.8
Other furniture	12/77	139.4	139.5	-1.4	-15.9	12.8	-6.6	-8.9	2.6
Appliances including TV and sound equipment ¹		140.0	139.5	-3.1	2.0	-3.6	-3.1	-6	-3.4
Television and sound equipment ¹	12/77	90.9	90.7	-3.0	-4	-5.9	-2.6	-1.7	-4.3
Television ¹		80.3	80.0	-1.9	-1.9	-7.0	-7.2	-1.9	-7.1
Sound equipment ¹	12/77	100.6	100.4	-3.8	.8	-5.8	.8	-1.6	-2.5
Household appliances ^{1,3}		186.5	185.5	-3.6	5.5	.6	-4.0	.9	-1.7
Refrigerator and home freezer ¹		198.0	195.8	2.2	2.4	-6.8	-2.6	2.3	-4.7
Laundry equipment ¹	12/77	151.7	148.6	1.9	-4.4	3.5	-3.9	-1.3	-3
Other household appliances ^{1,3}	12/77	117.4	117.6	-7.0	9.3	2.7	-4.3	.9	-8
Stoves, dishwashers, vacuums, and sewing machines ^{1,3}	12/77	116.8	116.1	-14.7	16.1	8.1	-12.1	-5	-2.5
Office machines, small electric appliances, and air conditioners ^{1,3}	12/77	117.7	118.6	.7	3.5	-2.0	3.4	2.1	.7

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1967=100, unless otherwise noted)

Group and item	Other index base	Seasonally adjusted indexes		Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for—					
		Oct. 1986	Nov. 1986	3 months ending in—				6 months ending in—	
				Feb. 1986	May 1986	Aug. 1986	Nov. 1986	May 1986	Nov. 1986
Household furnishings—Continued:									
Other household equipment ^{1 3}	12/77	143.2	142.7	-0.8	0.0	4.6	-2.2	-0.4	1.1
Floor and window coverings, infants', laundry, cleaning, and outdoor equipment ¹	12/77	145.6	144.6	-6	7.0	-2.5	5.7	3.1	1.5
Clocks, lamps, and decor items ¹	12/77	133.1	131.8	-23.2	16.8	-1.2	2.8	-5.3	.8
Tableware, serving pieces, and nonelectric kitchenware ¹	12/77	147.4	145.6	11.0	-3.2	12.0	-12.8	3.6	-1.1
Lawn equipment, power tools, and other hardware ¹	12/77	141.5	143.3	-4.1	-7.6	2.0	6.1	-5.9	4.0
Housekeeping supplies									
Laundry and cleaning products including soap ^{1 4}	12/77	318.8	319.7	1.1	-5	3.6	2.3	.3	2.9
Soaps and detergents ^{1 2}	12/77	166.8	166.7	11.5	-6.3	2.5	3.2	2.2	2.8
Other laundry and cleaning products ^{1 2}	12/77	319.5	319.8	13.8	-4.9	-3.9	7.3	4.0	1.8
Household paper products and stationery supplies ^{1 4}	12/77	164.3	164.3	6.5	-8.0	11.9	-2.8	-1	4.4
Cleaning and toilet tissue, paper towels and napkins ^{1 2}	12/77	157.8	157.9	-5	-1.8	3.4	2.3	-1.1	2.8
Stationery, stationery supplies, and gift wrap ^{1 2}	12/77	181.7	161.8	-1.5	-4.2	6.5	3.8	-2.9	5.1
Other household lawn and garden supplies ⁴	12/77	153.0	153.1	.5	1.6	-5	.3	1.1	-1
Miscellaneous household products ^{1 2}	12/77	158.0	156.5	-6.8	7.6	3.4	.5	.1	1.9
Lawn and garden supplies ²	12/77	162.7	163.6	-2.2	6.7	1.0	4.3	2.1	2.6
Housekeeping services ¹	12/77	143.5	144.1	-7.7	5.1	5.8	-7.4	-1.5	-1.1
Postage ¹	12/77	350.1	350.1	2.1	1.9	2.0	1.2	1.7	1.6
Moving, storage, freight, household laundry, and drycleaning services ^{1 2}	12/77	372.7	372.7	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0
Appliance and furniture repair ¹	12/77	196.3	196.0	4.1	1.9	4.2	1.9	3.0	3.0
12/77	161.4	161.7	3.3	2.0	3.8	2.3	2.7	2.9	
Apparel and upkeep									
Apparel commodities.....	12/77	208.3	208.7	-3.4	-2	3.0	3.7	-1.6	3.3
Apparel commodities less footwear.....	12/77	193.0	193.3	-5.1	-1.0	3.0	3.6	-3.1	3.3
Apparel commodities less footwear.....	12/77	189.3	189.6	-4.4	-1.7	3.5	3.2	-3.0	3.4
Men's and boys'.....	12/77	200.0	201.0	-1.2	.0	-2.6	5.6	-6	1.4
Men's.....	12/77	126.9	127.4	.9	-3	-1.9	5.5	.0	1.7
Suits, sport coats, coats, and jackets ⁴	12/77	110.3	110.8	-1.1	3.7	-4	6.4	1.3	3.0
Suits, sport coats, and jackets ²	12/77	115.7	115.3	-4	6.3	2.5	9.9	2.9	6.2
Coats and jackets ²	12/77	99.5	101.0	-2.3	-4	-6.6	-6	-1.3	-4.6
Furnishings and special clothing ¹	12/77	152.7	153.5	-7.6	-6	1.1	7.4	-4.2	4.2
Shirts.....	12/77	137.5	140.6	-5.7	3.3	-2.6	17.0	-1.3	6.7
Dungarees, jeans, and trousers.....	12/77	122.7	121.8	3.8	-2.6	-7.2	1.7	.5	-2.9
Boys'.....	12/77	126.7	127.7	-5.8	.8	-5.5	6.2	-2.6	1.1
Coats, jackets, sweaters, and shirts ²	12/77	125.7	128.4	-19.0	5.3	-6.8	23.5	-7.6	7.4
Furnishings ²	12/77	138.8	137.8	5.0	-4.5	-3.7	4.8	.1	.4
Suits, trousers, sport coats, and jackets ²	12/77	123.5	123.5	2.6	-9	-7.7	.3	.8	-3.6
Women's and girls'.....	12/77	171.8	171.8	-11.0	-3.7	7.1	3.8	-7.5	5.5
Women's.....	12/77	114.5	114.9	-11.2	-5.2	5.5	8.5	-8.2	6.0
Coats and jackets.....	12/77	164.4	166.0	-28.7	-27.7	20.0	17.3	-26.2	16.6
Dresses.....	12/77	166.4	164.6	-9.7	-4.8	3.0	7.1	-7.3	5.0
Separates and sportswear.....	12/77	106.5	107.3	-2.2	.8	-3.7	9.5	-6	2.7
Underwear, nightwear, and hosiery.....	12/77	141.1	141.6	-1.1	-3.7	6.5	.6	-2.4	3.5
Suits.....	12/77	100.0	100.7	-35.4	.8	21.2	2.4	-19.3	11.4
Girls'.....	12/77	112.3	112.5	-12.2	.7	13.4	-1.1	-5.9	5.9
Coats, jackets, dresses, and suits ²	12/77	99.7	100.0	-22.5	6.7	-4.7	4.1	-9.1	-4
Separates and sportswear ²	12/77	110.9	111.4	-12.3	-2.3	54.2	-14.9	-7.4	14.5
Underwear, nightwear, hosiery, and accessories ²	12/77	135.2	135.2	4.3	-4.1	-5.0	13.1	.0	3.6
Infants' and toddlers' ¹	12/77	329.2	323.8	10.2	7.1	-6.6	-5.7	6.7	-6.2
Other apparel commodities ¹	12/77	207.9	208.9	3.4	-6	11.7	-1.1	1.3	5.1
Sewing materials and notions ^{1 3}	12/77	123.4	122.1	1.0	2.3	6.0	-8.0	1.6	-1.6
Jewelry and luggage ^{1 3}	12/77	139.5	141.0	4.5	-2.3	13.9	2.3	1.0	8.0
Footwear.....	12/77	214.0	214.1	-8.5	2.3	1.3	4.6	-3.2	3.1
Men's.....	12/77	144.8	145.2	-2.8	2.0	2.8	2.8	-4	2.8
Boys' and girls' ¹	12/77	140.0	138.3	-8.7	4.5	-1.2	8.5	-2.3	3.6
Women's.....	12/77	120.9	121.5	-13.4	-3	-2.0	6.3	-7.1	3.0
Apparel services.....	12/77	335.6	335.5	5.0	3.0	3.4	4.3	4.0	3.9
Laundry and dry cleaning other than coin operated.....	12/77	200.4	200.6	3.8	2.8	4.1	5.1	3.1	4.6
Other apparel services ¹	12/77	177.5	178.1	5.7	4.7	.9	4.4	5.2	2.6

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

(1967=100, unless otherwise noted)

Group and item	Other index base	Seasonally adjusted indexes		Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for—					
		Oct. 1986	Nov. 1986	3 months ending in—				6 months ending in—	
				Feb. 1986	May 1986	Aug. 1986	Nov. 1986	May 1986	Nov. 1986
Transportation		301.6	303.2	-2.6	-19.4	-5.9	4.1	-11.4	-1.0
Private		295.2	296.8	-3.5	-20.6	-6.7	4.3	-12.4	-1.3
New vehicles		226.6	228.9	2.8	6.6	5.0	7.7	4.7	6.3
New cars		227.2	229.3	3.2	6.6	4.9	7.9	4.8	6.4
New trucks and motorcycles ¹	12/83	110.7	112.3	4.2	4.5	2.6	7.1	4.3	4.8
Used cars		358.4	358.1	1.0	-12.4	-5.3	.9	-6.0	-2.3
Motor fuel		263.7	262.5	-20.0	-56.8	-29.3	-1.5	-42.6	-16.6
Gasoline		263.1	261.8	-20.2	-56.0	-29.0	-1.7	-42.8	-16.4
Gasoline, leaded regular	1/76	144.7	143.9	-21.9	-60.2	-30.4	-1.1	-44.2	-17.1
Gasoline, unleaded regular	1/76	149.7	148.9	-21.3	-60.1	-30.3	-1.6	-44.0	-17.2
Gasoline, unleaded premium	8/81	70.5	70.0	-18.1	-51.1	-24.5	-7.6	-35.9	-16.5
Automobile maintenance and repair		366.5	369.7	3.3	3.1	3.7	4.0	3.2	3.8
Body work ¹	12/77	186.3	188.4	-2.4	10.8	3.1	4.8	4.0	3.8
Automobile drive train, brake, and miscellaneous mechanical repair ¹	12/77	185.7	186.3	4.8	5.9	3.5	3.1	5.3	3.3
Maintenance and servicing ¹	12/77	163.1	164.5	5.7	-.7	2.3	6.8	2.4	4.5
Power plant repair	12/77	175.1	176.0	3.1	1.9	4.5	1.1	2.5	2.8
Other private transportation ¹		305.2	309.5	6.6	1.9	3.2	10.0	4.2	6.6
Other private transportation commodities ¹		201.1	202.3	3.4	-1.0	-1.7	-3.3	1.2	-2.5
Motor oil, coolant, and other products ¹	12/77	153.6	153.7	1.0	-5.0	-2.6	-.3	-2.0	-1.4
Automobile parts and equipment ¹	12/77	126.4	127.3	3.8	-.3	-1.5	-4.0	1.7	-2.8
Tires ¹		189.8	171.7	2.5	-.9	-2.3	-5.4	.8	-3.8
Other parts and equipment ¹	12/77	135.2	134.7	6.8	.9	.3	-.9	3.8	-.3
Other private transportation services ¹		335.4	340.7	7.0	2.5	4.0	12.4	4.7	8.1
Automobile insurance ¹		420.0	423.3	15.9	10.1	9.0	16.0	13.0	12.4
Automobile finance charges ¹	12/77	137.9	144.8	-9.5	-17.5	-12.5	9.0	-13.6	-2.3
Automobile rental, registration, and other fees ¹	12/77	172.5	173.3	3.5	5.4	8.9	4.8	4.4	8.8
Automobile registration, license, and inspection fees ^{1,4}	12/77	157.6	158.5	.5	.3	9.4	2.8	.4	5.9
State registration ^{1,2}		219.9	220.3	-.2	.0	11.1	.7	-.1	5.8
Drivers' license ^{1,2}	12/77	175.9	176.0	.2	.0	3.7	.2	.1	2.0
Automobile inspection ^{1,2}	12/77	163.6	173.5	1.5	-1.7	6.6	26.5	-.1	16.1
Other automobile related fees ¹	12/77	203.8	204.4	8.6	13.7	8.4	8.0	11.1	8.2
Public transportation ¹		418.9	421.1	13.1	1.2	4.5	2.8	7.0	3.6
Airline fare ¹		483.7	490.5	-1.2	.8	3.6	6.6	-.3	5.1
Other intercity transportation ^{1,4}		222.0	221.4	19.0	9.8	4.0	-4.0	14.3	-.1
Intercity bus fare ^{1,2}		516.9	515.2	21.0	11.5	1.2	-3.9	16.1	-1.3
Intercity train fare ^{1,2}		420.1	420.5	14.2	2.6	16.5	-4.7	8.2	5.3
Intracity public transportation ^{1,4}		209.4	209.4	24.5	.8	5.1	.4	12.0	2.7
Intracity mass transit ^{1,2}		386.0	388.0	27.4	.8	5.3	.5	13.3	2.9
Taxi fare ^{1,2}		339.0	339.0	3.5	1.2	3.6	.5	2.4	2.0
Medical care		440.0	441.7	7.4	8.7	7.4	6.4	8.0	6.9
Medical care commodities		278.9	277.3	8.0	4.7	6.5	3.5	6.3	5.0
Prescription drugs		285.9	287.6	10.0	6.9	10.8	5.6	8.5	8.2
Anti-infective drugs ^{1,2}	12/77	195.2	196.5	5.5	6.0	4.0	5.3	5.8	4.6
Tranquilizers and sedatives ²	12/77	265.1	268.5	15.4	8.6	12.1	9.1	11.9	10.6
Circulatories and diuretics ^{1,2}	12/77	208.9	209.3	9.4	17.3	10.5	3.9	13.3	7.1
Hormones, diabetic drugs, biologicals, and prescription medical supplies ²	12/77	264.0	265.5	9.4	.8	15.0	5.6	5.0	10.2
Pain and symptom control drugs ^{1,2}	12/77	226.8	226.0	10.6	5.8	10.8	3.6	8.2	7.1
Supplements, cough and cold preparations, and respiratory agents ²	12/77	209.7	211.0	7.0	9.2	8.4	10.1	8.1	9.2
Nonprescription drugs and medical supplies ^{1,3}	12/77	181.9	181.5	5.8	4.8	2.9	.2	5.3	1.6
Eyeglasses ^{1,2}	12/77	150.2	150.9	2.5	5.3	2.2	3.8	3.9	3.0
Internal and respiratory over-the-counter drugs ¹		298.8	297.5	6.7	4.2	2.9	-1.3	5.4	.7
Nonprescription medical equipment and supplies ¹	12/77	176.8	178.6	5.6	7.2	3.0	2.3	8.4	2.7
Medical care services		478.1	478.2	7.5	9.5	7.6	7.1	8.5	7.3
Professional services		399.2	401.0	5.2	7.5	5.9	7.3	6.4	6.6
Physicians' services		441.9	448.0	4.8	9.7	6.7	9.9	7.2	8.3
Dental services ¹		371.2	371.7	5.8	6.7	4.8	5.6	6.2	5.2
Other professional services ^{1,2}	12/77	177.6	177.6	4.5	3.5	2.8	1.1	4.0	1.9
Other medical care services ²		573.3	575.6	9.7	11.4	9.3	6.7	10.6	7.9
Hospital and other medical services ²	12/77	239.1	239.7	6.8	7.0	7.4	5.9	6.9	6.7
Hospital room		749.7	755.7	6.7	8.7	4.9	7.0	7.7	5.9
Other hospital and medical care services ²	12/77	238.0	237.9	6.6	6.1	9.0	5.6	6.4	7.3

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1967=100, unless otherwise noted)

Group and item	Other index base	Seasonally adjusted indexes		Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for—					
		Oct. 1986	Nov. 1986	3 months ending in—				6 months ending in—	
				Feb. 1986	May 1986	Aug. 1986	Nov. 1986	May 1986	Nov. 1986
Entertainment		271.1	272.2	4.6	1.5	3.0	3.9	3.1	3.5
Entertainment commodities		260.1	261.4	1.6	1.1	2.2	2.0	1.3	2.1
Reading materials ¹	12/77	183.6	184.2	4.8	5.7	2.9	3.6	5.3	3.2
Newspapers ¹		344.4	346.5	3.5	4.2	1.5	5.2	3.9	3.4
Magazines, periodicals, and books ¹	12/77	195.3	195.4	6.4	7.8	4.4	1.7	7.1	3.0
Sporting goods and equipment	12/77	133.5	133.5	-2.1	-4.1	2.7	-2.4	-3.1	.1
Sports vehicles, including bicycles ^{1 4}	12/77	136.3	136.8	-2.0	-5.3	.3	-1.7	-3.7	-7
Sport vehicles ^{1 2}	12/77	135.5	136.1	-3.1	-7.0	.6	-1.2	-5.1	-3
Bicycles ²		203.0	203.8	1.2	1.2	-1.0	-1.2	1.2	-1.1
Other sporting goods ^{1 4}	12/77	125.1	125.4	.6	-4.7	6.0	1.9	-2.1	3.9
Indoor and warm weather sport equipment ^{1 2}	12/77	116.3	116.5	3.9	-7	4.6	-3	1.6	2.1
Other sporting goods and equipment ²	12/77	132.1	132.6	-1.2	-6.6	8.0	4.0	-3.9	6.0
Toys, hobbies, and other entertainment	12/77	145.7	147.0	.8	-3	.8	6.8	.3	3.8
Toys, hobbies, and music equipment	12/77	137.2	138.4	.3	-3.2	-9	7.2	-1.5	3.1
Photographic supplies and equipment	12/77	144.0	145.4	7.5	4.9	4.0	6.9	6.2	5.4
Pet supplies and expense ¹	12/77	161.5	162.5	1.3	.5	3.6	3.3	.9	3.4
Entertainment services ¹		290.7	291.6	8.5	2.3	4.4	7.0	5.4	5.7
Fees for participant sports ^{1 3}	12/77	184.2	184.6	7.8	2.7	2.3	11.9	5.2	7.0
Admissions ¹	12/77	170.4	170.8	8.8	.7	6.9	1.9	4.7	4.4
Other entertainment services ^{1 3}	12/77	148.1	148.9	9.0	3.4	4.2	3.6	6.2	3.9
Other goods and services		346.8	347.8	8.7	3.9	7.6	2.6	6.2	5.1
Tobacco products ¹		356.8	356.9	12.6	1.9	11.9	1.1	7.1	6.4
Cigarettes ^{1 2}		366.8	366.7	13.2	1.8	12.2	1.0	7.4	6.5
Other tobacco products and smoking accessories ²	12/77	177.0	177.8	2.9	1.9	8.9	5.8	2.4	7.4
Personal care ¹		290.8	291.2	5.3	2.5	1.8	1.8	3.9	1.8
Toilet goods and personal care appliances ¹		290.5	290.5	7.0	2.7	1.5	1.1	4.8	1.3
Other toilet goods and small appliances, including hair and dental products ^{1 4}	12/77	169.4	170.0	7.5	2.9	1.7	1.7	5.2	1.7
Products for the hair, hairpieces, and wigs ^{1 2}	12/77	162.7	162.4	4.9	-7	.2	4.0	2.0	2.1
Dental and shaving products ^{1 2}	12/77	181.3	183.3	10.4	5.5	-1.7	5.4	7.9	1.8
Other toilet goods and small personal care appliances ^{1 2}	12/77	167.8	168.4	8.7	4.7	6.6	-4.2	6.6	1.1
Cosmetics, bath and nail preparations									
manicure and eye makeup implements ¹	12/77	167.0	165.5	5.8	2.2	1.0	-2	4.0	.4
Personal care services ¹		291.6	292.4	3.7	2.2	2.1	2.6	3.0	2.4
Beauty parlor services for females ¹		291.8	292.9	3.1	2.2	1.7	3.1	2.7	2.4
Haircuts and other barber shop services for males ¹	12/77	164.7	164.9	4.8	2.2	2.7	2.2	3.5	2.5
Personal and educational expenses		439.0	442.3	8.1	8.4	9.5	5.1	8.3	7.3
School books and supplies		392.0	394.9	6.8	9.2	9.8	4.3	8.0	7.0
Personal and educational services		450.5	453.9	8.0	8.4	9.4	5.3	8.2	7.3
Tuition and other school fees	12/77	229.1	230.7	8.9	8.7	9.1	4.1	8.8	6.5
College tuition	12/77	228.2	229.7	8.5	8.5	9.6	1.6	8.5	5.5
Elementary and high school tuition	12/77	231.2	232.0	9.1	9.3	8.3	8.3	9.2	8.3
Personal expenses ¹	12/77	237.7	239.7	5.2	9.6	9.2	8.8	7.4	9.0
Special indexes:									
Motor fuel, motor oil, coolant and other products		262.4	261.3	-19.5	-58.2	-28.8	-1.4	-42.0	-16.2
Utilities and public transportation		368.6	366.0	7.0	-2.8	6.0	-9.0	2.0	-1.8
Housekeeping and home maintenance services ¹		404.7	404.3	2.5	.2	2.8	1.0	1.4	1.9

¹ Not seasonally adjusted.

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

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

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

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

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

(1987 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Area, region, and population size class	Pricing schedule ¹	Other index base	Indexes				Percent change to Nov. 1988 from—			Percent change to Oct. 1988 from—		
			Aug. 1988	Sept. 1988	Oct. 1988	Nov. 1988	Nov. 1985	Sept. 1986	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986	Sept. 1986
Area²												
U.S. city average			328.6	330.2	330.5	330.8	1.3	0.2	0.1	1.5	0.6	0.1
Chicago, Ill.-Northwestern Ind.	M		331.4	333.9	328.7	331.3	2.2	-.8	.6	1.9	-.8	-1.6
Detroit, Mich. ³	M		323.2	321.1	324.3	325.3	.7	1.3	.3	1.4	.3	1.0
L.A.-Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif.	M		330.9	334.6	336.2	333.8	2.7	-.2	-.7	3.1	1.6	.5
N.Y., N.Y.-Northeastern N.J.	M		325.9	328.6	327.8	327.5	2.4	.3	-1	3.3	.8	.4
Philadelphia, Pa.-N.J.	M		323.1	325.8	324.7	324.1	1.7	-.5	-.2	2.3	.5	-.3
Anchorage, Alaska ⁴	1	10/67	-	286.2	-	287.8	.3	.6	-	-	-	-
Baltimore, Md.	1		-	334.0	-	333.4	1.9	-.2	-	-	-	-
Boston, Mass.	1		-	328.2	-	329.3	1.2	.3	-	-	-	-
Cincinnati, Ohio-Ky.-Ind. ⁴	1		-	333.0	-	335.5	.6	.8	-	-	-	-
Denver-Boulder, Colo. ⁴	1		-	362.9	-	361.2	.5	-.5	-	-	-	-
Miami, Fla.	1	11/77	-	174.3	-	175.8	1.1	.9	-	-	-	-
Milwaukee, Wis. ⁴	1		-	332.9	-	330.7	-1.0	-.7	-	-	-	-
Northeast Pennsylvania ⁵	1		-	311.3	-	313.5	.9	.7	-	-	-	-
Portland, Oreg.-Wash. ⁴	1		-	318.0	-	318.0	.3	.0	-	-	-	-
St. Louis, Mo.-Ill.	1		-	325.7	-	323.8	.7	-.6	-	-	-	-
San Diego, Calif. ⁴	1		-	385.9	-	387.5	2.2	.4	-	-	-	-
Seattle-Everett, Wash. ⁴	1		-	326.3	-	325.9	.6	-.1	-	-	-	-
Washington, D.C.-Md.-Va.	1		-	332.3	-	334.0	2.2	.5	-	-	-	-
Atlanta, Ga. ⁴	2		338.9	-	339.9	-	-	-	-	2.1	.3	-
Buffalo, N.Y. ⁴	2		307.5	-	309.4	-	-	-	-	.0	.6	-
Cleveland, Ohio ⁶	2		352.7	-	352.1	-	-	-	-	1.0	-.2	-
Dallas-Fort Worth, Tex.	2		346.2	-	345.9	-	-	-	-	.6	-.1	-
Honolulu, Hawaii ⁴	2		301.5	-	302.2	-	-	-	-	2.2	.2	-
Houston, Tex.	2		392.9	-	334.0	-	-	-	-	-1.1	.3	-
Kansas City, Mo.-Kans. ⁴	2		323.9	-	323.7	-	-	-	-	.2	-.1	-
Minneapolis-St. Paul, Minn.-Wis. ⁴	2		340.3	-	340.9	-	-	-	-	.1	.2	-
Pittsburgh, Pa.	2		330.1	-	331.8	-	-	-	-	1.0	.5	-
San Francisco-Oakland, Calif. ⁷	2		345.5	-	347.7	-	-	-	-	3.3	.6	-
Region⁸												
Northeast	2	12/77	175.0	-	176.4	-	-	-	-	2.3	.6	-
North Central	2	12/77	176.2	-	176.6	-	-	-	-	.9	.2	-
South	2	12/77	176.4	-	177.5	-	-	-	-	1.0	.6	-
West	2	12/77	179.0	-	180.4	-	-	-	-	2.0	.8	-
Population size class⁹												
A-1 ⁹	2	12/77	176.6	-	177.6	-	-	-	-	2.7	.6	-
A-2 ⁹	2	12/77	179.1	-	179.9	-	-	-	-	1.3	.4	-
B	2	12/77	176.6	-	178.3	-	-	-	-	1.1	1.0	-
C	2	12/77	175.0	-	175.9	-	-	-	-	1.2	.5	-
D	2	12/77	173.6	-	174.5	-	-	-	-	.4	.4	-

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1967=100, unless otherwise noted)

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

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

M - Every month.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

⁸ Regions are defined as the four Census regions.

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

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

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

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

C - 75,000 to 385,000.

D - Less than 75,000.

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

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

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

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

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

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

(1967=100, unless otherwise noted)

Area, region, and population size class	Other index base	Total food at home	Cereals and bakery products	Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs ¹	Dairy products	Fruits and vegetables	Other foods at home ¹
Indexes, November 1986							
Area ²							
U.S. city average		309.9	328.5	286.3	261.2	327.8	373.9
Anchorage, Alaska ³	10/87	288.4	283.0	268.9	258.1	288.5	352.7
Atlanta, Ga. ³		318.5	303.8	276.2	312.4	373.1	372.3
Baltimore, Md.		310.4	336.2	276.6	258.3	353.6	375.3
Boston, Mass.		294.1	321.1	284.9	235.4	309.8	344.8
Buffalo, N.Y. ³		312.4	305.6	288.5	255.5	352.0	380.0
Chicago, Ill.-Northwestern Ind.		306.0	322.9	296.9	252.8	324.6	359.1
Cincinnati, Ohio-Ky.-Ind. ³		334.9	395.3	290.5	269.4	343.6	425.4
Cleveland, Ohio		311.9	324.3	319.7	263.0	284.1	358.2
Dallas-Fort Worth, Tex.		315.0	328.7	271.6	283.8	338.0	381.0
Denver-Boulder, Colo. ³		292.3	311.4	267.2	274.7	283.5	356.7
Detroit, Mich.		301.6	342.1	289.6	244.2	281.9	371.7
Honolulu, Hawaii ³		340.6	328.4	302.6	309.9	387.1	414.3
Houston, Tex.		327.0	327.9	294.5	313.0	327.6	391.1
Kansas City, Mo.-Kans. ³		309.9	329.8	273.1	282.8	344.0	381.1
L.A.-Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif.		311.7	342.8	288.8	257.8	306.6	382.7
Miami, Fla.	11/77	162.5	167.8	161.5	153.8	173.4	159.9
Milwaukee, Wis. ³		302.5	344.3	295.4	267.9	291.7	336.8
Minneapolis-St. Paul, Minn.-Wis. ³		310.3	354.4	273.7	289.4	323.2	347.5
N.Y., N.Y.-Northeastern N.J.		324.0	337.7	293.1	271.1	355.6	402.9
Northeast Pennsylvania ⁴		300.8	306.4	295.2	240.8	306.1	366.3
Philadelphia, Pa.-N.J.		305.9	330.8	279.5	248.6	320.2	388.5
Pittsburgh, Pa.		292.9	313.6	264.4	232.3	321.0	381.1
Portland, Oreg.-Wash. ³		299.9	339.2	282.4	227.5	314.9	376.8
St. Louis, Mo.-Ill.		316.1	352.6	260.9	298.9	368.1	380.7
San Diego, Calif. ³		309.7	339.7	296.1	247.3	313.1	372.2
San Francisco-Oakland, Calif.		313.5	345.0	295.9	255.3	309.3	389.5
Seattle-Everett, Wash. ³		293.9	307.5	267.4	252.7	259.6	393.4
Washington, D.C.-Md.-Va.		325.1	339.7	296.2	249.9	360.9	405.7
Region ⁵							
Northeast	12/77	159.9	172.4	161.2	143.8	171.4	153.2
North Central	12/77	158.9	173.6	158.2	142.4	164.4	151.7
South	12/77	160.8	170.9	158.7	155.4	173.1	155.0
West	12/77	163.3	181.0	159.9	150.8	172.1	160.8
Population size class ⁶							
A-1 ⁶	12/77	160.7	173.2	161.6	148.4	166.6	156.1
A-2 ⁶	12/77	160.8	174.9	158.6	150.5	171.6	156.5
B	12/77	160.4	175.0	158.8	147.7	175.4	154.3
C	12/77	158.1	173.6	156.3	145.6	169.0	153.9
D	12/77	158.8	171.7	163.2	144.3	170.1	150.1

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Area, region, and population size class	Other index base	Total food at home	Cereals and bakery products	Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs ¹	Dairy products	Fruits and vegetables	Other foods at home ¹
	Indexes, November 1986						
Region/population size class cross classification ⁵							
Northeast/A	12/77	159.7	171.0	160.2	145.7	170.7	153.8
North Central/A	12/77	159.3	173.3	161.7	147.2	164.8	153.4
South/A	12/77	163.7	173.8	160.7	157.6	173.4	160.6
West/A	12/77	162.9	181.9	158.7	154.0	165.5	162.2
Northeast/B	12/77	160.3	174.9	165.2	141.3	169.5	152.0
North Central/B	12/77	150.6	173.1	148.1	138.0	160.5	145.8
South/B	12/77	162.2	171.5	157.4	155.0	181.5	158.8
West/B	12/77	165.6	182.3	162.7	151.4	182.5	159.8
Northeast/C	12/77	161.1	176.5	164.9	140.5	180.5	149.0
North Central/C	12/77	154.8	173.9	153.3	137.5	164.0	153.3
South/C	12/77	157.7	170.7	153.3	155.1	165.3	154.8
West/C	12/77	161.0	176.5	159.1	144.2	171.3	159.2
Northeast/D ⁴	12/77	157.5	172.1	155.5	138.6	165.6	158.2
North Central/D	12/77	157.4	174.7	182.3	138.3	187.0	150.0
South/D	12/77	159.1	165.6	168.8	153.3	171.0	143.3
West/D ⁴	12/77	163.0	179.7	160.0	143.7	160.0	159.0

See footnotes at end of table.

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

Area, region, and population size class	Total food at home	Cereals and bakery products	Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	Dairy products	Fruits and vegetables	Other foods at home
Percent change from October 1986 to November 1986						
Area ²						
U.S. city average	0.1	0.0	0.5	0.5	-0.2	-0.1
Anchorage, Alaska ³	-4	-5	-1.8	1.4	1.6	-8
Atlanta, Ga. ³	-5	-2.4	.4	2.2	-1.2	-1.4
Baltimore, Md. ....	.8	-1.4	1.4	.3	2.0	.5
Boston, Mass. ....	.0	-1.9	-.8	.3	3.2	.3
Buffalo, N.Y. ³	-5	-2	-.3	.1	-1.5	-4
Chicago, Ill.-Northwestern Ind.	1.5	.9	2.4	.6	3.4	.0
Cincinnati, Ohio-Ky.-Ind. ³ .....	.8	2.2	1.8	.0	2.4	-1.2
Cleveland, Ohio	-.3	.4	1.9	-.1	-7.7	.0
Dallas-Fort Worth, Tex. ....	.6	.4	3.0	.8	2.6	-2.3
Denver-Boulder, Colo. ³ .....	.3	.6	.9	.7	3.0	-1.8
Detroit, Mich. ....	.0	1.1	-.4	1.2	-.9	-.1
Honolulu, Hawaii ³	-.3	1.5	-1.4	.5	2.2	-1.6
Houston, Tex. ....	.5	1.0	.3	.4	1.0	.4
Kansas City, Mo.-Kans. ³ .....	.8	-.5	1.0	.8	2.6	.4
L.A.-Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif. ....	.8	-.7	2.1	.6	2.9	-1.1
Miami, Fla.	-.4	-.4	-.6	.5	-2.7	.6
Milwaukee, Wis. ³ .....	.5	.5	.5	.9	-.6	.8
Minneapolis-St. Paul, Minn.-Wis. ³	1.3	-1.0	1.4	-.3	6.2	.9
N.Y., N.Y.-Northeastern N.J.	-.2	-.2	-.2	.1	-.7	-.3
Northeast Pennsylvania ⁴ .....	.1	-.3	.8	1.7	-4.0	1.1
Philadelphia, Pa.-N.J.	-.9	-.2	-1.4	.9	-3.3	-.3
Pittsburgh, Pa.	1.4	-.4	.1	2.9	6.2	.8
Portland, Oreg.-Wash. ³ .....	.9	1.8	-.4	.0	1.8	1.8
St. Louis, Mo.-Ill.	-.5	-1.0	-.1	-1.7	-.1	-.4
San Diego, Calif. ³	1.2	1.7	1.8	1.6	3.4	-1.0
San Francisco-Oakland, Calif.	-.6	1.1	.9	.4	-7.3	.8
Seattle-Everett, Wash. ³	1.0	-1.7	.7	1.6	3.5	.8
Washington, D.C.-Md.-Va.	-.9	1.3	.1	-.7	-3.2	-1.7
Region ⁵						
Northeast	-.1	.0	-.1	.3	-.5	-.2
North Central .....	.6	.6	.9	.6	.7	.0
South	-.2	-.5	.2	.5	-1.3	-.4
West .....	.6	-.1	1.3	.4	.6	.1
Population size class ⁵						
A-1 ⁶ .....	.2	.2	.4	.5	.2	-.4
A-2 ⁶ .....	.2	-.1	.6	.4	-.1	-.1
B .....	.1	-.2	.4	.4	-.3	-.1
C .....	.0	-.4	.4	.6	-.4	-.3
D .....	.3	1.0	.4	.6	-1.4	.4

See footnotes at end of table.

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

Area, region, and population size class	Total food at home	Cereals and bakery products	Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	Dairy products	Fruits and vegetables	Other foods at home
	Percent change from October 1986 to November 1986					
Region/population size class cross classification⁵						
Northeast/A	-0.2	-0.1	-0.4	0.5	-0.4	-0.2
North Central/A .....	.7	.5	1.3	.3	1.0	.0
South/A .....	.0	.1	.8	.4	-.3	-.8
West/A .....	.6	-.2	1.7	.8	.4	-.5
Northeast/B	-.4	-.4	.2	.6	-1.6	-1.0
North Central/B	1.1	1.0	1.5	1.0	1.8	.3
South/B	-.7	-.6	-.5	.4	-2.5	-.5
West/B	1.1	-.1	1.2	.0	3.0	1.1
Northeast/C .....	.5	.3	1.2	-.3	1.4	-.4
North Central/C	-.3	.1	.3	.4	-1.4	-.6
South/C	-.2	-1.6	-.2	1.0	-.8	.3
West/C .....	.4	.8	1.6	.5	-.4	-.5
Northeast/D ⁴ .....	.1	1.9	.1	.7	-3.8	1.4
North Central/D .....	.7	1.0	.2	1.6	1.3	.3
South/D .....	.1	1.1	1.1	-.3	-1.8	-.3
West/D ⁴	-.5	-.4	-.6	-.1	-3.3	1.2

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Group	Expenditure category					
	U.S. city average	Chicago, Ill.-Northwestern Ind.	Detroit, Mich. ¹	Los Angeles-Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif.	New York, N.Y.-Northeastern N.J.	Philadelphia, Pa.-N.J.
All items	0.1	0.8	0.3	-0.7	-0.1	-0.2
Food and beverages .....	.3	1.9	.2	.9	.0	-.6
Food .....	.3	1.9	.2	.9	.1	-.6
Food at home .....	.1	1.5	.0	.8	-.2	-.9
Cereals and bakery products .....	.0	.9	1.1	-.7	.2	-.2
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs .....	.5	2.4	-.4	2.1	-.2	-1.4
Meats, poultry, and fish .....	.2	2.2	-.5	1.4	-.4	-1.5
Dairy products .....	.5	.6	1.2	.6	.1	.9
Fruits and vegetables	-.2	3.4	-.9	2.9	-.7	-3.3
Other foods at home	-.1	.0	-.1	-1.1	-.3	-.3
Food away from home .....	.5	2.8	.5	1.2	.6	.1
Alcoholic beverages .....	.0	1.2	.2	1.0	-.2	.1
Housing	-.4	.6	-.3	-2.4	-.4	-.2
Shelter .....	.2	1.0	.3	-.1	-.3	.0
Renters' costs .....	.2	1.0	.3	-.2	-.2	-1.1
Rent, residential .....	.4	.9	.3	-.1	-.2	.4
Other renters' costs	-.4	2.1	.0	.3	-.4	-7.8
Homeowners' costs .....	.2	1.0	.4	-.2	-.2	.5
Owners' equivalent rent .....	.2	.8	.3	-.2	-.2	.5
Fuel and other utilities	-2.1	-.4	-.8	-12.6	-.2	-.3
Fuels	-2.8	-.5	-1.0	-19.6	-.3	-.4
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas .....	.0	-.1	.0	.2	1.0	-.8
Fuel oil .....	.0	-.4	.0	NA	1.1	-.9
Other fuels ²	-.1	1.3	-.2	.2	.0	.0
Gas (piped) and electricity	-3.3	-.6	-1.2	-19.7	-.8	-.2
Electricity	-2.0	.3	-2.9	-.1	-.3	.0
Utility (piped) gas	-5.2	-1.7	.0	-32.1	-1.6	-.6
Household furnishings and operation	-.2	.0	-1.7	-3.8	-.9	-.6
Apparel and upkeep .....	.0	-.8	-.4	.6	-.7	-.9
Apparel commodities	-.1	-1.0	-.6	.7	-.8	-1.2
Men's and boys' apparel .....	.5	-1.5	2.1	3.7	1.7	-.4
Women's and girls' apparel	-.8	-1.5	-2.0	.2	-2.1	.9
Footwear .....	.0	.1	1.3	-2.1	-.6	-5.1
Transportation .....	.6	1.0	1.4	.0	.4	.1
Private transportation .....	.6	1.1	1.5	.0	.4	.0
Motor fuel	-.9	2.7	4.0	-3.0	-1.5	-1.5
Gasoline	-.9	2.6	4.0	-3.0	-1.5	-1.5
Gasoline, leaded regular	-.8	2.6	5.5	-2.4	-1.0	-1.4
Gasoline, unleaded regular	-1.0	2.7	3.8	-3.5	-1.5	-1.6
Gasoline, unleaded premium	-.9	2.5	1.9	-2.6	-1.7	-1.4
Public transportation .....	.7	.3	.3	.6	.5	.5
Medical care .....	.5	.1	.1	1.2	.0	.0
Entertainment .....	.3	.9	1.5	1.1	.5	.4
Other goods and services .....	.1	-.2	.9	-.3	.4	.1
Personal care .....	.1	-.6	3.0	-.5	1.0	.2

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

Group	U.S. city average	Chicago, Ill.-Northwestern Ind.	Detroit, Mich. ¹	Los Angeles-Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif.	New York, N.Y.-Northeastern N.J.	Philadelphia, Pa.-N.J.
	Commodity and service group					
All items	0.1	0.8	0.3	-0.7	-0.1	-0.2
Commodities .....	.1	1.1	.4	-3	-2	-4
Food and beverages .....	.3	1.9	.2	.9	.0	-6
Commodities less food and beverages .....	.1	.5	.4	-1.2	-4	-3
Nondurables less food and beverages	-2	.7	.7	-1.0	-1	-7
Durables .....	.5	.3	.3	-1.5	-9	.2
Services .....	.0	.5	.3	-1.0	.0	.0
Medical care services .....	.6	.0	-.1	1.4	.3	.2
Special indexes:						
All items less shelter .....	.1	.7	.3	-1.0	.0	-2
All items less medical care .....	.0	.8	.3	-.9	-.1	-2
All items less energy .....	.3	.8	.3	.2	-.1	-.1
Energy	-2.0	.9	.8	-11.0	-.7	-.8
Commodities less food .....	.1	.6	.4	-1.1	-.4	-.3
Nondurables less food	-2	.8	.6	-.8	-.2	-.6
Nondurables .....	.1	1.3	.4	.1	.0	-.6
Services less rent of shelter	-.1	.3	.3	-1.9	.2	.1
Services less medical care	-.1	.6	.4	-1.3	.0	.0

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

² Index coverage will be redefined effective January 1987. The current definition will not be published after December 1986.

^{NA} Data not adequate for publication.

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

(1967=100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	U.S. city average		Chicago, Ill.-Northwestern Ind.		Detroit, Mich. ¹		Los Angeles-Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif.		New York, N.Y.-Northeastern N.J.		Philadelphia, Pa.-N.J.	
	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change
Expenditure category												
All items	330.8	0.2	331.3	-0.8	325.3	1.3	333.8	-0.2	327.5	0.3	324.1	-0.5
All items (1957-59=100)	384.7	-	376.4	-	373.8	-	392.6	-	389.8	-	378.5	-
Food and beverages	318.4	.4	308.0	.9	297.8	.8	309.6	1.4	329.2	.6	317.3	-.4
Food	324.6	.4	314.2	.9	301.8	.9	320.7	1.4	341.2	.7	327.5	-.5
Food at home	309.9	.3	306.0	1.2	301.6	.8	311.7	1.4	324.0	.2	305.9	-.8
Cereals and bakery products	328.5	.0	322.9	-.1	342.1	.9	342.8	.1	337.7	1.3	330.8	-.4
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	286.3	.6	296.9	2.2	289.6	1.0	288.8	3.3	293.1	-.7	279.5	-1.4
Meats, poultry, and fish	293.7	.3	307.3	2.0	293.6	1.0	289.5	2.6	288.1	-.9	269.0	-1.4
Dairy products	261.2	1.0	252.6	2.3	244.2	.7	257.6	.5	271.1	.6	248.6	.1
Fruits and vegetables	327.8	-.4	324.6	.2	281.9	.9	306.6	3.5	355.6	.6	320.2	-1.6
Other foods at home	373.9	.1	359.1	.6	371.7	.4	362.7	-.9	402.9	.7	368.5	-.2
Food away from home	365.8	.7	335.5	.4	314.9	1.2	339.2	1.6	393.7	1.7	392.2	.1
Alcoholic beverages	240.5	.0	221.4	.7	272.1	.1	222.6	1.5	230.4	-.7	245.0	.7
Housing	361.7	-.5	372.6	-3.7	359.4	1.3	376.1	-2.1	339.3	-.5	336.9	-1.4
Shelter	410.2	.6	440.7	1.7	409.0	.2	432.6	-.1	370.5	.8	379.4	.7
Renters' costs ²	124.3	.6	125.5	2.3	122.9	.2	131.1	.3	126.6	1.2	132.1	-.9
Rent, residential	265.6	.8	253.9	1.4	266.2	.7	351.9	.3	303.0	1.2	306.1	.7
Other renters' costs	425.5	-.8	443.0	7.3	387.4	-1.8	373.9	.3	457.8	1.1	588.5	-7.5
Homeowners' costs ²	121.5	.7	123.4	1.2	117.9	.3	129.5	-.3	125.8	.7	128.4	1.4
Owners' equivalent rent ²	121.5	.7	122.3	1.1	118.0	.2	129.4	-.3	125.9	.8	128.4	1.3
Fuel and other utilities	371.1	-.4	319.2	-20.6	423.8	7.7	340.6	-12.9	382.4	-.5	368.4	-7.8
Fuels	437.8	-.3	382.1	-28.6	491.1	10.5	434.1	-19.8	450.4	-.6	422.0	-10.3
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas ³	452.0	-.3	489.7	-1.1	527.8	-1.8	166.2	3.4	499.5	1.0	443.6	-1.4
Fuel oil ⁴	434.2	-.6	166.4	-1.4	173.1	-2.0	NA	NA	158.2	1.1	148.3	-2.0
Other fuels ⁵	179.9	.4	143.0	1.3	182.7	-.2	166.2	3.4	198.3	.0	176.1	6.9
Gas (piped) and electricity	426.7	-.7	355.6	-29.0	483.0	12.1	435.4	-19.9	426.6	-.9	408.8	-13.3
Electricity	354.1	-.9	309.5	-41.8	308.3	-7.7	372.7	-1.0	367.5	-11.7	400.9	-17.2
Utility (piped) gas	523.7	-.9	390.0	-2.5	641.3	30.4	522.2	-32.0	529.3	-.9	407.3	-7.0
Household furnishings and operation	251.2	-.1	245.1	-1.0	211.6	-3.0	233.5	-2.1	256.3	-.9	250.8	-.5
Apparel and upkeep	213.1	.5	179.3	-.8	175.7	.1	188.6	.3	193.8	-1.5	187.1	-1.2
Apparel commodities	197.4	.4	181.6	-1.0	159.1	-.1	172.8	.3	170.8	-1.9	170.8	-1.6
Men's and boys' apparel	205.3	1.0	144.2	-1.3	183.0	.7	181.8	2.8	166.9	2.3	179.2	-2.0
Women's and girls' apparel	175.0	-.4	143.9	-1.8	142.3	-.7	128.1	-2.5	152.5	-5.1	112.0	-3.2
Footwear	215.1	1.5	199.5	.9	144.4	3.1	209.0	1.4	202.6	-.6	213.8	8.7
Transportation	304.3	.7	300.3	1.7	308.8	2.7	322.8	.9	335.1	2.0	325.3	1.0
Private transportation	295.8	.7	287.3	2.0	304.6	2.9	321.2	.9	303.2	2.5	319.2	1.0
Motor fuel ⁶	134.2	-.7	134.7	-.4	142.3	-.2	128.1	-7.6	131.5	-2.4	140.9	-3.2
Gasoline ⁶	133.8	-.9	133.5	-.9	141.9	-.2	128.0	-7.7	131.2	-2.4	141.3	-3.2
Gasoline, leaded regular ⁷	143.1	-.9	150.7	-.7	149.3	-1.1	141.2	-6.9	131.9	-1.3	151.4	-2.7
Gasoline, unleaded regular ⁷	147.8	-.4	147.8	-.7	161.1	.1	145.0	-8.7	136.2	-2.6	151.0	-3.9
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁸	69.8	-.3	76.7	-1.3	73.3	-.5	67.9	-7.1	68.2	-2.7	68.9	-2.4
Public transportation	431.7	.7	433.0	.3	412.7	.3	344.8	.7	479.7	.4	408.5	.8
Medical care	444.8	1.1	436.7	.5	473.4	.5	471.8	2.1	453.2	.7	483.3	.2
Entertainment	277.4	.6	296.4	2.2	239.9	-1.3	235.0	1.4	294.9	.4	256.4	-.9
Other goods and services	354.9	.5	355.0	.5	329.5	.9	338.9	.1	372.3	1.1	381.1	.1
Personal care	293.4	.5	278.7	.8	239.1	2.3	287.4	.6	317.9	3.3	290.3	.2

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	U.S. city average		Chicago, Ill.-Northwestern Ind.		Detroit, Mich. ¹		Los Angeles-Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif.		New York, N.Y.-Northeastern N.J.		Philadelphia, Pa.-N.J.	
	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change
Commodity and service group												
All items	330.8	0.2	331.3	-0.8	325.3	1.3	333.8	-0.2	327.5	0.3	324.1	-0.5
Commodities	284.0	.2	284.1	.5	266.2	.2	267.9	.0	282.8	.2	274.5	-.4
Food and beverages	316.4	.4	306.0	.9	297.8	.6	309.6	1.4	329.2	.6	317.3	-.4
Commodities less food and beverages	262.4	.0	264.9	.2	245.8	-.2	244.6	-1.0	247.8	-.2	245.7	-.4
Nondurables less food and beverage	260.0	-.6	249.5	-.2	237.9	-1.0	242.6	-2.3	251.9	-.1	249.9	-1.0
Durables	271.8	.9	280.5	.7	254.0	.7	253.2	.7	244.2	-.2	250.2	.3
Services	406.1	.1	403.7	-1.9	417.6	2.5	432.6	-.4	392.5	.4	407.9	-.6
Medical care services	481.5	1.2	485.0	.5	496.7	.2	504.4	2.3	488.9	1.1	535.7	.2
Special indexes:												
All items less shelter	308.0	.0	295.7	-1.5	299.4	1.6	300.4	-.3	314.2	.1	312.2	-.9
All items less medical care	324.5	.1	325.1	-.9	315.6	1.4	326.4	-.4	321.1	.3	315.5	-.6
All items less energy ⁹	332.3	.7	187.7	1.1	177.0	.7	183.2	.9	175.2	.7	174.2	.3
Energy ⁴	341.7	-5.2	151.7	-16.8	161.4	6.3	154.6	-13.4	148.1	-5.2	162.4	-7.9
Commodities less food	261.2	.0	263.4	.2	247.3	-.2	243.7	-.9	245.9	-.2	244.8	-.4
Nondurables less food	257.4	-.6	246.9	-.2	240.3	-.9	240.2	-2.0	248.0	-.2	248.2	-.9
Nondurables	289.2	-.1	279.6	.4	269.0	.0	277.4	-.3	293.6	.3	286.6	-.7
Services less rent of shelter ²	120.0	-.2	115.9	-4.4	119.6	4.1	124.8	-.8	121.8	-.1	125.8	-1.6
Services less medical care	395.4	.0	390.4	-2.2	397.2	2.8	422.1	-.7	381.2	.3	388.6	-.7

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

² Indexes on a December 1982=100 base.

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

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

⁵ Indexes on a June 1978=100 base.

⁶ Index coverage will be redefined effective January 1987. The current definition will not be published after December 1986.

⁷ Indexes on a January 1976=100 base.

⁸ Indexes on an August 1981=100 base.

⁹ Indexes on a December 1977=100 base, except U.S. city average.

^{NA} Data not adequate for publication.

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

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Area pricing schedule 1 ¹													
	Anchorage, Alaska _{2,3}		Baltimore, Md.		Boston, Mass.		Cincinnati, Ohio-Ky.-Ind. ₃		Denver-Boulder, Colo. ₃		Miami, Fla. ₄		Milwaukee, Wis. ₃	
	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change
	Expenditure category													
All items	287.8	0.6	333.4	-0.2	329.3	0.3	335.5	0.8	361.2	-0.5	175.8	0.9	330.7	-0.7
All items (1957-59=100) ⁵	314.4	-	367.1	-	394.6	-	380.8	-	384.7	-	-	-	373.4	-
Food and beverages	325.9	.0	323.7	.1	308.6	-.7	329.2	.3	290.8	-.4	169.0	1.6	305.5	1.0
Food	298.7	-.2	330.3	.1	316.0	-.9	338.9	.3	297.8	-.3	170.0	1.6	318.3	1.0
Food at home	288.4	-.5	310.4	-.5	294.1	-1.5	334.9	.1	292.3	-.6	162.5	.3	302.5	.8
Cereals and bakery products	283.0	-1.8	336.2	-1.9	321.1	-.9	395.3	.9	311.4	1.2	167.8	-.2	344.3	.6
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	268.9	-2.8	278.6	.4	284.9	-2.4	290.5	-.1	267.2	.8	161.5	.6	295.4	.2
Meats, poultry, and fish	271.3	-3.3	287.3	.3	291.5	-2.4	297.3	-.5	271.7	.5	164.0	.4	302.2	.0
Dairy products	256.1	.7	258.3	-.7	235.4	.3	269.4	4.0	274.7	.9	153.8	.5	267.9	2.6
Fruits and vegetables	288.5	2.8	353.6	-1.0	309.8	-4.1	343.6	-3.0	283.5	-1.3	173.4	-2.1	291.7	1.9
Other foods at home	352.7	.0	375.3	-.6	344.8	.3	425.4	-.2	356.7	-2.9	159.9	1.8	336.6	.0
Food away from home	326.4	.3	380.9	1.2	362.7	.1	338.3	.5	316.3	.3	185.1	4.1	364.1	1.7
Alcoholic beverages	273.5	2.0	270.6	.3	248.3	1.4	252.2	.6	258.5	-.7	150.5	-.3	216.3	-.6
Housing	264.1	-.2	369.1	-1.0	348.4	1.0	365.4	1.7	439.1	-.5	177.7	.3	368.1	-3.1
Shelter	234.8	-.2	440.1	.5	394.8	1.5	418.2	.0	531.5	-.6	185.8	-.4	434.3	.3
Renters' costs ⁶	103.0	-2.2	125.1	.4	128.8	.5	119.3	.0	113.3	-.8	108.6	-.2	121.4	.7
Rent, residential	224.4	-2.0	270.3	.3	332.0	.4	234.5	.9	264.8	-.7	164.0	-.3	258.0	.7
Other renters' costs	339.5	-.3	320.3	1.1	373.3	2.2	321.7	-5.3	436.2	-1.4	206.7	.9	373.6	-.3
Homeowners' costs ⁶	102.0	1.0	124.7	.6	131.6	2.2	114.3	.0	111.8	-.5	109.6	-.5	120.6	.2
Owners' equivalent rent ⁶	101.9	1.0	125.3	.6	132.8	2.2	114.6	.0	111.3	-.6	109.2	-.5	120.7	.2
Fuel and other utilities	285.5	-.3	336.4	-.5	333.4	-.6	397.1	7.8	359.2	-1.8	172.9	1.9	349.8	-15.2
Fuels ⁷	376.4	-.1	385.5	-.7	376.0	-.7	466.4	-3.9	502.9	-2.5	195.2	2.0	449.3	-5.1
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas ⁸	368.4	-7.0	452.1	-1.1	433.6	1.5	139.6	-1.1	138.3	.9	172.3	-1.9	491.0	-.8
Fuel oil ⁹	156.7	-8.2	150.2	-.9	149.0	1.5	142.0	-1.1	117.7	.0	98.1	-24.0	155.9	-.8
Other fuels ^{9,10}	181.7	.0	145.1	-3.0	229.4	.0	131.8	-1.1	142.5	1.1	186.0	1.0	166.7	.0
Gas (piped) and electricity ⁷	276.6	1.3	359.7	-10.6	320.8	-2.4	461.5	-4.3	511.1	-2.6	195.7	2.1	431.1	-6.0
Electricity ¹¹	224.1	2.3	295.8	-15.5	301.7	-4.0	299.0	-6.2	204.8	-2.5	199.4	2.0	331.9	-4.3
Utility (piped) gas ¹¹	194.1	.0	482.7	.5	339.4	.7	631.7	2.7	250.1	-2.7	144.1	4.4	535.7	-7.4
Household furnishings and operation	331.1	.0	261.0	-.1	254.4	.8	242.8	.1	252.8	.8	150.0	1.0	244.1	1.4
Apparel and upkeep	219.9	.4	237.8	.3	233.4	-2.4	243.2	-1.7	196.8	-1.6	147.7	1.7	229.2	-.3
Apparel commodities	199.3	.5	214.5	-.2	217.4	-2.9	229.8	-2.2	166.3	-1.8	135.6	1.5	224.1	-.5
Men's and boys' apparel	164.6	-.9	237.8	2.6	201.2	-2.4	196.3	1.4	228.1	-1.4	143.1	-.4	213.5	-.5
Women's and girls' apparel	196.1	2.3	177.1	-4.4	203.5	-6.0	233.0	-6.5	142.3	-1.0	127.2	3.6	201.1	-3.9
Footwear	231.3	-1.1	244.9	-2.0	248.8	-.6	236.1	2.2	199.8	1.4	132.3	4.6	325.8	10.3
Transportation	295.3	2.9	300.1	.3	326.7	.7	275.2	.7	304.2	-.6	176.4	.9	300.0	1.6
Private transportation	289.2	3.2	295.9	.3	327.8	.6	276.0	.8	300.0	.0	171.3	.9	291.8	1.6
Motor fuel ⁹	135.9	-3.3	146.5	-4.1	133.6	.1	136.3	-3.0	140.4	-4.7	150.4	-2.4	139.9	-4.5
Gasoline ⁹	135.2	-3.4	146.2	-4.3	132.9	.1	136.1	-3.0	137.4	-5.0	149.9	-2.4	139.4	-4.6
Gasoline, leaded regular ¹²	131.4	-3.7	153.7	-5.0	137.9	.6	144.6	-3.2	136.2	-5.4	152.6	-2.4	155.4	-4.1
Gasoline, unleaded regular ¹²	134.3	-3.1	154.7	-4.4	149.2	-.3	150.0	-3.0	136.2	-4.6	150.2	-2.4	154.9	-4.7
Gasoline, unleaded premium ¹³	75.1	-5.5	71.9	-3.5	69.6	.3	74.0	-2.4	72.5	-4.7	71.2	-2.5	70.5	-4.6
Public transportation	338.5	1.3	371.6	.7	347.2	1.6	389.7	-.5	377.4	-7.3	247.8	.7	459.6	2.9
Medical care	496.4	.3	414.2	-.2	443.7	-.2	446.2	.2	424.0	-.5	209.1	.8	406.4	1.4
Entertainment	296.3	.3	278.1	.9	287.6	1.6	241.9	.0	294.7	-1.0	142.8	4.1	280.4	-.7
Other goods and services	319.0	.1	343.3	.9	389.0	.8	355.9	.2	386.5	1.6	203.8	.1	335.9	.2
Personal care	279.4	-.1	290.5	.3	291.6	4.0	274.7	-.9	324.1	-.3	173.7	-1.0	289.9	.5

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

(1967=100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Area pricing schedule 1 ¹													
	Anchorage, Alaska _{2 3}		Baltimore, Md.		Boston, Mass.		Cincinnati, Ohio-Ky.-Ind. ₃		Denver-Boulder, Colo. ₃		Miami, Fla. ₄		Milwaukee, Wis. ₃	
	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change
	Commodity and service group													
All items	287.8	0.6	333.4	-0.2	329.3	0.3	335.5	0.8	361.2	-0.5	175.8	0.9	330.7	-0.7
Commodities	274.7	.3	297.0	-1	285.2	.0	297.0	-1	293.6	-4	160.6	1.1	289.2	.5
Food and beverages	325.9	.0	323.7	.1	308.6	-.7	329.2	.3	290.8	-4	169.0	1.6	305.5	1.0
Commodities less food and beverages	240.3	.5	276.5	-2	264.5	.6	269.5	-3	289.2	-4	155.2	.7	275.9	.2
Nondurables less food and beverage	245.7	-.5	273.2	-7	279.3	.1	273.2	-1.0	260.4	-1.1	151.6	-.1	274.2	-.3
Durables	236.1	1.7	294.0	.6	250.5	1.4	276.6	.6	320.6	.5	165.7	1.7	273.5	.8
Services	320.4	.6	392.1	-3	397.4	.7	400.1	1.7	470.1	-6	194.4	.7	400.6	-1.9
Medical care services	553.5	.3	446.3	.0	487.1	-.5	463.0	-.1	457.7	-9	216.5	.9	439.5	1.4
Special indexes:														
All items less shelter	317.6	.8	308.5	-4	311.5	.0	309.6	.9	302.2	-4	171.0	1.2	299.6	-.9
All items less medical care	285.5	.6	329.3	-2	323.7	.4	328.7	.8	356.6	-5	173.8	.9	326.7	-.8
All items less energy ¹⁴	160.9	.6	173.6	.5	179.1	.4	178.2	1.2	189.8	-2	176.6	1.0	184.7	-.1
Energy ⁹	161.0	-1.7	138.6	-6.3	152.9	-.5	155.9	-3.5	174.5	-3.5	170.9	-.1	168.6	-4.9
Commodities less food	243.7	.6	276.2	-2	263.3	.6	269.5	-3	287.1	-4	155.1	.6	272.4	.2
Nondurables less food	249.5	-.2	272.7	-6	275.2	.2	271.2	-.9	258.9	-1.0	151.5	-.1	266.4	-.3
Nondurables	287.6	-.2	299.2	-3	295.0	-.4	305.4	-.3	276.4	-7	161.0	.9	290.8	.4
Services less rent of shelter ⁶	129.6	1.6	124.8	-9	123.3	-.1	117.3	2.9	119.0	-4	120.9	1.6	108.0	-3.8
Services less medical care	301.2	.9	384.1	-3	387.9	.8	385.7	2.0	468.5	-5	191.8	.7	394.0	-2.2

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

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Area pricing schedule 1 ¹											
	Northeast Pennsylvania ¹⁵		Portland, Oreg.-Wash. ³		St. Louis, Mo.-Ill.		San Diego, Calif. ³		Seattle- Everett, Wash. ³		Washington, D.C.-Md.-Va.	
	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change
	Expenditure category											
All items	313.5	0.7	318.0	0.0	323.8	-0.6	387.5	0.4	325.9	-0.1	334.0	0.5
All items (1957-59=100) ¹⁶	369.9	-	375.9	-	378.2	-	407.3	-	382.9	-	389.1	-
Food and beverages	303.9	.2	312.3	.7	319.4	.2	334.8	2.4	301.1	.4	323.9	-1.2
Food	313.9	.0	320.9	.6	325.8	.4	349.8	2.4	310.5	.4	327.5	-1.2
Food at home	300.8	.0	299.9	.7	316.1	.6	309.7	1.9	293.9	.1	325.1	-2.2
Cereals and bakery products	306.4	.8	339.2	1.3	352.6	.1	339.7	2.1	307.5	-2.1	339.7	-2.6
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs ¹⁷	295.2	.6	282.4	.7	260.9	-9	296.1	.8	267.4	.2	296.2	.2
Meats, poultry, and fish	300.4	.4	287.5	.4	266.7	-1.1	297.0	-3	275.4	-3	308.2	.8
Dairy products	240.8	.8	227.5	.4	296.9	.0	247.3	.4	252.7	.7	249.9	-1.3
Fruits and vegetables	308.1	-2.6	314.9	1.6	368.1	3.8	313.1	2.1	259.6	1.1	360.9	-5.7
Other foods at home ¹⁷	366.3	.4	378.8	-1	360.7	1.3	372.2	3.8	393.4	.0	405.7	-3.1
Food away from home	353.4	.0	370.7	.5	350.5	.0	444.8	3.0	350.0	.9	337.2	.9
Alcoholic beverages	228.5	2.5	237.1	2.3	249.9	-4.1	210.4	2.1	241.2	.8	285.3	-9
Housing	335.0	1.4	324.9	.2	354.1	-3.6	496.7	.3	364.2	-2	358.1	1.4
Shelter	383.9	3.1	372.8	.4	416.8	-1.0	643.8	1.2	416.4	-4	385.6	.8
Renters' costs ⁸	122.5	4.0	115.1	.8	121.9	.2	141.0	1.2	118.3	.0	127.7	.2
Rent, residential	293.5	4.5	255.0	.7	239.8	.3	383.2	1.2	280.9	.1	308.2	.2
Other renters' costs	441.8	.3	387.0	.4	377.2	-7	412.3	.6	477.7	.0	442.3	.0
Homeowners' costs ⁸	120.7	3.3	113.5	.3	120.2	-1.6	142.0	1.3	113.6	-6	120.8	1.0
Owners' equivalent rent ⁸	121.1	3.4	113.4	.3	120.8	-1.5	142.6	1.2	113.1	-6	120.9	1.0
Fuel and other utilities	464.3	-8	384.4	-1	323.0	-12.2	337.3	-4.1	355.1	.7	351.6	-2.9
Fuels	448.7	-1.1	375.3	-6	385.4	-15.7	422.4	-6.6	461.6	.9	437.2	-4.5
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas ¹⁸	504.8	.1	413.3	-2.4	438.9	-5.0	218.6	2.0	409.9	1.9	558.3	.6
Fuel oil ⁹	149.7	-5	138.8	-2.3	160.6	-9.8	192.4	-5	148.6	2.1	149.1	.9
Other fuels ^{9, 10}	167.2	.7	NA	NA	140.8	.7	222.3	2.3	173.4	.0	309.2	.0
Gas (piped) and electricity	289.5	-2.1	332.2	.2	365.4	-16.9	443.6	-6.8	444.1	.5	413.4	-5.6
Electricity ¹⁰	190.7	.0	186.8	.0	306.0	-24.7	458.8	.0	459.2	2.3	305.6	-10.2
Utility (piped) gas ¹⁹	152.8	-5.7	172.5	1.0	419.6	-3.2	415.1	-18.4	386.9	-7.5	516.3	-5
Household furnishings and operation	228.6	.0	225.7	-2	249.7	-1	232.1	.0	256.1	-3	286.6	8.8
Apparel and upkeep	209.1	-5	200.5	-5	202.4	1.3	216.8	-7	208.0	.3	237.0	-2
Apparel commodities	205.0	-6	192.9	-9	169.6	1.2	201.7	-8	193.9	-3	211.3	-4
Men's and boys' apparel	216.2	-5	220.8	.0	180.4	2.9	195.9	-1.4	201.9	1.4	220.7	.0
Women's and girls' apparel	178.5	-2.0	162.3	-4.2	161.6	-1.3	164.3	-1.2	153.0	-3.3	185.8	-1.6
Footwear	242.5	2.3	219.3	1.4	166.5	8.3	220.3	-3.4	206.1	.1	233.7	1.3
Transportation	286.8	1.0	307.9	-1.7	282.8	2.1	308.7	-1.1	282.5	-7	300.7	.2
Private transportation	294.9	1.0	313.9	-1.8	286.0	2.4	303.8	-1.4	281.2	-7	288.9	.2
Motor fuel ⁹	132.1	-8	133.6	-8.8	129.6	-2.0	130.7	-9.0	130.7	-10.1	142.7	-3.6
Gasoline ⁹	132.0	-8	133.5	-8.9	129.4	-2.0	130.4	-9.2	130.2	-10.2	142.5	-3.7
Gasoline, leaded regular ²⁰	131.9	-8	129.9	-8.5	135.9	-1.9	135.6	-9.7	152.3	-10.1	148.8	-4.6
Gasoline, unleaded regular ²⁰	127.9	-1.1	131.2	-9.6	141.6	-2.3	147.9	-9.3	151.5	-10.7	151.2	-3.8
Gasoline, unleaded premium ¹⁹	69.9	.3	67.1	-7.7	75.2	-1.6	71.3	-7.9	65.8	-8.6	75.1	-3.0
Public transportation	275.5	.7	365.0	.5	270.3	-3.8	383.7	3.3	327.4	-2	430.6	.1
Medical care	480.2	-1	436.9	1.2	411.0	.6	410.0	1.3	410.9	-3	461.0	.8
Entertainment	275.9	.0	263.4	1.9	266.9	1.4	269.6	-2	270.0	1.0	267.5	-7
Other goods and services	341.0	.7	375.8	.4	353.2	1.4	331.3	.6	361.0	.1	356.8	1.7
Personal care	296.4	-7	294.3	-8	300.1	2.7	295.1	.0	310.8	-3.2	275.6	.7

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

(1987=100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Area pricing schedule 1 ¹											
	Northeast Pennsylvania ⁴		Portland, Oreg.-Wash. ⁵		St. Louis, Mo.-Ill.		San Diego, Calif. ⁶		Seattle-Everett, Wash. ⁷		Washington, D.C.-Md.-Va.	
	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change
	Commodity and service group											
All items	313.5	0.7	318.0	0.0	323.8	-0.6	387.5	0.4	325.9	-0.1	334.0	0.8
Commodities	286.4	.3	279.8	-.3	288.3	.6	307.4	.4	277.3	-.6	287.0	.6
Food and beverages	303.9	.2	312.3	.7	319.4	.2	334.8	2.4	301.1	.4	323.9	-1.2
Commodities less food and beverages	273.7	.3	261.1	-1.0	283.6	.8	267.4	-.9	282.2	-1.4	282.1	1.7
Nondurables less food and beverage	271.4	-.3	260.3	-2.4	248.0	.0	299.7	-2.2	263.4	-2.8	265.9	-1.2
Durables	277.8	1.3	275.5	.8	281.9	1.7	321.2	.8	272.7	.4	286.1	5.8
Services	366.8	1.3	377.9	.4	385.2	-1.9	512.0	.4	405.8	.5	399.2	.5
Medical care services	543.2	-.1	469.8	1.3	442.6	.2	496.2	.9	440.6	-.2	500.7	.5
Special indexes:												
All items less shelter	300.0	.2	303.9	-.1	298.8	-.5	304.9	.1	297.9	.0	315.1	.4
All items less medical care	304.8	.8	311.1	-.1	318.5	-.7	388.8	.4	320.9	-.1	327.4	.8
All items less energy ¹⁴	179.8	.9	171.9	.5	190.1	.7	212.8	1.1	190.8	.8	180.4	1.0
Energy ¹⁵	189.0	-1.0	180.3	-4.5	148.0	-10.9	181.2	-7.8	182.5	-4.8	154.9	-4.0
Commodities less food	270.4	.4	259.9	-.8	289.7	.8	284.0	-.8	280.7	-1.2	289.8	1.8
Nondurables less food	265.9	-.2	257.7	-2.0	248.2	-.2	284.4	-1.9	289.9	-2.9	287.8	-1.2
Nondurables	288.3	-.1	286.2	-.8	286.6	.1	298.2	.4	288.0	-1.2	285.9	-1.2
Services less rent of shelter ¹⁶	121.5	.0	124.8	.4	118.1	-2.4	121.8	-.5	117.8	1.8	125.7	.2
Services less medical care	941.7	1.6	988.4	.2	974.6	-2.1	516.2	.4	699.9	.8	986.4	.8

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

² Indexes on a October 1987=100 base unless otherwise indicated.

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

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

⁵ The 1987-88=100 base is not available for Anchorage, Alaska and Denver-Boulder, Colo.; index for Anchorage, Alaska is on a May-October 1980=100 base; index for Denver-Boulder, Colo. is on a January 1984=100 base.

⁶ Indexes on a November 1982=100 base.

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

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

⁹ Indexes on a June 1978=100 base.

¹⁰ Index coverage will be redefined effective January 1987. The current definition will not be published after December 1986.

¹¹ Indexes on a June 1978=100 base in Anchorage, Alaska; Denver-Boulder, Col.; and Miami, Fla.

¹² Indexes on a June 1978=100 base in Anchorage, Alaska; Denver-Boulder, Col.; and Miami, Fla. Indexes on a January 1976=100 base in Baltimore, Md.; Boston, Mass.; Cincinnati, Ohio-Ky.-Ind.; and Milwaukee, Wis.

¹³ Indexes on an August 1981=100 base.

¹⁴ Indexes are on the bases listed below:

Anchorage, Alaska.....January 1978=100.
 Baltimore, Md.....March 1978=100.
 Boston, Mass.....January 1978=100.
 Cincinnati, Ohio-Ky.-Ind.....March 1978=100.
 Denver-Boulder, Colo.....January 1978=100.
 Miami, Fla.....November 1977=100.
 Milwaukee, Wis.....November 1977=100.
 Northeastern Pennsylvania.....November 1977=100.
 Portland, Oreg.-Wash.....January 1978=100.
 St. Louis, Mo.-Ill.....March 1978=100.
 San Diego, Calif.....November 1977=100.
 Seattle-Everett, Wash.....November 1977=100.
 Washington, D.C.-Md.-Va.....November 1977=100.

¹⁵ Data for Northeast, Pa. will no longer be published after December 1986.

¹⁶ The 1987-88=100 base is not available for San Diego, Calif.; index is on a February 1985=100 base.

¹⁷ Index is on an April 1987=100 base in Northeastern Pennsylvania and Portland, Oreg.-Wash.

¹⁸ Index on a June 1978=100 base in San Diego, Calif.

¹⁹ Indexes on a June 1978=100 base in Northeast, Pa.; and Portland, Oreg.-Wash.

²⁰ Indexes on a June 1978=100 base in Northeast, Pa.; and Portland, Oreg.-Wash. Indexes on a January 1976=100 base in St. Louis, Mo.-Ill.; San Diego, Calif.; Seattle-Everett, Wash.; and Washington, D.C.-Md.-Va.

²¹ Data not adequate for publication.

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

(1967=100, unless otherwise noted)

Area, region, and population size class	Pricing schedule ¹	Other index base	Indexes				Percent change to Nov. 1986 from—			Percent change to Oct. 1986 from—		
			Aug. 1986	Sept. 1986	Oct. 1986	Nov. 1986	Nov. 1985	Sept. 1986	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986	Sept. 1986
Area ²												
U.S. city average			323.4	324.9	325.0	325.4	0.9	0.2	0.1	1.2	0.5	0.0
Chicago, Ill.-Northwestern Ind.	M		316.2	318.3	313.4	318.1	1.7	-.7	.9	1.5	-.9	-1.5
Detroit, Mich. ⁵	M		312.8	310.5	313.6	314.7	.5	1.4	.4	1.3	.3	1.0
L.A.-Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif.	M		323.5	326.8	328.3	326.3	2.3	-.2	-.6	2.6	1.5	.5
N.Y., N.Y.-Northeastern N.J.	M		317.2	317.5	318.7	318.6	2.0	.3	.0	2.6	.5	.4
Philadelphia, Pa.-N.J.	M		324.4	326.7	326.1	325.4	1.2	-.4	-.2	1.8	.5	-.2
Anchorage, Alaska ⁴	1	10/67	-	277.9	-	279.7	-.1	.6	-	-	-	-
Baltimore, Md.	1		-	330.9	-	330.4	1.3	-.2	-	-	-	-
Boston, Mass.	1		-	325.2	-	325.9	.9	.2	-	-	-	-
Cincinnati, Ohio-Ky.-Ind. ⁴	1		-	324.7	-	327.6	.4	.9	-	-	-	-
Denver-Boulder, Colo. ⁴	1		-	357.2	-	355.2	.3	-.6	-	-	-	-
Miami, Fla.	1	11/77	-	174.5	-	176.1	.7	.9	-	-	-	-
Milwaukee, Wis. ⁴	1		-	351.7	-	349.4	-1.1	-.7	-	-	-	-
Northeast Pennsylvania ⁵	1		-	310.2	-	311.9	.7	.5	-	-	-	-
Portland, Oreg.-Wash. ⁴	1		-	306.3	-	306.1	-.4	-.1	-	-	-	-
St. Louis, Mo.-Ill.	1		-	320.7	-	319.0	.2	-.5	-	-	-	-
San Diego, Calif. ⁴	1		-	347.4	-	349.0	2.1	.5	-	-	-	-
Seattle-Everett, Wash. ⁴	1		-	312.3	-	311.7	.3	-.2	-	-	-	-
Washington, D.C.-Md.-Va.	1		-	334.6	-	335.9	1.6	.4	-	-	-	-
Atlanta, Ga. ⁴	2		335.4	-	335.9	-	-	-	-	1.8	.1	-
Buffalo, N.Y. ⁴	2		292.5	-	294.2	-	-	-	-	-.4	.6	-
Cleveland, Ohio ⁶	2		329.9	-	329.3	-	-	-	-	.7	-.2	-
Dallas-Fort Worth, Tex.	2		339.1	-	338.5	-	-	-	-	.3	-.2	-
Honolulu, Hawaii ⁴	2		308.3	-	308.8	-	-	-	-	2.0	.2	-
Houston, Tex.	2		330.5	-	331.7	-	-	-	-	-1.0	.4	-
Kansas City, Mo.-Kans. ⁴	2		311.9	-	311.3	-	-	-	-	-.5	-.2	-
Minneapolis-St.Paul, Minn.-Wis. ⁴	2		334.5	-	334.6	-	-	-	-	-.4	.0	-
Pittsburgh, Pa.	2		309.2	-	310.6	-	-	-	-	.2	.5	-
San Francisco-Oakland, Calif. ⁷	2		339.0	-	341.1	-	-	-	-	3.1	.6	-
Region ⁸												
Northeast	2	12/77	172.2	-	173.5	-	-	-	-	1.9	.8	-
North Central	2	12/77	172.2	-	172.4	-	-	-	-	.6	.1	-
South	2	12/77	175.3	-	176.3	-	-	-	-	.6	.6	-
West	2	12/77	176.4	-	177.8	-	-	-	-	1.7	.8	-
Population size class ⁹												
A-1 ⁹	2	12/77	171.8	-	172.5	-	-	-	-	2.3	.4	-
A-2 ⁹	2	12/77	175.3	-	176.0	-	-	-	-	.8	.4	-
B	2	12/77	173.5	-	175.1	-	-	-	-	.9	.9	-
C	2	12/77	174.6	-	175.7	-	-	-	-	.9	.5	-
D	2	12/77	174.5	-	175.1	-	-	-	-	.1	.3	-

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Area, region, and population size class	Pricing schedule ¹	Other index base	Indexes				Percent change to Nov. 1986 from—			Percent change to Oct. 1986 from—		
			Aug. 1986	Sept. 1986	Oct. 1986	Nov. 1986	Nov. 1985	Sept. 1986	Oct. 1986	Oct. 1985	Aug. 1986	Sept. 1986
Region/population size class cross classification²												
Northeast/A	2	12/77	168.8	-	169.7	-	-	-	-	2.2	0.5	-
North Central/A	2	12/77	175.0	-	174.5	-	-	-	-	.8	-.3	-
South/A	2	12/77	178.1	-	176.9	-	-	-	-	.7	.5	-
West/A	2	12/77	176.9	-	179.0	-	-	-	-	2.5	1.2	-
Northeast/B	2	12/77	171.8	-	174.6	-	-	-	-	1.6	1.6	-
North Central/B	2	12/77	168.1	-	169.5	-	-	-	-	.0	.8	-
South/B	2	12/77	174.6	-	175.7	-	-	-	-	1.0	.6	-
West/B	2	12/77	178.3	-	179.3	-	-	-	-	.5	.6	-
Northeast/C	2	12/77	187.2	-	188.1	-	-	-	-	.9	.5	-
North Central/C	2	12/77	167.7	-	168.7	-	-	-	-	1.1	.6	-
South/C	2	12/77	175.3	-	178.3	-	-	-	-	.3	.6	-
West/C	2	12/77	171.1	-	171.2	-	-	-	-	1.7	.1	-
Northeast/D ⁵	2	12/77	176.2	-	177.2	-	-	-	-	1.1	.6	-
North Central/D	2	12/77	172.4	-	172.7	-	-	-	-	-.2	.2	-
South/D	2	12/77	175.0	-	175.9	-	-	-	-	-.2	.5	-
West/D ⁵	2	12/77	176.3	-	176.7	-	-	-	-	.4	.2	-

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

M - Every month.

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

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

² Area is generally the Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area (SMSA), exclusive of farms. L.A.-Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif. is a combination of two SMSA's, and N.Y., N.Y.-Northeastern N.J. and Chicago, Ill.-Northwestern Ind. are the more extensive Standard Consolidated Areas.

Area definitions are those established by the Office of Management and Budget in 1973, except for Denver-Boulder, Colo. which does not include Douglas County. Definitions do not include revisions made since 1973.

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

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

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

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

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

monthly basis.

⁸ Regions are defined as the four Census regions.

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

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

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

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

C - 75,000 to 385,000.

D - Less than 75,000.

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

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

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

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

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Area, region, population size class	Other index base	Total food at home	Cereals and bakery products	Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs ¹	Dairy products	Fruits and vegetables	Other foods at home ¹
Indexes, November 1986							
Area ²							
U.S. city average		308.4	327.0	285.8	259.9	322.2	373.9
Anchorage, Alaska ³	10/67	282.4	279.1	254.0	248.4	293.0	351.7
Atlanta, Ga. ³		317.6	304.0	278.3	301.1	357.1	382.3
Baltimore, Md.		306.9	333.9	279.1	253.6	348.6	364.3
Boston, Mass.		289.8	315.5 ⁴	283.0	234.5	306.4	332.3
Buffalo, N.Y. ⁵		309.6	300.4	292.2	255.6	334.3	374.3
Chicago, Ill.-Northwestern Ind.		301.4	329.4	283.8	248.5	324.7	359.9
Cincinnati, Ohio-Ky.-Ind. ³		332.7	398.5	290.5	270.5	345.6	414.2
Cleveland, Ohio		308.6	316.6	318.6	250.6	287.7	354.4
Dallas-Fort Worth, Tex.		316.3	319.0	274.6	291.6	341.6	382.6
Denver-Boulder, Colo. ³		294.3	285.6	263.5	273.3	303.3	372.0
Detroit, Mich.		302.8	342.3	289.4	246.0	298.9	366.1
Honolulu, Hawaii ³		351.0	316.9	329.3	309.5	388.1	423.9
Houston, Tex.		325.6	324.8	290.9	305.8	317.9	403.0
Kansas City, Mo.-Kans. ³		306.0	317.7	274.2	282.5	330.6	361.3
L.A.-Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif.		308.1	328.2	286.7	257.9	296.0	384.0
Miami, Fla.	11/77	165.8	171.5	170.4	159.7	175.0	187.0
Milwaukee, Wis. ³		306.7	361.0	303.6	270.2	291.7	344.8
Minneapolis-St. Paul, Minn.-Wis. ³		311.0	355.5	276.6	286.6	314.9	367.8
N.Y., N.Y.-Northeastern N.J.		317.8	337.8	291.2	286.9	331.4	398.5
Northeast Pennsylvania ⁴		301.3	297.2	287.6	239.1	330.7	366.7
Philadelphia, Pa.-N.J.		307.9	331.4	282.9	247.2	320.6	382.4
Pittsburgh, Pa.		296.0	310.1	296.7	296.9	331.8	369.8
Portland, Oreg.-Wash. ³		301.7	341.1	271.6	294.6	329.9	391.0
St. Louis, Mo.-Ill.		317.9	369.6	281.6	299.6	367.6	396.6
San Diego, Calif. ³		319.9	359.4	290.6	299.9	317.2	376.1
San Francisco-Oakland, Calif.		311.9	350.8	297.9	251.7	304.9	382.2
Seattle-Everett, Wash. ³		291.8	309.5	264.2	251.1	260.2	365.6
Washington, D.C.-Md.-Va.		320.9	314.0	299.1	249.6	334.6	400.7
Region ⁵							
Northeast	12/77	158.8	172.5	180.9	142.9	166.5	192.7
North Central	12/77	156.6	175.8	166.9	141.9	169.7	192.9
South	12/77	160.2	167.9	159.9	155.4	171.0	195.2
West	12/77	162.9	177.8	180.9	151.3	169.4	191.7
Population size class ⁶							
A-1 ⁶	12/77	158.7	172.4	159.9	147.1	160.9	184.8
A-2 ⁶	12/77	160.1	173.6	159.2	149.3	169.8	185.9
B	12/77	160.7	175.9	159.7	147.1	175.1	185.9
C	12/77	157.9	171.0	155.6	144.8	167.5	184.3
D	12/77	159.0	171.8	163.0	145.3	167.6	181.7

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1967=100, unless otherwise noted)

Area, region, population size class	Other index base	Total food at home	Cereals and bakery products	Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs ¹	Dairy products	Fruits and vegetables	Other foods at home ¹
Indexes, November 1986							
Region/population size class cross classification ⁵							
Northeast/A	12/77	157.7	170.4	159.6	144.5	162.8	152.2
North Central/A	12/77	158.4	175.3	159.4	145.8	164.9	153.1
South/A	12/77	163.3	169.0	162.3	156.7	171.8	161.0
West/A	12/77	161.5	178.3	157.9	153.6	161.9	161.6
Northeast/B	12/77	161.6	178.5	164.0	138.0	178.4	153.2
North Central/B	12/77	153.3	181.6	152.0	138.4	161.1	148.1
South/B	12/77	160.6	167.5	157.4	155.9	177.0	156.0
West/B	12/77	167.3	180.8	165.9	153.6	180.7	163.6
Northeast/C	12/77	159.7	175.0	163.5	140.8	171.2	151.1
North Central/C	12/77	154.6	172.7	153.5	136.7	163.7	154.0
South/C	12/77	156.6	165.8	151.1	154.6	166.0	155.2
West/C	12/77	161.4	173.8	160.9	145.5	172.9	156.4
Northeast/D ⁴	12/77	161.3	173.8	162.4	143.7	167.2	159.3
North Central/D	12/77	156.0	175.6	157.9	139.5	162.4	151.7
South/D	12/77	159.9	166.8	170.6	153.8	166.8	144.6
West/D ⁴	12/77	160.8	173.5	155.5	141.7	177.6	161.9

See footnotes at end of table.

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

Area, region, population size class	Total food at home	Cereals and bakery products	Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	Dairy products	Fruits and vegetables	Other foods at home
Percent change from October 1986 to November 1986						
Area ²						
U.S. city average	0.2	0.1	0.5	0.5	-0.2	-0.1
Anchorage, Alaska ³ .....	.0	-8	-5	1.7	1.9	-8
Atlanta, Ga. ³	-6	-2.4	.3	2.5	-1.7	-1.4
Baltimore, Md. ....	.7	-1.3	1.6	.4	.9	.7
Boston, Mass.	-1	-1.8	-1.0	.3	3.1	.3
Buffalo, N.Y. ³	-5	-4	-6	.1	-1.0	-5
Chicago, Ill.-Northwestern Ind.	1.5	.9	2.5	.6	3.3	.1
Cincinnati, Ohio-Ky.-Ind. ³ .....	.7	2.1	1.9	-1	2.6	-1.5
Cleveland, Ohio	-2	.4	1.9	-1	-7.6	-1
Dallas-Fort Worth, Tex. ....	.5	.4	3.2	.9	2.2	-2.7
Denver-Boulder, Colo. ³ .....	.4	.6	.9	.7	3.8	-2.0
Detroit, Mich. ....	.0	1.0	-7	1.4	-6	.0
Honolulu, Hawaii ³	-6	1.3	-1.9	.5	2.1	-1.6
Houston, Tex. ....	.5	1.1	-1	.6	1.6	.2
Kansas City, Mo.-Kans. ³ .....	.9	-5	1.4	.9	2.2	.5
L.A.-Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif. ....	.8	-8	2.0	.6	3.3	-1.1
Miami, Fla.	-5	-8	-3	.5	-3.7	.8
Milwaukee, Wis. ³ .....	.6	.4	.8	1.0	-1.2	.9
Minneapolis-St. Paul, Minn.-Wis. ³	1.2	-1.0	1.1	-3	6.9	1.0
N.Y., N.Y.-Northeastern N.J.	-2	.2	.0	.1	-8	-3
Northeast Pennsylvania ⁴	-4	-7	.8	1.7	-5.9	1.3
Philadelphia, Pa.-N.J.	-1.1	-2	-1.3	1.0	-4.4	-2
Pittsburgh, Pa.	1.4	-4	.2	2.9	6.0	.8
Portland, Oreg.-Wash. ³	1.0	1.8	-4	.0	2.4	1.9
St. Louis, Mo.-Ill.	-4	-1.0	-5	-1.7	.2	.1
San Diego, Calif. ³	1.6	2.9	2.0	1.5	5.2	-1.0
San Francisco-Oakland, Calif.	-3	1.1	1.2	.4	-6.4	.8
Seattle-Everett, Wash. ³ .....	.7	-1.5	.8	1.3	1.6	.8
Washington, D.C.-Md.-Va.	-8	1.3	.2	-8	-2.8	-1.8
Region ⁵						
Northeast	-1	.1	-1	.4	-7	-2
North Central .....	.6	.6	.9	.6	.7	.1
South	-2	-4	.2	.5	-1.2	-4
West .....	.6	-1	1.4	.4	.8	.1
Population size class ⁶						
A-1 ⁶ .....	.2	.2	.4	.5	.1	-3
A-2 ⁶ .....	.2	-1	.6	.5	.1	-1
B .....	.1	-1	.4	.5	-2	-1
C .....	.0	-3	.5	.6	-4	-3
D .....	.3	1.0	.4	.6	-1.2	.4

See footnotes at end of table.

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

Area, region, population size class	Total food at home	Cereals and bakery products	Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	Dairy products	Fruits and vegetables	Other foods at home
	Percent change from October 1986 to November 1986					
Region/population size class cross classification ⁵						
Northeast/A	-0.2	-0.1	-0.3	0.5	-0.7	-0.1
North Central/A .....	.7	.5	1.2	.4	1.0	.1
South/A .....	.0	-.1	.8	.6	-.4	-.9
West/A .....	.6	-.2	1.7	.7	.9	-.5
Northeast/B	-.4	-.4	.1	.6	-1.7	-1.0
North Central/B	1.1	1.1	1.4	.9	2.4	.4
South/B	-.6	-.7	-.4	.5	-2.2	-.6
West/B	1.1	.1	1.2	.0	2.9	1.1
Northeast/C .....	.5	.3	1.1	-.3	1.7	-.5
North Central/C	-.3	.1	.3	.5	-1.7	-.6
South/C	-.3	-1.5	-.4	1.0	-.7	.2
West/C .....	.4	.7	1.6	.6	-.5	-.4
Northeast/D ⁴ .....	.3	2.1	.1	.6	-2.8	1.5
North Central/D .....	.8	1.0	.3	1.7	1.7	.3
South/D .....	.1	1.1	.9	-.2	-1.6	-.3
West/D ⁴	-.5	-.6	-.7	-.1	-3.5	1.3

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Group	U.S. city average	Chicago, Ill.-Northwestern Ind.	Detroit, Mich. ¹	Los Angeles-Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif.	New York, N.Y.-Northeastern N.J.	Philadelphia, Pa.-N.J.	Expenditure category						
All items	0.1	0.9	0.4	-0.6	0.0	-0.2							
Food and beverages .....	.3	1.9	.1	.9	.1	-6						
Food .....	.3	1.9	.2	.9	.1	-7						
Food at home .....	.2	1.5	.0	.8	-2	-1.1						
Cereals and bakery products .....	.1	.9	1.0	-.8	.2	-.2						
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs .....	.5	2.5	-.7	2.0	.0	-1.3						
Meats, poultry, and fish .....	.3	2.3	-.8	1.3	-2	-1.4						
Dairy products .....	.5	.6	1.4	.6	.1	1.0						
Fruits and vegetables	-.2	3.3	-.6	3.3	-.8	-4.4							
Other foods at home	-.1	.1	.0	-1.1	-.3	-.2							
Food away from home .....	.5	2.8	.5	1.2	.6	.1						
Alcoholic beverages .....	.0	1.4	.2	.9	-.3	.1						
Housing	-.4	.6	-.3	-2.4	-.4	-.1							
Shelter .....	.2	1.0	.3	-.1	-.3	.1						
Renters' costs .....	.3	1.1	.4	-.1	-.2	-.9						
Rent, residential .....	.4	.9	.3	-.1	-.2	.4						
Other renters' costs	-.4	2.6	.0	.4	-.4	-7.3							
Homeowners' costs .....	.2	.9	.4	-.1	-.2	.4						
Owners' equivalent rent .....	.2	.8	.4	-.1	-.2	.5						
Fuel and other utilities	-2.1	-.4	-.8	-12.3	-.2	-.3							
Fuels	-2.7	-.5	-1.0	-19.0	-.3	-.4							
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas .....	.0	-.1	.0	.2	1.0	-.8						
Fuel oil .....	.0	-.4	.0	NA	1.1	-.9						
Other fuels ² .....	.0	1.4	-.3	.2	.0	.0						
Gas (piped) and electricity	-3.3	-.6	-1.1	-19.2	-.8	-.3							
Electricity	-2.1	.3	-2.9	-.1	-.3	.0							
Utility (piped) gas	-4.9	-1.7	.0	-32.1	-1.6	-.6							
Household furnishings and operation	-.1	.2	-1.5	-3.7	-1.2	-.5							
Apparel and upkeep	-.2	-.6	-1.4	.5	-.3	-.7							
Apparel commodities	-.3	-.9	-1.8	.6	-.3	-1.1							
Men's and boys' apparel .....	.5	-1.3	1.4	3.6	2.3	-.3						
Women's and girls' apparel	-1.1	-1.0	-3.1	.1	-1.7	.5							
Footwear .....	.1	.1	1.6	-2.1	-.6	-3.9						
Transportation .....	.6	1.1	1.4	.2	.4	.0						
Private transportation .....	.6	1.3	1.5	.2	.3	.0						
Motor fuel	-.7	2.8	4.0	-3.0	-1.5	-1.5							
Gasoline	-.8	2.7	4.0	-3.0	-1.4	-1.6							
Gasoline, leaded regular	-.7	2.6	5.5	-2.4	-1.0	-1.5							
Gasoline, unleaded regular	-.8	2.8	3.8	-3.4	-1.5	-1.5							
Gasoline, unleaded premium	-.7	2.6	2.1	-2.6	-1.7	-1.3							
Public transportation .....	.5	.3	.3	.6	.4	.3						
Medical care .....	.5	.1	.1	1.0	-.1	-.1						
Entertainment .....	.4	.9	1.3	1.1	.9	.5						
Other goods and services .....	.1	-.2	1.0	-.3	.4	.1						
Personal care .....	.1	-.5	3.3	-.5	1.0	.2						

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 1986 to November 1986—Continued

Group	U.S. city average	Chicago, Ill.-Northwestern Ind.	Detroit, Mich. ¹	Los Angeles-Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif.	New York, N.Y.-Northeastern N.J.	Philadelphia, Pa.-N.J.
	Commodity and service group					
All Items	0.1	0.9	0.4	-0.6	0.0	-0.2
Commodities .....	.2	1.2	.4	-2	-.1	-.5
Food and beverages .....	.3	1.9	.1	.9	.1	-.6
Commodities less food and beverages .....	.2	.7	.5	-1.1	-.3	-.3
Nondurables less food and beverages	-.2	1.0	.6	-1.0	.0	-.7
Durables .....	.5	.3	.4	-1.1	-.7	.3
Services .....	.0	.5	.3	-1.0	.0	.1
Medical care services .....	.5	.0	.0	1.2	.3	.1
Special indexes:						
All items less shelter .....	.1	.9	.3	-.8	.0	-.3
All items less medical care .....	.1	.9	.4	-.7	.0	-.2
All items less energy .....	.3	.9	.2	.2	.0	-.1
Energy	-1.8	1.1	1.0	-10.1	-.7	-.9
Commodities less food .....	.1	.7	.5	-1.0	-.3	-.3
Nondurables less food	-.2	1.0	.5	-.9	.0	-.7
Nondurables .....	.1	1.5	.3	.1	.0	-.7
Services less rent of shelter	-.1	.3	.3	-1.8	.3	.1
Services less medical care	-.1	.6	.4	-1.2	.0	.1

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

² Index coverage will be redefined effective January 1987. The current definition will not be published after December 1986.

^{NA} Data not adequate for publication.

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

(1967=100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	U.S. city average		Chicago, Ill.-Northwestern Ind.		Detroit, Mich. ¹		Los Angeles-Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif.		New York, N.Y.-Northeastern N.J.		Philadelphia, Pa.-N.J.	
	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change
Expenditure category												
All items	325.4	0.2	316.1	-0.7	314.7	1.4	326.3	-0.2	318.6	0.3	325.4	-0.4
All items (1957-59=100)	378.4	-	359.1	-	361.6	-	383.7	-	379.1	-	380.0	-
Food and beverages	316.2	.4	301.9	.9	299.8	.9	314.7	1.5	324.8	.6	326.4	-.5
Food	324.2	.4	308.7	.9	304.0	1.0	325.9	1.4	336.2	.7	336.8	-.6
Food at home	308.4	.3	301.4	1.2	302.8	.9	308.1	1.3	317.8	.3	307.9	-.9
Cereals and bakery products	327.0	.1	329.4	-.1	342.3	.9	328.2	.1	337.8	1.4	331.4	-.4
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	285.8	.6	283.8	2.3	289.4	1.5	286.7	3.2	291.2	-.6	282.9	-1.5
Meats, poultry, and fish	293.1	.4	294.7	2.0	292.9	1.5	288.0	2.4	295.7	-.7	291.5	-1.4
Dairy products	259.9	1.1	248.5	2.4	246.0	.7	257.9	.4	268.3	.6	247.2	.1
Fruits and vegetables	322.2	-.6	324.7	.0	298.8	.5	296.0	3.8	331.4	.3	320.6	-2.0
Other foods at home	373.9	.1	359.9	.6	366.1	.4	384.0	-.9	395.5	.7	392.4	-.2
Food away from home	369.2	.7	327.9	.3	319.4	1.2	362.0	1.6	384.8	1.6	426.1	.0
Alcoholic beverages	243.4	.0	234.7	.8	273.2	.1	226.2	1.4	232.9	-.9	252.6	.6
Housing	354.3	-.6	336.8	-4.1	342.6	1.4	363.3	-2.2	324.4	-.6	344.8	-1.3
Shelter	397.8	.7	386.7	1.7	366.1	.2	412.0	-.1	347.9	.8	397.3	.8
Renters' costs ²	111.7	.7	112.1	2.2	113.7	.4	115.1	.3	113.2	1.3	116.9	-.7
Rent, residential	284.6	.9	253.9	1.4	266.2	.7	351.9	.3	303.0	1.2	306.1	.7
Other renters' costs	424.8	-1.0	472.8	6.6	355.5	-2.5	358.4	.4	449.0	1.1	587.2	-6.8
Homeowners' costs ²	110.7	.6	110.1	1.2	112.9	.2	115.3	-.3	112.1	.7	114.1	1.4
Owners' equivalent rent ²	110.7	.6	109.4	1.1	113.0	.2	115.1	-.3	112.2	.6	114.2	1.4
Fuel and other utilities	371.3	-4.6	320.0	-20.9	426.3	7.8	339.0	-12.5	362.0	-5.0	368.2	-7.6
Fuels	437.1	-6.4	382.2	-26.5	493.7	10.8	430.6	-19.2	449.8	-6.4	421.2	-10.2
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas ³	455.0	-.4	477.2	-1.1	540.6	-1.6	188.2	3.4	489.2	1.0	442.1	-1.5
Fuel oil ⁴	437.1	-.5	166.9	-1.5	173.5	-2.0	NA	NA	158.3	1.1	148.0	-2.0
Other fuels ^{5 6}	181.1	.4	150.0	1.4	197.7	-.3	168.2	3.4	195.0	.0	176.1	6.9
Gas (piped) and electricity	425.3	-7.6	355.6	-29.2	484.1	12.3	432.5	-19.4	426.4	-9.4	408.7	-13.3
Electricity	353.3	-9.7	309.5	-41.6	306.3	-7.7	372.7	-1.0	367.5	-11.7	400.9	-17.2
Utility (piped) gas	520.4	-4.4	390.0	-2.5	641.3	30.4	522.2	-32.0	529.3	-5.9	407.3	-7.0
Household furnishings and operation	247.2	-.1	232.4	-1.0	196.4	-3.1	228.3	-2.1	250.5	-.9	238.3	-.4
Apparel and upkeep	211.5	.2	185.2	-.6	177.3	-.7	186.3	.3	194.5	-1.4	159.6	.7
Apparel commodities	196.6	.2	165.3	-1.0	161.2	-.9	173.5	.4	173.1	-1.8	140.8	.7
Men's and boys' apparel	204.6	1.1	154.7	-.9	171.3	1.0	183.0	3.3	167.1	2.8	150.8	-1.6
Women's and girls' apparel	176.2	-1.1	151.3	-1.5	154.0	-3.0	128.2	-2.9	157.6	-5.3	85.0	-2.4
Footwear	215.6	1.7	179.0	1.1	146.4	3.2	223.6	1.2	207.2	-.7	220.6	14.8
Transportation	304.0	.7	300.7	2.0	297.5	2.7	319.6	.9	335.1	1.9	330.3	.9
Private transportation	297.5	.7	289.6	2.2	293.7	2.8	318.6	.9	304.5	2.4	325.8	.9
Motor fuel ⁵	134.9	-3.6	136.7	-.4	145.8	-.2	127.3	-7.7	132.5	-2.3	142.8	-3.2
Gasoline ⁵	134.5	-3.7	135.5	-.8	145.3	-.3	127.2	-7.8	132.2	-2.3	143.2	-3.2
Gasoline, leaded regular ⁷	143.8	-3.7	152.3	-.7	154.1	-1.1	140.0	-6.9	133.8	-1.3	152.2	-2.7
Gasoline, unleaded regular ⁷	148.6	-3.9	151.2	-.7	163.0	.1	143.0	-8.7	136.1	-2.6	153.5	-3.9
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁸	70.0	-3.0	76.2	-1.3	74.4	-.4	68.3	-7.1	68.3	-2.7	68.9	-2.4
Public transportation	421.1	.5	436.7	.3	416.5	.3	346.5	.6	478.2	.3	412.0	.6
Medical care	441.7	1.1	445.0	.6	459.1	.5	463.5	2.0	434.7	.6	509.8	.1
Entertainment	272.1	.8	339.5	2.5	230.4	-2.4	212.8	1.4	289.6	1.0	246.5	-.7
Other goods and services	349.2	.5	346.6	.5	339.9	1.0	336.5	.2	364.0	1.3	363.6	.1
Personal care	291.2	.6	256.7	.8	260.1	2.6	286.6	.6	322.5	3.2	273.3	.2

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1987 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	U.S. city average		Chicago, Ill.-Northwestern Ind.		Detroit, Mich. ¹		Los Angeles-Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif.		New York, N.Y.-Northeastern N.J.		Philadelphia, Pa.-N.J.	
	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change
Commodity and service group												
All Items	325.4	0.2	316.1	-0.7	314.7	1.4	326.3	-0.2	318.6	0.3	325.4	-0.4
Commodities	283.1	.2	274.0	.6	258.5	.2	265.3	.0	279.5	.3	278.0	-.3
Food and beverages	316.2	.4	301.9	.9	299.8	.9	314.7	1.5	324.8	.6	326.4	-.5
Commodities less food and beverages	261.5	.0	252.4	.3	235.2	-.2	239.0	-1.1	246.0	.0	245.4	-.2
Nondurables less food and beverage	259.7	-.7	249.1	-.1	239.4	-1.1	241.7	-2.4	254.1	.0	236.1	-.6
Durables	265.3	.9	257.4	.7	232.3	.6	242.0	.8	235.0	.0	262.0	.4
Services	401.0	.1	387.7	-1.9	409.3	2.7	426.1	-.3	383.3	.4	416.6	-.5
Medical care services	478.2	1.2	489.3	.5	483.0	.3	495.1	2.2	466.9	1.1	576.3	.2
Special indexes:												
All items less shelter	305.9	.0	295.2	-1.3	294.6	1.6	297.9	-.2	310.3	.2	310.0	-.7
All items less medical care	319.6	.1	309.6	-.8	305.9	1.4	319.3	-.3	312.9	.3	316.5	-.4
All items less energy ²	326.3	.7	178.4	1.2	170.5	.8	179.1	1.0	170.2	.8	175.1	.4
Energy ⁴	338.5	-5.2	151.3	-15.6	182.2	5.9	150.8	-12.6	147.4	-5.0	160.9	-7.4
Commodities less food	260.3	.0	251.7	.3	237.0	-.2	238.4	-1.0	244.2	-.1	244.9	-.2
Nondurables less food	257.4	-.7	247.5	.0	241.9	-1.0	239.7	-2.1	250.3	-.1	235.9	-.5
Nondurables	289.2	-.1	277.4	.5	270.8	.0	279.4	-.3	292.4	.3	284.1	-.6
Services less rent of shelter ²	108.1	-.2	105.9	-4.2	108.6	4.3	112.1	-.5	107.3	.0	110.5	-1.4
Services less medical care	390.4	.0	373.3	-2.2	389.9	2.9	416.0	-.5	373.1	.3	394.4	-.6

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

² Indexes on a December 1984 = 100 base.

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

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

⁵ Indexes on a June 1978 = 100 base.

⁶ Index coverage will be redefined effective January 1987. The current definition will not be published after December 1986.

⁷ Indexes on a January 1976 = 100 base.

⁸ Indexes on an August 1961 = 100 base.

⁹ Indexes on a December 1977 = 100 base, except U.S. city average.

^{NA} Data not adequate for publication.

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

(1967=100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Area pricing schedule 1 ¹													
	Anchorage, Alaska ²		Baltimore, Md.		Boston, Mass.		Cincinnati, Ohio-Ky.-Ind. ³		Denver-Boulder, Colo. ⁴		Miami, Fla. ⁴		Milwaukee, Wis. ³	
	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change
	Expenditure category													
All items	279.7	0.6	330.4	-0.2	325.9	0.2	327.6	0.9	355.2	-0.6	176.1	0.9	349.4	-0.7
All items (1957-59=100) ⁵	305.5	-	383.6	-	390.5	-	371.8	-	378.3	-	-	-	394.5	-
Food and beverages	324.7	.2	323.5	.1	304.1	-1.0	329.0	.3	300.0	-3	175.3	1.6	312.8	1.0
Food	299.2	.0	331.5	.2	309.9	-1.2	339.2	.3	307.7	-3	176.2	1.6	324.5	1.1
Food at home	282.4	-2	306.9	-4	289.8	-1.9	332.7	.2	294.3	-6	165.6	.1	309.7	.8
Cereals and bakery products	279.1	-2.0	333.9	-2.1	315.5	-1.1	398.5	1.1	285.6	1.1	171.5	-5	361.0	.6
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	254.0	-2.2	279.1	1.0	283.0	-2.2	290.5	.1	263.5	.7	170.4	.7	303.6	.4
Meats, poultry, and fish	256.3	-2.8	287.9	.9	290.2	-2.3	296.8	-2	268.8	.5	172.7	.8	310.4	.2
Dairy products	248.4	1.0	253.6	-7	234.5	.3	270.5	3.8	273.3	.9	153.7	.5	270.2	2.7
Fruits and vegetables	293.0	3.6	348.6	-2.3	308.4	-6.5	345.6	-2.7	303.3	-5	175.0	-3.6	291.7	1.6
Other foods at home	351.7	-1	364.3	-2	332.3	.1	414.2	-3	372.0	-3.0	157.0	1.7	344.8	.0
Food away from home	339.8	.4	397.5	1.3	358.4	.2	345.6	.5	346.2	.3	201.2	4.7	367.8	1.7
Alcoholic beverages	260.6	1.5	255.5	.2	265.3	1.6	248.9	.5	262.5	-2	156.6	-1	233.2	-5
Housing	252.4	-4	366.2	-1.1	349.2	1.0	350.9	1.9	425.1	-5	178.2	.5	414.9	-3.3
Shelter	221.4	-4	431.6	.4	398.7	1.5	368.8	.0	504.8	-6	187.7	-4	511.4	.3
Renters' costs ⁶	91.5	-2.1	112.5	.4	115.6	.8	110.2	-1	103.5	-8	104.7	-2	108.5	.6
Rent, residential	224.4	-2.0	270.3	.3	332.0	.4	234.5	.9	264.8	-7	164.0	-3	258.0	.7
Other renters' costs	353.2	-3.6	319.3	.7	367.6	2.2	321.3	-5.5	425.6	-1.5	204.0	1.2	371.4	-4
Homeowners' costs ⁶	94.4	1.0	113.1	.8	116.2	2.2	108.4	.0	104.3	-6	105.3	-5	108.2	.2
Owners' equivalent rent ⁶	84.3	1.0	113.6	.5	116.7	2.2	108.7	.0	103.9	-6	104.9	-6	108.1	.2
Fuel and other utilities	285.7	.1	336.4	-5.9	334.3	-5	400.8	8.2	357.5	-1.6	175.6	2.2	347.3	-15.8
Fuels ⁷	393.5	.5	383.4	-7.8	376.0	-7	473.5	-3.2	499.5	-2.5	194.0	2.1	448.2	-5.0
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas ⁸	377.0	-5.9	452.4	-1.1	433.4	1.5	144.3	-1.1	138.1	1.0	182.8	.4	495.9	-8
Fuel oil ⁹	155.8	-8.2	150.2	-9	149.0	1.5	143.0	-1.1	117.8	.0	98.1	-24.0	157.1	-9
Other fuels ^{9,10}	190.8	.0	145.2	-3.0	229.4	.0	148.3	-1.0	142.7	1.1	165.9	1.0	166.7	.0
Gas (piped) and electricity ⁷	276.7	1.3	357.0	-11.1	320.8	-2.4	466.6	-3.5	511.3	-2.6	194.3	2.2	429.7	-5.9
Electricity ¹¹	224.2	2.3	295.8	-15.5	301.7	-4.0	299.0	-8.2	204.8	-2.5	199.4	2.0	391.9	-4.3
Utility (piped) gas ¹¹	194.1	.0	482.7	.5	339.4	.7	631.7	2.7	250.1	-2.7	144.2	4.5	535.7	-7.4
Household furnishings and operation	323.0	-8	270.4	-1	255.3	.7	245.0	.3	250.3	.9	151.1	1.2	245.5	1.7
Apparel and upkeep	215.0	.5	230.8	1.1	228.9	-2.6	247.9	-1.2	220.6	-2.2	148.4	1.4	225.8	.2
Apparel commodities	188.7	.6	205.0	.8	214.8	-3.1	236.0	-1.4	190.9	-2.6	137.2	1.1	219.8	.0
Men's and boys' apparel	191.5	.2	219.8	3.6	185.4	-2.6	205.3	1.1	231.8	-4	153.2	-1.1	222.1	-9
Women's and girls' apparel	176.5	2.2	167.1	-3.7	220.9	-5.9	235.3	-4.9	173.7	-3.2	123.0	3.8	176.3	-3.6
Footwear	209.1	-1.5	213.6	-1.7	244.7	-9	240.1	2.7	194.5	.8	122.3	5.3	348.2	10.4
Transportation	294.8	3.2	300.7	.2	325.4	.6	272.6	.8	305.5	-5	174.9	.7	297.1	1.2
Private transportation	292.5	3.5	300.0	.2	327.4	.6	276.4	.8	303.4	-2	171.9	.6	290.2	1.1
Motor fuel ⁸	139.3	-3.3	146.1	-4.1	132.9	.1	136.8	-3.0	140.4	-4.7	148.8	-2.4	139.6	-4.6
Gasoline ⁹	138.6	-3.4	147.8	-4.3	132.3	.1	136.5	-3.0	137.5	-4.9	148.3	-2.4	139.1	-4.6
Gasoline, leaded regular ¹²	134.2	-3.7	154.4	-5.0	137.7	.6	144.6	-3.2	135.9	-5.4	152.2	-2.4	155.8	-4.2
Gasoline, unleaded regular ¹²	138.9	-3.1	156.8	-4.4	148.3	-3	150.7	-3.0	138.0	-4.6	147.6	-2.4	154.4	-4.8
Gasoline, unleaded premium ¹³	75.0	-5.5	72.0	-3.5	69.5	.3	74.3	-2.5	78.8	-4.7	70.8	-2.3	70.7	-4.6
Public transportation	344.4	1.4	335.2	.3	346.4	1.0	362.6	-4	349.7	-6.4	247.0	.6	446.2	2.6
Medical care	466.4	.3	389.8	-2	434.4	-1	467.1	.3	420.9	-4	207.0	.8	405.1	1.4
Entertainment	271.4	.4	276.9	1.1	275.7	1.4	225.2	.0	272.5	-1.3	152.8	4.7	269.3	-7
Other goods and services	321.8	.1	333.7	.8	383.9	.9	353.0	.1	385.3	1.0	193.2	-2	348.8	.3
Personal care	289.6	-1	286.6	.2	285.0	4.5	288.8	-1.0	317.4	-7	162.8	-1.0	301.7	.5

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1967 = 100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Area pricing schedule 1 ¹													
	Anchorage, Alaska ^{2 3}		Baltimore, Md.		Boston, Mass.		Cincinnati, Ohio-Ky.-Ind. ³		Denver-Boulder, Colo. ³		Miami, Fla. ⁴		Milwaukee, Wis. ³	
	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change
	Commodity and service group													
All items	279.7	0.6	330.4	-0.2	325.9	0.2	327.6	0.9	355.2	-0.6	176.1	0.9	349.4	-0.7
Commodities	269.7	.3	300.4	.0	286.8	-.1	289.9	.1	296.6	-.5	164.5	1.0	290.4	.5
Food and beverages	324.7	.2	323.5	.1	304.1	-1.0	329.0	.3	300.0	-.3	175.3	1.6	312.8	1.0
Commodities less food and beverages	236.2	.3	282.4	-.1	270.3	.5	260.9	-.1	290.5	-.7	157.4	.7	273.7	.2
Nondurables less food and beverage	243.7	-.4	270.6	-.5	277.3	.0	274.1	-.9	266.9	-1.3	153.1	-.1	279.3	-.2
Durables	229.0	1.1	300.2	.5	257.9	1.3	254.4	.9	310.0	.2	164.0	1.6	260.7	.8
Services	311.9	1.1	383.3	-.4	392.0	.6	397.9	1.9	452.9	-.5	193.1	.8	462.9	-2.2
Medical care services	511.8	.3	416.5	.0	472.9	-.5	493.2	.0	451.4	-.8	211.5	1.0	439.0	1.3
Special indexes:														
All items less shelter	312.7	1.0	308.2	-.3	307.7	-.1	309.6	1.1	302.5	-.5	172.4	1.3	300.3	-.9
All items less medical care	278.5	.7	327.2	-.2	320.9	.2	320.1	.9	351.9	-.6	174.4	1.0	346.2	-.7
All items less energy ¹⁴	155.8	.9	171.8	.5	177.1	.3	173.1	1.3	165.9	-.2	177.3	1.1	196.5	-.2
Energy ⁹	160.3	-1.7	139.2	-6.2	152.6	-.4	155.8	-3.2	175.6	-3.5	166.7	-.4	165.6	-4.8
Commodities less food	239.0	.4	281.3	-.1	269.2	.5	261.0	-.1	288.6	-.7	157.4	.6	271.1	.2
Nondurables less food	246.3	-.2	269.2	-.5	274.3	.2	271.6	-.8	265.3	-1.2	153.3	-.1	272.6	-.2
Nondurables	286.3	-.1	297.8	-.2	291.6	-.5	305.8	-.2	284.3	-.8	165.3	.9	297.2	.5
Services less rent of shelter ⁶	112.8	2.3	110.9	-1.0	110.5	-.2	106.7	3.3	110.0	-.5	109.3	1.7	101.1	-4.1
Services less medical care	295.2	1.1	377.1	-.4	383.6	.8	380.2	2.2	450.2	-.5	190.8	.8	460.4	-2.5

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1967=100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Area pricing schedule 1 ¹											
	Northeast Pennsylvania ¹⁵		Portland, Oreg.-Wash. ³		St. Louis, Mo.-Ill.		San Diego, Calif. ³		Seattle- Everett, Wash. ³		Washington, D.C.-Md.-Va.	
	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change
	Expenditure category											
All items	311.9	0.5	306.1	-0.1	319.0	-0.5	349.0	0.5	311.7	-0.2	335.9	0.4
All items (1957-59=100) ¹⁶	368.1	-	361.8	-	372.6	-	366.9	-	366.2	-	391.4	-
Food and beverages	300.0	-4	312.7	.8	319.6	.1	344.1	2.7	298.8	.4	329.1	-1.1
Food	309.2	-5	320.8	.7	325.7	.4	358.3	2.7	307.6	.4	333.0	-1.1
Food at home	301.3	-8	301.7	.7	317.9	.7	313.3	2.2	291.8	.0	320.9	-2.0
Cereals and bakery products	297.2	.1	341.1	1.1	369.6	.1	353.4	2.7	309.5	-1.9	314.0	-2.5
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs ¹⁷	287.6	.3	271.6	.9	261.5	-8	290.5	1.0	264.2	.6	299.1	.2
Meats, poultry, and fish	293.0	.1	275.5	.5	266.7	-1.0	289.5	-2	271.2	.1	309.2	.9
Dairy products	239.1	.7	234.8	.3	293.6	.0	258.9	.3	251.1	.6	249.8	-1.3
Fruits and vegetables	330.7	-5.8	323.3	1.7	367.6	3.6	317.2	1.9	260.2	.2	354.8	-5.8
Other foods at home ¹⁷	368.7	.4	391.0	.1	386.8	1.5	376.1	3.9	385.6	.1	400.7	-2.9
Food away from home	328.0	.0	368.4	.5	345.4	.0	465.3	3.4	346.6	1.0	363.5	.9
Alcoholic beverages	234.5	2.6	241.7	2.3	254.8	-5.2	222.5	2.7	244.6	.9	285.6	-5
Housing	347.0	1.3	309.2	.1	356.0	-3.6	405.4	.2	337.4	-3	354.0	1.5
Shelter	399.8	3.0	348.0	.4	412.5	-1.0	497.1	1.2	375.1	-4	381.0	.7
Renters' costs ⁶	111.7	3.8	108.6	.8	110.0	.3	117.0	1.1	108.7	.0	112.0	.3
Rent, residential	293.5	4.5	255.0	.7	239.8	.3	383.2	1.2	280.9	.1	308.2	.2
Other renters' costs	435.8	-2	393.3	.2	378.7	-7	406.5	.6	487.1	.0	440.3	.0
Homeowners' costs ⁶	111.4	3.3	108.9	.3	110.5	-1.5	117.5	1.2	106.3	-7	110.0	1.1
Owners' equivalent rent ⁶	111.6	3.4	108.9	.3	110.6	-1.6	117.7	1.2	106.2	-7	110.2	1.0
Fuel and other utilities	466.2	-8	385.5	.0	325.0	-12.0	337.5	-4.2	359.2	.5	354.0	-3.0
Fuels	453.6	-1.1	376.5	-5	388.0	-15.4	422.7	-6.7	471.1	.7	440.6	-4.5
Fuel oil, coal, and bottled gas ¹⁸	518.2	.1	411.7	-2.4	464.2	-5.0	215.7	1.8	410.0	1.9	585.0	.6
Fuel oil ⁹	153.6	-5	138.3	-2.4	160.4	-9.8	192.8	-5	148.0	2.1	151.6	1.0
Other fuels ^{9,10}	169.8	.7	NA	NA	157.5	.8	222.4	2.3	182.9	.0	309.2	.0
Gas (piped) and electricity	289.0	-2.1	331.6	.3	365.5	-16.7	443.6	-6.8	437.8	.3	414.3	-5.5
Electricity ¹⁹	190.7	.0	186.8	.0	306.0	-24.7	458.8	.0	459.2	2.3	305.6	-10.2
Utility (piped) gas ¹⁸	152.8	-5.7	172.5	1.0	419.6	-3.2	415.1	-18.4	386.9	-7.5	516.3	-5
Household furnishings and operation	240.5	.0	231.3	-6	244.5	-2	230.4	.0	260.6	-8	291.5	8.2
Apparel and upkeep	210.1	-4	198.8	-5	198.3	.8	209.1	.1	202.6	.3	260.0	-1.9
Apparel commodities	206.2	-5	192.7	-7	187.2	.7	189.9	.0	190.8	-1	236.7	-2.4
Men's and boys' apparel	219.1	-6	213.3	-4	183.5	2.5	178.4	-4	203.0	1.9	231.9	.4
Women's and girls' apparel	167.4	-2.0	181.5	-3.1	166.3	-2.2	171.6	-3	146.2	-3.6	247.0	-5.9
Footwear	272.1	2.1	191.2	1.4	191.2	6.6	202.1	-2.8	251.4	.4	209.1	.9
Transportation	283.7	1.0	308.5	-1.5	274.3	2.0	312.8	-1.1	276.9	-7	303.4	.3
Private transportation	292.9	1.0	317.3	-1.6	279.0	2.2	310.7	-1.4	276.4	-7	295.4	.4
Motor fuel ⁹	133.1	-7	132.6	-8.9	131.3	-2.1	129.4	-9.1	130.9	-10.1	143.1	-3.6
Gasoline ⁹	132.9	-7	132.6	-8.9	131.2	-2.0	129.1	-9.2	130.4	-10.2	142.9	-3.7
Gasoline, leaded regular ²⁰	132.2	-8	129.7	-8.5	137.7	-1.9	134.0	-9.7	152.1	-10.1	150.0	-4.8
Gasoline, unleaded regular ²⁰	129.7	-1.0	129.0	-9.7	143.6	-2.3	147.7	-9.2	148.5	-10.7	151.2	-3.8
Gasoline, unleaded premium ¹⁵	70.0	.4	67.4	-7.7	74.9	-1.6	70.9	-7.8	65.7	-8.7	75.2	-3.0
Public transportation	251.9	.5	370.5	.5	277.2	-3.2	385.2	3.2	326.5	-2	406.4	.1
Medical care	450.4	-1	390.8	1.3	412.7	.8	421.7	1.2	417.8	-2	485.5	.9
Entertainment	257.0	.0	237.3	1.9	242.7	1.0	281.1	-1	278.4	.5	304.6	-1.1
Other goods and services	341.2	.4	348.7	.1	351.3	1.8	319.4	.6	348.3	-3	359.1	1.2
Personal care	309.0	-6	249.4	-1.0	309.8	3.2	289.7	.2	297.0	-3.5	324.1	.7

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

(1967=100, unless otherwise noted)

Group	Area pricing schedule 1 ¹											
	Northeast Pennsylvania ¹⁵		Portland, Oreg.-Wash. ⁹		St. Louis, Mo.-Ill.		San Diego, Calif. ³		Seattle-Everett, Wash. ³		Washington, D.C.-Md.-Va.	
	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change
Commodity and service group												
All items	311.9	0.5	306.1	-0.1	319.0	-0.5	349.0	0.5	311.7	-0.2	335.9	0.4
Commodities	287.0	.1	276.9	-.3	287.8	.4	297.6	.7	274.6	-.8	295.9	.4
Food and beverages	300.0	-.4	312.7	.8	319.6	.1	344.1	2.7	288.8	.4	329.1	-1.1
Commodities less food and beverages	276.9	.4	257.3	-1.0	262.9	.5	271.2	-.8	259.0	-1.4	272.6	1.3
Nondurables less food and beverage	276.0	-.4	254.8	-2.8	249.1	-.2	255.5	-2.0	261.1	-3.2	282.2	-1.9
Durables	276.4	1.4	262.0	.8	276.9	1.5	289.9	.6	261.5	.3	264.3	4.9
Services	366.2	1.3	356.3	.3	377.1	-1.7	431.5	.3	378.5	.5	398.1	.4
Medical care services	503.5	-.1	413.2	1.6	441.2	.3	454.8	.7	444.6	-.2	527.9	.6
Special indexes:												
All items less shelter	295.1	.0	299.1	-.2	293.3	-.4	308.5	.2	295.2	-.1	323.1	.3
All items less medical care	305.3	.6	301.3	-.1	314.0	-.6	345.0	.4	306.4	-.2	328.4	.4
All items less energy ¹⁴	172.4	-.7	164.7	.4	177.0	.6	189.0	1.2	171.9	.3	181.1	.8
Energy ⁸	153.3	-1.0	147.1	-5.0	142.8	-9.8	160.3	-7.9	162.1	-5.1	154.5	-4.1
Commodities less food	273.7	.5	256.4	-.9	263.1	.4	268.7	-.7	257.6	-1.4	273.8	1.2
Nondurables less food	270.7	-.2	253.0	-2.4	249.5	-.6	251.6	-1.7	258.1	-2.9	282.7	-1.8
Nondurables	288.8	-.3	284.2	-.9	287.1	.0	301.8	.7	280.7	-1.4	307.1	-1.5
Services less rent of shelter ⁶	109.0	-.1	113.6	.3	107.4	-2.2	107.9	-.7	106.6	1.3	108.7	.3
Services less medical care	347.0	1.6	347.4	.1	366.0	-2.0	426.9	.2	369.9	.6	382.4	.4

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

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

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

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

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

⁶ Indexes on a November 1984=100 base.

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

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

⁹ Indexes on a June 1978=100 base.

¹⁰ Index coverage will be redefined effective January 1987. The current definition will not be published after December 1986.

¹¹ Indexes on a June 1978=100 base in Anchorage, Alaska; Denver-Boulder, Col.; and Miami, Fla.

¹² Indexes on a June 1978=100 base in Anchorage, Alaska; Denver-Boulder, Col.; and Miami, Fla. Indexes on a January 1976=100 base in Baltimore, Md.; Boston, Mass.; Cincinnati, Ohio-Ky.-Ind.; and Milwaukee, Wis.

¹³ Indexes on an August 1981=100 base.

¹⁴ Indexes are on the bases listed:

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

¹⁵ Data for Northeast, Pa. will no longer be published after December 1986.

¹⁶ The 1957-59=100 base is not available for San Diego, Calif.; index is on a February 1965=100 base.

¹⁷ Index is on an April 1967=100 base in Northeastern Pennsylvania and Portland, Oreg.-Wash.

¹⁸ Index on a June 1978=100 base in San Diego, Calif.

¹⁹ Indexes on a June 1978=100 base in Northeast, Pa.; and Portland, Oreg.-Wash.

²⁰ Indexes on a June 1978=100 base in Northeast, Pa.; and Portland, Oreg.-Wash. Indexes on a January 1976=100 base in St. Louis, Mo.-Ill.; San Diego, Calif.; Seattle-Everett, Wash.; and Washington, D.C.-Md.-Va.

^{14A} Data not adequate for publication.

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

Area, region and population size class	Utility (piped) gas				Electricity		Fuel oil #2	
	per 40 therms		per 100 therms		per 500 KWH		per gallon	
	Oct. 1986	Nov. 1986	Oct. 1986	Nov. 1986	Oct. 1986	Nov. 1986	Oct. 1986	Nov. 1986
Area ¹								
U.S. city average ²	\$25.791	\$24.108	\$58.391	\$54.787	\$40.211	\$39.890	\$0.733	\$0.733
Chicago, Ill.-Northwestern Ind.	20.078	19.744	46.145	45.560	45.326	46.122	.818	.815
Detroit, Mich.	27.331	26.848	49.300	53.770	43.139	43.139	.874	.874
L.A.-Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif.	27.573	17.182	81.589	53.248	43.292	43.292	NA	NA
N.Y., N.Y.-Northeastern N.J.	35.509	35.160	78.588	77.268	60.346	60.194	.796	.804
Philadelphia, Pa.-N.J.	27.907	28.430	67.642	67.642	52.350	52.350	.750	.743
Anchorage, Alaska ³	16.960	16.960	35.630	35.630	40.620	40.933	.858	.793
Baltimore, Md.	30.020	30.210	64.840	65.330	41.140	41.140	.767	.766
Boston, Mass.	30.370	30.740	67.471	68.380	44.903	44.062	.733	.742
Cincinnati, Ohio-Ky.-Ind. ³	23.645	23.630	52.755	52.722	37.440	37.440	.727	.724
Denver-Boulder, Colo. ³	23.030	23.030	49.563	49.563	39.494	38.179	NA	NA
Miami, Fla.	27.660	27.660	59.260	59.260	44.487	44.487	NA	NA
Milwaukee, Wis. ³	28.363	26.264	65.394	60.406	38.480	36.650	.754	.752
Northeast Pennsylvania ³	29.226	28.149	66.769	64.194	45.053	45.053	.662	.663
Portland, Oreg.-Wash. ³	27.280	26.730	62.846	61.434	24.469	24.469	.652	.649
St. Louis, Mo.-Ill.	26.584	27.615	46.379	48.663	39.582	37.236	.737	.707
San Diego, Calif. ³	25.669	16.070	78.548	61.753	59.652	59.652	NA	NA
Seattle-Everett, Wash. ³	26.759	24.668	56.723	51.368	16.489	16.489	.720	.710
Washington, D.C.-Md.-Va.	31.295	30.683	71.968	70.933	38.747	38.612	.793	.800
Atlanta, Ga. ³	29.486	31.185	62.970	67.182	36.264	37.369	.714	.696
Buffalo, N.Y. ³	26.806	26.938	57.881	58.207	40.717	41.078	.745	.745
Cleveland, Ohio	22.880	21.920	50.780	48.370	47.360	47.360	.769	.771
Dallas-Fort Worth, Tex.	20.141	20.884	42.339	44.518	37.127	41.103	NA	NA
Honolulu, Hawaii ^{3,4}	48.240	49.080	111.600	113.700	37.120	39.074	NA	NA
Houston, Tex.	20.820	20.820	37.940	37.940	36.540	36.540	NA	NA
Kansas City, Mo.-Kans. ³	19.048	20.569	39.789	43.517	33.687	33.664	NA	NA
Minneapolis-St.Paul, Minn.-Wis. ³	21.038	19.518	47.965	44.484	33.409	32.280	.771	.779
Pittsburgh, Pa.	31.867	32.075	59.579	58.168	42.780	42.760	.646	.651
San Francisco-Oakland, Calif.	19.055	15.804	65.095	44.028	38.990	37.949	NA	NA
Region ⁵								
Northeast	30.836	30.916	66.485	65.960	49.557	49.401	.734	.735
North Central	25.045	24.451	52.253	52.057	41.028	39.676	.720	.718
South	24.707	25.282	54.243	55.448	38.750	38.720	.746	.741
West ²	25.010	18.427	69.157	50.910	33.984	34.610	.700	.694
Region/population size class cross classification ⁵								
Northeast/A	31.815	31.892	67.917	67.124	51.996	51.824	.770	.776
North Central/A	23.418	23.048	48.104	49.060	41.451	41.179	.786	.781
South/A	27.643	28.402	60.123	62.281	38.774	39.361	.771	.772
West/A	26.829	17.281	79.334	52.611	33.668	33.450	.771	.760
Northeast/B	29.212	29.072	64.212	63.986	45.766	45.118	.709	.709
North Central/B	28.163	28.185	61.136	61.172	41.325	41.325	.714	.721
South/B	25.543	26.193	55.338	57.661	33.639	33.025	.751	.739
West/B ²	22.654	17.290	62.842	43.328	33.779	34.663	.653	.650
Northeast/C	30.665	31.281	67.421	68.186	46.603	46.967	.686	.677
North Central/C	28.511	26.205	59.592	57.069	42.144	35.743	.702	.699
South/C	23.193	23.095	51.834	51.597	39.523	39.545	NA	NA
West/C	22.101	21.668	54.180	51.181	38.185	38.033	.858	.793
Northeast/D ³	24.292	24.306	53.623	53.658	45.158	45.539	.712	.712
North Central/D	24.731	23.810	51.634	48.393	36.891	36.957	.641	.636
South/D	23.558	26.818	50.037	53.958	41.329	39.933	.716	.713
West/D ³	20.856	20.871	47.697	47.725	31.380	33.665	.615	.621

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Table P-2. Average residential unit prices and consumption ranges for utility (piped) gas and electricity for U.S. city average and selected areas

Area, region and population size class	Average price per therm of utility (piped) gas		Range of therm consumption for Nov. 1986		Average price per KWH of electricity		Range of KWH consumption for Nov. 1986	
	Oct. 1986	Nov. 1986	Low	High	Oct. 1986	Nov. 1986	Low	High
Area ¹								
U.S. city average ²	\$0.599	\$0.553	1	1,291	\$0.074	\$0.073	5	7,512
Chicago, Ill.-Northwestern Ind. ....	.467	.459	22	634	.084	.084	169	6,708
Detroit, Mich. ....	.612	.467	21	356	.086	.083	63	3,174
L.A.-Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif. ....	.759	.515	9	352	.081	.081	75	3,107
N.Y., N.Y.-Northeastern N.J. ....	.818	.806	4	619	.113	.113	88	2,929
Philadelphia, Pa.-N.J. ....	.670	.666	16	629	.086	.086	216	3,845
Anchorage, Alaska ³ .....	.342	.342	47	366	.078	.080	82	5,432
Baltimore, Md. ....	.759	.764	17	168	.068	.068	197	3,510
Boston, Mass. ....	.689	.698	10	132	.085	.083	140	2,658
Cincinnati, Ohio-Ky.-Ind. ³ .....	.581	.580	4	330	.065	.065	491	3,028
Denver-Boulder, Colo. ³ .....	.636	.636	19	225	.083	.081	77	1,732
Miami, Fla. ....	.826	.826	8	52	.087	.087	304	2,961
Milwaukee, Wis. ³ .....	.680	.630	8	235	.072	.069	264	1,188
Northeast Pennsylvania ³ .....	.615	.588	64	232	.087	.087	175	5,672
Portland, Oreg.-Wash. ³ .....	.646	.632	34	130	.049	.049	540	7,152
St. Louis, Mo.-Ill. ....	.462	.479	46	1,291	.071	.068	172	2,744
San Diego, Calif. ³ .....	.687	.560	20	237	.118	.118	134	1,337
Seattle-Everett, Wash. ³ .....	.648	.600	5	400	.041	.041	304	6,774
Washington, D.C.-Md.-Va. ....	.789	.775	6	442	.074	.071	30	3,783
Atlanta, Ga. ³ .....	.622	.664	34	375	.061	.061	187	4,150
Buffalo, N.Y. ³ .....	.564	.567	28	475	.080	.081	187	3,928
Cleveland, Ohio .....	.544	.520	5	282	.089	.089	167	2,351
Dallas-Fort Worth, Tex. ....	.564	.592	3	167	.082	.057	275	6,349
Honolulu, Hawaii ^{3 4}	1.528	1.549	1	44	.071	.076	178	2,317
Houston, Tex. ....	.345	.345	85	297	.080	.089	224	7,512
Kansas City, Mo.-Kans. ³ .....	.440	.478	9	169	.065	.065	5	5,035
Minneapolis-St.Paul, Minn.-Wis. ³ .....	.476	.443	84	234	.064	.061	126	2,039
Pittsburgh, Pa. ....	.572	.561	31	425	.082	.082	240	3,257
San Francisco-Oakland, Calif. ....	.512	.402	12	159	.082	.080	108	2,457
Region ⁵								
Northeast .....	.675	.669	1	629	.092	.092	88	6,610
North Central .....	.551	.515	1	1,291	.072	.069	5	6,708
South .....	.578	.591	3	588	.070	.068	30	7,512
West ² .....	.654	.504	5	736	.072	.073	50	7,152
Region/population size class cross classification ⁵								
Northeast/A .....	.678	.671	4	629	.096	.096	88	3,928
North Central/A .....	.525	.475	4	1,291	.078	.077	5	6,708
South/A .....	.648	.671	3	442	.073	.089	30	7,512
West/A .....	.733	.509	5	400	.072	.071	75	6,774
Northeast/B .....	.687	.682	1	589	.082	.082	160	5,672
North Central/B .....	.604	.611	21	476	.064	.064	373	3,041
South/B .....	.571	.588	5	274	.064	.062	441	6,513
West/B ² .....	.566	.448	11	225	.074	.076	77	7,152
Northeast/C .....	.714	.717	5	276	.088	.089	117	6,610
North Central/C .....	.593	.550	23	622	.073	.063	216	5,451
South/C .....	.564	.562	6	588	.088	.068	221	4,550
West/C .....	.548	.524	11	366	.077	.077	82	5,432
Northeast/D ³ .....	.537	.537	29	387	.096	.097	133	1,812
North Central/D554	.531	1	428	.088	.068	100	3,380
South/D493	.537	26	320	.072	.069	308	6,316
West/D ³509	.511	27	736	.063	.066	50	2,477

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Table P-3. Average prices for gasoline, U.S. city average and selected areas (Per gallon)

Area, region and population size class	Gasoline, all types ¹		Leaded regular		Unleaded regular		Unleaded premium ²	
	Oct. 1986	Nov. 1986	Oct. 1986	Nov. 1986	Oct. 1986	Nov. 1986	Oct. 1986	Nov. 1986
Area ³								
U.S. city average	\$0.837	\$0.827	\$0.771	\$0.762	\$0.831	\$0.821	\$0.987	\$0.980
Chicago, Ill.-Northwestern Ind. ....	.869	.895	.809	.841	.842	.865	1.052	1.080
Detroit, Mich. ....	.816	.849	.714	.750	.841	.874	.943	.962
L.A.-Long Beach, Anaheim, Calif. ....	.851	.822	.782	.768	.839	.812	1.012	.990
N.Y., N.Y.-Northeastern N.J. ....	.856	.843	.762	.755	.806	.794	.982	.965
Philadelphia, Pa.-N.J. ....	.820	.808	.778	.766	.784	.772	.970	.956
Anchorage, Alaska ⁴ .....	.925	.890	.877	.845	.929	.894	1.112	1.051
Baltimore, Md. ....	.856	.838	.783	.760	.823	.804	1.002	.987
Boston, Mass. ....	.841	.843	.756	.763	.814	.814	.974	.977
Cincinnati, Ohio-Ky.-Ind. ⁴ .....	.767	.785	.718	.732	.751	.772	.947	.966
Denver-Boulder, Colo. ⁴ .....	.823	.817	.766	.755	.854	.850	.984	.982
Miami, Fla. ....	.896	.891	.818	.828	.881	.867	.958	.946
Milwaukee, Wis. ⁴ .....	.813	.818	.781	.783	.811	.818	.955	.953
Northeast Pennsylvania ⁴ .....	.832	.829	.768	.784	.821	.818	1.002	1.002
Portland, Oreg.-Wash. ⁴ .....	.820	.778	.768	.730	.831	.787	.967	.920
St. Louis, Mo.-Ill. ....	.778	.784	.699	.706	.767	.773	.991	.993
San Diego, Calif. ⁴ .....	.874	.833	.767	.734	.895	.852	1.104	1.048
Seattle-Everett, Wash. ⁴ .....	.880	.822	.824	.771	.881	.817	1.031	.981
Washington, D.C.-Md.-Va. ....	.839	.917	.802	.783	.898	.876	1.152	1.128
Atlanta, Ga. ⁴ .....	.770	.767	.666	.667	.777	.769	.912	.915
Buffalo, N.Y. ⁴ .....	.786	.778	.754	.741	.773	.766	.893	.890
Cleveland, Ohio .....	.814	.830	.714	.732	.788	.804	1.009	1.028
Dallas-Fort Worth, Tex. ....	.731	.712	.685	.670	.723	.702	.853	.832
Honolulu, Hawaii ⁴	1.106	1.084	.990	.973	1.129	1.104	1.271	1.258
Houston, Tex. ....	.736	.726	.668	.659	.709	.697	.912	.903
Kansas City, Mo.-Kans. ⁴ .....	.716	.733	.673	.687	.722	.740	.861	.876
Minneapolis-St.Paul, Minn.-Wis. ⁴ .....	.882	.861	.833	.810	.895	.875	1.014	.991
Pittsburgh, Pa. ....	.787	.787	.754	.750	.767	.769	.959	.958
San Francisco-Oakland, Calif. ....	.856	.838	.771	.752	.864	.842	1.019	1.020
Region ⁵								
Northeast .....	.853	.845	.779	.773	.828	.821	.986	.974
North Central .....	.828	.833	.780	.780	.830	.836	.983	.992
South .....	.821	.811	.746	.738	.814	.801	.977	.972
West .....	.853	.827	.786	.766	.851	.825	1.009	.991
Region/population size class cross classification ⁵								
Northeast/A .....	.838	.828	.764	.757	.797	.788	.976	.963
North Central/A .....	.823	.840	.749	.764	.821	.836	.998	1.014
South/A .....	.808	.793	.717	.705	.787	.770	.969	.955
West/A .....	.855	.824	.782	.764	.848	.818	1.020	.998
Northeast/B .....	.836	.829	.774	.771	.834	.825	.941	.930
North Central/B .....	.824	.825	.749	.754	.828	.828	1.000	.996
South/B .....	.815	.810	.740	.740	.824	.816	.947	.943
West/B .....	.858	.835	.785	.755	.864	.839	.977	.975
Northeast/C .....	.914	.914	.820	.820	.906	.906	1.075	1.072
North Central/C .....	.824	.820	.795	.788	.831	.828	.928	.940
South/C .....	.838	.826	.772	.759	.835	.824	1.030	1.020
West/C .....	.853	.841	.776	.762	.859	.853	1.012	.991
Northeast/D ⁴ .....	.913	.903	.828	.815	.901	.892	1.069	1.066
North Central/D .....	.861	.839	.846	.824	.873	.852	NA	NA
South/D .....	.828	.823	.746	.735	.817	.802	.960	.989
West/D ⁴825	.807	.808	.794	.835	.814	NA	NA

¹ Also includes types of gasoline not shown separately.

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

Food and unit	U.S. average		Northeast		North Central		South		West	
	Oct. 1986	Nov. 1986	Oct. 1986	Nov. 1986	Oct. 1986	Nov. 1986	Oct. 1986	Nov. 1986	Oct. 1986	Nov. 1986
Cereals and bakery products:										
Flour, white, all purpose, per lb.	\$0.208	\$0.200	\$0.227	\$0.219	\$0.188	\$0.195	\$0.213	\$0.210	\$0.208	\$0.193
Rice, white, long grain, precooked, per lb.	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Rice, white, long grain, uncooked, per lb. ....	.436	.432	NA	NA	NA	NA	.380	.379	.496	.482
Spaghetti and macaroni, per lb. ....	.727	.729	.680	.678	.697	.717	.789	.775	NA	NA
Bread, white, pan, per lb. ....	.565	.564	.684	.671	.537	.544	.533	.524	.546	.560
Bread, French, per lb.	1.045	1.059	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	1.075	1.101
Bread, whole wheat, pan, per lb. ....	.879	.885	1.016	1.017	NA	NA	.808	.815	.863	.874
Rolls, hamburger, per lb.	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Cupcakes, chocolate, per lb.	2.402	2.272	NA	NA	2.383	2.394	NA	NA	2.601	2.691
Cookies, chocolate chip, per lb.	1.998	1.981	1.953	1.932	1.825	1.822	2.237	2.246	NA	1.996
Crackers, soda, salted, per lb.	1.001	.985	NA	NA	.955	.960	.993	.972	NA	NA
Meats, poultry, fish and eggs:										
Meats:										
Beef and veal:										
Ground chuck, 100% beef, per lb.	1.650	1.661	1.604	1.606	1.593	1.600	1.726	1.743	NA	NA
Ground beef, 100% beef, per lb.	1.225	1.278	1.454	1.418	1.250	1.264	1.319	1.372	1.065	1.180
Chuck roast, U.S. Choice, bone-in, per lb.	1.575	1.657	1.702	1.697	1.459	1.605	1.588	1.675	1.657	NA
Round roast, U.S. Choice, boneless, per lb.	2.487	2.468	2.412	2.436	2.484	2.459	2.582	2.497	2.530	2.535
Rib roast, U.S. Choice, bone-in, per lb.	3.176	3.308	2.969	3.215	3.246	3.267	3.449	3.526	2.994	3.100
Steak, round, U.S. Choice, boneless, per lb.	2.788	2.747	2.861	2.861	2.685	2.708	2.801	2.681	2.801	2.731
Steak, sirloin, U.S. Choice, bone-in, per lb.	2.941	2.913	3.030	3.044	2.742	2.736	3.060	2.966	NA	NA
Steak, chuck, U.S. Choice, bone-in, per lb.	1.624	1.685	1.618	1.613	1.532	1.606	NA	NA	NA	NA
Steak, T-bone, U.S. Choice, bone-in, per lb.	3.848	3.922	NA	NA	3.753	3.743	3.779	4.074	NA	NA
Steak, porterhouse, U.S. Choice, bone-in, per lb.	4.256	4.105	4.401	4.030	4.281	4.197	NA	NA	NA	NA
Pork:										
Bacon, sliced, per lb.	2.298	2.187	2.414	2.302	2.211	2.106	2.274	2.166	2.316	2.197
Chops, center cut, bone-in, per lb.	2.738	2.722	2.751	2.636	2.578	2.632	2.726	2.727	2.914	2.924
Ham, rump or shank half, bone-in, smoked, per lb.	1.663	1.680	1.639	1.654	NA	NA	1.616	1.608	1.784	1.917
Sirloin roast, bone-in, per lb.	1.892	1.874	NA	NA	1.882	1.869	NA	NA	1.823	1.883
Shoulder picnic, bone-in, smoked, per lb.	1.182	1.179	NA	NA	NA	NA	1.112	1.150	NA	NA
Sausage, fresh, loose, per lb.	2.097	2.074	NA	NA	2.111	2.166	2.025	1.956	2.303	2.292
Ham, canned, 3 or 5 lbs, per lb.	2.817	2.937	2.797	2.918	2.798	2.924	2.917	2.999	2.688	2.861
Other meats:										
Frankfurters, all meat or all beef, per lb.	1.986	1.983	2.194	2.202	2.005	1.967	1.844	1.835	1.821	1.850
Bologna, all beef or mixed, per lb.	2.247	2.265	2.378	2.368	2.207	2.239	2.177	2.213	2.327	2.322
Beef liver, per lb. ....	.979	1.012	.962	.979	.985	.991	.930	1.012	1.023	1.062
Poultry:										
Chicken, fresh, whole, per lb. ....	.900	.878	.963	.972	.837	.808	.853	.845	.953	.893
Chicken breast, bone-in, per lb.	1.972	1.974	1.955	1.917	1.868	1.896	1.955	1.936	2.096	2.109
Chicken legs, bone-in, per lb.	1.221	1.268	1.022	1.092	1.222	1.293	NA	NA	NA	NA
Turkey, frozen, whole, per lb.	1.129	1.081	1.144	1.068	1.131	1.033	1.114	1.117	1.133	1.108
Fish and seafood:										
Tuna, light, chunk, per lb.	2.009	1.961	2.002	NA	1.967	1.920	NA	NA	2.081	2.058
Eggs:										
Grade A, large, per doz. ....	.855	.897	.980	1.011	.798	.838	.820	.871	NA	NA
Grade AA, large, per doz. ....	.983	1.076	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	1.057	1.166
Dairy products:										
Milk, fresh, whole, fortified, per 1/2 gal.	1.120	1.124	1.056	1.059	1.097	1.112	1.335	1.338	1.057	1.059
Milk, fresh, skim, per 1/2 gal.	NA	NA	NA	NA	.999	1.004	NA	NA	NA	NA
Milk, fresh, low fat, per 1/2 gal.	1.077	1.079	1.044	1.058	NA	NA	NA	NA	1.023	1.028
Butter, salted, grade AA, stick, per lb.	2.189	2.183	2.161	2.160	2.172	2.154	2.215	2.166	2.209	2.222
American processed cheese, per lb.	2.608	2.642	2.700	2.669	2.444	2.561	NA	NA	NA	NA
Cheddar cheese, natural, per lb.	3.062	3.057	2.977	2.960	NA	NA	3.219	3.198	3.056	3.076
Ice cream, prepackaged, bulk, regular, per 1/2 gal.	2.377	2.397	2.620	2.606	2.359	2.336	2.175	2.209	2.429	2.505
Yogurt, natural, fruit flavored, per 1/2 pt. ....	.580	.570	NA	NA	.596	.591	NA	NA	.527	.526

See footnotes at end of table.

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

Food and unit	U.S. average		Northeast		North Central		South		West	
	Oct. 1986	Nov. 1986	Oct. 1986	Nov. 1986	Oct. 1986	Nov. 1986	Oct. 1986	Nov. 1986	Oct. 1986	Nov. 1986
Fruits and vegetables:										
Fresh fruits and vegetables:										
Apples, red Delicious, per lb.	\$0.691	\$0.665	\$0.694	\$0.693	\$0.736	\$0.654	\$0.685	\$0.651	\$0.662	\$0.665
Bananas, per lb. ....	.372	.371	.407	.395	.359	.354	.375	.383	.351	.354
Oranges, navel, per lb.	NA	.519	NA	.546	NA	.575	NA	.572	NA	.449
Oranges, Valencia, per lb. ....	.463	NA	.481	NA	.508	NA	.501	NA	.395	NA
Cherries, per lb.	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Grapefruit, per lb. ....	.647	.535	.652	.485	.624	.549	.616	.486	.685	.641
Grapes, Emperor or Tokay, per lb.	NA	.923	NA	.797	NA	NA	NA	.878	NA	NA
Grapes, Thompson seedless, per lb.	1.158	1.263	1.203	1.365	1.162	1.311	1.114	1.155	1.137	NA
Lemons, per lb. ....	.794	.782	.779	.764	.786	.879	.795	.775	.806	.787
Peaches, per lb.	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Pears, Anjou, per lb.	NA	NA	NA	.766	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Strawberries, dry pint, per 12 oz.	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Potatoes, white, all types, per lb. ² .....	.256	.257	.267	.286	.227	.235	.249	.258	.262	.252
Lettuce, iceberg, per lb. ....	.509	.501	.516	.521	.535	.543	.605	.541	.407	.432
Tomatoes, field grown, per lb. ....	.811	.919	.864	.952	.870	1.057	.773	.877	.780	.858
Beans, green, snap, per lb. ....	.833	.840	.746	.764	NA	NA	.905	.930	.789	.767
Cabbage, per lb. ....	.325	.318	.328	.319	.312	.319	.326	.310	.354	.373
Carrots, short trimmed and topped, per lb. ....	.402	.414	.427	.440	.418	.441	.456	.484	.364	.362
Celery, per lb. ....	.474	.481	.492	.473	.462	.463	.545	.538	.428	.462
Corn on the cob, per lb. ....	.490	NA	NA	NA	.518	NA	.560	.618	NA	NA
Cucumbers, per lb. ....	.403	.479	.404	.435	.441	.501	.419	.474	.362	.511
Mushrooms, per lb.	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	2.015	2.271
Onions, dry yellow, per lb. ....	.313	.333	.329	.372	.332	.352	.353	.365	.246	.255
Onions, green (scallions), per lb.	1.152	1.108	NA	NA	1.125	1.203	NA	NA	NA	NA
Peppers, sweet, per lb. ....	.793	.901	.724	.786	.939	1.085	.860	.971	.668	.880
Radishes, per lb. ....	.837	.889	.853	.955	.914	.872	1.028	.992	.643	.789
Processed fruits and vegetables:										
Orange juice, frozen concentrate, 12oz. can, per 16 oz.	1.449	1.482	1.566	1.594	1.417	1.481	1.389	1.386	1.344	1.366
Potatoes, frozen, French fried, per lb. ....	.707	.715	.796	.806	.721	.723	.714	.717	NA	NA
Tomatoes, canned, whole, per lb. ....	.508	.516	.482	.486	.580	.586	NA	NA	NA	NA
Other foods at home:										
Sugar and sweets:										
Hard candy, solid, per lb.	1.967	2.012	NA	NA	1.901	1.943	NA	NA	NA	NA
Sugar, white, all sizes, per lb. ....	.347	.349	.367	.373	.329	.326	.337	.339	.378	.379
Sugar, white, 33-80 oz. pkg, per lb. ....	.333	.335	.346	.358	.318	.313	.329	.332	NA	NA
Fats and oils:										
Margarine, stick, per lb. ....	.767	.765	.738	.732	.777	.755	.709	.731	.895	.901
Margarine, soft, tubs, per lb.	1.037	1.034	1.087	1.065	.996	.985	.951	.952	1.090	1.092
Shortening, vegetable oil blends, per lb. ....	.826	.822	.916	.682	.799	.834	.795	.785	.840	.822
Peanut butter, creamy, all sizes, per lb.	1.627	1.641	1.693	1.646	1.550	1.642	1.543	1.579	1.813	1.812
Nonalcoholic beverages:										
Cola, nondiet, returnable bottles, 6 or 8 pk., per 16 oz. ³	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Cola nondiet, cans, 72oz. 6 pk., per 16 oz. ³ .....	.452	.455	NA	NA	.519	.546	.463	.475	.428	.426
Coffee, 100%, ground roast, all sizes, per lb.	3.269	3.268	3.092	3.107	3.311	3.290	3.515	3.429	3.325	3.391
Coffee, 100%, ground roast, 13.1-20 oz. can, per lb.	3.245	3.261	3.069	3.126	NA	NA	3.494	3.470	NA	NA
Coffee, instant, plain, regular, 6.1-14 oz., per 16 oz.	9.455	9.371	NA	NA	10.175	9.770	NA	NA	9.424	9.449
Coffee, freeze dried, plain, regular, all sizes, per 16 oz.	NA	NA	NA	NA	14.247	14.396	NA	NA	NA	NA
Coffee, freeze dried, decaffeinated, all sizes, per 16 oz.	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Other prepared foods:										
Potato chips, per 16 oz.	2.752	2.742	2.645	2.720	2.470	2.406	2.868	2.848	3.184	3.182
Pork and beans, canned, per 16 oz.	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Alcoholic beverages:										
Bourbon whiskey, 375 ml-1.75 liter, per 25.4oz. ⁴	7.386	7.418	NA	NA	NA	NA	7.538	7.641	6.964	6.915
Vodka, domestic, 375 ml-1.75 liter, per 25.4oz. ⁴	5.903	5.826	6.030	6.018	NA	NA	NA	NA	5.552	5.602

¹ Regions are defined as the four Census regions.

² New average price series as of March 1986.

³ Deposit may be included in price.

⁴ New average price series as of January 1986.

^{NA} Data not adequate for publication.

Technical Notes

Brief Explanation of the CPI

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

The CPI is based on prices of food, clothing, shelter, and fuels, transportation fares, charges for doctors' and dentists' services, drugs, and the other goods and services that people buy for day-to-day living. Prices are collected in 85 urban areas across the country from about 4,000 food stores, 24,000 rental units, and 28,000 establishments—department stores, hospitals, filling stations, and other types of stores and service establishments. All taxes directly associated with the purchase and use of items are included in the index. Prices of food, fuels, and a few other items are obtained every month in all 85 locations. Prices of most other commodities and services are collected every month in the five largest geographic areas and every other month in other areas. Prices of most goods and services are obtained by personal visits of the Bureau's trained representatives. Mail questionnaires are used to obtain public utility rates, some fuel prices, and certain other items.

In calculating the index, price changes for the various items in each location are averaged together with weights which represent their importance in the spending of the appropriate population group. Local data are then combined to obtain a U.S. city average. Separate indexes are also published by size of city, by region of the country, for cross-classifications of regions and population-size classes, and for 28 local areas. Area indexes do not measure differences in the level of prices

among cities, they only measure the average change in prices for each area since the base period.

The index measures price changes from a designated reference date—1967—which equals 100.0. An increase of 203 percent, for example, is shown as 303.0. This change can also be expressed in dollars as follows: The price of a base period "market basket" of goods and services in the CPI has risen from \$10 in 1967 to \$30.30.

For further details see *BLS Handbook of Methods*, Vol. II, "The Consumer Price Index," Bulletin 2134-2, April 1984.

Calculating Index Changes

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

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

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

Homeownership Changes

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

Energy Prices

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

All prices, except for electricity, are collected monthly by BLS representatives in the urban areas priced for the CPI. Electricity prices are collected monthly on mail questionnaires by the Department of Energy for BLS. Prices for natural gas and electricity include fuel and purchased gas adjustments and all applicable taxes. Fuel oil and gasoline prices include applicable Federal, State, and local taxes.

Natural gas and electricity. Natural gas prices are reported in therms, which are a measure of heating value. Electricity prices are given in kilowatt hours (kwh). For both utility services, the consumption ranges specified in table P-2 are the upper and lower limits of the bill sizes priced for the Consumer Price Index. The average prices per therm and per kilowatt hour are

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

The average prices for 40 and 100 therms of natural gas and for 500 kilowatt hours of electricity (table P-1) are calculated from a special price collection program. They are not used in the calculation of the CPI. Since heating and air-conditioning requirements vary by geographic location, climate, and weather conditions, it cannot be inferred that these consumption amounts represent those used by a typical residential consumer. These bills are used merely to track price changes over time for constant amounts of consumption, to provide data for place-to-place price comparisons, and to provide continuity with prices of natural gas and electricity formerly published in conjunction with the unrevised Consumer Price Index.

Fuel oil. Only #2 fuel oil (home heating oil) is priced. Prices are collected, in most cases, for quantities greater than one gallon. These prices are converted to a per gallon price for this program. Fuel oil prices reflect discounts for quantity and/or quick payment.

Gasoline. Gasoline prices are collected at the pump from a sample of full service, mini-service, and self-serve gas stations.

Approximate British Thermal Unit (BTU) values for some energy items are as follows, according to the source indicated:

1 therm = 100,000 BTU'S (U.S. Department of Energy).

1 kwh = 3,412 BTU'S (Edison Electric Institute)

1 gallon #2 fuel oil = 140,000 BTU'S (U.S. Department of Energy).

Food Prices

In the revised CPI, actual weighted average prices are calculated each month at the national level and for the four Census geographic regions. As a result of changes in price collection methodology and sample sizes, average prices for individual cities cannot in general be produced. It is hoped, however, that regional average prices will help satisfy the need for local area data. It should be noted, however, that the average food prices in this report reflect variations in brand, quality, and size among geographic areas. Users of average food prices should be aware that these differences exist.

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

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

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

Seasonally Adjusted and Unadjusted Data

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

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

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

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

Seasonal factors used in computing the seasonally adjusted indexes are derived by the X-11 Seasonal Adjustment Method. The updated seasonal data at the end of 1977 replaced data from 1967 through 1977. Subsequent annual updates have replaced 5 years of seasonal data, e.g., data from 1981 through 1985 were replaced at the end of 1985. The seasonal movement of all items and 44 other aggregations is derived by combining the seasonal movement of 51 selected components. Each year the seasonal status of every series is reevaluated based upon certain statistical criteria. If any of the 51 components change their seasonal adjustment status from seasonally adjusted to not seasonally adjusted, not seasonally adjusted data will be used for the last 5 years, but the seasonally adjusted indexes will be used before that period. If any of the 51 components change their status from not seasonally adjusted to seasonally adjusted, seasonally adjusted data will be used for the last 5 years, but not seasonally adjusted indexes will be used before that period.