

Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U) in the U.S., Midwest, and West

(1982-84=100 unless otherwise noted)(not seasonally adjusted)

Item	U.S. City Average			Midwest region			West region		
	Dec 2004	Percent change from		Dec 2004	Percent change from		Dec 2004	Percent change from	
		1 month ago	1 year ago		1 month ago	1 year ago		1 month ago	1 year ago
All Items	190.3	-0.4	3.3	183.8	-0.5	3.0	194.2	-0.5	3.1
Food and Beverages	188.9	0.2	2.6	182.6	0.0	2.2	194.8	0.3	2.2
Housing	190.7	-0.1	3.0	180.6	-0.1	2.8	200.3	0.0	2.6
Apparel	118.8	-3.4	-0.2	115.0	-3.6	-0.8	107.2	-3.3	-0.6
Transportation	164.8	-1.4	6.5	163.4	-1.6	5.7	167.9	-1.9	7.4
Medical Care	314.9	0.3	4.2	311.6	0.1	5.2	313.4	-0.1	3.9
Recreation (1)	108.5	-0.2	0.7	109.1	-0.2	1.2	105.7	-0.3	-0.1
Education and Communication (1)	112.6	-0.1	1.5	114.2	-0.1	1.4	113.1	-0.1	2.6
Other Goods and Services	307.8	0.3	2.5	297.3	0.1	2.2	308.0	0.0	2.6
All Items (1967 = 100)	570.1								
Footnotes:									
(1) December 1997=100.									

Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W) in the U.S., Midwest, and West

(1982-84=100 unless otherwise noted)(not seasonally adjusted)

Item	U.S. City Average			Midwest region			West region		
	Dec 2004	Percent change from		Dec 2004	Percent change from		Dec 2004	Percent change from	
		1 month ago	1 year ago		1 month ago	1 year ago		1 month ago	1 year ago
All Items	186.0	-0.4	3.4	178.8	-0.6	3.1	189.4	-0.4	3.3
Food and Beverages	188.4	0.2	2.6	182.7	0.0	2.2	194.7	0.4	2.2
Housing	186.4	0.0	3.0	174.8	-0.1	2.8	196.7	0.1	2.7
Apparel	118.6	-3.3	-0.1	114.4	-3.1	-0.7	108.8	-3.0	-0.5
Transportation	163.4	-1.4	7.1	162.2	-1.6	6.6	165.0	-1.9	7.8
Medical Care	314.4	0.3	4.3	312.4	0.2	5.3	312.3	0.0	4.0
Recreation (1)	106.1	-0.2	0.6	106.0	-0.2	0.9	103.1	-0.2	-0.4
Education and Communication (1)	110.5	-0.1	0.7	112.0	-0.1	0.7	112.3	0.0	1.9
Other Goods and Services	315.9	0.3	2.5	304.0	0.2	2.3	310.1	0.1	2.4
All Items (1967 = 100)	554.2								
Footnotes:									
(1) December 1997=100.									

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