



Consumer Price Index Indicators

July 2007



Dallas, Tx 75202

Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U)

U.S. City Average, Dallas-Fort Worth, and Houston-Galveston-Brazoria

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(1982-84=100, not seasonally adjusted)

INDEX ITEMS	U.S. City Average:			Dallas-Fort Worth:			Houston-Galveston:		
	Index	Percent change:		Index	Percent change:		Index	Percent change:	
		12-Month	1-Month		12-Month	2-Month		12-Month	1-Month
All Items	208.299	2.4	0.0	194.286	1.3	0.8			
Food and beverages	203.533	4.1	0.3	205.257	4.7	0.6			
Food	203.121	4.2	0.3	200.626	4.8	0.9			
Food at home	201.401	4.6	0.2	186.032	6.3	1.1	189.664	3.6	0.9
Food away from home	206.931	3.6	0.5	223.724	2.9	0.7			
Alcoholic beverages	207.624	3.1	0.1	265.681	3.4	-2.8			
Housing	211.286	3.2	0.3	178.588	1.8	2.1			
Shelter	242.067	3.6	0.5	182.045	3.0	1.9	187.051	1.8	-0.4
Rent of primary residence 1/	234.732	4.2	0.3	177.193	3.1	0.4	178.292	2.4	0.1
Owners' equivalent rent 1/ 2/	246.149	3.1	0.2	192.492	2.2	0.1	171.677	0.7	-0.1
Fuels and utilities	206.140	3.8	0.0	234.179	-0.6	6.0			
Gas (piped) and electricity 1/	193.184	3.8	-0.4	236.164	-1.4	7.6	183.461	-10.2	-0.7
Electricity 1/	184.408	3.1	0.1	221.837	-3.7	7.5	186.056	-10.9	-0.8
Utility (piped) gas service 1/	219.865	5.2	-1.5	268.238	13.9	8.6	158.439	-4.7	0.0
Household furnishings/operation	126.894	-0.2	-0.4	132.330	-2.4	-1.8			
Apparel	113.500	-0.3	-3.2	120.337	-4.2	-3.8			
Transportation	187.690	-0.7	-0.7	188.535	-2.3	-0.2			
Private transportation	183.619	-0.7	-0.8	190.065	-1.7	-0.2			
Motor Fuel	252.909	-1.1	-3.0	264.395	-0.8	-1.6	247.789	-3.3	-3.1
Gasoline	251.883	-1.1	-3.0	263.283	-0.8	-1.6	246.648	-3.3	-3.2
Medical care	351.643	4.3	0.6	316.684	3.6	0.3			
Recreation 3/	111.347	0.0	-0.2	113.739	-1.4	-0.9			
Education and communication 3/	119.025	2.3	0.2	125.979	2.8	0.6			
Other goods and services	333.415	3.8	0.0	317.858	6.6	0.3			
Special Indexes:									
Energy	217.274	1.0	-1.7	250.854	-1.1	2.6	215.396	-6.6	-2.0
All items less shelter	197.408	1.8	-0.3	200.512	0.7	0.3			
All items less food and energy	210.756	2.2	0.1	190.996	1.1	0.5			
All Items (1967=100)	623.970			609.464					

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

All Items	203.700	2.3	-0.1	196.198	1.2	0.5			
All Items (1967=100)	606.759			605.009					

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/ Full series title is "owners' equivalent rent of primary residence"; index base is December 1982=100.

3/ Indexes on a December 1997 = 100 base.

Note 1: Dallas-Fort Worth and Houston-Galveston-Brazoria CPIs are for the Consolidated Metropolitan Statistical Areas.
Note 2: The food at home, energy, and shelter sub-component indexes are compiled monthly for Dallas-Fort Worth and Houston. Full surveys, which produce the All Items Indexes and major components, are conducted every two months. These full surveys are published for the odd-numbered months for Dallas and for the even-numbered months for Houston.