

Mid-Atlantic Regional Office CPI Announcement

Table 1. Consumer Price Indexes, U.S. city average and selected areas, July 2011 (1982-84=100 unless otherwise noted) (not seasonally adjusted)

Item	All Urban Consumers (CPI-U)											Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W)									
	U.S. city average		Philadelphia-Wilmington-Atlantic City		Washington-Baltimore (1)		Northeast region		South region		U.S. city average		Philadelphia-Wilmington-Atlantic City		Washington-Baltimore (1)		Northeast region		South region		
	Percent change from		Percent change from		Percent change from		Percent change from		Percent change from		Percent change from		Percent change from		Percent change from		Percent change from		Percent change from		
	Jul 2011	Jul 2010	Jul 2011	Jul 2010	Jul 2011	Jul 2010	Jul 2011	Jul 2010	Jul 2011	Jul 2010	Jul 2011	Jul 2010	Jul 2011	Jul 2010	Jul 2011	Jul 2010	Jul 2011	Jul 2010	Jul 2011	Jul 2010	
All items (2)	225.922	3.6	-	-	147.747	4.1	242.282	3.6	219.682	4.1	222.686	4.1	-	-	148.294	4.5	240.707	4.0	218.087	4.6	
All items (1967 = 100) (3)	676.762	-	-	-	-	-	381.520	-	356.354	-	663.314	-	-	-	-	-	375.971	-	353.216	-	
Food and beverages (2)	228.323	4.0	-	-	145.456	4.8	234.819	3.9	226.676	4.3	227.701	4.1	-	-	144.452	5.6	233.951	4.0	225.790	4.4	
Food (2)	228.316	4.2	-	-	146.921	5.1	234.580	4.1	227.604	4.5	227.585	4.3	-	-	145.673	5.9	233.811	4.1	226.608	4.6	
Food at home	226.891	5.4	227.390	5.8	142.465	5.3	234.223	5.2	224.906	6.0	225.889	5.5	229.099	6.0	142.065	5.3	232.798	5.1	223.737	6.1	
Food away from home (4)	231.580	2.6	-	-	149.624	4.9	238.009	2.6	234.080	2.5	231.603	2.6	-	-	147.898	6.7	238.710	2.7	233.053	2.6	
Alcoholic beverages (4)	226.908	1.5	-	-	124.975	1.5	236.670	1.4	212.843	1.5	227.956	1.4	-	-	127.265	2.2	234.488	1.6	213.255	1.7	
Housing (2)	220.230	1.5	-	-	155.689	1.6	249.819	1.9	204.676	1.4	216.917	1.5	-	-	159.307	1.5	247.467	1.9	204.468	1.5	
Shelter	252.155	1.4	288.855	1.6	162.251	2.8	298.352	1.6	225.836	1.4	245.705	1.4	292.993	1.2	164.938	2.7	294.179	1.6	224.735	1.3	
Rent of primary residence (2) (5)	253.085	1.6	261.127	0.4	177.317	2.7	293.597	1.9	226.059	1.2	251.271	1.5	261.127	0.4	177.266	2.6	290.191	1.9	224.330	1.2	
Owners' equivalent rent of residences (5) (6)	259.573	1.2	291.755	-0.3	162.395	2.6	308.043	1.2	229.391	1.4	235.116	1.2	259.464	-0.3	161.880	2.6	271.401	1.3	213.236	1.4	
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence (5) (6)	259.555	1.2	291.755	-0.3	162.399	2.6	307.981	1.2	229.380	1.4	235.110	1.2	259.464	-0.3	161.882	2.6	271.386	1.2	213.227	1.3	
Fuels and utilities	226.643	3.2	-	-	187.312	-3.1	225.450	4.3	226.591	3.2	225.589	3.1	-	-	183.065	-3.9	223.798	4.1	227.770	3.2	
Household energy	200.587	2.7	197.304	2.5	186.566	-5.1	207.308	4.3	194.170	2.8	198.857	2.7	196.687	1.6	181.556	-5.9	205.208	4.1	193.565	2.9	
Energy services (5) (7)	202.002	0.9	205.757	-1.1	177.386	-7.1	197.284	-1.8	193.995	2.2	201.547	1.2	208.201	-1.1	176.606	-6.8	197.481	-1.5	194.702	2.5	
Electricity (5)	205.963	2.0	211.168	-0.6	184.564	-5.1	197.166	-0.4	191.729	3.3	204.500	2.3	211.167	-0.6	180.682	-5.1	197.151	0.0	190.633	3.5	
Utility (piped) gas service (5)	186.719	-2.8	186.951	-2.4	133.841	-15.3	184.024	-5.2	192.209	-5.2	186.664	-2.8	186.947	-2.4	136.729	-14.7	184.184	-5.4	196.582	-4.9	
Household furnishings and operations	124.959	-0.2	-	-	93.891	-3.5	127.445	0.9	125.548	-0.4	121.185	-0.1	-	-	91.102	-2.5	121.648	0.8	120.856	0.1	
Apparel (2)	118.770	3.1	-	-	97.844	12.2	121.166	5.5	128.469	2.8	117.830	2.9	-	-	96.115	11.8	121.717	5.9	127.321	2.3	
Transportation (2)	216.164	12.0	-	-	151.844	12.8	215.391	12.0	216.108	14.1	217.466	13.2	-	-	152.279	14.3	217.917	12.8	216.412	15.5	
Private transportation	211.432	12.4	-	-	151.683	13.4	208.854	12.5	214.409	14.5	214.119	13.5	-	-	152.420	14.9	213.009	13.1	214.900	15.8	
Motor fuel	313.488	33.6	324.315	37.3	302.614	35.4	309.459	36.7	312.802	37.0	314.806	33.7	324.287	37.3	302.179	35.4	309.190	36.5	312.814	37.1	
Gasoline	312.760	33.6	319.803	37.4	302.810	35.5	308.528	36.8	311.861	37.1	314.232	33.7	319.803	37.4	302.431	35.5	308.368	36.6	312.006	37.2	
Medical care (2)	400.305	3.2	-	-	155.162	3.9	421.872	3.1	380.264	3.4	402.160	3.3	-	-	155.566	4.3	419.365	3.3	385.364	3.5	
Recreation (8)	113.492	-0.2	-	-	114.368	-1.8	118.230	-1.0	113.897	0.5	110.134	0.1	-	-	111.348	-1.8	118.894	-0.5	110.222	0.6	
Education and communication (8)	130.859	1.0	-	-	138.237	1.6	133.239	-0.2	126.857	1.1	124.994	0.2	-	-	123.684	-0.8	126.713	-0.5	120.048	-0.2	
Other goods and services (2)	386.494	0.8	-	-	169.649	1.8	416.181	1.4	377.020	0.3	416.166	1.1	-	-	193.414	1.7	472.666	1.8	402.518	0.4	
Energy (2)	252.661	19.0	244.956	18.2	235.597	15.1	250.285	19.1	244.493	21.2	255.169	20.0	241.564	17.3	235.949	15.2	250.974	19.8	247.257	22.1	

Footnotes:

- (1) For Washington Baltimore, Dec. 1997=100 unless otherwise noted.
- (2) For Washington-Baltimore, Nov. 1996=100.
- (3) For the Northeast and the South, Dec. 1977=100.
- (4) For Washington-Baltimore, Nov. 1997=100.
- (5) This index series was calculated using a Laspeyres estimator. All other item stratum index series converted to a geometric means estimator in January 1999.
- (6) For the CPI-U in the U.S., Philadelphia, Northeast, and South, Dec. 1982 = 100. For the CPI-W in these areas, Dec. 1984 = 100.
- (7) This index series was formerly titled Gas (piped) and electricity.
- (8) Indexes are on the Dec. 1997=100 base.

Area definitions:

The **Philadelphia-Wilmington-Atlantic City, Pa.-N.J.-Del.-Md.** area includes Bucks, Chester, Delaware, Montgomery, and Philadelphia Counties in Pennsylvania; Atlantic, Burlington, Camden, Cape May, Cumberland, Gloucester, and Salem Counties in New Jersey; New Castle County in Delaware; and Cecil County in Maryland.

The **Washington-Baltimore, D.C.-Md.-Va.-W.Va.** area includes the District of Columbia; Anne Arundel, Baltimore, Calvert, Carroll, Charles, Frederick, Harford, Howard, Montgomery, Prince George's, Queen Anne's, and Washington Counties and Baltimore City in Maryland; Arlington, Clarke, Fairfax, Fauquier, King George, Loudoun, Prince William, Rappahannock, Spotsylvania, Stafford, and Warren Counties, and Alexandria, Fairfax, Falls Church, Fredericksburg, Manassas, and Manassas Park Cities in Virginia; and Berkeley and Jefferson Counties in West Virginia.

The **Northeast region** includes the states of Connecticut, Maine, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, New Jersey, New York, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, and Vermont.

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

Table 1S. Consumer Price Indexes, semiannual averages for the United States and Pittsburgh, (1982-84=100 unless otherwise noted) (not seasonally adjusted)

Item	Semiannual averages							
	CPI-U				CPI-W			
	U.S. city average		Pittsburgh		U.S. city average		Pittsburgh	
	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Index	Percent change
1st half 2011	1st half 2010	1st half 2011	1st half 2010	1st half 2011	1st half 2010	1st half 2011	1st half 2010	
All items	223.598	2.8	222.651	3.8	220.196	3.2	217.192	4.1
All items (1967 = 100)	669.802	-	679.415	-	655.898	-	645.966	-
Food and beverages	225.576	2.8	229.365	4.1	224.906	2.9	230.667	4.1
Food	225.425	2.9	229.801	4.4	224.644	3.0	229.944	4.4
Food at home	223.311	3.6	229.224	5.7	222.253	3.7	228.653	5.6
Food away from home	229.625	1.9	232.882	3.2	229.663	1.9	235.592	3.4
Alcoholic beverages	226.102	1.6	222.964	0.2	227.295	1.7	229.502	0.5
Housing	217.941	0.9	217.093	1.7	214.603	0.9	199.448	1.8
Shelter	250.379	0.9	237.067	1.2	244.325	0.9	207.320	1.4
Rent of primary residence (1)	252.123	1.2	205.888	2.3	250.425	1.2	205.888	2.3
Owners' equivalent rent of residences (1) (2)	258.351	0.8	234.032	1.3	234.082	0.8	217.446	1.3
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence (1) (2) (3)	258.339	0.8	234.032	1.3	234.079	0.8	217.446	1.3
Fuels and utilities	218.089	2.5	^R 241.508	^R 3.2	216.391	2.4	^R 249.377	^R 3.6
Household energy	191.671	1.7	^R 230.295	^R 3.4	189.339	1.7	^R 239.447	^R 3.8
Energy services (1) (4)	192.248	0.2	^R 218.894	^R -0.1	191.167	0.4	^R 224.189	^R 0.2
Electricity (1)	193.455	1.4	181.717	3.4	191.540	1.6	181.717	3.4
Utility (piped) gas service (1)	185.869	-3.6	^R 228.191	^R -6.0	185.834	-3.6	^R 228.193	^R -6.0
Household furnishings and operations	124.789	-1.3	147.909	1.8	120.815	-1.4	135.632	0.5
Apparel	120.232	0.3	154.110	4.6	119.236	0.0	162.059	4.6
Transportation	211.484	10.0	186.540	11.2	212.330	11.0	200.320	12.0
Private transportation	206.763	10.1	186.970	11.1	208.980	11.1	202.464	12.0
Motor fuel	303.789	27.8	313.151	27.3	305.119	27.9	313.320	27.3
Gasoline	303.033	27.8	316.742	27.3	304.516	27.8	316.736	27.3
Medical care	397.732	2.9	408.278	5.2	399.560	3.1	396.101	5.5
Recreation (5)	113.294	-0.2	113.494	0.6	109.825	-0.3	114.933	2.1
Education and communication (5)	130.642	1.1	140.412	2.0	125.002	0.5	130.587	0.9
Other goods and services	385.599	1.7	388.186	2.7	415.059	2.2	435.009	2.5
Energy	243.447	15.8	^R 275.169	^R 14.9	245.665	16.6	^R 277.232	^R 15.8

The **Pittsburgh, Pa.** area includes Allegheny, Armstrong, Beaver, Butler, Fayette, Washington, and Westmoreland Counties.

Footnotes:

- (1) This index series was calculated using a Laspeyres estimator. All other item stratum index series converted to a geometric means estimator in January, 1999.
- (2) For the CPI-U, indexes are on the Dec. 1982=100 base. For the CPI-W, indexes are on the Dec. 1984=100 base.
- (3) Corrected error in U.S. city average CPI-U for the 1st half of 2010.
- (4) This index series was formerly titled Gas (piped) and electricity.
- (5) Indexes are on the Dec. 1997=100 base.
- (R) Revised

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Table 2. Consumer Price Index and percent change, all items, U.S. city average and selected areas 1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted (not seasonally adjusted)

Area	All Urban Consumers (CPI-U)					Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W)				
	Index		Percent change to Jul 2011 from --			Index		Percent change to Jul 2011 from --		
	Jun 2011	Jul 2011	Jul 2010	May 2011	Jun 2011	Jun 2011	Jul 2011	Jul 2010	May 2011	Jun 2011
U.S. city average	225.722	225.922	3.6	0.0	0.1	222.522	222.686	4.1	-0.1	0.1
Chicago-Gary-Kenosha, Ill.-Ind.-Wis.	220.182	219.277	3.2	-0.4	-0.4	215.325	214.437	3.9	-0.4	-0.4
Los Angeles-Riverside-Orange County, Calif.	232.328	231.303	2.4	-0.9	-0.4	225.461	224.277	2.7	-1.1	-0.5
New York-Northern N.J.-Long Island, N.Y.-N.J.-Conn.-Pa.	248.505	249.164	3.3	0.4	0.3	244.601	245.265	3.8	0.4	0.3
Boston-Brockton-Nashua, Mass.-N.H.-Maine-Conn.	-	244.256	3.4	-0.1	-	-	245.949	3.9	-0.4	-
Cleveland-Akron, Ohio	-	211.686	3.8	-0.2	-	-	203.660	4.2	-0.2	-
Dallas-Fort Worth, Texas	-	208.602	4.2	-0.1	-	-	213.480	4.9	-0.3	-
Washington-Baltimore, D.C.-Md.-Va.-W.Va. (Nov. 1996=100)	-	147.747	4.1	0.1	-	-	148.294	4.5	-0.2	-
Atlanta, Ga.	211.074	-	-	-	-	210.598	-	-	-	-
Detroit-Ann Arbor-Flint, Mich.	213.506	-	-	-	-	210.354	-	-	-	-
Houston-Galveston-Brazoria, Texas	201.309	-	-	-	-	200.444	-	-	-	-
Miami-Fort Lauderdale, Fla.	231.197	-	-	-	-	229.353	-	-	-	-
Philadelphia-Wilmington-Atlantic City, Pa.-N.J.-Del.-Md.	234.463	-	-	-	-	234.965	-	-	-	-
San Francisco-Oakland-San Jose, Calif.	233.646	-	-	-	-	230.605	-	-	-	-
Seattle-Tacoma-Bremerton, Wash.	233.250	-	-	-	-	230.072	-	-	-	-

Table 3. Consumer Price Index and percent change, all items, U.S. city average and selected areas 1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted (not seasonally adjusted)

Area	All Urban Consumers (CPI-U)			Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W)		
	Index	Percent change from		Index	Percent change from	
	1st half 2011	1st half 2010	2nd half 2010	1st half 2011	1st half 2010	2nd half 2010
U.S. city average	223.598	2.8	2.3	220.196	3.2	2.7
Anchorage, Alaska	200.278	2.8	2.5	199.061	3.0	2.6
Atlanta, Ga.	207.962	2.2	2.2	207.085	2.3	2.2
Boston-Brockton-Nashua, Mass.-N.H.-Maine-Conn.	242.761	2.1	2.3	244.345	2.5	2.8
Chicago-Gary-Kenosha, Ill.-Ind.-Wis.	218.044	2.6	2.3	212.616	3.2	2.8
Cincinnati-Hamilton, Ohio-Ky.-Ind.	209.366	2.5	2.0	204.686	2.9	2.4
Cleveland-Akron, Ohio	210.052	3.2	2.2	201.946	3.5	2.5
Dallas-Fort Worth, Texas	206.768	2.4	2.7	211.281	3.0	3.1
Denver-Boulder-Greeley, Colo.	219.055	3.8	2.4	209.099	3.4	2.7
Detroit-Ann Arbor-Flint, Mich.	210.069	2.8	2.1	206.464	3.2	2.4
Honolulu, Hawaii	241.902	3.5	2.5	240.874	3.3	2.5
Houston-Galveston-Brazoria, Texas	199.480	3.1	2.3	198.404	3.6	2.8
Kansas City, Mo.-Kans.	211.860	3.6	2.8	204.353	3.9	3.2
Los Angeles-Riverside-Orange County, Calif.	231.606	2.7	2.3	224.913	3.2	2.8
Miami-Fort Lauderdale, Fla.	229.524	3.1	2.7	227.552	3.1	2.8
Milwaukee-Racine, Wis.	215.646	3.3	2.4	221.561	3.8	2.8
Minneapolis-St. Paul, Minn.-Wis.	217.374	3.0	2.3	211.108	3.2	2.6
New York-Northern N.J.-Long Island, N.Y.-N.J.-Conn.-Pa.	245.859	2.4	1.7	241.905	2.8	2.0
Philadelphia-Wilmington-Atlantic City, Pa.-N.J.-Del.-Md.	232.290	2.3	1.7	232.661	2.5	1.9
Phoenix-Mesa, Ariz. (Dec. 2001=100)	120.762	2.2	2.1	120.928	2.5	2.3
Pittsburgh, Pa.	222.651	3.8	2.9	217.192	4.1	3.2
Portland-Salem, Ore.-Wash.	223.105	2.6	1.8	218.872	2.7	2.1
St. Louis, Mo.-Ill.	208.586	3.3	2.0	209.150	3.9	2.4
San Diego, Calif.	252.451	3.4	2.3	238.431	4.0	2.9
San Francisco-Oakland-San Jose, Calif.	232.082	2.2	1.8	229.074	2.7	2.2
Seattle-Tacoma-Bremerton, Wash.	230.815	2.0	1.6	227.455	2.6	2.0
Tampa-St. Petersburg-Clearwater, Fla. (1987=100)	197.908	2.4	2.2	198.379	2.6	2.5
Washington-Baltimore, D.C.-Md.-Va.-W.Va. (Nov. 1996=100)	146.259	3.2	2.5	146.899	3.6	2.9