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## CONSUMER PRICE INDEX – JUNE 2012

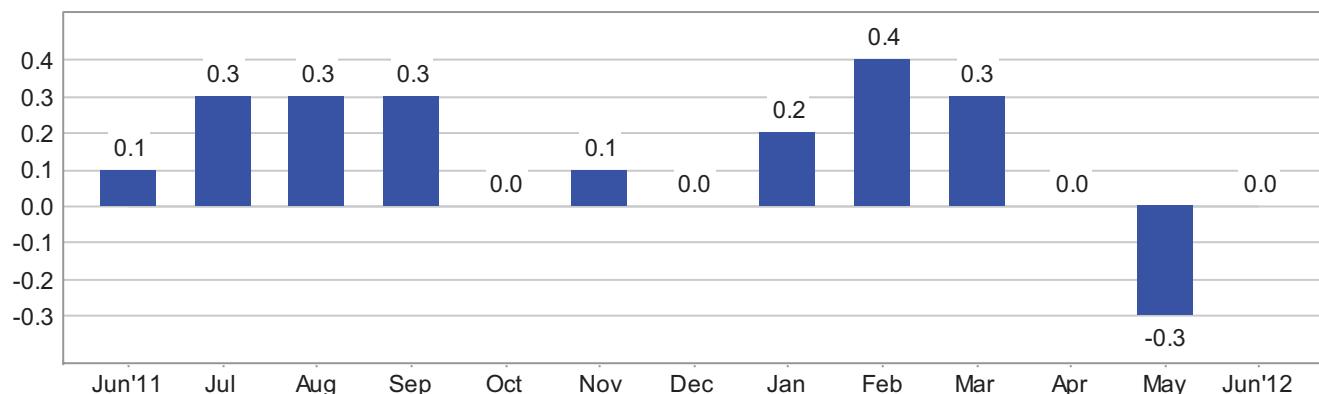
The Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U) was unchanged in June on a seasonally adjusted basis, the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics reported today. Over the last 12 months, the all items index increased 1.7 percent before seasonal adjustment.

The energy index continued to fall in June, but its decline was offset by increases in the indexes for food and all items less food and energy. The energy index fell 1.4 percent as the gasoline index declined for the third month in a row; other energy indexes were mixed. The food index rose 0.2 percent after being unchanged last month as the index for food at home turned up in June.

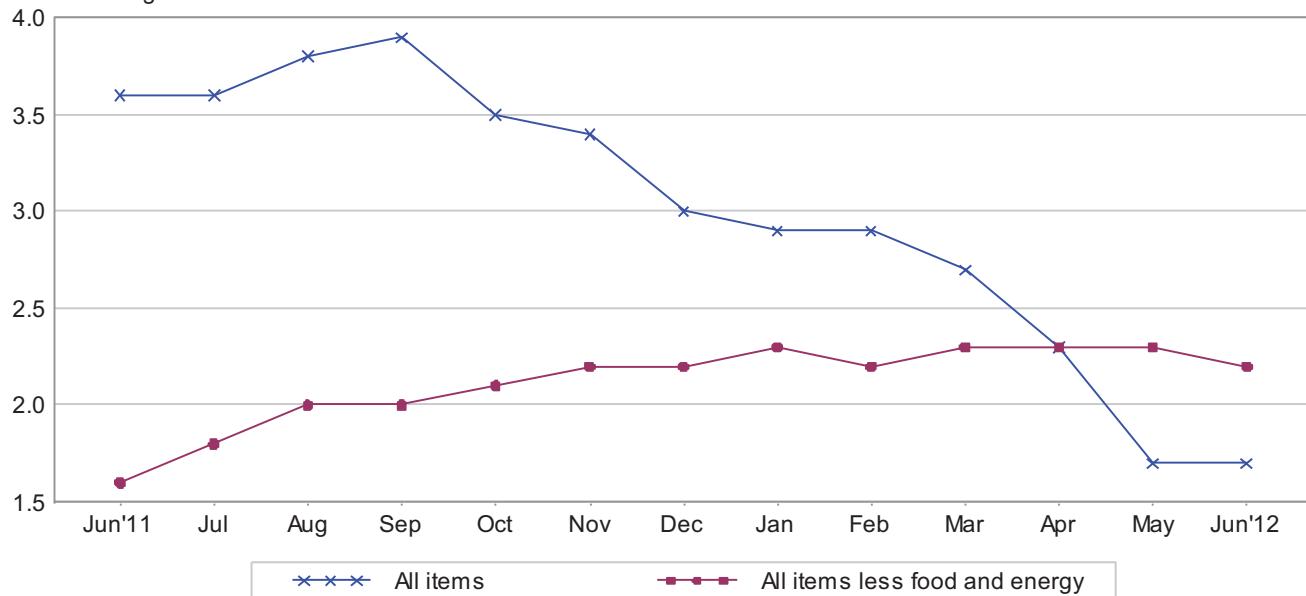
The index for all items less food and energy rose 0.2 percent in June, the fourth consecutive such increase. The shelter index posted its smallest increase since September, the index for used cars and trucks was unchanged after a series of increases, and the index for airline fares declined. However, the index for medical care posted its largest increase since 2010 and the indexes for apparel and recreation both rose substantially in June.

The 12-month change in the index for all items was 1.7 percent in June, the same figure as in May. The energy index declined 3.9 percent over the last 12 months, while the food index rose 2.7 percent. The index for all items less food and energy rose 2.2 percent for the 12 months ending June, a slight decline from the 2.3 percent figure in May.

**Chart 1. One-month percent change in CPI for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U), seasonally adjusted, June 2011 - June 2012**  
Percent change



**Chart 2. 12-month percent change in CPI for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U), not seasonally adjusted, June 2011 - June 2012**  
 Percent change



**Table A. Percent changes in CPI for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average**

	Seasonally adjusted changes from preceding month							Un-adjusted 12-mos. ended June 2012
	Dec. 2011	Jan. 2012	Feb. 2012	Mar. 2012	Apr. 2012	May 2012	June 2012	
All items .....	.0	.2	.4	.3	.0	-.3	.0	1.7
Food .....	.2	.2	.0	.2	.2	.0	.2	2.7
Food at home .....	.2	.0	.0	.1	.2	-.1	.1	2.6
Food away from home <sup>1</sup> .....	.2	.4	.1	.2	.3	.2	.2	2.9
Energy .....	-1.3	.2	3.2	.9	-1.7	-4.3	-1.4	-3.9
Energy commodities .....	-2.0	.9	5.7	1.7	-2.6	-6.4	-2.3	-4.4
Gasoline (all types) .....	-2.1	.9	6.0	1.7	-2.6	-6.8	-2.0	-4.3
Fuel oil <sup>1</sup> .....	-1.0	1.4	2.8	2.7	-1.1	-2.8	-7.9	-6.8
Energy services .....	-.2	-.8	-.8	-.4	-.2	-.7	.0	-3.0
Electricity .....	-.1	0	0	-.8	.2	.3	-.5	.5
Utility (piped) gas service .....	-.6	-2.9	-3.4	.9	-1.8	-4.1	1.7	-13.6
All items less food and energy .....	.1	.2	.1	.2	.2	.2	.2	2.2
Commodities less food and energy								
commodities .....	-.1	.2	.1	.2	.2	.2	.2	1.4
New vehicles .....	-.2	0	.6	.2	.4	.2	.2	.9
Used cars and trucks .....	-.7	-1.0	-.2	1.3	1.5	1.0	.0	2.3
Apparel .....	-.1	.9	-.9	.5	.4	.4	.5	3.9
Medical care commodities <sup>1</sup> .....	.2	.6	.8	.4	0	0	.1	2.9
Services less energy services .....	.2	.2	.1	.2	.3	.2	.2	2.5
Shelter .....	.2	.2	.2	.2	.2	.2	.1	2.2
Transportation services .....	.1	0	-.2	.3	.5	.3	-.2	1.8
Medical care services .....	.4	.2	.0	.3	.4	.5	.7	4.3

<sup>1</sup> Not seasonally adjusted.

## **Consumer Price Index Data for June 2012**

### **Food**

The food index rose 0.2 percent in June after being unchanged in May. The index for food at home turned up in June, rising 0.1 percent after declining 0.1 percent the prior month. Major grocery store food groups were mixed, with three rising and three declining. The fruits and vegetables index rose 1.3 percent as the fresh vegetables index increased 3.2 percent. The index for meats, poultry, fish, and eggs rose 0.2 percent, and the nonalcoholic beverages index rose 0.1 percent. In contrast, the index for cereals and bakery products declined 0.4 percent in June after falling 0.1 percent in May. The index for dairy and related products declined 0.3 percent in June, its fifth consecutive decline, and the index for other food at home fell 0.1 percent. The food at home index has risen 2.6 percent over the past 12 months, with all six major grocery store food groups rising from a range of 0.9 percent (nonalcoholic beverages) to 4.1 percent (other food at home). The index for food away from home rose 0.2 percent in June and has increased 2.9 percent over the past year.

### **Energy**

The energy index declined 1.4 percent in June. This followed declines of 1.7 percent in April and 4.3 percent in May. The gasoline index fell 2.0 percent after a 6.8 percent May decline. (Before seasonal adjustment, gasoline prices decreased 6.1 percent in June.) The fuel oil index fell sharply in June, declining 7.9 percent. The electricity index, which rose 0.3 percent in May, fell 0.5 percent in June. In contrast to these declines, the index for natural gas turned up in June, rising 1.7 percent after declining 4.1 percent in May. For the last 12 months, the gasoline index has declined 4.3 percent, the fuel oil index has fallen 6.8 percent, and the index for natural gas has decreased 13.6 percent. The electricity index is the only major energy component to rise over the past year, increasing 0.5 percent.

### **All items less food and energy**

The index for all items less food and energy increased 0.2 percent in June, the fourth straight such increase. The index for shelter rose 0.1 percent after rising 0.2 percent in each of the previous eight months. The indexes for rent and owners' equivalent rent both increased 0.1 percent, while the index for lodging away from home rose 0.9 percent. The medical care index rose 0.6 percent, its largest increase since September 2010, as the index for hospital services increased 1.2 percent and the physicians' services index rose 0.8 percent. The index for recreation increased 0.3 percent in June, its largest increase since January. The apparel index rose for the fourth month in a row, increasing 0.5 percent after a 0.4 percent increase in May. The new vehicles index advanced 0.2 percent, the same increase as in May. The household furnishings and operations index turned up in June, rising 0.2 percent after declining in May, and the indexes for tobacco and personal care rose in June as well. The index for used cars and trucks, however, was unchanged in June after rising in each of the three previous months, and the index for airline fares fell sharply, declining 2.5 percent.

The index for all items less food and energy has risen 2.2 percent over the last 12 months, a slight decrease from the 2.3 percent figure of March, April and May, but still above the 1.9 percent average annualized increase for the past ten years. The shelter index has also risen 2.2 percent over the last year, slightly above its 2.1 percent annualized increase over the past ten years.

## **Not seasonally adjusted CPI measures**

The Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U) increased 1.7 percent over the last 12 months to an index level of 229.478 (1982-84=100). For the month, the index decreased 0.1 percent prior to seasonal adjustment.

The Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W) increased 1.6 percent over the last 12 months to an index level of 226.036 (1982-84=100). For the month, the index decreased 0.2 percent prior to seasonal adjustment.

The Chained Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (C-CPI-U) increased 1.6 percent over the last 12 months. For the month, the index decreased 0.1 percent on a not seasonally adjusted basis. Please note that the indexes for the post-2010 period are subject to revision.

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**The Consumer Price Index for July 2012 is scheduled to be released on Wednesday, August 15, 2012, at 8:30 a.m. (EDT).**

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## **Brief Explanation of the CPI**

The Consumer Price Index (CPI) is a measure of the average change in prices over time of goods and services purchased by households. The Bureau of Labor Statistics publishes CPIs for two population groups: (1) the CPI for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W), which covers households of wage earners and clerical workers that comprise approximately 29 percent of the total population and (2) the CPI for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U) and the Chained CPI for All Urban Consumers (C-CPI-U), which cover approximately 88 percent of the total population and include in addition to wage earners and clerical worker households, groups such as professional, managerial, and technical workers, the self-employed, short-term workers, the unemployed, and retirees and others not in the labor force.

The CPIs are based on prices of food, clothing, shelter, and fuels, transportation fares, charges for doctors' and dentists' services, drugs, and other goods and services that people buy for day-to-day living. Prices are collected each month in 87 urban areas across the country from about 4,000 housing units and approximately 26,000 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 geographic areas and every other month in other areas. Prices of most goods and services are obtained by personal visits or telephone calls of the Bureau's trained representatives.

In calculating the index, price changes for the various items in each location are averaged together with weights, which represent their importance in the spending of the appropriate population group. Local data are then combined to obtain a U.S. city average. For the CPI-U and CPI-W separate indexes are also published by size of city, by region of the country, for cross-classifications of regions and population-size classes, and for 27 local areas. Area indexes do not measure differences in the level of prices among cities; they only measure the average change in prices for each area since the base period. For the C-CPI-U data are issued only at the national level. It is important to note that the CPI-U and CPI-W are considered final when released, but the C-CPI-U is issued in preliminary form and subject to two annual revisions.

The index measures price change from a designed reference date. For the CPI-U and the CPI-W the reference base is 1982-84 equals 100. The reference base for the C-CPI-U is December 1999 equals 100. An increase of 16.5 percent from the reference base, for example, is shown as 116.500. This change can also 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 visit the CPI home page on the Internet at <http://www.bls.gov/cpi/> or contact our CPI Information and Analysis Section on (202) 691-7000.

## Note on Sampling Error in the Consumer Price Index

The CPI is a statistical estimate that is subject to sampling error because it is based upon a sample of retail prices and not the complete universe of all prices. BLS calculates and publishes estimates of the 1-month, 2-month, 6-month and 12-month percent change standard errors annually, for the CPI-U. These standard error estimates can be used to construct confidence intervals for hypothesis testing. For example, the estimated standard error of the 1 month percent change is 0.03 percent for the U.S. All Items Consumer Price Index. This means that if we repeatedly sample from the universe of all retail prices using the same methodology, and estimate a percentage change for each sample, then 95% of these estimates would be within 0.06 percent of the 1 month percentage change based on all retail prices. For example, for a 1-month change of 0.2 percent in the All Items CPI for All Urban Consumers, we are 95 percent confident that the actual percent change based on all retail prices would fall between 0.14 and 0.26 percent. For the latest data, including information on how to use the estimates of standard error, see "Variance Estimates for Price Changes in the Consumer Price Index, January-December 2011". These data are available on the CPI home page (<http://www.bls.gov/cpi>), or by using the following link <http://www.bls.gov/cpi/cpivar2011.pdf>

## Calculating Index Changes

Movements of the indexes from one month to another are usually 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 while 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.

### Index Point Change

CPI	202.416
Less previous index	201.800
Equals index point change	.616

### Percent Change

Index point difference	.616
Divided by the previous index	201.800
Equals	0.003
Results multiplied by one hundred	0.003x100
Equals percent change	0.3

## Regions Defined

The states in the four regions are listed below.

The Northeast--Connecticut, Maine, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, New York, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, and Vermont.

The Midwest--Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Michigan, Minnesota, Missouri, Nebraska, North Dakota, Ohio, South Dakota, and Wisconsin.

The South--Alabama, Arkansas, Delaware, Florida, Georgia, Kentucky, Louisiana, Maryland, Mississippi, North Carolina, Oklahoma, South Carolina, Tennessee, Texas, Virginia, West Virginia, and the District of Columbia.

The West--Alaska, Arizona, California, Colorado, Hawaii, Idaho, Montana, Nevada, New Mexico, Oregon, Utah, Washington, and Wyoming.

## A Note on Seasonally Adjusted and Unadjusted Data

Because price data are used for different purposes by different groups, the Bureau of Labor Statistics publishes seasonally adjusted as well as unadjusted changes each month.

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

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 before adjustment for seasonal variation.

Seasonal factors used in computing the seasonally adjusted indexes are derived by the X-12-ARIMA Seasonal Adjustment Method. Seasonally adjusted indexes and seasonal factors are computed annually. Each year, the last 5 years of seasonally adjusted data are revised. Data from January 2007 through December 2011 were replaced in January 2012. Exceptions to the usual revision schedule were: the updated seasonal data at the end of 1977 replaced data from 1967 through 1977; and, in January 2002, dependently seasonally adjusted series were revised for January 1987-December 2001 as a result of a change in the aggregation weights for dependently adjusted series. For further information, please see “Aggregation of Dependently Adjusted Seasonally Adjusted Series,” in the October 2001 issue of the [CPI Detailed Report](#).

Effective with the publication of data from January 2006 through December 2010 in January 2011, the Video and audio series and the Information technology, hardware and services series were changed from independently adjusted to dependently adjusted. This resulted in an increase in the number of seasonal components used in deriving seasonal movement of the All items and 54 other lower level aggregations, from 73 for the publication of January 1998 through December 2005 data to 82 for the publication of seasonally adjusted data for January 2006 and later. Each year the seasonal status of every series is reevaluated based upon certain statistical criteria. If any of the 82 components change their seasonal adjustment status from seasonally adjusted to not seasonally adjusted, not seasonally adjusted data will be used in the aggregation of the dependent series for the last 5 years, but the seasonally adjusted indexes before that period will not be changed. Note: 38 of the 82 components are not seasonally adjusted for 2012.

Seasonally adjusted data, including the all items index levels, are subject to revision for up to five 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, the Bureau of Labor Statistics 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 and/or sharp movements which 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 seasonal factors introduced in January 2012, BLS adjusted 31 series using Intervention Analysis Seasonal Adjustment, including selected food and beverage items, motor fuels, electricity and vehicles. For example, this procedure was used for the Motor fuel series to offset the effects of events such as damage to oil refineries from Hurricane Katrina.

For a complete list of Intervention Analysis Seasonal Adjustment series and explanations, please refer to the article "Intervention Analysis Seasonal Adjustment", located on our website at <http://www.bls.gov/cpi/cpisapage.htm>.

For additional information on seasonal adjustment in the CPI, please write to the Bureau of Labor Statistics, Division of Consumer Prices and Price Indexes, Washington, DC 20212 or contact David Levin at (202) 691-6968, or by e-mail at [Levin.David@bls.gov](mailto:Levin.David@bls.gov). If you have general questions about the CPI, please call our information staff at (202) 691-7000.

**Table 1. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, by expenditure category, June 2012**  
 [1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted]

Expenditure category	Relative importance May 2012	Unadjusted indexes			Unadjusted percent change		Seasonally adjusted percent change		
		Jun. 2011	May 2012	Jun. 2012	Jun. 2011- Jun. 2012	May 2012- Jun. 2012	Mar. 2012- Apr. 2012	Apr. 2012- May 2012	May 2012- Jun. 2012
All items.....	100.000	225.722	229.815	229.478	1.7	-0.1	0.0	-0.3	0.0
Food.....	14.174	227.360	233.339	233.563	2.7	0.1	0.2	0.0	0.2
Food at home.....	8.539	225.588	231.518	231.515	2.6	0.0	0.2	-0.1	0.1
Cereals and bakery products.....	1.232	260.563	268.653	267.321	2.6	-0.5	0.4	-0.1	-0.4
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs.....	1.929	223.105	229.351	230.464	3.3	0.5	0.1	-0.5	0.2
Dairy and related products <sup>1</sup> .....	0.890	212.286	216.096	215.485	1.5	-0.3	-1.0	-0.4	-0.3
Fruits and vegetables.....	1.262	280.721	283.149	283.679	1.1	0.2	1.0	0.4	1.3
Nonalcoholic beverages and beverage materials.....	0.940	166.197	167.866	167.772	0.9	-0.1	0.2	-0.6	0.1
Other food at home.....	2.286	197.270	205.554	205.313	4.1	-0.1	0.1	0.3	-0.1
Food away from home <sup>1</sup> .....	5.634	231.097	237.262	237.839	2.9	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.2
Energy.....	10.241	254.170	250.306	244.167	-3.9	-2.5	-1.7	-4.3	-1.4
Energy commodities.....	6.500	321.578	327.659	307.427	-4.4	-6.2	-2.6	-6.4	-2.3
Fuel oil <sup>1</sup> .....	0.232	375.363	379.681	349.807	-6.8	-7.9	-1.1	-2.8	-7.9
Motor fuel.....	6.163	318.242	324.589	304.697	-4.3	-6.1	-2.6	-6.6	-2.0
Gasoline (all types).....	5.970	317.543	323.604	303.747	-4.3	-6.1	-2.6	-6.8	-2.0
Energy services <sup>2</sup> .....	3.741	200.191	186.762	194.261	-3.0	4.0	-0.2	-0.7	0.0
Electricity <sup>2</sup> .....	2.911	203.836	196.159	204.907	0.5	4.5	0.2	0.3	-0.5
Utility (piped) gas service <sup>2</sup> .....	0.830	185.940	156.863	160.714	-13.6	2.5	-1.8	-4.1	1.7
All items less food and energy.....	75.585	224.891	229.602	229.879	2.2	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.2
Commodities less food and energy commodities.....	19.774	145.741	148.020	147.725	1.4	-0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2
Apparel.....	3.618	120.578	127.688	125.241	3.9	-1.9	0.4	0.4	0.5
New vehicles.....	3.169	143.054	144.401	144.367	0.9	0.0	0.4	0.2	0.2
Used cars and trucks.....	1.948	151.776	153.565	155.306	2.3	1.1	1.5	1.0	0.0
Medical care commodities <sup>1</sup> .....	1.715	324.102	333.131	333.348	2.9	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.1
Alcoholic beverages.....	0.945	227.154	230.766	231.444	1.9	0.3	0.1	0.2	0.3
Tobacco and smoking products <sup>1</sup> .....	0.788	828.860	845.622	849.078	2.4	0.4	0.2	-0.2	0.4
Services less energy services.....	55.811	272.695	278.956	279.608	2.5	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.2
Shelter.....	31.303	251.422	256.442	256.950	2.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.1
Rent of primary residence <sup>2</sup> .....	6.418	252.592	259.231	259.407	2.7	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.1
Owners' equivalent rent of residences <sup>2</sup> , <sup>3</sup> .....	23.707	259.010	264.012	264.276	2.0	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.1
Medical care services.....	5.356	422.813	438.766	441.041	4.3	0.5	0.4	0.5	0.7
Physicians' services <sup>2</sup> .....	1.592	340.011	345.118	347.408	2.2	0.7	0.3	0.2	0.8
Hospital services <sup>2</sup> , <sup>4</sup> .....	1.520	240.395	252.476	254.248	5.8	0.7	0.6	0.6	1.2
Transportation services.....	5.757	268.488	272.912	273.239	1.8	0.1	0.5	0.3	-0.2
Motor vehicle maintenance and repair <sup>1</sup> .....	1.142	252.529	257.372	257.629	2.0	0.1	0.0	0.3	0.1
Motor vehicle insurance.....	2.396	387.486	398.478	399.729	3.2	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.4
Airline fare.....	0.799	307.804	317.066	313.920	2.0	-1.0	2.1	1.0	-2.5

1 Not seasonally adjusted.

2 This index series was calculated using a Laspeyres estimator. All other item stratum index series were calculated using a geometric means estimator.

3 Indexes on a December 1982=100 base.

4 Indexes on a December 1996=100 base.

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): U.S. city average, by detailed expenditure category, June 2012**  
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All items.....	100.000	1.7	-0.1	0.0	-0.3	0.0
Food.....	14.174	2.7	0.1	0.2	0.0	0.2
Food at home.....	8.539	2.6	0.0	0.2	-0.1	0.1
Cereals and bakery products.....	1.232	2.6	-0.5	0.4	-0.1	-0.4
Cereals and cereal products.....	0.477	2.6	-0.4	0.7	0.0	-0.1
Flour and prepared flour mixes.....	0.053	6.2	1.5	0.5	-0.8	1.5
Breakfast cereal <sup>1</sup> .....	0.293	1.4	-0.5	0.4	0.6	-0.5
Rice, pasta, cornmeal <sup>1</sup> .....	0.131	3.2	-1.0	0.7	0.4	-1.0
Rice <sup>1, 2, 3</sup> .....		1.7	-0.1	0.9	-0.8	-0.1
Bakery products.....	0.755	2.6	-0.6	0.3	-0.3	-0.5
Bread <sup>2</sup> .....	0.222	1.4	-0.7	0.3	-0.2	-0.7
White bread <sup>1, 3</sup> .....		0.3	-0.9	0.2	0.1	-0.9
Bread other than white <sup>1, 3</sup> .....		2.1	-0.9	0.5	0.3	-0.9
Fresh biscuits, rolls, muffins <sup>1, 2</sup> .....	0.112	2.8	-0.6	-0.8	0.5	0.4
Cakes, cupcakes, and cookies.....	0.182	4.3	-0.4	1.2	-0.9	-0.6
Cookies <sup>1, 3</sup> .....		5.5	-0.9	2.0	-0.2	-0.7
Fresh cakes and cupcakes <sup>1, 3</sup> .....		3.6	0.2	0.5	-2.2	0.2
Other bakery products.....	0.240	2.1	-0.5	0.6	-0.6	0.0
Fresh sweetrolls, coffeecakes, doughnuts <sup>1, 3</sup> .....		3.8	1.0	-2.4	1.3	1.0
Crackers, bread, and cracker products <sup>3</sup> .....		1.9	-1.5	2.6	-0.7	-1.7
Frozen and refrigerated bakery products, pies, tarts, turnovers <sup>3</sup> .....		0.8	-0.5	0.0	-1.3	-0.3
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs.....	1.929	3.3	0.5	0.1	-0.5	0.2
Meats, poultry, and fish.....	1.826	3.3	0.5	0.0	-0.6	0.2
Meats.....	1.187	3.3	0.2	-0.1	-0.3	0.0
Beef and veal <sup>1</sup> .....	0.555	6.9	0.6	0.3	0.6	0.6
Uncooked ground beef <sup>1</sup> .....	0.218	7.3	1.1	0.1	1.4	1.1
Uncooked beef roasts <sup>1, 2</sup> .....	0.080	5.6	0.5	-0.6	0.1	0.5
Uncooked beef steaks <sup>1, 2</sup> .....	0.206	8.1	0.3	1.3	0.1	0.3
Uncooked other beef and veal <sup>1, 2</sup> .....	0.051	3.1	0.0	-1.5	0.6	0.0
Pork.....	0.368	-0.9	-0.1	0.0	-2.4	-0.8
Bacon, breakfast sausage, and related products <sup>2</sup> .....	0.139	-2.8	-1.1	-1.3	-1.6	-1.4
Bacon and related products <sup>3</sup> .....		-4.7	-0.8	-2.0	-3.4	-1.5
Breakfast sausage and related products <sup>1, 2, 3</sup> .....		3.5	-0.4	-0.5	2.8	-0.4
Ham.....	0.079	2.0	1.9	1.0	-1.3	0.6
Ham, excluding canned <sup>3</sup> .....		2.0	2.0	1.1	-1.3	0.6
Pork chops.....	0.061	1.0	-0.2	1.8	-1.9	-0.4
Other pork including roasts and picnics <sup>2</sup> .....	0.089	-2.2	-0.3	-0.7	-4.2	-0.5
Other meats.....	0.263	2.3	-0.2	-1.2	0.6	-0.3
Frankfurters <sup>3</sup> .....		5.6	-1.4	0.4	1.8	-2.7
Lunchmeats <sup>1, 2, 3</sup> .....		1.0	0.0	-1.1	-0.3	0.0
Lamb and organ meats <sup>1, 3</sup> .....		-0.3	0.3	-1.9	-2.1	0.3
Lamb and mutton <sup>1, 2, 3</sup> .....		-0.4	0.5	-1.7	-6.0	0.5
Poultry.....	0.335	5.1	1.5	-0.1	-1.3	1.0
Chicken <sup>2</sup> .....	0.259	4.2	1.7	0.2	-1.9	1.3
Fresh whole chicken <sup>1, 3</sup> .....		2.2	0.7	1.6	-4.8	0.7
Fresh and frozen chicken parts <sup>1, 3</sup> .....		6.0	2.6	0.3	-0.8	2.6
Other poultry including turkey <sup>2</sup> .....	0.076	8.3	0.7	-1.1	0.8	0.1
Fish and seafood <sup>1</sup> .....	0.304	1.6	0.4	0.6	-1.2	0.1
Fresh fish and seafood <sup>1, 2</sup> .....	0.157	-0.4	-0.2	0.5	-0.2	-0.2
Processed fish and seafood <sup>2</sup> .....	0.148	3.9	1.1	1.0	-1.4	1.0
Shelf stable fish and seafood <sup>1, 3</sup> .....		6.1	0.8	3.4	-1.3	0.8

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**Table 2. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, by detailed expenditure category, June 2012 — Continued**  
 [1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted]

Expenditure category	Relative importance May 2012	Unadjusted percent change		Seasonally adjusted percent change		
		Jun. 2011- Jun. 2012	May 2012- Jun. 2012	Mar. 2012- Apr. 2012	Apr. 2012- May 2012	May 2012- Jun. 2012
Frozen fish and seafood <sup>1, 3</sup> .....		3.1	1.2	2.4	0.1	1.2
Eggs.....	0.102	3.2	0.5	3.2	1.2	0.9
Dairy and related products <sup>1</sup> .....	0.890	1.5	-0.3	-1.0	-0.4	-0.3
Milk <sup>1, 2</sup> .....	0.289	-1.4	-0.6	-0.8	0.0	-0.6
Fresh whole milk <sup>1, 3</sup> .....		-2.8	-1.2	-0.5	0.1	-1.2
Fresh milk other than whole <sup>1, 2, 3</sup> .....		-0.5	-0.3	-1.0	0.0	-0.3
Cheese and related products <sup>1</sup> .....	0.282	2.0	0.1	-1.6	-0.7	1.0
Ice cream and related products.....	0.135	3.2	-2.0	-0.2	0.6	-1.9
Other dairy and related products <sup>2</sup> .....	0.184	4.3	0.9	-0.8	-0.6	0.9
Fruits and vegetables.....	1.262	1.1	0.2	1.0	0.4	1.3
Fresh fruits and vegetables.....	0.956	-0.2	0.1	1.0	0.7	1.7
Fresh fruits.....	0.509	3.3	-1.3	1.9	-0.1	0.3
Apples.....	0.085	9.2	7.3	1.2	-0.4	4.0
Bananas.....	0.081	0.1	0.4	0.1	-0.3	0.3
Citrus fruits <sup>2</sup> .....	0.109	1.6	3.8	2.0	0.6	0.0
Oranges, including tangerines <sup>3</sup> .....		2.2	5.5	1.4	0.8	-1.9
Other fresh fruits <sup>2</sup> .....	0.235	2.0	-7.4	2.9	-0.4	0.1
Fresh vegetables.....	0.447	-3.6	1.8	0.0	1.6	3.2
Potatoes.....	0.082	-3.4	0.3	0.9	-2.4	-1.8
Lettuce.....	0.058	-6.4	0.5	-2.6	3.1	2.1
Tomatoes <sup>1</sup> .....	0.072	-6.9	8.7	-2.9	-3.6	8.7
Other fresh vegetables.....	0.234	-1.8	0.5	2.4	1.3	1.1
Processed fruits and vegetables <sup>2</sup> .....	0.306	5.1	0.4	0.8	-0.4	0.0
Canned fruits and vegetables <sup>2</sup> .....	0.152	3.5	0.0	1.5	-1.7	-0.6
Canned fruits <sup>2, 3</sup> .....		1.8	0.0	1.1	-2.1	0.1
Canned vegetables <sup>2, 3</sup> .....		4.4	-0.2	2.0	-1.3	-1.1
Frozen fruits and vegetables <sup>2</sup> .....	0.097	6.9	0.6	0.0	0.8	0.8
Frozen vegetables <sup>3</sup> .....		6.8	0.8	0.4	1.6	1.2
Other processed fruits and vegetables including dried <sup>2</sup> .....	0.057	6.7	0.9	-0.3	0.5	0.1
Dried beans, peas, and lentils <sup>1, 2, 3</sup> .....		15.1	2.3	0.1	-0.3	2.3
Nonalcoholic beverages and beverage materials.....	0.940	0.9	-0.1	0.2	-0.6	0.1
Juices and nonalcoholic drinks <sup>2</sup> .....	0.702	1.2	-0.1	0.0	-0.3	0.2
Carbonated drinks.....	0.286	0.9	0.0	0.1	-0.3	-0.4
Frozen noncarbonated juices and drinks <sup>1, 2</sup> .....	0.014	9.4	-0.2	-0.3	-0.4	-0.2
Nonfrozen noncarbonated juices and drinks <sup>1, 2</sup> .....	0.402	1.1	-0.1	-0.2	-0.4	-0.1
Beverage materials including coffee and tea <sup>2</sup> .....	0.238	0.3	0.0	0.8	-1.0	0.1
Coffee.....	0.146	-0.2	-1.2	-0.1	-1.5	-1.3
Roasted coffee <sup>3</sup> .....		-0.8	-1.4	-1.7	-1.6	-1.3
Instant and freeze dried coffee <sup>1, 3</sup> .....		2.1	-1.7	3.3	0.0	-1.7
Other beverage materials including tea <sup>2</sup> .....	0.092	1.4	2.0	2.4	-1.6	2.5
Other food at home.....	2.286	4.1	-0.1	0.1	0.3	-0.1
Sugar and sweets <sup>1</sup> .....	0.307	3.8	0.4	0.3	-0.5	0.4
Sugar and artificial sweeteners.....	0.061	2.7	-0.5	1.2	0.1	-0.1
Candy and chewing gum <sup>1, 2</sup> .....	0.182	4.2	1.0	0.3	-1.2	1.0
Other sweets <sup>2</sup> .....	0.064	3.7	-0.4	0.8	1.1	-0.3
Fats and oils.....	0.264	6.1	-0.5	-0.2	0.1	-0.5
Butter and margarine <sup>2</sup> .....	0.075	-1.3	-1.1	-1.6	0.1	-0.3
Butter <sup>3</sup> .....		-10.4	-1.4	-2.2	1.7	-1.4
Margarine <sup>3</sup> .....		8.8	-0.5	0.1	-0.7	0.8
Salad dressing <sup>1, 2</sup> .....	0.066	1.1	-1.6	-0.7	-0.3	-1.6
Other fats and oils including peanut butter <sup>2</sup> .....	0.123	14.1	0.4	0.6	0.1	-0.2
Peanut butter <sup>1, 2, 3</sup> .....		39.2	0.8	2.3	-0.6	0.8

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**Table 2. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, by detailed expenditure category, June 2012 — Continued**  
 [1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted]

Expenditure category	Relative importance May 2012	Unadjusted percent change		Seasonally adjusted percent change		
		Jun. 2011- Jun. 2012	May 2012- Jun. 2012	Mar. 2012- Apr. 2012	Apr. 2012- May 2012	May 2012- Jun. 2012
Other foods.....	1.715	3.8	-0.1	0.1	0.5	-0.2
Soups.....	0.101	3.0	-0.1	0.2	-0.9	-1.0
Frozen and freeze dried prepared foods <sup>1</sup> .....	0.302	-0.2	-0.7	-0.2	-0.1	-0.7
Snacks <sup>1</sup> .....	0.326	8.3	0.4	-0.6	1.4	0.4
Spices, seasonings, condiments, sauces.....	0.285	2.2	-0.1	1.0	-2.2	0.5
Salt and other seasonings and spices <sup>2, 3</sup> .....		7.9	-0.9	0.6	0.7	-0.8
Olives, pickles, relishes <sup>1, 2, 3</sup> .....		2.1	-0.3	0.1	-2.7	-0.3
Sauces and gravies <sup>2, 3</sup> .....		0.5	0.8	-0.4	-2.0	1.1
Other condiments <sup>1, 3</sup> .....		2.8	1.5	-0.4	-0.5	1.5
Baby food <sup>1, 2</sup> .....	0.071	4.8	0.3	-0.2	0.0	0.3
Other miscellaneous foods <sup>1, 2</sup> .....	0.630	4.3	-0.3	1.0	0.9	-0.3
Prepared salads <sup>1, 3, 4</sup> .....		3.6	-0.3	-0.5	2.0	-0.3
Food away from home <sup>1</sup> .....	5.634	2.9	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.2
Full service meals and snacks <sup>1, 2</sup> .....	2.672	2.7	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.3
Limited service meals and snacks <sup>1, 2</sup> .....	2.267	3.2	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.4
Food at employee sites and schools <sup>2</sup> .....	0.256	2.8	-1.8	0.3	0.3	-0.9
Food at elementary and secondary schools <sup>1, 3, 5</sup> .....		2.2	-1.9	0.0	0.0	-1.9
Food from vending machines and mobile vendors <sup>1, 2</sup> .....	0.081	3.9	0.4	0.1	0.3	0.4
Other food away from home <sup>1, 2</sup> .....	0.358	2.4	0.4	0.1	0.1	0.4
Energy.....	10.241	-3.9	-2.5	-1.7	-4.3	-1.4
Energy commodities.....	6.500	-4.4	-6.2	-2.6	-6.4	-2.3
Fuel oil and other fuels <sup>1</sup> .....	0.337	-7.0	-7.0	-1.3	-3.2	-7.0
Fuel oil <sup>1</sup> .....	0.232	-6.8	-7.9	-1.1	-2.8	-7.9
Propane, kerosene, and firewood <sup>1, 6</sup> .....	0.105	-7.2	-5.2	0.8	-3.0	-4.2
Motor fuel.....	6.163	-4.3	-6.1	-2.6	-6.6	-2.0
Gasoline (all types).....	5.970	-4.3	-6.1	-2.6	-6.8	-2.0
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>3</sup> .....		-4.5	-6.3	-2.6	-6.9	-2.1
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>3, 7</sup> .....		-3.9	-5.6	-2.6	-6.6	-1.7
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>3</sup> .....		-3.6	-5.7	-2.6	-5.8	-1.9
Other motor fuels <sup>2</sup> .....	0.194	-4.6	-5.9	-5.7	-5.4	-7.0
Energy services <sup>8</sup> .....	3.741	-3.0	4.0	-0.2	-0.7	0.0
Electricity <sup>8</sup> .....	2.911	0.5	4.5	0.2	0.3	-0.5
Utility (piped) gas service <sup>8</sup> .....	0.830	-13.6	2.5	-1.8	-4.1	1.7
All items less food and energy.....	75.585	2.2	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.2
Commodities less food and energy commodities.....	19.774	1.4	-0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2
Household furnishings and supplies <sup>9</sup> .....	3.335	0.4	0.1	-0.1	-0.2	0.1
Window and floor coverings and other linens <sup>1, 2</sup> .....	0.272	-4.1	-0.3	-0.6	-1.1	-0.3
Floor coverings <sup>1, 2</sup> .....	0.039	-1.3	-0.1	0.3	0.2	-0.1
Window coverings <sup>1, 2</sup> .....	0.076	0.2	-0.2	0.6	0.0	-0.2
Other linens <sup>1, 2</sup> .....	0.157	-6.8	-0.4	-1.4	-2.0	-0.4
Furniture and bedding <sup>1</sup> .....	0.718	0.6	-0.1	0.0	0.2	-0.1
Bedroom furniture <sup>1</sup> .....	0.233	1.3	-0.4	-0.5	-0.2	-0.4
Living room, kitchen, and dining room furniture <sup>1, 2</sup> .....	0.344	2.5	0.7	0.5	0.8	0.7
Other furniture <sup>2</sup> .....	0.133	-4.9	-1.5	-0.3	-1.3	-0.8
Infants' furniture <sup>1, 3, 5</sup> .....						
Appliances <sup>2</sup> .....	0.288	3.2	0.1	-0.6	-0.6	0.3
Major appliances <sup>2</sup> .....	0.166	6.8	0.1	-0.4	-0.7	0.4
Laundry equipment <sup>3</sup> .....		9.2	-0.4	-0.3	-0.1	0.1
Other appliances <sup>1, 2</sup> .....	0.119	-1.8	0.0	-0.2	-0.4	0.0
Other household equipment and furnishings <sup>1, 2</sup> .....	0.491	-4.6	0.0	-0.1	0.0	0.0
Clocks, lamps, and decorator items <sup>1</sup> .....	0.259	-6.2	-0.2	-0.2	0.3	-0.2
Indoor plants and flowers <sup>10</sup> .....	0.102	-0.5	0.2	-0.1	-0.1	0.8
Dishes and flatware <sup>1, 2</sup> .....	0.047	-10.7	0.0	-0.1	-1.8	0.0

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 [1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted]

Expenditure category	Relative importance May 2012	Unadjusted percent change		Seasonally adjusted percent change		
		Jun. 2011- Jun. 2012	May 2012- Jun. 2012	Mar. 2012- Apr. 2012	Apr. 2012- May 2012	May 2012- Jun. 2012
Nonelectric cookware and tableware <sup>2</sup> .....	0.084	-0.4	0.3	1.5	-0.4	0.0
Tools, hardware, outdoor equipment and supplies <sup>2</sup> .....	0.682	1.1	-0.2	0.3	-0.3	0.1
Tools, hardware and supplies <sup>1 , 2</sup> .....	0.172	1.4	-0.2	0.1	0.1	-0.2
Outdoor equipment and supplies <sup>2</sup> .....	0.364	1.0	-0.2	0.9	-0.6	0.4
Housekeeping supplies <sup>1</sup> .....	0.883	3.5	0.5	-0.3	-0.4	0.5
Household cleaning products <sup>1 , 2</sup> .....	0.357	2.9	0.7	-1.0	-0.4	0.7
Household paper products <sup>1 , 2</sup> .....	0.241	4.6	0.1	-0.1	-0.1	0.1
Miscellaneous household products <sup>1 , 2</sup> .....	0.286	3.3	0.5	0.4	-0.6	0.5
Apparel.....	3.618	3.9	-1.9	0.4	0.4	0.5
Men's and boys' apparel.....	0.877	4.0	-2.0	0.5	0.1	0.6
Men's apparel.....	0.696	3.7	-2.0	0.4	0.5	0.5
Men's suits, sport coats, and outerwear.....	0.127	3.5	-2.3	-1.3	0.5	1.0
Men's furnishings.....	0.185	5.1	-1.9	0.3	3.5	-1.0
Men's shirts and sweaters <sup>2</sup> .....	0.212	3.8	-1.0	2.4	-2.7	2.2
Men's pants and shorts.....	0.164	2.9	-3.2	-0.1	1.7	-1.9
Boys' apparel.....	0.182	5.2	-2.0	2.6	-2.6	-1.3
Women's and girls' apparel.....	1.539	4.4	-3.4	1.0	0.5	-0.1
Women's apparel.....	1.292	4.1	-3.5	1.2	0.7	-0.5
Women's outerwear.....	0.080	-3.0	-9.7	4.2	-4.5	-3.5
Women's dresses.....	0.177	2.4	-3.8	-4.3	-2.0	-2.1
Women's suits and separates <sup>2</sup> .....	0.625	4.3	-4.3	3.0	2.3	-0.7
Women's underwear, nightwear, sportswear and accessories <sup>2</sup> .....	0.395	3.8	-0.9	1.2	-0.7	0.8
Girls' apparel.....	0.246	6.5	-2.5	-0.1	-0.3	1.9
Footwear.....	0.687	3.0	-0.3	0.6	0.8	1.1
Men's footwear <sup>1</sup> .....	0.211	3.4	-0.2	1.5	0.6	-0.2
Boys' and girls' footwear.....	0.149	1.2	-0.4	0.7	0.5	0.9
Women's footwear.....	0.327	3.6	-0.4	0.4	0.8	1.9
Infants' and toddlers' apparel.....	0.198	7.5	-0.6	-1.1	1.6	0.7
Jewelry and watches <sup>6</sup> .....	0.316	0.7	1.1	-2.8	-1.3	1.8
Watches <sup>1 , 6</sup> .....	0.088	1.3	1.3	-0.4	-1.4	1.3
Jewelry <sup>6</sup> .....	0.229	0.2	1.1	-3.5	-1.5	1.9
Transportation commodities less motor fuel <sup>9</sup> .....	5.619	1.5	0.4	0.8	0.5	0.1
New vehicles.....	3.169	0.9	0.0	0.4	0.2	0.2
New cars and trucks <sup>2 , 3</sup> .....		0.9	0.0	0.4	0.2	0.2
New cars <sup>3</sup> .....		0.4	-0.1	0.5	0.1	0.0
New trucks <sup>3 , 11</sup> .....		1.4	0.0	0.4	0.2	0.4
Used cars and trucks.....	1.948	2.3	1.1	1.5	1.0	0.0
Motor vehicle parts and equipment <sup>1</sup> .....	0.433	2.7	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0
Tires <sup>1</sup> .....	0.294	2.8	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0
Vehicle accessories other than tires <sup>1 , 2</sup> .....	0.139	2.5	0.0	-0.2	0.5	0.0
Vehicle parts and equipment other than tires <sup>1 , 3</sup> .....		1.0	0.0	-0.3	0.7	0.0
Motor oil, coolant, and fluids <sup>1 , 3</sup> .....		9.5	0.3	0.4	0.1	0.3
Medical care commodities <sup>1</sup> .....	1.715	2.9	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.1
Medicinal drugs <sup>1 , 9</sup> .....	1.636	3.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.1
Prescription drugs.....	1.324	3.5	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.4
Nonprescription drugs <sup>1 , 9</sup> .....	0.312	0.9	0.1	-0.3	0.5	0.1
Medical equipment and supplies <sup>1 , 9</sup> .....	0.079	0.7	-0.2	0.1	1.0	-0.2
Recreation commodities <sup>9</sup> .....	2.305	-1.8	0.0	-0.4	-0.1	-0.1
Video and audio products <sup>9</sup> .....	0.416	-10.1	-1.4	-1.8	-0.4	-1.5
Televisions.....	0.163	-19.5	-2.9	-3.7	0.2	-3.2
Other video equipment <sup>1 , 2</sup> .....	0.027	-13.0	-1.8	-1.2	-1.3	-1.8
Audio equipment <sup>1</sup> .....	0.071	-7.1	0.3	-1.5	-2.0	0.3

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Expenditure category	Relative importance May 2012	Unadjusted percent change		Seasonally adjusted percent change		
		Jun. 2011- Jun. 2012	May 2012- Jun. 2012	Mar. 2012- Apr. 2012	Apr. 2012- May 2012	May 2012- Jun. 2012
Audio discs, tapes and other media <sup>1, 2</sup> .....	0.044	-4.4	-0.9	-0.7	-0.2	-0.9
Pets and pet products <sup>1</sup> .....	0.687	2.4	0.5	-0.1	-0.1	0.5
Pet food <sup>1, 2, 3</sup> .....		3.2	0.8	0.0	-0.1	0.8
Purchase of pets, pet supplies, accessories <sup>1, 2, 3</sup> .....		0.7	0.2	-0.5	-0.1	0.2
Sporting goods <sup>1</sup> .....	0.459	-0.4	0.2	0.5	-0.3	0.2
Sports vehicles including bicycles <sup>1</sup> .....	0.239	0.3	0.9	-0.6	-0.2	0.9
Sports equipment <sup>1</sup> .....	0.211	-1.4	-0.6	1.8	-0.3	-0.6
Photographic equipment and supplies.....	0.054	-4.2	-0.2	0.9	-1.7	-0.3
Film and photographic supplies <sup>1, 2, 3</sup> .....		14.4	3.7	1.8	-0.4	3.7
Photographic equipment <sup>2, 3</sup> .....		-6.8	-0.2	0.9	-1.9	-0.4
Recreational reading materials <sup>1</sup> .....	0.223	2.5	0.1	0.2	0.4	0.1
Newspapers and magazines <sup>1, 2</sup> .....	0.121	6.1	0.9	0.3	0.8	0.9
Recreational books <sup>1, 2</sup> .....	0.098	-1.7	-1.0	0.0	-0.1	-1.0
Other recreational goods <sup>2</sup> .....	0.466	-3.7	0.0	-1.0	0.3	0.0
Toys <sup>1</sup> .....	0.346	-5.4	-0.1	-1.5	0.4	-0.1
Toys, games, hobbies and playground equipment <sup>1, 2, 3</sup> .....		-2.1	0.4	-1.1	0.7	0.4
Sewing machines, fabric and supplies <sup>2</sup> .....	0.061	2.8	0.2	1.2	0.1	0.3
Music instruments and accessories <sup>2</sup> .....	0.039	0.6	0.5	0.2	0.1	0.5
Education and communication commodities <sup>9</sup> .....	0.597	-2.4	-0.2	-0.7	0.6	0.3
Educational books and supplies.....	0.202	5.9	0.2	0.5	0.8	0.3
College textbooks <sup>1, 3, 12</sup> .....		6.4	0.0	0.3	0.7	0.0
Information technology commodities <sup>9</sup> .....	0.395	-7.1	-0.4	-1.3	0.5	0.3
Personal computers and peripheral equipment <sup>4</sup> .....	0.261	-8.0	0.2	-1.6	0.9	1.3
Computer software and accessories <sup>1, 2</sup> .....	0.048	-4.3	-2.0	-0.5	0.1	-2.0
Telephone hardware, calculators, and other consumer information items <sup>1, 2</sup> .....	0.087	-5.7	-1.5	-1.1	-0.2	-1.5
Alcoholic beverages.....	0.945	1.9	0.3	0.1	0.2	0.3
Alcoholic beverages at home.....	0.569	1.0	0.1	-0.2	0.4	0.0
Beer, ale, and other malt beverages at home.....	0.271	1.7	-0.5	-0.5	0.5	-0.4
Distilled spirits at home <sup>1</sup> .....	0.071	-0.1	0.5	-0.1	-0.4	0.7
Whiskey at home <sup>3</sup> .....		2.4	0.9	0.5	0.4	1.4
Distilled spirits, excluding whiskey, at home <sup>1, 3</sup> .....		-0.5	-0.1	0.3	-0.2	-0.1
Wine at home.....	0.227	0.2	0.7	0.2	0.4	0.5
Alcoholic beverages away from home <sup>1</sup> .....	0.376	3.2	0.6	0.4	0.5	0.6
Beer, ale, and other malt beverages away from home <sup>1, 2, 3</sup> .....		1.6	0.4	0.3	0.1	0.4
Wine away from home <sup>1, 2, 3</sup> .....		3.9	1.5	0.4	-0.1	1.5
Distilled spirits away from home <sup>1, 2, 3</sup> .....		3.8	0.5	0.9	0.9	0.5
Other goods <sup>9</sup> .....	1.641	1.6	0.3	0.1	-0.5	0.4
Tobacco and smoking products <sup>1</sup> .....	0.788	2.4	0.4	0.2	-0.2	0.4
Cigarettes <sup>1, 2</sup> .....	0.728	2.5	0.5	0.1	-0.2	0.5
Tobacco products other than cigarettes <sup>1, 2</sup> .....	0.054	2.3	-0.2	0.3	0.3	-0.2
Personal care products <sup>1</sup> .....	0.647	1.2	0.3	0.3	-1.0	0.3
Hair, dental, shaving, and miscellaneous personal care products <sup>1, 2</sup> .....	0.338	0.5	0.0	0.1	-1.1	0.0
Cosmetics, perfume, bath, nail preparations and implements <sup>1</sup> .....	0.302	1.9	0.8	0.6	-0.9	0.8
Miscellaneous personal goods <sup>2</sup> .....	0.206	-0.5	-0.2	-0.6	-0.2	0.4
Stationery, stationery supplies, gift wrap <sup>3</sup> .....		0.4	-0.3	0.0	0.1	0.2
Infants' equipment <sup>1, 3, 5</sup> .....		-3.7	-0.4	-0.1	-0.4	-0.4
Services less energy services.....	55.811	2.5	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.2
Shelter.....	31.303	2.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.1
Rent of shelter <sup>13</sup> .....	30.957	2.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.1
Rent of primary residence <sup>8</sup> .....	6.418	2.7	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.1

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**Table 2. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, by detailed expenditure category, June 2012 — Continued**  
 [1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted]

Expenditure category	Relative importance May 2012	Unadjusted percent change		Seasonally adjusted percent change		
		Jun. 2011- Jun. 2012	May 2012- Jun. 2012	Mar. 2012- Apr. 2012	Apr. 2012- May 2012	May 2012- Jun. 2012
Lodging away from home <sup>2</sup> .....	0.831	3.5	4.1	-0.2	1.5	0.9
Housing at school, excluding board <sup>8 , 13</sup> .....	0.153	3.8	0.0	0.4	0.4	0.3
Other lodging away from home including hotels and motels.....	0.678	3.2	5.0	-0.4	1.8	1.0
Owners' equivalent rent of residences <sup>8 , 13</sup> .....	23.707	2.0	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.1
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>8 , 13</sup> .....	22.308	2.0	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.1
Tenants' and household insurance <sup>1 , 2</sup> .....	0.347	3.2	0.1	0.7	0.2	0.1
Water and sewer and trash collection services <sup>2</sup> .....	1.166	5.5	0.4	0.8	0.3	0.7
Water and sewerage maintenance <sup>8</sup> .....	0.880	6.7	0.4	1.1	0.3	0.8
Garbage and trash collection <sup>1 , 11</sup> .....	0.286	1.9	0.4	-0.2	0.0	0.4
Household operations <sup>1 , 2</sup> .....	0.724	2.5	0.4	0.4	-0.1	0.4
Domestic services <sup>1 , 2</sup> .....	0.248	2.0	0.7	0.6	-0.3	0.7
Gardening and lawncare services <sup>1 , 2</sup> .....	0.236	1.6	-0.1	0.5	-0.2	-0.1
Moving, storage, freight expense <sup>1 , 2</sup> .....	0.090	3.8	0.6	-0.7	0.4	0.6
Repair of household items <sup>1 , 2</sup> .....	0.077		0.9	1.2	0.5	0.9
Medical care services.....	5.356	4.3	0.5	0.4	0.5	0.7
Professional services.....	2.978	2.0	0.4	0.1	0.4	0.4
Physicians' services <sup>8</sup> .....	1.592	2.2	0.7	0.3	0.2	0.8
Dental services <sup>8</sup> .....	0.756	2.1	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.3
Eyeglasses and eye care <sup>6</sup> .....	0.254	2.5	-0.5	0.4	1.6	-0.4
Services by other medical professionals <sup>1 , 8 , 6</sup> .....	0.375	0.8	-0.1	0.0	0.2	-0.1
Hospital and related services.....	1.741	5.3	0.6	0.5	0.6	1.1
Hospital services <sup>8 , 14</sup> .....	1.520	5.8	0.7	0.6	0.6	1.2
Inpatient hospital services <sup>8 , 14 , 3</sup> .....		6.3	1.2	0.5	0.7	1.7
Outpatient hospital services <sup>8 , 3 , 6</sup> .....		5.3	0.5	0.6	0.5	0.9
Nursing homes and adult day services <sup>8 , 14</sup> .....	0.136	3.8	0.1	0.1	0.3	0.2
Care of invalids and elderly at home <sup>1 , 5</sup> .....	0.085	0.9	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.2
Health insurance <sup>1 , 5</sup> .....	0.637	13.9	1.0	1.0	0.8	1.0
Transportation services.....	5.757	1.8	0.1	0.5	0.3	-0.2
Leased cars and trucks <sup>12</sup> .....	0.386	-6.5	0.2	-0.2	-1.2	0.0
Car and truck rental <sup>2</sup> .....	0.067	0.7	3.0	4.4	-2.4	0.9
Motor vehicle maintenance and repair <sup>1</sup> .....	1.142	2.0	0.1	0.0	0.3	0.1
Motor vehicle body work <sup>1</sup> .....	0.057	2.1	0.3	0.1	0.2	0.3
Motor vehicle maintenance and servicing <sup>1</sup> .....	0.456	2.5	0.0	0.1	0.2	0.0
Motor vehicle repair <sup>1 , 2</sup> .....	0.594	1.7	0.1	-0.1	0.4	0.1
Motor vehicle insurance.....	2.396	3.2	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.4
Motor vehicle fees <sup>1 , 2</sup> .....	0.558	3.0	0.1	-0.1	0.1	0.1
State motor vehicle registration and license fees <sup>1 , 8 , 2</sup> .....	0.325	0.5	0.0	-0.2	0.0	0.0
Parking and other fees <sup>1 , 2</sup> .....	0.211	6.9	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2
Parking fees and tolls <sup>1 , 2 , 3</sup> .....		8.8	0.1	0.0	0.2	0.1
Automobile service clubs <sup>1 , 2 , 3</sup> .....		3.4	0.4	0.4	0.6	0.4
Public transportation.....	1.208	1.6	-0.4	1.6	0.8	-1.8
Airline fare.....	0.799	2.0	-1.0	2.1	1.0	-2.5
Other intercity transportation.....	0.148	-0.5	2.0	0.8	0.3	0.4
Intercity bus fare <sup>1 , 3 , 4</sup> .....			1.4	1.7	-0.8	1.4
Intercity train fare <sup>1 , 3 , 4</sup> .....			-1.0	4.5	2.8	4.8
Ship fare <sup>1 , 2 , 3</sup> .....			-1.1	1.1	0.0	-0.3
Intracity transportation <sup>1</sup> .....	0.258	2.2	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.0
Intracity mass transit <sup>1 , 3 , 9</sup> .....			1.6	0.1	0.1	0.1
Recreation services <sup>9</sup> .....	3.693	3.3	0.6	0.1	0.2	0.6
Video and audio services <sup>9</sup> .....	1.506	4.9	0.1	0.2	0.4	0.1
Cable and satellite television and radio service <sup>11</sup> .....	1.394	4.9	0.1	0.2	0.5	0.2

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**Table 2. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, by detailed expenditure category, June 2012 — Continued**  
 [1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted]

Expenditure category	Relative importance May 2012	Unadjusted percent change		Seasonally adjusted percent change		
		Jun. 2011- Jun. 2012	May 2012- Jun. 2012	Mar. 2012- Apr. 2012	Apr. 2012- May 2012	May 2012- Jun. 2012
Video discs and other media, including rental of video and audio <sup>1, 2</sup> .....	0.112	3.9	-0.4	1.0	-0.2	-0.4
Video discs and other media <sup>1, 2, 3</sup> .....		-5.0	-1.5	1.8	-0.1	-1.5
Rental of video or audio discs and other media <sup>1, 2, 3</sup> .....		11.5	-0.2	0.1	-0.1	-0.2
Pet services including veterinary <sup>2</sup> .....	0.406	3.0	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.2
Pet services <sup>1, 2, 3</sup> .....		2.6	0.4	-0.1	0.0	0.4
Veterinarian services <sup>2, 3</sup> .....		2.5	0.1	0.4	0.1	0.1
Photographers and film processing <sup>1, 2</sup> .....	0.058	1.9	0.2	0.0	-0.1	0.2
Photographer fees <sup>1, 2, 3</sup> .....		1.2	0.3	0.2	0.0	0.3
Film processing <sup>1, 2, 3</sup> .....		2.1	0.3	0.0	-0.2	0.3
Other recreation services <sup>2</sup> .....	1.722	2.0	1.1	-0.1	0.0	1.1
Club dues and fees for participant sports and group exercises <sup>2</sup> .....	0.563	2.0	0.3	-0.3	-0.4	0.3
Admissions <sup>1</sup> .....	0.628	3.0	2.2	0.1	0.6	2.2
Admission to movies, theaters, and concerts <sup>1, 2, 3</sup> .....		2.7	2.4	0.1	0.5	2.4
Admission to sporting events <sup>1, 2, 3</sup> .....		4.5	1.4	0.3	0.8	1.4
Fees for lessons or instructions <sup>1, 6</sup> .....	0.228	0.3	0.1	0.2	-0.1	0.1
Education and communication services <sup>9</sup> .....	6.115	2.6	0.0	0.2	0.2	0.1
Tuition, other school fees, and childcare.....	2.967	4.2	0.0	0.3	0.4	0.3
College tuition and fees.....	1.664	5.3	0.0	0.3	0.4	0.4
Elementary and high school tuition and fees.....	0.376	3.6	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.2
Child care and nursery school <sup>10</sup> .....	0.767	2.3	0.0	0.2	0.4	0.0
Technical and business school tuition and fees <sup>2</sup> ...	0.058	4.9	0.4	-0.1	-0.1	0.1
Postage and delivery services <sup>2</sup> .....	0.148	3.8	0.0	0.0	-0.3	0.0
Postage <sup>1</sup> .....	0.138	3.8	0.0	-0.1	-0.3	-0.1
Delivery services <sup>1, 2</sup> .....	0.010	4.9	0.7	1.2	0.1	0.7
Telephone services <sup>1, 2</sup> .....	2.399	0.9	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
Wireless telephone services <sup>1, 2</sup> .....	1.459	-0.6	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0
Land-line telephone services <sup>1, 9</sup> .....	0.940	2.7	0.3	0.2	0.1	0.3
Internet services and electronic information providers <sup>1, 2</sup> .....	0.586	1.3	-0.5	0.8	0.3	-0.5
Other personal services <sup>9</sup> .....	1.698	2.4	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.3
Personal care services <sup>1</sup> .....	0.626	1.5	0.0	0.2	0.1	0.0
Haircuts and other personal care services <sup>1, 2</sup> .....	0.626	1.5	0.0	0.2	0.1	0.0
Miscellaneous personal services.....	1.072	3.0	0.4	0.2	0.3	0.4
Legal services <sup>6</sup> .....	0.294	2.6	0.4	0.1	0.4	0.4
Funeral expenses <sup>6</sup> .....	0.157	1.6	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.2
Laundry and dry cleaning services <sup>2</sup> .....	0.238	1.8	0.2	-0.1	0.3	0.2
Apparel services other than laundry and dry cleaning <sup>1, 2</sup> .....	0.029	2.9	0.0	-0.2	0.1	0.0
Financial services <sup>1, 6</sup> .....	0.213	6.1	1.0	1.4	0.6	1.0

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**Table 2. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, by detailed expenditure category, June 2012 — Continued**  
 [1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted]

Expenditure category	Relative importance May 2012	Unadjusted percent change		Seasonally adjusted percent change		
		Jun. 2011- Jun. 2012	May 2012- Jun. 2012	Mar. 2012- Apr. 2012	Apr. 2012- May 2012	May 2012- Jun. 2012
Checking account and other bank services <sup>1, 2, 3</sup> .....		6.7	0.4	-1.1	0.7	0.4
Tax return preparation and other accounting fees <sup>2, 3</sup> .....		5.4	0.6	1.9	0.9	0.6

1 Not seasonally adjusted.

2 Indexes on a December 1997=100 base.

3 Special index based on a substantially smaller sample.

4 Indexes on a December 2007=100 base.

5 Indexes on a December 2005=100 base.

6 Indexes on a December 1986=100 base.

7 Indexes on a December 1993=100 base.

8 This index series was calculated using a Laspeyres estimator. All other item stratum index series were calculated using a geometric means estimator.

9 Indexes on a December 2009=100 base.

10 Indexes on a December 1990=100 base.

11 Indexes on a December 1983=100 base.

12 Indexes on a December 2001=100 base.

13 Indexes on a December 1982=100 base.

14 Indexes on a December 1996=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, special aggregate indexes, June 2012**

[1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted]

Special aggregate indexes	Relative importance May 2012	Unadjusted indexes			Unadjusted percent change		Seasonally adjusted percent change		
		Jun. 2011	May 2012	Jun. 2012	Jun. 2011- Jun. 2012	May 2012- Jun. 2012	Mar. 2012- Apr. 2012	Apr. 2012- May 2012	May 2012- Jun. 2012
All items less food.....	85.826	225.485	229.290	228.863	1.5	-0.2	0.0	-0.3	0.0
All items less shelter.....	68.697	218.239	222.010	221.336	1.4	-0.3	0.0	-0.5	0.0
All items less food and shelter.....	54.523	215.545	218.805	217.913	1.1	-0.4	-0.1	-0.6	0.0
All items less food, shelter, and energy.....	44.282	210.449	215.004	215.145	2.2	0.1	0.3	0.2	0.3
All items less food, shelter, energy, and used cars and trucks.....	42.334	213.910	218.662	218.698	2.2	0.0	0.2	0.2	0.3
All items less medical care.....	92.929	217.158	220.833	220.416	1.5	-0.2	0.0	-0.3	0.0
All items less energy.....	89.759	224.635	229.520	229.788	2.3	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.2
Commodities.....	40.448	185.266	188.963	186.967	0.9	-1.1	-0.2	-0.9	-0.2
Commodities less food, energy, and used cars and trucks.....	17.826	145.806	148.166	147.655	1.3	-0.3	0.1	0.1	0.2
Commodities less food.....	26.274	164.461	167.323	164.516	0.0	-1.7	-0.5	-1.5	-0.4
Commodities less food and beverages.....	25.329	162.032	164.851	161.964	0.0	-1.8	-0.5	-1.5	-0.4
Services.....	59.552	265.928	270.462	271.737	2.2	0.5	0.2	0.2	0.2
Services less rent of shelter <sup>1</sup> .....	28.596	291.219	295.291	297.552	2.2	0.8	0.3	0.2	0.2
Services less medical care services.....	54.197	253.781	257.615	258.817	2.0	0.5	0.2	0.2	0.1
Durables.....	8.912	113.598	113.622	113.803	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.1	0.0
Nondurables.....	31.536	220.611	226.283	223.115	1.1	-1.4	-0.3	-1.2	-0.4
Nondurables less food.....	17.362	212.660	218.198	212.479	-0.1	-2.6	-0.8	-2.2	-0.7
Nondurables less food and beverages.....	16.417	211.621	217.222	211.164	-0.2	-2.8	-0.9	-2.3	-0.8
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel.....	12.799	273.195	277.900	269.465	-1.4	-3.0	-1.4	-3.1	-1.1
Nondurables less food and apparel.....	13.744	267.823	272.494	264.847	-1.1	-2.8	-1.2	-2.8	-1.1
Housing.....	40.606	219.553	221.971	223.051	1.6	0.5	0.1	0.0	0.1
Education and communication <sup>2</sup> .....	6.712	130.568	133.470	133.456	2.2	0.0	0.2	0.3	0.1
Education <sup>2</sup> .....	3.169	204.821	213.499	213.600	4.3	0.0	0.3	0.4	0.3
Communication <sup>2</sup> .....	3.543	83.367	83.606	83.555	0.2	-0.1	0.0	0.2	0.0
Information and information processing <sup>2</sup> .....	3.394	79.980	80.086	80.033	0.1	-0.1	0.0	0.2	0.0
Information technology, hardware and services <sup>3</sup> .....	0.995	9.038	8.879	8.838	-2.2	-0.5	-0.1	0.4	-0.2
Recreation <sup>2</sup> .....	5.998	113.654	114.689	115.080	1.3	0.3	-0.1	0.1	0.3
Video and audio <sup>2</sup> .....	1.922	98.373	99.934	99.717	1.4	-0.2	-0.2	0.3	-0.2
Pets, pet products and services <sup>2</sup> .....	1.092	158.661	162.107	162.777	2.6	0.4	0.0	0.0	0.4
Photography <sup>2</sup> .....	0.113	79.785	79.324	79.352	-0.5	0.0	0.5	-0.9	-0.1
Food and beverages.....	15.119	227.451	233.257	233.509	2.7	0.1	0.2	0.0	0.2
Domestically produced farm food <sup>4</sup> .....	7.214	231.711	238.542	238.500	2.9	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0
Other services.....	11.506	313.332	321.309	322.052	2.8	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.3
Apparel less footwear.....	2.931	114.523	121.957	119.170	4.1	-2.3	0.3	0.3	0.4
Fuels and utilities.....	5.244	225.022	216.388	221.789	-1.4	2.5	-0.1	-0.7	-0.3
Household energy.....	4.078	199.122	186.852	192.649	-3.3	3.1	-0.3	-1.0	-0.6
Medical care.....	7.071	399.552	413.655	415.345	4.0	0.4	0.3	0.4	0.6
Transportation.....	17.538	216.880	220.768	216.369	-0.2	-2.0	-0.5	-2.1	-0.7
Private transportation.....	16.331	212.216	215.978	211.423	-0.4	-2.1	-0.7	-2.3	-0.6
New and used motor vehicles <sup>2</sup> .....	5.638	101.004	101.399	101.832	0.8	0.4	0.8	0.3	0.1
Utilities and public transportation.....	9.907	209.073	206.866	210.078	0.5	1.6	0.4	0.1	-0.1
Household furnishings and operations.....	4.059	125.048	125.905	126.054	0.8	0.1	0.0	-0.3	0.2
Other goods and services.....	3.340	386.171	392.859	393.989	2.0	0.3	0.1	0.0	0.3
Personal care.....	2.551	208.307	211.649	212.178	1.9	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.3

1 Indexes on a December 1982=100 base.

2 Indexes on a December 1997=100 base.

3 Indexes on a December 1988=100 base.

4 Not seasonally adjusted.

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): Selected areas, all items index, June 2012**  
 [1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted]

Area	Pricing Schedule <sup>1</sup>	Percent change to Jun. 2012 from:			Percent change to May 2012 from:		
		Jun. 2011	Apr. 2012	May 2012	May 2011	Mar. 2012	Apr. 2012
U.S. city average.....	M	1.7	-0.3	-0.1	1.7	0.2	-0.1
<b>Region and area size<sup>2</sup></b>							
Northeast urban.....	M	1.5	-0.3	-0.2	1.7	0.2	-0.1
Size A - More than 1,500,000.....	M	1.5	-0.1	-0.1	1.7	0.3	0.0
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 <sup>3</sup> .....	M	1.4	-0.6	-0.5	1.8	0.2	-0.1
Midwest urban.....	M	1.4	-0.2	-0.1	1.5	0.1	-0.1
Size A - More than 1,500,000.....	M	1.4	-0.1	-0.1	1.4	0.1	0.0
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 <sup>3</sup> .....	M	1.4	-0.2	-0.1	1.7	0.1	-0.1
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000).....	M	1.8	-0.5	0.2	1.4	-0.2	-0.6
South urban.....	M	1.7	-0.6	-0.2	1.6	0.0	-0.4
Size A - More than 1,500,000.....	M	1.7	-0.4	-0.1	1.5	0.0	-0.4
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 <sup>3</sup> .....	M	1.6	-0.6	-0.2	1.7	0.1	-0.4
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000).....	M	2.0	-1.1	-0.4	1.7	-0.3	-0.7
West urban.....	M	2.0	0.1	-0.2	2.0	0.4	0.2
Size A - More than 1,500,000.....	M	2.1	0.1	-0.1	2.1	0.4	0.2
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 <sup>3</sup> .....	M	1.5	-0.2	-0.3	1.6	0.4	0.2
<b>Size classes</b>							
A <sup>4</sup> .....	M	1.7	-0.1	-0.1	1.7	0.2	0.0
B/C <sup>3</sup> .....	M	1.5	-0.4	-0.2	1.7	0.2	-0.2
D.....	M	2.3	-0.5	-0.1	1.9	0.0	-0.4
<b>Selected local areas<sup>5</sup></b>							
Chicago-Gary-Kenosha, IL-IN-WI.....	M	0.9	-0.1	-0.1	1.0	0.0	-0.1
Los Angeles-Riverside-Orange County, CA.....	M	1.6	-0.4	-0.4	1.6	0.0	0.1
New York-Northern N.J.-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT-PA.....	M	1.6	0.0	-0.1	1.8	0.3	0.1
Boston-Brockton-Nashua, MA-NH-ME-CT.....	1				0.8	-0.2	
Cleveland-Akron, OH.....	1				1.1	-0.1	
Dallas-Fort Worth, TX.....	1				1.6	-0.2	
Washington-Baltimore, DC-MD-VA-WV <sup>6</sup> .....	1				1.8	0.1	
Atlanta, GA.....	2	1.5	0.6				
Detroit-Ann Arbor-Flint, MI.....	2	0.4	-0.8				
Houston-Galveston-Brazoria, TX.....	2	1.7	-0.6				
Miami-Fort Lauderdale, FL.....	2	1.2	-0.9				
Philadelphia-Wilmington-Atlantic City, PA-NJ-DE-MD.....	2	1.3	-0.2				

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 4. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): Selected areas, all items index, June 2012 — Continued**

[1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted]

Area	Pricing Schedule <sup>1</sup>	Percent change to Jun. 2012 from:			Percent change to May 2012 from:		
		Jun. 2011	Apr. 2012	May 2012	May 2011	Mar. 2012	Apr. 2012
San Francisco-Oakland-San Jose, CA.....	2	2.6	0.3				
Seattle-Tacoma-Bremerton, WA.....	2	2.7	0.7				

1 Foods, fuels, and several other items are priced every month in all areas. Most other goods and services are 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.

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; Phoenix-Mesa, AZ; 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.

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 5. Chained Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (C-CPI-U) and the Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, all items index, June 2012**  
 [Percent changes]

Month Year	Unadjusted 1-month percent change		Unadjusted 12-month percent change	
	C-CPI-U <sup>1</sup>	CPI-U	C-CPI-U <sup>1</sup>	CPI-U
December 2000.....			2.6	3.4
December 2001.....			1.3	1.6
December 2002.....			2.0	2.4
December 2003.....			1.7	1.9
December 2004.....			3.2	3.3
December 2005.....			2.9	3.4
December 2006.....			2.3	2.5
December 2007.....			3.7	4.1
December 2008.....			0.2	0.1
December 2009.....			2.5	2.7
January 2010.....	0.4	0.3	2.4	2.6
February 2010.....	0.0	0.0	1.9	2.1
March 2010.....	0.4	0.4	2.1	2.3
April 2010.....	0.1	0.2	2.1	2.2
May 2010.....	0.0	0.1	1.8	2.0
June 2010.....	-0.1	-0.1	0.8	1.1
July 2010.....	0.0	0.0	1.0	1.2
August 2010.....	0.2	0.1	0.9	1.1
September 2010.....	0.1	0.1	0.9	1.1
October 2010.....	0.1	0.1	0.9	1.2
November 2010.....	0.0	0.0	0.9	1.1
December 2010.....	0.2	0.2	1.3	1.5
January 2011.....	0.4	0.5	1.4	1.6
February 2011.....	0.5	0.5	1.9	2.1
March 2011.....	0.8	1.0	2.3	2.7
April 2011.....	0.6	0.6	2.7	3.2
May 2011.....	0.4	0.5	3.1	3.6
June 2011.....	0.0	-0.1	3.2	3.6
July 2011.....	0.1	0.1	3.3	3.6
August 2011.....	0.3	0.3	3.4	3.8
September 2011.....	0.2	0.2	3.5	3.9
October 2011.....	-0.2	-0.2	3.2	3.5
November 2011.....	-0.1	-0.1	3.1	3.4
December 2011.....	-0.2	-0.2	2.7	3.0
January 2012.....	0.4	0.4	2.7	2.9
February 2012.....	0.4	0.4	2.6	2.9
March 2012.....	0.6	0.8	2.4	2.7
April 2012.....	0.3	0.3	2.1	2.3
May 2012.....	-0.1	-0.1	1.6	1.7
June 2012.....	-0.1	-0.1	1.6	1.7

<sup>1</sup> The C-CPI-U is designed to be a closer approximation to a cost-of-living index in that it, in its final form, accounts for any substitution that consumers make across item categories in response to changes in relative prices. Since the expenditure data required for the calculation of the C-CPI-U are available only with a time lag, the C-CPI-U is being issued first in preliminary form using the latest available expenditure data at that time and is subject to two revisions.

NOTE: Indexes for 2012 are initial estimates. Indexes for 2011 are interim adjustments. Data prior to 2011 are final.

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

**Table 6. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, by expenditure category, June 2012, 1-month analysis table**  
 [1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted]

Expenditure category	Relative importance May 2012	One Month			
		Seasonally adjusted percent change May 2012- Jun. 2012	Seasonally adjusted effect on All Items May 2012- Jun. 2012 <sup>1</sup>	Standard error, median price change <sup>2</sup>	Largest (L) or Smallest (S) seasonally adjusted change since: <sup>3</sup>
		Date	Percent change		
All items.....	100.000	0.0		0.03	L-Apr.2012 0.0
Food.....	14.174	0.2	0.025	0.08	L-Apr.2012 0.2
Food at home.....	8.539	0.1	0.011	0.14	L-Apr.2012 0.2
Cereals and bakery products.....	1.232	-0.4	-0.005	0.35	S-Jan.2010 -0.6
Cereals and cereal products.....	0.477	-0.1	0.000	0.50	S-Mar.2012 -0.3
Flour and prepared flour mixes.....	0.053	1.5	0.001	0.88	L-Mar.2012 1.6
Breakfast cereal <sup>4</sup> .....	0.293	-0.5	-0.001	0.69	S-Oct.2011 -1.6
Rice, pasta, cornmeal <sup>4</sup> .....	0.131	-1.0	-0.001	0.72	S-Mar.2012 -1.3
Rice <sup>4, 5, 6</sup> .....		-0.1		0.81	L-Apr.2012 0.9
Bakery products.....	0.755	-0.5	-0.004	0.43	S-Jan.2010 -0.6
Bread <sup>5</sup> .....	0.222	-0.7	-0.002	0.89	S-Jan.2012 -1.0
White bread <sup>4, 6</sup> .....		-0.9		1.19	S-Jan.2012 -1.4
Bread other than white <sup>4, 6</sup> .....		-0.9		1.30	S-Jan.2012 -2.4
Fresh biscuits, rolls, muffins <sup>4, 5</sup> .....	0.112	0.4	0.000	0.61	S-Apr.2012 -0.8
Cakes, cupcakes, and cookies.....	0.182	-0.6	-0.001	0.88	L-Apr.2012 1.2
Cookies <sup>4, 6</sup> .....		-0.7		0.95	S-May 2011 -1.5
Fresh cakes and cupcakes <sup>4, 6</sup> .....		0.2		0.97	L-Apr.2012 0.5
Other bakery products.....	0.240	0.0	0.000	0.78	L-Apr.2012 0.6
Fresh sweetrolls, coffeecakes, doughnuts <sup>4, 6</sup> .....		1.0		0.92	S-Apr.2012 -2.4
Crackers, bread, and cracker products <sup>6</sup> .....		-1.7		1.17	S-Mar.2012 -1.7
Frozen and refrigerated bakery products, pies, tarts, turnovers <sup>6</sup> .....		-0.3		1.11	L-Apr.2012 0.0
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs.....	1.929	0.2	0.004	0.23	L-Mar.2012 0.8
Meats, poultry, and fish.....	1.826	0.2	0.003	0.24	L-Mar.2012 0.7
Meats.....	1.187	0.0	0.000	0.28	L-Mar.2012 0.5
Beef and veal <sup>4</sup> .....	0.555	0.6	0.003	0.41	— —
Uncooked ground beef <sup>4</sup> .....	0.218	1.1	0.002	0.60	S-Apr.2012 0.1
Uncooked beef roasts <sup>4, 5</sup> .....	0.080	0.5	0.000	1.10	L-Feb.2012 1.1
Uncooked beef steaks <sup>4, 5</sup> .....	0.206	0.3	0.001	0.79	L-Apr.2012 1.3
Uncooked other beef and veal <sup>4, 5</sup> .....	0.051	0.0	0.000	0.73	S-Apr.2012 -1.5
Pork.....	0.368	-0.8	-0.003	0.48	L-Apr.2012 0.0
Bacon, breakfast sausage, and related products <sup>5</sup> .....	0.139	-1.4	-0.002	0.84	L-Apr.2012 -1.3
Bacon and related products <sup>6</sup> .....		-1.5		1.07	L-Mar.2012 0.5
Breakfast sausage and related products <sup>4, 5, 6</sup> .....		-0.4		1.23	S-Apr.2012 -0.5
Ham.....	0.079	0.6	0.000	0.98	L-Apr.2012 1.0
Ham, excluding canned <sup>6</sup> .....		0.6		1.04	L-Apr.2012 1.1
Pork chops.....	0.061	-0.4	0.000	1.02	L-Apr.2012 1.8
Other pork including roasts and picnics <sup>5</sup> .....	0.089	-0.5	0.000	1.09	L-Feb.2012 0.3
Other meats.....	0.263	-0.3	-0.001	0.63	S-Apr.2012 -1.2
Frankfurters <sup>6</sup> .....		-2.7		2.08	S-Jan.2012 -3.5
Lunchmeats <sup>4, 5, 6</sup> .....		0.0		0.64	L-Mar.2012 0.2
Lamb and organ meats <sup>4, 6</sup> .....		0.3		1.06	L-Feb.2012 1.0
Lamb and mutton <sup>4, 5, 6</sup> .....		0.5		1.19	L-Mar.2012 0.5
Poultry.....	0.335	1.0	0.003	0.62	L-Mar.2012 1.4
Chicken <sup>5</sup> .....	0.259	1.3	0.003	0.80	L-Mar.2012 1.3
Fresh whole chicken <sup>4, 6</sup> .....		0.7		1.91	L-Apr.2012 1.6
Fresh and frozen chicken parts <sup>4, 6</sup> .....		2.6		0.85	L-Feb.2007 2.8
Other poultry including turkey <sup>5</sup> .....	0.076	0.1	0.000	0.80	S-Apr.2012 -1.1
Fish and seafood <sup>4</sup> .....	0.304	0.1	0.000	0.52	L-Apr.2012 0.6
Fresh fish and seafood <sup>4, 5</sup> .....	0.157	-0.2	0.000	0.75	— —
Processed fish and seafood <sup>5</sup> .....	0.148	1.0	0.001	0.70	L-Apr.2012 1.0

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 6. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, by expenditure category, June 2012, 1-month analysis table — Continued**  
 [1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted]

Expenditure category	Relative importance May 2012	One Month				
		Seasonally adjusted percent change May 2012- Jun. 2012	Seasonally adjusted effect on All Items May 2012- Jun. 2012 <sup>1</sup>	Standard error, median price change <sup>2</sup>	Largest (L) or Smallest (S) seasonally adjusted change since: <sup>3</sup>	
		Date	Percent change			
Shelf stable fish and seafood <sup>4, 6</sup> .....		0.8	1.17	L-Apr.2012	3.4	
Frozen fish and seafood <sup>4, 6</sup> .....		1.2	1.03	L-Apr.2012	2.4	
Eggs.....	0.102	0.9	0.001	0.77	S-Feb.2012	-6.4
Dairy and related products <sup>4</sup> .....	0.890	-0.3	-0.003	0.31	L-Mar.2012	-0.1
Milk <sup>4, 5</sup> .....	0.289	-0.6	-0.002	0.33	S-Apr.2012	-0.8
Fresh whole milk <sup>4, 6</sup> .....		-1.2	0.44	S-Nov.2011	-1.3	
Fresh milk other than whole <sup>4, 5, 6</sup> .....		-0.3	0.48	S-Apr.2012	-1.0	
Cheese and related products <sup>4</sup> .....	0.282	1.0	0.003	0.59	L-Sep.2011	1.8
Ice cream and related products.....	0.135	-1.9	-0.003	0.83	S-Jun.2009	-2.9
Other dairy and related products <sup>5</sup> .....	0.184	0.9	0.002	0.61	L-Nov.2011	1.0
Fruits and vegetables.....	1.262	1.3	0.016	0.37	L-Jul.2011	1.4
Fresh fruits and vegetables.....	0.956	1.7	0.016	0.47	L-Mar.2011	1.7
Fresh fruits.....	0.509	0.3	0.002	0.63	L-Apr.2012	1.9
Apples.....	0.085	4.0	0.003	1.15	L-Sep.2011	4.2
Bananas.....	0.081	0.3	0.000	0.82	L-Mar.2012	0.6
Citrus fruits <sup>5</sup> .....	0.109	0.0	0.000	1.48	S-Feb.2012	-1.4
Oranges, including tangerines <sup>6</sup> .....		-1.9	1.73	S-Feb.2012	-3.5	
Other fresh fruits <sup>5</sup> .....	0.235	0.1	0.000	1.07	L-Apr.2012	2.9
Fresh vegetables.....	0.447	3.2	0.014	0.63	L-Mar.2011	3.6
Potatoes.....	0.082	-1.8	-0.002	1.06	L-Apr.2012	0.9
Lettuce.....	0.058	2.1	0.001	1.57	S-Apr.2012	-2.6
Tomatoes <sup>4</sup> .....	0.072	8.7	0.006	1.80	L-Mar.2011	15.3
Other fresh vegetables.....	0.234	1.1	0.003	0.91	S-Mar.2012	-0.2
Processed fruits and vegetables <sup>5</sup> .....	0.306	0.0	0.000	0.47	L-Apr.2012	0.8
Canned fruits and vegetables <sup>5</sup> .....	0.152	-0.6	-0.001	0.69	L-Apr.2012	1.5
Canned fruits <sup>5, 6</sup> .....		0.1	0.81	L-Apr.2012	1.1	
Canned vegetables <sup>5, 6</sup> .....		-1.1	0.98	L-Apr.2012	2.0	
Frozen fruits and vegetables <sup>5</sup> .....	0.097	0.8	0.001	0.87	—	—
Frozen vegetables <sup>6</sup> .....		1.2	1.04	S-Apr.2012	0.4	
Other processed fruits and vegetables including dried <sup>5</sup> .....	0.057	0.1	0.000	0.79	S-Apr.2012	-0.3
Dried beans, peas, and lentils <sup>4, 5, 6</sup> .....		2.3	1.19	L-Oct.2011	5.0	
Nonalcoholic beverages and beverage materials.....	0.940	0.1	0.001	0.42	L-Apr.2012	0.2
Juices and nonalcoholic drinks <sup>5</sup> .....	0.702	0.2	0.002	0.50	L-Feb.2012	0.2
Carbonated drinks.....	0.286	-0.4	-0.001	0.72	S-Mar.2012	-0.8
Frozen noncarbonated juices and drinks <sup>4, 5</sup> .....	0.014	-0.2	0.000	1.09	L-Mar.2012	0.4
Nonfrozen noncarbonated juices and drinks <sup>4, 5</sup> .....	0.402	-0.1	-0.001	0.65	L-Mar.2012	0.4
Beverage materials including coffee and tea <sup>5</sup> .....	0.238	0.1	0.000	0.59	L-Apr.2012	0.8
Coffee.....	0.146	-1.3	-0.002	0.81	L-Apr.2012	-0.1
Roasted coffee <sup>6</sup> .....		-1.3	0.77	L-Mar.2012	-0.2	
Instant and freeze dried coffee <sup>4, 6</sup> .....		-1.7	1.18	S-Mar.2012	-2.6	
Other beverage materials including tea <sup>5</sup> .....	0.092	2.5	0.002	0.77	L-EVER	—
Other food at home.....	2.286	-0.1	-0.003	0.26	S-Oct.2010	-0.1
Sugar and sweets <sup>4</sup> .....	0.307	0.4	0.001	0.59	L-Mar.2012	0.5
Sugar and artificial sweeteners.....	0.061	-0.1	0.000	0.49	S-Mar.2012	-1.0
Candy and chewing gum <sup>4, 5</sup> .....	0.182	1.0	0.002	0.92	L-Mar.2012	1.6
Other sweets <sup>5</sup> .....	0.064	-0.3	0.000	0.71	S-Mar.2012	-1.2
Fats and oils.....	0.264	-0.5	-0.001	0.51	S-Feb.2012	-0.7
Butter and margarine <sup>5</sup> .....	0.075	-0.3	0.000	0.79	S-Apr.2012	-1.6
Butter <sup>6</sup> .....		-1.4	1.21	S-Apr.2012	-2.2	
Margarine <sup>6</sup> .....		0.8	1.06	L-Mar.2012	1.7	
Salad dressing <sup>4, 5</sup> .....	0.066	-1.6	-0.001	0.80	S-May 2011	-1.7
Other fats and oils including peanut butter <sup>5</sup> .....	0.123	-0.2	0.000	0.91	S-Feb.2012	-0.7

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 [1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted]

Expenditure category	Relative importance May 2012	One Month			
		Seasonally adjusted percent change May 2012- Jun. 2012	Seasonally adjusted effect on All Items May 2012- Jun. 2012 <sup>1</sup>	Standard error, median price change <sup>2</sup>	Largest (L) or Smallest (S) seasonally adjusted change since: <sup>3</sup>
		Date	Percent change		
Peanut butter <sup>4, 5, 6</sup> .....		0.8	1.09	L-Apr.2012	2.3
Other foods.....	1.715	-0.2	-0.003	S-Oct.2010	-0.3
Soups.....	0.101	-1.0	-0.001	S-Dec.2011	-1.1
Frozen and freeze dried prepared foods <sup>4</sup> .....	0.302	-0.7	-0.002	S-Jul.2011	-0.7
Snacks <sup>4</sup> .....	0.326	0.4	0.001	S-Apr.2012	-0.6
Spices, seasonings, condiments, sauces.....	0.285	0.5	0.001	0.75	L-Apr.2012
Salt and other seasonings and spices <sup>5, 6</sup> .....		-0.8	0.81	S-Mar.2012	-1.0
Olives, pickles, relishes <sup>4, 5, 6</sup> .....		-0.3	1.36	L-Apr.2012	0.1
Sauces and gravies <sup>5, 6</sup> .....		1.1	1.40	L-Feb.2012	1.2
Other condiments <sup>4, 6</sup> .....		1.5	0.74	L-Jan.2012	4.5
Baby food <sup>4, 5</sup> .....	0.071	0.3	0.000	0.51	L-Jan.2012
Other miscellaneous foods <sup>4, 5</sup> .....	0.630	-0.3	-0.002	0.57	S-Mar.2012
Prepared salads <sup>4, 7, 6</sup> .....		-0.3	0.89	S-Apr.2012	-0.5
Food away from home <sup>4</sup> .....	5.634	0.2	0.014	0.06	—
Full service meals and snacks <sup>4, 5</sup> .....	2.672	0.3	0.008	0.07	L-Jan.2012
Limited service meals and snacks <sup>4, 5</sup> .....	2.267	0.4	0.008	0.10	L-Apr.2012
Food at employee sites and schools <sup>5</sup> .....	0.256	-0.9	-0.002	0.14	S-Oct.2011
Food at elementary and secondary schools <sup>4, 8, 6</sup> .....		-1.9	0.12	S-Jul.2010	-2.8
Food from vending machines and mobile vendors <sup>4, 5</sup> .....	0.081	0.4	0.000	0.23	L-Jan.2012
Other food away from home <sup>4, 5</sup> .....	0.358	0.4	0.002	0.12	L-Jan.2012
Energy.....	10.241	-1.4	-0.140	0.11	L-Mar.2012
Energy commodities.....	6.500	-2.3	-0.139	0.11	L-Mar.2012
Fuel oil and other fuels <sup>4</sup> .....	0.337	-7.0	-0.024	0.42	S-Dec.2008
Fuel oil <sup>4</sup> .....	0.232	-7.9	-0.018	0.54	S-Dec.2008
Propane, kerosene, and firewood <sup>4, 9</sup> .....	0.105	-4.2	-0.005	0.44	S-Nov.2008
Motor fuel.....	6.163	-2.0	-0.115	0.11	L-Mar.2012
Gasoline (all types).....	5.970	-2.0	-0.110	0.12	L-Mar.2012
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>6</sup> .....		-2.1	0.28	L-Mar.2012	
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>10, 6</sup> .....		-1.7	0.27	L-Mar.2012	
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>6</sup> .....		-1.9	0.27	L-Mar.2012	
Other motor fuels <sup>5</sup> .....	0.194	-7.0	-0.013	0.16	S-Mar.2009
Energy services <sup>11</sup> .....	3.741	0.0	-0.001	0.16	L-Sep.2011
Electricity <sup>11</sup> .....	2.911	-0.5	-0.016	0.18	S-Mar.2012
Utility (piped) gas service <sup>11</sup> .....	0.830	1.7	0.015	0.18	L-Dec.2010
All items less food and energy.....	75.585	0.2	0.155	0.04	—
Commodities less food and energy commodities.....	19.774	0.2	0.042	0.09	—
Household furnishings and supplies <sup>12</sup> .....	3.335	0.1	0.002	0.15	L-Feb.2012
Window and floor coverings and other linens <sup>4, 5</sup> .....	0.272	-0.3	-0.001	0.62	L-Mar.2012
Floor coverings <sup>4, 5</sup> .....	0.039	-0.1	0.000	0.55	S-Mar.2012
Window coverings <sup>4, 5</sup> .....	0.076	-0.2	0.000	0.68	S-Mar.2012
Other linens <sup>4, 5</sup> .....	0.157	-0.4	-0.001	0.92	L-Mar.2012
Furniture and bedding <sup>4</sup> .....	0.718	-0.1	0.000	0.34	S-Feb.2012
Bedroom furniture <sup>4</sup> .....	0.233	-0.4	-0.001	0.65	S-Apr.2012
Living room, kitchen, and dining room furniture <sup>4, 5</sup> .....	0.344	0.7	0.003	0.42	S-Apr.2012
Other furniture <sup>5</sup> .....	0.133	-0.8	-0.001	0.73	L-Apr.2012
Infants' furniture <sup>4, 8, 6</sup> .....					
Appliances <sup>5</sup> .....	0.288	0.3	0.001	0.38	L-Feb.2012
Major appliances <sup>5</sup> .....	0.166	0.4	0.001	0.48	L-Mar.2012
Laundry equipment <sup>6</sup> .....		0.1	0.58	L-Mar.2012	
Other appliances <sup>4, 5</sup> .....	0.119	0.0	0.000	0.59	L-Feb.2012
Other household equipment and furnishings <sup>4, 5</sup> .....	0.491	0.0	0.000	0.41	—
Clocks, lamps, and decorator items <sup>4</sup> .....	0.259	-0.2	-0.001	0.51	S-Apr.2012

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Indoor plants and flowers <sup>13</sup> .....	0.102	0.8	0.001	0.69	L-Dec.2011 0.9
Dishes and flatware <sup>4 , 5</sup> .....	0.047	0.0	0.000	1.02	L-Feb.2012 0.3
Nonelectric cookware and tableware <sup>5</sup> .....	0.084	0.0	0.000	0.51	L-Apr.2012 1.5
Tools, hardware, outdoor equipment and supplies <sup>5</sup> .....	0.682	0.1	0.001	0.28	L-Apr.2012 0.3
Tools, hardware and supplies <sup>4 , 5</sup> .....	0.172	-0.2	0.000	0.35	S-Mar.2012 -0.2
Outdoor equipment and supplies <sup>5</sup> .....	0.364	0.4	0.001	0.32	L-Apr.2012 0.9
Housekeeping supplies <sup>4</sup> .....	0.883	0.5	0.004	0.27	L-Feb.2012 0.5
Household cleaning products <sup>4 , 5</sup> .....	0.357	0.7	0.002	0.40	L-Oct.2011 0.9
Household paper products <sup>4 , 5</sup> .....	0.241	0.1	0.000	0.38	L-Mar.2012 0.2
Miscellaneous household products <sup>4 , 5</sup> .....	0.286	0.5	0.001	0.47	L-Feb.2012 0.8
Apparel.....	3.618	0.5	0.018	0.39	L-Mar.2012 0.5
Men's and boys' apparel.....	0.877	0.6	0.005	0.61	L-Mar.2012 0.8
Men's apparel.....	0.696	0.5	0.003	0.65	— —
Men's suits, sport coats, and outerwear.....	0.127	1.0	0.001	1.77	L-Jan.2012 6.3
Men's furnishings.....	0.185	-1.0	-0.002	0.98	S-Feb.2012 -1.7
Men's shirts and sweaters <sup>5</sup> .....	0.212	2.2	0.005	1.49	L-Apr.2012 2.4
Men's pants and shorts.....	0.164	-1.9	-0.003	1.32	S-Jun.2009 -2.6
Boys' apparel.....	0.182	-1.3	-0.002	1.48	L-Apr.2012 2.6
Women's and girls' apparel.....	1.539	-0.1	-0.002	0.75	S-Feb.2012 -0.8
Women's apparel.....	1.292	-0.5	-0.006	0.82	S-Feb.2012 -0.5
Women's outerwear.....	0.080	-3.5	-0.003	3.37	L-Apr.2012 4.2
Women's dresses.....	0.177	-2.1	-0.004	2.67	S-Apr.2012 -4.3
Women's suits and separates <sup>5</sup> .....	0.625	-0.7	-0.004	1.10	S-Mar.2012 -1.5
Women's underwear, nightwear, sportswear and accessories <sup>5</sup> .....	0.395	0.8	0.003	1.16	L-Apr.2012 1.2
Girls' apparel.....	0.246	1.9	0.005	2.09	L-Jan.2012 1.9
Footwear.....	0.687	1.1	0.008	0.56	L-May 2011 1.2
Men's footwear <sup>4</sup> .....	0.211	-0.2	0.000	0.85	S-Jan.2012 -0.3
Boys' and girls' footwear.....	0.149	0.9	0.001	1.22	L-Mar.2012 1.0
Women's footwear.....	0.327	1.9	0.006	0.86	L-Feb.2009 2.2
Infants' and toddlers' apparel.....	0.198	0.7	0.001	1.00	S-Apr.2012 -1.1
Jewelry and watches <sup>9</sup> .....	0.316	1.8	0.006	1.36	L-Oct.2011 2.1
Watches <sup>4 , 9</sup> .....	0.088	1.3	0.001	0.78	L-Mar.2012 1.6
Jewelry <sup>9</sup> .....	0.229	1.9	0.004	1.56	L-Oct.2011 2.6
Transportation commodities less motor fuel <sup>12</sup> .....	5.619	0.1	0.007	0.07	S-Jan.2012 -0.3
New vehicles.....	3.169	0.2	0.007	0.11	— —
New cars and trucks <sup>5 , 6</sup> .....		0.2		0.10	— —
New cars .....		0.0		0.15	S-Jan.2012 -0.2
New trucks <sup>14 , 6</sup> .....		0.4		0.11	L-Apr.2012 0.4
Used cars and trucks.....	1.948	0.0	0.001	0.02	S-Feb.2012 -0.2
Motor vehicle parts and equipment <sup>4</sup> .....	0.433	0.0	0.000	0.20	S-Apr.2012 0.0
Tires <sup>4</sup> .....	0.294	0.0	0.000	0.25	— —
Vehicle accessories other than tires <sup>4 , 5</sup> .....	0.139	0.0	0.000	0.25	S-Apr.2012 -0.2
Vehicle parts and equipment other than tires <sup>4 , 6</sup> .....		0.0		0.25	S-Apr.2012 -0.3
Motor oil, coolant, and fluids <sup>4 , 6</sup> .....		0.3		0.64	L-Apr.2012 0.4
Medical care commodities <sup>4</sup> .....	1.715	0.1	0.001	0.14	L-Mar.2012 0.4
Medicinal drugs <sup>4 , 12</sup> .....	1.636	0.1	0.001	0.15	L-Mar.2012 0.4
Prescription drugs.....	1.324	0.4	0.005	0.14	L-Feb.2012 0.6
Nonprescription drugs <sup>4 , 12</sup> .....	0.312	0.1	0.000	0.49	S-Apr.2012 -0.3
Medical equipment and supplies <sup>4 , 12</sup> .....	0.079	-0.2	0.000	0.47	S-Mar.2012 -0.3
Recreation commodities <sup>12</sup> .....	2.305	-0.1	-0.002	0.18	— —
Video and audio products <sup>12</sup> .....	0.416	-1.5	-0.006	0.28	S-Apr.2012 -1.8

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Televisions.....	0.163	-3.2	-0.005	0.64	S-Apr.2012 -3.7
Other video equipment <sup>4 , 5</sup> .....	0.027	-1.8	0.000	0.61	S-Mar.2012 -2.3
Audio equipment <sup>4</sup> .....	0.071	0.3	0.000	0.45	L-Jan.2012 0.4
Audio discs, tapes and other media <sup>4 , 5</sup> .....	0.044	-0.9	0.000	0.47	S-Oct.2011 -1.6
Pets and pet products <sup>4</sup> .....	0.687	0.5	0.004	0.39	L-Mar.2012 0.5
Pet food <sup>4 , 5 , 6</sup> .....		0.8		0.41	L-Aug.2011 0.9
Purchase of pets, pet supplies, accessories <sup>4 , 5 , 6</sup> .....		0.2		0.76	L-Mar.2012 0.6
Sporting goods <sup>4</sup> .....	0.459	0.2	0.001	0.31	L-Apr.2012 0.5
Sports vehicles including bicycles <sup>4</sup> .....	0.239	0.9	0.002	0.33	L-Jan.2011 1.1
Sports equipment <sup>4</sup> .....	0.211	-0.6	-0.001	0.53	S-Dec.2011 -0.7
Photographic equipment and supplies.....	0.054	-0.3	0.000	0.62	L-Apr.2012 0.9
Film and photographic supplies <sup>4 , 5 , 6</sup> .....		3.7		0.73	L-EVER —
Photographic equipment <sup>5 , 6</sup> .....		-0.4		0.82	L-Apr.2012 0.9
Recreational reading materials <sup>4</sup> .....	0.223	0.1	0.000	0.34	S-Feb.2012 -0.5
Newspapers and magazines <sup>4 , 5</sup> .....	0.121	0.9	0.001	0.48	L-Mar.2012 1.1
Recreational books <sup>4 , 5</sup> .....	0.098	-1.0	-0.001	0.47	S-Aug.2011 -1.4
Other recreational goods <sup>5</sup> .....	0.466	0.0	0.000	0.44	S-Apr.2012 -1.0
Toys <sup>4</sup> .....	0.346	-0.1	0.000	0.53	S-Apr.2012 -1.5
Toys, games, hobbies and playground equipment <sup>4 , 5, 6</sup> .....		0.4		0.51	S-Apr.2012 -1.1
Sewing machines, fabric and supplies <sup>5</sup> .....	0.061	0.3	0.000	0.91	L-Apr.2012 1.2
Music instruments and accessories <sup>5</sup> .....	0.039	0.5	0.000	0.42	L-Sep.2011 1.2
Education and communication commodities <sup>12</sup> .....	0.597	0.3	0.002	0.34	S-Apr.2012 -0.7
Educational books and supplies.....	0.202	0.3	0.001	0.29	S-Feb.2012 0.1
College textbooks <sup>4 , 15 , 6</sup> .....		0.0		0.24	S-Dec.2011 -0.2
Information technology commodities <sup>12</sup> .....	0.395	0.3	0.001	0.43	S-Apr.2012 -1.3
Personal computers and peripheral equipment <sup>7</sup> .....	0.261	1.3	0.003	0.51	L-EVER —
Computer software and accessories <sup>4 , 5</sup> .....	0.048	-2.0	-0.001	0.75	
Telephone hardware, calculators, and other consumer information items <sup>4 , 5</sup> .....	0.087	-1.5	-0.001	0.77	S-Sep.2010 -1.8
Alcoholic beverages.....	0.945	0.3	0.003	0.13	L-Feb.2012 0.3
Alcoholic beverages at home.....	0.569	0.0	0.000	0.21	S-Apr.2012 -0.2
Beer, ale, and other malt beverages at home.....	0.271	-0.4	-0.001	0.27	S-Apr.2012 -0.5
Distilled spirits at home <sup>4</sup> .....	0.071	0.7	0.000	0.33	L-Dec.2010 1.0
Whiskey at home <sup>6</sup> .....		1.4		0.49	L-Oct.2009 1.5
Distilled spirits, excluding whiskey, at home <sup>4 , 6</sup> .....		-0.1		0.59	L-Apr.2012 0.3
Wine at home.....	0.227	0.5	0.001	0.37	L-Jan.2012 0.6
Alcoholic beverages away from home <sup>4</sup> .....	0.376	0.6	0.002	0.16	L-Jan.2012 0.8
Beer, ale, and other malt beverages away from home <sup>4 , 5 , 6</sup> .....		0.4		0.13	L-Apr.2011 0.6
Wine away from home <sup>4 , 5 , 6</sup> .....		1.5		0.20	L-May 2007 1.7
Distilled spirits away from home <sup>4 , 5 , 6</sup> .....		0.5		0.20	S-Mar.2012 -0.8
Other goods <sup>12</sup> .....	1.641	0.4	0.006	0.19	L-Jan.2012 0.4
Tobacco and smoking products <sup>4</sup> .....	0.788	0.4	0.003	0.16	L-Jan.2012 0.5
Cigarettes <sup>4 , 5</sup> .....	0.728	0.5	0.003	0.17	L-Jan.2012 0.5
Tobacco products other than cigarettes <sup>4 , 5</sup> .....	0.054	-0.2	0.000	0.46	S-Nov.2011 -0.2
Personal care products <sup>4</sup> .....	0.647	0.3	0.002	0.37	L-Apr.2012 0.3
Hair, dental, shaving, and miscellaneous personal care products <sup>4 , 5</sup> .....	0.338	0.0	0.000	0.54	L-Apr.2012 0.1
Cosmetics, perfume, bath, nail preparations and implements <sup>4</sup> .....	0.302	0.8	0.002	0.56	L-Mar.2012 1.0
Miscellaneous personal goods <sup>5</sup> .....	0.206	0.4	0.001	0.44	L-Jan.2012 0.7
Stationery, stationery supplies, gift wrap <sup>6</sup> .....		0.2		0.46	L-Jan.2012 0.5
Infants' equipment <sup>4 , 8 , 6</sup> .....		-0.4		0.51	— —

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Services less energy services.....	55.811	0.2	0.114	0.03	—
Shelter.....	31.303	0.1	0.039	0.05	S-Sep.2011 0.1
Rent of shelter <sup>16</sup> .....	30.957	0.1	0.023	0.05	S-Feb.2012 0.1
Rent of primary residence <sup>11</sup> .....	6.418	0.1	0.008	0.07	S-Jun.2011 0.1
Lodging away from home <sup>5</sup> .....	0.831	0.9	0.007	0.86	S-Apr.2012 -0.2
Housing at school, excluding board <sup>11, 16</sup> .....	0.153	0.3	0.000	0.05	S-Mar.2012 0.3
Other lodging away from home including hotels and motels.....	0.678	1.0	0.007	1.07	S-Apr.2012 -0.4
Owners' equivalent rent of residences <sup>11, 16</sup> .....	23.707	0.1	0.024	0.04	—
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>11, 16</sup> .....	22.308	0.1	0.022	0.04	—
Tenants' and household insurance <sup>4, 5</sup> .....	0.347	0.1	0.000	0.21	S-Feb.2012 -0.6
Water and sewer and trash collection services <sup>5</sup> .....	1.166	0.7	0.008	0.13	L-Apr.2012 0.8
Water and sewerage maintenance <sup>11</sup> .....	0.880	0.8	0.007	0.17	L-Apr.2012 1.1
Garbage and trash collection <sup>4, 14</sup> .....	0.286	0.4	0.001	0.15	L-Feb.2012 0.4
Household operations <sup>4, 5</sup> .....	0.724	0.4	0.003	0.10	L-Apr.2012 0.4
Domestic services <sup>4, 5</sup> .....	0.248	0.7	0.002	0.07	L-Dec.2010 0.7
Gardening and lawncare services <sup>4, 5</sup> .....	0.236	-0.1	0.000	0.11	L-Apr.2012 0.5
Moving, storage, freight expense <sup>4, 5</sup> .....	0.090	0.6	0.001	0.43	L-Feb.2012 2.6
Repair of household items <sup>4, 5</sup> .....	0.077	0.9	0.001	0.14	L-Apr.2012 1.2
Medical care services.....	5.356	0.7	0.039	0.06	L-Sep.2010 0.7
Professional services.....	2.978	0.4	0.013	0.08	—
Physicians' services <sup>11</sup> .....	1.592	0.8	0.013	0.12	L-Jan.2010 1.0
Dental services <sup>11</sup> .....	0.756	0.3	0.002	0.08	L-Dec.2011 0.3
Eyeglasses and eye care <sup>9</sup> .....	0.254	-0.4	-0.001	0.23	S-Nov.2011 -0.4
Services by other medical professionals <sup>4, 11, 9</sup> .....	0.375	-0.1	0.000	0.12	S-Sep.2011 -0.1
Hospital and related services.....	1.741	1.1	0.019	0.11	L-Sep.2010 1.5
Hospital services <sup>11, 17</sup> .....	1.520	1.2	0.019	0.12	L-Sep.2010 1.8
Inpatient hospital services <sup>11, 17, 6</sup> .....		1.7		0.18	L-Sep.2010 2.0
Outpatient hospital services <sup>11, 9, 6</sup> .....		0.9		0.22	L-Sep.2010 1.4
Nursing homes and adult day services <sup>11, 17</sup> .....	0.136	0.2	0.000	0.12	S-Apr.2012 0.1
Care of invalids and elderly at home <sup>4, 8</sup> .....	0.085	0.2	0.000	0.15	L-Apr.2012 0.2
Health insurance <sup>4, 8</sup> .....	0.637	1.0	0.006	0.07	L-Apr.2012 1.0
Transportation services.....	5.757	-0.2	-0.011	0.11	S-Feb.2012 -0.2
Leased cars and trucks <sup>15</sup> .....	0.386	0.0	0.000	0.44	L-Mar.2012 0.0
Car and truck rental <sup>5</sup> .....	0.067	0.9	0.001	1.34	L-Apr.2012 4.4
Motor vehicle maintenance and repair <sup>4</sup> .....	1.142	0.1	0.001	0.12	S-Apr.2012 0.0
Motor vehicle body work <sup>4</sup> .....	0.057	0.3	0.000	0.14	L-Mar.2012 0.3
Motor vehicle maintenance and servicing <sup>4</sup> .....	0.456	0.0	0.000	0.15	S-Nov.2011 0.0
Motor vehicle repair <sup>4, 5</sup> .....	0.594	0.1	0.001	0.19	S-Apr.2012 -0.1
Motor vehicle insurance.....	2.396	0.4	0.009	0.16	—
Motor vehicle fees <sup>4, 5</sup> .....	0.558	0.1	0.000	0.12	—
State motor vehicle registration and license fees <sup>4, 11, 5</sup> .....	0.325	0.0	0.000	0.12	—
Parking and other fees <sup>4, 5</sup> .....	0.211	0.2	0.000	0.16	—
Parking fees and tolls <sup>4, 5, 6</sup> .....		0.1		0.13	S-Apr.2012 0.0
Automobile service clubs <sup>4, 5, 6</sup> .....		0.4		0.26	S-Apr.2012 0.4
Public transportation.....	1.208	-1.8	-0.022	0.29	S-Feb.2009 -1.9
Airline fare.....	0.799	-2.5	-0.020	0.40	S-Feb.2009 -2.6
Other intercity transportation.....	0.148	0.4	0.001	0.66	L-Apr.2012 0.8
Intercity bus fare <sup>4, 7, 6</sup> .....		1.4		0.52	L-Apr.2012 1.7
Intercity train fare <sup>4, 7, 6</sup> .....		4.5		1.24	S-Apr.2012 2.8
Ship fare <sup>4, 5, 6</sup> .....		1.1		0.82	L-Jul.2011 1.4

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Intracity transportation <sup>4</sup> .....	0.258	0.0	0.000	0.07	S-Jan.2012 0.0
Intracity mass transit <sup>4, 12, 6</sup> .....		0.1		0.09	— —
Recreation services <sup>12</sup> .....	3.693	0.6	0.022	0.19	L-Jan.2012 0.8
Video and audio services <sup>12</sup> .....	1.506	0.1	0.002	0.23	S-Aug.2011 0.0
Cable and satellite television and radio service <sup>14</sup> ..	1.394	0.2	0.003	0.23	S-Apr.2012 0.2
Video discs and other media, including rental of video and audio <sup>4, 5</sup> .....	0.112	-0.4	0.000	0.84	S-Feb.2012 -1.4
Video discs and other media <sup>4, 5, 6</sup> .....		-1.5		1.22	S-Feb.2012 -1.7
Rental of video or audio discs and other media <sup>4</sup> <sup>5, 6</sup> .....		-0.2		0.75	S-Feb.2012 -0.3
Pet services including veterinary <sup>5</sup> .....	0.406	0.2	0.001	0.19	L-Apr.2012 0.2
Pet services <sup>4, 5, 6</sup> .....		0.4		0.22	L-Mar.2012 0.4
Veterinarian services <sup>5, 6</sup> .....		0.1		0.19	— —
Photographers and film processing <sup>4, 5</sup> .....	0.058	0.2	0.000	0.36	L-Mar.2012 0.3
Photographer fees <sup>4, 5, 6</sup> .....		0.3		0.36	L-Dec.2011 0.5
Film processing <sup>4, 5, 6</sup> .....		0.3		0.44	L-Mar.2012 0.3
Other recreation services <sup>5</sup> .....	1.722	1.1	0.019	0.35	L-Jan.2012 1.1
Club dues and fees for participant sports and group exercises <sup>5</sup> .....	0.563	0.3	0.002	0.71	L-Mar.2012 0.9
Admissions <sup>4</sup> .....	0.628	2.2	0.014	0.50	L-Dec.1999 2.3
Admission to movies, theaters, and concerts <sup>4, 5</sup> <sup>6</sup> .....		2.4		0.42	L-EVER —
Admission to sporting events <sup>4, 5, 6</sup> .....		1.4		0.52	L-Jan.2012 3.0
Fees for lessons or instructions <sup>4, 9</sup> .....	0.228	0.1	0.000	0.23	L-Apr.2012 0.2
Education and communication services <sup>12</sup> .....	6.115	0.1	0.008	0.07	S-Sep.2011 0.1
Tuition, other school fees, and childcare.....	2.967	0.3	0.009	0.12	S-Apr.2012 0.3
College tuition and fees.....	1.664	0.4	0.007	0.21	— —
Elementary and high school tuition and fees.....	0.376	0.2	0.001	0.03	S-Mar.2012 0.2
Child care and nursery school <sup>13</sup> .....	0.767	0.0	0.000	0.11	S-Sep.2011 -0.3
Technical and business school tuition and fees <sup>5</sup> ..	0.058	0.1	0.000	0.18	L-Mar.2012 0.6
Postage and delivery services <sup>5</sup> .....	0.148	0.0	0.000	0.01	L-Apr.2012 0.0
Postage <sup>4</sup> .....	0.138	-0.1	0.000	0.00	L-Apr.2012 -0.1
Delivery services <sup>4, 5</sup> .....	0.010	0.7	0.000	0.12	L-Apr.2012 1.2
Telephone services <sup>4, 5</sup> .....	2.399	0.1	0.002	0.05	— —
Wireless telephone services <sup>4, 5</sup> .....	1.459	0.0	0.000	0.06	S-Apr.2012 0.0
Land-line telephone services <sup>4, 12</sup> .....	0.940	0.3	0.002	0.09	L-Jan.2012 0.8
Internet services and electronic information providers <sup>4, 5</sup> .....	0.586	-0.5	-0.003	0.29	S-May 2011 -0.6
Other personal services <sup>12</sup> .....	1.698	0.3	0.005	0.10	L-Apr.2012 0.3
Personal care services <sup>4</sup> .....	0.626	0.0	0.000	0.11	S-Jan.2012 -0.1
Haircuts and other personal care services <sup>4, 5</sup> .....	0.626	0.0	0.000	0.11	S-Jan.2012 -0.1
Miscellaneous personal services.....	1.072	0.4	0.005	0.13	L-Dec.2011 0.5
Legal services <sup>9</sup> .....	0.294	0.4	0.001	0.12	— —
Funeral expenses <sup>9</sup> .....	0.157	0.2	0.000	0.09	L-Feb.2012 0.2
Laundry and dry cleaning services <sup>5</sup> .....	0.238	0.2	0.000	0.09	S-Apr.2012 -0.1
Apparel services other than laundry and dry cleaning <sup>4, 5</sup> .....	0.029	0.0	0.000	0.19	S-Apr.2012 -0.2
Financial services <sup>4, 9</sup> .....	0.213	1.0	0.002	0.62	L-Apr.2012 1.4
Checking account and other bank services <sup>4, 5</sup> <sup>6</sup> .....		0.4		0.51	S-Apr.2012 -1.1
Tax return preparation and other accounting fees <sup>5, 6</sup> .....		0.6		0.73	S-Feb.2012 0.5
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>					
All items less food.....	85.826	0.0	0.015	0.03	L-Apr.2012 0.0

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**Table 6. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, by expenditure category, June 2012, 1-month analysis table — Continued**  
 [1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted]

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		Seasonally adjusted percent change May 2012- Jun. 2012	Seasonally adjusted effect on All Items May 2012- Jun. 2012 <sup>1</sup>	Standard error, median price change <sup>2</sup>	Largest (L) or Smallest (S) seasonally adjusted change since: <sup>3</sup>
		Date	Percent change		
All items less shelter.....	68.697	0.0	0.001	0.04	L-Apr.2012 0.0
All items less food and shelter.....	54.523	0.0	-0.024	0.05	L-Mar.2012 0.4
All items less food, shelter, and energy.....	44.282	0.3	0.116	0.05	L-Apr.2012 0.3
All items less food, shelter, energy, and used cars and trucks.....	42.334	0.3	0.116	0.05	L-Jan.2012 0.3
All items less medical care.....	92.929	0.0	-0.001	0.03	L-Apr.2012 0.0
All items less energy.....	89.759	0.2	0.180	0.03	— —
Commodities.....	40.448	-0.2	-0.073	0.06	L-Apr.2012 -0.2
Commodities less food, energy, and used cars and trucks..	17.826	0.2	0.041	0.09	L-Jan.2012 0.3
Commodities less food.....	26.274	-0.4	-0.098	0.07	L-Mar.2012 0.6
Commodities less food and beverages.....	25.329	-0.4	-0.101	0.07	L-Mar.2012 0.6
Services.....	59.552	0.2	0.112	0.04	— —
Services less rent of shelter <sup>16</sup> .....	28.596	0.2	0.057	0.05	— —
Services less medical care services.....	54.197	0.1	0.060	0.04	S-Mar.2012 0.1
Durables.....	8.912	0.0	-0.002	0.07	S-Jan.2012 -0.1
Nondurables.....	31.536	-0.4	-0.125	0.07	L-Apr.2012 -0.3
Nondurables less food.....	17.362	-0.7	-0.126	0.10	L-Mar.2012 0.8
Nondurables less food and beverages.....	16.417	-0.8	-0.125	0.11	L-Mar.2012 0.9
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel.....	12.799	-1.1	-0.141	0.07	L-Mar.2012 1.1
Nondurables less food and apparel.....	13.744	-1.1	-0.141	0.07	L-Mar.2012 1.0
Housing.....	40.606	0.1	0.030	0.05	L-Apr.2012 0.1
Education and communication <sup>5</sup> .....	6.712	0.1	0.010	0.08	S-Sep.2011 0.1
Education <sup>5</sup> .....	3.169	0.3	0.009	0.12	S-Apr.2012 0.3
Communication <sup>5</sup> .....	3.543	0.0	0.000	0.07	S-Apr.2012 0.0
Information and information processing <sup>5</sup> .....	3.394	0.0	0.001	0.08	S-Apr.2012 0.0
Information technology, hardware and services <sup>18</sup> .....	0.995	-0.2	-0.002	0.26	S-Mar.2012 -0.2
Recreations <sup>5</sup> .....	5.998	0.3	0.021	0.15	L-Jan.2012 0.6
Video and audio <sup>5</sup> .....	1.922	-0.2	-0.004	0.19	S-Apr.2012 -0.2
Pets, pet products and services <sup>5</sup> .....	1.092	0.4	0.005	0.26	L-Mar.2012 0.4
Photography <sup>5</sup> .....	0.113	-0.1	0.000	0.36	L-Apr.2012 0.5
Food and beverages.....	15.119	0.2	0.028	0.08	L-Apr.2012 0.2
Domestically produced farm food <sup>4</sup> .....	7.214	0.0	-0.001	0.14	— —
Other services.....	11.506	0.3	0.035	0.08	L-Mar.2012 0.3
Apparel less footwear.....	2.931	0.4	0.011	0.47	L-Mar.2012 0.5
Fuels and utilities.....	5.244	-0.3	-0.017	0.13	L-Apr.2012 -0.1
Household energy.....	4.078	-0.6	-0.025	0.15	L-Apr.2012 -0.3
Medical care.....	7.071	0.6	0.040	0.06	L-Sep.2010 0.6
Transportation.....	17.538	-0.7	-0.119	0.06	L-Apr.2012 -0.5
Private transportation.....	16.331	-0.6	-0.097	0.06	L-Mar.2012 0.9
New and used motor vehicles <sup>5</sup> .....	5.638	0.1	0.008	0.08	S-Jan.2012 -0.4
Utilities and public transportation.....	9.907	-0.1	-0.011	0.09	S-Jan.2012 -0.2
Household furnishings and operations.....	4.059	0.2	0.008	0.12	L-Feb.2012 0.3

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		Seasonally adjusted percent change May 2012- Jun. 2012	Seasonally adjusted effect on All Items May 2012- Jun. 2012 <sup>1</sup>	Standard error, median price change <sup>2</sup>	Largest (L) or Smallest (S) seasonally adjusted change since: <sup>3</sup>
		Date	Percent change		
Other goods and services.....	3.340	0.3	0.011	0.11	L-Nov.2011 0.4
Personal care.....	2.551	0.3	0.008	0.13	L-Mar.2012 0.4

1 The 'effect' of an item category is a measure of that item's contribution to the All items price change. For example, if the Food index had an effect of 0.40, and the All items index rose 1.2 percent, then the increase in food prices contributed  $0.40 / 1.2$ , or 33.3 percent, to that All items increase. Said another way, had food prices been unchanged for that month the change in the All items index would have been 1.2 percent minus 0.40, or 0.8 percent. Effects can be negative as well. For example, if the effect of food was a negative 0.1, and the All items index rose 0.5 percent, the All items index actually would have been 0.1 percent higher (or 0.6 percent) had food prices been unchanged. Since food prices fell while prices overall were rising, the contribution of food to the All items price change was negative (in this case,  $-0.1 / 0.5$ , or minus 20 percent).

2 A statistic's margin of error is often expressed as its point estimate plus or minus two standard errors. For example, if a CPI category rose 0.6 percent, and its standard error was 0.15 percent, the margin of error on this item's 1-month percent change would be 0.6 percent, plus or minus 0.3 percent.

3 If the current seasonally adjusted 1-month percent change is greater than the previous published 1-month percent change, then this column identifies the closest prior month with a 1-month percent change as (L)arge as or (L)arger than the current 1-month change. If the current 1-month percent change is smaller than the previous published 1-month percent change, the most recent month with a change as (S)maller or (S)maller than the current month change is identified. If the current and previous published 1-month percent changes are equal, a dash will appear. Standard numerical comparisons are used. For example, 0.8% is greater than 0.6%, -0.4% is less than -0.2%, and -0.2% is less than 0.0%. Note that a (L)arger change can be a smaller decline, for example, a -0.2% change is larger than a -0.4% change, but still represents a decline in the price index. Likewise, (S)maller changes can be increases, for example, a 0.6% change is smaller than 0.8%, but still represents an increase in the price index. In this context, a -0.2% change is considered to be smaller than a 0.0% change.

4 Not seasonally adjusted.

5 Indexes on a December 1997=100 base.

6 Special indexes based on a substantially smaller sample. These series do not contribute to the all items index aggregation and therefore do not have a relative importance or effect.

7 Indexes on a December 2007=100 base.

8 Indexes on a December 2005=100 base.

9 Indexes on a December 1986=100 base.

10 Indexes on a December 1993=100 base.

11 This index series was calculated using a Laspeyres estimator. All other item stratum index series were calculated using a geometric means estimator.

12 Indexes on a December 2009=100 base.

13 Indexes on a December 1990=100 base.

14 Indexes on a December 1983=100 base.

15 Indexes on a December 2001=100 base.

16 Indexes on a December 1982=100 base.

17 Indexes on a December 1996=100 base.

18 Indexes on a December 1988=100 base.

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

**Table 7. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, by expenditure category, June 2012, 12-month analysis table**  
 [1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted]

Expenditure category	Relative importance May 2012	Twelve Month			
		Unadjusted percent change Jun. 2011- Jun. 2012	Unadjusted effect on All Items Jun. 2011- Jun. 2012 <sup>1</sup>	Standard error, median price change <sup>2</sup>	Largest (L) or Smallest (S) unadjusted change since: <sup>3</sup>
		Date	Percent change		
All items.....	100.000	1.7	0.07	-	-
Food.....	14.174	2.7	0.378	0.14	S-Feb.2011 2.3
Food at home.....	8.539	2.6	0.211	0.20	S-Jan.2011 2.1
Cereals and bakery products.....	1.232	2.6	0.029	0.43	S-Apr.2011 2.2
Cereals and cereal products.....	0.477	2.6	0.010	0.72	S-Apr.2011 1.7
Flour and prepared flour mixes.....	0.053	6.2	0.003	1.33	L-Apr.2012 9.4
Breakfast cereal.....	0.293	1.4	0.003	0.94	S-Jan.2011 0.4
Rice, pasta, cornmeal.....	0.131	3.2	0.004	1.08	S-Apr.2011 1.4
Rice <sup>4</sup> , <sup>5</sup> .....		1.7		1.67	S-Apr.2011 1.5
Bakery products.....	0.755	2.6	0.020	0.59	S-Apr.2011 2.4
Bread <sup>4</sup> .....	0.222	1.4	0.003	1.22	S-Dec.2010 1.1
White bread <sup>5</sup> .....		0.3		1.78	S-Oct.2010 -0.1
Bread other than white <sup>5</sup> .....		2.1		1.73	S-Jan.2011 2.1
Fresh biscuits, rolls, muffins <sup>4</sup> .....	0.112	2.8	0.003	1.05	S-Dec.2010 2.0
Cakes, cupcakes, and cookies.....	0.182	4.3	0.008	1.06	S-Jan.2012 3.6
Cookies <sup>5</sup> .....		5.5		1.51	S-Mar.2012 5.0
Fresh cakes and cupcakes <sup>5</sup> .....		3.6		1.15	S-Jan.2012 3.5
Other bakery products.....	0.240	2.1	0.005	1.00	S-Apr.2011 0.0
Fresh sweetrolls, coffeecakes, doughnuts <sup>5</sup> .....		3.8		1.61	L-Apr.2012 4.4
Crackers, bread, and cracker products <sup>5</sup> .....		1.9		1.88	S-Apr.2011 0.1
Frozen and refrigerated bakery products, pies, tarts, turnovers <sup>5</sup> .....		0.8		1.52	S-Apr.2011 -1.6
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs.....	1.929	3.3	0.062	0.39	L-Apr.2012 4.6
Meats, poultry, and fish.....	1.826	3.3	0.060	0.41	L-Apr.2012 4.6
Meats.....	1.187	3.3	0.038	0.52	L-Apr.2012 4.2
Beef and veal.....	0.555	6.9	0.037	0.74	L-Feb.2012 8.4
Uncooked ground beef.....	0.218	7.3	0.015	1.14	L-Feb.2012 9.8
Uncooked beef roasts <sup>4</sup> .....	0.080	5.6	0.005	1.80	L-Apr.2012 5.6
Uncooked beef steaks <sup>4</sup> .....	0.206	8.1	0.015	1.12	L-Jan.2012 9.7
Uncooked other beef and veal <sup>4</sup> .....	0.051	3.1	0.002	1.47	S-Mar.2010 1.8
Pork.....	0.368	-0.9	-0.004	0.87	S-Mar.2010 -2.0
Bacon, breakfast sausage, and related products <sup>4</sup> .....	0.139	-2.8	-0.004	1.49	S-Mar.2010 -3.1
Bacon and related products <sup>5</sup> .....		-4.7		2.54	S-Nov.2009 -5.6
Breakfast sausage and related products <sup>4</sup> , <sup>5</sup> .....		3.5		1.68	S-Apr.2012 1.6
Ham.....	0.079	2.0	0.002	1.75	S-Feb.2012 1.4
Ham, excluding canned <sup>5</sup> .....		2.0		2.43	S-Feb.2012 1.8
Pork chops.....	0.061	1.0	0.001	1.66	- -
Other pork including roasts and picnics <sup>4</sup> .....	0.089	-2.2	-0.002	1.96	L-Apr.2012 2.9
Other meats.....	0.263	2.3	0.005	1.30	L-Apr.2012 2.4
Frankfurters <sup>5</sup> .....		5.6		3.30	- -
Lunchmeats <sup>4</sup> , <sup>5</sup> .....		1.0		0.93	S-Aug.2010 0.6
Lamb and organ meats <sup>5</sup> .....		-0.3		3.30	L-Apr.2012 4.7
Lamb and mutton <sup>4</sup> , <sup>5</sup> .....		-0.4		5.73	L-Apr.2012 10.0
Poultry.....	0.335	5.1	0.017	0.93	L-Apr.2012 6.1
Chicken <sup>4</sup> .....	0.259	4.2	0.011	0.99	L-Apr.2012 5.3
Fresh whole chicken <sup>5</sup> .....		2.2		2.17	L-Apr.2012 8.8
Fresh and frozen chicken parts <sup>5</sup> .....		6.0		1.25	L-Mar.2008 6.3
Other poultry including turkey <sup>4</sup> .....	0.076	8.3	0.006	2.24	S-Oct.2011 7.3
Fish and seafood.....	0.304	1.6	0.005	1.03	S-Sep.2010 1.6
Fresh fish and seafood <sup>4</sup> .....	0.157	-0.4	-0.001	1.47	- -
Processed fish and seafood <sup>4</sup> .....	0.148	3.9	0.006	1.17	S-Apr.2011 3.4
Shelf stable fish and seafood <sup>5</sup> .....		6.1		2.12	S-Mar.2012 3.6

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Frozen fish and seafood <sup>5</sup> .....		3.1	2.12	S-Jan.2011	2.7
Eggs.....	0.102	3.2	0.002	L-Apr.2012	5.6
Dairy and related products.....	0.890	1.5	0.012	S-May 2010	0.9
Milk <sup>4</sup> .....	0.289	-1.4	-0.004	S-Jan.2010	-6.9
Fresh whole milk <sup>5</sup> .....		-2.8	1.28	S-Jan.2010	-8.6
Fresh milk other than whole <sup>4 , 5</sup> .....		-0.5	1.16	S-Jan.2010	-5.4
Cheese and related products.....	0.282	2.0	0.005	S-Mar.2011	1.9
Ice cream and related products.....	0.135	3.2	0.004	S-Jan.2011	2.4
Other dairy and related products <sup>4</sup> .....	0.184	4.3	0.007	L-Apr.2012	4.6
Fruits and vegetables.....	1.262	1.1	0.012	L-Dec.2011	2.3
Fresh fruits and vegetables.....	0.956	-0.2	-0.003	L-Dec.2011	0.9
Fresh fruits.....	0.509	3.3	0.014	L-Oct.2011	5.2
Apples.....	0.085	9.2	0.008	L-Nov.2011	9.6
Bananas.....	0.081	0.1	0.000	L-Jan.2012	2.5
Citrus fruits <sup>4</sup> .....	0.109	1.6	0.004	S-Apr.2012	0.4
Oranges, including tangerines <sup>5</sup> .....		2.2	2.47	S-Mar.2012	0.1
Other fresh fruits <sup>4</sup> .....	0.235	2.0	0.003	S-Mar.2012	1.2
Fresh vegetables.....	0.447	-3.6	-0.017	L-Jan.2012	-0.2
Potatoes.....	0.082	-3.4	-0.002	L-Apr.2012	0.2
Lettuce.....	0.058	-6.4	-0.004	L-Jan.2012	-1.4
Tomatoes.....	0.072	-6.9	-0.006	L-Jan.2012	-0.4
Other fresh vegetables.....	0.234	-1.8	-0.005	L-Jan.2012	-1.3
Processed fruits and vegetables <sup>4</sup> .....	0.306	5.1	0.015	S-Sep.2011	4.0
Canned fruits and vegetables <sup>4</sup> .....	0.152	3.5	0.005	S-Sep.2011	3.3
Canned fruits <sup>4 , 5</sup> .....		1.8	1.19	S-May 2011	1.2
Canned vegetables <sup>4 , 5</sup> .....		4.4	1.43	S-Oct.2011	4.4
Frozen fruits and vegetables <sup>4</sup> .....	0.097	6.9	0.006	L-Mar.2012	6.9
Frozen vegetables <sup>5</sup> .....		6.8	1.25	L-Feb.2012	7.4
Other processed fruits and vegetables including dried <sup>4</sup> .....	0.057	6.7	0.004	S-Mar.2012	5.9
Dried beans, peas, and lentils <sup>4 , 5</sup> .....		15.1	2.74	L-Apr.2012	15.6
Nonalcoholic beverages and beverage materials.....	0.940	0.9	0.009	S-Feb.2011	0.6
Juices and nonalcoholic drinks <sup>4</sup> .....	0.702	1.2	0.008	S-Apr.2011	1.1
Carbonated drinks.....	0.286	0.9	0.003	S-Apr.2011	0.9
Frozen noncarbonated juices and drinks <sup>4</sup> .....	0.014	9.4	0.001	L-Mar.2012	11.3
Nonfrozen noncarbonated juices and drinks <sup>4</sup> .....	0.402	1.1	0.004	L-Mar.2012	1.5
Beverage materials including coffee and tea <sup>4</sup> .....	0.238	0.3	0.001	S-Aug.2010	-0.2
Coffee.....	0.146	-0.2	-0.001	S-Aug.2010	-0.8
Roasted coffee <sup>5</sup> .....		-0.8	1.78	S-Jul.2010	-1.8
Instant and freeze dried coffee <sup>5</sup> .....		2.1	2.00	S-Mar.2012	2.0
Other beverage materials including tea <sup>4</sup> .....	0.092	1.4	0.002	L-Dec.2011	2.2
Other food at home.....	2.286	4.1	0.087	S-Jul.2011	3.5
Sugar and sweets.....	0.307	3.8	0.011	S-Dec.2011	3.8
Sugar and artificial sweeteners.....	0.061	2.7	0.002	S-Mar.2011	2.7
Candy and chewing gum <sup>4</sup> .....	0.182	4.2	0.008	S-Dec.2011	3.1
Other sweets <sup>4</sup> .....	0.064	3.7	0.002	S-Mar.2012	3.4
Fats and oils.....	0.264	6.1	0.015	S-Feb.2011	4.8
Butter and margarine <sup>4</sup> .....	0.075	-1.3	-0.001	S-Mar.2010	-4.2
Butter <sup>5</sup> .....		-10.4	2.47	S-Dec.2009	-11.5
Margarine <sup>5</sup> .....		8.8	1.86	S-Feb.2011	6.1
Salad dressing <sup>4</sup> .....	0.066	1.1	0.001	S-Nov.2010	0.4
Other fats and oils including peanut butter <sup>4</sup> .....	0.123	14.1	0.015	S-Nov.2011	13.5
Peanut butter <sup>4 , 5</sup> .....		39.2	1.63	L-Apr.2012	40.9
Other foods.....	1.715	3.8	0.061	S-Sep.2011	3.6

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Soups.....	0.101	3.0	0.003	1.59	S-Dec.2011	2.5
Frozen and freeze dried prepared foods.....	0.302	-0.2	-0.001	1.11	S-Apr.2011	-1.1
Snacks.....	0.326	8.3	0.026	0.93	L-Apr.2009	10.7
Spices, seasonings, condiments, sauces.....	0.285	2.2	0.007	1.04	L-Apr.2012	4.4
Salt and other seasonings and spices <sup>4 , 5</sup> .....		7.9		1.99	S-Mar.2012	7.6
Olives, pickles, relishes <sup>4 , 5</sup> .....		2.1		1.64	L-Apr.2012	3.1
Sauces and gravies <sup>4 , 5</sup> .....		0.5		1.83	L-Apr.2012	1.2
Other condiments <sup>5</sup> .....		2.8		1.66	S-Feb.2011	2.7
Baby food <sup>4</sup> .....	0.071	4.8	0.004	0.94	S-Sep.2011	3.4
Other miscellaneous foods <sup>4</sup> .....	0.630	4.3	0.022	0.80	S-Apr.2012	3.5
Prepared salads <sup>6 , 5</sup> .....		3.6		1.42	S-Apr.2012	2.0
Food away from home.....	5.634	2.9	0.167	0.17	—	—
Full service meals and snacks <sup>4</sup> .....	2.672	2.7	0.073	0.21	L-Mar.2012	2.7
Limited service meals and snacks <sup>4</sup> .....	2.267	3.2	0.074	0.30	S-Apr.2012	3.1
Food at employee sites and schools <sup>4</sup> .....	0.256	2.8	0.007	0.54	S-Jun.2011	2.3
Food at elementary and secondary schools <sup>7 , 5</sup> .....		2.2		0.73	S-Jul.2010	-0.3
Food from vending machines and mobile vendors <sup>4</sup> .....	0.081	3.9	0.004	0.88	S-Apr.2012	3.7
Other food away from home <sup>4</sup> .....	0.358	2.4	0.008	0.45	L-Jan.2012	3.3
Energy.....	10.241	-3.9	-0.390	0.19	—	—
Energy commodities.....	6.500	-4.4	-0.283	0.18	S-Oct.2009	-18.7
Fuel oil and other fuels.....	0.337	-7.0	-0.024	0.92	S-Nov.2009	-7.7
Fuel oil.....	0.232	-6.8	-0.016	1.14	S-Nov.2009	-6.9
Propane, kerosene, and firewood <sup>8</sup> .....	0.105	-7.2	-0.008	1.24	S-Nov.2009	-9.0
Motor fuel.....	6.163	-4.3	-0.259	0.19	S-Oct.2009	-18.4
Gasoline (all types).....	5.970	-4.3	-0.249	0.19	S-Oct.2009	-17.9
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>5</sup> .....		-4.5		0.48	S-Oct.2009	-18.3
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>9 , 5</sup> .....		-3.9		0.45	S-Oct.2009	-17.2
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>5</sup> .....		-3.6		0.45	S-Oct.2009	-16.8
Other motor fuels <sup>4</sup> .....	0.194	-4.6	-0.011	0.33	S-Nov.2009	-6.0
Energy services <sup>10</sup> .....	3.741	-3.0	-0.107	0.32	L-Apr.2012	-2.4
Electricity <sup>10</sup> .....	2.911	0.5	0.023	0.37	L-Apr.2012	0.6
Utility (piped) gas service <sup>10</sup> .....	0.830	-13.6	-0.129	0.62	L-Apr.2012	-11.6
All items less food and energy.....	75.585	2.2	1.677	0.09	S-Feb.2012	2.2
Commodities less food and energy commodities.....	19.774	1.4	0.271	0.20	S-May 2011	1.2
Household furnishings and supplies <sup>11</sup> .....	3.335	0.4	0.015	0.35	L-Apr.2012	0.7
Window and floor coverings and other linens <sup>4</sup> .....	0.272	-4.1	-0.012	1.43	S-Mar.2011	-5.3
Floor coverings <sup>4</sup> .....	0.039	-1.3	-0.001	1.43	S-Apr.2011	-1.5
Window coverings <sup>4</sup> .....	0.076	0.2	0.000	2.32	L-Dec.2011	0.8
Other linens <sup>4</sup> .....	0.157	-6.8	-0.012	1.74	L-Apr.2012	-4.4
Furniture and bedding.....	0.718	0.6	0.005	0.91	S-Oct.2011	0.4
Bedroom furniture.....	0.233	1.3	0.004	1.64	L-Mar.2012	1.4
Living room, kitchen, and dining room furniture <sup>4</sup> .....	0.344	2.5	0.008	1.20	S-Jan.2012	2.2
Other furniture <sup>4</sup> .....	0.133	-4.9	-0.007	2.17	S-Jul.2011	-6.5
Infants' furniture <sup>7 , 5</sup> .....						
Appliances <sup>4</sup> .....	0.288	3.2	0.009	0.76	L-Apr.2012	3.7
Major appliances <sup>4</sup> .....	0.166	6.8	0.011	1.10	S-Jan.2012	5.9
Laundry equipment <sup>5</sup> .....		9.2		1.75	L-Apr.2012	9.5
Other appliances <sup>4</sup> .....	0.119	-1.8	-0.002	1.22	L-Apr.2012	-1.3
Other household equipment and furnishings <sup>4</sup> .....	0.491	-4.6	-0.025	1.21	L-Feb.2012	-4.5
Clocks, lamps, and decorator items.....	0.259	-6.2	-0.017	1.82	L-Sep.2011	-5.4
Indoor plants and flowers <sup>12</sup> .....	0.102	-0.5	-0.001	1.49	L-Feb.2012	0.6
Dishes and flatware <sup>4</sup> .....	0.047	-10.7	-0.006	2.54	L-Apr.2012	-7.9
Nonelectric cookware and tableware <sup>4</sup> .....	0.084	-0.4	0.000	1.31	S-Mar.2012	-0.6

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Tools, hardware, outdoor equipment and supplies <sup>4</sup> . . . . .	0.682	1.1	0.008	0.60	L-Feb.2012	1.4
Tools, hardware and supplies <sup>4</sup> .....	0.172	1.4	0.003	1.02	S-Jun.2011	1.1
Outdoor equipment and supplies <sup>4</sup> .....	0.364	1.0	0.003	0.77	L-Aug.2009	1.2
Housekeeping supplies.....	0.883	3.5	0.030	0.51	L-Apr.2012	3.7
Household cleaning products <sup>4</sup> .....	0.357	2.9	0.010	0.81	L-Apr.2012	3.0
Household paper products <sup>4</sup> .....	0.241	4.6	0.011	0.92	L-Mar.2012	4.6
Miscellaneous household products <sup>4</sup> .....	0.286	3.3	0.010	1.02	—	—
Apparel.....	3.618	3.9	0.137	0.95	S-Sep.2011	3.5
Men's and boys' apparel.....	0.877	4.0	0.034	1.06	S-Sep.2011	3.9
Men's apparel.....	0.696	3.7	0.025	1.19	S-Sep.2011	3.5
Men's suits, sport coats, and outerwear.....	0.127	3.5	0.004	3.03	L-Mar.2012	5.1
Men's furnishings.....	0.185	5.1	0.009	2.44	S-Sep.2011	5.1
Men's shirts and sweaters <sup>4</sup> .....	0.212	3.8	0.009	2.52	L-Apr.2012	7.6
Men's pants and shorts.....	0.164	2.9	0.003	2.41	S-Apr.2011	1.5
Boys' apparel.....	0.182	5.2	0.009	2.92	S-Feb.2012	3.0
Women's and girls' apparel.....	1.539	4.4	0.066	1.86	S-Sep.2011	3.7
Women's apparel.....	1.292	4.1	0.050	2.10	S-Dec.2011	4.0
Women's outerwear.....	0.080	-3.0	0.006	9.10	S-Nov.2010	-3.3
Women's dresses.....	0.177	2.4	0.006	6.62	S-Jan.2012	-0.3
Women's suits and separates <sup>4</sup> .....	0.625	4.3	0.024	2.06	S-Apr.2012	4.0
Women's underwear, nightwear, sportswear and accessories <sup>4</sup> .....	0.395	3.8	0.014	3.96	S-Sep.2011	2.7
Girls' apparel.....	0.246	6.5	0.015	4.48	S-Jul.2011	3.3
Footwear.....	0.687	3.0	0.021	1.07	L-Jan.2010	4.0
Men's footwear.....	0.211	3.4	0.007	1.63	S-Mar.2012	1.7
Boys' and girls' footwear.....	0.149	1.2	0.002	2.62	L-Apr.2012	1.4
Women's footwear.....	0.327	3.6	0.012	1.73	L-Feb.2010	3.6
Infants' and toddlers' apparel.....	0.198	7.5	0.014	2.01	L-Mar.2012	7.5
Jewelry and watches <sup>8</sup> .....	0.316	0.7	0.002	2.42	L-Apr.2012	0.9
Watches <sup>8</sup> .....	0.088	1.3	0.002	1.57	L-Dec.2011	1.3
Jewelry <sup>8</sup> .....	0.229	0.2	0.001	2.79	L-Apr.2012	0.5
Transportation commodities less motor fuel <sup>11</sup> .....	5.619	1.5	0.082	0.19	S-Feb.2011	1.5
New vehicles.....	3.169	0.9	0.029	0.30	S-Feb.2011	0.9
New cars and trucks <sup>4 , 5</sup> .....		0.9		0.30	S-Jan.2011	0.2
New cars <sup>5</sup> .....		0.4		0.40	S-Feb.2011	0.3
New trucks <sup>13 , 5</sup> .....		1.4		0.30	—	—
Used cars and trucks.....	1.948	2.3	0.042	0.22	S-Mar.2011	2.3
Motor vehicle parts and equipment.....	0.433	2.7	0.011	0.44	S-Jul.2010	2.6
Tires.....	0.294	2.8	0.008	0.63	S-Jul.2010	2.4
Vehicle accessories other than tires <sup>4</sup> .....	0.139	2.5	0.004	0.68	S-Feb.2011	2.2
Vehicle parts and equipment other than tires <sup>5</sup> .....		1.0		0.63	S-Jan.2011	1.0
Motor oil, coolant, and fluids <sup>5</sup> .....		9.5		1.76	S-Jun.2011	7.7
Medical care commodities.....	1.715	2.9	0.048	0.40	L-Mar.2012	3.3
Medicinal drugs <sup>11</sup> .....	1.636	3.0	0.047	0.41	L-Mar.2012	3.4
Prescription drugs.....	1.324	3.5	0.045	0.44	L-Apr.2012	3.7
Nonprescription drugs <sup>11</sup> .....	0.312	0.9	0.003	0.88	L-EVER	—
Medical equipment and supplies <sup>11</sup> .....	0.079	0.7	0.001	0.82	S-Mar.2012	0.5
Recreation commodities <sup>11</sup> .....	2.305	-1.8	-0.044	0.39	S-May 2011	-2.0
Video and audio products <sup>11</sup> .....	0.416	-10.1	-0.044	0.60	S-Apr.2012	-10.1
Televisions.....	0.163	-19.5	-0.033	1.34	S-Apr.2012	-19.6
Other video equipment <sup>4</sup> .....	0.027	-13.0	-0.004	1.56	S-May 2011	-13.4
Audio equipment.....	0.071	-7.1	-0.006	1.07	L-Mar.2012	-6.2
Audio discs, tapes and other media <sup>4</sup> .....	0.044	-4.4	-0.002	1.35	S-Nov.2010	-5.3
Pets and pet products.....	0.687	2.4	0.017	0.79	S-Feb.2012	2.2

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Pet food <sup>4 , 5</sup> .....		3.2	0.92	S-Apr.2012	3.2	
Purchase of pets, pet supplies, accessories <sup>4 , 5</sup> .....		0.7	1.71	L-Mar.2012	1.1	
Sporting goods.....	0.459	-0.4	-0.004	0.84	S-Nov.2011	-0.9
Sports vehicles including bicycles.....	0.239	0.3	0.001	0.89	L-Apr.2012	1.2
Sports equipment.....	0.211	-1.4	-0.005	1.45	S-Mar.2012	-3.1
Photographic equipment and supplies.....	0.054	-4.2	-0.003	1.54	L-Apr.2012	-3.5
Film and photographic supplies <sup>4 , 5</sup> .....		14.4	2.11	L-EVER	—	
Photographic equipment <sup>4 , 5</sup> .....		-6.8	2.64	L-Apr.2012	-5.8	
Recreational reading materials.....	0.223	2.5	0.006	1.14	L-Dec.2009	2.8
Newspapers and magazines <sup>4</sup> .....	0.121	6.1	0.008	0.90	L-Oct.2009	6.6
Recreational books <sup>4</sup> .....	0.098	-1.7	-0.002	2.06	S-Apr.2012	-1.7
Other recreational goods <sup>4</sup> .....	0.466	-3.7	-0.017	1.11	L-Apr.2012	-3.5
Toys.....	0.346	-5.4	-0.018	1.36	—	—
Toys, games, hobbies and playground equipment <sup>4 , 5</sup> .....		-2.1	1.11	—	—	
Sewing machines, fabric and supplies <sup>4</sup> .....	0.061	2.8	0.002	1.76	—	—
Music instruments and accessories <sup>4</sup> .....	0.039	0.6	0.000	1.08	L-Jul.2010	0.7
Education and communication commodities <sup>11</sup> .....	0.597	-2.4	-0.012	0.84	L-EVER	—
Educational books and supplies.....	0.202	5.9	0.012	1.03	L-Nov.2011	6.2
College textbooks <sup>14 , 5</sup> .....		6.4	1.03	—	—	
Information technology commodities <sup>11</sup> .....	0.395	-7.1	-0.024	1.09	L-May 2011	-6.8
Personal computers and peripheral equipment <sup>6</sup> .....	0.261	-8.0	-0.018	1.28	L-May 2011	-7.5
Computer software and accessories <sup>4</sup> .....	0.048	-4.3	-0.002	2.07	S-Nov.2011	-5.6
Telephone hardware, calculators, and other consumer information items <sup>4</sup> .....	0.087	-5.7	-0.004	2.89	S-Dec.2011	-5.9
Alcoholic beverages.....	0.945	1.9	0.018	0.45	L-Mar.2012	2.0
Alcoholic beverages at home.....	0.569	1.0	0.005	0.43	L-Jan.2012	1.0
Beer, ale, and other malt beverages at home.....	0.271	1.7	0.005	0.60	S-Apr.2012	1.5
Distilled spirits at home.....	0.071	-0.1	0.000	0.67	L-Apr.2012	0.1
Whiskey at home <sup>5</sup> .....		2.4	0.93	L-Jan.2012	3.7	
Distilled spirits, excluding whiskey, at home <sup>5</sup> .....		-0.5	1.00	S-Feb.2012	-1.1	
Wine at home.....	0.227	0.2	0.001	0.79	L-Feb.2011	0.3
Alcoholic beverages away from home.....	0.376	3.2	0.013	1.04	L-Apr.2012	3.7
Beer, ale, and other malt beverages away from home <sup>4 , 5</sup> .....		1.6	0.68	L-Mar.2012	1.7	
Wine away from home <sup>4 , 5</sup> .....		3.9	0.98	L-Sep.2009	3.9	
Distilled spirits away from home <sup>4 , 5</sup> .....		3.8	1.83	L-Apr.2012	4.6	
Other goods <sup>11</sup> .....	1.641	1.6	0.028	0.47	L-Apr.2011	2.3
Tobacco and smoking products.....	0.788	2.4	0.021	0.67	—	—
Cigarettes <sup>4</sup> .....	0.728	2.5	0.020	0.71	L-Jan.2012	2.7
Tobacco products other than cigarettes <sup>4</sup> .....	0.054	2.3	0.001	1.05	S-Oct.2007	2.0
Personal care products.....	0.647	1.2	0.008	0.71	S-Apr.2012	1.1
Hair, dental, shaving, and miscellaneous personal care products <sup>4</sup> .....	0.338	0.5	0.002	1.12	S-Feb.2012	-1.4
Cosmetics, perfume, bath, nail preparations and implements.....	0.302	1.9	0.006	0.90	—	—
Miscellaneous personal goods <sup>4</sup> .....	0.206	-0.5	-0.001	1.02	L-Mar.2012	-0.3
Stationery, stationery supplies, gift wrap <sup>5</sup> .....		0.4	1.16	L-Mar.2012	0.4	
Infants' equipment <sup>7 , 5</sup> .....		-3.7	1.18	L-Apr.2012	-3.7	
Services less energy services.....	55.811	2.5	1.406	0.10	—	—
Shelter.....	31.303	2.2	0.688	0.13	S-Apr.2012	2.2
Rent of shelter <sup>15</sup> .....	30.957	2.2	0.677	0.14	S-Apr.2012	2.2
Rent of primary residence <sup>10</sup> .....	6.418	2.7	0.161	0.18	—	—
Lodging away from home <sup>4</sup> .....	0.831	3.5	0.027	1.03	S-Apr.2012	3.5
Housing at school, excluding board <sup>10 , 15</sup> .....	0.153	3.8	0.006	0.32	S-Apr.2012	3.8

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Other lodging away from home including hotels and motels.....	0.678	3.2	0.021	1.27	S-Jan.2012	1.9
Owners' equivalent rent of residences <sup>10 , 15</sup> .....	23.707	2.0	0.489	0.15	S-Mar.2012	2.0
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>10 , 15</sup> .....	22.308	2.0	0.458	0.15	S-Mar.2012	2.0
Tenants' and household insurance <sup>4</sup> .....	0.347	3.2	0.011	0.94	S-Feb.2012	2.1
Water and sewer and trash collection services <sup>4</sup> .....	1.166	5.5	0.061	0.48	L-Dec.2010	5.7
Water and sewerage maintenance <sup>10</sup> .....	0.880	6.7	0.056	0.63	L-Dec.2010	6.8
Garbage and trash collection <sup>13</sup> .....	0.286	1.9	0.005	0.48	L-Apr.2012	2.1
Household operations <sup>4</sup> .....	0.724	2.5	0.018	0.42	L-Mar.2012	2.5
Domestic services <sup>4</sup> .....	0.248	2.0	0.005	0.53	L-Jan.2009	2.8
Gardening and lawncare services <sup>4</sup> .....	0.236	1.6	0.004	0.42	S-Dec.2011	1.5
Moving, storage, freight expense <sup>4</sup> .....	0.090	3.8	0.003	2.54	L-Mar.2012	4.5
Repair of household items <sup>4</sup> .....	0.077		0.004	1.03	—	—
Medical care services.....	5.356	4.3	0.221	0.23	L-Jun.2008	4.6
Professional services.....	2.978	2.0	0.058	0.24	L-Jan.2012	2.0
Physicians' services <sup>10</sup> .....	1.592	2.2	0.034	0.39	L-Jan.2012	2.4
Dental services <sup>10</sup> .....	0.756	2.1	0.015	0.38	L-Mar.2012	2.2
Eyeglasses and eye care <sup>8</sup> .....	0.254	2.5	0.006	0.69	S-Apr.2012	0.9
Services by other medical professionals <sup>10 , 8</sup> .....	0.375	0.8	0.003	0.34	S-Feb.2012	0.7
Hospital and related services.....	1.741	5.3	0.090	0.43	L-Jan.2012	5.3
Hospital services <sup>10 , 16</sup> .....	1.520	5.8	0.084	0.50	L-Jan.2012	5.8
Inpatient hospital services <sup>10 , 16 , 5</sup> .....		6.3		1.10	L-Nov.2011	6.8
Outpatient hospital services <sup>10 , 8 , 5</sup> .....		5.3		0.81	L-Aug.2011	6.1
Nursing homes and adult day services <sup>10 , 16</sup> .....	0.136	3.8	0.005	0.34	—	—
Care of invalids and elderly at home <sup>7</sup> .....	0.085	0.9	0.001	0.62	—	—
Health insurance <sup>7</sup> .....	0.637	13.9	0.073	0.24	L-EVER	—
Transportation services.....	5.757	1.8	0.104	0.34	S-Apr.2012	1.7
Leased cars and trucks <sup>14</sup> .....	0.386	-6.5	-0.033	1.06	S-May 2010	-6.9
Car and truck rental <sup>4</sup> .....	0.067	0.7	0.001	2.53	S-Apr.2012	0.2
Motor vehicle maintenance and repair.....	1.142	2.0	0.023	0.32	—	—
Motor vehicle body work.....	0.057	2.1	0.001	0.61	L-Oct.2011	2.1
Motor vehicle maintenance and servicing.....	0.456	2.5	0.011	0.46	S-Apr.2012	2.5
Motor vehicle repair <sup>4</sup> .....	0.594	1.7	0.010	0.47	L-Apr.2012	1.7
Motor vehicle insurance.....	2.396	3.2	0.078	0.69	L-Dec.2011	3.4
Motor vehicle fees <sup>4</sup> .....	0.558	3.0	0.016	0.40	L-Mar.2012	3.0
State motor vehicle registration and license fees <sup>10 , 4</sup> .....	0.325	0.5	0.002	0.59	—	—
Parking and other fees <sup>4</sup> .....	0.211	6.9	0.014	0.37	L-Nov.2009	7.2
Parking fees and tolls <sup>4 , 5</sup> .....		8.8		0.65	S-Apr.2012	8.7
Automobile service clubs <sup>4 , 5</sup> .....		3.4		0.62	L-Jul.2007	3.9
Public transportation.....	1.208	1.6	0.019	0.74	S-Apr.2012	1.1
Airline fare.....	0.799	2.0	0.014	1.04	S-Apr.2012	1.2
Other intercity transportation.....	0.148	-0.5	-0.001	1.41	L-Dec.2011	-0.5
Intercity bus fare <sup>6 , 5</sup> .....				0.72	—	—
Intercity train fare <sup>6 , 5</sup> .....		-1.0		2.70	S-Apr.2012	-3.1
Ship fare <sup>4 , 5</sup> .....		-1.1		1.72	L-Dec.2011	1.1
Intracity transportation.....	0.258	2.2	0.006	0.48	—	—
Intracity mass transit <sup>11 , 5</sup> .....		1.6		1.48	L-Apr.2012	1.8
Recreation services <sup>11</sup> .....	3.693	3.3	0.120	0.50	L-EVER	—
Video and audio services <sup>11</sup> .....	1.506	4.9	0.070	0.78	L-EVER	—
Cable and satellite television and radio service <sup>13</sup> .....	1.394	4.9	0.065	0.83	L-Jul.2006	5.9
Video discs and other media, including rental of video and audio <sup>4</sup> .....	0.112	3.9	0.005	3.13	S-Mar.2012	3.4

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Video discs and other media <sup>4 , 5</sup> .....		-5.0		3.14	S-Mar.2012 -6.9
Rental of video or audio discs and other media <sup>4 , 5</sup> .....		11.5		4.48	S-Aug.2011 9.9
Pet services including veterinary <sup>4</sup> .....	0.406	3.0	0.012	1.14	— —
Pet services <sup>4 , 5</sup> .....		2.6		1.05	L-Mar.2012 2.8
Veterinarian services <sup>4 , 5</sup> .....		2.5		1.50	S-Mar.2010 2.3
Photographers and film processing <sup>4</sup> .....	0.058	1.9	0.002	1.20	L-Apr.2012 2.6
Photographer fees <sup>4 , 5</sup> .....		1.2		1.73	L-Apr.2012 1.8
Film processing <sup>4 , 5</sup> .....		2.1		1.08	L-Apr.2012 2.5
Other recreation services <sup>4</sup> .....	1.722	2.0	0.035	0.79	L-Mar.2009 2.4
Club dues and fees for participant sports and group exercises <sup>4</sup> .....	0.563	2.0	0.011	1.56	L-Apr.2012 3.0
Admissions.....	0.628	3.0	0.019	1.05	L-May 2010 3.6
Admission to movies, theaters, and concerts <sup>4 , 5</sup> .....		2.7		1.24	L-May 2010 3.5
Admission to sporting events <sup>4 , 5</sup> .....		4.5		1.31	L-May 2010 4.6
Fees for lessons or instructions <sup>8</sup> .....	0.228	0.3	0.001	0.94	S-Jan.2012 0.3
Education and communication services <sup>11</sup> .....	6.115	2.6	0.153	0.26	S-Apr.2012 2.6
Tuition, other school fees, and childcare.....	2.967	4.2	0.119	0.44	— —
College tuition and fees.....	1.664	5.3	0.079	0.77	— —
Elementary and high school tuition and fees.....	0.376	3.6	0.015	0.51	S-Apr.2012 3.6
Child care and nursery school <sup>12</sup> .....	0.767	2.3	0.018	0.35	S-Dec.2011 2.2
Technical and business school tuition and fees <sup>4</sup> .....	0.058	4.9	0.002	0.81	S-Jun.2011 4.5
Postage and delivery services <sup>4</sup> .....	0.148	3.8	0.006	0.29	— —
Postage.....	0.138	3.8	0.005	0.30	— —
Delivery services <sup>4</sup> .....	0.010	4.9	0.000	0.43	L-Apr.2012 7.2
Telephone services <sup>4</sup> .....	2.399	0.9	0.021	0.33	L-Dec.2009 1.0
Wireless telephone services <sup>4</sup> .....	1.459	-0.6	-0.006	0.50	— —
Land-line telephone services <sup>11</sup> .....	0.940	2.7	0.027	0.36	L-EVER —
Internet services and electronic information providers <sup>4</sup> .....	0.586	1.3	0.008	0.77	S-Apr.2012 1.1
Other personal services <sup>11</sup> .....	1.698	2.4	0.041	0.40	L-Dec.2011 2.4
Personal care services.....	0.626	1.5	0.009	0.47	— —
Haircuts and other personal care services <sup>4</sup> .....	0.626	1.5	0.009	0.47	— —
Miscellaneous personal services.....	1.072	3.0	0.031	0.46	L-Dec.2011 3.2
Legal services <sup>8</sup> .....	0.294	2.6	0.008	1.07	L-Dec.2011 2.7
Funeral expenses <sup>8</sup> .....	0.157	1.6	0.003	0.45	S-EVER —
Laundry and dry cleaning services <sup>4</sup> .....	0.238	1.8	0.004	0.51	L-Feb.2011 1.9
Apparel services other than laundry and dry cleaning <sup>4</sup> .....	0.029	2.9	0.001	0.95	S-Apr.2011 2.4
Financial services <sup>8</sup> .....	0.213	6.1	0.012	1.11	L-Jan.2012 7.1
Checking account and other bank services <sup>4 , 5</sup> .....		6.7		1.54	L-Mar.2012 8.9
Tax return preparation and other accounting fees <sup>4 , 5</sup> .....		5.4		1.27	S-Oct.2011 4.5
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>					
All items less food.....	85.826	1.5	1.286	0.08	— —
All items less shelter.....	68.697	1.4	0.976	0.08	— —
All items less food and shelter.....	54.523	1.1	0.598	0.10	— —
All items less food, shelter, and energy.....	44.282	2.2	0.989	0.11	— —
All items less food, shelter, energy, and used cars and trucks.....	42.334	2.2	0.947	0.12	— —
All items less medical care.....	92.929	1.5	1.395	0.08	S-Jan.2011 1.5
All items less energy.....	89.759	2.3	2.054	0.08	— —
Commodities.....	40.448	0.9	0.365	0.12	S-Oct.2009 -1.7

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Commodities less food, energy, and used cars and trucks...	17.826	1.3	0.229	0.22	S-Jun.2011 1.3
Commodities less food.....	26.274	0.0	-0.012	0.17	S-Oct.2009 -2.3
Commodities less food and beverages.....	25.329	0.0	-0.030	0.18	S-Oct.2009 -2.5
Services.....	59.552	2.2	1.299	0.10	L-Jan.2012 2.2
Services less rent of shelter <sup>15</sup> .....	28.596	2.2	0.622	0.13	L-Jan.2012 2.4
Services less medical care services.....	54.197	2.0	1.078	0.10	L-Apr.2012 2.0
Durables.....	8.912	0.2	0.009	0.18	S-Mar.2011 0.0
Nondurables.....	31.536	1.1	0.357	0.15	S-Oct.2009 -2.6
Nondurables less food.....	17.362	-0.1	-0.021	0.26	S-Oct.2009 -4.3
Nondurables less food and beverages.....	16.417	-0.2	-0.039	0.27	S-Oct.2009 -4.8
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel.....	12.799	-1.4	-0.176	0.16	S-Oct.2009 -6.8
Nondurables less food and apparel.....	13.744	-1.1	-0.158	0.15	S-Oct.2009 -6.0
Housing.....	40.606	1.6	0.652	0.11	— —
Education and communication <sup>4</sup> .....	6.712	2.2	0.140	0.25	— —
Education <sup>4</sup> .....	3.169	4.3	0.130	0.41	— —
Communication <sup>4</sup> .....	3.543	0.2	0.010	0.27	— —
Information and information processing <sup>4</sup> .....	3.394	0.1	0.004	0.28	L-Oct.2009 0.4
Information technology, hardware and services <sup>17</sup> .....	0.995	-2.2	-0.016	0.59	L-Dec.2010 -2.0
Recreation <sup>4</sup> .....	5.998	1.3	0.076	0.35	L-Jan.2012 1.4
Video and audio <sup>4</sup> .....	1.922	1.4	0.027	0.65	L-Jan.2012 1.5
Pets, pet products and services <sup>4</sup> .....	1.092	2.6	0.029	0.62	S-May 2011 2.3
Photography <sup>4</sup> .....	0.113	-0.5	-0.001	0.94	L-Apr.2012 0.2
Food and beverages.....	15.119	2.7	0.396	0.14	— —
Domestically produced farm food.....	7.214	2.9	0.197	0.21	S-Jan.2011 2.4
Other services.....	11.506	2.8	0.313	0.22	L-Jun.2009 2.8
Apparel less footwear.....	2.931	4.1	0.116	1.12	S-Sep.2011 4.1
Fuels and utilities.....	5.244	-1.4	-0.070	0.27	L-Apr.2012 -0.6
Household energy.....	4.078	-3.3	-0.131	0.31	L-Apr.2012 -2.2
Medical care.....	7.071	4.0	0.269	0.18	L-Jun.2008 4.0
Transportation.....	17.538	-0.2	-0.073	0.15	S-Oct.2009 -3.8
Private transportation.....	16.331	-0.4	-0.092	0.15	S-Oct.2009 -3.8
New and used motor vehicles <sup>4</sup> .....	5.638	0.8	0.039	0.21	S-Feb.2011 0.6
Utilities and public transportation.....	9.907	0.5	0.059	0.23	L-Apr.2012 0.5
Household furnishings and operations.....	4.059	0.8	0.033	0.29	L-Apr.2012 1.0

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Other goods and services.....	3.340	2.0	0.069	0.33	L-Feb.2011	2.0
Personal care.....	2.551	1.9	0.047	0.35	L-Apr.2009	1.9

1 The 'effect' of an item category is a measure of that item's contribution to the All items price change. For example, if the Food index had an effect of 0.40, and the All items index rose 1.2 percent, then the increase in food prices contributed  $0.40 / 1.2$ , or 33.3 percent, to that All items increase. Said another way, had food prices been unchanged for that year the change in the All items index would have been 1.2 percent minus 0.40, or 0.8 percent. Effects can be negative as well. For example, if the effect of food was a negative 0.1, and the All items index rose 0.5 percent, the All items index actually would have been 0.1 percent higher (or 0.6 percent) had food prices been unchanged. Since food prices fell while prices overall were rising, the contribution of food to the All items price change was negative (in this case, -0.1 / 0.5, or minus 20 percent).

2 A statistic's margin of error is often expressed as its point estimate plus or minus two standard errors. For example, if a CPI category rose 2.6 percent, and its standard error was 0.25 percent, the margin of error on this item's 12-month percent change would be 2.6 percent, plus or minus 0.5 percent.

3 If the current 12-month percent change is greater than the previous published 12-month percent change, then this column identifies the closest prior month with a 12-month percent change as (L)arge as or (L)arger than the current 12-month change. If the current 12-month percent change is smaller than the previous published 12-month percent change, the most recent month with a change as (S)maller or (S)maller than the current month change is identified. If the current and previous published 12-month percent changes are equal, a dash will appear. Standard numerical comparison is used. For example, 2.0% is greater than 0.6%, -4.4% is less than -2.0%, and -2.0% is less than 0.0%. Note that a (L)arger change can be a smaller decline, for example, a -0.2% change is larger than a -0.4% change, but still represents a decline in the price index. Likewise, (S)maller changes can be increases, for example, a 0.6% change is smaller than 0.8%, but still represents an increase in the price index. In this context, a -0.2% change is considered to be smaller than a 0.0% change.

4 Indexes on a December 1997=100 base.

5 Special indexes based on a substantially smaller sample. These series do not contribute to the all items index aggregation and therefore do not have a relative importance or effect.

6 Indexes on a December 2007=100 base.

7 Indexes on a December 2005=100 base.

8 Indexes on a December 1986=100 base.

9 Indexes on a December 1993=100 base.

10 This index series was calculated using a Laspeyres estimator. All other item stratum index series were calculated using a geometric means estimator.

11 Indexes on a December 2009=100 base.

12 Indexes on a December 1990=100 base.

13 Indexes on a December 1983=100 base.

14 Indexes on a December 2001=100 base.

15 Indexes on a December 1982=100 base.

16 Indexes on a December 1996=100 base.

17 Indexes on a December 1988=100 base.

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