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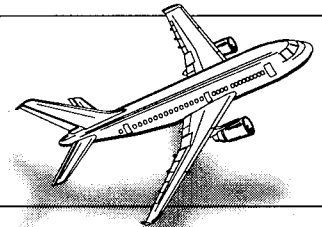
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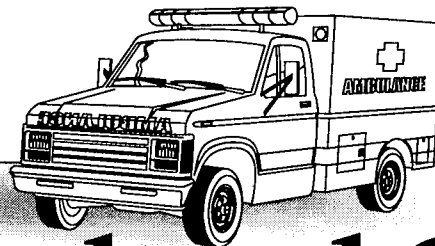
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Price Movements

September 2001

The Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U) rose 0.5 percent in September, before seasonal adjustment, to a level of 178.3 (1982-84=100). Over the 12-month period ended in September, the CPI-U increased 2.6 percent.

The Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W) increased 0.6 percent in September, prior to seasonal adjustment. The September level of 174.8 was 2.6 percent higher than the index in September 2000.

Following standard practice, price collection for the CPI was conducted throughout the month. Approximately two-thirds of the prices were collected after September 11.

CPI for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U)

On a seasonally adjusted basis, the CPI-U rose 0.4 percent in September, following a 0.1-percent increase in August. The energy index, which had declined in each of the preceding 3 months, turned up in September, advancing 2.6 percent. The index for petroleum-based energy rose 8.0 percent, more than offsetting a 2.2-percent decline in the index for energy services. The food index rose 0.2 percent in September, or at the same rate posted in August. Excluding food and energy, the CPI-U rose 0.2 percent for the third consecutive month. Upturns in the indexes for apparel and

for tobacco and smoking products were largely offset by a downturn in the index for lodging while away from home.

Consumer prices rose at a seasonally adjusted annual rate (SAAR) of 0.7 percent in the third quarter. This followed increases in the first and second quarters at annual rates of 4.0 and 3.7 percent, respectively, and brings the year-to-date annual rate to 2.8 percent. This compares with an increase of 3.4 percent for all of 2000. The index for energy, which registered double-digit increases in both 1999 and 2000, has decelerated sharply during the first 9 months of 2001, advancing at a 0.4-percent SAAR. In the first 9 months of 2001, petroleum-based energy costs decreased at a 1.7-percent SAAR, while charges for energy services rose at a 2.6-percent annual rate. The food index has risen at a 3.4-percent SAAR thus far in 2001, following a 2.8-percent increase for all of 2000. The index for food at home also has advanced at a 3.4-percent rate thus far in 2001. Among the major grocery store food groups, the index for dairy products has shown the sharpest advance—increasing at a 6.6-percent SAAR after declining 0.4 percent in all of 2000.

Excluding food and energy, the CPI-U advanced at a 2.4-percent SAAR in the third quarter, following increases of 3.5 and 2.6 percent, respectively, in the first two quarters of 2001. The 2.8-percent SAAR in the first 9 months of 2001 compares with a 2.6-percent rise for all of 2000. Contribut-

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

Expenditure category	Seasonally adjusted							Compound annual rate, 3 months ended September 2001	Unadjusted, 12 months ended September 2001
	Changes from preceding month								
	2001								
	March	April	May	June	July	August	September		
All items	0.1	0.3	0.4	0.2	-0.3	0.1	0.4	0.7	2.6
Food and beverages	.2	.2	.2	.4	.3	.2	.2	2.8	3.1
Housing	.2	.1	.4	.4	.0	.3	-.2	.2	3.5
Apparel	.4	-1.3	-.9	-.3	-.6	-.6	.6	-2.5	-2.8
Transportation	-.9	.9	1.2	-.2	-2.3	-.5	1.6	-4.5	.5
Medical care	.4	.4	.3	.4	.1	.5	.3	3.9	4.5
Recreation	-.1	.9	-.1	-.2	.2	.2	.1	1.9	1.3
Education and communication	.5	-.1	.1	.5	.5	.5	.0	3.9	3.6
Other goods and services	.1	1.3	-.4	.4	1.6	-.9	1.5	9.5	4.8
Special indexes:									
Energy	-2.1	1.8	3.1	-.9	-5.6	-1.9	2.6	-18.2	1.5
Food	.2	.1	.3	.4	.3	.2	.2	2.8	3.1
All items less food and energy	.2	.2	.1	.3	.2	.2	.2	2.4	2.6

ing to the slightly larger rate of increase this year were larger increases in the indexes for shelter and for tobacco and smoking products. Shelter costs have risen at a 4.0-percent SAAR thus far this year, after increasing 3.4 percent in all of 2000. The index for tobacco and smoking products advanced at a 16.2-percent SAAR in the first 9 months of 2001, following a 7.5-percent rise in 2000. The rates for selected groups for the last 7-3/4 years are shown in table Q3.

The food and beverages index increased 0.2 percent in September. The index for food at home, which rose 0.1 percent in August, increased 0.2 percent in September. Upturns in the indexes for fruits and vegetables and for meats, poultry, fish, and eggs more than offset downturns in the indexes for nonalcoholic beverages and for other food at home. The index for fruits and vegetables, which declined 0.6 percent in August, rose 1.3 percent in September. The indexes for fresh fruits and for fresh vegetables increased 1.6 and 2.0 percent, respectively, more than offsetting a 0.2-percent drop in prices for processed fruits and vegetables. The index for meats, poultry, fish, and eggs rose 0.1 percent, after declining 0.4 percent in August. Beef prices turned up in September, following declines in each of the preceding 2 months. The index for pork increased 0.9 percent, while poultry prices declined 1.3 percent. The indexes for nonalcoholic beverages and for other food at home declined 0.5 and 0.2 percent, respectively. The other two major food at home groups—dairy products and cereal and bakery products—rose 0.3 and 0.2 percent, respectively. The other two components of the food and beverages index—food away from home and alcoholic beverages—increased 0.2 and 0.1 percent, respectively.

The housing index, which increased 0.3 percent in August, declined 0.2 percent in September. Shelter costs were unchanged in September, following a 0.5-percent rise in August. Within shelter, the indexes for rent and for owners'

Table Q3. Annual percent changes in the CPI for All Urban Consumers, 1994-2001

Category	Percentage change							SAAR 9 mos. ended in Sept 2001
	12 months ended in December							
	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	
All items	2.7	2.5	3.3	1.7	1.6	2.7	3.4	2.8
Food and beverages	2.7	2.1	4.2	1.6	2.3	2.0	2.8	3.3
Housing	2.2	3.0	2.9	2.4	2.3	2.2	4.3	3.2
Apparel	-1.6	.1	-2	1.0	-7	-5	-1.8	-3.0
Transportation ...	3.8	1.5	4.4	-1.4	-1.7	5.4	4.1	.8
Medical care	4.9	3.9	3.0	2.8	3.4	3.7	4.2	4.8
Recreation	1.4	2.8	3.0	1.5	1.2	.8	1.7	1.8
Education and communication .	3.3	4.0	3.4	3.0	.7	1.6	1.3	3.2
Other goods and services ...	4.2	4.3	3.6	5.2	8.8	5.1	4.2	6.8
Special indexes:								
Energy	2.2	-1.3	8.6	-3.4	-8.8	13.4	14.2	0.4
Energy commodities .	5.2	-3.3	13.8	-6.9	-15.1	29.5	15.7	-1.7
Energy services	-6	.8	3.8	.2	-3.3	1.2	12.7	2.6
All items less energy	2.6	2.9	2.9	2.1	2.4	2.0	2.6	2.8
Food	2.9	2.1	4.3	1.5	2.3	1.9	2.8	3.4
All items less food and energy	2.6	3.0	2.6	2.2	2.4	1.9	2.6	2.8

equivalent rent rose 0.4 and 0.2 percent, respectively, while the index for lodging away from home declined 3.1 percent. The index for fuels and utilities declined for the third consecutive month—down 1.6 percent in September. The indexes for natural gas and for electricity fell 5.5 and 0.6 percent, respectively, more than offsetting a 0.2-percent increase in the index for fuel oil. (Prior to seasonal adjustment, fuel oil prices rose 3.4 percent.) The index for household furnishings and operations, which declined 0.1 percent in August, increased 0.1 percent in September.

The transportation component, which declined in each of the preceding 3 months, turned up in September, advancing

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

Expenditure category	Seasonally adjusted								Unadjusted, 12 months ended September 2001	
	Changes from preceding month							Compound annual rate, 3 months ended September 2001		
		2001								
	March	April	May	June	July	August	September			
All items	0.0	0.4	0.3	0.2	-0.3	0.0	0.5	0.7	2.6	
Food and beverages	.2	.2	.2	.4	.3	.2	.2	3.0	3.1	
Housing	.2	.1	.4	.3	.1	.1	-.1	.5	3.5	
Apparel	.5	-1.2	-.9	-.3	-.6	-.5	.6	-2.2	-2.4	
Transportation	-.9	1.0	1.3	-.5	-2.5	-.3	1.8	-4.3	.6	
Medical care	.4	.3	.3	.3	.2	.6	.3	4.2	4.5	
Recreation	.0	.8	-.1	-.2	.3	.1	.0	1.6	1.0	
Education and communication	.5	.0	.1	.5	.5	.4	.0	3.5	3.5	
Other goods and services	.1	1.7	-.5	.4	2.1	-1.3	1.9	11.0	5.2	
Special indexes:										
Energy	-2.3	2.3	3.4	-1.3	-6.2	-1.6	3.3	-17.2	1.3	
Food	.2	.2	.2	.4	.3	.2	.2	3.0	3.1	
All items less food and energy	.2	.2	.1	.3	.3	.1	.3	2.7	2.6	

1.6 percent. An 8.6-percent rise in the September index for gasoline was responsible for the increase. Prior to their September advance, gasoline prices had declined 17.0 percent in the 3-month period following the posting of a peak level in May 2001. The index for new vehicles was unchanged in September. Price declines on 2001 models were offset by price increases associated with the 2002 models. (About 13 percent of the new vehicle sample in September was represented by 2002 models.) The index for used cars and trucks declined for the sixth consecutive month, falling 0.8 percent in September. Airline fares declined for the third consecutive month following a sharp increase in June; they were down 0.7 percent in September.

The index for apparel advanced 0.6 percent in September, following declines in each of the preceding 5 months. (Prior to seasonal adjustment, apparel prices rose 3.4 percent, reflecting price increases associated with the introduction of fall-winter wear.)

Medical care costs rose 0.3 percent in September to a level 4.5 percent higher than a year ago. In September, the index for medical care commodities—prescription drugs, nonprescription drugs, and medical supplies—increased 0.3 percent. The index for medical care services also rose 0.3 percent. Charges for professional services and for hospital and related services increased 0.2 and 0.6 percent, respectively.

The index for recreation increased 0.1 percent in September. Increases in the September indexes for recreational

services—club membership dues and fees for participant sports and admissions to movies, theaters, concerts, and sporting events—more than offset declines in the indexes for video and audio; for pets, pet products, and services; and for sporting goods.

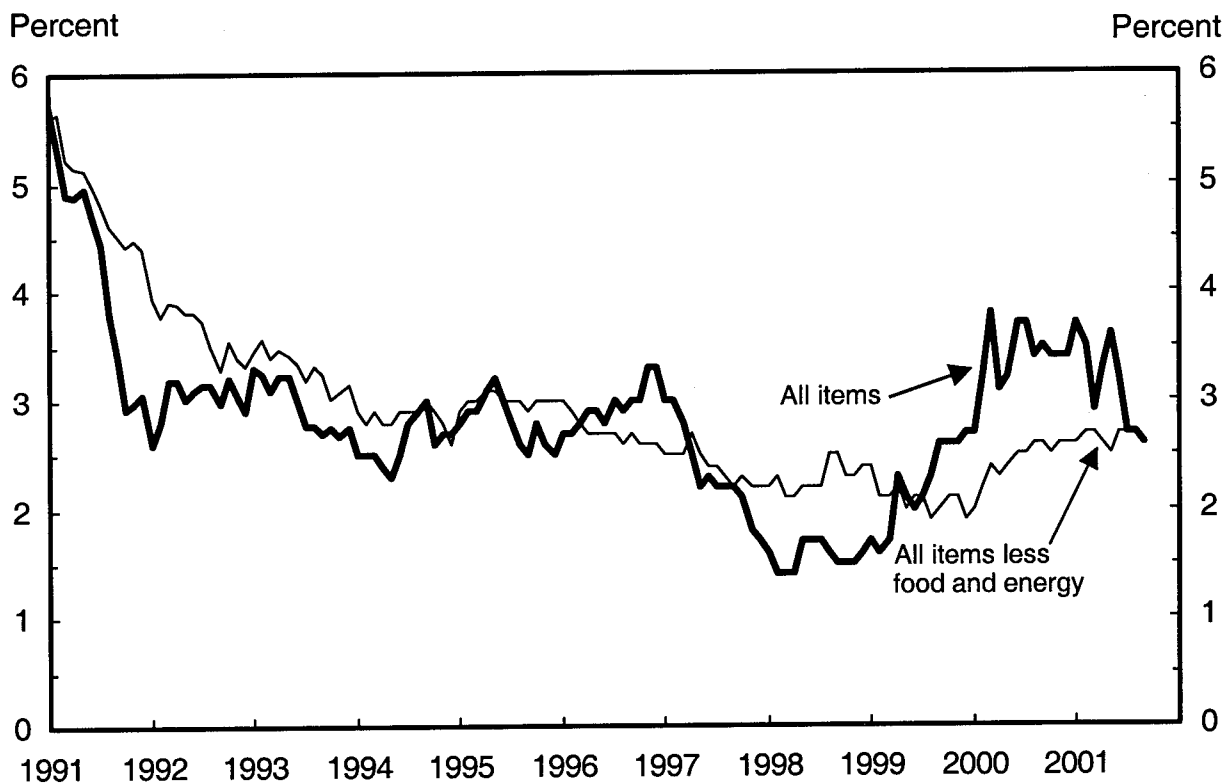
The index for education and communication was unchanged in September, following a 0.5-percent increase in August. In September, educational costs rose 0.4 percent, while the index for communication declined 0.4 percent. Within the former group, the indexes for tuition and other school fees and for educational books and supplies increased 0.3 and 1.8 percent, respectively. (Prior to seasonal adjustment, these indexes rose 1.8 and 2.5 percent, respectively.) Within the index for communication, the indexes for telephone services and for personal computers and peripheral equipment declined 0.4 and 4.0 percent, respectively.

The index for other goods and services, which fell 0.9 percent in August, rose 1.5 percent in September. The index for tobacco and smoking products—up 4.6 percent in September after declining 3.8 percent in August—was responsible for both the August decline and the September increase in this major group.

CPI for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W)

On a seasonally adjusted basis, the CPI for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers rose 0.5 percent in September.

CPI-U 12-month changes, 1991 to present



Planned Changes in the Consumer Price Index in 2002

Expenditure weight update

As announced in December 1998, the Bureau of Labor Statistics (BLS) will update the consumption expenditure weights in the Consumer Price Index for all Urban Consumers (CPI-U) and in the Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W) to the 1999-2000 period, effective with release of data for January 2002. These new weights will replace the 1993-95 weights, which were first used in the index effective with January 1998 data. Additionally, CPI expenditure weights will be updated at 2-year intervals subsequent to the 2002 updating. Thus, for example, CPI expenditure weights will be updated to the 2001-02 period, effective with release of CPI data for January 2004.

Historically, the introduction of a comprehensive new set of expenditure weights attached to the categories of goods and services in the CPI *market basket* has taken place in the context of the periodic major revisions of the index. Such major revisions have taken place approximately once each decade—in 1940, 1953, 1964, 1978, 1987 and, most recently, in 1998.

The goal in employing current expenditure weights is to have the CPI reflect, as much as possible, the inflation currently experienced by consumers. More specifically, the use of current weights will help to ensure that the relative importance of CPI item categories, such as food away from home, college tuition, and medical care services, more accurately reflects how consumers are allocating their spending.

Publication of overlap CPIs

For the first 6 months of 2002, BLS will continue to calcu-

late and publish selected CPI-U and CPI-W *overlap* indexes on a not seasonally adjusted basis. These indexes will be compiled using the 1993-95 expenditure pattern that was introduced into the CPI in 1998. Comparison of these index series to the corresponding updated series will enable users of the CPI to observe the effects of the expenditure weight change. The subsequent expenditure updates scheduled in 2004 and every 2 years thereafter also will be accompanied by the publication of overlap indexes for a 6-month period using the previous expenditure pattern.

Publication of CPI for the Phoenix area

Effective with release of the July 2002 Consumer Price Index (CPI), BLS will initiate publication of consumer price data specific to the Phoenix-Mesa, AZ, Metropolitan Statistical Area. As with the national CPI and other local area CPIs, data will be published for each of two population groups, all urban consumers (CPI-U) and urban wage earners and clerical workers (CPI-W). The Phoenix-Mesa CPI will be published on a semiannual basis with a reference base of December 2001 = 100. The same amount of item detail will be available for Phoenix-Mesa as is presently available for all other areas for which data are published on a semiannual basis.

Change to published item structure

Effective with release of the January 2002 CPI, BLS will begin publishing an item index for leased cars and trucks. This index series will be available monthly at the U.S. City Average area level for both the CPI-U and CPI-W with a December 2001 = 100 reference base.

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

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Relative importance, December 2000	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Sep. 2001 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Aug. 2001	Sep. 2001	Sep. 2000	Aug. 2001	June to July	July to Aug.	Aug. to Sep.
Expenditure category								
All items	100.000	177.5	178.3	2.6	0.5	-0.3	0.1	0.4
All items (1967=100)	-	531.8	534.0	-	-	-	-	-
Food and beverages	16.198	174.4	174.6	3.1	.1	.3	.2	.2
Food	15.217	173.9	174.1	3.1	.1	.3	.2	.2
Food at home	9.560	174.2	174.3	3.1	.1	.3	.1	.2
Cereals and bakery products	1.522	195.9	195.1	3.4	-.4	.4	.4	.2
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	2.573	162.4	162.4	3.5	.0	.3	-.4	.1
Dairy and related products ¹	1.050	168.9	169.4	4.8	.3	.8	.4	.3
Fruits and vegetables	1.454	208.8	212.1	3.7	1.6	.0	-.6	1.3
Nonalcoholic beverages and beverage materials	1.026	140.0	139.2	.9	-.6	.1	.9	-.5
Other food at home	1.935	161.0	160.2	2.2	-.5	.6	.2	-.2
Sugar and sweets	.363	156.1	156.6	1.3	.3	.4	.0	.1
Fats and oils	.288	158.5	158.5	6.6	.0	.2	.4	.3
Other foods	1.283	177.6	176.2	1.6	-.8	.6	.3	-.4
Other miscellaneous foods ^{1 2}	.312	109.5	108.9	1.1	-.5	1.8	-.1	-.5
Food away from home ¹	5.658	174.7	175.1	3.0	.2	.3	.3	.2
Other food away from home ^{1 2}	.177	114.3	115.3	4.8	.9	1.1	.4	.9
Alcoholic beverages	.981	180.0	180.4	2.8	.2	.3	.3	.1
Housing	39.980	178.0	177.4	3.5	-.3	.0	.3	-.2
Shelter	30.251	202.4	202.0	3.8	-.2	.1	.5	.0
Rent of primary residence ³	7.079	193.1	193.9	4.6	.4	.4	.4	.4
Lodging away from home ^{2 3}	2.346	125.2	116.8	-1.1	-6.7	-1.8	1.0	-3.1
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence ^{3 4}	20.460	207.3	208.1	4.1	.4	.3	.5	.2
Tenants' and household insurance ^{1 2}	.366	106.6	106.7	2.4	.1	-.4	.0	.1
Fuels and utilities	5.123	152.7	150.6	4.7	-1.4	-.9	-1.0	-1.6
Fuels	4.199	138.0	135.7	5.1	-1.7	-1.1	-1.3	-2.0
Fuel oil and other fuels	.361	122.1	125.3	-6.3	2.6	-2.6	-1.0	.5
Gas (piped) and electricity ³	3.838	146.0	143.1	6.2	-2.0	-1.0	-1.4	-2.2
Water and sewer and trash collection services ²	.924	110.2	110.4	3.0	.2	.3	.5	.2
Household furnishings and operations	4.605	129.1	129.4	.3	.2	.0	-.1	.1
Household operations ^{1 2}	.935	116.3	116.5	4.1	.2	.3	.4	.2
Apparel	4.453	122.6	126.8	-2.8	3.4	-.6	-.6	.6
Men's and boys' apparel	1.257	121.4	123.7	-4.2	1.9	-.9	-1.6	.6
Women's and girls' apparel	1.787	112.1	120.3	-3.1	7.3	-.7	-.5	1.5
Infants' and toddlers' apparel ¹	.254	126.3	129.3	1.5	2.4	-2.2	1.4	2.4
Footwear	.801	121.9	122.9	-1.6	.8	.3	.7	-.4
Transportation	17.567	153.3	155.5	.5	1.4	-2.3	-.5	1.6
Private transportation	16.157	148.8	151.2	.5	1.6	-2.3	-.5	1.7
New and used motor vehicles ²	7.477	100.5	100.2	-.2	-.3	-.1	-.1	-.3
New vehicles	4.677	140.3	140.2	-.8	-.1	.0	-.2	.0
Used cars and trucks	1.887	158.0	157.3	.7	-.4	-.4	-.2	-.8
Motor fuel	3.482	121.9	131.4	-2.8	7.8	-10.9	-2.4	8.8
Gasoline (all types)	3.458	121.2	130.7	-2.7	7.8	-11.0	-2.4	8.6
Motor vehicle parts and equipment	.527	104.9	105.2	3.4	.3	.7	-.2	.1
Motor vehicle maintenance and repair	1.623	184.0	185.1	3.6	.6	.4	.3	.4
Public transportation	1.410	213.7	212.7	-.1	-.5	-1.1	.1	-.4
Medical care	5.813	274.4	275.0	4.5	.2	.1	.5	.3
Medical care commodities	1.261	249.1	249.6	4.3	.2	.2	.3	.3
Medical care services	4.552	280.5	281.0	4.6	.2	.1	.6	.3
Professional services ³	2.876	247.7	247.9	3.6	.1	.2	.5	.2
Hospital and related services ³	1.424	341.2	342.6	6.2	.4	.2	.7	.6

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Relative importance, December 2000	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Sep. 2001 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Aug. 2001	Sep. 2001	Sep. 2000	Aug. 2001	June to July	July to Aug.	Aug. to Sep.
Expenditure category								
Recreation ²	5.908	105.1	105.2	1.3	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.1
Video and audio ²	1.646	101.7	101.3	-2	-4	.5	-1	-1
Education and communication ²	5.311	105.8	106.6	3.6	.8	.5	.5	.0
Education ²	2.801	119.5	121.7	5.9	1.8	.4	.9	.4
Educational books and supplies	.212	298.0	305.4	7.2	2.5	.7	.7	1.8
Tuition, other school fees, and childcare	2.589	343.9	350.0	5.8	1.8	.4	.9	.3
Communication ^{1 2}	2.510	93.5	93.1	1.1	-4	.5	-1	-4
Information and information processing ^{1 2}	2.312	92.4	92.0	.8	-4	.4	-1	-4
Telephone services ^{1 2}	2.150	99.6	99.2	2.3	-4	.6	.0	-4
Information and information processing other than telephone services ^{1 5}	.163	20.7	20.3	-18.8	-1.9	-.5	-2.8	-1.9
Personal computers and peripheral equipment ^{1 2}	.079	27.8	26.7	-31.4	-4.0	-1.7	-5.1	-4.0
Other goods and services	4.769	283.3	287.8	4.8	1.6	1.6	-.9	1.5
Tobacco and smoking products ¹	1.308	424.6	444.0	8.8	4.6	4.8	-3.8	4.6
Personal care ¹	3.461	171.2	171.9	3.2	.4	.4	.3	.4
Personal care products ¹	.731	154.7	155.5	.8	.5	.3	-.3	.5
Personal care services ¹	.987	185.2	185.5	3.1	.2	.4	.2	.2
Miscellaneous personal services	1.510	265.5	266.4	4.9	.3	.7	.9	.4
Commodity and service group								
Commodities	41.828	149.8	151.5	.8	1.1	-.8	-.3	.9
Food and beverages	16.198	174.4	174.6	3.1	.1	.3	.2	.2
Commodities less food and beverages	25.629	135.4	138.0	-.6	1.9	-1.5	-.7	1.5
Nondurables less food and beverages	15.056	144.8	149.6	-.2	3.3	-2.3	-1.2	2.1
Apparel	4.453	122.6	126.8	-2.8	3.4	-.6	-.6	.6
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel	10.603	162.1	167.5	1.0	3.3	-3.1	-1.3	3.1
Durables	10.573	123.6	123.4	-1.1	-2	-.2	-.2	-.2
Services	58.172	205.2	204.9	3.9	-.1	.1	.4	-.1
Rent of shelter ⁴	29.885	210.8	210.3	3.8	-2	.1	.4	.1
Tenants' and household insurance ^{1 2}	.366	106.6	106.7	2.4	.1	-.4	.0	.1
Gas (piped) and electricity ³	3.838	146.0	143.1	6.2	-2.0	-1.0	-1.4	-2.2
Water and sewer and trash collection services ²	.924	110.2	110.4	3.0	.2	.3	.5	.2
Household operations ^{1 2}	.935	116.3	116.5	4.1	.2	.3	.4	.2
Transportation services	6.903	202.7	202.8	2.8	.0	.1	.3	.1
Medical care services	4.552	280.5	281.0	4.6	.2	.1	.6	.3
Other services	10.768	239.4	240.6	3.9	.5	.4	.5	.2
Special Indexes								
All items less food	84.783	178.2	179.0	2.5	.4	-.4	.1	.4
All items less shelter	69.749	169.7	170.9	2.1	.7	-.5	-.1	.5
All items less medical care	94.187	172.3	173.0	2.5	.4	-.3	.1	.3
Commodities less food	26.610	137.2	139.7	-.4	1.8	-1.4	-.7	1.5
Nondurables less food	16.037	146.9	151.5	.0	3.1	-2.2	-1.0	2.0
Nondurables less food and apparel	11.584	163.0	168.0	1.1	3.1	-2.8	-1.2	2.7
Nondurables	31.255	159.7	162.3	1.4	1.6	-1.0	-.6	1.2
Services less rent of shelter ⁴	28.287	214.0	213.9	4.0	.0	.0	.2	.0
Services less medical care services	53.620	198.4	198.1	3.9	-.2	.1	.3	-.1
Energy	7.681	129.4	132.5	1.5	2.4	-5.6	-1.9	2.6
All items less energy	92.319	184.1	184.5	2.7	.2	.3	.2	.2
All items less food and energy	77.102	186.6	187.1	2.6	.3	.2	.2	.2
Commodities less food and energy commodities	22.768	143.8	145.2	.1	1.0	.1	-.4	.3
Energy commodities	3.843	122.0	131.0	-3.1	7.4	-10.3	-2.4	8.0
Services less energy services	54.334	211.2	211.2	3.8	.0	.2	.5	.1
Purchasing power of the consumer dollar (1982-84=\$1.00)	-	\$.563	\$.561	-	-	-	-	-
Purchasing power of the consumer dollar (1967=\$1.00)	-	\$.188	\$.187	-	-	-	-	-

¹ Not seasonally adjusted.

² Indexes on a December 1997=100 base.

³ This index series was calculated using a Laspeyres estimator. All other item stratum index series converted to a geometric means estimator in January, 1999.

⁴ Indexes on a December 1982=100 base.

⁵ Indexes on a December 1988=100 base.

- Data not available.

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

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

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Seasonally adjusted indexes				Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for					
					3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
	June 2001	July 2001	Aug. 2001	Sep. 2001	Dec. 2000	Mar. 2001	June 2001	Sep. 2001	Mar. 2001	Sep. 2001
Expenditure category										
All items	177.9	177.4	177.5	178.2	2.3	4.0	3.7	0.7	3.1	2.2
Food and beverages	173.5	174.1	174.4	174.7	2.4	3.8	3.3	2.8	3.1	3.0
Food	173.2	173.8	174.1	174.4	2.1	4.1	3.3	2.8	3.1	3.0
Food at home	173.4	174.0	174.1	174.5	2.6	4.1	3.5	2.6	3.3	3.0
Cereals and bakery products	193.4	194.1	194.9	195.3	5.0	3.0	1.9	4.0	4.0	2.9
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	161.7	162.2	161.6	161.8	.3	9.8	4.1	.2	4.9	2.1
Dairy and related products ¹	166.9	168.3	168.9	169.4	-.2	4.3	9.4	6.1	2.0	7.7
Fruits and vegetables	214.0	214.0	212.7	215.5	10.2	-.9	3.0	2.8	4.5	2.9
Nonalcoholic beverages and beverage materials	138.8	139.0	140.3	139.6	-.6	.6	1.2	2.3	.0	1.7
Other food at home	159.4	160.3	160.7	160.4	1.0	3.9	1.8	2.5	2.4	2.2
Sugar and sweets	155.5	156.1	156.1	156.3	.8	1.8	.8	2.1	1.3	1.4
Fats and oils	157.2	157.5	158.2	158.7	6.0	5.7	11.1	3.9	5.9	7.4
Other foods	175.2	176.3	176.9	176.2	.0	4.0	.2	2.3	2.0	1.3
Other miscellaneous foods ^{1 2}	107.7	109.6	109.5	108.9	4.5	-1.8	-2.6	4.5	1.3	.9
Food away from home ¹	173.6	174.1	174.7	175.1	1.9	3.6	3.1	3.5	2.7	3.3
Other food away from home ^{1 2}	112.6	113.8	114.3	115.3	4.1	1.8	3.6	9.9	2.9	6.7
Alcoholic beverages	179.1	179.7	180.2	180.4	2.5	1.6	3.9	2.9	2.1	3.4
Housing	176.6	176.6	177.1	176.7	4.3	5.7	3.7	.2	5.0	2.0
Shelter	200.3	200.5	201.6	201.6	3.1	4.8	4.7	2.6	4.0	3.7
Rent of primary residence ³	191.8	192.5	193.2	193.9	4.4	4.8	4.7	4.5	4.6	4.6
Lodging away from home ^{2 3}	113.1	111.1	112.2	108.7	-2.5	9.1	5.9	-14.7	3.1	-5.0
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence ^{3 4}	205.9	206.5	207.6	208.1	3.4	4.0	4.6	4.3	3.7	4.5
Tenants' and household insurance ^{1 2}	107.0	106.6	106.6	106.7	1.9	2.7	6.2	-1.1	2.3	2.5
Fuels and utilities	152.6	151.3	149.8	147.4	14.7	17.8	1.9	-12.9	16.2	-5.8
Fuels	137.5	136.0	134.2	131.5	17.3	21.5	1.8	-16.3	19.4	-7.7
Fuel oil and other fuels	132.3	128.8	127.5	128.2	22.8	-25.5	-4.1	-11.8	-4.3	-8.1
Gas (piped) and electricity ³	144.9	143.5	141.5	138.4	16.9	26.4	2.5	-16.8	21.6	-7.6
Water and sewer and trash collection services ²	109.0	109.3	109.9	110.1	3.4	2.6	1.5	4.1	3.0	2.8
Household furnishings and operations	129.1	129.1	129.0	129.1	.9	-.6	.6	.0	.2	.3
Household operations ^{1 2}	115.5	115.8	116.3	116.5	2.2	10.0	1.0	3.5	6.0	2.3
Apparel	126.9	126.1	125.4	126.1	-2.1	3.8	-9.8	-2.5	.8	-6.2
Men's and boys' apparel	126.3	125.2	123.2	123.9	-2.8	-4.6	-1.9	-7.4	-3.7	-4.7
Women's and girls' apparel	118.3	117.5	116.9	118.7	-3.5	9.2	-17.2	1.4	2.6	-8.4
Infants' and toddlers' apparel ¹	127.3	124.5	126.3	129.3	2.5	11.0	-12.4	6.4	6.7	-3.5
Footwear	122.2	122.6	123.4	122.9	-2.2	3.6	-9.5	2.3	.6	-3.8
Transportation	157.7	154.1	153.4	155.9	-.3	-.8	8.0	-4.5	-.5	1.6
Private transportation	153.4	149.8	149.1	151.7	-.3	.0	7.1	-4.4	-.1	1.2
New and used motor vehicles ²	101.6	101.5	101.4	101.1	2.8	1.6	-3.1	-2.0	2.2	-2.5
New vehicles	141.8	141.8	141.5	141.5	.3	-1.7	-1.1	-.8	-.7	-1.0
Used cars and trucks	158.9	158.3	158.0	156.7	9.3	7.2	-7.2	-5.4	8.3	-6.3
Motor fuel	138.0	122.9	119.9	130.4	-9.8	-10.0	38.1	-20.3	-9.9	4.9
Gasoline (all types)	137.2	122.1	119.2	129.5	-9.0	-10.3	38.4	-20.6	-9.7	4.8
Motor vehicle parts and equipment	104.6	105.3	105.1	105.2	4.8	6.8	.0	2.3	5.8	1.2
Motor vehicle maintenance and repair	182.9	183.6	184.1	184.9	2.9	4.1	2.7	4.4	3.5	3.6
Public transportation	216.0	213.6	213.9	213.1	-.9	-10.6	18.3	-5.3	-5.9	5.9
Medical care	272.7	273.0	274.5	275.3	3.5	6.2	4.4	3.9	4.8	4.1
Medical care commodities	247.6	248.0	248.8	249.6	3.2	6.1	4.5	3.3	4.6	3.9
Medical care services	278.3	278.6	280.2	281.0	3.8	6.2	4.3	3.9	5.0	4.1
Professional services ³	246.0	246.5	247.7	248.1	3.0	5.1	2.8	3.5	4.0	3.1
Hospital and related services ³	337.6	338.3	340.5	342.6	4.7	7.6	6.8	6.1	6.1	6.4

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Seasonally adjusted indexes				Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for					
					3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
	June 2001	July 2001	Aug. 2001	Sep. 2001	Dec. 2000	Mar. 2001	June 2001	Sep. 2001	Mar. 2001	Sep. 2001
Expenditure category										
Recreation ²	104.6	104.8	105.0	105.1	0.4	1.2	2.3	1.9	0.8	2.1
Video and audio ^{1 2}	101.1	101.6	101.5	101.4	-1.6	.4	-8	1.2	-6	.2
Education and communication ²	105.1	105.6	106.1	106.1	4.8	3.9	1.9	3.9	4.3	2.9
Education ²	118.6	119.1	120.2	120.7	6.1	3.9	6.7	7.3	5.0	7.0
Educational books and supplies	295.4	297.5	299.5	304.8	2.4	5.4	8.1	13.3	3.9	10.7
Tuition, other school fees, and childcare	339.9	341.3	344.3	345.5	6.1	3.9	6.5	6.8	5.0	6.6
Communication ^{1 2}	93.1	93.6	93.5	93.1	4.0	3.0	-2.5	.0	3.5	-1.3
Information and information processing ^{1 2}	92.1	92.5	92.4	92.0	4.0	2.2	-2.6	-.4	3.1	-1.5
Telephone services ^{1 2}	99.0	99.6	99.6	99.2	5.9	4.1	-1.6	.8	5.0	-.4
Information and information processing other than telephone services ^{1 5}	21.4	21.3	20.7	20.3	-17.9	-20.1	-18.2	-19.0	-19.0	-18.6
Personal computers and peripheral equipment ^{1 2}	29.8	29.3	27.8	26.7	-22.5	-37.9	-28.4	-35.6	-30.6	-32.1
Other goods and services	281.9	286.5	284.0	288.4	-1.0	5.5	5.3	9.5	2.2	7.4
Tobacco and smoking products ¹	421.0	441.2	424.6	444.0	-10.7	11.7	13.7	23.7	-.1	18.6
Personal care ¹	170.0	170.7	171.2	171.9	2.9	3.1	2.1	4.5	3.0	3.3
Personal care products ¹	154.6	155.1	154.7	155.5	3.1	.5	-2.8	2.3	1.8	-.3
Personal care services ¹	184.1	184.8	185.2	185.5	3.1	2.0	4.2	3.1	2.6	3.7
Miscellaneous personal services	261.5	263.2	265.5	266.6	3.7	4.0	3.9	8.0	3.8	6.0
Commodity and service group										
Commodities	151.9	150.7	150.2	151.6	.0	1.1	2.9	-.8	.5	1.1
Food and beverages	173.5	174.1	174.4	174.7	2.4	3.8	3.3	2.8	3.1	3.0
Commodities less food and beverages	139.2	137.1	136.1	138.1	-1.4	-.6	2.9	-3.1	-1.0	-.1
Nondurables less food and beverages	150.7	147.2	145.5	148.6	-.3	-2.4	7.8	-5.5	-1.3	.9
Apparel	126.9	126.1	125.4	126.1	-2.1	3.8	-9.8	-2.5	.8	-6.2
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel	168.8	163.5	161.4	166.4	.7	-4.5	14.7	-5.6	-1.9	4.1
Durables	124.6	124.4	124.1	123.8	1.0	-.3	-2.5	-2.5	.3	-2.5
Services	203.7	203.9	204.7	204.5	3.9	5.8	4.2	1.6	4.8	2.9
Rent of shelter ⁴	209.0	209.3	210.1	210.3	3.2	4.6	4.9	2.5	3.9	3.7
Tenants' and household insurance ^{1 2}	107.0	106.6	106.6	106.7	1.9	2.7	6.2	-1.1	2.3	2.5
Gas (piped) and electricity ³	144.9	143.5	141.5	138.4	16.9	26.4	2.5	-16.8	21.6	-7.6
Water and sewer and trash collection services ²	109.0	109.3	109.9	110.1	3.4	2.6	1.5	4.1	3.0	2.8
Household operations ^{1 2}	115.5	115.8	116.3	116.5	2.2	10.0	1.0	3.5	6.0	2.3
Transportation services	202.4	202.6	203.3	203.5	1.6	1.8	5.7	2.2	1.7	3.9
Medical care services	278.3	278.6	280.2	281.0	3.8	6.2	4.3	3.9	5.0	4.1
Other services	237.7	238.7	239.8	240.3	3.9	4.0	3.4	4.4	3.9	3.9
Special indexes										
All items less food	178.6	177.9	178.0	178.7	2.3	3.7	3.9	.2	3.0	2.0
All items less shelter	170.8	170.0	169.8	170.6	1.9	3.4	3.3	-.5	2.6	1.4
All items less medical care	172.5	172.0	172.1	172.7	2.2	3.6	3.8	.5	2.9	2.1
Commodities less food	140.9	138.9	137.9	139.9	-1.1	-.6	2.9	-2.8	-.9	.0
Nondurables less food	152.5	149.1	147.6	150.6	.0	-2.6	8.0	-4.9	-1.3	1.3
Nondurables less food and apparel	169.1	164.4	162.5	166.9	.5	-3.8	13.9	-5.1	-1.7	3.9
Nondurables	162.7	161.0	160.0	161.9	.8	1.0	6.1	-2.0	.9	2.0
Services less rent of shelter ⁴	213.0	213.0	213.4	213.3	4.4	6.9	4.2	.6	5.6	2.4
Services less medical care services	197.0	197.2	197.8	197.7	3.8	5.7	4.4	1.4	4.8	2.9
Energy	136.5	128.9	126.5	129.8	3.8	6.0	16.8	-18.2	4.9	-2.3
All items less energy	183.6	184.1	184.4	184.7	2.2	3.4	2.7	2.4	2.8	2.5
All items less food and energy	186.3	186.6	187.0	187.4	2.0	3.5	2.6	2.4	2.8	2.5
Commodities less food and energy commodities	145.2	145.4	144.8	145.3	.0	1.4	-1.6	.3	.7	-.7
Energy commodities	137.4	123.3	120.4	130.0	-7.2	-11.6	34.0	-19.9	-9.5	3.6
Services less energy services	209.6	210.0	211.0	211.2	3.2	4.2	4.5	3.1	3.7	3.8

¹ Not seasonally adjusted.

² Indexes on a December 1997=100 base.

³ This index series was calculated using a Laspeyres estimator. All other item stratum index series converted to a geometric means estimator in

January, 1999.

⁴ Indexes on a December 1982=100 base.

⁵ Indexes on a December 1988=100 base.

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

Table 3. Consumer Price Index for all Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, detailed expenditure categories

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and Group	Relative importance, December 2000	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Sep. 2001 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Aug. 2001	Sep. 2001	Sep. 2000	Aug. 2001	June to July	July to Aug.	Aug. to Sep.
Expenditure category								
All items	100.000	177.5	178.3	2.6	0.5	-0.3	0.1	0.4
All items (1967=100)	-	531.8	534.0	-	-	-	-	-
Food and beverages	16.198	174.4	174.6	3.1	.1	.3	.2	.2
Food	15.217	173.9	174.1	3.1	.1	.3	.2	.2
Food at home	9.560	174.2	174.3	3.1	.1	.3	.1	.2
Cereals and bakery products	1.522	195.9	195.1	3.4	-4	.4	.4	.2
Cereals and cereal products	.526	181.6	179.9	1.9	-9	.1	.9	-4
Flour and prepared flour mixes	.066	171.2	165.8	.4	-3.2	.5	.2	-2.4
Breakfast cereal	.309	202.3	201.1	2.2	-6	1.0	.5	.1
Rice, pasta, cornmeal ¹	.151	156.4	155.4	2.0	-6	-1.3	1.6	-6
Rice ^{1 2 3}	-	98.3	97.7	-2.3	-6	.4	-3	-6
Bakery products	.996	202.8	202.6	4.2	-1	.1	.7	.2
Bread ^{1 2}	.294	113.2	113.5	5.9	.3	1.0	-4	.3
White bread ^{1 3}	-	209.0	209.7	6.2	.3	.7	-7	.3
Bread other than white ^{1 3}	-	215.2	215.6	4.7	.2	1.1	.5	.2
Fresh biscuits, rolls, muffins ^{1 2}	.144	111.9	111.4	3.8	-4	-5	1.0	-4
Cakes, cupcakes, and cookies	.268	190.7	192.5	2.7	.9	.2	.1	1.9
Cookies ³	-	190.5	192.2	2.9	.9	-7	1.2	2.0
Fresh cakes and cupcakes ^{1 3}	-	192.7	194.4	4.5	.9	.6	-3	.9
Other bakery products	.290	203.8	201.4	4.2	-1.2	-2	1.7	-8
Fresh sweetrolls, coffeecakes, doughnuts ^{1 3}	-	194.2	195.7	5.0	.8	-1	.9	.8
Crackers, bread, and cracker products ³	-	240.7	234.7	2.6	-2.5	-4	2.5	-8
Frozen and refrigerated bakery products, pies, tarts, turnovers ³	-	204.3	202.6	6.2	-8	-8	.6	.4
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	2.573	162.4	162.4	3.5	.0	.3	-4	.1
Meats, poultry, and fish	2.457	163.7	163.8	3.7	.1	.4	-3	.1
Meats	1.651	160.7	161.5	5.0	.5	.1	-4	.5
Beef and veal ¹	.758	161.0	161.1	7.3	.1	-2	-7	.1
Uncooked ground beef ¹	.288	135.7	136.8	8.4	.8	-1.2	.5	.8
Uncooked beef roasts ^{1 2}	.134	119.0	118.2	7.7	-7	.8	.3	-7
Uncooked beef steaks ^{1 2}	.285	118.7	118.2	6.1	-4	.2	-2.5	-4
Uncooked other beef and veal ^{1 2}	.051	114.2	114.0	5.3	-2	.3	.9	-2
Pork	.559	166.3	167.8	4.0	.9	.4	.2	.9
Bacon, breakfast sausage, and related products ^{1 2}	.191	115.3	116.8	4.0	1.3	1.1	1.9	1.3
Bacon and related products ³	-	192.6	194.9	4.6	1.2	.6	2.2	.3
Breakfast sausage and related products ^{1 2 3}	-	110.2	112.2	3.5	1.8	.3	.4	1.8
Ham	.125	161.9	162.8	2.6	.6	.7	.0	.4
Ham, excluding canned ³	-	175.5	176.9	2.6	.8	.5	.1	.5
Pork chops	.125	161.9	161.8	4.1	-1	1.2	-1.0	.6
Other pork including roasts and picnics ^{1 2}	.117	103.6	105.2	5.3	1.5	.5	.1	1.5
Other meats ¹	.333	155.6	157.0	1.7	.9	.3	-4	.9
Frankfurters ^{1 3}	-	153.3	151.2	-2.8	-1.4	1.5	-6	-1.4
Lunchmeats ^{1 2 3}	-	105.6	106.0	2.9	.4	-8	.5	.4
Lamb and organ meats ^{1 3}	-	173.3	174.4	.2	.6	-3	-1.1	.6
Lamb and mutton ^{1 2 3}	-	109.8	103.7	-5.3	-5.6	1.1	.0	-5.6
Poultry ¹	.475	167.5	165.4	2.8	-1.3	1.3	.5	-1.3
Chicken ^{1 2}	.365	107.3	105.3	2.3	-1.9	1.8	.3	-1.9
Fresh whole chicken ^{1 3}	-	170.0	170.4	3.9	.2	1.8	-8	.2
Fresh and frozen chicken parts ^{1 3}	-	166.2	161.6	2.7	-2.8	1.7	.9	-2.8
Other poultry including turkey ^{1 2}	.110	110.2	111.1	4.3	.8	-5	1.5	.8
Fish and seafood	.331	189.7	189.1	-1.5	-3	.3	-1.1	.1
Fresh fish and seafood ^{1 2}	.191	109.3	109.0	-2.5	-3	-1.2	-7	-3
Processed fish and seafood ^{1 2}	.140	104.1	103.8	.0	-3	1.0	-7	-3
Canned fish and seafood ³	-	129.2	128.9	.8	-2	.7	-2	-1
Frozen fish and seafood ^{1 3}	-	220.9	217.9	-7	-1.4	1.4	-1.0	-1.4
Eggs	.116	133.0	131.4	-5	-1.2	-3	-2.5	-7
Dairy and related products ¹	1.050	168.9	169.4	4.8	.3	.8	.4	.3
Milk ^{1 2}	.409	113.4	113.5	4.3	.1	.8	-4	.1
Fresh whole milk ^{1 3}	-	167.6	167.0	5.2	-4	.8	-4	-4
Fresh milk other than whole ^{1 2 3}	-	113.5	113.9	3.2	.4	.5	-4	.4
Cheese and related products ¹	.307	169.5	171.6	5.3	1.2	1.1	.5	1.2
Ice cream and related products ¹	.180	177.0	175.5	7.1	-8	1.2	1.8	-8
Other dairy and related products ^{1 2}	.155	113.8	114.1	2.7	.3	.2	.4	.3

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Table 3. Consumer Price Index for all Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, detailed expenditure categories -Continued

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and Group	Relative importance, December 2000	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Sep. 2001 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Aug. 2001	Sep. 2001	Sep. 2000	Aug. 2001	June to July	July to Aug.	Aug. to Sep.
Expenditure category								
Fruits and vegetables	1.454	208.8	212.1	3.7	1.6	0.0	-0.6	1.3
Fresh fruits and vegetables	1.135	241.9	247.1	3.6	2.1	-2	-9	1.8
Fresh fruits	.570	258.9	266.0	3.0	2.7	-8	-2.6	1.6
Apples	.094	225.8	215.9	-1.3	-4.4	-6	-1	-2.6
Bananas	.099	169.7	165.7	5.8	-2.4	1.6	2.1	.2
Citrus fruits 1 2	.123	157.5	165.9	5.3	5.3	5.1	1.1	5.3
Oranges, including tangerines 3	-	319.8	329.7	5.4	3.1	2.1	-5.2	1.8
Other fresh fruits 1 2	.254	80.5	86.7	2.1	7.7	-10.2	-6.1	7.7
Fresh vegetables	.565	224.9	228.2	4.2	1.5	.3	.9	2.0
Potatoes	.088	224.5	218.3	11.7	-2.8	.2	3.0	2.7
Lettuce 1	.079	226.5	254.1	-3.3	12.2	-1.6	7.0	12.2
Tomatoes 1	.106	225.0	222.6	-1.0	-1.1	-5.0	-4.5	-1.1
Other fresh vegetables	.292	226.7	230.1	5.3	1.5	1.9	-1.5	3.6
Processed fruits and vegetables 1 2	.319	110.2	110.0	3.9	-2	.7	.3	-2
Canned fruits and vegetables 1 2	.171	110.3	109.5	4.2	-7	.9	1.1	-7
Canned fruits 1 2 3	-	110.8	110.1	3.6	-6	1.2	1.0	-6
Canned vegetables 1 2 3	-	113.3	112.6	5.2	-6	.1	1.8	-6
Frozen fruits and vegetables 1 2	.103	113.4	114.0	4.5	.5	1.0	-9	.5
Frozen vegetables 3	-	166.6	168.3	5.1	1.0	1.1	-2.2	1.4
Other processed fruits and vegetables including dried 1 2	.046	103.4	103.0	.8	-4	.1	-3	-4
Dried beans, peas, and lentils 1 2 3	-	99.9	99.5	-7	-4	.1	.3	-4
Nonalcoholic beverages and beverage materials	1.026	140.0	139.2	.9	-6	.1	.9	-5
Juices and nonalcoholic drinks 1 2	.759	108.3	107.4	1.5	-8	.0	1.0	-8
Carbonated drinks	.398	127.1	124.7	1.0	-1.9	-8	2.8	-1.8
Frozen noncarbonated juices and drinks 1 2	.055	111.7	111.7	2.9	.0	1.3	-1.6	.0
Nonfrozen noncarbonated juices and drinks 1 2	.307	106.3	106.8	2.2	.5	.9	-3	.5
Beverage materials including coffee and tea 1 2	.266	96.9	97.1	-1.0	.2	.7	.0	.2
Coffee 1	.134	146.1	145.6	-4.1	-3	-5	-5	-3
Roasted coffee 1 3	-	147.7	147.3	-6.2	-3	-9	-9	-3
Instant and freeze dried coffee 1 3	-	163.6	163.0	1.7	-4	.6	.1	-4
Other beverage materials including tea 1 2	.133	111.0	111.8	2.3	.7	1.8	.6	.7
Other food at home	1.935	161.0	160.2	2.2	-5	.6	.2	-2
Sugar and sweets	.363	156.1	156.6	1.3	.3	.4	.0	.1
Sugar and artificial sweeteners	.068	141.1	142.8	3.1	1.2	.6	-1.5	.9
Candy and chewing gum 1 2	.220	104.3	104.5	.8	.2	-6	.4	.2
Other sweets 1 2	.075	109.1	108.8	1.2	-3	2.1	.3	-3
Fats and oils	.288	158.5	158.5	6.6	.0	.2	.4	.3
Butter and margarine 1 2	.095	130.2	129.4	17.4	-6	1.8	1.0	-6
Butter 1 3	-	185.5	187.8	37.2	1.2	4.3	-4	1.2
Margarine 3	-	162.2	159.1	1.0	-1.9	1.1	1.5	-2.9
Salad dressing 1 2	.080	107.1	107.7	3.0	.6	.7	.6	.6
Other fats and oils including peanut butter 1 2	.113	103.8	104.0	.4	.2	-4	-2	.2
Peanut butter 1 2 3	-	107.6	110.5	4.0	2.7	-1	-2.2	2.7
Other foods	1.283	177.6	176.2	1.6	-8	.6	.3	-4
Soups	.105	206.4	203.8	.7	-1.3	-5	.9	-3
Frozen and freeze dried prepared foods 1	.215	153.3	152.2	1.9	-7	.9	-5	-7
Snacks 1	.269	169.2	166.9	-1.1	-1.4	-1.2	.7	-1.4
Spices, seasonings, condiments, sauces	.279	185.0	183.2	4.3	-1.0	1.6	1.5	-9
Salt and other seasonings and spices 1 2 3	-	108.2	105.6	2.0	-2.4	.8	1.0	-2.4
Olives, pickles, relishes 1 2 3	-	112.5	112.7	10.0	.2	8.3	1.2	.2
Sauces and gravies 1 2 3	-	109.4	109.5	5.8	.1	.6	.4	.1
Other condiments 3	-	187.1	188.0	2.2	.5	-1.7	1.3	.5
Baby food 1 2	.103	114.1	114.2	2.9	.1	-3	.3	.1
Other miscellaneous foods 1 2	.312	109.5	108.9	1.1	-5	1.8	-1	-5
Prepared salads 1 2 3	-	NA	NA	-	-	-	-	-
Food away from home 1	5.658	174.7	175.1	3.0	.2	.3	.3	.2
Full service meals and snacks 1 2	2.974	110.9	111.0	3.2	.1	.4	.4	.1
Limited service meals and snacks 1 2	1.654	110.1	110.3	3.3	.2	.4	.4	.2
Food at employee sites and schools 1 2	.640	105.9	106.3	1.3	.4	.2	.3	.4
Food from vending machines and mobile vendors 1 2	.212	104.4	104.5	1.8	.1	.1	.0	.1
Other food away from home 1 2	.177	114.3	115.3	4.8	.9	1.1	.4	.9

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Table 3. Consumer Price Index for all Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, detailed expenditure categories -Continued

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and Group	Relative importance, December 2000	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Sep. 2001 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Aug. 2001	Sep. 2001	Sep. 2000	Aug. 2001	June to July	July to Aug.	Aug. to Sep.
Expenditure category								
Alcoholic beverages	.981	180.0	180.4	2.8	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.1
Alcoholic beverages at home	.621	161.4	161.9	2.2	.3	.3	.2	.4
Beer, ale, and other malt beverages at home	.333	161.2	161.6	3.3	.2	.6	.4	.4
Distilled spirits at home	.110	168.9	169.7	3.8	.5	.7	.1	.4
Whiskey at home ³	-	164.9	165.0	3.4	.1	.4	-.2	-.1
Distilled spirits, excluding whiskey, at home ^{1 3}	-	171.5	172.4	4.7	.5	1.1	-.2	.5
Wine at home	.178	151.2	151.6	-.7	.3	-.3	.2	-.1
Alcoholic beverages away from home ¹	.360	216.9	216.9	3.7	.0	.5	.4	.0
Beer, ale, and other malt beverages away from home ^{1 2 3} ..	-	110.4	110.6	2.1	.2	.2	.3	.2
Wine away from home ^{1 2 3}	-	115.3	115.4	5.3	.1	.8	.8	.1
Distilled spirits away from home ^{1 2 3}	-	113.3	113.3	4.0	.0	.6	.4	.0
Housing	39.980	178.0	177.4	3.5	-.3	.0	.3	-.2
Shelter	30.251	202.4	202.0	3.8	-.2	.1	.5	.0
Rent of primary residence ⁴	7.079	193.1	193.9	4.6	.4	.4	.4	.4
Lodging away from home ^{2 4}	2.346	125.2	116.8	-1.1	-6.7	-1.8	1.0	-3.1
Housing at school, excluding board ^{4 5}	.242	267.3	271.8	5.1	1.7	.5	.9	.2
Other lodging away from home including hotels and motels ..	2.104	269.3	249.0	-1.7	-7.5	-2.0	1.0	-3.4
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence ^{4 5}	20.460	207.3	208.1	4.1	.4	.3	.5	.2
Tenants' and household insurance ^{1 2}	.366	106.6	106.7	2.4	.1	-.4	.0	.1
Fuels and utilities	5.123	152.7	150.6	4.7	-1.4	-.9	-1.0	-1.6
Fuels	4.199	138.0	135.7	5.1	-1.7	-1.1	-1.3	-2.0
Fuel oil and other fuels	.361	122.1	125.3	-6.3	2.6	-2.6	-1.0	.5
Fuel oil	.268	119.2	123.3	-8.4	3.4	-2.8	-1.2	.2
Other household fuels ⁶	.093	158.0	159.1	-.3	.7	-1.8	-1.3	.1
Gas (piped) and electricity ⁴	3.838	146.0	143.1	6.2	-2.0	-1.0	-1.4	-2.2
Electricity ⁴	2.453	147.6	146.5	8.5	-.7	.6	-.4	-.6
Utility natural gas service ⁴	1.385	148.2	140.9	.9	-4.9	-4.1	-3.4	-5.5
Water and sewer and trash collection services ²	.924	110.2	110.4	3.0	.2	.3	.5	.2
Water and sewerage maintenance ⁴	.677	236.0	236.5	3.3	.2	.2	.5	.3
Garbage and trash collection ^{1 7}	.247	276.8	277.0	2.0	.1	.5	.4	.1
Household furnishings and operations	4.605	129.1	129.4	.3	.2	.0	-.1	.1
Window and floor coverings and other linens ^{1 2}	.332	97.8	98.1	-2.8	.3	.4	-.7	.3
Floor coverings ^{1 2}	.087	107.6	107.6	1.6	.0	.4	.3	.0
Window coverings ^{1 2}	.105	94.5	95.7	-5.2	1.3	.8	-1.7	1.3
Other linens ^{1 2}	.140	94.6	94.3	-3.7	-.3	.0	-.6	-.3
Furniture and bedding ¹	1.064	131.4	131.3	-3.3	-.1	-.2	-.6	-.1
Bedroom furniture ¹	.294	136.4	135.5	-2.7	-.7	.4	-.7	-.7
Living room, kitchen, and dining room furniture ^{1 2}	.593	101.1	101.4	-2.2	.3	-.3	-.1	.3
Other furniture ^{1 2}	.166	94.2	94.3	-7.6	.1	-.9	-2.3	.1
Appliances ^{1 2}	.324	94.7	94.9	-.9	.2	-.1	-.1	.2
Major appliances ^{1 2}	.194	96.9	97.5	.5	.6	-.6	.3	.6
Laundry equipment ^{1 3}	-	110.9	112.4	.5	1.4	-.3	-.1	1.4
Other appliances ^{1 2}	.124	91.6	91.1	-3.1	-.5	.7	-.7	-.5
Other household equipment and furnishings ^{1 2}	.487	96.3	96.0	-1.3	-.3	-.2	-.2	-.3
Clocks, lamps, and decorator items ¹	.191	107.3	107.2	-2.3	-.1	.8	.0	-.1
Indoor plants and flowers ^{1 8}	.151	118.0	116.5	1.8	-1.3	-1.1	.1	-1.3
Dishes and flatware ^{1 2}	.069	91.9	92.8	-3.3	1.0	-.2	-1.2	1.0
Nonelectric cookware and tableware ^{1 2}	.076	96.5	96.4	-2.8	-.1	-.4	-.6	-.1
Tools, hardware, outdoor equipment and supplies ^{1 2}	.584	97.0	97.1	.3	.1	-.1	.0	.1
Tools, hardware and supplies ^{1 2}	.153	96.9	96.9	-.6	.0	.5	.2	.0
Outdoor equipment and supplies ^{1 2}	.294	96.9	97.0	.7	.1	-.4	-.1	.1
Housekeeping supplies ¹	.881	158.9	160.4	3.4	.9	.2	.2	.9
Household cleaning products ^{1 2}	.403	109.0	109.7	3.2	.6	-.1	.3	.6
Household paper products ^{1 2}	.228	120.0	120.3	2.3	.3	.6	-.2	.3
Miscellaneous household products ^{1 2}	.250	106.2	108.3	4.7	2.0	.2	.5	2.0
Household operations ^{1 2}	.935	116.3	116.5	4.1	.2	.3	.4	.2
Domestic services ^{1 2}	.327	114.1	114.4	3.3	.3	.0	.3	.3
Gardening and lawn care services ^{1 2}	.277	117.3	117.3	3.6	.0	.2	.6	.0
Moving, storage, freight expense ^{1 2}	.108	114.7	115.4	4.2	.6	.2	.5	.6
Repair of household items ^{1 2}	.106	121.3	121.4	7.2	.1	1.0	.2	.1

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		Aug. 2001	Sep. 2001	Sep. 2000	Aug. 2001	June to July	July to Aug.	Aug. to Sep.
Expenditure category								
Apparel	4.453	122.6	126.8	-2.8	3.4	-0.6	-0.6	0.6
Men's and boys' apparel	1.257	121.4	123.7	-4.2	1.9	-.9	-1.6	.6
Men's apparel	.994	124.7	127.1	-4.4	1.9	-1.0	-.9	.7
Men's suits, sport coats, and outerwear	.225	126.9	128.1	-5.3	.9	.1	.0	-.3
Men's furnishings	.259	131.3	130.5	-2.1	-.6	-1.7	-.3	-1.1
Men's shirts and sweaters ^{1 2}	.294	88.0	94.1	-6.3	6.9	-4.4	.2	6.9
Men's pants and shorts	.202	122.7	121.9	-3.9	-.7	-.3	-1.1	.3
Boys' apparel	.262	108.5	110.3	-3.2	1.7	-.8	-3.4	-1.4
Women's and girls' apparel	1.787	112.1	120.3	-3.1	7.3	-.7	-.5	1.5
Women's apparel	1.519	113.0	121.5	-3.2	7.5	-.3	-.3	1.4
Women's outerwear	.114	110.4	120.0	.4	8.7	1.8	.3	1.2
Women's dresses	.185	90.0	106.3	.7	18.1	-4.1	6.1	7.0
Women's suits and separates ^{1 2}	.793	88.9	97.6	-4.9	9.8	-6.2	1.0	9.8
Women's underwear, nightwear, sportswear and accessories ^{1 2}	.406	99.4	98.1	-2.7	-1.3	-1.9	-2.0	-1.3
Girls' apparel	.268	107.3	113.9	-2.6	6.2	-2.8	-2.1	2.8
Footwear	.801	121.9	122.9	-1.6	.8	.3	.7	-.4
Men's footwear	.253	123.7	122.7	-4.8	-.8	-1.7	-.6	-1.1
Boys' and girls' footwear	.188	119.5	120.0	-.5	.4	2.3	2.6	-2.0
Women's footwear	.360	121.2	123.8	.1	2.1	.3	.9	.9
Infants' and toddlers' apparel ¹	.254	126.3	129.3	1.5	2.4	-2.2	1.4	2.4
Jewelry and watches ⁶	.354	136.9	132.1	-2.0	-3.5	.0	-1.3	-3.3
Watches ⁶	.065	119.6	119.4	-1.9	-.2	.7	-1.3	-.3
Jewelry ⁶	.290	141.8	135.8	-2.0	-4.2	.0	-1.3	-3.9
Transportation	17.567	153.3	155.5	.5	1.4	-2.3	-.5	1.6
Private transportation	16.157	148.8	151.2	.5	1.6	-2.3	-.5	1.7
New and used motor vehicles ²	7.477	100.5	100.2	-.2	-.3	-.1	-.1	-.3
New vehicles	4.677	140.3	140.2	-.8	-.1	.0	-.2	.0
New cars and trucks ^{1 2 3}	-	97.4	97.3	-.8	-.1	-.3	-.6	-.1
New cars ³	-	137.2	137.1	-.9	-.1	.0	-.2	.1
New trucks ^{3 7}	-	148.7	148.4	-1.1	-.2	-.1	-.4	-.1
New motorcycles ^{1 3 6}	-	NA	NA	-	-	-	-	-
Used cars and trucks	1.887	158.0	157.3	.7	-.4	-.4	-.2	-.8
Car and truck rental ^{1 2}	.138	103.3	99.3	-8.1	-3.9	1.2	1.3	-3.9
Motor fuel	3.482	121.9	131.4	-2.8	7.8	-10.9	-2.4	8.8
Gasoline (all types)	3.458	121.2	130.7	-2.7	7.8	-11.0	-2.4	8.6
Gasoline, unleaded regular ³	-	119.7	130.2	-2.4	8.8	-11.6	-2.3	10.2
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ^{3 9}	-	125.0	133.4	-3.6	6.7	-10.3	-3.0	7.9
Gasoline, unleaded premium ³	-	121.2	128.3	-3.3	5.9	-9.2	-3.2	6.9
Other motor fuels ^{1 2}	.024	119.5	124.8	-7.1	4.4	-4.4	-1.4	4.4
Motor vehicle parts and equipment	.527	104.9	105.2	3.4	.3	.7	-.2	.1
Tires	.251	100.8	100.4	2.7	-.4	.7	-.4	-.4
Vehicle accessories other than tires ^{1 2}	.276	104.9	105.8	4.1	.9	.4	.0	.9
Vehicle parts and equipment other than tires ^{1 3}	-	110.5	111.1	3.0	.5	.2	-.1	.5
Motor oil, coolant, and fluids ^{1 3}	-	148.5	150.8	7.7	1.5	.5	.8	1.5
Motor vehicle maintenance and repair	1.623	184.0	185.1	3.6	.6	.4	.3	.4
Motor vehicle body work ¹	.119	195.6	197.3	3.8	.9	.0	.4	.9
Motor vehicle maintenance and servicing ¹	.510	169.4	170.2	4.2	.5	.5	.1	.5
Motor vehicle repair ^{1 2}	.974	112.0	112.8	3.3	.7	.4	.4	.7
Motor vehicle insurance	2.413	268.0	268.5	5.0	.2	.6	.4	.3
Motor vehicle fees ^{1 2}	.634	109.3	109.7	1.6	.4	.1	.3	.4
State and local registration and license ^{1 2 4}	.415	105.6	105.8	.2	.2	.2	.2	.2
Parking and other fees ^{1 2}	.197	117.7	118.6	4.3	.8	.1	.3	.8
Parking fees and tolls ^{1 2 3}	-	118.2	119.1	4.3	.8	-.1	.3	.8
Automobile service clubs ^{1 2 3}	-	109.2	109.3	4.8	.1	.9	.1	.1
Public transportation	1.410	213.7	212.7	-.1	-.5	-1.1	-.1	-.4
Airline fare ¹	.923	244.3	242.5	-1.0	-.7	-.2	-1.8	-.7
Other intercity transportation	.169	154.0	153.4	-1.0	-.4	-.6	.1	-.3
Ship fare ^{1 2 3}	-	81.3	80.1	-7.4	-1.5	-1.5	-.1	-1.5
Intracity transportation ¹	.314	181.1	181.8	2.8	.4	.7	.3	.4

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Table 3. Consumer Price Index for all Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, detailed expenditure categories -Continued

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and Group	Relative importance, December 2000	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Sep. 2001 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Aug. 2001	Sep. 2001	Sep. 2000	Aug. 2001	June to July	July to Aug.	Aug. to Sep.
Expenditure category								
Medical care	5.813	274.4	275.0	4.5	0.2	0.1	0.5	0.3
Medical care commodities	1.261	249.1	249.6	4.3	.2	.2	.3	.3
Prescription drugs and medical supplies	.875	303.4	304.8	6.1	.5	.6	.4	.7
Nonprescription drugs and medical supplies ^{1 6}	.386	150.6	150.1	.2	-.3	-.7	-.1	-.3
Internal and respiratory over-the-counter drugs ¹	.256	179.7	178.6	.4	-.6	-.3	-.1	-.6
Nonprescription medical equipment and supplies ¹	.130	176.6	177.1	-.2	.3	-1.3	-.3	.3
Medical care services	4.552	280.5	281.0	4.6	.2	.1	.6	.3
Professional services ⁴	2.876	247.7	247.9	3.6	.1	.2	.5	.2
Physicians' services ⁴	1.474	255.0	255.1	3.6	.0	.0	.7	.3
Dental services ⁴	.859	270.2	270.5	3.9	.1	.4	.1	.3
Eyeglasses and eye care ^{1 4 6}	.277	155.0	155.1	2.9	.1	.3	-.1	.1
Services by other medical professionals ^{4 6}	.268	168.5	168.6	3.4	.1	.4	.6	.2
Hospital and related services ⁴	1.424	341.2	342.6	6.2	.4	.2	.7	.6
Hospital services ^{1 4 10}	1.371	124.7	125.2	6.3	.4	.4	1.0	.4
Inpatient hospital services ^{1 3 4 10}	-	121.7	122.3	5.8	.5	.2	.7	.5
Outpatient hospital services ^{3 4 6}	-	284.4	285.9	6.6	.5	.5	1.1	.7
Nursing homes and adult daycare ^{1 4 10}	.053	122.6	123.3	4.0	.6	.5	.8	.6
Recreation ²	5.908	105.1	105.2	1.3	.1	.2	.2	.1
Video and audio ²	1.646	101.7	101.3	-.2	-.4	.5	-.1	-.1
Televisions	.157	43.8	43.3	-10.4	-1.1	-.4	-1.1	-.9
Cable television ^{4 7}	.903	280.3	279.6	3.8	-.2	.6	.1	.3
Other video equipment ^{1 2}	.049	51.1	51.1	-18.2	.0	-1.1	-1.4	.0
Video cassettes, discs, and other media including rental ^{1 2} ..	.150	86.0	84.9	-6.1	-1.3	.0	-.1	-1.3
Video cassettes and discs, blank and prerecorded ^{1 2 3}	-	85.3	83.7	-3.6	-1.9	.1	-.4	-1.9
Rental of video tapes and discs ^{1 2 3}	-	92.5	92.7	-3.5	.2	.1	-.1	.2
Audio equipment ¹	.139	76.1	76.9	-5.1	1.1	.5	-.1	1.1
Audio discs, tapes and other media ^{1 2}	.143	108.0	106.6	3.8	-1.3	.5	.2	-1.3
Pets, pet products and services ^{1 2}	.658	110.7	110.6	3.8	-.1	.1	.9	-.1
Pets and pet products ¹	.406	148.0	147.3	2.3	-.5	-.2	1.0	-.5
Pet food ^{1 2 3}	-	105.2	104.9	2.7	-.3	-.1	1.2	-.3
Purchase of pets, pet supplies, accessories ^{1 2 3}	-	102.0	101.6	1.5	-.4	-.3	.3	-.4
Pet services including veterinary ^{1 2}	.252	122.9	123.6	6.5	.6	.7	.7	.6
Pet services ^{1 2 3}	-	113.3	113.3	2.5	.0	.4	.1	.0
Veterinarian services ^{1 2 3}	-	123.9	124.7	7.2	.6	.6	.8	.6
Sporting goods ¹	.444	118.6	118.3	-.4	-.3	-.3	.0	-.3
Sports vehicles including bicycles ¹	.210	133.1	132.6	1.5	-.4	-.2	.1	-.4
Sports equipment ¹	.225	104.7	104.5	-2.3	-.2	-.5	-.1	-.2
Photography ^{1 2}	.244	98.6	98.9	-.4	.3	.1	-.5	.3
Photographic equipment and supplies ¹	.094	122.7	123.3	-2.0	.5	.1	-1.0	.5
Film and photographic supplies ^{1 2 3}	-	95.6	96.5	-.7	.9	.7	-1.5	.9
Photographic equipment ^{1 2 3}	-	86.2	86.1	-5.6	-.1	-.9	-.3	-.1
Photographers and film processing ^{1 2}	.149	103.5	103.7	.6	.2	.2	-.2	.2
Photographer fees ^{1 2 3}	-	107.2	108.5	4.7	1.2	.7	.3	1.2
Film processing ^{1 2 3}	-	99.6	99.6	-1.4	.0	.1	-.2	.0
Other recreational goods ²	.478	84.3	84.6	-2.8	.4	-.1	-.4	.4
Toys ¹	.347	99.7	99.9	-4.1	.2	-.6	-.4	.2
Toys, games, hobbies and playground equipment ^{1 2 3}	-	83.7	84.0	-3.0	.4	-.5	-.2	.4
Video game hardware, software and accessories ^{1 2 3}	-	NA	NA	-	-	-	-	-
Sewing machines, fabric and supplies ^{1 2}	.063	97.1	97.6	.5	.5	2.8	-.4	.5
Music instruments and accessories ^{1 2}	.053	100.3	100.6	2.0	.3	-.2	.0	.3
Recreation services ²	1.860	116.2	116.8	3.4	.5	.2	.3	.4
Club membership dues and fees for participant sports ^{1 2}	.660	110.6	111.2	.9	.5	-.2	.0	.5
Admissions ¹	.802	245.1	245.9	5.3	.3	.2	.8	.3
Admission to movies, theaters, and concerts ^{1 2 3}	-	119.4	119.7	3.6	.3	.2	.9	.3
Admission to sporting events ^{1 2 3}	-	126.1	126.8	6.8	.6	.6	.3	.6
Fees for lessons or instructions ⁶	.222	194.7	196.6	3.5	1.0	.4	.1	.2
Recreational reading materials ¹	.578	192.5	192.6	2.4	.1	.6	.0	.1
Newspapers and magazines ^{1 2}	.388	109.2	109.4	2.8	.2	.7	.1	.2
Recreational books ^{1 2}	.189	102.2	102.0	1.5	-.2	.4	-.3	-.2

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Table 3. Consumer Price Index for all Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, detailed expenditure categories -Continued

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and Group	Relative importance, December 2000	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Sep. 2001 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Aug. 2001	Sep. 2001	Sep. 2000	Aug. 2001	June to July	July to Aug.	Aug. to Sep.
Expenditure category								
Education and communication ²	5.311	105.8	106.6	3.6	0.8	0.5	0.5	0.0
Education ²	2.801	119.5	121.7	5.9	1.8	.4	.9	.4
Educational books and supplies	.212	298.0	305.4	7.2	2.5	.7	.7	1.8
Tuition, other school fees, and childcare	2.589	343.9	350.0	5.8	1.8	.4	.9	.3
College tuition and fees	1.165	351.9	359.9	6.0	2.3	.2	1.7	.7
Elementary and high school tuition and fees	.360	381.5	387.1	7.3	1.5	.9	1.3	.3
Child care and nursery school ⁸	.933	164.5	166.5	5.0	1.2	.1	.4	.1
Technical and business school tuition and fees ^{1 2}	.054	123.3	124.6	5.3	1.1	1.1	.3	1.1
Communication ^{1 2}	2.510	93.5	93.1	1.1	-.4	.5	-.1	-.4
Postage and delivery services ^{1 2}	.198	108.1	108.1	4.7	.0	1.2	.0	.0
Postage ¹	.194	172.7	172.7	4.6	.0	1.2	.0	.0
Delivery services ^{1 2}	.004	124.4	124.4	7.3	.0	.4	.0	.0
Information and information processing ^{1 2}	2.312	92.4	92.0	.8	-.4	.4	-.1	-.4
Telephone services ^{1 2}	2.150	99.6	99.2	2.3	-.4	.6	.0	-.4
Telephone services, local charges ^{1 4}	1.104	186.6	186.9	5.2	.2	.8	.6	.2
Telephone services, long distance charges ^{1 2}	1.003	88.5	87.6	-.3	-1.0	.2	-.4	-1.0
Interstate toll calls ^{1 3}	-	65.0	*64.3	-.8	-1.1	.2	-.5	-1.1
Intrastate toll calls ^{1 3}	-	87.8	87.1	.0	-.8	.0	-.3	-.8
Cellular telephone services ^{1 2}	.043	68.1	67.2	-7.7	-1.3	.7	-.7	-1.3
Information and information processing other than telephone services ^{1 11}	.163	20.7	20.3	-18.8	-1.9	-.5	-2.8	-1.9
Personal computers and peripheral equipment ^{1 2}	.079	27.8	26.7	-31.4	-4.0	-1.7	-5.1	-4.0
Computer software and accessories ^{1 2}	.028	79.1	77.7	-9.0	-1.8	.5	.1	-1.8
Computer information processing services ^{1 2}	.017	100.8	100.2	4.9	-.6	2.6	1.7	-.6
Other information processing equipment ^{1 2}	.038	66.7	66.7	-10.2	.0	-1.7	-1.8	.0
Other goods and services	4.769	283.3	287.8	4.8	1.6	1.6	-.9	1.5
Tobacco and smoking products ¹	1.308	424.6	444.0	8.8	4.6	4.8	-3.8	4.6
Cigarettes ^{1 2}	1.234	172.2	180.5	9.1	4.8	5.0	-4.0	4.8
Tobacco products other than cigarettes ^{1 2}	.066	124.4	124.3	3.1	-.1	1.2	.6	-.1
Personal care ¹	3.461	171.2	171.9	3.2	.4	.4	.3	.4
Personal care products ¹	.731	154.7	155.5	.8	.5	.3	-.3	.5
Hair, dental, shaving, and miscellaneous personal care products ^{1 2}	.362	104.2	104.4	.9	.2	.2	-.4	.2
Cosmetics, perfume, bath, nail preparations and implements ¹	.365	167.4	168.9	.7	.9	.6	-.2	.9
Personal care services ¹	.987	185.2	185.5	3.1	.2	.4	.2	.2
Haircuts and other personal care services ^{1 2}	.987	113.0	113.2	3.1	.2	.4	.2	.2
Miscellaneous personal services	1.510	265.5	266.4	4.9	.3	.7	.9	.4
Legal services ^{1 6}	.351	203.0	203.2	6.1	.1	1.4	1.8	.1
Funeral expenses ⁶	.351	195.5	196.2	4.0	.4	.1	.2	.6
Laundry and dry cleaning services ^{1 2}	.213	110.6	111.2	4.4	.5	.5	.4	.5
Apparel services other than laundry and dry cleaning ^{1 2}	.065	112.1	112.6	5.3	.4	.5	.4	.4
Financial services ^{1 6}	.319	224.7	225.6	4.1	.4	.1	.2	.4
Checking account and other bank services ^{1 2 3}	-	113.7	114.3	4.2	.5	.3	.2	.5
Tax return preparation and other accounting fees ^{1 2 3}	-	121.8	122.1	4.4	.2	.0	.2	.2
Miscellaneous personal goods ^{1 2}	.233	93.6	95.0	.0	1.5	-.7	-1.1	1.5
Stationery, stationery supplies, gift wrap ³	-	153.8	154.4	1.2	.4	.4	.1	.3
Special aggregate indexes								
Commodities	41.828	149.8	151.5	.8	1.1	-.8	-.3	.9
Commodities less food and beverages	25.629	135.4	138.0	-.6	1.9	-1.5	-.7	1.5
Nondurables less food and beverages	15.056	144.8	149.6	-.2	3.3	-2.3	-1.2	2.1
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel	10.603	162.1	167.5	1.0	3.3	-3.1	-1.3	3.1
Durables	10.573	123.6	123.4	-1.1	-.2	-.2	-.2	-.2
Services	58.172	205.2	204.9	3.9	-.1	.1	.4	-.1
Rent of shelter ⁵	29.885	210.8	210.3	3.8	-.2	.1	.4	.1
Transportation services	6.903	202.7	202.8	2.8	.0	.1	.3	.1
Other services	10.768	239.4	240.6	3.9	.5	.4	.5	.2
All items less food	84.783	178.2	179.0	2.5	.4	-.4	.1	.4
All items less shelter	69.749	169.7	170.9	2.1	.7	-.5	-.1	.5
All items less medical care	94.187	172.3	173.0	2.5	.4	-.3	.1	.3
Commodities less food	26.610	137.2	139.7	-.4	1.8	-1.4	-.7	1.5
Nondurables less food	16.037	146.9	151.5	.0	3.1	-2.2	-1.0	2.0
Nondurables less food and apparel	11.584	163.0	168.0	1.1	3.1	-2.8	-1.2	2.7
Nondurables	31.255	159.7	162.3	1.4	1.6	-1.0	-.6	1.2

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Table 3. Consumer Price Index for all Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, detailed expenditure categories -Continued

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and Group	Relative importance, December 2000	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Sep. 2001 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Aug. 2001	Sep. 2001	Sep. 2000	Aug. 2001	June to July	July to Aug.	Aug. to Sep.
Special aggregate indexes								
Apparel less footwear	3.652	118.3	123.0	-3.1	4.0	-0.8	-0.8	0.7
Services less rent of shelter ⁵	28.287	214.0	213.9	4.0	.0	.0	.2	.0
Services less medical care services	53.620	198.4	198.1	3.9	-2	.1	.3	-.1
Energy	7.681	129.4	132.5	1.5	2.4	-5.6	-1.9	2.6
All items less energy	92.319	184.1	184.5	2.7	.2	.3	.2	.2
All items less food and energy	77.102	186.6	187.1	2.6	.3	.2	.2	.2
Commodities less food and energy commodities	22.768	143.8	145.2	.1	1.0	.1	-.4	.3
Energy commodities	3.843	122.0	131.0	-3.1	7.4	-10.3	-2.4	8.0
Services less energy services	54.334	211.2	211.2	3.8	.0	.2	.5	.1
Domestically produced farm food	8.104	177.3	177.6	3.6	.2	.2	-.2	.2
Utilities and public transportation	9.225	163.4	161.7	3.7	-1.0	-.6	-.6	-.8
Purchasing power of the consumer dollar (1982-84=\$1.00)	-	\$.563	\$.561	-	-	-	-	-
Purchasing power of the consumer dollar (1967=\$1.00)	-	\$.188	\$.187	-	-	-	-	-

¹ Not seasonally adjusted.

² Indexes on a December 1997=100 base.

³ Special index based on a substantially smaller sample.

⁴ This index series was calculated using a Laspeyres estimator. All other item stratum index series converted to a geometric means estimator in January, 1999.

⁵ Indexes on a December 1982=100 base.

⁶ Indexes on a December 1986=100 base.

⁷ Indexes on a December 1983=100 base.

⁸ Indexes on a December 1990=100 base.

⁹ Indexes on a December 1993=100 base.

¹⁰ Indexes on a December 1996=100 base.

¹¹ Indexes on a December 1988=100 base.

NA Data not adequate for publication.

- Data not available.

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

Table 4. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): Seasonally adjusted U.S. city average, detailed expenditure categories

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Seasonally adjusted indexes				Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for					
					3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
	June 2001	July 2001	Aug. 2001	Sep. 2001	Dec. 2000	Mar. 2001	June 2001	Sep. 2001	Mar. 2001	Sep. 2001
Expenditure category										
All items	177.9	177.4	177.5	178.2	2.3	4.0	3.7	0.7	3.1	2.2
Food and beverages	173.5	174.1	174.4	174.7	2.4	3.8	3.3	2.8	3.1	3.0
Food	173.2	173.8	174.1	174.4	2.1	4.1	3.3	2.8	3.1	3.0
Food at home	173.4	174.0	174.1	174.5	2.6	4.1	3.5	2.6	3.3	3.0
Cereals and bakery products	193.4	194.1	194.9	195.3	5.0	3.0	1.9	4.0	4.0	2.9
Cereals and cereal products	178.9	179.0	180.7	179.9	.7	-1.1	6.3	2.3	-2	4.2
Flour and prepared flour mixes	164.5	165.3	165.7	161.8	-3.7	17.0	-3.8	-6.4	6.2	-5.1
Breakfast cereal	199.3	201.3	202.3	202.5	1.8	-8.4	9.8	6.6	-3.4	8.2
Rice, pasta, cornmeal ¹	156.0	153.9	156.4	155.4	-8	3.7	7.0	-1.5	1.4	2.6
Rice ^{1 2 3}	98.2	98.6	98.3	97.7	-4.3	-3.6	.8	-2.0	-4.0	-6
Bakery products	200.8	201.1	202.6	203.0	6.5	5.8	.4	4.5	6.2	2.4
Bread ^{1 2}	112.5	113.6	113.2	113.5	8.1	7.9	4.0	3.6	8.0	3.8
White bread ^{1 3}	209.0	210.5	209.0	209.7	9.4	10.7	3.7	1.3	10.1	2.5
Bread other than white ^{1 3}	211.9	214.2	215.2	215.6	8.2	-2.1	5.9	7.2	2.9	6.5
Fresh biscuits, rolls, muffins ^{1 2}	111.4	110.8	111.9	111.4	7.7	5.2	2.6	.0	6.4	1.3
Cakes, cupcakes, and cookies	190.3	190.6	190.8	194.5	3.6	.6	-2.3	9.1	2.1	3.3
Cookies ³	189.8	188.4	190.7	194.5	-1.5	2.6	.8	10.3	.5	5.5
Fresh cakes and cupcakes ^{1 3}	192.0	193.2	192.7	194.4	17.8	-8	-3.1	5.1	8.1	.9
Other bakery products	199.4	199.1	202.4	200.8	7.0	7.6	-2	2.8	7.3	1.3
Fresh sweetrolls, coffeecakes, doughnuts ^{1 3}	192.7	192.5	194.2	195.7	4.6	-5.2	15.5	6.4	-4	10.8
Crackers, bread, and cracker products ³	231.3	230.3	236.0	234.0	.7	7.4	-2.0	4.8	4.0	1.3
Frozen and refrigerated bakery products, pies, tarts, turnovers ³	203.4	201.7	203.0	203.8	7.9	14.0	2.4	.8	10.9	1.6
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	161.7	162.2	161.6	161.8	.3	9.8	4.1	.2	4.9	2.1
Meats, poultry, and fish	163.0	163.6	163.1	163.3	.0	10.0	4.3	.7	4.9	2.5
Meats	160.0	160.2	159.6	160.4	1.1	14.0	4.4	1.0	7.3	2.7
Beef and veal ¹	162.5	162.1	161.0	161.1	1.9	26.7	6.1	-3.4	13.6	1.3
Uncooked ground beef ¹	136.6	135.0	135.7	136.8	7.2	20.4	6.4	.6	13.6	3.4
Uncooked beef roasts ^{1 2}	117.7	118.6	119.0	118.2	.0	38.5	-4.3	1.7	17.7	-1.3
Uncooked beef steaks ^{1 2}	121.5	121.8	118.7	118.2	-1.8	29.5	11.3	-10.4	12.8	-2
Uncooked other beef and veal ^{1 2}	112.9	113.2	114.2	114.0	-2.2	17.8	2.5	4.0	7.3	3.2
Pork	162.3	163.0	163.3	164.8	.0	6.2	3.5	6.3	3.1	4.9
Bacon, breakfast sausage, and related products ^{1 2}	111.9	113.1	115.3	116.8	-15.4	6.1	9.9	18.7	-5.3	14.2
Bacon and related products ³	184.8	186.0	190.1	190.7	-18.5	17.7	10.1	13.4	-2.1	11.7
Breakfast sausage and related products ^{1 2 3}	109.5	109.8	110.2	112.2	-.4	-.7	5.3	10.2	-.6	7.7
Ham	157.3	158.4	158.4	159.0	-3.1	6.9	2.6	4.4	1.8	3.5
Ham, excluding canned ³	170.4	171.2	171.3	172.1	-4.5	8.2	2.9	4.1	1.7	3.5
Pork chops	158.1	160.0	158.4	159.4	8.9	6.3	-2.2	3.3	7.6	.5
Other pork including roasts and picnics ^{1 2}	103.0	103.5	103.6	105.2	-4.3	.4	17.6	8.8	-2.0	13.1
Other meats ¹	155.9	156.3	155.6	157.0	1.8	-.3	2.3	2.9	.8	2.6
Frankfurters ^{1 3}	151.9	154.2	153.3	151.2	-6.3	3.7	-6.3	-1.8	-1.4	-4.1
Lunchmeats ^{1 2 3}	106.0	105.1	105.6	106.0	4.7	1.2	5.9	.0	2.9	2.9
Lamb and organ meats ^{1 3}	175.7	175.2	173.3	174.4	-9.7	.0	14.9	-2.9	-5.0	5.6
Lamb and mutton ^{1 2 3}	108.6	109.8	109.8	103.7	-14.5	13.6	-.4	-16.9	-1.5	-9.0
Poultry ¹	164.5	166.6	167.5	165.4	-.5	4.8	4.8	2.2	2.1	3.5
Chicken ^{1 2}	105.1	107.0	107.3	105.3	.8	1.6	6.3	.8	1.2	3.5
Fresh whole chicken ^{1 3}	168.3	171.4	170.0	170.4	.0	6.7	3.9	5.1	3.3	4.5
Fresh and frozen chicken parts ^{1 3}	161.9	164.7	166.2	161.6	3.6	.5	7.5	-.7	2.0	3.3
Other poultry including turkey ^{1 2}	109.1	108.6	110.2	111.1	-5.5	16.1	.4	7.5	4.7	3.9
Fish and seafood	191.5	192.1	189.9	190.0	-4.7	.0	2.1	-3.1	-2.4	-.5
Fresh fish and seafood ^{1 2}	111.4	110.1	109.3	109.0	-4.6	9.0	-5.2	-8.3	2.0	-6.8
Processed fish and seafood ^{1 2}	103.8	104.8	104.1	103.8	-5.3	-5.7	12.0	.0	-5.5	5.8
Canned fish and seafood ³	128.0	128.9	128.7	128.6	-9.4	.3	11.4	1.9	-4.6	6.5
Frozen fish and seafood ^{1 3}	220.2	223.2	220.9	217.9	-1.6	-6.6	10.2	-4.1	-4.1	2.8
Eggs	137.7	137.3	133.9	133.0	9.0	5.4	-1.7	-13.0	7.2	-7.5
Dairy and related products ¹	166.9	168.3	168.9	169.4	-.2	4.3	9.4	6.1	2.0	7.7
Milk ^{1 2}	113.0	113.9	113.4	113.5	1.9	2.2	11.8	1.8	2.0	6.7
Fresh whole milk ^{1 3}	167.0	168.3	167.6	167.0	3.3	-.5	19.3	.0	1.4	9.2
Fresh milk other than whole ^{1 2 3}	113.4	114.0	113.5	113.9	.7	2.6	7.8	1.8	1.6	4.7
Cheese and related products ¹	166.8	168.6	169.5	171.6	-4.3	7.4	7.0	12.0	1.4	9.5
Ice cream and related products ¹	171.8	173.8	177.0	175.5	8.3	5.4	6.0	8.9	6.8	7.5
Other dairy and related products ^{1 2}	113.2	113.4	113.8	114.1	-5.6	1.8	12.2	3.2	-2.0	7.6

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	June 2001	July 2001	Aug. 2001	Sep. 2001	Dec. 2000	Mar. 2001	June 2001	Sep. 2001	Mar. 2001	Sep. 2001
Expenditure category										
Fruits and vegetables	214.0	214.0	212.7	215.5	10.2	-0.9	3.0	2.8	4.5	2.9
Fresh fruits and vegetables	248.5	247.9	245.6	250.1	14.1	-3.2	1.8	2.6	5.1	2.2
Fresh fruits	270.4	268.3	261.2	265.5	11.8	-5.5	14.9	-7.1	2.8	3.3
Apples	216.1	214.7	214.4	208.8	-2.8	-9.2	23.5	-12.8	-6.1	3.7
Bananas	165.8	168.5	172.1	172.4	.5	-3.4	10.3	16.9	-1.5	13.5
Citrus fruits ^{1 2}	148.3	155.8	157.5	165.9	-65.8	19.2	92.5	56.6	-36.2	73.6
Oranges, including tangerines ³	269.0	274.6	260.2	265.0	26.3	-4.3	8.4	-5.8	9.9	1.1
Other fresh fruits ^{1 2}	95.4	85.7	80.5	86.7	228.5	-44.2	-13.1	-31.8	35.4	-23.0
Fresh vegetables	228.7	229.5	231.6	236.3	16.5	-7	-10.3	14.0	7.6	1.1
Potatoes	200.4	200.9	206.9	212.4	-2.3	7.2	17.7	26.2	2.3	21.9
Lettuce ¹	215.1	211.7	226.5	254.1	32.0	-42.0	-41.3	94.7	-12.5	7.0
Tomatoes ¹	247.8	235.5	225.0	222.6	161.6	-32.1	-16.9	-34.9	33.3	-26.4
Other fresh vegetables	234.8	239.3	235.6	244.0	15.7	8.1	-15.6	16.6	11.8	-8
Processed fruits and vegetables ^{1 2}	109.1	109.9	110.2	110.0	-2.2	7.0	7.7	3.3	2.3	5.5
Canned fruits and vegetables ^{1 2}	108.1	109.1	110.3	109.5	-8	5.1	7.4	5.3	2.1	6.3
Canned fruits ^{1 2 3}	108.4	109.7	110.8	110.1	5.8	1.1	1.1	6.4	3.4	3.7
Canned vegetables ^{1 2 3}	111.2	111.3	113.3	112.6	-4.8	7.4	14.1	5.1	1.1	9.5
Frozen fruits and vegetables ^{1 2}	113.3	114.4	113.4	114.0	-5.0	10.0	11.3	2.5	2.2	6.8
Frozen vegetables ³	167.1	169.0	165.2	167.5	2.5	8.0	8.8	1.0	5.2	4.8
Other processed fruits and vegetables including dried ^{1 2}	103.6	103.7	103.4	103.0	-8	5.6	.8	-2.3	2.4	-8
Dried beans, peas, and lentils ^{1 2 3}	99.5	99.6	99.9	99.5	-4.7	-4	2.4	.0	-2.6	1.2
Nonalcoholic beverages and beverage materials	138.8	139.0	140.3	139.6	-6	.6	1.2	2.3	.0	1.7
Juices and nonalcoholic drinks ^{1 2}	107.2	107.2	108.3	107.4	-3.4	10.7	-1.5	.7	3.4	-4
Carbonated drinks	125.3	124.3	127.8	125.5	-2.5	2.6	2.9	.6	.0	1.8
Frozen noncarbonated juices and drinks ^{1 2}	112.0	113.5	111.7	111.7	10.7	-6.3	9.4	-1.1	1.9	4.1
Nonfrozen noncarbonated juices and drinks ^{1 2}	105.7	106.6	106.3	106.8	.4	3.5	.8	4.2	1.9	2.5
Beverage materials including coffee and tea ^{1 2}	96.2	96.9	96.9	97.1	-5.2	3.3	-5.6	3.8	-1.0	-1.0
Coffee ¹	147.7	146.9	146.1	145.6	-10.4	5.5	-5.2	-5.6	-2.7	-5.4
Roasted coffee ^{1 3}	150.5	149.1	147.7	147.3	-13.1	3.2	-6.1	-8.2	-5.3	-7.2
Instant and freeze dried coffee ^{1 3}	162.4	163.4	163.6	163.0	-2.2	8.5	-5	1.5	3.0	.5
Other beverage materials including tea ^{1 2}	108.3	110.3	111.0	111.8	1.1	1.1	-5.7	13.6	1.1	3.5
Other food at home	159.4	160.3	160.7	160.4	1.0	3.9	1.8	2.5	2.4	2.2
Sugar and sweets	155.5	156.1	156.1	156.3	.8	1.8	.8	2.1	1.3	1.4
Sugar and artificial sweeteners	141.3	142.2	140.1	141.4	-2.3	11.0	4.1	.3	4.1	2.2
Candy and chewing gum ^{1 2}	104.5	103.9	104.3	104.5	1.9	.0	1.2	.0	1.0	.6
Other sweets ^{1 2}	106.6	108.8	109.1	108.8	-4.0	7.7	-6.5	8.5	1.7	.7
Fats and oils	157.2	157.5	158.2	158.7	6.0	5.7	11.1	3.9	5.9	7.4
Butter and margarine ^{1 2}	126.6	128.9	130.2	129.4	11.7	12.9	38.0	9.1	12.3	22.7
Butter ^{1 3}	178.7	186.3	185.5	187.8	33.7	14.6	89.5	22.0	23.8	52.1
Margarine ³	157.6	159.4	161.8	157.1	-5	13.5	-6.8	-1.3	6.3	-4.1
Salad dressing ^{1 2}	105.8	106.5	107.1	107.7	5.1	5.8	-5.8	7.4	5.4	.6
Other fats and oils including peanut butter ^{1 2}	104.4	104.0	103.8	104.0	-2.3	6.0	-4	-1.5	1.7	-1.0
Peanut butter ^{1 2 3}	110.1	110.0	107.6	110.5	7.3	3.0	4.1	1.5	5.1	2.8
Other foods	175.2	176.3	176.9	176.2	.0	4.0	.2	2.3	2.0	1.3
Soups	202.4	201.3	203.1	202.5	-4.1	-1.6	8.5	.2	-2.9	4.3
Frozen and freeze dried prepared foods ¹	152.7	154.1	153.3	152.2	2.4	.3	6.5	-1.3	1.3	2.5
Snacks ¹	170.1	168.0	169.2	166.9	-4.7	4.4	3.6	-7.3	-2	-2.0
Spices, seasonings, condiments, sauces	178.9	181.8	184.6	183.0	-1.4	14.2	-4.1	9.5	6.1	2.4
Salt and other seasonings and spices ^{1 2 3}	106.3	107.1	108.2	105.6	-9.3	26.9	-3.3	-2.6	7.3	-3.0
Olives, pickles, relishes ^{1 2 3}	102.7	111.2	112.5	112.7	-8.7	47.9	-25.4	45.0	16.2	4.0
Sauces and gravies ^{1 2 3}	108.4	109.0	109.4	109.5	12.1	.8	6.5	4.1	6.3	5.3
Other condiments ³	186.7	183.6	185.9	186.9	7.0	-3.0	4.4	.4	1.9	2.4
Baby food ^{1 2}	114.1	113.8	114.1	114.2	3.3	7.7	.4	.4	5.5	.4
Other miscellaneous foods ^{1 2}	107.7	109.6	109.5	108.9	4.5	-1.8	-2.6	4.5	1.3	.9
Prepared salads ^{1 2 3}	NA	NA	NA	NA	-	-	-	-	-	-
Food away from home ¹	173.6	174.1	174.7	175.1	1.9	3.6	3.1	3.5	2.7	3.3
Full service meals and snacks ^{1 2}	110.1	110.5	110.9	111.0	1.5	4.9	3.0	3.3	3.2	3.1
Limited service meals and snacks ^{1 2}	109.3	109.7	110.1	110.3	3.8	2.6	3.0	3.7	3.2	3.3
Food at employee sites and schools ^{1 2}	105.4	105.6	105.9	106.3	-2.3	1.5	2.7	3.5	-4	3.1
Food from vending machines and mobile vendors ^{1 2}	104.3	104.4	104.4	104.5	1.6	3.1	1.5	.8	2.4	1.2
Other food away from home ^{1 2}	112.6	113.8	114.3	115.3	4.1	1.8	3.6	9.9	2.9	6.7

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Table 4. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): Seasonally adjusted U.S. city average, detailed expenditure categories -Continued

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Item and group	Seasonally adjusted indexes				Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for					
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	June 2001	July 2001	Aug. 2001	Sep. 2001	Dec. 2000	Mar. 2001	June 2001	Sep. 2001	Mar. 2001	Sep. 2001
Expenditure category										
Alcoholic beverages	179.1	179.7	180.2	180.4	2.5	1.6	3.9	2.9	2.1	3.4
Alcoholic beverages at home	160.8	161.3	161.6	162.2	2.8	1.3	1.5	3.5	2.0	2.5
Beer, ale, and other malt beverages at home	160.2	161.1	161.7	162.4	4.7	.3	2.8	5.6	2.4	4.2
Distilled spirits at home	167.6	168.7	168.8	169.4	2.2	5.5	3.2	4.4	3.8	3.8
Whiskey at home ³	164.4	165.0	164.7	164.5	4.1	5.8	3.2	.2	5.0	1.7
Distilled spirits, excluding whiskey, at home ^{1 3}	170.0	171.9	171.5	172.4	.0	9.6	3.6	5.8	4.7	4.7
Wine at home	151.5	151.1	151.4	151.3	-.5	-1.3	-.3	-.5	-.9	-.4
Alcoholic beverages away from home ¹	214.9	216.0	216.9	216.9	2.3	2.7	6.0	3.8	2.5	4.9
Beer, ale, and other malt beverages away from home ^{1 2 3} ..	109.9	110.1	110.4	110.6	1.5	.4	4.1	2.6	.9	3.3
Wine away from home ^{1 2 3}	113.5	114.4	115.3	115.4	3.3	4.4	6.6	6.9	3.9	6.7
Distilled spirits away from home ^{1 2 3}	112.1	112.8	113.3	113.3	2.6	6.0	3.3	4.4	4.3	3.8
Housing	176.6	176.6	177.1	176.7	4.3	5.7	3.7	.2	5.0	2.0
Shelter	200.3	200.5	201.6	201.6	3.1	4.8	4.7	2.6	4.0	3.7
Rent of primary residence ⁴	191.8	192.5	193.2	193.9	4.4	4.8	4.7	4.5	4.6	4.6
Lodging away from home ^{2 4}	113.1	111.1	112.2	108.7	-2.5	9.1	5.9	-14.7	3.1	-5.0
Housing at school, excluding board ^{4 5}	263.8	265.1	267.5	268.1	6.1	4.1	4.0	6.7	5.1	5.4
Other lodging away from home including hotels and motels	261.4	256.1	258.7	249.8	-3.7	10.1	5.9	-16.6	2.9	-6.0
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence ^{4 5}	205.9	206.5	207.6	208.1	3.4	4.0	4.6	4.3	3.7	4.5
Tenants' and household insurance ^{1 2}	107.0	106.6	106.6	106.7	1.9	2.7	6.2	-1.1	2.3	2.5
Fuels and utilities	152.6	151.3	149.8	147.4	14.7	17.8	1.9	-12.9	16.2	-5.8
Fuels	137.5	136.0	134.2	131.5	17.3	21.5	1.8	-16.3	19.4	-7.7
Fuel oil and other fuels	132.3	128.8	127.5	128.2	22.8	-25.5	-4.1	-11.8	-4.3	-8.1
Fuel oil	130.5	126.8	125.3	125.6	24.4	-33.4	-.9	-14.2	-9.0	-7.8
Other household fuels ⁶	167.4	164.4	162.3	162.4	17.2	16.0	-17.6	-11.4	16.6	-14.6
Gas (piped) and electricity ⁴	144.9	143.5	141.5	138.4	16.9	26.4	2.5	-16.8	21.6	-7.6
Electricity ⁴	141.1	142.0	141.5	140.6	1.9	11.9	23.3	-1.4	6.7	10.3
Utility natural gas service ⁴	162.6	156.0	150.7	142.4	52.5	58.3	-27.1	-41.2	55.4	-34.5
Water and sewer and trash collection services ²	109.0	109.3	109.9	110.1	3.4	2.6	1.5	4.1	3.0	2.8
Water and sewerage maintenance ⁴	233.9	234.3	235.5	236.3	4.4	3.0	1.7	4.2	3.7	2.9
Garbage and trash collection ^{1 7}	274.2	275.6	276.8	277.0	.4	2.1	1.3	4.1	1.3	2.7
Household furnishings and operations	129.1	129.1	129.0	129.1	.9	-.6	.6	.0	.2	.3
Window and floor coverings and other linens ^{1 2}	98.1	98.5	97.8	98.1	.8	-14.9	4.2	.0	-7.4	2.1
Floor coverings ^{1 2}	106.9	107.3	107.6	107.6	5.4	2.3	-3.7	2.6	3.8	-.6
Window coverings ^{1 2}	95.3	96.1	94.5	95.7	.8	-32.9	17.2	1.7	-17.7	9.2
Other linens ^{1 2}	95.2	95.2	94.6	94.3	-2.0	-9.9	1.3	-3.7	-6.0	-1.3
Furniture and bedding ¹	132.5	132.2	131.4	131.3	-4.6	-2.1	-3.0	-3.6	-3.4	-3.3
Bedroom furniture ¹	136.8	137.3	136.4	135.5	-5.1	-.6	-1.2	-3.7	-2.9	-2.5
Living room, kitchen, and dining room furniture ^{1 2}	101.5	101.2	101.1	101.4	-2.7	-2.3	-3.5	-.4	-2.5	-1.9
Other furniture ^{1 2}	97.3	96.4	94.2	94.3	-9.1	-3.2	-6.3	-11.8	-6.2	-9.1
Appliances ^{1 2}	94.9	94.8	94.7	94.9	-3.7	.0	.0	.0	-1.9	.0
Major appliances ^{1 2}	97.2	96.6	96.9	97.5	-2.9	2.5	1.2	1.2	-.2	1.2
Laundry equipment ^{1 3}	111.3	111.0	110.9	112.4	.7	-3.5	1.1	4.0	-1.4	2.5
Other appliances ^{1 2}	91.6	92.2	91.6	91.1	-5.0	-3.0	-2.2	-2.2	-4.0	-2.2
Other household equipment and furnishings ^{1 2}	96.7	96.5	96.3	96.0	-4.8	5.5	-2.8	-2.9	.2	-2.9
Clocks, lamps, and decorator items ¹	106.5	107.3	107.3	107.2	-4.0	-4.0	-3.7	2.7	-4.0	-.6
Indoor plants and flowers ^{1 8}	119.2	117.9	118.0	116.5	1.4	19.4	-2.6	-8.8	10.0	-5.7
Dishes and flatware ^{1 2}	93.2	93.0	91.9	92.8	-10.4	.0	-.9	-1.7	-5.3	-1.3
Nonelectric cookware and tableware ^{1 2}	97.5	97.1	96.5	96.4	-11.2	9.5	-4.0	-4.4	-1.4	-4.2
Tools, hardware, outdoor equipment and supplies ^{1 2}	97.1	97.0	97.0	97.1	-1.6	2.9	.0	.0	.6	.0
Tools, hardware and supplies ^{1 2}	96.2	96.7	96.9	96.9	1.2	-2.0	-4.4	2.9	-.4	-.8
Outdoor equipment and supplies ^{1 2}	97.4	97.0	96.9	97.0	-2.9	5.6	2.1	-1.6	1.2	.2
Housekeeping supplies ¹	158.3	158.6	158.9	160.4	2.6	.8	4.9	5.4	1.7	5.2
Household cleaning products ^{1 2}	108.8	108.7	109.0	109.7	5.0	3.4	1.1	3.4	4.2	2.2
Household paper products ^{1 2}	119.5	120.2	120.0	120.3	-.7	-6.0	14.2	2.7	-3.4	8.3
Miscellaneous household products ^{1 2}	105.5	105.7	106.2	108.3	2.3	1.9	3.9	11.0	2.1	7.4
Household operations ^{1 2}	115.5	115.8	116.3	116.5	2.2	10.0	1.0	3.5	6.0	2.3
Domestic services ^{1 2}	113.8	113.8	114.1	114.4	3.7	8.5	-.7	2.1	6.1	.7
Gardening and lawn care services ^{1 2}	116.4	116.6	117.3	117.3	.0	14.9	-2.7	3.1	7.2	.2
Moving, storage, freight expense ^{1 2}	113.9	114.1	114.7	115.4	2.2	2.2	7.3	5.4	2.2	6.4
Repair of household items ^{1 2}	119.8	121.0	121.3	121.4	3.2	9.4	11.1	5.5	6.3	8.2

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Expenditure category										
Apparel	126.9	126.1	125.4	126.1	-2.1	3.8	-9.8	-2.5	0.8	-6.2
Men's and boys' apparel	126.3	125.2	123.2	123.9	-2.8	-4.6	-1.9	-7.4	-3.7	-4.7
Men's apparel	128.9	127.6	126.4	127.3	-2.7	-6.8	-3.6	-4.9	-4.7	-4.3
Men's suits, sport coats, and outerwear	127.5	127.6	127.6	127.2	-9.5	-11.7	1.6	-9	-10.6	.3
Men's furnishings	137.1	134.8	134.4	132.9	-6	5.4	-6	-11.7	2.4	-6.3
Men's shirts and sweaters ^{1 2}	91.8	87.8	88.0	94.1	-2.0	-12.9	-18.1	10.4	-7.6	-4.9
Men's pants and shorts	125.0	124.6	123.2	123.6	-4.9	-8.2	1.9	-4.4	-6.6	-1.3
Boys' apparel	115.4	114.5	110.6	109.1	4.3	2.5	3.2	-20.1	3.4	-9.2
Women's and girls' apparel	118.3	117.5	116.9	118.7	-3.5	9.2	-17.2	1.4	2.6	-8.4
Women's apparel	118.6	118.2	117.9	119.5	-5.4	9.9	-17.9	3.1	2.0	-8.0
Women's outerwear	112.6	114.6	114.9	116.3	2.8	7.8	-19.3	13.8	5.2	-4.2
Women's dresses	94.3	90.4	95.9	102.6	-11.6	16.3	-28.9	40.1	1.4	-2
Women's suits and separates ^{1 2}	93.8	88.0	88.9	97.6	-21.7	39.6	-36.1	17.2	4.5	-13.4
Women's underwear, nightwear, sportswear and accessories ^{1 2}	103.4	101.4	99.4	98.1	-8	18.2	-5.6	-19.0	8.3	-12.5
Girls' apparel	117.2	113.9	111.5	114.6	6.6	5.5	-12.3	-8.6	6.0	-10.4
Footwear	122.2	122.6	123.4	122.9	-2.2	3.6	-9.5	2.3	.6	-3.8
Men's footwear	127.0	124.9	124.1	122.7	1.9	-4.9	-2.8	-12.9	-1.5	-8.0
Boys' and girls' footwear	117.1	119.8	122.9	120.5	3.7	9.8	-23.2	12.1	6.7	-7.2
Women's footwear	121.2	121.6	122.7	123.8	-8.1	4.4	-3.9	8.9	-2.1	2.3
Infants' and toddlers' apparel ¹	127.3	124.5	126.3	129.3	2.5	11.0	-12.4	6.4	6.7	-3.5
Jewelry and watches ⁶	138.8	138.8	137.0	132.5	7.0	1.2	2.6	-17.0	4.0	-7.7
Watches ⁶	120.2	121.0	119.4	119.1	3.0	-7.9	1.0	-3.6	-2.6	-1.3
Jewelry ⁶	143.7	143.7	141.9	136.3	8.6	4.0	1.1	-19.1	6.3	-9.5
Transportation	157.7	154.1	153.4	155.9	-.3	-.8	8.0	-4.5	-.5	1.6
Private transportation	153.4	149.8	149.1	151.7	-.3	.0	7.1	-4.4	-.1	1.2
New and used motor vehicles ²	101.6	101.5	101.4	101.1	2.8	1.6	-3.1	-2.0	2.2	-2.5
New vehicles	141.8	141.8	141.5	141.5	.3	-1.7	-1.1	-.8	-.7	-1.0
New cars and trucks ^{1 2 3}	98.3	98.0	97.4	97.3	6.3	-2.0	-3.2	-4.0	2.0	-3.6
New cars ³	138.6	138.6	138.3	138.4	.3	-2.6	-.6	-.6	-1.1	-.6
New trucks ^{3 7}	150.4	150.3	149.7	149.6	1.3	-1.3	-2.1	-2.1	.0	-2.1
New motorcycles ^{1 3 6}	NA	NA	NA	NA	-	-	-	-	-	-
Used cars and trucks	158.9	158.3	158.0	156.7	9.3	7.2	-7.2	-5.4	8.3	-6.3
Car and truck rental ^{1 2}	100.8	102.0	103.3	99.3	-1.5	3.4	-25.5	-5.8	.9	-16.2
Motor fuel	138.0	122.9	119.9	130.4	-9.8	-10.0	38.1	-20.3	-9.9	4.9
Gasoline (all types)	137.2	122.1	119.2	129.5	-9.0	-10.3	38.4	-20.6	-9.7	4.8
Gasoline, unleaded regular ³	135.8	120.0	117.2	129.2	-9.0	-12.7	39.7	-18.1	-10.9	7.0
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ^{3 9}	141.5	126.9	123.1	132.8	-10.1	-8.7	35.7	-22.4	-9.4	2.6
Gasoline, unleaded premium ³	135.6	123.1	119.2	127.4	-6.8	-10.4	34.1	-22.1	-8.6	2.2
Other motor fuels ^{1 2}	126.8	121.2	119.5	124.8	-.3	-25.4	6.6	-6.2	-13.8	.0
Motor vehicle parts and equipment	104.6	105.3	105.1	105.2	4.8	6.8	.0	2.3	5.8	1.2
Tires	100.5	101.2	100.8	100.4	2.1	8.4	.8	-.4	5.2	.2
Vehicle accessories other than tires ^{1 2}	104.5	104.9	104.9	105.8	8.1	5.5	-1.9	5.1	6.8	1.5
Vehicle parts and equipment other than tires ^{1 3}	110.4	110.6	110.5	111.1	8.4	3.7	-2.5	2.6	6.0	.0
Motor oil, coolant, and fluids ^{1 3}	146.5	147.3	148.5	150.8	4.9	13.3	.8	12.3	9.1	6.4
Motor vehicle maintenance and repair	182.9	183.6	184.1	184.9	2.9	4.1	2.7	4.4	3.5	3.6
Motor vehicle body work ¹	194.9	194.9	195.6	197.3	2.1	1.9	6.2	5.0	2.0	5.6
Motor vehicle maintenance and servicing ¹	168.4	169.2	169.4	170.2	4.0	4.4	3.9	4.3	4.2	4.1
Motor vehicle repair ^{1 2}	111.1	111.5	112.0	112.8	1.8	4.1	1.1	6.3	3.0	3.6
Motor vehicle insurance	267.0	268.7	269.7	270.6	2.7	6.2	5.9	5.5	4.4	5.7
Motor vehicle fees ^{1 2}	108.9	109.0	109.3	109.7	.7	2.6	.0	3.0	1.7	1.5
State and local registration and license ^{1 2 4}	105.2	105.4	105.6	105.8	-1.1	.0	-.4	2.3	-.6	1.0
Parking and other fees ^{1 2}	117.2	117.3	117.7	118.6	3.9	8.3	.3	4.9	6.1	2.6
Parking fees and tolls ^{1 2 3}	118.0	117.9	118.2	119.1	3.9	7.5	2.1	3.8	5.7	2.9
Automobile service clubs ^{1 2 3}	108.1	109.1	109.2	109.3	.8	6.7	7.4	4.5	3.7	5.9
Public transportation	216.0	213.6	213.9	213.1	-.9	-10.6	18.3	-5.3	-5.9	5.9
Airline fare ¹	249.3	248.8	244.3	242.5	-10.5	.7	19.2	-10.5	-5.1	3.3
Other intercity transportation	154.7	153.8	154.0	153.5	3.7	-.5	-4.3	-3.1	1.6	-3.7
Ship fare ^{1 2 3}	82.6	81.4	81.3	80.1	-2.3	-2.8	-12.5	-11.6	-2.5	-12.0
Intracity transportation ¹	179.3	180.5	181.1	181.8	1.6	2.5	1.6	5.7	2.0	3.6

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 4. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): Seasonally adjusted U.S. city average, detailed expenditure categories -Continued

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Seasonally adjusted indexes				Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for					
					3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
	June 2001	July 2001	Aug. 2001	Sep. 2001	Dec. 2000	Mar. 2001	June 2001	Sep. 2001	Mar. 2001	Sep. 2001
Expenditure category										
Medical care	272.7	273.0	274.5	275.3	3.5	6.2	4.4	3.9	4.8	4.1
Medical care commodities	247.6	248.0	248.8	249.6	3.2	6.1	4.5	3.3	4.6	3.9
Prescription drugs and medical supplies	300.1	302.0	303.1	305.1	4.2	8.5	4.9	6.8	6.4	5.9
Nonprescription drugs and medical supplies ^{1 6}	151.8	150.8	150.6	150.1	1.1	.0	4.3	-4.4	.5	-1
Internal and respiratory over-the-counter drugs ¹	180.4	179.9	179.7	178.6	-.9	3.0	3.9	-3.9	1.0	-1
Nonprescription medical equipment and supplies ¹	179.6	177.2	176.6	177.1	5.3	-5.4	5.3	-5.5	-2	-2
Medical care services	278.3	278.6	280.2	281.0	3.8	6.2	4.3	3.9	5.0	4.1
Professional services ⁴	246.0	246.5	247.7	248.1	3.0	5.1	2.8	3.5	4.0	3.1
Physicians' services ⁴	252.9	253.0	254.7	255.4	3.0	4.4	3.1	4.0	3.7	3.5
Dental services ⁴	268.6	269.8	270.2	271.0	3.9	4.8	3.5	3.6	4.3	3.6
Eyeglasses and eye care ^{1 4 6}	154.8	155.2	155.0	155.1	1.6	7.6	1.6	.8	4.6	1.2
Services by other medical professionals ^{4 6}	167.1	167.7	168.7	169.0	1.2	4.7	3.2	4.6	3.0	3.9
Hospital and related services ⁴	337.6	338.3	340.5	342.6	4.7	7.6	6.8	6.1	6.1	6.4
Hospital services ^{1 4 10}	123.0	123.5	124.7	125.2	3.4	9.8	4.7	7.3	6.6	6.0
Inpatient hospital services ^{1 3 4 10}	120.6	120.9	121.7	122.3	2.4	10.4	4.8	5.8	6.3	5.3
Outpatient hospital services ^{3 4 6}	279.3	280.8	283.8	285.9	5.8	5.4	5.5	9.8	5.6	7.6
Nursing homes and adult daycare ^{1 4 10}	121.0	121.6	122.6	123.3	1.4	3.4	3.4	7.8	2.4	5.6
Recreation ²	104.6	104.8	105.0	105.1	.4	1.2	2.3	1.9	.8	2.1
Video and audio ²	101.1	101.6	101.5	101.4	-1.6	.4	-.8	1.2	-.6	.2
Televisions	44.6	44.4	43.9	43.5	-8.0	-8.9	-14.6	-9.5	-8.5	-12.1
Cable television ^{4 7}	277.5	279.2	279.5	280.2	3.6	5.7	2.2	3.9	4.6	3.1
Other video equipment ^{1 2}	52.4	51.8	51.1	51.1	-12.8	-27.7	-21.7	-9.6	-20.6	-15.8
Video cassettes, discs, and other media including rental ^{1 2} ..	86.1	86.1	86.0	84.9	-20.4	-6.8	10.9	-5.5	-13.9	2.4
Video cassettes and discs, blank and prerecorded ^{1 2 3}	85.5	85.6	85.3	83.7	-8.5	-10.4	14.8	-8.2	-9.4	2.7
Rental of video tapes and discs ^{1 2 3}	92.5	92.6	92.5	92.7	-18.5	-3.5	9.1	.9	-11.3	4.9
Audio equipment ¹	75.8	76.2	76.1	76.9	-7.7	-6.4	-11.3	5.9	-7.0	-3.0
Audio discs, tapes and other media ^{1 2}	107.3	107.8	108.0	106.6	5.2	2.7	10.3	-2.6	3.9	3.7
Pets, pet products and services ^{1 2}	109.6	109.7	110.7	110.6	1.5	5.3	4.9	3.7	3.4	4.3
Pets and pet products ¹	146.9	146.6	148.0	147.3	-1.1	4.8	4.5	1.1	1.8	2.8
Pet food ^{1 2 3}	104.1	104.0	105.2	104.9	.8	6.4	.8	3.1	3.6	1.9
Purchase of pets, pet supplies, accessories ^{1 2 3}	102.0	101.7	102.0	101.6	-2.4	.0	10.4	-1.6	-1.2	4.3
Pet services including veterinary ^{1 2}	121.3	122.1	122.9	123.6	5.6	7.0	5.5	7.8	6.3	6.6
Pet services ^{1 2 3}	112.8	113.2	113.3	113.3	1.5	3.3	3.6	1.8	2.4	2.7
Veterinarian services ^{1 2 3}	122.2	122.9	123.9	124.7	6.3	8.4	5.8	8.4	7.4	7.1
Sporting goods ¹	119.0	118.6	118.6	118.3	1.4	-1.0	.3	-2.3	.2	-1.0
Sports vehicles including bicycles ¹	133.2	133.0	133.1	132.6	5.6	2.1	.3	-1.8	3.9	-.7
Sports equipment ¹	105.3	104.8	104.7	104.5	-2.6	-4.1	.4	-3.0	-3.3	-1.3
Photography ^{1 2}	99.0	99.1	98.6	98.9	.4	-.8	-.8	-.4	-.2	-.6
Photographic equipment and supplies ¹	123.9	124.0	122.7	123.3	-2.5	-1.3	-2.2	-1.9	-1.9	-2.1
Film and photographic supplies ^{1 2 3}	96.4	97.1	95.6	96.5	-4.8	1.3	.4	.4	-1.8	.4
Photographic equipment ^{1 2 3}	87.3	86.5	86.2	86.1	-4.7	-6.9	-5.3	-5.4	-5.8	-5.4
Photographers and film processing ^{1 2}	103.5	103.7	103.5	103.7	2.3	-.8	.0	.8	.8	.4
Photographer fees ^{1 2 3}	106.2	106.9	107.2	108.5	2.3	5.9	1.9	8.9	4.1	5.4
Film processing ^{1 2 3}	99.7	99.8	99.6	99.6	.4	-3.5	-2.0	-.4	-1.6	-1.2
Other recreational goods ²	84.7	84.6	84.3	84.6	-2.7	-10.2	2.9	-.5	-6.6	1.2
Toys ¹	100.7	100.1	99.7	99.9	-3.0	-13.2	3.7	-3.1	-8.3	.2
Toys, games, hobbies and playground equipment ^{1 2 3}	84.3	83.9	83.7	84.0	-3.2	-12.8	6.4	-1.4	-8.1	2.4
Video game hardware, software and accessories ^{1 2 3}	NA	NA	NA	NA	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sewing machines, fabric and supplies ^{1 2}	94.8	97.5	97.1	97.6	-7.6	1.3	-2.9	12.3	-3.3	4.4
Music instruments and accessories ^{1 2}	100.5	100.3	100.3	100.6	6.2	-2.0	3.7	.4	2.0	2.0
Recreation services ²	115.7	115.9	116.3	116.8	1.1	4.7	3.9	3.9	2.9	3.9
Club membership dues and fees for participant sports ^{1 2}	110.8	110.6	110.6	111.2	-.4	4.8	-2.1	1.5	2.2	-.4
Admissions ¹	242.6	243.2	245.1	245.9	2.2	4.5	9.1	5.6	3.4	7.3
Admission to movies, theaters, and concerts ^{1 2 3}	118.1	118.3	119.4	119.7	3.2	2.4	3.5	5.5	2.8	4.5
Admission to sporting events ^{1 2 3}	124.9	125.7	126.1	126.8	1.7	5.1	14.7	6.2	3.4	10.4
Fees for lessons or instructions ⁶	194.9	195.7	195.9	196.2	1.7	4.1	5.7	2.7	2.9	4.2
Recreational reading materials ¹	191.3	192.5	192.5	192.6	2.8	1.7	2.3	2.7	2.2	2.5
Newspapers and magazines ^{1 2}	108.3	109.1	109.2	109.4	2.7	3.0	1.5	4.1	2.8	2.8
Recreational books ^{1 2}	102.1	102.5	102.2	102.0	3.2	-.8	4.0	-.4	1.2	1.8

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Table 4. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): Seasonally adjusted U.S. city average, detailed expenditure categories -Continued

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Seasonally adjusted indexes				Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for					
					3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
	June 2001	July 2001	Aug. 2001	Sep. 2001	Dec. 2000	Mar. 2001	June 2001	Sep. 2001	Mar. 2001	Sep. 2001
Expenditure category										
Education and communication ²	105.1	105.6	106.1	106.1	4.8	3.9	1.9	3.9	4.3	2.9
Education ²	118.6	119.1	120.2	120.7	6.1	3.9	6.7	7.3	5.0	7.0
Educational books and supplies	295.4	297.5	299.5	304.8	2.4	5.4	8.1	13.3	3.9	10.7
Tuition, other school fees, and childcare	339.9	341.3	344.3	345.5	6.1	3.9	6.5	6.8	5.0	6.6
College tuition and fees	346.2	346.8	352.6	355.0	4.6	3.8	5.1	10.6	4.2	7.8
Elementary and high school tuition and fees	370.5	373.8	378.5	379.5	5.5	6.9	6.7	10.1	6.2	8.4
Child care and nursery school ⁸	164.3	164.5	165.2	165.4	6.8	4.1	6.9	2.7	5.4	4.8
Technical and business school tuition and fees ^{1 2}	121.6	122.9	123.3	124.6	2.4	4.1	4.7	10.2	3.2	7.5
Communication ^{1 2}	93.1	93.6	93.5	93.1	4.0	3.0	-2.5	.0	3.5	-1.3
Postage and delivery services ^{1 2}	106.8	108.1	108.1	108.1	.0	14.7	.0	5.0	7.1	2.4
Postage ¹	170.7	172.7	172.7	172.7	.0	14.3	.0	4.8	6.9	2.4
Delivery services ^{1 2}	123.9	124.4	124.4	124.4	.3	29.7	.3	1.6	14.1	1.0
Information and information processing ^{1 2}	92.1	92.5	92.4	92.0	4.0	2.2	-2.6	-.4	3.1	-1.5
Telephone services ^{1 2}	99.0	99.6	99.6	99.2	5.9	4.1	-1.6	.8	5.0	-.4
Telephone services, local charges ^{1 4}	184.0	185.5	186.6	186.9	5.5	3.4	5.4	6.5	4.4	5.9
Telephone services, long distance charges ^{1 2}	88.7	88.9	88.5	87.6	7.5	5.5	-8.5	-4.9	6.5	-6.7
Interstate toll calls ^{1 3}	65.2	65.3	65.0	64.3	6.3	6.9	-9.8	-5.4	6.6	-7.6
Intrastate toll calls ^{1 3}	88.1	88.1	87.8	87.1	8.5	2.7	-6.1	-4.5	5.6	-5.3
Cellular telephone services ^{1 2}	68.1	68.6	68.1	67.2	-9.0	-12.8	-3.4	-5.2	-10.9	-4.3
Information and information processing other than telephone services ^{1 11}	21.4	21.3	20.7	20.3	-17.9	-20.1	-18.2	-19.0	-19.0	-18.6
Personal computers and peripheral equipment ^{1 2}	29.8	29.3	27.8	26.7	-22.5	-37.9	-28.4	-35.6	-30.6	-32.1
Computer software and accessories ^{1 2}	78.6	79.0	79.1	77.7	-17.1	-6.2	-7.7	-4.5	-11.8	-6.1
Computer information processing services ^{1 2}	96.6	99.1	100.8	100.2	.8	.8	3.0	15.8	.8	9.2
Other information processing equipment ^{1 2}	69.1	67.9	66.7	66.7	-17.6	1.1	-10.3	-13.2	-8.7	-11.7
Other goods and services	281.9	286.5	284.0	288.4	-1.0	5.5	5.3	9.5	2.2	7.4
Tobacco and smoking products ¹	421.0	441.2	424.6	444.0	-10.7	11.7	13.7	23.7	-.1	18.6
Cigarettes ^{1 2}	170.8	179.3	172.2	180.5	-11.6	12.5	14.3	24.7	-.2	19.4
Tobacco products other than cigarettes ^{1 2}	122.1	123.6	124.4	124.3	3.7	-.3	1.7	7.4	1.7	4.5
Personal care ¹	170.0	170.7	171.2	171.9	2.9	3.1	2.1	4.5	3.0	3.3
Personal care products ¹	154.6	155.1	154.7	155.5	3.1	.5	-2.8	2.3	1.8	-.3
Hair, dental, shaving, and miscellaneous personal care products ^{1 2}	104.4	104.6	104.2	104.4	5.5	-.8	-1.1	.0	2.3	-.6
Cosmetics, perfume, bath, nail preparations and implements ¹	166.8	167.8	167.4	168.9	.7	1.9	-4.9	5.1	1.3	.0
Personal care services ¹	184.1	184.8	185.2	185.5	3.1	2.0	4.2	3.1	2.6	3.7
Haircuts and other personal care services ^{1 2}	112.3	112.8	113.0	113.2	2.9	2.2	4.0	3.2	2.6	3.6
Miscellaneous personal services	261.5	263.2	265.5	266.6	3.7	4.0	3.9	8.0	3.8	6.0
Legal services ^{1 6}	196.8	199.5	203.0	203.2	2.3	6.2	2.7	13.7	4.2	8.0
Funeral expenses ⁶	194.8	195.0	195.3	196.4	3.2	2.8	7.1	3.3	3.0	5.2
Laundry and dry cleaning services ^{1 2}	109.7	110.2	110.6	111.2	2.3	5.7	4.1	5.6	4.0	4.8
Apparel services other than laundry and dry cleaning ^{1 2}	111.1	111.7	112.1	112.6	6.5	6.4	2.9	5.5	6.5	4.2
Financial services ^{1 6}	224.0	224.2	224.7	225.6	2.6	8.3	2.5	2.9	5.4	2.7
Checking account and other bank services ^{1 2 3}	113.2	113.5	113.7	114.3	2.6	9.0	1.4	3.9	5.7	2.7
Tax return preparation and other accounting fees ^{1 2 3}	121.5	121.5	121.8	122.1	1.7	9.2	5.1	2.0	5.4	3.5
Miscellaneous personal goods ^{1 2}	95.3	94.6	93.6	95.0	4.3	-2.5	-.4	-1.3	.8	-.8
Stationery, stationery supplies, gift wrap ³	155.3	155.9	156.1	156.5	.8	1.8	-1.0	3.1	1.3	1.0
Special aggregate indexes										
Commodities	151.9	150.7	150.2	151.6	.0	1.1	2.9	-.8	.5	1.1
Commodities less food and beverages	139.2	137.1	136.1	138.1	-1.4	-.6	2.9	-3.1	-1.0	-.1
Nondurables less food and beverages	150.7	147.2	145.5	148.6	-.3	-2.4	7.8	-5.5	-1.3	.9
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel	168.8	163.5	161.4	166.4	.7	-4.5	14.7	-5.6	-1.9	4.1
Durables	124.6	124.4	124.1	123.8	1.0	-.3	-2.5	-2.5	.3	-2.5
Services	203.7	203.9	204.7	204.5	3.9	5.8	4.2	1.6	4.8	2.9
Rent of shelter ⁵	209.0	209.3	210.1	210.3	3.2	4.6	4.9	2.5	3.9	3.7
Transportation services	202.4	202.6	203.3	203.5	1.6	1.8	5.7	2.2	1.7	3.9
Other services	237.7	238.7	239.8	240.3	3.9	4.0	3.4	4.4	3.9	3.9
All items less food	178.6	177.9	178.0	178.7	2.3	3.7	3.9	.2	3.0	2.0
All items less shelter	170.8	170.0	169.8	170.6	1.9	3.4	3.3	-.5	2.6	1.4
All items less medical care	172.5	172.0	172.1	172.7	2.2	3.6	3.8	.5	2.9	2.1
Commodities less food	140.9	138.9	137.9	139.9	-1.1	-.6	2.9	-2.8	-.9	.0
Nondurables less food	152.5	149.1	147.6	150.6	.0	-2.6	8.0	-4.9	-1.3	1.3

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 4. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): Seasonally adjusted U.S. city average, detailed expenditure categories -Continued

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Seasonally adjusted indexes				Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for					
					3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
	June 2001	July 2001	Aug. 2001	Sep. 2001	Dec. 2000	Mar. 2001	June 2001	Sep. 2001	Mar. 2001	Sep. 2001
Special aggregate indexes										
Nondurables less food and apparel	169.1	164.4	162.5	166.9	0.5	-3.8	13.9	-5.1	-1.7	3.9
Nondurables	162.7	161.0	160.0	161.9	.8	1.0	6.1	-2.0	.9	2.0
Apparel less footwear	123.3	122.3	121.3	122.2	-2.2	3.9	-10.0	-3.5	.8	-6.8
Services less rent of shelter ⁵	213.0	213.0	213.4	213.3	4.4	6.9	4.2	.6	5.6	2.4
Services less medical care services	197.0	197.2	197.8	197.7	3.8	5.7	4.4	1.4	4.8	2.9
Energy	136.5	128.9	126.5	129.8	3.8	6.0	16.8	-18.2	4.9	-2.3
All items less energy	183.6	184.1	184.4	184.7	2.2	3.4	2.7	2.4	2.8	2.5
All items less food and energy	186.3	186.6	187.0	187.4	2.0	3.5	2.6	2.4	2.8	2.5
Commodities less food and energy commodities	145.2	145.4	144.8	145.3	.0	1.4	-1.6	.3	.7	-7
Energy commodities	137.4	123.3	120.4	130.0	-7.2	-11.6	34.0	-19.9	-9.5	3.6
Services less energy services	209.6	210.0	211.0	211.2	3.2	4.2	4.5	3.1	3.7	3.8
Domestically produced farm food	177.2	177.6	177.3	177.6	3.3	4.7	5.4	.9	4.0	3.1
Utilities and public transportation	163.4	162.5	161.6	160.3	7.4	11.7	4.3	-7.4	9.5	-1.7

¹ Not seasonally adjusted.

² Indexes on a December 1997=100 base.

³ Special index based on a substantially smaller sample.

⁴ This index series was calculated using a Laspeyres estimator. All other item stratum index series converted to a geometric means estimator in January, 1999.

⁵ Indexes on a December 1982=100 base.

⁶ Indexes on a December 1986=100 base.

⁷ Indexes on a December 1983=100 base.

⁸ Indexes on a December 1990=100 base.

⁹ Indexes on a December 1993=100 base.

¹⁰ Indexes on a December 1996=100 base.

¹¹ Indexes on a December 1988=100 base.

NA Data not adequate for publication.

- Data not available.

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

Table 5. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, unadjusted indexes for special detailed expenditure categories¹

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item	Indexes				1-month percent changes ended—				Percent change to Sep. 2001 from—
	June 2001	July 2001	Aug. 2001	Sep. 2001	June 2001	July 2001	Aug. 2001	Sep. 2001	Sep. 2000
Food and beverages									
Rice ²	98.2	98.6	98.3	97.7	-0.5	0.4	-0.3	-0.6	-2.3
White bread	209.0	210.5	209.0	209.7	.7	.7	-7	.3	6.2
Bread other than white	211.9	214.2	215.2	215.6	-1.4	1.1	.5	.2	4.7
Fresh cakes and cupcakes	192.0	193.2	192.7	194.4	.0	.6	-3	.9	4.5
Cookies	188.3	188.2	190.5	192.2	-5	-1	1.2	.9	2.9
Fresh sweetrolls, coffeecakes, doughnuts	192.7	192.5	194.2	195.7	.6	-1	.9	.8	5.0
Crackers, bread, and cracker products	234.1	234.7	240.7	234.7	1.9	.3	2.6	-2.5	2.6
Frozen and refrigerated bakery products, pies, tarts, turnovers	204.2	203.1	204.3	202.6	1.1	-5	.6	-8	6.2
Bacon and related products	184.0	186.9	192.6	194.9	.4	1.6	3.0	1.2	4.6
Breakfast sausage and related products ²	109.5	109.8	110.2	112.2	.9	.3	.4	1.8	3.5
Ham, excluding canned	168.4	173.3	175.5	176.9	1.5	2.9	1.3	.8	2.6
Frankfurters	151.9	154.2	153.3	151.2	-1.9	1.5	-6	-1.4	-2.8
Lunchmeats ²	106.0	105.1	105.6	106.0	1.3	-8	.5	.4	2.9
Lamb and organ meats	175.7	175.2	173.3	174.4	2.4	-3	-1.1	.6	.2
Lamb and mutton ²	108.6	109.8	109.8	103.7	.0	1.1	.0	-5.6	-5.3
Fresh whole chicken	168.3	171.4	170.0	170.4	3.1	1.8	-8	.2	3.9
Fresh and frozen chicken parts	161.9	164.7	166.2	161.6	.2	1.7	.9	-2.8	2.7
Canned fish and seafood	127.3	128.8	129.2	128.9	.2	1.2	.3	-2	.8
Frozen fish and seafood	220.2	223.2	220.9	217.9	-5	1.4	-1.0	-1.4	-7
Fresh whole milk	167.0	168.3	167.6	167.0	1.2	.8	-4	-4	5.2
Fresh milk other than whole ²	113.4	114.0	113.5	113.9	1.4	.5	-4	.4	3.2
Oranges, including tangerines	284.4	308.7	319.8	329.7	9.4	8.5	3.6	3.1	5.4
Canned fruits ²	108.4	109.7	110.8	110.1	-4	1.2	1.0	-6	3.6
Canned vegetables ²	111.2	111.3	113.3	112.6	2.5	.1	1.8	-6	5.2
Frozen vegetables	166.9	169.0	166.6	168.3	.4	1.3	-1.4	1.0	5.1
Dried beans, peas, and lentils ²	99.5	99.6	99.9	99.5	-2	.1	.3	-4	-7
Roasted coffee	150.5	149.1	147.7	147.3	.5	-9	-9	-3	-6.2
Instant and freeze dried coffee	162.4	163.4	163.6	163.0	-2	.6	.1	-4	1.7
Butter	178.7	186.3	185.5	187.8	4.6	4.3	-4	1.2	37.2
Margarine	157.1	159.1	162.2	159.1	-2.8	1.3	1.9	-1.9	1.0
Peanut butter ²	110.1	110.0	107.6	110.5	.5	-1	-2.2	2.7	4.0
Salt and other seasonings and spices ²	106.3	107.1	108.2	105.6	-5	.8	1.0	-2.4	2.0
Olives, pickles, relishes ²	102.7	111.2	112.5	112.7	-6.7	8.3	1.2	.2	10.0
Sauces and gravies ²	108.4	109.0	109.4	109.5	.6	.6	.4	.1	5.8
Other condiments	187.6	185.1	187.1	188.0	1.1	-1.3	1.1	.5	2.2
Prepared salads ²	NA	NA	NA	NA	-	-	-	-	-
Whiskey at home	164.4	164.9	164.9	165.0	.2	.3	.0	.1	3.4
Distilled spirits, excluding whiskey, at home	170.0	171.9	171.5	172.4	-3	1.1	-2	.5	4.7
Beer, ale, and other malt beverages away from home ²	109.9	110.1	110.4	110.6	.5	.2	.3	.2	2.1
Wine away from home ²	113.5	114.4	115.3	115.4	1.2	.8	.8	.1	5.3
Distilled spirits away from home ²	112.1	112.8	113.3	113.3	.4	.6	.4	.0	4.0
Housing									
Laundry equipment	111.3	111.0	110.9	112.4	.5	-3	-1	1.4	.5
Transportation									
New cars and trucks ²	98.3	98.0	97.4	97.3	-5	-3	-6	-1	-8
New cars	138.5	138.1	137.2	137.1	-5	-3	-7	-1	-9
New trucks ³	150.3	149.7	148.7	148.4	-4	-4	-7	-2	-1.1
New motorcycles ⁴	NA	NA	NA	NA	-	-	-	-	-
Gasoline, unleaded regular	140.4	123.0	119.7	130.2	-3.6	-12.4	-2.7	8.8	-2.4
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ⁵	145.6	129.6	125.0	133.4	-3.0	-11.0	-3.5	6.7	-3.6
Gasoline, unleaded premium	139.5	125.5	121.2	128.3	-2.5	-10.0	-3.4	5.9	-3.3
Vehicle parts and equipment other than tires	110.4	110.6	110.5	111.1	.1	.2	-1	.5	3.0
Motor oil, coolant, and fluids	146.5	147.3	148.5	150.8	.3	.5	.8	1.5	7.7
Parking fees and tolls ²	118.0	117.9	118.2	119.1	.1	-1	.3	.8	4.3
Automobile service clubs ²	108.1	109.1	109.2	109.3	1.4	.9	.1	.1	4.8
Ship fare ²	82.6	81.4	81.3	80.1	-5	-1.5	-1	-1.5	-7.4
Medical care									
Inpatient hospital services ^{6 7}	120.6	120.9	121.7	122.3	.5	.2	.7	.5	5.8
Outpatient hospital services ^{4 7}	278.1	280.5	284.4	285.9	.1	.9	1.4	.5	6.6

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 5. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, unadjusted indexes for special detailed expenditure categories¹-Continued

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item	Indexes				1-month percent changes ended—				Percent change to Sep. 2001 from—
	June 2001	July 2001	Aug. 2001	Sep. 2001	June 2001	July 2001	Aug. 2001	Sep. 2001	Sep. 2000
Recreation									
Video cassettes and discs, blank and prerecorded ²	85.5	85.6	85.3	83.7	0.5	0.1	-0.4	-1.9	-3.6
Rental of video tapes and discs ²	92.5	92.6	92.5	92.7	.2	.1	-.1	.2	-3.5
Pet food ²	104.1	104.0	105.2	104.9	.0	-.1	1.2	-.3	2.7
Purchase of pets, pet supplies, accessories ²	102.0	101.7	102.0	101.6	.3	-.3	.3	-.4	1.5
Pet services ²	112.8	113.2	113.3	113.3	.1	.4	.1	.0	2.5
Veterinarian services ²	122.2	122.9	123.9	124.7	.7	.6	.8	.6	7.2
Film and photographic supplies ²	96.4	97.1	95.6	96.5	.7	.7	-1.5	.9	-.7
Photographic equipment ²	87.3	86.5	86.2	86.1	-1.0	-.9	-.3	-.1	-5.6
Photographer fees ²	106.2	106.9	107.2	108.5	-.3	.7	.3	1.2	4.7
Film processing ²	99.7	99.8	99.6	99.6	-.1	.1	-.2	.0	-1.4
Toys, games, hobbies and playground equipment ²	84.3	83.9	83.7	84.0	-.2	-.5	-.2	.4	-3.0
Video game hardware, software and accessories ²	NA	NA	NA	NA	-	-	-	-	-
Admission to movies, theaters, and concerts ²	118.1	118.3	119.4	119.7	.2	.2	.9	.3	3.6
Admission to sporting events ²	124.9	125.7	126.1	126.8	-.2	.6	.3	.6	6.8
Education and communication									
Interstate toll calls	65.2	65.3	65.0	64.3	.6	.2	-.5	-1.1	-.8
Intrastate toll calls	88.1	88.1	87.8	87.1	.5	.0	-.3	-.8	.0
Other goods and services									
Checking account and other bank services ²	113.2	113.5	113.7	114.3	.2	.3	.2	.5	4.2
Tax return preparation and other accounting fees ²	121.5	121.5	121.8	122.1	.1	.0	.2	.2	4.4
Stationery, stationery supplies, gift wrap	156.4	155.8	153.8	154.4	.1	-.4	-1.3	.4	1.2

¹ Special index based on a substantially smaller sample.

² Indexes on a December 1997=100 base.

³ Indexes on a December 1983=100 base.

⁴ Indexes on a December 1986=100 base.

⁵ Indexes on a December 1993=100 base.

⁶ Indexes on a December 1996=100 base.

⁷ This index series was calculated using a Laspeyres estimator. All other item stratum index series converted to a geometric means estimator in January, 1999.

NA Data not adequate for publication.

- Data not available.

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

Table 6. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): U.S. city average, by expenditure category and commodity and service group

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Relative importance, December 2000	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Sep. 2001 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Aug. 2001	Sep. 2001	Sep. 2000	Aug. 2001	June to July	July to Aug.	Aug. to Sep.
Expenditure category								
All items	100.000	173.8	174.8	2.6	0.6	-0.3	0.0	0.5
All items (1967=100)	-	517.6	520.6	-	-	-	-	-
Food and beverages	17.777	173.8	174.0	3.1	.1	.3	.2	.2
Food	16.736	173.4	173.5	3.1	.1	.3	.2	.2
Food at home	10.686	173.3	173.4	3.2	.1	.3	.1	.2
Cereals and bakery products	1.663	195.6	194.8	3.4	-.4	.3	.5	.3
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	3.059	162.0	162.3	3.6	.2	.3	-.4	.2
Dairy and related products ¹	1.152	168.9	169.4	4.8	.3	.8	.4	.3
Fruits and vegetables	1.505	208.0	211.0	3.6	1.4	.0	-.5	1.1
Nonalcoholic beverages and beverage materials	1.161	139.3	138.4	.9	-.6	.1	1.2	-.4
Other food at home	2.146	160.5	159.8	2.4	-.4	.6	.3	-.2
Sugar and sweets	.404	156.1	156.2	1.2	.1	.4	-.1	.0
Fats and oils	.330	158.0	158.1	6.5	.1	.0	.5	.4
Other foods	1.411	177.9	176.5	1.7	-.8	.6	.3	-.4
Other miscellaneous foods ^{1 2}	.346	109.7	109.2	1.6	-.5	1.8	-.2	-.5
Food away from home ¹	6.050	174.7	175.0	2.9	.2	.3	.4	.2
Other food away from home ^{1 2}	.219	114.4	115.6	4.7	1.0	1.1	.4	1.0
Alcoholic beverages	1.041	179.7	180.1	3.3	.2	.4	.4	.2
Housing	36.775	173.5	173.2	3.5	-.2	.1	.1	-.1
Shelter	27.442	195.9	196.0	3.9	.1	.2	.4	.2
Rent of primary residence ³	8.571	192.4	193.3	4.6	.5	.4	.4	.4
Lodging away from home ^{2 3}	1.356	124.4	116.8	-1.3	-6.1	-1.4	.8	-2.9
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence ^{3 4}	17.199	188.5	189.2	4.0	.4	.3	.4	.4
Tenants' and household insurance ^{1 2}	.315	106.8	106.8	2.3	.0	-.5	.1	.0
Fuels and utilities	5.222	152.2	150.1	4.7	-1.4	-.8	-1.1	-1.6
Fuels	4.311	137.0	134.7	5.1	-1.7	-1.0	-1.3	-2.0
Fuel oil and other fuels	.315	121.5	125.3	-5.9	3.1	-2.7	-.8	.9
Gas (piped) and electricity ³	3.996	145.2	142.2	5.8	-2.1	-.8	-1.4	-2.2
Water and sewer and trash collection services ²	.911	110.2	110.4	3.0	.2	.3	.5	.2
Household furnishings and operations	4.111	125.7	126.0	-.1	.2	-.2	.1	.2
Household operations ^{1 2}	.414	117.2	117.4	4.3	.2	.3	.3	.2
Apparel	4.773	121.6	125.6	-2.4	3.3	-.6	-.5	.6
Men's and boys' apparel	1.364	121.6	123.7	-4.0	1.7	-1.0	-1.4	.4
Women's and girls' apparel	1.780	110.1	118.3	-2.6	7.4	-.8	-.5	1.6
Infants' and toddlers' apparel ¹	.321	128.3	131.1	1.6	2.2	-1.9	1.7	2.2
Footwear	.963	122.0	123.0	-1.4	.8	.7	.5	-.4
Transportation	19.881	152.5	155.1	.6	1.7	-2.5	-.3	1.8
Private transportation	18.788	149.5	152.3	.6	1.9	-2.7	-.3	1.9
New and used motor vehicles ²	8.845	101.0	100.7	-.3	-.3	-.2	-.1	-.4
New vehicles	4.893	141.4	141.3	-.8	-.1	.0	-.3	.1
Used cars and trucks	3.168	159.0	158.2	.4	-.5	-.4	-.2	-.9
Motor fuel	4.283	122.0	132.4	-2.1	8.5	-11.5	-1.6	9.2
Gasoline (all types)	4.254	121.3	131.7	-2.2	8.6	-11.7	-1.6	9.5
Motor vehicle parts and equipment	.653	104.1	104.4	3.5	.3	.6	-.1	.2
Motor vehicle maintenance and repair	1.689	185.6	186.7	3.6	.6	.3	.4	.3
Public transportation	1.094	207.7	207.0	.3	-.3	-.8	.8	-.7
Medical care	4.746	273.4	273.9	4.5	.2	.2	.6	.3
Medical care commodities	.928	244.1	244.6	4.1	.2	.2	.3	.3
Medical care services	3.818	280.2	280.7	4.5	.2	.2	.6	.3
Professional services ³	2.435	249.9	250.1	3.6	.1	.2	.5	.2
Hospital and related services ³	1.170	337.0	338.3	6.3	.4	.2	.8	.6

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 6. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): U.S. city average, by expenditure category and commodity and service group -Continued

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Relative importance, December 2000	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Sep. 2001 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Aug. 2001	Sep. 2001	Sep. 2000	Aug. 2001	June to July	July to Aug.	Aug. to Sep.
Expenditure category								
Recreation ²	5.679	103.9	103.8	1.0	-0.1	0.3	0.1	0.0
Video and audio ²	1.830	101.0	100.6	-5	-4	.6	-3	-1
Education and communication ²	5.186	105.8	106.5	3.5	.7	.5	.4	.0
Education ²	2.576	119.6	121.7	5.7	1.8	.4	.9	.3
Educational books and supplies	.209	302.2	309.8	7.3	2.5	.7	.7	1.7
Tuition, other school fees, and childcare	2.367	337.3	342.9	5.6	1.7	.4	.9	.2
Communication ^{1 2}	2.610	94.7	94.3	1.3	-4	.5	-1	-4
Information and information processing ^{1 2}	2.464	94.0	93.6	1.1	-4	.4	.0	-4
Telephone services ^{1 2}	2.327	99.8	99.4	2.4	-4	.5	.1	-4
Information and information processing other than telephone services ^{1 5}	.137	21.5	21.2	-18.1	-1.4	-.9	-2.3	-1.4
Personal computers and peripheral equipment ^{1 2}	.064	27.4	26.6	-30.9	-2.9	-2.4	-4.5	-2.9
Other goods and services	5.182	290.0	295.5	5.2	1.9	2.1	-1.3	1.9
Tobacco and smoking products ¹	1.906	425.6	444.7	8.9	4.5	4.8	-3.7	4.5
Personal care ¹	3.276	170.9	171.4	2.9	.3	.4	.2	.3
Personal care products ¹	.822	155.5	156.1	.6	.4	.3	-.3	.4
Personal care services ¹	.989	185.9	186.1	3.2	.1	.3	.3	.1
Miscellaneous personal services	1.268	264.9	265.6	4.8	.3	.7	.7	.3
Commodity and service group								
Commodities	46.594	150.5	152.5	1.0	1.3	-.9	-.3	1.1
Food and beverages	17.777	173.8	174.0	3.1	.1	.3	.2	.2
Commodities less food and beverages	28.817	136.9	139.8	-3	2.1	-1.6	-.7	1.7
Nondurables less food and beverages	16.480	146.5	152.0	.1	3.8	-2.7	-1.2	2.6
Apparel	4.773	121.6	125.6	-2.4	3.3	-.6	-.5	.6
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel	11.707	164.8	171.4	1.2	4.0	-3.5	-1.4	3.7
Durables	12.337	124.3	124.1	-1.0	-.2	-.3	-.2	-.2
Services	53.406	201.2	201.1	4.0	.0	.2	.3	.0
Rent of shelter ⁴	27.126	188.7	188.7	3.9	.0	.2	.4	.2
Tenants' and household insurance ^{1 2}	.315	106.8	106.8	2.3	.0	-.5	.1	.0
Gas (piped) and electricity ³	3.996	145.2	142.2	5.8	-2.1	-.8	-1.4	-2.2
Water and sewer and trash collection services ²	.911	110.2	110.4	3.0	.2	.3	.5	.2
Household operations ^{1 2}	.414	117.2	117.4	4.3	.2	.3	.3	.2
Transportation services	6.714	199.8	200.1	3.3	.2	.3	.5	.1
Medical care services	3.818	280.2	280.7	4.5	.2	.2	.6	.3
Other services	10.112	235.1	235.9	3.8	.3	.5	.4	.0
Special indexes								
All items less food	83.264	173.7	174.9	2.5	.7	-.5	-.1	.6
All items less shelter	72.558	167.5	168.8	2.1	.8	-.5	-.2	.6
All items less medical care	95.254	169.3	170.3	2.5	.6	-.4	-.1	.5
Commodities less food	29.858	138.5	141.3	-2	2.0	-1.5	-.6	1.7
Nondurables less food	17.521	148.5	153.8	.3	3.6	-2.5	-1.1	2.4
Nondurables less food and apparel	12.748	165.4	171.5	1.4	3.7	-3.2	-1.1	3.3
Nondurables	34.257	160.5	163.5	1.7	1.9	-1.3	-.4	1.4
Services less rent of shelter ⁴	26.280	190.1	189.9	4.1	-.1	.0	.2	-.1
Services less medical care services	49.589	194.7	194.6	4.0	-.1	.1	.4	-.1
Energy	8.595	128.6	132.6	1.3	3.1	-6.2	-1.6	3.3
All items less energy	91.405	180.1	180.7	2.7	.3	.3	.1	.3
All items less food and energy	74.669	181.9	182.6	2.6	.4	.3	.1	.3
Commodities less food and energy commodities	25.259	144.6	146.0	.2	1.0	.3	-.5	.4
Energy commodities	4.598	122.1	132.1	-2.4	8.2	-11.0	-1.6	8.7
Services less energy services	49.410	207.3	207.6	3.8	.1	.3	.4	.1
Purchasing power of the consumer dollar (1982-84=\$1.00)	-	\$.576	\$.572	-	-	-	-	-
Purchasing power of the consumer dollar (1967=\$1.00)	-	\$.193	\$.192	-	-	-	-	-

¹ Not seasonally adjusted.

² Indexes on a December 1997=100 base.

³ This index series was calculated using a Laspeyres estimator. All other item stratum index series converted to a geometric means estimator in January, 1999.

⁴ Indexes on a December 1984=100 base

⁵ Indexes on a December 1988=100 base.

- Data not available.

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 (CPI-W): Seasonally adjusted U.S. city average, by expenditure category and commodity and service group

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Seasonally adjusted indexes				Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for					
					3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
	June 2001	July 2001	Aug. 2001	Sep. 2001	Dec. 2000	Mar. 2001	June 2001	Sep. 2001	Mar. 2001	Sep. 2001
Expenditure category										
All items	174.3	173.7	173.7	174.6	2.4	3.6	3.8	0.7	3.0	2.2
Food and beverages	173.0	173.6	173.9	174.3	2.1	4.1	3.1	3.0	3.1	3.1
Food	172.5	173.1	173.2	173.6	2.2	4.1	3.1	3.0	3.1	3.1
Food at home	172.5	173.1	173.2	173.6	2.4	4.6	3.3	2.6	3.5	2.9
Cereals and bakery products	193.1	193.7	194.6	195.2	4.1	3.2	1.9	4.4	3.6	3.1
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	161.5	162.0	161.3	161.7	.3	10.4	3.8	.5	5.2	2.1
Dairy and related products ¹	166.9	168.3	168.9	169.4	-2	4.0	9.7	6.1	1.9	7.9
Fruits and vegetables	213.3	213.3	212.3	214.7	10.2	-1.3	3.3	2.7	4.3	3.0
Nonalcoholic beverages and beverage materials	137.8	138.0	139.6	139.0	-6	.6	.6	3.5	.0	2.0
Other food at home	158.9	159.8	160.2	159.9	1.5	3.9	1.8	2.5	2.7	2.2
Sugar and sweets	155.4	156.0	155.9	155.9	.5	2.6	.3	1.3	1.6	.8
Fats and oils	156.9	156.9	157.7	158.3	6.3	5.7	10.6	3.6	6.0	7.0
Other foods	175.5	176.6	177.2	176.5	.7	4.0	.2	2.3	2.3	1.3
Other miscellaneous foods ^{1 2}	108.0	109.9	109.7	109.2	4.2	-4	-1.8	4.5	1.9	1.3
Food away from home ¹	173.5	174.0	174.7	175.0	1.9	3.6	2.8	3.5	2.7	3.2
Other food away from home ^{1 2}	112.8	114.0	114.4	115.6	3.7	1.4	3.6	10.3	2.6	6.9
Alcoholic beverages	178.4	179.2	179.9	180.3	3.5	1.8	3.7	4.3	2.7	4.0
Housing	172.3	172.4	172.6	172.5	4.1	5.8	3.6	.5	5.0	2.0
Shelter	194.3	194.7	195.5	195.9	3.0	4.7	4.4	3.3	3.9	3.9
Rent of primary residence ³	191.2	191.9	192.6	193.3	4.0	5.0	4.7	4.5	4.5	4.6
Lodging away from home ^{2 3}	112.6	111.0	111.9	108.7	-4.3	11.1	2.5	-13.2	3.1	-5.6
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence ^{3 4}	187.1	187.7	188.5	189.2	3.1	4.2	4.2	4.6	3.7	4.4
Tenants' and household insurance ^{1 2}	107.2	106.7	106.8	106.8	1.9	2.7	6.2	-1.5	2.3	2.3
Fuels and utilities	151.7	150.5	148.9	146.5	14.7	17.3	2.1	-13.0	16.0	-5.7
Fuels	136.0	134.6	132.8	130.1	17.1	20.7	2.4	-16.3	18.9	-7.4
Fuel oil and other fuels	131.7	128.1	127.1	128.3	21.9	-24.0	-5.6	-9.9	-3.8	-7.8
Gas (piped) and electricity ³	143.6	142.4	140.4	137.3	17.0	24.5	2.8	-16.4	20.7	-7.3
Water and sewer and trash collection services ²	109.1	109.4	109.9	110.1	3.4	2.6	1.9	3.7	3.0	2.8
Household furnishings and operations	125.8	125.6	125.7	125.9	.6	-9	.0	.3	-2	.2
Household operations ^{1 2}	116.4	116.8	117.2	117.4	2.1	9.1	2.4	3.5	5.6	3.0
Apparel	125.7	124.9	124.3	125.0	-1.6	3.8	-9.3	-2.2	1.1	-5.8
Men's and boys' apparel	126.7	125.4	123.6	124.1	-2.1	-5.2	-3	-8.0	-3.7	-4.2
Women's and girls' apparel	116.5	115.6	115.0	116.8	-3.0	9.4	-16.3	1.0	3.0	-8.0
Infants' and toddlers' apparel ¹	128.6	126.2	128.3	131.1	3.1	10.5	-13.4	8.0	6.8	-3.3
Footwear	122.1	122.9	123.5	123.0	-1.6	3.9	-10.4	3.0	1.1	-3.9
Transportation	157.0	153.0	152.5	155.3	.0	-5	7.5	-4.3	-3	1.4
Private transportation	154.2	150.1	149.6	152.5	.0	.0	7.0	-4.3	.0	1.2
New and used motor vehicles ²	102.2	102.0	101.9	101.5	4.0	1.6	-3.4	-2.7	2.8	-3.1
New vehicles	142.9	142.9	142.4	142.6	.6	-1.7	-1.1	-.8	-.6	-1.0
Used cars and trucks	160.0	159.3	159.0	157.6	9.2	6.9	-7.4	-5.9	8.1	-6.6
Motor fuel	137.9	122.1	120.1	131.2	-9.8	-10.3	37.7	-18.1	-10.0	6.2
Gasoline (all types)	137.3	121.3	119.3	130.6	-10.1	-10.3	38.8	-18.1	-10.2	6.6
Motor vehicle parts and equipment	103.8	104.4	104.3	104.5	4.4	6.8	.0	2.7	5.6	1.4
Motor vehicle maintenance and repair	184.6	185.2	185.9	186.5	3.4	3.3	3.3	4.2	3.4	3.7
Public transportation	209.0	207.3	209.0	207.6	-8	-9.3	15.7	-2.7	-5.2	6.1
Medical care	271.3	271.8	273.3	274.1	3.4	6.3	3.8	4.2	4.9	4.0
Medical care commodities	242.7	243.2	243.9	244.6	2.9	6.0	4.2	3.2	4.5	3.7
Medical care services	277.7	278.3	279.9	280.7	3.6	6.3	3.7	4.4	5.0	4.0
Professional services ³	248.2	248.7	249.9	250.3	3.0	5.5	2.6	3.4	4.3	3.0
Hospital and related services ³	333.0	333.5	336.3	338.3	4.5	7.8	6.6	6.5	6.1	6.6

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 7. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): Seasonally adjusted U.S. city average, by expenditure category and commodity and service group -Continued

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Seasonally adjusted indexes				Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for					
					3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
	June 2001	July 2001	Aug. 2001	Sep. 2001	Dec. 2000	Mar. 2001	June 2001	Sep. 2001	Mar. 2001	Sep. 2001
Expenditure category										
Recreation ²	103.3	103.6	103.7	103.7	0.0	0.4	2.0	1.6	0.2	1.8
Video and audio ^{1 2}	100.5	101.1	100.8	100.7	-1.6	-4	-8	.8	-1.0	.0
Education and communication ²	105.2	105.7	106.1	106.1	4.8	3.5	2.3	3.5	4.1	2.9
Education ²	118.8	119.3	120.4	120.8	5.7	3.9	6.7	6.9	4.8	6.8
Educational books and supplies	299.7	301.7	303.8	308.9	2.5	5.5	8.6	12.9	4.0	10.7
Tuition, other school fees, and childcare	333.6	334.9	338.0	338.8	5.9	3.9	6.2	6.4	4.9	6.3
Communication ^{1 2}	94.3	94.8	94.7	94.3	4.4	3.0	-2.1	.0	3.7	-1.1
Information and information processing ^{1 2}	93.6	94.0	94.0	93.6	4.4	2.2	-2.1	.0	3.3	-1.1
Telephone services ^{1 2}	99.2	99.7	99.8	99.4	6.3	3.7	-1.2	.8	5.0	-2
Information and information processing other than telephone services ^{1 5}	22.2	22.0	21.5	21.2	-18.6	-19.5	-17.6	-16.8	-19.1	-17.2
Personal computers and peripheral equipment ^{1 2}	29.4	28.7	27.4	26.6	-24.4	-38.4	-26.9	-33.0	-31.8	-30.0
Other goods and services	288.2	294.2	290.3	295.8	-2.4	6.3	6.3	11.0	1.9	8.6
Tobacco and smoking products ¹	421.6	441.9	425.6	444.7	-10.6	12.2	13.5	23.8	.1	18.5
Personal care ¹	169.9	170.6	170.9	171.4	2.9	3.1	2.1	3.6	3.0	2.9
Personal care products ¹	155.4	155.9	155.5	156.1	1.8	.3	-1.3	1.8	1.0	.3
Personal care services ¹	184.8	185.4	185.9	186.1	3.1	2.4	4.4	2.8	2.8	3.6
Miscellaneous personal services	261.6	263.4	265.2	265.9	4.0	4.3	4.4	6.7	4.1	5.6
Commodity and service group										
Commodities	152.8	151.4	150.9	152.6	.0	1.3	3.2	-.5	.7	1.3
Food and beverages	173.0	173.6	173.9	174.3	2.1	4.1	3.1	3.0	3.1	3.1
Commodities less food and beverages	140.6	138.3	137.3	139.7	-1.4	-.3	3.2	-2.5	-.9	.3
Nondurables less food and beverages	152.9	148.8	147.0	150.8	-.8	-2.6	10.0	-5.4	-1.7	2.0
Apparel	125.7	124.9	124.3	125.0	-1.6	3.8	-9.3	-2.2	1.1	-5.8
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel	172.2	166.1	163.8	169.9	-.7	-4.2	16.6	-5.2	-2.5	5.1
Durables	125.3	124.9	124.7	124.5	1.6	.6	-3.1	-2.5	1.1	-2.8
Services	199.8	200.1	200.7	200.7	4.0	5.9	4.1	1.8	4.9	3.0
Rent of shelter ⁴	187.2	187.6	188.3	188.7	3.3	4.2	4.6	3.2	3.8	3.9
Tenants' and household insurance ^{1 2}	107.2	106.7	106.8	106.8	1.9	2.7	6.2	-1.5	2.3	2.3
Gas (piped) and electricity ³	143.6	142.4	140.4	137.3	17.0	24.5	2.8	-16.4	20.7	-7.3
Water and sewer and trash collection services ²	109.1	109.4	109.9	110.1	3.4	2.6	1.9	3.7	3.0	2.8
Household operations ^{1 2}	116.4	116.8	117.2	117.4	2.1	9.1	2.4	3.5	5.6	3.0
Transportation services	199.1	199.6	200.6	200.8	1.9	2.7	5.2	3.5	2.3	4.3
Medical care services	277.7	278.3	279.9	280.7	3.6	6.3	3.7	4.4	5.0	4.0
Other services	233.4	234.5	235.5	235.6	4.1	3.9	3.3	3.8	4.0	3.6
Special Indexes										
All items less food	174.3	173.5	173.4	174.4	2.4	3.6	3.8	.2	3.0	2.0
All items less shelter	168.6	167.8	167.5	168.5	2.0	3.2	3.4	-.2	2.6	1.6
All items less medical care	169.8	169.2	169.1	170.0	2.2	3.6	3.6	.5	2.9	2.0
Commodities less food	142.3	140.1	139.2	141.5	-1.1	-.3	3.2	-2.2	-.7	.4
Nondurables less food	154.6	150.7	149.1	152.7	-.8	-2.3	9.6	-4.8	-1.6	2.1
Nondurables less food and apparel	172.2	166.7	164.8	170.2	-.2	-4.0	15.5	-4.6	-2.1	5.0
Nondurables	163.8	161.7	161.0	163.2	-.2	2.0	6.9	-1.5	.9	2.6
Services less rent of shelter ⁴	189.2	189.2	189.6	189.4	4.7	7.6	3.9	.4	6.1	2.1
Services less medical care services	193.4	193.6	194.3	194.2	4.1	5.6	4.2	1.7	4.9	2.9
Energy	136.3	127.8	125.8	130.0	2.5	4.1	18.6	-17.2	3.3	-.9
All items less energy	179.8	180.3	180.5	181.0	2.3	3.7	2.3	2.7	3.0	2.5
All items less food and energy	181.8	182.3	182.5	183.0	2.0	3.6	2.0	2.7	2.8	2.3
Commodities less food and energy commodities	145.9	146.3	145.6	146.2	.5	1.7	-1.9	.8	1.1	-.5
Energy commodities	137.6	122.5	120.5	131.0	-7.8	-11.3	34.8	-17.8	-9.6	5.2
Services less energy services	206.1	206.7	207.6	207.9	3.0	4.4	4.2	3.5	3.7	3.9

¹ Not seasonally adjusted.

² Indexes on a December 1997=100 base.

³ This index series was calculated using a Laspeyres estimator. All other item stratum index series converted to a geometric means estimator in

January, 1999.

⁴ Indexes on a December 1984=100 base

⁵ Indexes on a December 1988=100 base.

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 (CPI-W): U.S. city average, detailed expenditure categories

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and Group	Relative importance, December 2000	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Sep. 2001 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Aug. 2001	Sep. 2001	Sep. 2000	Aug. 2001	June to July	July to Aug.	Aug. to Sep.
Expenditure category								
All items	100.000	173.8	174.8	2.6	0.6	-0.3	0.0	0.5
All items (1967=100)	-	517.6	520.6	-	-	-	-	-
Food and beverages	17.777	173.8	174.0	3.1	.1	.3	.2	.2
Food	16.736	173.4	173.5	3.1	.1	.3	.2	.2
Food at home	10.686	173.3	173.4	3.2	.1	.3	.1	.2
Cereals and bakery products	1.663	195.6	194.8	3.4	-.4	.3	.5	.3
Cereals and cereal products	.590	180.9	179.1	1.9	-1.0	.0	1.1	-.6
Flour and prepared flour mixes	.078	170.9	165.6	.2	-3.1	.4	.2	-2.4
Breakfast cereal	.336	202.2	200.8	2.1	-.7	.9	.5	.2
Rice, pasta, cornmeal ¹	.177	156.4	155.6	2.3	-.5	-1.4	1.7	-.5
Bakery products	1.073	202.8	202.7	4.3	.0	.0	.7	.2
Bread ^{1 2}	.330	112.9	113.3	5.8	.4	1.0	-.4	.4
Fresh biscuits, rolls, muffins ^{1 2}	.147	112.2	111.9	4.1	-.3	-.4	.7	-.3
Cakes, cupcakes, and cookies	.292	189.6	191.6	2.6	1.1	.3	-.1	1.9
Other bakery products	.304	204.8	201.9	4.2	-1.4	-.4	2.0	-1.1
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	3.059	162.0	162.3	3.6	.2	.3	-.4	.2
Meats, poultry, and fish	2.916	163.5	163.8	3.8	.2	.4	-.3	.2
Meats	2.017	160.5	161.4	5.0	.6	.1	-.4	.6
Beef and veal ¹	.939	160.5	160.7	7.1	.1	-.2	-.7	.1
Uncooked ground beef ¹	.369	135.6	136.8	8.3	.9	-1.2	.5	.9
Uncooked beef roasts ^{1 2}	.160	118.4	117.9	7.7	-.4	.7	.3	-.4
Uncooked beef steaks ^{1 2}	.351	118.7	118.1	5.8	-.5	.2	-2.5	-.5
Uncooked other beef and veal ^{1 2}	.059	114.2	114.3	5.3	.1	.1	1.0	.1
Pork	.688	165.9	167.6	4.1	1.0	.4	.1	1.0
Bacon, breakfast sausage, and related products ^{1 2}	.232	115.1	116.6	3.9	1.3	1.0	1.9	1.3
Ham	.147	159.7	161.5	2.7	1.1	.4	-.8	.9
Pork chops	.160	163.0	162.5	4.3	-.3	1.3	-.7	.3
Other pork including roasts and picnics ^{1 2}	.150	103.4	105.3	5.4	1.8	1.0	-.3	1.8
Other meats ¹	.390	155.1	156.7	1.8	1.0	.2	-.4	1.0
Poultry ¹	.546	167.3	165.8	2.9	-.9	1.5	.4	-.9
Chicken ^{1 2}	.429	107.3	105.6	2.3	-1.6	2.0	.2	-1.6
Other poultry including turkey ^{1 2}	.116	110.2	111.8	4.7	1.5	-.6	1.4	1.5
Fish and seafood	.354	190.9	190.4	-1.4	-.3	.4	-1.2	.2
Fresh fish and seafood ^{1 2}	.214	109.2	109.1	-2.4	-.1	-1.1	-1.0	-.1
Processed fish and seafood ^{1 2}	.140	104.5	103.9	-.1	-.6	1.0	-.6	-.6
Eggs	.143	132.0	130.4	-.5	-1.2	-1.0	-2.6	-.5
Dairy and related products ¹	1.152	168.9	169.4	4.8	.3	.8	.4	.3
Milk ^{1 2}	.480	113.6	113.5	4.1	-.1	.8	-.4	-.1
Cheese and related products ¹	.325	168.7	170.9	5.4	1.3	1.1	.4	1.3
Ice cream and related products ¹	.185	178.1	176.7	6.8	-.8	1.0	1.9	-.8
Other dairy and related products ^{1 2}	.163	114.7	115.2	3.2	.4	.3	.3	.4
Fruits and vegetables	1.505	208.0	211.0	3.6	1.4	.0	-.5	1.1
Fresh fruits and vegetables	1.171	241.0	245.8	3.6	2.0	-.2	-.7	1.6
Fresh fruits	.578	257.3	263.9	3.1	2.6	-.6	-2.5	1.3
Apples	.104	226.4	216.7	-1.2	-4.3	-.6	-.2	-2.6
Bananas	.104	169.5	165.8	5.7	-2.2	1.6	2.2	.2
Citrus fruits ^{1 2}	.125	158.0	166.3	5.5	5.3	5.0	1.4	5.3
Other fresh fruits ^{1 2}	.245	80.7	86.8	2.1	7.6	-10.2	-5.8	7.6
Fresh vegetables	.593	225.3	228.5	4.1	1.4	.2	1.1	1.9
Potatoes	.098	225.0	218.8	11.7	-2.8	.3	3.1	2.7
Lettuce ¹	.087	223.7	250.6	-2.9	12.0	-1.8	6.8	12.0
Tomatoes ¹	.122	222.1	218.9	-1.4	-1.4	-5.1	-4.7	-1.4
Other fresh vegetables	.286	229.3	232.8	5.1	1.5	2.0	-1.6	3.6
Processed fruits and vegetables ^{1 2}	.334	110.1	109.8	3.8	-.3	.7	.3	-.3
Canned fruits and vegetables ^{1 2}	.183	110.2	109.5	4.3	-.6	.9	.9	-.6
Frozen fruits and vegetables ^{1 2}	.105	113.1	113.8	4.4	.6	.7	-.6	.6
Other processed fruits and vegetables including dried ^{1 2}	.046	103.2	102.5	.5	-.7	.0	-.2	-.7

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Table 8. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): U.S. city average, detailed expenditure categories -Continued

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and Group	Relative importance, December 2000	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Sep. 2001 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Aug. 2001	Sep. 2001	Sep. 2000	Aug. 2001	June to July	July to Aug.	Aug. to Sep.
Expenditure category								
Nonalcoholic beverages and beverage materials	1.161	139.3	138.4	0.9	-0.6	0.1	1.2	-0.4
Juices and nonalcoholic drinks ^{1 2}	.886	108.5	107.5	1.5	-.9	.0	1.2	-.9
Carbonated drinks	.492	127.6	125.1	.8	-2.0	-.7	2.8	-1.7
Frozen noncarbonated juices and drinks ^{1 2}	.054	111.8	111.9	3.2	.1	1.4	-1.3	.1
Nonfrozen noncarbonated juices and drinks ^{1 2}	.339	106.3	106.8	2.2	.5	.7	-.1	.5
Beverage materials including coffee and tea ^{1 2}	.275	97.5	97.8	-.8	.3	.7	.0	.3
Coffee ¹	.133	145.7	145.0	-4.1	-.5	-.5	-.5	-.5
Other beverage materials including tea ^{1 2}	.142	111.1	112.1	2.3	.9	1.8	.5	.9
Other food at home	2.146	160.5	159.8	2.4	-.4	.6	.3	-.2
Sugar and sweets	.404	156.1	156.2	1.2	.1	.4	-.1	.0
Sugar and artificial sweeteners	.086	141.3	142.9	3.0	1.1	.6	-1.3	.8
Candy and chewing gum ^{1 2}	.241	104.6	104.6	.7	.0	-.5	.4	.0
Other sweets ^{1 2}	.077	109.0	108.4	.8	-.6	2.2	.3	-.6
Fats and oils	.330	158.0	158.1	6.5	.1	.0	.5	.4
Butter and margarine ^{1 2}	.106	130.2	129.4	17.5	-.6	1.7	1.2	-.6
Salad dressing ^{1 2}	.089	107.4	108.1	2.9	.7	.5	.6	.7
Other fats and oils including peanut butter ^{1 2}	.135	104.0	104.3	.4	.3	-.2	-.4	.3
Other foods	1.411	177.9	176.5	1.7	-.8	.6	.3	-.4
Soups	.104	207.4	204.3	.6	-1.5	-.3	.9	-.4
Frozen and freeze dried prepared foods ¹	.241	152.3	151.2	2.1	-.7	.9	-.5	-.7
Snacks ¹	.299	168.9	166.9	-1.0	-1.2	-1.1	.6	-1.2
Spices, seasonings, condiments, sauces	.293	185.6	183.7	4.3	-1.0	1.5	1.6	-1.0
Baby food ^{1 2}	.128	114.3	114.7	2.9	.3	.0	-.3	.3
Other miscellaneous foods ^{1 2}	.346	109.7	109.2	1.6	-.5	1.8	-.2	-.5
Food away from home ¹	6.050	174.7	175.0	2.9	.2	.3	.4	.2
Full service meals and snacks ^{1 2}	3.165	110.7	110.9	3.1	.2	.3	.4	.2
Limited service meals and snacks ^{1 2}	1.760	110.1	110.2	3.3	.1	.3	.5	.1
Food at employee sites and schools ^{1 2}	.680	105.8	106.2	1.3	.4	.1	.4	.4
Food from vending machines and mobile vendors ^{1 2}	.226	104.4	104.4	1.8	.0	.1	.0	.0
Other food away from home ^{1 2}	.219	114.4	115.6	4.7	1.0	1.1	.4	1.0
Alcoholic beverages	1.041	179.7	180.1	3.3	.2	.4	.4	.2
Alcoholic beverages at home	.694	161.7	162.2	2.8	.3	.4	.4	.4
Beer, ale, and other malt beverages at home	.479	161.7	162.2	3.5	.3	.5	.6	.4
Distilled spirits at home	.094	166.6	167.7	3.5	.7	.5	.1	.5
Wine at home	.121	149.2	149.6	-.5	.3	-.2	.1	-.1
Alcoholic beverages away from home ¹	.347	216.5	216.3	4.1	-.1	.8	.5	-.1
Housing	36.775	173.5	173.2	3.5	-.2	.1	.1	-.1
Shelter	27.442	195.9	196.0	3.9	.1	.2	.4	.2
Rent of primary residence ³	8.571	192.4	193.3	4.6	.5	.4	.4	.4
Lodging away from home ^{2 3}	1.356	124.4	116.8	-1.3	-6.1	-1.4	.8	-2.9
Housing at school, excluding board ^{3 4}	.144	270.7	275.5	5.3	1.8	.3	1.0	.3
Other lodging away from home including hotels and motels	1.212	267.1	248.4	-2.1	-7.0	-1.6	.8	-3.2
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence ^{3 4}	17.199	188.5	189.2	4.0	.4	.3	.4	.4
Tenants' and household insurance ^{1 2}	.315	106.8	106.8	2.3	.0	-.5	.1	.0
Fuels and utilities	5.222	152.2	150.1	4.7	-1.4	-.8	-1.1	-1.6
Fuels	4.311	137.0	134.7	5.1	-1.7	-1.0	-1.3	-2.0
Fuel oil and other fuels	.315	121.5	125.3	-5.9	3.1	-2.7	-.8	.9
Fuel oil	.214	119.7	124.7	-8.0	4.2	-3.0	-1.0	.8
Other household fuels ⁵	.101	156.9	158.7	-1.5	1.1	-2.0	-1.1	.2
Gas (piped) and electricity ³	3.996	145.2	142.2	5.8	-2.1	-.8	-1.4	-2.2
Electricity ³	2.599	146.6	145.6	8.3	-.7	.8	-.4	-.6
Utility natural gas service ³	1.397	147.9	140.4	.4	-5.1	-4.2	-3.6	-5.7
Water and sewer and trash collection services ²	.911	110.2	110.4	3.0	.2	.3	.5	.2
Water and sewerage maintenance ³	.677	232.6	233.1	3.4	.2	.3	.5	.2
Garbage and trash collection ^{1 6}	.234	276.5	276.6	1.8	.0	.4	.4	.0
Household furnishings and operations	4.111	125.7	126.0	-.1	.2	-.2	.1	.2
Window and floor coverings and other linens ^{1 2}	.295	98.3	98.5	-1.7	.2	.2	-.7	.2
Floor coverings ^{1 2}	.074	106.7	106.5	1.4	-.2	.4	.3	-.2
Window coverings ^{1 2}	.081	98.3	99.6	-1.1	1.3	.9	-1.6	1.3
Other linens ^{1 2}	.140	94.3	94.0	-3.7	-.3	-.1	-.7	-.3
Furniture and bedding ¹	1.084	127.7	127.8	-3.0	.1	-.3	-.5	.1
Bedroom furniture ¹	.316	135.4	134.4	-2.1	-.7	.4	-.2	-.7
Living room, kitchen, and dining room furniture ^{1 2}	.586	100.0	100.4	-2.3	.4	-.5	-.1	.4
Other furniture ^{1 2}	.166	94.4	94.5	-7.3	.1	-.9	-2.2	.1

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Table 8. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): U.S. city average, detailed expenditure categories -Continued

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and Group	Relative importance, December 2000	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Sep. 2001 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Aug. 2001	Sep. 2001	Sep. 2000	Aug. 2001	June to July	July to Aug.	Aug. to Sep.
Expenditure category								
Appliances ^{1 2}	.370	94.6	94.8	-0.9	0.2	-0.1	-0.1	0.2
Major appliances ^{1 2}	.224	96.6	97.2	.4	.6	-.5	.2	.6
Other appliances ^{1 2}	.137	91.4	91.0	-3.2	-.4	.5	-.8	-.4
Other household equipment and furnishings ^{1 2}	.425	95.6	95.3	-1.7	-.3	-.3	-.2	-.3
Clocks, lamps, and decorator items ¹	.164	103.0	102.9	-3.3	-.1	.8	-.1	-.1
Indoor plants and flowers ^{1 7}	.126	118.9	117.5	1.9	-1.2	-1.4	.2	-1.2
Dishes and flatware ^{1 2}	.058	91.6	92.4	-2.2	.9	.0	-1.1	.9
Nonelectric cookware and tableware ^{1 2}	.077	96.6	96.3	-3.6	-.3	-.5	-.4	-.3
Tools, hardware, outdoor equipment and supplies ^{1 2}	.572	96.7	96.7	-.3	.0	-.1	.0	.0
Tools, hardware and supplies ^{1 2}	.170	97.3	97.3	-.9	.0	.5	.3	.0
Outdoor equipment and supplies ^{1 2}	.265	95.8	96.0	.1	.2	-.5	-.3	.2
Housekeeping supplies ¹	.951	159.7	161.1	3.2	.9	.2	.3	.9
Household cleaning products ^{1 2}	.450	109.1	109.6	2.9	.5	.0	.4	.5
Household paper products ^{1 2}	.237	119.9	120.2	2.4	.3	.7	-.1	.3
Miscellaneous household products ^{1 2}	.265	105.9	108.0	4.3	2.0	-.2	.5	2.0
Household operations ^{1 2}	.414	117.2	117.4	4.3	.2	.3	.3	.2
Domestic services ^{1 2}	.092	113.7	113.9	3.2	.2	.0	.3	.2
Gardening and lawn care services ^{1 2}	.112	118.7	118.7	4.0	.0	.1	.6	.0
Moving, storage, freight expense ^{1 2}	.076	114.3	114.5	3.2	.2	.2	.5	.2
Repair of household items ^{1 2}	.075	122.9	123.2	7.2	.2	1.2	.0	.2
Apparel	4.773	121.6	125.6	-2.4	3.3	-.6	-.5	.6
Men's and boys' apparel	1.364	121.6	123.7	-4.0	1.7	-1.0	-1.4	.4
Men's apparel	1.047	125.7	128.0	-4.0	1.8	-1.3	-.5	.5
Men's suits, sport coats, and outerwear	.192	126.7	127.8	-4.3	.9	.2	-.3	-.4
Men's furnishings	.292	134.0	133.9	-2.2	-.1	-1.7	-.4	-1.1
Men's shirts and sweaters ^{1 2}	.320	89.6	95.2	-5.4	6.3	-4.3	.8	6.3
Men's pants and shorts	.224	121.9	121.3	-4.2	-.5	-.6	-1.0	.7
Boys' apparel	.318	108.9	110.3	-3.9	1.3	-1.2	-3.9	-1.5
Women's and girls' apparel	1.780	110.1	118.3	-2.6	7.4	-.8	-.5	1.6
Women's apparel	1.471	110.3	118.9	-2.6	7.8	-.4	-2.0	1.5
Women's outerwear	.105	112.1	121.8	.0	8.7	2.4	-.2	1.1
Women's dresses	.192	87.8	105.5	1.9	20.2	-3.7	4.8	7.4
Women's suits and separates ^{1 2}	.744	88.9	97.8	-3.8	10.0	-5.7	.5	10.0
Women's underwear, nightwear, sportswear and accessories ^{1 2}	.408	99.1	97.5	-3.2	-1.6	-1.8	-2.3	-1.6
Girls' apparel	.309	109.4	115.5	-2.9	5.6	-2.3	-2.2	2.5
Footwear	.963	122.0	123.0	-1.4	.8	.7	.5	-.4
Men's footwear	.338	123.1	121.8	-5.1	-1.1	-1.0	-1.0	-1.3
Boys' and girls' footwear	.226	119.2	119.8	-1.2	.5	2.8	2.9	-1.7
Women's footwear	.399	121.4	124.4	1.3	2.5	.3	.7	1.1
Infants' and toddlers' apparel ¹	.321	128.3	131.1	1.6	2.2	-1.9	1.7	2.2
Jewelry and watches ⁵	.344	134.4	131.2	-.7	-2.4	-.1	-1.5	-2.3
Watches ⁵	.068	116.6	116.3	-2.4	-.3	.0	-1.3	.0
Jewelry ⁵	.276	139.5	135.4	-.3	-2.9	-.2	-1.4	-2.9
Transportation	19.881	152.5	155.1	.6	1.7	-2.5	-.3	1.8
Private transportation	18.788	149.5	152.3	.6	1.9	-2.7	-.3	1.9
New and used motor vehicles ²	8.845	101.0	100.7	-.3	-.3	-.2	-.1	-.4
New vehicles	4.893	141.4	141.3	-.8	-.1	.0	-.3	.1
Used cars and trucks	3.168	159.0	158.2	.4	-.5	-.4	-.2	-.9
Car and truck rental ^{1 2}	.108	103.3	99.8	-7.2	-3.4	1.1	1.1	-3.4
Motor fuel	4.283	122.0	132.4	-2.1	8.5	-11.5	-1.6	9.2
Gasoline (all types)	4.254	121.3	131.7	-2.2	8.6	-11.7	-1.6	9.5
Gasoline, unleaded regular ⁸	-	119.9	131.2	-1.7	9.4	-12.1	-1.5	10.9
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ^{8 9}	-	125.2	134.5	-3.0	7.4	-11.1	-2.2	8.5
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁸	-	121.2	129.1	-2.8	6.5	-9.7	-2.5	7.6
Other motor fuels ^{1 2}	.029	119.4	125.0	-7.0	4.7	-4.6	-1.3	4.7
Motor vehicle parts and equipment	.653	104.1	104.4	3.5	.3	.6	-.1	.2
Tires	.290	100.0	99.6	2.9	-.4	.9	-.4	-.4
Vehicle accessories other than tires ^{1 2}	.363	104.6	105.5	3.9	.9	.3	.0	.9
Motor vehicle maintenance and repair	1.689	185.6	186.7	3.6	.6	.3	.4	.3
Motor vehicle body work ¹	.119	196.0	197.5	3.8	.8	.1	.3	.8
Motor vehicle maintenance and servicing ¹	.488	170.6	171.3	4.3	.4	.4	.1	.4
Motor vehicle repair ^{1 2}	1.058	112.2	112.9	3.3	.6	.3	.4	.6

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(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and Group	Relative importance, December 2000	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Sep. 2001 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Aug. 2001	Sep. 2001	Sep. 2000	Aug. 2001	June to July	July to Aug.	Aug. to Sep.
Expenditure category								
Motor vehicle insurance	2.728	268.6	269.0	5.2	0.1	0.6	0.4	0.4
Motor vehicle fees ^{1 2}	.589	109.8	110.1	1.2	.3	.1	.4	.3
State and local registration and license ^{1 2 3}	.414	107.0	107.1	.1	.1	.2	.3	.1
Parking and other fees ^{1 2}	.153	118.1	119.0	4.4	.8	.1	.3	.8
Public transportation	1.094	207.7	207.0	.3	-.3	-.8	.8	-.7
Airline fare ¹	.629	243.2	241.4	-.7	-.7	-.2	-1.7	-.7
Other intercity transportation	.109	156.5	155.7	-1.2	-.5	-.8	.0	-.3
Intracity transportation ¹	.348	179.4	180.1	2.6	.4	.6	.4	.4
Medical care	4.746	273.4	273.9	4.5	.2	.2	.6	.3
Medical care commodities	.928	244.1	244.6	4.1	.2	.2	.3	.3
Prescription drugs and medical supplies	.610	303.2	304.5	6.0	.4	.6	.4	.6
Nonprescription drugs and medical supplies ^{1 5}	.318	148.6	148.2	.5	-.3	-.4	-.2	-.3
Internal and respiratory over-the-counter drugs ¹	.232	177.2	176.5	.8	-.4	-.3	-.1	-.4
Nonprescription medical equipment and supplies ¹	.086	176.6	176.9	-.5	.2	-.8	-.3	.2
Medical care services	3.818	280.2	280.7	4.5	.2	.2	.6	.3
Professional services ³	2.435	249.9	250.1	3.6	.1	.2	.5	.2
Physicians' services ³	1.298	256.6	256.8	3.6	.1	.0	.7	.2
Dental services ³	.704	270.2	270.5	4.0	.1	.4	.1	.3
Eyeglasses and eye care ^{1 3 5}	.257	155.7	155.7	2.9	.0	.3	-.1	.0
Services by other medical professionals ^{3 5}	.176	173.2	173.3	3.6	.1	.2	.7	.2
Hospital and related services ³	1.170	337.0	338.3	6.3	.4	.2	.8	.6
Hospital services ^{1 3 10}	1.157	124.5	125.0	6.4	.4	.4	1.1	.4
Inpatient hospital services ^{1 3 8 10}	-	121.3	121.8	5.6	.4	.2	.7	.4
Outpatient hospital services ^{3 5 8}	-	284.9	286.3	6.7	.5	.6	1.1	.8
Nursing homes and adult daycare ^{1 3 10}	.014	129.6	129.9	5.2	.2	.5	2.4	.2
Recreation ²	5.679	103.9	103.8	1.0	-.1	.3	.1	.0
Video and audio ²	1.830	101.0	100.6	-.5	-.4	.6	-.3	-.1
Televisions	.187	43.1	42.6	-10.3	-1.2	.0	-1.4	-.9
Cable television ^{3 6}	.996	281.9	281.0	3.7	-.3	.6	.0	.1
Other video equipment ^{1 2}	.056	51.1	50.9	-18.9	-.4	-.8	-1.5	-.4
Video cassettes, discs, and other media including rental ^{1 2}	.174	86.8	85.6	-5.7	-1.4	.1	-.2	-1.4
Audio equipment ¹	.160	74.5	75.3	-5.8	1.1	.5	-.3	1.1
Audio discs, tapes and other media ^{1 2}	.152	107.6	106.3	3.6	-1.2	.4	.3	-1.2
Pets, pet products and services ^{1 2}	.668	109.8	109.6	3.4	-.2	.1	.8	-.2
Pets and pet products ¹	.443	147.2	146.4	1.9	-.5	-.1	1.0	-.5
Pet services including veterinary ^{1 2}	.224	123.9	124.6	6.7	.6	.7	.6	.6
Sporting goods ¹	.476	121.2	120.9	-.5	-.2	-.3	-.2	-.2
Sports vehicles including bicycles ¹	.246	136.5	136.0	1.1	-.4	-.1	-.1	-.4
Sports equipment ¹	.225	104.0	103.9	-2.3	-.1	-.5	-.2	-.1
Photography ^{1 2}	.260	98.9	99.3	-.5	.4	.2	-.4	.4
Photographic equipment and supplies ¹	.091	123.0	123.5	-2.8	.4	.1	-.9	.4
Photographers and film processing ^{1 2}	.167	103.4	103.8	.7	.4	.2	-.2	.4
Other recreational goods ²	.533	84.0	84.3	-3.0	.4	.0	-.4	.4
Toys ¹	.416	101.4	101.6	-4.2	.2	-.5	-.3	.2
Sewing machines, fabric and supplies ^{1 2}	.057	96.9	97.5	.6	.6	2.7	-.3	.6
Music instruments and accessories ^{1 2}	.045	100.9	100.8	2.0	-.1	.3	.1	-.1
Recreation services ²	1.437	117.1	117.7	4.0	.5	.2	.4	.4
Club membership dues and fees for participant sports ^{1 2}	.430	111.3	111.9	1.5	.5	-.2	.1	.5
Admissions ¹	.716	244.0	244.8	5.2	.3	.2	.8	.3
Fees for lessons or instructions ⁵	.146	195.4	197.6	4.4	1.1	.6	-.2	.5
Recreational reading materials ¹	.475	193.9	193.9	2.2	.0	.7	.0	.0
Newspapers and magazines ^{1 2}	.334	109.1	109.3	2.7	.2	.8	.1	.2
Recreational books ^{1 2}	.140	102.0	101.8	1.3	-.2	.4	-.3	-.2
Education and communication ²	5.186	105.8	106.5	3.5	.7	.5	.4	.0
Education ²	2.576	119.6	121.7	5.7	1.8	.4	.9	.3
Educational books and supplies	.209	302.2	309.8	7.3	2.5	.7	.7	1.7
Tuition, other school fees, and childcare	2.367	337.3	342.9	5.6	1.7	.4	.9	.2
College tuition and fees	.858	351.6	359.9	6.0	2.4	.1	1.8	.6
Elementary and high school tuition and fees	.280	380.2	386.3	7.6	1.6	.9	1.8	.2
Child care and nursery school ⁷	1.107	165.3	167.1	4.7	1.1	.3	.4	.0
Technical and business school tuition and fees ^{1 2}	.054	123.6	124.8	5.4	1.0	1.3	.7	1.0

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Expenditure category								
Communication ^{1 2}	2.610	94.7	94.3	1.3	-0.4	0.5	-0.1	-0.4
Postage and delivery services ^{1 2}	.146	108.1	108.1	4.7	.0	1.2	.0	.0
Postage ¹	.144	173.4	173.4	4.7	.0	1.3	.0	.0
Delivery services ^{1 2}	.002	124.8	124.8	7.5	.0	.3	.0	.0
Information and information processing ^{1 2}	2.464	94.0	93.6	1.1	-.4	.4	.0	-.4
Telephone services ^{1 2}	2.327	99.8	99.4	2.4	-.4	.5	.1	-.4
Telephone services, local charges ^{1 3}	1.197	186.3	186.6	5.3	.2	.8	.6	.2
Telephone services, long distance charges ^{1 2}	1.089	88.3	87.4	-7	-1.0	.2	-.5	-1.0
Cellular telephone services ^{1 2}	.041	68.8	68.2	-7.0	-9	.7	-7	-9
Information and information processing other than telephone services ^{1 11}	.137	21.5	21.2	-18.1	-1.4	-.9	-2.3	-1.4
Personal computers and peripheral equipment ^{1 2}	.064	27.4	26.6	-30.9	-2.9	-2.4	-4.5	-2.9
Computer software and accessories ^{1 2}	.021	79.4	78.1	-8.5	-1.6	.8	.3	-1.6
Computer information processing services ^{1 2}	.014	100.8	100.4	4.9	-.4	2.7	1.8	-.4
Other information processing equipment ^{1 2}	.038	66.3	66.2	-10.3	-2	-1.3	-1.8	-2
Other goods and services	5.182	290.0	295.5	5.2	1.9	2.1	-1.3	1.9
Tobacco and smoking products ¹	1.906	425.6	444.7	8.9	4.5	4.8	-3.7	4.5
Cigarettes ^{1 2}	1.819	172.1	180.1	9.2	4.6	4.9	-3.9	4.6
Tobacco products other than cigarettes ^{1 2}	.075	123.8	123.7	2.4	-.1	1.2	.8	-.1
Personal care ¹	3.276	170.9	171.4	2.9	.3	.4	.2	.3
Personal care products ¹	.822	155.5	156.1	.6	.4	.3	-3	.4
Hair, dental, shaving, and miscellaneous personal care products ^{1 2}	.403	103.9	103.7	.6	-2	.1	-3	-2
Cosmetics, perfume, bath, nail preparations and implements ¹	.415	170.7	172.2	.5	.9	.5	-2	.9
Personal care services ¹	.989	185.9	186.1	3.2	.1	.3	.3	.1
Haircuts and other personal care services ^{1 2}	.989	113.3	113.4	3.2	.1	.4	.3	.1
Miscellaneous personal services	1.268	264.9	265.6	4.8	.3	.7	.7	.3
Legal services ^{1 5}	.323	201.8	202.0	5.9	.1	1.5	1.6	.1
Funeral expenses ⁵	.270	199.9	200.5	4.3	.3	.1	.1	.6
Laundry and dry cleaning services ^{1 2}	.214	110.5	111.0	4.4	.5	.4	.5	.5
Apparel services other than laundry and dry cleaning ^{1 2}	.052	113.0	113.5	5.6	.4	.7	.3	.4
Financial services ^{1 5}	.276	224.8	225.5	4.5	.3	.2	.2	.3
Miscellaneous personal goods ^{1 2}	.197	92.9	93.8	-7	1.0	-.4	-1.1	1.0
Special aggregate indexes								
Commodities	46.594	150.5	152.5	1.0	1.3	-.9	-.3	1.1
Commodities less food and beverages	28.817	136.9	139.8	-.3	2.1	-1.6	-.7	1.7
Nondurables less food and beverages	16.480	146.5	152.0	.1	3.8	-2.7	-1.2	2.6
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel	11.707	164.8	171.4	1.2	4.0	-3.5	-1.4	3.7
Durables	12.337	124.3	124.1	-1.0	-2	-.3	-.2	-.2
Services	53.406	201.2	201.1	4.0	.0	.2	.3	.0
Rent of shelter ⁴	27.126	188.7	188.7	3.9	.0	.2	.4	.2
Transportation services	6.714	199.8	200.1	3.3	.2	.3	.5	.1
Other services	10.112	235.1	235.9	3.8	.3	.5	.4	.0
All items less food	83.264	173.7	174.9	2.5	.7	-.5	-.1	.6
All items less shelter	72.558	167.5	168.8	2.1	.8	-.5	-.2	.6
All items less medical care	95.254	169.3	170.3	2.5	.6	-.4	-.1	.5
Commodities less food	29.858	138.5	141.3	-.2	2.0	-1.5	-.6	1.7
Nondurables less food	17.521	148.5	153.8	.3	3.6	-2.5	-.1	2.4
Nondurables less food and apparel	12.748	165.4	171.5	1.4	3.7	-3.2	-1.1	3.3
Nondurables	34.257	160.5	163.5	1.7	1.9	-1.3	-.4	1.4
Apparel less footwear	3.810	117.3	122.0	-2.6	4.0	-.8	-.8	.9
Services less rent of shelter ⁴	26.280	190.1	189.9	4.1	-.1	.0	.2	-.1
Services less medical care services	49.589	194.7	194.6	4.0	-.1	.1	.4	-.1

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Table 8. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): U.S. city average, detailed expenditure categories -Continued

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and Group	Relative importance, December 2000	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Sep. 2001 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Aug. 2001	Sep. 2001	Sep. 2000	Aug. 2001	June to July	July to Aug.	Aug. to Sep.
Special aggregate indexes								
Energy	8.595	128.6	132.6	1.3	3.1	-6.2	-1.6	3.3
All items less energy	91.405	180.1	180.7	2.7	.3	.3	.1	.3
All items less food and energy	74.669	181.9	182.6	2.6	.4	.3	.1	.3
Commodities less food and energy commodities	25.259	144.6	146.0	.2	1.0	.3	-.5	.4
Energy commodities	4.598	122.1	132.1	-2.4	8.2	-11.0	-1.6	8.7
Services less energy services	49.410	207.3	207.6	3.8	.1	.3	.4	.1
Domestically produced farm food	9.068	176.4	176.7	3.6	.2	.3	-.2	.2
Utilities and public transportation	9.323	160.9	159.3	3.8	-1.0	-.4	-.5	-.9
Purchasing power of the consumer dollar (1982-84=\$1.00)	-	\$.576	\$.572	-	-	-	-	-
Purchasing power of the consumer dollar (1967=\$1.00)	-	\$.193	\$.192	-	-	-	-	-

¹ Not seasonally adjusted.

² Indexes on a December 1997=100 base.

³ This index series was calculated using a Laspeyres estimator. All other item stratum index series converted to a geometric means estimator in January, 1999.

⁴ Indexes on a December 1984=100 base

⁵ Indexes on a December 1986=100 base.

⁶ Indexes on a December 1983=100 base.

⁷ Indexes on a December 1990=100 base.

⁸ Special index based on a substantially smaller sample.

⁹ Indexes on a December 1993=100 base.

¹⁰ Indexes on a December 1996=100 base.

¹¹ Indexes on a December 1988=100 base.

- Data not available.

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

Table 9. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): Seasonally adjusted U.S. city average, detailed expenditure categories

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Seasonally adjusted indexes				Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for					
					3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
	June 2001	July 2001	Aug. 2001	Sep. 2001	Dec. 2000	Mar. 2001	June 2001	Sep. 2001	Mar. 2001	Sep. 2001
Expenditure category										
All items	174.3	173.7	173.7	174.6	2.4	3.6	3.8	0.7	3.0	2.2
Food and beverages	173.0	173.6	173.9	174.3	2.1	4.1	3.1	3.0	3.1	3.1
Food	172.5	173.1	173.4	173.8	2.2	4.1	3.1	3.0	3.1	3.1
Food at home	172.5	173.1	173.2	173.6	2.4	4.6	3.3	2.6	3.5	2.9
Cereals and bakery products	193.1	193.7	194.6	195.2	4.1	3.2	1.9	4.4	3.6	3.1
Cereals and cereal products	178.1	178.1	180.0	179.0	.7	-7.7	5.8	2.0	.0	3.9
Flour and prepared flour mixes	164.3	165.0	165.3	161.4	-5.4	20.3	-5.0	-6.9	6.7	-5.9
Breakfast cereal	199.2	201.0	202.0	202.4	1.6	-8.6	10.0	6.6	-3.6	8.3
Rice, pasta, cornmeal ¹	156.0	153.8	156.4	155.6	.3	4.0	6.1	-1.0	2.1	2.5
Bakery products	201.1	201.1	202.6	203.1	6.7	5.6	.8	4.0	6.1	2.4
Bread ^{1 2}	112.3	113.4	112.9	113.3	8.5	7.9	3.3	3.6	8.2	3.4
Fresh biscuits, rolls, muffins ^{1 2}	111.9	111.4	112.2	111.9	8.8	4.4	3.3	.0	6.6	1.6
Cakes, cupcakes, and cookies	189.5	190.0	189.8	193.5	3.4	.0	-1.5	8.7	1.7	3.5
Other bakery products	200.3	199.4	203.3	201.1	7.7	7.5	.2	1.6	7.6	.9
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	161.5	162.0	161.3	161.7	.3	10.4	3.8	.5	5.2	2.1
Meats, poultry, and fish	162.7	163.3	162.8	163.2	.0	10.6	3.8	1.2	5.2	2.5
Meats	159.9	160.0	159.4	160.3	1.1	13.7	4.6	1.0	7.2	2.8
Beef and veal ¹	162.0	161.6	160.5	160.7	1.1	26.8	5.9	-3.2	13.2	1.3
Uncooked ground beef ¹	136.6	134.9	135.6	136.8	6.5	20.8	6.4	.6	13.4	3.4
Uncooked beef roasts ^{1 2}	117.2	118.0	118.4	117.9	-7.7	38.2	-4.3	2.4	17.1	-1.0
Uncooked beef steaks ^{1 2}	121.4	121.7	118.7	118.1	-2.5	29.5	10.9	-10.4	12.4	-3.3
Uncooked other beef and veal ^{1 2}	113.0	113.1	114.2	114.3	-1.5	16.9	2.2	4.7	7.3	3.4
Pork	162.2	162.9	163.1	164.8	.5	5.1	4.3	6.6	2.8	5.4
Bacon, breakfast sausage, and related products ^{1 2}	111.9	113.0	115.1	116.6	-16.0	6.9	10.3	17.9	-5.3	14.0
Ham	157.0	157.7	156.5	157.9	-3.6	5.6	6.6	2.3	.9	4.4
Pork chops	158.8	160.9	159.7	160.1	10.6	5.4	-1.5	3.3	8.0	.9
Other pork including roasts and picnics ^{1 2}	102.7	103.7	103.4	105.3	-2.4	-4.4	14.9	10.5	-1.4	12.7
Other meats ¹	155.5	155.8	155.1	156.7	2.4	-5.2	2.3	3.1	.9	2.7
Poultry ¹	164.2	166.6	167.3	165.8	-1.0	5.3	3.5	4.0	2.1	3.7
Chicken ^{1 2}	105.0	107.1	107.3	105.6	.0	2.0	5.1	2.3	1.0	3.7
Other poultry including turkey ^{1 2}	109.4	108.7	110.2	111.8	-5.5	18.2	-1.4	9.1	5.7	3.7
Fish and seafood	192.9	193.7	191.3	191.7	-4.8	1.9	-2.2	-2.5	-1.5	-1.3
Fresh fish and seafood ^{1 2}	111.5	110.3	109.2	109.1	-3.5	10.1	-6.9	-8.3	3.1	-7.6
Processed fish and seafood ^{1 2}	104.1	105.1	104.5	103.9	-5.6	-3.8	10.6	-.8	-4.7	4.8
Eggs	137.6	136.2	132.6	132.0	7.4	5.4	2.1	-15.3	6.4	-7.0
Dairy and related products ¹	166.9	168.3	168.9	169.4	-2.2	4.0	9.7	6.1	1.9	7.9
Milk ^{1 2}	113.1	114.0	113.6	113.5	1.5	1.8	12.2	1.4	1.7	6.7
Cheese and related products ¹	166.1	168.0	168.7	170.9	-4.4	7.7	7.0	12.1	1.5	9.5
Ice cream and related products ¹	173.0	174.8	178.1	176.7	6.7	5.6	6.0	8.8	6.1	7.4
Other dairy and related products ^{1 2}	114.1	114.4	114.7	115.2	-4.6	1.8	12.5	3.9	-1.4	8.1
Fruits and vegetables	213.3	213.3	212.3	214.7	10.2	-1.3	3.3	2.7	4.3	3.0
Fresh fruits and vegetables	249.5	249.0	247.2	251.1	14.1	-3.2	1.6	2.6	5.1	2.1
Fresh fruits	267.0	265.3	258.8	262.1	12.3	-5.1	14.3	-7.1	3.3	3.0
Apples	216.7	215.5	215.0	209.4	-1.5	-10.0	22.9	-12.8	-5.9	3.5
Bananas	165.8	168.4	172.1	172.5	-.5	-3.4	10.8	17.2	-2.0	13.9
Citrus fruits ^{1 2}	148.4	155.8	158.0	166.3	-65.7	18.0	94.3	57.7	-36.4	75.0
Other fresh fruits ^{1 2}	95.4	85.7	80.7	86.8	222.4	-43.6	-12.7	-31.5	34.8	-22.7
Fresh vegetables	229.0	229.5	232.0	236.3	15.6	-1.2	-9.7	13.4	6.9	1.2
Potatoes	200.3	201.0	207.3	212.8	-1.9	5.6	18.0	27.4	1.8	22.6
Lettuce ¹	213.2	209.4	223.7	250.6	31.5	-40.3	-40.7	90.9	-11.4	6.4
Tomatoes ¹	245.5	233.1	222.1	218.9	160.0	-32.1	-15.3	-36.8	32.9	-26.8
Other fresh vegetables	237.1	241.9	238.1	246.6	15.5	8.0	-16.3	17.0	11.7	-1.0
Processed fruits and vegetables ^{1 2}	109.0	109.8	110.1	109.8	-1.9	6.2	8.1	3.0	2.1	5.5
Canned fruits and vegetables ^{1 2}	108.2	109.2	110.2	109.5	.0	3.9	8.6	4.9	1.9	6.7
Frozen fruits and vegetables ^{1 2}	113.0	113.8	113.1	113.8	-5.7	10.0	11.4	2.9	1.8	7.0
Other processed fruits and vegetables including dried ^{1 2}	103.4	103.4	103.2	102.5	.4	4.0	1.2	-3.4	2.2	-1.2

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Table 9. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): Seasonally adjusted U.S. city average, detailed expenditure categories -Continued

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Item and group	Seasonally adjusted indexes				Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for					
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	June 2001	July 2001	Aug. 2001	Sep. 2001	Dec. 2000	Mar. 2001	June 2001	Sep. 2001	Mar. 2001	Sep. 2001
Expenditure category										
Nonalcoholic beverages and beverage materials	137.8	138.0	139.6	139.0	-0.6	0.6	0.6	3.5	0.0	2.0
Juices and nonalcoholic drinks ^{1 2}	107.2	107.2	108.5	107.5	-3.4	11.1	-2.2	1.1	3.6	-6
Carbonated drinks	125.7	124.8	128.3	126.1	-2.5	2.3	2.6	1.3	-2	1.9
Frozen noncarbonated juices and drinks ^{1 2}	111.7	113.3	111.8	111.9	10.7	-7.3	9.9	.7	1.3	5.2
Nonfrozen noncarbonated juices and drinks ^{1 2}	105.7	106.4	106.3	106.8	.4	3.5	.8	4.2	1.9	2.5
Beverage materials including coffee and tea ^{1 2}	96.8	97.5	97.5	97.8	-4.8	3.3	-5.6	4.2	-8	-8
Coffee ¹	147.1	146.4	145.7	145.0	-10.4	5.8	-5.5	-5.6	-2.6	-5.6
Other beverage materials including tea ^{1 2}	108.5	110.5	111.1	112.1	.7	1.5	-6.0	13.9	1.1	3.5
Other food at home	158.9	159.8	160.2	159.9	1.5	3.9	1.8	2.5	2.7	2.2
Sugar and sweets	155.4	156.0	155.9	155.9	.5	2.6	.3	1.3	1.6	.8
Sugar and artificial sweeteners	141.2	142.0	140.2	141.3	-2.3	11.0	3.2	.3	4.1	1.7
Candy and chewing gum ^{1 2}	104.7	104.2	104.6	104.6	2.3	.0	.8	-.4	1.2	.2
Other sweets ^{1 2}	106.4	108.7	109.0	108.4	-5.1	8.2	-6.5	7.7	1.3	.4
Fats and oils	156.9	156.9	157.7	158.3	6.3	5.7	10.6	3.6	6.0	7.0
Butter and margarine ^{1 2}	126.6	128.7	130.2	129.4	11.4	14.5	37.1	9.1	12.9	22.3
Salad dressing ^{1 2}	106.3	106.8	107.4	108.1	4.6	5.4	-5.1	6.9	5.0	.7
Other fats and oils including peanut butter ^{1 2}	104.6	104.4	104.0	104.3	-2.3	5.9	-8	-1.1	1.7	-1.0
Other foods	175.5	176.6	177.2	176.5	.7	4.0	.2	2.3	2.3	1.3
Soups	203.1	202.4	204.2	203.3	-4.1	-1.2	8.1	.4	-2.7	4.2
Frozen and freeze dried prepared foods ¹	151.8	153.1	152.3	151.2	2.7	-.5	8.0	-1.6	1.1	3.1
Snacks ¹	169.8	167.9	168.9	166.9	-4.4	4.4	3.1	-6.7	-.1	-1.9
Spices, seasonings, condiments, sauces	179.4	182.1	185.1	183.3	-.7	13.9	-4.1	9.0	6.4	2.2
Baby food ^{1 2}	114.6	114.6	114.3	114.7	4.0	7.3	.0	.3	5.6	.2
Other miscellaneous foods ^{1 2}	108.0	109.9	109.7	109.2	4.2	-.4	-1.8	4.5	1.9	1.3
Food away from home ¹	173.5	174.0	174.7	175.0	1.9	3.6	2.8	3.5	2.7	3.2
Full service meals and snacks ^{1 2}	110.0	110.3	110.7	110.9	1.5	4.9	2.6	3.3	3.2	2.9
Limited service meals and snacks ^{1 2}	109.3	109.6	110.1	110.2	4.2	2.6	3.0	3.3	3.4	3.2
Food at employee sites and schools ^{1 2}	105.3	105.4	105.8	106.2	-2.6	1.9	2.7	3.5	-.4	3.1
Food from vending machines and mobile vendors ^{1 2}	104.3	104.4	104.4	104.4	2.0	3.1	1.5	.4	2.6	1.0
Other food away from home ^{1 2}	112.8	114.0	114.4	115.6	3.7	1.4	3.6	10.3	2.6	6.9
Alcoholic beverages	178.4	179.2	179.9	180.3	3.5	1.8	3.7	4.3	2.7	4.0
Alcoholic beverages at home	160.8	161.4	162.0	162.6	3.8	1.5	1.3	4.6	2.7	2.9
Beer, ale, and other malt beverages at home	160.5	161.3	162.2	162.9	5.2	1.3	1.5	6.1	3.2	3.8
Distilled spirits at home	165.4	166.3	166.5	167.4	1.5	6.3	1.7	4.9	3.9	3.3
Wine at home	149.6	149.3	149.4	149.3	-1.3	-.8	.8	-.8	-1.1	.0
Alcoholic beverages away from home ¹	213.7	215.4	216.5	216.3	2.1	2.9	6.6	5.0	2.5	5.8
Housing	172.3	172.4	172.6	172.5	4.1	5.8	3.6	.5	5.0	2.0
Shelter	194.3	194.7	195.5	195.9	3.0	4.7	4.4	3.3	3.9	3.9
Rent of primary residence ³	191.2	191.9	192.6	193.3	4.0	5.0	4.7	4.5	4.5	4.6
Lodging away from home ^{2 3}	112.6	111.0	111.9	108.7	-4.3	11.1	2.5	-13.2	3.1	-5.6
Housing at school, excluding board ^{3 4}	267.3	268.1	270.7	271.5	6.0	4.2	4.6	6.4	5.1	5.5
Other lodging away from home including hotels and motels	258.9	254.8	256.8	248.6	-5.3	12.0	2.0	-15.0	3.0	-6.9
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence ^{3 4}	187.1	187.7	188.5	189.2	3.1	4.2	4.2	4.6	3.7	4.4
Tenants' and household insurance ^{1 2}	107.2	106.7	106.8	106.8	1.9	2.7	6.2	-1.5	2.3	2.3
Fuels and utilities	151.7	150.5	148.9	146.5	14.7	17.3	2.1	-13.0	16.0	-5.7
Fuels	136.0	134.6	132.8	130.1	17.1	20.7	2.4	-16.3	18.9	-7.4
Fuel oil and other fuels	131.7	128.1	127.1	128.3	21.9	-24.0	-5.6	-9.9	-3.8	-7.8
Fuel oil	131.3	127.3	126.0	127.0	23.6	-34.1	.6	-12.5	-9.8	-6.2
Other household fuels ⁵	166.8	163.5	161.7	162.1	17.9	11.4	-19.5	-10.8	14.6	-15.3
Gas (piped) and electricity ³	143.6	142.4	140.4	137.3	17.0	24.5	2.8	-16.4	20.7	-7.3
Electricity ³	140.1	141.2	140.6	139.8	2.2	11.2	22.0	-.9	6.6	10.0
Utility natural gas service ³	162.7	155.9	150.3	141.8	53.6	55.3	-26.1	-42.3	54.5	-34.7
Water and sewer and trash collection services ²	109.1	109.4	109.9	110.1	3.4	2.6	1.9	3.7	3.0	2.8
Water and sewerage maintenance ³	230.6	231.2	232.4	232.9	4.7	2.7	1.9	4.0	3.7	3.0
Garbage and trash collection ^{1 6}	274.2	275.3	276.5	276.6	.3	1.9	1.5	3.5	1.1	2.5
Household furnishings and operations	125.8	125.6	125.7	125.9	.6	-.9	.0	.3	-.2	.2
Window and floor coverings and other linens ^{1 2}	98.8	99.0	98.3	98.5	1.6	-10.3	3.7	-1.2	-4.5	1.2
Floor coverings ^{1 2}	106.0	106.4	106.7	106.5	5.8	3.0	-4.8	1.9	4.4	-1.5
Window coverings ^{1 2}	99.0	99.9	98.3	99.6	2.8	-23.6	18.9	2.4	-11.4	10.4
Other linens ^{1 2}	95.1	95.0	94.3	94.0	-1.2	-8.7	.0	-4.5	-5.1	-2.3
Furniture and bedding ¹	128.8	128.4	127.7	127.8	-3.6	-1.8	-3.6	-3.1	-2.7	-3.4
Bedroom furniture ¹	135.2	135.7	135.4	134.4	-4.9	.0	-1.2	-2.3	-2.5	-1.8
Living room, kitchen, and dining room furniture ^{1 2}	100.6	100.1	100.0	100.4	-1.2	-2.7	-4.6	-.8	-1.9	-2.7
Other furniture ^{1 2}	97.4	96.5	94.4	94.5	-9.1	-2.0	-6.3	-11.4	-5.6	-8.9

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Table 9. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): Seasonally adjusted U.S. city average, detailed expenditure categories -Continued

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Seasonally adjusted indexes				Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for					
					3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
	June 2001	July 2001	Aug. 2001	Sep. 2001	Dec. 2000	Mar. 2001	June 2001	Sep. 2001	Mar. 2001	Sep. 2001
Expenditure category										
Appliances ^{1 2}	94.8	94.7	94.6	94.8	-3.3	0.4	-0.8	0.0	-1.5	-0.4
Major appliances ^{1 2}	96.9	96.4	96.6	97.2	-2.5	2.1	.8	1.2	-2	1.0
Other appliances ^{1 2}	91.6	92.1	91.4	91.0	-4.2	-3.4	-2.6	-2.6	-3.8	-2.6
Other household equipment and furnishings ^{1 2}	96.1	95.8	95.6	95.3	-5.3	5.6	-3.3	-3.3	.0	-3.3
Clocks, lamps, and decorator items ¹	102.3	103.1	103.0	102.9	-6.2	-5.2	-3.8	2.4	-5.7	-8
Indoor plants and flowers ^{1 7}	120.4	118.7	118.9	117.5	1.0	21.2	-2.9	-9.3	10.7	-6.2
Dishes and flatware ^{1 2}	92.6	92.6	91.6	92.4	-6.2	-.9	-.9	-.9	-3.6	-.9
Nonelectric cookware and tableware ^{1 2}	97.5	97.0	96.6	96.3	-12.9	9.9	-5.2	-4.8	-2.2	-5.0
Tools, hardware, outdoor equipment and supplies ^{1 2}	96.8	96.7	96.7	96.7	-2.9	2.9	-.8	-.4	.0	-.6
Tools, hardware and supplies ^{1 2}	96.5	97.0	97.3	97.3	.0	-2.4	-4.4	3.4	-1.2	-.6
Outdoor equipment and supplies ^{1 2}	96.6	96.1	95.8	96.0	-4.5	5.6	2.1	-2.5	.4	-.2
Housekeeping supplies ¹	159.0	159.3	159.7	161.1	2.3	.8	4.4	5.4	1.5	4.9
Household cleaning products ^{1 2}	108.7	108.7	109.1	109.6	4.6	3.8	.0	3.4	4.2	1.7
Household paper products ^{1 2}	119.2	120.0	119.9	120.2	-.7	-5.3	13.1	3.4	-3.0	8.1
Miscellaneous household products ^{1 2}	105.6	105.4	105.9	108.0	1.6	2.3	4.3	9.4	1.9	6.8
Household operations ^{1 2}	116.4	116.8	117.2	117.4	2.1	9.1	2.4	3.5	5.6	3.0
Domestic services ^{1 2}	113.4	113.4	113.7	113.9	3.7	4.0	3.2	1.8	3.8	2.5
Gardening and lawn care services ^{1 2}	117.9	118.0	118.7	118.7	-.4	20.7	-5.2	2.7	9.7	-1.3
Moving, storage, freight expense ^{1 2}	113.5	113.7	114.3	114.5	1.4	.0	7.8	3.6	.7	5.6
Repair of household items ^{1 2}	121.5	122.9	122.9	123.2	4.6	10.4	8.3	5.7	7.4	7.0
Apparel	125.7	124.9	124.3	125.0	-1.6	3.8	-9.3	-2.2	1.1	-5.8
Men's and boys' apparel	126.7	125.4	123.6	124.1	-2.1	-5.2	-.3	-8.0	-3.7	-4.2
Men's apparel	130.1	128.4	127.7	128.4	-2.7	-6.2	-2.1	-5.1	-4.4	-3.6
Men's suits, sport coats, and outerwear	127.3	127.6	127.2	126.7	-6.5	-13.1	4.9	-1.9	-9.9	1.4
Men's furnishings	140.3	137.9	137.4	135.9	-2.0	5.0	.9	-12.0	1.4	-5.8
Men's shirts and sweaters ^{1 2}	92.9	88.9	89.6	95.2	-.4	-10.7	-18.3	10.3	-5.7	-5.1
Men's pants and shorts	124.4	123.6	122.4	123.2	-5.5	-8.8	2.0	-3.8	-7.2	-1.0
Boys' apparel	116.8	115.4	110.9	109.2	1.4	5.4	4.2	-23.6	3.4	-10.8
Women's and girls' apparel	116.5	115.6	115.0	116.8	-3.0	9.4	-16.3	1.0	3.0	-8.0
Women's apparel	115.9	115.4	115.2	116.9	-4.3	10.1	-17.5	3.5	2.7	-7.6
Women's outerwear	114.2	116.9	116.7	118.0	2.7	2.7	-16.9	14.0	2.7	-2.7
Women's dresses	92.9	89.5	93.8	100.7	-10.5	17.7	-26.1	38.1	2.6	1.0
Women's suits and separates ^{1 2}	93.8	88.5	88.9	97.8	-19.3	38.6	-35.3	18.2	5.8	-12.6
Women's underwear, nightwear, sportswear and accessories ^{1 2}	103.3	101.4	99.1	97.5	-.8	18.7	-6.0	-20.6	8.5	-13.6
Girls' apparel	118.8	116.1	113.6	116.4	2.4	7.5	-12.7	-7.8	4.9	-10.3
Footwear	122.1	122.9	123.5	123.0	-1.6	3.9	-10.4	3.0	1.1	-3.9
Men's footwear	125.9	124.7	123.4	121.8	2.2	-5.2	-4.3	-12.4	-1.6	-8.5
Boys' and girls' footwear	115.9	119.2	122.6	120.5	2.6	10.5	-28.2	16.8	6.5	-8.4
Women's footwear	121.5	121.9	122.8	124.2	-6.4	4.7	-1.6	9.2	-1.0	3.6
Infants' and toddlers' apparel ¹	128.6	126.2	128.3	131.1	3.1	10.5	-13.4	8.0	6.8	-3.3
Jewelry and watches ⁵	136.9	136.8	134.8	131.7	8.1	2.7	2.1	-14.3	5.3	-6.5
Watches ⁵	117.7	117.7	116.2	116.2	3.7	-10.2	2.8	-5.0	-3.5	-1.2
Jewelry ⁵	142.4	142.1	140.1	136.1	9.4	7.7	.8	-16.6	8.5	-8.3
Transportation	157.0	153.0	152.5	155.3	.0	-.5	7.5	-4.3	-.3	1.4
Private transportation	154.2	150.1	149.6	152.5	.0	.0	7.0	-4.3	.0	1.2
New and used motor vehicles ²	102.2	102.0	101.9	101.5	4.0	1.6	-3.4	-2.7	2.8	-3.1
New vehicles	142.9	142.9	142.4	142.6	.6	-1.7	-1.1	-.8	-.6	-1.0
Used cars and trucks	160.0	159.3	159.0	157.6	9.2	6.9	-7.4	-5.9	8.1	-6.6
Car and truck rental ^{1 2}	101.1	102.2	103.3	99.8	1.5	4.1	-26.0	-5.0	2.8	-16.2
Motor fuel	137.9	122.1	120.1	131.2	-9.8	-10.3	37.7	-18.1	-10.0	6.2
Gasoline (all types)	137.3	121.3	119.3	130.6	-10.1	-10.3	38.8	-18.1	-10.2	6.6
Gasoline, unleaded regular ⁸	135.6	119.2	117.4	130.2	-9.0	-12.9	38.9	-15.0	-11.0	8.7
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ^{8 9}	142.0	126.2	123.4	133.9	-10.3	-8.9	37.2	-20.9	-9.6	4.2
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁸	135.5	122.3	119.2	128.2	-7.1	-10.9	34.6	-19.9	-9.0	3.9
Other motor fuels ^{1 2}	126.9	121.0	119.4	125.0	.0	-25.7	6.9	-5.9	-13.8	.3
Motor vehicle parts and equipment	103.8	104.4	104.3	104.5	4.4	6.8	.0	2.7	5.6	1.4
Tires	99.5	100.4	100.0	99.6	2.1	8.5	.8	.4	5.2	.6
Vehicle accessories other than tires ^{1 2}	104.3	104.6	104.6	105.5	8.1	5.5	-2.3	4.7	6.8	1.1
Motor vehicle maintenance and repair	184.6	185.2	185.9	186.5	3.4	3.3	3.3	4.2	3.4	3.7
Motor vehicle body work ¹	195.3	195.4	196.0	197.5	2.3	2.3	5.9	4.6	2.3	5.3
Motor vehicle maintenance and servicing ¹	169.8	170.5	170.6	171.3	4.5	4.9	4.1	3.6	4.7	3.8
Motor vehicle repair ^{1 2}	111.4	111.7	112.2	112.9	2.2	4.1	1.4	5.5	3.1	3.5

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Table 9. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): Seasonally adjusted U.S. city average, detailed expenditure categories -Continued

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Seasonally adjusted indexes				Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for					
					3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
	June 2001	July 2001	Aug. 2001	Sep. 2001	Dec. 2000	Mar. 2001	June 2001	Sep. 2001	Mar. 2001	Sep. 2001
Expenditure category										
Motor vehicle insurance	267.6	269.2	270.2	271.2	2.5	6.5	6.2	5.5	4.5	5.8
Motor vehicle fees ^{1 2}	109.3	109.4	109.8	110.1	.0	2.2	-4	3.0	1.1	1.3
State and local registration and license ^{1 2 3}	106.5	106.7	107.0	107.1	-1.1	.0	-7	2.3	-6	.8
Parking and other fees ^{1 2}	117.6	117.7	118.1	119.0	3.9	8.2	.7	4.8	6.1	2.7
Public transportation	209.0	207.3	209.0	207.6	-8	-9.3	15.7	-2.7	-5.2	6.1
Airline fare ¹	247.8	247.4	243.2	241.4	-9.7	.3	19.1	-9.9	-4.8	3.6
Other intercity transportation	157.4	156.1	156.1	155.7	3.6	.5	-4.4	-4.3	2.0	-4.3
Intracity transportation ¹	177.6	178.6	179.4	180.1	1.1	2.3	1.1	5.8	1.7	3.4
Medical care	271.3	271.8	273.3	274.1	3.4	6.3	3.8	4.2	4.9	4.0
Medical care commodities	242.7	243.2	243.9	244.6	2.9	6.0	4.2	3.2	4.5	3.7
Prescription drugs and medical supplies	299.9	301.7	302.9	304.8	4.1	8.2	5.2	6.7	6.1	6.0
Nonprescription drugs and medical supplies ^{1 5}	149.5	148.9	148.6	148.2	1.1	.5	3.8	-3.4	.8	.1
Internal and respiratory over-the-counter drugs ¹	178.0	177.4	177.2	176.5	-2	3.0	3.9	-3.3	1.4	.2
Nonprescription medical equipment and supplies ¹	178.6	177.2	176.6	176.9	4.1	-5.7	3.7	-3.8	-9	-1
Medical care services	277.7	278.3	279.9	280.7	3.6	6.3	3.7	4.4	5.0	4.0
Professional services ³	248.2	248.7	249.9	250.3	3.0	5.5	2.6	3.4	4.3	3.0
Physicians' services ³	254.6	254.7	256.4	257.0	2.9	5.1	2.7	3.8	4.0	3.3
Dental services ³	268.6	269.8	270.2	271.0	3.9	4.8	3.7	3.6	4.3	3.6
Eyeglasses and eye care ^{1 3 5}	155.4	155.8	155.7	155.7	1.9	8.1	1.0	.8	5.0	.9
Services by other medical professionals ^{3 5}	171.8	172.2	173.4	173.8	1.4	5.6	2.6	4.7	3.5	3.7
Hospital and related services ³	333.0	333.5	336.3	338.3	4.5	7.8	6.6	6.5	6.1	6.6
Hospital services ^{1 3 10}	122.7	123.2	124.5	125.0	3.4	9.8	4.7	7.7	6.6	6.2
Inpatient hospital services ^{1 3 8 10}	120.2	120.5	121.3	121.8	2.1	10.4	4.8	5.4	6.2	5.1
Outpatient hospital services ^{3 5 8}	279.5	281.3	284.4	286.6	5.9	5.2	5.3	10.6	5.6	7.9
Nursing homes and adult daycare ^{1 3 10}	126.0	126.6	129.6	129.9	1.6	2.9	3.6	13.0	2.3	8.2
Recreation ²	103.3	103.6	103.7	103.7	.0	.4	2.0	1.6	.2	1.8
Video and audio ²	100.5	101.1	100.8	100.7	-1.6	-4	-8	.8	-1.0	.0
Televisions	43.8	43.8	43.2	42.8	-7.3	-9.1	-15.6	-8.8	-8.2	-12.3
Cable television ^{3 6}	279.2	280.9	281.0	281.3	4.0	5.2	2.3	3.0	4.6	2.7
Other video equipment ^{1 2}	52.3	51.9	51.1	50.9	-14.4	-28.7	-21.1	-10.3	-21.9	-15.9
Video cassettes, discs, and other media including rental ^{1 2}	86.9	87.0	86.8	85.6	-18.8	-8.1	12.4	-5.9	-13.6	2.9
Audio equipment ¹	74.3	74.7	74.5	75.3	-7.3	-7.9	-12.4	5.5	-7.6	-3.9
Audio discs, tapes and other media ^{1 2}	106.9	107.3	107.6	106.3	5.6	2.3	9.1	-2.2	3.9	3.3
Pets, pet products and services ^{1 2}	108.8	108.9	109.8	109.6	.8	5.4	4.5	3.0	3.0	3.8
Pets and pet products ¹	146.0	145.8	147.2	146.4	-1.4	4.5	3.4	1.1	1.5	2.2
Pet services including veterinary ^{1 2}	122.3	123.2	123.9	124.6	5.6	8.0	5.4	7.7	6.8	6.6
Sporting goods ¹	121.8	121.4	121.2	120.9	1.3	-2.9	2.7	-2.9	-8	-2
Sports vehicles including bicycles ¹	136.8	136.6	136.5	136.0	4.5	-2.0	4.5	-2.3	1.2	1.0
Sports equipment ¹	104.7	104.2	104.0	103.9	-2.2	-3.7	.0	-3.0	-3.0	-1.5
Photography ^{1 2}	99.1	99.3	98.9	99.3	-8	-1.6	-4	.8	-1.2	.2
Photographic equipment and supplies ¹	124.0	124.1	123.0	123.5	-4.3	-2.2	-2.9	-1.6	-3.3	-2.2
Photographers and film processing ^{1 2}	103.4	103.6	103.4	103.8	1.2	-1.5	1.6	1.6	-2	1.6
Other recreational goods ²	84.3	84.3	84.0	84.3	-3.2	-11.5	3.4	.0	-7.5	1.7
Toys ¹	102.2	101.7	101.4	101.6	-4.1	-13.7	4.4	-2.3	-9.0	1.0
Sewing machines, fabric and supplies ^{1 2}	94.6	97.2	96.9	97.5	-5.7	-4	-3.3	12.8	-3.1	4.5
Music instruments and accessories ^{1 2}	100.5	100.8	100.9	100.8	5.4	-3.5	5.3	1.2	.8	3.3
Recreation services ²	116.5	116.7	117.2	117.7	1.8	5.0	4.6	4.2	3.4	4.4
Club membership dues and fees for participant sports ^{1 2}	111.4	111.2	111.3	111.9	.0	5.9	-1.4	1.8	2.9	.2
Admissions ¹	241.5	242.0	244.0	244.8	2.8	4.0	8.7	5.6	3.4	7.1
Fees for lessons or instructions ⁵	195.6	196.7	196.4	197.4	2.8	5.1	6.2	3.7	4.0	4.9
Recreational reading materials ¹	192.6	193.9	193.9	193.9	2.8	1.3	2.1	2.7	2.0	2.4
Newspapers and magazines ^{1 2}	108.1	109.0	109.1	109.3	2.7	2.6	1.1	4.5	2.6	2.8
Recreational books ^{1 2}	101.9	102.3	102.0	101.8	3.6	-2.0	4.0	-4	.8	1.8
Education and communication ²	105.2	105.7	106.1	106.1	4.8	3.5	2.3	3.5	4.1	2.9
Education ²	118.8	119.3	120.4	120.8	5.7	3.9	6.7	6.9	4.8	6.8
Educational books and supplies	299.7	301.7	303.8	308.9	2.5	5.5	8.6	12.9	4.0	10.7
Tuition, other school fees, and childcare	333.6	334.9	338.0	338.8	5.9	3.9	6.2	6.4	4.9	6.3
College tuition and fees	345.9	346.3	352.7	354.9	4.5	3.7	5.3	10.8	4.1	8.0
Elementary and high school tuition and fees	368.1	371.4	378.0	378.8	5.6	6.3	6.8	12.1	5.9	9.4
Child care and nursery school ⁷	164.8	165.3	166.0	166.0	6.2	3.8	6.3	2.9	5.0	4.6
Technical and business school tuition and fees ^{1 2}	121.1	122.7	123.6	124.8	1.7	3.1	4.4	12.8	2.4	8.5

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Expenditure category										
Communication ^{1 2}	94.3	94.8	94.7	94.3	4.4	3.0	-2.1	0.0	3.7	-1.1
Postage and delivery services ^{1 2}	106.8	108.1	108.1	108.1	.0	14.3	.4	5.0	6.9	2.6
Postage ¹	171.2	173.4	173.4	173.4	.0	14.2	.0	5.2	6.9	2.6
Delivery services ^{1 2}	124.4	124.8	124.8	124.8	.3	30.1	1.0	1.3	14.3	1.1
Information and information processing ^{1 2}	93.6	94.0	94.0	93.6	4.4	2.2	-2.1	.0	3.3	-1.1
Telephone services ^{1 2}	99.2	99.7	99.8	99.4	6.3	3.7	-1.2	.8	5.0	-2
Telephone services, local charges ^{1 3}	183.7	185.2	186.3	186.6	5.8	3.4	5.6	6.5	4.6	6.0
Telephone services, long distance charges ^{1 2}	88.5	88.7	88.3	87.4	6.5	5.5	-9.0	-4.9	6.0	-6.9
Cellular telephone services ^{1 2}	68.8	69.3	68.8	68.2	-8.4	-12.7	-2.9	-3.4	-10.6	-3.1
Information and information processing other than telephone services ^{1 11}	22.2	22.0	21.5	21.2	-18.6	-19.5	-17.6	-16.8	-19.1	-17.2
Personal computers and peripheral equipment ^{1 2}	29.4	28.7	27.4	26.6	-24.4	-38.4	-26.9	-33.0	-31.8	-30.0
Computer software and accessories ^{1 2}	78.6	79.2	79.4	78.1	-15.0	-6.2	-10.0	-2.5	-10.7	-6.3
Computer information processing services ^{1 2}	96.4	99.0	100.8	100.4	.4	.8	1.7	17.7	.6	9.4
Other information processing equipment ^{1 2}	68.4	67.5	66.3	66.2	-19.1	2.3	-10.9	-12.3	-9.0	-11.6
Other goods and services	288.2	294.2	290.3	295.8	-2.4	6.3	6.3	11.0	1.9	8.6
Tobacco and smoking products ¹	421.6	441.9	425.6	444.7	-10.6	12.2	13.5	23.8	.1	18.5
Cigarettes ^{1 2}	170.6	179.0	172.1	180.1	-11.1	12.8	14.0	24.2	.1	19.0
Tobacco products other than cigarettes ^{1 2}	121.3	122.8	123.8	123.7	3.4	-1.6	.0	8.2	.8	4.0
Personal care ¹	169.9	170.6	170.9	171.4	2.9	3.1	2.1	3.6	3.0	2.9
Personal care products ¹	155.4	155.9	155.5	156.1	1.8	.3	-1.3	1.8	1.0	.3
Hair, dental, shaving, and miscellaneous personal care products ^{1 2}	104.1	104.2	103.9	103.7	4.7	-8	.0	-1.5	1.9	-8
Cosmetics, perfume, bath, nail preparations and implements ¹	170.2	171.1	170.7	172.2	-1.2	1.2	-2.5	4.8	.0	1.1
Personal care services ¹	184.8	185.4	185.9	186.1	3.1	2.4	4.4	2.8	2.8	3.6
Haircuts and other personal care services ^{1 2}	112.6	113.0	113.3	113.4	3.3	2.2	4.4	2.9	2.7	3.6
Miscellaneous personal services	261.6	263.4	265.2	265.9	4.0	4.3	4.4	6.7	4.1	5.6
Legal services ^{1 5}	195.7	198.7	201.8	202.0	2.3	5.8	2.5	13.5	4.0	7.9
Funeral expenses ⁵	199.4	199.5	199.6	200.7	4.0	3.1	7.6	2.6	3.6	5.1
Laundry and dry cleaning services ^{1 2}	109.6	110.0	110.5	111.0	2.3	6.1	4.1	5.2	4.2	4.7
Apparel services other than laundry and dry cleaning ^{1 2}	111.9	112.7	113.0	113.5	7.7	6.7	2.2	5.8	7.2	4.0
Financial services ^{1 5}	224.0	224.4	224.8	225.5	4.1	8.7	2.5	2.7	6.4	2.6
Miscellaneous personal goods ^{1 2}	94.3	93.9	92.9	93.8	3.9	-2.1	-2.5	-2.1	.8	-2.3
Special aggregate indexes										
Commodities	152.8	151.4	150.9	152.6	.0	1.3	3.2	-.5	.7	1.3
Commodities less food and beverages	140.6	138.3	137.3	139.7	-1.4	-.3	3.2	-2.5	-.9	.3
Nondurables less food and beverages	152.9	148.8	147.0	150.8	-.8	-2.6	10.0	-5.4	-1.7	2.0
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel	172.2	166.1	163.8	169.9	-.7	-4.2	16.6	-5.2	-2.5	5.1
Durables	125.3	124.9	124.7	124.5	1.6	.6	-3.1	-2.5	1.1	-2.8
Services	199.8	200.1	200.7	200.7	4.0	5.9	4.1	1.8	4.9	3.0
Rent of shelter ⁴	187.2	187.6	188.3	188.7	3.3	4.2	4.6	3.2	3.8	3.9
Transportation services	199.1	199.6	200.6	200.8	1.9	2.7	5.2	3.5	2.3	4.3
Other services	233.4	234.5	235.5	235.6	4.1	3.9	3.3	3.8	4.0	3.6
All items less food	174.3	173.5	173.4	174.4	2.4	3.6	3.8	.2	3.0	2.0
All items less shelter	168.6	167.8	167.5	168.5	2.0	3.2	3.4	-.2	2.6	1.6
All items less medical care	169.8	169.2	169.1	170.0	2.2	3.6	3.6	.5	2.9	2.0
Commodities less food	142.3	140.1	139.2	141.5	-1.1	-.3	3.2	-2.2	-.7	.4
Nondurables less food	154.6	150.7	149.1	152.7	-.8	-2.3	9.6	-4.8	-1.6	2.1
Nondurables less food and apparel	172.2	166.7	164.8	170.2	-.2	-4.0	15.5	-4.6	-2.1	5.0
Nondurables	163.8	161.7	161.0	163.2	-.2	2.0	6.9	-1.5	.9	2.6
Apparel less footwear	122.3	121.3	120.3	121.4	-1.3	3.6	-9.2	-2.9	1.1	-6.1
Services less rent of shelter ⁴	189.2	189.2	189.6	189.4	4.7	7.6	3.9	.4	6.1	2.1
Services less medical care services	193.4	193.6	194.3	194.2	4.1	5.6	4.2	1.7	4.9	2.9

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 9. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): Seasonally adjusted U.S. city average, detailed expenditure categories -Continued

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Seasonally adjusted indexes				Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for					
					3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
	June 2001	July 2001	Aug. 2001	Sep. 2001	Dec. 2000	Mar. 2001	June 2001	Sep. 2001	Mar. 2001	Sep. 2001
Special aggregate indexes										
Energy	136.3	127.8	125.8	130.0	2.5	4.1	18.6	-17.2	3.3	-0.9
All items less energy	179.8	180.3	180.5	181.0	2.3	3.7	2.3	2.7	3.0	2.5
All items less food and energy	181.8	182.3	182.5	183.0	2.0	3.6	2.0	2.7	2.8	2.3
Commodities less food and energy commodities	145.9	146.3	145.6	146.2	.5	1.7	-1.9	.8	1.1	-5
Energy commodities	137.6	122.5	120.5	131.0	-7.8	-11.3	34.8	-17.8	-9.6	5.2
Services less energy services	206.1	206.7	207.6	207.9	3.0	4.4	4.2	3.5	3.7	3.9
Domestically produced farm food	176.2	176.7	176.4	176.7	2.8	5.2	5.4	1.1	4.0	3.2
Utilities and public transportation	160.6	160.0	159.2	157.7	8.1	12.4	2.8	-7.0	10.3	-2.2

¹ Not seasonally adjusted.

² Indexes on a December 1997=100 base.

³ This index series was calculated using a Laspeyres estimator. All other item stratum index series converted to a geometric means estimator in January, 1999.

⁴ Indexes on a December 1984=100 base

⁵ Indexes on a December 1986=100 base.

⁶ Indexes on a December 1983=100 base.

⁷ Indexes on a December 1990=100 base.

⁸ Special index based on a substantially smaller sample.

⁹ Indexes on a December 1993=100 base.

¹⁰ Indexes on a December 1996=100 base.

¹¹ Indexes on a December 1988=100 base.

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

Table 10. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): Selected areas, all items index

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Area	Pricing schedule 1	All items									
		Indexes				Percent change to Sep.2001 from—			Percent change to Aug.2001 from—		
		June 2001	July 2001	Aug. 2001	Sep. 2001	Sep. 2000	July 2001	Aug. 2001	Aug. 2000	June 2001	July 2001
U.S. city average	M	178.0	177.5	177.5	178.3	2.6	0.5	0.5	2.7	-0.3	0.0
Region and area size²											
Northeast urban	M	185.3	185.0	185.1	185.1	2.4	.1	.0	2.9	-1	.1
Size A - More than 1,500,000	M	186.4	186.2	186.5	186.5	2.6	.2	.0	3.2	.1	.2
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 ³	M	111.0	110.7	110.5	110.4	1.9	-.3	-.1	2.3	-.5	-.2
Midwest urban	M	173.8	172.5	173.0	174.6	2.7	1.2	.9	2.9	-.5	.3
Size A - More than 1,500,000	M	175.3	174.3	174.8	176.1	2.7	1.0	.7	2.8	-.3	.3
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 ³	M	111.2	110.0	110.3	111.6	2.8	1.5	1.2	3.0	-.8	.3
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	M	167.5	166.1	166.8	168.8	2.6	1.6	1.2	2.6	-.4	.4
South urban	M	172.2	171.6	171.5	172.2	2.2	.3	.4	2.1	-.4	-.1
Size A - More than 1,500,000	M	172.7	172.5	172.3	173.2	2.9	.4	.5	2.6	-.2	-.1
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 ³	M	110.3	109.8	109.8	110.2	1.9	.4	.4	1.9	-.5	.0
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	M	171.4	170.1	170.1	169.7	.9	-.2	-.2	1.4	-.8	.0
West urban	M	182.0	182.0	181.9	182.5	3.3	.3	.3	3.4	-.1	-.1
Size A - More than 1,500,000	M	184.4	184.2	184.1	184.7	3.5	.3	.3	3.7	-.2	-.1
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 ³	M	111.2	111.4	111.2	111.7	2.7	.3	.4	2.7	.0	-.2
Size classes											
A ⁴	M	162.1	161.8	161.9	162.5	3.0	.4	.4	3.1	-.1	.1
B/C ³	M	110.8	110.3	110.2	110.8	2.3	.5	.5	2.2	-.5	-.1
D	M	172.1	171.0	171.2	172.0	2.0	.6	.5	2.1	-.5	.1
Selected local areas⁵											
Chicago-Gary-Kenosha, IL-IN-WI	M	179.2	177.7	178.1	179.7	2.8	1.1	.9	2.5	-.6	.2
Los Angeles-Riverside-Orange County, CA ..	M	178.9	178.3	178.4	178.8	3.2	.3	.2	3.6	-.3	.1
New York-Northern N.J.-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT-PA	M	188.3	187.8	188.1	188.0	2.0	.1	-.1	2.7	-.1	.2
Boston-Brockton-Nashua, MA-NH-ME-CT	1	-	192.1	-	192.7	4.6	.3	-	-	-	-
Cleveland-Akron, OH	1	-	173.4	-	174.6	2.4	.7	-	-	-	-
Dallas-Fort Worth, TX	1	-	171.5	-	172.8	3.5	.8	-	-	-	-
Washington-Baltimore, DC-MD-VA-WV ⁶	1	-	110.8	-	111.7	2.8	.8	-	-	-	-
Atlanta, GA	2	177.8	-	176.9	-	-	-	-	2.8	-.5	-
Detroit-Ann Arbor-Flint, MI	2	175.8	-	175.1	-	-	-	-	2.9	-.4	-
Houston-Galveston-Brazoria, TX	2	159.6	-	158.6	-	-	-	-	2.7	-.6	-
Miami-Fort Lauderdale, FL	2	173.5	-	173.5	-	-	-	-	3.0	.0	-
Philadelphia-Wilmington-Atlantic City, PA-NJ-DE-MD	2	182.5	-	182.8	-	-	-	-	3.0	.2	-
San Francisco-Oakland-San Jose, CA	2	190.9	-	191.0	-	-	-	-	5.1	.1	-
Seattle-Tacoma-Bremerton, WA	2	186.3	-	186.8	-	-	-	-	3.6	.3	-

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

M - Every month.

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

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

² Regions defined as the four Census regions. See map in technical notes.

³ Indexes on a December 1996=100 base.

⁴ Indexes on a December 1986=100 base.

⁵ In addition, the following metropolitan areas are published semiannually and appear in Tables 34 and 39 of the January and July issues of the CPI Detailed Report: Anchorage, AK; Cincinnati-Hamilton, OH-KY-IN; Denver-Boulder-Greeley, CO; Honolulu, HI; Kansas City, MO-KS; Milwaukee-Racine, WI; Minneapolis-St. Paul, MN-WI; Pittsburgh, PA;

Portland-Salem, OR-WA; St. Louis, MO-IL; San Diego, CA; Tampa-St. Petersburg-Clearwater, FL.

⁶ Indexes on a November 1996=100 base.

- Data not available.

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

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

Table 11. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): Regions¹, by expenditure category and commodity and service group

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Northeast			Midwest			South			West			
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		
		Sep. 2001	Sep. 2000		Aug. 2001	Sep. 2001		Sep. 2000	Aug. 2001		Sep. 2001	Sep. 2000	Aug. 2001
Expenditure category													
All items	185.1	2.4	0.0	174.6	2.7	0.9	172.2	2.2	0.4	182.5	3.3	0.3	
All items (December 1977=100)	291.5	-	-	284.0	-	-	279.3	-	-	295.0	-	-	
Food and beverages	176.3	3.0	.0	171.8	3.1	.2	172.0	2.8	.2	178.8	3.5	-.1	
Food	175.8	3.1	.0	171.1	3.1	.2	171.9	2.7	.2	178.1	3.5	-.1	
Food at home	175.9	3.2	.0	170.5	3.5	.4	169.7	2.6	.1	182.8	3.6	-.3	
Food away from home	178.1	2.9	.0	172.6	2.6	-.1	177.4	3.1	.4	171.3	3.4	.3	
Alcoholic beverages	182.3	1.5	.1	180.1	3.3	-.1	172.8	3.4	.5	187.2	2.7	.2	
Housing	189.8	3.7	-.4	169.4	1.9	-.4	163.9	2.6	-.4	188.3	5.7	-.1	
Shelter	224.0	4.0	-.4	195.6	2.7	-.1	179.4	2.6	-.4	208.3	5.7	.0	
Rent of primary residence ²	208.1	4.2	.4	186.9	3.8	.5	175.3	3.8	.4	201.8	6.4	.5	
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence ^{2 3}	232.6	4.5	.3	200.8	3.2	.5	181.4	2.9	.3	219.1	5.8	.5	
Fuels and utilities	142.2	4.4	-1.3	142.5	-1.2	-2.6	155.7	5.1	-.7	169.9	12.1	-1.2	
Fuels	132.4	4.7	-1.4	125.0	-2.1	-3.1	136.5	5.8	-.9	161.1	14.9	-1.6	
Gas (piped) and electricity ²	146.8	7.9	-2.2	130.4	-2.0	-3.6	138.9	6.2	-.9	164.7	15.4	-1.7	
Electricity ²	142.4	2.6	-1.7	136.3	2.6	-.4	137.5	7.8	-.7	182.5	24.2	-.1	
Utility natural gas service ²	156.3	17.8	-2.9	126.2	-7.5	-7.5	147.8	-1.1	-2.4	143.2	-3.6	-5.9	
Household furnishings and operations	131.8	1.1	.2	124.9	.2	.6	128.4	-.5	.0	133.3	.8	.2	
Apparel	124.2	-5.5	2.1	123.8	-2.2	3.9	138.9	-.8	4.2	116.7	-3.2	2.9	
Transportation	153.7	-.6	-.3	159.5	3.4	3.6	151.3	-.3	1.3	158.0	-.5	.9	
Private transportation	148.1	-1.0	-.3	155.1	3.6	3.8	149.3	-.3	1.4	152.3	-.3	1.1	
New and used motor vehicles ⁴	99.3	-.1	-.2	101.1	.5	-.1	99.6	-.7	-.3	100.8	-.4	-.6	
New vehicles	139.5	-.6	.0	137.9	-2	.4	143.2	-.9	-.1	139.3	-1.8	-.7	
New cars and trucks ^{4 5}	97.0	-.7	-.1	97.4	-.3	.4	97.5	-.7	-.1	96.9	-1.7	-.7	
New cars ⁵	137.6	-.7	-.1	133.1	.4	.5	141.3	-1.4	-.1	135.5	-1.6	-.7	
Used cars and trucks	161.3	.7	-.5	157.9	.8	-.4	156.2	-.4	-.6	155.8	1.8	-.4	
Motor fuel	119.6	-9.1	-1.7	148.7	8.1	17.7	123.7	-5.5	6.9	134.3	-5.2	6.3	
Gasoline (all types)	119.0	-9.1	-1.7	148.1	8.2	17.7	123.0	-5.5	7.0	133.1	-5.2	6.3	
Gasoline, unleaded regular ⁵	118.3	-10.0	-1.8	147.5	8.6	18.1	120.5	-5.8	7.4	131.7	-5.5	7.2	
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ^{5 6}	122.6	-8.6	-1.4	161.5	7.8	17.5	129.7	-5.5	6.7	127.3	-5.4	5.0	
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁵	118.3	-7.5	-1.7	149.7	7.5	16.1	125.2	-4.9	6.1	130.9	-5.3	4.9	
Medical care	291.9	5.0	.0	270.4	5.0	.2	267.1	3.5	.1	275.0	5.0	.5	
Medical care commodities	263.4	3.5	-.6	244.3	4.0	.2	241.9	4.9	.2	254.8	4.2	1.0	
Medical care services	297.8	5.4	.1	277.4	5.3	.2	273.2	3.1	.0	280.0	5.2	.5	
Professional services ²	262.9	4.0	.0	254.2	4.8	.2	245.7	1.9	.0	231.3	4.6	.2	
Recreation ⁴	106.8	.6	-.1	106.2	2.9	-.2	105.2	1.6	.1	102.8	.4	.6	
Education and communication ⁴	106.5	3.8	.8	108.2	3.8	1.4	106.8	4.5	.6	104.7	1.9	.4	
Other goods and services	297.2	4.7	1.9	280.8	5.0	1.7	282.7	5.3	1.7	288.5	3.7	.9	
Commodity and service group													
All items	185.1	2.4	.0	174.6	2.7	.9	172.2	2.2	.4	182.5	3.3	.3	
Commodities	151.6	.0	.3	151.6	2.0	2.4	151.1	.7	1.2	152.1	.7	.8	
Commodities less food and beverages	135.7	-2.1	.5	140.2	1.2	3.6	139.3	-.6	1.8	136.3	-1.1	1.4	
Nondurables less food and beverages	144.6	-2.7	1.1	155.0	2.9	6.1	152.3	.1	3.3	145.9	-1.1	2.7	
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel	163.2	-1.4	.6	176.7	5.0	7.0	164.2	.4	3.0	167.0	-.3	2.6	
Durables	122.2	-1.1	-.4	122.0	-.9	.2	124.3	-1.4	-.3	124.9	-1.1	-.4	
Services	218.2	4.1	-.2	198.8	3.2	-.2	194.0	3.4	-.2	209.9	5.1	.1	
Rent of shelter ³	234.1	4.0	-.3	201.0	2.7	-.1	184.4	2.7	-.5	221.2	5.7	.0	
Transportation services	197.3	2.4	.1	206.9	4.3	.0	204.7	3.3	.1	204.9	1.4	.0	
Other services	254.4	3.4	.4	234.8	5.0	.6	238.1	4.4	.4	233.1	2.5	.5	

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 11. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): Regions¹, by expenditure category and commodity and service group-Continued

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Northeast			Midwest			South			West			
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		
		Sep. 2001	Sep. 2000		Aug. 2001	Sep. 2001		Sep. 2000	Aug. 2001		Sep. 2001	Sep. 2000	Aug. 2001
Special aggregate indexes													
All items less medical care	180.0	2.3	0.0	169.6	2.5	1.0	166.2	2.1	0.4	177.6	3.3	0.3	
All items less food	187.0	2.3	.0	175.1	2.6	1.0	172.1	2.1	.4	183.4	3.3	.4	
All items less shelter	172.3	1.7	.2	168.6	2.7	1.3	170.2	2.0	.7	173.1	2.1	.5	
Commodities less food	137.7	-1.9	.6	141.7	1.4	3.5	140.5	-5	1.7	138.6	-9	1.4	
Nondurables	160.9	.2	.5	163.6	3.0	3.1	162.2	1.5	1.7	162.8	1.3	1.2	
Nondurables less food	146.9	-2.4	1.0	156.6	2.9	5.8	153.3	.2	3.2	149.0	-8	2.6	
Nondurables less food and apparel	164.1	-1.1	.6	176.7	4.9	6.4	164.1	.6	2.8	168.5	.1	2.5	
Services less rent of shelter ³	219.5	4.1	-1	207.2	3.8	-2	211.6	4.0	.0	218.5	4.1	.0	
Services less medical care services	212.0	4.0	-2	191.9	3.1	-2	185.4	3.4	-2	203.9	5.0	.0	
Energy	126.8	-8	-1.6	134.9	2.7	6.2	127.7	.4	2.4	144.8	4.0	2.2	
All items less energy	193.0	2.7	.1	180.7	2.7	.4	178.2	2.4	.2	187.2	3.3	.2	
All items less food and energy	197.5	2.6	.1	183.1	2.6	.5	179.8	2.3	.2	189.4	3.2	.3	
Commodities less food and energy commodities	146.0	-6	.8	144.4	.3	1.3	147.1	.5	1.0	142.8	-2	.7	
Energy commodities	119.5	-8.8	-7	147.8	7.5	17.4	124.6	-5.5	6.5	135.6	-5.2	6.2	
Services less energy services	225.1	3.8	-1	207.5	3.7	.1	199.8	3.1	-1	213.2	4.5	.1	

¹ Regions defined as the four Census regions. See map in technical notes.

² This index series was calculated using a Laspeyres estimator. All other item stratum index series converted to a geometric means estimator in January, 1999.

³ Indexes on a December 1982=100 base.

⁴ Indexes on a December 1997=100 base.

⁵ Special index based on a substantially smaller sample.

⁶ Indexes on a December 1993=100 base.

- Data not available.

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

Table 12. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): Population size classes¹, by expenditure category and commodity and service group

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Size class A ²			Size class B/C ³			Size class D		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
	Sep. 2001	Sep. 2000	Aug. 2001	Sep. 2001	Sep. 2000	Aug. 2001	Sep. 2001	Sep. 2000	Aug. 2001
Expenditure category									
All items ⁴	162.5	3.0	0.4	110.8	2.3	0.5	172.0	2.0	0.5
All items (December 1977=100)	162.5	-	-	-	-	-	277.4	-	-
Food and beverages	158.2	3.2	.1	109.1	2.9	.1	169.8	2.5	-.1
Food	157.8	3.3	.1	109.1	2.9	.1	169.3	2.4	-.1
Food at home	161.8	3.3	.0	108.7	2.9	.1	166.9	2.8	-.2
Food away from home	151.8	3.2	.3	109.7	2.9	.1	174.8	1.9	.3
Alcoholic beverages	162.7	2.6	.1	109.6	2.9	.5	176.0	2.7	-.1
Housing	162.4	4.2	-.2	109.6	2.6	-.4	162.8	1.7	-.4
Shelter	173.8	4.6	-.1	109.9	2.6	-.4	184.7	1.8	-.5
Rent of primary residence ⁵	165.6	5.5	.5	109.7	3.3	.3	173.8	2.4	.2
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence ^{5 6}	173.4	5.0	.5	108.9	2.8	.4	193.5	2.7	.2
Fuels and utilities	151.7	4.3	-1.7	115.6	5.6	-1.0	148.7	2.7	-.6
Fuels	151.1	4.5	-2.1	117.1	6.4	-1.3	126.0	2.8	-1.0
Gas (piped) and electricity ⁵	149.1	5.6	-2.4	116.0	7.5	-1.6	135.4	3.0	-1.2
Electricity ⁵	150.1	9.5	-1.0	113.5	8.5	-.4	137.2	3.2	-.4
Utility natural gas service ⁵	147.0	-1.6	-5.2	123.9	4.7	-4.8	138.9	2.4	-2.9
Household furnishings and operations	123.8	.9	.2	101.5	-.4	.1	123.2	-.5	.7
Apparel	117.5	-3.5	3.6	95.6	-1.5	3.5	128.6	-2.8	.9
Transportation	153.1	.5	.9	108.7	.4	1.9	153.8	.9	3.0
Private transportation	151.7	.6	1.1	108.0	.4	2.1	149.4	1.0	3.0
New and used motor vehicles ³	100.3	-.2	-.4	100.2	.1	-.2	99.4	-2.1	-.4
New vehicles	122.7	-1.0	-.2	97.8	-.4	-.1	141.2	-2.4	-.3
New cars and trucks ^{3 7}	96.7	-1.0	-.1	97.9	-.3	.0	97.7	-2.5	-.3
New cars ⁷	121.0	-.9	-.1	97.2	-.6	.0	136.7	-1.9	-.5
Used cars and trucks	150.8	.8	-.5	105.6	1.1	-.5	145.1	-2.5	-.5
Motor fuel	191.9	-3.2	5.6	128.3	-3.2	9.5	135.4	3.3	15.2
Gasoline (all types)	190.9	-3.2	5.6	128.4	-3.2	9.6	134.5	3.4	15.3
Gasoline, unleaded regular ⁷	195.0	-2.8	6.6	130.2	-3.1	10.2	131.3	4.3	16.7
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ^{7 8}	130.2	-3.9	4.4	126.2	-3.6	9.1	141.1	.1	12.0
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁷	173.2	-3.5	3.7	124.0	-3.7	7.8	135.2	1.3	12.0
Medical care	217.8	4.6	.2	115.8	4.1	.2	266.2	5.3	.2
Medical care commodities	200.7	3.5	-.1	115.0	4.9	.5	248.8	5.2	.6
Medical care services	221.7	4.9	.3	116.1	4.0	.2	270.9	5.4	.0
Professional services ⁵	196.3	3.9	.1	114.1	2.9	.1	252.4	5.2	.0
Recreation ³	105.9	1.8	.2	104.0	.8	-.1	106.7	1.8	-.5
Education and communication ³	107.3	3.7	.7	105.6	3.5	1.0	105.9	3.7	.4
Other goods and services	228.1	4.8	1.8	127.4	4.8	1.4	290.3	4.6	.5
Commodity and service group									
All items ⁴	162.5	3.0	.4	110.8	2.3	.5	172.0	2.0	.5
Commodities	145.3	.8	1.0	106.6	.9	1.3	149.7	.7	1.4
Commodities less food and beverages	136.9	-.8	1.7	105.2	-.3	2.1	139.0	-.1	2.3
Nondurables less food and beverages	154.1	-.6	3.0	112.7	.2	3.8	153.4	1.8	4.0
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel	179.3	.7	2.8	120.5	.8	3.9	168.9	3.5	5.1
Durables	115.6	-1.0	-.2	96.0	-1.0	-.2	122.6	-2.7	-.1
Services	176.0	4.4	-.1	111.4	3.3	-.2	196.3	3.0	-.3
Rent of shelter ⁶	174.3	4.6	-.1	109.9	2.5	-.5	190.9	1.7	-.5
Transportation services	166.1	2.7	.0	109.7	2.9	.2	203.6	3.7	.2
Other services	196.0	4.1	.5	112.6	3.5	.5	237.8	4.2	.0

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 12. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): Population size classes¹, by expenditure category and commodity and service group-Continued

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Size class A ²			Size class B/C ³			Size class D		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
	Sep. 2001	Sep. 2000	Aug. 2001	Sep. 2001	Sep. 2000	Aug. 2001	Sep. 2001	Sep. 2000	Aug. 2001
Special aggregate indexes									
All items less medical care	159.5	2.8	0.4	108.8	2.1	0.5	165.5	1.7	0.5
All items less food	163.3	2.8	.4	109.3	2.1	.6	172.4	1.8	.5
All items less shelter	157.6	2.1	.6	109.0	2.1	.8	169.1	2.0	.8
Commodities less food	138.3	-.6	1.6	105.3	-.2	2.0	140.1	.0	2.3
Nondurables	156.4	1.4	1.4	110.8	1.6	1.8	161.7	2.1	2.0
Nondurables less food	155.0	-.4	2.8	112.5	.4	3.6	154.5	1.8	3.8
Nondurables less food and apparel	177.3	.9	2.4	119.6	.9	3.5	169.5	3.5	4.8
Services less rent of shelter ⁶	177.4	4.0	-.1	112.8	4.0	.0	211.8	4.0	-.1
Services less medical care services	172.2	4.3	-.1	110.9	3.2	-.3	187.4	2.7	-.4
Energy	167.5	1.0	1.2	121.9	1.8	3.3	128.0	3.0	5.6
All items less energy	162.1	3.1	.3	108.2	2.3	.2	178.2	1.9	-.1
All items less food and energy	163.0	3.1	.4	108.0	2.2	.2	180.4	1.7	-.1
Commodities less food and energy commodities	132.2	-.2	1.1	102.0	.4	.9	145.3	-.6	.3
Energy commodities	190.4	-3.5	5.3	128.6	-3.4	9.0	134.5	3.1	14.9
Services less energy services	177.9	4.3	.1	111.0	3.0	-.1	203.2	3.0	-.2

¹ See region and area size on Table 10 for information about population size classes.

² Indexes on a December 1986=100 base.

³ Indexes on a December 1997=100 base.

⁴ The 'All items' index size B/C is on a December 1996=100 base.

⁵ This index series was calculated using a Laspeyres estimator. All other item stratum index series converted to a geometric means estimator

in January, 1999.

⁶ Indexes on a December 1982=100 base.

⁷ Special index based on a substantially smaller sample.

⁸ Indexes on a December 1993=100 base.

- Data not available.

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

Table 13. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): Cross classification of regions and population size classes¹, by expenditure category and commodity and service group

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Northeast					
	Size class A			Size class B/C ²		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
		Sep. 2001	Sep. 2000		Aug. 2001	Sep. 2001
Expenditure category						
All items ³	186.5	2.6	0.0	110.4	1.9	-0.1
All items (December 1977=100)	288.2	-	-	-	-	-
Food and beverages	176.0	3.0	-1	109.4	2.8	.1
Food	175.3	3.1	-1	109.7	3.1	.2
Food at home	175.7	3.2	-2	109.3	3.0	.4
Food away from home	177.3	2.9	.1	110.5	3.1	-3
Alcoholic beverages	184.4	1.9	.0	105.5	.3	.2
Housing	191.2	4.0	-4	110.4	3.1	-5
Shelter	224.2	4.2	-2	110.8	3.3	-7
Rent of primary residence ⁴	211.5	4.2	.4	109.6	3.8	.2
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence ^{4 5}	230.3	4.9	.3	108.7	3.3	.2
Fuels and utilities	141.5	4.7	-2.0	113.5	3.6	.4
Fuels	136.0	5.2	-2.3	114.2	3.7	.4
Gas (piped) and electricity ⁴	147.6	7.9	-2.9	110.0	8.2	-4
Electricity ⁴	141.9	1.4	-2.7	102.1	5.1	.4
Utility natural gas service ⁴	158.1	19.0	-3.1	129.0	14.5	-2.0
Household furnishings and operations	132.9	1.1	.3	103.9	1.0	-4
Apparel	120.1	-6.2	3.0	97.0	-3.4	.0
Transportation	156.7	-.3	-.5	104.5	-1.4	.1
Private transportation	150.9	-.8	-.5	104.2	-1.4	.1
Motor fuel	118.8	-9.2	-2.9	117.5	-8.9	.8
Gasoline (all types)	118.1	-9.2	-2.9	117.5	-8.9	.8
Gasoline, unleaded regular ⁶	117.4	-9.9	-3.2	117.9	-10.0	.9
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ^{6 7}	119.5	-9.0	-2.6	118.4	-7.7	.8
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁶	117.3	-7.6	-2.8	115.3	-7.2	.6
Medical care	298.6	5.3	.0	116.0	4.3	.0
Recreation ²	107.0	.7	-1	106.5	.5	.0
Education and communication ²	107.3	4.2	.8	104.1	3.1	.4
Other goods and services	290.7	4.4	1.9	128.2	5.5	1.7
Commodity and service group						
All items ³	186.5	2.6	.0	110.4	1.9	-1
Commodities	152.3	-.1	.4	107.0	.2	.3
Commodities less food and beverages	136.0	-2.3	.7	105.4	-1.5	.3
Nondurables less food and beverages	143.6	-3.0	1.2	112.1	-1.9	1.0
Durables	123.7	-1.0	-2	96.6	-.9	-.6
Services	218.1	4.3	-2	110.7	3.5	-3
Special aggregate indexes						
All items less medical care	181.3	2.5	.1	108.6	1.9	.0
All items less shelter	173.3	1.8	.1	108.3	1.4	.2
Commodities less food	138.0	-2.1	.7	105.4	-1.5	.3
Nondurables	160.8	.1	.5	110.7	.5	.5
Nondurables less food	146.1	-2.7	1.0	111.7	-1.8	.9
Services less rent of shelter ⁵	219.3	4.3	-1	110.5	3.6	.2
Services less medical care services	211.5	4.1	-2	110.3	3.4	-.4
Energy	129.1	-.4	-2.5	115.5	-1.5	.6
All items less energy	193.7	2.8	.2	108.5	2.4	-1
All items less food and energy	198.4	2.8	.3	108.2	2.2	-2

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 13. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): Cross classification of regions and population size classes¹, by expenditure category and commodity and service group-Continued

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Midwest								
	Size class A			Size class B/C ²			Size class D		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
	Sep. 2001	Sep. 2000	Aug. 2001	Sep. 2001	Sep. 2000	Aug. 2001	Sep. 2001	Sep. 2000	Aug. 2001
Expenditure category									
All items ³	176.1	2.7	0.7	111.6	2.8	1.2	168.8	2.6	1.2
All items (December 1977=100)	290.7	-	-	-	-	-	270.6	-	-
Food and beverages	174.6	2.7	.0	109.8	3.3	.4	166.4	4.7	.7
Food	174.1	2.7	.1	109.7	3.2	.4	165.4	4.7	.8
Food at home	174.8	2.6	.1	109.8	4.1	.6	160.4	5.3	1.2
Food away from home	173.3	2.8	.0	109.6	1.9	-.1	175.3	3.7	.0
Alcoholic beverages	179.8	2.5	-.4	111.7	4.6	.6	180.8	2.8	-.2
Housing	171.4	2.0	-.3	109.1	1.9	-.4	158.6	1.4	-.1
Shelter	200.0	3.1	.0	109.2	1.9	-.3	178.2	2.7	.2
Rent of primary residence ⁴	194.0	4.2	.5	109.9	3.3	.5	166.5	3.0	.4
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence ^{4 5}	205.6	3.6	.6	108.1	2.5	.5	186.2	3.2	.3
Fuels and utilities	136.1	-4.0	-2.8	118.4	3.4	-2.2	147.0	-2.1	-2.5
Fuels	120.8	-5.3	-3.4	120.1	3.2	-2.7	116.3	-3.3	-3.3
Gas (piped) and electricity ⁴	123.6	-5.3	-3.9	119.2	3.4	-3.2	124.7	-3.3	-3.9
Electricity ⁴	132.0	1.0	-.6	114.4	4.1	.0	119.7	6.1	-1.6
Utility natural gas service ⁴	115.9	-12.4	-7.9	126.4	2.3	-7.4	133.9	-11.9	-6.2
Household furnishings and operations	121.8	.5	.2	99.1	.0	1.0	118.9	.3	1.7
Apparel	119.1	-3.2	4.0	96.0	-.6	4.3	145.9	-1.9	2.7
Transportation	159.9	3.3	2.9	114.9	3.8	4.4	151.1	2.9	5.0
Private transportation	156.6	3.7	3.2	114.7	3.8	4.6	143.8	2.7	5.2
Motor fuel	151.3	8.7	16.1	148.5	6.2	18.3	143.3	12.3	23.4
Gasoline (all types)	150.5	8.7	16.1	148.6	6.3	18.4	141.9	12.4	23.5
Gasoline, unleaded regular ⁶	150.9	9.1	16.8	150.6	7.0	18.2	137.5	12.2	24.0
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ^{6 7}	161.3	9.6	15.8	145.1	5.1	18.9	165.1	13.6	23.0
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁶	149.5	8.6	14.3	144.5	5.2	17.8	147.6	11.8	21.5
Medical care	268.7	4.6	.2	116.5	5.3	.3	263.6	6.0	.0
Recreation ²	107.0	3.9	-.3	104.6	1.7	-.1	107.3	1.8	-.4
Education and communication ²	109.5	4.6	1.0	107.8	3.4	2.3	100.6	.2	.0
Other goods and services	285.1	5.5	2.1	126.9	4.0	1.2	270.9	5.5	.8
Commodity and service group									
All items ³	176.1	2.7	.7	111.6	2.8	1.2	168.8	2.6	1.2
Commodities	152.2	1.6	2.0	108.1	2.4	2.8	152.0	2.4	2.8
Commodities less food and beverages	139.0	1.0	3.3	107.1	1.8	4.1	144.1	1.1	4.0
Nondurables less food and beverages	154.3	2.5	5.9	116.7	3.1	6.4	162.3	3.6	6.2
Durables	120.1	-.9	-.1	94.7	-.3	.6	121.2	-2.9	.6
Services	200.2	3.4	-.1	112.6	3.1	-.1	187.2	2.9	-.3
Special aggregate indexes									
All items less medical care	171.5	2.5	.8	110.0	2.5	1.2	162.3	2.3	1.3
All items less shelter	168.9	2.4	1.1	110.8	3.0	1.7	166.5	2.6	1.5
Commodities less food	140.7	1.0	3.1	107.2	1.8	4.0	145.2	1.1	3.9
Nondurables	164.9	2.5	2.8	113.3	3.2	3.5	165.3	4.1	3.5
Nondurables less food	156.1	2.5	5.5	116.4	3.1	6.1	163.7	3.7	6.0
Services less rent of shelter ⁵	207.3	3.7	-.3	115.5	4.1	.0	199.0	3.0	-.7
Services less medical care services	194.1	3.3	-.2	112.1	2.8	-.2	177.2	2.4	-.4
Energy	133.5	1.1	5.2	133.1	4.7	7.0	126.6	3.9	8.2
All items less energy	182.4	2.8	.4	108.4	2.5	.6	174.6	2.5	.5
All items less food and energy	184.4	2.8	.4	108.1	2.4	.6	176.6	2.0	.4

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 13. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): Cross classification of regions and population size classes¹, by expenditure category and commodity and service group-Continued

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	South								
	Size class A			Size class B/C ²			Size class D		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
	Sep. 2001	Sep. 2000	Aug. 2001	Sep. 2001	Sep. 2000	Aug. 2001	Sep. 2001	Sep. 2000	Aug. 2001
Expenditure category									
All items ³	173.2	2.9	0.5	110.2	1.9	0.4	169.7	0.9	-0.2
All items (December 1977=100)	279.7	-	-	-	-	-	275.6	-	-
Food and beverages	173.8	3.4	.5	108.5	2.8	.1	165.1	.1	-.9
Food	173.9	3.3	.5	108.5	2.8	.2	165.3	.0	-1.0
Food at home	170.9	3.2	.5	107.9	2.6	.1	162.9	.1	-1.6
Food away from home	180.0	3.5	.6	109.5	3.1	.2	171.8	-.3	.2
Alcoholic beverages	171.8	3.2	.5	109.6	3.6	.6	161.0	3.3	.0
Housing	166.5	3.5	-.1	109.2	2.2	-.6	159.7	.6	-.8
Shelter	182.1	3.6	-.1	109.8	2.2	-.6	181.0	.8	-1.4
Rent of primary residence ⁴	181.2	5.0	.7	109.6	3.0	.3	174.9	2.0	.0
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence ^{4 5}	184.8	3.9	.4	109.1	2.2	.2	187.6	2.5	.0
Fuels and utilities	150.8	6.2	-.3	113.6	5.1	-1.1	147.8	2.1	.1
Fuels	138.2	6.7	-.4	114.7	5.9	-1.4	128.5	2.6	.2
Gas (piped) and electricity ⁴	142.5	7.1	-.4	114.2	6.2	-1.5	133.2	2.6	.2
Electricity ⁴	139.0	8.9	-.1	113.8	8.3	-1.0	135.3	2.1	.0
Utility natural gas service ⁴	147.3	-.3	-1.4	116.4	-2.9	-3.7	137.5	5.2	1.1
Household furnishings and operations	134.7	.6	.2	101.4	-.9	-.2	120.8	-2.5	.4
Apparel	152.5	.9	5.5	94.5	-1.2	4.2	120.1	-5.7	-1.4
Transportation	150.9	.1	.7	107.2	-.6	1.7	151.1	-.2	1.7
Private transportation	149.8	.1	.7	106.5	-.7	1.8	149.4	.0	1.8
Motor fuel	126.3	-6.0	3.6	124.0	-5.6	8.7	117.2	-3.2	9.1
Gasoline (all types)	125.2	-6.0	3.6	124.0	-5.6	8.8	115.8	-3.1	9.1
Gasoline, unleaded regular ⁶	123.4	-6.7	4.0	125.3	-5.8	9.1	111.2	-3.1	9.6
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ^{6 7}	126.2	-6.0	3.1	122.8	-5.6	8.7	135.3	-3.5	9.0
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁶	125.9	-5.0	3.1	121.4	-5.3	7.7	123.7	-3.1	7.8
Medical care	259.3	3.0	.1	115.0	3.7	.1	267.3	4.3	.0
Recreation ²	107.1	2.9	.4	103.6	.8	-.1	107.0	2.2	-.6
Education and communication ²	108.5	4.4	.4	105.1	4.4	.7	109.6	5.2	.7
Other goods and services	266.3	6.1	2.1	129.0	5.1	1.7	281.5	3.6	-.2
Commodity and service group									
All items ³	173.2	2.9	.5	110.2	1.9	.4	169.7	.9	-.2
Commodities	152.2	1.2	1.3	106.0	.7	1.3	146.6	-.8	.3
Commodities less food and beverages	140.0	-.1	1.8	104.5	-.7	2.0	136.7	-1.4	1.0
Nondurables less food and beverages	151.5	.5	3.2	111.6	-.2	3.7	149.2	-.2	1.8
Durables	126.8	-1.1	-.1	96.1	-1.4	-.4	122.1	-3.1	-.3
Services	194.1	4.1	.1	111.0	3.1	-.3	194.3	2.4	-.6
Special aggregate indexes									
All items less medical care	168.5	2.9	.6	108.3	1.8	.4	162.0	.6	-.3
All items less shelter	170.4	2.5	.8	108.3	1.8	.7	167.1	1.0	.2
Commodities less food	141.3	-.1	1.7	104.6	-.6	1.9	137.2	-1.4	.9
Nondurables	162.5	2.0	1.8	110.0	1.3	1.9	157.1	-.1	.4
Nondurables less food	152.7	.7	3.0	111.5	.0	3.5	149.6	-.1	1.8
Services less rent of shelter ⁵	212.0	4.5	.2	112.1	3.8	.0	210.5	3.5	.0
Services less medical care services	187.3	4.2	.1	110.6	3.0	-.4	183.9	2.2	-.6
Energy	130.8	.7	1.3	118.7	.3	2.9	120.2	.2	3.7
All items less energy	179.4	3.0	.5	107.9	2.1	.2	176.5	1.0	-.6
All items less food and energy	180.8	3.0	.5	107.8	2.0	.2	179.2	1.2	-.6

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 13. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): Cross classification of regions and population size classes¹, by expenditure category and commodity and service group-Continued

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	West					
	Size class A			Size class B/C ²		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
		Sep. 2001	Sep. 2000		Aug. 2001	Sep. 2001
Expenditure category						
All items ³	184.7	3.5	0.3	111.7	2.7	0.4
All items (December 1977=100)	301.1	-	-	-	-	-
Food and beverages	180.2	3.7	.1	109.3	2.6	-.5
Food	179.5	3.8	.1	109.2	2.7	-.5
Food at home	185.1	4.0	-.1	109.0	2.3	-.9
Food away from home	171.6	3.4	.2	109.6	3.6	.3
Alcoholic beverages	187.6	3.0	.2	111.7	2.1	.4
Housing	195.6	6.4	-.2	110.1	4.0	.1
Shelter	215.4	6.6	.0	109.7	3.3	.3
Rent of primary residence ⁴	212.2	7.4	.6	110.0	3.7	.5
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence ^{4 5}	227.6	6.9	.5	109.1	3.8	.5
Fuels and utilities	174.5	11.1	-1.5	121.1	13.7	-.7
Fuels	168.0	13.7	-2.0	124.9	17.2	-1.0
Gas (piped) and electricity ⁴	170.9	14.2	-2.2	124.9	17.6	-1.0
Electricity ⁴	196.6	31.0	-.1	124.3	17.9	.0
Utility natural gas service ⁴	140.9	-14.1	-7.1	127.0	16.0	-4.7
Household furnishings and operations	137.1	1.3	.1	103.0	-.9	.6
Apparel	115.1	-4.0	2.7	96.7	-1.8	4.1
Transportation	156.3	-1.0	.6	109.6	.6	1.2
Private transportation	151.1	-.7	.9	107.5	.7	1.3
Motor fuel	133.1	-5.9	5.3	122.5	-5.0	7.1
Gasoline (all types)	131.8	-5.9	5.4	122.4	-5.0	7.1
Gasoline, unleaded regular ⁶	131.4	-5.8	6.1	121.8	-6.4	8.3
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ^{6 7}	124.5	-6.3	4.4	122.7	-3.2	6.3
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁶	130.2	-5.9	4.0	120.9	-4.8	6.0
Medical care	269.2	5.2	.5	117.3	4.3	.7
Recreation ²	103.1	.4	.8	101.6	.1	.1
Education and communication ²	104.4	1.7	.3	105.3	1.9	.6
Other goods and services	295.7	3.6	1.1	121.8	3.7	.3
Commodity and service group						
All items ³	184.7	3.5	.3	111.7	2.7	.4
Commodities	152.6	.7	.8	106.2	.5	.9
Commodities less food and beverages	135.6	-1.3	1.2	104.3	-.9	1.8
Nondurables less food and beverages	143.6	-1.5	2.5	110.3	-.8	3.1
Durables	125.1	-1.1	-.5	97.2	-.9	-.1
Services	212.7	5.4	.0	111.8	4.1	.1
Special aggregate indexes						
All items less medical care	180.4	3.4	.3	109.0	2.5	.5
All items less shelter	173.0	1.9	.5	109.4	2.3	.5
Commodities less food	138.2	-1.1	1.2	104.5	-.8	1.7
Nondurables	162.6	1.2	1.1	109.8	1.0	1.2
Nondurables less food	147.2	-1.1	2.3	110.4	-.6	3.0
Services less rent of shelter ⁵	217.8	3.7	.0	114.0	5.0	.0
Services less medical care services	207.9	5.4	.0	111.2	4.1	.1
Energy	144.9	2.5	1.6	123.8	6.2	2.4
All items less energy	189.4	3.6	.2	108.5	2.5	.3
All items less food and energy	191.8	3.6	.3	108.3	2.3	.4

¹ See region and area size on Table 10 for information about cross classifications.

² Indexes on a December 1997=100 base.

³ The 'All items' index size B/C is on a December 1996=100 base.

⁴ This index series was calculated using a Laspeyres estimator. All other item stratum index series converted to a geometric means estimator

in January, 1999.

⁵ Indexes on a December 1982=100 base.

⁶ Special index based on a substantially smaller sample.

⁷ Indexes on a December 1993=100 base.

- Data not available.

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

Table 14. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): Food at home, selected areas

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Area	Pricing schedule 1	Food at home									
		Indexes				Percent change to Sep.2001 from—			Percent change to Aug.2001 from—		
		June 2001	July 2001	Aug. 2001	Sep. 2001	Sep. 2000	July 2001	Aug. 2001	Aug. 2000	June 2001	July 2001
U.S. city average	M	173.3	173.9	174.2	174.3	3.1	0.2	0.1	3.1	0.5	0.2
Region and area size²											
Northeast urban	M	175.2	175.9	175.9	175.9	3.2	.0	.0	3.0	.4	.0
Size A - More than 1,500,000	M	175.1	176.0	176.0	175.7	3.2	-2	-2	3.3	.5	.0
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 ³	M	108.8	108.9	108.9	109.3	3.0	.4	.4	2.4	.1	.0
Midwest urban	M	168.9	169.4	169.8	170.5	3.5	.6	.4	3.1	.5	.2
Size A - More than 1,500,000	M	174.4	175.0	174.7	174.8	2.6	-1	.1	2.6	.2	-2
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 ³	M	108.3	108.1	109.1	109.8	4.1	1.6	.6	4.2	.7	.9
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	M	155.5	158.5	158.5	160.4	5.3	1.2	1.2	2.0	1.9	.0
South urban	M	168.9	169.2	169.6	169.7	2.6	.3	.1	2.6	.4	.2
Size A - More than 1,500,000	M	168.9	169.7	170.1	170.9	3.2	.7	.5	3.3	.7	.2
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 ³	M	107.6	107.7	107.8	107.9	2.6	.2	.1	2.3	.2	.1
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	M	164.5	164.7	165.5	162.9	.1	-1.1	-1.6	1.9	.6	.5
West urban	M	182.0	182.9	183.3	182.8	3.6	-1	-3	4.0	.7	.2
Size A - More than 1,500,000	M	184.3	185.6	185.3	185.1	4.0	-3	-1	4.4	.5	-2
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 ³	M	108.4	109.0	110.0	109.0	2.3	.0	-9	3.2	1.5	.9
Size classes											
A ⁴	M	161.0	161.8	161.8	161.8	3.3	.0	.0	3.5	.5	.0
B/C ³	M	108.1	108.2	108.6	108.7	2.9	.5	.1	2.8	.5	.4
D	M	165.9	166.2	167.3	166.9	2.8	.4	-2	2.3	.8	.7
Selected local areas											
Chicago-Gary-Kenosha, IL-IN-WI	M	185.0	185.8	184.0	184.9	3.0	-5	.5	2.6	-.5	-1.0
Los Angeles-Riverside-Orange County, CA ..	M	188.7	189.7	190.7	189.7	5.0	.0	-5	5.0	1.1	.5
New York-Northern N.J.-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT-PA	M	176.7	177.0	177.3	176.6	2.4	-2	-4	3.2	.3	.2
Boston-Brockton-Nashua, MA-NH-ME-CT	1	175.6	176.4	177.3	176.1	3.7	-2	-7	3.4	1.0	.5
Cleveland-Akron, OH	1	172.2	172.8	173.5	174.1	.2	.8	.3	-.1	.8	.4
Dallas-Fort Worth, TX	1	155.5	162.3	159.3	162.8	1.7	.3	2.2	-.4	2.4	-1.8
Washington-Baltimore, DC-MD-VA-WV ³	1	106.4	105.7	107.0	106.9	2.9	1.1	-.1	4.2	.6	1.2
Atlanta, GA	2	181.6	179.2	180.7	181.5	5.8	1.3	.4	5.2	-.5	.8
Detroit-Ann Arbor-Flint, MI	2	171.1	170.2	169.2	168.0	1.9	-1.3	-.7	3.0	-1.1	-.6
Houston-Galveston-Brazoria, TX	2	167.5	168.5	168.9	168.5	2.1	.0	-2	4.0	.8	.2
Miami-Fort Lauderdale, FL	2	178.0	176.9	179.3	179.6	4.5	1.5	.2	4.6	.7	1.4
Philadelphia-Wilmington-Atlantic City, PA-NJ-DE-MD	2	175.0	176.8	176.3	177.6	4.9	.5	.7	3.5	.7	-.3
San Francisco-Oakland-San Jose, CA	2	189.9	190.2	189.8	189.5	3.3	-.4	-2	3.7	-.1	-.2
Seattle-Tacoma-Bremerton, WA	2	185.0	182.4	180.4	181.0	3.4	-.8	.3	4.4	-2.5	-1.1

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

M - Every month.

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

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

² Regions defined as the four Census regions. See map in technical notes.

³ Indexes on a December 1997=100 base.

⁴ Indexes on a December 1986=100 base.

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

Table 15. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): Areas priced monthly, by expenditure category and commodity and service group

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	U.S. city average			Chicago- Gary- Kenosha, IL-IN-WI			Los Angeles- Riverside- Orange County, CA			New York- Northern N.J.- Long Island, NY-NJ-CT-PA		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
		Sep. 2000	Aug. 2001		Sep. 2000	Aug. 2001		Sep. 2000	Aug. 2001		Sep. 2000	Aug. 2001
Expenditure category												
All items	178.3	2.6	0.5	179.7	2.8	0.9	178.8	3.2	0.2	188.0	2.0	-0.1
All items (1967=100)	534.0	-	-	536.8	-	-	528.1	-	-	543.6	-	-
Food and beverages	174.6	3.1	.1	176.9	2.5	.2	182.2	4.5	-2	178.3	2.5	-1
Food	174.1	3.1	.1	176.1	2.7	.2	180.3	4.6	-3	177.2	2.5	-2
Food at home	174.3	3.1	.1	184.9	3.0	.5	189.7	5.0	-5	176.6	2.4	-4
Food away from home	175.1	3.0	.2	160.9	2.1	-1	166.8	4.0	.1	182.6	2.6	.2
Alcoholic beverages	180.4	2.8	.2	187.5	-4	-2	199.2	1.8	.8	190.8	2.9	.2
Housing	177.4	3.5	-3	180.8	1.5	-2	182.0	5.4	-1	193.7	3.1	-5
Shelter	202.0	3.8	-2	220.2	4.0	.4	195.5	5.4	.2	228.8	4.0	-3
Rent of primary residence ¹	193.9	4.6	.4	218.2	5.6	.6	189.5	6.3	.8	214.7	3.3	.3
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence ^{1 2}	208.1	4.1	.4	227.2	4.3	.9	203.3	5.3	.5	236.5	4.7	.3
Fuels and utilities	150.6	4.7	-1.4	119.6	-15.7	-6.0	181.4	10.8	-1.7	129.2	-1.9	-2.6
Fuels	135.7	5.1	-1.7	106.4	-18.2	-7.2	181.7	13.3	-2.3	127.4	-2.2	-2.8
Gas (piped) and electricity ¹	143.1	6.2	-2.0	108.9	-18.3	-7.2	182.2	13.5	-2.5	134.0	-1.3	-3.7
Electricity ¹	146.5	8.5	-7	115.9	-5	.0	225.7	46.7	-3	128.1	-5.4	-4.8
Utility natural gas service ¹	140.9	.9	-4.9	101.7	-33.4	-15.1	125.7	-33.4	-8.5	145.1	6.1	-1.7
Household furnishings and operations	129.4	.3	.2	112.9	1.5	1.3	129.4	.3	-1	135.2	1.5	.2
Apparel	126.8	-2.8	3.4	108.0	-3.0	4.3	111.8	-6.3	3.5	118.2	-10.9	4.0
Transportation	155.5	.5	1.4	154.1	4.4	3.2	154.7	-1.1	.2	160.3	-.2	-.6
Private transportation	151.2	.5	1.6	150.8	4.9	3.6	148.5	-.7	.3	152.6	-.3	-.5
Motor fuel	131.4	-2.8	7.8	159.0	22.0	18.4	124.8	-6.4	2.0	116.2	-8.1	-3.6
Gasoline (all types)	130.7	-2.7	7.8	157.8	22.0	18.4	122.0	-6.4	2.0	115.8	-8.1	-3.7
Gasoline, unleaded regular ³	130.2	-2.4	8.8	157.9	24.0	20.3	120.8	-6.2	2.2	116.2	-8.6	-4.1
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ^{3 4}	133.4	-3.6	6.7	167.3	21.4	18.1	118.6	-6.5	2.2	117.3	-8.0	-3.1
Gasoline, unleaded premium ³	128.3	-3.3	5.9	153.6	18.9	16.3	120.2	-7.1	.9	116.5	-6.7	-3.4
Medical care	275.0	4.5	.2	273.6	4.9	.3	270.6	6.6	.5	288.8	4.3	-.1
Recreation ⁵	105.2	1.3	.1	108.8	8.6	-.1	105.9	1.5	.7	107.4	1.3	.0
Education and communication ⁵	106.6	3.6	.8	113.3	3.1	.7	102.1	1.4	.1	107.0	4.4	.6
Other goods and services	287.8	4.8	1.6	283.4	5.2	2.6	300.1	2.9	.9	288.7	4.5	1.8
Commodity and service group												
All items	178.3	2.6	.5	179.7	2.8	.9	178.8	3.2	.2	188.0	2.0	-.1
Commodities	151.5	.8	1.1	150.7	2.4	2.4	151.6	.9	.5	154.4	-.7	.5
Commodities less food and beverages	138.0	-.6	1.9	134.4	2.5	3.9	132.6	-1.6	.9	136.4	-3.3	1.0
Nondurables less food and beverages	149.6	-.2	3.3	149.5	6.1	7.0	141.8	-2.3	1.8	143.7	-4.1	1.6
Durables	123.4	-1.1	-.2	115.8	-1.9	.1	120.4	-.7	-.3	122.5	-1.4	-.2
Services	204.9	3.9	-.1	207.6	3.0	-.1	202.5	4.6	.0	217.2	3.6	-.2
Special aggregate indexes												
All items less medical care	173.0	2.5	.4	175.1	2.6	.9	174.1	3.0	.2	183.4	1.9	.0
All items less shelter	170.9	2.1	.7	166.5	2.2	1.2	172.3	1.8	.2	172.5	.9	.1
Commodities less food	139.7	-.4	1.8	136.8	2.4	3.8	136.0	-1.4	1.0	138.8	-3.0	.9
Nondurables	162.3	1.4	1.6	163.9	4.3	3.5	163.0	1.3	.7	162.5	-.6	.6
Nondurables less food	151.5	.0	3.1	152.4	5.7	6.6	146.8	-1.9	1.7	146.6	-3.6	1.4
Services less rent of shelter ²	213.9	4.0	.0	203.7	1.8	-.7	219.3	3.5	.0	212.6	2.9	-.3
Services less medical care services	198.1	3.9	-.2	201.9	2.7	-.1	196.8	4.5	.1	211.4	3.4	-.3
Energy	132.5	1.5	2.4	126.9	-1.2	4.6	144.3	2.3	-.2	123.0	-4.4	-3.1
All items less energy	184.5	2.7	.2	186.8	3.1	.6	182.9	3.2	.3	195.3	2.4	.2
All items less food and energy	187.1	2.6	.3	189.4	3.2	.7	183.8	2.9	.3	199.9	2.4	.3

¹ This index series was calculated using a Laspeyres estimator. All other item stratum index series converted to a geometric means estimator in January, 1999.

² Indexes on a December 1982=100 base.

³ Special index based on a substantially smaller sample.

⁴ Indexes on a December 1993=100 base.

⁵ Indexes on a December 1997=100 base.

- Data not available.

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

Table 16. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): Selected areas, by expenditure category and commodity and service group

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Monthly cities and pricing schedule 1 ¹								
	U.S. city average			Boston- Brockton- Nashua, MA-NH-ME-CT			Chicago- Gary- Kenosha, IL-IN-WI		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
		Sep. 2001	Sep. 2000		July 2001	Sep. 2001		Sep. 2000	July 2001
Expenditure category									
All items ³	178.3	2.6	0.5	192.7	4.6	0.3	179.7	2.8	1.1
All items (1967=100)	534.0	-	-	560.0	-	-	536.8	-	-
Food and beverages ³	174.6	3.1	.3	182.8	3.7	-.2	176.9	2.5	.1
Food ³	174.1	3.1	.3	183.9	4.1	-.2	176.1	2.7	.1
Food at home	174.3	3.1	.2	176.1	3.7	-.2	184.9	3.0	-.5
Food away from home ⁴	175.1	3.0	.6	197.2	4.7	-.1	160.9	2.1	1.0
Alcoholic beverages ⁴	180.4	2.8	.4	173.9	-.2	-.5	187.5	-.4	.2
Housing ³	177.4	3.5	-.1	192.9	7.4	.7	180.8	1.5	-.1
Shelter	202.0	3.8	.3	227.4	7.3	1.1	220.2	4.0	.7
Rent of primary residence ^{3 5}	193.9	4.6	.8	222.3	7.9	1.4	218.2	5.6	.7
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence ^{5 6}	208.1	4.1	.9	234.3	8.2	1.2	227.2	4.3	1.6
Fuels and utilities	150.6	4.7	-2.7	151.4	15.1	-2.1	119.6	-15.7	-7.2
Fuels	135.7	5.1	-3.4	132.1	16.6	-2.7	106.4	-18.2	-8.4
Gas (piped) and electricity ⁵	143.1	6.2	-3.7	159.5	24.8	-2.7	108.9	-18.3	-8.6
Electricity ⁵	146.5	8.5	-1.5	164.3	26.8	.0	115.9	-.5	.0
Utility natural gas service ⁵	140.9	.9	-8.7	149.7	21.9	-6.5	101.7	-33.4	-17.5
Household furnishings and operations	129.4	.3	.2	125.9	1.5	1.0	112.9	1.5	.6
Apparel ³	126.8	-2.8	3.4	143.1	3.9	4.0	108.0	-3.0	6.0
Transportation ³	155.5	.5	.7	151.1	-1.7	-1.9	154.1	4.4	4.6
Private transportation	151.2	.5	.9	148.8	-3.1	-2.0	150.8	4.9	5.2
Motor fuel	131.4	-2.8	4.6	123.2	-11.4	-9.2	159.0	22.0	29.5
Gasoline (all types)	130.7	-2.7	4.6	121.6	-11.4	-9.3	157.8	22.0	29.6
Gasoline, unleaded regular ⁷	130.2	-2.4	5.9	119.1	-12.1	-9.2	157.9	24.0	32.2
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ^{7 8}	133.4	-3.6	2.9	124.5	-11.5	-9.8	167.3	21.4	29.2
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁷	128.3	-3.3	2.2	123.3	-9.2	-8.7	153.6	18.9	26.6
Medical care ³	275.0	4.5	.7	369.0	4.5	.1	273.6	4.9	.4
Recreation ⁹	105.2	1.3	.2	105.1	.8	-.8	108.8	8.6	.1
Education and communication ⁹	106.6	3.6	1.7	107.9	3.9	2.0	113.3	3.1	.7
Other goods and services ³	287.8	4.8	.7	291.2	4.7	1.1	283.4	5.2	.0
Commodity and service group									
All items ³	178.3	2.6	.5	192.7	4.6	.3	179.7	2.8	1.1
Commodities	151.5	.8	.7	151.8	.6	-.5	150.7	2.4	2.7
Commodities less food and beverages	138.0	-.6	1.1	134.3	-1.3	-.7	134.4	2.5	4.4
Nondurables less food and beverages	149.6	-.2	2.3	146.0	-.9	-.7	149.5	6.1	8.4
Durables	123.4	-1.1	-.6	122.2	-1.8	-.6	115.8	-1.9	-.4
Services	204.9	3.9	.2	230.3	6.8	.7	207.6	3.0	.1
Special aggregate indexes									
All items less medical care ³	173.0	2.5	.4	184.8	4.5	.3	175.1	2.6	1.2
All items less shelter	170.9	2.1	.5	180.8	3.0	-.2	166.5	2.2	1.3
Commodities less food	139.7	-.4	1.1	136.0	-1.2	-.6	136.8	2.4	4.3
Nondurables	162.3	1.4	1.2	163.7	1.3	-.4	163.9	4.3	3.9
Nondurables less food	151.5	.0	2.2	147.4	-.9	-.7	152.4	5.7	7.9
Services less rent of shelter ⁶	213.9	4.0	.1	242.0	6.2	.3	203.7	1.8	-.7
Services less medical care services	198.1	3.9	.2	218.9	7.0	.7	201.9	2.7	.0
Energy ³	132.5	1.5	.1	128.2	5.0	-5.0	126.9	-1.2	8.1
All items less energy	184.5	2.7	.5	202.4	4.5	.7	186.8	3.1	.6
All items less food and energy ³	187.1	2.6	.5	206.7	4.6	.9	189.4	3.2	.7

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 16. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): Selected areas, by expenditure category and commodity and service group-Continued

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Monthly cities and pricing schedule 1 ¹								
	Cleveland-Akron, OH			Dallas-Fort Worth, TX			Los Angeles-Riverside-Orange County, CA		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
		Sep. 2001	Sep. 2000		July 2001	Sep. 2001		Sep. 2000	July 2001
Expenditure category									
All items ³	174.6	2.4	0.7	172.8	3.5	0.8	178.8	3.2	0.3
All items (1967=100)	559.4	-	-	542.1	-	-	528.1	-	-
Food and beverages ³	177.1	1.4	.4	176.1	2.6	.8	182.2	4.5	.4
Food ³	179.2	1.5	.4	173.2	2.7	.8	180.3	4.6	.3
Food at home	174.1	.2	.8	162.8	1.7	.3	189.7	5.0	.0
Food away from home ⁴	190.0	3.9	-.2	190.2	4.3	1.5	166.8	4.0	.7
Alcoholic beverages ⁴	155.0	.3	.5	210.8	1.1	.3	199.2	1.8	1.6
Housing ³	172.8	1.8	-1.5	163.1	4.7	-.2	182.0	5.4	.7
Shelter	193.9	1.5	.7	170.0	3.3	.8	195.5	5.4	.8
Rent of primary residence ^{3 5}	186.2	3.0	1.3	168.1	2.8	.6	189.5	6.3	1.6
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence ^{5 6}	192.2	1.5	1.3	180.2	3.7	1.0	203.3	5.3	1.0
Fuels and utilities	155.1	1.6	-10.9	171.3	14.4	-4.8	181.4	10.8	-.1
Fuels	151.1	1.5	-12.7	169.4	17.4	-5.8	181.7	13.3	-.4
Gas (piped) and electricity ⁵	153.1	1.8	-13.3	168.7	17.6	-5.9	182.2	13.5	-.4
Electricity ⁵	151.9	-3.1	.0	163.0	19.9	-8.7	225.7	46.7	1.8
Utility natural gas service ⁵	157.3	7.5	-23.9	180.3	9.3	8.0	125.7	-33.4	-6.7
Household furnishings and operations	130.6	4.2	-.3	138.8	.4	1.0	129.4	.3	.4
Apparel ³	130.4	1.5	10.7	144.8	6.9	7.5	111.8	-6.3	5.3
Transportation ³	157.2	2.1	4.0	155.1	1.3	-.1	154.7	-1.1	-2.7
Private transportation	157.5	2.2	4.4	154.2	1.0	-.3	148.5	-.7	-2.8
Motor fuel	157.3	6.7	25.6	125.4	-5.3	-.9	124.8	-6.4	-11.2
Gasoline (all types)	156.1	6.7	25.8	124.7	-5.3	-.9	122.0	-6.4	-11.2
Gasoline, unleaded regular ⁷	155.8	7.0	26.5	121.9	-5.7	-.9	120.8	-6.2	-11.3
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ^{7 8}	159.0	6.4	25.7	125.4	-5.6	-1.0	118.6	-6.5	-11.1
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁷	156.4	6.2	23.6	125.8	-4.1	-.8	120.2	-7.1	-11.4
Medical care ³	241.3	2.8	.4	253.5	3.0	.2	270.6	6.6	2.6
Recreation ⁹	102.2	.5	.3	110.8	2.6	1.6	105.9	1.5	1.1
Education and communication ⁹	102.1	4.7	1.6	113.3	4.9	3.5	102.1	1.4	.2
Other goods and services ³	274.3	11.1	-.3	274.4	5.2	1.3	300.1	2.9	-1.0
Commodity and service group									
All items ³	174.6	2.4	.7	172.8	3.5	.8	178.8	3.2	.3
Commodities	156.8	1.6	2.8	152.8	1.8	1.3	151.6	.9	-.6
Commodities less food and beverages	144.1	1.8	4.3	140.7	1.2	1.6	132.6	-1.6	-1.3
Nondurables less food and beverages	160.9	4.3	8.1	148.7	2.3	2.8	141.8	-2.3	-1.7
Durables	120.3	-1.3	-.2	133.2	-.1	.2	120.4	-.7	-.8
Services	193.6	2.9	-.8	192.4	5.1	.3	202.5	4.6	.8
Special aggregate indexes									
All items less medical care ³	171.3	2.4	.7	168.3	3.6	.8	174.1	3.0	.2
All items less shelter	168.5	2.7	.7	174.5	3.6	.7	172.3	1.8	-.1
Commodities less food	144.6	1.8	4.3	143.0	1.2	1.6	136.0	-1.4	-1.2
Nondurables	169.5	2.8	3.9	161.8	2.5	1.7	163.0	1.3	-.5
Nondurables less food	160.0	4.1	7.6	152.1	2.1	2.6	146.8	-1.9	-1.4
Services less rent of shelter ⁶	196.5	4.2	-2.1	223.6	6.3	-.1	219.3	3.5	.8
Services less medical care services	190.0	2.9	-.9	185.9	5.3	.3	196.8	4.5	.7
Energy ³	152.3	3.5	-.8	146.5	6.9	-3.9	144.3	2.3	-6.2
All items less energy	178.4	2.2	.8	178.6	3.2	1.2	182.9	3.2	.7
All items less food and energy ³	178.1	2.4	.9	180.0	3.3	1.2	183.8	2.9	.8

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 16. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): Selected areas, by expenditure category and commodity and service group-Continued

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Monthly cities and pricing schedule 1 ¹					
	New York- Northern N.J.- Long Island, NY-NJ-CT-PA			Washington- Baltimore, DC-MD-VA-WV 2		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
		Sep. 2001	Sep. 2000		July 2001	Sep. 2001
Expenditure category						
All items ³	188.0	2.0	0.1	111.7	2.8	0.8
All items (1967=100)	543.6	-	-	-	-	-
Food and beverages ³	178.3	2.5	.0	109.7	3.0	.8
Food ³	177.2	2.5	.0	109.6	2.8	.7
Food at home	176.6	2.4	-.2	106.9	2.9	1.1
Food away from home ⁴	182.6	2.6	.4	111.3	2.9	.4
Alcoholic beverages ⁴	190.8	2.9	.2	107.6	4.2	1.2
Housing ³	193.7	3.1	-.3	114.7	3.5	.3
Shelter	228.8	4.0	.4	116.1	5.0	.9
Rent of primary residence ^{3 5}	214.7	3.3	.5	118.7	7.2	1.3
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence ^{5 6}	236.5	4.7	1.1	115.0	4.9	1.2
Fuels and utilities	129.2	-1.9	-5.7	119.6	-3.5	-2.1
Fuels	127.4	-2.2	-6.3	121.1	-4.4	-2.5
Gas (piped) and electricity ⁵	134.0	-1.3	-7.6	120.7	-4.2	-2.4
Electricity ⁵	128.1	-5.4	-9.7	125.9	-1.2	.4
Utility natural gas service ⁵	145.1	6.1	-3.9	102.2	-15.5	-13.3
Household furnishings and operations	135.2	1.5	.0	104.9	1.1	-.1
Apparel ³	118.2	-10.9	6.6	104.1	4.0	11.8
Transportation ³	160.3	-.2	-1.7	107.3	-.6	-1.5
Private transportation	152.6	-.3	-1.9	106.4	-.7	-1.7
Motor fuel	116.2	-8.1	-9.3	120.8	-7.6	-7.6
Gasoline (all types)	115.8	-8.1	-9.3	120.7	-7.7	-7.7
Gasoline, unleaded regular ⁷	116.2	-8.6	-10.3	120.6	-8.3	-8.4
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ^{7 8}	117.3	-8.0	-8.6	120.9	-7.2	-7.2
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁷	116.5	-6.7	-8.4	120.8	-6.7	-6.4
Medical care ³	288.8	4.3	.2	110.7	1.7	.1
Recreation ⁹	107.4	1.3	.3	105.9	2.2	.5
Education and communication ⁹	107.0	4.4	1.7	109.6	4.9	1.6
Other goods and services ³	288.7	4.5	1.2	127.4	5.8	2.4
Commodity and service group						
All items ³	188.0	2.0	.1	111.7	2.8	.8
Commodities	154.4	-.7	.3	107.2	1.3	1.1
Commodities less food and beverages	136.4	-3.3	.4	106.2	.3	1.4
Nondurables less food and beverages	143.7	-4.1	1.0	113.8	1.2	2.2
Durables	122.5	-1.4	-.6	95.7	-1.2	.1
Services	217.2	3.6	.0	114.5	3.8	.6
Special aggregate indexes						
All items less medical care ³	183.4	1.9	.1	111.7	2.9	.8
All items less shelter	172.5	.9	-.1	109.4	1.9	.8
Commodities less food	138.8	-3.0	.4	106.2	.4	1.3
Nondurables	162.5	-.6	.4	111.0	2.2	1.5
Nondurables less food	146.6	-3.6	.9	113.2	1.4	2.1
Services less rent of shelter ⁶	212.6	2.9	-.5	112.8	2.5	.4
Services less medical care services	211.4	3.4	.0	114.9	4.0	.6
Energy ³	123.0	-4.4	-7.4	117.9	-5.9	-4.9
All items less energy	195.3	2.4	.6	110.7	3.5	1.3
All items less food and energy ³	199.9	2.4	.8	111.6	3.6	1.4

¹ Areas on pricing schedule 2 (see Table 10) will appear next month.
² For Washington-Baltimore, indexes are on a December 1997=100 base unless otherwise noted.
³ For Washington-Baltimore, index is on a November 1996=100 base.
⁴ For Washington-Baltimore, index is on a November 1997=100 base.
⁵ This index series was calculated using a Laspeyres estimator. All other item stratum index series converted to a geometric means estimator in January, 1999.

⁶ Indexes on a December 1982=100 base.
⁷ Special index based on a substantially smaller sample.
⁸ Indexes on a December 1993=100 base.
⁹ Indexes on a December 1997=100 base.
⁻ Data not available.
NOTE: Index applies to a month as a whole, not to any specific date.

Table 17. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): Selected areas, all items index

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Area	Pricing schedule 1	All items									
		Indexes				Percent change to Sep.2001 from—			Percent change to Aug.2001 from—		
		June 2001	July 2001	Aug. 2001	Sep. 2001	Sep. 2000	July 2001	Aug. 2001	Aug. 2000	June 2001	July 2001
U.S. city average	M	174.6	173.8	173.8	174.8	2.6	0.6	0.6	2.7	-0.5	0.0
Region and area size²											
Northeast urban	M	182.1	181.8	181.7	181.9	2.4	.1	.1	2.9	-2	-.1
Size A - More than 1,500,000	M	182.3	182.1	182.2	182.4	2.6	.2	.1	3.1	-1	.1
Size B/C 50,000 to 1,500,000 ³	M	110.5	110.1	109.8	109.9	1.9	-.2	.1	2.2	-6	-.3
Midwest urban	M	170.1	168.4	168.9	170.8	2.6	1.4	1.1	2.8	-7	.3
Size A - More than 1,500,000	M	170.5	169.3	169.8	171.3	2.6	1.2	.9	2.7	-4	.3
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 ³	M	111.4	109.8	110.1	111.8	2.9	1.8	1.5	3.0	-1.2	.3
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	M	165.8	164.2	164.9	167.1	2.5	1.8	1.3	2.5	-5	.4
South urban	M	170.3	169.7	169.4	170.3	2.1	.4	.5	2.0	-5	-.2
Size A - More than 1,500,000	M	170.5	170.3	169.8	170.9	2.9	.4	.6	2.6	-4	-.3
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 ³	M	110.0	109.5	109.3	110.0	1.9	.5	.6	1.7	-6	-.2
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	M	172.3	170.8	170.7	170.8	.9	.0	.1	1.2	-9	-.1
West urban	M	177.3	177.2	176.9	177.6	3.2	.2	.4	3.3	-2	-.2
Size A - More than 1,500,000	M	177.9	177.8	177.4	178.1	3.5	.2	.4	3.6	-3	-.2
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 ³	M	110.9	111.0	110.8	111.4	2.6	.4	.5	2.6	-1	-.2
Size classes											
A ⁴	M	160.6	160.2	160.1	160.9	2.9	.4	.5	3.0	-3	-.1
B/C ³	M	110.6	109.9	109.8	110.6	2.2	.6	.7	2.2	-7	-.1
D	M	171.2	169.8	170.0	171.1	1.9	.8	.6	1.9	-7	.1
Selected local areas⁵											
Chicago-Gary-Kenosha, IL-IN-WI	M	173.4	171.7	172.0	173.7	2.7	1.2	1.0	2.4	-8	.2
Los Angeles-Riverside-Orange County, CA ..	M	171.9	171.3	171.1	171.5	3.1	.1	.2	3.5	-5	-.1
New York-Northern N.J.-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT-PA	M	183.8	183.5	183.5	183.6	2.1	.1	.1	2.8	-2	.0
Boston-Brockton-Nashua, MA-NH-ME-CT	1	-	191.3	-	192.0	4.8	.4	-	-	-	-
Cleveland-Akron, OH	1	-	164.9	-	166.5	2.3	1.0	-	-	-	-
Dallas-Fort Worth, TX	1	-	171.6	-	172.6	3.5	.6	-	-	-	-
Washington-Baltimore, DC-MD-VA-WV ⁶	1	-	110.6	-	111.6	2.7	.9	-	-	-	-
Atlanta, GA	2	175.4	-	174.2	-	-	-	-	2.7	-7	-
Detroit-Ann Arbor-Flint, MI	2	170.4	-	169.4	-	-	-	-	2.9	-6	-
Houston-Galveston-Brazoria, TX	2	158.4	-	157.0	-	-	-	-	2.5	-9	-
Miami-Fort Lauderdale, FL	2	171.2	-	170.9	-	-	-	-	3.1	-2	-
Philadelphia-Wilmington-Atlantic City, PA-NJ-DE-MD	2	182.0	-	182.2	-	-	-	-	2.9	.1	-
San Francisco-Oakland-San Jose, CA	2	186.9	-	186.7	-	-	-	-	5.0	-1	-
Seattle-Tacoma-Bremerton, WA	2	181.3	-	181.5	-	-	-	-	3.5	.1	-

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

M - Every month.

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

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

² Regions defined as the four Census regions. See map in technical notes.

³ Indexes on a December 1996=100 base.

⁴ Indexes on a December 1986=100 base.

⁵ In addition, the following metropolitan areas are published semiannually and appear in Tables 34 and 39 of the January and July issues of the CPI Detailed Report: Anchorage, AK; Cincinnati-Hamilton, OH-KY-IN; Denver-Boulder-Greeley, CO; Honolulu, HI; Kansas City, MO-KS; Milwaukee-Racine, WI; Minneapolis-St. Paul, MN-WI; Pittsburgh, PA;

Portland-Salem, OR-WA; St. Louis, MO-IL; San Diego, CA; Tampa-St. Petersburg-Clearwater, FL.

⁶ Indexes on a November 1996=100 base.

- Data not available.

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

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

Table 18. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): Regions¹, by expenditure category and commodity and service group

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Northeast			Midwest			South			West		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
		Sep. 2001	Sep. 2000		Aug. 2001	Sep. 2001		Sep. 2000	Aug. 2001		Sep. 2001	Sep. 2000
Expenditure category												
All items	181.9	2.4	0.1	170.8	2.6	1.1	170.3	2.1	0.5	177.6	3.2	0.4
All items (December 1977=100)	284.1	-	-	276.2	-	-	275.9	-	-	285.8	-	-
Food and beverages	175.8	3.0	.0	171.8	3.1	.2	171.0	2.9	.2	178.4	3.5	-.1
Food	175.5	3.1	.1	171.0	3.1	.2	171.0	2.8	.2	177.5	3.5	-.1
Food at home	175.3	3.1	.0	170.4	3.5	.4	168.6	2.7	.1	181.5	3.6	-.3
Food away from home	178.3	2.9	.0	172.7	2.6	.0	176.8	3.0	.3	171.5	3.4	.3
Alcoholic beverages	179.7	1.4	.1	181.2	3.8	-.2	170.3	3.8	.5	188.9	3.6	.3
Housing	185.9	3.8	-.2	164.0	1.8	-.3	162.7	2.8	-.2	183.8	5.9	.1
Shelter	219.1	4.0	.0	186.6	2.8	.1	178.1	2.8	-.2	201.2	5.7	.3
Rent of primary residence ²	206.9	4.1	.4	187.2	3.8	.4	175.0	3.7	.4	201.9	6.4	.5
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence ^{2 3}	204.6	4.4	.2	186.9	3.2	.5	169.3	2.9	.3	195.1	5.7	.5
Fuels and utilities	141.6	4.3	-1.3	143.1	-1.2	-2.5	156.3	5.7	-6	169.7	12.8	-1.1
Fuels	131.6	4.6	-1.5	125.3	-2.1	-3.0	136.0	6.4	-8	161.2	15.6	-1.5
Gas (piped) and electricity ²	146.2	7.3	-2.2	130.5	-2.0	-3.6	138.7	6.7	-8	164.5	15.8	-1.6
Electricity ²	142.5	2.3	-1.9	135.9	2.6	-.4	136.8	8.1	-7	181.6	23.3	-.1
Utility natural gas service ²	154.8	16.4	-2.8	126.9	-7.6	-7.6	149.3	-7	-2.0	145.0	-1.5	-5.7
Household furnishings and operations	127.6	1.1	.2	122.3	-.2	.7	124.9	-1.2	-.1	131.1	.5	.2
Apparel	122.6	-4.4	2.4	122.6	-2.1	4.0	137.5	-.9	3.9	117.2	-2.7	2.7
Transportation	153.8	-.8	-.3	159.3	3.4	3.8	151.6	-.4	1.5	154.8	-.5	1.0
Private transportation	149.7	-1.2	-.3	156.6	3.5	4.1	150.1	-.5	1.5	151.3	-.5	1.0
New and used motor vehicles ⁴	99.8	-.2	-.3	101.5	.4	.0	100.5	-.7	-.3	100.7	-.4	-.6
New vehicles	140.1	-.9	-.2	140.9	-.1	.4	142.9	-.9	-.1	140.9	-1.9	-.7
Used cars and trucks	162.4	1.2	-.4	159.1	.3	-.5	157.5	-.4	-.6	156.1	1.6	-.4
Motor fuel	119.7	-8.9	-1.6	148.6	7.8	17.6	123.7	-5.5	7.1	134.1	-5.2	6.3
Gasoline (all types)	119.1	-8.9	-1.6	148.0	7.8	17.6	123.1	-5.5	7.1	133.0	-5.1	6.4
Gasoline, unleaded regular ⁵	118.2	-9.8	-1.7	147.3	8.3	17.9	120.6	-5.7	7.7	131.5	-5.4	7.3
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ^{5 6}	122.9	-8.4	-1.3	161.0	7.4	17.4	129.8	-5.5	6.8	127.4	-5.3	5.1
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁵	118.1	-7.4	-1.7	149.2	7.2	16.1	125.2	-4.9	6.4	130.9	-5.1	5.1
Medical care	288.7	4.9	.0	270.6	5.0	.2	267.0	3.4	.0	273.9	5.1	.6
Medical care commodities	258.6	3.5	-.5	239.7	3.8	.3	239.1	4.7	.1	248.1	4.2	1.1
Medical care services	295.0	5.3	.1	278.0	5.3	.2	273.6	3.1	.0	280.0	5.3	.5
Professional services ²	264.4	4.0	.0	255.5	4.9	.2	246.4	1.8	.0	234.5	4.7	.2
Recreation ⁴	105.9	.5	-.1	104.6	2.0	-.3	103.5	1.2	-.2	101.5	.2	.4
Education and communication ⁴	106.1	3.8	.6	107.9	3.7	1.2	106.5	4.4	.6	105.2	1.6	.2
Other goods and services	310.6	5.4	2.1	287.5	5.2	2.0	291.0	5.6	2.0	291.2	4.2	1.3
Commodity and service group												
All items	181.9	2.4	.1	170.8	2.6	1.1	170.3	2.1	.5	177.6	3.2	.4
Commodities	153.9	.3	.4	152.0	2.0	2.6	151.9	.7	1.3	152.5	.8	.9
Commodities less food and beverages	139.0	-1.6	.7	141.0	1.4	3.8	141.1	-.6	1.9	137.2	-1.0	1.4
Nondurables less food and beverages	146.8	-2.1	1.2	158.4	3.2	6.8	153.8	-.1	3.6	147.4	-1.1	3.0
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel	167.1	-.9	.8	181.4	5.3	7.9	166.9	.2	3.4	169.3	-.5	3.0
Durables	123.7	-.8	-.4	120.9	-.8	.2	125.4	-1.3	-.3	126.4	-.9	-.4
Services	214.5	4.0	-.1	194.0	3.2	-.1	193.0	3.6	-.1	204.6	5.1	.1
Rent of shelter ³	204.9	4.1	.0	185.4	2.8	.1	169.5	2.9	-.2	194.0	5.8	.3
Transportation services	194.7	2.4	.2	202.6	4.9	.2	204.6	3.7	.1	199.7	1.9	.1
Other services	255.8	3.6	.4	225.0	4.5	.4	234.5	4.3	.3	226.1	2.5	.4

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 18. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): Regions¹, by expenditure category and commodity and service group-Continued

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Northeast			Midwest			South			West		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
		Sep. 2001	Sep. 2000		Aug. 2001	Sep. 2001		Sep. 2000	Aug. 2001		Sep. 2001	Sep. 2000
Special aggregate indexes												
All items less medical care	177.7	2.3	0.1	166.5	2.5	1.2	165.0	2.0	0.5	173.5	3.2	0.5
All items less food	183.3	2.3	.2	170.6	2.6	1.3	170.0	2.0	.7	177.6	3.1	.5
All items less shelter	170.7	1.7	.2	167.1	2.6	1.5	168.5	1.9	.8	169.6	2.0	.5
Commodities less food	140.7	-1.5	.6	142.5	1.5	3.7	142.1	-.4	1.9	139.5	-.9	1.4
Nondurables	162.1	.6	.6	165.7	3.2	3.5	162.5	1.4	1.8	163.6	1.4	1.2
Nondurables less food	149.0	-1.8	1.2	160.0	3.2	6.5	154.5	.2	3.3	150.5	-.9	2.7
Nondurables less food and apparel	167.7	-.8	.7	181.2	5.2	7.3	166.2	.6	3.2	170.4	-.1	2.8
Services less rent of shelter ³	192.2	4.0	-.1	185.2	3.6	-.3	190.5	4.2	.1	193.5	4.5	.0
Services less medical care services	208.8	3.9	-.1	187.2	3.0	-.2	184.7	3.6	-.1	199.0	5.2	.2
Energy	125.7	-1.3	-1.6	136.5	3.1	7.3	127.6	.3	3.0	144.6	3.5	2.6
All items less energy	189.8	2.7	.3	176.1	2.6	.5	176.5	2.4	.3	181.9	3.2	.3
All items less food and energy	194.0	2.6	.3	177.4	2.5	.6	177.8	2.2	.3	183.1	3.1	.4
Commodities less food and energy commodities	148.8	-.1	.9	143.8	.4	1.3	148.1	.5	1.0	143.3	-.1	.6
Energy commodities	119.6	-8.6	-.8	147.8	7.2	17.2	124.7	-5.3	6.9	135.4	-5.1	6.3
Services less energy services	221.7	3.8	.1	202.3	3.7	.1	199.4	3.3	.0	207.8	4.6	.3

¹ Regions defined as the four Census regions. See map in technical notes.

² This index series was calculated using a Laspeyres estimator. All other item stratum index series converted to a geometric means estimator in January, 1999.

³ Indexes on a December 1984=100 base

⁴ Indexes on a December 1997=100 base.

⁵ Special index based on a substantially smaller sample.

⁶ Indexes on a December 1993=100 base.

- Data not available.

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

Table 19. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): Population size classes¹, by expenditure category and commodity and service group

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Size class A ²			Size class B/C ³			Size class D		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
		Sep. 2001	Sep. 2000		Aug. 2001	Sep. 2001		Sep. 2000	Aug. 2001
Expenditure category									
All items ⁴	160.9	2.9	0.5	110.6	2.2	0.7	171.1	1.9	0.6
All items (December 1977=100)	160.9	-	-	-	-	-	276.5	-	-
Food and beverages	158.2	3.3	.1	109.1	2.9	.1	168.7	2.4	.0
Food	157.7	3.3	.1	109.1	2.9	.1	168.2	2.4	.0
Food at home	161.4	3.3	.0	108.8	3.0	.1	165.5	2.7	-.2
Food away from home	151.8	3.1	.2	109.7	2.8	.1	174.1	1.7	.3
Alcoholic beverages	163.2	3.4	.1	109.4	3.0	.5	175.4	2.8	-.1
Housing	160.5	4.2	-.1	109.3	2.7	-.3	164.5	1.7	-.2
Shelter	172.2	4.7	.2	109.6	2.6	-.2	188.6	2.1	-.2
Rent of primary residence ⁵	165.2	5.4	.5	109.7	3.3	.4	173.9	2.2	.2
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence ^{5 6}	173.2	4.8	.5	108.8	2.7	.3	180.0	2.6	.2
Fuels and utilities	150.8	4.1	-1.8	115.6	5.9	-1.1	149.8	2.6	-.6
Fuels	149.8	4.2	-2.1	117.1	6.6	-1.3	125.3	2.7	-1.0
Gas (piped) and electricity ⁵	148.0	5.0	-2.4	116.2	7.5	-1.6	134.3	2.8	-1.3
Electricity ⁵	149.2	9.0	-1.0	113.7	8.5	-.4	136.2	3.2	-.4
Utility natural gas service ⁵	145.6	-2.4	-5.3	124.3	4.7	-5.1	138.6	1.7	-3.3
Household furnishings and operations	120.7	.7	.2	100.1	-.9	.3	121.1	-1.1	.7
Apparel	115.6	-3.2	3.5	95.7	-1.3	3.6	129.1	-2.2	.8
Transportation	154.1	.5	1.2	109.3	.6	2.2	153.3	.7	2.8
Private transportation	153.3	.5	1.3	108.9	.6	2.3	150.7	.7	2.9
New and used motor vehicles ³	100.8	-.3	-.3	100.9	.3	-.2	99.9	-2.3	-.4
New vehicles	123.4	-1.1	-.2	97.9	-.2	.0	143.2	-2.5	-.3
Used cars and trucks	151.3	.5	-.5	105.8	1.2	-.5	145.0	-2.8	-.5
Motor fuel	193.0	-2.6	6.2	129.8	-2.5	10.3	135.3	3.2	15.1
Gasoline (all types)	192.1	-2.6	6.2	129.8	-2.5	10.3	134.4	3.3	15.2
Gasoline, unleaded regular ⁷	196.2	-2.2	7.2	131.9	-2.2	11.0	131.2	4.2	16.6
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ^{7 8}	131.3	-3.3	5.0	127.2	-3.1	9.7	140.8	-.1	11.9
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁷	174.0	-3.0	4.2	125.1	-3.2	8.5	134.2	1.2	11.9
Medical care	217.1	4.6	.2	115.7	4.1	.2	262.9	5.2	.2
Medical care commodities	197.8	3.5	-.1	114.1	4.8	.4	245.2	4.7	.6
Medical care services	221.6	4.9	.3	116.1	3.9	.1	267.3	5.3	.0
Professional services ⁵	198.5	4.0	.1	114.3	3.0	.1	251.3	5.1	.0
Recreation ³	104.8	1.6	.1	102.5	.5	-.1	104.9	1.4	-.4
Education and communication ³	107.1	3.6	.6	105.6	3.4	.9	107.1	3.7	.4
Other goods and services	234.3	5.3	2.0	133.0	5.1	1.8	301.3	4.8	.6
Commodity and service group									
All items ⁴	160.9	2.9	.5	110.6	2.2	.7	171.1	1.9	.6
Commodities	147.0	1.0	1.1	107.5	1.0	1.6	151.1	.6	1.4
Commodities less food and beverages	139.6	-.6	1.8	106.6	.0	2.5	141.3	-.3	2.2
Nondurables less food and beverages	157.8	-.3	3.3	114.6	.4	4.3	155.4	1.8	4.2
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel	185.3	1.0	3.3	123.5	1.1	4.6	171.8	3.4	5.5
Durables	118.3	-.9	-.3	97.0	-.6	-.1	124.4	-2.7	-.1
Services	173.9	4.4	.1	111.1	3.4	-.1	197.3	3.2	-.1
Rent of shelter ⁶	172.7	4.7	.2	109.7	2.7	-.1	176.3	2.1	-.2
Transportation services	166.3	3.2	.1	109.1	3.2	.2	198.2	4.3	.2
Other services	194.0	4.1	.4	111.8	3.2	.4	235.3	4.0	.0

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 19. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): Population size classes¹, by expenditure category and commodity and service group-Continued

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Size class A ²			Size class B/C ³			Size class D		
	Index Sep. 2001	Percent change from—		Index Sep. 2001	Percent change from—		Index Sep. 2001	Percent change from—	
		Sep. 2000	Aug. 2001		Sep. 2000	Aug. 2001		Sep. 2000	Aug. 2001
Special aggregate Indexes									
All items less medical care	158.4	2.8	0.5	109.0	2.2	0.7	165.8	1.7	0.7
All items less food	161.6	2.8	.6	109.3	2.1	.8	171.6	1.8	.8
All items less shelter	156.6	2.1	.6	109.2	2.1	1.0	167.0	1.8	.9
Commodities less food	140.8	-.4	1.7	106.6	.0	2.3	142.3	-.3	2.2
Nondurables	158.1	1.7	1.6	111.8	1.6	2.2	162.7	2.1	2.1
Nondurables less food	158.5	.0	3.1	114.3	.5	4.1	156.6	1.8	4.1
Nondurables less food and apparel	182.7	1.2	3.0	122.4	1.2	4.3	172.1	3.4	5.2
Services less rent of shelter ⁶	174.9	4.1	-.1	112.4	4.1	.0	188.7	4.0	-.1
Services less medical care services	170.4	4.4	.0	110.6	3.3	-.2	189.5	2.9	-.2
Energy	168.9	.7	1.8	123.2	1.8	4.2	128.5	2.9	6.1
All items less energy	160.3	3.1	.4	108.0	2.3	.4	177.1	1.8	.1
All items less food and energy	160.9	3.0	.4	107.7	2.1	.4	179.6	1.6	.1
Commodities less food and energy commodities	134.2	.1	1.1	103.0	.6	1.0	146.7	-.7	.3
Energy commodities	191.7	-2.9	6.0	129.9	-2.6	9.8	134.2	3.1	14.9
Services less energy services	175.9	4.4	.2	110.6	3.0	.1	205.0	3.2	.0

¹ See region and area size on Table 10 for information about population size classes.

² Indexes on a December 1986=100 base.

³ Indexes on a December 1997=100 base.

⁴ The 'All items' index size B/C is on a December 1996=100 base.

⁵ This index series was calculated using a Laspeyres estimator. All other item stratum index series converted to a geometric means estimator

in January, 1999.

⁶ Indexes on a December 1984=100 base

⁷ Special index based on a substantially smaller sample.

⁸ Indexes on a December 1993=100 base.

- Data not available.

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

Table 20. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): Cross classification of regions and population size classes¹, by expenditure category and commodity and service group

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Northeast					
	Size class A			Size class B/C ²		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
	Sep. 2001	Sep. 2000	Aug. 2001	Sep. 2001	Sep. 2000	Aug. 2001
Expenditure category						
All items ³	182.4	2.6	0.1	109.9	1.9	0.1
All items (December 1977=100)	278.7	-	-	-	-	-
Food and beverages	175.2	3.0	-1	109.5	2.9	.2
Food	174.7	3.1	-1	109.7	3.0	.2
Food at home	174.8	3.2	-2	109.4	3.1	.4
Food away from home	176.8	2.9	.1	110.6	3.2	-2
Alcoholic beverages	181.9	1.8	.0	105.8	-1	.2
Housing	184.9	4.0	-2	109.7	3.2	-3
Shelter	215.5	4.3	.0	110.0	3.3	-4
Rent of primary residence ⁴	211.2	4.1	.4	109.6	3.8	.2
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence ^{4 5}	202.9	4.9	.2	108.7	3.3	.2
Fuels and utilities	139.9	4.5	-2.1	112.8	4.0	.3
Fuels	134.7	4.8	-2.3	113.5	4.4	.4
Gas (piped) and electricity ⁴	147.1	6.8	-3.0	109.7	8.1	-4
Electricity ⁴	142.3	.9	-3.0	102.1	5.1	.4
Utility natural gas service ⁴	156.1	17.2	-3.2	129.0	14.5	-2.0
Household furnishings and operations	128.9	1.4	.4	102.7	.5	-3
Apparel	117.3	-4.9	3.3	97.6	-3.1	.0
Transportation	157.7	-.5	-.6	104.1	-1.5	.1
Private transportation	153.5	-.9	-.5	103.9	-1.5	.2
Motor fuel	118.9	-9.0	-2.9	117.5	-8.9	.8
Gasoline (all types)	118.2	-9.0	-3.0	117.5	-8.9	.8
Gasoline, unleaded regular ⁶	117.5	-9.8	-3.1	117.9	-10.0	.9
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ^{6 7}	119.9	-8.7	-2.5	118.4	-7.7	.8
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁶	117.4	-7.4	-2.7	115.3	-7.2	.6
Medical care	295.2	5.4	.0	115.7	4.0	-1
Recreation ²	106.3	.6	-1	105.2	.3	-1
Education and communication ²	107.3	4.3	.7	103.1	2.9	.4
Other goods and services	305.0	5.1	1.9	134.9	6.3	2.4
Commodity and service group						
All items ³	182.4	2.6	.1	109.9	1.9	.1
Commodities	153.8	.3	.5	107.2	.2	.4
Commodities less food and beverages	138.3	-1.7	.8	105.8	-1.4	.5
Nondurables less food and beverages	144.2	-2.2	1.3	113.9	-1.6	1.1
Durables	124.8	-.6	-.3	95.8	-1.1	-.5
Services	213.3	4.3	-1	110.1	3.5	-1
Special aggregate indexes						
All items less medical care	178.0	2.5	.1	108.4	1.9	.2
All items less shelter	171.5	1.8	.1	108.2	1.3	.3
Commodities less food	140.2	-1.5	.8	105.8	-1.4	.5
Nondurables	160.8	.5	.6	111.6	.6	.6
Nondurables less food	146.6	-2.0	1.2	113.5	-1.5	1.1
Services less rent of shelter ⁵	191.4	4.2	-.3	110.0	3.5	.1
Services less medical care services	207.3	4.2	-.1	109.7	3.4	-1
Energy	127.4	-1.1	-2.6	115.2	-1.7	.5
All items less energy	189.8	3.0	.4	108.1	2.3	.1
All items less food and energy	194.1	2.9	.5	107.7	2.1	.0

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 20. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): Cross classification of regions and population size classes¹, by expenditure category and commodity and service group-Continued

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Midwest								
	Size class A			Size class B/C ²			Size class D		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
		Sep. 2001	Sep. 2000		Aug. 2001	Sep. 2001		Sep. 2000	Aug. 2001
Expenditure category									
All items ³	171.3	2.6	0.9	111.8	2.9	1.5	167.1	2.5	1.3
All items (December 1977=100)	280.0	-	-	-	-	-	270.7	-	-
Food and beverages	174.7	2.7	.0	110.0	3.4	.4	165.4	4.5	.8
Food	174.2	2.7	.1	109.9	3.3	.4	164.4	4.6	.9
Food at home	174.9	2.6	.0	110.1	4.4	.7	159.1	5.1	1.3
Food away from home	173.4	2.9	.1	109.6	1.9	-.1	175.1	3.7	.1
Alcoholic beverages	181.3	3.4	-.6	111.7	4.8	.4	179.1	2.8	-.2
Housing	164.1	1.8	-.3	108.8	2.0	-.3	158.5	1.4	-.1
Shelter	187.7	3.2	.1	109.1	2.2	.0	179.1	2.8	.3
Rent of primary residence ⁴	194.2	4.3	.5	109.9	3.3	.5	166.5	3.0	.4
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence ^{4 5}	188.1	3.5	.6	108.1	2.5	.5	177.3	3.2	.3
Fuels and utilities	136.2	-.4	-.2	118.5	3.3	-.2	148.6	-.1	-.2
Fuels	120.3	-.8	-.3	120.1	3.2	-.2	116.8	-.2	-.3
Gas (piped) and electricity ⁴	123.1	-.6	-.8	119.3	3.4	-.2	124.7	-.3	-.8
Electricity ⁴	130.7	.8	-.5	114.4	4.1	.0	119.7	6.0	-.1
Utility natural gas service ⁴	116.0	-13.5	-.8	126.4	2.3	-.7	133.9	-11.8	-.2
Household furnishings and operations	118.7	.0	.3	97.6	-.4	1.1	119.3	-.1	1.7
Apparel	117.9	-3.8	3.8	96.3	-.2	4.6	143.4	-.8	2.9
Transportation	158.8	3.4	3.1	115.1	3.8	4.7	151.5	2.1	4.7
Private transportation	156.5	3.6	3.3	115.0	3.9	4.8	146.9	1.9	4.8
Motor fuel	150.9	8.3	15.8	148.5	6.2	18.3	143.3	12.4	23.4
Gasoline (all types)	150.1	8.4	15.8	148.6	6.3	18.4	141.9	12.4	23.5
Gasoline, unleaded regular ⁶	150.5	8.7	16.5	150.6	7.0	18.2	137.5	12.2	24.0
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ^{6 7}	160.6	9.0	15.5	145.1	5.1	18.9	165.1	13.6	23.0
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁶	148.7	8.2	14.0	144.5	5.2	17.8	147.6	11.8	21.5
Medical care	270.5	4.5	.2	116.3	5.3	.3	260.1	5.8	.0
Recreation ²	105.6	2.7	-.4	102.8	1.3	-.1	106.6	1.6	-.1
Education and communication ²	109.1	4.4	.8	106.8	3.0	1.9	104.7	.9	-.1
Other goods and services	289.5	5.5	2.6	132.4	4.5	1.5	280.1	5.9	.9
Commodity and service group									
All items ³	171.3	2.6	.9	111.8	2.9	1.5	167.1	2.5	1.3
Commodities	151.6	1.7	2.2	109.3	2.5	3.1	153.5	2.3	2.9
Commodities less food and beverages	138.4	1.0	3.4	108.9	2.1	4.4	147.0	1.1	4.0
Nondurables less food and beverages	156.9	2.6	6.4	120.3	3.6	7.4	164.6	4.4	6.7
Durables	118.4	-.9	-.1	96.1	.0	.5	123.4	-.3	.4
Services	194.5	3.3	-.1	112.3	3.2	-.1	185.0	2.8	-.3
Special aggregate indexes									
All items less medical care	167.1	2.5	.9	110.4	2.7	1.6	162.3	2.3	1.4
All items less shelter	167.1	2.3	1.2	111.2	3.1	1.9	164.7	2.5	1.7
Commodities less food	140.1	1.1	3.2	109.0	2.2	4.3	148.0	1.1	3.9
Nondurables	166.4	2.7	3.0	115.3	3.4	4.1	166.0	4.4	3.8
Nondurables less food	158.7	2.7	5.9	119.9	3.6	7.1	166.1	4.3	6.5
Services less rent of shelter ⁵	186.5	3.4	-.4	115.0	4.1	-.2	174.5	2.8	-.7
Services less medical care services	188.1	3.2	-.1	111.8	2.9	-.2	176.9	2.4	-.3
Energy	134.1	1.2	6.0	134.9	4.9	8.4	129.1	4.4	9.1
All items less energy	177.0	2.7	.4	108.1	2.6	.7	172.2	2.3	.5
All items less food and energy	177.7	2.7	.5	107.8	2.5	.7	174.2	1.8	.5

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 20. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): Cross classification of regions and population size classes¹, by expenditure category and commodity and service group-Continued

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	South								
	Size class A			Size class B/C ²			Size class D		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
		Sep. 2001	Sep. 2000		Aug. 2001	Sep. 2001		Sep. 2000	Aug. 2001
Expenditure category									
All items ³	170.9	2.9	0.6	110.0	1.9	0.6	170.8	0.9	0.1
All items (December 1977=100)	276.9	-	-	-	-	-	276.5	-	-
Food and beverages	172.9	3.5	.5	108.6	2.8	.2	164.3	.1	-1.0
Food	173.1	3.5	.6	108.6	2.8	.2	164.5	-.1	-1.0
Food at home	170.3	3.4	.6	108.0	2.7	.1	162.2	.1	-1.8
Food away from home	179.1	3.5	.4	109.6	3.2	.2	171.6	-.3	.2
Alcoholic beverages	171.2	4.1	.5	109.4	3.7	.6	160.6	3.5	.0
Housing	164.1	3.9	.1	108.9	2.3	-.5	164.3	1.0	-.4
Shelter	179.0	3.8	.2	109.6	2.3	-.4	191.9	1.7	-.6
Rent of primary residence ⁴	179.7	4.8	.6	109.6	3.0	.3	174.9	2.0	.0
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence ^{4 5}	171.9	3.8	.5	109.1	2.2	.2	177.3	2.5	.0
Fuels and utilities	151.1	7.2	-.2	113.5	5.4	-1.0	150.1	2.0	.1
Fuels	139.1	8.0	-.2	114.5	6.2	-1.4	128.0	2.5	.2
Gas (piped) and electricity ⁴	143.6	8.3	-.2	114.2	6.5	-1.4	133.2	2.5	.2
Electricity ⁴	139.7	9.7	-.3	113.8	8.3	-1.0	135.4	2.1	.0
Utility natural gas service ⁴	150.9	1.2	-.1	116.4	-2.9	-3.7	137.6	5.3	1.2
Household furnishings and operations	130.9	.2	.0	100.2	-1.4	-.2	115.4	-3.8	.4
Apparel	150.4	.9	5.2	94.3	-1.2	4.0	119.5	-5.3	-1.5
Transportation	151.5	-.1	.7	108.1	-.6	1.9	152.7	-.1	1.9
Private transportation	150.4	-.1	.8	107.6	-.7	1.9	151.7	.1	1.9
Motor fuel	126.7	-5.8	3.9	124.0	-5.6	8.7	117.2	-3.2	9.1
Gasoline (all types)	125.6	-5.8	4.0	124.0	-5.6	8.8	115.8	-3.1	9.1
Gasoline, unleaded regular ⁶	124.1	-6.5	4.5	125.3	-5.8	9.1	111.2	-3.1	9.6
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ^{6 7}	126.5	-5.8	3.5	122.8	-5.6	8.7	135.3	-3.5	9.0
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁶	126.1	-4.7	3.5	121.4	-5.3	7.7	123.7	-3.1	7.9
Medical care	259.5	2.9	.1	114.7	3.5	.1	263.7	4.0	.0
Recreation ²	106.0	2.5	.1	101.8	.3	-.2	105.0	1.5	-.5
Education and communication ²	107.4	4.4	.4	105.4	4.3	.6	109.5	5.2	.9
Other goods and services	269.0	6.5	2.4	134.8	5.5	2.2	297.9	3.9	-.2
Commodity and service group									
All items ³	170.9	2.9	.6	110.0	1.9	.6	170.8	.9	.1
Commodities	153.0	1.3	1.3	107.0	.8	1.4	147.3	-1.1	.3
Commodities less food and beverages	141.6	-.2	1.7	106.0	-.6	2.1	137.7	-1.7	1.0
Nondurables less food and beverages	155.4	.5	3.3	112.8	-.2	3.9	148.7	-.7	2.0
Durables	126.7	-1.0	-.2	97.4	-1.2	-.4	122.4	-3.1	-.4
Services	192.1	4.4	.2	110.7	3.2	-.2	201.3	2.9	-.2
Special aggregate indexes									
All items less medical care	166.4	2.8	.7	108.5	1.9	.6	164.2	.7	.0
All items less shelter	168.8	2.6	.8	108.5	1.7	.8	165.9	.7	.2
Commodities less food	142.7	-.1	1.6	106.1	-.5	2.1	138.3	-1.6	.9
Nondurables	164.1	2.1	1.8	110.6	1.3	1.9	156.8	-.3	.5
Nondurables less food	156.1	.8	3.1	112.6	.0	3.7	148.9	-.6	1.8
Services less rent of shelter ⁵	188.6	5.0	.2	111.6	3.8	.0	193.1	3.7	.1
Services less medical care services	185.2	4.5	.2	110.3	3.2	-.2	192.0	2.7	-.3
Energy	131.8	.9	1.8	119.0	-.1	3.4	119.7	-.3	4.1
All items less energy	176.9	3.1	.6	107.8	2.1	.3	177.9	1.1	-.4
All items less food and energy	177.9	3.0	.6	107.6	1.9	.3	181.4	1.3	-.3

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 20. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): Cross classification of regions and population size classes¹, by expenditure category and commodity and service group-Continued

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	West					
	Size class A			Size class B/C ²		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
		Sep. 2001	Sep. 2000		Aug. 2001	Sep. 2001
Expenditure category						
All items ³	178.1	3.5	0.4	111.4	2.6	0.5
All items (December 1977=100)	288.3	-	-	-	-	-
Food and beverages	180.0	3.7	.0	109.1	2.6	-.5
Food	179.0	3.7	-.1	109.1	2.7	-.5
Food at home	184.0	4.0	-.2	108.8	2.3	-1.0
Food away from home	171.5	3.3	.2	109.5	3.5	.3
Alcoholic beverages	190.8	4.3	.2	110.1	1.6	.4
Housing	187.4	6.8	.1	110.4	4.2	.2
Shelter	202.8	6.8	.3	109.8	3.3	.2
Rent of primary residence ⁴	213.1	7.5	.6	109.9	3.7	.5
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence ^{4 5}	198.4	6.8	.5	109.1	3.7	.4
Fuels and utilities	174.2	12.1	-1.5	121.4	14.2	-.7
Fuels	169.3	14.7	-2.0	125.0	17.5	-.9
Gas (piped) and electricity ⁴	171.9	14.9	-2.1	124.9	17.6	-1.0
Electricity ⁴	196.7	30.9	-.1	124.4	18.1	.1
Utility natural gas service ⁴	142.0	-12.8	-7.0	127.0	15.9	-4.7
Household furnishings and operations	135.2	1.0	.0	101.8	-1.3	.6
Apparel	115.6	-3.7	1.9	97.3	-1.8	4.8
Transportation	153.8	-1.1	.8	108.2	.7	1.1
Private transportation	150.3	-.9	.9	107.2	.8	1.2
Motor fuel	133.1	-5.8	5.5	122.3	-5.0	7.0
Gasoline (all types)	131.9	-5.7	5.6	122.3	-4.9	7.1
Gasoline, unleaded regular ⁶	131.4	-5.7	6.3	121.6	-6.4	8.1
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ^{6 7}	124.7	-6.2	4.5	122.6	-3.1	6.2
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁶	130.3	-5.8	4.2	120.7	-4.7	5.8
Medical care	267.3	5.3	.5	117.9	4.2	.6
Recreation ²	101.8	.6	.7	100.9	-.3	.1
Education and communication ²	104.6	1.3	.2	106.8	2.0	.6
Other goods and services	292.9	4.2	1.4	125.9	3.9	.8
Commodity and service group						
All items ³	178.1	3.5	.4	111.4	2.6	.5
Commodities	152.3	.8	.7	106.4	.6	1.0
Commodities less food and beverages	135.6	-1.3	1.2	104.8	-.8	1.8
Nondurables less food and beverages	145.1	-1.5	2.5	110.7	-1.2	3.6
Durables	125.6	-1.1	-.5	98.4	-.1	-.2
Services	204.9	5.6	.1	111.6	4.2	.2
Special aggregate indexes						
All items less medical care	174.5	3.4	.4	108.8	2.4	.5
All items less shelter	169.4	1.9	.4	109.0	2.3	.6
Commodities less food	138.2	-1.1	1.2	105.0	-.6	1.8
Nondurables	163.4	1.4	1.1	109.9	.7	1.5
Nondurables less food	148.7	-1.1	2.3	110.7	-1.0	3.4
Services less rent of shelter ⁵	191.3	4.0	-.1	113.3	5.1	.0
Services less medical care services	200.3	5.6	.2	111.0	4.2	.1
Energy	144.9	2.0	2.2	123.7	5.7	2.6
All items less energy	182.4	3.6	.3	108.1	2.3	.3
All items less food and energy	183.3	3.5	.3	107.9	2.2	.5

¹ See region and area size on Table 10 for information about cross classifications.

² Indexes on a December 1997=100 base.

³ The 'All items' index size B/C is on a December 1996=100 base.

⁴ This index series was calculated using a Laspeyres estimator. All other item stratum index series converted to a geometric means estimator

in January, 1999.

⁵ Indexes on a December 1984=100 base

⁶ Special index based on a substantially smaller sample.

⁷ Indexes on a December 1993=100 base.

- Data not available.

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

Table 21. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): Food at home, selected areas

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Area	Pricing schedule 1	Food at home									
		Indexes				Percent change to Sep.2001 from—			Percent change to Aug.2001 from—		
		June 2001	July 2001	Aug. 2001	Sep. 2001	Sep. 2000	July 2001	Aug. 2001	Aug. 2000	June 2001	July 2001
U.S. city average	M	172.4	173.0	173.3	173.4	3.2	0.2	0.1	3.2	0.5	0.2
Region and area size²											
Northeast urban	M	174.6	175.3	175.3	175.3	3.1	.0	.0	3.2	.4	.0
Size A - More than 1,500,000	M	174.1	175.1	175.1	174.8	3.2	-.2	-.2	3.5	.6	.0
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 ³	M	108.8	108.9	109.0	109.4	3.1	.5	.4	2.5	.2	.1
Midwest urban	M	168.8	169.2	169.7	170.4	3.5	.7	.4	3.0	.5	.3
Size A - More than 1,500,000	M	174.4	174.9	174.9	174.9	2.6	.0	.0	2.6	.3	.0
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 ³	M	108.5	108.3	109.3	110.1	4.4	1.7	.7	4.2	.7	.9
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	M	154.4	157.4	157.1	159.1	5.1	1.1	1.3	1.6	1.7	-.2
South urban	M	167.8	168.1	168.5	168.6	2.7	.3	.1	2.7	.4	.2
Size A - More than 1,500,000	M	168.1	169.0	169.3	170.3	3.4	.8	.6	3.5	.7	.2
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 ³	M	107.6	107.8	107.9	108.0	2.7	.2	.1	2.4	.3	.1
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	M	164.8	164.2	165.1	162.2	.1	-1.2	-1.8	2.2	.2	.5
West urban	M	180.8	181.7	182.1	181.5	3.6	-.1	-.3	4.1	.7	.2
Size A - More than 1,500,000	M	183.3	184.5	184.3	184.0	4.0	-.3	-.2	4.4	.5	-.1
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 ³	M	108.2	108.8	109.9	108.8	2.3	.0	-1.0	3.3	1.6	1.0
Size classes											
A ⁴	M	160.5	161.4	161.4	161.4	3.3	.0	.0	3.5	.6	.0
B/C ³	M	108.1	108.2	108.7	108.8	3.0	.6	.1	2.9	.6	.5
D	M	164.9	165.1	165.9	165.5	2.7	.2	-.2	2.2	.6	.5
Selected local areas											
Chicago-Gary-Kenosha, IL-IN-WI	M	184.4	185.0	183.3	184.0	3.0	-.5	.4	2.5	-.6	-.9
Los Angeles-Riverside-Orange County, CA ..	M	187.6	188.4	189.5	188.4	4.8	.0	-.6	4.9	1.0	.6
New York-Northern N.J.-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT-PA	M	175.8	176.4	176.6	175.8	2.3	-.3	-.5	3.3	.5	.1
Boston-Brockton-Nashua, MA-NH-ME-CT	1	173.8	174.3	175.2	174.2	3.9	-.1	-.6	3.2	.8	.5
Cleveland-Akron, OH	1	171.4	172.2	173.1	173.7	.5	.9	.3	.2	1.0	.5
Dallas-Fort Worth, TX	1	154.9	162.1	158.8	163.2	2.3	.7	2.8	-.3	2.5	-2.0
Washington-Baltimore, DC-MD-VA-WV ³	1	106.7	105.9	107.1	107.1	3.0	1.1	.0	4.5	.4	1.1
Atlanta, GA	2	177.4	175.2	177.1	177.5	5.8	1.3	.2	5.5	-.2	1.1
Detroit-Ann Arbor-Flint, MI	2	171.7	170.6	170.0	168.6	1.8	-1.2	-.8	3.2	-1.0	-.4
Houston-Galveston-Brazoria, TX	2	168.6	169.3	169.7	169.6	2.4	.2	-.1	4.3	.7	.2
Miami-Fort Lauderdale, FL	2	175.8	174.6	177.1	177.4	4.7	1.6	.2	4.8	.7	1.4
Philadelphia-Wilmington-Atlantic City, PA-NJ-DE-MD	2	174.5	176.4	175.9	177.4	5.2	.6	.9	3.9	.8	-.3
San Francisco-Oakland-San Jose, CA	2	188.7	189.3	188.7	188.6	3.6	-.4	-.1	3.6	.0	-.3
Seattle-Tacoma-Bremerton, WA	2	183.2	180.4	178.5	178.9	3.3	-.8	.2	4.3	-2.6	-1.1

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

M - Every month.

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

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

² Regions defined as the four Census regions. See map in technical notes.

³ Indexes on a December 1997=100 base.

⁴ Indexes on a December 1986=100 base.

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

Table 22. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): Areas priced monthly, by expenditure category and commodity and service group

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	U.S. city average			Chicago- Gary- Kenosha, IL-IN-WI			Los Angeles- Riverside- Orange County, CA			New York- Northern N.J.- Long Island, NY-NJ-CT-PA		
	Index Sep. 2001	Percent change from—		Index Sep. 2001	Percent change from—		Index Sep. 2001	Percent change from—		Index Sep. 2001	Percent change from—	
		Sep. 2000	Aug. 2001		Sep. 2000	Aug. 2001		Sep. 2000	Aug. 2001		Sep. 2000	Aug. 2001
Expenditure category												
All items	174.8	2.6	0.6	173.7	2.7	1.0	171.5	3.1	0.2	183.6	2.1	0.1
All items (1967=100)	520.6	-	-	510.0	-	-	506.7	-	-	522.9	-	-
Food and beverages	174.0	3.1	.1	177.0	2.5	.2	182.5	4.5	-.3	177.2	2.5	-.2
Food	173.5	3.1	.1	176.0	2.6	.2	179.8	4.5	-.4	176.6	2.4	-.2
Food at home	173.4	3.2	.1	184.0	3.0	.4	188.4	4.8	-.6	175.8	2.3	-.5
Food away from home	175.0	2.9	.2	161.2	2.2	.0	166.9	4.0	.1	181.8	2.6	.2
Alcoholic beverages	180.1	3.3	.2	190.7	-.3	-.2	207.6	4.9	.9	185.4	2.8	.2
Housing	173.2	3.5	-.2	169.9	1.3	-.2	174.6	5.5	.2	187.2	3.0	-.2
Shelter	196.0	3.9	.1	202.6	4.0	.4	184.5	5.7	.5	221.2	4.1	.1
Rent of primary residence ¹	193.3	4.6	.5	218.2	5.6	.6	189.9	6.4	.8	214.1	3.4	.3
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence ^{1 2}	189.2	4.0	.4	203.3	4.3	.9	181.0	5.4	.6	210.3	4.8	.3
Fuels and utilities	150.1	4.7	-1.4	119.7	-15.3	-5.9	180.1	10.4	-1.9	126.9	-2.0	-2.8
Fuels	134.7	5.1	-1.7	106.4	-17.6	-6.7	181.6	12.7	-2.4	126.4	-2.3	-3.0
Gas (pipel) and electricity ¹	142.2	5.8	-2.1	109.0	-17.9	-7.1	182.3	12.8	-2.5	134.4	-1.5	-3.8
Electricity ¹	145.6	8.3	-.7	115.9	-.5	.0	225.8	46.6	-.3	128.7	-5.6	-5.1
Utility natural gas service ¹	140.4	.4	-5.1	101.7	-33.4	-15.1	125.6	-33.4	-8.5	144.3	5.5	-1.8
Household furnishings and operations	126.0	-.1	.2	108.9	1.1	1.2	128.6	-.1	-.1	127.7	.2	.3
Apparel	125.6	-2.4	3.3	104.4	-3.7	3.6	110.9	-5.1	2.4	113.4	-9.2	4.2
Transportation	155.1	.6	1.7	150.4	4.2	3.1	149.3	-1.2	.1	161.3	.1	-.6
Private transportation	152.3	.6	1.9	147.5	4.5	3.4	145.1	-1.0	.2	155.6	.0	-.6
Motor fuel	132.4	-2.1	8.5	158.9	21.9	18.3	124.7	-6.4	2.0	116.5	-7.7	-3.6
Gasoline (all types)	131.7	-2.2	8.6	157.8	22.0	18.4	121.9	-6.4	2.0	116.1	-7.7	-3.6
Gasoline, unleaded regular ³	131.2	-1.7	9.4	157.9	24.0	20.3	120.7	-6.2	2.2	116.4	-8.3	-4.0
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ^{3 4}	134.5	-3.0	7.4	167.3	21.4	18.1	118.6	-6.5	2.3	117.9	-7.5	-2.9
Gasoline, unleaded premium ³	129.1	-2.8	6.5	153.6	18.9	16.3	120.2	-7.2	1.0	116.8	-6.4	-3.2
Medical care	273.9	4.5	.2	280.0	5.1	.3	266.9	6.7	.6	288.6	4.3	.0
Recreation ⁵	103.8	1.0	-.1	106.6	6.6	.3	103.6	2.8	.4	106.1	1.5	.1
Education and communication ⁵	106.5	3.5	.7	115.1	3.3	.6	101.9	1.3	.0	107.4	4.6	.5
Other goods and services	295.5	5.2	1.9	291.5	5.4	3.2	291.0	3.4	1.1	306.2	5.0	1.5
Commodity and service group												
All items	174.8	2.6	.6	173.7	2.7	1.0	171.5	3.1	.2	183.6	2.1	.1
Commodities	152.5	1.0	1.3	149.6	2.5	2.5	150.0	1.0	.3	154.9	-.3	.4
Commodities less food and beverages	139.8	-.3	2.1	133.2	2.5	3.7	130.9	-1.5	.7	137.8	-2.6	1.0
Nondurables less food and beverages	152.0	.1	3.8	153.3	6.7	7.6	141.0	-2.1	1.6	143.3	-3.2	1.5
Durables	124.1	-1.0	-.2	114.1	-1.6	-.1	121.4	-.7	-.3	122.5	-1.1	-.4
Services	201.1	4.0	.0	199.9	2.7	-.1	194.0	4.9	.2	213.3	3.5	-.1
Special aggregate indexes												
All items less medical care	170.3	2.5	.6	168.7	2.5	1.0	167.8	3.0	.2	179.6	2.0	.1
All items less shelter	168.8	2.1	.8	164.6	1.9	1.2	167.3	2.0	.1	170.5	1.1	.1
Commodities less food	141.3	-.2	2.0	135.6	2.4	3.6	134.6	-1.2	.7	139.8	-2.3	.9
Nondurables	163.5	1.7	1.9	166.1	4.5	3.7	162.3	1.7	.5	161.7	-.1	.6
Nondurables less food	153.8	.3	3.6	156.2	6.3	7.1	146.9	-1.6	1.6	145.8	-2.9	1.4
Services less rent of shelter ²	189.9	4.1	-.1	183.6	1.1	-.8	190.7	3.8	-.2	185.9	2.9	-.3
Services less medical care services	194.6	4.0	-.1	192.7	2.4	-.2	189.0	4.7	.2	207.8	3.5	-.1
Energy	132.6	1.3	3.1	126.9	-.3	5.1	142.4	1.0	.1	122.1	-4.3	-3.2
All items less energy	180.7	2.7	.3	180.4	2.9	.6	175.3	3.2	.2	191.3	2.6	.4
All items less food and energy	182.6	2.6	.4	181.3	3.0	.7	174.6	2.9	.4	195.5	2.6	.5

¹ This index series was calculated using a Laspeyres estimator. All other item stratum index series converted to a geometric means estimator in January, 1999.

² Indexes on a December 1984=100 base

³ Special index based on a substantially smaller sample.

⁴ Indexes on a December 1993=100 base.

⁵ Indexes on a December 1997=100 base.

- Data not available.

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

Table 23. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): Selected areas, by expenditure category and commodity and service group

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Monthly cities and pricing schedule 1 ¹								
	U.S. city average			Boston- Brockton- Nashua, MA-NH-ME-CT			Chicago- Gary- Kenosha, IL-IN-WI		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
		Sep. 2001	Sep. 2000		July 2001	Sep. 2001		Sep. 2000	July 2001
Expenditure category									
All items ³	174.8	2.6	0.6	192.0	4.8	0.4	173.7	2.7	1.2
All items (1967=100)	520.6	-	-	554.9	-	-	510.0	-	-
Food and beverages ³	174.0	3.1	.3	181.1	3.9	-.1	177.0	2.5	.1
Food ³	173.5	3.1	.3	182.2	4.2	-.1	176.0	2.6	.0
Food at home	173.4	3.2	.2	174.2	3.9	-.1	184.0	3.0	-.5
Food away from home ⁴	175.0	2.9	.6	197.8	4.7	-.1	161.2	2.2	1.1
Alcoholic beverages ⁴	180.1	3.3	.5	172.0	-.5	-.5	190.7	-.3	.6
Housing ³	173.2	3.5	-.1	192.6	8.4	.7	169.9	1.3	-.2
Shelter	196.0	3.9	.5	227.0	7.6	1.2	202.6	4.0	.7
Rent of primary residence ^{3 5}	193.3	4.6	.8	222.5	7.9	1.4	218.2	5.6	.7
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence ^{5 6}	189.2	4.0	.9	205.9	8.2	1.2	203.3	4.3	1.5
Fuels and utilities	150.1	4.7	-2.8	152.4	17.1	-2.2	119.7	-15.3	-7.0
Fuels	134.7	5.1	-3.4	131.3	18.9	-2.5	106.4	-17.6	-8.0
Gas (piped) and electricity ⁵	142.2	5.8	-3.8	159.2	24.9	-2.6	109.0	-17.9	-8.3
Electricity ⁵	145.6	8.3	-1.5	164.3	26.8	.0	115.9	-.5	.0
Utility natural gas service ⁵	140.4	.4	-8.9	149.7	21.9	-6.5	101.7	-33.4	-17.5
Household furnishings and operations	126.0	-.1	.2	124.7	5.1	1.0	108.9	1.1	.6
Apparel ³	125.6	-2.4	3.0	146.4	1.7	7.2	104.4	-3.7	5.2
Transportation ³	155.1	.6	1.1	154.9	-2.0	-2.1	150.4	4.2	4.4
Private transportation	152.3	.6	1.3	152.1	-3.3	-2.3	147.5	4.5	4.8
Motor fuel	132.4	-2.1	6.0	123.2	-11.4	-9.2	158.9	21.9	29.4
Gasoline (all types)	131.7	-2.2	6.0	121.6	-11.4	-9.3	157.8	22.0	29.6
Gasoline, unleaded regular ⁷	131.2	-1.7	7.3	119.1	-12.1	-9.2	157.9	24.0	32.2
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ^{7 8}	134.5	-3.0	4.3	124.5	-11.5	-9.8	167.3	21.4	29.2
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁷	129.1	-2.8	3.4	123.3	-9.2	-8.7	153.6	18.9	26.6
Medical care ³	273.9	4.5	.7	358.8	4.4	.1	280.0	5.1	.5
Recreation ⁹	103.8	1.0	.1	106.4	1.6	-.7	106.6	6.6	.4
Education and communication ⁹	106.5	3.5	1.5	107.0	3.7	1.8	115.1	3.3	.5
Other goods and services ³	295.5	5.2	.6	312.6	7.0	1.2	291.5	5.4	-.1
Commodity and service group									
All items ³	174.8	2.6	.6	192.0	4.8	.4	173.7	2.7	1.2
Commodities	152.5	1.0	.9	156.4	1.2	-.2	149.6	2.5	2.7
Commodities less food and beverages	139.8	-.3	1.3	142.2	-.5	-.2	133.2	2.5	4.1
Nondurables less food and beverages	152.0	.1	2.6	154.0	.1	-.1	153.3	6.7	8.9
Durables	124.1	-1.0	-.6	125.4	-1.3	-.5	114.1	-1.6	-.4
Services	201.1	4.0	.2	230.6	7.4	.7	199.9	2.7	.1
Special aggregate indexes									
All items less medical care ³	170.3	2.5	.5	184.9	4.8	.4	168.7	2.5	1.1
All items less shelter	168.8	2.1	.6	181.3	3.4	-.1	164.6	1.9	1.3
Commodities less food	141.3	-.2	1.2	143.1	-.5	-.3	135.6	2.4	4.1
Nondurables	163.5	1.7	1.4	166.7	1.9	-.1	166.1	4.5	4.3
Nondurables less food	153.8	.3	2.5	154.1	.0	-.1	156.2	6.3	8.4
Services less rent of shelter ⁶	189.9	4.1	.0	218.5	6.9	.2	183.6	1.1	-.8
Services less medical care services	194.6	4.0	.2	219.9	7.6	.8	192.7	2.4	-.1
Energy ³	132.6	1.3	1.0	127.6	4.7	-5.3	126.9	-.3	8.7
All items less energy	180.7	2.7	.5	202.1	4.8	.9	180.4	2.9	.5
All items less food and energy ³	182.6	2.6	.5	207.3	4.9	1.1	181.3	3.0	.7

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 23. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): Selected areas, by expenditure category and commodity and service group-Continued

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Monthly cities and pricing schedule 1 ¹								
	Cleveland-Akron, OH			Dallas-Fort Worth, TX			Los Angeles-Riverside-Orange County, CA		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
		Sep. 2001	Sep. 2000		July 2001	Sep. 2001		Sep. 2000	July 2001
Expenditure category									
All items ³	166.5	2.3	1.0	172.6	3.5	0.6	171.5	3.1	0.1
All items (1967=100)	520.3	-	-	532.1	-	-	506.7	-	-
Food and beverages ³	176.9	1.6	.5	175.7	2.9	.9	182.5	4.5	.3
Food ³	178.7	1.7	.5	172.8	3.0	.9	179.8	4.5	.2
Food at home	173.7	.5	.9	163.2	2.3	.7	188.4	4.8	.0
Food away from home ⁴	189.2	3.9	-.3	190.0	4.3	1.5	166.9	4.0	.7
Alcoholic beverages ⁴	156.5	.5	.3	208.2	2.6	.4	207.6	4.9	2.5
Housing ³	159.8	1.8	-1.7	162.9	5.0	-.4	174.6	5.5	.9
Shelter	172.4	1.6	.8	170.0	3.1	.7	184.5	5.7	1.1
Rent of primary residence ^{3 5}	186.2	3.0	1.3	168.1	2.8	.6	189.9	6.4	1.6
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence ^{5 6}	178.7	1.5	1.3	163.6	3.7	.9	181.0	5.4	1.0
Fuels and utilities	156.0	1.4	-10.7	169.5	14.6	-5.1	180.1	10.4	-1.1
Fuels	150.7	1.4	-12.5	169.3	17.7	-6.2	181.6	12.7	-.4
Gas (piped) and electricity ⁵	152.7	1.7	-13.1	167.9	17.9	-6.2	182.3	12.8	-.4
Electricity ⁵	151.9	-3.1	.0	163.0	19.9	-8.7	225.8	46.6	1.9
Utility natural gas service ⁵	157.3	7.5	-23.9	180.3	9.3	8.0	125.6	-33.4	-6.7
Household furnishings and operations	127.4	4.7	-.6	131.8	.8	.8	128.6	-.1	.5
Apparel ³	129.5	.9	11.3	138.8	7.6	5.8	110.9	-5.1	3.0
Transportation ³	153.2	1.7	4.6	158.8	1.0	-.2	149.3	-1.2	-2.9
Private transportation	153.2	1.8	4.9	158.2	.8	-.3	145.1	-1.0	-3.0
Motor fuel	157.3	6.7	25.6	125.4	-5.3	-.9	124.7	-6.4	-11.2
Gasoline (all types)	156.1	6.7	25.8	124.7	-5.3	-.9	121.9	-6.4	-11.2
Gasoline, unleaded regular ⁷	155.8	7.0	26.5	121.9	-5.7	-.9	120.7	-6.2	-11.3
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ^{7 8}	159.0	6.4	25.7	125.4	-5.6	-1.0	118.6	-6.5	-11.1
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁷	156.4	6.2	23.6	125.8	-4.1	-.8	120.2	-7.2	-11.4
Medical care ³	236.9	2.6	.4	257.3	2.7	.1	266.9	6.7	2.8
Recreation ⁹	101.4	.1	.2	110.8	2.2	1.1	103.6	2.8	1.0
Education and communication ⁹	99.2	4.3	.6	111.7	4.6	3.6	101.9	1.3	.0
Other goods and services ³	297.5	12.1	-.1	273.3	4.9	1.6	291.0	3.4	-1.2
Commodity and service group									
All items ³	166.5	2.3	1.0	172.6	3.5	.6	171.5	3.1	.1
Commodities	152.7	1.7	3.0	155.3	1.8	1.0	150.0	1.0	-1.0
Commodities less food and beverages	139.2	1.8	4.6	143.4	1.1	1.1	130.9	-1.5	-1.9
Nondurables less food and beverages	164.6	4.6	8.9	150.2	2.1	2.2	141.0	-2.1	-2.7
Durables	115.2	-1.4	-.1	138.2	.1	-.1	121.4	-.7	-.9
Services	183.2	2.9	-.9	192.7	5.1	.1	194.0	4.9	.9
Special aggregate indexes									
All items less medical care ³	163.5	2.3	1.0	168.1	3.6	.6	167.8	3.0	.0
All items less shelter	166.9	2.6	1.0	174.1	3.6	.5	167.3	2.0	-.4
Commodities less food	139.9	1.7	4.4	145.8	1.3	1.0	134.6	-1.2	-1.7
Nondurables	171.2	3.0	4.3	163.0	2.6	1.6	162.9	1.7	-.9
Nondurables less food	164.0	4.4	8.4	153.6	2.2	2.1	146.9	-1.6	-2.3
Services less rent of shelter ⁶	181.6	4.3	-2.5	202.0	6.9	-.3	190.7	3.8	.7
Services less medical care services	179.1	2.9	-1.0	185.6	5.3	.1	189.0	4.7	.8
Energy ³	154.1	3.8	2.1	145.4	6.5	-3.9	142.4	1.0	-6.8
All items less energy	169.1	2.2	.8	178.4	3.2	1.0	175.3	3.2	.6
All items less food and energy ³	167.1	2.3	1.0	179.9	3.2	1.1	174.6	2.9	.7

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 23. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): Selected areas, by expenditure category and commodity and service group-Continued

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Monthly cities and pricing schedule 1 ¹					
	New York- Northern N.J.- Long Island, NY-NJ-CT-PA			Washington- Baltimore, DC-MD-VA-WV 2		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
		Sep. 2001	Sep. 2000		July 2001	Sep. 2001
Expenditure category						
All items ³	183.6	2.1	0.1	111.6	2.7	0.9
All items (1967=100)	522.9	-	-	-	-	-
Food and beverages ³	177.2	2.5	-.1	109.5	3.2	.8
Food ³	176.6	2.4	-.1	109.5	2.9	.7
Food at home	175.8	2.3	-.3	107.1	3.0	1.1
Food away from home ⁴	181.8	2.6	.4	111.4	2.9	.4
Alcoholic beverages ⁴	185.4	2.8	.1	107.6	5.0	1.3
Housing ³	187.2	3.0	-.3	114.9	3.6	.4
Shelter	221.2	4.1	.6	116.1	5.4	1.0
Rent of primary residence ^{3 5}	214.1	3.4	.5	118.6	7.1	1.3
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence ^{5 6}	210.3	4.8	1.1	114.7	4.7	1.1
Fuels and utilities	126.9	-2.0	-6.3	120.4	-3.5	-1.7
Fuels	126.4	-2.3	-6.9	121.7	-4.1	-1.9
Gas (piped) and electricity ⁵	134.4	-1.5	-8.1	121.4	-4.0	-1.9
Electricity ⁵	128.7	-5.6	-10.5	125.7	-1.0	.5
Utility natural gas service ⁵	144.3	5.5	-4.1	101.1	-18.2	-13.7
Household furnishings and operations	127.7	.2	.0	103.9	-.8	-.8
Apparel ³	113.4	-9.2	6.4	104.9	4.8	14.3
Transportation ³	161.3	.1	-1.8	106.6	-1.0	-1.7
Private transportation	155.6	.0	-2.1	106.3	-1.1	-1.7
Motor fuel	116.5	-7.7	-9.1	120.8	-7.6	-7.6
Gasoline (all types)	116.1	-7.7	-9.1	120.7	-7.7	-7.7
Gasoline, unleaded regular ⁷	116.4	-8.3	-10.1	120.5	-8.4	-8.5
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ^{7 8}	117.9	-7.5	-8.2	120.9	-7.1	-7.3
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁷	116.8	-6.4	-8.2	120.9	-6.6	-6.4
Medical care ³	288.6	4.3	.2	109.6	1.7	.0
Recreation ⁹	106.1	1.5	.4	104.4	2.0	.0
Education and communication ⁹	107.4	4.6	1.6	107.7	5.0	1.4
Other goods and services ³	306.2	5.0	1.1	137.3	6.4	1.9
Commodity and service group						
All items ³	183.6	2.1	.1	111.6	2.7	.9
Commodities	154.9	-.3	.1	108.2	1.2	1.1
Commodities less food and beverages	137.8	-2.6	.4	107.9	.0	1.2
Nondurables less food and beverages	143.3	-3.2	.8	116.8	1.3	2.3
Durables	122.5	-1.1	-.8	97.5	-1.7	-.2
Services	213.3	3.5	.0	114.4	4.1	.7
Special aggregate indexes						
All items less medical care ³	179.6	2.0	.1	111.6	2.8	.9
All items less shelter	170.5	1.1	-.2	109.6	1.8	.8
Commodities less food	139.8	-2.3	.4	107.9	.4	1.3
Nondurables	161.7	-.1	.3	112.3	2.3	1.5
Nondurables less food	145.8	-2.9	.8	115.8	1.7	2.2
Services less rent of shelter ⁶	185.9	2.9	-.6	112.5	2.6	.3
Services less medical care services	207.8	3.5	.0	114.8	4.3	.7
Energy ³	122.1	-4.3	-7.6	118.3	-5.9	-4.9
All items less energy	191.3	2.6	.7	110.6	3.5	1.4
All items less food and energy ³	195.5	2.6	.9	111.5	3.6	1.5

1 Areas on pricing schedule 2 (see Table 10) will appear next month.
2 For Washington-Baltimore, indexes are on a December 1997=100 base unless otherwise noted.
3 For Washington-Baltimore, index is on a November 1996=100 base.
4 For Washington-Baltimore, index is on a November 1997=100 base.
5 This index series was calculated using a Laspeyres estimator. All other item stratum index series converted to a geometric means estimator in January, 1999.

6 Indexes on a December 1984=100 base
7 Special index based on a substantially smaller sample.
8 Indexes on a December 1993=100 base.
9 Indexes on a December 1997=100 base.
- Data not available.
NOTE: Index applies to a month as a whole, not to any specific date.

Table 24. Historical Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U. S. city average, all items

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Semiannual averages		Annual avg.	Percent change from previous	
													1st half	2nd half		Dec.	Annual avg.
1913	9.8	9.8	9.8	9.8	9.7	9.8	9.9	9.9	10.0	10.0	10.1	10.0	-	-	9.9	-	-
1914	10.0	9.9	9.9	9.8	9.9	9.9	10.0	10.2	10.2	10.1	10.2	10.1	-	-	10.0	1.0	1.0
1915	10.1	10.0	9.9	10.0	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.2	10.3	10.3	-	-	10.1	2.0	1.0
1916	10.4	10.4	10.5	10.6	10.7	10.8	10.8	10.9	11.1	11.3	11.5	11.6	-	-	10.9	12.6	7.9
1917	11.7	12.0	12.0	12.6	12.8	13.0	12.8	13.0	13.3	13.5	13.5	13.7	-	-	12.8	18.1	17.4
1918	14.0	14.1	14.0	14.2	14.5	14.7	15.1	15.4	15.7	16.0	16.3	16.5	-	-	15.1	20.4	18.0
1919	16.5	16.2	16.4	16.7	16.9	16.9	17.4	17.7	17.8	18.1	18.5	18.9	-	-	17.3	14.5	14.6
1920	19.3	19.5	19.7	20.3	20.6	20.9	20.8	20.3	20.0	19.9	19.8	19.4	-	-	20.0	2.6	15.6
1921	19.0	18.4	18.3	18.1	17.7	17.6	17.7	17.7	17.5	17.5	17.4	17.3	-	-	17.9	-10.8	-10.5
1922	16.9	16.9	16.7	16.7	16.7	16.7	16.8	16.6	16.6	16.7	16.8	16.9	-	-	16.8	-2.3	-6.1
1923	16.8	16.8	16.8	16.9	16.9	17.0	17.2	17.1	17.2	17.3	17.3	17.3	-	-	17.1	2.4	1.8
1924	17.3	17.2	17.1	17.0	17.0	17.0	17.1	17.0	17.1	17.2	17.2	17.3	-	-	17.1	.0	.0
1925	17.3	17.2	17.3	17.2	17.3	17.5	17.7	17.7	17.7	17.7	18.0	17.9	-	-	17.5	3.5	2.3
1926	17.9	17.9	17.8	17.9	17.8	17.7	17.5	17.4	17.5	17.6	17.7	17.7	-	-	17.7	-1.1	1.1
1927	17.5	17.4	17.3	17.3	17.4	17.6	17.3	17.2	17.3	17.4	17.3	17.3	-	-	17.4	-2.3	-1.7
1928	17.3	17.1	17.1	17.1	17.2	17.1	17.1	17.1	17.3	17.2	17.2	17.1	-	-	17.1	-1.2	-1.7
1929	17.1	17.1	17.0	16.9	17.0	17.1	17.3	17.3	17.3	17.3	17.3	17.2	-	-	17.1	.6	.0
1930	17.1	17.0	16.9	17.0	16.9	16.8	16.6	16.5	16.6	16.5	16.4	16.1	-	-	16.7	-6.4	-2.3
1931	15.9	15.7	15.6	15.5	15.3	15.1	15.1	15.1	15.0	14.9	14.7	14.6	-	-	15.2	-9.3	-9.0
1932	14.3	14.1	14.0	13.9	13.7	13.6	13.6	13.5	13.4	13.3	13.2	13.1	-	-	13.7	-10.3	-9.9
1933	12.9	12.7	12.6	12.6	12.6	12.7	13.1	13.2	13.2	13.2	13.2	13.2	-	-	13.0	.8	-5.1
1934	13.2	13.3	13.3	13.3	13.3	13.4	13.4	13.4	13.6	13.5	13.5	13.4	-	-	13.4	1.5	3.1
1935	13.6	13.7	13.7	13.8	13.8	13.7	13.7	13.7	13.7	13.7	13.8	13.8	-	-	13.7	3.0	2.2
1936	13.8	13.8	13.7	13.7	13.7	13.8	13.9	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	-	-	13.9	1.4	1.5
1937	14.1	14.1	14.2	14.3	14.4	14.4	14.5	14.5	14.6	14.6	14.5	14.4	-	-	14.4	2.9	3.6
1938	14.2	14.1	14.1	14.2	14.1	14.1	14.1	14.1	14.1	14.0	14.0	14.0	-	-	14.1	-2.8	-2.1
1939	14.0	13.9	13.9	13.8	13.8	13.8	13.8	13.8	14.1	14.0	14.0	14.0	-	-	13.9	.0	-1.4
1940	13.9	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.1	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.1	-	-	14.0	.7	.7
1941	14.1	14.1	14.2	14.3	14.4	14.7	14.7	14.9	15.1	15.3	15.4	15.5	-	-	14.7	9.9	5.0
1942	15.7	15.8	16.0	16.1	16.3	16.3	16.4	16.5	16.5	16.7	16.8	16.9	-	-	16.3	9.0	10.9
1943	16.9	16.9	17.2	17.4	17.5	17.5	17.4	17.3	17.4	17.4	17.4	17.4	-	-	17.3	3.0	6.1
1944	17.4	17.4	17.4	17.5	17.5	17.6	17.7	17.7	17.7	17.7	17.7	17.8	-	-	17.6	2.3	1.7
1945	17.8	17.8	17.8	17.8	17.9	18.1	18.1	18.1	18.1	18.1	18.1	18.2	-	-	18.0	2.2	2.3
1946	18.2	18.1	18.3	18.4	18.5	18.7	19.8	20.2	20.4	20.8	21.3	21.5	-	-	19.5	18.1	8.3
1947	21.5	21.5	21.9	21.9	21.9	22.0	22.2	22.5	23.0	23.0	23.1	23.4	-	-	22.3	8.8	14.4
1948	23.7	23.5	23.4	23.8	23.9	24.1	24.4	24.5	24.5	24.4	24.2	24.1	-	-	24.1	3.0	8.1
1949	24.0	23.8	23.8	23.9	23.8	23.9	23.7	23.8	23.9	23.7	23.8	23.6	-	-	23.8	-2.1	-1.2
1950	23.5	23.5	23.6	23.6	23.7	23.8	24.1	24.3	24.4	24.6	24.7	25.0	-	-	24.1	5.9	1.3
1951	25.4	25.7	25.8	25.8	25.9	25.9	25.9	25.9	26.1	26.2	26.4	26.5	-	-	26.0	6.0	7.9
1952	26.5	26.3	26.3	26.4	26.4	26.5	26.7	26.7	26.7	26.7	26.7	26.7	-	-	26.5	.8	1.9
1953	26.6	26.5	26.6	26.6	26.7	26.8	26.8	26.9	26.9	27.0	26.9	26.9	-	-	26.7	.7	.8
1954	26.9	26.9	26.9	26.8	26.9	26.9	26.9	26.9	26.8	26.8	26.8	26.7	-	-	26.9	-7	.7
1955	26.7	26.7	26.7	26.7	26.7	26.7	26.8	26.8	26.9	26.9	26.9	26.8	-	-	26.8	.4	-4
1956	26.8	26.8	26.8	26.9	27.0	27.2	27.4	27.3	27.4	27.5	27.5	27.6	-	-	27.2	3.0	1.5
1957	27.6	27.7	27.8	27.9	28.0	28.1	28.3	28.3	28.3	28.3	28.4	28.4	-	-	28.1	2.9	3.3
1958	28.6	28.6	28.8	28.9	28.9	28.9	29.0	28.9	28.9	28.9	29.0	28.9	-	-	28.9	1.8	2.8
1959	29.0	28.9	28.9	29.0	29.0	29.1	29.2	29.2	29.3	29.4	29.4	29.4	-	-	29.1	1.7	.7
1960	29.3	29.4	29.4	29.5	29.5	29.6	29.6	29.6	29.6	29.8	29.8	29.8	-	-	29.6	1.4	1.7
1961	29.8	29.8	29.8	29.8	29.8	29.8	30.0	29.9	30.0	30.0	30.0	30.0	-	-	29.9	.7	1.0
1962	30.0	30.1	30.1	30.2	30.2	30.2	30.3	30.3	30.4	30.4	30.4	30.4	-	-	30.2	1.3	1.0
1963	30.4	30.4	30.5	30.5	30.5	30.6	30.7	30.7	30.7	30.8	30.8	30.9	-	-	30.6	1.6	1.3
1964	30.9	30.9	30.9	30.9	30.9	31.0	31.1	31.0	31.1	31.1	31.2	31.2	-	-	31.0	1.0	1.3
1965	31.2	31.2	31.3	31.4	31.4	31.6	31.6	31.6	31.6	31.7	31.7	31.8	-	-	31.5	1.9	1.6
1966	31.8	32.0	32.1	32.3	32.3	32.4	32.5	32.7	32.7	32.9	32.9	32.9	-	-	32.4	3.5	2.9
1967	32.9	32.9	33.0	33.1	33.2	33.3	33.4	33.5	33.6	33.7	33.8	33.9	-	-	33.4	3.0	3.1
1968	34.1	34.2	34.3	34.4	34.5	34.7	34.9	35.0	35.1	35.3	35.4	35.5	-	-	34.8	4.7	4.2
1969	35.6	35.8	36.1	36.3	36.4	36.6	36.8	37.0	37.1	37.3	37.5	37.7	-	-	36.7	6.2	5.5

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Table 24. Historical Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U. S. city average, all items-Continued

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Semiannual averages		Annual avg.	Percent change from previous	
													1st half	2nd half		Dec.	Annual avg.
1970	37.8	38.0	38.2	38.5	38.6	38.8	39.0	39.0	39.2	39.4	39.6	39.8	-	-	38.8	5.6	5.7
1971	39.8	39.9	40.0	40.1	40.3	40.6	40.7	40.8	40.8	40.9	40.9	41.1	-	-	40.5	3.3	4.4
1972	41.1	41.3	41.4	41.5	41.6	41.7	41.9	42.0	42.1	42.3	42.4	42.5	-	-	41.8	3.4	3.2
1973	42.6	42.9	43.3	43.6	43.9	44.2	44.3	45.1	45.2	45.6	45.9	46.2	-	-	44.4	8.7	6.2
1974	46.6	47.2	47.8	48.0	48.6	49.0	49.4	50.0	50.6	51.1	51.5	51.9	-	-	49.3	12.3	11.0
1975	52.1	52.5	52.7	52.9	53.2	53.6	54.2	54.3	54.6	54.9	55.3	55.5	-	-	53.8	6.9	9.1
1976	55.6	55.8	55.9	56.1	56.5	56.8	57.1	57.4	57.6	57.9	58.0	58.2	-	-	56.9	4.9	5.8
1977	58.5	59.1	59.5	60.0	60.3	60.7	61.0	61.2	61.4	61.6	61.9	62.1	-	-	60.6	6.7	6.5
1978	62.5	62.9	63.4	63.9	64.5	65.2	65.7	66.0	66.5	67.1	67.4	67.7	-	-	65.2	9.0	7.6
1979	68.3	69.1	69.8	70.6	71.5	72.3	73.1	73.8	74.6	75.2	75.9	76.7	-	-	72.6	13.3	11.3
1980	77.8	78.9	80.1	81.0	81.8	82.7	82.7	83.3	84.0	84.8	85.5	86.3	-	-	82.4	12.5	13.5
1981	87.0	87.9	88.5	89.1	89.8	90.6	91.6	92.3	93.2	93.4	93.7	94.0	-	-	90.9	8.9	10.3
1982	94.3	94.6	94.5	94.9	95.8	97.0	97.5	97.7	97.9	98.2	98.0	97.6	-	-	96.5	3.8	6.2
1983	97.8	97.9	97.9	98.6	99.2	99.5	99.9	100.2	100.7	101.0	101.2	101.3	-	-	99.6	3.8	3.2
1984	101.9	102.4	102.6	103.1	103.4	103.7	104.1	104.5	105.0	105.3	105.3	105.3	102.9	104.9	103.9	3.9	4.3
1985	105.5	106.0	106.4	106.9	107.3	107.6	107.8	108.0	108.3	108.7	109.0	109.3	106.6	108.5	107.6	3.8	3.6
1986	109.6	109.3	108.8	108.6	108.9	109.5	109.5	109.7	110.2	110.3	110.4	110.5	109.1	110.1	109.6	1.1	1.9
1987	111.2	111.6	112.1	112.7	113.1	113.5	113.8	114.4	115.0	115.3	115.4	115.4	112.4	114.9	113.6	4.4	3.6
1988	115.7	116.0	116.5	117.1	117.5	118.0	118.5	119.0	119.8	120.2	120.3	120.5	116.8	119.7	118.3	4.4	4.1
1989	121.1	121.6	122.3	123.1	123.8	124.1	124.4	124.6	125.0	125.6	125.9	126.1	122.7	125.3	124.0	4.6	4.8
1990	127.4	128.0	128.7	128.9	129.2	129.9	130.4	131.6	132.7	133.5	133.8	133.8	128.7	132.6	130.7	6.1	5.4
1991	134.6	134.8	135.0	135.2	135.6	136.0	136.2	136.6	137.2	137.4	137.8	137.9	135.2	137.2	136.2	3.1	4.2
1992	138.1	138.6	139.3	139.5	139.7	140.2	140.5	140.9	141.3	141.8	142.0	141.9	139.2	141.4	140.3	2.9	3.0
1993	142.6	143.1	143.6	144.0	144.2	144.4	144.4	144.8	145.1	145.7	145.8	145.8	143.7	145.3	144.5	2.7	3.0
1994	146.2	146.7	147.2	147.4	147.5	148.0	148.4	149.0	149.4	149.5	149.7	149.7	147.2	149.3	148.2	2.7	2.6
1995	150.3	150.9	151.4	151.9	152.2	152.5	152.5	152.9	153.2	153.7	153.6	153.5	151.5	153.2	152.4	2.5	2.8
1996	154.4	154.9	155.7	156.3	156.6	156.7	157.0	157.3	157.8	158.3	158.6	158.6	155.8	157.9	156.9	3.3	3.0
1997	159.1	159.6	160.0	160.2	160.1	160.3	160.5	160.8	161.2	161.6	161.5	161.3	159.9	161.2	160.5	1.7	2.3
1998	161.6	161.9	162.2	162.5	162.8	163.0	163.2	163.4	163.6	164.0	164.0	163.9	162.3	163.7	163.0	1.6	1.6
1999	164.3	164.5	165.0	166.2	166.2	166.2	166.7	167.1	167.9	168.2	168.3	168.3	165.4	167.8	166.6	2.7	2.2
2000	168.8	169.8	171.2	171.3	171.5	172.4	172.8	172.8	173.7	174.0	174.1	174.0	170.8	173.6	172.2	3.4	3.4
2001	175.1	175.8	176.2	176.9	177.7	178.0	177.5	177.5	178.3	-	-	-	176.6	-	-	-	-

- Data not available.

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

Table 25. Historical Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, by commodity and service group and detailed expenditure categories

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Unadjusted indexes										
	December										Sep. 2001
	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	
Expenditure category											
All items	137.9	141.9	145.8	149.7	153.5	158.6	161.3	163.9	168.3	174.0	178.3
All items (1967=100)	413.0	425.2	436.8	448.4	459.9	475.0	483.2	491.0	504.1	521.1	534.0
Food and beverages	137.3	139.5	143.3	147.2	150.3	156.6	159.1	162.7	165.9	170.5	174.6
Food	136.7	138.7	142.7	146.8	149.9	156.3	158.7	162.3	165.4	170.0	174.1
Food at home	135.5	137.5	142.3	147.3	150.3	157.7	159.2	162.6	165.4	170.2	174.3
Cereals and bakery products	147.4	153.3	158.9	164.2	169.5	175.7	178.4	182.3	185.9	190.7	195.1
Cereals and cereal products	148.8	154.4	159.6	164.5	168.6	166.6	169.6	172.0	174.1	175.7	179.9
Flour and prepared flour mixes	123.5	130.2	129.9	132.3	140.6	151.2	150.6	153.6	150.8	151.9	165.8
Breakfast cereal	171.4	178.1	186.5	191.0	194.1	186.0	189.0	192.7	196.7	199.0	201.1
Rice, pasta, cornmeal	126.3	128.9	131.7	139.5	142.8	144.0	149.8	150.0	151.4	152.0	155.4
Rice ^{1 2}	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	100.0	100.1	98.9	97.7
Bakery products	146.4	152.5	158.2	163.8	169.6	179.8	182.3	186.9	191.4	198.1	202.6
Bread ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	102.5	104.5	109.3	113.5
White bread ²	140.4	146.1	156.2	160.4	169.3	183.4	186.2	189.6	192.9	201.9	209.7
Bread other than white ²	143.8	151.6	157.0	162.4	171.6	180.7	186.9	193.5	199.3	210.0	215.6
Fresh biscuits, rolls, muffins ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	102.7	106.1	109.3	111.4
Cakes, cupcakes, and cookies	154.2	157.7	163.2	169.2	171.6	178.8	180.1	184.0	189.4	192.9	192.5
Cookies ²	155.4	157.5	163.9	170.1	174.2	180.5	182.3	186.1	193.6	191.0	192.2
Fresh cakes and cupcakes ²	144.8	151.0	156.3	165.2	169.8	175.6	178.6	182.6	187.3	193.9	194.4
Other bakery products	147.6	154.9	158.0	163.1	168.0	178.1	178.8	183.9	187.3	195.0	201.4
Fresh sweetrolls, coffeecakes, doughnuts ²	142.0	146.8	155.1	159.5	168.9	173.8	177.2	170.4	174.9	188.4	195.7
Crackers, bread, and cracker products ²	168.1	181.4	176.9	178.7	183.8	206.9	206.4	215.6	219.7	226.4	234.7
Frozen and refrigerated bakery products, pies, tarts, turnovers ²	145.2	150.4	157.4	161.7	170.8	174.9	181.7	188.5	188.6	195.3	202.6
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	131.6	132.1	137.1	136.4	142.0	150.0	148.4	147.3	149.8	156.6	162.4
Meats, poultry, and fish	132.0	133.0	138.4	137.6	141.7	149.0	148.1	147.4	150.9	157.0	163.8
Meats	130.8	131.1	135.9	133.7	137.2	144.4	143.4	140.2	145.3	152.9	161.5
Beef and veal	131.7	132.8	137.7	134.7	134.6	137.8	136.9	137.1	143.1	150.9	161.1
Uncooked ground beef	119.1	118.4	123.0	117.7	115.7	117.6	116.4	115.9	121.0	128.4	136.8
Uncooked beef roasts ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	101.2	103.1	109.7	118.2
Uncooked beef steaks ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	100.6	106.1	110.9	118.2
Uncooked other beef and veal ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	97.8	102.3	107.7	114.0
Pork	128.5	127.4	133.1	130.1	139.6	155.4	153.0	144.1	148.6	157.2	167.8
Bacon, breakfast sausage, and related products ¹ ...	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	96.8	100.3	107.7	116.8
Bacon and related products ²	108.6	104.8	117.1	114.8	130.2	161.5	160.3	153.1	160.5	174.4	194.9
Breakfast sausage and related products ^{1 2}	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	99.3	101.3	108.3	112.2
Ham	137.3	134.9	137.1	134.8	144.2	157.4	154.3	145.1	146.6	152.5	162.8
Ham, excluding canned ²	143.6	141.2	144.5	142.1	151.9	168.3	164.7	154.4	157.2	164.6	176.9
Pork chops	136.1	139.5	145.8	138.8	146.2	156.0	150.2	139.5	146.3	155.0	161.8
Other pork including roasts and picnics ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	91.8	94.0	98.8	105.2
Other meats	132.7	133.0	136.4	137.3	141.4	146.2	147.0	145.6	149.5	155.1	157.0
Frankfurters ²	134.7	133.9	138.2	134.3	139.3	143.8	144.9	140.2	148.3	153.0	151.2
Lunchmeats ^{1 2}	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	99.8	101.4	104.2	106.0
Lamb and organ meats ²	130.2	134.1	140.1	145.1	151.8	160.7	160.8	166.3	155.2	169.7	174.4
Lamb and mutton ^{1 2}	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	102.6	99.7	105.3	103.7
Poultry	130.2	133.7	141.1	140.4	146.3	157.8	155.2	159.3	157.5	160.7	165.4
Chicken ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	103.5	101.3	103.1	105.3
Fresh whole chicken ²	129.9	135.4	141.3	139.4	144.8	158.2	158.9	162.4	161.8	164.0	170.4
Fresh and frozen chicken parts ²	134.8	136.9	146.8	143.2	150.2	161.5	154.4	160.6	155.6	158.8	161.6
Other poultry including turkey ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	100.1	102.3	105.0	111.1
Fish and seafood	150.4	152.0	158.7	166.9	172.1	175.1	177.2	183.7	186.9	189.5	189.1
Fresh fish and seafood ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	103.5	106.4	110.5	109.0
Processed fish and seafood ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	103.8	104.3	102.4	103.8
Canned fish and seafood ²	118.2	119.9	122.8	124.5	125.5	126.5	129.4	134.5	131.5	125.3	128.9
Frozen fish and seafood ²	167.0	168.7	177.0	187.9	194.8	198.6	200.5	-	213.8	218.6	217.9
Eggs	123.5	117.7	116.0	116.4	145.5	162.9	151.1	142.9	124.0	145.5	131.4
Dairy and related products	127.4	129.1	130.2	131.6	135.0	148.6	147.8	157.6	162.1	161.5	169.4
Milk ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	106.1	109.7	109.3	113.5
Fresh whole milk ²	125.5	127.8	130.6	131.1	133.7	148.3	145.8	155.2	158.6	160.0	167.0
Fresh milk other than whole ^{1 2}	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	106.1	110.7	110.6	113.9
Cheese and related products	135.1	135.4	134.6	136.0	139.0	150.1	148.3	159.0	165.3	161.1	171.6
Ice cream and related products	130.1	130.6	131.5	136.1	139.7	150.5	151.8	162.8	164.1	167.1	175.5
Other dairy and related products ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	106.0	107.9	109.5	114.1

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Table 25. Historical Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, by commodity and service group and detailed expenditure categories-Continued

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Unadjusted indexes										
	December										Sep. 2001
	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	
Expenditure category											
Fruits and vegetables	152.9	156.2	166.5	180.3	177.9	187.2	191.3	200.7	204.5	215.1	212.1
Fresh fruits and vegetables	169.6	173.9	190.1	212.8	206.3	216.2	222.3	235.2	240.0	254.8	247.1
Fresh fruits	188.6	181.8	205.4	213.1	224.2	251.1	239.4	258.7	266.9	269.0	266.0
Apples	169.9	154.1	166.9	163.2	187.6	194.1	193.9	191.8	202.4	202.9	215.9
Bananas	128.3	124.3	127.6	143.1	146.5	157.5	151.5	165.6	161.4	161.0	165.7
Citrus fruits ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	118.0	126.4	120.5	165.9
Oranges, including tangerines ²	186.8	156.7	177.4	178.7	206.7	199.6	189.3	224.3	239.3	214.7	329.7
Other fresh fruits ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	106.6	109.6	114.3	86.7
Fresh vegetables	150.7	166.1	174.9	212.7	188.4	181.2	205.2	212.3	214.0	240.2	228.2
Potatoes	129.0	137.2	165.0	154.2	175.3	160.2	175.0	178.0	190.7	179.4	218.3
Lettuce	170.1	183.0	152.1	273.4	172.2	184.6	218.5	199.3	212.7	281.6	254.1
Tomatoes	124.5	193.4	197.2	233.6	242.6	193.4	253.4	281.9	233.4	285.9	222.6
Other fresh vegetables	162.3	166.4	178.5	216.1	183.2	185.9	201.5	209.8	219.8	243.4	230.1
Processed fruits and vegetables ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	102.0	103.4	105.3	110.0
Canned fruits and vegetables ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	102.3	102.9	104.9	109.5
Canned fruits ^{1 2}	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	102.7	104.7	107.8	110.1
Canned vegetables ^{1 2}	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	103.1	103.6	105.7	112.6
Frozen fruits and vegetables ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	102.5	105.6	107.7	114.0
Frozen vegetables ²	129.3	130.2	135.4	136.5	140.4	143.7	147.8	150.3	154.3	159.1	168.3
Other processed fruits and vegetables including dried ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	100.1	100.7	102.0	103.0
Dried beans, peas, and lentils ^{1 2}	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	100.5	98.4	99.0	99.5
Nonalcoholic beverages and beverage materials	112.5	112.3	114.8	131.7	129.5	126.9	133.1	131.7	134.7	136.7	139.2
Juices and nonalcoholic drinks ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	99.9	102.9	104.9	107.4
Carbonated drinks	111.9	113.7	115.6	115.2	118.5	118.0	116.1	114.9	118.6	121.1	124.7
Frozen noncarbonated juices and drinks ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	104.7	109.2	111.3	111.7
Nonfrozen noncarbonated juices and drinks ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	100.1	102.9	104.6	106.8
Beverage materials including coffee and tea ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	96.5	96.6	96.8	97.1
Coffee	111.3	105.4	111.1	172.7	156.1	145.6	170.2	155.2	152.6	147.7	145.6
Roasted coffee ²	109.0	102.4	109.2	179.0	159.5	145.7	178.0	-	157.4	151.7	147.3
Instant and freeze dried coffee ²	115.6	111.7	115.8	157.9	148.9	145.3	155.2	-	160.3	159.3	163.0
Other beverage materials including tea ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	103.3	105.3	109.6	111.8
Other food at home	127.1	128.3	130.9	138.8	140.5	143.6	147.7	152.4	153.3	156.3	160.2
Sugar and sweets	130.9	132.1	133.3	134.5	138.5	144.7	147.9	150.1	152.3	153.5	156.6
Sugar and artificial sweeteners	118.1	119.3	120.6	122.8	127.9	132.2	133.3	133.8	134.2	133.6	142.8
Candy and chewing gum ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	101.1	103.0	104.2	104.5
Other sweets ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	103.8	105.3	106.4	108.8
Fats and oils	129.3	128.4	129.4	134.2	137.5	140.7	140.3	151.9	145.1	150.2	158.5
Butter and margarine ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	120.5	104.6	113.3	129.4
Butter ²	94.4	88.0	82.0	81.6	93.4	113.9	128.2	168.9	131.0	147.2	187.8
Margarine ²	131.8	128.9	130.3	139.4	141.6	145.5	144.2	152.9	150.3	153.8	159.1
Salad dressing ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	103.4	104.1	105.9	107.7
Other fats and oils including peanut butter ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	102.1	102.0	103.0	104.0
Peanut butter ^{1 2}	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	102.2	105.8	108.2	110.5
Other foods	138.2	141.2	144.9	148.1	152.1	158.9	162.8	166.9	169.4	172.7	176.2
Soups	148.6	157.0	163.9	170.7	176.5	184.9	189.1	191.7	191.7	196.9	203.8
Frozen and freeze dried prepared foods	138.0	138.7	138.6	138.9	139.8	146.2	144.9	147.1	146.8	150.2	152.2
Snacks	132.8	132.5	136.3	138.7	143.4	151.7	155.6	156.9	162.6	166.8	166.9
Spices, seasonings, condiments, sauces	137.9	143.6	147.4	150.9	156.8	163.9	168.3	172.4	174.9	173.0	183.2
Salt and other seasonings and spices ^{1 2}	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	100.4	103.0	101.0	105.6
Olives, pickles, relishes ^{1 2}	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	101.3	99.9	100.2	112.7
Sauces and gravies ^{1 2}	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	102.6	105.5	106.5	109.5
Other condiments ²	133.7	140.1	140.1	143.1	148.2	154.5	162.1	166.6	172.8	182.6	188.0
Baby food ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	103.3	107.5	111.9	114.2
Other miscellaneous foods ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	104.9	105.7	108.9	108.9
Prepared salads ^{1 2}	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	-	-	NA	NA
Food away from home	139.6	141.6	144.3	147.1	150.4	155.0	159.0	163.0	166.8	170.8	175.1
Full service meals and snacks ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	102.8	105.1	108.0	111.0
Limited service meals and snacks ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	102.2	104.9	107.8	110.3
Food at employee sites and schools ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	102.5	104.5	104.3	106.3
Food from vending machines and mobile vendors ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	100.9	101.6	103.1	104.5
Other food away from home ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	103.3	106.9	111.1	115.3

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Table 25. Historical Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, by commodity and service group and detailed expenditure categories-Continued

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Unadjusted indexes										
											Sep. 2001
	December										
	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	
Expenditure category											
Alcoholic beverages	143.9	148.1	150.3	151.8	154.9	160.5	164.0	167.2	171.8	176.5	180.4
Alcoholic beverages at home	138.4	141.3	142.0	141.8	143.1	148.0	149.3	151.4	155.5	159.2	161.9
Beer, ale, and other malt beverages at home	139.0	142.9	143.3	143.2	144.1	148.3	147.5	149.8	154.2	159.0	161.6
Distilled spirits at home	139.9	141.8	143.1	144.2	145.5	148.5	151.9	153.0	158.6	163.5	169.7
Whiskey at home ²	137.8	139.0	141.3	142.4	145.2	147.9	151.5	153.2	156.7	160.0	165.0
Distilled spirits, excluding whiskey, at home ²	142.3	144.0	144.6	144.5	145.1	147.9	152.1	152.8	159.2	164.7	172.4
Wine at home	130.5	132.4	133.1	131.3	133.4	141.7	145.1	147.2	149.8	151.1	151.6
Alcoholic beverages away from home	158.9	165.0	169.3	173.3	178.8	185.6	192.5	198.1	203.5	210.4	216.9
Beer, ale, and other malt beverages away from home ^{1 2}	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	101.9	105.2	108.7	110.6
Wine away from home ^{1 2}	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	104.2	105.1	110.5	115.4
Distilled spirits away from home ^{1 2}	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	103.4	105.8	109.6	113.3
Housing	135.0	138.5	142.3	145.4	149.7	154.0	157.7	161.3	164.8	171.9	177.4
Shelter	148.2	152.5	157.1	161.8	167.4	172.3	178.1	184.0	188.6	195.1	202.0
Rent of primary residence ³	145.2	148.6	151.9	155.7	159.6	164.0	169.1	174.9	180.3	187.6	193.9
Lodging away from home ^{1 3}	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	103.8	105.8	108.8	116.8
Housing at school, excluding board ^{3 4}	175.8	188.6	193.8	201.9	210.6	219.0	229.7	239.4	249.5	260.1	271.8
Other lodging away from home including hotels and motels	168.0	174.3	181.0	183.3	191.2	201.0	213.5	221.4	225.1	231.1	249.0
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence ^{3 4}	153.2	157.8	162.8	168.1	174.3	179.1	184.7	190.7	195.2	201.8	208.1
Tenants' and household insurance ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	99.9	102.2	104.7	106.7
Fuels and utilities	116.0	118.7	121.7	122.0	123.7	129.4	130.0	126.6	129.6	145.3	150.6
Fuels	106.5	108.9	110.7	110.1	110.9	117.1	115.8	111.4	114.1	130.6	135.7
Fuel oil and other fuels	94.7	91.8	88.3	88.4	89.6	110.3	97.2	86.1	106.3	144.9	125.3
Fuel oil	92.3	89.2	85.1	85.1	86.4	106.5	94.0	79.7	104.3	146.5	123.3
Other household fuels ⁵	123.3	120.4	118.0	118.5	119.4	146.8	128.8	125.9	135.8	170.7	159.1
Gas (piped) and electricity ³	112.4	115.6	118.1	117.4	118.3	122.8	123.0	118.9	120.3	135.6	143.1
Electricity ³	120.8	122.9	123.6	124.4	127.8	128.7	127.0	122.9	123.7	126.9	146.5
Utility natural gas service ³	99.9	105.0	111.1	107.5	103.6	115.0	118.8	114.7	117.1	160.1	140.9
Water and sewer and trash collection services ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	102.7	104.7	107.9	110.4
Water and sewerage maintenance ³	165.7	176.7	185.2	193.0	198.6	205.5	213.7	219.4	223.4	230.8	236.5
Garbage and trash collection ⁶	197.3	214.0	225.2	236.4	243.3	247.8	252.8	259.9	266.5	271.9	277.0
Household furnishings and operations	116.3	118.2	120.3	120.8	123.8	125.0	125.1	126.6	126.4	128.6	129.4
Window and floor coverings and other linens ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	101.2	99.3	101.1	98.1
Floor coverings ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	102.3	100.3	107.3	107.6
Window coverings ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	100.1	99.5	101.2	95.7
Other linens ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	101.5	98.7	97.4	94.3
Furniture and bedding	116.2	121.4	125.8	127.8	133.2	134.5	133.5	135.4	133.7	134.2	131.3
Bedroom furniture	122.0	129.5	136.3	133.7	136.8	141.5	142.7	141.8	140.7	137.4	135.5
Living room, kitchen, and dining room furniture ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	101.6	100.9	103.0	101.4
Other furniture ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	104.3	100.3	99.7	94.3
Appliances ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	98.9	97.7	94.9	94.9
Major appliances ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	98.5	98.4	96.3	97.5
Laundry equipment ²	105.6	106.3	107.1	110.6	109.8	113.2	113.4	110.6	111.4	112.0	112.4
Other appliances ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	99.6	96.8	92.8	91.1
Other household equipment and furnishings ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	99.9	96.8	96.1	96.0
Clocks, lamps, and decorator items	117.8	120.3	118.2	117.8	122.1	117.0	121.0	119.5	113.6	108.6	107.2
Indoor plants and flowers ⁷	107.0	113.0	110.0	114.1	115.6	116.4	107.1	109.3	108.8	114.8	116.5
Dishes and flatware ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	99.4	96.1	93.4	92.8
Nonelectric cookware and tableware ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	99.5	97.1	96.3	96.4
Tools, hardware, outdoor equipment and supplies ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	99.6	98.4	96.4	97.1
Tools, hardware and supplies ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	97.4	97.3	97.8	96.9
Outdoor equipment and supplies ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	100.5	98.7	95.6	97.0
Housekeeping supplies	129.8	129.5	131.9	132.9	139.8	141.4	143.4	146.3	149.1	156.1	160.4
Household cleaning products ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	101.7	102.8	107.6	109.7
Household paper products ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	102.7	108.7	117.4	120.3
Miscellaneous household products ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	101.8	101.9	104.0	108.3
Household operations ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	103.0	106.0	112.5	116.5
Domestic services ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	103.3	106.9	111.7	114.4
Gardening and lawn care services ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	101.5	103.9	113.2	117.3
Moving, storage, freight expense ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	103.3	105.9	111.3	115.4
Repair of household items ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	105.6	108.3	114.1	121.4

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 25. Historical Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, by commodity and service group and detailed expenditure categories-Continued

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Unadjusted indexes										
	December										Sep. 2001
	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	
Expenditure category											
Apparel	129.6	131.4	132.6	130.5	130.6	130.3	131.6	130.7	130.1	127.8	126.8
Men's and boys' apparel	125.9	127.1	127.5	125.3	126.0	127.8	131.2	130.3	131.5	128.0	123.7
Men's apparel	128.3	130.0	130.0	128.2	128.3	130.4	133.7	133.1	134.4	131.4	127.1
Men's suits, sport coats, and outerwear	131.3	132.8	137.4	136.0	133.7	133.3	135.8	133.2	135.8	130.0	128.1
Men's furnishings	122.2	123.6	123.0	122.7	120.0	124.6	134.1	133.1	137.6	135.2	130.5
Men's shirts and sweaters ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	100.6	99.5	99.9	94.1
Men's pants and shorts	126.1	129.2	127.8	125.8	127.0	129.2	129.0	128.9	128.9	123.6	121.9
Boys' apparel	116.2	115.0	117.1	113.2	116.2	116.8	120.7	118.8	119.8	114.5	110.3
Women's and girls' apparel	128.4	129.1	130.6	125.7	124.7	123.3	123.6	122.4	121.8	119.7	120.3
Women's apparel	128.0	128.4	131.0	125.3	124.1	123.0	123.7	123.0	122.3	120.1	121.5
Women's outerwear	121.1	126.2	131.8	119.0	123.5	126.1	126.7	122.1	118.5	121.8	120.0
Women's dresses	128.0	130.7	127.2	113.1	114.7	108.1	102.7	107.2	104.4	95.8	106.3
Women's suits and separates ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	98.2	98.1	96.5	97.6
Women's underwear, nightwear, sportswear and accessories ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	100.4	100.8	100.6	98.1
Girls' apparel	130.8	133.5	129.1	128.2	128.7	125.0	123.6	119.4	119.2	117.8	113.9
Footwear	121.8	125.1	125.8	123.6	124.1	125.9	128.2	127.5	123.7	123.8	122.9
Men's footwear	129.4	132.9	133.2	132.2	131.6	131.1	131.4	132.4	127.8	128.7	122.7
Boys' and girls' footwear	122.7	121.5	122.1	123.3	125.2	130.4	133.5	133.3	126.7	123.5	120.0
Women's footwear	115.5	120.6	121.5	117.1	117.8	119.6	122.7	120.6	118.8	120.0	123.8
Infants' and toddlers' apparel	129.2	130.7	127.1	131.3	128.7	126.9	125.8	129.6	133.0	128.2	129.3
Jewelry and watches ⁵	134.4	138.2	140.6	147.7	147.7	140.3	138.9	136.1	133.6	132.4	132.1
Watches ⁵	114.1	112.7	118.7	124.6	130.6	122.6	122.2	120.5	118.0	119.3	119.4
Jewelry ⁵	140.2	145.5	146.8	154.3	152.6	145.4	143.6	140.5	138.0	136.2	135.8
Transportation	125.3	129.0	132.1	137.1	139.1	145.2	143.2	140.7	148.3	154.4	155.5
Private transportation	123.4	126.7	128.6	134.9	136.6	141.7	140.0	137.2	144.4	150.3	151.2
New and used motor vehicles ¹	-	-	94.1	98.3	100.7	101.7	100.0	100.9	101.1	102.1	100.2
New vehicles	128.3	131.3	135.6	140.1	142.8	145.4	144.1	144.1	143.6	143.6	140.2
New cars and trucks ^{1 2}	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	100.0	99.6	99.6	97.3
New cars ²	127.6	130.5	134.2	138.5	140.7	143.0	141.5	141.3	140.1	140.5	137.1
New trucks ^{2 6}	129.6	132.9	139.0	144.1	148.2	151.5	151.4	152.1	153.1	152.2	148.4
New motorcycles ^{2 5}	123.7	128.7	138.0	148.9	156.5	162.4	163.7	164.3	168.0	NA	NA
Used cars and trucks	120.1	129.0	139.3	151.5	158.2	155.6	147.9	153.1	155.0	160.2	157.3
Car and truck rental ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	101.5	108.2	107.6	99.3
Motor fuel	98.4	100.2	94.8	100.4	96.4	108.6	101.9	86.2	112.2	127.8	131.4
Gasoline (all types)	98.1	100.1	94.2	100.2	96.0	107.9	101.3	85.7	111.5	127.0	130.7
Gasoline, unleaded regular ²	96.1	97.9	91.3	97.9	93.6	106.1	99.1	82.8	109.6	125.5	130.2
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ^{2 8}	-	-	100.0	105.3	100.6	112.4	105.9	90.7	116.2	131.5	133.4
Gasoline, unleaded premium ²	101.4	103.2	98.3	103.4	98.4	109.1	103.0	89.2	112.3	126.7	128.3
Other motor fuels ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	87.7	107.3	134.3	124.8
Motor vehicle parts and equipment	103.6	103.0	101.4	101.9	102.4	102.3	101.4	101.2	100.8	103.1	105.2
Tires	101.3	100.8	99.4	101.6	101.8	101.8	99.0	98.6	97.5	98.5	100.4
Vehicle accessories other than tires ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	99.9	100.3	103.6	105.8
Vehicle parts and equipment other than tires ²	110.2	109.5	107.7	106.3	107.3	107.0	108.2	108.3	108.6	110.1	111.1
Motor oil, coolant, and fluids ²	118.4	118.1	118.8	126.0	130.0	132.0	131.8	130.8	132.2	141.7	150.8
Motor vehicle maintenance and repair	138.4	143.2	147.7	151.9	155.7	160.6	164.7	169.6	173.8	179.9	185.1
Motor vehicle body work	141.9	145.8	150.0	155.7	161.2	168.6	176.2	181.5	184.2	191.1	197.3
Motor vehicle maintenance and servicing	133.8	136.6	139.4	141.3	144.2	148.2	152.1	156.5	160.3	165.0	170.2
Motor vehicle repair ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	103.0	105.8	109.7	112.8
Motor vehicle insurance	199.1	212.2	222.8	230.4	240.2	249.3	255.3	254.5	255.8	260.5	268.5
Motor vehicle fees ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	103.1	104.5	108.2	109.7
State and local registration and license ^{1 3}	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	101.4	102.2	105.3	105.8
Parking and other fees ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	107.0	109.9	114.8	118.6
Parking fees and tolls ^{1 2}	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	107.4	110.1	115.3	119.1
Automobile service clubs ^{1 2}	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	100.9	103.9	104.5	109.3
Public transportation	149.8	158.2	176.5	165.6	170.7	189.9	184.3	188.4	201.2	209.5	212.7
Airline fare	155.4	165.7	193.8	175.3	178.4	204.7	194.8	202.8	224.9	238.2	242.5
Other intercity transportation	152.0	152.2	148.0	151.4	152.6	155.2	156.3	161.1	158.9	156.3	153.4
Ship fare ^{1 2}	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	104.6	98.6	86.0	80.1
Intracity transportation	140.8	147.8	152.0	153.5	165.2	174.7	176.6	171.9	173.2	177.5	181.8

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 25. Historical Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, by commodity and service group and detailed expenditure categories-Continued

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Unadjusted indexes										Sep. 2001
	December										
	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	
Expenditure category											
Medical care	182.6	194.7	205.2	215.3	223.8	230.6	237.1	245.2	254.2	264.8	275.0
Medical care commodities	181.7	191.1	197.0	202.9	206.6	212.0	216.8	225.6	234.6	241.1	249.6
Prescription drugs and medical supplies	206.7	218.5	225.7	233.2	237.8	245.4	251.5	263.8	279.9	290.0	304.8
Nonprescription drugs and medical supplies ⁵	127.9	132.9	136.5	139.6	141.5	143.3	145.8	149.2	148.7	150.2	150.1
Internal and respiratory over-the-counter drugs	153.7	160.5	164.9	166.3	167.6	171.2	173.1	177.4	175.4	177.4	178.6
Nonprescription medical equipment and supplies	148.4	152.7	156.6	164.3	168.2	168.0	172.8	176.3	178.2	179.8	177.1
Medical care services	182.8	195.6	207.1	218.2	227.8	235.0	241.8	249.6	258.5	270.4	281.0
Professional services ³	169.8	179.4	187.4	196.0	203.9	211.0	217.5	224.6	231.7	240.3	247.9
Physicians' services ³	174.2	185.1	194.5	203.1	212.1	218.5	224.5	231.9	237.9	247.1	255.1
Dental services ³	173.0	183.1	191.1	201.4	210.4	221.1	230.0	240.2	251.3	262.2	270.5
Eyeglasses and eye care ^{3 5}	123.5	128.1	130.7	135.0	138.3	139.9	142.5	143.4	147.8	151.4	155.1
Services by other medical professionals ^{3 5}	129.2	133.2	137.5	143.0	144.1	148.4	153.0	156.7	159.3	163.4	168.6
Hospital and related services ³	203.5	221.4	238.2	251.3	262.8	273.7	282.5	291.4	306.3	325.3	342.6
Hospital services ^{3 9}	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	103.2	106.4	111.8	118.8	125.2
Inpatient hospital services ^{2 3 9}	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	102.5	105.2	110.1	116.3	122.3
Outpatient hospital services ^{2 3 5}	159.7	175.4	189.2	199.7	209.2	219.2	228.3	237.3	253.3	271.6	285.9
Nursing homes and adult daycare ^{3 9}	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	103.9	108.4	113.4	119.0	123.3
Recreation ¹	-	-	91.7	93.0	95.6	98.5	100.0	101.2	102.0	103.7	105.2
Video and audio ¹	-	-	96.6	94.2	94.6	97.7	100.0	100.7	100.1	100.7	101.3
Televisions	72.3	71.4	70.2	69.2	66.4	62.9	60.2	57.3	53.1	47.4	43.3
Cable television ^{3 6}	180.4	187.0	200.1	194.9	202.8	218.6	233.6	249.8	256.8	270.0	279.6
Other video equipment ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	87.0	73.5	60.4	51.1
Video cassettes, discs, and other media including rental ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	93.9	90.9	85.4	84.9
Video cassettes and discs, blank and prerecorded ^{1 2}	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	95.9	83.8	84.9	83.7
Rental of video tapes and discs ^{1 2}	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	92.9	99.5	91.3	92.7
Audio equipment	95.0	93.6	94.0	93.1	90.7	90.2	88.4	81.9	78.7	79.4	76.9
Audio discs, tapes and other media ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	100.0	101.3	104.0	106.6
Pets, pet products and services ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	101.9	103.9	106.9	110.6
Pets and pet products	129.6	128.3	129.5	130.8	135.4	142.6	142.1	142.9	144.5	143.6	147.3
Pet food ^{1 2}	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	101.4	102.2	102.3	104.9
Purchase of pets, pet supplies, accessories ^{1 2}	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	99.7	100.6	99.5	101.6
Pet services including veterinary ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	104.4	108.0	117.7	123.6
Pet services ^{1 2}	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	103.8	105.1	110.9	113.3
Veterinarian services ^{1 2}	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	104.6	108.3	118.1	124.7
Sporting goods	119.6	119.7	120.0	123.8	123.1	123.0	122.5	121.8	118.2	119.2	118.3
Sports vehicles including bicycles	117.6	120.1	120.0	124.7	124.8	124.9	124.3	127.7	128.3	132.4	132.6
Sports equipment	118.3	116.5	117.1	120.0	118.7	118.4	118.1	114.3	107.7	106.3	104.5
Photography ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	99.3	99.1	99.4	98.9
Photographic equipment and supplies	130.1	132.9	135.2	130.9	133.4	132.9	134.0	129.7	128.7	125.0	123.3
Film and photographic supplies ^{1 2}	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	99.2	97.6	96.0	96.5
Photographic equipment ^{1 2}	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	94.8	93.9	90.1	86.1
Photographers and film processing ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	101.0	101.1	103.7	103.7
Photographer fees ^{1 2}	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	101.3	-	104.2	108.5
Film processing ^{1 2}	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	100.1	100.3	101.1	99.6
Other recreational goods ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	95.0	88.7	86.4	84.6
Toys	118.1	121.1	122.9	121.8	123.0	126.4	124.4	116.8	107.4	103.4	99.9
Toys, games, hobbies and playground equipment ^{1 2}	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	95.0	88.3	85.9	84.0
Video game hardware, software and accessories ^{1 2}	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	-	-	NA	NA
Sewing machines, fabric and supplies ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	98.1	95.2	95.2	97.6
Music instruments and accessories ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	99.6	98.7	100.1	100.6
Recreation services ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	103.7	109.1	113.3	116.8
Club membership dues and fees for participant sports ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	105.0	106.6	110.1	111.2
Admissions	161.0	167.3	170.3	177.1	186.4	193.8	200.3	205.8	223.6	234.8	245.9
Admission to movies, theaters, and concerts ^{1 2}	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	101.9	111.8	116.4	119.7
Admission to sporting events ^{1 2}	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	105.0	112.7	119.2	126.8
Fees for lessons or instructions ⁵	132.4	139.2	144.7	151.8	156.3	165.5	174.1	178.9	187.1	190.5	196.6
Recreational reading materials	147.3	152.8	158.2	163.9	173.6	178.2	180.2	185.7	187.0	189.4	192.6
Newspapers and magazines ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	103.4	105.4	107.1	109.4
Recreational books ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	102.5	100.6	101.3	102.0

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 25. Historical Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, by commodity and service group and detailed expenditure categories-Continued

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Unadjusted indexes											Sep. 2001
	December											
	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000		
Expenditure category												
Education and communication ¹	-	-	87.4	90.3	93.9	97.1	100.0	100.7	102.3	103.6	106.6	
Education ¹	-	-	81.2	85.9	90.7	95.1	100.0	104.7	109.3	115.5	121.7	
Educational books and supplies	184.7	193.8	200.4	207.4	219.0	231.1	242.8	257.3	256.0	285.4	305.4	
Tuition, other school fees, and childcare	201.4	218.5	234.0	247.8	261.6	274.3	288.5	301.7	316.3	332.7	350.0	
College tuition and fees	205.1	225.7	243.5	258.9	273.7	288.3	301.7	313.6	326.1	340.9	359.9	
Elementary and high school tuition and fees	207.3	223.7	237.0	251.6	268.2	280.5	300.6	318.7	340.1	361.4	387.1	
Child care and nursery school ⁷	106.3	111.0	116.7	122.2	126.9	131.6	137.6	144.2	151.6	160.1	166.5	
Technical and business school tuition and fees ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	107.1	113.8	119.0	124.6	
Communication ¹	-	-	97.3	97.3	99.0	100.3	100.0	97.1	95.9	93.0	93.1	
Postage and delivery services ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	100.1	103.1	103.2	108.1	
Postage	145.3	145.3	145.3	145.3	160.3	160.3	160.3	160.3	165.1	165.1	172.7	
Delivery services ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	104.2	110.0	116.0	124.4	
Information and information processing ¹	-	-	98.3	98.3	98.9	100.3	100.0	96.9	95.4	92.2	92.0	
Telephone services ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	100.3	100.7	98.4	99.2	
Telephone services, local charges ³	155.0	155.7	157.2	156.7	160.7	162.1	163.8	166.0	170.7	180.1	186.9	
Telephone services, long distance charges ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	99.9	98.6	89.5	87.6	
Interstate toll calls ²	68.3	67.4	71.8	75.7	75.8	78.6	75.2	74.6	74.1	65.8	64.3	
Intrastate toll calls ²	93.1	90.9	91.1	90.2	86.8	92.1	94.7	96.1	94.6	88.9	87.1	
Cellular telephone services ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	91.7	81.1	71.1	67.2	
Information and information processing other than telephone services ¹⁰	86.6	81.3	75.1	68.3	61.0	53.9	47.4	34.8	28.2	23.8	20.3	
Personal computers and peripheral equipment ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	64.2	47.2	36.5	26.7	
Computer software and accessories ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	90.0	88.2	81.5	77.7	
Computer information processing services ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	103.3	96.0	95.7	100.2	
Other information processing equipment ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	90.3	79.6	70.8	66.7	
Other goods and services	177.6	189.1	194.2	202.4	211.1	218.7	230.1	250.3	263.0	274.0	287.8	
Tobacco and smoking products	211.7	228.9	215.5	222.0	228.1	234.3	251.2	331.2	369.1	396.6	444.0	
Cigarettes ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	133.7	149.1	160.4	180.5	
Tobacco products other than cigarettes ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	105.5	115.5	121.7	124.3	
Personal care	135.7	139.6	143.1	145.8	148.9	150.5	154.0	158.3	162.9	167.8	171.9	
Personal care products	133.4	137.8	140.1	142.6	144.1	142.8	145.3	148.7	152.5	155.5	155.5	
Hair, dental, shaving, and miscellaneous personal care products ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	100.4	101.0	104.9	104.4	
Cosmetics, perfume, bath, nail preparations and implements	135.1	137.0	143.4	144.8	146.9	150.6	153.9	160.8	167.8	168.1	168.9	
Personal care services	138.0	141.3	146.1	149.2	154.3	159.2	163.9	168.3	174.3	181.3	185.5	
Haircuts and other personal care services ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	102.7	106.3	110.6	113.2	
Miscellaneous personal services	172.4	179.8	190.3	199.4	210.0	218.3	230.0	237.8	246.6	255.7	266.4	
Legal services ⁵	131.9	137.2	145.1	147.9	153.5	159.3	167.5	174.6	183.5	192.6	203.2	
Funeral expenses ⁵	128.0	133.2	140.4	148.6	156.6	164.0	172.3	179.1	185.1	189.8	196.2	
Laundry and dry cleaning services ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	102.3	104.6	107.1	111.2	
Apparel services other than laundry and dry cleaning ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	101.7	104.6	108.6	112.6	
Financial services ⁵	137.5	144.4	153.9	165.9	177.6	183.6	194.7	201.6	210.5	218.2	225.6	
Checking account and other bank services ^{1 2}	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	102.2	106.8	110.4	114.3	
Tax return preparation and other accounting fees ^{1 2}	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	105.8	112.2	117.4	122.1	
Miscellaneous personal goods ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	100.6	98.2	96.0	95.0	
Stationery, stationery supplies, gift wrap ²	127.5	131.3	136.1	138.2	147.2	151.8	158.1	160.7	157.2	155.6	154.4	
Special aggregate indexes												
Commodities	127.5	130.1	132.0	135.1	137.0	141.4	141.7	142.2	146.1	150.0	151.5	
Commodities less food and beverages	121.5	124.3	125.1	127.6	128.9	132.1	131.2	130.2	134.4	137.8	138.0	
Nondurables less food and beverages	124.5	127.4	126.5	128.1	128.8	133.7	133.5	132.1	140.9	147.2	149.6	
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel	126.0	129.6	127.7	131.5	132.7	140.5	139.5	137.8	152.1	163.1	167.5	
Durables	117.2	120.1	123.3	126.9	129.0	129.9	128.0	127.4	125.9	125.9	123.4	
Services	148.8	154.2	160.0	164.7	170.4	176.1	181.0	185.7	190.5	198.0	204.9	
Rent of shelter ⁴	154.2	158.7	163.5	168.3	174.2	179.3	185.3	191.5	196.3	203.1	210.3	
Transportation services	153.7	159.2	166.9	171.1	176.3	184.1	186.0	188.4	192.8	198.3	202.8	
Other services	164.1	172.8	181.6	188.9	197.3	205.0	213.1	219.5	226.5	233.0	240.6	
All items less food	138.1	142.5	146.4	150.2	154.2	159.0	161.8	164.2	168.8	174.7	179.0	
All items less shelter	135.0	139.1	142.7	146.3	149.6	154.7	156.4	157.8	162.1	167.5	170.9	
All items less medical care	135.3	138.9	142.5	146.0	149.6	154.5	157.0	159.4	163.6	169.0	173.0	
Commodities less food	122.4	125.3	126.1	128.5	129.9	133.3	132.6	131.7	135.9	139.3	139.7	
Nondurables less food	125.5	128.5	127.8	129.5	130.4	135.3	135.3	134.2	142.8	149.0	151.5	
Nondurables less food and apparel	126.9	130.5	129.1	132.6	134.0	141.5	141.0	139.7	153.2	163.6	168.0	
Nondurables	131.1	133.6	135.1	137.8	139.7	145.3	146.5	147.5	153.6	159.1	162.3	

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 25. Historical Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, by commodity and service group and detailed expenditure categories-Continued

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Unadjusted indexes										
	December										Sep 2001
	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	
Special aggregate indexes											
Apparel less footwear	128.2	129.4	130.3	127.9	127.7	126.6	127.6	126.7	126.8	124.1	123.0
Services less rent of shelter ⁴	153.9	160.7	167.8	172.7	178.5	185.2	189.5	192.8	198.0	206.9	213.9
Services less medical care services	145.5	150.3	155.6	159.7	165.0	170.6	175.4	179.8	184.3	191.5	198.1
Energy	101.9	103.9	102.4	104.7	103.3	112.2	108.4	98.9	112.2	128.1	132.5
All items less energy	142.8	147.1	151.7	155.7	160.2	164.8	168.3	172.3	175.7	180.2	184.5
All items less food and energy	144.4	149.2	153.9	157.9	162.7	167.0	170.7	174.8	178.2	182.8	187.1
Commodities less food and energy commodities	130.3	133.6	135.7	137.6	140.0	141.5	142.1	143.9	144.2	145.1	145.2
Energy commodities	98.2	99.4	94.3	99.2	95.9	109.1	101.6	86.3	111.8	129.3	131.0
Services less energy services	152.5	158.2	164.3	169.6	175.7	181.5	186.9	192.5	197.7	204.4	211.2
Domestically produced farm food	137.2	139.6	144.5	148.1	151.5	160.1	161.1	165.0	167.8	173.2	177.6
Utilities and public transportation	126.7	130.7	136.5	135.1	137.5	144.4	145.0	145.0	147.9	156.5	161.7

- ¹ Indexes on a December 1997=100 base.
² Special index based on a substantially smaller sample.
³ This index series was calculated using a Laspeyres estimator. All other item stratum index series converted to a geometric means estimator in January, 1999.
⁴ Indexes on a December 1982=100 base.
⁵ Indexes on a December 1986=100 base.
⁶ Indexes on a December 1983=100 base.

- ⁷ Indexes on a December 1990=100 base.
⁸ Indexes on a December 1993=100 base.
⁹ Indexes on a December 1996=100 base.
¹⁰ Indexes on a December 1988=100 base.
NA Data not adequate for publication.
- Data not available.
NOTE: Index applies to a month as a whole, not to any specific date.

Table 26. Historical Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, by commodity and service group and detailed expenditure categories

Item and group	Percent change from previous December										Sep. 2001
	December										
	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	
Expenditure category											
All items	3.1	2.9	2.7	2.7	2.5	3.3	1.7	1.6	2.7	3.4	2.5
Food and beverages	2.5	1.6	2.7	2.7	2.1	4.2	1.6	2.3	2.0	2.8	2.4
Food	1.9	1.5	2.9	2.9	2.1	4.3	1.5	2.3	1.9	2.8	2.4
Food at home	1.3	1.5	3.5	3.5	2.0	4.9	1.0	2.1	1.7	2.9	2.4
Cereals and bakery products	3.5	4.0	3.7	3.3	3.2	3.7	1.5	2.2	2.0	2.6	2.3
Cereals and cereal products	3.5	3.8	3.4	3.1	2.5	-1.2	1.8	1.4	1.2	.9	2.4
Flour and prepared flour mixes	-4	5.4	-2	1.8	6.3	7.5	-4	2.0	-1.8	.7	9.2
Breakfast cereal	4.8	3.9	4.7	2.4	1.6	-4.2	1.6	2.0	2.1	1.2	1.1
Rice, pasta, cornmeal	2.9	2.1	2.2	5.9	2.4	.8	4.0	.1	.9	.4	2.2
Rice ^{1 2}	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	.0	.1	-1.2	-1.2
Bakery products	3.5	4.2	3.7	3.5	3.5	6.0	1.4	2.5	2.4	3.5	2.3
Bread ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.5	2.0	4.6	3.8
White bread ²	1.5	4.1	6.9	2.7	5.5	8.3	1.5	1.8	1.7	4.7	3.9
Bread other than white ²	4.6	5.4	3.6	3.4	5.7	5.3	3.4	3.5	3.0	5.4	2.7
Fresh biscuits, rolls, muffins ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.7	3.3	3.0	1.9
Cakes, cupcakes, and cookies	4.8	2.3	3.5	3.7	1.4	4.2	.7	2.2	2.9	1.8	-2
Cookies ²	5.0	1.4	4.1	3.8	2.4	3.6	1.0	2.1	4.0	-1.3	.6
Fresh cakes and cupcakes ²	3.9	4.3	3.5	5.7	2.8	3.4	1.7	2.2	2.6	3.5	.3
Other bakery products	4.1	4.9	2.0	3.2	3.0	6.0	.4	2.9	1.8	4.1	3.3
Fresh sweetrolls, coffeecakes, doughnuts ²	3.6	3.4	5.7	2.8	5.9	2.9	2.0	-3.8	2.6	7.7	3.9
Crackers, bread, and cracker products ²	5.5	7.9	-2.5	1.0	2.9	12.6	-2	4.5	1.9	3.0	3.7
Frozen and refrigerated bakery products, pies, tarts, turnovers ²	3.9	3.6	4.7	2.7	5.6	2.4	3.9	3.7	.1	3.6	3.7
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	-1.5	.4	3.8	-5	4.1	5.6	-1.1	-7	1.7	4.5	3.7
Meats, poultry, and fish	-1.3	.8	4.1	-6	3.0	5.2	-6	-5	2.4	4.0	4.3
Meats	-2.1	.2	3.7	-1.6	2.6	5.2	-7	-2.2	3.6	5.2	5.6
Beef and veal	-1.0	.8	3.7	-2.2	-1	2.4	-7	.1	4.4	5.5	6.8
Uncooked ground beef	-1.4	-6	3.9	-4.3	-1.7	1.6	-1.0	-4	4.4	6.1	6.5
Uncooked beef roasts ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.2	1.9	6.4	7.7
Uncooked beef steaks ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	.6	5.5	4.5	6.6
Uncooked other beef and veal ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-2.2	4.6	5.3	5.8
Pork	-6.1	-9	4.5	-2.3	7.3	11.3	-1.5	-5.8	3.1	5.8	6.7
Bacon, breakfast sausage, and related products ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-3.2	3.6	7.4	8.4
Bacon and related products ²	-11.6	-3.5	11.7	-2.0	13.4	24.0	-7	-4.5	4.8	8.7	11.8
Breakfast sausage and related products ^{1 2}	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-7	2.0	6.9	3.6
Ham	-4.9	-1.7	1.6	-1.7	7.0	9.2	-2.0	-6.0	1.0	4.0	6.8
Ham, excluding canned ²	-7.1	-1.7	2.3	-1.7	6.9	10.8	-2.1	-6.3	1.8	4.7	7.5
Pork chops	-4.5	2.5	4.5	-4.8	5.3	6.7	-3.7	-7.1	4.9	5.9	4.4
Other pork including roasts and picnics ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-8.2	2.4	5.1	6.5
Other meats	.8	.2	2.6	.7	3.0	3.4	.5	-1.0	2.7	3.7	1.2
Frankfurters ²	1.4	-6	3.2	-2.8	3.7	3.2	.8	-3.2	5.8	3.2	-1.2
Lunchmeats ^{1 2}	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-2	1.6	2.8	1.7
Lamb and organ meats ²	1.6	3.0	4.5	3.6	4.6	5.9	.1	3.4	-6.7	9.3	2.8
Lamb and mutton ^{1 2}	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.6	-2.8	5.6	-1.5
Poultry	.4	2.7	5.5	-5	4.2	7.9	-1.6	2.6	-1.1	2.0	2.9
Chicken ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.5	-2.1	1.8	2.1
Fresh whole chicken ²	-5	4.2	4.4	-1.3	3.9	9.3	.4	2.2	-.4	1.4	3.9
Fresh and frozen chicken parts ²	1.2	1.6	7.2	-2.5	4.9	7.5	-4.4	4.0	-3.1	2.1	1.8
Other poultry including turkey ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	.1	2.2	2.6	5.8
Fish and seafood	1.3	1.1	4.4	5.2	3.1	1.7	1.2	3.7	1.7	1.4	-2
Fresh fish and seafood ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.5	2.8	3.9	-1.4
Processed fish and seafood ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.8	.5	-1.8	1.4
Canned fish and seafood ²	-5	1.4	2.4	1.4	.8	.8	2.3	3.9	-2.2	-4.7	2.9
Frozen fish and seafood ²	1.8	1.0	4.9	6.2	3.7	2.0	1.0	-	-	2.2	-3
Eggs	-4.0	-4.7	-1.4	.3	25.0	12.0	-7.2	-5.4	-13.2	17.3	-9.7
Dairy and related products	.6	1.3	.9	1.1	2.6	10.1	-5	6.6	2.9	-.4	4.9
Milk ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.1	3.4	-.4	3.8
Fresh whole milk ²	-4	1.8	2.2	.4	2.0	10.9	-1.7	6.4	2.2	.9	4.4
Fresh milk other than whole ^{1 2}	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.1	4.3	-.1	3.0
Cheese and related products	1.8	.2	-6	1.0	2.2	8.0	-1.2	7.2	4.0	-2.5	6.5
Ice cream and related products	1.2	.4	.7	3.5	2.6	7.7	.9	7.2	.8	1.8	5.0
Other dairy and related products ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.0	1.8	1.5	4.2
Fruits and vegetables	4.4	2.2	6.6	8.3	-1.3	5.2	2.2	4.9	1.9	5.2	-1.4

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Table 26. Historical Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, by commodity and service group and detailed expenditure categories-Continued

Item and group	Percent change from previous December										Sep. 2001
	December										
	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	
Expenditure category											
Fresh fruits and vegetables	7.6	2.5	9.3	11.9	-3.1	4.8	2.8	5.8	2.0	6.2	-3.0
Fresh fruits	10.2	-3.6	13.0	3.7	5.2	12.0	-4.7	8.1	3.2	.8	-1.1
Apples	12.1	-9.3	8.3	-2.2	15.0	3.5	-.1	-1.1	5.5	.2	6.4
Bananas	.0	-3.1	2.7	12.1	2.4	7.5	-3.8	9.3	-2.5	-.2	2.9
Citrus fruits ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18.0	7.1	-4.7	37.7
Oranges, including tangerines ²	22.3	-16.1	13.2	.7	15.7	-3.4	-5.2	18.5	6.7	-10.3	53.6
Other fresh fruits ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.6	2.8	4.3	-24.1
Fresh vegetables	4.7	10.2	5.3	21.6	-11.4	-3.8	13.2	3.5	.8	12.2	-5.0
Potatoes	-3.7	6.4	20.3	-6.5	13.7	-8.6	9.2	1.7	7.1	-5.9	21.7
Lettuce	11.9	7.6	-16.9	79.8	-37.0	7.2	18.4	-8.8	6.7	32.4	-9.8
Tomatoes	-3.9	55.3	2.0	18.5	3.9	-20.3	31.0	11.2	-17.2	22.5	-22.1
Other fresh vegetables	7.5	2.5	7.3	21.1	-15.2	1.5	8.4	4.1	4.8	10.7	-5.5
Processed fruits and vegetables ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.0	1.4	1.8	4.5
Canned fruits and vegetables ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.3	.6	1.9	4.4
Canned fruits ^{1 2}	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.7	1.9	3.0	2.1
Canned vegetables ^{1 2}	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.1	.5	2.0	6.5
Frozen fruits and vegetables ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.5	3.0	2.0	5.8
Frozen vegetables ²	.6	.7	4.0	.8	2.9	2.4	2.9	1.7	2.7	3.1	5.8
Other processed fruits and vegetables including dried ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	.1	.6	1.3	1.0
Dried beans, peas, and lentils ^{1 2}	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	.5	-2.1	.6	.5
Nonalcoholic beverages and beverage materials	-5	-2	2.2	14.7	-1.7	-2.0	4.9	-1.1	2.3	1.5	1.8
Juices and nonalcoholic drinks ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-.1	3.0	1.9	2.4
Carbonated drinks	1.0	1.6	1.7	-3	2.9	-.4	-1.6	-1.0	3.2	2.1	3.0
Frozen noncarbonated juices and drinks ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.7	4.3	1.9	.4
Nonfrozen noncarbonated juices and drinks ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	.1	2.8	1.7	2.1
Beverage materials including coffee and tea ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-3.5	.1	.2	.3
Coffee	-5.2	-5.3	5.4	55.4	-9.6	-6.7	16.9	-8.8	-1.7	-3.2	-1.4
Roasted coffee ²	-6.6	-6.1	6.6	63.9	-10.9	-8.7	22.2	-	-	-3.6	-2.9
Instant and freeze dried coffee ²	-2.1	-3.4	3.7	36.4	-5.7	-2.4	6.8	-	-	-.6	2.3
Other beverage materials including tea ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.3	1.9	4.1	2.0
Other food at home	1.5	.9	2.0	6.0	1.2	2.2	2.9	3.2	.6	2.0	2.5
Sugar and sweets	3.6	.9	.9	.9	3.0	4.5	2.2	1.5	1.5	.8	2.0
Sugar and artificial sweeteners	.0	1.0	1.1	1.8	4.2	3.4	.8	.4	.3	-.4	6.9
Candy and chewing gum ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.1	1.9	1.2	.3
Other sweets ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.8	1.4	1.0	2.3
Fats and oils	-1.3	-.7	.8	3.7	2.5	2.3	-.3	8.3	-4.5	3.5	5.5
Butter and margarine ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	20.5	-13.2	8.3	14.2
Butter ²	-.5	-6.8	-6.8	-.5	14.5	21.9	12.6	31.7	-22.4	12.4	27.6
Margarine ²	-1.6	-2.2	1.1	7.0	1.6	2.8	-.9	6.0	-1.7	2.3	3.4
Salad dressing ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.4	.7	1.7	1.7
Other fats and oils including peanut butter ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.1	-.1	1.0	1.0
Peanut butter ^{1 2}	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.2	3.5	2.3	2.1
Other foods	3.0	2.2	2.6	2.2	2.7	4.5	2.5	2.5	1.5	1.9	2.0
Soups	6.0	5.7	4.4	4.1	3.4	4.8	2.3	1.4	.0	2.7	3.5
Frozen and freeze dried prepared foods	1.6	.5	-.1	.2	.6	4.6	-.9	1.5	-.2	2.3	1.3
Snacks	1.3	-.2	2.9	1.8	3.4	5.8	2.6	.8	3.6	2.6	.1
Spices, seasonings, condiments, sauces	4.0	4.1	2.6	2.4	3.9	4.5	2.7	2.4	1.5	-1.1	5.9
Salt and other seasonings and spices ^{1 2}	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	.4	2.6	-1.9	4.6
Olives, pickles, relishes ^{1 2}	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.3	-1.4	.3	12.5
Sauces and gravies ^{1 2}	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.6	2.8	.9	2.8
Other condiments ²	4.6	4.8	.0	2.1	3.6	4.3	4.9	2.8	3.7	5.7	3.0
Baby food ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.3	4.1	4.1	2.1
Other miscellaneous foods ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.9	.8	3.0	.0
Prepared salads ^{1 2}	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Food away from home	2.9	1.4	1.9	1.9	2.2	3.1	2.6	2.5	2.3	2.4	2.5
Full service meals and snacks ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.8	2.2	2.8	2.8
Limited service meals and snacks ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.2	2.6	2.8	2.3
Food at employee sites and schools ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.5	2.0	-.2	1.9
Food from vending machines and mobile vendors ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	.9	.7	1.5	1.4
Other food away from home ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.3	3.5	3.9	3.8
Alcoholic beverages	9.9	2.9	1.5	1.0	2.0	3.6	2.2	2.0	2.8	2.7	2.2

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Table 26. Historical Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, by commodity and service group and detailed expenditure categories-Continued

Item and group	Percent change from previous December										Sep. 2001
	December										
	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	
Expenditure category											
Alcoholic beverages at home	11.6	2.1	0.5	-0.1	0.9	3.4	0.9	1.4	2.7	2.4	1.7
Beer, ale, and other malt beverages at home	11.8	2.8	.3	-.1	.6	2.9	-.5	1.6	2.9	3.1	1.6
Distilled spirits at home	9.2	1.4	.9	.8	.9	2.1	2.3	.7	3.7	3.1	3.8
Whiskey at home ²	8.1	.9	1.7	.8	2.0	1.9	2.4	1.1	2.3	2.1	3.1
Distilled spirits, excluding whiskey, at home ²	10.1	1.2	.4	-.1	.4	1.9	2.8	.5	4.2	3.5	4.7
Wine at home	14.0	1.5	.5	-1.4	1.6	6.2	2.4	1.4	1.8	.9	.3
Alcoholic beverages away from home	8.2	3.8	2.6	2.4	3.2	3.8	3.7	2.9	2.7	3.4	3.1
Beer, ale, and other malt beverages away from home ^{1 2}	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.9	3.2	3.3	1.7
Wine away from home ^{1 2}	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.2	.9	5.1	4.4
Distilled spirits away from home ^{1 2}	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.4	2.3	3.6	3.4
Housing	3.4	2.6	2.7	2.2	3.0	2.9	2.4	2.3	2.2	4.3	3.2
Shelter	3.9	2.9	3.0	3.0	3.5	2.9	3.4	3.3	2.5	3.4	3.5
Rent of primary residence ³	2.9	2.3	2.2	2.5	2.5	2.8	3.1	3.4	3.1	4.0	3.4
Lodging away from home ^{1 3}	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.8	1.9	2.8	7.4
Housing at school, excluding board ^{3 4}	5.8	7.3	2.8	4.2	4.3	4.0	4.9	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.5
Other lodging away from home including hotels and motels	8.5	3.8	3.8	1.3	4.3	5.1	6.2	3.7	1.7	2.7	7.7
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence ^{3 4}	3.7	3.0	3.2	3.3	3.7	2.8	3.1	3.2	2.4	3.4	3.1
Tenants' and household insurance ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-.1	2.3	2.4	1.9
Fuels and utilities	2.9	2.3	2.5	.2	1.4	4.6	.5	-2.6	2.4	12.1	3.6
Fuels	.9	2.3	1.7	-.5	.7	5.6	-1.1	-3.8	2.4	14.5	3.9
Fuel oil and other fuels	-17.0	-3.1	-3.8	.1	1.4	23.1	-11.9	-11.4	23.5	36.3	-13.5
Fuel oil	-19.9	-3.4	-4.6	.0	1.5	23.3	-11.7	-15.2	30.9	40.5	-15.8
Other household fuels ⁵	-9.6	-2.4	-2.0	.4	.8	22.9	-12.3	-2.3	7.9	25.7	-6.8
Gas (piped) and electricity ³	3.5	2.8	2.2	-.6	.8	3.8	.2	-3.3	1.2	12.7	5.5
Electricity ³	5.0	1.7	.6	.6	2.7	.7	-1.3	-3.2	.7	2.6	15.4
Utility natural gas service ³	.3	5.1	5.8	-3.2	-3.6	11.0	3.3	-3.5	2.1	36.7	-12.0
Water and sewer and trash collection services ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.7	1.9	3.1	2.3
Water and sewerage maintenance ³	7.8	6.6	4.8	4.2	2.9	3.5	4.0	2.7	1.8	3.3	2.5
Garbage and trash collection ⁶	11.5	8.5	5.2	5.0	2.9	1.8	2.0	2.8	2.5	2.0	1.9
Household furnishings and operations	2.3	1.6	1.8	.4	2.5	1.0	.1	1.2	-.2	1.7	.6
Window and floor coverings and other linens ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.2	-1.9	1.8	-3.0
Floor coverings ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.3	-2.0	7.0	.3
Window coverings ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	.1	-.6	1.7	-5.4
Other linens ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.5	-2.8	-1.3	-3.2
Furniture and bedding	1.0	4.5	3.6	1.6	4.2	1.0	-.7	1.4	-1.3	.4	-2.2
Bedroom furniture	4.1	6.1	5.3	-1.9	2.3	3.4	.8	-.6	-.8	-2.3	-1.4
Living room, kitchen, and dining room furniture ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.6	-.7	2.1	-1.6
Other furniture ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.3	-3.8	-.6	-5.4
Appliances ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-1.1	-1.2	-2.9	.0
Major appliances ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-1.5	-.1	-2.1	1.2
Laundry equipment ²	-1.5	.7	.8	3.3	-.7	3.1	.2	-2.5	.7	.5	.4
Other appliances ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-.4	-2.8	-4.1	-1.8
Other household equipment and furnishings ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-.1	-3.1	-.7	-.1
Clocks, lamps, and decorator items	4.6	2.1	-1.7	-.3	3.7	-4.2	3.4	-1.2	-4.9	-4.4	-1.3
Indoor plants and flowers ⁷	7.0	5.6	-2.7	3.7	1.3	.7	-8.0	2.1	-.5	5.5	1.5
Dishes and flatware ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-.6	-3.3	-2.8	-.6
Nonelectric cookware and tableware ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-.5	-2.4	-.8	.1
Tools, hardware, outdoor equipment and supplies ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-.4	-1.2	-2.0	.7
Tools, hardware and supplies ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-2.6	-.1	.5	-.9
Outdoor equipment and supplies ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	.5	-1.8	-3.1	1.5
Housekeeping supplies	1.8	-.2	1.9	.8	5.2	1.1	1.4	2.0	1.9	4.7	2.8
Household cleaning products ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.7	1.1	4.7	2.0
Household paper products ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.7	5.8	8.0	2.5
Miscellaneous household products ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.8	.1	2.1	4.1
Household operations ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.0	2.9	6.1	3.6
Domestic services ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.3	3.5	4.5	2.4
Gardening and lawn care services ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.5	2.4	9.0	3.6
Moving, storage, freight expense ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.3	2.5	5.1	3.7
Repair of household items ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.6	2.6	5.4	6.4
Apparel	3.4	1.4	.9	-1.6	.1	-.2	1.0	-.7	-.5	-1.8	-.8

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Table 26. Historical Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, by commodity and service group and detailed expenditure categories-Continued

Item and group	Percent change from previous December										Sep. 2001
	December										
	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	
Expenditure category											
Men's and boys' apparel	2.9	1.0	0.3	-1.7	0.6	1.4	2.7	-0.7	0.9	-2.7	-3.4
Men's apparel	3.1	1.3	.0	-1.4	.1	1.6	2.5	-.4	1.0	-2.2	-3.3
Men's suits, sport coats, and outerwear	2.4	1.1	3.5	-1.0	-1.7	-.3	1.9	-1.9	2.0	-4.3	-1.5
Men's furnishings	2.0	1.1	-.5	-.2	-2.2	3.8	7.6	-.7	3.4	-1.7	-3.5
Men's shirts and sweaters ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	.6	-1.1	.4	-5.8
Men's pants and shorts	3.4	2.5	-1.1	-1.6	1.0	1.7	-.2	-.1	.0	-4.1	-1.4
Boys' apparel	2.8	-1.0	1.8	-3.3	2.7	.5	3.3	-1.6	.8	-4.4	-3.7
Women's and girls' apparel	4.0	.5	1.2	-3.8	-.8	-1.1	.2	-1.0	-.5	-1.7	.5
Women's apparel	3.1	.3	2.0	-4.4	-1.0	-.9	.6	-.6	-.6	-1.8	1.2
Women's outerwear	3.3	4.2	4.4	-9.7	3.8	2.1	.5	-3.6	-2.9	2.8	-1.5
Women's dresses	-2.4	2.1	-2.7	-11.1	1.4	-5.8	-5.0	4.4	-2.6	-8.2	11.0
Women's suits and separates ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-1.8	-.1	-1.6	1.1
Women's underwear, nightwear, sportswear and accessories ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	.4	.4	-.2	-2.5
Girls' apparel	8.8	2.1	-3.3	-.7	.4	-2.9	-1.1	-3.4	-.2	-1.2	-3.3
Footwear	2.9	2.7	.6	-1.7	.4	1.5	1.8	-.5	-3.0	.1	-.7
Men's footwear	3.0	2.7	.2	-.8	-.5	-.4	.2	.8	-3.5	.7	-4.7
Boys' and girls' footwear	-.2	-1.0	.5	1.0	1.5	4.2	2.4	-.1	-5.0	-2.5	-2.8
Women's footwear	4.1	4.4	.7	-3.6	.6	1.5	2.6	-1.7	-1.5	1.0	3.2
Infants' and toddlers' apparel	2.9	1.2	-2.8	3.3	-2.0	-1.4	-.9	3.0	2.6	-3.6	.9
Jewelry and watches ⁵	3.9	2.8	1.7	5.0	.0	-5.0	-1.0	-2.0	-1.8	-.9	-.2
Watches ⁵	3.4	-1.2	5.3	5.0	4.8	-6.1	-.3	-1.4	-2.1	1.1	.1
Jewelry ⁵	3.9	3.8	.9	5.1	-1.1	-4.7	-1.2	-2.2	-1.8	-1.3	-.3
Transportation	-1.5	3.0	2.4	3.8	1.5	4.4	-1.4	-1.7	5.4	4.1	.7
Private transportation	-1.4	2.7	1.5	4.9	1.3	3.7	-1.2	-2.0	5.2	4.1	.6
New and used motor vehicles ¹	-	-	-	4.5	2.4	1.0	-1.7	.9	.2	1.0	-1.9
New vehicles	3.2	2.3	3.3	3.3	1.9	1.8	-.9	.0	-.3	.0	-2.4
New cars and trucks ^{1 2}	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	.0	-.4	.0	-2.3
New cars ²	3.3	2.3	2.8	3.2	1.6	1.6	-1.0	-.1	-.8	.3	-2.4
New trucks ^{2 6}	3.0	2.5	4.6	3.7	2.8	2.2	-.1	.5	.7	-.6	-2.5
New motorcycles ^{2 5}	5.4	4.0	7.2	7.9	5.1	3.8	.8	.4	2.3	-	-
Used cars and trucks	2.6	7.4	8.0	8.8	4.4	-1.6	-4.9	3.5	1.2	3.4	-1.8
Car and truck rental ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.5	6.6	-.6	-7.7
Motor fuel	-16.0	1.8	-5.4	5.9	-4.0	12.7	-6.2	-15.4	30.2	13.9	2.8
Gasoline (all types)	-16.2	2.0	-5.9	6.4	-4.2	12.4	-6.1	-15.4	30.1	13.9	2.9
Gasoline, unleaded regular ²	-16.7	1.9	-6.7	7.2	-4.4	13.4	-6.6	-16.4	32.4	14.5	3.7
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ^{2 8}	-	-	-	5.3	-4.5	11.7	-5.8	-14.4	28.1	13.2	1.4
Gasoline, unleaded premium ²	-14.6	1.8	-4.7	5.2	-4.8	10.9	-5.6	-13.4	25.9	12.8	1.3
Other motor fuels ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-12.3	22.3	25.2	-7.1
Motor vehicle parts and equipment	1.6	-.6	-1.6	.5	.5	-.1	-.9	-.2	-.4	2.3	2.0
Tires	2.3	-.5	-1.4	2.2	.2	.0	-2.8	-.4	-1.1	1.0	1.9
Vehicle accessories other than tires ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-.1	.4	3.3	2.1
Vehicle parts and equipment other than tires ²	.7	-.6	-1.6	-1.3	.9	-.3	1.1	.1	.3	1.4	.9
Motor oil, coolant, and fluids ²	.8	-.3	.6	6.1	3.2	1.5	-.2	-.8	1.1	7.2	6.4
Motor vehicle maintenance and repair	4.5	3.5	3.1	2.8	2.5	3.1	2.6	3.0	2.5	3.5	2.9
Motor vehicle body work	2.5	2.7	2.9	3.8	3.5	4.6	4.5	3.0	1.5	3.7	3.2
Motor vehicle maintenance and servicing	5.4	2.1	2.0	1.4	2.1	2.8	2.6	2.9	2.4	2.9	3.2
Motor vehicle repair ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.0	2.7	3.7	2.8
Motor vehicle insurance	8.0	6.6	5.0	3.4	4.3	3.8	2.4	-.3	.5	1.8	3.1
Motor vehicle fees ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.1	1.4	3.5	1.4
State and local registration and license ^{1 3}	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.4	.8	3.0	.5
Parking and other fees ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7.0	2.7	4.5	3.3
Parking fees and tolls ^{1 2}	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7.4	2.5	4.7	3.3
Automobile service clubs ^{1 2}	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	.9	3.0	.6	4.6
Public transportation	-3.0	5.6	11.6	-6.2	3.1	11.2	-2.9	2.2	6.8	4.1	1.5
Airline fare	-6.0	6.6	17.0	-9.5	1.8	14.7	-4.8	4.1	10.9	5.9	1.8
Other intercity transportation	2.4	.1	-2.8	2.3	.8	1.7	.7	3.1	-1.4	-1.6	-1.9
Ship fare ^{1 2}	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.6	-5.7	-12.8	-6.9
Intracity transportation	3.8	5.0	2.8	1.0	7.6	5.8	1.1	-2.7	.8	2.5	2.4
Medical care	7.9	6.6	5.4	4.9	3.9	3.0	2.8	3.4	3.7	4.2	3.9

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Table 26. Historical Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, by commodity and service group and detailed expenditure categories-Continued

Item and group	Percent change from previous December										Sep. 2001
	December										
	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	
Expenditure category											
Medical care commodities	7.5	5.2	3.1	3.0	1.8	2.6	2.3	4.1	4.0	2.8	3.5
Prescription drugs and medical supplies	9.4	5.7	3.3	3.3	2.0	3.2	2.5	4.9	6.1	3.6	5.1
Nonprescription drugs and medical supplies ⁵	3.6	3.9	2.7	2.3	1.4	1.3	1.7	2.3	-3	1.0	-1
Internal and respiratory over-the-counter drugs	2.5	4.4	2.7	.8	.8	2.1	1.1	2.5	-1.1	1.1	.7
Nonprescription medical equipment and supplies	5.7	2.9	2.6	4.9	2.4	-1	2.9	2.0	1.1	.9	-1.5
Medical care services	8.0	7.0	5.9	5.4	4.4	3.2	2.9	3.2	3.6	4.6	3.9
Professional services ³	6.1	5.7	4.5	4.6	4.0	3.5	3.1	3.3	3.2	3.7	3.2
Physicians' services ³	5.5	6.3	5.1	4.4	4.4	3.0	2.7	3.3	2.6	3.9	3.2
Dental services ³	8.2	5.8	4.4	5.4	4.5	5.1	4.0	4.4	4.6	4.3	3.2
Eyeglasses and eye care ^{3 5}	3.6	3.7	2.0	3.3	2.4	1.2	1.9	.6	3.1	2.4	2.4
Services by other medical professionals ^{3 5}	5.5	3.1	3.2	4.0	.8	3.0	3.1	2.4	1.7	2.6	3.2
Hospital and related services ³	8.9	8.8	7.6	5.5	4.6	4.1	3.2	3.2	5.1	6.2	5.3
Hospital services ^{3 9}	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.2	3.1	5.1	6.3	5.4
Inpatient hospital services ^{2 3 9}	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.5	2.6	4.7	5.6	5.2
Outpatient hospital services ^{2 3 5}	9.8	9.8	7.9	5.5	4.8	4.8	4.2	3.9	6.7	7.2	5.3
Nursing homes and adult daycare ^{3 9}	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.9	4.3	4.6	4.9	3.6
Recreation ¹	-	-	-	1.4	2.8	3.0	1.5	1.2	.8	1.7	1.4
Video and audio ¹	-	-	-	-2.5	.4	3.3	2.4	.7	-.6	.6	.6
Televisions	-1.1	-1.2	-1.7	-1.4	-4.0	-5.3	-4.3	-4.8	-7.3	-10.7	-8.6
Cable television ^{3 6}	8.6	3.7	7.0	-2.6	4.1	7.8	6.9	6.9	2.8	5.1	3.6
Other video equipment ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-13.0	-15.5	-17.8	-15.4
Video cassettes, discs, and other media including rental ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-6.1	-3.2	-6.1	-.6
Video cassettes and discs, blank and prerecorded ^{1 2}	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-4.1	-12.6	1.3	-1.4
Rental of video tapes and discs ^{1 2}	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-7.1	7.1	-8.2	1.5
Audio equipment	1.8	-1.5	.4	-1.0	-2.6	-.6	-2.0	-7.4	-3.9	.9	-3.1
Audio discs, tapes and other media ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	.0	1.3	2.7	2.5
Pets, pet products and services ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.9	2.0	2.9	3.5
Pets and pet products	1.7	-1.0	.9	1.0	3.5	5.3	-.4	.6	1.1	-.6	2.6
Pet food ^{1 2}	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.4	.8	.1	2.5
Purchase of pets, pet supplies, accessories ^{1 2}	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-.3	.9	-1.1	2.1
Pet services including veterinary ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.4	3.4	9.0	5.0
Pet services ^{1 2}	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.8	1.3	5.5	2.2
Veterinarian services ^{1 2}	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.6	3.5	9.0	5.6
Sporting goods	3.7	.1	.3	3.2	-.6	-.1	-.4	-.6	-3.0	.8	-.8
Sports vehicles including bicycles	1.5	2.1	-.1	3.9	.1	.1	-.5	2.7	.5	3.2	.2
Sports equipment	5.6	-1.5	.5	2.5	-1.1	-.3	-.3	-3.2	-5.8	-1.3	-1.7
Photography ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-.7	-.2	.3	-.5
Photographic equipment and supplies	.9	2.2	1.7	-3.2	1.9	-.4	.8	-3.2	-.8	-2.9	-1.4
Film and photographic supplies ^{1 2}	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-.8	-1.6	-1.6	.5
Photographic equipment ^{1 2}	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-5.2	-.9	-4.0	-4.4
Photographers and film processing ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.0	.1	2.6	.0
Photographer fees ^{1 2}	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.3	-	-	4.1
Film processing ^{1 2}	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	.1	.2	.8	-1.5
Other recreational goods ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-5.0	-6.6	-2.6	-2.1
Toys	1.1	2.5	1.5	-.9	1.0	2.8	-1.6	-6.1	-8.0	-3.7	-3.4
Toys, games, hobbies and playground equipment ^{1 2}	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-5.0	-7.1	-2.7	-2.2
Video game hardware, software and accessories ^{1 2}	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-1.9	-3.0	.0	2.5
Sewing machines, fabric and supplies ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-.4	-.9	1.4	.5
Music instruments and accessories ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.7	5.2	3.8	3.1
Recreation services ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.0	1.5	3.3	1.0
Club membership dues and fees for participant sports ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.7	8.6	5.0	4.7
Admissions	4.8	3.9	1.8	4.0	5.3	4.0	3.4	1.9	9.7	4.1	2.8
Admission to movies, theaters, and concerts ^{1 2}	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.0	7.3	5.8	6.4
Admission to sporting events ^{1 2}	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	.7	1.3	1.7	1.7
Fees for lessons or instructions ⁵	5.6	5.1	4.0	4.9	3.0	5.9	5.2	2.8	4.6	1.8	3.2
Recreational reading materials	6.4	3.7	3.5	3.6	5.9	2.6	1.1	3.1	.7	1.3	1.7
Newspapers and magazines ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.4	1.9	1.6	2.1
Recreational books ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.5	-1.9	.7	.7
Education and communication ¹	-	-	-	3.3	4.0	3.4	3.0	.7	1.6	1.3	2.9

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Table 26. Historical Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, by commodity and service group and detailed expenditure categories-Continued

Item and group	Percent change from previous December										Sep. 2001
	December										
	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	
Expenditure category											
Education ¹	-	-	-	5.8	5.6	4.9	5.2	4.7	4.4	5.7	5.4
Educational books and supplies	5.7	4.9	3.4	3.5	5.6	5.5	5.1	6.0	-5	11.5	7.0
Tuition, other school fees, and childcare	9.8	8.5	7.1	5.9	5.6	4.9	5.2	4.6	4.8	5.2	5.2
College tuition and fees	12.1	10.0	7.9	6.3	5.7	5.3	4.6	3.9	4.0	4.5	5.6
Elementary and high school tuition and fees	7.5	7.9	5.9	6.2	6.6	4.6	7.2	6.0	6.7	6.3	7.1
Child care and nursery school ⁷	6.3	4.4	5.1	4.7	3.8	3.7	4.6	4.8	5.1	5.6	4.0
Technical and business school tuition and fees ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7.1	6.3	4.6	4.7
Communication ¹	-	-	-	.0	1.7	1.3	-3	-2.9	-1.2	-3.0	.1
Postage and delivery services ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	.1	3.0	.1	4.7
Postage	16.1	.0	.0	.0	10.3	.0	.0	.0	3.0	.0	4.6
Delivery services ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.2	5.6	5.5	7.2
Information and information processing ¹	-	-	-	.0	.6	1.4	-3	-3.1	-1.5	-3.4	-2
Telephone services ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	.3	.4	-2.3	.8
Telephone services, local charges ³	5.1	.5	1.0	-3	2.6	.9	1.0	1.3	2.8	5.5	3.8
Telephone services, long distance charges ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-1	-1.3	-9.2	-2.1
Interstate toll calls ²	1.3	-1.3	6.5	5.4	.1	3.7	-4.3	-8	-7	-11.2	-2.3
Intrastate toll calls ²	-1.5	-2.4	.2	-1.0	-3.8	6.1	2.8	1.5	-1.6	-6.0	-2.0
Cellular telephone services ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-8.3	-11.6	-12.3	-5.5
Information and information processing other than telephone services ¹⁰	-4.1	-6.1	-7.6	-9.1	-10.7	-11.6	-12.1	-26.6	-19.0	-15.6	-14.7
Personal computers and peripheral equipment ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-35.8	-26.5	-22.7	-26.8
Computer software and accessories ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-10.0	-2.0	-7.6	-4.7
Computer information processing services ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.3	-7.1	-.3	4.7
Other information processing equipment ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-9.7	-11.8	-11.1	-5.8
Other goods and services	8.0	6.5	2.7	4.2	4.3	3.6	5.2	8.8	5.1	4.2	5.0
Tobacco and smoking products	11.1	8.1	-5.9	3.0	2.7	2.7	7.2	31.8	11.4	7.5	12.0
Cigarettes ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	33.7	11.5	7.6	12.5
Tobacco products other than cigarettes ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.5	9.5	5.4	2.1
Personal care	2.5	2.9	2.5	1.9	2.1	1.1	2.3	2.8	2.9	3.0	2.4
Personal care products	2.7	3.3	1.7	1.8	1.1	-9	1.8	2.3	2.6	2.0	.0
Hair, dental, shaving, and miscellaneous personal care products ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	.4	.6	3.9	-5
Cosmetics, perfume, bath, nail preparations and implements	3.0	1.4	4.7	1.0	1.5	2.5	2.2	4.5	4.4	.2	.5
Personal care services	2.2	2.4	3.4	2.1	3.4	3.2	3.0	2.7	3.6	4.0	2.3
Haircuts and other personal care services ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.7	3.5	4.0	2.4
Miscellaneous personal services	6.4	4.3	5.8	4.8	5.3	4.0	5.4	3.4	3.7	3.7	4.2
Legal services ⁵	5.7	4.0	5.8	1.9	3.8	3.8	5.1	4.2	5.1	5.0	5.5
Funeral expenses ⁵	5.9	4.1	5.4	5.8	5.4	4.7	5.1	3.9	3.4	2.5	3.4
Laundry and dry cleaning services ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.3	2.2	2.4	3.8
Apparel services other than laundry and dry cleaning ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.7	2.9	3.8	3.7
Financial services ⁵	8.3	5.0	6.6	7.8	7.1	3.4	6.0	3.5	4.4	3.7	3.4
Checking account and other bank services ^{1 2}	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.2	4.5	3.4	3.5
Tax return preparation and other accounting fees ^{1 2}	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.8	6.0	4.6	4.0
Miscellaneous personal goods ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	.6	-2.4	-2.2	-1.0
Stationery, stationery supplies, gift wrap ²	4.8	3.0	3.7	1.5	6.5	3.1	4.2	1.6	-2.2	-1.0	-8
Special aggregate indexes											
Commodities	1.2	2.0	1.5	2.3	1.4	3.2	.2	.4	2.7	2.7	1.0
Commodities less food and beverages	.3	2.3	.6	2.0	1.0	2.5	-.7	-.8	3.2	2.5	.1
Nondurables less food and beverages	-1.0	2.3	-.7	1.3	.5	3.8	-.1	-1.0	6.7	4.5	1.6
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel	-3.2	2.9	-1.5	3.0	.9	5.9	-.7	-1.2	10.4	7.2	2.7
Durables	2.4	2.5	2.7	2.9	1.7	.7	-1.5	-.5	-1.2	.0	-2.0
Services	4.6	3.6	3.8	2.9	3.5	3.3	2.8	2.6	2.6	3.9	3.5
Rent of shelter ⁴	3.9	2.9	3.0	2.9	3.5	2.9	3.3	3.3	2.5	3.5	3.5
Transportation services	2.5	3.6	4.8	2.5	3.0	4.4	1.0	1.3	2.3	2.9	2.3
Other services	6.2	5.3	5.1	4.0	4.4	3.9	4.0	3.0	3.2	2.9	3.3
All items less food	3.3	3.2	2.7	2.6	2.7	3.1	1.8	1.5	2.8	3.5	2.5
All items less shelter	2.7	3.0	2.6	2.5	2.3	3.4	1.1	.9	2.7	3.3	2.0
All items less medical care	2.7	2.7	2.6	2.5	2.5	3.3	1.6	1.5	2.6	3.3	2.4
Commodities less food	.8	2.4	.6	1.9	1.1	2.6	-.5	-.7	3.2	2.5	.3
Nondurables less food	-.2	2.4	-.5	1.3	.7	3.8	.0	-.8	6.4	4.3	1.7
Nondurables less food and apparel	-1.6	2.8	-1.1	2.7	1.1	5.6	-.4	-.9	9.7	6.8	2.7
Nondurables	.8	1.9	1.1	2.0	1.4	4.0	.8	.7	4.1	3.6	2.0
Apparel less footwear	3.6	.9	.7	-1.8	-.2	-.9	.8	-.7	.1	-2.1	-.9
Services less rent of shelter ⁴	5.1	4.4	4.4	2.9	3.4	3.8	2.3	1.7	2.7	4.5	3.4
Services less medical care services	4.2	3.3	3.5	2.6	3.3	3.4	2.8	2.5	2.5	3.9	3.4
Energy	-7.4	2.0	-1.4	2.2	-1.3	8.6	-3.4	-8.8	13.4	14.2	3.4

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 26. Historical Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, by commodity and service group and detailed expenditure categories-Continued

Item and group	Percent change from previous December										
											Sep. 2001
	December										
	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	
Special aggregate indexes											
All items less energy	3.9	3.0	3.1	2.6	2.9	2.9	2.1	2.4	2.0	2.6	2.4
All items less food and energy	4.4	3.3	3.2	2.6	3.0	2.6	2.2	2.4	1.9	2.6	2.4
Commodities less food and energy commodities	4.0	2.5	1.6	1.4	1.7	1.1	.4	1.3	.2	.6	.1
Energy commodities	-16.1	1.2	-5.1	5.2	-3.3	13.8	-6.9	-15.1	29.5	15.7	1.3
Services less energy services	4.6	3.7	3.9	3.2	3.6	3.3	3.0	3.0	2.7	3.4	3.3
Domestically produced farm food	1.3	1.7	3.5	2.5	2.3	5.7	.6	2.4	1.7	3.2	2.5
Utilities and public transportation	3.1	3.2	4.4	-1.0	1.8	5.0	.4	.0	2.0	5.8	3.3

¹ Indexes on a December 1997=100 base.

² Special index based on a substantially smaller sample.

³ This index series was calculated using a Laspeyres estimator. All other item stratum index series converted to a geometric means estimator in January, 1999.

⁴ Indexes on a December 1982=100 base.

⁵ Indexes on a December 1986=100 base.

⁶ Indexes on a December 1983=100 base.

⁷ Indexes on a December 1990=100 base.

⁸ Indexes on a December 1993=100 base.

⁹ Indexes on a December 1996=100 base.

¹⁰ Indexes on a December 1988=100 base.

- Data not available.

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

Table 27. Historical Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): U. S. city average, all items

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Semiannual averages		Annual avg.	Percent change from previous	
													1st half	2nd half		Dec.	Annual avg.
1913	9.9	9.8	9.8	9.9	9.8	9.8	9.9	10.0	10.0	10.1	10.1	10.1	-	-	10.0	-	-
1914	10.1	10.0	10.0	9.9	9.9	10.0	10.1	10.2	10.3	10.2	10.2	10.2	-	-	10.1	1.0	1.0
1915	10.2	10.1	10.0	10.1	10.1	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.3	10.4	10.4	-	-	10.2	2.0	1.0
1916	10.5	10.5	10.6	10.7	10.7	10.9	10.9	11.0	11.2	11.3	11.5	11.6	-	-	11.0	11.5	7.8
1917	11.8	12.0	12.1	12.6	12.9	13.0	12.9	13.1	13.3	13.6	13.6	13.8	-	-	12.9	19.0	17.3
1918	14.0	14.2	14.1	14.3	14.5	14.8	15.2	15.4	15.8	16.1	16.3	16.6	-	-	15.1	20.3	17.1
1919	16.6	16.2	16.5	16.8	17.0	17.0	17.5	17.8	17.9	18.2	18.6	19.0	-	-	17.4	14.5	15.2
1920	19.4	19.6	19.8	20.4	20.7	21.0	20.9	20.4	20.1	20.0	19.9	19.5	-	-	20.1	2.6	15.5
1921	19.1	18.5	18.4	18.2	17.8	17.7	17.8	17.8	17.6	17.6	17.5	17.4	-	-	18.0	-10.8	-10.4
1922	17.0	17.0	16.8	16.8	16.8	16.8	16.9	16.7	16.7	16.8	16.9	17.0	-	-	16.9	-2.3	-6.1
1923	16.9	16.9	16.9	17.0	17.0	17.1	17.3	17.2	17.3	17.4	17.4	17.4	-	-	17.2	2.4	1.8
1924	17.4	17.3	17.2	17.1	17.1	17.1	17.2	17.1	17.2	17.3	17.3	17.4	-	-	17.2	.0	.0
1925	17.4	17.3	17.4	17.3	17.4	17.6	17.8	17.8	17.8	17.8	18.1	18.0	-	-	17.6	3.4	2.3
1926	18.0	18.0	17.9	18.0	17.9	17.8	17.6	17.5	17.6	17.7	17.8	17.8	-	-	17.8	-1.1	1.1
1927	17.6	17.5	17.4	17.4	17.5	17.7	17.4	17.3	17.4	17.5	17.4	17.4	-	-	17.5	-2.2	-1.7
1928	17.4	17.2	17.2	17.2	17.3	17.2	17.2	17.2	17.4	17.3	17.3	17.2	-	-	17.2	-1.1	-1.7
1929	17.2	17.2	17.1	17.0	17.1	17.2	17.4	17.4	17.4	17.4	17.4	17.3	-	-	17.2	.6	.0
1930	17.2	17.1	17.0	17.1	17.0	16.9	16.7	16.6	16.7	16.6	16.5	16.2	-	-	16.8	-6.4	-2.3
1931	16.0	15.7	15.6	15.5	15.4	15.2	15.2	15.1	15.1	15.0	14.8	14.7	-	-	15.3	-9.3	-8.9
1932	14.4	14.2	14.1	14.0	13.8	13.7	13.7	13.5	13.5	13.4	13.3	13.2	-	-	13.7	-10.2	-10.5
1933	13.0	12.8	12.7	12.6	12.7	12.8	13.2	13.3	13.3	13.3	13.3	13.2	-	-	13.0	.0	-5.1
1934	13.3	13.4	13.4	13.4	13.4	13.4	13.4	13.5	13.7	13.6	13.5	13.5	-	-	13.5	2.3	3.8
1935	13.7	13.8	13.8	13.9	13.8	13.8	13.7	13.7	13.8	13.8	13.9	13.9	-	-	13.8	3.0	2.2
1936	13.9	13.8	13.8	13.8	13.8	13.9	14.0	14.1	14.1	14.1	14.1	14.1	-	-	13.9	1.4	.7
1937	14.2	14.2	14.3	14.4	14.4	14.5	14.5	14.6	14.7	14.6	14.5	14.5	-	-	14.4	2.8	3.6
1938	14.3	14.2	14.2	14.2	14.2	14.2	14.2	14.2	14.2	14.1	14.1	14.1	-	-	14.2	-2.8	-1.4
1939	14.0	14.0	13.9	13.9	13.9	13.9	13.9	13.9	14.2	14.1	14.1	14.0	-	-	14.0	-7	-1.4
1940	14.0	14.1	14.1	14.1	14.1	14.1	14.1	14.1	14.1	14.1	14.1	14.2	-	-	14.1	1.4	.7
1941	14.2	14.2	14.2	14.4	14.5	14.7	14.8	14.9	15.2	15.4	15.5	15.5	-	-	14.8	9.2	5.0
1942	15.7	15.9	16.1	16.2	16.3	16.4	16.5	16.6	16.6	16.8	16.9	17.0	-	-	16.4	9.7	10.8
1943	17.0	17.0	17.3	17.5	17.6	17.6	17.5	17.4	17.5	17.5	17.5	17.5	-	-	17.4	2.9	6.1
1944	17.5	17.5	17.5	17.6	17.6	17.7	17.8	17.8	17.8	17.8	17.8	17.9	-	-	17.7	2.3	1.7
1945	17.9	17.9	17.9	17.9	18.0	18.2	18.2	18.2	18.2	18.2	18.2	18.3	-	-	18.1	2.2	2.3
1946	18.3	18.2	18.4	18.5	18.6	18.8	18.9	20.3	20.5	20.9	21.5	21.6	-	-	19.6	18.0	8.3
1947	21.6	21.6	22.1	22.1	22.0	22.2	22.4	22.6	23.1	23.1	23.3	23.6	-	-	22.5	9.3	14.8
1948	23.8	23.6	23.6	23.9	24.1	24.2	24.5	24.6	24.6	24.5	24.4	24.2	-	-	24.2	2.5	7.6
1949	24.2	23.9	24.0	24.0	24.0	24.0	23.8	23.9	24.0	23.9	23.9	23.8	-	-	24.0	-1.7	-8
1950	23.7	23.6	23.7	23.7	23.8	24.0	24.2	24.4	24.6	24.7	24.8	25.1	-	-	24.2	5.5	.8
1951	25.5	25.9	26.0	26.0	26.1	26.1	26.1	26.1	26.3	26.4	26.5	26.6	-	-	26.1	6.0	7.9
1952	26.6	26.5	26.5	26.6	26.6	26.7	26.9	26.9	26.9	26.9	26.9	26.9	-	-	26.7	1.1	2.3
1953	26.8	26.7	26.7	26.8	26.8	26.9	27.0	27.1	27.1	27.2	27.1	27.0	-	-	26.9	.4	.7
1954	27.1	27.1	27.0	27.0	27.1	27.1	27.1	27.1	27.0	26.9	27.0	26.9	-	-	27.0	-4	.4
1955	26.9	26.9	26.9	26.9	26.9	26.9	27.0	26.9	27.0	27.0	27.1	27.0	-	-	26.9	.4	-4
1956	27.0	27.0	27.0	27.0	27.2	27.3	27.5	27.5	27.5	27.7	27.7	27.8	-	-	27.3	3.0	1.5
1957	27.8	27.9	28.0	28.1	28.1	28.3	28.4	28.5	28.5	28.5	28.6	28.6	-	-	28.3	2.9	3.7
1958	28.8	28.8	29.0	29.1	29.1	29.1	29.1	29.1	29.1	29.1	29.1	29.1	-	-	29.1	1.7	2.8
1959	29.1	29.1	29.1	29.1	29.2	29.3	29.4	29.3	29.4	29.5	29.5	29.5	-	-	29.3	1.4	.7
1960	29.5	29.5	29.5	29.7	29.7	29.8	29.8	29.8	29.8	29.9	30.0	30.0	-	-	29.8	1.7	1.7
1961	30.0	30.0	30.0	30.0	30.0	30.0	30.1	30.1	30.2	30.2	30.2	30.2	-	-	30.1	.7	1.0
1962	30.2	30.2	30.3	30.4	30.4	30.4	30.4	30.4	30.6	30.6	30.6	30.6	-	-	30.4	1.3	1.0
1963	30.6	30.6	30.7	30.7	30.7	30.8	30.9	30.9	30.9	31.0	31.0	31.1	-	-	30.8	1.6	1.3
1964	31.1	31.1	31.1	31.1	31.1	31.2	31.3	31.2	31.3	31.3	31.4	31.4	-	-	31.2	1.0	1.3
1965	31.4	31.4	31.5	31.6	31.6	31.8	31.8	31.8	31.8	31.9	31.9	32.0	-	-	31.7	1.9	1.6
1966	32.0	32.2	32.3	32.5	32.5	32.6	32.7	32.9	32.9	33.1	33.1	33.1	-	-	32.6	3.4	2.8
1967	33.1	33.1	33.2	33.3	33.4	33.5	33.6	33.7	33.8	33.9	34.0	34.1	-	-	33.6	3.0	3.1
1968	34.2	34.3	34.5	34.6	34.7	34.9	35.1	35.2	35.3	35.5	35.6	35.7	-	-	35.0	4.7	4.2
1969	35.8	36.0	36.3	36.5	36.6	36.8	37.0	37.2	37.3	37.5	37.7	37.9	-	-	36.9	6.2	5.4

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Table 27. Historical Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): U. S. city average, all items-Continued

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Semiannual averages		Annual avg.	Percent change from previous	
													1st half	2nd half		Dec.	Annual avg.
1970	38.0	38.2	38.4	38.7	38.8	39.0	39.2	39.2	39.4	39.6	39.8	40.0	-	-	39.0	5.5	5.7
1971	40.0	40.1	40.2	40.4	40.6	40.8	40.9	41.0	41.0	41.1	41.2	41.3	-	-	40.7	3.3	4.4
1972	41.4	41.6	41.6	41.7	41.9	42.0	42.1	42.2	42.4	42.5	42.6	42.7	-	-	42.1	3.4	3.4
1973	42.9	43.2	43.6	43.9	44.1	44.4	44.5	45.4	45.5	45.9	46.2	46.5	-	-	44.7	8.9	6.2
1974	46.9	47.5	48.0	48.3	48.8	49.3	49.7	50.3	50.9	51.4	51.8	52.2	-	-	49.6	12.3	11.0
1975	52.4	52.8	53.0	53.2	53.5	53.9	54.5	54.7	54.9	55.3	55.6	55.8	-	-	54.1	6.9	9.1
1976	56.0	56.1	56.2	56.5	56.8	57.1	57.4	57.7	57.9	58.2	58.3	58.5	-	-	57.2	4.8	5.7
1977	58.9	59.5	59.8	60.3	60.6	61.0	61.3	61.5	61.8	61.9	62.2	62.5	-	-	60.9	6.8	6.5
1978	62.8	63.2	63.7	64.3	64.9	65.6	66.0	66.4	66.8	67.4	67.7	68.1	-	-	65.6	9.0	7.7
1979	68.7	69.5	70.3	71.1	71.9	72.8	73.7	74.4	75.1	75.7	76.4	77.2	-	-	73.1	13.4	11.4
1980	78.3	79.4	80.5	81.4	82.3	83.2	83.3	83.8	84.6	85.3	86.1	86.9	-	-	82.9	12.6	13.4
1981	87.5	88.5	89.0	89.6	90.3	91.1	92.2	92.8	93.7	93.9	94.1	94.4	-	-	91.4	8.6	10.3
1982	94.7	95.0	94.8	95.2	96.2	97.4	98.0	98.2	98.3	98.6	98.4	98.0	-	-	96.9	3.8	6.0
1983	98.1	98.1	98.4	99.0	99.5	99.8	100.1	100.5	101.0	101.2	101.2	101.2	-	-	99.8	3.3	3.0
1984	101.6	101.8	101.8	102.1	102.5	102.8	103.2	104.2	104.8	104.8	104.7	104.8	102.1	104.4	103.3	3.6	3.5
1985	104.9	105.4	105.9	106.3	106.7	107.0	107.1	107.3	107.6	107.9	108.3	108.6	106.0	107.8	106.9	3.6	3.5
1986	108.9	108.5	107.9	107.6	107.9	108.4	108.4	108.6	109.1	109.1	109.2	109.3	108.2	109.0	108.6	.6	1.6
1987	110.0	110.5	111.0	111.6	111.9	112.4	112.7	113.3	113.8	114.1	114.3	114.2	111.2	113.7	112.5	4.5	3.6
1988	114.5	114.7	115.1	115.7	116.2	116.7	117.2	117.7	118.5	118.9	119.0	119.2	115.5	118.4	117.0	4.4	4.0
1989	119.7	120.2	120.8	121.8	122.5	122.8	123.2	123.2	123.6	124.2	124.4	124.6	121.3	123.9	122.6	4.5	4.8
1990	125.9	126.4	127.1	127.3	127.5	128.3	128.7	129.9	131.1	131.9	132.2	132.2	127.1	131.0	129.0	6.1	5.2
1991	132.8	132.8	133.0	133.3	133.8	134.1	134.3	134.6	135.2	135.4	135.8	135.9	133.3	135.2	134.3	2.8	4.1
1992	136.0	136.4	137.0	137.3	137.6	138.1	138.4	138.8	139.1	139.6	139.8	139.8	137.1	139.3	138.2	2.9	2.9
1993	140.3	140.7	141.1	141.6	141.9	142.0	142.1	142.4	142.6	143.3	143.4	143.3	141.3	142.9	142.1	2.5	2.8
1994	143.6	144.0	144.4	144.7	144.9	145.4	145.8	146.5	146.9	147.0	147.3	147.2	144.5	146.8	145.6	2.7	2.5
1995	147.8	148.3	148.7	149.3	149.6	149.9	149.9	150.2	150.6	151.0	150.9	150.9	148.9	150.6	149.8	2.5	2.9
1996	151.7	152.2	152.9	153.6	154.0	154.1	154.3	154.5	155.1	155.5	155.9	155.9	153.1	155.2	154.1	3.3	2.9
1997	156.3	156.8	157.0	157.2	157.2	157.4	157.5	157.8	158.3	158.5	158.5	158.2	157.0	158.1	157.6	1.5	2.3
1998	158.4	158.5	158.7	159.1	159.5	159.7	159.8	160.0	160.2	160.6	160.7	160.7	159.0	160.3	159.7	1.6	1.3
1999	161.0	161.1	161.4	162.7	162.8	162.8	163.3	163.8	164.7	165.0	165.1	165.1	162.0	164.5	163.2	2.7	2.2
2000	165.6	166.5	167.9	168.0	168.2	169.2	169.4	169.3	170.4	170.6	170.9	170.7	167.6	170.2	168.9	3.4	3.5
2001	171.7	172.4	172.6	173.5	174.4	174.6	173.8	173.8	174.8	-	-	-	173.2	-	-	-	-

- Data not available.

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

Table 28. Historical Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): U.S. city average, by commodity and service group and detailed expenditure categories-Continued

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Unadjusted indexes										Sep. 2001
	December										
	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	
Expenditure category											
Nonalcoholic beverages and beverage materials	112.9	112.7	115.1	130.6	128.8	126.5	131.7	130.4	133.5	135.8	138.4
Juices and nonalcoholic drinks ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	99.7	102.9	105.0	107.5
Carbonated drinks	112.3	114.0	116.0	115.7	119.1	118.5	116.3	115.2	118.9	121.7	125.1
Frozen noncarbonated juices and drinks ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	104.6	109.2	111.2	111.9
Nonfrozen noncarbonated juices and drinks ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	100.0	102.8	104.6	106.8
Beverage materials including coffee and tea ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	96.7	96.7	97.4	97.8
Coffee	111.0	104.9	110.5	172.3	155.6	144.9	169.3	154.2	151.5	147.1	145.0
Other beverage materials including tea ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	103.3	105.3	109.8	112.1
Other food at home	127.0	128.2	130.8	138.3	140.1	143.2	147.1	151.7	152.7	155.8	159.8
Sugar and sweets	130.6	131.9	133.1	134.4	138.4	144.5	147.7	150.0	152.3	153.3	156.2
Sugar and artificial sweeteners	118.4	119.6	120.8	123.2	128.3	132.7	133.7	134.2	134.4	133.6	142.9
Candy and chewing gum ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	101.3	103.4	104.5	104.6
Other sweets ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	103.7	105.3	106.1	108.4
Fats and oils	129.1	128.3	129.3	134.1	137.3	140.4	140.0	151.2	144.7	149.9	158.1
Butter and margarine ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	120.2	104.4	113.1	129.4
Salad dressing ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	103.5	104.4	106.3	108.1
Other fats and oils including peanut butter ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	102.2	102.0	103.3	104.3
Other foods	138.1	141.0	144.7	148.0	151.9	158.8	162.7	166.7	169.4	173.0	176.5
Soups	149.0	157.5	164.3	171.3	177.4	185.6	189.6	192.3	192.8	197.9	204.3
Frozen and freeze dried prepared foods	137.4	138.1	137.5	137.9	138.4	145.3	144.1	146.4	146.0	149.1	151.2
Snacks	132.6	132.1	136.0	138.5	143.3	151.5	155.1	156.1	162.1	166.7	166.9
Spices, seasonings, condiments, sauces	137.8	143.5	147.3	150.8	156.8	163.9	168.4	172.4	175.2	173.5	183.7
Baby food ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	103.0	107.9	112.6	114.7
Other miscellaneous foods ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	104.9	105.2	108.6	109.2
Food away from home	139.4	141.6	144.1	147.0	150.3	155.0	159.0	163.0	166.8	170.8	175.0
Full service meals and snacks ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	102.7	105.1	108.0	110.9
Limited service meals and snacks ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	102.2	104.9	107.8	110.2
Food at employee sites and schools ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	102.5	104.5	104.1	106.2
Food from vending machines and mobile vendors ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	100.8	101.6	103.1	104.4
Other food away from home ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	103.4	106.9	111.4	115.6
Alcoholic beverages	143.5	147.7	150.0	151.4	154.3	159.9	163.1	166.2	171.0	175.8	180.1
Alcoholic beverages at home	138.2	141.3	142.0	141.7	143.0	147.7	148.4	150.8	155.1	159.3	162.2
Beer, ale, and other malt beverages at home	138.9	142.8	143.2	142.9	144.1	148.1	147.2	149.9	154.4	159.4	162.2
Distilled spirits at home	139.3	141.3	142.8	143.8	145.0	147.9	151.2	152.1	157.5	161.6	167.7
Wine at home	129.3	131.3	131.6	130.0	131.7	139.9	143.0	145.1	147.7	148.7	149.6
Alcoholic beverages away from home	158.0	164.0	168.8	172.5	178.0	185.2	192.1	196.7	202.7	208.8	216.3
Housing	132.7	136.1	139.7	142.7	146.7	151.0	154.4	157.8	161.1	168.1	173.2
Shelter	144.6	148.7	153.1	157.7	163.1	167.7	173.1	178.8	183.3	189.6	196.0
Rent of primary residence ²	144.8	148.2	151.6	155.4	159.3	163.7	168.8	174.6	179.9	187.0	193.3
Lodging away from home ^{1 2}	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	104.0	105.7	108.7	116.8
Housing at school, excluding board ^{2 3}	175.7	189.7	193.8	202.9	211.8	219.2	231.2	241.7	251.9	263.0	275.5
Other lodging away from home including hotels and motels	168.6	174.5	181.2	184.4	191.1	201.1	213.2	221.7	224.7	230.5	248.4
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence ^{2 3}	139.7	143.8	148.4	153.3	159.0	163.4	168.3	173.7	177.8	183.5	189.2
Tenants' and household insurance ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	100.3	102.4	104.9	106.8
Fuels and utilities	115.7	118.4	121.5	121.6	123.3	129.0	129.7	126.4	129.2	144.6	150.1
Fuels	105.9	108.4	110.2	109.5	110.2	116.5	115.2	110.9	113.5	129.3	134.7
Fuel oil and other fuels	94.4	91.7	88.2	88.3	89.5	110.6	97.0	86.6	106.0	144.1	125.3
Fuel oil	92.5	89.5	85.4	85.4	86.8	106.9	94.2	79.9	104.9	147.3	124.7
Other household fuels ⁴	123.2	120.3	117.8	118.2	119.2	147.9	128.5	125.3	135.7	172.9	158.7
Gas (piped) and electricity ²	111.9	115.1	117.7	116.8	117.5	122.3	122.4	118.4	119.8	134.8	142.2
Electricity ²	120.4	122.4	123.0	123.8	127.2	128.1	126.4	122.3	123.3	126.5	145.6
Utility natural gas service ²	99.3	104.7	110.9	107.0	102.8	114.9	118.3	114.1	116.8	160.4	140.4
Water and sewer and trash collection services ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	102.8	104.8	108.0	110.4
Water and sewerage maintenance ²	163.8	174.3	182.9	190.5	195.9	202.6	210.6	216.4	220.2	227.7	233.1
Garbage and trash collection ⁵	197.6	214.6	225.7	236.8	243.3	247.9	252.8	260.2	266.5	271.9	276.6
Household furnishings and operations	115.4	117.2	119.0	119.7	122.4	123.5	123.6	124.8	124.2	125.6	126.0
Window and floor coverings and other linens ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	101.0	99.0	100.6	98.5
Floor coverings ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	102.5	100.0	106.5	106.5
Window coverings ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	100.2	98.6	101.4	99.6
Other linens ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	100.7	98.7	97.3	94.0
Furniture and bedding	115.5	120.5	123.9	125.4	130.7	131.9	130.6	132.3	130.2	130.6	127.8
Bedroom furniture	122.0	128.3	134.6	132.2	134.8	139.6	141.5	141.2	139.1	135.6	134.4
Living room, kitchen, and dining room furniture ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	101.2	100.3	102.5	100.4
Other furniture ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	104.5	100.2	99.5	94.5

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Table 28. Historical Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): U.S. city average, by commodity and service group and detailed expenditure categories-Continued

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Unadjusted indexes										
											Sep. 2001
	December										
	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	
Expenditure category											
Appliances ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	98.9	97.5	94.9	94.8
Major appliances ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	98.6	98.2	96.2	97.2
Other appliances ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	99.5	96.3	93.0	91.0
Other household equipment and furnishings ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	100.0	96.5	95.6	95.3
Clocks, lamps, and decorator items	116.2	119.0	115.0	114.5	118.7	114.1	118.4	117.6	109.9	104.7	102.9
Indoor plants and flowers ⁶	107.3	113.2	110.4	114.7	116.3	117.0	107.3	109.7	109.7	115.6	117.5
Dishes and flatware ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	99.2	95.1	93.0	92.4
Nonelectric cookware and tableware ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	98.8	97.7	96.5	96.3
Tools, hardware, outdoor equipment and supplies ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	99.4	98.7	96.3	96.7
Tools, hardware and supplies ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	97.7	98.3	98.2	97.3
Outdoor equipment and supplies ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	100.3	98.7	94.8	96.0
Housekeeping supplies	130.4	130.0	131.9	133.3	139.9	142.0	144.3	147.1	150.1	157.0	161.1
Household cleaning products ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	101.7	103.1	107.7	109.6
Household paper products ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	102.7	108.3	117.2	120.2
Miscellaneous household products ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	101.7	102.3	103.9	108.0
Household operations ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	103.3	106.2	113.2	117.4
Domestic services ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	103.3	107.0	111.4	113.9
Gardening and lawn care services ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	101.7	103.9	114.0	118.7
Moving, storage, freight expense ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	103.6	106.4	111.4	114.5
Repair of household items ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	105.5	108.2	116.2	123.2
Apparel	128.4	130.4	131.3	129.3	129.5	129.3	130.3	129.8	129.0	126.6	125.6
Men's and boys' apparel	124.9	126.4	127.0	124.5	125.8	127.5	130.7	130.2	131.6	128.0	123.7
Men's apparel	127.7	129.9	130.3	128.2	128.7	130.9	133.9	133.8	135.0	132.1	128.0
Men's suits, sport coats, and outerwear	131.0	133.6	140.4	137.3	135.5	134.7	135.9	133.4	134.7	129.3	127.8
Men's furnishings	122.1	123.2	123.1	123.9	120.5	125.7	136.1	135.8	141.3	138.0	133.9
Men's shirts and sweaters ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	101.3	99.8	100.5	95.2
Men's pants and shorts	124.9	128.2	127.2	125.6	127.1	129.0	128.9	128.6	128.7	123.3	121.3
Boys' apparel	116.3	115.3	116.6	112.9	116.4	116.7	120.5	118.8	120.8	115.4	110.3
Women's and girls' apparel	126.7	127.6	128.4	124.0	123.3	121.7	121.5	121.0	119.8	117.5	118.3
Women's apparel	125.7	126.1	128.1	123.2	122.2	120.8	120.8	120.9	119.5	117.2	118.9
Women's outerwear	118.4	121.9	128.9	118.6	121.3	126.1	129.2	123.2	120.3	123.6	121.8
Women's dresses	128.4	132.4	128.8	114.2	116.7	105.9	100.5	107.5	102.8	94.0	105.5
Women's suits and separates ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	98.8	98.1	96.4	97.8
Women's underwear, nightwear, sportswear and accessories ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	100.4	100.5	100.5	97.5
Girls' apparel	131.7	135.1	130.0	127.6	128.6	126.2	125.0	121.8	121.1	119.0	115.5
Footwear	122.5	125.6	126.6	124.2	125.0	127.0	129.2	128.2	124.2	124.0	123.0
Men's footwear	129.6	132.6	134.1	132.1	132.3	131.4	131.4	132.6	127.4	128.0	121.8
Boys' and girls' footwear	123.0	122.7	122.7	123.9	125.8	131.2	135.0	133.3	126.2	124.2	119.8
Women's footwear	115.8	120.7	121.9	117.3	118.0	120.2	123.1	120.6	119.3	119.5	124.4
Infants' and toddlers' apparel	131.8	133.1	128.1	132.9	129.8	128.1	126.5	130.9	134.8	130.0	131.1
Jewelry and watches ⁴	131.3	136.6	140.1	144.9	144.2	138.4	137.7	133.6	131.5	130.1	131.2
Watches ⁴	113.6	111.9	118.6	122.9	129.3	120.9	121.1	119.4	115.3	116.9	116.3
Jewelry ⁴	136.4	143.6	146.3	151.2	148.5	143.4	142.4	137.6	136.1	133.9	135.4
Transportation	124.5	128.2	130.8	136.7	138.9	144.8	142.4	139.6	147.6	153.9	155.1
Private transportation	123.2	126.6	128.5	135.2	137.2	142.4	140.1	137.1	145.0	151.2	152.3
New and used motor vehicles ¹	-	-	93.7	98.5	101.3	102.1	100.0	101.1	101.5	102.8	100.7
New vehicles	128.5	131.7	136.2	140.9	143.7	146.5	145.3	145.3	144.7	144.6	141.3
Used cars and trucks	120.2	129.7	140.2	152.1	159.1	156.8	149.5	154.3	156.3	161.6	158.2
Car and truck rental ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	101.5	108.4	107.9	99.8
Motor fuel	98.5	99.9	94.6	100.2	96.4	108.9	101.7	86.0	112.3	127.7	132.4
Gasoline (all types)	98.3	99.9	94.0	100.0	95.9	108.3	101.2	85.5	111.7	126.9	131.7
Gasoline, unleaded regular ⁷	96.2	97.6	91.1	97.6	93.5	106.5	98.9	82.6	109.7	125.4	131.2
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ^{7 8}	-	-	100.0	105.3	100.6	112.4	105.9	90.6	116.6	131.6	134.5
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁷	101.5	103.0	98.1	103.2	98.3	109.2	102.8	89.0	112.4	126.6	129.1
Other motor fuels ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	87.7	107.4	134.4	125.0
Motor vehicle parts and equipment	103.0	102.2	100.7	101.0	101.6	101.4	100.8	100.5	100.2	102.3	104.4
Tires	100.8	100.4	98.9	101.1	101.2	101.2	98.2	97.7	96.5	97.5	99.6
Vehicle accessories other than tires ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	100.0	100.5	103.5	105.5
Motor vehicle maintenance and repair	138.8	143.9	148.3	152.6	156.6	161.4	165.7	170.9	175.2	181.5	186.7
Motor vehicle body work	142.9	147.0	150.8	155.7	161.4	168.6	176.5	181.9	184.4	191.4	197.5
Motor vehicle maintenance and servicing	133.7	136.5	139.3	141.4	144.4	148.6	152.7	157.1	161.1	166.1	171.3
Motor vehicle repair ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	103.2	106.0	109.9	112.9

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Table 28. Historical Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): U.S. city average, by commodity and service group and detailed expenditure categories-Continued

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Unadjusted indexes										
											Sep. 2001
	December										
	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	
Expenditure category											
Motor vehicle insurance	198.6	211.5	221.9	229.5	239.6	249.0	255.3	254.6	256.0	260.8	269.0
Motor vehicle fees ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	103.1	104.5	108.8	110.1
State and local registration and license ^{1 2}	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	101.8	102.7	106.7	107.1
Parking and other fees ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	106.8	110.1	115.1	119.0
Public transportation	147.8	155.5	171.1	162.5	169.0	186.9	182.5	185.1	196.0	203.7	207.0
Airline fare	154.0	163.6	191.8	173.5	177.2	204.5	193.9	201.6	223.7	237.0	241.4
Other intercity transportation	154.2	155.4	149.6	152.3	154.9	157.9	160.3	164.7	162.0	158.9	155.7
Intracity transportation	140.7	147.6	152.0	153.3	164.9	174.1	176.2	171.4	172.2	176.1	180.1
Medical care	182.0	194.3	204.5	214.6	223.1	230.1	236.5	244.4	253.2	263.8	273.9
Medical care commodities	180.3	189.4	195.1	200.8	204.2	209.4	214.1	222.1	230.2	236.5	244.6
Prescription drugs and medical supplies	206.8	218.3	225.2	233.2	237.8	244.9	251.0	263.4	279.7	289.8	304.5
Nonprescription drugs and medical supplies ⁴	127.7	133.0	136.5	138.7	140.4	142.5	144.8	147.4	146.2	147.9	148.2
Internal and respiratory over-the-counter drugs	152.7	159.2	163.3	164.7	165.9	169.0	171.6	175.0	172.5	175.0	176.5
Nonprescription medical equipment and supplies	150.5	156.1	160.4	167.0	171.2	171.6	175.0	177.4	179.0	179.6	176.9
Medical care services	182.4	195.4	206.6	217.7	227.4	234.7	241.6	249.4	258.4	270.1	280.7
Professional services ²	170.2	180.0	188.0	196.9	204.9	212.3	218.9	226.2	233.4	242.3	250.1
Physicians' services ²	174.5	185.5	194.8	203.6	212.5	219.1	225.3	233.1	239.2	248.5	256.8
Dental services ²	172.9	182.8	190.9	201.3	210.1	220.9	229.6	239.7	250.9	262.0	270.5
Eyeglasses and eye care ^{2 4}	123.2	127.8	130.5	135.2	138.5	140.4	142.8	143.7	148.4	152.0	155.7
Services by other medical professionals ^{2 4}	129.2	133.9	138.1	144.3	146.8	151.5	156.8	160.6	163.4	167.8	173.3
Hospital and related services ²	201.2	218.9	235.1	248.5	260.0	270.4	278.7	287.4	302.1	320.9	338.3
Hospital services ^{2 9}	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	103.0	106.2	111.6	118.5	125.0
Inpatient hospital services ^{2 7 9}	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	102.3	104.9	109.8	115.9	121.8
Outpatient hospital services ^{2 4 7}	160.4	176.0	189.3	200.2	209.4	219.5	228.6	238.1	253.7	271.9	286.3
Nursing homes and adult daycare ^{2 9}	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	104.0	110.6	117.1	124.0	129.9
Recreation ¹	-	-	92.2	93.2	95.6	98.5	100.0	100.8	101.2	102.6	103.8
Video and audio ¹	-	-	96.5	93.9	94.3	97.5	100.0	100.7	99.8	100.3	100.6
Televisions	71.4	70.9	69.4	68.2	65.2	61.7	59.3	56.4	52.3	46.7	42.6
Cable television ^{2 5}	181.2	188.4	201.7	195.8	203.5	219.5	234.6	250.7	258.0	271.8	281.0
Other video equipment ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	86.8	73.5	60.4	50.9
Video cassettes, discs, and other media including rental ¹ ..	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	94.8	91.5	86.2	85.6
Audio equipment	94.9	93.5	94.2	93.2	90.8	90.2	88.4	81.7	78.1	78.4	75.3
Audio discs, tapes and other media ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	100.3	101.5	104.0	106.3
Pets, pet products and services ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	101.6	103.5	106.2	109.6
Pets and pet products	129.5	128.5	129.3	130.7	135.4	142.4	141.9	142.5	144.0	143.2	146.4
Pet services including veterinary ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	104.3	108.0	118.4	124.6
Sporting goods	120.5	121.6	122.6	126.1	124.5	124.6	124.5	124.0	120.6	121.9	120.9
Sports vehicles including bicycles	120.4	123.5	124.9	128.8	127.3	127.4	127.7	131.5	131.6	136.0	136.0
Sports equipment	118.0	116.3	116.7	119.7	118.0	118.0	117.3	113.3	107.1	105.7	103.9
Photography ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	99.6	99.1	99.6	99.3
Photographic equipment and supplies	131.1	134.1	136.5	131.4	133.8	133.9	134.6	130.5	129.5	125.6	123.5
Photographers and film processing ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	101.2	100.9	103.4	103.8
Other recreational goods ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	95.0	88.5	86.2	84.3
Toys	117.9	121.3	123.2	122.2	123.5	127.4	125.2	117.8	108.6	104.9	101.6
Sewing machines, fabric and supplies ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	99.1	95.4	95.5	97.5
Music instruments and accessories ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	99.8	99.3	100.1	100.8
Recreation services ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	103.3	109.3	113.8	117.7
Club membership dues and fees for participant sports ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	104.7	106.3	110.2	111.9
Admissions	160.5	166.6	169.9	176.2	185.7	193.3	199.8	205.0	223.2	234.2	244.8
Fees for lessons or instructions ⁴	133.6	140.7	146.3	154.0	158.6	167.3	175.8	179.4	187.7	190.7	197.6
Recreational reading materials	147.8	153.4	159.0	164.8	174.5	179.3	181.3	186.9	188.3	191.0	193.9
Newspapers and magazines ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	103.3	105.5	107.1	109.3
Recreational books ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	102.6	100.4	101.4	101.8
Education and communication ¹	-	-	87.8	90.4	94.0	97.1	100.0	100.9	102.5	103.7	106.5
Education ¹	-	-	81.1	85.6	90.4	94.8	100.0	104.7	109.4	115.7	121.7
Educational books and supplies	184.4	194.9	202.3	208.5	220.3	232.9	245.2	259.7	256.9	289.2	309.8
Tuition, other school fees, and childcare	199.4	214.4	228.7	242.0	255.8	267.9	282.7	295.8	310.4	326.5	342.9
College tuition and fees	205.0	223.8	240.3	255.3	271.2	286.1	300.9	312.7	325.6	340.6	359.9
Elementary and high school tuition and fees	206.2	222.7	235.4	250.2	266.9	279.3	299.4	318.0	340.2	359.4	386.3
Child care and nursery school ⁶	106.3	110.8	116.7	122.7	127.5	132.1	138.7	145.2	152.5	160.9	167.1
Technical and business school tuition and fees	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	107.6	113.8	118.9	124.8

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 28. Historical Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): U.S. city average, by commodity and service group and detailed expenditure categories

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Unadjusted indexes										Sep. 2001
	December										
	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	
Expenditure category											
All items	135.9	139.8	143.3	147.2	150.9	155.9	158.2	160.7	165.1	170.7	174.8
All items (1967=100)	404.7	416.3	426.8	438.6	449.5	464.3	471.3	478.6	491.8	508.5	520.6
Food and beverages	136.9	139.1	142.9	146.6	149.8	156.1	158.5	161.9	165.2	169.8	174.0
Food	136.3	138.3	142.2	146.2	149.4	155.8	158.1	161.5	164.7	169.3	173.5
Food at home	135.0	137.0	141.7	146.3	149.5	156.9	158.2	161.3	164.2	169.1	173.4
Cereals and bakery products	147.2	153.0	158.6	163.9	169.2	175.4	178.1	182.0	185.7	190.4	194.8
Cereals and cereal products	148.2	153.5	158.7	163.6	167.8	165.7	168.8	171.3	173.4	175.0	179.1
Flour and prepared flour mixes	123.3	129.5	129.3	131.5	140.0	150.6	150.0	153.6	150.2	151.8	165.6
Breakfast cereal	171.1	177.7	186.1	190.5	193.6	185.4	188.6	192.7	196.6	199.0	200.8
Rice, pasta, cornmeal	126.4	128.9	131.7	139.6	143.1	144.2	150.1	149.9	151.7	152.2	155.6
Bakery products	146.4	152.5	158.2	163.8	169.5	179.7	182.2	187.0	191.5	198.3	202.7
Bread ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	102.4	104.5	109.3	113.3
Fresh biscuits, rolls, muffins ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	103.1	106.3	109.8	111.9
Cakes, cupcakes, and cookies	153.7	157.3	162.5	168.5	170.7	177.8	179.1	183.1	188.8	192.0	191.6
Other bakery products	147.9	155.5	158.4	163.6	168.0	178.4	179.0	184.3	187.7	195.6	201.9
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	131.5	132.1	136.9	136.0	141.7	149.8	148.0	146.9	149.4	156.3	162.3
Meats, poultry, and fish	132.0	133.1	138.2	137.3	141.4	148.9	147.8	147.0	150.6	156.8	163.8
Meats	130.8	131.2	136.0	133.7	137.3	144.5	143.3	140.2	145.2	152.8	161.4
Beef and veal	131.7	132.8	137.7	134.7	134.4	137.8	136.6	136.9	143.0	150.5	160.7
Uncooked ground beef	119.5	118.8	123.2	117.7	115.7	117.6	116.3	115.9	121.0	128.3	136.8
Uncooked beef roasts ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	101.2	103.2	109.3	117.9
Uncooked beef steaks ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	100.7	106.2	110.9	118.1
Uncooked other beef and veal ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	98.3	103.6	108.1	114.3
Pork	128.6	127.7	133.4	130.3	140.0	155.5	153.1	144.1	148.4	157.0	167.6
Bacon, breakfast sausage, and related products ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	96.8	100.2	107.4	116.6
Ham	136.8	134.9	136.9	134.9	144.6	156.9	153.9	144.9	145.8	151.1	161.5
Pork chops	136.4	140.0	146.5	139.3	146.9	156.9	150.9	140.0	146.7	155.5	162.5
Other pork including roasts and picnics ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	91.5	93.8	99.3	105.3
Other meats	132.3	132.6	136.1	136.9	141.2	146.0	146.6	145.4	149.1	154.8	156.7
Poultry	129.8	133.4	140.7	140.2	146.0	157.5	155.0	159.4	157.9	160.7	165.8
Chicken ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	103.5	101.6	103.2	105.6
Other poultry including turkey ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	100.1	102.7	105.3	111.8
Fish and seafood	151.2	153.8	158.8	167.1	172.3	176.5	178.0	184.5	187.5	191.1	190.4
Fresh fish and seafood ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	103.5	106.2	110.8	109.1
Processed fish and seafood ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	103.8	104.2	102.5	103.9
Eggs	122.7	117.0	114.8	115.3	144.8	162.3	150.1	142.0	123.4	144.5	130.4
Dairy and related products	127.2	128.9	130.0	131.4	134.7	148.5	147.5	157.4	161.9	161.5	169.4
Milk ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	106.2	109.8	109.4	113.5
Cheese and related products	134.9	135.1	134.0	135.2	138.4	149.8	147.7	158.4	164.4	160.3	170.9
Ice cream and related products	129.9	130.5	131.2	136.0	139.7	150.4	151.9	163.2	164.7	168.2	176.7
Other dairy and related products ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	106.2	108.3	110.3	115.2
Fruits and vegetables	152.1	155.3	165.4	178.8	177.0	186.0	190.0	199.0	202.8	213.3	211.0
Fresh fruits and vegetables	168.5	172.8	188.6	210.8	205.2	214.3	220.7	232.9	237.8	252.4	245.8
Fresh fruits	188.1	180.0	202.6	209.8	222.0	248.1	236.0	253.8	263.1	264.4	263.9
Apples	170.4	154.2	167.2	163.5	188.0	195.2	194.9	191.5	202.9	204.0	216.7
Bananas	127.6	124.0	127.2	142.7	146.4	157.2	151.3	165.5	161.4	160.8	165.8
Citrus fruits ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	118.2	126.8	120.6	166.3
Other fresh fruits ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	105.9	109.7	113.9	86.8
Fresh vegetables	149.3	166.0	175.1	212.0	189.0	181.2	205.8	212.9	214.1	240.4	228.5
Potatoes	128.2	136.8	164.9	154.1	175.2	160.2	175.0	177.6	191.5	179.5	218.8
Lettuce	169.6	180.7	151.4	269.0	171.1	183.1	215.4	196.2	209.2	276.5	250.6
Tomatoes	123.1	190.9	194.6	229.9	239.2	190.5	249.5	277.2	229.9	281.9	218.9
Other fresh vegetables	162.4	167.4	179.6	217.6	184.1	187.5	203.6	212.3	222.1	246.1	232.8
Processed fruits and vegetables ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	102.1	103.4	105.3	109.8
Canned fruits and vegetables ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	102.4	102.8	105.0	109.5
Frozen fruits and vegetables ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	102.4	105.5	107.4	113.8
Other processed fruits and vegetables including dried ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	100.3	100.9	102.1	102.5

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 28. Historical Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): U.S. city average, by commodity and service group and detailed expenditure categories-Continued

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Unadjusted indexes										Sep. 2001
	December										
	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	
Expenditure category											
Communication ¹	-	-	96.8	96.9	98.7	100.1	100.0	97.8	97.0	94.1	94.3
Postage and delivery services ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	100.1	103.1	103.2	108.1
Postage	145.7	145.7	145.7	145.7	160.8	160.8	160.8	160.8	165.6	165.6	173.4
Delivery services ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	104.2	110.1	116.2	124.8
Information and information processing ¹	-	-	97.6	97.9	98.5	100.1	100.0	97.7	96.6	93.6	93.6
Telephone services ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	100.4	100.9	98.6	99.4
Telephone services, local charges ²	154.7	155.3	156.9	156.3	159.9	161.3	163.0	165.3	170.1	179.7	186.6
Telephone services, long distance charges ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	100.0	98.6	89.4	87.4
Cellular telephone services ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	92.4	81.9	71.7	68.2
Information and information processing other than telephone services ¹⁰	86.9	80.6	74.2	68.2	61.4	54.9	48.9	36.0	29.3	24.6	21.2
Personal computers and peripheral equipment ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	64.0	46.9	35.9	26.6
Computer software and accessories ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	89.9	88.5	82.0	78.1
Computer information processing services ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	103.5	96.3	95.8	100.4
Other information processing equipment ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	89.7	79.1	70.0	66.2
Other goods and services	177.7	189.0	192.0	200.0	208.1	215.2	226.9	252.6	267.3	279.2	295.5
Tobacco and smoking products	211.5	229.0	215.4	222.2	228.4	233.9	250.9	332.0	369.7	396.9	444.7
Cigarettes ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	133.8	149.1	160.2	180.1
Tobacco products other than cigarettes ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	105.5	115.9	121.8	123.7
Personal care	135.7	139.9	143.2	146.1	148.9	150.4	153.9	158.3	163.1	167.7	171.4
Personal care products	133.7	138.6	140.7	143.5	144.7	143.5	146.1	149.6	153.1	155.8	156.1
Hair, dental, shaving, and miscellaneous personal care products ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	100.3	100.8	104.3	103.7
Cosmetics, perfume, bath, nail preparations and implements	136.0	138.5	144.7	146.8	148.9	153.1	156.7	163.7	170.6	170.8	172.2
Personal care services	137.9	141.3	146.2	149.2	154.2	159.4	164.1	168.6	174.7	181.7	186.1
Haircuts and other personal care services ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	102.8	106.5	110.8	113.4
Miscellaneous personal services	170.5	177.6	188.9	198.8	208.9	217.8	228.9	237.4	246.7	255.3	265.6
Legal services ⁴	129.2	133.6	144.0	147.2	153.1	159.7	166.5	174.9	183.7	191.8	202.0
Funeral expenses ⁴	130.1	135.1	142.1	150.6	158.1	165.9	174.7	182.1	188.8	193.9	200.5
Laundry and dry cleaning services ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	102.2	104.5	106.9	111.0
Apparel services other than laundry and dry cleaning ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	101.9	105.0	109.5	113.5
Financial services ⁴	136.8	143.9	153.3	166.5	177.7	183.2	193.9	200.5	209.7	218.0	225.5
Miscellaneous personal goods ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	100.4	97.6	95.4	93.8
Special aggregate indexes											
Commodities	127.0	129.8	131.6	134.8	136.9	141.4	141.6	142.3	146.6	150.6	152.5
Commodities less food and beverages	120.9	124.1	124.7	127.6	129.0	132.4	131.3	130.6	135.4	139.1	139.8
Nondurables less food and beverages	124.2	127.3	125.7	127.7	128.3	133.6	133.1	132.1	142.0	148.6	152.0
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel	126.2	129.9	127.2	131.3	132.1	140.4	139.3	137.9	153.9	165.5	171.4
Durables	115.3	118.7	122.3	126.5	128.9	129.6	127.5	127.4	126.3	126.6	124.1
Services	147.0	152.1	157.6	162.4	167.9	173.4	178.2	182.5	187.2	194.5	201.1
Rent of shelter ³	139.1	143.0	147.3	151.7	156.9	161.4	166.6	172.2	176.5	182.6	188.7
Transportation services	152.5	157.2	163.3	169.2	174.9	181.5	183.9	186.1	189.9	195.2	200.1
Other services	162.0	169.9	178.5	185.9	194.0	201.7	209.9	216.1	222.9	228.9	235.9
All items less food	135.7	140.0	143.4	147.4	151.1	155.8	158.1	160.4	165.1	170.9	174.9
All items less shelter	133.7	137.6	140.8	144.6	147.8	152.8	154.2	155.6	160.1	165.5	168.8
All items less medical care	133.6	137.2	140.4	144.0	147.5	152.4	154.5	156.8	161.1	166.4	170.3
Commodities less food	121.8	125.0	125.7	128.5	130.0	133.5	132.5	132.0	136.8	140.6	141.3
Nondurables less food	125.3	128.4	127.1	129.0	129.8	135.2	135.0	134.1	143.8	150.3	153.8
Nondurables less food and apparel	127.0	130.7	128.6	132.4	133.4	141.3	140.7	139.7	154.7	165.8	171.5
Nondurables	130.8	133.4	134.5	137.4	139.3	145.2	146.2	147.3	154.0	159.7	163.5
Apparel less footwear	126.8	128.3	128.9	126.5	126.5	125.5	126.1	125.7	125.7	122.9	122.0
Services less rent of shelter ³	137.9	143.5	149.5	154.0	159.2	165.0	168.8	171.5	175.9	183.7	189.9
Services less medical care services	143.9	148.4	153.4	157.6	162.8	168.1	172.7	176.9	181.2	188.3	194.6

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 28. Historical Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): U.S. city average, by commodity and service group and detailed expenditure categories-Continued

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Unadjusted indexes										
											Sep. 2001
	December										
	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	
Special aggregate indexes											
Energy	101.6	103.5	101.7	104.2	102.6	112.0	107.7	97.8	112.1	127.6	132.6
All items less energy	140.8	144.9	149.1	153.3	157.6	162.1	165.2	169.3	172.5	176.8	180.7
All items less food and energy	142.0	146.6	150.9	155.1	159.7	163.7	167.1	171.3	174.5	178.7	182.6
Commodities less food and energy commodities	128.9	132.7	134.7	137.1	139.6	141.0	141.5	144.1	144.6	145.8	146.0
Energy commodities	98.4	99.5	94.3	99.4	96.0	109.4	101.6	86.2	112.1	128.9	132.1
Services less energy services	151.0	156.3	162.1	167.5	173.4	179.0	184.3	189.7	194.7	201.1	207.6
Domestically produced farm food	136.7	139.0	143.9	147.1	150.7	159.3	160.2	163.7	166.6	172.0	176.7
Utilities and public transportation	125.6	129.4	134.4	133.6	135.9	142.4	143.3	143.1	145.7	154.1	159.3

¹ Indexes on a December 1997=100 base.

² This index series was calculated using a Laspeyres estimator. All other item stratum index series converted to a geometric means estimator in January, 1999.

³ Indexes on a December 1984=100 base

⁴ Indexes on a December 1986=100 base.

⁵ Indexes on a December 1983=100 base.

⁶ Indexes on a December 1990=100 base.

⁷ Special index based on a substantially smaller sample.

⁸ Indexes on a December 1993=100 base.

⁹ Indexes on a December 1996=100 base.

¹⁰ Indexes on a December 1988=100 base.

- Data not available.

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

Table 29. Historical Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): U.S. city average, by commodity and service group and detailed expenditure categories

Item and group	Percent change from previous December										Sep. 2001
	December										
	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	
Expenditure category											
All items	2.8	2.9	2.5	2.7	2.5	3.3	1.5	1.6	2.7	3.4	2.4
Food and beverages	2.5	1.6	2.7	2.6	2.2	4.2	1.5	2.1	2.0	2.8	2.5
Food	1.8	1.5	2.8	2.8	2.2	4.3	1.5	2.2	2.0	2.8	2.5
Food at home	1.1	1.5	3.4	3.2	2.2	4.9	.8	2.0	1.8	3.0	2.5
Cereals and bakery products	3.4	3.9	3.7	3.3	3.2	3.7	1.5	2.2	2.0	2.5	2.3
Cereals and cereal products	3.6	3.6	3.4	3.1	2.6	-1.3	1.9	1.5	1.2	.9	2.3
Flour and prepared flour mixes	-2	5.0	-2	1.7	6.5	7.6	-4	2.4	-2.2	1.1	9.1
Breakfast cereal	4.8	3.9	4.7	2.4	1.6	-4.2	1.7	2.2	2.0	1.2	.9
Rice, pasta, cornmeal	2.8	2.0	2.2	6.0	2.5	.8	4.1	-.1	1.2	.3	2.2
Bakery products	3.4	4.2	3.7	3.5	3.5	6.0	1.4	2.6	2.4	3.6	2.2
Bread	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.4	2.1	4.6	3.7
Fresh biscuits, rolls, muffins	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.1	3.1	3.3	1.9
Cakes, cupcakes, and cookies	4.8	2.3	3.3	3.7	1.3	4.2	.7	2.2	3.1	1.7	-2
Other bakery products	3.9	5.1	1.9	3.3	2.7	6.2	.3	3.0	1.8	4.2	3.2
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	-1.6	.5	3.6	-7	4.2	5.7	-1.2	-7	1.7	4.6	3.8
Meats, poultry, and fish	-1.4	.8	3.8	-7	3.0	5.3	-7	-5	2.4	4.1	4.5
Meats	-2.2	.3	3.7	-1.7	2.7	5.2	-8	-2.2	3.6	5.2	5.6
Beef and veal	-1.1	.8	3.7	-2.2	-2	2.5	-9	.2	4.5	5.2	6.8
Uncooked ground beef	-1.4	-6	3.7	-4.5	-1.7	1.6	-1.1	-.3	4.4	6.0	6.6
Uncooked beef roasts	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.2	2.0	5.9	7.9
Uncooked beef steaks	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	.7	5.5	4.4	6.5
Uncooked other beef and veal	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-1.7	5.4	4.3	5.7
Pork	-6.0	-7	4.5	-2.3	7.4	11.1	-1.5	-5.9	3.0	5.8	6.8
Bacon, breakfast sausage, and related products	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-3.2	3.5	7.2	8.6
Ham	-4.8	-1.4	1.5	-1.5	7.2	8.5	-1.9	-5.8	.6	3.6	6.9
Pork chops	-4.3	2.6	4.6	-4.9	5.5	6.8	-3.8	-7.2	4.8	6.0	4.5
Other pork including roasts and picnics	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-8.5	2.5	5.9	6.0
Other meats	.8	.2	2.6	.6	3.1	3.4	.4	-.8	2.5	3.8	1.2
Poultry	.5	2.8	5.5	-.4	4.1	7.9	-1.6	2.8	-.9	1.8	3.2
Chicken	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.5	-1.8	1.6	2.3
Other poultry including turkey	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	.1	2.6	2.5	6.2
Fish and seafood	1.6	1.7	3.3	5.2	3.1	2.4	.8	3.7	1.6	1.9	-.4
Fresh fish and seafood	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.5	2.6	4.3	-1.5
Processed fish and seafood	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.8	.4	-1.6	1.4
Eggs	-4.1	-4.6	-1.9	.4	25.6	12.1	-7.5	-5.4	-13.1	17.1	-9.8
Dairy and related products	.6	1.3	.9	1.1	2.5	10.2	-.7	6.7	2.9	-.2	4.9
Milk	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.2	3.4	-.4	3.7
Cheese and related products	1.7	.1	-.8	.9	2.4	8.2	-1.4	7.2	3.8	-2.5	6.6
Ice cream and related products	1.1	.5	.5	3.7	2.7	7.7	1.0	7.4	.9	2.1	5.1
Other dairy and related products	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.2	2.0	1.8	4.4
Fruits and vegetables	4.4	2.1	6.5	8.1	-1.0	5.1	2.2	4.7	1.9	5.2	-1.1
Fresh fruits and vegetables	7.9	2.6	9.1	11.8	-2.7	4.4	3.0	5.5	2.1	6.1	-2.6
Fresh fruits	11.0	-4.3	12.6	3.6	5.8	11.8	-4.9	7.5	3.7	.5	-.2
Apples	12.2	-9.5	8.4	-2.2	15.0	3.8	-2	-1.7	6.0	.5	6.2
Bananas	-.4	-2.8	2.6	12.2	2.6	7.4	-3.8	9.4	-2.5	-.4	3.1
Citrus fruits	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18.2	7.3	-.9	37.9
Other fresh fruits	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.9	3.6	3.8	-23.8
Fresh vegetables	4.3	11.2	5.5	21.1	-10.8	-4.1	13.6	3.4	.6	12.3	-5.0
Potatoes	-4.0	6.7	20.5	-6.5	13.7	-8.6	9.2	1.5	7.8	-6.3	21.9
Lettuce	12.1	6.5	-16.2	77.7	-36.4	7.0	17.6	-8.9	6.6	32.2	-9.4
Tomatoes	-4.0	55.1	1.9	18.1	4.0	-20.4	31.0	11.1	-17.1	22.6	-22.3
Other fresh vegetables	7.7	3.1	7.3	21.2	-15.4	1.8	8.6	4.3	4.6	10.8	-5.4
Processed fruits and vegetables	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.1	1.3	1.8	4.3
Canned fruits and vegetables	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.4	.4	2.1	4.3
Frozen fruits and vegetables	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.4	3.0	1.8	6.0
Other processed fruits and vegetables including dried	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	.3	.6	1.2	.4
Nonalcoholic beverages and beverage materials	-.4	-.2	2.1	13.5	-1.4	-1.8	4.1	-1.0	2.4	1.7	1.9

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Table 29. Historical Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): U.S. city average, by commodity and service group and detailed expenditure categories-Continued

Item and group	Percent change from previous December										Sep. 2001
	December										
	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	
Expenditure category											
Juices and nonalcoholic drinks	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-0.3	3.2	2.0	2.4
Carbonated drinks	0.9	1.5	1.8	-0.3	2.9	-0.5	-1.9	-9	3.2	2.4	2.8
Frozen noncarbonated juices and drinks	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.6	4.4	1.8	.6
Nonfrozen noncarbonated juices and drinks	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	.0	2.8	1.8	2.1
Beverage materials including coffee and tea	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-3.3	.0	.7	.4
Coffee	-5.1	-5.5	5.3	55.9	-9.7	-6.9	16.8	-8.9	-1.8	-2.9	-1.4
Other beverage materials including tea	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.3	1.9	4.3	2.1
Other food at home	1.5	.9	2.0	5.7	1.3	2.2	2.7	3.1	.7	2.0	2.6
Sugar and sweets	3.4	1.0	.9	1.0	3.0	4.4	2.2	1.6	1.5	.7	1.9
Sugar and artificial sweeteners	.0	1.0	1.0	2.0	4.1	3.4	.8	.4	.1	-6	7.0
Candy and chewing gum	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.3	2.1	1.1	.1
Other sweets	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.7	1.5	.8	2.2
Fats and oils	-1.3	-6	.8	3.7	2.4	2.3	-3	8.0	-4.3	3.6	5.5
Butter and margarine	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	20.2	-13.1	8.3	14.4
Salad dressing	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.5	.9	1.8	1.7
Other fats and oils including peanut butter	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.2	-2	1.3	1.0
Other foods	3.1	2.1	2.6	2.3	2.6	4.5	2.5	2.5	1.6	2.1	2.0
Soups	5.9	5.7	4.3	4.3	3.6	4.6	2.2	1.4	.3	2.6	3.2
Frozen and freeze dried prepared foods	1.6	.5	-4	.3	.4	5.0	-8	1.6	-3	2.1	1.4
Snacks	1.1	-4	3.0	1.8	3.5	5.7	2.4	.6	3.8	2.8	.1
Spices, seasonings, condiments, sauces	4.0	4.1	2.6	2.4	4.0	4.5	2.7	2.4	1.6	-1.0	5.9
Baby food	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.0	4.8	4.4	1.9
Other miscellaneous foods	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.9	.3	3.2	.6
Food away from home	2.8	1.6	1.8	2.0	2.2	3.1	2.6	2.5	2.3	2.4	2.5
Full service meals and snacks	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.7	2.3	2.8	2.7
Limited service meals and snacks	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.2	2.6	2.8	2.2
Food at employee sites and schools	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.5	2.0	-4	2.0
Food from vending machines and mobile vendors	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	.8	.8	1.5	1.3
Other food away from home	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.4	3.4	4.2	3.8
Alcoholic beverages	10.0	2.9	1.6	.9	1.9	3.6	2.0	1.9	2.9	2.8	2.4
Alcoholic beverages at home	11.5	2.2	.5	-2	.9	3.3	.5	1.6	2.9	2.7	1.8
Beer, ale, and other malt beverages at home	11.9	2.8	.3	-2	.8	2.8	-6	1.8	3.0	3.2	1.8
Distilled spirits at home	8.9	1.4	1.1	.7	.8	2.0	2.2	.6	3.6	2.6	3.8
Wine at home	13.4	1.5	.2	-1.2	1.3	6.2	2.2	1.5	1.8	.7	.6
Alcoholic beverages away from home	8.0	3.8	2.9	2.2	3.2	4.0	3.7	2.4	3.1	3.0	3.6
Housing	3.4	2.6	2.6	2.1	2.8	2.9	2.3	2.2	2.1	4.3	3.0
Shelter	3.8	2.8	3.0	3.0	3.4	2.8	3.2	3.3	2.5	3.4	3.4
Rent of primary residence ¹	3.0	2.3	2.3	2.5	2.5	2.8	3.1	3.4	3.0	3.9	3.4
Lodging away from home ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.0	1.6	2.8	7.5
Housing at school, excluding board ¹	6.5	8.0	2.2	4.7	4.4	3.5	5.5	4.5	4.2	4.4	4.8
Other lodging away from home including hotels and motels	8.6	3.5	3.8	1.8	3.6	5.2	6.0	4.0	1.4	2.6	7.8
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence ¹	3.9	2.9	3.2	3.3	3.7	2.8	3.0	3.2	2.4	3.2	3.1
Tenants' and household insurance	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	.3	2.1	2.4	1.8
Fuels and utilities	3.2	2.3	2.6	.1	1.4	4.6	.5	-2.5	2.2	11.9	3.8
Fuels	1.1	2.4	1.7	-6	.6	5.7	-1.1	-3.7	2.3	13.9	4.2
Fuel oil and other fuels	-16.8	-2.9	-3.8	.1	1.4	23.6	-12.3	-10.7	22.4	35.9	-13.0
Fuel oil	-20.0	-3.2	-4.6	.0	1.6	23.2	-11.9	-15.2	31.3	40.4	-15.3
Other household fuels	-9.8	-2.4	-2.1	.3	.8	24.1	-13.1	-2.5	8.3	27.4	-8.2
Gas (piped) and electricity ¹	3.4	2.9	2.3	-8	.6	4.1	.1	-3.3	1.2	12.5	5.5
Electricity ¹	5.2	1.7	.5	.7	2.7	.7	-1.3	-3.2	.8	2.6	15.1
Utility natural gas service ¹	-1	5.4	5.9	-3.5	-3.9	11.8	3.0	-3.6	2.4	37.3	-12.5
Water and sewer and trash collection services	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.8	1.9	3.1	2.2
Water and sewerage maintenance ¹	7.3	6.4	4.9	4.2	2.8	3.4	3.9	2.8	1.8	3.4	2.4
Garbage and trash collection	11.6	8.6	5.2	4.9	2.7	1.9	2.0	2.9	2.4	2.0	1.7
Household furnishings and operations	2.1	1.6	1.5	.6	2.3	.9	.1	1.0	-5	1.1	.3
Window and floor coverings and other linens	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.0	-2.0	1.6	-2.1
Floor coverings	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.5	-2.4	6.5	.0
Window coverings	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	.2	-1.6	2.8	-1.8
Other linens	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	.7	-2.0	-1.4	-3.4
Furniture and bedding	1.1	4.3	2.8	1.2	4.2	.9	-1.0	1.3	-1.6	.3	-2.1
Bedroom furniture	4.2	5.2	4.9	-1.8	2.0	3.6	1.4	-2	-1.5	-2.5	-9
Living room, kitchen, and dining room furniture	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.2	-9	2.2	-2.0
Other furniture	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.5	-4.1	-7	-5.0
Appliances	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-1.1	-1.4	-2.7	-1

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Table 29. Historical Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): U.S. city average, by commodity and service group and detailed expenditure categories-Continued

Item and group	Percent change from previous December										Sep. 2001
	December										
	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	
Expenditure category											
Major appliances	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-1.4	-0.4	-2.0	1.0
Other appliances	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-5	-3.2	-3.4	-2.2
Other household equipment and furnishings	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	.0	-3.5	-.9	-.3
Clocks, lamps, and decorator items	3.5	2.4	-3.4	-0.4	3.7	-3.9	3.8	-7	-6.5	-4.7	-1.7
Indoor plants and flowers	7.3	5.5	-2.5	3.9	1.4	.6	-8.3	2.2	.0	5.4	1.6
Dishes and flatware	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-8	-4.1	-2.2	-6
Nonelectric cookware and tableware	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-1.2	-1.1	-1.2	-2
Tools, hardware, outdoor equipment and supplies	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-6	-.7	-2.4	.4
Tools, hardware and supplies	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-2.3	.6	-.1	-.9
Outdoor equipment and supplies	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	.3	-1.6	-4.0	1.3
Housekeeping supplies	2.0	-.3	1.5	1.1	5.0	1.5	1.6	1.9	2.0	4.6	2.6
Household cleaning products	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.7	1.4	4.5	1.8
Household paper products	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.7	5.5	8.2	2.6
Miscellaneous household products	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.7	.6	1.6	3.9
Household operations	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.3	2.8	6.6	3.7
Domestic services	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.3	3.6	4.1	2.2
Gardening and lawn care services	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.7	2.2	9.7	4.1
Moving, storage, freight expense	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.6	2.7	4.7	2.8
Repair of household items	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.5	2.6	7.4	6.0
Apparel	3.1	1.6	.7	-1.5	.2	-2	.8	-.4	-.6	-1.9	-.8
Men's and boys' apparel	2.9	1.2	.5	-2.0	1.0	1.4	2.5	-.4	1.1	-2.7	-3.4
Men's apparel	3.1	1.7	.3	-1.6	.4	1.7	2.3	-.1	.9	-2.1	-3.1
Men's suits, sport coats, and outerwear	2.5	2.0	5.1	-2.2	-1.3	-.6	.9	-1.8	1.0	-4.0	-1.2
Men's furnishings	2.2	.9	-.1	.6	-2.7	4.3	8.3	-.2	4.1	-2.3	-3.0
Men's shirts and sweaters	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.3	-1.5	.7	-5.3
Men's pants and shorts	3.5	2.6	-.8	-1.3	1.2	1.5	-.1	-.2	.1	-4.2	-1.6
Boys' apparel	2.6	-.9	1.1	-3.2	3.1	.3	3.3	-1.4	1.7	-4.5	-4.4
Women's and girls' apparel	3.3	.7	.6	-3.4	-.6	-1.3	-.2	-.4	-1.0	-1.9	.7
Women's apparel	2.4	.3	1.6	-3.8	-.8	-1.1	.0	.1	-1.2	-1.9	1.5
Women's outerwear	2.8	3.0	5.7	-8.0	2.3	4.0	2.5	-4.6	-2.4	2.7	-1.5
Women's dresses	-3.2	3.1	-2.7	-11.3	2.2	-9.3	-5.1	7.0	-4.4	-8.6	12.2
Women's suits and separates	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-1.2	-.7	-1.7	1.5
Women's underwear, nightwear, sportswear and accessories	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	.4	.1	.0	-3.0
Girls' apparel	8.3	2.6	-3.8	-1.8	.8	-1.9	-1.0	-2.6	-.6	-1.7	-2.9
Footwear	2.7	2.5	.8	-1.9	.6	1.6	1.7	-.8	-3.1	-.2	-.8
Men's footwear	3.2	2.3	1.1	-1.5	.2	-.7	.0	.9	-3.9	.5	-4.8
Boys' and girls' footwear	-.4	-.2	.0	1.0	1.5	4.3	2.9	-1.3	-5.3	-1.6	-3.5
Women's footwear	4.3	4.2	1.0	-3.8	.6	1.9	2.4	-2.0	-1.1	.2	4.1
Infants' and toddlers' apparel	3.0	1.0	-3.8	3.7	-2.3	-1.3	-1.2	3.5	3.0	-3.6	.8
Jewelry and watches	3.1	4.0	2.6	3.4	-.5	-4.0	-.5	-3.0	-1.6	-1.1	.8
Watches	2.6	-1.5	6.0	3.6	5.2	-6.5	.2	-1.4	-3.4	1.4	-.5
Jewelry	3.3	5.3	1.9	3.3	-1.8	-3.4	-.7	-3.4	-1.1	-1.6	1.1
Transportation	-1.7	3.0	2.0	4.5	1.6	4.2	-1.7	-2.0	5.7	4.3	.8
Private transportation	-1.7	2.8	1.5	5.2	1.5	3.8	-1.6	-2.1	5.8	4.3	.7
New and used motor vehicles	-	-	-	5.1	2.8	.8	-2.1	1.1	.4	1.3	-2.0
New vehicles	3.3	2.5	3.4	3.5	2.0	1.9	-.8	.0	-.4	-.1	-2.3
Used cars and trucks	2.8	7.9	8.1	8.5	4.6	-1.4	-4.7	3.2	1.3	3.4	-2.1
Car and truck rental	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.5	6.8	-.5	-7.5
Motor fuel	-15.9	1.4	-5.3	5.9	-3.8	13.0	-6.6	-15.4	30.6	13.7	3.7
Gasoline (all types)	-16.0	1.6	-5.9	6.4	-4.1	12.9	-6.6	-15.5	30.6	13.6	3.8
Gasoline, unleaded regular ²	-16.6	1.5	-6.7	7.1	-4.2	13.9	-7.1	-16.5	32.8	14.3	4.6
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ²	-	-	-	5.3	-4.5	11.7	-5.8	-14.4	28.7	12.9	2.2
Gasoline, unleaded premium ²	-14.5	1.5	-4.8	5.2	-4.7	11.1	-5.9	-13.4	26.3	12.6	2.0
Other motor fuels	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-12.3	22.5	25.1	-7.0
Motor vehicle parts and equipment	1.5	-.8	-1.5	.3	.6	-.2	-.6	-.3	-.3	2.1	2.1
Tires	2.2	-.4	-1.5	2.2	.1	.0	-3.0	-.5	-1.2	1.0	2.2
Vehicle accessories other than tires	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	.0	.5	3.0	1.9
Motor vehicle maintenance and repair	4.5	3.7	3.1	2.9	2.6	3.1	2.7	3.1	2.5	3.6	2.9
Motor vehicle body work	2.4	2.9	2.6	3.2	3.7	4.5	4.7	3.1	1.4	3.8	3.2
Motor vehicle maintenance and servicing	5.4	2.1	2.1	1.5	2.1	2.9	2.8	2.9	2.5	3.1	3.1
Motor vehicle repair	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.2	2.7	3.7	2.7
Motor vehicle insurance	8.1	6.5	4.9	3.4	4.4	3.9	2.5	-.3	.5	1.9	3.1

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Item and group	Percent change from previous December											Sep. 2001
	December											
	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000		
Expenditure category												
Motor vehicle fees	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.1	1.4	4.1	1.2	
State and local registration and license ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.8	.9	3.9	.4	
Parking and other fees	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.8	3.1	4.5	3.4	
Public transportation	-1.7	5.2	10.0	-5.0	4.0	10.6	-2.4	1.4	5.9	3.9	1.6	
Airline fare	-5.8	6.2	17.2	-9.5	2.1	15.4	-5.2	4.0	11.0	5.9	1.9	
Other intercity transportation	3.3	.8	-3.7	1.8	1.7	1.9	1.5	2.7	-1.6	-1.9	-2.0	
Intracity transportation	3.7	4.9	3.0	.9	7.6	5.6	1.2	-2.7	.5	2.3	2.3	
Medical care	7.8	6.8	5.2	4.9	4.0	3.1	2.8	3.3	3.6	4.2	3.8	
Medical care commodities	7.3	5.0	3.0	2.9	1.7	2.5	2.2	3.7	3.6	2.7	3.4	
Prescription drugs and medical supplies	9.4	5.6	3.2	3.6	2.0	3.0	2.5	4.9	6.2	3.6	5.1	
Nonprescription drugs and medical supplies	3.3	4.2	2.6	1.6	1.2	1.5	1.6	1.8	-.8	1.2	.2	
Internal and respiratory over-the-counter drugs	2.6	4.3	2.6	.9	.7	1.9	1.5	2.0	-1.4	1.4	.9	
Nonprescription medical equipment and supplies	5.7	3.7	2.8	4.1	2.5	.2	2.0	1.4	.9	.3	-1.5	
Medical care services	7.9	7.1	5.7	5.4	4.5	3.2	2.9	3.2	3.6	4.5	3.9	
Professional services ¹	6.2	5.8	4.4	4.7	4.1	3.6	3.1	3.3	3.2	3.8	3.2	
Physicians' services ¹	5.5	6.3	5.0	4.5	4.4	3.1	2.8	3.5	2.6	3.9	3.3	
Dental services ¹	8.3	5.7	4.4	5.4	4.4	5.1	3.9	4.4	4.7	4.4	3.2	
Eyeglasses and eye care ¹	3.5	3.7	2.1	3.6	2.4	1.4	1.7	.6	3.3	2.4	2.4	
Services by other medical professionals ¹	5.2	3.6	3.1	4.5	1.7	3.2	3.5	2.4	1.7	2.7	3.3	
Hospital and related services ¹	9.1	8.8	7.4	5.7	4.6	4.0	3.1	3.1	5.1	6.2	5.4	
Hospital services ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.0	3.1	5.1	6.2	5.5	
Inpatient hospital services ^{1 2}	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.3	2.5	4.7	5.6	5.1	
Outpatient hospital services ^{1 2}	9.9	9.7	7.6	5.8	4.6	4.8	4.1	4.2	6.6	7.2	5.3	
Nursing homes and adult daycare ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.0	6.3	5.9	5.9	4.8	
Recreation	-	-	-	1.1	2.6	3.0	1.5	.8	.4	1.4	1.2	
Video and audio	-	-	-	-2.7	.4	3.4	2.6	.7	-.9	.5	.3	
Televisions	-1.1	-7	-2.1	-1.7	-4.4	-5.4	-3.9	-4.9	-7.3	-10.7	-8.8	
Cable television ¹	8.6	4.0	7.1	-2.9	3.9	7.9	6.9	6.9	2.9	5.3	3.4	
Other video equipment	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-13.2	-15.3	-17.8	-15.7	
Video cassettes, discs, and other media including rental	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-5.2	-3.5	-5.8	-.7	
Audio equipment	1.9	-1.5	.7	-1.1	-2.6	-.7	-2.0	-7.6	-4.4	.4	-4.0	
Audio discs, tapes and other media	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	.3	1.2	2.5	2.2	
Pets, pet products and services	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.6	1.9	2.6	3.2	
Pets and pet products	1.7	-.8	.6	1.1	3.6	5.2	-.4	.4	1.1	-.6	2.2	
Pet services including veterinary	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.3	3.5	9.6	5.2	
Sporting goods	3.4	.9	.8	2.9	-1.3	.1	-.1	-.4	-2.7	1.1	-.8	
Sports vehicles including bicycles	2.2	2.6	1.1	3.1	-1.2	.1	.2	3.0	.1	3.3	.0	
Sports equipment	5.3	-1.4	.3	2.6	-1.4	.0	-.6	-3.4	-5.5	-1.3	-1.7	
Photography	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-.4	-.5	.5	-.3	
Photographic equipment and supplies	1.1	2.3	1.8	-3.7	1.8	.1	.5	-3.0	-.8	-3.0	-1.7	
Photographers and film processing	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.2	-.3	2.5	.4	
Other recreational goods	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-5.0	-6.8	-2.6	-2.2	
Toys	1.1	2.9	1.6	-.8	1.1	3.2	-1.7	-5.9	-7.8	-3.4	-3.1	
Sewing machines, fabric and supplies	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-.9	-3.7	.1	2.1	
Music instruments and accessories	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-.2	-.5	.8	.7	
Recreation services	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.3	5.8	4.1	3.4	
Club membership dues and fees for participant sports	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.7	1.5	3.7	1.5	
Admissions	4.8	3.8	2.0	3.7	5.4	4.1	3.4	2.6	8.9	4.9	4.5	
Fees for lessons or instructions	5.9	5.3	4.0	5.3	3.0	5.5	5.1	2.0	4.6	1.6	3.6	
Recreational reading materials	6.6	3.8	3.7	3.6	5.9	2.8	1.1	3.1	.7	1.4	1.5	
Newspapers and magazines	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.3	2.1	1.5	2.1	
Recreational books	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.6	-2.1	1.0	.4	
Education and communication	-	-	-	3.0	4.0	3.3	3.0	.9	1.6	1.2	2.7	
Education	-	-	-	5.5	5.6	4.9	5.5	4.7	4.5	5.8	5.2	
Educational books and supplies	6.0	5.7	3.8	3.1	5.7	5.7	5.3	5.9	-1.1	12.6	7.1	
Tuition, other school fees, and childcare	9.1	7.5	6.7	5.8	5.7	4.7	5.5	4.6	4.9	5.2	5.0	
College tuition and fees	11.7	9.2	7.4	6.2	6.2	5.5	5.2	3.9	4.1	4.6	5.7	
Elementary and high school tuition and fees	7.7	8.0	5.7	6.3	6.7	4.6	7.2	6.2	7.0	5.6	7.5	
Child care and nursery school	6.3	4.2	5.3	5.1	3.9	3.6	5.0	4.7	5.0	5.5	3.9	
Technical and business school tuition and fees	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7.6	5.8	4.5	5.0	
Communication	-	-	-	.1	1.9	1.4	-.1	-2.2	-.8	-3.0	.2	

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 29. Historical Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): U.S. city average, by commodity and service group and detailed expenditure categories-Continued

Item and group	Percent change from previous December										Sep. 2001
	December										
	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	
Expenditure category											
Postage and delivery services	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	3.0	0.1	4.7
Postage	16.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	10.4	0.0	0.0	.0	3.0	.0	4.7
Delivery services	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.2	5.7	5.5	7.4
Information and information processing	-	-	-	.3	.6	1.6	-1	-2.3	-1.1	-3.1	.0
Telephone services	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	.4	.5	-2.3	.8
Telephone services, local charges ¹	5.2	.4	1.0	-.4	2.3	.9	1.1	1.4	2.9	5.6	3.8
Telephone services, long distance charges	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	.0	-1.4	-9.3	-2.2
Cellular telephone services	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-7.6	-11.4	-12.5	-4.9
Information and information processing other than telephone services	-3.1	-7.2	-7.9	-8.1	-10.0	-10.6	-10.9	-26.4	-18.6	-16.0	-13.8
Personal computers and peripheral equipment	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-36.0	-26.7	-23.5	-25.9
Computer software and accessories	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-10.1	-1.6	-7.3	-4.8
Computer information processing services	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.5	-7.0	-.5	4.8
Other information processing equipment	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-10.3	-11.8	-11.5	-5.4
Other goods and services	8.1	6.4	1.6	4.2	4.1	3.4	5.4	11.3	5.8	4.5	5.8
Tobacco and smoking products	11.3	8.3	-5.9	3.2	2.8	2.4	7.3	32.3	11.4	7.4	12.0
Cigarettes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	33.8	11.4	7.4	12.4
Tobacco products other than cigarettes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.5	9.9	5.1	1.6
Personal care	2.6	3.1	2.4	2.0	1.9	1.0	2.3	2.9	3.0	2.8	2.2
Personal care products	2.8	3.7	1.5	2.0	.8	-.8	1.8	2.4	2.3	1.8	.2
Hair, dental, shaving, and miscellaneous personal care products	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	.3	.5	3.5	-.6
Cosmetics, perfume, bath, nail preparations and implements	3.0	1.8	4.5	1.5	1.4	2.8	2.4	4.5	4.2	.1	.8
Personal care services	2.2	2.5	3.5	2.1	3.4	3.4	2.9	2.7	3.6	4.0	2.4
Haircuts and other personal care services	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.8	3.6	4.0	2.3
Miscellaneous personal services	6.5	4.2	6.4	5.2	5.1	4.3	5.1	3.7	3.9	3.5	4.0
Legal services	6.2	3.4	7.8	2.2	4.0	4.3	4.3	5.0	5.0	4.4	5.3
Funeral expenses	6.1	3.8	5.2	6.0	5.0	4.9	5.3	4.2	3.7	2.7	3.4
Laundry and dry cleaning services	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.2	2.3	2.3	3.8
Apparel services other than laundry and dry cleaning	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.9	3.0	4.3	3.7
Financial services	7.6	5.2	6.5	8.6	6.7	3.1	5.8	3.4	4.6	4.0	3.4
Miscellaneous personal goods	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	.4	-2.8	-2.3	-1.7
Special aggregate indexes											
Commodities	1.0	2.2	1.4	2.4	1.6	3.3	.1	.5	3.0	2.7	1.3
Commodities less food and beverages	-.1	2.6	.5	2.3	1.1	2.6	-.8	-.5	3.7	2.7	.5
Nondurables less food and beverages	-1.6	2.5	-1.3	1.6	.5	4.1	-.4	-.8	7.5	4.6	2.3
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel	-3.7	2.9	-2.1	3.2	.6	6.3	-.8	-1.0	11.6	7.5	3.6
Durables	2.4	2.9	3.0	3.4	1.9	.5	-1.6	-.1	-.9	.2	-2.0
Services	4.5	3.5	3.6	3.0	3.4	3.3	2.8	2.4	2.6	3.9	3.4
Rent of shelter	3.9	2.8	3.0	3.0	3.4	2.9	3.2	3.4	2.5	3.5	3.3
Transportation services	3.1	3.1	3.9	3.6	3.4	3.8	1.3	1.2	2.0	2.8	2.5
Other services	6.0	4.9	5.1	4.1	4.4	4.0	4.1	3.0	3.1	2.7	3.1
All items less food	3.0	3.2	2.4	2.8	2.5	3.1	1.5	1.5	2.9	3.5	2.3
All items less shelter	2.4	2.9	2.3	2.7	2.2	3.4	.9	.9	2.9	3.4	2.0
All items less medical care	2.5	2.7	2.3	2.6	2.4	3.3	1.4	1.5	2.7	3.3	2.3
Commodities less food	.5	2.6	.6	2.2	1.2	2.7	-.7	-.4	3.6	2.8	.5
Nondurables less food	-.6	2.5	-1.0	1.5	.6	4.2	-.1	-.7	7.2	4.5	2.3
Nondurables less food and apparel	-2.1	2.9	-1.6	3.0	.8	5.9	-.4	-.7	10.7	7.2	3.4
Nondurables	.5	2.0	.8	2.2	1.4	4.2	.7	.8	4.5	3.7	2.4
Apparel less footwear	3.2	1.2	.5	-1.9	.0	-.8	.5	-.3	.0	-2.2	-.7
Services less rent of shelter	5.2	4.1	4.2	3.0	3.4	3.6	2.3	1.6	2.6	4.4	3.4
Services less medical care services	4.2	3.1	3.4	2.7	3.3	3.3	2.7	2.4	2.4	3.9	3.3
Energy	-8.1	1.9	-1.7	2.5	-1.5	9.2	-3.8	-9.2	14.6	13.8	3.9

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Table 29. Historical Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): U.S. city average, by commodity and service group and detailed expenditure categories-Continued

Item and group	Percent change from previous December										
	December										Sep. 2001
	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	
Special aggregate indexes											
All items less energy	3.9	2.9	2.9	2.8	2.8	2.9	1.9	2.5	1.9	2.5	2.2
All items less food and energy	4.4	3.2	2.9	2.8	3.0	2.5	2.1	2.5	1.9	2.4	2.2
Commodities less food and energy commodities	4.0	2.9	1.5	1.8	1.8	1.0	.4	1.8	.3	.8	.1
Energy commodities	-16.0	1.1	-5.2	5.4	-3.4	14.0	-7.1	-15.2	30.0	15.0	2.5
Services less energy services	4.6	3.5	3.7	3.3	3.5	3.2	3.0	2.9	2.6	3.3	3.2
Domestically produced farm food	1.3	1.7	3.5	2.2	2.4	5.7	.6	2.2	1.8	3.2	2.7
Utilities and public transportation	3.6	3.0	3.9	-6	1.7	4.8	.6	-1	1.8	5.8	3.4

¹ This index series was calculated using a Laspeyres estimator. All other item stratum index series converted to a geometric means estimator in January, 1999.

² Special index based on a substantially smaller sample.

- Data not available.

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

Table P1. Average residential prices for utility natural gas, electricity, and fuel oil, U.S. city average and selected areas

Area, region and population size class	Utility natural gas				Electricity		Fuel oil #2	
	per 40 therms		per 100 therms		per 500 KWH		per gallon (3.785 liters)	
	Aug. 2001	Sep. 2001	Aug. 2001	Sep. 2001	Aug. 2001	Sep. 2001	Aug. 2001	Sep. 2001
U.S. city average	\$39.006	\$37.446	\$85.455	\$81.602	\$49.702	\$49.419	\$1.238	\$1.285
Region and area size ¹								
Northeast urban	50.164	49.212	109.213	107.099	61.948	61.123	1.231	1.264
Size A - More than 1,500,000	50.620	49.599	111.379	109.175	64.560	63.128	1.278	1.305
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000	48.697	47.964	101.882	100.071	56.854	57.212	1.135	1.180
Midwest urban	33.916	32.003	72.038	67.155	46.578	46.418	1.183	1.376
Size A - More than 1,500,000	33.070	31.057	68.806	63.752	49.150	48.930	1.183	1.382
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000	35.652	33.866	77.998	73.294	44.472	44.522	1.184	1.375
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	32.757	30.939	70.581	66.012	41.879	41.246	NA	NA
South urban	40.224	39.428	86.836	84.415	46.561	46.343	1.353	1.348
Size A - More than 1,500,000	41.213	40.919	86.886	85.919	48.659	48.664	1.423	1.427
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000	40.171	38.813	87.845	83.882	45.816	45.423	1.280	1.258
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	36.351	36.751	80.177	81.113	44.346	44.344	NA	NA
West urban	36.376	34.214	86.694	81.713	48.831	48.753	1.217	1.331
Size A - More than 1,500,000	36.066	33.457	87.200	81.077	55.758	55.590	1.373	1.406
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000	36.888	35.111	85.579	81.701	46.214	46.236	1.000	1.108
Size classes								
A	39.616	37.949	86.786	82.816	54.348	53.901	1.285	1.317
B/C	39.067	37.561	85.486	81.549	47.105	46.961	1.161	1.224
D	34.373	33.364	75.432	72.771	39.656	39.511	1.310	1.506
Selected local areas								
Chicago-Gary-Kenosha, IL-IN-WI	34.780	31.316	64.703	55.719	54.142	54.167	-	-
Los Angeles-Riverside-Orange County, CA	32.345	29.698	76.854	70.322	70.738	70.251	-	-
New York-Northern N.J.-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT-PA	47.968	47.275	106.327	104.577	70.020	67.328	-	-
Boston-Brockton-Nashua, MA-NH-ME-CT	54.079	54.079	112.867	112.867	72.035	72.035	-	-
Cleveland-Akron, OH	36.565	36.565	82.643	82.643	61.089	61.089	-	-
Dallas-Fort Worth, TX	34.214	38.686	78.175	82.945	47.705	47.711	-	-
Washington-Baltimore, DC-MD-VA-WV	47.980	42.883	100.018	92.115	48.581	48.600	-	-
Atlanta, GA	51.594	52.757	106.819	109.788	42.170	42.170	-	-
Detroit-Ann Arbor-Flint, MI	26.875	26.487	56.158	55.187	43.924	43.924	-	-
Houston-Galveston-Brazoria, TX	25.000	24.030	50.920	48.490	49.153	49.153	-	-
Miami-Fort Lauderdale, FL	58.697	57.208	137.997	130.584	51.307	51.307	-	-
Philadelphia-Wilmington-Atlantic City, PA-NJ-DE-MD ..	54.310	50.058	122.795	113.760	62.338	62.338	-	-
San Francisco-Oakland-San Jose, CA	31.606	25.081	84.669	68.176	64.180	64.180	-	-
Seattle-Tacoma-Bremerton, WA	43.970	43.970	103.099	103.099	32.738	32.738	-	-

¹ Regions defined as the four Census regions. See map in technical notes.

NA Data not adequate for publication.

Table P2. Average residential unit prices and consumption ranges for utility natural gas and electricity for U.S. city average and selected areas

Area, region and population size class	Average price per therm of utility natural gas		Range of therm consumption for Sep.2001		Average price per KWH of electricity		Range of KWH consumption for Sep.2001	
	Aug. 2001	Sep. 2001	Low	High	Aug. 2001	Sep. 2001	Low	High
U.S. city average	\$0.854	\$0.811	4	987	\$0.098	\$0.097	11	9,890
Region and area size ¹								
Northeast urban	1.063	1.031	4	987	.124	.121	129	8,494
Size A - More than 1,500,000	1.074	1.039	4	987	.133	.129	129	8,494
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000	1.022	1.001	25	422	.106	.107	227	4,762
Midwest urban	.714	.660	17	712	.089	.088	11	9,890
Size A - More than 1,500,000	.674	.621	17	581	.097	.097	11	9,890
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000	.790	.729	18	712	.082	.082	70	3,932
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	.726	.681	25	323	.076	.075	230	3,529
South urban	.898	.876	7	522	.088	.088	164	8,744
Size A - More than 1,500,000	.892	.879	7	522	.097	.096	244	8,744
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000	.912	.878	11	389	.086	.085	225	7,500
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	.841	.851	25	364	.082	.082	164	4,883
West urban	.879	.828	7	851	.109	.109	153	7,471
Size A - More than 1,500,000	.882	.819	7	851	.126	.126	153	7,471
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000	.870	.829	8	364	.102	.102	235	4,233
Size classes								
A	.853	.808	4	987	.112	.111	11	9,890
B/C	.873	.830	8	712	.090	.089	70	7,500
D	.781	.755	19	364	.075	.075	163	4,883
Selected local areas								
Chicago-Gary-Kenosha, IL-IN-WI	.634	.538	17	581	.114	.114	11	2,751
Los Angeles-Riverside-Orange County, CA	.774	.708	16	851	.175	.175	258	7,471
New York-Northern N.J.-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT-PA	1.039	1.022	4	987	.142	.135	129	4,706
Boston-Brockton-Nashua, MA-NH-ME-CT	1.070	1.000	24	642	.133	.133	384	8,494
Cleveland-Akron, OH	.821	.821	19	410	.097	.097	48	3,300
Dallas-Fort Worth, TX	.750	.811	31	490	.093	.093	348	3,889
Washington-Baltimore, DC-MD-VA-WV	1.022	.909	15	371	.094	.094	551	4,132
Atlanta, GA	1.078	1.107	15	308	.091	.091	244	4,110
Detroit-Ann Arbor-Flint, MI	.548	.538	34	509	.095	.095	94	2,833
Houston-Galveston-Brazoria, TX	.547	.523	17	230	.107	.106	438	4,494
Miami-Fort Lauderdale, FL	1.471	1.395	7	522	.099	.099	373	5,813
Philadelphia-Wilmington-Atlantic City, PA-NJ-DE-MD ..	1.188	1.113	37	752	.128	.128	430	3,810
San Francisco-Oakland-San Jose, CA	.829	.662	13	257	.168	.168	234	2,448
Seattle-Tacoma-Bremerton, WA	1.045	1.045	12	241	.068	.068	313	5,882

¹ Regions defined as the four Census regions. See map in technical notes.

Table P3. Average prices for gasoline, U.S. city average and selected areas

Area, region and population size class	Gasoline All types ¹		Gasoline Unleaded regular		Gasoline Unleaded midgrade		Gasoline Unleaded premium		Automotive Diesel fuel	
	Aug. 2001	Sep. 2001	Aug. 2001	Sep. 2001	Aug. 2001	Sep. 2001	Aug. 2001	Sep. 2001	Aug. 2001	Sep. 2001
U.S. city average	\$1.509	\$1.609	\$1.427	\$1.531	\$1.558	\$1.658	\$1.636	\$1.726	\$1.497	\$1.573
Region and area size ²										
Northeast urban	1.557	1.518	1.468	1.433	1.614	1.571	1.673	1.632	1.532	1.533
Size A - More than 1,500,000	1.586	1.531	1.497	1.443	1.634	1.578	1.705	1.648	1.553	1.562
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000	1.466	1.477	1.395	1.407	1.528	1.540	1.578	1.586	1.493	1.481
Midwest urban	1.522	1.769	1.442	1.689	1.558	1.806	1.646	1.886	1.450	1.624
Size A - More than 1,500,000	1.560	1.798	1.470	1.707	1.588	1.831	1.677	1.907	1.454	1.599
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000	1.437	1.692	1.402	1.644	1.450	1.717	1.549	1.816	1.454	1.656
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	1.411	1.740	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
South urban	1.372	1.463	1.301	1.395	1.418	1.508	1.507	1.594	1.419	1.482
Size A - More than 1,500,000	1.435	1.486	1.347	1.399	1.492	1.540	1.561	1.612	1.561	1.567
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000	1.328	1.445	1.270	1.387	1.362	1.481	1.460	1.574	1.369	1.448
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000)	1.352	1.475	1.303	1.427	1.381	1.504	1.498	1.615	NA	NA
West urban	1.608	1.685	1.539	1.636	1.629	1.686	1.746	1.806	1.641	1.721
Size A - More than 1,500,000	1.640	1.695	1.564	1.640	1.663	1.700	1.779	1.818	1.689	1.755
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000	1.516	1.624	1.466	1.583	1.526	1.624	1.639	1.738	1.570	1.645
Size classes										
A	1.568	1.646	1.481	1.558	1.608	1.691	1.690	1.760	1.560	1.617
B/C	1.408	1.532	1.350	1.474	1.444	1.575	1.529	1.645	1.437	1.521
D	1.430	1.637	1.389	1.602	1.457	1.655	1.565	1.761	1.387	1.554
Selected local areas										
Chicago-Gary-Kenosha, IL-IN-WI	1.620	1.912	1.532	1.838	1.633	1.922	1.717	1.999	-	-
Los Angeles-Riverside-Orange County, CA	1.650	1.670	1.575	1.604	1.660	1.680	1.775	1.777	-	-
New York-Northern N.J.-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT-PA	1.666	1.606	1.573	1.509	1.709	1.654	1.768	1.707	-	-
Boston-Brockton-Nashua, MA-NH-ME-CT	1.517	1.479	1.468	1.429	1.557	1.518	1.646	1.613	-	-
Cleveland-Akron, OH	1.454	1.698	1.401	1.645	1.500	1.743	1.596	1.840	-	-
Dallas-Fort Worth, TX	1.364	1.437	1.302	1.374	1.405	1.479	1.500	1.577	-	-
Washington-Baltimore, DC-MD-VA-WV	1.533	1.515	1.463	1.444	1.577	1.557	1.649	1.637	-	-
Atlanta, GA	1.281	1.397	1.215	1.332	1.325	1.436	1.430	1.544	-	-
Detroit-Ann Arbor-Flint, MI	1.514	1.720	1.461	1.674	1.568	1.755	1.650	1.852	-	-
Houston-Galveston-Brazoria, TX	1.340	1.427	1.276	1.366	1.391	1.467	1.472	1.558	-	-
Miami-Fort Lauderdale, FL	1.511	1.552	1.413	1.449	1.546	1.590	1.608	1.650	-	-
Philadelphia-Wilmington-Atlantic City, PA-NJ-DE-MD ..	1.513	1.442	1.433	1.363	1.551	1.483	1.625	1.547	-	-
San Francisco-Oakland-San Jose, CA	1.709	1.856	1.638	1.792	1.787	1.923	1.869	2.005	-	-
Seattle-Tacoma-Bremerton, WA	1.579	1.725	1.518	1.664	1.625	1.775	1.744	1.889	-	-

¹ Also includes types of gasoline not shown separately.

² Regions defined as the four Census regions. See map in technical notes.

NA Data not adequate for publication.

Table P4. Average retail food prices, U.S. city average and four regions

Food and unit	U.S. city average		Northeast		Midwest		South		West	
	Aug. 2001	Sep. 2001	Aug. 2001	Sep. 2001	Aug. 2001	Sep. 2001	Aug. 2001	Sep. 2001	Aug. 2001	Sep. 2001
Cereals and bakery products:										
Flour, white, all purpose, per lb. (453.6 gm)	\$0.318	\$0.296	\$0.307	\$0.310	\$0.311	\$0.302	\$0.325	\$0.326	\$0.324	\$0.265
Rice, white, long grain, uncooked, per lb. (453.6 gm)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Spaghetti and macaroni, per lb. (453.6 gm)	.931	.925	1.066	1.072	.797	.752	.754	.745	NA	NA
Bread, white, pan, per lb. (453.6 gm)	.991	.996	1.125	1.113	1.034	1.054	.876	.909	.987	.949
Bread, French, per lb. (453.6 gm)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Bread, whole wheat, pan, per lb. (453.6 gm)	1.454	1.447	NA	NA	NA	NA	1.392	1.395	NA	NA
Cookies, chocolate chip, per lb. (453.6 gm)	2.423	2.448	NA	NA	NA	NA	2.279	2.222	2.911	2.724
Crackers, soda, salted, per lb. (453.6 gm)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Meats, poultry, fish and eggs:										
Meats:										
Beef and veal:										
Ground chuck, 100% beef, per lb. (453.6 gm)	2.101	2.150	2.032	2.066	2.024	2.105	2.077	2.143	NA	NA
Ground beef, 100% beef, per lb. (453.6 gm)	1.634	1.717	NA	NA	1.699	1.757	1.594	1.708	NA	NA
Ground beef, lean and extra lean, per lb. (453.6 gm)	2.536	2.494	2.667	2.683	2.224	2.208	2.727	2.598	2.375	2.402
All uncooked ground beef, per lb. (453.6 gm)	2.210	2.217	2.353	2.391	2.034	2.034	2.210	2.199	2.269	2.287
Chuck roast, USDA Choice, bone-in, per lb. (453.6 gm)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Chuck roast, graded and ungraded, excluding USDA Prime and Choice, per lb. (453.6 gm)	2.508	2.489	NA	NA	2.444	2.544	2.403	2.390	2.625	2.563
Chuck roast, USDA Choice, boneless, per lb. (453.6 gm)	2.817	2.748	2.879	2.816	2.842	2.699	2.708	2.724	NA	NA
Round roast, USDA Choice, boneless, per lb. (453.6 gm)	3.233	3.252	3.151	3.193	3.197	3.233	3.301	3.307	3.336	3.302
Round roast, graded and ungraded, excluding USDA Prime and Choice, per lb. (453.6 gm)	3.008	2.939	NA	NA	NA	NA	2.988	2.640	3.016	3.046
Rib roast, USDA Choice, bone-in, per lb. (453.6 gm)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
All Uncooked Beef Roasts, per lb. (453.6 gm)	3.191	3.159	3.166	3.156	3.209	3.189	3.155	3.088	3.246	3.236
Steak, T-Bone, USDA Choice, bone-in, per lb. (453.6 gm)	7.590	7.611	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Steak, rib eye, USDA Choice, boneless, per lb. (453.6 gm)	7.893	7.910	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Steak, round, USDA Choice, boneless, per lb. (453.6 gm)	3.393	3.511	3.420	3.688	3.284	3.383	3.469	3.456	NA	NA
Steak, round, graded and ungraded, excluding USDA Prime and Choice, per lb. (453.6 gm)	3.299	3.237	NA	NA	3.362	3.470	3.239	3.155	3.327	3.261
Steak, sirloin, USDA Choice, bone-in, per lb. (453.6 gm)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Steak, sirloin, graded and ungraded, excluding USDA Prime and Choice, per lb. (453.6 gm)	4.442	4.596	NA	NA	NA	NA	4.305	4.636	4.586	4.592
Steak, sirloin, USDA Choice, boneless, per lb. (453.6 gm)	5.456	5.368	5.422	5.515	5.349	5.313	5.422	5.267	5.851	5.428
Short ribs, any primal source, bone-in, per lb. (453.6 gm)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Beef for stew, boneless, per lb. (453.6 gm)	2.979	2.995	NA	NA	3.178	3.180	NA	NA	NA	NA
All Uncooked Beef Steaks, per lb. (453.6 gm)	4.411	4.430	4.397	4.499	4.478	4.532	4.216	4.222	4.648	4.584
All Uncooked Other Beef (Excluding Veal), per lb. (453.6 gm)	2.700	2.687	2.816	2.788	2.672	2.712	2.539	2.496	2.880	2.880
Pork:										
Bacon, sliced, per lb. (453.6 gm)	3.468	3.487	3.436	3.408	3.517	3.511	3.350	3.433	3.696	3.668
Chops, center cut, bone-in, per lb. (453.6 gm)	3.601	3.558	3.380	3.406	3.585	3.426	3.508	3.533	4.041	3.894
Chops, boneless, per lb. (453.6 gm)	4.026	4.075	NA	NA	3.601	3.705	4.259	4.284	3.991	3.922
All Pork Chops, per lb. (453.6 gm)	3.376	3.361	3.294	3.256	3.352	3.333	3.247	3.279	3.743	3.665
Ham, rump or shank half, bone-in, smoked, per lb. (453.6 gm)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	2.208	2.230	NA	NA
Ham, boneless, excluding canned, per lb. (453.6 gm)	2.771	2.791	NA	NA	2.606	2.657	2.801	2.825	2.917	2.936
All Ham (Excluding Canned Ham and Luncheon Slices), per lb. (453.6 gm)	2.257	2.276	2.275	2.259	2.445	2.483	2.102	2.140	2.333	2.330
Ham, canned, 3 or 5 lbs, per lb. (453.6 gm)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Shoulder picnic, bone-in, smoked, per lb. (453.6 gm)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
All Other Pork (Excluding Canned Ham and Luncheon Slices), per lb. (453.6 gm)	1.886	1.912	1.837	1.905	1.922	1.896	1.695	1.752	2.226	2.209
Sausage, fresh, loose, per lb. (453.6 gm)	2.826	2.856	NA	NA	NA	NA	2.609	2.636	NA	NA
Other meats:										
Frankfurters, all meat or all beef, per lb. (453.6 gm)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Bologna, all beef or mixed, per lb. (453.6 gm)	2.607	2.638	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Lamb and mutton, bone-in, per lb. (453.6 gm)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Poultry:										
Chicken, fresh, whole, per lb. (453.6 gm)	1.110	1.107	1.141	1.127	1.135	1.133	1.022	1.012	1.195	1.206
Chicken breast, bone-in, per lb. (453.6 gm)	2.127	2.088	NA	NA	NA	NA	1.945	1.860	2.552	2.509
Chicken legs, bone-in, per lb. (453.6 gm)	1.356	1.306	1.327	1.187	1.231	1.260	1.349	1.341	NA	NA
Turkey, frozen, whole, per lb. (453.6 gm)	1.135	1.162	NA	NA	1.180	1.254	1.046	1.060	NA	NA
Fish and seafood:										
Tuna, light, chunk, per lb. (453.6 gm)	1.972	1.979	NA	NA	1.949	1.914	1.815	1.834	2.095	2.107

See footnotes at end of table.

Table P4. Average retail food prices, U.S. city average and four regions-Continued

Food and unit	U.S. city average		Northeast		Midwest		South		West	
	Aug. 2001	Sep. 2001	Aug. 2001	Sep. 2001	Aug. 2001	Sep. 2001	Aug. 2001	Sep. 2001	Aug. 2001	Sep. 2001
Eggs:										
Grade A, large, per doz.	\$0.929	\$0.916	\$0.838	\$0.838	\$0.838	\$0.833	\$1.019	\$0.999	NA	NA
Grade AA, large, per doz.	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	\$1.325	\$1.284
Dairy products:										
Milk, fresh, whole, fortified, per 1/2 gal. (1.9 lit)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Milk, fresh, whole, fortified, per gal. (3.8 lit)	2.890	2.941	NA	NA	NA	NA	2.947	2.942	2.909	2.979
Milk, fresh, low fat, per 1/2 gal. (1.9 lit)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Milk, fresh, low fat, per gal. (3.8 lit)	2.691	2.653	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Butter, salted, grade AA, stick, per lb. (453.6 gm)	3.616	3.697	NA	NA	3.257	3.293	NA	NA	NA	NA
American processed cheese, per lb. (453.6 gm)	3.918	3.984	NA	NA	NA	NA	3.497	3.582	NA	NA
Cheddar cheese, natural, per lb. (453.6 gm)	4.100	4.143	NA	NA	NA	NA	3.738	3.761	3.588	3.744
Ice cream, prepackaged, bulk, regular, per 1/2 gal. (1.9 lit)	3.841	3.815	NA	NA	3.240	3.346	4.004	4.049	4.158	3.926
Yogurt, natural, fruit flavored, per 8 oz. (226.8 gm)	.663	.683	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Fruits and vegetables:										
Fresh fruits and vegetables:										
Apples, Red Delicious, per lb. (453.6 gm)	.898	.874	.955	.950	.917	.885	.919	.907	.815	.772
Bananas, per lb. (453.6 gm)	.519	.508	.589	.577	.485	.484	.479	.484	.552	.512
Oranges, Navel, per lb. (453.6 gm)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	1.318	1.298
Oranges, Valencia, per lb. (453.6 gm)	.516	.522	.721	.660	.690	.740	.651	.673	.416	.421
Cherries, per lb. (453.6 gm)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Grapefruit, per lb. (453.6 gm)	.753	.759	.942	.898	.715	.754	.682	.730	.687	.678
Grapes, Thompson Seedless, per lb. (453.6 gm)	1.472	1.544	1.638	1.838	1.157	1.237	1.256	1.265	1.919	1.817
Lemons, per lb. (453.6 gm)	1.275	1.352	1.011	1.054	1.115	1.237	1.461	1.459	1.530	1.709
Peaches, per lb. (453.6 gm)	1.204	1.349	NA	NA	NA	NA	1.067	1.173	1.483	1.492
Pears, Anjou, per lb. (453.6 gm)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Strawberries, dry pint, per 12 oz. (340.2 gm)	1.628	1.916	1.600	1.703	1.534	1.977	1.656	1.914	NA	NA
Potatoes, white, per lb. (453.6 gm)	.439	.422	.431	.421	.406	.350	.493	.497	.421	.421
Lettuce, iceberg, per lb. (453.6 gm)	.784	.897	.882	.921	.736	.889	.820	.930	.699	.842
Tomatoes, field grown, per lb. (453.6 gm)	1.185	1.168	1.235	1.235	1.371	1.341	1.254	1.231	.909	.891
Broccoli, per lb. (453.6 gm)	.978	.969	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Cabbage, per lb. (453.6 gm)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Carrots, short trimmed and topped, per lb. (453.6 gm)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Celery, per lb. (453.6 gm)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Corn on the cob, per lb. (453.6 gm)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Cucumbers, per lb. (453.6 gm)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Onions, dry yellow, per lb. (453.6 gm)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Peppers, sweet, per lb. (453.6 gm)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Processed fruits and vegetables:										
Apple Sauce, any variety, all sizes, per lb. (453.6 gm)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Orange juice, frozen concentrate, 12 oz. can, per 16 oz. (473.2 ml)	1.875	1.870	NA	NA	1.972	1.923	1.831	1.872	NA	NA
Peaches, any variety, all sizes, per lb. (453.6 gm)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Beans, dried, any type, all sizes, per lb. (453.6 gm)	.687	.688	NA	NA	.593	.621	.643	.634	.766	.756
Corn, canned, any style, all sizes, per lb. (453.6 gm)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Potatoes, frozen, French fried, per lb. (453.6 gm)	1.081	1.095	NA	NA	1.187	1.151	1.029	1.082	NA	NA
Tomatoes, canned, whole, per lb. (453.6 gm)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Tomatoes, canned, any type, all sizes, per lb. (453.6 gm)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Other foods at home:										
Sugar and sweets:										
Sugar, white, all sizes, per lb. (453.6 gm)	.433	.442	.461	.468	.435	.449	.409	.408	.449	.472
Sugar, white, 33-80 oz. pkg, per lb. (453.6 gm)	.418	.428	.444	.447	.433	.447	.383	.380	NA	NA
Fats and oils:										
Margarine, stick, per lb. (453.6 gm)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Margarine, soft, tubs, per lb. (453.6 gm)	.858	.866	NA	NA	.872	.884	NA	NA	NA	NA
Shortening, vegetable oil blends, per lb. (453.6 gm)	1.072	1.050	NA	NA	1.124	1.148	.926	.925	NA	NA
Peanut butter, creamy, all sizes, per lb. (453.6 gm)	1.946	1.955	2.000	2.002	1.634	1.567	NA	NA	2.170	2.216
Nonalcoholic beverages:										
Cola, nondiet, cans, 72 oz. 6 pk., per 16 oz. (473.2 ml) ¹	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Cola, nondiet, per 2 liters (67.6 oz) ¹	1.127	1.084	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Coffee, 100%, ground roast, all sizes, per lb. (453.6 gm)	3.046	3.025	3.273	3.376	2.604	2.563	2.807	2.807	3.650	3.532
Coffee, 100%, ground roast, 13.1-20 oz. can, per lb. (453.6 gm)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Coffee, instant, plain, regular, all sizes, per lb. (453.6 gm)	11.590	11.995	NA	NA	NA	NA	9.198	9.095	NA	NA
Other prepared foods:										
Potato chips, per 16 oz. (453.6 gm)	\$3.404	\$3.397	NA	NA	3.154	3.167	3.634	3.579	NA	NA

See footnotes at end of table.

Table P4. Average retail food prices, U.S. city average and four regions-Continued

Food and unit	U.S. city average		Northeast		Midwest		South		West	
	Aug. 2001	Sep. 2001	Aug. 2001	Sep. 2001	Aug. 2001	Sep. 2001	Aug. 2001	Sep. 2001	Aug. 2001	Sep. 2001
Alcoholic beverages at home:										
Malt beverages, all types, all sizes, any origin, per 16 oz. (473.2 ml)	\$0.954	\$0.961	\$0.961	\$0.963	\$0.938	\$0.879	\$0.954	\$0.945	\$0.965	\$1.039
Vodka, all types, all sizes, any origin, per 1 liter (33.8 oz)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Wine, red and white table, all sizes, any origin, per 1 liter (33.8 oz)	6.390	6.068	9.164	7.669	7.072	6.651	5.217	5.182	5.931	5.359

¹ Deposit may be included in price.

NA Data not adequate for publication.

Technical Note

Brief Explanation of the CPI

The Consumer Price Index (CPI) is a measure of the average change in prices over time in a market basket of goods and services. The Bureau of Labor Statistics (BLS) publishes CPIs for two population groups: (1) A CPI for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U) that covers approximately 87 percent of the total population, and (2) a CPI for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W) that covers 32 percent of the total population. The CPI-U includes, in addition to wage earners and clerical workers, groups such as professional, managerial, and technical workers, the self-employed, short-term workers, the unemployed, retirees, and others not in the labor force.

The CPI is based on prices of food, clothing, shelter, and fuels, transportation fares, charges for physicians' and dentists' services, drugs, and other goods and services that people buy for day-to-day living. Prices are collected in 87 urban areas across the country from about 50,000 housing units and approximately 23,000 retail establishments—department stores, supermarkets, hospitals, filling stations, and other types of stores and service establishments. All taxes directly associated with the purchase and use of items are included in the index. Prices of fuels and a few other items are obtained every month in all 87 locations. Prices of most other commodities and services are collected every month in the three largest metropolitan areas and every other month in other areas. Prices of most goods and services are obtained by personal visits or telephone calls from trained BLS representatives.

In calculating the index, price changes for the various items in each location are averaged together with weights that 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 also are published by size of city, by region of the country, for cross-classifications of regions and population-size classes, and for 26 local areas. Area indexes do not measure differences in the level of prices among cities; they measure only the average change in prices for each area since the base period.

The index measures price change from a designated reference date—1982-84, which equals 100.0. An increase of 16.5 percent, for example, is shown as 116.5. This change also can 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 1982-84 to \$11.65.

For further details, see *BLS Handbook of Methods*, chapter 17, "The Consumer Price Index," Bulletin 2490, April 1997.

Calculating Index Changes

Movements of the indexes from one month to another usually are 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, whereas percent changes are not. The example below 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.

<i>Index point change</i>	
CPI	115.7
Less previous index	111.2
Equals index point change	4.5
<i>Percent change</i>	
Index point difference	4.5
Divided by the previous index	111.2
Equals	0.040
Results multiplied by 100	0.040x100
Equals percent change	4.0

Energy Prices

Prices usually are available for the U.S. city average, 13 large metropolitan areas, the 4 census regions, 3 size classifications, and 10 areas reflecting the 4 census regions cross-classified by the 3 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 appears. This designation also appears 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 are collected monthly by BLS representatives in the urban areas priced for the CPI. 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 P2 are the upper and lower limits of the bill sizes priced for the CPI. 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 not only are 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 (shown in table P1) are calculated from a special price collection program. They are not used in the calculation of the CPI. Because 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, and to provide continuity with prices of natural gas and electricity formerly published in conjunction with the unrevised CPI.

Fuel oil. Only #2 fuel oil (home heating oil) is priced. (See table P1.) Prices are collected, in most cases, for quantities greater than 1 gallon. These prices are converted to a gallon price for this program. Fuel oil prices reflect discounts for quantity or quick payment.

Gasoline and automotive diesel fuel. Gasoline and diesel prices, shown in table P3, are collected at the pump from a sample of full service, miniservice, and self-service gas stations.

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

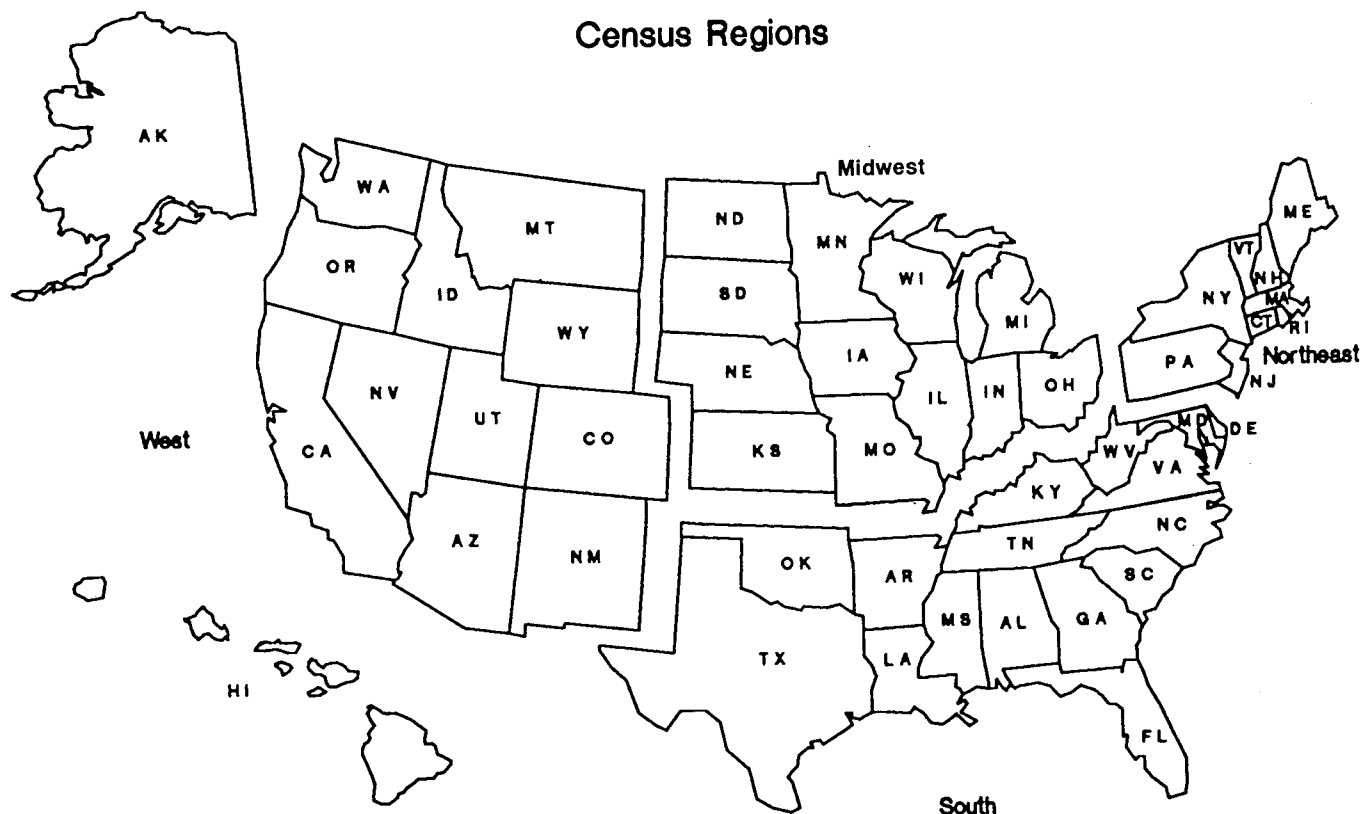
1 therm = 100,000 BTUs (U.S. Department of Energy)

1 kwh = 3,412 BTUs (Edison Electric Institute)

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

Food and Beverage Prices

Actual weighted average prices for food and beverages are calculated each month at the national level and for the four census geographic regions, as shown in table P4. 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 that the average prices for food 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 appears. 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 is not published, and NA appears for that item in the table.

Because of space limitations in the table, the description for each item is abbreviated. Detailed specifications are available from BLS information offices or from the Washington office, upon request.

Seasonally Adjusted and Unadjusted Data

Because price data are used for different purposes by different groups, BLS publishes seasonally adjusted, as well as unadjusted, changes each month.

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

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-12-ARIMA Seasonal Adjustment Method. The updated seasonal data at the end of 1977 replaced data from 1967 through 1977. Subsequent annual updates have replaced 5 years of seasonal data—for example, data from 1996 through 2000 were replaced at the end of 2000. The seasonal movement of All items and 54 other aggregations is derived by combining the seasonal movement of 73 selected components. Each year, the seasonal status of every series is reevaluated, based upon certain statistical criteria. If any of the 73 components changes its 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. (Note: Thirty-eight of the seventy-three components are seasonally adjusted for 2001.)

Seasonally adjusted data, including the All items index levels, are subject to revision for up to 5 years after their original release. For this reason, BLS advises against the use of these data in escalation agreements.

Effective with the calculation of the seasonal factors for 1990, BLS has used an enhanced seasonal adjustment procedure called Intervention Analysis Seasonal Adjustment for some CPI series. Intervention Analysis Seasonal Adjustment allows for better estimates of seasonally adjusted data. Extreme values or sharp movements that might distort the seasonal pattern are estimated and removed from the data prior to calculation of seasonal factors. Beginning with the calculation of seasonal factors for 1996, X-12-ARIMA software was used for Intervention Analysis Seasonal Adjustment.

For the fuel oil, natural gas, motor fuels, and educational books and supplies indexes, this procedure was used to offset the effects that extreme price volatility would otherwise have had on the estimates of seasonally adjusted data for those series. For the nonalcoholic beverages index, the procedure was used to offset the effects of a large increase in coffee prices due to adverse weather. The procedure was used to account for unusual butterfat supply reductions affecting the fats and oils series. For the water and sewerage maintenance index, the procedure was used to account for a data collection anomaly.

A description of Intervention Analysis Seasonal Adjustment, as well as a list of unusual events modeled and seasonal factors for these items, may be obtained by writing to the Bureau of Labor Statistics, Division of Consumer Prices and Price Indexes, Washington, DC 20212, by calling Daniel Chow on (202) 691-6968, or by sending e-mail to Chow_Dan@bls.gov. If you have general questions about the CPI, call our information staff at (202) 691-7000.

Metropolitan Areas

BLS publishes price indexes for three major metropolitan areas monthly:

Chicago-Gary-Kenosha, IL-IN-WI
Los Angeles-Riverside-Orange County, CA
New York-Northern New Jersey-Long Island,
NY-NJ-CT-PA

Data for an additional 11 metropolitan areas are published every other month [on an odd (January, March, etc.) or even (February, April, etc.) month schedule] for the following areas:

Atlanta, GA	-even
Boston-Brockton-Nashua, MA-NH-ME-CT	-odd
Cleveland-Akron, OH	-odd
Dallas-Fort Worth, TX	-odd
Detroit-Ann Arbor-Flint, MI	-even
Houston-Galveston-Brazoria, TX	-even
Miami-Fort Lauderdale, FL	-even
Philadelphia-Wilmington-Atlantic City, PA-NJ-DE-MD	-even

San Francisco-Oakland-San Jose, CA	-even
Seattle-Tacoma-Bremerton, WA	-even
Washington-Baltimore, DC-MD-VA-WV	-odd

(Note: The designation even or odd refers to the month during which the area's price change is measured. Due to the time needed for processing, data are released 2 to 3 weeks into the following month.)

Data are published for another group of 12 metropolitan areas on a semiannual basis. These indexes, which refer to the arithmetic average for the 6-month periods from January through June and July through December, are published with release of the CPI for July and January, respectively, in August and February for:

Anchorage, AK
Cincinnati-Hamilton, OH-KY-IN
Denver-Boulder-Greeley, CO
Honolulu, HI
Kansas City, MO-KS
Milwaukee-Racine, WI
Minneapolis-St. Paul, MN-WI
Pittsburgh, PA
Portland-Salem, OR-WA
San Diego, CA
St. Louis, MO-IL
Tampa-St. Petersburg-Clearwater, FL

How to Obtain Consumer Price Index Information

CPI information is available from BLS electronically, through publication subscriptions, and via telephone and fax through automated recordings. Information specialists also are available in the national and information offices, to provide help and to respond to questions.

Electronic access to CPI data

BLS on the Internet. Through the Internet, BLS provides free, continuous access to published CPI data and press releases. The most recent month's CPI is made available immediately at the time of release. Additionally, a database called LABSTAT, containing current and historical data for the CPI, is accessible. Data and press releases from other BLS surveys also are available. The BLS site is accessible via the World Wide Web (WWW), Gopher, and File Transfer Protocol (FTP), as described below. Send e-mail to webmaster@bls.gov for help in using any of these systems.

World Wide Web. BLS maintains a Web site at <http://www.bls.gov> on the Internet. This BLS homepage provides access to LABSTAT, as well as links to program-specific homepages. The CPI homepage <http://www.bls.gov/cpi/> provides other CPI information, as well as indexes. This includes a brief explanation of methodology, frequently asked questions and answers, contacts for further information, and

explanations of how the CPI handles special items, like medical care and housing. In addition, CPI press releases and historical data for metropolitan areas can be accessed by linking to information office homepages from the main BLS Web site listed above.

Subscriptions to CPI publications

Summary data. Free, monthly, 2-page publication containing 1- and 12-month percent changes for selected U.S. city average Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U) and Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W) index series. The All items index data for each local area also are included. To be added to the mailing list, write to: Office of Publications, Bureau of Labor Statistics, 2 Massachusetts Avenue, NE, Room 2850, Washington, DC 20212-0001, or call (202) 691-5200 or any of the BLS information offices listed below.

CPI Detailed Report. This is the most comprehensive report on the Consumer Price Index. This publication may be ordered by writing to: New Orders, Superintendent of Documents, P.O. Box 371954, Pittsburgh, PA 15250-7954 or by calling (202) 512-1800. Subscriptions cost \$45 per year.

Monthly Labor Review (MLR). The MLR provides selected CPI data included in a monthly summary of BLS data and occasional articles and methodological descriptions too extensive for inclusion in the *CPI Detailed Report*. The MLR costs \$43 per year. This publication may be ordered by writing to: New Orders, Superintendent of Documents, P.O. Box 371954, Pittsburgh, PA 15250-7954 or by calling (202) 512-1800.

Recorded CPI data

Summary CPI data are provided on 24-hour recorded messages. Detailed CPI information is available by calling (202) 691-5200. A touch-tone telephone is recommended, as this system allows the user to select specific indexes from lists of available data.

Recorded summaries of CPI data also may be obtained by calling any one of the metropolitan area CPI hotlines listed below. These hotline summaries typically include data for the U.S. city average, as well as for the specified area. These recordings are approximately 3 minutes in length, do not require a touch-tone telephone, and are available 24 hours a day, 7 days a week.

Area	Hotline Number
Anchorage	(907) 271-2770
Atlanta	(404) 331-3415
Baltimore	(410) 962-4898
Boston	(617) 565-2325/2327
Chicago	(312) 353-1880
Cincinnati	(513) 684-2349

Cleveland	(216) 522-3852
Dallas	(214) 767-6970
Denver	(303) 844-1726
Detroit	(313) 226-7558
Honolulu	(808) 541-2808
Houston	(713) 718-3753
Indianapolis	(317) 226-7885
Kansas City	(816) 426-2481
Los Angeles	(310) 235-6884
Milwaukee	(414) 276-2579
Minneapolis-St. Paul	(612) 290-3996
New York	(212) 337-2404/2408
Philadelphia	(215) 596-1156
Pittsburgh	(412) 644-2900
Portland	(503) 231-2045
San Diego	(619) 557-6538
San Francisco	(415) 975-4350
Seattle	(206) 553-0645
St. Louis	(314) 539-3581
Washington, DC	(202) 691-6994

Other sources of CPI data

Technical information is available during normal working hours, Monday through Friday, by calling (202) 691-7000 or any of the information offices listed below.

Fax-on-Demand. A wide variety of BLS information and data, including the CPI, is available from the BLS *Ready Facts* catalog, via fax-on-demand. CPI documents from *Ready Facts* that are available around the clock include the monthly CPI press release; selected national, regional, and metro-politan area historical summaries; and some technical information. The latest CPI information is posted during the morning of release day. Call (202) 691-6325, and follow instructions to have the latest *Ready Facts* catalog sent to you. All information offices also have fax systems in place; their systems include all information available from the national catalog, in addition to region-specific information on the CPI.

Phone and fax-on-demand numbers for the information offices are:

Office	Fax-on-Demand	Telephone
Atlanta	(404) 331-3403	(404) 331-3415
Boston	(617) 565-9167	(617) 565-2327
Chicago	(312) 353-1880	(312) 353-1880
Dallas	(214) 767-9613	(214) 767-6970
Kansas City	(816) 426-3152	(816) 426-2481
New York	(212) 337-2412	(212) 337-2400
Philadelphia	(215) 597-4153	(215) 597-3282
San Francisco	(415) 975-4567	(415) 975-4350
Washington, DC	(202) 691-6325	(202) 691-7000

Historical tables. These include all published indexes for each of the detailed CPI components. These tables are available via the Internet, by calling (202) 691-7000 in the national office, or by contacting any of the information offices listed above.

Descriptive publications. These publications describe the CPI and ways to use it. They include simple factsheets discussing specific topics about the CPI, a broader, nontechnical overview of the CPI in a question and answer format, and a technical and thorough description of the CPI and its methodology. These publications may be obtained by calling (202) 691-7000, and many are included on the CPI homepage on the Internet.

Special publications. Also available are various special publications, such as *Relative Importance of Components in the Consumer Price Index* and materials describing the annual revisions of seasonally adjusted CPI data. For more information, call (202) 691-7000.

Further information can be obtained by writing the Office of Prices and Living Conditions, Bureau of Labor Statistics, 2 Massachusetts Avenue, NE., Room 3615, Washington, DC 20212-0001, or by calling any of the information offices listed above.

