

# Changes in Area Definitions for Published Metropolitan Areas in the 1998 CPI Revision



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	<b>Northeast Region</b>				
A101:	New York-Northern New Jersey-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT-PA CMSA:			NH Portion: Hillsborough (part), Merrimack (part), Rockingham (part), Strafford (part)	Merrimack (part) and Strafford (part) added.
A109	New York City Bronx, Kings, New York, Queens, Richmond	No change.	A104	Pittsburgh, PA MSA Allegheny, Beaver, Butler, Fayette, Washington, Westmoreland	Butler added.
A110	New York-Connecticut Suburbs NY Portion: Dutchess, Nassau, Orange, Putnam, Rockland, Suffolk, Westchester CT Portion: Fairfield, Litchfield (part), Middlesex (part), New Haven (part)	Dutchess added.  Middlesex (part) added.		<b>Midwest Region</b>	
A111	New Jersey-Pennsylvania Suburbs NJ Portion: Bergen, Essex, Hudson, Hunterdon, Mercer, Middlesex, Monmouth, Morris, Ocean, Passaic, Somerset, Sussex, Union, Warren PA Portion: Pike	Mercer and Warren added.  PA Portion added. Pike added.	A207	Chicago-Gary-Kenosha, IL-IN-WI CMSA IL Portion: Cook, DeKalb, DuPage, Grundy, Kane, Kankakee, Kendall, Lake, McHenry, Will IN Portion: Lake, Porter WI Portion: Kenosha	DeKalb and Kankakee added.  No change.  No change.
A102	Philadelphia-Wilmington-Atlantic City, PA-NJ-DE-MD CMSA NJ Portion: Atlantic, Burlington, Camden, Cape May, Cumberland Gloucester, Salem DE Portion: New Castle MD Portion: Cecil PA Portion: Bucks, Chester, Delaware, Montgomery, Philadelphia	Atlantic and Cap May added. Mercer deleted. No change.  No change.	A208	Detroit-Ann Arbor-Flint, MI CMSA Genesee, Lapeer, Lenawee, Livingston, Macomb, Monroe, Oakland, St. Clair, Washtenaw, Wayne	Genesee, Lenawee, and Monroe added.
A103	Boston-Brockton-Nashua, MA-NH-ME-CT CMSA CT Portion: Windham (part) MA Portion: Bristol (part), Essex, Hampden (part), Middlesex, Norfolk, Plymouth, Suffolk, Worcester (part) ME Portion: York (part)	CT portion added. Windham (part) added.  Hampden (part) added, all instead of parts of Middlesex, Norfolk, and Plymouth included. ME portion. York (part) added.	A209	St. Louis, MO-IL MSA IL Portion: Clinton, Jersey, Madison Monroe, St. Clair MO Portion: Franklin, Jefferson, Lincoln St. Charles, St. Louis, Warren, St. Louis city	No change.  Lincoln and Warren added.
			A210	Cleveland-Akron, OH CMSA Ashtabula, Cuyahoga, Geauga, Lake, Lorain, Medina, Portage, Summit	Ashtabula added.
			A211	Minneapolis-St. Paul, MN-WI MSA MN Portion: Anoka, Carver, Chisago, Dakota, Hennepin, Isanti, Ramsey, Scott, Sherburne, Washington, Wright WI Portion: Pierce, St. Croix	Sherburne added.  Pierce added.

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A212	Milwaukee-Racine, WI CMSA Milwaukee, Ozaukee, Racine, Washington, Waukesha	Racine added.	A319	Atlanta, GA MSA Barrow, Bartow, Carroll, Cherokee, Clayton, Cobb, Coweta, DeKalb, Douglas, Fayette, Forsyth, Fulton, Gwinnett, Henry, Newton, Paulding, Pickens, Rockdale, Spalding, Walton	Bartow, Carroll, and Pickens added.
A213	Cincinnati-Hamilton, OH-KY-IN CMSA IN Portion: Dearborn, Ohio KY Portion: Boone, Campbell, Gallatin, Grant, Kenton, Pendleton OH Portion: Brown, Butler, Clermont, Hamilton, Warren	Ohio added.  Gallatin, Grant, and Pendleton added.  Brown added.	A320	Miami-Fort Lauderdale, FL CMSA Broward, Dade	Butts deleted.  No change.
A214	Kansas City, MO-KS MSA KS Portion: Johnson, Leavenworth Miami, Wyandotte MO Portion: Cass, Clay, Clinton, Jackson, Lafayette, Platte, Ray	No change.  Clinton added.	A321	Tampa-St. Petersburg-Clearwater, FL MSA Hernando, Hillsborough, Pasco, Pinellas	No change.
	<b>South Region</b>		A421:	Los Angeles-Riverside-Orange County, CA CMSA:	
A311:	Washington-Baltimore, DC-MD- VA-WV CMSA:		A419	Los Angeles-Long Beach, CA PMSA Los Angeles	No change.
A312	Washington, DC-MD-VA-WV DC Portion: District of Columbia MD Portion: Calvert, Charles, Frederick, Montgomery, Prince George's, Washington VA Portion: Arlington, Clarke, Culpeper, Fairfax, Fauquier, King George, Loudoun, Prince William, Spotsylvania, Stafford, Warren, Alexandria city, Fairfax city, Falls Church city, Fredericksburg city, Manassas city, Manassas Park city WV Portion: Berkeley, Jefferson	No change.  Washington added.  Clarke, Culpepper, Fauquier, King George, Spotsylvania, Warren, and Fredericksburg city added.	A420	Los Angeles Suburbs, CA Orange, Riverside, San Bernardino, Ventura	No change.
			A422	San Francisco-Oakland-San Jose, CA CMSA Alameda, Contra Costa, Marin, Napa, Santa Clara, Santa Cruz, San Francisco, San Mateo, Solano, Sonoma	No change.
A313	Baltimore, MD PMSA Anne Arundel, Baltimore, Carroll, Harford, Howard, Queen Anne's, Baltimore city	No change.	A423	Seattle-Tacoma-Bremerton, WA CMSA Island, King, Kitsap, Pierce, Snohomish, Thurston	Island, Kitsap, and Thurston added.
A316	Dallas-Fort Worth, TX CMSA Collin, Dallas, Denton, Ellis, Henderson, Hood, Hunt, Johnson, Kaufman, Parker, Rockwall, Tarrant	Henderson, Hood, and and Hunt added.	A424	San Diego, CA MSA San Diego	No change.
A318	Houston-Galveston-Brazoria, TX CMSA Brazoria, Chambers, Fort Bend, Galveston, Harris, Liberty, Montgomery, Waller	Chambers added.	A425	Portland-Salem, OR-WA CMSA OR Portion: Clackamas, Columbia, Marion, Multnomah, Polk, Washington, Yamhill WA Portion: Clark	Columbia, Marion, and Polk added.  No change.
			A426	Honolulu, HI MSA Honolulu	No change.
			A427	Anchorage, AK MSA Anchorage	No change.
			A433	Denver-Boulder-Greeley, CO CMSA Adams, Arapahoe, Boulder, Denver, Douglas, Jefferson, Weld	Weld added.

