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CONSUMER PRICE INDEX (1982-84=100) July 2008

Group	All urban consumers			Wage earners & clerical workers		
	Index	Percent change	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Percent change
		Jul 07	Jun 08		Jul 07	Jun 08
		Jul 08	Jul 08		Jul 08	Jul 08
U.S. City Average						
All items (1982-84=100)	219.964	5.6	0.5	216.304	6.2	0.5
All items (1967=100)	658.915	-	-	644.303	-	-
Food and beverages	215.326	5.8	0.9	214.662	5.8	0.9
Housing	219.610	3.9	0.8	215.026	4.3	0.7
Apparel	114.357	0.8	-2.3	113.978	0.7	-2.3
Transportation	212.806	13.4	0.5	214.533	14.4	0.4
Medical care	363.963	3.5	0.1	363.942	3.6	0.1
Recreation 1/	113.277	1.7	0.3	110.198	1.7	0.3
Education & communication 1/	123.445	3.7	0.5	119.852	3.3	0.5
Other goods and services	346.810	4.0	0.3	359.961	4.6	0.4
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South						
All items (1982-84=100)	213.304	5.8	0.5	211.438	6.4	0.5
All items (Dec 1977=100)	346.008	-	-	342.447	-	-
Food and beverages	212.759	6.0	0.9	211.550	6.0	0.9
Housing	203.270	4.2	0.7	202.202	4.6	0.7
Apparel	127.030	0.5	-2.2	126.677	-0.3	-2.3
Transportation	212.146	13.9	0.5	211.971	14.7	0.4
Medical care	347.394	4.0	0.0	350.035	4.4	0.0
Recreation 1/	113.553	1.3	0.4	110.179	1.0	0.3
Education & communication 1/	119.657	3.2	0.7	116.110	3.0	0.7
Other goods and services	333.144	3.5	-0.5	343.451	3.9	-0.3

1/ Indexes on a December 1997=100 base.

- Not available.

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