

# CPI Detailed Report

## Data for February 2010

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### Notice: Correction to January-February 2010 data

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## Scheduled release dates

Consumer Price Index data are scheduled for initial release on the following dates:

<i>Index month</i>	<i>Release date</i>	<i>Index month</i>	<i>Release date</i>
March	April 14	June	July 16
April	May 19	July	August 13
May	June 17	August	September 17

## CONSUMER PRICE MOVEMENTS FEBRUARY 2010

On a seasonally adjusted basis, the Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U) was unchanged in February, the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics reported today. Over the last 12 months, the index increased 2.1 percent before seasonal adjustment.

The unchanged all items index was the result of a decline in the energy index being offset by slight increases in the indexes for food and for all items less food and energy. Within the latter group, declines in the indexes for apparel and household furnishings and operations were more than offset by continuing increases in the indexes for medical care and used cars and trucks. The 12-month increase in the index for all items less food and energy now stands at 1.3 percent, the lowest since February 2004.

The food index also edged up in February. The food at home index rose slightly, the net result of the major grocery store food group indexes posting a mix of modest increases and decreases. In contrast, the energy index declined in February. Decreases in the indexes for gasoline, electricity, and fuel oil more than offset an increase in the index for natural gas.

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 Feb. 2010
	Aug. 2009	Sep. 2009	Oct. 2009	Nov. 2009	Dec. 2009	Jan. 2010	Feb. 2010	
All items .....	0.4	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.0	2.1
Food .....	.0	-.1	.0	.1	.1	.2	.1	-.2
Food at home .....	-.1	-.3	.0	.0	.2	.4	.1	-1.5
Food away from home <sup>1</sup> .....	.1	.1	.1	.2	.1	.1	.1	1.4
Energy .....	3.7	.6	.6	2.2	.8	2.8	-.5	14.4
Energy commodities .....	6.7	1.1	.4	3.0	1.6	4.9	-1.3	34.4
Gasoline (all types) .....	6.9	.9	.3	2.7	2.3	4.4	-1.4	36.8
Fuel oil <sup>1</sup> .....	5.0	-.3	2.2	7.4	.0	6.1	-2.4	19.3
Energy services .....	.1	-.1	.8	1.1	-.3	.0	.5	-4.2
Electricity .....	-.1	.3	.8	1.2	-.2	-1.1	-.5	-2.7
Utility (piped) gas service .....	.5	-1.5	.7	.9	-.7	3.5	3.9	-8.4
All items less food and energy .....	.1	.2	.2	.0	.1	-.1	.1	1.3
Commodities less food and energy commodities .....	-.2	.3	.4	.2	.1	.1	-.1	2.5
New vehicles .....	-1.0	.3	1.4	.5	-.2	-.5	.1	3.5
Used cars and trucks .....	2.0	1.7	3.1	1.9	2.2	1.5	.7	14.1
Apparel .....	.0	.2	-.3	-.3	.4	-.1	-.7	.0
Medical care commodities <sup>1</sup> .....	.5	.6	.2	.1	-.1	.7	.8	3.5
Services less energy services .....	.2	.1	.1	.0	.1	-.2	.1	.9
Shelter .....	.1	.0	.0	-.2	.0	-.5	.0	-.4
Transportation services .....	.5	.7	.5	.5	.3	-.3	.4	3.3
Medical care services .....	.2	.3	.2	.3	.2	.5	.4	3.7

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

## Consumer Price Index Data for February 2010

### Food

The food index rose 0.1 percent in February after increasing 0.2 percent in January. The indexes for food away from home and food at home both rose 0.1 percent. Within the latter group, the index for meats, poultry, fish, and eggs posted the largest increase among major grocery store food groups, rising 0.4 percent as the indexes for pork and for eggs both rose 2.6 percent. The index for other food at home rose 0.2 percent, and the index for cereals and bakery products was unchanged. The indexes for fruits and vegetables and for dairy and related products both decreased 0.1 percent in February after rising in January, and the nonalcoholic beverages index fell 0.4 percent. Over the last 12 months, the food index declined 0.2 percent, with the index for food away from home rising 1.4 percent but the food at home index falling 1.5 percent.

## Energy

After rising 2.8 percent in January, the energy index declined 0.5 percent in February, the first decrease since April 2009. The decline was the result of a decrease in the gasoline index, which fell 1.4 percent. (Before seasonal adjustment, gasoline prices fell 2.8 percent in February.) The index for household energy rose 0.4 percent in February due to an increase in the index for natural gas, which rose 3.9 percent in February after increasing 3.5 percent in January. This more than offset declines in the fuel oil index, which fell 2.4 percent, and the electricity index, which fell 0.5 percent, its third consecutive decrease. Over the last 12 months the energy index has risen 14.4 percent with the gasoline index up 36.8 percent but the index for household energy down 3.0 percent.

## All items less food and energy

The index for all items less food and energy, which declined 0.1 percent in January, increased 0.1 percent in February. The medical care index rose in February, increasing 0.5 percent for the second straight month. The index for medical care services increased 0.4 percent and the medical care commodities index rose 0.8 percent with the prescription drug index up 0.6 percent. The index for used cars and trucks continued to rise, increasing 0.7 percent in February, while the index for new vehicles rose 0.1 percent. The shelter index, which declined in January, was unchanged in February, as both rent and owners' equivalent rent were unchanged. The apparel index decreased 0.7 percent, as did the index for airline fares. The index for household furnishings and operations declined 0.4 percent, and the index for recreation fell 0.1 percent.

## Not seasonally adjusted CPI measures

The Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U) increased 2.1 percent over the last 12 months to an index level of 216.741 (1982-84=100). For the month, the index was unchanged prior to seasonal adjustment.

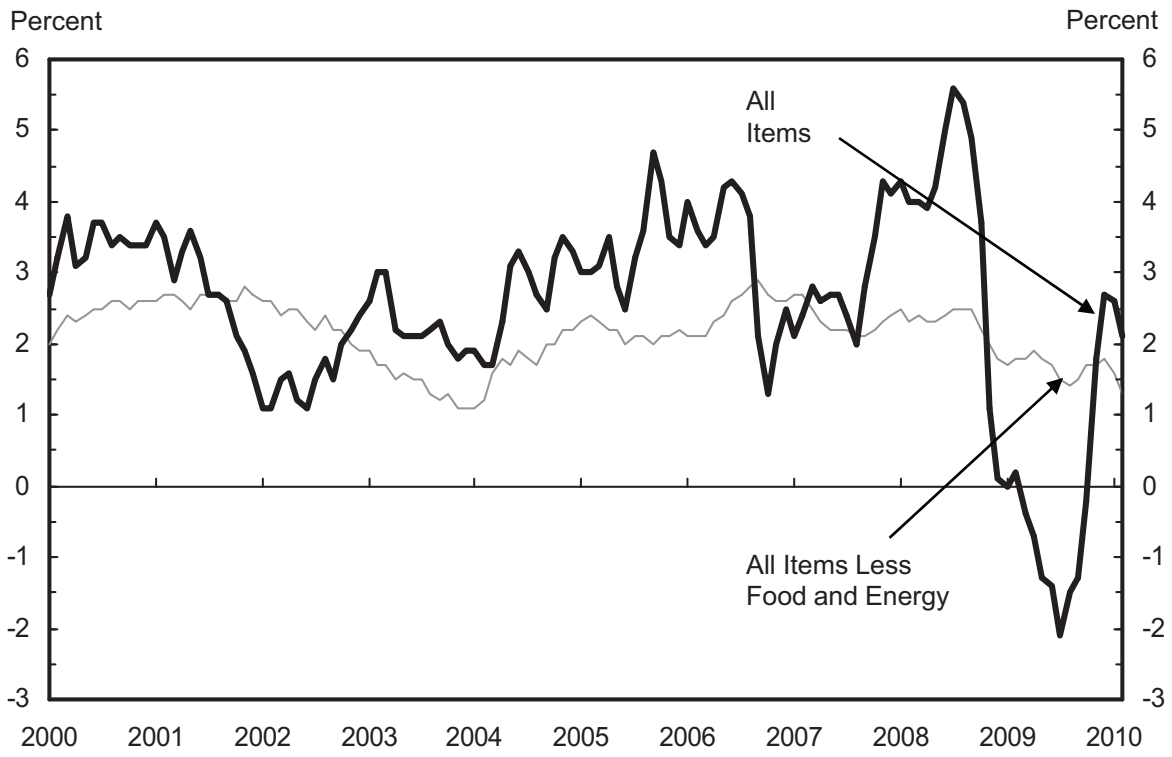
The Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W) increased 2.8 percent over the last 12 months to an index level of 212.544 (1982-84=100). For the month, the index was unchanged prior to seasonal adjustment.

The Chained Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (C-CPI-U) increased 2.2 percent over the last 12 months. For the month, the index was unchanged on a not seasonally adjusted basis. Please note that the indexes for the post-2008 period are subject to revision.

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**The Consumer Price Index for March 2010 is scheduled to be released on Wednesday, April 14, 2010, at 8:30 a.m. (EDT).**

### CPI-U 12-Month Changes, 2000 to Present



# Variance Estimates for Price Changes in the Consumer Price Index January -December 2009

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This article presents variance estimates for 1-month, 2-month, 6-month, and 12-month percent changes in the Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U). Variance is a measure of the uncertainty caused by the use of a sample of retail prices, instead of the complete universe of retail prices. The estimates cover the period January 2009 through December 2009.<sup>1</sup> Each month the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics collects prices from a sample of approximately 83,500 commodities and services (C&S) quotes in approximately 26,400 outlets<sup>2</sup> around the United States for the Consumer Price Index (CPI).

The most commonly used measure of sampling variability is the *standard error* of the estimate – the square root of the variance. The standard error of the CPI's change can be used to construct confidence intervals to determine whether the change for a particular CPI series is significantly different from zero. This information should help users determine which index changes are significant.

## Presentation of findings

The percent changes in the CPI along with their standard errors were estimated for the 12 months from January through December 2009. In summary, tables 1V through 5V show the median values of those percent changes, as well as the median values of the standard errors. Table 1V shows this information for U.S. city average, and tables 2V through 5V show the same information for the Northeast, Midwest, South, and West regions of the country.

For example, from January through December 2009, the 1-month changes in the U.S. city average all items index had a median value of 0.23 percent. The standard errors of those 12 estimates had a median value of 0.04 percent. Margins of error are usually expressed as a statistic's point estimate plus or minus two standard errors, so the margin of error on this CPI's 1-month change is approximately 0.23 percent plus or minus 0.08 percent. Therefore, in a typical 1-month period, the true change in the CPI is probably somewhere between 0.15 percent and 0.31 percent. The tables also show median percent changes and standard errors for 2- and 6-month intervals and for the full year 2009. Margins of error can be calculated for these intervals in the same way as for a 1-month period.

## Analysis of findings

Analyzing the data reveals three significant observations. First, standard errors increase as one moves from the U.S. city average to individual regions of the country and from *all items* to individual item categories. Second, standard errors differ between item categories. Third, the standard errors decrease on a relative basis (standard error divided by price change), as the price change interval gets longer.

The primary reason standard errors increase as one moves from the U.S. city average to individual regions of the country is that sample sizes differ. In general, smaller sample sizes lead to larger standard errors. For example, the U.S. city average all items index is computed each month from approximately 87,800 prices (including all Rent and REQ quotes) throughout the United States, and its median standard error for 1-month changes is 0.04 percent. By contrast, the Northeast region all items index is computed from approximately 19,400 prices, and its median standard error is 0.10 percent. Regional indexes have larger standard errors because their sample sizes are smaller.

One can observe this same effect moving from the all items index to individual item categories. Again, the U.S. city average all items index is computed each month from approximately 87,800 prices, and its median 1-month standard error is 0.04 percent. By contrast, the U.S. city average recreation index is computed from approximately 5,400 prices, and its median 1-month standard error is 0.14 percent, more than three times as large. Again, smaller sample sizes lead to larger standard errors.

The second significant observation is that standard errors differ between item categories. There are two reasons for this. First, item categories differ in sample size. For example, the U.S. city average food and beverages index is computed from approximately 34,800 prices each month, while the U.S. city average recreation index is computed from approximately 5,400 prices. Therefore, it is not surprising that the recreation index has larger standard errors. Second, there are real differences in item category price behaviors caused by different selling practices, seasonal influences, and consumer demand. This is especially true for the apparel category, in which it is common for the prices of individual items to fluctuate by 50 percent or more each month. As a result, standard errors for apparel indexes are large.

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<sup>1</sup> In 1998 significant changes were made to the CPI's structure and sample, and a new variance calculation system was implemented. For information on variances from 1978-1986, 1993-1997 and then 1998 and 1999, see the *CPI Detailed Report* for February 1991, May 1994, February 1998, December 1999, and November 2000, respectively.

<sup>2</sup> In addition, BLS collects approximately 4,300 shelter quotes, used for both Rent and Rental Equivalence (REQ), each month.

The third observation is that standard errors generally tend to decrease, on a relative basis (standard error divided by price change), as the price change interval gets longer. For the U.S. city average all items index, the median standard error divided by the median percent change is  $0.04/0.23 = 0.174$  for 1-month changes,  $0.06/0.39 = 0.154$  for 2-month changes,  $0.08/0.92 = 0.087$  for 6-month changes. This shows that the relative accuracy of percent changes in the CPI generally improves as the price change interval gets longer. On an absolute basis, standard errors tend to increase, but at a decreasing rate. (Note: Since the median 12-month change for 2009 was actually negative, the relative standard error for 12-month changes is more difficult to interpret).

Findings presented here indicate that users should exercise caution when using CPI estimates to make inferences about index changes for relatively short time periods, for individual goods and services, or for local areas. The standard errors of those estimates may be on the same order of magnitude as the estimates themselves; and, thus, few inferences about them are reliable.

## Sources of error

One way of analyzing the error in a survey estimate is to divide the total error into two sources: *sampling error* and *non-sampling error*. Sampling error is the uncertainty in the CPI caused by the fact that a sample of retail prices is used to compute the CPI, instead of using the complete universe of retail prices. Non-sampling error is the rest of the error. Non-sampling error includes things such as incorrect information given by survey respondents, data processing errors, and so forth. Non-sampling error arises regardless of whether data are collected from a sample of retail prices or from the complete universe.

Another way of analyzing error is to divide it into *variance* and *bias*. The variance of the CPI is a measure of how close different estimates of the CPI would be to each other if it were possible to repeat the survey over and over using different samples. Of course, it is not feasible to repeat the survey multiple times, but statistical theory allows the CPI's variance to be estimated anyway. A small variance, for example, indicates that multiple independent samples would produce values that are consistently very close to each other. *Bias* is the difference between the CPI's *expected* value and its *true* value. A statistic may have a small variance but a large bias, or it may have a large variance but a small bias. For an index to be considered accurate, both its variance and bias need to be small.

The Bureau of Labor Statistics (BLS) is constantly trying to reduce the error in the CPI. Variance and sampling error are reduced by using a sample of retail prices that is as large as possible, given resource constraints. BLS has developed a model that optimizes the allocation of resources by indicating the number of prices that should be observed in each geographic area and each item category, in order to minimize the variance of the U.S. city average all items index. BLS reduces non-sampling error through a series of computerized and professional data reviews, as well as through continuous survey process improvements and theoretical research.

## Replication and variance estimation

An important advantage of using sampling is that the CPI's variance can be estimated directly from the sample data. Starting in 1978, the CPI's sample design has accommodated variance estimation by using two or more independent samples of items and outlets in each geographic area. This allows two or more statistically independent estimates of the index to be made. The independent samples are called *replicates*, and the set of all observed prices is called the *full sample*.

BLS collects CPI data in 38 geographic areas across the United States. These areas consist of 31 *self-representing* areas and 7 *non-self-representing* areas. Self-representing areas are large metropolitan areas, such as the Boston, St. Louis, and San Francisco metropolitan areas. Non-self-representing areas are collections of smaller metropolitan areas. For example, one non-self-representing area is a collection of 32 small metropolitan areas in the Northeast region (Buffalo, Hartford, Providence, Bangor, and others), of which 8 were randomly selected to represent the entire set. Within each of the 38 areas, price data are collected for 211 item categories called *item strata*. Together the 211 item strata cover all consumer purchases. Examples of item strata are bananas, women's dresses, and electricity.

Multiplying the number of areas by the number of item strata gives 8,018 ( $= 38 \times 211$ ) different area and item combinations for which price indexes need to be calculated. Separate price indexes are calculated for each one of these 8,018 area and item combinations. After all 8,018 of these *basic-level* indexes are calculated, they are aggregated to form *higher-level* indexes, using expenditure estimates from the Consumer Expenditure Survey as their weights. Examples of higher-level geographic areas are the four regions (Northeast, Midwest, South, and West); and examples of higher-level item categories are the eight major groups (food & beverages, housing, apparel, transportation, medical care, education and communication, recreation, and other goods and services). The highest level of geographic aggregation is the U.S. city average, and the highest level of item aggregation is all items.

Variances are computed with a Stratified Random Groups Method, in which variances are computed separately for certain subsets of areas and items and are then combined to produce the variance of the entire area and item combination. Subsets of items are formed by the intersection of the item category with each of the eight major groups.

Let  $CPI(A,I,f,t)$  denote the index value where  $A$  = area,  $I$  = item category,  $f$  indicates that it is the full-sample value, and  $t$  = month; and let  $CPI(A,I,f,t-k)$  denote the value of the same index in month  $= t-k$ . In general, the upper-case letter  $A$  denotes a *set* of



areas, such as the Northeast or Midwest region of the country; and the upper-case letter  $I$  denotes a higher-level item category, such as all items or all items less food and energy. Also let  $CPI(A,I,r,t)$  and  $CPI(A,I,r,t-k)$  be the corresponding index values for replicate =  $r$ . Most areas have two replicates, but some have more. Then, the full-sample  $k$ -month percent change between months  $t-k$  and  $t$  is computed by dividing  $CPI(A,I,f,t)$  by  $CPI(A,I,f,t-k)$ , subtracting 1, and multiplying by 100:

$$PC(A, I, f, t, t-k) = \left( \frac{CPI(A, I, f, t)}{CPI(A, I, f, t-k)} - 1 \right) \times 100$$

Every index has a weight  $W(A,I,f)$  or  $W(A,I,r)$  associated with it, which is used to combine the index with other indexes to produce indexes for larger geographic areas and larger item categories. For example, the weights are used to combine all 8,018 basic-level indexes into higher-level indexes such as the U.S. city average all items index. The product of an index and its weight is called a *cost weight*,  $CW(A,I,r,t) = CPI(A,I,r,t) \times W(A,I,r)$ , and is an estimate of the total cost in area =  $A$  for consumption of item category =  $I$  in month =  $t$ .

For the Stratified Random Groups method used here, replicate percent changes are defined as follows: full sample cost weights are used for every geographic area within area =  $A$  except for one of the areas. In the omitted area, the full sample cost weight is replaced by a replicate cost weight. Let the lower case letter  $a$  denote one of the 38 basic-level areas included in area =  $A$ , and let the lower case letter  $i$  denote the intersection of item category =  $I$  with one of the 8 major groups. Then, the replicate percent change, for area =  $a$ , item subset =  $i$ , replicate =  $r$ , between months  $t-k$  and  $t$ , is computed as:

$$PC_S(a, i, r, t, t-k) = \left( \frac{CW(A, I, f, t) - CW(a, i, f, t) + CW(a, i, r, t)}{CW(A, I, f, t-k) - CW(a, i, f, t-k) + CW(a, i, r, t-k)} - 1 \right) \times 100$$

for self-representing areas. For non-self-representing areas, the replicate percent change, for area =  $a$ , item category =  $I$ , replicate =  $r$ , between months  $t-k$  and  $t$ , is computed as:

$$PC_N(a, I, r, t, t-k) = \left( \frac{CW(A, I, f, t) - CW(a, I, f, t) + CW(a, I, r, t)}{CW(A, I, f, t-k) - CW(a, I, f, t-k) + CW(a, I, r, t-k)} - 1 \right) \times 100$$

where:

$$CW(A, I, f, t) = \sum_{a \subset A} \sum_{i \subset I} CW(a, i, f, t)$$

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and likewise for replicates. The symbol " $a \subset A$ " means that the sum is over all basic-level areas within area =  $A$ , and the symbol  $i \subset I$  means that the sum is over all item categories that are intersections of item category =  $I$  with a major group.

Then, the variance is computed with the following Stratified Random Groups Variance Estimation Formula:

$$\begin{aligned} V[PC(A, I, f, t, t-k)] &= \sum_{i \subset I} \sum_{a \subset A \cap S} \frac{1}{R_a(R_a-1)} \sum_{r=1}^{R_a} (PC_S(a, i, r, t, t-k) - PC(A, I, t, t-k))^2 \\ &+ \sum_{a \subset A \cap N} \frac{1}{R_a(R_a-1)} \sum_{r=1}^{R_a} (PC_N(a, I, r, t, t-k) - PC(A, I, t, t-k))^2 \end{aligned}$$

where S and N are the sets of all self-representing and non-self-representing areas in the CPI's geographic sample, respectively; and  $A \cap S$  and  $A \cap N$  are the sets of all self-representing and non-self-representing areas within area =  $A$ . The number  $R_a$  is the number of replicates in area =  $a$ .

Finally, the standard error of the percent change is computed by taking the square root of its variance:

$$SE[PC(A, I, f, t, t-k)] = \sqrt{V[PC(A, I, f, t, t-k)]}$$

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**Table 1V. U.S. city average, median price change and median price change standard error for the Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U), by detailed expenditure categories for 1-, 2-, 6-, and 12-month intervals, 2009**

Item and group	U.S. city average							
	1 Month		2 Month		6 Month		12 Month	
	Median price change	Median standard error	Median price change	Median standard error	Median price change	Median standard error	Median price change	Median standard error
<b>Expenditure category</b>								
All items .....	0.23	0.04	0.39	0.06	0.92	0.08	-0.56	0.09
Food and beverages .....	-.07	.07	-.07	.09	-.17	.11	1.62	.13
Food .....	-.09	.08	-.10	.09	-.28	.12	1.51	.14
Food at home .....	-.28	.13	-.36	.15	-1.41	.18	-.07	.20
Cereals and bakery products .....	-.05	.31	-.25	.32	-.23	.38	2.09	.43
Cereals and cereal products .....	-.28	.50	-.35	.58	-.14	.62	2.73	.77
Flour and prepared flour mixes .....	-.34	.72	-.98	.79	.16	1.03	.61	1.36
Breakfast cereal .....	-.31	.75	-.07	.90	.67	1.06	2.84	1.11
Rice, pasta, cornmeal .....	-.32	.73	-.66	.80	-1.35	1.01	2.76	1.34
Rice .....	-.62	.74	-1.11	.95	-4.23	1.68	.60	2.70
Bakery products .....	-.20	.39	-.07	.39	-.25	.45	1.79	.52
Bread .....	-.34	.73	-.59	.90	-1.33	.98	-.08	1.18
White bread .....	-.36	.80	-.53	.94	-1.28	1.27	.30	1.50
Bread other than white .....	.04	1.32	-.72	1.45	-1.12	1.38	-.73	1.54
Fresh biscuits, rolls, muffins .....	-.45	.77	-.58	.77	-1.17	.92	.99	1.16
Cakes, cupcakes, and cookies .....	.28	.62	.24	.64	1.31	.73	3.64	.90
Cookies .....	.57	.75	.42	.83	1.74	1.13	3.85	1.33
Fresh cakes and cupcakes .....	-.11	.86	.26	.83	.73	1.17	3.40	1.45
Other bakery products .....	-.13	.77	.03	.85	.58	.90	3.00	1.04
Fresh sweetrolls, coffeeecakes, doughnuts .....	.26	.88	.22	.93	.11	1.15	1.41	1.57
Crackers, bread, and cracker products .....	.38	1.33	.44	1.44	-.01	1.50	2.97	1.67
Frozen and refrigerated bakery products, pies, tarts, turnovers .....	.56	.86	.06	1.07	1.29	1.13	4.05	1.53
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs .....	-.31	.27	-.68	.29	-2.28	.34	-.54	.40
Meats, poultry, and fish .....	-.35	.28	-.64	.30	-1.84	.36	.71	.40
Meats .....	-.44	.33	-.76	.38	-2.48	.45	-.73	.53
Beef and veal .....	-.49	.47	-.86	.53	-2.92	.63	-1.91	.70
Uncooked ground beef .....	-.72	.73	-.78	.74	-3.02	.89	.63	.96
Uncooked beef roasts .....	-.25	1.20	-.61	1.42	-3.29	1.35	-1.76	1.57
Uncooked beef steaks .....	-.33	.87	-.36	.93	-2.72	1.13	-3.35	1.21
Uncooked other beef and veal .....	.13	.85	-.07	1.12	-.93	1.38	-.01	1.50
Pork .....	-.66	.58	-1.43	.61	-2.65	.77	-1.51	.88
Bacon, breakfast sausage, and related products .....	-.71	.82	-1.37	.97	-1.82	1.11	1.38	1.42
Bacon and related products .....	-.64	1.01	-.89	1.18	-2.24	1.42	-.51	1.74
Breakfast sausage and related products .....	-.78	1.31	-1.57	1.52	-.17	2.18	3.39	2.60
Ham .....	.38	1.22	-1.11	1.21	-1.58	1.79	.01	1.98
Ham, excluding canned .....	.20	1.29	-1.38	1.49	-1.87	1.57	.24	1.81
Pork chops .....	-.88	1.29	-1.40	1.28	-3.66	1.30	-5.57	1.54
Other pork including roasts and picnics .....	-1.15	1.30	-1.99	1.47	-5.41	1.64	-5.61	1.73
Other meats .....	-.21	.96	.23	.91	-.52	1.09	2.68	1.33
Frankfurters .....	-.40	2.22	.36	2.03	-1.57	2.50	1.32	2.41
Lunchmeats .....	-.08	.73	.26	.86	-.13	1.07	4.35	1.34
Lamb and organ meats .....	.28	1.60	.29	1.98	-.63	3.24	1.60	2.37
Lamb and mutton .....	.08	1.52	.02	1.99	-1.96	3.35	4.95	2.63
Poultry .....	-.05	.71	-.21	.72	-.06	.82	1.91	.88
Chicken .....	-.07	.80	-.16	.84	-.48	.93	1.77	1.02
Fresh whole chicken .....	-.31	1.70	-1.10	1.49	-1.28	1.60	2.90	1.81
Fresh and frozen chicken parts .....	-.19	.85	.13	.92	-.26	1.03	.70	1.20
Other poultry including turkey .....	-.01	1.07	.34	1.25	1.46	1.51	3.18	1.76
Fish and seafood .....	.04	.53	.26	.65	.80	.82	4.57	.99
Fresh fish and seafood .....	.14	.85	-.06	1.01	-.44	1.15	.99	1.29
Processed fish and seafood .....	.15	.67	.35	.80	1.90	1.08	8.15	1.30
Canned fish and seafood .....	.29	.84	.61	1.04	2.82	1.71	14.28	2.10
Frozen fish and seafood .....	.21	1.12	.52	1.29	1.14	1.60	5.00	1.83
Eggs .....	-.43	.80	-1.79	.90	-9.23	1.18	-15.07	1.30
Dairy and related products .....	-.56	.33	-1.49	.36	-5.35	.42	-7.37	.46
Milk .....	-.68	.45	-1.27	.51	-9.29	.66	-13.49	.76
Fresh whole milk .....	-.83	.58	-1.55	.66	-10.82	.99	-16.21	1.17
Fresh milk other than whole .....	-.51	.59	-1.19	.65	-8.32	.86	-11.07	1.10
Cheese and related products .....	-.79	.76	-1.19	.74	-5.19	.89	-7.41	.90
Ice cream and related products .....	-.38	.98	-.06	1.02	-.58	1.21	1.56	1.45
Other dairy and related products .....	-.49	.64	-.83	.62	-1.79	.78	-2.93	1.05

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Item and group	U.S. city average							
	1 Month		2 Month		6 Month		12 Month	
	Median price change	Median standard error	Median price change	Median standard error	Median price change	Median standard error	Median price change	Median standard error
<b>Expenditure category</b>								
Fruits and vegetables .....	-0.14	0.36	-0.84	0.42	-2.92	0.48	-2.47	0.46
Fresh fruits and vegetables .....	-0.33	.45	-1.36	.53	-4.42	.60	-4.61	.58
Fresh fruits .....	-0.40	.64	-.84	.78	-3.63	.81	-6.32	.75
Apples .....	-1.05	1.26	-2.21	1.47	-5.84	1.60	-13.77	1.57
Bananas .....	-.70	.89	-1.59	.99	-1.96	1.21	-2.03	1.23
Citrus fruits .....	.07	1.39	.13	1.74	.21	2.16	-6.85	2.25
Oranges, including tangerines .....	.63	1.81	.59	1.95	3.03	2.85	-1.02	2.93
Other fresh fruits .....	-.77	1.09	-1.61	1.34	-1.27	1.35	-4.65	1.20
Fresh vegetables .....	-.58	.66	-1.81	.74	-4.26	.81	-3.69	.91
Potatoes .....	-1.60	1.48	-3.15	1.62	-7.12	1.70	-1.26	2.12
Lettuce .....	-.05	1.55	-.99	1.63	-5.14	1.64	2.96	1.93
Tomatoes .....	-.61	1.76	-.75	1.72	-5.65	1.91	-8.57	2.14
Other fresh vegetables .....	-.38	.90	-1.61	.99	-2.94	1.29	-4.32	1.32
Processed fruits and vegetables .....	.21	.48	.04	.55	1.36	.69	7.92	.72
Canned fruits and vegetables .....	-.04	.81	-.22	.92	2.03	1.11	10.97	1.32
Canned fruits .....	-.21	1.04	-1.13	1.40	2.15	1.69	6.96	1.63
Canned vegetables .....	.24	1.14	.55	1.26	2.78	1.63	13.30	1.90
Frozen fruits and vegetables .....	-.37	.70	-.51	.93	.73	1.07	4.23	1.19
Frozen vegetables .....	-.04	1.01	-.84	1.15	.37	1.33	3.46	1.30
Other processed fruits and vegetables including dried .....	-.21	.75	.16	.83	.92	.98	5.53	1.31
Dried beans, peas, and lentils .....	.28	1.03	.49	1.28	1.62	2.79	10.89	3.90
Nonalcoholic beverages and beverage materials .....	-.07	.38	-.12	.40	-.32	.49	1.89	.60
Juices and nonalcoholic drinks .....	-.14	.52	-.30	.53	-.20	.60	3.08	.73
Carbonated drinks .....	-.34	.78	-.47	.79	-.74	.89	6.12	1.08
Frozen noncarbonated juices and drinks .....	.07	.79	.21	1.16	.41	1.46	3.05	1.95
Nonfrozen noncarbonated juices and drinks .....	-.24	.60	-.44	.68	-.76	.83	.73	1.00
Beverage materials including coffee and tea .....	-.27	.63	-.30	.61	-.20	.82	-.25	.91
Coffee .....	-.22	.77	-.12	.79	-1.04	1.02	-2.32	1.15
Roasted coffee .....	-.19	.94	-.13	1.10	-.62	1.36	-1.82	1.73
Instant and freeze dried coffee .....	-.27	.69	-.74	.80	-2.55	1.44	-3.64	2.33
Other beverage materials including tea .....	-.20	.93	.09	.89	.48	1.17	1.21	1.29
Other food at home .....	-.07	.27	-.11	.32	.27	.37	3.46	.43
Sugar and sweets .....	.19	.60	.47	.67	1.42	.94	5.21	1.13
Sugar and artificial sweeteners .....	.16	.73	.39	.80	1.80	.99	4.19	1.13
Candy and chewing gum .....	.30	.95	.68	1.01	1.69	1.40	5.13	1.73
Other sweets .....	-.27	.61	-.26	.71	1.75	.85	7.20	.97
Fats and oils .....	-.14	.48	-.58	.57	-2.21	.75	1.23	1.07
Butter and margarine .....	-.70	.78	-1.70	.98	-2.77	1.21	.92	1.44
Butter .....	-.45	1.43	-1.82	1.77	-5.91	2.08	-8.66	2.05
Margarine .....	-.49	1.05	-.64	1.18	-1.84	1.38	6.58	1.86
Salad dressing .....	.33	1.28	-.10	1.39	.93	1.83	5.61	2.38
Other fats and oils including peanut butter .....	-.32	.66	-.99	.75	-2.69	1.06	-.93	1.34
Peanut butter .....	-.07	.67	-.30	.66	-.29	1.08	3.78	1.77
Other foods .....	-.01	.35	-.08	.39	.45	.43	3.46	.50
Soups .....	.71	.91	.31	.94	.90	1.27	4.11	1.52
Frozen and freeze dried prepared foods .....	.00	.78	-.27	.97	.11	.97	2.95	1.23
Snacks .....	.27	.72	.41	.76	1.38	.82	4.53	1.06
Spices, seasonings, condiments, sauces .....	.09	.72	.22	.86	1.83	1.04	5.12	1.18
Salt and other seasonings and spices .....	-.13	.53	-.20	.63	1.24	1.18	2.50	1.39
Olives, pickles, relishes .....	.01	1.10	.32	1.29	2.09	1.78	6.41	1.56
Sauces and gravies .....	-.07	.98	.69	1.35	3.24	2.07	8.95	2.48
Other condiments .....	-.49	1.55	-.70	2.00	-.36	1.96	.06	1.65
Baby food .....	-.01	.59	.00	.63	-.02	.86	1.40	1.06
Other miscellaneous foods .....	-.06	.72	-.09	.75	-.40	.86	2.21	1.02
Prepared salads .....	-.37	.98	.28	1.28	.67	1.36	2.51	1.50
Food away from home .....	.13	.07	.29	.10	1.02	.14	3.51	.19
Full service meals and snacks .....	.13	.08	.27	.12	1.13	.21	2.77	.29
Limited service meals and snacks .....	.15	.10	.26	.15	1.07	.21	4.33	.27
Food at employee sites and schools .....	.19	.13	.43	.71	1.19	.50	3.74	.52
Food at elementary and secondary schools .....	.18	.16	.40	.49	1.34	.73	4.61	.65
Food from vending machines and mobile vendors .....	.20	.19	.43	.26	1.58	1.14	4.39	1.19

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Item and group	U.S. city average							
	1 Month		2 Month		6 Month		12 Month	
	Median price change	Median standard error	Median price change	Median standard error	Median price change	Median standard error	Median price change	Median standard error
<b>Expenditure category</b>								
Other food away from home .....	0.04	0.23	0.44	0.34	1.27	0.74	3.66	1.02
Alcoholic beverages .....	.16	.19	.38	.26	1.15	.34	2.95	.38
Alcoholic beverages at home .....	.21	.27	.47	.37	1.04	.44	3.12	.55
Beer, ale, and other malt beverages at home .....	.23	.40	.64	.61	1.46	.55	3.66	.67
Distilled spirits at home .....	.17	.44	.70	.56	1.47	.65	2.12	.79
Whiskey at home .....	.35	.71	.93	.96	1.75	1.33	3.81	1.60
Distilled spirits, excluding whiskey, at home .....	-.09	.55	.41	.77	1.21	.92	1.77	1.04
Wine at home .....	.01	.48	.35	.67	.55	.96	1.95	1.16
Alcoholic beverages away from home .....	.16	.22	.19	.35	1.27	.44	2.88	.52
Beer, ale, and other malt beverages away from home .....	.22	.24	.51	.38	1.36	.66	2.66	.76
Wine away from home .....	.16	.18	.49	.30	1.46	.64	4.11	.85
Distilled spirits away from home .....	.01	.39	.21	.56	.89	.57	1.57	.82
Housing .....	-.09	.06	-.07	.09	-.18	.15	-.10	.15
Shelter .....	.01	.07	.11	.10	.46	.17	1.10	.20
Rent of primary residence .....	.03	.05	.06	.08	.57	.19	2.49	.19
Lodging away from home .....	-.09	.74	-.31	.95	-2.99	1.33	-6.46	.93
Housing at school, excluding board .....	.13	.09	.27	.16	2.61	.36	5.02	.46
Other lodging away from home including hotels and motels .....	-.10	.79	-.43	1.02	-3.44	1.41	-7.15	.97
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence .....	.07	.05	.10	.08	.68	.16	1.82	.22
Tenants' and household insurance .....	.21	.21	.31	.31	1.07	.62	2.05	.85
Fuels and utilities .....	-.27	.19	-.70	.28	-1.50	.43	-4.69	.48
Household energy .....	-.51	.23	-1.09	.34	-2.46	.51	-6.90	.57
Fuel oil and other fuels .....	-.72	.50	2.04	.76	-8.03	1.37	-31.37	1.39
Fuel oil .....	-.17	.71	3.26	.98	-4.53	1.86	-37.74	1.82
Propane, kerosene, and firewood .....	-.53	.69	-2.58	.93	-12.88	1.49	-16.02	1.78
Gas (piped) and electricity .....	-.61	.24	-1.06	.36	-2.80	.55	-5.53	.60
Electricity .....	-.24	.26	-.35	.38	-.29	.66	1.47	.69
Utility (piped) gas service .....	-1.88	.37	-3.81	.51	-17.18	.81	-22.46	.88
Water and sewer and trash collection services .....	.34	.13	.85	.20	2.99	.37	5.90	.50
Water and sewerage maintenance .....	.34	.17	1.00	.26	3.59	.47	7.04	.67
Garbage and trash collection .....	.19	.16	.36	.21	1.13	.44	3.41	.62
Household furnishings and operations .....	-.05	.14	-.16	.19	.53	.28	1.32	.38
Window and floor coverings and other linens .....	-.61	.66	-.46	.92	-1.87	1.07	-3.62	1.37
Floor coverings .....	-.20	.32	-.50	.48	-.70	.75	-.77	1.47
Window coverings .....	-.38	1.02	-.94	1.22	-3.37	1.97	-3.64	2.32
Other linens .....	-.49	1.04	-.10	1.57	-1.79	1.64	-4.81	2.11
Furniture and bedding .....	.18	.39	-.17	.55	-.46	.81	.00	.92
Bedroom furniture .....	-.04	.63	-.12	.90	-1.06	1.20	-.44	1.47
Living room, kitchen, and dining room furniture .....	.35	.56	.42	.81	-.10	1.29	.17	1.65
Other furniture .....	.03	.65	.24	1.00	.20	1.71	1.21	2.14
Infants' furniture .....	.00	.44	-.03	.86	2.90	1.32	5.25	1.78
Appliances .....	-.44	.42	-.32	.59	1.29	.98	2.08	1.07
Major appliances .....	-.36	.39	-.25	.53	.05	.78	.86	1.04
Laundry equipment .....	-.55	.68	-.38	.88	-.66	.91	-.88	1.18
Other appliances .....	-.85	.90	-.53	1.32	1.93	2.05	2.50	2.35
Other household equipment and furnishings .....	-.28	.48	-.54	.75	-1.04	1.08	-2.21	1.37
Clocks, lamps, and decorator items .....	-.46	.68	-.89	1.12	-1.89	1.68	-3.81	2.26
Indoor plants and flowers .....	-.12	.90	-.52	1.31	-.68	2.51	-.77	2.22
Dishes and flatware .....	-1.07	1.01	-.29	1.45	-.84	2.04	-1.26	2.45
Nonelectric cookware and tableware .....	.10	.75	.06	.98	.47	1.18	1.48	1.34
Tools, hardware, outdoor equipment and supplies .....	-.07	.36	.03	.53	.78	.74	.94	1.00
Tools, hardware and supplies .....	-.04	.42	-.16	.75	.35	1.06	.08	1.26
Outdoor equipment and supplies .....	-.01	.41	-.09	.68	.73	1.07	1.23	1.39
Housekeeping supplies .....	.05	.23	.05	.33	.31	.44	4.17	.54
Household cleaning products .....	.12	.39	.35	.58	1.33	.73	5.11	.85
Household paper products .....	.10	.40	.21	.57	.91	.75	7.16	.97
Miscellaneous household products .....	-.07	.44	-.27	.61	-.75	.76	.62	.98
Household operations .....	-.04	.10	.14	.17	.17	.28	1.24	.38
Domestic services .....	.00	.04	.04	.15	.19	.31	.95	.42
Gardening and lawn care services .....	.01	.08	.21	.28	-.50	.55	2.35	.90

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	1 Month		2 Month		6 Month		12 Month	
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<b>Expenditure category</b>								
Moving, storage, freight expense .....	-0.19	0.45	-0.09	0.69	-1.16	1.10	-2.71	1.06
Repair of household items .....	.01	.13	.05	.28	2.19	.57	3.29	.79
Apparel .....	-.32	.52	-.33	.66	.61	.97	1.04	1.06
Men's and boys' apparel .....	-.01	.71	.06	.93	.04	1.33	.33	1.61
Men's apparel .....	.09	.79	.28	1.12	-.47	1.48	.18	1.78
Men's suits, sport coats, and outerwear .....	1.05	1.42	1.02	1.75	-3.24	2.24	-4.68	2.39
Men's furnishings .....	-.22	.96	-1.07	1.45	1.26	1.62	2.43	2.11
Men's shirts and sweaters .....	-.10	1.45	.13	2.52	.11	3.87	.70	4.83
Men's pants and shorts .....	-.49	1.53	-.93	1.96	-.10	2.67	.05	2.89
Boys' apparel .....	-.33	1.36	-.48	1.98	-.33	2.99	1.64	3.30
Women's and girls' apparel .....	-.69	1.14	-1.21	1.38	1.00	2.01	.68	2.22
Women's apparel .....	-.33	1.09	-.71	1.49	.70	2.24	.93	2.50
Women's outerwear .....	.25	3.79	-3.39	5.78	-3.85	8.32	-.22	9.86
Women's dresses .....	.93	3.54	.59	5.21	2.31	8.23	2.70	10.03
Women's suits and separates .....	-.58	1.35	-1.61	1.84	-.20	2.62	-.26	2.87
Women's underwear, nightwear, sportswear and accessories ...	-.10	1.54	-.04	2.22	2.34	2.60	2.87	3.17
Girls' apparel .....	-1.40	2.20	-1.82	3.18	1.81	4.39	.59	4.41
Footwear .....	.46	.56	.40	.81	1.50	1.14	1.73	1.30
Men's footwear .....	.46	.75	.76	1.12	1.58	1.55	2.96	1.87
Boys' and girls' footwear .....	-.11	1.18	-.09	1.57	1.57	2.50	4.72	3.35
Women's footwear .....	.51	.92	.91	1.30	.84	1.63	-.27	1.90
Infants' and toddlers' apparel .....	.33	.90	-.10	1.30	.73	1.80	.44	1.89
Jewelry and watches .....	.60	1.02	.43	1.37	.67	1.98	1.62	2.48
Watches .....	-.23	.75	-.61	1.14	-1.73	1.55	-.02	2.12
Jewelry .....	.74	1.17	.63	1.58	1.17	2.29	2.28	2.77
Transportation .....	1.08	.09	1.67	.12	4.82	.20	-11.82	.19
Private transportation .....	1.21	.09	1.80	.13	4.74	.21	-12.48	.19
New and used motor vehicles .....	.37	.16	.67	.23	1.31	.32	-.44	.35
New vehicles .....	.34	.23	.68	.31	1.87	.42	.70	.47
New cars and trucks .....	.32	.29	.66	.38	1.87	.41	.68	.44
New cars .....	.24	.30	.39	.40	.86	.40	.64	.41
New trucks .....	.46	.33	.99	.44	2.53	.61	1.42	.62
Used cars and trucks .....	1.08	.02	2.27	.05	-.54	.13	-8.25	.13
Leased cars and trucks .....	-.38	.44	.16	.80	2.17	1.18	8.60	1.88
Car and truck rental .....	.13	1.47	1.08	2.00	5.78	2.51	7.48	2.51
Motor fuel .....	3.72	.20	4.62	.26	10.61	.37	-35.33	.18
Gasoline (all types) .....	3.71	.21	4.80	.26	11.34	.38	-35.10	.18
Gasoline, unleaded regular .....	3.82	.57	4.91	.71	11.65	.64	-35.61	.53
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade .....	3.50	.54	4.65	.69	10.90	.56	-34.29	.44
Gasoline, unleaded premium .....	3.34	.44	4.33	.58	9.98	.57	-33.24	.41
Other motor fuels .....	.83	.37	3.76	.38	3.00	.45	-38.08	.26
Motor vehicle parts and equipment .....	.15	.21	.22	.26	.64	.39	4.31	.50
Tires .....	.20	.30	.29	.38	.85	.48	3.38	.66
Vehicle accessories other than tires .....	.08	.24	.16	.31	.43	.59	5.75	.93
Vehicle parts and equipment other than tires .....	.14	.25	.28	.36	.89	.62	4.90	1.02
Motor oil, coolant, and fluids .....	-.01	.46	-.20	.57	-.99	.87	10.06	1.38
Motor vehicle maintenance and repair .....	.18	.10	.41	.14	1.32	.26	3.80	.42
Motor vehicle body work .....	.18	.18	.32	.28	1.33	.49	4.05	.74
Motor vehicle maintenance and servicing .....	.10	.17	.25	.24	1.15	.43	4.33	.64
Motor vehicle repair .....	.18	.13	.53	.20	1.46	.35	3.47	.49
Motor vehicle insurance .....	.41	.17	.62	.24	2.29	.41	4.62	.55
Motor vehicle fees .....	.51	.15	1.34	.27	3.33	.60	5.27	.80
State and local registration and license .....	.61	.15	1.37	.35	3.36	.77	4.96	1.05
Parking and other fees .....	.52	.20	.95	.34	3.09	.59	6.10	.85
Parking fees and tolls .....	.59	.35	1.24	.49	4.08	1.05	7.85	1.53
Automobile service clubs .....	-.16	.33	-.24	.42	-.08	.80	.87	.85
Public transportation .....	.19	.26	.62	.35	-.10	.52	-5.45	.67
Airline fare .....	.07	.39	1.40	.52	-.53	.76	-8.43	.91
Other intercity transportation .....	-.28	.77	-.50	.99	-3.04	1.34	-5.62	1.47

**Table 1V. U.S. city average, median price change and median price change standard error for the Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U), by detailed expenditure categories for 1-, 2-, 6-, and 12-month intervals, 2009-Continued**

Item and group	U.S. city average							
	1 Month		2 Month		6 Month		12 Month	
	Median price change	Median standard error	Median price change	Median standard error	Median price change	Median standard error	Median price change	Median standard error
<b>Expenditure category</b>								
Intercity bus fare .....	0.10	0.36	0.28	0.59	0.69	0.96	3.85	1.34
Intercity train fare .....	-52	1.31	-1.63	2.49	-3.25	2.48	-1.16	3.02
Ship fare .....	-14	.91	-1.06	1.32	-4.29	1.52	-9.37	2.29
Intracity transportation .....	.21	.16	.42	.21	2.70	.35	4.90	.47
Medical care .....	.22	.08	.49	.14	1.60	.23	3.22	.31
Medical care commodities .....	.24	.13	.59	.18	1.67	.33	3.26	.49
Prescription drugs .....	.33	.12	.67	.18	1.96	.39	3.56	.60
Nonprescription drugs and medical supplies .....	-.12	.35	-.12	.44	.26	.55	2.28	.77
Internal and respiratory over-the-counter drugs .....	-.20	.44	-.32	.57	.30	.77	2.53	1.02
Nonprescription medical equipment and supplies .....	-.04	.43	-.03	.58	.54	.82	1.43	1.03
Medical care services .....	.22	.09	.43	.17	1.61	.29	3.22	.37
Professional services .....	.14	.08	.29	.11	1.30	.28	2.69	.38
Physicians' services .....	.12	.11	.33	.17	1.54	.50	3.15	.70
Dental services .....	.20	.11	.38	.15	1.33	.29	2.93	.55
Eyeglasses and eye care .....	.14	.33	.31	.52	1.12	.70	.48	.96
Services by other medical professionals .....	.07	.07	.30	.13	.69	.30	1.82	.54
Hospital and related services .....	.48	.18	1.07	.35	3.22	.61	6.44	.86
Hospital services .....	.55	.21	1.19	.40	3.52	.70	6.98	.98
Inpatient hospital services .....	.51	.23	1.16	.38	3.61	.86	6.73	1.05
Outpatient hospital services .....	.60	.28	1.22	.39	4.00	1.16	7.42	1.72
Nursing homes and adult day services .....	.19	.15	.52	.23	1.84	.40	3.73	.53
Care of invalids and elderly at home .....	.05	.11	.10	.21	.78	.91	1.59	1.63
Health insurance .....	-.28	.10	-.61	.22	-1.49	.32	-3.23	.38
Recreation .....	-.01	.14	-.08	.21	.21	.28	1.16	.34
Video and audio .....	-.20	.16	-.36	.25	-.75	.45	-1.46	.61
Televisions .....	-2.57	.74	-5.55	.97	-13.61	1.26	-24.14	1.53
Cable and satellite television and radio service .....	.08	.17	.23	.28	.90	.58	2.00	.78
Other video equipment .....	-.94	.68	-2.10	1.03	-5.02	1.56	-10.38	2.01
Video discs and other media, including rental of video and audio .....	-.37	.47	-.44	.73	-1.06	1.28	.64	1.58
Video discs and other media .....	-1.04	.88	-1.50	1.17	-3.87	2.06	-6.88	3.03
Rental of video or audio discs and other media .....	.03	.36	.16	.67	.34	1.43	3.85	2.19
Audio equipment .....	-.40	.41	-.73	.57	-2.59	1.04	-4.92	1.49
Audio discs, tapes and other media .....	-.54	.87	-1.22	1.53	-2.78	1.86	-4.18	2.33
Pets, pet products and services .....	.07	.23	.46	.33	2.06	.46	6.64	.70
Pets and pet products .....	.09	.36	.49	.45	1.82	.68	7.93	.90
Pet food .....	.09	.41	.25	.49	1.83	.66	9.40	.83
Purchase of pets, pet supplies, accessories .....	.23	.61	.08	.78	1.35	1.17	3.28	1.49
Pet services including veterinary .....	.19	.14	.38	.18	2.21	.62	4.77	1.03
Pet services .....	.11	.21	.36	.23	1.23	.39	3.25	.73
Veterinarian services .....	.15	.17	.37	.29	2.52	.76	5.45	1.04
Sporting goods .....	.01	.38	.09	.51	-.02	.70	1.36	.97
Sports vehicles including bicycles .....	.11	.52	.08	.67	.02	1.00	.41	1.42
Sports equipment .....	-.07	.43	-.13	.73	-.20	.90	1.67	1.36
Photography .....	-.06	.42	.25	.58	.25	.97	.45	1.28
Photographic equipment and supplies .....	-.36	.81	-.17	1.15	-1.46	2.13	-3.09	2.61
Film and photographic supplies .....	.17	.70	.03	.97	.68	2.18	2.46	3.00
Photographic equipment .....	-.42	.97	-.21	1.28	-1.87	2.16	-4.69	3.17
Photographers and film processing .....	.11	.30	.32	.46	1.66	.75	3.48	.97
Photographer fees .....	.19	.30	.23	.40	.48	.70	1.19	.70
Film processing .....	.15	.39	.27	.56	2.55	1.35	5.18	2.00
Other recreational goods .....	-.09	.52	-.53	.69	-1.61	.96	-3.06	1.17
Toys .....	-.51	.58	-1.31	.85	-2.73	1.11	-5.51	1.52
Toys, games, hobbies and playground equipment .....	-.18	.45	-.33	.66	-.98	1.08	-2.35	1.31
Sewing machines, fabric and supplies .....	.62	1.30	1.26	1.64	2.29	2.23	2.57	2.67
Music instruments and accessories .....	.11	.58	.17	.85	.56	1.06	1.12	1.34
Recreation services .....	.09	.35	.32	.44	.61	.59	1.30	.73
Club dues and fees for participant sports and group exercises .....	-.13	.50	-.22	.65	-.07	.97	-.36	1.19
Admissions .....	.25	.57	.32	.93	.78	1.05	1.87	1.08
Admission to movies, theaters, and concerts .....	.26	.44	.27	.66	.75	.98	1.74	1.17

**Table 1V. U.S. city average, median price change and median price change standard error for the Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U), by detailed expenditure categories for 1-, 2-, 6-, and 12-month intervals, 2009-Continued**

Item and group	U.S. city average							
	1 Month		2 Month		6 Month		12 Month	
	Median price change	Median standard error	Median price change	Median standard error	Median price change	Median standard error	Median price change	Median standard error
<b>Expenditure category</b>								
Admission to sporting events .....	0.20	0.46	0.23	0.71	0.78	1.18	1.93	1.55
Fees for lessons or instructions .....	.07	.23	.30	.34	1.66	.56	2.75	.74
Recreational reading materials .....	.25	.35	.43	.57	1.85	.97	3.91	.98
Newspapers and magazines .....	.31	.52	.86	.97	3.38	1.57	6.05	1.64
Recreational books .....	.07	.45	-.09	.59	.34	.86	1.14	.98
Education and communication .....	.07	.06	.22	.08	1.38	.15	2.91	.22
Education .....	.13	.11	.27	.12	2.69	.26	5.47	.36
Educational books and supplies .....	.40	.32	.91	.48	3.48	.77	6.94	.87
Tuition, other school fees, and childcare .....	.10	.11	.24	.13	2.64	.27	5.33	.38
College tuition and fees .....	.07	.20	.25	.23	3.21	.48	5.91	.65
Elementary and high school tuition and fees .....	.10	.09	.22	.15	2.59	.31	5.67	.35
Child care and nursery school .....	.10	.09	.27	.14	1.35	.35	4.25	.53
Technical and business school tuition and fees .....	.23	.18	.37	.30	1.97	.81	4.44	1.21
Communication .....	.03	.07	.00	.10	.15	.16	.65	.22
Postage and delivery services .....	.04	.02	.22	.05	2.18	.20	4.17	.30
Postage .....	.00	.00	.09	.04	2.58	.21	5.21	.27
Delivery services .....	.27	.22	.16	.40	-2.45	.75	-6.81	.87
Information and information processing .....	.02	.08	-.02	.10	-.01	.16	.45	.24
Telephone services .....	.09	.06	.21	.07	.66	.14	1.57	.20
Land-line telephone services, local charges .....	.25	.09	.45	.15	1.42	.24	2.90	.34
Land-line telephone services, long distance charges .....	.10	.17	.16	.20	1.05	.33	2.69	.74
Land-line interstate toll calls .....	.05	.19	.22	.23	1.45	.42	3.84	1.34
Land-line intrastate toll calls .....	.14	.21	.29	.31	1.08	.55	3.27	1.09
Wireless telephone services .....	.00	.01	.00	.02	.07	.05	.20	.06
Information technology, hardware and services .....	-.40	.27	-.65	.40	-2.46	.66	-3.72	.80
Personal computers and peripheral equipment .....	-.83	.48	-2.20	.71	-6.57	1.16	-13.05	1.25
Computer software and accessories .....	-.18	.71	-.40	.94	-.67	1.09	-1.11	1.43
Internet services and electronic information providers .....	-.09	.26	-.29	.55	.89	.91	3.87	1.15
Telephone hardware, calculators, and other consumer information items .....	-.49	.89	-.91	1.15	-3.17	1.49	-4.89	2.15
Other goods and services .....	.31	.11	.62	.16	3.67	.30	7.45	.40
Tobacco and smoking products .....	.80	.25	1.42	.35	13.59	.85	27.84	1.24
Cigarettes .....	.75	.26	1.41	.36	13.77	.89	28.28	1.31
Tobacco products other than cigarettes .....	1.00	.73	2.25	.99	10.97	2.29	20.52	2.73
Personal care .....	.14	.11	.21	.15	.75	.24	1.50	.40
Personal care products .....	-.06	.31	.04	.44	.37	.56	2.31	.72
Hair, dental, shaving, and miscellaneous personal care products .....	-.14	.61	-.06	.75	.33	.93	1.26	1.09
Cosmetics, perfume, bath, nail preparations and implements .....	-.06	.37	.16	.47	.62	.62	3.48	.84
Personal care services .....	-.01	.11	-.02	.17	.66	.25	1.70	.35
Haircuts and other personal care services .....	-.01	.11	-.02	.17	.66	.25	1.70	.35
Miscellaneous personal services .....	.20	.12	.40	.17	1.13	.32	1.42	.71
Legal services .....	.10	.22	.32	.36	1.26	.52	2.91	.57
Funeral expenses .....	.26	.16	.43	.27	1.74	.47	3.81	.68
Laundry and dry cleaning services .....	.13	.13	.26	.24	1.03	.50	2.54	.59
Apparel services other than laundry and dry cleaning .....	.24	.22	.53	.31	1.91	.57	4.35	.88
Financial services .....	.21	.21	.20	.31	.65	.72	-5.92	3.26
Checking account and other bank services .....	.17	.21	.28	.37	.70	.61	-5.57	3.83
Tax return preparation and other accounting fees .....	.20	.38	.42	.49	1.11	.87	2.10	1.14
Miscellaneous personal goods .....	.52	.46	.16	.67	.11	.80	.45	1.04
Stationery, stationery supplies, gift wrap .....	.50	.43	-.10	.69	.34	.82	.57	1.03
Infants' equipment .....	.30	.53	.57	.69	2.53	.95	4.29	1.34
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>								
Commodities .....	.46	.07	.86	.10	1.60	.13	-4.19	.14
Commodities less food and beverages .....	.68	.11	1.44	.14	2.74	.20	-8.34	.20
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	1.26	.15	2.25	.22	4.09	.30	-12.39	.28
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel .....	1.66	.11	2.61	.14	5.39	.19	-16.48	.18
Durables .....	.21	.13	.30	.17	.27	.23	-1.35	.27
Services .....	.05	.05	.18	.07	.44	.11	1.02	.11
Rent of shelter .....	.01	.07	.11	.10	.45	.17	1.08	.20
Transportation services .....	.31	.12	.67	.17	1.42	.25	3.09	.34
Other services .....	.18	.09	.40	.11	1.16	.16	2.76	.21
All items less food .....	.29	.05	.50	.06	1.13	.09	-1.27	.10

**Table 1V. U.S. city average, median price change and median price change standard error for the Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U), by detailed expenditure categories for 1-, 2-, 6-, and 12-month intervals, 2009-Continued**

Item and group	U.S. city average							
	1 Month		2 Month		6 Month		12 Month	
	Median price change	Median standard error	Median price change	Median standard error	Median price change	Median standard error	Median price change	Median standard error
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>								
All items less shelter .....	0.33	0.05	0.56	0.06	1.34	0.09	-1.56	0.10
All items less medical care .....	.24	.04	.38	.06	.86	.09	-.79	.09
Commodities less food .....	.67	.10	1.39	.14	2.68	.20	-7.89	.19
Nondurables less food .....	1.18	.14	2.11	.20	3.88	.28	-11.36	.27
Nondurables less food and apparel .....	1.52	.10	2.39	.13	4.98	.19	-14.78	.18
Nondurables .....	.59	.09	1.03	.12	1.84	.16	-5.06	.17
Apparel less footwear .....	-.46	.62	-.64	.80	.42	1.15	.72	1.27
Services less rent of shelter .....	.17	.06	.21	.08	.82	.12	1.62	.15
Services less medical care services .....	.03	.05	.15	.07	.35	.12	.82	.12
Energy .....	1.38	.17	1.22	.20	3.82	.32	-22.32	.27
All items less energy .....	.13	.04	.12	.06	.64	.09	1.62	.10
All items less food and energy .....	.17	.05	.18	.06	.77	.10	1.72	.11
All items less food and shelter .....	.42	.06	.79	.08	1.74	.11	-2.74	.12
All items less food, shelter, and energy .....	.17	.07	.45	.08	1.24	.12	2.07	.14
All items less food, shelter, energy, and used cars and trucks .....	.15	.07	.38	.09	1.15	.12	2.50	.14
Commodities less food and energy commodities .....	-.04	.11	.62	.15	.97	.21	1.29	.23
Commodities less food, energy, and used cars and trucks .....	-.05	.12	.49	.16	.83	.22	2.11	.25
Energy commodities .....	3.79	.20	4.37	.24	9.64	.36	-35.04	.19
Services less energy services .....	.14	.05	.27	.07	.74	.11	1.71	.13
Domestically produced farm food .....	-.26	.15	-.45	.17	-1.55	.19	-.58	.22
Utilities and public transportation .....	-.16	.11	-.34	.16	-.42	.27	-1.57	.31



**Table 2V. Northeast Region, median price change and median price change standard error for the Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U), by detailed expenditure categories for 1-, 2-, 6-, and 12-month intervals, 2009**

Item and group	Northeast							
	1 Month		2 Month		6 Month		12 Month	
	Median price change	Median standard error	Median price change	Median standard error	Median price change	Median standard error	Median price change	Median standard error
<b>Expenditure category</b>								
All items .....	0.16	0.10	0.43	0.13	1.09	0.19	0.02	0.20
Food and beverages .....	.06	.15	.03	.17	.00	.22	2.05	.27
Food .....	.05	.16	-.02	.18	-.13	.23	1.95	.29
Food at home .....	-.12	.28	-.36	.30	-1.01	.40	.66	.48
Food away from home .....	.13	.09	.38	.15	1.03	.24	3.57	.34
Alcoholic beverages .....	.15	.22	.37	.32	1.35	.47	3.31	.54
Housing .....	-.01	.15	.17	.22	.09	.37	.35	.34
Shelter .....	.23	.18	.44	.27	.72	.41	1.75	.43
Rent of primary residence .....	.12	.09	.28	.15	1.04	.28	3.21	.35
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence .....	.19	.15	.39	.20	1.32	.41	2.46	.39
Fuels and utilities .....	-.53	.27	-.84	.43	-4.62	.67	-8.19	.72
Household energy .....	-.63	.33	-1.20	.49	-5.57	.76	-10.22	.80
Gas (piped) and electricity .....	-.80	.34	-1.38	.52	-5.84	.76	-6.47	.89
Electricity .....	-.29	.30	-.57	.42	.63	.75	1.98	.94
Utility (piped) gas service .....	-1.75	.48	-4.68	1.10	-14.21	1.21	-20.88	1.31
Household furnishings and operations .....	-.25	.34	-.28	.52	-.14	.64	.34	.68
Apparel .....	-.74	1.21	-.34	1.48	.74	2.17	1.80	2.28
Transportation .....	.56	.15	1.55	.20	5.27	.36	-10.44	.34
Private transportation .....	.48	.16	1.96	.22	5.17	.42	-10.97	.40
New and used motor vehicles .....	.48	.29	.43	.41	.84	.56	.39	.69
New vehicles .....	.46	.35	.68	.50	1.32	.86	.46	.85
New cars and trucks .....	.46	.49	.69	.89	1.32	1.14	.40	1.07
New cars .....	.26	.53	.13	1.07	.43	.90	-.34	.90
Used cars and trucks .....	.90	.10	1.94	.17	-.84	.42	-8.12	.43
Motor fuel .....	1.75	.31	4.68	.43	10.54	.57	-35.66	.33
Gasoline (all types) .....	1.92	.32	4.94	.42	10.40	.58	-35.50	.34
Gasoline, unleaded regular .....	2.01	.45	5.12	.71	10.56	.92	-36.05	.63
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade .....	1.64	.55	4.51	.65	10.17	.85	-34.51	.58
Gasoline, unleaded premium .....	1.68	.39	4.35	.55	9.80	.89	-33.53	.47
Medical care .....	.09	.18	.33	.25	1.16	.46	2.54	.54
Medical care commodities .....	.36	.27	.77	.40	1.80	1.02	2.88	1.42
Medical care services .....	.10	.17	.20	.22	.94	.52	2.19	.71
Professional services .....	.08	.14	.13	.21	.72	.32	1.55	.66
Recreation .....	.01	.28	.10	.46	1.29	.71	2.53	.71
Education and communication .....	.11	.15	.31	.20	1.43	.27	3.77	.47
Other goods and services .....	.30	.22	.69	.28	2.99	.52	6.61	1.01
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>								
Commodities .....	.61	.16	.86	.21	2.11	.28	-3.60	.29
Commodities less food and beverages .....	.98	.24	1.44	.33	3.48	.47	-8.18	.41
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	1.36	.36	2.10	.47	4.90	.66	-11.51	.60
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel .....	1.07	.21	2.07	.28	5.30	.40	-15.70	.48
Durables .....	.10	.21	-.03	.29	.25	.47	-1.73	.53
Services .....	.06	.11	.34	.16	.74	.26	1.55	.27
Rent of shelter .....	.23	.18	.44	.27	.72	.42	1.75	.43
Transportation services .....	.31	.21	.55	.27	1.00	.52	2.66	.69
Other services .....	.15	.16	.36	.25	1.69	.33	3.42	.42
All items less food .....	.18	.11	.51	.15	1.25	.22	-.61	.22
All items less shelter .....	.17	.11	.56	.13	1.58	.19	-.95	.21
All items less medical care .....	.16	.10	.43	.14	1.11	.20	-.14	.21
Commodities less food .....	.94	.23	1.40	.32	3.38	.44	-7.72	.40
Nondurables less food .....	1.28	.33	1.96	.44	4.63	.61	-10.59	.57
Nondurables less food and apparel .....	.94	.20	1.87	.25	4.91	.39	-14.17	.46
Nondurables .....	.68	.19	1.05	.25	2.48	.33	-4.15	.36
Services less rent of shelter .....	.00	.12	.33	.14	.25	.21	1.39	.28
Services less medical care services .....	.06	.12	.32	.17	.71	.28	1.52	.28
Energy .....	-.10	.25	1.15	.33	4.22	.49	-20.53	.48
All items less energy .....	.23	.10	.35	.14	.90	.20	2.07	.21
All items less food and energy .....	.25	.12	.47	.17	1.10	.23	2.21	.25
Commodities less food and energy commodities .....	.16	.28	.43	.37	1.14	.51	1.62	.51
Energy commodities .....	1.27	.34	3.33	.43	11.37	.74	-35.40	.51
Services less energy services .....	.20	.12	.43	.18	1.08	.26	2.20	.28

**Table 3V. Midwest Region, median price change and median price change standard error for the Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U), by detailed expenditure categories for 1-, 2-, 6-, and 12-month intervals, 2009**

Item and group	Midwest							
	1 Month		2 Month		6 Month		12 Month	
	Median price change	Median standard error	Median price change	Median standard error	Median price change	Median standard error	Median price change	Median standard error
<b>Expenditure category</b>								
All items .....	0.27	0.07	0.41	0.09	1.11	0.14	-1.16	0.16
Food and beverages .....	-.03	.15	-.02	.20	-.01	.26	2.16	.30
Food .....	-.06	.17	-.09	.22	-.15	.27	2.04	.29
Food at home .....	-.22	.25	-.31	.34	-1.05	.35	.73	.39
Food away from home .....	.15	.13	.32	.19	1.04	.34	3.75	.47
Alcoholic beverages .....	.21	.36	.65	.63	1.77	.77	3.51	.85
Housing .....	-.12	.12	-.15	.15	-.16	.21	-.60	.26
Shelter .....	.15	.13	.32	.19	.60	.26	.77	.28
Rent of primary residence .....	.11	.08	.26	.11	.77	.22	2.16	.29
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence .....	.15	.08	.33	.12	.95	.18	1.61	.26
Fuels and utilities .....	-.58	.32	-1.92	.52	-2.60	.86	-8.66	.97
Household energy .....	-.92	.37	-2.61	.62	-3.65	1.04	-11.10	1.13
Gas (piped) and electricity .....	-.83	.38	-2.42	.65	-3.73	1.01	-10.34	1.14
Electricity .....	.45	.40	.78	.69	1.42	1.26	3.98	1.00
Utility (piped) gas service .....	-2.50	.76	-4.00	.97	-22.13	1.55	-30.11	1.74
Household furnishings and operations .....	-.03	.29	-.26	.36	.25	.58	1.45	.69
Apparel .....	-.14	.95	-.21	1.39	.58	1.77	.47	2.23
Transportation .....	1.19	.17	1.43	.23	5.02	.37	-12.21	.39
Private transportation .....	1.26	.17	1.46	.24	5.28	.37	-12.73	.42
New and used motor vehicles .....	.20	.32	.34	.46	.45	.64	-1.38	.78
New vehicles .....	.33	.42	.62	.60	1.60	.80	-.26	.94
New cars and trucks .....	.34	.39	.62	.57	1.62	.73	-.22	1.05
New cars .....	-.03	.45	.41	.62	.25	.63	-.21	.94
Used cars and trucks .....	.99	.03	2.07	.07	-1.77	.15	-8.59	.26
Motor fuel .....	3.03	.44	4.78	.49	13.55	.51	-35.10	.28
Gasoline (all types) .....	3.28	.46	5.44	.51	14.51	.52	-35.13	.29
Gasoline, unleaded regular .....	3.43	.51	5.58	.74	14.91	.82	-35.57	.42
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade .....	3.02	.58	5.18	.82	13.89	.83	-34.40	.45
Gasoline, unleaded premium .....	2.90	.56	4.89	.68	12.48	.93	-33.25	.44
Medical care .....	.29	.12	.58	.20	1.98	.56	3.78	.68
Medical care commodities .....	.25	.21	.65	.33	2.04	.39	3.94	.63
Medical care services .....	.32	.15	.67	.25	1.96	.72	3.73	.98
Professional services .....	.15	.16	.49	.29	2.19	.96	3.85	1.46
Recreation .....	-.03	.26	-.18	.37	.20	.55	1.13	.73
Education and communication .....	.08	.08	.16	.13	1.14	.31	2.74	.38
Other goods and services .....	.26	.25	.57	.31	4.05	.78	7.51	1.08
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>								
Commodities .....	.54	.12	.75	.18	1.82	.24	-3.90	.30
Commodities less food and beverages .....	.90	.19	1.22	.27	3.00	.38	-7.85	.43
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	1.58	.31	1.81	.42	4.98	.55	-11.73	.66
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel .....	1.54	.23	2.68	.30	6.63	.41	-15.08	.36
Durables .....	-.01	.23	.03	.33	-.39	.48	-1.73	.56
Services .....	.03	.09	.16	.13	.61	.18	.76	.23
Rent of shelter .....	.15	.13	.31	.19	.57	.26	.74	.29
Transportation services .....	.41	.19	.68	.42	.96	.56	3.75	.80
Other services .....	.16	.11	.27	.18	.96	.32	2.21	.45
All items less food .....	.35	.09	.53	.11	1.34	.16	-1.90	.18
All items less shelter .....	.35	.09	.55	.12	1.33	.18	-1.79	.22
All items less medical care .....	.27	.07	.39	.10	1.06	.14	-1.49	.17
Commodities less food .....	.85	.19	1.18	.25	2.93	.36	-7.34	.41
Nondurables less food .....	1.43	.29	1.71	.39	4.71	.52	-10.64	.62
Nondurables less food and apparel .....	1.40	.21	2.44	.28	6.10	.37	-13.45	.36
Nondurables .....	.75	.17	.87	.22	2.38	.27	-4.56	.37
Services less rent of shelter .....	.23	.10	.15	.18	.69	.28	.75	.35
Services less medical care services .....	.03	.10	.09	.13	.51	.18	.48	.25
Energy .....	-.26	.31	.77	.46	4.15	.59	-24.18	.56
All items less energy .....	.22	.07	.25	.11	.80	.15	1.79	.18
All items less food and energy .....	.25	.09	.34	.12	1.00	.17	1.59	.20
Commodities less food and energy commodities .....	.02	.20	.32	.27	.93	.39	1.55	.47
Energy commodities .....	2.68	.43	4.23	.47	12.69	.51	-34.76	.28
Services less energy services .....	.15	.09	.31	.13	1.01	.18	1.72	.22

**Table 4V. South Region, median price change and median price change standard error for the Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U), by detailed expenditure categories for 1-, 2-, 6-, and 12-month intervals, 2009**

Item and group	South							
	1 Month		2 Month		6 Month		12 Month	
	Median price change	Median standard error	Median price change	Median standard error	Median price change	Median standard error	Median price change	Median standard error
<b>Expenditure category</b>								
All items .....	0.25	0.07	0.50	0.10	1.01	0.13	-0.54	0.17
Food and beverages .....	-0.06	.13	.04	.15	-.12	.20	1.74	.24
Food .....	-0.06	.13	.03	.15	-.19	.20	1.63	.25
Food at home .....	-.17	.22	-.22	.25	-1.09	.32	.07	.38
Food away from home .....	.16	.11	.39	.17	.91	.22	3.50	.32
Alcoholic beverages .....	.14	.28	.25	.40	.88	.53	2.82	.63
Housing .....	-.11	.11	-.08	.15	-.20	.24	.41	.30
Shelter .....	.00	.12	.07	.17	.50	.32	1.34	.44
Rent of primary residence .....	.07	.09	.12	.13	.69	.26	2.30	.47
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence .....	.04	.10	.06	.15	.69	.31	1.76	.56
Fuels and utilities .....	-.43	.33	-.91	.55	-2.64	.86	-4.17	.99
Household energy .....	-.53	.39	-1.42	.68	-3.69	1.02	-6.16	1.18
Gas (piped) and electricity .....	-.48	.40	-1.47	.69	-3.37	1.06	-5.55	1.23
Electricity .....	-.62	.47	-1.15	.75	-2.20	1.14	-.16	1.37
Utility (piped) gas service .....	-1.64	.74	-3.02	1.04	-17.98	1.11	-21.77	1.49
Household furnishings and operations .....	-.02	.20	.03	.29	1.09	.50	2.04	.65
Apparel .....	-.57	.72	-.49	1.06	.08	1.64	.79	1.85
Transportation .....	1.20	.17	2.38	.25	5.35	.33	-13.88	.31
Private transportation .....	1.27	.17	2.51	.26	5.28	.35	-14.15	.31
New and used motor vehicles .....	.34	.27	1.02	.44	1.27	.54	-.52	.59
New vehicles .....	.41	.39	1.03	.63	2.18	.73	1.23	.81
New cars and trucks .....	.41	.35	1.03	.50	2.20	.69	1.21	.88
New cars .....	.23	.40	.76	.49	1.53	.64	1.55	.74
Used cars and trucks .....	1.16	.03	2.63	.06	.41	.20	-8.02	.20
Motor fuel .....	2.96	.35	6.68	.38	10.87	.51	-36.77	.31
Gasoline (all types) .....	3.40	.37	6.98	.39	11.77	.53	-36.57	.32
Gasoline, unleaded regular .....	3.61	.49	7.18	.45	12.18	.48	-37.29	.38
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade .....	3.10	.60	6.72	.46	11.17	.65	-35.47	.43
Gasoline, unleaded premium .....	2.78	.49	6.25	.41	10.40	.54	-34.18	.42
Medical care .....	.24	.12	.51	.24	1.57	.34	2.57	.48
Medical care commodities .....	.20	.20	.45	.30	1.56	.61	3.10	.90
Medical care services .....	.18	.13	.40	.27	1.31	.40	2.37	.51
Professional services .....	.18	.13	.38	.18	1.29	.35	2.55	.41
Recreation .....	.11	.19	-.03	.30	.58	.51	1.43	.67
Education and communication .....	.14	.12	.22	.17	1.21	.27	2.69	.44
Other goods and services .....	.22	.22	.67	.33	4.68	.53	9.10	.65
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>								
Commodities .....	.68	.12	1.30	.16	1.90	.23	-4.70	.28
Commodities less food and beverages .....	1.09	.17	2.16	.24	3.18	.34	-8.99	.39
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	1.25	.25	2.56	.37	4.44	.51	-13.47	.45
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel .....	1.34	.20	3.55	.24	5.98	.34	-17.48	.31
Durables .....	.24	.21	.67	.33	.63	.41	-.86	.50
Services .....	.02	.09	.08	.13	.38	.18	1.11	.23
Rent of shelter .....	.01	.12	.08	.17	.48	.33	1.36	.45
Transportation services .....	.27	.18	.63	.26	1.13	.36	2.99	.52
Other services .....	.16	.10	.34	.17	1.11	.31	3.10	.44
All items less food .....	.30	.08	.61	.11	1.22	.14	-1.27	.18
All items less shelter .....	.29	.08	.75	.12	1.39	.15	-1.66	.20
All items less medical care .....	.25	.07	.49	.10	.97	.14	-.75	.19
Commodities less food .....	1.05	.16	2.10	.23	3.08	.33	-8.58	.37
Nondurables less food .....	1.17	.24	2.45	.34	4.23	.48	-12.55	.43
Nondurables less food and apparel .....	1.24	.19	3.32	.22	5.57	.33	-16.09	.31
Nondurables .....	.68	.14	1.24	.20	2.11	.29	-5.49	.29
Services less rent of shelter .....	.10	.11	.20	.17	.62	.24	1.25	.31
Services less medical care services .....	.01	.09	.05	.14	.31	.20	1.01	.25
Energy .....	1.08	.35	1.78	.40	3.57	.62	-22.51	.61
All items less energy .....	.16	.07	.16	.10	.74	.15	1.85	.21
All items less food and energy .....	.22	.08	.21	.11	.78	.17	1.89	.23
Commodities less food and energy commodities .....	.16	.18	.28	.25	1.21	.38	1.74	.44
Energy commodities .....	2.86	.34	6.44	.36	10.36	.48	-36.46	.33
Services less energy services .....	.09	.08	.21	.12	.85	.20	1.88	.27

**Table 5V. West Region, median price change and median price change standard error for the Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U), by detailed expenditure categories for 1-, 2-, 6-, and 12-month intervals, 2009**

Item and group	West							
	1 Month		2 Month		6 Month		12 Month	
	Median price change	Median standard error	Median price change	Median standard error	Median price change	Median standard error	Median price change	Median standard error
<b>Expenditure category</b>								
All items .....	0.18	0.08	0.37	0.12	0.60	0.19	-0.62	0.16
Food and beverages .....	-21	.15	-31	.17	-62	.24	.66	.26
Food .....	-21	.15	-33	.18	-75	.25	.54	.25
Food at home .....	-40	.26	-80	.29	-2.19	.41	-1.50	.36
Food away from home .....	.14	.14	.34	.18	1.34	.25	3.25	.32
Alcoholic beverages .....	.07	.40	.18	.56	.42	.71	2.09	.93
Housing .....	-10	.11	-15	.16	-.02	.31	.36	.25
Shelter .....	-15	.13	-23	.17	-18	.31	.65	.27
Rent of primary residence .....	-.03	.09	-.16	.16	.04	.49	2.28	.24
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence .....	-.09	.08	-.24	.11	-.16	.21	1.42	.28
Fuels and utilities .....	.28	.18	.48	.36	1.39	.96	.56	.36
Household energy .....	.10	.21	.44	.45	.70	1.16	-1.19	.50
Gas (piped) and electricity .....	.09	.22	.37	.47	.77	1.21	-.10	.50
Electricity .....	.25	.28	.68	.50	2.44	1.42	5.36	.83
Utility (piped) gas service .....	-1.45	.58	-1.00	.86	-6.14	1.99	-13.57	1.76
Household furnishings and operations .....	-.05	.31	-.35	.40	.00	.55	.52	.78
Apparel .....	-35	1.07	.19	1.56	.93	2.10	1.09	2.26
Transportation .....	.89	.19	1.55	.28	4.46	.45	-10.30	.34
Private transportation .....	.98	.20	1.74	.28	4.47	.44	-10.91	.33
New and used motor vehicles .....	.49	.33	.82	.45	2.06	.60	-.16	.68
New vehicles .....	.46	.47	.60	.61	1.68	.81	.72	.91
New cars and trucks .....	.42	.68	.58	.84	1.68	.84	.70	.78
New cars .....	.38	.67	.72	.74	.73	.82	1.03	.79
Used cars and trucks .....	1.07	.04	2.05	.07	-.65	.23	-8.10	.20
Motor fuel .....	2.79	.32	5.30	.56	9.59	.63	-33.67	.40
Gasoline (all types) .....	2.79	.32	5.46	.58	10.06	.63	-33.34	.42
Gasoline, unleaded regular .....	2.79	.59	5.52	.80	10.13	.93	-33.74	.74
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade .....	2.78	.54	5.31	.73	9.90	.92	-32.79	.79
Gasoline, unleaded premium .....	2.80	.45	5.30	.65	9.77	.91	-31.92	.64
Medical care .....	.18	.13	.44	.16	2.03	.49	4.11	.72
Medical care commodities .....	.22	.30	.57	.36	1.85	.58	3.20	.91
Medical care services .....	.17	.13	.38	.19	2.14	.63	4.33	.89
Professional services .....	.09	.10	.35	.13	1.09	.27	2.52	.40
Recreation .....	-11	.26	-28	.36	-.75	.51	-.53	.55
Education and communication .....	.14	.12	.33	.17	1.57	.27	3.02	.36
Other goods and services .....	.23	.20	.41	.30	2.77	.44	5.55	.55
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>								
Commodities .....	.41	.16	.81	.22	1.21	.28	-4.18	.28
Commodities less food and beverages .....	.70	.22	1.52	.32	2.34	.39	-7.63	.38
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	1.32	.33	2.71	.48	3.59	.66	-11.92	.62
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel .....	1.36	.19	2.91	.33	4.67	.42	-15.67	.37
Durables .....	.26	.24	.25	.33	.54	.45	-1.49	.47
Services .....	.04	.08	.09	.11	.43	.23	1.11	.17
Rent of shelter .....	-.15	.13	-.23	.17	-.19	.31	.63	.28
Transportation services .....	.29	.20	.56	.32	1.35	.51	3.10	.75
Other services .....	.12	.14	.24	.18	1.03	.26	2.39	.31
All items less food .....	.24	.09	.50	.13	.83	.20	-.98	.18
All items less shelter .....	.33	.10	.62	.13	1.23	.18	-1.40	.19
All items less medical care .....	.18	.08	.37	.12	.50	.19	-.88	.16
Commodities less food .....	.69	.21	1.44	.30	2.27	.39	-7.16	.38
Nondurables less food .....	1.20	.31	2.46	.44	3.35	.64	-10.84	.61
Nondurables less food and apparel .....	1.20	.18	2.56	.30	4.25	.41	-13.96	.36
Nondurables .....	.56	.18	1.04	.26	1.32	.36	-4.80	.37
Services less rent of shelter .....	.26	.09	.48	.14	1.26	.25	2.44	.26
Services less medical care services .....	.02	.09	.07	.12	.25	.24	.86	.18
Energy .....	1.46	.25	2.65	.37	5.66	.55	-21.83	.44
All items less energy .....	.04	.08	.07	.11	.41	.18	1.07	.17
All items less food and energy .....	.08	.09	.10	.12	.50	.20	1.16	.19
Commodities less food and energy commodities .....	.18	.25	.52	.33	.75	.38	.60	.45
Energy commodities .....	2.77	.29	5.09	.57	9.66	.59	-33.38	.40
Services less energy services .....	.01	.09	.04	.11	.51	.21	1.34	.18

**Table 1. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, by expenditure category and commodity and service group**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Relative importance, December 2009	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Feb. 2010 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Jan. 2010	Feb. 2010	Feb. 2009	Jan. 2010	Nov. to Dec.	Dec. to Jan.	Jan. to Feb.
<b>Expenditure category</b>								
All items .....	100.000	216.687	216.741	2.1	0.0	0.2	0.2	0.0
All items (1967=100) .....	-	649.098	649.259	-	-	-	-	-
Food and beverages .....	14.795	219.223	219.140	-1	.0	.1	.2	.0
Food .....	13.738	218.874	218.778	-2	.0	.1	.2	.1
Food at home .....	7.801	215.404	215.118	-1.5	-1	.2	.4	.1
Cereals and bakery products .....	1.108	250.725	251.361	-1.1	.3	.4	-5	.0
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs .....	1.745	201.870	202.343	-2.7	.2	-1	.4	.4
Dairy and related products <sup>1</sup> .....	.820	198.949	198.800	-2.8	-1	.5	2.1	-1
Fruits and vegetables .....	1.153	279.119	274.963	-1.3	-1.5	.4	1.3	-1
Nonalcoholic beverages and beverage materials .....	.952	163.684	162.775	-9	-6	.0	.2	-4
Other food at home .....	2.023	190.994	191.572	-4	.3	.2	-3	.2
Sugar and sweets .....	.295	199.777	201.942	2.7	1.1	.3	-3	1.4
Fats and oils .....	.232	200.220	200.919	-2.2	.3	.6	.2	-1
Other foods .....	1.496	204.719	205.008	-8	.1	.2	-3	.0
Other miscellaneous foods <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.439	121.564	121.172	-1.1	-3	1.0	-7	-3
Food away from home <sup>1</sup> .....	5.937	224.916	225.081	1.4	.1	.1	.1	.1
Other food away from home <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.326	157.517	158.569	2.5	.7	.0	.3	.7
Alcoholic beverages .....	1.056	222.401	222.496	1.3	.0	.0	-1	-2
Housing .....	41.960	215.925	215.841	-6	.0	.0	-3	.0
Shelter .....	32.289	247.950	248.001	-4	.0	.0	-5	.0
Rent of primary residence <sup>3</sup> .....	5.966	249.144	249.017	.3	-1	.0	.0	.0
Lodging away from home <sup>2</sup> .....	.769	125.778	128.991	-5.0	2.6	.1	-2.1	.1
Owners' equivalent rent of residences <sup>3 4</sup> .....	25.206	256.591	256.483	.3	.0	.0	-1	.0
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>3 4</sup> .....	23.593	256.589	256.479	.3	.0	.0	-1	.0
Tenants' and household insurance <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.347	124.360	124.439	3.1	.1	1.3	.4	.1
Fuels and utilities .....	5.081	211.381	210.819	-1.3	-3	-1	.5	.5
Household energy .....	4.028	187.330	186.345	-3.0	-5	-2	.5	.4
Fuel oil and other fuels <sup>1</sup> .....	.276	280.850	277.284	14.5	-1.3	.9	6.9	-1.3
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>3</sup> .....	3.752	190.439	189.549	-4.2	-5	-3	.0	.5
Water and sewer and trash collection services <sup>2</sup> .....	1.052	166.857	168.078	6.6	.7	.4	.8	.7
Household furnishings and operations .....	4.590	127.209	126.945	-1.7	-2	.0	-1	-4
Household operations <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.781	149.510	149.707	-3	.1	.0	-4	.1
Apparel .....	3.695	116.678	118.869	.0	1.9	.4	-1	-7
Men's and boys' apparel .....	.903	109.762	111.351	-3.3	1.4	-2	.2	-5
Women's and girls' apparel .....	1.580	103.353	106.818	1.0	3.4	.9	.1	-9
Infants' and toddlers' apparel .....	.196	113.248	114.318	.7	.9	-2	1.0	-1.1
Footwear .....	.721	127.205	127.737	2.8	.4	.2	.3	-5
Transportation .....	16.685	190.512	189.577	11.8	-5	.7	1.3	-1
Private transportation .....	15.497	186.308	185.274	12.4	-6	.7	1.6	-1
New and used motor vehicles <sup>2</sup> .....	6.386	96.660	97.020	5.2	.4	.3	.2	.4
New vehicles .....	3.573	138.743	138.851	3.5	.1	-2	-5	.1
Used cars and trucks .....	2.012	139.174	140.218	14.1	.8	2.2	1.5	.7
Motor fuel .....	4.525	234.106	227.674	36.0	-2.7	1.7	4.8	-1.3
Gasoline (all types) .....	4.337	233.727	227.198	36.8	-2.8	2.3	4.4	-1.4
Motor vehicle parts and equipment <sup>1</sup> .....	.401	135.277	135.649	1.1	.3	.4	.4	.3
Motor vehicle maintenance and repair <sup>1</sup> .....	1.167	245.567	245.969	1.8	.2	.0	.1	.2
Public transportation .....	1.187	241.058	241.967	4.5	.4	1.2	-1.8	-1
Medical care .....	6.513	382.688	385.907	3.6	.8	.1	.5	.5
Medical care commodities <sup>1</sup> .....	1.611	310.494	312.864	3.5	.8	-1	.7	.8
Medical care services .....	4.902	404.937	408.447	3.7	.9	.2	.5	.4
Professional services .....	2.796	324.397	325.969	2.8	.5	.2	.5	.2

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 1. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, by expenditure category and commodity and service group -Continued**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Relative importance, December 2009	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Feb. 2010 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Jan. 2010	Feb. 2010	Feb. 2009	Jan. 2010	Nov. to Dec.	Dec. to Jan.	Jan. to Feb.
<b>Expenditure category</b>								
Hospital and related services <sup>3</sup>	1.619	588.631	598.549	7.2	1.7	0.6	0.4	1.1
Recreation <sup>2</sup>	6.437	113.310	113.345	-1.0	.0	-3	-1	-1
Video and audio <sup>2</sup>	1.894	99.940	99.532	-2.1	-4	-1	-2	-7
Education and communication <sup>2</sup>	6.434	129.072	129.105	2.3	.0	.2	.3	.2
Education <sup>2</sup>	3.035	195.850	196.137	4.7	.1	.4	.3	.5
Educational books and supplies	.200	500.551	502.812	7.0	.5	.4	.4	.7
Tuition, other school fees, and childcare	2.835	562.841	563.544	4.6	.1	.4	.3	.5
Communication <sup>2</sup>	3.399	84.974	84.905	.0	-1	.1	.2	-1
Information and information processing <sup>1 2</sup>	3.225	81.817	81.743	-4	-1	.0	.1	-1
Telephone services <sup>1 2</sup>	2.392	102.729	102.288	.4	-4	.2	.0	-4
Information technology, hardware and services <sup>1 5</sup>	.833	9.457	9.540	-3.9	.9	-5	.4	.9
Personal computers and peripheral equipment <sup>6</sup>	.246	78.323	77.961	-11.1	-5	-5	-6	-5
Other goods and services	3.483	377.652	377.992	7.6	.1	.2	.1	.1
Tobacco and smoking products <sup>1</sup>	.871	786.857	785.714	28.5	-1	.3	.4	-1
Personal care	2.612	205.789	206.137	1.4	.2	.1	-1	.1
Personal care products <sup>1</sup>	.688	161.627	162.029	-3	.2	.3	-4	.2
Personal care services <sup>1</sup>	.642	228.629	228.107	1.0	-2	.0	.1	-2
Miscellaneous personal services	1.048	349.605	350.780	2.8	.3	.2	.1	.3
<b>Commodity and service group</b>								
Commodities	39.816	173.646	173.419	4.5	-1	.3	.8	-2
Food and beverages	14.795	219.223	219.140	-1	.0	.1	.2	.0
Commodities less food and beverages	25.021	149.439	149.162	7.5	-2	.4	1.1	-3
Nondurables less food and beverages	15.044	187.484	186.882	11.5	-3	.7	1.6	-3
Apparel	3.695	116.678	118.869	.0	1.9	.4	-1	-7
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel	11.349	235.821	233.447	15.8	-1.0	.8	2.3	-3
Durables	9.978	111.731	111.753	2.3	.0	.3	.0	.0
Services	60.184	259.459	259.792	.6	.1	.1	-2	.1
Rent of shelter <sup>4</sup>	31.942	258.382	258.435	-4	.0	.0	-3	-3
Tenants' and household insurance <sup>1 2</sup>	.347	124.360	124.439	3.1	.1	1.3	.4	.1
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>3</sup>	3.752	190.439	189.549	-4.2	-5	-3	.0	.5
Water and sewer and trash collection services <sup>2</sup>	1.052	166.857	168.078	6.6	.7	.4	.8	.7
Household operations <sup>1 2</sup>	.781	149.510	149.707	-3	.1	.0	-4	.1
Transportation services	6.060	255.216	256.365	3.3	.5	.3	-3	.4
Medical care services	4.902	404.937	408.447	3.7	.9	.2	.5	.4
Other services	11.347	306.916	307.171	1.9	.1	.1	.2	.1
<b>Special indexes</b>								
All items less food	86.262	216.362	216.440	2.5	.0	.2	.2	.0
All items less shelter	67.711	206.892	206.948	3.4	.0	.2	.5	.0
All items less medical care	93.487	208.499	208.432	2.0	.0	.2	.1	.0
Commodities less food	26.078	152.035	151.767	7.3	-2	.4	1.1	-3
Nondurables less food	16.100	189.578	189.015	10.8	-3	.6	1.6	-3
Nondurables less food and apparel	12.405	233.498	231.353	14.3	-9	.7	2.1	-3
Nondurables	29.838	203.588	203.219	5.3	-2	.3	.9	-2
Services less rent of shelter <sup>4</sup>	28.243	280.730	281.432	1.7	.3	.2	.1	.3
Services less medical care services	55.282	248.023	248.178	.3	.1	.1	-2	-1
Energy	8.553	208.026	204.455	14.4	-1.7	.8	2.8	-5
All items less energy	91.447	219.287	219.708	1.1	.2	.1	-1	.1
All items less food and energy	77.708	220.086	220.602	1.3	.2	.1	-1	.1
Commodities less food and energy commodities	21.276	143.125	143.711	2.5	.4	.1	.1	-1
Energy commodities	4.801	238.069	231.735	34.4	-2.7	1.6	4.9	-1.3
Services less energy services	56.432	266.519	266.967	.9	.2	.1	-2	.1
Purchasing power of the consumer dollar (1982-84=\$1.00)	-	\$.461	\$.461	-	-	-	-	-
Purchasing power of the consumer dollar (1967=\$1.00)	-	\$.154	\$.154	-	-	-	-	-

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

<sup>2</sup> Indexes on a December 1997=100 base.

<sup>3</sup> This index series was calculated using a Laspeyres estimator. All other item stratum index series were calculated using a geometric means estimator.

<sup>4</sup> Indexes on a December 1982=100 base.

<sup>5</sup> Indexes on a December 1988=100 base.

<sup>6</sup> Indexes on a December 2007=100 base.

- Data not available.

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): Seasonally adjusted U.S. city average, by expenditure category and commodity and service group**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Seasonally adjusted indexes				Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for					
					3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
	Nov. 2009	Dec. 2009	Jan. 2010	Feb. 2010	May 2009	Aug. 2009	Nov. 2009	Feb. 2010	Aug. 2009	Feb. 2010
<b>Expenditure category</b>										
All items .....	216.859	217.224	217.587	217.591	0.3	4.8	2.4	1.4	2.5	1.9
Food and beverages .....	217.952	218.253	218.731	218.838	-1.6	-7	.3	1.6	-1.1	1.0
Food .....	217.482	217.801	218.339	218.494	-1.9	-9	.1	1.9	-1.4	1.0
Food at home .....	213.206	213.655	214.479	214.628	-4.8	-2.6	-1.2	2.7	-3.7	.7
Cereals and bakery products .....	251.806	252.805	251.452	251.354	-3.3	-1.1	.7	-7	-2.2	.0
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs .....	200.929	200.779	201.682	202.506	-6.3	-4.0	-3.4	3.2	-5.1	-2
Dairy and related products <sup>1</sup> .....	193.914	194.792	198.949	198.800	-15.6	-7.3	3.2	10.5	-11.5	6.8
Fruits and vegetables .....	268.326	269.428	272.854	272.571	-3.1	-3.5	-4.9	6.5	-3.3	.6
Nonalcoholic beverages and beverage materials .....	162.164	162.202	162.499	161.872	-7	-6	-1.5	-7	-6	-1.1
Other food at home .....	190.868	191.326	190.812	191.211	-2.2	-5	.3	.7	-1.4	.5
Sugar and sweets .....	198.960	199.524	198.862	201.656	-2	-1.3	6.8	5.5	-7	6.2
Fats and oils .....	197.875	199.004	199.460	199.352	-5.2	-2.3	-4.0	3.0	-3.8	-5
Other foods .....	205.086	205.455	204.762	204.793	-2.2	.0	-3	-6	-1.1	-5
Other miscellaneous foods <sup>1 2</sup> .....	121.263	122.422	121.564	121.172	.8	-3.0	-2.0	-3	-1.1	-1.2
Food away from home <sup>1</sup> .....	224.633	224.789	224.916	225.081	1.9	1.2	1.7	.8	1.5	1.3
Other food away from home <sup>1 2</sup> .....	157.027	156.990	157.517	158.569	1.0	4.2	.8	4.0	2.6	2.4
Alcoholic beverages .....	222.717	222.792	222.488	221.954	1.4	2.4	2.8	-1.4	1.9	.7
Housing .....	216.881	216.880	216.185	216.181	-1.0	-5	.1	-1.3	-7	-6
Shelter .....	249.173	249.216	248.029	247.976	1.1	.0	-8	-1.9	.6	-1.3
Rent of primary residence <sup>3</sup> .....	248.786	248.788	248.885	248.813	1.7	.1	-7	.0	.9	-3
Lodging away from home <sup>2</sup> .....	132.339	132.480	129.698	129.776	-6.3	-5.6	-9	-7.5	-6.0	-4.3
Owners' equivalent rent of residences <sup>3 4</sup> .....	256.721	256.708	256.509	256.449	1.8	.5	-8	-4	1.2	-6
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>3 4</sup> .....	256.721	256.708	256.507	256.445	1.8	.5	-8	-4	1.2	-6
Tenants' and household insurance <sup>1 2</sup> .....	122.243	123.812	124.360	124.439	.1	3.7	1.4	7.4	1.9	4.3
Fuels and utilities .....	211.881	211.685	212.757	213.770	-14.2	-1.9	8.8	3.6	-8.3	6.2
Household energy .....	188.492	188.120	188.982	189.753	-18.4	-3.8	9.7	2.7	-11.4	6.1
Fuel oil and other fuels <sup>1</sup> .....	260.250	262.649	280.850	277.284	-25.4	23.8	44.1	28.9	-3.9	36.3
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>3</sup> .....	192.829	192.284	192.250	193.283	-17.9	-5.5	7.5	.9	-11.9	4.2
Water and sewer and trash collection services <sup>2</sup> .....	164.557	165.138	166.463	167.696	7.0	6.6	5.1	7.9	6.8	6.5
Household furnishings and operations .....	127.605	127.577	127.392	126.879	.7	-2.5	-2.7	-2.3	-.9	-2.5
Household operations <sup>1 2</sup> .....	150.135	150.172	149.510	149.707	-1.8	2.8	-1.0	-1.1	.5	-1.0
Apparel .....	120.247	120.684	120.613	119.814	-1.0	3.9	-1.2	-1.4	1.4	-1.3
Men's and boys' apparel .....	112.382	112.109	112.296	111.748	-5.2	-1.2	-4.6	-2.2	-3.3	-3.4
Women's and girls' apparel .....	108.114	109.085	109.196	108.261	-2	7.5	-3.5	.5	3.6	-1.5
Infants' and toddlers' apparel .....	113.941	113.668	114.757	113.551	2.7	9.4	-7.2	-1.4	6.0	-4.4
Footwear .....	128.697	128.979	129.343	128.641	3.1	4.5	3.8	-2	3.8	1.8
Transportation .....	189.647	191.018	193.593	193.332	.2	30.3	12.8	8.0	14.2	10.4
Private transportation .....	185.085	186.356	189.316	189.062	.8	31.9	12.2	8.9	15.3	10.5
New and used motor vehicles <sup>2</sup> .....	95.996	96.255	96.422	96.794	4.1	2.3	11.8	3.4	3.2	7.5
New vehicles .....	138.532	138.214	137.470	137.648	6.9	.6	9.4	-2.5	3.7	3.3
Used cars and trucks .....	135.010	137.922	139.990	140.963	-2.3	12.5	29.9	18.8	4.9	24.3
Motor fuel .....	232.878	236.762	248.088	244.826	-7.7	156.6	18.2	22.2	53.9	20.2
Gasoline (all types) .....	232.144	237.449	247.897	244.409	-4.5	154.5	17.2	22.9	55.9	20.0
Motor vehicle parts and equipment <sup>1</sup> .....	134.234	134.781	135.277	135.649	.7	-2.4	2.1	4.3	-.9	3.2
Motor vehicle maintenance and repair <sup>1</sup> .....	245.511	245.417	245.567	245.969	1.3	1.7	3.4	.7	1.5	2.0
Public transportation .....	246.516	249.551	245.058	244.713	-7.7	9.4	21.6	-2.9	.5	8.7
Medical care .....	380.212	380.732	382.737	384.703	3.5	2.7	3.6	4.8	3.1	4.2
Medical care commodities <sup>1</sup> .....	308.546	308.221	310.494	312.864	3.4	1.5	3.6	5.7	2.4	4.7
Medical care services .....	402.295	403.177	405.006	406.755	3.5	3.1	3.5	4.5	3.3	4.0
Professional services .....	322.528	323.045	324.784	325.373	2.6	2.4	2.8	3.6	2.5	3.2

See footnotes at end of table.



**Table 2. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): Seasonally adjusted U.S. city average, by expenditure category and commodity and service group -Continued**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Seasonally adjusted indexes				Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for					
					3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
	Nov. 2009	Dec. 2009	Jan. 2010	Feb. 2010	May 2009	Aug. 2009	Nov. 2009	Feb. 2010	Aug. 2009	Feb. 2010
<b>Expenditure category</b>										
Hospital and related services <sup>3</sup> .....	581.662	585.044	587.561	593.869	6.9	6.6	6.6	8.7	6.8	7.6
Recreation <sup>2</sup> .....	113.968	113.598	113.524	113.415	-1.4	1.7	-2.2	-1.9	.2	-2.1
Video and audio <sup>2</sup> .....	100.563	100.440	100.255	99.571	-6	-8	-3.1	-3.9	-7	-3.5
Education and communication <sup>2</sup> .....	128.255	128.528	128.872	129.141	2.9	2.4	1.1	2.8	2.7	2.0
Education <sup>2</sup> .....	193.869	194.587	195.209	196.252	5.5	5.6	3.0	5.0	5.5	4.0
Educational books and supplies .....	494.815	496.737	498.880	502.169	5.6	9.8	6.5	6.1	7.7	6.3
Tuition, other school fees, and childcare .....	557.176	559.232	561.001	563.950	5.5	5.2	2.7	5.0	5.3	3.8
Communication <sup>2</sup> .....	84.770	84.815	84.974	84.905	.5	-.7	-.6	.6	-.1	.0
Information and information processing <sup>1 2</sup> .....	81.688	81.728	81.817	81.743	-.1	-1.0	-.7	.3	-.5	-.2
Telephone services <sup>1 2</sup> .....	102.528	102.707	102.729	102.288	1.5	1.6	-.6	-.9	1.5	-.8
Information technology, hardware and services <sup>1 5</sup> .....	9.467	9.423	9.457	9.540	-5.9	-10.8	-1.3	3.1	-8.4	.9
Personal computers and peripheral equipment <sup>6</sup> .....	78.784	78.356	77.925	77.518	-14.6	-20.8	-1.5	-6.3	-17.8	-3.9
Other goods and services .....	376.960	377.651	377.853	378.091	22.0	4.7	3.8	1.2	13.0	2.5
Tobacco and smoking products <sup>1</sup> .....	781.538	783.794	786.857	785.714	114.7	13.2	9.7	2.2	55.9	5.9
Personal care .....	205.770	206.065	205.935	206.209	1.2	1.7	1.6	.9	1.4	1.3
Personal care products <sup>1</sup> .....	161.753	162.275	161.627	162.029	1.3	-1.4	-1.8	.7	.0	-.5
Personal care services <sup>1</sup> .....	228.358	228.343	228.629	228.107	3.1	.0	1.4	-.4	1.5	.5
Miscellaneous personal services .....	349.284	349.935	350.113	351.082	.9	3.6	4.8	2.1	2.2	3.4
<b>Commodity and service group</b>										
Commodities .....	173.284	173.830	175.196	174.878	.9	10.5	4.2	3.7	5.6	4.0
Food and beverages .....	217.952	218.253	218.731	218.838	-1.6	-.7	.3	1.6	-1.1	1.0
Commodities less food and beverages .....	149.463	150.092	151.759	151.280	2.5	18.1	6.6	5.0	10.0	5.8
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	188.385	189.796	192.765	192.192	-2.8	36.8	7.3	8.3	15.4	7.8
Apparel .....	120.247	120.684	120.613	119.814	-1.0	3.9	-1.2	-1.4	1.4	-1.3
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel .....	234.760	236.606	241.982	241.214	-1.7	50.9	8.8	11.5	21.8	10.1
Durables .....	111.269	111.607	111.565	111.514	1.9	-.3	6.9	.9	.8	3.8
Services .....	260.129	260.290	259.716	260.045	.0	1.0	1.2	-.1	.5	.6
Rent of shelter <sup>4</sup> .....	259.852	259.963	259.168	258.517	1.0	-.1	-.4	-2.0	.5	-1.2
Tenants' and household insurance <sup>1 2</sup> .....	122.243	123.812	124.360	124.439	.1	3.7	1.4	7.4	1.9	4.3
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>3</sup> .....	192.829	192.284	192.250	193.283	-17.9	-5.5	7.5	.9	-11.9	4.2
Water and sewer and trash collection services <sup>2</sup> .....	164.557	165.138	166.463	167.696	7.0	6.6	5.1	7.9	6.8	6.5
Household operations <sup>1 2</sup> .....	150.135	150.172	149.510	149.707	-1.8	2.8	-1.0	-1.1	.5	-1.0
Transportation services .....	255.733	256.494	255.735	256.676	1.0	3.4	7.3	1.5	2.2	4.3
Medical care services .....	402.295	403.177	405.006	406.755	3.5	3.1	3.5	4.5	3.3	4.0
Other services .....	306.204	306.521	306.985	307.265	1.5	3.7	.9	1.4	2.6	1.2
<b>Special indexes</b>										
All items less food .....	216.787	217.160	217.489	217.469	.7	5.8	2.8	1.3	3.2	2.0
All items less shelter .....	206.649	207.147	208.128	208.155	-.1	7.2	4.0	2.9	3.5	3.5
All items less medical care .....	208.770	209.126	209.424	209.353	.1	5.0	2.3	1.1	2.5	1.7
Commodities less food .....	152.066	152.681	154.302	153.820	2.4	17.4	6.4	4.7	9.7	5.6
Nondurables less food .....	190.304	191.439	194.517	193.959	-2.2	34.3	6.2	7.9	14.6	7.1
Nondurables less food and apparel .....	232.549	234.233	239.081	238.287	-1.5	45.8	8.0	10.2	19.8	9.1
Nondurables .....	203.673	204.280	206.144	205.792	-2.2	15.9	4.2	4.2	6.5	4.2
Services less rent of shelter <sup>4</sup> .....	280.508	281.171	281.417	282.121	-1.2	2.0	3.7	2.3	.4	3.0
Services less medical care services .....	248.944	249.198	248.690	248.541	-.1	.6	1.4	-.6	.2	.4
Energy .....	208.041	209.699	215.536	214.379	-13.6	56.8	14.2	12.8	16.4	13.5
All items less energy .....	219.462	219.695	219.524	219.646	1.6	1.0	1.3	.3	1.3	.8
All items less food and energy .....	220.546	220.764	220.463	220.579	2.3	1.4	1.6	.1	1.9	.8
Commodities less food and energy commodities .....	143.513	143.702	143.863	143.761	4.6	1.2	3.6	.7	2.9	2.1
Energy commodities .....	235.831	239.662	251.449	248.149	-9.0	145.5	19.6	22.6	49.5	21.1
Services less energy services .....	267.018	267.248	266.630	266.894	1.4	1.5	.8	-.2	1.5	.3

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

<sup>2</sup> Indexes on a December 1997=100 base.

<sup>3</sup> This index series was calculated using a Laspeyres estimator. All other item stratum index series were calculated using a geometric means estimator.

<sup>4</sup> Indexes on a December 1982=100 base.

<sup>5</sup> Indexes on a December 1988=100 base.

<sup>6</sup> Indexes on a December 2007=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, detailed expenditure categories**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and Group	Relative importance, December 2009	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Feb. 2010 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Jan. 2010	Feb. 2010	Feb. 2009	Jan. 2010	Nov. to Dec.	Dec. to Jan.	Jan. to Feb.
<b>Expenditure category</b>								
All items .....	100.000	216.687	216.741	2.1	0.0	0.2	0.2	0.0
All items (1967=100) .....	-	649.098	649.259	-	-	-	-	-
Food and beverages .....	14.795	219.223	219.140	-1	.0	.1	.2	.0
Food .....	13.738	218.874	218.778	-2	.0	.1	.2	.1
Food at home .....	7.801	215.404	215.118	-1.5	-1	.2	.4	.1
Cereals and bakery products .....	1.108	250.725	251.361	-1.1	.3	.4	-.5	.0
Cereals and cereal products .....	.359	219.053	219.347	-1.2	.1	.0	-.6	.1
Flour and prepared flour mixes .....	.040	230.787	230.666	-3.1	-1	1.8	-.8	.5
Breakfast cereal <sup>1</sup> .....	.200	215.054	214.970	.1	.0	-.5	-1.4	.0
Rice, pasta, cornmeal <sup>1</sup> .....	.119	226.635	227.734	-2.6	.5	-.5	.2	.5
Rice <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	-	156.575	157.436	-6.7	.5	-4	.7	.5
Bakery products .....	.749	267.567	268.398	-1.1	.3	.6	-.7	.0
Bread <sup>3</sup> .....	.213	158.917	159.052	-3.5	.1	-3	-.5	-.4
White bread <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	288.996	290.106	-4.1	.4	1.2	-1.8	.4
Bread other than white <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	305.863	305.106	-2.6	-.2	-2.7	1.4	-.2
Fresh biscuits, rolls, muffins <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.109	153.311	152.659	-3.4	-.4	.7	-.9	-.4
Cakes, cupcakes, and cookies .....	.201	251.468	253.402	1.7	.8	.7	-.9	.4
Cookies <sup>2</sup> .....	-	246.050	246.980	2.0	.4	.8	-1.1	.7
Fresh cakes and cupcakes <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	255.359	258.667	.9	1.3	-1	-1.3	1.3
Other bakery products .....	.226	247.703	248.865	.1	.5	.9	-.2	.2
Fresh sweetrolls, coffeecakes, doughnuts <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	251.326	254.307	.4	1.2	.4	-.1	1.2
Crackers, bread, and cracker products <sup>2</sup> .....	-	287.438	290.281	-6	1.0	1.7	-.4	.0
Frozen and refrigerated bakery products, pies, tarts, turnovers <sup>2</sup> .....	-	261.177	259.492	1.7	-.6	.0	.9	-.9
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs .....	1.745	201.870	202.343	-2.7	.2	-1	.4	.4
Meats, poultry, and fish .....	1.650	201.998	202.217	-2.8	.1	.0	.5	.3
Meats .....	1.024	197.144	198.120	-3.7	.5	-2	.4	.8
Beef and veal <sup>1</sup> .....	.481	213.170	215.129	-4.3	.9	-.5	-1.0	.9
Uncooked ground beef <sup>1</sup> .....	.193	194.269	197.606	-4.7	1.7	.5	-.4	1.7
Uncooked beef roasts <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.079	157.523	158.467	-4.0	.6	-2.6	-.8	.6
Uncooked beef steaks <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.167	144.197	144.402	-4.9	.1	-.9	-1.9	.1
Uncooked other beef and veal <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.043	149.935	151.261	-1.1	.9	.1	-.9	.9
Pork .....	.312	177.864	181.214	-2.2	1.9	.2	2.6	2.6
Bacon, breakfast sausage, and related products <sup>3</sup> .....	.113	124.138	125.657	-3.9	1.2	.7	.5	.8
Bacon and related products <sup>2</sup> .....	-	214.415	216.122	-1.8	.8	1.0	1.2	.6
Breakfast sausage and related products <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	-	123.298	125.406	-4.6	1.7	-.5	2.5	1.7
Ham .....	.064	177.133	176.698	-4.3	-.2	-1.2	3.8	.6
Ham, excluding canned <sup>2</sup> .....	-	199.157	199.139	-3.6	.0	-1.0	4.7	1.1
Pork chops .....	.063	165.870	175.602	1.9	5.9	.1	1.6	6.6
Other pork including roasts and picnics <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.072	112.252	113.866	-1.1	1.4	.0	4.8	1.4
Other meats .....	.231	194.521	190.072	-4.8	-2.3	.1	.5	-2.0
Frankfurters <sup>2</sup> .....	-	191.950	183.590	-5.8	-4.4	-2.7	3.4	-2.7
Lunchmeats <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	-	127.461	125.383	-3.6	-1.6	.3	-.9	-1.6
Lamb and organ meats <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	257.616	258.299	1.3	.3	.0	.0	.3
Lamb and mutton <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	-	154.875	155.496	-3.5	.4	.9	-.2	.4
Poultry .....	.337	200.924	202.083	-1.2	.6	.5	-.3	.6
Chicken <sup>3</sup> .....	.270	130.511	130.866	-1.8	.3	.1	.3	.3
Fresh whole chicken <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	210.106	207.462	-2.6	-1.3	.2	.8	-1.3
Fresh and frozen chicken parts <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	198.353	199.629	-1.1	.6	-.5	-1.5	.6
Other poultry including turkey <sup>3</sup> .....	.067	126.073	128.345	1.3	1.8	2.2	-3.0	2.2
Fish and seafood <sup>1</sup> .....	.289	242.194	237.881	-7	-1.8	-2	1.5	-1.8
Fresh fish and seafood <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.150	142.595	139.100	-8	-2.5	-7	3.0	-2.5
Processed fish and seafood <sup>3</sup> .....	.140	128.306	126.970	-7	-1.0	.5	-.7	.1
Canned fish and seafood <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	177.083	175.276	1.1	-1.0	.7	.2	-1.0
Frozen fish and seafood <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	266.210	263.957	.9	-.8	.2	.0	-.8
Eggs .....	.095	199.592	204.419	-1.6	2.4	-.8	.1	2.6
Dairy and related products <sup>1</sup> .....	.820	198.949	198.800	-2.8	-1	.5	2.1	-.1
Milk <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.271	132.974	132.969	-1.3	.0	1.2	2.7	.0
Fresh whole milk <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	189.734	189.575	-2.5	-1	1.8	3.1	-.1
Fresh milk other than whole <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	-	136.764	137.330	.1	.4	.8	2.3	.4
Cheese and related products <sup>1</sup> .....	.262	202.749	203.386	-4.7	.3	.7	2.0	.3
Ice cream and related products .....	.129	198.937	196.264	-2.3	-1.3	-.8	1.6	-1.2
Other dairy and related products <sup>3</sup> .....	.159	136.270	136.537	-2.5	.2	.8	1.6	-.7

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**Table 3. Consumer Price Index for all Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, detailed expenditure categories -Continued**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and Group	Relative importance, December 2009	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Feb. 2010 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Jan. 2010	Feb. 2010	Feb. 2009	Jan. 2010	Nov. to Dec.	Dec. to Jan.	Jan. to Feb.
<b>Expenditure category</b>								
Fruits and vegetables .....	1.153	279.119	274.963	-1.3	-1.5	0.4	1.3	-0.1
Fresh fruits and vegetables .....	.879	322.236	316.252	-1.6	-1.9	.5	1.4	.0
Fresh fruits .....	.442	334.328	323.142	-1.9	-3.3	-.1	2.8	-1.5
Apples .....	.070	278.640	287.461	-2.7	3.2	2.2	.4	2.1
Bananas .....	.066	197.288	198.900	-8.7	.8	2.2	.3	-.7
Citrus fruits <sup>3</sup> .....	.078	186.328	187.063	3.1	.4	-1.0	-1.0	-1.1
Oranges, including tangerines <sup>2</sup> .....	-	364.755	366.964	1.5	.6	2.6	-2.4	-1.6
Other fresh fruits <sup>3</sup> .....	.228	125.937	116.258	-.6	-7.7	-1.3	4.6	-2.3
Fresh vegetables .....	.437	308.493	307.454	-1.4	-.3	1.0	.1	1.6
Potatoes .....	.067	297.864	294.938	-12.9	-1.0	-.9	4.3	.0
Lettuce <sup>1</sup> .....	.063	293.926	278.477	-4.9	-5.3	8.7	-10.8	-5.3
Tomatoes <sup>1</sup> .....	.086	338.851	329.789	11.1	-2.7	9.9	-2.8	-2.7
Other fresh vegetables .....	.222	310.072	315.882	-.5	1.9	-1.0	2.1	2.7
Processed fruits and vegetables <sup>3</sup> .....	.274	148.337	147.884	-.4	-.3	.2	.9	-.5
Canned fruits and vegetables <sup>3</sup> .....	.142	151.493	151.651	.0	.1	.8	.5	-.2
Canned fruits <sup>2 3</sup> .....	-	142.195	141.288	-.6	-.6	.7	-.2	-.7
Canned vegetables <sup>2 3</sup> .....	-	162.323	163.558	.8	.8	.7	1.2	.0
Frozen fruits and vegetables <sup>3</sup> .....	.082	141.242	139.884	-1.5	-1.0	-.5	2.7	-1.0
Frozen vegetables <sup>2</sup> .....	-	198.299	196.836	-.7	-.7	-.2	3.2	-1.0
Other processed fruits and vegetables including dried <sup>3</sup> .....	.049	149.543	148.993	-.1	-.4	.1	-.8	.2
Dried beans, peas, and lentils <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	-	174.096	176.360	1.9	1.3	-1.1	-1.4	1.3
Nonalcoholic beverages and beverage materials .....	.952	163.684	162.775	-.9	-.6	.0	.2	-.4
Juices and nonalcoholic drinks <sup>3</sup> .....	.719	126.622	125.616	-1.2	-.8	.0	.1	-.5
Carbonated drinks .....	.294	155.805	157.834	1.5	1.3	.7	.6	1.4
Frozen noncarbonated juices and drinks <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.013	149.775	149.209	-1.5	-.4	.4	-.3	-.4
Nonfrozen noncarbonated juices and drinks <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.412	117.675	114.934	-3.0	-2.3	-.6	.9	-2.3
Beverage materials including coffee and tea <sup>3</sup> .....	.233	113.920	114.133	-.1	.2	.1	.1	.2
Coffee .....	.111	185.545	184.667	-1.7	-.5	-.8	.8	-.2
Roasted coffee <sup>2</sup> .....	-	191.604	190.108	-.9	-.8	-1.0	1.5	-1.4
Instant and freeze dried coffee <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	197.622	198.347	-4.0	.4	-.4	.4	.4
Other beverage materials including tea <sup>3</sup> .....	.122	125.222	126.228	.6	.8	-.1	-.2	.9
Other food at home .....	2.023	190.994	191.572	-.4	.3	.2	-.3	.2
Sugar and sweets .....	.295	199.777	201.942	2.7	1.1	.3	-.3	1.4
Sugar and artificial sweeteners .....	.052	185.059	188.518	5.6	1.9	-.5	.5	1.8
Candy and chewing gum <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.189	131.330	132.935	2.1	1.2	.3	-.7	1.2
Other sweets <sup>3</sup> .....	.055	144.768	144.571	1.8	-.1	.5	1.0	.6
Fats and oils .....	.232	200.220	200.919	-2.2	.3	.6	.2	-.1
Butter and margarine <sup>3</sup> .....	.062	157.165	157.384	-2.0	.1	1.6	1.7	1.3
Butter <sup>2</sup> .....	-	169.468	170.185	-.4	.4	4.0	3.1	2.8
Margarine <sup>2</sup> .....	-	242.631	243.285	-3.0	.3	.7	1.3	-.1
Salad dressing <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.063	125.751	125.726	-.5	.0	-1.0	.0	.0
Other fats and oils including peanut butter <sup>3</sup> .....	.107	143.788	144.780	-3.3	.7	.5	-.1	-.9
Peanut butter <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	-	132.154	132.725	-1.6	.4	.0	-.4	.4
Other foods .....	1.496	204.719	205.008	-.8	.1	.2	-.3	.0
Soups .....	.092	225.042	223.115	-5.1	-.9	.0	.0	-1.7
Frozen and freeze dried prepared foods <sup>1</sup> .....	.310	165.729	166.560	-1.4	.5	-.3	-.4	.5
Snacks <sup>1</sup> .....	.318	216.616	216.747	-.1	.1	.2	.7	.1
Spices, seasonings, condiments, sauces .....	.257	215.341	217.289	1.2	.9	-.6	-1.0	.7
Salt and other seasonings and spices <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	-	122.310	123.009	-.3	.6	.1	.7	.6
Olives, pickles, relishes <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	-	133.046	135.173	1.1	1.6	-3.5	1.8	1.6
Sauces and gravies <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	-	126.751	127.840	2.5	.9	-1.3	1.9	.9
Other condiments <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	248.052	249.637	.1	.6	-1.2	13.9	.6
Baby food <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.081	140.045	140.360	-.4	.2	.8	.5	.2
Other miscellaneous foods <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.439	121.564	121.172	-1.1	-.3	1.0	-.7	-.3
Prepared salads <sup>1 2 4</sup> .....	-	104.236	105.410	1.4	1.1	-.7	-2.9	1.1
Food away from home <sup>1</sup> .....	5.937	224.916	225.081	1.4	.1	.1	.1	.1
Full service meals and snacks <sup>1 3</sup> .....	2.875	140.249	140.432	1.5	.1	.2	.1	.1
Limited service meals and snacks <sup>1 3</sup> .....	2.359	143.326	143.201	.9	-.1	-1.1	-.1	-.1
Food at employee sites and schools <sup>3</sup> .....	.266	140.153	140.233	2.5	.1	.4	.3	.1
Food at elementary and secondary schools <sup>1 2 5</sup> .....	-	117.716	117.795	2.5	.1	.1	.1	.1
Food from vending machines and mobile vendors <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.111	132.023	132.409	3.0	.3	.3	.2	.3

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		Jan. 2010	Feb. 2010	Feb. 2009	Jan. 2010	Nov. to Dec.	Dec. to Jan.	Jan. to Feb.
<b>Expenditure category</b>								
Other food away from home <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.326	157.517	158.569	2.5	0.7	0.0	0.3	0.7
Alcoholic beverages .....	1.056	222.401	222.496	1.3	.0	.0	-1	-2
Alcoholic beverages at home .....	.623	190.596	191.208	.6	.3	-3	-5	-2
Beer, ale, and other malt beverages at home .....	.303	200.103	200.621	2.0	.3	-1	-4	-3
Distilled spirits at home .....	.081	188.812	189.322	.9	.3	-2	-7	-1
Whiskey at home <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	195.796	196.343	1.4	.3	-1.3	.3	.3
Distilled spirits, excluding whiskey, at home <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	184.387	184.942	.7	.3	-1.2	.5	.3
Wine at home .....	.239	169.831	170.539	-1.4	.4	-3	-1.0	-1
Alcoholic beverages away from home <sup>1</sup> .....	.434	289.878	288.847	2.2	-4	.4	.3	-4
Beer, ale, and other malt beverages away from home <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	-	146.337	145.762	3.1	-4	.3	.5	-4
Wine away from home <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	-	159.518	159.017	1.6	-3	.2	-1	-3
Distilled spirits away from home <sup>2 3</sup> .....	-	152.431	151.998	1.4	-3	.7	.2	-2
Housing .....	41.960	215.925	215.841	-.6	.0	.0	-.3	.0
Shelter .....	32.289	247.950	248.001	-.4	.0	.0	-.5	.0
Rent of primary residence <sup>6</sup> .....	5.966	249.144	249.017	.3	-.1	.0	.0	.0
Lodging away from home <sup>3</sup> .....	.769	125.778	128.991	-5.0	2.6	.1	-2.1	.1
Housing at school, excluding board <sup>6 7</sup> .....	.159	420.252	420.094	4.7	.0	.4	.5	.2
Other lodging away from home including hotels and motels .....	.610	261.024	269.401	-4.8	3.2	.1	-1.3	.0
Owners' equivalent rent of residences <sup>6 7</sup> .....	25.206	256.591	256.483	.3	.0	.0	-.1	.0
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>6 7</sup> .....	23.593	256.589	256.479	.3	.0	.0	-.1	.0
Tenants' and household insurance <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.347	124.360	124.439	3.1	.1	1.3	.4	.1
Fuels and utilities .....	5.081	211.381	210.819	-1.3	-3	-1	.5	.5
Household energy .....	4.028	187.330	186.345	-3.0	-5	-2	.5	.4
Fuel oil and other fuels <sup>1</sup> .....	.276	280.850	277.284	14.5	-1.3	.9	6.9	-1.3
Fuel oil <sup>1</sup> .....	.179	284.786	277.928	19.3	-2.4	.0	6.1	-2.4
Propane, kerosene, and firewood <sup>8</sup> .....	.097	335.783	338.392	6.8	.8	3.1	7.4	1.8
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>6</sup> .....	3.752	190.439	189.549	-4.2	-5	-3	.0	.5
Electricity <sup>6</sup> .....	2.845	186.903	185.448	-2.7	-8	-2	-1.1	-5
Utility (piped) gas service <sup>6</sup> .....	.907	199.199	200.120	-8.4	.5	-7	3.5	3.9
Water and sewer and trash collection services <sup>3</sup> .....	1.052	166.857	168.078	6.6	.7	.4	.8	.7
Water and sewerage maintenance <sup>6</sup> .....	.793	370.268	373.080	8.1	.8	.5	1.0	.8
Garbage and trash collection <sup>1 9</sup> .....	.259	380.036	382.490	2.7	.6	.0	.2	.6
Household furnishings and operations .....	4.590	127.209	126.945	-1.7	-2	.0	-.1	-4
Window and floor coverings and other linens <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.331	74.116	73.205	-4.8	-1.2	-2	.6	-1.2
Floor coverings <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.054	116.198	114.241	-4.1	-1.7	-2	-.9	-1.7
Window coverings <sup>3</sup> .....	.092	78.599	76.998	-11.3	-2.0	-2	-3.7	-1.6
Other linens <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.186	62.980	62.529	-1.1	-.7	-4	2.2	-.7
Furniture and bedding <sup>1</sup> .....	.872	123.048	122.467	-1.6	-5	.2	-.3	-5
Bedroom furniture <sup>1</sup> .....	.268	138.905	137.995	-3.7	-7	-7	-.3	-7
Living room, kitchen, and dining room furniture <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.425	91.223	90.790	.3	-5	1.4	.1	-5
Other furniture <sup>3</sup> .....	.171	85.861	85.713	-2.8	-2	-1.2	-1.8	-1.5
Infants' furniture <sup>1 2 5</sup> .....	-	NA	NA	-	-	-	-	-
Appliances <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.297	88.022	88.713	-3.6	.8	-.7	-.1	.8
Major appliances <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.176	99.330	99.444	-4.5	.1	-6	.3	.1
Laundry equipment <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	112.240	112.643	-5.8	.4	-8	-.4	.4
Other appliances <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.118	73.725	75.029	-2.0	1.8	-.9	-.8	1.8
Other household equipment and furnishings <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.584	72.680	72.345	-3.6	-5	-3	.8	-5
Clocks, lamps, and decorator items <sup>1</sup> .....	.318	65.759	65.076	-4.4	-1.0	.3	1.0	-1.0
Indoor plants and flowers <sup>10</sup> .....	.108	126.487	127.906	-1.6	1.1	-.4	.2	-.7
Dishes and flatware <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.067	71.430	70.170	-6.4	-1.8	-1.0	1.9	-1.8
Nonelectric cookware and tableware <sup>3</sup> .....	.090	95.320	95.993	-1.1	.7	-.6	-.9	-.4
Tools, hardware, outdoor equipment and supplies <sup>3</sup> .....	.825	92.850	92.338	-2.1	-.6	-3	.3	-.9
Tools, hardware and supplies <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.192	96.910	96.914	-2.3	.0	-5	-.2	.0
Outdoor equipment and supplies <sup>3</sup> .....	.456	90.462	89.763	-2.0	-.8	-1	.2	-1.1
Housekeeping supplies <sup>1</sup> .....	.900	183.301	183.825	.3	.3	-1	.1	.3
Household cleaning products <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.362	121.606	122.069	1.3	.4	-4	-.6	.4
Household paper products <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.238	156.635	156.523	.4	-.1	-4	.6	-.1
Miscellaneous household products <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.300	116.578	117.111	-1.0	.5	.5	.5	.5
Household operations <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.781	149.510	149.707	-.3	.1	.0	-.4	.1
Domestic services <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.270	143.539	144.337	.3	.6	.2	-.5	.6
Gardening and lawn care services <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.265	NA	NA	-	-	.0	-	-

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**Table 3. Consumer Price Index for all Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, detailed expenditure categories -Continued**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and Group	Relative importance, December 2009	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Feb. 2010 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Jan. 2010	Feb. 2010	Feb. 2009	Jan. 2010	Nov. to Dec.	Dec. to Jan.	Jan. to Feb.
<b>Expenditure category</b>								
Moving, storage, freight expense <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.097	121.965	122.060	-1.1	0.1	-0.5	-2.1	0.1
Repair of household items <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.076	179.500	180.191	4.3	.4	.0	.4	.4
Apparel .....	3.695	116.678	118.869	.0	1.9	.4	-.1	-.7
Men's and boys' apparel .....	.903	109.762	111.351	-3.3	1.4	-.2	.2	-.5
Men's apparel .....	.723	114.949	116.703	-2.9	1.5	-.3	.7	-.8
Men's suits, sport coats, and outerwear .....	.130	110.049	111.841	-2.6	1.6	.7	-.6	1.0
Men's furnishings .....	.176	139.744	144.531	2.6	3.4	-.4	2.1	1.2
Men's shirts and sweaters <sup>3</sup> .....	.231	77.480	76.354	-7.0	-1.5	-.2	.8	-1.8
Men's pants and shorts .....	.177	106.577	110.061	-3.6	3.3	-.9	.0	.2
Boys' apparel .....	.180	90.689	91.706	-5.2	1.1	-.4	-1.9	.6
Women's and girls' apparel .....	1.580	103.353	106.818	1.0	3.4	.9	.1	-.9
Women's apparel .....	1.318	104.901	107.846	.3	2.8	.6	.2	-1.7
Women's outerwear .....	.136	90.705	87.275	.1	-3.8	2.5	.5	-3.9
Women's dresses .....	.139	101.475	107.569	-8.0	6.0	.6	-3.9	1.0
Women's suits and separates <sup>3</sup> .....	.667	80.070	83.078	1.1	3.8	.3	.8	-1.4
Women's underwear, nightwear, sportswear and accessories <sup>3</sup> .....	.361	93.121	95.238	2.1	2.3	.3	.1	.0
Girls' apparel .....	.262	95.621	101.460	4.2	6.1	2.4	-.3	3.6
Footwear .....	.721	127.205	127.737	2.8	.4	.2	.3	-.5
Men's footwear <sup>1</sup> .....	.235	126.938	127.311	2.1	.3	-1.0	-.7	.3
Boys' and girls' footwear .....	.153	135.534	133.226	2.0	-1.7	-.2	3.3	-2.6
Women's footwear .....	.333	122.800	124.663	3.6	1.5	.9	-1.2	.3
Infants' and toddlers' apparel .....	.196	113.248	114.318	.7	.9	-.2	1.0	-1.1
Jewelry and watches <sup>8</sup> .....	.295	147.660	147.384	-.4	-.2	.2	-2.4	-.2
Watches <sup>1 8</sup> .....	.042	116.915	116.433	-2.7	-.4	-.3	2.3	-.4
Jewelry <sup>8</sup> .....	.254	155.047	154.816	.0	-.1	.2	-2.9	-.2
Transportation .....	16.685	190.512	189.577	11.8	-.5	.7	1.3	-.1
Private transportation .....	15.497	186.308	185.274	12.4	-.6	.7	1.6	-.1
New and used motor vehicles <sup>3</sup> .....	6.386	96.660	97.020	5.2	.4	.3	.2	.4
New vehicles .....	3.573	138.743	138.851	3.5	.1	-.2	-.5	.1
New cars and trucks <sup>2 3</sup> .....	-	96.137	96.226	3.4	.1	-.3	-.5	.1
New cars <sup>2</sup> .....	-	139.290	139.198	2.4	-.1	-.2	-.8	.1
New trucks <sup>2 9</sup> .....	-	142.755	143.176	4.9	.3	-.2	-.4	.2
Used cars and trucks .....	2.012	139.174	140.218	14.1	.8	2.2	1.5	.7
Leased cars and trucks <sup>11</sup> .....	.598	98.482	99.362	-4.7	.9	-1.0	-.3	1.2
Car and truck rental <sup>3</sup> .....	.090	120.442	120.646	-1.2	.2	-.3	-3.1	-1.9
Motor fuel .....	4.525	234.106	227.674	36.0	-2.7	1.7	4.8	-1.3
Gasoline (all types) .....	4.337	233.727	227.198	36.8	-2.8	2.3	4.4	-1.4
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>2</sup> .....	-	233.092	226.314	37.6	-2.9	2.2	4.4	-1.3
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>2 12</sup> .....	-	239.529	233.541	35.6	-2.5	1.8	4.3	-1.7
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>2</sup> .....	-	227.029	221.444	33.7	-2.5	1.5	4.4	-1.3
Other motor fuels <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.188	209.270	205.752	21.9	-1.7	-.6	3.0	-1.7
Motor vehicle parts and equipment <sup>1</sup> .....	.401	135.277	135.649	1.1	.3	.4	.4	.3
Tires <sup>1</sup> .....	.262	121.723	122.251	.9	.4	.4	.3	.4
Vehicle accessories other than tires <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.139	147.843	147.812	1.5	.0	.4	.5	.0
Vehicle parts and equipment other than tires <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	143.197	142.917	2.1	-.2	.4	.6	-.2
Motor oil, coolant, and fluids <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	293.027	297.676	-1.1	1.6	.3	.2	1.6
Motor vehicle maintenance and repair <sup>1</sup> .....	1.167	245.567	245.969	1.8	.2	.0	.1	.2
Motor vehicle body work <sup>1</sup> .....	.065	251.236	251.192	2.3	.0	.1	.1	.0
Motor vehicle maintenance and servicing <sup>1</sup> .....	.462	223.654	223.787	.8	.1	.1	-.2	.1
Motor vehicle repair <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.598	151.083	151.486	2.5	.3	-.1	.2	.3
Motor vehicle insurance .....	2.492	367.575	369.752	4.9	.6	.5	.3	.6
Motor vehicle fees <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.527	164.557	164.757	9.5	.1	-.1	.4	.1
State motor vehicle registration and license fees <sup>1 3 6</sup> .....	.328	164.053	164.350	12.8	.2	.0	.6	.2
Parking and other fees <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.186	165.609	165.624	3.9	.0	-.2	.2	.0
Parking fees and tolls <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	-	177.150	177.160	5.1	.0	-.1	.1	.0
Automobile service clubs <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	-	119.703	119.680	-1.3	.0	-.4	.5	.0
Public transportation .....	1.187	241.058	241.967	4.5	.4	1.2	-1.8	-.1
Airline fare .....	.783	264.331	265.358	5.4	.4	2.2	-2.5	-.7
Other intercity transportation .....	.157	147.121	147.912	.3	.5	.5	-.6	2.6

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**Table 3. Consumer Price Index for all Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, detailed expenditure categories -Continued**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and Group	Relative importance, December 2009	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Feb. 2010 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Jan. 2010	Feb. 2010	Feb. 2009	Jan. 2010	Nov. to Dec.	Dec. to Jan.	Jan. to Feb.
<b>Expenditure category</b>								
Intercity bus fare <sup>1 2 4</sup> .....	-	107.676	107.065	4.2	-0.6	3.0	-0.9	-0.6
Intercity train fare <sup>1 2 4</sup> .....	-	99.880	100.191	-1.5	.3	-3	-5.6	.3
Ship fare <sup>2 3</sup> .....	-	64.320	65.086	1.4	1.2	1.3	.1	2.3
Intracity transportation <sup>1</sup> .....	.245	256.874	257.501	4.6	.2	.1	.2	.2
Intracity mass transit <sup>1 2 13</sup> .....	-	100.258	100.809	-	.5	-	.3	.5
Medical care .....	6.513	382.688	385.907	3.6	.8	.1	.5	.5
Medical care commodities <sup>1</sup> .....	1.611	310.494	312.864	3.5	.8	-1	.7	.8
Medicinal drugs <sup>1 13</sup> .....	1.530	100.770	101.586	-	.8	-	.8	.8
Prescription drugs .....	1.222	400.498	404.090	4.6	.9	.2	.5	.6
Nonprescription drugs <sup>1 13</sup> .....	.308	99.849	100.310	-	.5	-	-2	.5
Medical equipment and supplies <sup>1 13</sup> .....	.081	100.123	99.991	-	-1	-	.1	-1
Medical care services .....	4.902	404.937	408.447	3.7	.9	.2	.5	.4
Professional services .....	2.796	324.397	325.969	2.8	.5	.2	.5	.2
Physicians' services <sup>6</sup> .....	1.450	327.176	329.028	3.5	.6	.1	1.1	.3
Dental services <sup>6</sup> .....	.715	393.195	394.477	2.3	.3	.4	.0	-3
Eyeglasses and eye care <sup>8</sup> .....	.249	176.729	176.882	.9	.1	-5	.0	-4
Services by other medical professionals <sup>1 6 8</sup> .....	.383	212.027	213.566	2.3	.7	-1	.2	.7
Hospital and related services <sup>6</sup> .....	1.619	588.631	598.549	7.2	1.7	.6	.4	1.1
Hospital services <sup>6 14</sup> .....	1.358	219.340	223.614	8.1	1.9	.6	.5	1.3
Inpatient hospital services <sup>2 6 14</sup> .....	-	212.268	216.697	8.5	2.1	.6	.8	1.2
Outpatient hospital services <sup>2 6 8</sup> .....	-	507.641	516.326	7.4	1.7	.6	-1	1.3
Nursing homes and adult day services <sup>6 14</sup> .....	.148	174.110	174.896	2.8	.5	.0	-1	.3
Care of invalids and elderly at home <sup>1 5</sup> .....	.113	110.257	110.361	.4	.1	.0	.3	.1
Health insurance <sup>1 5</sup> .....	.487	108.700	109.059	-2.8	.3	-7	.3	.3
Recreation <sup>3</sup> .....	6.437	113.310	113.345	-1.0	.0	-3	-1	-1
Video and audio <sup>3</sup> .....	1.894	99.940	99.532	-2.1	-4	-1	-2	-7
Televisions .....	.201	8.714	8.391	-29.1	-3.7	-2.0	-2.9	-4.4
Cable and satellite television and radio service <sup>9</sup> .....	1.267	370.947	370.828	1.8	.0	.3	.6	-6
Other video equipment <sup>3</sup> .....	.032	17.045	16.902	-10.2	-8	-1.1	-5	-1.2
Video discs and other media, including rental of video and audio <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.137	76.060	75.960	-3.1	-1	-5	-1.2	-1
Video discs and other media <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	-	56.229	56.622	-4.2	.7	-1.0	.5	.7
Rental of video or audio discs and other media <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	-	99.263	98.682	-2.0	-6	-1	-1.5	-6
Audio equipment <sup>1</sup> .....	.094	47.822	48.119	-3.2	.6	-4	-8	.6
Audio discs, tapes and other media <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.058	94.804	95.294	-5.6	.5	-2.1	-4	.5
Pets, pet products and services <sup>3</sup> .....	1.145	153.235	153.920	.9	.4	.1	.1	.3
Pets and pet products .....	.734	193.481	194.394	.2	.5	.0	.1	.5
Pet food <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	-	143.085	143.793	.3	.5	-4	.2	.5
Purchase of pets, pet supplies, accessories <sup>2 3</sup> .....	-	119.429	119.502	.5	.1	.4	.6	.3
Pet services including veterinary <sup>3</sup> .....	.411	185.879	186.626	2.1	.4	.2	.1	.0
Pet services <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	-	155.961	156.635	.5	.4	.0	.0	.4
Veterinarian services <sup>2 3</sup> .....	-	193.452	194.052	2.5	.3	.2	.3	-2
Sporting goods <sup>1</sup> .....	.613	118.436	118.460	-1.3	.0	-6	.1	.0
Sports vehicles including bicycles <sup>1</sup> .....	.319	140.450	140.576	1.3	.1	-5	.6	.1
Sports equipment <sup>1</sup> .....	.285	97.635	97.564	-4.4	-1	-7	-4	-1
Photography <sup>3</sup> .....	.167	80.493	80.049	-5	-6	.3	-1	-6
Photographic equipment and supplies .....	.070	72.758	72.307	-1.3	-6	.2	.3	-7
Film and photographic supplies <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	-	91.249	91.162	5.1	-1	.0	2.0	-1
Photographic equipment <sup>2 3</sup> .....	-	33.757	33.421	-3.3	-1.0	-2	-5	-1.2
Photographers and film processing <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.095	110.899	110.341	.2	-5	.4	-4	-5
Photographer fees <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	-	119.596	120.077	1.4	.4	1.2	-1.0	.4
Film processing <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	-	105.897	105.116	.2	-7	.3	-1	-7
Other recreational goods <sup>3</sup> .....	.485	58.810	58.937	-3.2	.2	-7	.9	.0
Toys <sup>1</sup> .....	.364	60.520	60.599	-6.3	.1	-1.0	.9	.1
Toys, games, hobbies and playground equipment <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	-	63.066	63.086	-3.9	.0	-8	1.0	.0
Sewing machines, fabric and supplies <sup>3</sup> .....	.060	92.690	93.862	4.4	1.3	-2	.9	.0
Music instruments and accessories <sup>3</sup> .....	.048	98.821	98.441	1.7	-4	-2	1.4	-5
Recreation services <sup>3</sup> .....	1.872	143.857	144.192	-6	.2	-5	-4	.2
Club dues and fees for participant sports and group exercises <sup>3</sup> .....	.595	122.949	123.428	-2.5	.4	-1.2	-7	.3
Admissions <sup>1</sup> .....	.679	318.506	319.179	.3	.2	-1	-3	.2

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		Jan. 2010	Feb. 2010	Feb. 2009	Jan. 2010	Nov. to Dec.	Dec. to Jan.	Jan. to Feb.
<b>Expenditure category</b>								
Admission to movies, theaters, and concerts <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	-	153.411	153.701	0.1	0.2	-0.2	-0.2	0.2
Admission to sporting events <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	-	173.456	174.122	.9	.4	.2	-.5	.4
Fees for lessons or instructions <sup>1 8</sup> .....	.251	264.094	264.065	1.6	.0	-1	.0	.0
Recreational reading materials <sup>1</sup> .....	.261	221.142	221.152	1.2	.0	-8	-1	.0
Newspapers and magazines <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.140	135.117	135.761	3.4	.5	-7	.1	.5
Recreational books <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.120	106.176	105.593	-1.5	-.5	-8	-.3	-.5
Education and communication <sup>3</sup> .....	6.434	129.072	129.105	2.3	.0	.2	.3	.2
Education <sup>3</sup> .....	3.035	195.850	196.137	4.7	.1	.4	.3	.5
Educational books and supplies .....	.200	500.551	502.812	7.0	.5	.4	.4	.7
College textbooks <sup>1 2 11</sup> .....	-	166.742	167.734	7.6	.6	.2	.9	.6
Tuition, other school fees, and childcare .....	2.835	562.841	563.544	4.6	.1	.4	.3	.5
College tuition and fees .....	1.493	626.472	625.578	5.7	-.1	.5	.3	.4
Elementary and high school tuition and fees .....	.412	613.621	614.006	4.1	.1	.4	.5	.5
Child care and nursery school <sup>10</sup> .....	.790	236.255	237.802	2.9	.7	.2	.3	.7
Technical and business school tuition and fees <sup>3</sup> .....	.042	196.260	196.703	3.6	.2	.3	.3	.5
Communication <sup>3</sup> .....	3.399	84.974	84.905	.0	-.1	.1	.2	-.1
Postage and delivery services <sup>3</sup> .....	.174	145.715	145.842	5.9	.1	.1	1.6	.1
Postage <sup>1</sup> .....	.165	229.846	229.846	5.3	.0	.0	1.4	.0
Delivery services <sup>3</sup> .....	.009	220.396	223.992	17.0	1.6	2.3	6.1	2.0
Information and information processing <sup>1 3</sup> .....	3.225	81.817	81.743	-.4	-.1	.0	.1	-.1
Telephone services <sup>1 3</sup> .....	2.392	102.729	102.288	.4	-.4	.2	.0	-.4
Wireless telephone services <sup>1 3</sup> .....	1.301	63.114	62.551	-2.8	-.9	.0	-.8	-.9
Land-line telephone services <sup>1 13</sup> .....	1.091	101.012	101.126	-	.1	-	1.0	.1
Information technology, hardware and services <sup>1 15</sup> .....	.833	9.457	9.540	-3.9	.9	-.5	.4	.9
Personal computers and peripheral equipment <sup>4</sup> .....	.246	78.323	77.961	-11.1	-.5	-.5	-.6	-.5
Computer software and accessories <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.044	49.039	49.348	-2.5	.6	-1.4	.2	.6
Internet services and electronic information providers <sup>1 3</sup> ..	.459	76.029	77.498	.8	1.9	-.1	.5	1.9
Telephone hardware, calculators, and other consumer information items <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.070	34.680	34.270	-4.1	-1.2	-2.7	-.9	-1.2
Other goods and services .....	3.483	377.652	377.992	7.6	.1	.2	.1	.1
Tobacco and smoking products <sup>1</sup> .....	.871	786.857	785.714	28.5	-.1	.3	.4	-.1
Cigarettes <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.804	320.484	319.859	28.9	-.2	.3	.3	-.2
Tobacco products other than cigarettes <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.061	212.910	213.970	21.5	.5	-.6	1.0	.5
Personal care .....	2.612	205.789	206.137	1.4	.2	.1	-.1	.1
Personal care products <sup>1</sup> .....	.688	161.627	162.029	-.3	.2	.3	-.4	.2
Hair, dental, shaving, and miscellaneous personal care products <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.345	104.966	105.729	.8	.7	.8	.1	.7
Cosmetics, perfume, bath, nail preparations and implements <sup>1</sup> .....	.338	182.172	181.725	-1.4	-.2	-.1	-.9	-.2
Personal care services <sup>1</sup> .....	.642	228.629	228.107	1.0	-.2	.0	.1	-.2
Haircuts and other personal care services <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.642	139.501	139.182	1.0	-.2	.0	.1	-.2
Miscellaneous personal services .....	1.048	349.605	350.780	2.8	.3	.2	.1	.3
Legal services <sup>8</sup> .....	.303	284.964	285.617	3.5	.2	-.2	.3	.2
Funeral expenses <sup>8</sup> .....	.169	279.168	280.058	2.8	.3	.4	.0	.1
Laundry and dry cleaning services <sup>3</sup> .....	.257	140.695	140.958	2.6	.2	.4	.3	.0
Apparel services other than laundry and dry cleaning <sup>1 3</sup> ..	.033	156.643	156.627	4.0	.0	.1	.7	.0
Financial services <sup>1 8</sup> .....	.192	261.984	264.151	1.7	.8	-.5	-.2	.8
Checking account and other bank services <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	-	124.145	125.556	2.4	1.1	-.2	-.1	1.1
Tax return preparation and other accounting fees <sup>2 3</sup> .....	-	173.284	173.810	.9	.3	-.3	-.9	-.1
Miscellaneous personal goods <sup>3</sup> .....	.234	88.797	89.042	.4	.3	.5	-.2	.1
Stationery, stationery supplies, gift wrap <sup>2</sup> .....	-	158.083	158.044	1.8	.0	.8	.3	-.1
Infants' equipment <sup>1 2 5</sup> .....	-	NA	NA	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>								
Commodities .....	39.816	173.646	173.419	4.5	-.1	.3	.8	-.2
Commodities less food and beverages .....	25.021	149.439	149.162	7.5	-.2	.4	1.1	-.3
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	15.044	187.484	186.882	11.5	-.3	.7	1.6	-.3
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel .....	11.349	235.821	233.447	15.8	-1.0	.8	2.3	-.3
Durables .....	9.978	111.731	111.753	2.3	.0	.3	.0	.0
Services .....	60.184	259.459	259.792	.6	.1	.1	-.2	.1
Rent of shelter <sup>7</sup> .....	31.942	258.382	258.435	-.4	.0	.0	-.3	-.3
Transportation services .....	6.060	255.216	256.365	3.3	.5	.3	-.3	.4
Other services .....	11.347	306.916	307.171	1.9	.1	.1	.2	.1
All items less food .....	86.262	216.362	216.440	2.5	.0	.2	.2	.0
All items less shelter .....	67.711	206.892	206.948	3.4	.0	.2	.5	.0

See footnotes at end of table.



**Table 3. Consumer Price Index for all Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, detailed expenditure categories -Continued**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and Group	Relative importance, December 2009	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Feb. 2010 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Jan. 2010	Feb. 2010	Feb. 2009	Jan. 2010	Nov. to Dec.	Dec. to Jan.	Jan. to Feb.
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>								
All items less medical care .....	93.487	208.499	208.432	2.0	0.0	0.2	0.1	0.0
Commodities less food .....	26.078	152.035	151.767	7.3	-2	.4	1.1	-3
Nondurables less food .....	16.100	189.578	189.015	10.8	-3	.6	1.6	-3
Nondurables less food and apparel .....	12.405	233.498	231.353	14.3	-9	.7	2.1	-3
Nondurables .....	29.838	203.588	203.219	5.3	-2	.3	.9	-2
Apparel less footwear .....	2.974	110.116	112.579	-6	2.2	.4	-1	-7
Services less rent of shelter <sup>7</sup> .....	28.243	280.730	281.432	1.7	.3	.2	.1	.3
Services less medical care services .....	55.282	248.023	248.178	.3	.1	.1	-2	-1
Energy .....	8.553	208.026	204.455	14.4	-1.7	.8	2.8	-5
All items less energy .....	91.447	219.287	219.708	1.1	.2	.1	-1	.1
All items less food and energy .....	77.708	220.086	220.602	1.3	.2	.1	-1	.1
Commodities less food and energy commodities .....	21.276	143.125	143.711	2.5	.4	.1	.1	-1
Energy commodities .....	4.801	238.069	231.735	34.4	-2.7	1.6	4.9	-1.3
Services less energy services .....	56.432	266.519	266.967	.9	.2	.1	-2	.1
Domestically produced farm food <sup>1</sup> .....	6.495	220.652	220.638	-1.5	.0	.3	.8	.0
Utilities and public transportation .....	9.650	200.557	200.222	-3	-2	.1	.1	.0
Purchasing power of the consumer dollar (1982-84=\$1.00) .....	-	\$ .461	\$ .461	-	-	-	-	-
Purchasing power of the consumer dollar (1967=\$1.00) .....	-	\$ .154	\$ .154	-	-	-	-	-

1 Not seasonally adjusted.  
2 Special index based on a substantially smaller sample.  
3 Indexes on a December 1997=100 base.  
4 Indexes on a December 2007=100 base.  
5 Indexes on a December 2005=100 base.  
6 This index series was calculated using a Laspeyres estimator. All other item stratum index series were calculated using a geometric means estimator.  
7 Indexes on a December 1982=100 base.  
8 Indexes on a December 1986=100 base.  
9 Indexes on a December 1983=100 base.

10 Indexes on a December 1990=100 base.  
11 Indexes on a December 2001=100 base.  
12 Indexes on a December 1993=100 base.  
13 Indexes on a December 2009=100 base.  
14 Indexes on a December 1996=100 base.  
15 Indexes on a December 1988=100 base.  
NA Data not adequate for publication.  
- Data not available.  
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): Seasonally adjusted U.S. city average, detailed expenditure categories**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Seasonally adjusted indexes				Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for					
					3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
	Nov. 2009	Dec. 2009	Jan. 2010	Feb. 2010	May 2009	Aug. 2009	Nov. 2009	Feb. 2010	Aug. 2009	Feb. 2010
<b>Expenditure category</b>										
All items .....	216.859	217.224	217.587	217.591	0.3	4.8	2.4	1.4	2.5	1.9
Food and beverages .....	217.952	218.253	218.731	218.838	-1.6	-7	.3	1.6	-1.1	1.0
Food .....	217.482	217.801	218.339	218.494	-1.9	-9	.1	1.9	-1.4	1.0
Food at home .....	213.206	213.655	214.479	214.628	-4.8	-2.6	-1.2	2.7	-3.7	.7
Cereals and bakery products .....	251.806	252.805	251.452	251.354	-3.3	-1.1	.7	-7	-2.2	.0
Cereals and cereal products .....	221.002	220.964	219.571	219.881	-2.2	.6	-1.3	-2.0	-.8	-1.7
Flour and prepared flour mixes .....	226.947	231.114	229.212	230.421	-12.1	-.8	-4.7	6.3	-6.6	.6
Breakfast cereal <sup>1</sup> .....	219.275	218.174	215.054	214.970	4.7	4.3	-.6	-7.6	4.5	-4.2
Rice, pasta, commmeal <sup>1</sup> .....	227.231	226.189	226.635	227.734	-5.1	1.0	-6.9	.9	-2.1	-3.1
Rice <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	156.100	155.502	156.575	157.436	-14.7	-8.6	-6.1	3.5	-11.7	-1.5
Bakery products .....	268.132	269.716	267.936	267.878	-3.4	-1.8	1.4	-.4	-2.6	.5
Bread <sup>3</sup> .....	161.001	160.490	159.621	158.939	-8.2	1.3	-1.9	-5.0	-3.6	-3.5
White bread <sup>1 2</sup> .....	290.725	294.248	288.996	290.106	-4.0	-4.9	-6.5	-.8	-4.4	-3.7
Bread other than white <sup>1 2</sup> .....	309.964	301.685	305.863	305.106	-9.1	-.3	5.9	-6.1	-4.8	-.3
Fresh biscuits, rolls, muffins <sup>1 3</sup> .....	153.689	154.706	153.311	152.659	-6.1	-14.6	11.5	-2.7	-10.5	4.2
Cakes, cupcakes, and cookies .....	252.627	254.362	252.070	252.994	.4	2.6	3.0	.6	1.5	1.8
Cookies <sup>2</sup> .....	246.466	248.553	245.804	247.520	-2.6	5.7	3.2	1.7	1.5	2.4
Fresh cakes and cupcakes <sup>1 2</sup> .....	258.883	258.666	255.359	258.667	-.8	-.7	5.6	-.3	-.8	2.6
Other bakery products .....	245.936	248.115	247.649	248.190	-2.5	-2.0	1.3	3.7	-2.2	2.5
Fresh sweetrolls, coffeecakes, doughnuts <sup>1 2</sup> .....	250.579	251.485	251.326	254.307	2.0	-1.9	-4.3	6.1	.1	.7
Crackers, bread, and cracker products <sup>2</sup> .....	284.907	289.800	288.601	288.529	-5.1	-2.4	.2	5.2	-3.8	2.7
Frozen and refrigerated bakery products, pies, tarts, turnovers <sup>2</sup> .....	258.766	258.869	261.107	258.690	5.9	-3.8	5.2	-.1	.9	2.5
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs .....	200.929	200.779	201.682	202.506	-6.3	-4.0	-3.4	3.2	-5.1	-.2
Meats, poultry, and fish .....	201.552	201.480	202.413	203.004	-5.4	-4.4	-3.8	2.9	-4.9	-.5
Meats .....	196.731	196.424	197.234	198.782	-8.9	-5.6	-4.1	4.2	-7.3	.0
Beef and veal <sup>1</sup> .....	216.546	215.426	213.170	215.129	-9.2	-6.2	1.0	-2.6	-7.7	-.8
Uncooked ground beef <sup>1</sup> .....	194.121	195.073	194.269	197.606	-13.8	-7.5	-3.5	7.4	-10.7	1.8
Uncooked beef roasts <sup>1 3</sup> .....	163.015	158.812	157.523	158.467	-23.0	-5.1	30.2	-10.7	-14.5	7.8
Uncooked beef steaks <sup>1 3</sup> .....	148.290	147.026	144.197	144.402	2.4	-5.8	-5.6	-10.1	-1.8	-7.9
Uncooked other beef and veal <sup>1 3</sup> .....	151.237	151.342	149.935	151.261	-4.1	-3.3	2.9	.1	-3.7	1.5
Pork .....	174.443	174.846	179.321	183.944	-8.1	-11.0	-9.7	23.6	-9.5	5.7
Bacon, breakfast sausage, and related products <sup>3</sup> ..	123.169	124.044	124.673	125.719	1.5	-20.5	-2.7	8.5	-10.2	2.8
Bacon and related products <sup>2</sup> .....	210.901	213.084	215.544	216.792	-1.9	-17.5	3.0	11.6	-10.0	7.2
Breakfast sausage and related products <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	120.922	120.341	123.298	125.406	6.2	-15.2	-20.6	15.7	-5.1	-4.1
Ham .....	174.846	172.833	179.446	180.610	-9.5	-1.0	-17.9	13.9	-5.3	-3.3
Ham, excluding canned <sup>2</sup> .....	195.397	193.399	202.508	204.787	-10.4	-1.0	-19.4	20.7	-5.8	-1.4
Pork chops .....	164.519	164.657	167.281	178.365	-16.9	-2.5	-3.7	38.2	-10.0	15.3
Other pork including roasts and picnics <sup>1 3</sup> .....	107.091	107.138	112.252	113.866	-3.3	-5.6	-18.0	27.8	-4.5	2.4
Other meats .....	191.530	191.778	192.719	188.850	-9.6	3.4	-7.1	-5.5	-3.3	-6.3
Frankfurters <sup>2</sup> .....	186.016	181.040	187.273	182.183	-12.3	9.0	-10.7	-8.0	-2.2	-9.3
Lunchmeats <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	128.294	128.646	127.461	125.383	-5.7	-.5	.7	-8.8	-3.1	-4.2
Lamb and organ meats <sup>1 2</sup> .....	257.599	257.675	257.616	258.299	-12.1	12.5	5.3	1.1	-.6	3.2
Lamb and mutton <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	153.828	155.167	154.875	155.496	-27.2	13.4	.6	4.4	-9.1	2.5
Poultry .....	202.256	203.249	202.685	203.883	-1.9	-3.9	-2.2	3.3	-2.9	.5
Chicken <sup>3</sup> .....	131.306	131.426	131.864	132.284	-2.6	-6.1	-1.4	3.0	-4.3	.8
Fresh whole chicken <sup>1 2</sup> .....	208.106	208.519	210.106	207.462	5.1	-9.8	-3.9	-1.2	-2.6	-2.6
Fresh and frozen chicken parts <sup>1 2</sup> .....	202.355	201.295	198.353	199.629	.5	-1.5	1.9	-5.3	-.5	-1.8
Other poultry including turkey <sup>3</sup> .....	126.686	129.423	125.603	128.414	3.7	4.0	-7.4	5.6	3.9	-1.1
Fish and seafood <sup>1</sup> .....	239.085	238.671	242.194	237.881	4.6	-.5	-4.8	-2.0	2.0	-3.4
Fresh fish and seafood <sup>1 3</sup> .....	139.471	138.441	142.595	139.100	2.4	.2	-4.4	-1.1	1.3	-2.8
Processed fish and seafood <sup>3</sup> .....	128.008	128.643	127.721	127.850	1.4	-.5	-3.0	-.5	.4	-1.8
Canned fish and seafood <sup>1 2</sup> .....	175.432	176.701	177.083	175.276	4.4	1.5	-1.1	-.4	2.9	-.7
Frozen fish and seafood <sup>1 2</sup> .....	265.705	266.261	266.210	263.957	13.3	2.9	-8.7	-2.6	8.0	-5.7
Eggs .....	190.355	188.902	189.034	193.867	-20.5	4.5	4.8	7.6	-8.8	6.2
Dairy and related products <sup>1</sup> .....	193.914	194.792	198.949	198.800	-15.6	-7.3	3.2	10.5	-11.5	6.8
Milk <sup>1 3</sup> .....	128.062	129.538	132.974	132.969	-21.4	-6.8	11.3	16.2	-14.4	13.7
Fresh whole milk <sup>1 2</sup> .....	180.894	184.074	189.734	189.575	-27.6	-7.4	11.9	20.6	-18.1	16.2
Fresh milk other than whole <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	132.603	133.648	136.764	137.330	-16.4	-6.1	11.2	15.0	-11.4	13.1
Cheese and related products <sup>1</sup> .....	197.411	198.738	202.749	203.386	-20.0	-7.6	-1.1	12.7	-14.1	5.6
Ice cream and related products .....	195.207	193.645	196.712	194.435	2.8	-12.1	2.3	-1.6	-4.9	.3
Other dairy and related products <sup>3</sup> .....	134.058	135.171	137.400	136.402	-6.1	-6.4	-4.2	7.2	-6.2	1.3

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 4. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): Seasonally adjusted U.S. city average, detailed expenditure categories -Continued**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Seasonally adjusted indexes				Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for					
					3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
	Nov. 2009	Dec. 2009	Jan. 2010	Feb. 2010	May 2009	Aug. 2009	Nov. 2009	Feb. 2010	Aug. 2009	Feb. 2010
<b>Expenditure category</b>										
Fruits and vegetables .....	268.326	269.428	272.854	272.571	-3.1	-3.5	-4.9	6.5	-3.3	0.6
Fresh fruits and vegetables .....	306.803	308.238	312.648	312.704	-5.5	-2.6	-5.7	7.9	-4.1	.9
Fresh fruits .....	321.230	321.025	329.882	325.011	-10.1	-.2	-1.4	4.8	-5.3	1.6
Apples .....	281.242	287.327	288.618	294.780	-17.8	-16.2	7.9	20.7	-17.0	14.1
Bananas .....	193.581	197.920	198.485	197.099	-12.9	-4.8	-21.9	7.5	-8.9	-8.4
Citrus fruits <sup>3</sup> .....	207.584	205.563	203.506	201.234	-2.4	15.6	13.2	-11.7	6.2	.0
Oranges, including tangerines <sup>2</sup> .....	417.107	428.119	417.775	411.072	-.9	4.7	8.5	-5.7	1.9	1.2
Other fresh fruits <sup>3</sup> .....	111.641	110.223	115.305	112.670	-5.8	4.7	-4.8	3.7	-.7	-.6
Fresh vegetables .....	290.997	293.958	294.130	298.827	-.6	-5.0	-10.0	11.2	-2.8	.1
Potatoes .....	291.918	289.274	301.852	302.002	-21.1	-22.4	-18.1	14.6	-21.7	-3.1
Lettuce <sup>1</sup> .....	303.191	329.458	293.926	278.477	-15.3	-10.2	51.1	-28.8	-12.8	3.7
Tomatoes <sup>1</sup> .....	317.239	348.514	338.851	329.789	3.1	-22.0	61.9	16.8	-10.3	37.5
Other fresh vegetables .....	292.867	289.895	295.938	303.937	-8.4	.8	-8.5	16.0	-3.9	3.0
Processed fruits and vegetables <sup>3</sup> .....	146.834	147.188	148.497	147.779	4.3	-6.0	-2.3	2.6	-1.0	.1
Canned fruits and vegetables <sup>3</sup> .....	150.344	151.582	152.352	152.016	6.1	-7.5	-2.7	4.5	-.9	.9
Canned fruits <sup>2 3</sup> .....	141.458	142.482	142.200	141.137	7.3	-3.2	-5.4	-.9	1.9	-3.2
Canned vegetables <sup>2 3</sup> .....	160.781	161.837	163.804	163.733	5.7	-8.4	-.9	7.5	-1.6	3.2
Frozen fruits and vegetables <sup>3</sup> .....	137.755	136.998	140.684	139.232	3.0	-4.8	-8.1	4.4	-1.0	-2.0
Frozen vegetables <sup>2</sup> .....	192.002	191.688	197.731	195.810	-2.5	.3	-7.9	8.2	-1.1	-.2
Other processed fruits and vegetables including dried <sup>3</sup> .....	150.071	150.276	149.019	149.369	-1.3	-4.5	7.6	-1.9	-2.9	2.8
Dried beans, peas, and lentils <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	178.404	176.524	174.096	176.360	8.0	-3.3	8.0	-4.5	2.2	1.6
Nonalcoholic beverages and beverage materials .....	162.164	162.202	162.499	161.872	-.7	-.6	-1.5	-.7	-.6	-1.1
Juices and nonalcoholic drinks <sup>3</sup> .....	125.372	125.429	125.576	124.954	.6	-2.0	-1.9	-1.3	-.7	-1.6
Carbonated drinks .....	152.563	153.603	154.583	156.736	-.9	-2.1	-3.4	11.4	-.6	3.7
Frozen noncarbonated juices and drinks <sup>1 3</sup> .....	149.731	150.282	149.775	149.209	-.5	-4.1	.1	-1.4	-2.3	-.6
Nonfrozen noncarbonated juices and drinks <sup>1 3</sup> .....	117.327	116.601	117.675	114.934	-2.2	-3.6	.0	-7.9	-1.9	-4.0
Beverage materials including coffee and tea <sup>3</sup> .....	113.014	113.155	113.243	113.476	-2.9	2.5	-1.6	1.6	-.2	.0
Coffee .....	186.017	184.599	186.075	185.730	-8.7	2.0	.7	-.6	-3.5	.0
Roasted coffee <sup>2</sup> .....	192.543	190.629	193.487	190.787	-11.6	10.8	2.0	-3.6	-1.0	-.9
Instant and freeze dried coffee <sup>1 2</sup> .....	197.641	196.843	197.622	198.347	-10.9	-3.0	-3.3	1.4	-7.0	-1.0
Other beverage materials including tea <sup>3</sup> .....	124.420	124.340	124.137	125.246	-.9	2.8	-2.0	2.7	.9	.3
Other food at home .....	190.868	191.326	190.812	191.211	-2.2	-.5	.3	.7	-1.4	.5
Sugar and sweets .....	198.960	199.524	198.862	201.656	-.2	-1.3	6.8	5.5	-.7	6.2
Sugar and artificial sweeteners .....	183.770	182.838	183.730	186.976	-.2	-2.2	19.0	7.2	-1.2	12.9
Candy and chewing gum <sup>1 3</sup> .....	131.924	132.313	131.330	132.935	-2.0	-2.5	10.3	3.1	-2.3	6.7
Other sweets <sup>3</sup> .....	141.700	142.436	143.795	144.656	3.4	1.0	-5.3	8.6	2.2	1.4
Fats and oils .....	197.875	199.004	199.460	199.352	-5.2	-2.3	-4.0	3.0	-3.8	-.5
Butter and margarine <sup>3</sup> .....	150.658	153.021	155.631	157.658	-10.9	-4.0	-10.0	19.9	-7.5	3.9
Butter <sup>2</sup> .....	155.624	161.800	166.787	171.447	-19.3	3.6	-20.1	47.3	-8.6	8.5
Margarine <sup>2</sup> .....	237.459	239.127	242.198	241.921	-5.0	-6.4	-7.7	7.7	-5.7	-.3
Salad dressing <sup>1 3</sup> .....	127.015	125.704	125.751	125.726	-8.5	8.2	3.2	-4.0	-.5	-.5
Other fats and oils including peanut butter <sup>3</sup> .....	144.116	144.798	144.597	143.319	-5.6	-5.6	.3	-2.2	-5.6	-.9
Peanut butter <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	132.597	132.636	132.154	132.725	-3.7	-10.8	8.8	.4	-7.3	4.5
Other foods .....	205.086	205.455	204.762	204.793	-2.2	.0	-.3	-.6	-1.1	-.5
Soups .....	230.727	230.613	230.720	226.879	-6.3	-4.2	-3.4	-6.5	-5.2	-5.0
Frozen and freeze dried prepared foods <sup>1</sup> .....	166.927	166.386	165.729	166.560	-2.1	7.4	-9.2	-.9	2.5	-5.1
Snacks <sup>1</sup> .....	214.546	215.081	216.616	216.747	-12.0	.0	8.9	4.2	-6.2	6.5
Spices, seasonings, condiments, sauces .....	217.385	216.171	213.940	215.437	2.4	4.1	2.0	-3.5	3.2	-.8
Salt and other seasonings and spices <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	121.412	121.482	122.310	123.009	-3.1	.2	-3.4	5.4	-1.5	.9
Olives, pickles, relishes <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	135.451	130.724	133.046	135.173	3.8	13.8	-11.0	-.8	8.7	-6.0
Sauces and gravies <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	125.949	124.327	126.751	127.840	7.2	7.7	-10.0	6.1	7.4	-2.3
Other condiments <sup>1 2</sup> .....	220.464	217.733	248.052	249.637	-13.2	12.3	-37.3	64.4	-1.3	1.6
Baby food <sup>1 3</sup> .....	138.199	139.287	140.045	140.360	-2.7	.7	-5.6	6.4	-1.0	.2
Other miscellaneous foods <sup>1 3</sup> .....	121.263	122.422	121.564	121.172	.8	-3.0	-2.0	-.3	-1.1	-1.2
Prepared salads <sup>1 2 4</sup> .....	108.158	107.366	104.236	105.410	4.4	6.9	4.8	-9.8	5.6	-2.7
Food away from home <sup>1</sup> .....	224.633	224.789	224.916	225.081	1.9	1.2	1.7	.8	1.5	1.3
Full service meals and snacks <sup>1 3</sup> .....	139.886	140.112	140.249	140.432	2.5	.6	1.3	1.6	1.6	1.4
Limited service meals and snacks <sup>1 3</sup> .....	143.491	143.407	143.326	143.201	1.4	1.5	1.5	-.8	1.5	.4
Food at employee sites and schools <sup>3</sup> .....	138.801	139.302	139.694	139.889	3.9	-1.3	4.5	3.2	1.3	3.8
Food at elementary and secondary schools <sup>1 2 5</sup> .....	117.463	117.561	117.716	117.795	.5	.1	8.6	1.1	.3	4.8
Food from vending machines and mobile vendors <sup>1 3</sup> .....	131.334	131.765	132.023	132.409	1.9	2.8	3.9	3.3	2.4	3.6

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**Table 4. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): Seasonally adjusted U.S. city average, detailed expenditure categories -Continued**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Seasonally adjusted indexes				Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for					
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	Nov. 2009	Dec. 2009	Jan. 2010	Feb. 2010	May 2009	Aug. 2009	Nov. 2009	Feb. 2010	Aug. 2009	Feb. 2010
<b>Expenditure category</b>										
Other food away from home <sup>1 3</sup> .....	157.027	156.990	157.517	158.569	1.0	4.2	0.8	4.0	2.6	2.4
Alcoholic beverages .....	222.717	222.792	222.488	221.954	1.4	2.4	2.8	-1.4	1.9	.7
Alcoholic beverages at home .....	192.248	191.700	190.652	190.247	.6	3.8	2.2	-4.1	2.2	-1.0
Beer, ale, and other malt beverages at home .....	200.886	200.719	200.011	199.383	1.0	6.6	3.5	-3.0	3.7	.2
Distilled spirits at home .....	190.835	190.382	189.064	188.848	3.3	3.2	1.3	-4.1	3.2	-1.4
Whiskey at home <sup>1 2</sup> .....	197.871	195.242	195.796	196.343	4.3	-2.3	7.1	-3.1	.9	1.9
Distilled spirits, excluding whiskey, at home <sup>1 2</sup> .....	185.704	183.543	184.387	184.942	3.2	3.8	-2.3	-1.6	3.5	-2.0
Wine at home .....	172.173	171.725	170.093	169.980	-1.0	.1	.3	-5.0	-4	-2.4
Alcoholic beverages away from home <sup>1</sup> .....	287.822	289.055	289.878	288.847	3.2	.0	4.1	1.4	1.6	2.8
Beer, ale, and other malt beverages away from home <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	145.210	145.617	146.337	145.762	4.6	2.3	3.9	1.5	3.5	2.7
Wine away from home <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	159.443	159.749	159.518	159.017	1.6	3.0	2.7	-1.1	2.3	.8
Distilled spirits away from home <sup>2 3</sup> .....	151.096	152.206	152.551	152.220	-4	-1.5	4.5	3.0	-1.0	3.7
Housing .....	216.881	216.880	216.185	216.181	-1.0	-5	.1	-1.3	-7	-6
Shelter .....	249.173	249.216	248.029	247.976	1.1	.0	-8	-1.9	.6	-1.3
Rent of primary residence <sup>6</sup> .....	248.786	248.788	248.885	248.813	1.7	.1	-7	.0	.9	-3
Lodging away from home <sup>3</sup> .....	132.339	132.480	129.698	129.776	-6.3	-5.6	-9	-7.5	-6.0	-4.3
Housing at school, excluding board <sup>6 7</sup> .....	415.619	417.249	419.154	420.174	4.4	6.0	4.0	4.5	5.2	4.2
Other lodging away from home including hotels and motels .....	274.672	274.910	271.386	271.428	-7.0	-6.3	-1.2	-4.6	-6.6	-2.9
Owners' equivalent rent of residences <sup>6 7</sup> .....	256.721	256.708	256.509	256.449	1.8	.5	-8	-4	1.2	-6
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>6 7</sup> .....	256.721	256.708	256.507	256.445	1.8	.5	-8	-4	1.2	-6
Tenants' and household insurance <sup>1 3</sup> .....	122.243	123.812	124.360	124.439	.1	3.7	1.4	7.4	1.9	4.3
Fuels and utilities .....	211.881	211.685	212.757	213.770	-14.2	-1.9	8.8	3.6	-8.3	6.2
Household energy .....	188.492	188.120	188.982	189.753	-18.4	-3.8	9.7	2.7	-11.4	6.1
Fuel oil and other fuels <sup>1</sup> .....	260.250	262.649	280.850	277.284	-25.4	23.8	44.1	28.9	-3.9	36.3
Fuel oil <sup>1</sup> .....	268.379	268.396	284.786	277.928	-17.4	48.7	43.3	15.0	10.8	28.4
Propane, kerosene, and firewood <sup>8</sup> .....	296.688	305.986	328.504	334.340	-29.7	-12.8	31.5	61.3	-21.7	45.6
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>6</sup> .....	192.829	192.284	192.250	193.283	-17.9	-5.5	7.5	.9	-11.9	4.2
Electricity <sup>6</sup> .....	193.906	193.607	191.546	190.543	-3.9	-9.2	10.0	-6.8	-6.6	1.3
Utility (piped) gas service <sup>6</sup> .....	186.813	185.489	191.962	199.470	-49.8	8.0	.0	30.0	-26.4	14.0
Water and sewer and trash collection services <sup>3</sup> .....	164.557	165.138	166.463	167.696	7.0	6.6	5.1	7.9	6.8	6.5
Water and sewerage maintenance <sup>6</sup> .....	363.731	365.467	369.113	371.961	8.3	8.2	6.4	9.4	8.2	7.9
Garbage and trash collection <sup>1 9</sup> .....	379.208	379.248	380.036	382.490	3.4	2.5	1.4	3.5	2.9	2.5
Household furnishings and operations .....	127.605	127.577	127.392	126.879	.7	-2.5	-2.7	-2.3	-9	-2.5
Window and floor coverings and other linens <sup>1 3</sup> .....	73.804	73.655	74.116	73.205	-3.7	-7.8	-4.4	-3.2	-5.7	-3.8
Floor coverings <sup>1 3</sup> .....	117.525	117.287	116.198	114.241	.1	-2.2	-3.3	-10.7	-1.0	-7.1
Window coverings <sup>3</sup> .....	80.077	79.885	76.953	75.713	-10.3	-9.4	-4.8	-20.1	-9.8	-12.8
Other linens <sup>1 3</sup> .....	61.827	61.602	62.980	62.529	4.6	-6.4	-6.7	4.6	-1.1	-1.2
Furniture and bedding <sup>1</sup> .....	123.142	123.373	123.048	122.467	6.7	-9.2	-1.1	-2.2	-1.5	-1.7
Bedroom furniture <sup>1</sup> .....	140.225	139.258	138.905	137.995	4.7	-9.0	-3.7	-6.2	-2.4	-5.0
Living room, kitchen, and dining room furniture <sup>1 3</sup> .....	89.893	91.131	91.223	90.790	3.4	-4.6	-1.5	4.1	-7	1.2
Other furniture <sup>3</sup> .....	89.522	88.488	86.916	85.634	11.7	-12.6	9.1	-16.3	-1.2	-4.4
Infants' furniture <sup>1 2 5</sup> .....	NA	NA	NA	NA	-	-	-	-	-	-
Appliances <sup>1 3</sup> .....	88.745	88.124	88.022	88.713	3.2	-4.9	-11.8	-1	-9	-6.1
Major appliances <sup>1 3</sup> .....	99.615	99.009	99.330	99.444	-.3	-12.5	-4.1	-7	-6.6	-2.4
Laundry equipment <sup>1 2</sup> .....	113.588	112.673	112.240	112.643	-3.3	-13.7	-2.4	-3.3	-8.7	-2.8
Other appliances <sup>1 3</sup> .....	74.952	74.307	73.725	75.029	9.4	8.7	-22.9	.4	9.0	-12.0
Other household equipment and furnishings <sup>1 3</sup> .....	72.323	72.130	72.680	72.345	-3.7	-4.3	-6.6	.1	-4.0	-3.3
Clocks, lamps, and decorator items <sup>1</sup> .....	64.958	65.126	65.759	65.076	-.3	-4.9	-12.4	.7	-2.6	-6.1
Indoor plants and flowers <sup>10</sup> .....	127.338	126.851	127.116	126.265	-7.5	4.1	.6	-3.3	-1.9	-1.4
Dishes and flatware <sup>1 3</sup> .....	70.760	70.080	71.430	70.170	-15.2	-9.1	2.9	-3.3	-12.2	-.2
Nonelectric cookware and tableware <sup>3</sup> .....	97.541	96.943	96.024	95.671	1.3	1.3	.6	-7.5	1.3	-3.5
Tools, hardware, outdoor equipment and supplies <sup>3</sup> .....	93.256	92.936	93.188	92.330	2.8	-3.1	-3.8	-3.9	-.2	-3.9
Tools, hardware and supplies <sup>1 3</sup> .....	97.526	97.073	96.910	96.914	10.4	-13.7	-2.0	-2.5	-2.4	-2.2
Outdoor equipment and supplies <sup>3</sup> .....	90.503	90.452	90.618	89.644	.5	1.1	-5.8	-3.7	.8	-4.8
Housekeeping supplies <sup>1</sup> .....	183.329	183.109	183.301	183.825	.1	.0	.1	1.1	.1	.6
Household cleaning products <sup>1 3</sup> .....	122.810	122.280	121.606	122.069	3.1	.5	4.2	-2.4	1.8	.8
Household paper products <sup>1 3</sup> .....	156.326	155.772	156.635	156.523	.7	2.0	-1.5	.5	1.3	-.5
Miscellaneous household products <sup>1 3</sup> .....	115.398	115.953	116.578	117.111	-3.9	-2.3	-3.4	6.1	-3.1	1.2
Household operations <sup>1 3</sup> .....	150.135	150.172	149.510	149.707	-1.8	2.8	-1.0	-1.1	.5	-1.0
Domestic services <sup>1 3</sup> .....	144.005	144.263	143.539	144.337	.3	.1	-1	.9	.2	.4
Gardening and lawn care services <sup>1 3</sup> .....	156.005	156.052	NA	NA	-	3.4	.8	-	-	-

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<b>Expenditure category</b>										
Moving, storage, freight expense <sup>1 3</sup> .....	125.256	124.592	121.965	122.060	15.6	1.9	-10.0	-9.8	8.6	-9.9
Repair of household items <sup>1 3</sup> .....	178.808	178.830	179.500	180.191	3.7	10.2	.3	3.1	6.9	1.7
Apparel .....	120.247	120.684	120.613	119.814	-1.0	3.9	-1.2	-1.4	1.4	-1.3
Men's and boys' apparel .....	112.382	112.109	112.296	111.748	-5.2	-1.2	-4.6	-2.2	-3.3	-3.4
Men's apparel .....	117.605	117.267	118.084	117.125	-4.1	-4.9	-.9	-1.6	-4.5	-1.3
Men's suits, sport coats, and outerwear .....	113.332	114.096	113.411	114.567	-3.8	-9.5	-.9	4.4	-6.7	1.7
Men's furnishings .....	140.391	139.764	142.720	144.473	-12.6	5.6	7.2	12.1	-3.9	9.6
Men's shirts and sweaters <sup>3</sup> .....	79.368	79.206	79.815	78.372	-10.3	-6.2	-6.3	-4.9	-8.3	-5.6
Men's pants and shorts .....	109.627	108.668	108.678	108.862	4.2	-7.4	-7.9	-2.8	-1.8	-5.4
Boys' apparel .....	93.340	92.992	91.266	91.813	-8.7	18.0	-20.0	-6.4	3.8	-13.5
Women's and girls' apparel .....	108.114	109.085	109.196	108.261	-.2	7.5	-3.5	.5	3.6	-1.5
Women's apparel .....	110.382	111.047	111.246	109.339	.4	4.1	.7	-3.7	2.3	-1.5
Women's outerwear .....	92.730	95.063	95.551	91.831	10.3	-25.7	27.4	-3.8	-9.5	10.7
Women's dresses .....	113.985	114.640	110.186	111.249	-6.1	.6	-16.5	-9.3	-2.8	-13.0
Women's suits and separates <sup>3</sup> .....	84.933	85.181	85.898	84.732	1.6	7.4	-3.5	-.9	4.5	-2.2
Women's underwear, nightwear, sportswear and accessories <sup>3</sup> .....	95.168	95.484	95.626	95.592	-10.3	6.8	11.5	1.8	-2.1	6.5
Girls' apparel .....	97.053	99.421	99.124	102.665	-3.4	25.9	-22.5	25.2	10.3	-1.5
Footwear .....	128.697	128.979	129.343	128.641	3.1	4.5	3.8	-.2	3.8	1.8
Men's footwear <sup>1</sup> .....	129.015	127.787	126.938	127.311	6.2	1.0	7.0	-5.2	3.6	.7
Boys' and girls' footwear .....	133.132	132.898	137.307	133.709	6.9	3.0	-3.6	1.7	5.0	-1.0
Women's footwear .....	126.153	127.305	125.782	126.156	2.7	2.6	9.2	.0	2.7	4.5
Infants' and toddlers' apparel .....	113.941	113.668	114.757	113.551	2.7	9.4	-7.2	-1.4	6.0	-4.4
Jewelry and watches <sup>8</sup> .....	151.615	151.924	148.293	147.987	-2.1	-1.5	12.6	-9.2	-1.8	1.1
Watches <sup>1 8</sup> .....	114.560	114.260	116.915	116.433	-5.3	-9.4	-2.0	6.7	-7.4	2.2
Jewelry <sup>8</sup> .....	160.249	160.535	155.920	155.533	-1.4	-.4	14.5	-11.3	-.9	.8
Transportation .....	189.647	191.018	193.593	193.332	.2	30.3	12.8	8.0	14.2	10.4
Private transportation .....	185.085	186.356	189.316	189.062	.8	31.9	12.2	8.9	15.3	10.5
New and used motor vehicles <sup>3</sup> .....	95.996	96.255	96.422	96.794	4.1	2.3	11.8	3.4	3.2	7.5
New vehicles .....	138.532	138.214	137.470	137.648	6.9	.6	9.4	-2.5	3.7	3.3
New cars and trucks <sup>2 3</sup> .....	95.990	95.743	95.250	95.379	6.7	.8	9.2	-2.5	3.7	3.2
New cars <sup>2</sup> .....	139.538	139.290	138.170	138.292	3.7	-2.5	12.5	-3.5	.6	4.2
New trucks <sup>2 9</sup> .....	142.301	141.982	141.392	141.622	10.1	3.2	8.5	-1.9	6.6	3.1
Used cars and trucks .....	135.010	137.922	139.990	140.963	-2.3	12.5	29.9	18.8	4.9	24.3
Leased cars and trucks <sup>11</sup> .....	100.184	99.191	98.920	100.105	-.7	-9.4	-7.9	-.3	-5.1	-4.2
Car and truck rental <sup>3</sup> .....	128.149	127.822	123.836	121.432	17.3	12.0	-10.1	-19.4	14.6	-14.8
Motor fuel .....	232.878	236.762	248.088	244.826	-7.7	156.6	18.2	22.2	53.9	20.2
Gasoline (all types) .....	232.144	237.449	247.897	244.409	-4.5	154.5	17.2	22.9	55.9	20.0
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>2</sup> .....	231.562	236.698	247.156	243.852	-4.4	160.3	17.1	23.0	57.7	20.0
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>2 12</sup> .....	239.096	243.402	253.817	249.605	-3.4	149.1	18.2	18.8	55.1	18.5
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>2</sup> .....	226.396	229.722	239.821	236.616	-5.5	140.5	17.8	19.3	50.8	18.6
Other motor fuels <sup>1 3</sup> .....	204.371	203.092	209.270	205.752	-8.3	86.2	26.1	2.7	30.6	13.8
Motor vehicle parts and equipment <sup>1</sup> .....	134.234	134.781	135.277	135.649	.7	-2.4	2.1	4.3	-.9	3.2
Tires <sup>1</sup> .....	120.833	121.348	121.723	122.251	.8	-4.3	2.4	4.8	-1.8	3.6
Vehicle accessories other than tires <sup>1 3</sup> .....	146.583	147.139	147.843	147.812	.6	.5	1.7	3.4	.6	2.5
Vehicle parts and equipment other than tires <sup>1 2</sup> .....	141.874	142.377	143.197	142.917	2.6	1.6	1.4	3.0	2.1	2.2
Motor oil, coolant, and fluids <sup>1 2</sup> .....	291.359	292.337	293.027	297.676	-7.2	-7.4	2.0	9.0	-7.3	5.4
Motor vehicle maintenance and repair <sup>1</sup> .....	245.511	245.417	245.567	245.969	1.3	1.7	3.4	.7	1.5	2.0
Motor vehicle body work <sup>1</sup> .....	250.770	251.006	251.236	251.192	4.6	.6	3.3	.7	2.5	2.0
Motor vehicle maintenance and servicing <sup>1</sup> .....	223.844	224.018	223.654	223.787	-1.3	1.3	3.2	-.1	.0	1.5
Motor vehicle repair <sup>1 3</sup> .....	150.944	150.735	151.083	151.486	3.0	2.1	3.5	1.4	2.5	2.5
Motor vehicle insurance .....	362.929	364.705	365.786	368.136	4.7	4.6	4.3	5.9	4.7	5.1
Motor vehicle fees <sup>1 3</sup> .....	163.936	163.829	164.557	164.757	5.3	7.1	24.7	2.0	6.2	12.8
State motor vehicle registration and license fees <sup>1 3 6</sup> .....	163.152	163.132	164.053	164.350	5.5	8.1	38.0	3.0	6.8	19.2
Parking and other fees <sup>1 3</sup> .....	165.469	165.205	165.609	165.624	5.0	5.4	4.8	.4	5.2	2.6
Parking fees and tolls <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	177.000	176.892	177.150	177.160	7.4	6.9	5.8	.4	7.2	3.0
Automobile service clubs <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	119.591	119.061	119.703	119.680	-4.3	-1.4	.2	.3	-2.8	.3
Public transportation .....	246.516	249.551	245.058	244.713	-7.7	9.4	21.6	-2.9	.5	8.7
Airline fare .....	272.727	278.742	271.711	269.796	-12.4	10.8	32.6	-4.2	-1.5	12.7
Other intercity transportation .....	147.459	148.170	147.297	151.111	-5.9	-3.9	1.7	10.3	-4.9	5.9

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<b>Expenditure category</b>										
Intercity bus fare <sup>1 2 4</sup> .....	105.450	108.660	107.676	107.065	4.4	-2.3	8.9	6.3	1.0	7.6
Intercity train fare <sup>1 2 4</sup> .....	106.212	105.854	99.880	100.191	-7.3	119.5	-41.6	-20.8	42.6	-32.0
Ship fare <sup>2 3</sup> .....	63.208	64.004	64.041	65.545	-9.2	1.1	-3	15.6	-4.2	7.4
Intracity transportation <sup>1</sup> .....	256.061	256.436	256.874	257.501	1.2	14.4	1.3	2.3	7.6	1.8
Intracity mass transit <sup>1 2 13</sup> .....	-	100.000	100.258	100.809	-	-	-	-	-	-
Medical care .....	380.212	380.732	382.737	384.703	3.5	2.7	3.6	4.8	3.1	4.2
Medical care commodities <sup>1</sup> .....	308.546	308.221	310.494	312.864	3.4	1.5	3.6	5.7	2.4	4.7
Medicinal drugs <sup>1 13</sup> .....	-	100.000	100.770	101.586	-	-	-	-	-	-
Prescription drugs .....	397.309	398.100	400.122	402.428	4.9	4.1	4.0	5.3	4.5	4.6
Nonprescription drugs <sup>1 13</sup> .....	-	100.000	99.849	100.310	-	-	-	-	-	-
Medical equipment and supplies <sup>1 13</sup> .....	-	100.000	100.123	99.991	-	-	-	-	-	-
Medical care services .....	402.295	403.177	405.006	406.755	3.5	3.1	3.5	4.5	3.3	4.0
Professional services .....	322.528	323.045	324.784	325.373	2.6	2.4	2.8	3.6	2.5	3.2
Physicians' services <sup>6</sup> .....	323.682	324.134	327.576	328.614	3.6	2.4	2.0	6.2	3.0	4.1
Dental services <sup>6</sup> .....	392.422	394.148	394.197	392.999	2.8	2.7	3.4	.6	2.7	2.0
Eyeglasses and eye care <sup>8</sup> .....	177.599	176.680	176.685	175.947	1.6	.4	5.4	-3.7	1.0	.8
Services by other medical professionals <sup>1 6 8</sup> .....	211.668	211.524	212.027	213.566	.5	1.6	3.5	3.6	1.1	3.6
Hospital and related services <sup>6</sup> .....	581.662	585.044	587.561	593.869	6.9	6.6	6.6	8.7	6.8	7.6
Hospital services <sup>6 14</sup> .....	216.380	217.751	218.946	221.743	7.4	7.3	7.4	10.3	7.4	8.8
Inpatient hospital services <sup>2 6 14</sup> .....	209.303	210.489	212.237	214.755	8.1	7.8	7.4	10.8	7.9	9.1
Outpatient hospital services <sup>2 6 8</sup> .....	503.707	506.777	506.158	512.584	7.2	7.5	7.7	7.2	7.3	7.4
Nursing homes and adult day services <sup>6 14</sup> .....	173.940	173.996	173.768	174.253	4.0	2.7	3.8	.7	3.4	2.3
Care of invalids and elderly at home <sup>1 5</sup> .....	109.964	109.971	110.257	110.361	.5	-8	.6	1.5	-1	1.0
Health insurance <sup>1 5</sup> .....	109.045	108.325	108.700	109.059	-3.4	-3.6	-4.0	.1	-3.5	-2.0
Recreation <sup>3</sup> .....	113.968	113.598	113.524	113.415	-1.4	1.7	-2.2	-1.9	.2	-2.1
Video and audio <sup>3</sup> .....	100.563	100.440	100.255	99.571	-6	-8	-3.1	-3.9	-7	-3.5
Televisions .....	9.282	9.101	8.836	8.443	-25.0	-28.4	-31.4	-31.5	-26.7	-31.5
Cable and satellite television and radio service <sup>9</sup> .....	370.107	371.212	373.382	370.980	2.3	3.1	1.0	.9	2.7	1.0
Other video equipment <sup>3</sup> .....	17.341	17.150	17.056	16.854	2.4	-10.7	-20.3	-10.8	-4.4	-15.7
Video discs and other media, including rental of video and audio <sup>1 3</sup> .....	77.400	77.022	76.060	75.960	-3.2	-2.5	.5	-7.2	-2.8	-3.4
Video discs and other media <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	56.534	55.958	56.229	56.622	-4.8	-11.5	-4	.6	-8.2	.1
Rental of video or audio discs and other media <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	100.733	100.789	99.263	98.682	-2.2	2.5	-1	-7.9	.2	-4.1
Audio equipment <sup>1</sup> .....	48.406	48.213	47.822	48.119	-3.6	-6.1	-8	-2.4	-4.9	-1.6
Audio discs, tapes and other media <sup>1 3</sup> .....	97.186	95.165	94.804	95.294	-2.2	-4.7	-7.6	-7.6	-3.5	-7.6
Pets, pet products and services <sup>3</sup> .....	153.541	153.706	153.814	154.256	2.3	.4	-6	1.9	1.3	.6
Pets and pet products .....	194.063	194.124	194.250	195.128	2.1	-1.0	-2.4	2.2	.5	-1
Pet food <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	143.451	142.867	143.085	143.793	1.5	2.3	-3.4	1.0	1.9	-1.2
Purchase of pets, pet supplies, accessories <sup>2 3</sup> .....	118.348	118.780	119.544	119.900	7.4	-6.1	-4.1	5.3	.4	.5
Pet services including veterinary <sup>3</sup> .....	185.923	186.329	186.515	186.503	2.6	2.4	2.1	1.3	2.5	1.7
Pet services <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	155.940	155.941	155.961	156.635	1.0	2.4	-3.2	1.8	1.7	-7
Veterinarian services <sup>2 3</sup> .....	193.324	193.693	194.270	193.810	3.1	2.6	3.2	1.0	2.8	2.1
Sporting goods <sup>1</sup> .....	119.001	118.314	118.436	118.460	.7	-2.3	-1.9	-1.8	-8	-1.8
Sports vehicles including bicycles <sup>1</sup> .....	140.343	139.648	140.450	140.576	6.3	-3.3	1.7	.7	1.4	1.2
Sports equipment <sup>1</sup> .....	98.728	98.056	97.635	97.564	-5.6	-1.0	-6.1	-4.6	-3.4	-5.3
Photography <sup>3</sup> .....	R80.533	R80.753	R80.687	80.202	3.0	-1	-3.1	-1.6	1.4	-2.4
Photographic equipment and supplies .....	72.821	72.940	73.177	72.636	4.1	-2.5	-5.7	-1.0	.8	-3.4
Film and photographic supplies <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	89.490	89.475	91.249	91.162	11.6	5.3	-3.5	7.7	8.4	1.9
Photographic equipment <sup>2 3</sup> .....	34.089	34.029	33.860	33.456	5.8	-6.5	-4.8	-7.2	-.5	-6.0
Photographers and film processing <sup>1 3</sup> .....	110.903	111.306	110.899	110.341	2.1	1.9	-1.0	-2.0	2.0	-1.5
Photographer fees <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	119.363	120.763	119.596	120.077	2.0	-8	1.9	2.4	.6	2.2
Film processing <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	105.625	105.993	105.897	105.116	1.4	3.2	-1.8	-1.9	2.3	-1.9
Other recreational goods <sup>3</sup> .....	58.821	58.382	58.920	58.949	.2	-5.6	-8.2	.9	-2.7	-3.8
Toys <sup>1</sup> .....	60.580	59.985	60.520	60.599	-1.0	-10.3	-13.5	.1	-5.7	-6.9
Toys, games, hobbies and playground equipment <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	62.981	62.449	63.066	63.086	1.0	-7.7	-9.1	.7	-3.4	-4.4
Sewing machines, fabric and supplies <sup>3</sup> .....	93.130	92.944	93.824	93.827	3.7	8.4	2.7	3.0	6.0	2.8
Music instruments and accessories <sup>3</sup> .....	98.089	97.865	99.193	98.708	1.1	.2	3.1	2.5	.7	2.8
Recreation services <sup>3</sup> .....	145.199	144.408	143.900	144.214	-5.5	7.9	-1.6	-2.7	1.0	-2.1
Club dues and fees for participant sports and group exercises <sup>3</sup> .....	125.434	123.954	123.064	123.488	-3.8	.7	-8	-6.1	-1.6	-3.5
Admissions <sup>1</sup> .....	319.739	319.307	318.506	319.179	-8.4	15.5	-3.8	-7	2.8	-2.3

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 4. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): Seasonally adjusted U.S. city average, detailed expenditure categories -Continued**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Seasonally adjusted indexes				Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for					
					3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
	Nov. 2009	Dec. 2009	Jan. 2010	Feb. 2010	May 2009	Aug. 2009	Nov. 2009	Feb. 2010	Aug. 2009	Feb. 2010
<b>Expenditure category</b>										
Admission to movies, theaters, and concerts <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	154.075	153.725	153.411	153.701	-9.5	16.3	-3.8	-1.0	2.6	-2.4
Admission to sporting events <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	174.078	174.389	173.456	174.122	-6.2	12.9	-2.2	.1	2.9	-1.1
Fees for lessons or instructions <sup>1 8</sup> .....	264.312	264.055	264.094	264.065	-2.1	5.3	3.6	-4	1.6	1.6
Recreational reading materials <sup>1</sup> .....	223.033	221.333	221.142	221.152	.9	5.2	2.1	-3.3	3.0	-7
Newspapers and magazines <sup>1 3</sup> .....	135.945	134.986	135.117	135.761	5.1	5.4	3.6	-5	5.3	1.5
Recreational books <sup>1 3</sup> .....	107.391	106.493	106.176	105.593	-4.1	4.9	.2	-6.5	.3	-3.2
Education and communication <sup>3</sup> .....	128.255	128.528	128.872	129.141	2.9	2.4	1.1	2.8	2.7	2.0
Education <sup>3</sup> .....	193.869	194.587	195.209	196.252	5.5	5.6	3.0	5.0	5.5	4.0
Educational books and supplies .....	494.815	496.737	498.880	502.169	5.6	9.8	6.5	6.1	7.7	6.3
College textbooks <sup>1 2 11</sup> .....	164.957	165.325	166.742	167.734	3.0	15.8	5.1	6.9	9.2	6.0
Tuition, other school fees, and childcare .....	557.176	559.232	561.001	563.950	5.5	5.2	2.7	5.0	5.3	3.8
College tuition and fees .....	618.918	621.976	624.057	626.511	6.5	7.8	3.6	5.0	7.2	4.3
Elementary and high school tuition and fees .....	607.529	609.926	612.879	615.705	5.0	3.7	2.3	5.5	4.3	3.9
Child care and nursery school <sup>10</sup> .....	234.491	234.988	235.576	237.334	3.6	1.6	1.5	4.9	2.6	3.2
Technical and business school tuition and fees <sup>3</sup> .....	195.738	196.400	196.916	197.948	5.7	3.7	.4	4.6	4.7	2.5
Communication <sup>3</sup> .....	84.770	84.815	84.974	84.905	.5	-7	-6	.6	-1	.0
Postage and delivery services <sup>3</sup> .....	143.154	143.352	145.695	145.852	10.8	4.8	.5	7.8	7.8	4.1
Postage <sup>1</sup> .....	226.626	226.626	229.846	229.846	11.2	4.5	.0	5.8	7.8	2.9
Delivery services <sup>3</sup> .....	202.692	207.262	219.851	224.248	5.4	9.6	8.1	49.8	7.5	27.3
Information and information processing <sup>1 3</sup> .....	81.688	81.728	81.817	81.743	-1	-1.0	-7	.3	-5	-2
Telephone services <sup>1 3</sup> .....	102.528	102.707	102.729	102.288	1.5	1.6	-6	-9	1.5	-8
Wireless telephone services <sup>1 3</sup> .....	63.627	63.629	63.114	62.551	.1	.2	-4.8	-6.6	.1	-5.7
Land-line telephone services <sup>1 13</sup> .....	-	100.000	101.012	101.126	-	-	-	-	-	-
Information technology, hardware and services <sup>1 15</sup> .....	9.467	9.423	9.457	9.540	-5.9	-10.8	-1.3	3.1	-8.4	.9
Personal computers and peripheral equipment <sup>4</sup> .....	78.784	78.356	77.925	77.518	-14.6	-20.8	-1.5	-6.3	-17.8	-3.9
Computer software and accessories <sup>1 3</sup> .....	49.637	48.930	49.039	49.348	-2.6	-4.3	-8	-2.3	-3.5	-1.6
Internet services and electronic information providers <sup>1 3</sup> .....	75.716	75.642	76.029	77.498	-5	-8	-4.6	9.8	-6	2.3
Telephone hardware, calculators, and other consumer information items <sup>1 3</sup> .....	35.969	34.994	34.680	34.270	-3.7	-12.0	21.2	-17.6	-7.9	-1
Other goods and services .....	376.960	377.651	377.853	378.091	22.0	4.7	3.8	1.2	13.0	2.5
Tobacco and smoking products <sup>1</sup> .....	781.538	783.794	786.857	785.714	114.7	13.2	9.7	2.2	55.9	5.9
Cigarettes <sup>1 3</sup> .....	318.294	319.378	320.484	319.859	118.1	13.2	9.6	2.0	57.1	5.7
Tobacco products other than cigarettes <sup>1 3</sup> .....	212.110	210.845	212.910	213.970	65.1	13.1	12.6	3.6	36.7	8.0
Personal care .....	205.770	206.065	205.935	206.209	1.2	1.7	1.6	.9	1.4	1.3
Personal care products <sup>1</sup> .....	161.753	162.275	161.627	162.029	1.3	-1.4	-1.8	.7	.0	-5
Hair, dental, shaving, and miscellaneous personal care products <sup>1 3</sup> .....	104.011	104.825	104.966	105.729	5.5	-3.3	-5.2	6.8	1.0	.6
Cosmetics, perfume, bath, nail preparations and implements <sup>1</sup> .....	184.168	183.917	182.172	181.725	-2.7	.6	1.9	-5.2	-1.1	-1.7
Personal care services <sup>1</sup> .....	228.358	228.343	228.629	228.107	3.1	.0	1.4	-4	1.5	.5
Haircuts and other personal care services <sup>1 3</sup> .....	139.336	139.326	139.501	139.182	3.1	.0	1.4	-4	1.5	.5
Miscellaneous personal services .....	349.284	349.935	350.113	351.082	.9	3.6	4.8	2.1	2.2	3.4
Legal services <sup>8</sup> .....	284.246	283.778	284.583	285.169	.5	2.5	10.2	1.3	1.5	5.7
Funeral expenses <sup>8</sup> .....	278.768	279.783	279.777	280.182	2.2	4.2	2.9	2.0	3.2	2.5
Laundry and dry cleaning services <sup>3</sup> .....	140.177	140.794	141.279	141.277	2.9	2.8	1.5	3.2	2.9	2.3
Apparel services other than laundry and dry cleaning <sup>1 3</sup> .....	155.505	155.624	156.643	156.627	2.5	1.0	9.8	2.9	1.8	6.3
Financial services <sup>1 8</sup> .....	263.784	262.572	261.984	264.151	-7	3.9	3.1	.6	1.6	1.8
Checking account and other bank services <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	124.544	124.260	124.145	125.556	.2	2.3	3.6	3.3	1.3	3.5
Tax return preparation and other accounting fees <sup>2 3</sup> .....	175.364	174.884	173.364	173.207	-2	7.7	1.1	-4.8	3.7	-1.9
Miscellaneous personal goods <sup>3</sup> .....	88.675	89.157	88.954	89.028	.2	-1.6	1.3	1.6	-7	1.5
Stationery, stationery supplies, gift wrap <sup>2</sup> .....	156.244	157.531	158.059	157.850	.6	-6	3.0	4.2	.0	3.6
Infants' equipment <sup>1 2 5</sup> .....	NA	NA	NA	NA	7.5	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>										
Commodities .....	173.284	173.830	175.196	174.878	.9	10.5	4.2	3.7	5.6	4.0
Commodities less food and beverages .....	149.463	150.092	151.759	151.280	2.5	18.1	6.6	5.0	10.0	5.8
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	188.385	189.796	192.765	192.192	-2.8	36.8	7.3	8.3	15.4	7.8
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel .....	234.760	236.606	241.982	241.214	-1.7	50.9	8.8	11.5	21.8	10.1
Durables .....	111.269	111.607	111.565	111.514	1.9	-3	6.9	.9	.8	3.8
Services .....	260.129	260.290	259.716	260.045	.0	1.0	1.2	-1	.5	.6
Rent of shelter <sup>7</sup> .....	259.852	259.963	259.168	258.517	1.0	-1	-4	-2.0	.5	-1.2
Transportation services .....	255.733	256.494	255.735	256.676	1.0	3.4	7.3	1.5	2.2	4.3

See footnotes at end of table.



**Table 4. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): Seasonally adjusted U.S. city average, detailed expenditure categories -Continued**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Seasonally adjusted indexes				Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for					
					3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
	Nov. 2009	Dec. 2009	Jan. 2010	Feb. 2010	May 2009	Aug. 2009	Nov. 2009	Feb. 2010	Aug. 2009	Feb. 2010
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>										
Other services .....	306.204	306.521	306.985	307.265	1.5	3.7	0.9	1.4	2.6	1.2
All items less food .....	216.787	217.160	217.489	217.469	.7	5.8	2.8	1.3	3.2	2.0
All items less shelter .....	206.649	207.147	208.128	208.155	-.1	7.2	4.0	2.9	3.5	3.5
All items less medical care .....	208.770	209.126	209.424	209.353	.1	5.0	2.3	1.1	2.5	1.7
Commodities less food .....	152.066	152.681	154.302	153.820	2.4	17.4	6.4	4.7	9.7	5.6
Nondurables less food .....	190.304	191.439	194.517	193.959	-2.2	34.3	6.2	7.9	14.6	7.1
Nondurables less food and apparel .....	232.549	234.233	239.081	238.287	-1.5	45.8	8.0	10.2	19.8	9.1
Nondurables .....	203.673	204.280	206.144	205.792	-2.2	15.9	4.2	4.2	6.5	4.2
Apparel less footwear .....	113.990	114.443	114.289	113.498	-1.9	3.7	-2.3	-1.7	.9	-2.0
Services less rent of shelter <sup>7</sup> .....	280.508	281.171	281.417	282.121	-1.2	2.0	3.7	2.3	.4	3.0
Services less medical care services .....	248.944	249.198	248.690	248.541	-.1	.6	1.4	-6	.2	.4
Energy .....	208.041	209.699	215.536	214.379	-13.6	56.8	14.2	12.8	16.4	13.5
All items less energy .....	219.462	219.695	219.524	219.646	1.6	1.0	1.3	.3	1.3	.8
All items less food and energy .....	220.546	220.764	220.463	220.579	2.3	1.4	1.6	.1	1.9	.8
Commodities less food and energy commodities .....	143.513	143.702	143.863	143.761	4.6	1.2	3.6	.7	2.9	.8
Energy commodities .....	235.831	239.662	251.449	248.149	-9.0	145.5	19.6	22.6	49.5	21.1
Services less energy services .....	267.018	267.248	266.630	266.894	1.4	1.5	.8	-2	1.5	.3
Domestically produced farm food <sup>1</sup> .....	218.144	218.813	220.652	220.638	-6.6	-3.0	-9	4.7	-4.8	1.9
Utilities and public transportation .....	200.782	200.991	201.237	201.323	-5.4	.5	2.9	1.1	-2.5	2.0

1 Not seasonally adjusted.  
2 Special index based on a substantially smaller sample.  
3 Indexes on a December 1997=100 base.  
4 Indexes on a December 2007=100 base.  
5 Indexes on a December 2005=100 base.  
6 This index series was calculated using a Laspeyres estimator. All other item stratum index series were calculated using a geometric means estimator.  
7 Indexes on a December 1982=100 base.  
8 Indexes on a December 1986=100 base.  
9 Indexes on a December 1983=100 base.

10 Indexes on a December 1990=100 base.  
11 Indexes on a December 2001=100 base.  
12 Indexes on a December 1993=100 base.  
13 Indexes on a December 2009=100 base.  
14 Indexes on a December 1996=100 base.  
15 Indexes on a December 1988=100 base.  
NA Data not adequate for publication.  
R Revised.  
- Data not available.  
NOTE: Index applies to a month as a whole, not to any specific date.

**Table 5. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, unadjusted indexes for special detailed expenditure categories<sup>1</sup>**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item	Indexes				1-month percent changes ended—				Percent change to Feb. 2010 from—
	Nov. 2009	Dec. 2009	Jan. 2010	Feb. 2010	Nov. 2009	Dec. 2009	Jan. 2010	Feb. 2010	Feb. 2009
<b>Food and beverages</b>									
Rice <sup>2</sup> .....	156.100	155.502	156.575	157.436	-1.2	-0.4	0.7	0.5	-6.7
White bread .....	290.725	294.248	288.996	290.106	-8	1.2	-1.8	.4	-4.1
Bread other than white .....	309.964	301.685	305.863	305.106	-2	-2.7	1.4	-2	-2.6
Fresh cakes and cupcakes .....	258.883	258.666	255.359	258.667	1.0	-1	-1.3	1.3	.9
Cookies .....	249.512	251.261	246.050	246.980	1.3	.7	-2.1	.4	2.0
Fresh sweetrolls, coffeecakes, doughnuts .....	250.579	251.485	251.326	254.307	.9	.4	-1	1.2	.4
Crackers, bread, and cracker products .....	275.551	280.837	287.438	290.281	-3.1	1.9	2.4	1.0	-6
Frozen and refrigerated bakery products, pies, tarts, turnovers .....	252.443	254.335	261.177	259.492	-1.3	.7	2.7	-6	1.7
Bacon and related products .....	209.394	211.750	214.415	216.122	-1.8	1.1	1.3	.8	-1.8
Breakfast sausage and related products <sup>2</sup> .....	120.922	120.341	123.298	125.406	-2.4	-5	2.5	1.7	-4.6
Ham, excluding canned .....	198.669	190.435	199.157	199.139	-3.9	-4.1	4.6	.0	-3.6
Frankfurters .....	189.650	183.973	191.950	183.590	-2.5	-3.0	4.3	-4.4	-5.8
Lunchmeats <sup>2</sup> .....	128.294	128.646	127.461	125.383	-4	.3	-9	-1.6	-3.6
Lamb and organ meats .....	257.599	257.675	257.616	258.299	1.4	.0	.0	.3	1.3
Lamb and mutton <sup>2</sup> .....	153.828	155.167	154.875	155.496	.1	.9	-2	.4	-3.5
Fresh whole chicken .....	208.106	208.519	210.106	207.462	.9	.2	.8	-1.3	-2.6
Fresh and frozen chicken parts .....	202.355	201.295	198.353	199.629	1.9	-5	-1.5	.6	-1.1
Canned fish and seafood .....	175.432	176.701	177.083	175.276	.0	.7	.2	-1.0	1.1
Frozen fish and seafood .....	265.705	266.261	266.210	263.957	.2	.2	.0	-8	.9
Fresh whole milk .....	180.894	184.074	189.734	189.575	.9	1.8	3.1	-1	-2.5
Fresh milk other than whole <sup>2</sup> .....	132.603	133.648	136.764	137.330	.3	.8	2.3	.4	.1
Oranges, including tangerines .....	416.865	377.682	364.755	366.964	-11.1	-9.4	-3.4	.6	1.5
Canned fruits <sup>2</sup> .....	137.446	139.841	142.195	141.288	-3.5	1.7	1.7	-6	-6
Canned vegetables <sup>2</sup> .....	157.264	159.591	162.323	163.558	-3.3	1.5	1.7	.8	.8
Frozen vegetables .....	189.591	188.807	198.299	196.836	-3.3	-4	5.0	-7	-7
Dried beans, peas, and lentils <sup>2</sup> .....	178.404	176.524	174.096	176.360	-1.7	-1.1	-1.4	1.3	1.9
Roasted coffee .....	188.429	185.174	191.604	190.108	-1.7	-1.7	3.5	-8	-9
Instant and freeze dried coffee .....	197.641	196.843	197.622	198.347	.1	-4	.4	.4	-4.0
Butter .....	153.542	160.781	169.468	170.185	-6.6	4.7	5.4	.4	-4
Margarine .....	232.176	234.357	242.631	243.285	-2.3	.9	3.5	.3	-3.0
Peanut butter <sup>2</sup> .....	132.597	132.636	132.154	132.725	-4	.0	-4	.4	-1.6
Salt and other seasonings and spices <sup>2</sup> .....	121.412	121.482	122.310	123.009	-4	.1	.7	.6	-3
Olives, pickles, relishes <sup>2</sup> .....	135.451	130.724	133.046	135.173	-9	-3.5	1.8	1.6	1.1
Sauces and gravies <sup>2</sup> .....	125.949	124.327	126.751	127.840	-1.4	-1.3	1.9	.9	2.5
Other condiments .....	220.464	217.733	248.052	249.637	-9.9	-1.2	13.9	.6	.1
Prepared salads <sup>3</sup> .....	108.158	107.366	104.236	105.410	2.0	-7	-2.9	1.1	1.4
Food at elementary and secondary schools <sup>4</sup> .....	117.463	117.561	117.716	117.795	.1	.1	.1	.1	2.5
Whiskey at home .....	197.871	195.242	195.796	196.343	-3	-1.3	.3	.3	1.4
Distilled spirits, excluding whiskey, at home .....	185.704	183.543	184.387	184.942	-9	-1.2	.5	.3	.7
Beer, ale, and other malt beverages away from home <sup>2</sup> .....	145.210	145.617	146.337	145.762	.1	.3	.5	-4	3.1
Wine away from home <sup>2</sup> .....	159.443	159.749	159.518	159.017	.1	.2	-1	-3	1.6
Distilled spirits away from home <sup>2</sup> .....	150.907	152.055	152.431	151.998	-7	.8	.2	-3	1.4
<b>Housing</b>									
Infants' furniture <sup>4</sup> .....	NA	NA	NA	NA	-	-	-	-	-
Laundry equipment .....	113.588	112.673	112.240	112.643	1.5	-8	-4	.4	-5.8
<b>Transportation</b>									
New cars and trucks <sup>2</sup> .....	96.188	96.214	96.137	96.226	1.1	.0	-1	.1	3.4
New cars .....	139.821	139.728	139.290	139.198	1.4	-1	-3	-1	2.4
New trucks <sup>5</sup> .....	142.201	142.520	142.755	143.176	.9	.2	.2	.3	4.9
Gasoline, unleaded regular .....	226.963	223.353	233.092	226.314	4.2	-1.6	4.4	-2.9	37.6
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>6</sup> .....	233.623	230.558	239.529	233.541	3.8	-1.3	3.9	-2.5	35.6
Gasoline, unleaded premium .....	221.347	218.751	227.029	221.444	3.7	-1.2	3.8	-2.5	33.7
Vehicle parts and equipment other than tires .....	141.874	142.377	143.197	142.917	.3	.4	.6	-2	2.1
Motor oil, coolant, and fluids .....	291.359	292.337	293.027	297.676	-1	.3	.2	1.6	-1.1
Parking fees and tolls <sup>2</sup> .....	177.000	176.892	177.150	177.160	-1	-1	.1	.0	5.1
Automobile service clubs <sup>2</sup> .....	119.591	119.061	119.703	119.680	.1	-4	.5	.0	-1.3
Intercity bus fare <sup>3</sup> .....	105.450	108.660	107.676	107.065	1.4	3.0	-9	-6	4.2
Intercity train fare <sup>3</sup> .....	106.212	105.854	99.880	100.191	8.8	-3	-5.6	.3	-1.5
Ship fare <sup>2</sup> .....	63.285	64.686	64.320	65.086	.4	2.2	-6	1.2	1.4
Intracity mass transit <sup>7</sup> .....	-	100.000	100.258	100.809	-	-	.3	.5	-

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 5. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, unadjusted indexes for special detailed expenditure categories<sup>1</sup>-Continued**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item	Indexes				1-month percent changes ended—				Percent change to Feb. 2010 from—
	Nov. 2009	Dec. 2009	Jan. 2010	Feb. 2010	Nov. 2009	Dec. 2009	Jan. 2010	Feb. 2010	Feb. 2009
<b>Medical care</b>									
Inpatient hospital services <sup>8 9</sup> .....	208.913	209.075	212.268	216.697	1.2	0.1	1.5	2.1	8.5
Outpatient hospital services <sup>9 10</sup> .....	504.443	504.843	507.641	516.326	1.3	.1	.6	1.7	7.4
<b>Recreation</b>									
Video discs and other media <sup>2</sup> .....	56.534	55.958	56.229	56.622	.5	-1.0	.5	.7	-4.2
Rental of video or audio discs and other media <sup>2</sup> .....	100.733	100.789	99.263	98.682	.3	.1	-1.5	-6	-2.0
Pet food <sup>2</sup> .....	143.451	142.867	143.085	143.793	-.3	-.4	.2	.5	.3
Purchase of pets, pet supplies, accessories <sup>2</sup> .....	118.222	118.375	119.429	119.502	-1.7	.1	.9	.1	.5
Pet services <sup>2</sup> .....	155.940	155.941	155.961	156.635	-.7	.0	.0	.4	.5
Veterinarian services <sup>2</sup> .....	192.609	192.436	193.452	194.052	.0	-.1	.5	.3	2.5
Film and photographic supplies <sup>2</sup> .....	89.490	89.475	91.249	91.162	-1.2	.0	2.0	-.1	5.1
Photographic equipment <sup>2</sup> .....	34.240	33.844	33.757	33.421	-1.7	-1.2	-.3	-1.0	-3.3
Photographer fees <sup>2</sup> .....	119.363	120.763	119.596	120.077	.3	1.2	-1.0	.4	1.4
Film processing <sup>2</sup> .....	105.625	105.993	105.897	105.116	-.6	.3	-.1	-.7	.2
Toys, games, hobbies and playground equipment <sup>2</sup> .....	62.981	62.449	63.066	63.086	-2.6	-.8	1.0	.0	-3.9
Admission to movies, theaters, and concerts <sup>2</sup> .....	154.075	153.725	153.411	153.701	.4	-.2	-.2	.2	.1
Admission to sporting events <sup>2</sup> .....	174.078	174.389	173.456	174.122	.3	.2	-.5	.4	.9
<b>Education and communication</b>									
College textbooks <sup>11</sup> .....	164.957	165.325	166.742	167.734	.3	.2	.9	.6	7.6
<b>Other goods and services</b>									
Checking account and other bank services <sup>2</sup> .....	124.544	124.260	124.145	125.556	.5	-.2	-.1	1.1	2.4
Tax return preparation and other accounting fees <sup>2</sup> .....	175.166	173.992	173.284	173.810	.2	-.7	-.4	.3	.9
Stationery, stationery supplies, gift wrap .....	156.720	157.926	158.083	158.044	.7	.8	.1	.0	1.8
Infants' equipment <sup>4</sup> .....	NA	NA	NA	NA	-	-	-	-	-

<sup>1</sup> Special index based on a substantially smaller sample.

<sup>2</sup> Indexes on a December 1997=100 base.

<sup>3</sup> Indexes on a December 2007=100 base.

<sup>4</sup> Indexes on a December 2005=100 base.

<sup>5</sup> Indexes on a December 1983=100 base.

<sup>6</sup> Indexes on a December 1993=100 base.

<sup>7</sup> Indexes on a December 2009=100 base.

<sup>8</sup> Indexes on a December 1996=100 base.

<sup>9</sup> This index series was calculated using a Laspeyres estimator. All other item stratum index series were calculated using a geometric means estimator.

<sup>10</sup> Indexes on a December 1986=100 base.

<sup>11</sup> Indexes on a December 2001=100 base.

NA Data not adequate for publication.

- Data not available.

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

**Table 6. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): U.S. city average, by expenditure category and commodity and service group**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Relative importance, December 2009	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Feb. 2010 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Jan. 2010	Feb. 2010	Feb. 2009	Jan. 2010	Nov. to Dec.	Dec. to Jan.	Jan. to Feb.
<b>Expenditure category</b>								
All items .....	100.000	212.568	212.544	2.8	0.0	0.2	0.3	0.0
All items (1967=100) .....	-	633.176	633.105	-	-	-	-	-
Food and beverages .....	16.425	218.354	218.299	-2	.0	.1	.2	.1
Food .....	15.333	217.900	217.837	-3	.0	.2	.2	.1
Food at home .....	8.900	214.049	213.839	-1.5	-.1	.2	.4	.1
Cereals and bakery products .....	1.257	251.195	251.757	-1.2	.2	.3	-.6	-.1
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs .....	2.144	201.411	202.139	-2.7	.4	.0	.4	.6
Dairy and related products <sup>1</sup> .....	.898	197.663	197.583	-2.7	.0	.4	2.1	.0
Fruits and vegetables .....	1.223	276.025	271.974	-1.4	-1.5	.5	1.2	-.1
Nonalcoholic beverages and beverage materials .....	1.123	163.439	162.524	-8	-.6	-1	.2	-.3
Other food at home .....	2.254	190.354	190.831	-.4	.3	.3	-.2	.1
Sugar and sweets .....	.321	198.694	200.880	2.8	1.1	.1	-.2	1.4
Fats and oils .....	.259	200.741	201.356	-2.3	.3	.6	.2	.0
Other foods .....	1.674	204.957	205.117	-.7	.1	.2	-.3	-.1
Other miscellaneous foods <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.472	122.051	121.482	-1.2	-.5	.9	-.6	-.5
Food away from home <sup>1</sup> .....	6.433	225.015	225.168	1.4	.1	.1	.0	.1
Other food away from home <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.321	157.670	158.826	2.8	.7	.0	.5	.7
Alcoholic beverages .....	1.092	223.565	223.621	1.6	.0	.0	-.1	-.3
Housing .....	39.753	212.529	212.401	-.4	-.1	.0	-.1	.0
Shelter .....	30.171	242.019	242.002	.0	.0	.0	-.3	.0
Rent of primary residence <sup>3</sup> .....	8.476	247.574	247.448	.2	-.1	.0	.0	.0
Lodging away from home <sup>2</sup> .....	.432	127.150	130.571	-4.2	2.7	-.1	-2.0	.5
Owners' equivalent rent of residences <sup>3 4</sup> .....	20.959	232.463	232.354	.3	.0	.0	-.1	.0
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>3 4</sup> .....	20.218	232.463	232.353	.3	.0	.0	-.1	.0
Tenants' and household insurance <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.303	125.299	125.367	3.6	.1	1.3	.7	.1
Fuels and utilities .....	5.632	209.691	209.171	-1.5	-.2	-.1	.6	.2
Household energy .....	4.517	184.843	183.918	-3.3	-.5	-.3	.6	.1
Fuel oil and other fuels <sup>1</sup> .....	.271	284.061	281.157	13.9	-1.0	1.1	7.1	-1.0
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>3</sup> .....	4.246	188.607	187.730	-4.2	-.5	-.3	.2	.2
Water and sewer and trash collection services <sup>2</sup> .....	1.114	167.473	168.774	6.8	.8	.4	.8	.8
Household furnishings and operations .....	3.950	123.339	123.097	-1.4	-.2	.0	-.1	-.4
Household operations <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.369	151.499	151.535	-.4	.0	-.2	-.6	.0
Apparel .....	3.788	116.310	118.607	-.1	2.0	.2	.0	-.5
Men's and boys' apparel .....	.945	109.893	111.575	-4.1	1.5	-.5	.0	-.4
Women's and girls' apparel .....	1.568	102.860	106.496	.9	3.5	.9	.1	-.5
Infants' and toddlers' apparel .....	.285	117.028	117.789	1.5	.7	-.1	1.6	-1.2
Footwear .....	.781	127.267	127.843	2.7	.5	.2	.1	-.4
Transportation .....	18.647	189.544	188.406	13.5	-.6	1.1	1.7	-.1
Private transportation .....	17.881	186.457	185.268	13.9	-.6	1.0	1.8	-.1
New and used motor vehicles <sup>2</sup> .....	6.952	95.464	95.819	6.8	.4	.6	.3	.4
New vehicles .....	3.385	139.857	139.905	3.4	.0	-.2	-.5	.1
Used cars and trucks .....	2.944	140.023	141.079	14.3	.8	2.2	1.5	.7
Motor fuel .....	5.774	235.083	228.569	36.0	-2.8	2.2	4.9	-1.2
Gasoline (all types) .....	5.530	234.825	228.207	36.8	-2.8	2.4	4.4	-1.5
Motor vehicle parts and equipment <sup>1</sup> .....	.472	135.383	135.694	1.1	.2	.4	.4	.2
Motor vehicle maintenance and repair <sup>1</sup> .....	1.180	247.975	248.479	1.7	.2	-.1	.1	.2
Public transportation .....	.766	239.739	240.418	4.8	.3	1.3	-1.8	-.2
Medical care .....	5.261	383.443	386.919	3.8	.9	.2	.5	.6
Medical care commodities <sup>1</sup> .....	1.301	301.890	304.320	3.5	.8	-.1	.7	.8
Medical care services .....	3.961	407.286	411.114	3.9	.9	.3	.5	.5
Professional services .....	2.195	327.439	329.020	2.9	.5	.2	.6	.1

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 6. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): U.S. city average, by expenditure category and commodity and service group -Continued**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Relative importance, December 2009	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Feb. 2010 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Jan. 2010	Feb. 2010	Feb. 2009	Jan. 2010	Nov. to Dec.	Dec. to Jan.	Jan. to Feb.
<b>Expenditure category</b>								
Hospital and related services <sup>3</sup>	1.339	587.101	598.149	7.9	1.9	0.6	0.4	1.3
Recreation <sup>2</sup>	6.031	109.964	110.076	-1.1	.1	-.3	.0	.0
Video and audio <sup>2</sup>	2.046	100.473	100.084	-1.7	-.4	-.1	-.1	-.6
Education and communication <sup>2</sup>	6.175	124.293	124.334	1.8	.0	.2	.2	.2
Education <sup>2</sup>	2.327	193.049	193.641	4.8	.3	.3	.3	.6
Educational books and supplies	.196	503.416	505.356	6.8	.4	.4	.4	.6
Tuition, other school fees, and childcare	2.131	542.531	544.155	4.6	.3	.3	.3	.6
Communication <sup>2</sup>	3.848	87.617	87.501	-.2	-.1	.1	.1	-.1
Information and information processing <sup>1 2</sup>	3.715	85.433	85.314	-.4	-.1	.1	.0	-.1
Telephone services <sup>1 2</sup>	2.906	102.504	102.038	.1	-.5	.2	-.1	-.5
Information technology, hardware and services <sup>1 5</sup>	.809	9.978	10.077	-3.5	1.0	-.3	.4	1.0
Personal computers and peripheral equipment <sup>6</sup>	.225	78.278	77.939	-11.1	-.4	-.6	-.3	-.7
Other goods and services	3.919	404.632	404.722	10.7	.0	.2	.1	.0
Tobacco and smoking products <sup>1</sup>	1.397	791.959	790.710	28.6	-.2	.3	.4	-.2
Personal care	2.522	203.575	203.824	1.2	.1	.2	.0	.1
Personal care products <sup>1</sup>	.733	161.689	162.073	-.3	.2	.3	-.3	.2
Personal care services <sup>1</sup>	.577	228.793	228.169	.9	-.3	.0	.1	-.3
Miscellaneous personal services	1.019	351.329	352.366	2.6	.3	.2	.3	.2
<b>Commodity and service group</b>								
Commodities	43.589	176.413	176.118	5.7	-.2	.5	.9	-.1
Food and beverages	16.425	218.354	218.299	-.2	.0	.1	.2	.1
Commodities less food and beverages	27.164	153.834	153.444	9.4	-.3	.7	1.3	-.3
Nondurables less food and beverages	16.703	195.981	195.059	13.6	-.5	.8	1.9	-.4
Apparel	3.788	116.310	118.607	-.1	2.0	.2	.0	-.5
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel	12.915	249.801	246.914	18.6	-1.2	.9	2.5	-.5
Durables	10.461	112.511	112.618	3.7	.1	.5	.1	.1
Services	56.411	254.918	255.199	.7	.1	.0	-.1	.1
Rent of shelter <sup>4</sup>	29.868	233.252	233.234	-.1	.0	.0	-.2	-.2
Tenants' and household insurance <sup>1 2</sup>	.303	125.299	125.367	3.6	.1	1.3	.7	.1
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>3</sup>	4.246	188.607	187.730	-4.2	-.5	-.3	.2	.2
Water and sewer and trash collection services <sup>2</sup>	1.114	167.473	168.774	6.8	.8	.4	.8	.8
Household operations <sup>1 2</sup>	.369	151.499	151.535	-.4	.0	-.2	-.6	.0
Transportation services	5.918	255.577	256.809	3.5	.5	.3	-.2	.4
Medical care services	3.961	407.286	411.114	3.9	.9	.3	.5	.5
Other services	10.631	293.972	294.230	1.7	.1	.1	.2	.1
<b>Special indexes</b>								
All items less food	84.667	211.440	211.423	3.4	.0	.3	.4	.0
All items less shelter	69.829	204.128	204.101	4.1	.0	.3	.6	.0
All items less medical care	94.739	205.589	205.461	2.8	-.1	.2	.3	.0
Commodities less food	28.256	156.200	155.820	9.1	-.2	.6	1.3	-.3
Nondurables less food	17.795	197.701	196.831	12.8	-.4	.8	1.8	-.4
Nondurables less food and apparel	14.007	246.455	243.829	17.1	-1.1	.8	2.3	-.5
Nondurables	33.128	207.611	207.092	6.3	-.2	.4	1.1	-.2
Services less rent of shelter <sup>4</sup>	26.543	247.985	248.586	1.6	.2	.2	.1	.3
Services less medical care services	52.450	244.090	244.205	.4	.0	.1	-.1	.0
Energy	10.291	208.222	204.494	15.5	-1.8	1.1	3.1	-.6
All items less energy	89.709	214.048	214.472	1.5	.2	.1	.0	.1
All items less food and energy	74.376	213.647	214.172	1.9	.2	.1	.0	.1
Commodities less food and energy commodities	22.211	145.065	145.722	3.7	.5	.3	.2	.0
Energy commodities	6.045	238.217	231.808	34.8	-2.7	2.1	5.0	-1.2
Services less energy services	52.165	262.146	262.559	1.1	.2	.1	-.1	.1
Purchasing power of the consumer dollar (1982-84=\$1.00)	-	\$ .470	\$ .470	-	-	-	-	-
Purchasing power of the consumer dollar (1967=\$1.00)	-	\$ .158	\$ .158	-	-	-	-	-

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

<sup>2</sup> Indexes on a December 1997=100 base.

<sup>3</sup> This index series was calculated using a Laspeyres estimator. All other item stratum index series were calculated using a geometric means estimator.

<sup>4</sup> Indexes on a December 1984=100 base

<sup>5</sup> Indexes on a December 1988=100 base.

<sup>6</sup> Indexes on a December 2007=100 base.

- Data not available.

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

**Table 7. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): Seasonally adjusted U.S. city average, by expenditure category and commodity and service group**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Seasonally adjusted indexes				Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for					
					3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
	Nov. 2009	Dec. 2009	Jan. 2010	Feb. 2010	May 2009	Aug. 2009	Nov. 2009	Feb. 2010	Aug. 2009	Feb. 2010
<b>Expenditure category</b>										
All items .....	212.417	212.920	213.638	213.644	0.4	6.2	2.8	2.3	3.3	2.6
Food and beverages .....	217.109	217.426	217.876	218.037	-1.8	-7	.2	1.7	-1.3	1.0
Food .....	216.553	216.887	217.376	217.593	-2.0	-1.0	.0	1.9	-1.5	1.0
Food at home .....	211.914	212.400	213.166	213.428	-4.7	-2.7	-1.4	2.9	-3.7	.7
Cereals and bakery products .....	252.586	253.427	251.835	251.687	-3.0	-1.2	.9	-1.4	-2.1	-3
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs .....	200.374	200.365	201.172	202.401	-6.5	-4.2	-3.6	4.1	-5.4	.2
Dairy and related products <sup>1</sup> .....	192.695	193.546	197.663	197.583	-15.4	-7.3	3.5	10.5	-11.4	7.0
Fruits and vegetables .....	265.811	267.011	270.176	270.020	-3.2	-3.6	-5.0	6.5	-3.4	.6
Nonalcoholic beverages and beverage materials .....	161.582	161.738	162.068	161.550	-.3	-1.0	-1.8	-.1	-.6	-1.0
Other food at home .....	190.110	190.619	190.215	190.493	-2.2	-.2	.0	.8	-1.2	.4
Sugar and sweets .....	197.888	198.163	197.745	200.465	-.1	-.5	6.7	5.3	-.3	6.0
Fats and oils .....	198.650	199.828	200.194	200.243	-6.3	-2.3	-3.8	3.2	-4.3	-3
Other foods .....	205.097	205.590	205.030	204.886	-1.9	.1	-.6	-.4	-.9	-5
Other miscellaneous foods <sup>1 2</sup> .....	121.647	122.796	122.051	121.482	.4	-2.9	-1.9	-.5	-1.3	-1.2
Food away from home <sup>1</sup> .....	224.815	224.940	225.015	225.168	1.8	1.3	1.8	.6	1.5	1.2
Other food away from home <sup>1 2</sup> .....	156.853	156.830	157.670	158.826	-.3	6.3	.2	5.1	2.9	2.6
Alcoholic beverages .....	223.819	223.876	223.748	223.101	1.7	2.9	3.2	-1.3	2.3	1.0
Housing .....	213.130	213.065	212.818	212.780	-1.0	-.3	.4	-.7	-.6	-.1
Shelter .....	242.620	242.592	241.969	241.916	1.5	.2	-.7	-1.2	.8	-.9
Rent of primary residence <sup>3</sup> .....	247.276	247.237	247.305	247.213	1.7	.0	-.9	-.1	.9	-.5
Lodging away from home <sup>2</sup> .....	133.804	133.606	130.907	131.519	-6.2	-4.1	.0	-6.7	-5.1	-3.4
Owners' equivalent rent of residences <sup>3 4</sup> .....	232.633	232.585	232.351	232.286	1.9	.5	-.7	-.6	1.2	-.7
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>3 4</sup> .....	232.633	232.585	232.351	232.286	1.9	.5	-.7	-.6	1.2	-.7
Tenants' and household insurance <sup>1 2</sup> .....	122.830	124.415	125.299	125.367	.7	3.7	1.9	8.5	2.2	5.2
Fuels and utilities .....	210.569	210.281	211.617	212.146	-14.2	-1.4	7.9	3.0	-8.0	5.4
Household energy .....	186.409	185.937	187.075	187.283	-18.1	-3.1	8.5	1.9	-10.9	5.2
Fuel oil and other fuels <sup>1</sup> .....	262.340	265.130	284.061	281.157	-25.8	19.5	44.1	31.9	-5.9	37.9
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>3</sup> .....	191.296	190.655	191.039	191.397	-17.7	-4.3	6.7	.2	-11.2	3.4
Water and sewer and trash collection services <sup>2</sup> .....	165.035	165.662	167.045	168.416	6.9	6.6	5.1	8.4	6.8	6.8
Household furnishings and operations .....	123.776	123.744	123.590	123.126	1.2	-3.0	-1.7	-2.1	-.9	-1.9
Household operations <sup>1 2</sup> .....	152.747	152.486	151.499	151.535	-.4	4.5	-2.4	-3.1	2.0	-2.8
Apparel .....	119.871	120.151	120.099	119.483	-1.2	4.0	-1.9	-1.3	1.4	-1.6
Men's and boys' apparel .....	112.900	112.285	112.252	111.820	-6.0	-.6	-5.9	-3.8	-3.3	-4.8
Women's and girls' apparel .....	107.522	108.442	108.554	107.988	-2.0	7.6	-3.4	1.7	2.7	-.9
Infants' and toddlers' apparel .....	116.678	116.548	118.441	117.058	4.7	7.7	-7.0	1.3	6.2	-2.9
Footwear .....	128.856	129.173	129.256	128.706	3.6	5.2	2.6	-.5	4.4	1.0
Transportation .....	187.971	189.949	193.144	192.920	-1.5	36.2	13.5	11.0	15.9	12.2
Private transportation .....	184.689	186.609	190.031	189.821	-1.3	37.5	13.2	11.6	16.5	12.4
New and used motor vehicles <sup>2</sup> .....	94.438	95.030	95.343	95.710	2.6	4.3	15.5	5.5	3.5	10.4
New vehicles .....	139.664	139.358	138.596	138.749	6.3	.8	9.7	-2.6	3.5	3.4
Used cars and trucks .....	135.844	138.813	140.866	141.875	-2.2	12.6	30.2	19.0	5.0	24.4
Motor fuel .....	232.924	237.946	249.602	246.705	-11.2	163.6	16.2	25.9	53.0	20.9
Gasoline (all types) .....	233.205	238.841	249.318	245.597	-4.7	153.8	17.7	23.0	55.5	20.3
Motor vehicle parts and equipment <sup>1</sup> .....	134.346	134.892	135.383	135.694	.5	-2.5	2.3	4.1	-1.0	3.2
Motor vehicle maintenance and repair <sup>1</sup> .....	247.972	247.812	247.975	248.479	1.3	1.4	3.5	.8	1.4	2.1
Public transportation .....	244.557	247.857	243.274	242.675	-5.9	9.8	20.5	-3.0	1.6	8.1
Medical care .....	380.838	381.504	383.504	385.728	3.7	2.7	3.7	5.2	3.2	4.5
Medical care commodities <sup>1</sup> .....	299.972	299.777	301.890	304.320	3.5	1.3	3.5	5.9	2.4	4.7
Medical care services .....	404.460	405.483	407.372	409.435	3.8	3.2	3.8	5.0	3.5	4.4
Professional services .....	325.379	325.933	327.911	328.390	2.7	2.4	2.9	3.8	2.5	3.3

See footnotes at end of table.



**Table 7. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): Seasonally adjusted U.S. city average, by expenditure category and commodity and service group -Continued**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Seasonally adjusted indexes				Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for					
					3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
	Nov. 2009	Dec. 2009	Jan. 2010	Feb. 2010	May 2009	Aug. 2009	Nov. 2009	Feb. 2010	Aug. 2009	Feb. 2010
<b>Expenditure category</b>										
Hospital and related services <sup>3</sup> .....	579.659	583.389	585.929	593.708	7.5	7.1	7.0	10.1	7.3	8.5
Recreation <sup>2</sup> .....	110.559	110.221	110.176	110.176	-1.1	1.0	-2.7	-1.4	-1	-2.0
Video and audio <sup>2</sup> .....	101.026	100.934	100.793	100.171	-2	-6	-2.8	-3.3	-4	-3.1
Education and communication <sup>2</sup> .....	123.678	123.911	124.142	124.338	2.3	2.1	.9	2.2	2.2	1.5
Education <sup>2</sup> .....	191.203	191.835	192.430	193.654	5.2	5.4	3.4	5.2	5.3	4.3
Educational books and supplies .....	497.706	499.745	501.581	504.554	5.5	10.2	6.1	5.6	7.8	5.9
Tuition, other school fees, and childcare .....	537.418	539.155	540.811	544.275	5.2	5.0	3.1	5.2	5.1	4.2
Communication <sup>2</sup> .....	87.469	87.545	87.616	87.501	.3	-.2	-.9	.1	.1	-.4
Information and information processing <sup>1 2</sup> .....	85.331	85.404	85.433	85.314	.0	-.4	-.9	-.1	-.2	-.5
Telephone services <sup>1 2</sup> .....	102.413	102.585	102.504	102.038	1.3	1.5	-.8	-1.5	1.4	-1.1
Information technology, hardware and services <sup>1 5</sup> .....	9.969	9.935	9.978	10.077	-6.4	-9.7	-1.7	4.4	-8.1	1.3
Personal computers and peripheral equipment <sup>6</sup> .....	78.673	78.163	77.929	77.391	-15.3	-19.8	-1.6	-6.4	-17.6	-4.0
Other goods and services .....	403.360	404.292	404.888	404.813	34.1	5.6	4.6	1.4	19.0	3.0
Tobacco and smoking products <sup>1</sup> .....	786.541	789.173	791.959	790.710	116.5	12.6	9.7	2.1	56.1	5.9
Personal care .....	203.399	203.727	203.775	203.895	1.2	1.3	1.3	1.0	1.3	1.1
Personal care products <sup>1</sup> .....	161.784	162.231	161.689	162.073	1.4	-1.7	-1.5	.7	-.2	-.4
Personal care services <sup>1</sup> .....	228.614	228.614	228.793	228.169	3.1	-.1	1.5	-.8	1.5	.4
Miscellaneous personal services .....	350.374	351.092	352.090	352.853	1.0	2.9	3.7	2.9	1.9	3.3
<b>Commodity and service group</b>										
Commodities .....	175.805	176.635	178.233	177.989	.9	13.2	4.9	5.1	6.9	5.0
Food and beverages .....	217.109	217.426	217.876	218.037	-1.8	-.7	.2	1.7	-1.3	1.0
Commodities less food and beverages .....	153.502	154.519	156.580	156.171	2.6	22.7	7.8	7.1	12.2	7.5
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	196.863	198.438	202.280	201.470	-1.3	41.7	8.6	9.7	18.3	9.1
Apparel .....	119.871	120.151	120.099	119.483	-1.2	4.0	-1.9	-1.3	1.4	-1.6
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel .....	248.738	251.007	257.262	255.925	.9	58.4	10.3	12.1	26.4	11.2
Durables .....	111.728	112.317	112.382	112.465	1.4	1.0	10.0	2.7	1.2	6.3
Services .....	255.245	255.350	255.157	255.440	.1	1.1	1.2	.3	.6	.8
Rent of shelter <sup>4</sup> .....	234.029	234.082	233.607	233.241	1.3	.1	-.3	-1.3	.7	-.8
Tenants' and household insurance <sup>1 2</sup> .....	122.830	124.415	125.299	125.367	.7	3.7	1.9	8.5	2.2	5.2
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>3</sup> .....	191.296	190.655	191.039	191.397	-17.7	-4.3	6.7	.2	-11.2	3.4
Water and sewer and trash collection services <sup>2</sup> .....	165.035	165.662	167.045	168.416	6.9	6.6	5.1	8.4	6.8	6.8
Household operations <sup>1 2</sup> .....	152.747	152.486	151.499	151.535	-.4	4.5	-2.4	-3.1	2.0	-2.8
Transportation services .....	255.455	256.122	255.588	256.694	2.0	3.4	6.6	2.0	2.7	4.2
Medical care services .....	404.460	405.483	407.372	409.435	3.8	3.2	3.8	5.0	3.5	4.4
Other services .....	293.299	293.681	294.133	294.301	1.4	3.4	.5	1.4	2.4	.9
<b>Special indexes</b>										
All items less food .....	211.499	212.031	212.790	212.759	.8	7.6	3.3	2.4	4.2	2.9
All items less shelter .....	203.704	204.406	205.615	205.643	-.1	9.0	4.4	3.9	4.4	4.1
All items less medical care .....	205.514	206.007	206.680	206.620	.2	6.4	2.8	2.2	3.3	2.5
Commodities less food .....	155.883	156.879	158.886	158.469	2.5	21.9	7.7	6.8	11.8	7.2
Nondurables less food .....	198.543	200.048	203.681	202.891	-1.2	38.9	8.2	9.1	17.1	8.6
Nondurables less food and apparel .....	245.496	247.582	253.287	252.038	.7	53.0	9.7	11.1	24.1	10.4
Nondurables .....	207.442	208.232	210.553	210.177	-2.5	19.4	4.3	5.4	7.9	4.8
Services less rent of shelter <sup>4</sup> .....	247.833	248.380	248.589	249.271	-1.5	1.9	3.6	2.3	.2	3.0
Services less medical care services .....	244.619	244.797	244.523	244.557	-.2	.7	1.3	-.1	.3	.6
Energy .....	207.897	210.195	216.617	215.259	-14.8	64.5	12.8	14.9	18.4	13.9
All items less energy .....	213.906	214.189	214.235	214.406	2.1	1.3	1.7	.9	1.7	1.3
All items less food and energy .....	213.749	214.023	213.979	214.141	3.0	1.7	2.1	.7	2.4	1.4
Commodities less food and energy commodities .....	145.242	145.608	145.835	145.848	5.9	2.1	5.2	1.7	4.0	3.4
Energy commodities .....	235.286	240.247	252.253	249.339	-12.0	154.3	17.3	26.1	49.6	21.6
Services less energy services .....	262.192	262.385	262.136	262.409	1.8	1.6	.7	.3	1.7	.5

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

<sup>2</sup> Indexes on a December 1997=100 base.

<sup>3</sup> This index series was calculated using a Laspeyres estimator. All other item stratum index series were calculated using a geometric means estimator.

<sup>4</sup> Indexes on a December 1984=100 base

<sup>5</sup> Indexes on a December 1988=100 base.

<sup>6</sup> Indexes on a December 2007=100 base.

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



**Table 8. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): U.S. city average, detailed expenditure categories**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and Group	Relative importance, December 2009	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Feb. 2010 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Jan. 2010	Feb. 2010	Feb. 2009	Jan. 2010	Nov. to Dec.	Dec. to Jan.	Jan. to Feb.
<b>Expenditure category</b>								
All items .....	100.000	212.568	212.544	2.8	0.0	0.2	0.3	0.0
All items (1967=100) .....	-	633.176	633.105	-	-	-	-	-
Food and beverages .....	16.425	218.354	218.299	-2	.0	.1	.2	.1
Food .....	15.333	217.900	217.837	-3	.0	.2	.2	.1
Food at home .....	8.900	214.049	213.839	-1.5	-1	.2	.4	.1
Cereals and bakery products .....	1.257	251.195	251.757	-1.2	.2	.3	-6	-1
Cereals and cereal products .....	.412	219.592	219.553	-1.6	.0	.0	-8	-1
Flour and prepared flour mixes .....	.045	228.426	228.769	-3.5	.2	1.9	-1.4	.5
Breakfast cereal <sup>1</sup> .....	.232	215.803	215.037	-2	-4	-4	-1.3	-4
Rice, pasta, commmeal <sup>1</sup> .....	.135	226.203	227.325	-2.8	.5	-7	.1	.5
Bakery products .....	.845	268.559	269.476	-1.0	.3	.5	-7	.0
Bread <sup>2</sup> .....	.243	159.490	159.618	-3.4	.1	-4	-5	-4
Fresh biscuits, rolls, muffins <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.125	153.992	153.305	-3.4	-4	.8	-1.1	-4
Cakes, cupcakes, and cookies .....	.229	250.575	252.866	1.9	.9	.7	-1.0	.8
Other bakery products .....	.247	250.540	251.706	.2	.5	.7	.0	.1
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs .....	2.144	201.411	202.139	-2.7	.4	.0	.4	.6
Meats, poultry, and fish .....	2.028	201.637	202.101	-2.7	.2	.0	.4	.5
Meats .....	1.295	197.390	198.575	-3.5	.6	.0	.5	.9
Beef and veal <sup>1</sup> .....	.621	214.102	216.152	-4.3	1.0	-4	-1.0	1.0
Uncooked ground beef <sup>1</sup> .....	.268	193.900	197.265	-4.7	1.7	.5	-3	1.7
Uncooked beef roasts <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.092	156.186	157.156	-4.3	.6	-2.6	-7	.6
Uncooked beef steaks <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.202	145.434	145.642	-4.4	.1	-6	-1.9	.1
Uncooked other beef and veal <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.059	152.933	153.979	-2.1	.7	.2	-1.0	.7
Pork .....	.402	177.043	180.314	-1.9	1.8	.2	2.7	2.5
Bacon, breakfast sausage, and related products <sup>2</sup> .....	.140	123.416	124.932	-4.3	1.2	.5	.4	.8
Ham .....	.084	179.360	178.602	-3.5	-4	-1.1	4.0	.7
Pork chops .....	.086	166.107	175.456	1.9	5.6	.1	1.6	6.5
Other pork including roasts and picnics <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.092	109.622	111.171	-5	1.4	.1	4.8	1.4
Other meats .....	.271	194.639	190.555	-4.1	-2.1	.3	.4	-1.8
Poultry .....	.426	200.848	201.731	-1.5	.4	.6	-6	.8
Chicken <sup>2</sup> .....	.354	131.039	131.266	-1.9	.2	.3	.2	.3
Other poultry including turkey <sup>2</sup> .....	.072	123.114	125.276	.4	1.8	2.3	-3.8	2.5
Fish and seafood <sup>1</sup> .....	.307	242.847	238.966	-9	-1.6	-2	1.5	-1.6
Fresh fish and seafood <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.158	141.971	138.867	-1.0	-2.2	-8	2.9	-2.2
Processed fish and seafood <sup>2</sup> .....	.149	128.061	126.833	-7	-1.0	.5	-6	.2
Eggs .....	.116	199.076	204.364	-1.6	2.7	-9	-1	3.0
Dairy and related products <sup>1</sup> .....	.898	197.663	197.583	-2.7	.0	.4	2.1	.0
Milk <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.322	132.391	132.398	-1.3	.0	1.2	2.6	.0
Cheese and related products <sup>1</sup> .....	.275	200.852	201.503	-4.7	.3	.5	2.0	.3
Ice cream and related products .....	.133	199.662	197.168	-2.5	-1.2	-1.4	1.1	-2
Other dairy and related products <sup>2</sup> .....	.168	136.389	136.707	-2.2	.2	.8	1.7	-7
Fruits and vegetables .....	1.223	276.025	271.974	-1.4	-1.5	.5	1.2	-1
Fresh fruits and vegetables .....	.915	318.441	312.593	-1.6	-1.8	.6	1.4	.1
Fresh fruits .....	.450	329.064	318.956	-2.0	-3.1	-1	2.7	-1.3
Apples .....	.073	280.011	288.716	-2.7	3.1	2.2	.5	2.2
Bananas .....	.071	199.110	200.728	-8.7	.8	2.1	.7	-8
Citrus fruits <sup>2</sup> .....	.085	181.892	182.855	3.3	.5	-1.4	-5	-1.8
Other fresh fruits <sup>2</sup> .....	.221	124.938	115.434	-6	-7.6	-2.0	4.7	-2.2
Fresh vegetables .....	.465	306.747	304.832	-1.2	-6	1.3	.0	1.6
Potatoes .....	.077	296.827	294.355	-12.7	-8	-1.2	5.2	.2
Lettuce <sup>1</sup> .....	.068	285.243	269.076	-5.4	-5.7	8.9	-10.5	-5.7
Tomatoes <sup>1</sup> .....	.098	330.864	321.501	10.8	-2.8	10.4	-3.3	-2.8
Other fresh vegetables .....	.223	312.406	317.567	-4	1.7	-7	1.8	2.6
Processed fruits and vegetables <sup>2</sup> .....	.308	147.532	146.989	-8	-4	.1	.7	-5
Canned fruits and vegetables <sup>2</sup> .....	.159	151.480	151.608	-2	.1	.7	.3	-2
Frozen fruits and vegetables <sup>2</sup> .....	.093	138.775	137.190	-2.2	-1.1	-6	2.3	-1.1
Other processed fruits and vegetables including dried <sup>2</sup> .....	.056	148.932	148.437	-4	-3	.1	-1.1	.3

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**Table 8. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): U.S. city average, detailed expenditure categories -Continued**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and Group	Relative importance, December 2009	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Feb. 2010 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Jan. 2010	Feb. 2010	Feb. 2009	Jan. 2010	Nov. to Dec.	Dec. to Jan.	Jan. to Feb.
<b>Expenditure category</b>								
Nonalcoholic beverages and beverage materials .....	1.123	163.439	162.524	-0.8	-0.6	0.1	0.2	-0.3
Juices and nonalcoholic drinks <sup>2</sup> .....	.880	127.663	126.728	-1.1	-0.7	.2	.2	-0.4
Carbonated drinks .....	.380	157.331	159.499	1.5	1.4	1.0	.7	1.4
Frozen noncarbonated juices and drinks <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.015	150.642	149.792	-1.9	-0.6	.6	-0.5	-0.6
Nonfrozen noncarbonated juices and drinks <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.484	117.961	115.102	-2.9	-2.4	-0.5	1.0	-2.4
Beverage materials including coffee and tea <sup>2</sup> .....	.244	114.013	114.087	.1	.1	.1	.2	.1
Coffee .....	.109	186.338	184.590	-1.1	-0.9	-0.5	1.5	-0.7
Other beverage materials including tea <sup>2</sup> .....	.135	124.438	125.561	.4	.9	.0	-0.5	1.3
Other food at home .....	2.254	190.354	190.831	-0.4	.3	.3	-0.2	.1
Sugar and sweets .....	.321	198.694	200.880	2.8	1.1	.1	-0.2	1.4
Sugar and artificial sweeteners .....	.068	185.507	188.678	5.6	1.7	-0.6	.6	1.7
Candy and chewing gum <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.197	130.272	131.822	2.4	1.2	.2	-0.6	1.2
Other sweets <sup>2</sup> .....	.056	144.433	144.506	1.3	.1	.6	.7	.6
Fats and oils .....	.259	200.741	201.356	-2.3	.3	.6	.2	.0
Butter and margarine <sup>2</sup> .....	.063	157.850	158.065	-2.1	.1	1.5	1.7	1.2
Salad dressing <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.072	126.680	126.540	-0.8	-0.1	-1.0	.1	-0.1
Other fats and oils including peanut butter <sup>2</sup> .....	.125	143.916	144.829	-3.4	.6	.5	-0.1	-0.9
Other foods .....	1.674	204.957	205.117	-0.7	.1	.2	-0.3	-0.1
Soups .....	.098	226.056	225.104	-0.4	-0.4	.3	-0.5	-0.9
Frozen and freeze dried prepared foods <sup>1</sup> .....	.376	162.510	163.173	-1.5	.4	-0.2	-0.5	.4
Snacks <sup>1</sup> .....	.339	216.538	216.462	.1	.0	.2	.9	.0
Spices, seasonings, condiments, sauces .....	.285	216.805	218.435	1.2	.8	-0.5	-0.9	.5
Baby food <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.104	141.860	142.272	-0.2	.3	.9	.5	.3
Other miscellaneous foods <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.472	122.051	121.482	-1.2	-0.5	.9	-0.6	-0.5
Food away from home <sup>1</sup> .....	6.433	225.015	225.168	1.4	.1	.1	.0	.1
Full service meals and snacks <sup>1 2</sup> .....	2.653	140.040	140.247	1.5	.1	.1	.1	.1
Limited service meals and snacks <sup>1 2</sup> .....	2.939	143.248	143.117	.9	-0.1	-0.1	-0.1	-0.1
Food at employee sites and schools <sup>2</sup> .....	.337	140.061	140.150	2.6	.1	.4	.3	.1
Food from vending machines and mobile vendors <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.182	132.000	132.416	2.8	.3	.4	.2	.3
Other food away from home <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.321	157.670	158.826	2.8	.7	.0	.5	.7
Alcoholic beverages .....	1.092	223.565	223.621	1.6	.0	.0	-0.1	-0.3
Alcoholic beverages at home .....	.652	194.730	195.222	1.3	.3	-0.2	-0.4	-0.2
Beer, ale, and other malt beverages at home .....	.448	201.737	202.264	2.2	.3	-0.1	-0.3	-0.2
Distilled spirits at home .....	.076	186.772	186.880	1.0	.1	-0.2	-0.5	-0.2
Wine at home .....	.128	167.301	167.869	-1.5	.3	-0.4	-0.9	-0.2
Alcoholic beverages away from home <sup>1</sup> .....	.440	288.437	287.535	2.0	-0.3	.4	.3	-0.3
Housing .....	39.753	212.529	212.401	-0.4	-0.1	.0	-0.1	.0
Shelter .....	30.171	242.019	242.002	.0	.0	.0	-0.3	.0
Rent of primary residence <sup>3</sup> .....	8.476	247.574	247.448	.2	-0.1	.0	.0	.0
Lodging away from home <sup>2</sup> .....	.432	127.150	130.571	-4.2	2.7	-1.1	-2.0	.5
Housing at school, excluding board <sup>3 4</sup> .....	.095	427.776	427.686	4.7	.0	.4	.5	.1
Other lodging away from home including hotels and motels .....	.337	260.753	269.705	-4.3	3.4	-0.2	-1.5	.6
Owners' equivalent rent of residences <sup>3 4</sup> .....	20.959	232.463	232.354	.3	.0	.0	-0.1	.0
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>3 4</sup> .....	20.218	232.463	232.353	.3	.0	.0	-0.1	.0
Tenants' and household insurance <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.303	125.299	125.367	3.6	.1	1.3	.7	.1
Fuels and utilities .....	5.632	209.691	209.171	-1.5	-0.2	-0.1	.6	.2
Household energy .....	4.517	184.843	183.918	-3.3	-0.5	-0.3	.6	.1
Fuel oil and other fuels <sup>1</sup> .....	.271	284.061	281.157	13.9	-1.0	1.1	7.1	-1.0
Fuel oil <sup>1</sup> .....	.161	287.221	280.741	20.3	-2.3	.2	6.2	-2.3
Propane, kerosene, and firewood <sup>5</sup> .....	.110	339.150	341.664	6.9	.7	2.6	8.2	1.3
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>3</sup> .....	4.246	188.607	187.730	-4.2	-0.5	-0.3	.2	.2
Electricity <sup>3</sup> .....	3.307	184.611	183.247	-2.8	-0.7	-0.2	-1.1	-0.5
Utility (piped) gas service <sup>3</sup> .....	.939	199.133	200.039	-8.5	-0.5	-0.7	4.8	2.5
Water and sewer and trash collection services <sup>2</sup> .....	1.114	167.473	168.774	6.8	.8	.4	.8	.8
Water and sewerage maintenance <sup>3</sup> .....	.863	365.177	368.178	8.1	.8	.5	1.0	.9
Garbage and trash collection <sup>1 6</sup> .....	.252	380.636	383.001	2.9	.6	.0	.2	.6
Household furnishings and operations .....	3.950	123.339	123.097	-1.4	-0.2	.0	-0.1	-0.4
Window and floor coverings and other linens <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.282	75.708	75.048	-3.8	-0.9	-0.4	1.2	-0.9
Floor coverings <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.038	115.582	113.743	-4.8	-1.6	-0.4	-1.0	-1.6
Window coverings <sup>2</sup> .....	.050	81.986	80.305	-11.9	-2.1	-0.8	-3.3	-1.0
Other linens <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.194	63.752	63.468	-1.1	-0.4	-0.5	2.3	-0.4
Furniture and bedding <sup>1</sup> .....	.759	119.510	119.071	-1.4	-0.4	.0	-0.1	-0.4
Bedroom furniture <sup>1</sup> .....	.275	136.838	136.624	-3.1	-0.2	-0.7	-0.2	-0.2
Living room, kitchen, and dining room furniture <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.323	90.198	89.704	.5	-0.5	.9	.4	-0.5

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**Table 8. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): U.S. city average, detailed expenditure categories -Continued**

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		Jan. 2010	Feb. 2010	Feb. 2009	Jan. 2010	Nov. to Dec.	Dec. to Jan.	Jan. to Feb.
<b>Expenditure category</b>								
Other furniture <sup>2</sup> .....	.146	86.073	85.778	-2.2	-0.3	-0.9	-1.5	-1.1
Appliances <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.316	88.492	89.130	-4.2	.7	-6	-2	.7
Major appliances <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.193	100.046	100.261	-4.5	.2	-6	.3	.2
Other appliances <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.119	73.499	74.618	-3.6	1.5	-6	-1.0	1.5
Other household equipment and furnishings <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.471	74.632	74.199	-2.7	-6	-4	1.1	-6
Clocks, lamps, and decorator items <sup>1</sup> .....	.273	64.824	63.962	-2.7	-1.3	.1	1.5	-1.3
Indoor plants and flowers <sup>7</sup> .....	.069	130.853	132.315	-1.6	1.1	-9	.4	-7
Dishes and flatware <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.056	71.526	71.127	-6.3	-6	-8	1.2	-6
Nonelectric cookware and tableware <sup>2</sup> .....	.073	96.237	96.840	-1.1	.6	-7	-6	-2
Tools, hardware, outdoor equipment and supplies <sup>2</sup> .....	.767	93.395	92.845	-1.6	-6	-2	.2	-9
Tools, hardware and supplies <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.222	98.336	98.310	-1.1	.0	-3	-4	.0
Outdoor equipment and supplies <sup>2</sup> .....	.398	88.639	87.883	-1.8	-9	.1	-3	-1.1
Housekeeping supplies <sup>1</sup> .....	.986	184.751	185.206	.4	.2	-2	.1	.2
Household cleaning products <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.432	122.557	122.979	1.2	.3	-5	-5	.3
Household paper products <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.269	156.370	156.225	.5	-1	-3	.6	-1
Miscellaneous household products <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.286	115.898	116.384	-9	.4	.5	.7	.4
Household operations <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.369	151.499	151.535	-4	.0	-2	-6	.0
Domestic services <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.087	141.833	142.317	.1	.3	.3	-7	.3
Gardening and lawn care services <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.115	NA	NA	-	-	.0	-	-
Moving, storage, freight expense <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.063	121.864	121.730	-3.1	-1	-1.3	-2.6	-1
Repair of household items <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.056	184.851	185.602	4.3	.4	.0	.3	.4
<b>Apparel</b> .....	<b>3.788</b>	<b>116.310</b>	<b>118.607</b>	<b>-1</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>.2</b>	<b>.0</b>	<b>-5</b>
Men's and boys' apparel .....	.945	109.893	111.575	-4.1	1.5	-5	.0	-4
Men's apparel .....	.715	116.170	117.948	-3.6	1.5	-6	.8	-8
Men's suits, sport coats, and outerwear .....	.096	110.282	112.878	-1.0	2.4	.2	.4	1.0
Men's furnishings .....	.177	141.215	145.813	1.7	3.3	-5	2.1	1.0
Men's shirts and sweaters <sup>2</sup> .....	.235	79.407	78.129	-7.9	-1.6	-3	1.2	-3.2
Men's pants and shorts .....	.194	106.090	109.484	-4.1	3.2	-1.1	-1	.1
Boys' apparel .....	.230	91.428	92.827	-5.7	1.5	-6	-2.5	.9
Women's and girls' apparel .....	1.568	102.860	106.496	.9	3.5	.9	.1	-5
Women's apparel .....	1.248	104.349	107.497	.0	3.0	.4	.2	-1.5
Women's outerwear .....	.128	95.674	92.253	-1.4	-3.6	1.6	.0	-4.0
Women's dresses .....	.142	99.865	107.016	-9.3	7.2	-5	-4.2	3.2
Women's suits and separates <sup>2</sup> .....	.609	81.189	84.447	1.1	4.0	.3	.7	-1.3
Women's underwear, nightwear, sportswear and accessories <sup>2</sup> .....	.350	92.651	94.520	2.6	2.0	.3	.5	-5
Girls' apparel .....	.320	96.829	102.209	4.5	5.6	2.7	-2	3.2
Footwear .....	.781	127.267	127.843	2.7	.5	.2	.1	-4
Men's footwear <sup>1</sup> .....	.270	125.275	125.996	2.4	.6	-9	-9	.6
Boys' and girls' footwear .....	.201	134.718	132.874	1.7	-1.4	-1	2.5	-2.6
Women's footwear .....	.310	123.399	125.321	3.6	1.6	.4	-8	.4
Infants' and toddlers' apparel .....	.285	117.028	117.789	1.5	.7	-1	1.6	-1.2
Jewelry and watches <sup>5</sup> .....	.210	145.368	145.745	-7	.3	-1	-2.6	-5
Watches <sup>1 5</sup> .....	.046	111.103	109.932	-3.0	-1.1	.0	1.5	-1.1
Jewelry <sup>5</sup> .....	.164	155.006	155.982	-4	.6	-3	-3.1	-3
<b>Transportation</b> .....	<b>18.647</b>	<b>189.544</b>	<b>188.406</b>	<b>13.5</b>	<b>-6</b>	<b>1.1</b>	<b>1.7</b>	<b>-1</b>
Private transportation .....	17.881	186.457	185.268	13.9	-6	1.0	1.8	-1
New and used motor vehicles <sup>2</sup> .....	6.952	95.464	95.819	6.8	.4	.6	.3	.4
New vehicles .....	3.385	139.857	139.905	3.4	.0	-2	-5	.1
Used cars and trucks .....	2.944	140.023	141.079	14.3	.8	2.2	1.5	.7
Leased cars and trucks <sup>8</sup> .....	.407	96.962	97.456	-5.5	.5	-1.3	-6	.7
Car and truck rental <sup>2</sup> .....	.061	118.292	118.954	-2.2	.6	-5	-3.4	-2.0
Motor fuel .....	5.774	235.083	228.569	36.0	-2.8	2.2	4.9	-1.2
Gasoline (all types) .....	5.530	234.825	228.207	36.8	-2.8	2.4	4.4	-1.5
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>9</sup> .....	-	234.067	227.200	37.6	-2.9	2.2	4.4	-1.4
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>9 10</sup> .....	-	240.777	234.689	35.6	-2.5	1.9	4.3	-1.7
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>9</sup> .....	-	227.843	222.193	33.8	-2.5	1.5	4.4	-1.4
Other motor fuels <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.244	209.875	206.356	22.1	-1.7	-6	3.0	-1.7
Motor vehicle parts and equipment <sup>1</sup> .....	.472	135.383	135.694	1.1	.2	.4	.4	.2
Tires <sup>1</sup> .....	.278	120.917	121.386	.7	.4	.5	.3	.4
Vehicle accessories other than tires <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.193	146.920	146.925	1.5	.0	.4	.5	.0
Motor vehicle maintenance and repair <sup>1</sup> .....	1.180	247.975	248.479	1.7	.2	-1	.1	.2
Motor vehicle body work <sup>1</sup> .....	.053	252.883	252.825	2.4	.0	.1	-1	.0
Motor vehicle maintenance and servicing <sup>1</sup> .....	.448	226.133	226.389	.8	.1	.1	-2	.1

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<b>Expenditure category</b>								
Motor vehicle repair <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.614	151.028	151.486	2.4	0.3	-0.2	0.3	0.3
Motor vehicle insurance .....	2.996	368.936	371.508	4.9	.7	.5	.2	.8
Motor vehicle fees <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.507	164.440	164.642	9.4	.1	.0	.4	.1
State motor vehicle registration and license fees <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	.345	164.123	164.400	11.9	.2	.0	.5	.2
Parking and other fees <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.155	164.946	164.961	4.1	.0	-1	.3	.0
Public transportation .....	.766	239.739	240.418	4.8	.3	1.3	-1.8	-2
Airline fare .....	.447	261.070	261.850	5.4	.3	2.2	-2.8	-1.1
Other intercity transportation .....	.078	148.254	148.498	.1	.2	.6	-8	2.1
Intracity transportation <sup>1</sup> .....	.236	253.808	254.586	5.0	.3	.2	.1	.3
Medical care .....	5.261	383.443	386.919	3.8	.9	.2	.5	.6
Medical care commodities <sup>1</sup> .....	1.301	301.890	304.320	3.5	.8	-1	.7	.8
Medicinal drugs <sup>1 11</sup> .....	1.256	100.725	101.573	-	.8	-	.7	.8
Prescription drugs .....	1.005	397.980	401.628	4.6	.9	.2	.5	.6
Nonprescription drugs <sup>1 11</sup> .....	.251	99.712	100.245	-	.5	-	-3	.5
Medical equipment and supplies <sup>1 11</sup> .....	.045	100.129	99.914	-	-2	-	.1	-2
Medical care services .....	3.961	407.286	411.114	3.9	.9	.3	.5	.5
Professional services .....	2.195	327.439	329.020	2.9	.5	.2	.6	.1
Physicians' services <sup>3</sup> .....	1.185	329.702	331.683	3.6	.6	.1	1.1	.3
Dental services <sup>3</sup> .....	.553	393.768	395.053	2.4	.3	.4	.1	-3
Eyeglasses and eye care <sup>5</sup> .....	.198	177.053	177.229	.8	.1	-5	.0	-4
Services by other medical professionals <sup>1 3 5</sup> .....	.259	217.669	218.902	2.3	.6	-1	.3	.6
Hospital and related services <sup>3</sup> .....	1.339	587.101	598.149	7.9	1.9	.6	.4	1.3
Hospital services <sup>3 12</sup> .....	1.246	218.388	222.727	8.3	2.0	.6	.5	1.4
Inpatient hospital services <sup>3 9 12</sup> .....	-	209.940	214.477	8.6	2.2	.6	.6	1.4
Outpatient hospital services <sup>3 5 9</sup> .....	-	510.901	519.909	7.8	1.8	.7	-1	1.4
Nursing homes and adult day services <sup>3 12</sup> .....	.072	185.941	186.945	2.4	.5	.1	-5	.2
Care of invalids and elderly at home <sup>1 13</sup> .....	.020	109.038	109.205	.4	.2	.0	.3	.2
Health insurance <sup>1 13</sup> .....	.427	109.811	110.164	-2.8	.3	-7	.3	.3
Recreation <sup>2</sup> .....	6.031	109.964	110.076	-1.1	.1	-3	.0	.0
Video and audio <sup>2</sup> .....	2.046	100.473	100.084	-1.7	-4	-1	-1	-6
Televisions .....	.201	8.747	8.426	-29.0	-3.7	-1.9	-3.2	-4.4
Cable and satellite television and radio service <sup>6</sup> .....	1.405	371.609	371.279	1.7	-1	.4	.6	-7
Other video equipment <sup>2</sup> .....	.029	16.782	16.717	-8.8	-4	-1.0	-2	-6
Video discs and other media, including rental of video and audio <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.168	76.437	76.323	-3.2	-1	-6	-1.0	-1
Audio equipment <sup>1</sup> .....	.084	46.357	46.674	-2.7	.7	-2	-8	.7
Audio discs, tapes and other media <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.063	94.174	95.009	-5.3	.9	-2.0	-5	.9
Pets, pet products and services <sup>2</sup> .....	1.137	151.301	152.152	1.1	.6	.1	.2	.5
Pets and pet products .....	.803	193.888	194.843	.2	.5	-1	.1	.5
Pet services including veterinary <sup>2</sup> .....	.334	187.236	188.600	3.0	.7	.4	.4	.3
Sporting goods <sup>1</sup> .....	.556	115.577	115.848	-2.4	.2	-8	-2	.2
Sports vehicles including bicycles <sup>1</sup> .....	.335	134.193	134.506	-1.1	.2	-1.0	-1	.2
Sports equipment <sup>1</sup> .....	.216	95.229	95.464	-3.6	.2	-7	-3	.2
Photography <sup>2</sup> .....	.193	81.868	81.647	-6	-3	.3	-4	-3
Photographic equipment and supplies .....	.066	73.769	73.619	-1.4	-2	.1	.1	-2
Photographers and film processing <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.125	111.382	111.042	.1	-3	.4	-7	-3
Other recreational goods <sup>2</sup> .....	.578	57.209	57.446	-3.7	.4	-8	.8	.3
Toys <sup>1</sup> .....	.439	61.954	62.238	-5.8	.5	-9	.6	.5
Sewing machines, fabric and supplies <sup>2</sup> .....	.050	91.726	92.723	3.4	1.1	-2	.3	-1
Music instruments and accessories <sup>2</sup> .....	.079	101.080	100.801	1.8	-3	-4	2.5	-6
Recreation services <sup>2</sup> .....	1.343	145.136	145.629	-6	.3	-5	-4	.4
Club dues and fees for participant sports and group exercises <sup>2</sup> .....	.348	121.817	122.518	-3.1	.6	-1.2	-1.1	.7
Admissions <sup>1</sup> .....	.540	314.783	315.396	.1	.2	-2	-2	.2
Fees for lessons or instructions <sup>1 5</sup> .....	.129	263.939	264.032	1.2	.0	-1	.0	.0
Recreational reading materials <sup>1</sup> .....	.178	224.154	224.072	1.5	.0	-8	.1	.0
Newspapers and magazines <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.099	134.846	135.307	3.6	.3	-7	.2	.3
Recreational books <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.079	106.259	105.711	-1.2	-5	-9	-2	-5
Education and communication <sup>2</sup> .....	6.175	124.293	124.334	1.8	.0	.2	.2	.2
Education <sup>2</sup> .....	2.327	193.049	193.641	4.8	.3	.3	.3	.6
Educational books and supplies .....	.196	503.416	505.356	6.8	.4	.4	.4	.6
Tuition, other school fees, and childcare .....	2.131	542.531	544.155	4.6	.3	.3	.3	.6
College tuition and fees .....	.957	629.733	628.958	5.8	-1	.4	.3	.4
Elementary and high school tuition and fees .....	.227	610.250	610.586	4.0	.1	.4	.5	.5

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**Table 8. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): U.S. city average, detailed expenditure categories -Continued**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and Group	Relative importance, December 2009	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Feb. 2010 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Jan. 2010	Feb. 2010	Feb. 2009	Jan. 2010	Nov. to Dec.	Dec. to Jan.	Jan. to Feb.
<b>Expenditure category</b>								
Child care and nursery school <sup>7</sup> .....	.828	235.059	237.067	3.3	0.9	0.3	0.2	0.9
Technical and business school tuition and fees <sup>2</sup> .....	.038	201.781	202.298	3.8	.3	.3	.2	.6
Communication <sup>2</sup> .....	3.848	87.617	87.501	-.2	-.1	.1	.1	-.1
Postage and delivery services <sup>2</sup> .....	.133	145.191	145.282	5.6	.1	.1	1.4	.1
Postage <sup>1</sup> .....	.127	230.143	230.143	5.2	.0	.0	1.2	.0
Delivery services <sup>2</sup> .....	.005	218.976	222.107	16.3	1.4	2.1	6.0	2.2
Information and information processing <sup>1 2</sup> .....	3.715	85.433	85.314	-.4	-.1	.1	.0	-.1
Telephone services <sup>1 2</sup> .....	2.906	102.504	102.038	.1	-.5	.2	-.1	-.5
Wireless telephone services <sup>1 2</sup> .....	1.720	64.082	63.524	-2.8	-.9	.0	-.8	-.9
Land-line telephone services <sup>1 11</sup> .....	1.186	100.951	101.093	-	.1	-	1.0	.1
Information technology, hardware and services <sup>1 14</sup> .....	.809	9.978	10.077	-3.5	1.0	-.3	.4	1.0
Personal computers and peripheral equipment <sup>15</sup> .....	.225	78.278	77.939	-11.1	-.4	-.6	-.3	-.7
Computer software and accessories <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.029	48.416	48.678	-2.2	.5	-1.0	.4	.5
Internet services and electronic information providers <sup>1 2</sup> ...	.472	76.480	77.990	1.3	2.0	-.1	.6	2.0
Telephone hardware, calculators, and other consumer information items <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.067	38.174	37.789	-4.8	-1.0	-2.0	-1.0	-1.0
Other goods and services .....	3.919	404.632	404.722	10.7	.0	.2	.1	.0
Tobacco and smoking products <sup>1</sup> .....	1.397	791.959	790.710	28.6	-.2	.3	.4	-.2
Cigarettes <sup>1 2</sup> .....	1.302	321.471	320.827	28.9	-.2	-.4	.3	-.2
Tobacco products other than cigarettes <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.084	213.995	215.015	21.8	.5	-.6	1.1	.5
Personal care .....	2.522	203.575	203.824	1.2	.1	.2	.0	.1
Personal care products <sup>1</sup> .....	.733	161.689	162.073	-.3	.2	.3	-.3	.2
Hair, dental, shaving, and miscellaneous personal care products <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.376	104.996	105.685	.8	.7	.8	.2	.7
Cosmetics, perfume, bath, nail preparations and implements <sup>1</sup> .....	.351	183.592	183.191	-1.5	-.2	-.3	-.9	-.2
Personal care services <sup>1</sup> .....	.577	228.793	228.169	.9	-.3	.0	.1	-.3
Haircuts and other personal care services <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.577	139.450	139.069	.9	-.3	.0	.1	-.3
Miscellaneous personal services .....	1.019	351.329	352.366	2.6	.3	.2	.3	.2
Legal services <sup>5</sup> .....	.306	285.478	286.015	2.8	.2	-.1	.8	.2
Funeral expenses <sup>5</sup> .....	.136	287.313	288.212	3.1	.3	.3	.1	.0
Laundry and dry cleaning services <sup>2</sup> .....	.280	140.304	140.562	2.6	.2	.4	.3	.0
Apparel services other than laundry and dry cleaning <sup>1 2</sup> ...	.026	157.607	157.560	4.4	.0	.1	.8	.0
Financial services <sup>15</sup> .....	.150	272.598	275.003	1.7	.9	-.6	-.1	.9
Miscellaneous personal goods <sup>2</sup> .....	.192	88.934	88.888	.2	-.1	.4	-.2	-.2
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>								
Commodities .....	43.589	176.413	176.118	5.7	-.2	.5	.9	-.1
Commodities less food and beverages .....	27.164	153.834	153.444	9.4	-.3	.7	1.3	-.3
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	16.703	195.981	195.059	13.6	-.5	.8	1.9	-.4
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel .....	12.915	249.801	246.914	18.6	-1.2	.9	2.5	-.5
Durables .....	10.461	112.511	112.618	3.7	.1	.5	.1	.1
Services .....	56.411	254.918	255.199	.7	.1	.0	-.1	.1
Rent of shelter <sup>4</sup> .....	29.868	233.252	233.234	-.1	.0	.0	-.2	-.2
Transportation services .....	5.918	255.577	256.809	3.5	.5	.3	-.2	.4
Other services .....	10.631	293.972	294.230	1.7	.1	.1	.2	.1
All items less food .....	84.667	211.440	211.423	3.4	.0	.3	.4	.0
All items less shelter .....	69.829	204.128	204.101	4.1	.0	.3	.6	.0
All items less medical care .....	94.739	205.589	205.461	2.8	-.1	.2	.3	.0
Commodities less food .....	28.256	156.200	155.820	9.1	-.2	.6	1.3	-.3
Nondurables less food .....	17.795	197.701	196.831	12.8	-.4	.8	1.8	-.4
Nondurables less food and apparel .....	14.007	246.455	243.829	17.1	-1.1	.8	2.3	-.5
Nondurables .....	33.128	207.611	207.092	6.3	-.2	.4	1.1	-.2

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**Table 8. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): U.S. city average, detailed expenditure categories -Continued**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and Group	Relative importance, December 2009	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Feb. 2010 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Jan. 2010	Feb. 2010	Feb. 2009	Jan. 2010	Nov. to Dec.	Dec. to Jan.	Jan. to Feb.
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>								
Apparel less footwear .....	3.008	109.413	112.012	-0.9	2.4	0.2	-0.1	-0.5
Services less rent of shelter <sup>4</sup> .....	26.543	247.985	248.586	1.6	.2	.2	.1	.3
Services less medical care services .....	52.450	244.090	244.205	.4	.0	.1	-.1	.0
Energy .....	10.291	208.222	204.494	15.5	-1.8	1.1	3.1	-6
All items less energy .....	89.709	214.048	214.472	1.5	.2	.1	.0	.1
All items less food and energy .....	74.376	213.647	214.172	1.9	.2	.1	.0	.1
Commodities less food and energy commodities .....	22.211	145.065	145.722	3.7	.5	.3	.2	.0
Energy commodities .....	6.045	238.217	231.808	34.8	-2.7	2.1	5.0	-1.2
Services less energy services .....	52.165	262.146	262.559	1.1	.2	.1	-.1	.1
Domestically produced farm food <sup>1</sup> .....	7.399	219.116	219.174	-1.6	.0	.3	.8	.0
Utilities and public transportation .....	10.438	197.558	197.115	-6	-2	.1	.1	.0
Purchasing power of the consumer dollar (1982-84=\$1.00) .....	-	\$ .470	\$ .470	-	-	-	-	-
Purchasing power of the consumer dollar (1967=\$1.00) .....	-	\$ .158	\$ .158	-	-	-	-	-

<sup>1</sup> Not seasonally adjusted.  
<sup>2</sup> Indexes on a December 1997=100 base.  
<sup>3</sup> This index series was calculated using a Laspeyres estimator. All other item stratum index series were calculated using a geometric means estimator.  
<sup>4</sup> Indexes on a December 1984=100 base  
<sup>5</sup> Indexes on a December 1986=100 base.  
<sup>6</sup> Indexes on a December 1983=100 base.  
<sup>7</sup> Indexes on a December 1990=100 base.  
<sup>8</sup> Indexes on a December 2001=100 base.  
<sup>9</sup> Special index based on a substantially smaller sample.

<sup>10</sup> Indexes on a December 1993=100 base.  
<sup>11</sup> Indexes on a December 2009=100 base.  
<sup>12</sup> Indexes on a December 1996=100 base.  
<sup>13</sup> Indexes on a December 2005=100 base.  
<sup>14</sup> Indexes on a December 1988=100 base.  
<sup>15</sup> Indexes on a December 2007=100 base.  
 NA Data not adequate for publication.  
 - Data not available.  
 NOTE: Index applies to a month as a whole, not to any specific date.



**Table 9. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): Seasonally adjusted U.S. city average, detailed expenditure categories**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Seasonally adjusted indexes				Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for					
					3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
	Nov. 2009	Dec. 2009	Jan. 2010	Feb. 2010	May 2009	Aug. 2009	Nov. 2009	Feb. 2010	Aug. 2009	Feb. 2010
<b>Expenditure category</b>										
All items .....	212.417	212.920	213.638	213.644	0.4	6.2	2.8	2.3	3.3	2.6
Food and beverages .....	217.109	217.426	217.876	218.037	-1.8	-7	.2	1.7	-1.3	1.0
Food .....	216.553	216.887	217.376	217.593	-2.0	-1.0	.0	1.9	-1.5	1.0
Food at home .....	211.914	212.400	213.166	213.428	-4.7	-2.7	-1.4	2.9	-3.7	.7
Cereals and bakery products .....	252.586	253.427	251.835	251.687	-3.0	-1.2	.9	-1.4	-2.1	-3
Cereals and cereal products .....	221.626	221.619	219.821	219.559	-1.2	.1	-1.5	-3.7	-6	-2.6
Flour and prepared flour mixes .....	225.732	230.009	226.730	227.955	-11.6	-.5	-5.1	4.0	-6.2	-7
Breakfast cereal <sup>1</sup> .....	219.543	218.580	215.803	215.037	5.0	3.9	-1.3	-8.0	4.4	-4.7
Rice, pasta, cornmeal <sup>1</sup> .....	227.603	226.081	226.203	227.325	-5.7	.8	-5.5	-.5	-2.5	-3.0
Bakery products .....	269.422	270.770	268.995	268.997	-3.1	-2.0	1.9	-.6	-2.6	.6
Bread <sup>2</sup> .....	161.593	160.975	160.129	159.446	-8.2	1.5	-1.5	-5.2	-3.5	-3.4
Fresh biscuits, rolls, muffins <sup>1 2</sup> .....	154.492	155.735	153.992	153.305	-5.0	-14.6	10.7	-3.0	-9.9	3.6
Cakes, cupcakes, and cookies .....	251.614	253.451	251.029	252.939	.2	2.0	3.3	2.1	1.1	2.7
Other bakery products .....	249.117	250.752	250.851	251.043	-1.7	-2.7	2.3	3.1	-2.2	2.7
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs .....	200.374	200.365	201.172	202.401	-6.5	-4.2	-3.6	4.1	-5.4	.2
Meats, poultry, and fish .....	201.055	201.152	202.004	202.982	-5.6	-4.8	-3.9	3.9	-5.2	-.1
Meats .....	196.646	196.560	197.558	199.298	-8.5	-5.8	-4.3	5.5	-7.2	.5
Beef and veal <sup>1</sup> .....	216.929	216.156	214.102	216.152	-9.3	-6.5	.4	-1.4	-8.0	-.5
Uncooked ground beef <sup>1</sup> .....	193.519	194.559	193.900	197.265	-14.4	-6.8	-4.2	8.0	-10.7	1.7
Uncooked beef roasts <sup>1 2</sup> .....	161.399	157.240	156.186	157.156	-24.1	-5.9	30.5	-10.1	-15.5	8.3
Uncooked beef steaks <sup>1 2</sup> .....	149.102	148.214	145.434	145.642	4.5	-6.8	-6.0	-9.0	-1.3	-7.5
Uncooked other beef and veal <sup>1 2</sup> .....	154.202	154.481	152.933	153.979	-3.8	-5.5	1.7	-.6	-4.6	.6
Pork .....	173.519	173.889	178.606	183.045	-8.0	-10.7	-9.1	23.8	-9.3	6.1
Bacon, breakfast sausage, and related products <sup>2</sup> ..	122.711	123.370	123.916	124.935	2.1	-21.1	-2.9	7.4	-10.3	2.1
Ham .....	176.443	174.414	181.467	182.816	-8.7	.6	-18.1	15.2	-4.2	-2.8
Pork chops .....	164.709	164.833	167.539	178.492	-18.0	.5	-5.0	37.9	-9.2	14.4
Other pork including roasts and picnics <sup>1 2</sup> .....	104.531	104.617	109.622	111.171	-3.1	-7.1	-14.9	27.9	-5.1	4.3
Other meats .....	191.379	191.990	192.824	189.409	-7.4	3.5	-8.0	-4.1	-2.1	-6.0
Poultry .....	202.183	203.384	202.085	203.691	-2.2	-4.8	-2.0	3.0	-3.5	.5
Chicken <sup>2</sup> .....	131.621	132.000	132.308	132.737	-2.9	-6.8	-1.2	3.4	-4.9	1.1
Other poultry including turkey <sup>2</sup> .....	124.629	127.447	122.590	125.658	3.0	2.9	-7.2	3.3	2.9	-2.1
Fish and seafood <sup>1</sup> .....	239.836	239.238	242.847	238.966	3.2	-.4	-4.6	-1.4	1.3	-3.1
Fresh fish and seafood <sup>1 2</sup> .....	139.152	137.987	141.971	138.867	-.4	1.2	-3.9	-.8	.4	-2.4
Processed fish and seafood <sup>2</sup> .....	127.542	128.124	127.407	127.706	1.4	-1.0	-3.6	.5	.2	-1.6
Eggs .....	190.272	188.466	188.352	193.936	-21.2	6.4	3.5	7.9	-8.4	5.7
Dairy and related products <sup>1</sup> .....	192.695	193.546	197.663	197.583	-15.4	-7.3	3.5	10.5	-11.4	7.0
Milk <sup>1 2</sup> .....	127.428	128.979	132.391	132.398	-20.5	-7.3	10.7	16.5	-14.2	13.6
Cheese and related products <sup>1</sup> .....	195.931	196.937	200.852	201.503	-20.0	-7.8	-.2	11.9	-14.1	5.6
Ice cream and related products .....	197.006	194.157	196.244	195.923	.9	-11.8	3.9	-2.2	-5.7	.8
Other dairy and related products <sup>2</sup> .....	134.164	135.252	137.568	136.595	-5.4	-5.8	-4.6	7.4	-5.6	1.2
Fruits and vegetables .....	265.811	267.011	270.176	270.020	-3.2	-3.6	-5.0	6.5	-3.4	.6
Fresh fruits and vegetables .....	303.500	305.252	309.411	309.753	-5.7	-2.8	-5.9	8.5	-4.3	1.0
Fresh fruits .....	317.710	317.309	325.974	321.625	-10.6	-.3	-1.7	5.0	-5.6	1.6
Apples .....	282.059	288.264	289.675	296.037	-17.7	-16.5	7.4	21.3	-17.1	14.1
Bananas .....	194.678	198.827	200.183	198.674	-12.3	-5.2	-22.9	8.5	-8.8	-8.5
Citrus fruits <sup>2</sup> .....	203.622	200.786	199.765	196.158	-2.5	17.4	15.7	-13.9	7.0	-.2
Other fresh fruits <sup>2</sup> .....	111.534	109.271	114.357	111.865	-5.4	4.3	-2.1	1.2	-.7	-.5
Fresh vegetables .....	288.514	292.262	292.340	296.971	-.5	-5.3	-10.1	12.3	-2.9	.5
Potatoes .....	289.785	286.187	300.975	301.454	-21.4	-21.9	-19.1	17.1	-21.7	-2.7
Lettuce <sup>1</sup> .....	292.379	318.530	285.243	269.076	-15.4	-11.5	49.4	-28.3	-13.5	3.5
Tomatoes <sup>1</sup> .....	309.777	342.058	330.864	321.501	5.1	-24.3	63.1	16.0	-10.8	37.5
Other fresh vegetables .....	295.177	293.066	298.202	305.844	-8.3	1.8	-8.3	15.3	-3.4	2.8
Processed fruits and vegetables <sup>2</sup> .....	146.432	146.566	147.557	146.751	4.4	-5.7	-2.4	.9	-.8	-.8
Canned fruits and vegetables <sup>2</sup> .....	150.733	151.735	152.159	151.816	7.3	-7.4	-2.9	2.9	-.3	-.1
Frozen fruits and vegetables <sup>2</sup> .....	135.851	135.040	138.081	136.519	1.2	-3.8	-7.9	2.0	-1.3	-3.1
Other processed fruits and vegetables including dried <sup>2</sup> .....	149.847	149.929	148.318	148.722	-1.2	-4.7	7.5	-3.0	-3.0	2.1

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<b>Expenditure category</b>										
Nonalcoholic beverages and beverage materials .....	161.582	161.738	162.068	161.550	-0.3	-1.0	-1.8	-0.1	-0.6	-1.0
Juices and nonalcoholic drinks <sup>2</sup> .....	126.110	126.343	126.574	126.027	.7	-2.2	-2.7	-.3	-.7	-1.5
Carbonated drinks .....	153.533	155.011	156.067	158.243	.9	-2.2	-4.7	12.8	-.7	3.7
Frozen noncarbonated juices and drinks <sup>1 2</sup> .....	150.534	151.411	150.642	149.792	-1.0	-4.0	-.6	-2.0	-2.5	-1.3
Nonfrozen noncarbonated juices and drinks <sup>1 2</sup> .....	117.421	116.782	117.961	115.102	.3	-4.1	-.1	-7.7	-1.9	-4.0
Beverage materials including coffee and tea <sup>2</sup> .....	112.931	113.028	113.262	113.400	-2.8	2.5	-1.1	1.7	-.2	.3
Coffee .....	185.399	184.468	187.169	185.867	-7.8	1.5	1.2	1.0	-3.3	1.1
Other beverage materials including tea <sup>2</sup> .....	123.845	123.792	123.136	124.767	-2.3	3.9	-2.8	3.0	.8	.1
Other food at home .....	190.110	190.619	190.215	190.493	-2.2	-.2	.0	.8	-1.2	.4
Sugar and sweets .....	197.888	198.163	197.745	200.465	-.1	-.5	6.7	5.3	-.3	6.0
Sugar and artificial sweeteners .....	183.915	182.866	184.022	187.086	.2	-2.2	18.7	7.1	-1.0	12.7
Candy and chewing gum <sup>1 2</sup> .....	130.865	131.090	130.272	131.822	-2.3	-.8	10.1	3.0	-1.6	6.5
Other sweets <sup>2</sup> .....	141.670	142.452	143.511	144.397	2.8	1.0	-6.0	7.9	1.9	.7
Fats and oils .....	198.650	199.828	200.194	200.243	-6.3	-2.3	-3.8	3.2	-4.3	-.3
Butter and margarine <sup>2</sup> .....	151.551	153.811	156.368	158.252	-10.3	-3.5	-10.9	18.9	-7.0	2.9
Salad dressing <sup>1 2</sup> .....	141.670	126.582	126.680	126.540	-8.7	7.9	2.5	-4.1	-.7	-.9
Other fats and oils including peanut butter <sup>2</sup> .....	144.254	145.027	144.830	143.538	-6.0	-6.2	.9	-2.0	-6.1	-.5
Other foods .....	205.097	205.590	205.030	204.886	-1.9	.1	-.6	-.4	-.9	-.5
Soups .....	231.694	232.351	231.103	228.959	-5.3	-2.0	-4.2	-4.6	-3.6	-4.4
Frozen and freeze dried prepared foods <sup>1</sup> .....	163.615	163.260	162.510	163.173	-1.2	6.6	-9.7	-1.1	2.6	-5.5
Snacks <sup>1</sup> .....	214.106	214.567	216.538	216.462	-12.0	.0	9.2	4.5	-6.2	6.8
Spices, seasonings, condiments, sauces .....	218.467	217.454	215.417	216.575	2.5	3.9	2.1	-3.4	3.2	-.7
Baby food <sup>1 2</sup> .....	139.928	141.182	141.860	142.272	-1.5	.4	-5.9	6.9	-.6	.3
Other miscellaneous foods <sup>1 2</sup> .....	121.647	122.796	122.051	121.482	.4	-2.9	-1.9	-.5	-1.3	-1.2
Food away from home <sup>1</sup> .....	224.815	224.940	225.015	225.168	1.8	1.3	1.8	.6	1.5	1.2
Full service meals and snacks <sup>1 2</sup> .....	139.728	139.929	140.040	140.247	2.6	.7	1.2	1.5	1.6	1.4
Limited service meals and snacks <sup>1 2</sup> .....	143.470	143.384	143.248	143.117	1.4	1.4	1.8	-1.0	1.4	.4
Food at employee sites and schools <sup>2</sup> .....	138.699	139.208	139.663	139.831	3.6	-1.1	4.6	3.3	1.2	3.9
Food from vending machines and mobile vendors <sup>1 2</sup> .....	131.279	131.785	132.000	132.416	1.7	2.1	3.8	3.5	1.9	3.7
Other food away from home <sup>1 2</sup> .....	156.853	156.830	157.670	158.826	-.3	6.3	.2	5.1	2.9	2.6
Alcoholic beverages .....	223.819	223.876	223.748	223.101	1.7	2.9	3.2	-1.3	2.3	1.0
Alcoholic beverages at home .....	195.895	195.564	194.685	194.226	1.6	5.0	2.3	-3.4	3.3	-.6
Beer, ale, and other malt beverages at home .....	202.444	202.207	201.640	201.138	1.2	6.7	3.8	-2.6	3.9	.6
Distilled spirits at home .....	188.410	187.951	186.968	186.622	3.1	2.8	2.2	-3.7	2.9	-.8
Wine at home .....	169.913	169.249	167.695	167.308	1.6	-.7	-.7	-6.0	.5	-3.4
Alcoholic beverages away from home <sup>1</sup> .....	286.392	287.621	288.437	287.535	3.6	-1.1	3.9	1.6	1.3	2.7
Housing .....	213.130	213.065	212.818	212.780	-1.0	-.3	.4	-.7	-.6	-.1
Shelter .....	242.620	242.592	241.969	241.916	1.5	.2	-.7	-1.2	.8	-.9
Rent of primary residence <sup>3</sup> .....	247.276	247.237	247.305	247.213	1.7	.0	-.9	-.1	.9	-.5
Lodging away from home <sup>2</sup> .....	133.804	133.606	130.907	131.519	-6.2	-4.1	.0	-6.7	-5.1	-3.4
Housing at school, excluding board <sup>3 4</sup> .....	423.359	425.056	427.097	427.540	4.5	5.6	4.7	4.0	5.1	4.3
Other lodging away from home including hotels and motels .....	275.315	274.744	270.679	272.203	-7.2	-5.0	-.5	-4.4	-6.1	-2.5
Owners' equivalent rent of residences <sup>3 4</sup> .....	232.633	232.585	232.351	232.286	1.9	.5	-.7	-.6	1.2	-.7
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>3 4</sup> .....	232.633	232.585	232.351	232.286	1.9	.5	-.7	-.6	1.2	-.7
Tenants' and household insurance <sup>1 2</sup> .....	122.830	124.415	125.299	125.367	.7	3.7	1.9	8.5	2.2	5.2
Fuels and utilities .....	210.569	210.281	211.617	212.146	-14.2	-1.4	7.9	3.0	-8.0	5.4
Household energy .....	186.409	185.937	187.075	187.283	-18.1	-3.1	8.5	1.9	-10.9	5.2
Fuel oil and other fuels <sup>1</sup> .....	262.340	265.130	284.061	281.157	-25.8	19.5	44.1	31.9	-5.9	37.9
Fuel oil <sup>1</sup> .....	270.091	270.525	287.221	280.741	-16.1	49.5	43.2	16.7	12.0	29.3
Propane, kerosene, and firewood <sup>5</sup> .....	299.335	307.204	332.282	336.436	-27.4	-12.0	28.0	59.6	-20.1	42.9
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>3</sup> .....	191.296	190.655	191.039	191.397	-17.7	-4.3	6.7	.2	-11.2	3.4
Electricity <sup>3</sup> .....	191.682	191.248	189.174	188.287	-4.3	-8.3	9.3	-6.9	-6.3	.9
Utility (piped) gas service <sup>3</sup> .....	186.203	184.849	193.805	198.658	-50.5	11.9	-2.1	29.6	-25.6	12.6
Water and sewer and trash collection services <sup>2</sup> .....	165.035	165.662	167.045	168.416	6.9	6.6	5.1	8.4	6.8	6.8
Water and sewerage maintenance <sup>3</sup> .....	358.535	360.329	363.976	367.172	8.0	8.0	6.3	10.0	8.0	8.1
Garbage and trash collection <sup>1 6</sup> .....	379.695	379.734	380.636	383.001	3.7	2.7	1.5	3.5	3.2	2.5
Household furnishings and operations .....	123.776	123.744	123.590	123.126	1.2	-3.0	-1.7	-2.1	-.9	-1.9
Window and floor coverings and other linens <sup>1 2</sup> .....	75.112	74.826	75.708	75.048	-5.0	-4.2	-5.4	-.3	-4.6	-2.9
Floor coverings <sup>1 2</sup> .....	117.204	116.767	115.582	113.743	-.1	-2.1	-5.4	-11.3	-1.1	-8.4
Window coverings <sup>2</sup> .....	83.741	83.109	80.389	79.605	-15.0	-11.6	-1.7	-18.3	-13.3	-10.4

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 9. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): Seasonally adjusted U.S. city average, detailed expenditure categories -Continued**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Seasonally adjusted indexes				Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for					
					3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
	Nov. 2009	Dec. 2009	Jan. 2010	Feb. 2010	May 2009	Aug. 2009	Nov. 2009	Feb. 2010	Aug. 2009	Feb. 2010
<b>Expenditure category</b>										
Other linens <sup>1 2</sup> .....	62.578	62.293	63.752	63.468	-0.6	-2.3	-6.9	5.8	-1.4	-0.8
Furniture and bedding <sup>1</sup> .....	119.704	119.684	119.510	119.071	6.9	-9.4	-2	-2.1	-1.6	-1.1
Bedroom furniture <sup>1</sup> .....	138.054	137.094	136.838	136.624	3.1	-10.3	-4	-4.1	-3.9	-2.3
Living room, kitchen, and dining room furniture <sup>1 2</sup> .....	89.095	89.881	90.198	89.704	4.8	-5.5	.3	2.8	-5	1.5
Other furniture <sup>2</sup> .....	89.465	88.670	87.343	86.359	12.8	-9.3	2.8	-13.2	1.1	-5.5
Appliances <sup>1 2</sup> .....	89.201	88.684	88.492	89.130	1.5	-7.7	-9.6	-3	-3.2	-5.1
Major appliances <sup>1 2</sup> .....	100.351	99.788	100.046	100.261	.1	-13.3	-3.7	-4	-6.8	-2.1
Other appliances <sup>1 2</sup> .....	74.718	74.250	73.499	74.618	4.1	3.4	-19.4	-5	3.7	-10.5
Other household equipment and furnishings <sup>1 2</sup> .....	74.171	73.849	74.632	74.199	-1.8	-4.5	-4.5	.2	-3.1	-2.2
Clocks, lamps, and decorator items <sup>1</sup> .....	63.846	63.889	64.824	63.962	3.3	-6.2	-8.0	.7	-1.6	-3.7
Indoor plants and flowers <sup>7</sup> .....	131.969	130.841	131.319	130.414	-8.4	7.7	-3	-4.6	-7	-2.5
Dishes and flatware <sup>1 2</sup> .....	71.268	70.705	71.526	71.127	-12.8	-8.9	-2.3	-8	-10.9	-1.5
Nonelectric cookware and tableware <sup>2</sup> .....	98.080	97.370	96.804	96.610	1.1	.0	.4	-5.9	.5	-2.8
Tools, hardware, outdoor equipment and supplies <sup>2</sup> .....	93.816	93.624	93.848	93.040	3.5	-3.0	-3.3	-3.3	.2	-3.3
Tools, hardware and supplies <sup>1 2</sup> .....	99.081	98.773	98.336	98.310	11.6	-10.8	-1.0	-3.1	-2	-2.0
Outdoor equipment and supplies <sup>2</sup> .....	88.900	88.973	88.739	87.753	1.2	1.6	-4.8	-5.1	1.4	-4.9
Housekeeping supplies <sup>1</sup> .....	184.786	184.503	184.751	185.206	.2	.2	.4	.9	.2	.6
Household cleaning products <sup>1 2</sup> .....	123.791	123.214	122.557	122.979	3.1	.4	4.1	-2.6	1.7	.7
Household paper products <sup>1 2</sup> .....	155.876	155.385	156.370	156.225	.3	2.5	-1.4	.9	1.4	-3
Miscellaneous household products <sup>1 2</sup> .....	114.566	115.123	115.898	116.384	-4.2	-2.2	-3.4	6.5	-3.2	1.4
Household operations <sup>1 2</sup> .....	152.747	152.486	151.499	151.535	-4	4.5	-2.4	-3.1	2.0	-2.8
Domestic services <sup>1 2</sup> .....	142.502	142.901	141.833	142.317	.9	.3	-1	-5	.6	-3
Gardening and lawn care services <sup>1 2</sup> .....	157.941	157.991	NA	NA	-	3.6	.7	-	-	-
Moving, storage, freight expense <sup>1 2</sup> .....	126.774	125.137	121.864	121.730	15.9	2.3	-12.5	-15.0	8.9	-13.8
Repair of household items <sup>1 2</sup> .....	184.409	184.346	184.851	185.602	2.7	12.6	-1	2.6	7.5	1.2
Apparel .....	119.871	120.151	120.099	119.483	-1.2	4.0	-1.9	-1.3	1.4	-1.6
Men's and boys' apparel .....	112.900	112.285	112.252	111.820	-6.0	-6	-5.9	-3.8	-3.3	-4.8
Men's apparel .....	119.051	118.308	119.216	118.206	-5.0	-4.7	-1.7	-2.8	-4.8	-2.3
Men's suits, sport coats, and outerwear .....	113.456	113.705	114.214	115.405	.2	-7.2	-3.6	7.1	-3.6	1.6
Men's furnishings .....	141.902	141.160	144.178	145.653	-14.8	5.9	6.8	11.0	-5.0	8.9
Men's shirts and sweaters <sup>2</sup> .....	81.294	81.045	82.006	79.407	-9.1	-6.7	-6.9	-9.0	-7.9	-7.9
Men's pants and shorts .....	109.422	108.253	108.186	108.339	5.8	-11.0	-6.6	-3.9	-3.0	-5.3
Boys' apparel .....	94.802	94.195	91.856	92.669	-7.9	17.1	-19.6	-8.7	3.8	-14.3
Women's and girls' apparel .....	107.522	108.442	108.554	107.988	-2.0	7.6	-3.4	1.7	2.7	-9
Women's apparel .....	109.969	110.461	110.688	109.072	-1.6	4.6	.5	-3.2	1.5	-1.4
Women's outerwear .....	99.690	101.261	101.226	97.133	10.8	-25.5	27.2	-9.9	-9.2	7.1
Women's dresses .....	112.071	111.514	106.781	110.230	-13.9	-4.7	-11.9	-6.4	-9.4	-9.2
Women's suits and separates <sup>2</sup> .....	86.073	86.309	86.942	85.844	1.0	7.4	-2.5	-1.1	4.2	-1.8
Women's underwear, nightwear, sportswear and accessories <sup>2</sup> .....	94.490	94.750	95.263	94.804	-8.1	9.6	8.6	1.3	.4	4.9
Girls' apparel .....	97.709	100.310	100.147	103.390	-4.0	21.7	-18.6	25.4	8.1	1.0
Footwear .....	128.856	129.173	129.256	128.706	3.6	5.2	2.6	-5	4.4	1.0
Men's footwear <sup>1</sup> .....	127.510	126.388	125.275	125.996	6.8	.7	7.2	-4.7	3.7	1.1
Boys' and girls' footwear .....	133.468	133.369	136.724	133.164	9.2	4.2	-5.3	-9	6.7	-3.1
Women's footwear .....	126.910	127.432	126.349	126.869	1.9	4.9	7.8	-1	3.4	3.7
Infants' and toddlers' apparel .....	116.678	116.548	118.441	117.058	4.7	7.7	-7.0	1.3	6.2	-2.9
Jewelry and watches <sup>5</sup> .....	151.028	150.865	146.893	146.215	2.8	-4.6	12.7	-12.2	-1.0	-5
Watches <sup>1 5</sup> .....	109.406	109.437	111.103	109.932	-4.5	-10.0	1.1	1.9	-7.3	1.5
Jewelry <sup>5</sup> .....	162.625	162.139	157.111	156.682	3.9	-4.3	15.0	-13.8	-3	-5
Transportation .....	187.971	189.949	193.144	192.920	-1.5	36.2	13.5	11.0	15.9	12.2
Private transportation .....	184.689	186.609	190.031	189.821	-1.3	37.5	13.2	11.6	16.5	12.4
New and used motor vehicles <sup>2</sup> .....	94.438	95.030	95.343	95.710	2.6	4.3	15.5	5.5	3.5	10.4
New vehicles .....	139.664	139.358	138.596	138.749	6.3	.8	9.7	-2.6	3.5	3.4
Used cars and trucks .....	135.844	138.813	140.866	141.875	-2.2	12.6	30.2	19.0	5.0	24.4
Leased cars and trucks <sup>8</sup> .....	99.334	98.035	97.493	98.196	-1.2	-8.9	-7.2	-4.5	-5.1	-5.9
Car and truck rental <sup>2</sup> .....	126.204	125.565	121.343	118.869	14.9	12.1	-9.7	-21.3	13.5	-15.7
Motor fuel .....	232.924	237.946	249.602	246.705	-11.2	163.6	16.2	25.9	53.0	20.9
Gasoline (all types) .....	233.205	238.841	249.318	245.597	-4.7	153.8	17.7	23.0	55.5	20.3
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>9</sup> .....	232.456	237.602	248.144	244.638	-4.2	160.1	17.3	22.7	57.9	19.9
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>9 10</sup> .....	240.173	244.651	255.160	250.857	-3.3	148.5	18.3	19.0	55.0	18.7
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>9</sup> .....	227.011	230.525	240.699	237.388	-5.3	140.1	17.7	19.6	50.8	18.7

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**Table 9. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): Seasonally adjusted U.S. city average, detailed expenditure categories -Continued**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Seasonally adjusted indexes				Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for					
					3 months ended—			6 months ended—		
	Nov. 2009	Dec. 2009	Jan. 2010	Feb. 2010	May 2009	Aug. 2009	Nov. 2009	Feb. 2010	Aug. 2009	Feb. 2010
<b>Expenditure category</b>										
Other motor fuels <sup>1 2</sup> .....	204.958	203.701	209.875	206.356	-8.1	86.3	26.4	2.8	30.9	14.0
Motor vehicle parts and equipment <sup>1</sup> .....	134.346	134.892	135.383	135.694	.5	-2.5	2.3	4.1	-1.0	3.2
Tires <sup>1</sup> .....	120.017	120.562	120.917	121.386	.5	-4.8	2.6	4.6	-2.2	3.6
Vehicle accessories other than tires <sup>1 2</sup> .....	145.726	146.242	146.920	146.925	.5	.1	2.0	3.3	.3	2.6
Motor vehicle maintenance and repair <sup>1</sup> .....	247.972	247.812	247.975	248.479	1.3	1.4	3.5	.8	1.4	2.1
Motor vehicle body work <sup>1</sup> .....	252.682	253.026	252.883	252.825	4.6	.8	4.0	.2	2.7	2.1
Motor vehicle maintenance and servicing <sup>1</sup> .....	226.276	226.521	226.133	226.389	-9	.8	3.0	.2	.0	1.6
Motor vehicle repair <sup>1 2</sup> .....	150.960	150.646	151.028	151.486	2.6	1.8	3.8	1.4	2.2	2.6
Motor vehicle insurance .....	364.512	366.273	367.141	369.935	4.9	4.6	4.2	6.1	4.7	5.1
Motor vehicle fees <sup>1 2</sup> .....	163.830	163.758	164.440	164.642	4.3	7.0	26.1	2.0	5.6	13.4
State motor vehicle registration and license fees <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	163.316	163.318	164.123	164.400	3.7	7.4	37.4	2.7	5.5	18.8
Parking and other fees <sup>1 2</sup> .....	164.761	164.530	164.946	164.961	5.9	6.3	3.9	.5	6.1	2.2
Public transportation .....	244.557	247.857	243.274	242.675	-5.9	9.8	20.5	-3.0	1.6	8.1
Airline fare .....	270.076	275.901	268.223	265.342	-10.4	9.9	34.4	-6.8	-8	11.9
Other intercity transportation .....	148.809	149.719	148.475	151.655	-4.3	-3.3	.4	7.9	-3.8	4.1
Intracity transportation <sup>1</sup> .....	253.035	253.521	253.808	254.586	1.4	15.2	1.6	2.5	8.1	2.1
Medical care .....	380.838	381.504	383.504	385.728	3.7	2.7	3.7	5.2	3.2	4.5
Medical care commodities <sup>1</sup> .....	299.972	299.777	301.890	304.320	3.5	1.3	3.5	5.9	2.4	4.7
Medicinal drugs <sup>1 11</sup> .....	-	100.000	100.725	101.573	-	-	-	-	-	-
Prescription drugs .....	394.832	395.622	397.467	399.841	5.1	4.2	3.8	5.2	4.7	4.5
Nonprescription drugs <sup>1 11</sup> .....	-	100.000	99.712	100.245	-	-	-	-	-	-
Medical equipment and supplies <sup>1 11</sup> .....	-	100.000	100.129	99.914	-	-	-	-	-	-
Medical care services .....	404.460	405.483	407.372	409.435	3.8	3.2	3.8	5.0	3.5	4.4
Professional services .....	325.379	325.933	327.911	328.390	2.7	2.4	2.9	3.8	2.5	3.3
Physicians' services <sup>3</sup> .....	326.238	326.682	330.164	331.226	3.7	2.5	2.2	6.3	3.1	4.2
Dental services <sup>3</sup> .....	392.693	394.407	394.648	393.573	2.8	2.7	3.4	.9	2.7	2.1
Eyeglasses and eye care <sup>5</sup> .....	177.799	176.970	177.016	176.331	1.5	-9	6.2	-3.3	.2	1.4
Services by other medical professionals <sup>1 3 5</sup> .....	217.328	217.072	217.669	218.902	.6	1.9	3.9	2.9	1.3	3.4
Hospital and related services <sup>3</sup> .....	579.659	583.389	585.929	593.708	7.5	7.1	7.0	10.1	7.3	8.5
Hospital services <sup>3 12</sup> .....	215.500	216.876	217.976	221.014	7.8	7.4	7.4	10.6	7.6	9.0
Inpatient hospital services <sup>3 9 12</sup> .....	207.272	208.519	209.800	212.747	8.3	8.0	7.3	11.0	8.1	9.1
Outpatient hospital services <sup>3 5 9</sup> .....	506.197	509.615	509.145	516.428	7.8	7.6	7.6	8.3	7.7	8.0
Nursing homes and adult day services <sup>3 12</sup> .....	186.248	186.387	185.433	185.852	3.7	3.1	3.8	-8	3.4	1.5
Care of invalids and elderly at home <sup>1 13</sup> .....	108.672	108.693	109.038	109.205	1.0	-1.3	.1	2.0	-1	1.0
Health insurance <sup>1 13</sup> .....	110.244	109.521	109.811	110.164	-3.1	-3.5	-4.2	-3	-3.3	-2.2
Recreation <sup>2</sup> .....	110.559	110.221	110.176	110.176	-1.1	1.0	-2.7	-1.4	-1	-2.0
Video and audio <sup>2</sup> .....	101.026	100.934	100.793	100.171	-2	-6	-2.8	-3.3	-4	-3.1
Televisions .....	9.343	9.161	8.868	8.479	-24.7	-27.9	-30.8	-32.2	-26.3	-31.5
Cable and satellite television and radio service <sup>6</sup> .....	370.592	371.978	374.131	371.475	2.2	2.9	.7	1.0	2.6	.8
Other video equipment <sup>2</sup> .....	17.037	16.867	16.825	16.718	5.1	-11.4	-19.8	-7.3	-3.5	-13.8
Video discs and other media, including rental of video and audio <sup>1 2</sup> .....	77.676	77.205	76.437	76.323	-3.4	-2.2	-3	-6.8	-2.8	-3.6
Audio equipment <sup>1</sup> .....	46.842	46.754	46.357	46.674	-3.2	-5.3	-1.0	-1.4	-4.3	-1.2
Audio discs, tapes and other media <sup>1 2</sup> .....	96.594	94.647	94.174	95.009	-1.0	-7.0	-6.6	-6.4	-4.0	-6.5
Pets, pet products and services <sup>2</sup> .....	151.386	151.510	151.843	152.565	2.4	-3	-8	3.2	1.0	1.1
Pets and pet products .....	194.493	194.381	194.655	195.686	2.3	-1.7	-2.2	2.5	.3	.1
Pet services including veterinary <sup>2</sup> .....	186.256	186.936	187.739	188.387	2.5	2.6	2.1	4.7	2.6	3.4
Sporting goods <sup>1</sup> .....	116.722	115.762	115.577	115.848	-1.1	-4.7	-7	-3.0	-2.9	-1.8
Sports vehicles including bicycles <sup>1</sup> .....	135.620	134.293	134.193	134.506	3.0	-6.0	2.1	-3.2	-1.6	-6
Sports equipment <sup>1</sup> .....	96.145	95.519	95.229	95.464	-4.9	-3.0	-3.7	-2.8	-4.0	-3.3
Photography <sup>2</sup> .....	82.129	82.378	82.017	81.788	3.1	-5	-3.3	-1.7	1.3	-2.5
Photographic equipment and supplies .....	73.999	74.092	74.157	73.986	3.1	-2.9	-5.5	-1	.1	-2.8
Photographers and film processing <sup>1 2</sup> .....	111.645	112.134	111.382	111.042	3.1	1.3	-1.6	-2.1	2.2	-1.9
Other recreational goods <sup>2</sup> .....	57.292	56.844	57.288	57.442	.5	-5.9	-9.8	1.1	-2.8	-4.5
Toys <sup>1</sup> .....	62.193	61.607	61.954	62.238	.2	-9.6	-13.3	.3	-4.8	-6.8
Sewing machines, fabric and supplies <sup>2</sup> .....	92.435	92.214	92.514	92.385	1.4	11.2	1.7	-2	6.2	.7
Music instruments and accessories <sup>2</sup> .....	99.480	99.068	101.547	100.973	1.2	-1.7	1.5	6.1	-2	3.8
Recreation services <sup>2</sup> .....	146.392	145.709	145.126	145.662	-5.9	9.1	-3.0	-2.0	1.3	-2.5
Club dues and fees for participant sports and group exercises <sup>2</sup> .....	124.607	123.106	121.784	122.622	-3.6	-1	-2.6	-6.2	-1.8	-4.4
Admissions <sup>1</sup> .....	316.101	315.568	314.783	315.396	-9.2	16.8	-4.5	-9	3.0	-2.7
Fees for lessons or instructions <sup>1 5</sup> .....	264.068	263.880	263.939	264.032	-2.1	4.5	2.4	-1	1.1	1.2
Recreational reading materials <sup>1</sup> .....	225.757	224.023	224.154	224.072	2.0	5.4	2.0	-3.0	3.7	-5

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 9. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): Seasonally adjusted U.S. city average, detailed expenditure categories -Continued**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Seasonally adjusted indexes				Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for					
					3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
	Nov. 2009	Dec. 2009	Jan. 2010	Feb. 2010	May 2009	Aug. 2009	Nov. 2009	Feb. 2010	Aug. 2009	Feb. 2010
<b>Expenditure category</b>										
Newspapers and magazines <sup>1 2</sup> .....	135.437	134.522	134.846	135.307	5.8	6.1	3.1	-0.4	6.0	1.3
Recreational books <sup>1 2</sup> .....	107.406	106.442	106.259	105.711	-3.0	4.4	.4	-6.2	.6	-2.9
Education and communication <sup>2</sup> .....	123.678	123.911	124.142	124.338	2.3	2.1	.9	2.2	2.2	1.5
Education <sup>2</sup> .....	191.203	191.835	192.430	193.654	5.2	5.4	3.4	5.2	5.3	4.3
Educational books and supplies .....	497.706	499.745	501.581	504.554	5.5	10.2	6.1	5.6	7.8	5.9
Tuition, other school fees, and childcare .....	537.418	539.155	540.811	544.275	5.2	5.0	3.1	5.2	5.1	4.2
College tuition and fees .....	622.724	625.328	627.256	630.048	6.5	7.9	4.1	4.8	7.2	4.4
Elementary and high school tuition and fees .....	604.152	606.470	609.251	612.006	4.8	3.8	2.0	5.3	4.3	3.7
Child care and nursery school <sup>7</sup> .....	233.419	234.007	234.372	236.436	3.7	1.6	2.8	5.3	2.6	4.0
Technical and business school tuition and fees <sup>2</sup> .....	201.234	201.800	202.130	203.265	5.4	4.1	1.8	4.1	4.8	2.9
Communication <sup>2</sup> .....	87.469	87.545	87.616	87.501	.3	-2	-9	.1	.1	-4
Postage and delivery services <sup>2</sup> .....	142.958	143.138	145.160	145.301	10.2	5.4	.5	6.7	7.8	3.5
Postage <sup>1</sup> .....	227.304	227.304	230.143	230.143	10.7	5.1	.0	5.1	7.9	2.5
Delivery services <sup>2</sup> .....	201.393	205.592	217.909	222.759	3.6	9.2	8.0	49.7	6.4	27.2
Information and information processing <sup>1 2</sup> .....	85.331	85.404	85.433	85.314	.0	-4	-9	-1	-2	-5
Telephone services <sup>1 2</sup> .....	102.413	102.585	102.504	102.038	1.3	1.5	-8	-1.5	1.4	-1.1
Wireless telephone services <sup>1 2</sup> .....	64.590	64.593	64.082	63.524	.1	.2	-4.8	-6.4	.1	-5.6
Land-line telephone services <sup>1 11</sup> .....	-	100.000	100.951	101.093	-	-	-	-	-	-
Information technology, hardware and services <sup>1 14</sup> .....	9.969	9.935	9.978	10.077	-6.4	-9.7	-1.7	4.4	-8.1	1.3
Personal computers and peripheral equipment <sup>15</sup> .....	78.673	78.163	77.929	77.391	-15.3	-19.8	-1.6	-6.4	-17.6	-4.0
Computer software and accessories <sup>1 2</sup> .....	48.712	48.219	48.416	48.678	-2.6	-3.2	-2.6	-3	-2.9	-1.5
Internet services and electronic information providers <sup>1 2</sup> .....	76.079	76.037	76.480	77.990	-2	-6	-4.0	10.4	-4	3.0
Telephone hardware, calculators, and other consumer information items <sup>1 2</sup> .....	39.353	38.567	38.174	37.789	-7.6	-9.0	14.7	-15.0	-8.3	-1.2
Other goods and services .....	403.360	404.292	404.888	404.813	34.1	5.6	4.6	1.4	19.0	3.0
Tobacco and smoking products <sup>1</sup> .....	786.541	789.173	791.959	790.710	116.5	12.6	9.7	2.1	56.1	5.9
Cigarettes <sup>1 2</sup> .....	319.268	320.486	321.471	320.827	119.5	12.5	9.6	2.0	57.2	5.7
Tobacco products other than cigarettes <sup>1 2</sup> .....	213.041	211.734	213.995	215.015	64.5	13.9	13.1	3.8	36.9	8.3
Personal care .....	203.399	203.727	203.775	203.895	1.2	1.3	1.3	1.0	1.3	1.1
Personal care products <sup>1</sup> .....	161.784	162.231	161.689	162.073	1.4	-1.7	-1.5	.7	-2	-4
Hair, dental, shaving, and miscellaneous personal care products <sup>1 2</sup> .....	103.914	104.766	104.996	105.685	4.9	-3.2	-5.0	7.0	.7	.8
Cosmetics, perfume, bath, nail preparations and implements <sup>1</sup> .....	185.893	185.326	183.592	183.191	-2.3	.0	2.3	-5.7	-1.1	-1.8
Personal care services <sup>1</sup> .....	228.614	228.614	228.793	228.169	3.1	-1	1.5	-8	1.5	.4
Haircuts and other personal care services <sup>1 2</sup> .....	139.341	139.341	139.450	139.069	3.1	-1	1.5	-8	1.5	.4
Miscellaneous personal services .....	350.374	351.092	352.090	352.853	1.0	2.9	3.7	2.9	1.9	3.3
Legal services <sup>5</sup> .....	283.498	283.296	285.447	285.969	-1.3	2.0	7.0	3.5	.3	5.2
Funeral expenses <sup>5</sup> .....	286.951	287.889	288.068	288.183	3.7	3.6	3.5	1.7	3.7	2.6
Laundry and dry cleaning services <sup>2</sup> .....	139.791	140.408	140.846	140.866	2.8	2.9	1.4	3.1	2.8	2.3
Apparel services other than laundry and dry cleaning <sup>1 2</sup> .....	156.098	156.280	157.607	157.560	2.3	1.3	10.3	3.8	1.8	7.0
Financial services <sup>1 5</sup> .....	274.531	272.967	272.598	275.003	.0	3.2	2.9	.7	1.6	1.8
Miscellaneous personal goods <sup>2</sup> .....	88.851	89.242	89.053	88.840	.4	-2.2	2.6	.0	-9	1.2
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>										
Commodities .....	175.805	176.635	178.233	177.989	.9	13.2	4.9	5.1	6.9	5.0
Commodities less food and beverages .....	153.502	154.519	156.580	156.171	2.6	22.7	7.8	7.1	12.2	7.5
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	196.863	198.438	202.280	201.470	-1.3	41.7	8.6	9.7	18.3	9.1
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel .....	248.738	251.007	257.262	255.925	.9	58.4	10.3	12.1	26.4	11.2
Durables .....	111.728	112.317	112.382	112.465	1.4	1.0	10.0	2.7	1.2	6.3
Services .....	255.245	255.350	255.157	255.440	.1	1.1	1.2	.3	.6	.8
Rent of shelter <sup>4</sup> .....	234.029	234.082	233.607	233.241	1.3	.1	-3	-1.3	.7	-8
Transportation services .....	255.455	256.122	255.588	256.694	2.0	3.4	6.6	2.0	2.7	4.2
Other services .....	293.299	293.681	294.133	294.301	1.4	3.4	.5	1.4	2.4	.9
All items less food .....	211.499	212.031	212.790	212.759	.8	7.6	3.3	2.4	4.2	2.9
All items less shelter .....	203.704	204.406	205.615	205.643	-1	9.0	4.4	3.9	4.4	4.1
All items less medical care .....	205.514	206.007	206.680	206.620	.2	6.4	2.8	2.2	3.3	2.5
Commodities less food .....	155.883	156.879	158.886	158.469	2.5	21.9	7.7	6.8	11.8	7.2
Nondurables less food .....	198.543	200.048	203.681	202.891	-1.2	38.9	8.2	9.1	17.1	8.6
Nondurables less food and apparel .....	245.496	247.582	253.287	252.038	.7	53.0	9.7	11.1	24.1	10.4
Nondurables .....	207.442	208.232	210.553	210.177	-2.5	19.4	4.3	5.4	7.9	4.8

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**Table 9. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): Seasonally adjusted U.S. city average, detailed expenditure categories -Continued**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Seasonally adjusted indexes				Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for					
					3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
	Nov. 2009	Dec. 2009	Jan. 2010	Feb. 2010	May 2009	Aug. 2009	Nov. 2009	Feb. 2010	Aug. 2009	Feb. 2010
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>										
Apparel less footwear .....	113.295	113.556	113.467	112.858	-2.4	3.7	-3.1	-1.5	0.6	-2.3
Services less rent of shelter <sup>4</sup> .....	247.833	248.380	248.589	249.271	-1.5	1.9	3.6	2.3	.2	3.0
Services less medical care services .....	244.619	244.797	244.523	244.557	-.2	.7	1.3	-.1	.3	.6
Energy .....	207.897	210.195	216.617	215.259	-14.8	64.5	12.8	14.9	18.4	13.9
All items less energy .....	213.906	214.189	214.235	214.406	2.1	1.3	1.7	.9	1.7	1.3
All items less food and energy .....	213.749	214.023	213.979	214.141	3.0	1.7	2.1	.7	2.4	1.4
Commodities less food and energy commodities .....	145.242	145.608	145.835	145.848	5.9	2.1	5.2	1.7	4.0	3.4
Energy commodities .....	235.286	240.247	252.253	249.339	-12.0	154.3	17.3	26.1	49.6	21.6
Services less energy services .....	262.192	262.385	262.136	262.409	1.8	1.6	.7	.3	1.7	.5
Domestically produced farm food <sup>1</sup> .....	216.742	217.384	219.116	219.174	-6.5	-2.7	-1.3	4.6	-4.6	1.6
Utilities and public transportation .....	197.830	197.941	198.114	198.120	-5.1	.4	2.0	.6	-2.4	1.3

<sup>1</sup> Not seasonally adjusted.  
<sup>2</sup> Indexes on a December 1997=100 base.  
<sup>3</sup> This index series was calculated using a Laspeyres estimator. All other item stratum index series were calculated using a geometric means estimator.  
<sup>4</sup> Indexes on a December 1984=100 base.  
<sup>5</sup> Indexes on a December 1986=100 base.  
<sup>6</sup> Indexes on a December 1983=100 base.  
<sup>7</sup> Indexes on a December 1990=100 base.  
<sup>8</sup> Indexes on a December 2001=100 base.  
<sup>9</sup> Special index based on a substantially smaller sample.

<sup>10</sup> Indexes on a December 1993=100 base.  
<sup>11</sup> Indexes on a December 2009=100 base.  
<sup>12</sup> Indexes on a December 1996=100 base.  
<sup>13</sup> Indexes on a December 2005=100 base.  
<sup>14</sup> Indexes on a December 1988=100 base.  
<sup>15</sup> Indexes on a December 2007=100 base.  
 NA Data not adequate for publication.  
 R Revised.  
 - Data not available.  
 NOTE: Index applies to a month as a whole, not to any specific date.



**Table 10. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): Selected areas, all items index**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Area	All items										
	Pricing schedule 1	Indexes				Percent change to Feb. 2010 from—			Percent change to Jan. 2010 from—		
		Nov. 2009	Dec. 2009	Jan. 2010	Feb. 2010	Feb. 2009	Dec. 2009	Jan. 2010	Jan. 2009	Nov. 2009	Dec. 2009
U.S. city average .....	M	216.330	215.949	216.687	216.741	2.1	0.4	0.0	2.6	0.2	0.3
<b>Region and area size<sup>2</sup></b>											
Northeast urban .....	M	231.708	231.462	232.294	232.382	2.5	.4	.0	3.0	.3	.4
Size A - More than 1,500,000 .....	M	233.785	233.475	234.109	234.183	2.1	.3	.0	2.7	.1	.3
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 <sup>3</sup> .....	M	137.646	137.597	138.416	138.491	3.4	.6	.1	3.8	.6	.6
Midwest urban .....	M	206.247	205.613	206.564	206.563	2.5	.5	.0	2.9	.2	.5
Size A - More than 1,500,000 .....	M	207.277	206.399	207.325	207.329	2.3	.5	.0	2.6	.0	.4
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 <sup>3</sup> .....	M	131.952	131.742	132.417	132.451	2.6	.5	.0	2.9	.4	.5
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000) .....	M	203.047	202.738	203.490	203.274	3.5	.3	-.1	3.9	.2	.4
South urban .....	M	209.738	209.476	210.056	210.020	2.3	.3	.0	2.8	.2	.3
Size A - More than 1,500,000 .....	M	211.424	210.971	211.762	211.503	1.7	.3	-.1	2.3	.2	.4
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 <sup>3</sup> .....	M	133.342	133.252	133.517	133.575	2.5	.2	.0	3.0	.1	.2
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000) .....	M	213.372	213.159	213.873	214.007	3.5	.4	.1	3.9	.2	.3
West urban .....	M	219.728	219.307	219.989	220.179	1.4	.4	.1	1.9	.1	.3
Size A - More than 1,500,000 .....	M	223.489	223.058	223.852	223.989	1.4	.4	.1	1.8	.2	.4
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 <sup>3</sup> .....	M	133.335	133.132	133.366	133.513	1.4	.3	.1	2.1	.0	.2
<b>Size classes</b>											
A <sup>4</sup> .....	M	197.697	197.246	197.948	197.949	1.8	.4	.0	2.3	.1	.4
B/C <sup>3</sup> .....	M	133.663	133.535	133.954	134.028	2.4	.4	.1	2.9	.2	.3
D .....	M	209.567	209.192	209.984	210.098	3.0	.4	.1	3.2	.2	.4
<b>Selected local areas<sup>5</sup></b>											
Chicago-Gary-Kenosha, IL-IN-WI .....	M	212.206	211.185	212.104	212.456	2.5	.6	.2	2.2	.0	.4
Los Angeles-Riverside-Orange County, CA ...	M	224.317	223.643	224.610	224.620	1.4	.4	.0	1.8	.1	.4
New York-Northern N.J.-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT-PA .....	M	238.777	238.427	238.970	238.862	1.8	.2	.0	2.4	.1	.2
Boston-Brockton-Nashua, MA-NH-ME-CT .....	1	236.589	-	237.266	-	-	-	-	2.8	.3	-
Cleveland-Akron, OH .....	1	201.471	-	203.037	-	-	-	-	2.4	.8	-
Dallas-Fort Worth, TX .....	1	201.958	-	202.106	-	-	-	-	1.8	.1	-
Washington-Baltimore, DC-MD-VA-WV <sup>6</sup> .....	1	140.718	-	141.124	-	-	-	-	2.6	.3	-
Atlanta, GA .....	2	-	200.456	-	202.646	1.7	1.1	-	-	-	-
Detroit-Ann Arbor-Flint, MI .....	2	-	203.880	-	203.380	.7	-.2	-	-	-	-
Houston-Galveston-Brazoria, TX .....	2	-	190.932	-	192.412	2.4	.8	-	-	-	-
Miami-Fort Lauderdale, FL .....	2	-	222.943	-	222.505	.9	-.2	-	-	-	-
Philadelphia-Wilmington-Atlantic City, PA-NJ-DE-MD .....	2	-	224.800	-	226.529	2.8	.8	-	-	-	-
San Francisco-Oakland-San Jose, CA .....	2	-	224.239	-	226.145	1.8	.8	-	-	-	-
Seattle-Tacoma-Bremerton, WA .....	2	-	225.596	-	226.085	.6	.2	-	-	-	-

<sup>1</sup> Foods, fuels, and several other items priced every month in all areas; most other goods and services priced as indicated:

- M - Every month.
- 1 - January, March, May, July, September, and November.
- 2 - February, April, June, August, October, and December.

<sup>2</sup> Regions defined as the four Census regions. See map in technical notes.

<sup>3</sup> Indexes on a December 1996=100 base.

<sup>4</sup> Indexes on a December 1986=100 base.

<sup>5</sup> 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.

<sup>6</sup> Indexes on a November 1996=100 base.

- Data not available.

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 11. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): Regions<sup>1</sup>, by expenditure category and commodity and service group**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Northeast			Midwest			South			West		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
		Feb. 2010	Feb. 2009		Jan. 2010	Feb. 2010		Feb. 2009	Jan. 2010		Feb. 2010	Feb. 2009
<b>Expenditure category</b>												
All items .....	232.382	2.5	0.0	206.563	2.5	0.0	210.020	2.3	0.0	220.179	1.4	0.1
All items (December 1977=100) .....	365.930	-	-	336.089	-	-	340.682	-	-	355.908	-	-
Food and beverages .....	225.024	.4	-2	212.831	.0	-1	217.419	.2	.1	221.649	-9	.0
Food .....	224.446	.3	-2	212.107	-2	-1	217.990	.1	.1	220.703	-1.0	-1
Food at home .....	222.023	-8	-4	205.915	-1.2	-1	212.589	-1.1	.0	220.886	-2.8	-2
Food away from home .....	230.577	1.7	.1	221.502	1.1	.1	228.116	1.6	.1	219.213	1.2	.0
Alcoholic beverages .....	231.577	1.8	-4	220.835	2.4	-1	208.416	.8	.3	231.655	.4	.3
Housing .....	243.492	.5	.0	196.685	.1	.1	199.947	-1.3	-2	226.203	-1.3	.0
Shelter .....	290.898	1.1	.2	226.495	.5	.1	221.681	-5	-1	252.887	-1.9	-1
Rent of primary residence <sup>2</sup> .....	284.820	1.3	.1	221.696	1.3	.0	223.417	.3	-1	259.039	-9	-1
Owners' equivalent rent of residences <sup>2</sup> <sup>3</sup> .....	303.837	2.0	.1	231.492	1.4	.0	225.459	.0	-2	267.456	-1.5	-1
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>2</sup> <sup>3</sup> .....	303.836	2.0	.1	231.491	1.4	.0	225.462	.0	-2	267.467	-1.5	-1
Fuels and utilities .....	216.051	-6	-2	200.369	.4	.2	207.761	-5.7	-1.1	234.704	4.2	.5
Household energy .....	199.863	-1.6	-2	174.460	-7	.1	176.121	-8.5	-1.6	215.406	2.8	.2
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>2</sup> .....	200.835	-4.9	.2	179.780	-1.3	.0	176.309	-8.9	-1.6	217.227	2.4	.2
Electricity <sup>2</sup> .....	191.115	-1	.5	169.181	3.0	-5	169.357	-9.5	-1.9	231.864	4.1	-1
Utility (piped) gas service <sup>2</sup> .....	211.088	-14.4	-6	192.753	-8.1	1.1	208.843	-5.5	.1	196.520	-3.1	1.1
Household furnishings and operations ...	126.552	-2.4	-6	120.358	-2.7	-1	128.212	-9	.0	132.058	-1.6	-2
Apparel .....	119.498	.2	1.3	111.076	2.8	2.5	130.205	.1	2.2	111.813	-2.3	1.5
Transportation .....	189.950	11.3	-2	189.162	11.1	-1.1	187.130	13.3	-4	192.346	11.1	-2
Private transportation .....	184.016	11.9	-4	184.085	11.5	-1.2	185.565	13.7	-4	186.872	11.8	-4
New and used motor vehicles <sup>4</sup> .....	96.674	4.2	.3	97.037	3.6	.4	97.344	5.8	.5	96.863	6.2	.2
New vehicles .....	138.330	3.5	-2	133.034	2.4	.2	143.841	3.4	.5	137.698	4.0	-4
New cars and trucks <sup>4</sup> <sup>5</sup> .....	95.843	3.5	-2	94.136	2.5	.3	97.844	3.4	.5	95.609	3.9	-4
New cars <sup>5</sup> .....	135.572	2.5	-3	132.024	1.1	.1	147.345	2.8	.4	139.287	2.4	-5
Used cars and trucks .....	145.312	13.3	.8	140.308	12.9	.8	139.534	15.5	.7	137.923	13.9	.7
Motor fuel .....	224.864	38.0	-2.0	229.067	35.3	-4.9	226.054	37.7	-2.3	229.980	33.0	-2.0
Gasoline (all types) .....	224.091	39.0	-2.0	228.682	35.9	-5.1	225.389	38.6	-2.4	229.671	33.6	-2.0
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>5</sup> .....	224.820	40.1	-2.1	227.232	36.7	-5.2	223.903	39.5	-2.5	228.415	34.2	-2.0
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>5</sup> <sup>6</sup> .....	228.666	36.8	-1.7	251.699	34.8	-4.6	236.201	37.4	-2.1	216.006	32.7	-1.8
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>5</sup> .....	218.268	35.4	-1.6	225.246	32.0	-4.6	224.957	35.0	-2.2	220.912	31.6	-1.8
Medical care .....	404.795	2.4	.6	385.196	4.3	.8	366.685	3.6	.7	396.206	4.0	1.3
Medical care commodities .....	335.046	2.8	.9	310.318	4.5	.7	299.083	2.9	.7	317.945	4.2	.9
Medical care services .....	422.857	2.3	.6	409.987	4.2	.8	388.810	3.8	.7	420.083	4.0	1.5
Professional services .....	327.479	1.8	.3	350.186	4.1	.8	324.082	3.3	.4	303.611	2.1	.5
Recreation <sup>4</sup> .....	118.041	.5	-3	114.900	-1.0	.4	114.228	-8	.1	107.422	-2.2	.0
Education and communication <sup>4</sup> .....	133.215	2.3	.1	130.219	2.0	-1	125.091	2.7	.1	128.773	2.1	.0
Other goods and services .....	403.165	7.2	.3	364.288	7.8	-1	371.466	9.9	.0	372.300	4.9	.2
<b>Commodity and service group</b>												
All items .....	232.382	2.5	.0	206.563	2.5	.0	210.020	2.3	.0	220.179	1.4	.1
Commodities .....	178.893	4.5	-3	169.150	4.5	-3	175.091	5.3	.0	170.939	3.6	-1
Commodities less food and beverages ...	151.741	7.5	-3	146.909	7.5	-4	153.475	8.6	.0	144.179	6.3	-1
Nondurables less food and beverages and apparel .....	188.230	11.1	-4	184.546	12.4	-8	194.628	12.8	-1	178.446	9.5	.0
Durables .....	242.100	15.5	-1.0	232.332	15.7	-1.9	234.642	17.4	-8	225.431	14.1	-5
Services .....	109.665	1.9	-2	109.087	.9	.3	114.969	2.9	.2	112.089	2.8	-3
Rent of shelter <sup>3</sup> .....	284.771	1.3	.2	245.620	1.1	.2	245.795	.2	.0	265.173	.0	.2
Transportation services .....	304.236	1.1	.2	232.683	.5	.1	227.895	-5	-1	268.947	-1.9	-1
Transportation services .....	244.703	3.1	.5	263.122	2.4	.3	262.622	4.0	.3	258.358	3.6	.7

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 11. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): Regions<sup>1</sup>, by expenditure category and commodity and service group-Continued**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Northeast			Midwest			South			West		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
	Feb. 2010	Feb. 2009	Jan. 2010	Feb. 2010	Feb. 2009	Jan. 2010	Feb. 2010	Feb. 2009	Jan. 2010	Feb. 2010	Feb. 2009	Jan. 2010
<b>Commodity and service group</b>												
Other services .....	330.885	2.6	0.1	297.285	1.5	0.1	297.173	2.0	0.1	303.167	1.5	0.0
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>												
All items less medical care .....	224.679	2.5	.0	198.013	2.4	-.1	201.077	2.2	-.1	212.009	1.3	.0
All items less food .....	234.076	2.9	.1	205.550	3.0	.0	208.589	2.7	.0	220.251	1.8	.1
All items less shelter .....	212.711	3.2	.0	201.523	3.4	.0	206.668	3.6	.0	208.230	3.2	.2
Commodities less food .....	154.761	7.2	-.3	149.418	7.3	-.4	155.302	8.3	.0	147.575	6.1	-.1
Nondurables .....	207.057	5.3	-.3	198.820	5.7	-.5	205.872	6.2	.0	200.758	3.9	.0
Nondurables less food .....	190.639	10.4	-.4	186.644	11.5	-.8	195.236	12.0	-.1	182.448	8.8	.0
Nondurables less food and apparel .....	239.063	14.1	-.9	230.437	14.2	-.7	231.320	15.9	-.7	225.490	12.5	-.5
Services less rent of shelter <sup>3</sup> .....	288.296	1.5	.3	273.917	1.8	.3	275.843	1.0	.0	290.438	2.6	.5
Services less medical care services .....	274.864	1.2	.2	233.010	.8	.1	232.411	-.1	-.1	254.231	-.3	.1
Energy .....	210.240	13.0	-1.0	197.774	15.1	-2.6	194.348	11.9	-2.0	225.555	19.1	-1.1
All items less energy .....	236.923	1.6	.1	209.789	1.4	.3	212.433	1.4	.2	221.612	.2	.2
All items less food and energy .....	240.685	1.8	.2	209.992	1.7	.3	211.842	1.6	.2	222.427	.4	.2
Commodities less food and energy												
commodities .....	146.644	2.1	.1	142.015	2.6	.6	147.086	3.1	.6	138.902	1.8	.3
Energy commodities .....	235.363	33.2	-2.0	230.076	34.2	-4.6	229.739	36.7	-2.3	233.591	32.5	-2.0
Services less energy services .....	293.126	1.7	.2	254.378	1.4	.2	252.942	1.0	.1	268.901	-.1	.2

<sup>1</sup> Regions defined as the four Census regions. See map in technical notes.

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

<sup>3</sup> Indexes on a December 1982=100 base.

<sup>4</sup> Indexes on a December 1997=100 base.

<sup>5</sup> Special index based on a substantially smaller sample.

<sup>6</sup> Indexes on a December 1993=100 base.

- Data not available.

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

**Table 12. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): Population size classes<sup>1</sup>, by expenditure category and commodity and service group**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Size class A <sup>2</sup>			Size class B/C <sup>3</sup>			Size class D		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
		Feb. 2010	Feb. 2009		Jan. 2010	Feb. 2010		Feb. 2009	Jan. 2010
<b>Expenditure category</b>									
All items <sup>4</sup> .....	197.949	1.8	0.0	134.028	2.4	0.1	210.098	3.0	0.1
All items (December 1977=100) .....	197.949	-	-	-	-	-	338.836	-	-
Food and beverages .....	197.587	-4	-1	137.377	.3	.0	218.537	.2	-1
Food .....	197.312	-5	-1	137.399	.2	.0	218.443	.1	-1
Food at home .....	198.866	-1.9	-1	134.302	-1.1	-1	212.060	-7	-2
Food away from home .....	193.863	1.2	.0	141.891	1.7	.2	230.471	1.3	.1
Alcoholic beverages .....	199.108	1.2	.0	137.077	1.6	.0	219.510	.8	.2
Housing .....	199.584	-5	-1	131.213	-.7	.0	193.280	-1.4	.0
Shelter .....	216.454	-2	.0	132.143	-.3	-1	216.420	-1.4	.2
Rent of primary residence <sup>5</sup> .....	215.950	.4	.0	137.573	.1	-1	212.664	.3	.1
Owners' equivalent rent of residences <sup>5 6</sup> .....	216.623	.4	.0	131.556	.3	-1	226.855	-1.0	.2
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>5 6</sup> .....	216.621	.4	.0	131.548	.3	-1	226.852	-1.0	.2
Fuels and utilities .....	215.021	-6	-7	159.151	-1.9	.4	206.979	-2.1	-8
Household energy .....	211.217	-2.4	-1.1	156.947	-3.8	.3	173.734	-3.5	-1.1
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>5</sup> .....	201.232	-3.4	-1.0	149.195	-5.1	.5	184.499	-4.8	-1.2
Electricity <sup>5</sup> .....	190.404	-2.1	-1.7	141.494	-3.5	.4	186.171	-2.6	-1.3
Utility (piped) gas service <sup>5</sup> .....	216.080	-6.6	.5	168.744	-10.5	.5	174.563	-14.2	-8
Household furnishings and operations .....	119.968	-2.4	-3	100.217	-1.2	.0	128.846	-.1	-5
Apparel .....	113.030	1.0	2.3	86.338	-2.5	1.2	117.964	6.3	2.0
Transportation .....	185.781	11.2	-5	133.260	12.2	-5	190.070	14.4	-1
Private transportation .....	184.804	11.8	-7	133.106	12.7	-5	185.605	14.9	-2
New and used motor vehicles <sup>3</sup> .....	97.340	4.5	.3	96.667	5.7	.4	96.252	7.3	.8
New vehicles .....	120.644	3.4	.1	97.317	3.4	-1	144.343	4.8	.6
New cars and trucks <sup>3 7</sup> .....	94.999	3.4	.2	97.317	3.3	-1	99.613	4.9	.6
New cars <sup>7</sup> .....	121.477	2.4	.0	99.705	2.2	-2	144.027	3.0	.6
Used cars and trucks .....	134.123	13.7	.8	94.435	14.6	.7	128.903	13.9	.7
Motor fuel .....	331.394	35.3	-2.9	225.972	36.6	-2.6	217.808	37.2	-2.4
Gasoline (all types) .....	330.587	35.9	-3.0	227.057	37.5	-2.7	216.888	38.3	-2.4
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>7</sup> .....	337.529	36.8	-3.1	231.406	38.2	-2.8	207.324	39.0	-2.6
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>7 8</sup> .....	226.516	34.6	-2.7	222.835	36.4	-2.4	245.349	37.8	-2.2
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>7</sup> .....	297.986	32.7	-2.7	216.341	34.9	-2.3	222.319	35.2	-1.7
Medical care .....	305.581	4.0	.7	162.595	3.1	1.0	375.105	3.9	.7
Medical care commodities .....	246.803	3.4	.9	146.634	3.8	.7	316.187	3.1	.8
Medical care services .....	322.979	4.2	.7	168.270	2.9	1.1	395.400	4.1	.6
Professional services .....	256.258	3.3	.5	151.363	2.2	.5	335.083	3.0	.5
Recreation <sup>3</sup> .....	112.941	-2.5	-2	112.993	.8	.3	116.769	1.2	-3
Education and communication <sup>3</sup> .....	131.653	2.3	.1	124.510	2.5	-1	132.035	1.9	-2
Other goods and services .....	292.090	5.8	.0	171.012	9.5	.1	404.628	10.9	.5
<b>Commodity and service group</b>									
All items <sup>4</sup> .....	197.949	1.8	.0	134.028	2.4	.1	210.098	3.0	.1
Commodities .....	164.892	3.9	-1	122.854	4.9	-1	176.100	6.6	-1
Commodities less food and beverages .....	145.861	6.9	-2	115.142	7.8	-2	155.669	10.3	-1
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	189.015	10.8	-3	143.863	11.7	-4	194.467	15.1	-2
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel .....	244.913	14.9	-1.2	171.924	16.6	-8	235.056	17.6	-7
Durables .....	103.662	1.7	.0	87.246	2.7	.1	116.558	4.1	.1
Services .....	224.263	.6	.1	140.056	.6	.2	247.322	.2	.2
Rent of shelter <sup>6</sup> .....	217.255	-.3	.0	132.300	-.4	-1	223.679	-1.5	.2
Transportation services .....	207.685	3.5	.4	139.985	2.7	.4	273.949	5.4	1.4

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 12. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): Population size classes<sup>1</sup>, by expenditure category and commodity and service group-Continued**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Size class A <sup>2</sup>			Size class B/C <sup>3</sup>			Size class D			
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		
		Feb. 2010	Feb. 2009		Jan. 2010	Feb. 2010		Feb. 2009	Jan. 2010	Feb. 2010
<b>Commodity and service group</b>										
Other services .....	250.763	1.4	0.1	143.001	2.7	0.2	306.574	1.9	-0.4	
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>										
All items less medical care .....	192.794	1.7	.0	130.207	2.4	.0	199.729	2.9	.0	
All items less food .....	198.160	2.2	.0	131.326	2.8	.1	208.637	3.5	.1	
All items less shelter .....	189.952	3.0	.0	132.316	3.6	.1	209.812	4.8	.0	
Commodities less food .....	148.266	6.6	-.2	115.805	7.5	-.2	157.340	9.9	-.1	
Nondurables .....	193.601	4.7	-.2	140.471	5.7	-.2	206.422	7.6	-.2	
Nondurables less food .....	190.062	10.0	-.2	143.424	11.0	-.4	195.361	14.2	-.2	
Nondurables less food and apparel .....	239.300	13.3	-1.1	168.918	15.3	-.8	233.112	16.3	-.7	
Services less rent of shelter <sup>6</sup> .....	232.828	1.8	.1	148.410	1.6	.4	285.265	2.0	.1	
Services less medical care services .....	217.352	.3	.0	137.450	.3	.1	232.160	-.2	.1	
Energy .....	259.930	14.3	-2.0	187.065	14.3	-1.3	195.940	15.3	-1.8	
All items less energy .....	193.789	.9	.2	127.804	1.3	.2	212.850	1.7	.3	
All items less food and energy .....	193.312	1.1	.2	126.019	1.6	.2	212.290	2.0	.4	
Commodities less food and energy commodities .....	129.543	1.8	.5	101.556	2.7	.3	150.102	5.1	.5	
Energy commodities .....	335.159	33.7	-2.8	231.537	35.2	-2.5	219.867	34.7	-2.2	
Services less energy services .....	225.928	.9	.2	139.325	1.0	.2	254.338	.6	.3	

<sup>1</sup> See region and area size on Table 10 for information about population size classes.

<sup>2</sup> Indexes on a December 1986=100 base.

<sup>3</sup> Indexes on a December 1997=100 base.

<sup>4</sup> The 'All items' index size B/C is on a December 1996=100 base.

<sup>5</sup> This index series was calculated using a Laspeyres estimator. All other item stratum index series were calculated using a geometric means

estimator.

<sup>6</sup> Indexes on a December 1982=100 base.

<sup>7</sup> Special index based on a substantially smaller sample.

<sup>8</sup> Indexes on a December 1993=100 base.

- Data not available.

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

**Table 13. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): Cross classification of regions and population size classes<sup>1</sup>, by expenditure category and commodity and service group**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Northeast					
	Size class A			Size class B/C <sup>2</sup>		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
		Feb. 2010	Feb. 2009		Jan. 2010	Feb. 2010
<b>Expenditure category</b>						
All items <sup>3</sup> .....	234.183	2.1	0.0	138.491	3.4	0.1
All items (December 1977=100) .....	361.859	-	-	-	-	-
Food and beverages .....	224.375	.1	-.3	140.205	1.1	.1
Food .....	223.702	.0	-.3	140.359	.9	.1
Food at home .....	223.028	-1.0	-.4	136.508	-.3	-.3
Food away from home .....	227.642	1.3	-.1	146.211	2.6	.6
Alcoholic beverages .....	232.355	1.4	-.4	136.814	2.9	-.2
Housing .....	247.008	.4	.0	138.530	.9	.2
Shelter .....	295.408	1.1	.1	136.897	1.1	.3
Rent of primary residence <sup>4</sup> .....	292.927	1.2	.0	142.983	1.8	.3
Owners' equivalent rent of residences <sup>4 5</sup> .....	304.707	1.8	.1	136.038	2.6	.2
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>4 5</sup> .....	304.707	1.8	.1	136.038	2.6	.2
Fuels and utilities .....	211.307	-1.0	.0	178.729	.1	-.4
Household energy .....	202.903	-1.8	-.1	176.909	-1.1	-.6
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>4</sup> .....	201.766	-4.5	.3	150.531	-5.9	-.2
Electricity <sup>4</sup> .....	190.868	.5	.8	135.743	-1.4	-.2
Utility (piped) gas service <sup>4 6</sup> .....	216.063	-13.5	-.8	167.302	-16.2	.0
Household furnishings and operations .....	124.414	-3.7	-1.1	105.682	.5	.4
Apparel .....	117.886	.7	1.8	85.498	-1.7	-.5
Transportation .....	191.150	11.1	-.2	132.847	11.6	-.2
Private transportation .....	184.527	11.9	-.4	133.733	11.9	-.3
Motor fuel .....	219.732	38.4	-2.0	227.960	37.3	-1.9
Gasoline (all types) .....	218.681	39.4	-2.0	228.494	38.2	-1.9
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>7</sup> .....	219.183	40.6	-2.2	232.097	39.3	-2.0
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>7 8</sup> .....	220.191	37.3	-1.6	226.270	35.8	-1.9
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>7</sup> .....	213.799	35.8	-1.6	217.566	34.3	-1.5
Medical care .....	406.419	2.4	.7	167.205	2.5	.6
Recreation <sup>2</sup> .....	117.461	-.7	-.3	118.914	3.1	-.4
Education and communication <sup>2</sup> .....	135.213	1.6	.1	127.868	4.4	.0
Other goods and services .....	386.820	6.4	.3	181.896	9.3	.3
<b>Commodity and service group</b>						
All items <sup>3</sup> .....	234.183	2.1	.0	138.491	3.4	.1
Commodities .....	177.632	3.8	-.3	129.357	5.9	-.2
Commodities less food and beverages .....	148.733	6.7	-.3	123.051	9.0	-.3
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	182.414	10.2	-.3	153.860	13.1	-.7
Durables .....	108.540	1.0	-.4	90.039	3.3	.2
Services .....	285.651	1.2	.2	142.833	1.4	.2
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>						
All items less medical care .....	226.621	2.1	.0	134.812	3.4	.0
All items less shelter .....	211.966	2.8	.0	136.671	4.3	.0
Commodities less food .....	151.972	6.4	-.3	123.548	8.7	-.3
Nondurables .....	204.434	4.6	-.3	146.441	6.8	-.3
Nondurables less food .....	185.387	9.5	-.3	152.506	12.3	-.6
Services less rent of shelter <sup>5</sup> .....	285.138	1.4	.3	148.910	1.8	.2
Services less medical care services .....	275.867	1.1	.2	140.389	1.5	.2
Energy .....	210.503	12.6	-1.0	197.728	14.0	-1.2
All items less energy .....	238.687	1.3	.1	131.595	2.3	.2
All items less food and energy .....	242.945	1.5	.2	129.847	2.6	.2

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 13. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): Cross classification of regions and population size classes<sup>1</sup>, by expenditure category and commodity and service group-Continued**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Midwest								
	Size class A			Size class B/C <sup>2</sup>			Size class D		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
		Feb. 2010	Feb. 2009		Jan. 2010	Feb. 2010		Feb. 2009	Jan. 2010
<b>Expenditure category</b>									
All items <sup>3</sup> .....	207.329	2.3	0.0	132.451	2.6	0.0	203.274	3.5	-0.1
All items (December 1977=100) .....	342.312	-	-	-	-	-	325.894	-	-
Food and beverages .....	214.231	-2	-2	136.129	.3	.0	217.652	.3	.2
Food .....	213.622	-5	-2	136.125	.2	.0	216.804	.1	.3
Food at home .....	209.172	-1.8	-3	132.631	-4	.0	205.385	-6	.5
Food away from home .....	219.784	1.0	.1	140.969	1.2	.1	236.523	1.0	-1
Alcoholic beverages .....	218.827	2.7	-2	138.076	2.2	.0	230.003	2.0	-3
Housing .....	199.122	.2	.2	124.892	-5	.0	192.661	1.4	-1
Shelter .....	231.089	.5	.1	125.335	.2	.0	216.736	2.0	.0
Rent of primary residence <sup>4</sup> .....	231.802	1.0	.0	127.487	1.6	.0	203.365	1.5	-1
Owners' equivalent rent of residences <sup>4 5</sup> .....	236.317	1.4	.1	123.942	1.4	.0	222.956	1.9	.0
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>4 5</sup> .....	236.316	1.4	.1	123.942	1.4	.0	222.956	1.9	.0
Fuels and utilities .....	195.744	1.4	.4	161.269	-1.0	.2	204.881	-3	-6
Household energy .....	173.151	.4	.4	161.532	-2.3	.0	161.380	-6	-9
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>4</sup> .....	175.829	.3	.3	156.955	-3.2	.0	170.551	-2.7	-1.1
Electricity <sup>4</sup> .....	157.131	2.8	-7	145.928	3.7	.0	161.101	1.7	-1.5
Utility (piped) gas service <sup>4 6</sup> .....	190.936	-3.1	1.8	171.383	-16.4	-1	184.473	-11.8	-3
Household furnishings and operations .....	117.262	-2.6	.0	93.823	-3.9	-2	122.946	.9	-3
Apparel .....	109.516	3.1	2.2	83.298	2.0	3.5	120.349	3.7	1.0
Transportation .....	189.297	10.9	-1.2	138.475	11.1	-1.0	170.346	11.8	-9
Private transportation .....	185.371	11.3	-1.4	138.229	11.7	-1.0	162.998	12.2	-1.0
Motor fuel .....	232.782	36.0	-5.3	234.301	33.9	-4.5	201.039	36.1	-4.2
Gasoline (all types) .....	232.007	36.6	-5.5	235.081	34.7	-4.7	199.398	36.3	-4.2
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>7</sup> .....	231.639	37.5	-5.6	239.419	35.3	-5.0	191.946	37.0	-4.2
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>7 8</sup> .....	248.164	35.3	-5.0	232.567	33.8	-4.0	231.670	36.3	-4.4
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>7</sup> .....	223.763	31.9	-5.2	222.276	32.1	-4.1	205.267	31.9	-3.5
Medical care .....	383.076	5.1	.8	166.056	3.0	.6	371.486	4.5	.9
Recreation <sup>2</sup> .....	113.711	-3.1	.1	118.292	1.8	.8	108.674	-4	.0
Education and communication <sup>2</sup> .....	131.465	1.4	.0	130.365	3.0	-2	120.209	2.2	-2
Other goods and services .....	353.838	6.7	.2	172.146	9.3	-5	381.383	8.8	-2
<b>Commodity and service group</b>									
All items <sup>3</sup> .....	207.329	2.3	.0	132.451	2.6	.0	203.274	3.5	-1
Commodities .....	168.169	4.1	-4	121.558	4.8	-1	173.990	5.8	-3
Commodities less food and beverages .....	143.920	7.1	-5	113.759	7.7	-2	152.900	9.1	-6
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	180.600	11.8	-9	142.499	12.8	-6	192.774	13.9	-1.2
Durables .....	107.299	.7	.1	83.696	.8	.4	111.826	2.7	.4
Services .....	246.213	1.1	.3	139.506	1.0	.1	235.575	1.6	.0
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>									
All items less medical care .....	199.530	2.1	-1	128.729	2.6	.0	192.691	3.4	-2
All items less shelter .....	200.649	3.2	-1	133.510	3.6	.0	200.087	4.0	-1
Commodities less food .....	146.861	6.9	-5	114.454	7.4	-2	154.951	8.8	-5
Nondurables .....	198.070	5.2	-5	139.343	6.2	-3	204.936	6.9	-5
Nondurables less food .....	183.314	10.9	-9	141.951	12.1	-5	194.448	13.1	-1.1
Services less rent of shelter <sup>5</sup> .....	273.411	1.9	.4	154.009	1.8	.2	258.483	1.4	.1
Services less medical care services .....	235.044	.7	.2	136.268	.9	.1	217.819	1.2	-1
Energy .....	198.304	16.0	-2.7	193.627	13.5	-2.4	179.095	16.1	-2.7
All items less energy .....	210.384	1.2	.3	126.448	1.6	.3	207.668	2.2	.2
All items less food and energy .....	210.473	1.5	.3	124.635	1.9	.3	205.957	2.6	.2

See footnotes at end of table.



**Table 13. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): Cross classification of regions and population size classes<sup>1</sup>, by expenditure category and commodity and service group-Continued**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	South								
	Size class A			Size class B/C <sup>2</sup>			Size class D		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
		Feb. 2010	Feb. 2009		Jan. 2010	Feb. 2010		Feb. 2009	Jan. 2010
<b>Expenditure category</b>									
All items <sup>3</sup> .....	211.503	1.7	-0.1	133.575	2.5	0.0	214.007	3.5	0.1
All items (December 1977=100) .....	341.436	-	-	-	-	-	347.530	-	-
Food and beverages .....	218.028	-1.	.4	137.138	.2	-1.	215.968	.9	-5.
Food .....	218.958	-2.	.4	137.537	.2	-1.	215.524	.9	-5.
Food at home .....	211.186	-1.8	.7	135.185	-.9	-.2	215.604	.1	-1.3
Food away from home .....	231.447	1.7	.1	140.785	1.4	.0	219.545	2.1	.7
Alcoholic beverages .....	206.271	.6	.4	130.625	1.0	.2	219.113	.0	.2
Housing .....	205.657	-1.5	-.4	131.693	-.9	-1.	194.309	-1.9	.1
Shelter .....	227.933	-.4	.0	134.514	-.3	-.2	217.817	-1.9	.3
Rent of primary residence <sup>4</sup> .....	231.496	.6	.1	139.997	.1	-.3	216.118	-.9	.3
Owners' equivalent rent of residences <sup>4 5</sup> .....	233.624	.2	-.1	133.823	.2	-.3	228.418	-1.8	.3
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>4 5</sup> .....	233.620	.2	-.1	133.823	.2	-.3	228.418	-1.8	.3
Fuels and utilities .....	203.396	-8.1	-3.9	148.812	-4.7	.6	204.357	-2.7	-.2
Household energy .....	180.997	-11.1	-5.0	144.335	-7.5	.8	175.841	-4.3	-.4
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>4</sup> .....	183.731	-11.5	-5.1	140.954	-8.0	.8	181.079	-4.6	-.4
Electricity <sup>4</sup> .....	172.714	-11.9	-6.1	135.946	-9.0	.8	180.103	-3.8	-.1
Utility (piped) gas service <sup>4 6</sup> .....	205.330	-9.3	-.3	170.004	-1.5	.9	172.179	-10.5	-2.2
Household furnishings and operations .....	136.319	-1.3	.3	99.143	-.6	-1.	126.317	-.8	-.8
Apparel .....	144.407	.7	3.2	86.515	-1.8	1.4	125.093	9.4	3.0
Transportation .....	187.172	12.5	-.5	130.579	13.1	-.5	204.985	16.9	-.2
Private transportation .....	186.889	12.9	-.4	130.332	13.6	-.4	203.709	17.2	-.2
Motor fuel .....	232.618	37.2	-2.3	225.458	38.0	-2.3	215.896	37.5	-2.5
Gasoline (all types) .....	230.776	37.7	-2.3	226.244	39.0	-2.4	214.005	39.1	-2.6
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>7</sup> .....	231.023	39.1	-2.3	232.003	39.8	-2.5	206.402	39.4	-2.8
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>7 8</sup> .....	232.655	35.9	-2.2	221.174	38.0	-2.2	254.058	39.2	-1.7
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>7</sup> .....	229.140	33.4	-2.3	216.316	35.8	-2.1	224.926	36.7	-1.9
Medical care .....	358.470	4.6	.2	157.355	3.2	.9	364.308	2.8	.9
Recreation <sup>2</sup> .....	109.488	-3.9	-.1	116.016	.6	.4	119.630	1.6	-1.3
Education and communication <sup>2</sup> .....	127.039	3.6	-.1	122.955	2.2	.3	129.121	1.4	-.3
Other goods and services .....	342.136	6.6	-.7	168.658	10.9	.2	408.411	16.4	1.5
<b>Commodity and service group</b>									
All items <sup>3</sup> .....	211.503	1.7	-.1	133.575	2.5	.0	214.007	3.5	.1
Commodities .....	174.950	4.6	.3	122.272	5.3	-.1	181.489	7.9	-.3
Commodities less food and beverages .....	152.046	7.8	.2	114.531	8.4	-.1	164.747	11.9	-.1
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	188.839	12.3	.0	143.320	12.2	-.3	204.442	17.3	.0
Durables .....	117.151	2.1	.5	87.770	3.2	.1	122.204	4.0	-.5
Services .....	246.725	.0	-.4	139.948	.4	.2	248.738	.2	.3
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>									
All items less medical care .....	204.166	1.5	-.1	130.047	2.4	.0	202.924	3.6	.0
All items less shelter .....	205.870	2.9	-.2	130.867	3.6	.1	214.155	5.8	.0
Commodities less food .....	154.239	7.5	.2	115.001	8.1	-.1	165.913	11.6	-.1
Nondurables .....	203.004	5.6	.2	140.039	6.0	-.2	210.372	9.3	-.2
Nondurables less food .....	189.849	11.4	.1	142.624	11.5	-.2	204.506	16.7	.0
Services less rent of shelter <sup>5</sup> .....	275.328	.6	-.9	145.530	1.1	.5	284.356	2.2	.3
Services less medical care services .....	235.578	-.4	-.4	137.891	.1	.1	232.901	-.1	.3
Energy .....	200.882	8.9	-3.5	177.898	13.2	-1.0	192.513	15.0	-1.6
All items less energy .....	214.402	1.1	.2	127.761	1.4	.1	215.902	2.2	.3
All items less food and energy .....	214.040	1.3	.2	125.924	1.7	.2	216.365	2.4	.5

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 13. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): Cross classification of regions and population size classes<sup>1</sup>, by expenditure category and commodity and service group-Continued**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	West					
	Size class A			Size class B/C <sup>2</sup>		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
		Feb. 2010	Feb. 2009		Jan. 2010	Feb. 2010
<b>Expenditure category</b>						
All items <sup>3</sup> .....	223.989	1.4	0.1	133.513	1.4	0.1
All items (December 1977=100) .....	365.246	-	-	-	-	-
Food and beverages .....	222.343	-1.1	-2	136.979	-.5	.2
Food .....	221.792	-1.2	-2	135.891	-.6	.2
Food at home .....	223.445	-3.0	-4	132.160	-2.6	.1
Food away from home .....	218.093	.8	.0	141.550	2.3	.3
Alcoholic beverages .....	226.506	.1	.4	155.475	1.3	-.3
Housing .....	237.290	-1.1	.0	130.869	-1.3	.0
Shelter .....	265.616	-1.7	-1	130.433	-2.0	-1
Rent of primary residence <sup>4</sup> .....	275.959	-.8	-1	138.031	-1.7	-1
Owners' equivalent rent of residences <sup>4 5</sup> .....	281.658	-1.3	-1	131.046	-1.8	-1
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>4 5</sup> .....	281.670	-1.3	-1	131.047	-1.8	-1
Fuels and utilities .....	240.513	6.2	.8	166.702	2.8	.8
Household energy .....	223.610	4.8	.5	165.929	2.2	.5
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>4</sup> .....	225.362	4.6	.5	162.693	1.7	.6
Electricity <sup>4</sup> .....	247.202	4.6	.3	157.260	5.8	.4
Utility (piped) gas service <sup>4 6</sup> .....	201.555	3.8	1.3	171.028	-8.9	1.1
Household furnishings and operations .....	133.199	-2.0	-.3	105.530	-1.2	.1
Apparel .....	114.343	-.1	2.3	89.962	-8.2	-.4
Transportation .....	189.189	10.5	-.4	135.098	11.7	-.3
Private transportation .....	184.142	11.2	-.6	134.005	12.1	-.3
Motor fuel .....	228.513	31.4	-2.3	213.138	35.4	-1.9
Gasoline (all types) .....	227.701	31.8	-2.3	215.493	36.0	-1.9
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>7</sup> .....	228.824	32.4	-2.3	215.619	36.5	-2.0
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>7 8</sup> .....	210.811	31.1	-2.2	211.521	35.4	-1.6
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>7</sup> .....	220.013	29.9	-2.3	207.098	34.7	-1.4
Medical care .....	387.858	4.0	1.1	169.027	3.8	2.1
Recreation <sup>2</sup> .....	110.623	-2.8	-.2	96.771	-2.1	.4
Education and communication <sup>2</sup> .....	130.836	2.6	.3	118.849	1.0	-.6
Other goods and services .....	373.851	4.1	.1	164.918	6.3	.6
<b>Commodity and service group</b>						
All items <sup>3</sup> .....	223.989	1.4	.1	133.513	1.4	.1
Commodities .....	170.719	3.4	-.1	120.301	3.5	-.2
Commodities less food and beverages .....	142.322	6.3	-.1	111.695	5.6	-.4
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	174.455	9.6	.0	137.740	8.3	-.3
Durables .....	111.383	2.4	-.3	87.915	2.9	-.4
Services .....	271.062	.2	.2	138.929	-.1	.3
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>						
All items less medical care .....	216.735	1.2	.0	128.640	1.3	.0
All items less shelter .....	207.906	3.2	.1	131.049	3.1	.2
Commodities less food .....	145.952	6.0	-.1	112.890	5.5	-.4
Nondurables .....	199.298	3.8	-.1	137.572	3.8	-.1
Nondurables less food .....	178.610	8.8	.1	138.864	7.8	-.3
Services less rent of shelter <sup>5</sup> .....	289.813	2.8	.5	149.064	2.2	.8
Services less medical care services .....	261.896	-.1	.1	135.635	-.5	.1
Energy .....	224.611	20.0	-1.2	194.269	18.5	-.8
All items less energy .....	225.960	.2	.2	126.504	.1	.2
All items less food and energy .....	227.448	.4	.2	124.904	.2	.2

1 See region and area size on Table 10 for information about cross classifications.  
 2 Indexes on a December 1997=100 base.  
 3 The 'All items' index size B/C is on a December 1996=100 base.  
 4 This index series was calculated using a Laspeyres estimator. All other item stratum index series were calculated using a geometric means estimator.  
 5 Indexes on a December 1982=100 base.

6 Revised index for Northeast size B/C: Jan. 2010=167.226.  
 7 Special index based on a substantially smaller sample.  
 8 Indexes on a December 1993=100 base.  
 R Revised.  
 - Data not available.  
 NOTE: Index applies to a month as a whole, not to any specific date.

**Table 14. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): Food at home, selected areas**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Area	Food at home										
	Pricing schedule 1	Indexes				Percent change to Feb. 2010 from—			Percent change to Jan. 2010 from—		
		Nov. 2009	Dec. 2009	Jan. 2010	Feb. 2010	Feb. 2009	Dec. 2009	Jan. 2010	Jan. 2009	Nov. 2009	Dec. 2009
U.S. city average .....	M	212.816	213.359	215.404	215.118	-1.5	0.8	-0.1	-2.0	1.2	1.0
<b>Region and area size<sup>2</sup></b>											
Northeast urban .....	M	220.250	220.609	222.823	222.023	-.8	.6	-.4	-1.2	1.2	1.0
Size A - More than 1,500,000 .....	M	221.765	222.126	223.920	223.028	-1.0	.4	-.4	-1.1	1.0	.8
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 <sup>3</sup> .....	M	134.631	134.851	136.866	136.508	-.3	1.2	-.3	-1.3	1.7	1.5
Midwest urban .....	M	203.639	204.500	206.217	205.915	-1.2	.7	-.1	-1.7	1.3	.8
Size A - More than 1,500,000 .....	M	208.084	209.061	209.876	209.172	-1.8	.1	-.3	-2.3	.9	.4
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 <sup>3</sup> .....	M	130.166	130.562	132.656	132.631	-.4	1.6	.0	-.9	1.9	1.6
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000) .....	M	201.006	202.205	204.291	205.385	-.6	1.6	.5	-1.0	1.6	1.0
South urban .....	M	210.217	211.104	212.515	212.589	-1.1	.7	.0	-1.4	1.1	.7
Size A - More than 1,500,000 .....	M	209.295	208.626	209.662	211.186	-1.8	1.2	.7	-2.7	.2	.5
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 <sup>3</sup> .....	M	133.468	134.391	135.429	135.185	-.9	.6	-.2	-1.2	1.5	.8
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000) .....	M	213.824	216.937	218.457	215.604	.1	-.6	-1.3	1.9	2.2	.7
West urban .....	M	218.231	218.185	221.225	220.886	-2.8	1.2	-.2	-3.5	1.4	1.4
Size A - More than 1,500,000 .....	M	220.243	220.717	224.316	223.445	-3.0	1.2	-.4	-3.0	1.8	1.6
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 <sup>3</sup> .....	M	130.883	130.352	131.982	132.160	-2.6	1.4	.1	-4.1	.8	1.3
<b>Size classes</b>											
A <sup>4</sup> .....	M	197.118	197.404	199.149	198.866	-1.9	.7	-.1	-2.3	1.0	.9
B/C <sup>3</sup> .....	M	132.522	132.944	134.437	134.302	-1.1	1.0	-.1	-1.7	1.4	1.1
D .....	M	209.835	211.236	212.570	212.060	-.7	.4	-.2	-1.1	1.3	.6
<b>Selected local areas<sup>5</sup></b>											
Chicago-Gary-Kenosha, IL-IN-WI .....	M	213.182	216.248	215.135	214.130	-2.0	-1.0	-.5	-3.2	.9	-.5
Los Angeles-Riverside-Orange County, CA ...	M	225.953	227.249	231.495	229.246	-2.9	.9	-1.0	-1.9	2.5	1.9
New York-Northern N.J.-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT-PA .....	M	225.807	225.118	226.351	225.334	-1.7	.1	-.4	-1.7	.2	.5
Boston-Brockton-Nashua, MA-NH-ME-CT .....	1	220.589	220.590	224.417	222.548	-.5	.9	-.8	-.3	1.7	1.7
Cleveland-Akron, OH .....	1	213.282	216.289	219.141	217.328	-1.8	.5	-.8	-1.4	2.7	1.3
Dallas-Fort Worth, TX .....	1	196.120	197.825	197.140	198.953	-2.3	.6	.9	-2.8	.5	-.3
Washington-Baltimore, DC-MD-VA-WV <sup>3</sup> .....	1	135.677	132.918	134.477	135.033	-1.9	1.6	.4	-2.1	-.9	1.2
Atlanta, GA .....	2	215.375	213.672	215.764	218.168	-1.8	2.1	1.1	-3.6	.2	1.0
Detroit-Ann Arbor-Flint, MI .....	2	193.512	193.053	194.152	191.256	-2.2	-.9	-1.5	-1.0	.3	.6
Houston-Galveston-Brazoria, TX .....	2	194.743	195.376	196.028	199.519	-2.3	2.1	1.8	-5.8	.7	.3
Miami-Fort Lauderdale, FL .....	2	224.970	227.799	227.954	227.291	-1.1	-.2	-.3	-.4	1.3	.1
Philadelphia-Wilmington-Atlantic City, PA-NJ-DE-MD .....	2	214.336	216.613	217.947	217.509	-.4	.4	-.2	-.6	1.7	.6
San Francisco-Oakland-San Jose, CA .....	2	221.216	219.226	223.652	221.972	-2.5	1.3	-.8	-2.7	1.1	2.0
Seattle-Tacoma-Bremerton, WA .....	2	217.862	222.177	224.937	224.994	-4.3	1.3	.0	-5.0	3.2	1.2

<sup>1</sup> Foods, fuels, and several other items priced every month in all areas; most other goods and services priced as indicated:

M - Every month.

1 - January, March, May, July, September, and November.

2 - February, April, June, August, October, and December.

<sup>2</sup> Regions defined as the four Census regions. See map in technical notes.

<sup>3</sup> Indexes on a December 1997=100 base.

<sup>4</sup> Indexes on a December 1986=100 base.

<sup>5</sup> 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.

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

**Table 15. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): Areas priced monthly, by expenditure category and commodity and service group**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	U.S. city average			Chicago-Gary-Kenosha, IL-IN-WI			Los Angeles-Riverside-Orange County, CA			New York-Northern N.J.-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT-PA		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
		Feb. 2010	Feb. 2009		Jan. 2010	Feb. 2010		Feb. 2009	Jan. 2010		Feb. 2010	Feb. 2009
<b>Expenditure category</b>												
All items .....	216.741	2.1	0.0	212.456	2.5	0.2	224.620	1.4	0.0	238.862	1.8	0.0
All items (1967=100) .....	649.259	-	-	634.731	-	-	663.627	-	-	690.517	-	-
Food and beverages .....	219.140	-1	.0	215.213	-1	-3	222.639	-1.0	-5	228.173	-3	-3
Food .....	218.778	-2	.0	213.800	-4	-3	221.281	-1.3	-6	227.244	-4	-3
Food at home .....	215.118	-1.5	-1	214.130	-2.0	-5	229.246	-2.9	-1.0	225.334	-1.7	-4
Food away from home .....	225.081	1.4	.1	207.489	1.5	.0	207.954	.8	.0	235.622	1.1	-2
Alcoholic beverages .....	222.496	1.3	.0	232.368	2.7	-1.0	229.237	2.6	.2	237.793	1.3	-4
Housing .....	215.841	-6	.0	215.056	.0	.1	242.913	-7	.1	257.077	.2	-1
Shelter .....	248.001	-4	.0	261.481	.8	.0	272.368	-1.4	.2	311.383	.5	.1
Rent of primary residence <sup>1</sup> .....	249.017	.3	-1	273.111	1.9	.1	278.766	-8	.1	309.841	1.5	.1
Owners' equivalent rent of residences <sup>1</sup> <sup>2</sup> .....	256.483	.3	.0	267.574	1.8	-1	285.581	-1.3	.2	320.968	.9	.1
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>1 2</sup> .....	256.479	.3	.0	267.574	1.8	-1	285.581	-1.3	.2	320.966	.9	.1
Fuels and utilities .....	210.819	-1.3	-3	182.426	-1.9	1.6	249.840	10.3	.6	200.304	.8	-3
Household energy .....	186.345	-3.0	-5	162.666	-3.6	1.8	237.682	10.2	.8	200.579	.3	-4
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>1</sup> .....	189.549	-4.2	-5	166.246	-3.6	1.9	236.223	10.1	.8	195.712	-1.5	-1
Electricity <sup>1</sup> .....	185.448	-2.7	-8	141.100	-5.4	2.2	266.112	4.9	.7	185.862	5.1	1.0
Utility (piped) gas service <sup>1</sup> .....	200.120	-8.4	.5	189.937	-1.4	1.5	211.149	27.4	1.1	210.825	-12.7	-2.3
Household furnishings and operations ...	126.945	-1.7	-2	105.721	-2.6	-4	123.730	-2.2	-5	122.702	-3.5	-1.2
Apparel .....	118.869	.0	1.9	92.457	2.3	3.2	109.704	-5	2.4	114.329	.6	1.2
Transportation .....	189.577	11.8	-5	178.137	12.0	-1	187.683	11.6	-7	200.041	11.2	.1
Private transportation .....	185.274	12.4	-6	174.995	12.6	-5	182.635	12.1	-8	189.472	11.8	-1
Motor fuel .....	227.674	36.0	-2.7	239.490	40.0	-3.4	231.099	32.8	-2.7	212.396	40.8	-1.8
Gasoline (all types) .....	227.198	36.8	-2.8	237.754	40.3	-3.6	226.801	33.1	-2.7	211.708	41.3	-1.8
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>3</sup> .....	226.314	37.6	-2.9	234.299	41.0	-3.6	227.075	34.0	-2.7	213.760	42.6	-1.9
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>3 4</sup> .....	233.541	35.6	-2.5	248.411	39.5	-3.2	214.671	32.2	-2.6	213.424	39.4	-1.5
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>3</sup> .....	221.444	33.7	-2.5	227.027	37.1	-3.6	217.025	30.9	-2.7	208.393	36.9	-1.7
Medical care .....	385.907	3.6	.8	407.745	10.1	1.3	371.331	3.1	.5	378.015	1.7	.4
Recreation <sup>5</sup> .....	113.345	-1.0	.0	110.092	-1.4	-4	107.115	-7.3	-3	114.975	-1.5	-4
Education and communication <sup>5</sup> .....	129.105	2.3	.0	135.466	.1	-4	132.117	2.4	.6	135.295	1.4	-6
Other goods and services .....	377.992	7.6	.1	350.827	4.7	-2	357.830	3.3	.1	370.611	6.1	.6
<b>Commodity and service group</b>												
All items .....	216.741	2.1	.0	212.456	2.5	.2	224.620	1.4	.0	238.862	1.8	.0
Commodities .....	173.419	4.5	-1	163.673	3.9	-2	169.548	3.7	-3	178.393	3.2	-3
Commodities less food and beverages ...	149.162	7.5	-2	135.651	6.9	-1	139.853	6.5	-2	145.546	6.0	-3
Nondurables less food and beverages	186.882	11.5	-3	173.040	10.6	-2	176.972	10.3	.0	177.433	9.3	-2
Durables .....	111.753	2.3	.0	99.342	1.4	.0	103.840	2.1	-5	104.122	.0	-4
Services .....	259.792	.6	.1	258.644	1.5	.4	272.714	.1	.2	290.565	1.1	.1
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>												
All items less medical care .....	208.432	2.0	.0	204.015	1.9	.1	217.842	1.4	.0	232.562	1.8	-1
All items less shelter .....	206.948	3.4	.0	196.185	3.3	.2	203.802	3.2	-1	210.434	2.7	-1
Commodities less food .....	151.767	7.3	-2	139.504	6.6	-2	143.826	6.4	-2	149.237	5.7	-3
Nondurables .....	203.219	5.3	-2	195.471	4.6	-3	201.470	4.3	-3	204.567	4.0	-3
Nondurables less food .....	189.015	10.8	-3	177.413	9.8	-3	181.988	9.8	.0	181.251	8.7	-2
Services less rent of shelter <sup>2</sup> .....	281.432	1.7	.3	269.151	2.4	.8	280.902	2.5	.3	277.984	2.0	.1
Services less medical care services .....	248.178	.3	.1	247.427	.6	.3	264.458	-1	.2	282.752	1.0	.1
Energy .....	204.455	14.4	-1.7	190.849	14.5	-9	234.332	24.1	-1.4	206.279	14.4	-1.0
All items less energy .....	219.708	1.1	.2	216.126	1.5	.3	225.773	.0	.1	243.714	.9	.0
All items less food and energy .....	220.602	1.3	.2	217.303	1.9	.3	227.049	.2	.3	248.241	1.1	.1

<sup>1</sup> This index series was calculated using a Laspeyres estimator. All other item stratum index series were calculated using a geometric means estimator.

<sup>2</sup> Indexes on a December 1982=100 base.

<sup>3</sup> Special index based on a substantially smaller sample.

<sup>4</sup> Indexes on a December 1993=100 base.

<sup>5</sup> Indexes on a December 1997=100 base.

- Data not available.

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

**Table 16. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): Selected areas, by expenditure category and commodity and service group**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Monthly cities and pricing schedule 2 <sup>1</sup>								
	U.S. city average			Atlanta, GA			Chicago-Gary-Kenosha, IL-IN-WI		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
		Feb. 2010	Feb. 2009		Dec. 2009	Feb. 2010		Feb. 2009	Dec. 2009
<b>Expenditure category</b>									
All items .....	216.741	2.1	0.4	202.646	1.7	1.1	212.456	2.5	0.6
All items (1967=100) <sup>2</sup> .....	649.259	-	-	611.117	-	-	634.731	-	-
Food and beverages .....	219.140	-1	.5	220.620	.3	1.2	215.213	-1	-.5
Food .....	218.778	-2	.5	229.646	.4	1.3	213.800	-4	-.5
Food at home .....	215.118	-1.5	.8	218.168	-1.8	2.1	214.130	-2.0	-1.0
Food away from home .....	225.081	1.4	.1	246.213	2.5	.4	207.489	1.5	.1
Alcoholic beverages .....	222.496	1.3	.2	140.010	-6	.1	232.368	2.7	-.5
Housing .....	215.841	-6	.1	198.794	-1.1	.8	215.056	.0	1.0
Shelter .....	248.001	-4	.1	212.400	-1.3	.4	261.481	.8	.2
Rent of primary residence <sup>3</sup> .....	249.017	.3	.0	213.142	-2.0	-.4	273.111	1.9	1.2
Owners' equivalent rent of residences <sup>3 4</sup> .....	256.483	.3	-.1	209.448	-1.1	.5	267.574	1.8	-.1
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>3 4</sup> .....	256.479	.3	-.1	209.448	-1.1	.5	267.574	1.8	-.1
Fuels and utilities .....	210.819	-1.3	1.0	246.209	-7	2.9	182.426	-1.9	8.9
Household energy .....	186.345	-3.0	.8	217.783	-3.4	2.5	162.666	-3.6	10.2
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>3</sup> .....	189.549	-4.2	.4	217.163	-3.6	2.5	166.246	-3.6	10.4
Electricity <sup>3</sup> .....	185.448	-2.7	-1.0	183.472	1.8	.1	141.100	-5.4	3.5
Utility (piped) gas service <sup>3</sup> .....	200.120	-8.4	5.1	268.573	-12.4	8.1	189.937	-1.4	20.2
Household furnishings and operations .....	126.945	-1.7	-.1	130.131	-4	1.1	105.721	-2.6	-.4
Apparel .....	118.869	.0	-.4	129.258	3.5	10.8	92.457	2.3	.8
Transportation .....	189.577	11.8	.7	179.514	14.4	1.0	178.137	12.0	.9
Private transportation .....	185.274	12.4	.8	178.172	14.3	1.2	174.995	12.6	1.1
Motor fuel .....	227.674	36.0	1.3	224.203	37.0	1.4	239.490	40.0	2.8
Gasoline (all types) .....	227.198	36.8	1.3	223.465	38.4	1.4	237.754	40.3	2.8
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>5</sup> .....	226.314	37.6	1.3	219.811	40.0	1.5	234.299	41.0	2.9
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>5 6</sup> .....	233.541	35.6	1.3	271.588	36.0	1.5	248.411	39.5	2.5
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>5</sup> .....	221.444	33.7	1.2	228.912	33.2	.9	227.027	37.1	2.3
Medical care .....	385.907	3.6	1.7	320.066	.6	-.4	407.745	10.1	3.4
Recreation <sup>7</sup> .....	113.345	-1.0	.1	95.579	-11.9	2.4	110.092	-1.4	-1.3
Education and communication <sup>7</sup> .....	129.105	2.3	.2	124.791	8.3	.9	135.466	.1	-.8
Other goods and services .....	377.992	7.6	.2	301.857	3.3	-3.2	350.827	4.7	-.5
<b>Commodity and service group</b>									
All items .....	216.741	2.1	.4	202.646	1.7	1.1	212.456	2.5	.6
Commodities .....	173.419	4.5	.5	168.309	5.2	1.8	163.673	3.9	.1
Commodities less food and beverages .....	149.162	7.5	.5	142.880	8.2	2.2	135.651	6.9	.4
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	186.882	11.5	.6	175.387	12.6	3.2	173.040	10.6	.7
Durables .....	111.753	2.3	.2	110.242	2.1	.7	99.342	1.4	.0
Services .....	259.792	.6	.3	237.084	-2	.7	258.644	1.5	.9
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>									
All items less medical care .....	208.432	2.0	.3	195.520	1.8	1.2	204.015	1.9	.4
All items less shelter .....	206.948	3.4	.5	202.542	3.6	1.5	196.185	3.3	.8
Commodities less food .....	151.767	7.3	.5	142.448	7.9	2.1	139.504	6.6	.4
Nondurables .....	203.219	5.3	.6	195.768	6.2	2.2	195.471	4.6	.1
Nondurables less food .....	189.015	10.8	.6	171.661	11.9	3.0	177.413	9.8	.6
Services less rent of shelter <sup>4</sup> .....	281.432	1.7	.5	277.062	1.4	1.1	269.151	2.4	1.8
Services less medical care services .....	248.178	.3	.2	225.463	-.2	.7	247.427	.6	.7
Energy .....	204.455	14.4	1.1	201.185	12.9	1.9	190.849	14.5	6.3
All items less energy .....	219.708	1.1	.3	202.837	.5	1.0	216.126	1.5	.1
All items less food and energy .....	220.602	1.3	.3	199.043	.6	.9	217.303	1.9	.3

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 16. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): Selected areas, by expenditure category and commodity and service group-Continued**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Monthly cities and pricing schedule 2 <sup>1</sup>								
	Detroit-Ann Arbor-Flint, MI			Houston-Galveston-Brazoria, TX			Los Angeles-Riverside-Orange County, CA		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
		Feb. 2010	Feb. 2009		Dec. 2009	Feb. 2010		Feb. 2009	Dec. 2009
<b>Expenditure category</b>									
All items .....	203.380	0.7	-0.2	192.412	2.4	0.8	224.620	1.4	0.4
All items (1967=100) <sup>2</sup> .....	604.531	-	-	617.135	-	-	663.627	-	-
Food and beverages .....	197.325	-1.1	-5	199.272	-1.4	.9	222.639	-1.0	.4
Food .....	197.333	-1.2	-6	198.374	-1.4	1.0	221.281	-1.3	.5
Food at home .....	191.256	-2.2	-9	199.519	-2.3	2.1	229.246	-2.9	.9
Food away from home .....	206.406	.2	-2	192.674	-4	-2	207.954	.8	.0
Alcoholic beverages .....	191.631	-3	1.2	203.249	-1.1	.0	229.237	2.6	.0
Housing .....	188.987	-1.6	-2	182.790	-6	.6	242.913	-7	.2
Shelter .....	208.923	-2.5	.0	203.363	.8	.4	272.368	-1.4	.2
Rent of primary residence <sup>3</sup> .....	204.108	-1.7	-2	191.744	1.9	.2	278.766	-8	.2
Owners' equivalent rent of residences <sup>3 4</sup> .....	209.644	-1.5	-5	189.281	2.1	.2	285.581	-1.3	.1
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>3 4</sup> .....	209.644	-1.5	-5	189.281	2.1	.2	285.581	-1.3	.1
Fuels and utilities .....	231.586	3.9	-2.0	193.020	-7.8	1.2	249.840	10.3	.4
Household energy .....	192.611	3.1	-2.4	187.449	-9.8	1.4	237.682	10.2	-.4
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>3</sup> .....	195.228	3.4	-2.6	185.154	-10.0	1.4	236.223	10.1	-.4
Electricity <sup>3</sup> .....	168.698	-7	-7.6	184.648	-10.4	.4	266.112	4.9	-5.1
Utility (piped) gas service <sup>3</sup> .....	220.386	7.9	3.1	180.042	-7.6	8.1	211.149	27.4	15.0
Household furnishings and operations .....	122.386	-2.2	1.3	129.500	.8	1.2	123.730	-2.2	-.1
Apparel .....	104.952	-4.2	-2.8	148.272	8.5	4.9	109.704	-5	2.5
Transportation .....	215.475	10.4	.0	164.666	11.5	1.7	187.683	11.6	.8
Private transportation .....	213.306	10.5	.0	163.739	12.1	2.2	182.635	12.1	.9
Motor fuel .....	224.715	35.3	-3	218.423	35.5	1.6	231.099	32.8	1.0
Gasoline (all types) .....	224.181	35.9	-3	218.180	36.3	1.6	226.801	33.1	1.0
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>5</sup> .....	230.553	37.5	-2	225.015	37.5	1.5	227.075	34.0	1.1
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>5 6</sup> .....	250.144	32.8	-3	223.756	35.0	1.9	214.671	32.2	.7
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>5</sup> .....	208.724	27.8	-5	213.488	33.0	1.7	217.025	30.9	.8
Medical care .....	359.048	1.1	2.1	364.029	3.8	1.0	371.331	3.1	.9
Recreation <sup>7</sup> .....	105.974	-10.2	-1.0	105.584	-1.9	-1.4	107.115	-7.3	-1.2
Education and communication <sup>7</sup> .....	133.558	.6	-1.4	111.652	.8	-9	132.117	2.4	1.4
Other goods and services .....	385.511	9.8	1.3	328.054	6.7	-4	357.830	3.3	.3
<b>Commodity and service group</b>									
All items .....	203.380	.7	-2	192.412	2.4	.8	224.620	1.4	.4
Commodities .....	163.624	3.5	-2	162.836	5.0	1.8	169.548	3.7	.6
Commodities less food and beverages .....	145.486	6.8	.0	143.672	8.7	2.3	139.853	6.5	.8
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	172.652	10.5	-4	184.395	14.0	2.1	176.972	10.3	1.1
Durables .....	113.701	1.1	.6	106.680	2.1	2.5	103.840	2.1	.3
Services .....	245.185	-1.1	-2	223.303	.5	.1	272.714	.1	.3
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>									
All items less medical care .....	197.213	.7	-4	183.384	2.3	.8	217.842	1.4	.4
All items less shelter .....	204.202	2.1	-3	188.183	3.0	.9	203.802	3.2	.6
Commodities less food .....	147.342	6.5	.0	145.886	8.2	2.1	143.826	6.4	.8
Nondurables .....	185.160	4.2	-5	192.139	6.1	1.5	201.470	4.3	.7
Nondurables less food .....	173.886	9.7	-3	185.508	12.6	1.9	181.988	9.8	1.0
Services less rent of shelter <sup>4</sup> .....	296.385	.5	-5	243.474	.2	-2	280.902	2.5	.4
Services less medical care services .....	236.748	-1.3	-4	208.054	.2	.1	264.458	-1	.3
Energy .....	208.737	17.4	-1.3	201.176	10.0	1.5	234.332	24.1	.5
All items less energy .....	205.325	-.8	-1	193.999	1.6	.7	225.773	.0	.4
All items less food and energy .....	207.557	-.8	.0	193.113	2.1	.6	227.049	.2	.4

See footnotes at end of table.



**Table 16. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): Selected areas, by expenditure category and commodity and service group-Continued**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Monthly cities and pricing schedule 2 <sup>1</sup>								
	Miami-Fort Lauderdale, FL			New York-Northern N.J.-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT-PA			Philadelphia-Wilmington-Atlantic City, PA-NJ-DE-MD		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
		Feb. 2010	Feb. 2009		Dec. 2009	Feb. 2010		Feb. 2009	Dec. 2009
<b>Expenditure category</b>									
All items .....	222.505	0.9	-0.2	238.862	1.8	0.2	226.529	2.8	0.8
All items (1967=100) <sup>2</sup> .....	358.648	-	-	690.517	-	-	654.429	-	-
Food and beverages .....	227.207	.7	.2	228.173	-3	.0	207.753	.3	.2
Food .....	228.410	.5	.0	227.244	-4	.0	207.668	.4	.3
Food at home .....	227.291	-1.1	-2	225.334	-1.7	.1	217.509	-4	.4
Food away from home .....	232.291	3.0	.3	235.622	1.1	-1	189.199	1.4	.3
Alcoholic beverages .....	213.307	4.3	4.2	237.793	1.3	-4	206.532	-3	-2.0
Housing .....	223.555	-2.7	-1.0	257.077	.2	.2	234.104	1.6	.5
Shelter .....	246.170	-1.9	.2	311.383	.5	.2	280.970	2.7	.6
Rent of primary residence <sup>3</sup> .....	236.180	-1.7	.1	309.841	1.5	.2	260.230	1.2	-2
Owners' equivalent rent of residences <sup>3 4</sup> .....	250.423	-2.0	.1	320.968	.9	.2	289.627	3.8	.5
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>3 4</sup> .....	250.423	-2.0	.1	320.966	.9	.2	289.627	3.8	.5
Fuels and utilities .....	166.534	-6.4	-9.6	200.304	.8	1.1	210.871	.4	1.9
Household energy .....	148.513	-10.7	-11.7	200.579	.3	1.1	188.384	-9	2.3
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>3</sup> .....	145.741	-10.8	-11.8	195.712	-1.5	.8	202.161	-3.8	1.7
Electricity <sup>3</sup> .....	141.753	-11.1	-12.4	185.862	5.1	1.9	200.614	2.0	2.4
Utility (piped) gas service <sup>3</sup> .....	222.373	-3.1	8.2	210.825	-12.7	-1.3	201.134	-15.8	.2
Household furnishings and operations .....	173.039	-5.5	-2	122.702	-3.5	-5	120.133	-5.7	-2.1
Apparel .....	147.385	.2	9.1	114.329	.6	-1.6	105.611	2.0	5.9
Transportation .....	198.651	10.3	.0	200.041	11.2	.4	191.487	12.0	.7
Private transportation .....	199.397	10.2	.1	189.472	11.8	.3	189.500	12.7	.6
Motor fuel .....	246.227	35.4	1.9	212.396	40.8	1.1	235.175	34.4	1.8
Gasoline (all types) .....	243.967	35.6	1.9	211.708	41.3	1.0	231.842	35.9	1.8
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>5</sup> .....	244.095	36.5	1.9	213.760	42.6	1.1	231.414	37.2	1.8
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>5 6</sup> .....	227.397	34.8	1.8	213.424	39.4	1.0	228.464	33.5	1.7
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>5</sup> .....	238.831	33.0	2.0	208.393	36.9	.7	221.680	32.5	1.2
Medical care .....	369.874	3.1	1.2	378.015	1.7	1.6	428.144	.9	1.9
Recreation <sup>7</sup> .....	114.232	-4.9	-2.5	114.975	-1.5	.1	120.299	-2.2	-3
Education and communication <sup>7</sup> .....	118.485	3.1	.3	135.295	1.4	-1	130.085	1.6	2.1
Other goods and services .....	307.744	10.3	1.2	370.611	6.1	.4	419.535	6.9	-6
<b>Commodity and service group</b>									
All items .....	222.505	.9	-2	238.862	1.8	.2	226.529	2.8	.8
Commodities .....	190.396	5.1	1.1	178.393	3.2	-1	169.317	4.1	.5
Commodities less food and beverages .....	167.598	8.2	1.7	145.546	6.0	-2	146.726	6.6	.7
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	196.472	14.8	2.8	177.433	9.3	.0	178.648	10.2	1.6
Durables .....	136.814	-1	.0	104.122	.0	-5	111.167	.9	-7
Services .....	248.208	-1.4	-9	290.565	1.1	.3	285.533	2.1	.9
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>									
All items less medical care .....	215.390	.7	-3	232.562	1.8	.1	217.966	3.0	.7
All items less shelter .....	210.418	2.8	-4	210.434	2.7	.2	209.501	2.9	.9
Commodities less food .....	169.601	8.1	1.7	149.237	5.7	-2	148.983	6.3	.6
Nondurables .....	213.417	6.9	1.4	204.567	4.0	.0	194.448	5.2	.9
Nondurables less food .....	197.831	14.3	2.9	181.251	8.7	.0	180.253	9.5	1.4
Services less rent of shelter <sup>4</sup> .....	257.726	-1	-2.6	277.984	2.0	.5	297.022	1.2	1.3
Services less medical care services .....	237.082	-1.5	-1.0	282.752	1.0	.2	273.994	2.2	.8
Energy .....	188.409	11.4	-4.0	206.279	14.4	1.1	204.493	11.5	2.1
All items less energy .....	226.516	.1	.2	243.714	.9	.1	230.658	2.0	.6
All items less food and energy .....	226.040	.0	.3	248.241	1.1	.1	236.942	2.3	.7

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 16. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): Selected areas, by expenditure category and commodity and service group-Continued**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Monthly cities and pricing schedule 2 <sup>1</sup>					
	San Francisco-Oakland-San Jose, CA			Seattle-Tacoma-Bremerton, WA		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
		Feb. 2010	Feb. 2009		Dec. 2009	Feb. 2010
<b>Expenditure category</b>						
All items .....	226.145	1.8	0.8	226.085	0.6	0.2
All items (1967=100) 2 .....	695.233	-	-	689.195	-	-
Food and beverages .....	227.243	-2	.6	228.216	-2.1	1.0
Food .....	226.781	-1	.7	229.298	-2.4	.8
Food at home .....	221.972	-2.5	1.3	224.994	-4.3	1.3
Food away from home .....	231.788	2.7	.0	237.328	-.2	.3
Alcoholic beverages .....	237.457	-1.7	-.3	217.939	1.5	3.2
Housing .....	244.436	-.5	.3	235.762	-2.4	-.6
Shelter .....	273.915	-1.2	.0	260.123	-2.9	-1.1
Rent of primary residence 3 .....	297.313	.1	-.2	254.311	-2.2	-.9
Owners' equivalent rent of residences 3 4 .....	298.869	-.2	-.2	274.393	-2.9	-1.4
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence 3 4 .....	298.869	-.2	-.2	274.393	-2.9	-1.4
Fuels and utilities .....	267.833	7.6	5.2	211.768	3.0	3.9
Household energy .....	281.464	8.1	7.0	203.244	-.2	2.8
Gas (piped) and electricity 3 .....	280.446	7.8	7.0	239.281	-.6	2.7
Electricity 3 .....	300.856	9.4	4.9	244.130	5.5	3.4
Utility (piped) gas service 3 .....	218.046	.7	12.8	184.541	-17.2	.1
Household furnishings and operations .....	131.768	-.5	-.6	171.534	-3.2	-.3
Apparel .....	109.397	-3.3	4.3	130.682	-1.9	4.7
Transportation .....	174.199	10.3	1.3	208.024	10.2	.4
Private transportation .....	165.077	11.2	1.0	214.609	10.6	.1
Motor fuel .....	223.012	32.0	.9	299.984	28.9	.7
Gasoline (all types) .....	222.820	32.6	.8	306.275	29.5	.6
Gasoline, unleaded regular 5 .....	223.013	32.9	.8	336.108	29.9	.7
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade 5 6 .....	207.215	31.9	.6	236.493	28.0	.4
Gasoline, unleaded premium 5 .....	210.706	32.0	1.2	272.285	27.1	.5
Medical care .....	389.623	2.8	1.6	360.329	5.5	4.4
Recreation 7 .....	108.574	1.8	1.4	93.852	-4.1	-3.2
Education and communication 7 .....	142.134	4.1	1.6	128.349	1.8	.4
Other goods and services .....	391.725	3.4	.1	374.852	4.6	.4
<b>Commodity and service group</b>						
All items .....	226.145	1.8	.8	226.085	.6	.2
Commodities .....	168.954	3.1	.7	183.213	2.6	.9
Commodities less food and beverages .....	135.424	5.3	.8	159.652	5.8	.9
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	167.511	8.5	1.7	185.371	8.6	1.4
Durables .....	104.463	1.1	-.6	133.369	2.5	.1
Services .....	274.026	1.1	.9	266.097	-.6	-.2
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>						
All items less medical care .....	219.432	1.7	.8	220.016	.3	-.1
All items less shelter .....	208.159	3.7	1.4	213.646	2.5	.9
Commodities less food .....	140.035	4.9	.7	161.852	5.5	1.0
Nondurables .....	198.674	3.7	1.1	206.143	2.6	1.2
Nondurables less food .....	172.894	7.5	1.5	187.546	7.8	1.5
Services less rent of shelter 4 .....	289.182	4.3	2.1	280.271	2.4	.9
Services less medical care services .....	266.279	1.0	.9	257.121	-1.2	-.6
Energy .....	245.347	21.8	3.2	257.237	16.0	1.5
All items less energy .....	227.962	.7	.7	226.743	-.4	.1
All items less food and energy .....	228.821	.8	.7	226.427	-.1	.0

<sup>1</sup> Areas on pricing schedule 1 (see Table 10) will appear next month.

<sup>2</sup> Index on a November 1977=100 base in Miami.

<sup>3</sup> This index series was calculated using a Laspeyres estimator. All other item stratum index series were calculated using a geometric means estimator.

<sup>4</sup> Indexes on a December 1982=100 base.

<sup>5</sup> Special index based on a substantially smaller sample.

<sup>6</sup> Indexes on a December 1993=100 base.

<sup>7</sup> Indexes on a December 1997=100 base.

- Data not available.

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

**Table 17. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): Selected areas, all items index**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Area	All items										
	Pricing schedule 1	Indexes				Percent change to Feb. 2010 from—			Percent change to Jan. 2010 from—		
		Nov. 2009	Dec. 2009	Jan. 2010	Feb. 2010	Feb. 2009	Dec. 2009	Jan. 2010	Jan. 2009	Nov. 2009	Dec. 2009
U.S. city average .....	M	212.003	211.703	212.568	212.544	2.8	0.4	0.0	3.3	0.3	0.4
<b>Region and area size<sup>2</sup></b>											
Northeast urban .....	M	229.048	228.794	229.744	229.874	3.1	.5	.1	3.6	.3	.4
Size A - More than 1,500,000 .....	M	229.541	229.180	229.919	230.099	2.7	.4	.1	3.2	.2	.3
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 <sup>3</sup> .....	M	138.527	138.522	139.364	139.379	4.1	.6	.0	4.5	.6	.6
Midwest urban .....	M	201.553	200.999	202.180	202.044	3.2	.5	-.1	3.6	.3	.6
Size A - More than 1,500,000 .....	M	201.626	200.820	201.957	201.758	2.9	.5	-.1	3.2	.2	.6
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 <sup>3</sup> .....	M	131.823	131.639	132.502	132.507	3.4	.7	.0	3.7	.5	.7
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000) .....	M	200.748	200.471	201.414	201.118	3.9	.3	-.1	4.4	.3	.5
South urban .....	M	206.859	206.716	207.405	207.325	3.1	.3	.0	3.7	.3	.3
Size A - More than 1,500,000 .....	M	209.161	208.788	209.619	209.288	2.3	.2	-.2	3.0	.2	.4
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 <sup>3</sup> .....	M	132.129	132.136	132.508	132.528	3.3	.3	.0	3.9	.3	.3
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000) .....	M	213.396	213.184	213.984	214.172	4.3	.5	.1	4.7	.3	.4
West urban .....	M	214.228	213.919	214.664	214.710	2.0	.4	.0	2.5	.2	.3
Size A - More than 1,500,000 .....	M	216.286	215.988	216.905	216.850	1.9	.4	.0	2.4	.3	.4
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 <sup>3</sup> .....	M	133.149	132.983	133.238	133.325	2.0	.3	.1	2.8	.1	.2
<b>Size classes</b>											
A <sup>4</sup> .....	M	196.187	195.779	196.606	196.516	2.4	.4	.0	2.9	.2	.4
B/C <sup>3</sup> .....	M	133.139	133.072	133.589	133.619	3.2	.4	.0	3.7	.3	.4
D .....	M	207.739	207.417	208.297	208.368	3.8	.5	.0	4.1	.3	.4
<b>Selected local areas<sup>5</sup></b>											
Chicago-Gary-Kenosha, IL-IN-WI .....	M	205.136	204.196	205.529	205.627	2.8	.7	.0	2.7	.2	.7
Los Angeles-Riverside-Orange County, CA ...	M	216.618	216.233	217.290	217.090	1.8	.4	-.1	2.3	.3	.5
New York-Northern N.J.-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT-PA .....	M	233.893	233.448	234.067	234.153	2.4	.3	.0	2.9	.1	.3
Boston-Brockton-Nashua, MA-NH-ME-CT .....	1	236.859	-	237.999	-	-	-	-	3.4	.5	-
Cleveland-Akron, OH .....	1	192.871	-	194.529	-	-	-	-	3.0	.9	-
Dallas-Fort Worth, TX .....	1	205.297	-	205.456	-	-	-	-	3.0	.1	-
Washington-Baltimore, DC-MD-VA-WV <sup>6</sup> .....	1	140.608	-	141.155	-	-	-	-	3.5	.4	-
Atlanta, GA .....	2	-	199.331	-	201.407	2.0	1.0	-	-	-	-
Detroit-Ann Arbor-Flint, MI .....	2	-	199.614	-	198.913	1.4	-.4	-	-	-	-
Houston-Galveston-Brazoria, TX .....	2	-	188.842	-	190.351	2.9	.8	-	-	-	-
Miami-Fort Lauderdale, FL .....	2	-	221.067	-	221.074	1.6	.0	-	-	-	-
Philadelphia-Wilmington-Atlantic City, PA-NJ-DE-MD .....	2	-	224.732	-	226.539	3.3	.8	-	-	-	-
San Francisco-Oakland-San Jose, CA .....	2	-	220.121	-	222.049	2.4	.9	-	-	-	-
Seattle-Tacoma-Bremerton, WA .....	2	-	220.905	-	221.215	1.1	.1	-	-	-	-

<sup>1</sup> Foods, fuels, and several other items priced every month in all areas; most other goods and services priced as indicated:

M - Every month.  
1 - January, March, May, July, September, and November.  
2 - February, April, June, August, October, and December.

<sup>2</sup> Regions defined as the four Census regions. See map in technical notes.

<sup>3</sup> Indexes on a December 1996=100 base.

<sup>4</sup> Indexes on a December 1986=100 base.

<sup>5</sup> 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.

<sup>6</sup> Indexes on a November 1996=100 base.

- Data not available.

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 18. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): Regions<sup>1</sup>, by expenditure category and commodity and service group**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Northeast			Midwest			South			West		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
		Feb. 2010	Feb. 2009		Jan. 2010	Feb. 2010		Feb. 2009	Jan. 2010		Feb. 2010	Feb. 2009
<b>Expenditure category</b>												
All items .....	229.874	3.1	0.1	202.044	3.2	-0.1	207.325	3.1	0.0	214.710	2.0	0.0
All items (December 1977=100) .....	359.050	-	-	326.751	-	-	335.786	-	-	345.456	-	-
Food and beverages .....	223.723	.2	-1	212.851	.0	.0	216.240	.2	.1	221.275	-1.0	-1
Food .....	223.274	.1	-1	212.245	-2	.0	216.750	.1	.1	219.850	-1.2	-1
Food at home .....	220.394	-9	-3	206.138	-1.1	-1	210.954	-1.1	.1	219.614	-2.9	-2
Food away from home .....	230.838	1.6	.1	222.057	1.0	.0	227.454	1.7	.1	220.087	1.2	.1
Alcoholic beverages .....	228.907	2.0	-4	220.378	2.5	-1	208.232	1.3	.4	238.313	1.0	.1
Housing .....	241.344	.9	.1	191.694	.4	.1	199.423	-1.1	-2	223.588	-9	.0
Shelter .....	287.104	1.5	.2	216.580	.8	.1	221.101	-2	-1	246.740	-1.6	-1
Rent of primary residence <sup>2</sup> .....	281.659	1.3	.1	222.224	1.3	.0	221.989	.1	-1	259.906	-1.0	-1
Owners' equivalent rent of residences <sup>2</sup> <sup>3</sup> .....	267.546	2.0	.1	215.687	1.5	.0	209.782	-1	-1	237.000	-1.6	-1
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>2,3</sup> .....	267.550	2.0	.1	215.687	1.5	.0	209.785	-1	-1	237.001	-1.6	-1
Fuels and utilities .....	214.665	-5	-1	200.717	.2	.3	207.866	-5.7	-1.0	232.486	4.2	.5
Household energy .....	198.080	-1.4	-2	174.469	-8	.2	174.618	-8.4	-1.4	213.801	3.0	.2
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>2</sup> .....	200.224	-4.3	.1	178.571	-1.4	.1	175.694	-8.8	-1.4	216.102	2.6	.2
Electricity <sup>2</sup> .....	190.484	.3	.4	169.049	2.9	-5	167.888	-9.0	-1.6	230.195	4.3	-1
Utility (piped) gas service <sup>2</sup> .....	210.751	-14.1	-5	192.473	-8.1	1.2	212.741	-6.6	-1	198.648	-2.8	1.0
Household furnishings and operations ...	120.900	-2.5	-5	118.356	-2.2	.0	123.123	-9	.0	130.744	-8	-3
Apparel .....	120.718	.9	1.7	109.566	3.1	2.3	130.287	-2	2.3	111.512	-3.7	1.4
Transportation .....	190.785	13.5	-3	188.824	12.4	-1.1	184.940	15.2	-5	189.791	12.4	-4
Private transportation .....	186.213	14.1	-4	185.557	12.7	-1.2	183.479	15.5	-5	186.277	12.8	-5
New and used motor vehicles <sup>4</sup> .....	96.995	5.5	.3	96.416	4.9	.5	95.594	8.2	.4	94.919	7.2	.1
New vehicles .....	139.009	3.4	-2	136.357	2.5	.3	143.360	3.4	.3	139.714	4.0	-5
Used cars and trucks .....	145.439	13.2	.8	141.225	12.8	.8	140.277	15.5	.7	138.564	13.9	.7
Motor fuel .....	225.144	38.1	-2.0	229.777	35.3	-4.8	225.878	37.6	-2.4	230.810	33.1	-2.0
Gasoline (all types) .....	224.452	39.0	-2.0	229.364	35.8	-5.0	225.309	38.5	-2.4	230.703	33.7	-2.0
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>5</sup> .....	224.852	40.1	-2.1	227.776	36.6	-5.1	223.788	39.5	-2.5	229.255	34.3	-2.0
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>5,6</sup> .....	229.064	36.8	-1.7	251.638	34.9	-4.5	236.122	37.4	-2.1	217.362	32.7	-1.8
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>5</sup> .....	218.306	35.5	-1.6	225.235	32.0	-4.6	224.618	35.0	-2.2	222.059	31.7	-1.8
Medical care .....	401.579	2.5	.7	387.310	4.3	.7	370.587	3.8	.7	396.309	4.4	1.6
Medical care commodities .....	327.945	3.0	1.0	303.407	4.4	.7	292.332	3.0	.7	305.538	4.0	.9
Medical care services .....	420.211	2.3	.6	413.359	4.2	.7	394.502	4.1	.7	422.002	4.6	1.8
Professional services .....	327.740	1.7	.3	351.062	3.9	.6	325.889	3.3	.4	307.533	2.2	.6
Recreation <sup>4</sup> .....	118.119	.7	-2	111.024	-1.0	.4	110.769	-7	.1	102.487	-3.0	.0
Education and communication <sup>4</sup> .....	127.226	2.1	.2	125.906	1.6	-1	120.097	2.2	.1	125.395	1.3	-1
Other goods and services .....	451.938	10.5	.2	396.199	11.3	-2	394.963	13.4	.0	379.017	6.7	.2
<b>Commodity and service group</b>												
All items .....	229.874	3.1	.1	202.044	3.2	-1	207.325	3.1	.0	214.710	2.0	.0
Commodities .....	185.195	5.4	-2	171.375	5.7	-3	176.501	6.9	-1	173.596	4.4	-2
Commodities less food and beverages ...	160.760	9.3	-2	150.517	9.5	-5	156.429	10.9	-1	147.855	7.6	-2
Nondurables less food and beverages Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel .....	200.078	13.0	-3	193.236	14.4	-1.1	201.771	15.4	-3	184.385	10.9	-2
Durables .....	260.114	18.0	-1.0	244.442	18.1	-2.0	246.779	20.6	-1.0	237.778	16.5	-7
Durables .....	112.584	2.5	.0	109.362	2.3	.4	114.410	4.8	.2	114.161	4.0	-2
Services .....	280.840	1.5	.2	239.395	1.2	.2	244.684	.3	.0	259.196	.2	.2
Rent of shelter <sup>3</sup> .....	268.735	1.5	.2	215.124	.7	.1	210.519	-2	-1	238.320	-1.6	-1
Transportation services .....	242.940	3.4	.4	260.679	2.7	.4	267.877	4.3	.5	257.134	3.6	.6
Other services .....	326.687	2.5	.2	279.316	1.3	.1	285.087	1.9	.1	286.236	1.0	-1
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>												
All items less medical care .....	223.550	3.1	.0	194.804	3.1	-1	199.376	3.0	-1	207.883	1.9	-1
All items less food .....	231.335	3.7	.1	199.951	3.9	-1	205.437	3.6	-1	213.639	2.6	.0
All items less shelter .....	212.089	3.9	.0	199.286	4.1	-1	203.788	4.5	.0	203.652	3.7	.1

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 18. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): Regions<sup>1</sup>, by expenditure category and commodity and service group-Continued**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Northeast			Midwest			South			West		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
	Feb. 2010	Feb. 2009	Jan. 2010	Feb. 2010	Feb. 2009	Jan. 2010	Feb. 2010	Feb. 2009	Jan. 2010	Feb. 2010	Feb. 2009	Jan. 2010
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>												
Commodities less food .....	163.362	9.0	-0.2	152.793	9.2	-0.5	157.953	10.6	-0.1	151.182	7.3	-0.2
Nondurables .....	213.112	6.1	-2	203.439	6.7	-6	208.469	7.6	-1	203.987	4.5	-1
Nondurables less food .....	201.890	12.3	-3	194.720	13.5	-1.0	201.921	14.6	-3	188.559	10.1	-2
Nondurables less food and apparel .....	255.977	16.6	-9	241.184	16.6	-1.9	242.375	19.2	-9	237.163	14.9	-6
Services less rent of shelter <sup>3</sup> .....	251.227	1.5	.3	243.712	1.7	.3	247.285	.8	.0	255.045	2.6	.5
Services less medical care services .....	271.940	1.5	.2	227.444	.9	.1	231.643	.0	-1	249.053	-.1	.0
Energy .....	209.365	14.7	-1.1	198.578	15.8	-2.7	194.953	13.0	-2.0	227.796	20.4	-1.1
All items less energy .....	233.600	1.9	.2	203.963	1.8	.2	208.991	1.9	.2	214.753	.4	.1
All items less food and energy .....	237.147	2.4	.2	202.534	2.3	.3	207.571	2.3	.2	213.901	.8	.2
Commodities less food and energy												
commodities .....	153.683	3.3	.2	143.682	4.0	.6	147.598	4.7	.6	140.067	2.4	.3
Energy commodities .....	234.056	34.1	-2.0	231.361	34.2	-4.6	228.673	37.0	-2.4	234.023	32.7	-2.0
Services less energy services .....	289.506	2.0	.2	247.507	1.5	.2	252.559	1.2	.1	262.656	.0	.2

<sup>1</sup> Regions defined as the four Census regions. See map in technical notes.

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

<sup>3</sup> Indexes on a December 1984=100 base

<sup>4</sup> Indexes on a December 1997=100 base.

<sup>5</sup> Special index based on a substantially smaller sample.

<sup>6</sup> Indexes on a December 1993=100 base.

- Data not available.

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

**Table 19. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): Population size classes<sup>1</sup>, by expenditure category and commodity and service group**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Size class A <sup>2</sup>			Size class B/C <sup>3</sup>			Size class D		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
		Feb. 2010	Feb. 2009		Jan. 2010	Feb. 2010		Feb. 2009	Jan. 2010
<b>Expenditure category</b>									
All items <sup>4</sup> .....	196.516	2.4	0.0	133.619	3.2	0.0	208.368	3.8	0.0
All items (December 1977=100) .....	196.516	-	-	-	-	-	336.758	-	-
Food and beverages .....	197.110	-5	.0	137.396	.2	.0	218.006	.2	-1
Food .....	196.756	-7	-1	137.363	.1	.0	217.573	.2	-1
Food at home .....	198.285	-2.0	-1	134.194	-1.1	-1	209.838	-7	-3
Food away from home .....	193.518	1.1	.0	142.101	1.7	.1	231.845	1.5	.2
Alcoholic beverages .....	199.907	1.5	.0	137.879	1.9	.0	223.656	1.2	.2
Housing .....	199.106	-2	-1	131.913	-5	.0	197.443	-9	-1
Shelter .....	215.834	.1	.0	132.625	-1	-1	223.600	-7	.2
Rent of primary residence <sup>5</sup> .....	214.513	.2	.0	137.492	.0	-2	213.074	.3	.1
Owners' equivalent rent of residences <sup>5 6</sup> .....	215.721	.3	.0	131.375	.3	-1	212.003	-7	.2
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>5 6</sup> .....	215.720	.3	.0	131.377	.3	-1	212.000	-7	.2
Fuels and utilities .....	211.487	-8	-7	159.583	-2.1	.4	208.970	-2.3	-7
Household energy .....	206.683	-2.6	-1.1	157.289	-3.9	.4	173.502	-3.7	-1.0
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>5</sup> .....	198.028	-3.4	-1.1	149.642	-5.2	.5	183.875	-4.7	-1.1
Electricity <sup>5</sup> .....	187.350	-2.1	-1.8	141.345	-3.6	.4	185.520	-2.5	-1.1
Utility (piped) gas service <sup>5</sup> .....	216.211	-6.3	.6	168.217	-11.0	.5	177.715	-13.7	-8
Household furnishings and operations .....	116.379	-2.4	-4	98.693	-7	.1	122.855	.4	-5
Apparel .....	111.914	1.2	2.7	87.325	-3.0	1.0	119.104	5.4	2.2
Transportation .....	188.117	12.8	-7	131.915	13.8	-6	185.859	15.6	-1
Private transportation .....	187.508	13.3	-8	131.744	14.2	-6	182.965	15.8	-2
New and used motor vehicles <sup>3</sup> .....	96.552	6.1	.3	95.259	7.3	.4	94.451	8.0	.6
New vehicles .....	121.104	3.3	.1	97.412	3.4	-1	145.974	4.3	.3
Used cars and trucks .....	134.544	13.8	.8	94.497	14.8	.7	129.373	13.9	.8
Motor fuel .....	332.706	35.2	-3.0	226.910	36.6	-2.6	218.950	37.3	-2.6
Gasoline (all types) .....	332.046	35.9	-3.0	228.014	37.5	-2.7	218.085	38.3	-2.6
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>7</sup> .....	338.825	36.8	-3.1	232.557	38.2	-2.8	208.637	39.1	-2.7
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>7 8</sup> .....	228.114	34.5	-2.7	223.432	36.4	-2.4	245.909	37.8	-2.3
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>7</sup> .....	299.076	32.6	-2.7	217.026	34.9	-2.3	221.921	35.2	-1.8
Medical care .....	306.424	4.3	.7	163.797	3.3	1.1	371.072	3.9	.7
Medical care commodities .....	241.459	3.4	.9	144.876	3.9	.7	303.410	2.8	.9
Medical care services .....	325.491	4.6	.7	169.754	3.2	1.3	391.708	4.2	.7
Professional services .....	259.003	3.5	.5	151.880	2.2	.5	333.010	3.3	.6
Recreation <sup>3</sup> .....	110.360	-2.8	-1	109.072	.5	.3	111.783	.7	-3
Education and communication <sup>3</sup> .....	126.563	1.7	.1	120.434	2.1	.0	128.316	1.2	-2
Other goods and services .....	310.250	7.6	-1	187.109	13.4	.1	439.205	15.0	.5
<b>Commodity and service group</b>									
All items <sup>4</sup> .....	196.516	2.4	.0	133.619	3.2	.0	208.368	3.8	.0
Commodities .....	169.349	4.8	-2	124.121	6.3	-2	177.206	7.7	-1
Commodities less food and beverages .....	152.507	8.5	-2	117.266	9.9	-3	157.708	11.8	-2
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	199.158	12.5	-4	149.709	14.1	-6	201.517	17.4	-3
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel .....	262.683	17.2	-1.4	181.000	19.5	-1.0	246.775	20.8	-9
Durables .....	107.236	3.0	.0	87.755	4.2	.2	115.683	4.9	.1
Services .....	221.776	.7	.0	139.853	.7	.2	249.214	.5	.2
Rent of shelter <sup>6</sup> .....	216.638	.1	.0	132.783	-1	-1	208.892	-8	.2
Transportation services .....	210.628	3.7	.3	141.295	2.8	.4	272.166	6.0	2.0

See footnotes at end of table.



**Table 19. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): Population size classes<sup>1</sup>, by expenditure category and commodity and service group-Continued**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Size class A <sup>2</sup>			Size class B/C <sup>3</sup>			Size class D			
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		
		Feb. 2010	Feb. 2009		Jan. 2010	Feb. 2010		Feb. 2009	Jan. 2010	Feb. 2010
<b>Commodity and service group</b>										
Other services .....	242.104	1.0	0.1	139.037	2.5	0.2	293.952	1.3	-0.5	
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>										
All items less medical care .....	192.164	2.3	-.1	130.392	3.2	.0	200.023	3.8	.0	
All items less food .....	196.525	3.0	.0	131.093	3.8	.0	206.645	4.5	.1	
All items less shelter .....	188.984	3.6	-.1	131.922	4.5	.1	205.381	5.5	.0	
Commodities less food .....	154.545	8.2	-.2	117.862	9.6	-.3	159.487	11.5	-.2	
Nondurables .....	198.215	5.4	-.2	142.954	7.0	-.3	210.516	8.8	-.2	
Nondurables less food .....	199.618	11.7	-.4	148.898	13.3	-.5	202.478	16.5	-.3	
Nondurables less food and apparel .....	255.587	15.7	-1.3	177.038	18.1	-.9	244.397	19.4	-.8	
Services less rent of shelter <sup>6</sup> .....	227.940	1.6	.1	147.217	1.4	.5	252.528	1.7	.2	
Services less medical care services .....	215.352	.5	.0	137.417	.4	.1	235.953	.1	.1	
Energy .....	261.775	15.2	-2.2	188.682	15.6	-1.3	197.327	16.4	-1.9	
All items less energy .....	191.299	1.2	.2	127.019	1.8	.2	209.732	2.3	.3	
All items less food and energy .....	190.268	1.6	.2	124.872	2.2	.2	208.854	2.7	.4	
Commodities less food and energy commodities .....	133.309	2.9	.6	102.973	4.1	.3	149.578	6.0	.6	
Energy commodities .....	335.628	34.1	-2.9	230.824	35.4	-2.5	219.943	35.4	-2.5	
Services less energy services .....	223.629	1.1	.1	138.932	1.2	.2	256.783	1.0	.3	

<sup>1</sup> See region and area size on Table 10 for information about population size classes.  
<sup>2</sup> Indexes on a December 1986=100 base.  
<sup>3</sup> Indexes on a December 1997=100 base.  
<sup>4</sup> The 'All items' index size B/C is on a December 1996=100 base.  
<sup>5</sup> This index series was calculated using a Laspeyres estimator. All other item

stratum index series were calculated using a geometric means estimator.  
<sup>6</sup> Indexes on a December 1984=100 base  
<sup>7</sup> Special index based on a substantially smaller sample.  
<sup>8</sup> Indexes on a December 1993=100 base.  
 - Data not available.  
 NOTE: Index applies to a month as a whole, not to any specific date.

**Table 20. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): Cross classification of regions and population size classes<sup>1</sup>, by expenditure category and commodity and service group**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Northeast					
	Size class A			Size class B/C <sup>2</sup>		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
		Feb. 2010	Feb. 2009		Jan. 2010	Feb. 2010
<b>Expenditure category</b>						
All items <sup>3</sup> .....	230.099	2.7	0.1	139.379	4.1	0.0
All items (December 1977=100) .....	351.604	-	-	-	-	-
Food and beverages .....	222.940	-1	-2	139.527	.8	.0
Food .....	222.445	-2	-2	139.601	.7	.1
Food at home .....	221.223	-1.1	-3	135.521	-1.5	-2
Food away from home .....	226.644	1.1	-1	146.142	2.5	.5
Alcoholic beverages .....	228.804	1.4	-4	137.067	2.8	-4
Housing .....	241.729	.7	.0	139.882	1.4	.2
Shelter .....	287.107	1.4	.1	137.418	1.9	.3
Rent of primary residence <sup>4</sup> .....	290.451	1.2	.1	142.983	1.8	.3
Owners' equivalent rent of residences <sup>4 5</sup> .....	269.771	1.8	.1	136.038	2.6	.2
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>4 5</sup> .....	269.775	1.8	.1	136.038	2.6	.2
Fuels and utilities .....	206.709	-8	.0	178.999	.1	-4
Household energy .....	198.763	-1.5	-1	176.638	-1.2	-5
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>4</sup> .....	200.639	-3.7	.3	151.090	-5.8	-2
Electricity <sup>4</sup> .....	189.555	1.2	.8	135.743	-1.4	-2
Utility (piped) gas service <sup>4 6</sup> .....	215.511	-13.1	-7	R167.302	-16.2	.0
Household furnishings and operations .....	117.752	-4.2	-1.2	104.732	.4	.3
Apparel .....	117.732	1.8	2.5	87.663	-1.4	-3
Transportation .....	193.022	13.3	-3	132.522	13.9	-3
Private transportation .....	187.644	14.0	-4	133.037	14.1	-3
Motor fuel .....	220.304	38.5	-2.0	227.959	37.3	-1.9
Gasoline (all types) .....	219.342	39.5	-2.0	228.494	38.2	-1.9
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>7</sup> .....	219.588	40.6	-2.2	232.097	39.3	-2.0
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>7 8</sup> .....	221.058	37.4	-1.6	226.270	35.8	-1.9
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>7</sup> .....	214.540	35.9	-1.6	217.566	34.3	-1.5
Medical care .....	401.689	2.5	.8	167.887	2.5	.6
Recreation <sup>2</sup> .....	117.247	-3	.0	120.097	2.8	-5
Education and communication <sup>2</sup> .....	130.634	1.6	.3	118.793	3.6	-1
Other goods and services .....	431.105	8.3	.1	206.288	14.5	.2
<b>Commodity and service group</b>						
All items <sup>3</sup> .....	230.099	2.7	.1	139.379	4.1	.0
Commodities .....	182.548	4.7	-2	132.285	6.6	-2
Commodities less food and beverages .....	155.951	8.3	-2	128.079	11.0	-3
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	189.421	12.0	-1	166.796	14.8	-7
Durables .....	110.673	1.8	-2	90.933	3.4	.2
Services .....	280.463	1.4	.2	142.715	1.7	.2
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>						
All items less medical care .....	223.806	2.7	.0	136.324	4.2	.0
All items less shelter .....	210.473	3.4	.1	137.968	4.9	-1
Commodities less food .....	158.708	8.0	-2	128.435	10.6	-3
Nondurables .....	207.676	5.4	-2	152.269	7.4	-3
Nondurables less food .....	191.923	11.4	-2	164.557	14.0	-6
Services less rent of shelter <sup>5</sup> .....	247.094	1.5	.4	148.045	1.6	.1
Services less medical care services .....	271.609	1.3	.2	140.582	1.8	.2
Energy .....	207.866	14.0	-1.0	198.820	16.0	-1.3
All items less energy .....	234.218	1.6	.2	131.976	2.7	.2
All items less food and energy .....	238.042	2.0	.3	130.574	3.3	.2

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 20. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): Cross classification of regions and population size classes<sup>1</sup>, by expenditure category and commodity and service group-Continued**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Midwest								
	Size class A			Size class B/C <sup>2</sup>			Size class D		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
		Feb. 2010	Feb. 2009		Jan. 2010	Feb. 2010		Feb. 2009	Jan. 2010
<b>Expenditure category</b>									
All items <sup>3</sup> .....	201.758	2.9	-0.1	132.507	3.4	0.0	201.118	3.9	-0.1
All items (December 1977=100) .....	329.836	-	-	-	-	-	325.862	-	-
Food and beverages .....	213.883	-3	-2	136.308	.3	.1	217.753	.0	.3
Food .....	213.529	-5	-2	136.335	.2	.0	216.790	-1	.3
Food at home .....	209.690	-1.6	-4	132.983	-4	.0	203.600	-8	.6
Food away from home .....	219.571	.9	.1	141.081	1.1	.1	239.425	.8	-1
Alcoholic beverages .....	216.792	2.6	-2	138.560	2.9	.1	231.089	1.8	-3
Housing .....	192.259	.6	.2	125.106	-.3	.1	193.032	1.3	-2
Shelter .....	217.932	.8	.1	124.799	.4	.0	216.635	1.9	.0
Rent of primary residence <sup>4</sup> .....	231.952	1.0	.0	127.487	1.6	.0	203.365	1.5	-1
Owners' equivalent rent of residences <sup>4 5</sup> .....	216.417	1.5	.0	123.942	1.4	.0	212.218	1.9	.0
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>4 5</sup> .....	216.420	1.5	.0	123.942	1.4	.0	212.218	1.9	.0
Fuels and utilities .....	196.274	1.4	.5	161.306	-.9	.2	207.810	-.7	-.6
Household energy .....	172.833	.4	.5	161.393	-2.2	.1	162.660	-1.2	-.9
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>4</sup> .....	175.110	.4	.4	155.333	-3.1	.0	170.215	-2.8	-1.1
Electricity <sup>4</sup> .....	155.556	2.6	-.7	145.928	3.7	.0	161.107	1.7	-1.5
Utility (piped) gas service <sup>4 6</sup> .....	192.306	-2.4	2.1	171.383	-16.4	-.1	184.369	-11.8	-.3
Household furnishings and operations .....	114.141	-2.1	.0	93.335	-3.7	.0	124.312	1.1	-.3
Apparel .....	106.907	3.2	1.8	83.108	2.5	3.5	123.641	3.9	1.1
Transportation .....	187.266	12.2	-1.3	139.529	12.5	-1.0	172.706	12.9	-1.0
Private transportation .....	184.367	12.6	-1.4	139.319	12.7	-1.0	167.837	13.0	-1.0
Motor fuel .....	233.007	36.1	-5.2	234.309	33.9	-4.5	201.006	36.1	-4.2
Gasoline (all types) .....	232.201	36.6	-5.4	235.081	34.7	-4.7	199.404	36.3	-4.2
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>7</sup> .....	231.564	37.6	-5.5	239.419	35.3	-5.0	191.953	37.0	-4.2
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>7 8</sup> .....	248.186	35.3	-4.8	232.567	33.8	-4.0	231.670	36.3	-4.4
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>7</sup> .....	223.268	32.0	-5.2	222.276	32.1	-4.1	205.264	31.9	-3.5
Medical care .....	386.902	5.4	.7	166.753	3.0	.7	366.804	4.2	.9
Recreation <sup>2</sup> .....	111.327	-3.4	.2	112.717	1.8	.8	105.805	-.6	-.1
Education and communication <sup>2</sup> .....	127.106	1.0	.0	125.023	2.4	-.3	122.250	1.6	-.2
Other goods and services .....	375.043	9.1	.0	194.117	13.9	-.6	413.477	12.2	-.2
<b>Commodity and service group</b>									
All items <sup>3</sup> .....	201.758	2.9	-.1	132.507	3.4	.0	201.118	3.9	-.1
Commodities .....	169.057	4.9	-5	124.388	6.2	-.1	177.529	6.9	-.3
Commodities less food and beverages .....	145.689	8.7	-.7	118.391	10.0	-.2	158.877	10.7	-.6
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	186.996	13.0	-1.3	151.612	15.7	-.7	201.464	16.0	-1.4
Durables .....	107.176	2.1	.2	86.292	1.9	.5	112.804	3.6	.5
Services .....	239.458	1.3	.2	138.495	1.1	.1	231.657	1.4	.0
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>									
All items less medical care .....	194.852	2.7	-.1	129.321	3.4	.0	193.254	3.9	-.2
All items less shelter .....	198.039	3.7	-.2	133.754	4.5	.0	198.205	4.6	-.2
Commodities less food .....	148.324	8.3	-.7	118.842	9.7	-.1	160.725	10.4	-.6
Nondurables .....	201.425	5.7	-.8	143.548	7.7	-.3	209.687	8.2	-.6
Nondurables less food .....	189.179	12.0	-1.2	150.166	14.9	-.6	202.958	15.2	-1.3
Services less rent of shelter <sup>5</sup> .....	245.536	1.8	.4	152.300	1.7	.2	225.461	1.1	.0
Services less medical care services .....	228.440	.9	.2	135.443	.9	.0	217.153	1.1	-.1
Energy .....	198.891	16.5	-2.8	193.721	14.5	-2.6	182.091	16.6	-2.8
All items less energy .....	203.517	1.5	.2	125.962	2.1	.3	203.965	2.4	.2
All items less food and energy .....	201.656	2.0	.3	123.794	2.5	.4	201.716	2.9	.2

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 20. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): Cross classification of regions and population size classes<sup>1</sup>, by expenditure category and commodity and service group-Continued**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	South								
	Size class A			Size class B/C <sup>2</sup>			Size class D		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
		Feb. 2010	Feb. 2009		Jan. 2010	Feb. 2010		Feb. 2009	Jan. 2010
<b>Expenditure category</b>									
All items <sup>3</sup> .....	209.288	2.3	-0.2	132.528	3.3	0.0	214.172	4.3	0.1
All items (December 1977=100) .....	339.046	-	-	-	-	-	346.698	-	-
Food and beverages .....	216.152	-1.	.5	137.523	.2	-1.	215.354	1.0	-5.
Food .....	216.716	-2.	.5	137.856	.1	-1.	214.823	1.0	-5.
Food at home .....	209.287	-1.7	.9	135.375	-.9	-1.	214.230	.3	-1.3
Food away from home .....	229.468	1.8	.1	141.276	1.4	.0	220.077	2.3	.7
Alcoholic beverages .....	207.882	.8	.4	131.448	1.6	.3	220.602	.6	.5
Housing .....	203.419	-1.3	-5.	132.202	-.9	-1.	201.130	-1.8	.1
Shelter .....	224.670	.0	.0	135.274	.0	-2.	232.507	-1.7	.3
Rent of primary residence <sup>4</sup> .....	227.509	.3	.0	139.997	.1	-3.	216.118	-.9	.3
Owners' equivalent rent of residences <sup>4 5</sup> .....	216.364	.0	-1.	133.823	.2	-3.	215.885	-1.8	.3
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>4 5</sup> .....	216.364	.0	-1.	133.823	.2	-3.	215.885	-1.8	.3
Fuels and utilities .....	201.642	-7.7	-3.6	149.167	-5.0	.6	207.283	-2.6	-2.
Household energy .....	179.454	-10.6	-4.6	144.627	-7.8	.8	174.828	-4.3	-3.
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>4</sup> .....	183.510	-10.8	-4.7	141.626	-8.2	.8	180.936	-4.4	-3.
Electricity <sup>4</sup> .....	172.579	-10.7	-5.5	135.946	-9.0	.8	180.254	-3.8	-1.
Utility (piped) gas service <sup>4 6</sup> .....	213.175	-10.9	-6.	170.004	-1.5	.9	172.286	-10.5	-2.2
Household furnishings and operations .....	130.441	-1.8	.4	97.330	-.4	-1.	116.280	-.8	-.8
Apparel .....	143.899	.5	4.2	87.300	-1.9	1.1	122.723	8.3	2.7
Transportation .....	192.071	14.7	-.7	127.453	14.8	-.6	196.019	18.4	.0
Private transportation .....	191.311	15.1	-.6	127.097	15.1	-.5	194.766	18.6	.0
Motor fuel .....	232.315	36.9	-2.4	225.444	38.0	-2.3	215.910	37.5	-2.5
Gasoline (all types) .....	230.538	37.5	-2.4	226.244	39.0	-2.4	214.015	39.1	-2.6
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>7</sup> .....	231.131	38.9	-2.5	232.003	39.8	-2.5	206.387	39.4	-2.8
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>7 8</sup> .....	232.451	35.8	-2.3	221.174	38.0	-2.2	254.058	39.2	-1.7
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>7</sup> .....	228.513	33.3	-2.4	216.316	35.8	-2.1	224.922	36.7	-1.9
Medical care .....	364.223	5.1	.2	158.375	3.4	.9	362.559	2.7	.9
Recreation <sup>2</sup> .....	105.660	-4.1	-2.	112.235	.5	.4	115.457	1.3	-1.1
Education and communication <sup>2</sup> .....	119.567	2.7	-2.	119.356	2.1	.4	127.491	.9	-3.
Other goods and services .....	357.382	8.8	-.8	181.837	14.7	.2	442.351	20.2	1.3
<b>Commodity and service group</b>									
All items <sup>3</sup> .....	209.288	2.3	-2.	132.528	3.3	.0	214.172	4.3	.1
Commodities .....	178.651	6.0	.3	122.725	7.0	-.2	180.230	9.3	-3.
Commodities less food and beverages .....	158.425	10.0	.1	115.423	10.9	-.3	162.861	13.9	-2.
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	201.431	14.5	-1.	147.217	14.9	-.5	207.654	19.9	-1.
Durables .....	116.115	3.8	.3	87.880	5.3	.2	118.637	4.9	-4.
Services .....	243.928	.0	-5.	139.790	.4	.2	258.648	.3	.4
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>									
All items less medical care .....	202.422	2.2	-2.	129.606	3.3	.0	204.645	4.4	.0
All items less shelter .....	204.905	3.6	-2.	129.815	4.6	.1	210.527	6.6	.0
Commodities less food .....	160.286	9.6	.1	115.871	10.5	-.2	164.079	13.6	-2.
Nondurables .....	208.064	6.7	.2	141.651	7.6	-.3	212.398	10.8	-3.
Nondurables less food .....	201.750	13.7	.0	146.374	14.2	-.5	207.335	19.2	-1.
Services less rent of shelter <sup>5</sup> .....	243.618	.1	-1.0	144.179	.9	.6	261.086	2.3	.5
Services less medical care services .....	232.477	-.3	-5.	137.818	.1	.1	244.546	.1	.4
Energy .....	202.636	9.8	-3.4	179.803	14.3	-1.1	190.875	16.2	-1.6
All items less energy .....	211.024	1.5	.3	126.414	2.1	.2	215.457	2.6	.4
All items less food and energy .....	210.000	1.8	.2	124.019	2.4	.2	216.350	2.9	.6

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 20. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): Cross classification of regions and population size classes<sup>1</sup>, by expenditure category and commodity and service group-Continued**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	West					
	Size class A			Size class B/C <sup>2</sup>		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
		Feb. 2010	Feb. 2009		Jan. 2010	Feb. 2010
<b>Expenditure category</b>						
All items <sup>3</sup> .....	216.850	1.9	0.0	133.325	2.0	0.1
All items (December 1977=100) .....	351.037	-	-	-	-	-
Food and beverages .....	222.284	-1.4	-2	136.775	-.3	.1
Food .....	221.165	-1.6	-.3	135.778	-.5	.2
Food at home .....	222.787	-3.2	-.4	132.087	-2.5	.1
Food away from home .....	217.993	.6	.0	141.852	2.4	.3
Alcoholic beverages .....	233.391	.8	.2	155.884	1.5	-.3
Housing .....	230.676	-.7	-.1	132.522	-1.0	.0
Shelter .....	252.965	-1.3	-.1	132.026	-1.9	-.1
Rent of primary residence <sup>4</sup> .....	278.510	-.9	-.1	137.627	-1.8	-.1
Owners' equivalent rent of residences <sup>4 5</sup> .....	244.311	-1.4	-.1	131.160	-1.8	-.1
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>4 5</sup> .....	244.308	-1.4	-.1	131.160	-1.8	-.1
Fuels and utilities .....	237.255	6.1	.7	165.880	3.2	.8
Household energy .....	222.328	4.8	.5	164.834	2.6	.5
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>4</sup> .....	224.039	4.6	.5	163.155	2.1	.5
Electricity <sup>4</sup> .....	245.467	4.6	.3	157.186	5.9	.4
Utility (piped) gas service <sup>4 6</sup> .....	202.919	4.9	1.1	171.012	-8.8	1.1
Household furnishings and operations .....	133.360	-1.7	-.6	103.857	.1	.0
Apparel .....	114.743	-.6	2.6	90.088	-10.2	-.7
Transportation .....	187.795	11.7	-.6	134.620	13.1	-.5
Private transportation .....	184.084	12.2	-.7	134.258	13.5	-.5
Motor fuel .....	230.068	31.4	-2.3	213.259	35.4	-1.8
Gasoline (all types) .....	229.390	31.9	-2.3	215.619	36.0	-1.9
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>7</sup> .....	230.320	32.5	-2.3	215.733	36.5	-2.0
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>7 8</sup> .....	212.522	31.1	-2.2	211.869	35.4	-1.6
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>7</sup> .....	221.783	29.9	-2.3	207.277	34.7	-1.4
Medical care .....	385.858	4.4	1.2	171.644	4.1	2.4
Recreation <sup>2</sup> .....	106.339	-3.7	-.2	93.757	-2.8	.4
Education and communication <sup>2</sup> .....	127.252	1.8	.2	119.539	.7	-.8
Other goods and services .....	369.273	5.0	.0	172.356	8.7	.6
<b>Commodity and service group</b>						
All items <sup>3</sup> .....	216.850	1.9	.0	133.325	2.0	.1
Commodities .....	173.890	4.0	-.2	121.216	4.4	-.2
Commodities less food and beverages .....	146.639	7.6	-.2	113.001	6.9	-.5
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	182.169	11.0	-.1	139.188	9.8	-.5
Durables .....	114.028	3.6	-.2	88.192	4.1	-.4
Services .....	261.823	.3	.1	139.327	.0	.3
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>						
All items less medical care .....	210.874	1.7	-.1	128.946	1.9	-.1
All items less shelter .....	203.870	3.6	.0	130.339	3.8	.1
Commodities less food .....	150.056	7.3	-.1	114.151	6.7	-.5
Nondurables .....	203.648	4.1	-.2	137.707	4.6	-.2
Nondurables less food .....	186.323	10.2	-.1	140.183	9.1	-.5
Services less rent of shelter <sup>5</sup> .....	251.968	2.7	.4	147.793	2.4	.8
Services less medical care services .....	253.319	.1	.0	136.360	-.3	.1
Energy .....	227.247	21.1	-1.4	195.196	20.3	-.8
All items less energy .....	217.461	.4	.1	125.978	.3	.2
All items less food and energy .....	216.933	.7	.2	123.939	.5	.2

<sup>1</sup> See region and area size on Table 10 for information about cross classifications.  
<sup>2</sup> Indexes on a December 1997=100 base.  
<sup>3</sup> The 'All items' index size B/C is on a December 1996=100 base.  
<sup>4</sup> This index series was calculated using a Laspeyres estimator. All other item stratum index series were calculated using a geometric means estimator.  
<sup>5</sup> Indexes on a December 1984=100 base

<sup>6</sup> Revised index for Northeast size B/C: Jan. 2010=167.226.  
<sup>7</sup> Special index based on a substantially smaller sample.  
<sup>8</sup> Indexes on a December 1993=100 base.  
R Revised.  
- Data not available.  
NOTE: Index applies to a month as a whole, not to any specific date.

**Table 21. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): Food at home, selected areas**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Area	Food at home										
	Pricing schedule 1	Indexes				Percent change to Feb. 2010 from—			Percent change to Jan. 2010 from—		
		Nov. 2009	Dec. 2009	Jan. 2010	Feb. 2010	Feb. 2009	Dec. 2009	Jan. 2010	Jan. 2009	Nov. 2009	Dec. 2009
U.S. city average .....	M	211.488	212.041	214.049	213.839	-1.5	0.8	-0.1	-2.0	1.2	0.9
<b>Region and area size<sup>2</sup></b>											
Northeast urban .....	M	218.602	218.969	220.965	220.394	-.9	.7	-.3	-1.5	1.1	.9
Size A - More than 1,500,000 .....	M	219.883	220.292	221.815	221.223	-1.1	.4	-.3	-1.4	.9	.7
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 <sup>3</sup> .....	M	133.849	134.028	135.848	135.521	-.5	1.1	-.2	-1.6	1.5	1.4
Midwest urban .....	M	203.633	204.408	206.361	206.138	-1.1	.8	-.1	-1.6	1.3	1.0
Size A - More than 1,500,000 .....	M	208.492	209.223	210.456	209.690	-1.6	.2	-.4	-2.1	.9	.6
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 <sup>3</sup> .....	M	130.426	130.947	132.939	132.983	-.4	1.6	.0	-1.0	1.9	1.5
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000) .....	M	199.388	200.313	202.373	203.600	-.8	1.6	.6	-1.2	1.5	1.0
South urban .....	M	208.343	209.377	210.772	210.954	-1.1	.8	.1	-1.4	1.2	.7
Size A - More than 1,500,000 .....	M	206.714	206.481	207.464	209.287	-1.7	1.4	.9	-3.0	.4	.5
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 <sup>3</sup> .....	M	133.598	134.520	135.565	135.375	-.9	.6	-.1	-1.2	1.5	.8
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000) .....	M	212.531	215.421	216.962	214.230	.3	-.6	-1.3	2.1	2.1	.7
West urban .....	M	217.266	217.151	220.090	219.614	-2.9	1.1	-.2	-3.5	1.3	1.4
Size A - More than 1,500,000 .....	M	219.776	220.201	223.763	222.787	-3.2	1.2	-.4	-3.0	1.8	1.6
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 <sup>3</sup> .....	M	131.219	130.517	132.018	132.087	-2.5	1.2	.1	-4.0	.6	1.2
<b>Size classes</b>											
A <sup>4</sup> .....	M	196.376	196.707	198.439	198.285	-2.0	.8	-.1	-2.4	1.1	.9
B/C <sup>3</sup> .....	M	132.471	132.870	134.307	134.194	-1.1	1.0	-.1	-1.8	1.4	1.1
D .....	M	207.657	209.033	210.471	209.838	-.7	.4	-.3	-.9	1.4	.7
<b>Selected local areas<sup>5</sup></b>											
Chicago-Gary-Kenosha, IL-IN-WI .....	M	212.643	215.429	214.738	213.823	-2.0	-.7	-.4	-3.2	1.0	-.3
Los Angeles-Riverside-Orange County, CA ...	M	225.392	226.896	231.421	228.660	-3.1	.8	-1.2	-1.8	2.7	2.0
New York-Northern N.J.-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT-PA .....	M	223.213	222.535	223.563	222.829	-1.8	.1	-.3	-1.9	.2	.5
Boston-Brockton-Nashua, MA-NH-ME-CT .....	1	216.107	216.087	219.832	218.259	-.5	1.0	-.7	-.3	1.7	1.7
Cleveland-Akron, OH .....	1	211.699	213.700	216.797	214.798	-2.0	.5	-.9	-1.4	2.4	1.4
Dallas-Fort Worth, TX .....	1	194.324	195.985	195.029	197.089	-2.6	.6	1.1	-3.1	.4	-.5
Washington-Baltimore, DC-MD-VA-WV <sup>3</sup> .....	1	134.789	132.038	133.427	134.303	-1.2	1.7	.7	-2.0	-1.0	1.1
Atlanta, GA .....	2	207.447	205.863	207.993	210.103	-1.9	2.1	1.0	-3.6	.3	1.0
Detroit-Ann Arbor-Flint, MI .....	2	196.159	195.810	197.154	194.319	-2.0	-.8	-1.4	-1.0	.5	.7
Houston-Galveston-Brazoria, TX .....	2	196.655	197.476	198.389	202.432	-2.7	2.5	2.0	-6.4	.9	.5
Miami-Fort Lauderdale, FL .....	2	222.652	225.314	226.045	225.492	-.9	.1	-.2	-.3	1.5	.3
Philadelphia-Wilmington-Atlantic City, PA-NJ-DE-MD .....	2	216.009	217.917	219.089	218.699	-.7	.4	-.2	-.9	1.4	.5
San Francisco-Oakland-San Jose, CA .....	2	220.337	217.804	222.340	221.078	-2.3	1.5	-.6	-2.5	.9	2.1
Seattle-Tacoma-Bremerton, WA .....	2	215.442	218.883	220.914	220.702	-5.1	.8	-.1	-5.3	2.5	.9

<sup>1</sup> Foods, fuels, and several other items priced every month in all areas; most other goods and services priced as indicated:

M - Every month.

1 - January, March, May, July, September, and November.

2 - February, April, June, August, October, and December.

<sup>2</sup> Regions defined as the four Census regions. See map in technical notes.

<sup>3</sup> Indexes on a December 1997=100 base.

<sup>4</sup> Indexes on a December 1986=100 base.

<sup>5</sup> 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.

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



**Table 22. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): Areas priced monthly, by expenditure category and commodity and service group**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	U.S. city average			Chicago-Gary-Kenosha, IL-IN-WI			Los Angeles-Riverside-Orange County, CA			New York-Northern N.J.-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT-PA		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
		Feb. 2010	Feb. 2009		Jan. 2010	Feb. 2010		Feb. 2009	Jan. 2010		Feb. 2010	Feb. 2009
<b>Expenditure category</b>												
All items .....	212.544	2.8	0.0	205.627	2.8	0.0	217.090	1.8	-0.1	234.153	2.4	0.0
All items (1967=100) .....	633.105	-	-	603.898	-	-	641.567	-	-	666.693	-	-
Food and beverages .....	218.299	-2	.0	215.057	-2	-3	223.569	-1.3	-7	225.930	-6	-3
Food .....	217.837	-3	.0	213.881	-5	-3	221.046	-1.7	-8	225.517	-7	-3
Food at home .....	213.839	-1.5	-1	213.823	-2.0	-4	228.660	-3.1	-1.2	222.829	-1.8	-3
Food away from home .....	225.168	1.4	.1	209.020	1.7	.0	208.260	.5	-2	234.256	.9	-3
Alcoholic beverages .....	223.621	1.6	.0	229.933	2.8	-9	239.853	3.5	.1	230.449	1.4	-3
Housing .....	212.401	-4	-1	203.795	.4	.2	236.990	-4	.1	252.710	.7	.0
Shelter .....	242.002	.0	.0	241.345	1.2	.0	260.509	-1.2	.1	305.847	1.0	.1
Rent of primary residence <sup>1</sup> .....	247.448	.2	-1	273.111	1.9	.1	279.885	-7	.1	307.001	1.4	.1
Owners' equivalent rent of residences <sup>1</sup> <sup>2</sup> .....	232.354	.3	.0	239.401	1.8	-1	253.240	-1.4	.2	286.850	1.0	.1
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>1</sup> <sup>2</sup> .....	232.353	.3	.0	239.401	1.8	-1	253.238	-1.4	.2	286.849	1.0	.1
Fuels and utilities .....	209.171	-1.5	-2	181.144	-2.6	1.6	245.911	10.0	.6	194.195	1.3	-3
Household energy .....	183.918	-3.3	-5	160.979	-3.9	1.8	236.508	10.1	.8	196.239	.8	-4
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>1</sup> .....	187.730	-4.2	-5	164.756	-3.9	1.9	235.637	10.0	.8	195.336	-8	-1
Electricity <sup>1</sup> .....	183.247	-2.8	-7	141.100	-5.4	2.2	265.386	5.0	.7	184.217	5.6	1.0
Utility (piped) gas service <sup>1</sup> .....	200.039	-8.5	.5	189.935	-1.4	1.5	211.069	27.4	1.1	211.713	-12.1	-2.1
Household furnishings and operations ...	123.097	-1.4	-2	101.464	-1.7	-2	123.748	-1.7	-1.0	113.274	-4.0	-1.1
Apparel .....	118.607	-1	2.0	90.856	2.0	2.4	105.731	-3.3	2.9	108.570	1.8	2.4
Transportation .....	188.406	13.5	-6	173.871	13.7	-4	188.953	12.7	-8	199.187	13.4	.0
Private transportation .....	185.268	13.9	-6	170.754	14.2	-7	185.365	13.2	-9	190.709	14.2	-1
Motor fuel .....	228.569	36.0	-2.8	239.502	40.0	-3.4	231.072	32.8	-2.7	213.255	40.7	-1.8
Gasoline (all types) .....	228.207	36.8	-2.8	237.750	40.3	-3.6	226.748	33.1	-2.7	212.572	41.3	-1.8
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>3</sup> .....	227.200	37.6	-2.9	234.299	41.0	-3.6	227.129	34.0	-2.7	214.459	42.6	-1.9
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>3</sup> <sup>4</sup> .....	234.689	35.6	-2.5	248.411	39.5	-3.2	214.849	32.2	-2.6	214.524	39.4	-1.5
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>3</sup> .....	222.193	33.8	-2.5	227.031	37.1	-3.6	217.189	30.9	-2.7	209.537	37.0	-1.6
Medical care .....	386.919	3.8	.9	413.915	9.6	1.0	367.353	3.4	.7	374.934	1.8	.4
Recreation <sup>5</sup> .....	110.076	-1.1	.1	107.050	-1.4	-5	102.099	-8.1	-2	113.133	-4	.3
Education and communication <sup>5</sup> .....	124.334	1.8	.0	134.912	-1	-6	129.946	1.8	.5	131.431	1.4	-6
Other goods and services .....	404.722	10.7	.0	372.819	6.9	-3	345.880	3.4	-1	416.539	6.8	.4
<b>Commodity and service group</b>												
All items .....	212.544	2.8	.0	205.627	2.8	.0	217.090	1.8	-1	234.153	2.4	.0
Commodities .....	176.118	5.7	-2	164.492	4.4	-4	172.510	4.0	-4	181.196	4.0	-1
Commodities less food and beverages ...	153.444	9.4	-3	137.632	8.2	-4	143.938	7.2	-2	150.538	7.7	.0
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	195.059	13.6	-5	181.268	11.9	-8	180.839	10.4	-1	181.929	11.4	.1
Durables .....	112.618	3.7	.1	99.132	2.4	.2	108.141	3.5	-5	105.291	.8	-2
Services .....	255.199	.7	.1	249.001	1.5	.4	263.988	.3	.2	287.409	1.4	.1
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>												
All items less medical care .....	205.461	2.8	-1	197.437	2.5	.0	211.713	1.7	-1	228.825	2.4	.0
All items less shelter .....	204.101	4.1	.0	194.032	3.6	.1	199.902	3.5	-2	207.743	3.3	.0
Commodities less food .....	155.820	9.1	-2	141.400	7.9	-4	148.203	7.1	-2	153.504	7.4	.0
Nondurables .....	207.092	6.3	-2	200.419	5.0	-5	204.318	4.2	-4	205.658	4.8	-1
Nondurables less food .....	196.831	12.8	-4	185.028	11.0	-8	187.322	10.0	-1	184.825	10.8	.1
Services less rent of shelter <sup>2</sup> .....	248.586	1.6	.2	241.684	1.9	.8	244.525	2.5	.2	241.112	2.2	.2
Services less medical care services .....	244.205	.4	.0	236.606	.8	.3	256.764	.1	.2	280.140	1.4	.1
Energy .....	204.494	15.5	-1.8	191.061	15.1	-1.2	235.837	25.0	-1.6	204.650	16.1	-1.0
All items less energy .....	214.472	1.5	.2	208.004	1.7	.2	216.666	.0	.1	238.838	1.2	.1
All items less food and energy .....	214.172	1.9	.2	206.778	2.2	.3	215.872	.3	.2	242.929	1.6	.2

<sup>1</sup> This index series was calculated using a Laspeyres estimator. All other item stratum index series were calculated using a geometric means estimator.

<sup>2</sup> Indexes on a December 1984=100 base

<sup>3</sup> Special index based on a substantially smaller sample.

<sup>4</sup> Indexes on a December 1993=100 base.

<sup>5</sup> Indexes on a December 1997=100 base.

- Data not available.

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

**Table 23. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): Selected areas, by expenditure category and commodity and service group**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Monthly cities and pricing schedule 2 <sup>1</sup>								
	U.S. city average			Atlanta, GA			Chicago-Gary-Kenosha, IL-IN-WI		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
		Feb. 2010	Feb. 2009		Dec. 2009	Feb. 2010		Feb. 2009	Dec. 2009
<b>Expenditure category</b>									
All items .....	212.544	2.8	0.4	201.407	2.0	1.0	205.627	2.8	0.7
All items (1967=100) <sup>2</sup> .....	633.105	-	-	608.983	-	-	603.898	-	-
Food and beverages .....	218.299	-2	.5	217.504	.1	1.1	215.057	-2	-4
Food .....	217.837	-3	.5	224.607	.2	1.2	213.881	-5	-4
Food at home .....	213.839	-1.5	.8	210.103	-1.9	2.1	213.823	-2.0	-7
Food away from home .....	225.168	1.4	.1	247.494	2.5	.3	209.020	1.7	.1
Alcoholic beverages .....	223.621	1.6	.2	138.450	-1.3	-1	229.933	2.8	-3
Housing .....	212.401	-4	.1	196.054	-1.2	.7	203.795	.4	1.3
Shelter .....	242.002	.0	.0	206.186	-1.3	.2	241.345	1.2	.2
Rent of primary residence <sup>3</sup> .....	247.448	.2	.0	213.142	-2.0	-.4	273.111	1.9	1.2
Owners' equivalent rent of residences <sup>3 4</sup> .....	232.354	.3	-.1	194.961	-1.1	.5	239.401	1.8	-.1
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>3 4</sup> .....	232.353	.3	-.1	194.961	-1.1	.5	239.401	1.8	-.1
Fuels and utilities .....	209.171	-1.5	.9	243.848	-6	2.9	181.144	-2.6	8.8
Household energy .....	183.918	-3.3	.7	214.510	-3.3	2.4	160.979	-3.9	10.0
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>3</sup> .....	187.730	-4.2	.3	214.411	-3.5	2.4	164.756	-3.9	10.3
Electricity <sup>3</sup> .....	183.247	-2.8	-1.0	183.471	1.8	.1	141.100	-5.4	3.5
Utility (piped) gas service <sup>3</sup> .....	200.039	-8.5	5.2	268.574	-12.4	8.1	189.935	-1.4	20.2
Household furnishings and operations .....	123.097	-1.4	-.1	135.155	-1.1	1.2	101.464	-1.7	.0
Apparel .....	118.607	-1	-3	128.274	.9	9.4	90.856	2.0	.1
Transportation .....	188.406	13.5	.8	178.747	16.5	1.2	173.871	13.7	1.3
Private transportation .....	185.268	13.9	.9	176.269	16.7	1.3	170.754	14.2	1.4
Motor fuel .....	228.569	36.0	1.3	224.183	37.0	1.4	239.502	40.0	2.8
Gasoline (all types) .....	228.207	36.8	1.3	223.470	38.4	1.4	237.750	40.3	2.8
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>5</sup> .....	227.200	37.6	1.3	219.804	40.0	1.5	234.299	41.0	2.9
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>5 6</sup> .....	234.689	35.6	1.3	271.588	36.0	1.5	248.411	39.5	2.5
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>5</sup> .....	222.193	33.8	1.3	228.901	33.2	.9	227.031	37.1	2.3
Medical care .....	386.919	3.8	1.7	315.207	.4	-.5	413.915	9.6	3.1
Recreation <sup>7</sup> .....	110.076	-1.1	.2	92.650	-11.5	2.8	107.050	-1.4	-1.5
Education and communication <sup>7</sup> .....	124.334	1.8	.1	120.181	6.6	.9	134.912	-.1	-.9
Other goods and services .....	404.722	10.7	.2	347.037	5.0	-3.2	372.819	6.9	-.6
<b>Commodity and service group</b>									
All items .....	212.544	2.8	.4	201.407	2.0	1.0	205.627	2.8	.7
Commodities .....	176.118	5.7	.6	173.269	5.9	1.7	164.492	4.4	.1
Commodities less food and beverages .....	153.444	9.4	.6	151.534	9.4	2.0	137.632	8.2	.5
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	195.059	13.6	.7	194.187	14.4	2.9	181.268	11.9	.6
Durables .....	112.618	3.7	.4	110.323	2.4	.6	99.132	2.4	.2
Services .....	255.199	.7	.3	235.429	-.2	.7	249.001	1.5	1.1
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>									
All items less medical care .....	205.461	2.8	.3	194.910	2.0	1.1	197.437	2.5	.6
All items less shelter .....	204.101	4.1	.6	205.230	4.1	1.5	194.032	3.6	.9
Commodities less food .....	155.820	9.1	.6	151.204	9.1	1.9	141.040	7.9	.4
Nondurables .....	207.092	6.3	.6	203.806	7.1	1.9	200.419	5.0	.1
Nondurables less food .....	196.831	12.8	.7	190.385	13.7	2.7	185.028	11.0	.5
Services less rent of shelter <sup>4</sup> .....	248.586	1.6	.6	252.313	1.6	1.3	241.684	1.9	2.2
Services less medical care services .....	244.205	.4	-.2	224.200	-.2	.7	236.606	.8	1.0
Energy .....	204.494	15.5	1.0	201.591	12.9	1.9	191.061	15.1	5.8
All items less energy .....	214.472	1.5	.3	200.698	.6	.9	208.004	1.7	.1
All items less food and energy .....	214.172	1.9	.3	196.865	.6	.9	206.778	2.2	.3

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 23. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): Selected areas, by expenditure category and commodity and service group-Continued**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Monthly cities and pricing schedule 2 <sup>1</sup>								
	Detroit-Ann Arbor-Flint, MI			Houston-Galveston-Brazoria, TX			Los Angeles-Riverside-Orange County, CA		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
		Feb. 2010	Feb. 2009		Dec. 2009	Feb. 2010		Feb. 2009	Dec. 2009
<b>Expenditure category</b>									
All items .....	198.913	1.4	-0.4	190.351	2.9	0.8	217.090	1.8	0.4
All items (1967=100) <sup>2</sup> .....	585.837	-	-	607.515	-	-	641.567	-	-
Food and beverages .....	197.830	-1.2	-5	201.884	-1.7	1.0	223.569	-1.3	.4
Food .....	198.196	-1.2	-6	201.125	-1.8	1.1	221.046	-1.7	.4
Food at home .....	194.319	-2.0	-8	202.432	-2.7	2.5	228.660	-3.1	.8
Food away from home .....	204.985	.1	-3	195.893	-4	-2	208.260	.5	-2
Alcoholic beverages .....	188.795	-1.0	1.2	203.667	-1.1	.1	239.853	3.5	.2
Housing .....	181.065	-1.2	-4	183.019	-3	.5	236.990	-4	.2
Shelter .....	194.039	-2.2	-2	199.088	1.7	.3	260.509	-1.2	.2
Rent of primary residence <sup>3</sup> .....	204.108	-1.7	-2	191.744	1.9	.2	279.885	-.7	.2
Owners' equivalent rent of residences <sup>3 4</sup> .....	200.736	-1.5	-5	198.191	2.1	.2	253.240	-1.4	.1
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>3 4</sup> .....	200.736	-1.5	-5	198.191	2.1	.2	253.238	-1.4	.1
Fuels and utilities .....	233.873	3.4	-2.3	193.025	-7.8	1.1	245.911	10.0	.2
Household energy .....	193.814	2.4	-2.8	185.605	-9.9	1.3	236.508	10.1	-.6
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>3</sup> .....	195.258	3.0	-3.0	183.786	-10.1	1.2	235.637	10.0	-.6
Electricity <sup>3</sup> .....	168.697	-.7	-7.6	184.641	-10.4	.4	265.386	5.0	-5.1
Utility (piped) gas service <sup>3</sup> .....	220.386	7.9	3.1	180.043	-7.6	8.1	211.069	27.4	15.0
Household furnishings and operations .....	117.618	-1.8	1.1	128.473	-.5	.7	123.748	-1.7	-.1
Apparel .....	104.575	-4.3	-2.3	142.746	5.3	6.3	105.731	-3.3	1.6
Transportation .....	218.970	12.2	.0	176.166	15.2	1.6	188.953	12.7	.9
Private transportation .....	217.414	12.4	.0	175.554	15.7	1.8	185.365	13.2	1.0
Motor fuel .....	224.701	35.3	-.3	218.430	35.5	1.6	231.072	32.8	1.0
Gasoline (all types) .....	224.176	35.9	-.3	218.178	36.3	1.6	226.748	33.1	1.0
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>5</sup> .....	230.554	37.5	-.2	225.020	37.5	1.5	227.129	34.0	1.1
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>5 6</sup> .....	250.144	32.8	-.3	223.756	35.0	1.9	214.849	32.2	.7
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>5</sup> .....	208.737	27.8	-.5	213.508	33.0	1.7	217.189	30.9	.8
Medical care .....	357.301	1.1	2.3	361.827	3.7	.9	367.353	3.4	.9
Recreation <sup>7</sup> .....	107.909	-6.3	-2	101.802	-3.5	-1.9	102.099	-8.1	-1.5
Education and communication <sup>7</sup> .....	128.659	-.5	-2.2	101.702	-.1	-9	129.946	1.8	1.3
Other goods and services .....	390.818	10.4	.9	313.235	7.6	-4	345.880	3.4	.3
<b>Commodity and service group</b>									
All items .....	198.913	1.4	-.4	190.351	2.9	.8	217.090	1.8	.4
Commodities .....	165.770	3.9	-.2	168.093	5.5	1.7	172.510	4.0	.6
Commodities less food and beverages .....	147.832	8.1	.0	149.791	10.5	2.1	143.938	7.2	.7
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	184.325	10.4	-.4	193.712	14.5	2.3	180.839	10.4	.9
Durables .....	108.558	2.8	.8	107.089	4.6	1.8	108.141	3.5	.5
Services .....	240.370	-.6	-.5	218.851	.5	.1	263.988	.3	.3
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>									
All items less medical care .....	193.604	1.4	-.5	182.166	2.8	.8	211.713	1.7	.4
All items less shelter .....	203.987	2.7	-.4	188.710	3.3	1.0	199.902	3.5	.5
Commodities less food .....	149.609	7.6	.1	151.650	10.0	2.0	148.203	7.1	.7
Nondurables .....	192.026	4.1	-.4	198.909	5.8	1.7	204.318	4.2	.6
Nondurables less food .....	185.113	9.6	-.3	194.408	13.2	2.2	187.322	10.0	.8
Services less rent of shelter <sup>4</sup> .....	268.606	1.0	-.8	220.940	-.6	-.1	244.525	2.5	.4
Services less medical care services .....	232.164	-.8	-.6	202.871	-.3	.0	256.764	-.1	.2
Energy .....	199.171	17.5	-1.5	205.167	12.3	1.5	235.837	25.0	.5
All items less energy .....	198.544	-.4	-.2	189.415	1.7	.7	216.666	.0	.4
All items less food and energy .....	199.176	-.2	-.1	186.600	2.6	.6	215.872	.3	.4

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 23. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): Selected areas, by expenditure category and commodity and service group-Continued**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Monthly cities and pricing schedule 2 <sup>1</sup>								
	Miami-Fort Lauderdale, FL			New York-Northern N.J.-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT-PA			Philadelphia-Wilmington-Atlantic City, PA-NJ-DE-MD		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
		Feb. 2010	Feb. 2009		Dec. 2009	Feb. 2010		Feb. 2009	Dec. 2009
<b>Expenditure category</b>									
All items .....	221.074	1.6	0.0	234.153	2.4	0.3	226.539	3.3	0.8
All items (1967=100) <sup>2</sup> .....	359.178	-	-	666.693	-	-	658.021	-	-
Food and beverages .....	226.484	.6	.3	225.930	-.6	.0	210.131	.0	.2
Food .....	228.255	.5	.1	225.517	-.7	.0	209.361	.1	.3
Food at home .....	225.492	-.9	.1	222.829	-1.8	.1	218.699	-.7	.4
Food away from home .....	234.744	2.8	.2	234.256	.9	-.2	188.402	1.2	.3
Alcoholic beverages .....	200.194	2.4	3.5	230.449	1.4	-.3	211.634	-1.2	-2.0
Housing .....	223.625	-2.6	-1.0	252.710	.7	.3	236.493	1.8	.5
Shelter .....	247.409	-1.7	.2	305.847	1.0	.2	286.668	3.0	.5
Rent of primary residence <sup>3</sup> .....	236.180	-1.7	.1	307.001	1.4	.1	260.230	1.2	-.2
Owners' equivalent rent of residences <sup>3 4</sup> .....	240.757	-2.0	.1	286.850	1.0	.2	257.571	3.8	.5
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>3 4</sup> .....	240.757	-2.0	.1	286.849	1.0	.2	257.571	3.8	.5
Fuels and utilities .....	166.367	-6.5	-10.0	194.195	1.3	1.3	212.832	.1	1.9
Household energy .....	148.564	-10.4	-11.4	196.239	.8	1.5	189.329	-1.1	2.2
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>3</sup> .....	146.287	-10.4	-11.5	195.336	-.8	1.1	204.587	-3.3	1.7
Electricity <sup>3</sup> .....	141.753	-11.1	-12.4	184.217	5.6	2.2	200.613	2.0	2.4
Utility (piped) gas service <sup>3</sup> .....	222.383	-3.1	8.2	211.713	-12.1	-.9	201.130	-15.8	.2
Household furnishings and operations .....	170.063	-5.5	.1	113.274	-4.0	-.3	115.465	-6.0	-2.2
Apparel .....	163.879	6.8	12.9	108.570	1.8	-.6	107.419	1.8	4.6
Transportation .....	197.134	12.6	.0	199.187	13.4	.5	197.695	13.6	1.0
Private transportation .....	197.567	12.6	.0	190.709	14.2	.5	196.633	14.4	.9
Motor fuel .....	246.214	35.4	1.9	213.255	40.7	1.1	235.157	34.3	1.8
Gasoline (all types) .....	243.979	35.6	1.9	212.572	41.3	1.0	231.841	35.9	1.8
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>5</sup> .....	244.104	36.5	1.9	214.459	42.6	1.1	231.416	37.2	1.8
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>5 6</sup> .....	227.397	34.8	1.8	214.524	39.4	1.0	228.464	33.5	1.7
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>5</sup> .....	238.811	33.0	2.0	209.537	37.0	.7	221.700	32.5	1.2
Medical care .....	372.914	3.3	1.3	374.934	1.8	1.6	415.115	.7	1.9
Recreation <sup>7</sup> .....	108.012	-4.7	-2.3	113.133	-.4	1.2	117.756	-2.7	-.8
Education and communication <sup>7</sup> .....	121.107	2.5	.4	131.431	1.4	.0	125.597	2.2	3.3
Other goods and services .....	300.196	10.9	1.2	416.539	6.8	.4	440.003	10.0	-.8
<b>Commodity and service group</b>									
All items .....	221.074	1.6	.0	234.153	2.4	.3	226.539	3.3	.8
Commodities .....	192.951	6.1	1.5	181.196	4.0	.1	177.484	4.9	.6
Commodities less food and beverages .....	172.513	10.8	2.4	150.538	7.7	.3	155.084	8.1	.8
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	205.722	18.0	3.8	181.929	11.4	.5	181.106	11.8	1.3
Durables .....	133.624	1.1	.2	105.291	.8	-.2	116.526	1.7	-.2
Services .....	246.977	-1.3	-1.0	287.409	1.4	.4	284.745	2.3	1.0
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>									
All items less medical care .....	214.707	1.5	.0	228.825	2.4	.3	219.754	3.4	.8
All items less shelter .....	208.833	3.7	-.1	207.743	3.3	.4	209.664	3.4	1.0
Commodities less food .....	173.295	10.6	2.5	153.504	7.4	.3	157.336	7.8	.7
Nondurables .....	217.611	7.6	1.8	205.658	4.8	.2	197.839	5.8	.8
Nondurables less food .....	204.666	17.4	3.7	184.825	10.8	.5	183.483	11.1	1.1
Services less rent of shelter <sup>4</sup> .....	228.718	.0	-2.8	241.112	2.2	.7	256.113	1.4	1.6
Services less medical care services .....	236.780	-1.4	-1.1	280.140	1.4	.3	275.022	2.4	.9
Energy .....	187.954	12.6	-3.8	204.650	16.1	1.3	202.983	12.2	2.0
All items less energy .....	225.348	.6	.4	238.838	1.2	.2	230.638	2.3	.7
All items less food and energy .....	224.819	.6	.5	242.929	1.6	.3	236.961	2.7	.7

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 23. Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): Selected areas, by expenditure category and commodity and service group-Continued**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Monthly cities and pricing schedule 2 <sup>1</sup>					
	San Francisco-Oakland-San Jose, CA			Seattle-Tacoma-Bremerton, WA		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
		Feb. 2010	Feb. 2009		Dec. 2009	Feb. 2010
<b>Expenditure category</b>						
All items .....	222.049	2.4	0.9	221.215	1.1	0.1
All items (1967=100) 2 .....	676.157	-	-	656.122	-	-
Food and beverages .....	225.169	-5	.7	225.057	-3.0	.7
Food .....	225.416	-3	.8	225.326	-3.4	.6
Food at home .....	221.078	-2.3	1.5	220.702	-5.1	.8
Food away from home .....	231.362	2.5	-1	236.952	-8	.3
Alcoholic beverages .....	225.581	-4.2	-4	225.661	1.2	1.3
Housing .....	244.731	.1	.2	226.682	-2.0	-5
Shelter .....	269.605	-5	-1	248.325	-2.7	-1.2
Rent of primary residence 3 .....	297.313	.1	-2	254.311	-2.2	-9
Owners' equivalent rent of residences 3 4 .....	251.031	-2	-2	257.782	-2.9	-1.4
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence 3 4 .....	251.031	-2	-2	257.782	-2.9	-1.4
Fuels and utilities .....	263.376	7.6	5.1	211.053	3.4	4.0
Household energy .....	283.262	8.1	6.9	203.269	.4	2.9
Gas (piped) and electricity 3 .....	282.175	7.9	6.9	236.268	.3	2.8
Electricity 3 .....	300.857	9.4	4.9	244.128	5.5	3.4
Utility (piped) gas service 3 .....	218.048	.7	12.8	184.544	-17.2	.1
Household furnishings and operations .....	136.855	-9	-1.4	161.993	-3.0	-1
Apparel .....	112.521	-1.1	4.4	141.796	.2	5.9
Transportation .....	175.434	11.1	1.1	207.410	10.8	.3
Private transportation .....	168.953	11.7	1.1	212.390	11.1	.1
Motor fuel .....	222.984	32.0	.9	299.953	28.9	.7
Gasoline (all types) .....	222.817	32.6	.8	306.265	29.5	.6
Gasoline, unleaded regular 5 .....	223.013	32.9	.8	336.137	29.9	.7
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade 5 6 .....	207.215	31.9	.6	236.493	28.0	.4
Gasoline, unleaded premium 5 .....	210.679	32.0	1.2	272.259	27.1	.5
Medical care .....	380.000	2.8	1.7	359.489	6.0	4.6
Recreation 7 .....	108.276	3.7	3.1	93.384	-6.0	-5.2
Education and communication 7 .....	136.158	4.3	2.3	126.742	1.4	.4
Other goods and services .....	382.278	4.4	.2	386.641	6.0	.6
<b>Commodity and service group</b>						
All items .....	222.049	2.4	.9	221.215	1.1	.1
Commodities .....	174.350	3.8	.9	185.073	3.9	.9
Commodities less food and beverages .....	143.359	7.1	1.0	163.987	8.1	1.0
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	175.012	10.9	1.6	204.408	11.8	1.8
Durables .....	111.432	2.4	.0	126.129	3.4	-2
Services .....	269.182	1.5	.9	258.626	-6	-4
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>						
All items less medical care .....	216.742	2.4	.8	215.627	.9	-1
All items less shelter .....	204.004	4.2	1.5	212.286	3.2	.8
Commodities less food .....	146.407	6.7	1.0	165.903	7.8	1.1
Nondurables .....	202.221	4.2	1.2	213.195	4.0	1.2
Nondurables less food .....	177.827	9.9	1.5	205.224	10.9	1.7
Services less rent of shelter 4 .....	249.770	4.6	2.4	248.906	2.1	.6
Services less medical care services .....	262.371	1.4	.8	249.444	-1.1	-7
Energy .....	246.719	22.4	2.5	259.207	18.0	1.5
All items less energy .....	223.019	1.1	.7	220.911	-3	.0
All items less food and energy .....	222.929	1.4	.7	219.196	.2	-1

<sup>1</sup> Areas on pricing schedule 1 (see Table 10) will appear next month.

<sup>2</sup> Index on a November 1977=100 base in Miami.

<sup>3</sup> This index series was calculated using a Laspeyres estimator. All other item stratum index series were calculated using a geometric means estimator.

<sup>4</sup> Indexes on a December 1984=100 base

<sup>5</sup> Special index based on a substantially smaller sample.

<sup>6</sup> Indexes on a December 1993=100 base.

<sup>7</sup> Indexes on a December 1997=100 base.

- Data not available.

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

**Table 24. Historical Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U. S. city average, all items**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1913	9.8	9.8	9.8	9.8	9.7	9.8	9.9	9.9	10.0	10.0	10.1	10.0
1914	10.0	9.9	9.9	9.8	9.9	9.9	10.0	10.2	10.2	10.1	10.2	10.1
1915	10.1	10.0	9.9	10.0	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.2	10.3	10.3
1916	10.4	10.4	10.5	10.6	10.7	10.8	10.8	10.9	11.1	11.3	11.5	11.6
1917	11.7	12.0	12.0	12.6	12.8	13.0	12.8	13.0	13.3	13.5	13.5	13.7
1918	14.0	14.1	14.0	14.2	14.5	14.7	15.1	15.4	15.7	16.0	16.3	16.5
1919	16.5	16.2	16.4	16.7	16.9	16.9	17.4	17.7	17.8	18.1	18.5	18.9
1920	19.3	19.5	19.7	20.3	20.6	20.9	20.8	20.3	20.0	19.9	19.8	19.4
1921	19.0	18.4	18.3	18.1	17.7	17.6	17.7	17.7	17.5	17.5	17.4	17.3
1922	16.9	16.9	16.7	16.7	16.7	16.7	16.8	16.6	16.6	16.7	16.8	16.9
1923	16.8	16.8	16.8	16.9	16.9	17.0	17.2	17.1	17.2	17.3	17.3	17.3
1924	17.3	17.2	17.1	17.0	17.0	17.0	17.1	17.0	17.1	17.2	17.2	17.3
1925	17.3	17.2	17.3	17.2	17.3	17.5	17.7	17.7	17.7	17.7	18.0	17.9
1926	17.9	17.9	17.8	17.9	17.8	17.7	17.5	17.4	17.5	17.6	17.7	17.7
1927	17.5	17.4	17.3	17.3	17.4	17.6	17.3	17.2	17.3	17.4	17.3	17.3
1928	17.3	17.1	17.1	17.1	17.2	17.1	17.1	17.1	17.3	17.2	17.2	17.1
1929	17.1	17.1	17.0	16.9	17.0	17.1	17.3	17.3	17.3	17.3	17.3	17.2
1930	17.1	17.0	16.9	17.0	16.9	16.8	16.6	16.5	16.6	16.5	16.4	16.1
1931	15.9	15.7	15.6	15.5	15.3	15.1	15.1	15.1	15.0	14.9	14.7	14.6
1932	14.3	14.1	14.0	13.9	13.7	13.6	13.6	13.5	13.4	13.3	13.2	13.1
1933	12.9	12.7	12.6	12.6	12.6	12.7	13.1	13.2	13.2	13.2	13.2	13.2
1934	13.2	13.3	13.3	13.3	13.3	13.4	13.4	13.4	13.6	13.5	13.5	13.4
1935	13.6	13.7	13.7	13.8	13.8	13.7	13.7	13.7	13.7	13.7	13.8	13.8
1936	13.8	13.8	13.7	13.7	13.7	13.8	13.9	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0
1937	14.1	14.1	14.2	14.3	14.4	14.4	14.5	14.5	14.6	14.6	14.5	14.4
1938	14.2	14.1	14.1	14.2	14.1	14.1	14.1	14.1	14.1	14.0	14.0	14.0
1939	14.0	13.9	13.9	13.8	13.8	13.8	13.8	13.8	14.1	14.0	14.0	14.0
1940	13.9	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.1	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.1
1941	14.1	14.1	14.2	14.3	14.4	14.7	14.7	14.9	15.1	15.3	15.4	15.5
1942	15.7	15.8	16.0	16.1	16.3	16.3	16.4	16.5	16.5	16.7	16.8	16.9
1943	16.9	16.9	17.2	17.4	17.5	17.5	17.4	17.3	17.4	17.4	17.4	17.4
1944	17.4	17.4	17.4	17.5	17.5	17.6	17.7	17.7	17.7	17.7	17.7	17.8
1945	17.8	17.8	17.8	17.8	17.9	18.1	18.1	18.1	18.1	18.1	18.1	18.2
1946	18.2	18.1	18.3	18.4	18.5	18.7	19.8	20.2	20.4	20.8	21.3	21.5
1947	21.5	21.5	21.9	21.9	21.9	22.0	22.2	22.5	23.0	23.0	23.1	23.4
1948	23.7	23.5	23.4	23.8	23.9	24.1	24.4	24.5	24.5	24.4	24.2	24.1
1949	24.0	23.8	23.8	23.9	23.8	23.9	23.7	23.8	23.9	23.7	23.8	23.6
1950	23.5	23.5	23.6	23.6	23.7	23.8	24.1	24.3	24.4	24.6	24.7	25.0
1951	25.4	25.7	25.8	25.8	25.9	25.9	25.9	25.9	26.1	26.2	26.4	26.5
1952	26.5	26.3	26.3	26.4	26.4	26.5	26.7	26.7	26.7	26.7	26.7	26.7
1953	26.6	26.5	26.6	26.6	26.7	26.8	26.8	26.9	26.9	27.0	26.9	26.9
1954	26.9	26.9	26.9	26.8	26.9	26.9	26.9	26.9	26.8	26.8	26.8	26.7
1955	26.7	26.7	26.7	26.7	26.7	26.7	26.8	26.8	26.9	26.9	26.9	26.8
1956	26.8	26.8	26.8	26.9	27.0	27.2	27.4	27.3	27.4	27.5	27.5	27.6
1957	27.6	27.7	27.8	27.9	28.0	28.1	28.3	28.3	28.3	28.3	28.4	28.4
1958	28.6	28.6	28.8	28.9	28.9	28.9	29.0	28.9	28.9	28.9	29.0	28.9
1959	29.0	28.9	28.9	29.0	29.0	29.1	29.2	29.2	29.3	29.4	29.4	29.4
1960	29.3	29.4	29.4	29.5	29.5	29.6	29.6	29.6	29.6	29.8	29.8	29.8
1961	29.8	29.8	29.8	29.8	29.8	29.8	30.0	29.9	30.0	30.0	30.0	30.0
1962	30.0	30.1	30.1	30.2	30.2	30.2	30.3	30.3	30.4	30.4	30.4	30.4
1963	30.4	30.4	30.5	30.5	30.5	30.6	30.7	30.7	30.7	30.8	30.8	30.9
1964	30.9	30.9	30.9	30.9	30.9	31.0	31.1	31.0	31.1	31.1	31.2	31.2
1965	31.2	31.2	31.3	31.4	31.4	31.6	31.6	31.6	31.6	31.7	31.7	31.8
1966	31.8	32.0	32.1	32.3	32.3	32.4	32.5	32.7	32.7	32.9	32.9	32.9
1967	32.9	32.9	33.0	33.1	33.2	33.3	33.4	33.5	33.6	33.7	33.8	33.9
1968	34.1	34.2	34.3	34.4	34.5	34.7	34.9	35.0	35.1	35.3	35.4	35.5
1969	35.6	35.8	36.1	36.3	36.4	36.6	36.8	37.0	37.1	37.3	37.5	37.7

See footnotes at end of table.



**Table 24. Historical Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U. S. city average, all items-Continued**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Year	Semiannual averages		Annual avg.	Percent change from previous	
	1st half	2nd half		Dec.	Annual avg.
1913	-	-	9.9	-	-
1914	-	-	10.0	1.0	1.0
1915	-	-	10.1	2.0	1.0
1916	-	-	10.9	12.6	7.9
1917	-	-	12.8	18.1	17.4
1918	-	-	15.1	20.4	18.0
1919	-	-	17.3	14.5	14.6
1920	-	-	20.0	2.6	15.6
1921	-	-	17.9	-10.8	-10.5
1922	-	-	16.8	-2.3	-6.1
1923	-	-	17.1	2.4	1.8
1924	-	-	17.1	.0	.0
1925	-	-	17.5	3.5	2.3
1926	-	-	17.7	-1.1	1.1
1927	-	-	17.4	-2.3	-1.7
1928	-	-	17.1	-1.2	-1.7
1929	-	-	17.1	.6	.0
1930	-	-	16.7	-6.4	-2.3
1931	-	-	15.2	-9.3	-9.0
1932	-	-	13.7	-10.3	-9.9
1933	-	-	13.0	.8	-5.1
1934	-	-	13.4	1.5	3.1
1935	-	-	13.7	3.0	2.2
1936	-	-	13.9	1.4	1.5
1937	-	-	14.4	2.9	3.6
1938	-	-	14.1	-2.8	-2.1
1939	-	-	13.9	.0	-1.4
1940	-	-	14.0	.7	.7
1941	-	-	14.7	9.9	5.0
1942	-	-	16.3	9.0	10.9
1943	-	-	17.3	3.0	6.1
1944	-	-	17.6	2.3	1.7
1945	-	-	18.0	2.2	2.3
1946	-	-	19.5	18.1	8.3
1947	-	-	22.3	8.8	14.4
1948	-	-	24.1	3.0	8.1
1949	-	-	23.8	-2.1	-1.2
1950	-	-	24.1	5.9	1.3
1951	-	-	26.0	6.0	7.9
1952	-	-	26.5	.8	1.9
1953	-	-	26.7	.7	.8
1954	-	-	26.9	-.7	.7
1955	-	-	26.8	.4	-.4
1956	-	-	27.2	3.0	1.5
1957	-	-	28.1	2.9	3.3
1958	-	-	28.9	1.8	2.8
1959	-	-	29.1	1.7	.7
1960	-	-	29.6	1.4	1.7
1961	-	-	29.9	.7	1.0
1962	-	-	30.2	1.3	1.0
1963	-	-	30.6	1.6	1.3
1964	-	-	31.0	1.0	1.3
1965	-	-	31.5	1.9	1.6
1966	-	-	32.4	3.5	2.9
1967	-	-	33.4	3.0	3.1
1968	-	-	34.8	4.7	4.2
1969	-	-	36.7	6.2	5.5

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 24. Historical Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U. S. city average, all items-Continued**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1970	37.8	38.0	38.2	38.5	38.6	38.8	39.0	39.0	39.2	39.4	39.6	39.8
1971	39.8	39.9	40.0	40.1	40.3	40.6	40.7	40.8	40.8	40.9	40.9	41.1
1972	41.1	41.3	41.4	41.5	41.6	41.7	41.9	42.0	42.1	42.3	42.4	42.5
1973	42.6	42.9	43.3	43.6	43.9	44.2	44.3	45.1	45.2	45.6	45.9	46.2
1974	46.6	47.2	47.8	48.0	48.6	49.0	49.4	50.0	50.6	51.1	51.5	51.9
1975	52.1	52.5	52.7	52.9	53.2	53.6	54.2	54.3	54.6	54.9	55.3	55.5
1976	55.6	55.8	55.9	56.1	56.5	56.8	57.1	57.4	57.6	57.9	58.0	58.2
1977	58.5	59.1	59.5	60.0	60.3	60.7	61.0	61.2	61.4	61.6	61.9	62.1
1978	62.5	62.9	63.4	63.9	64.5	65.2	65.7	66.0	66.5	67.1	67.4	67.7
1979	68.3	69.1	69.8	70.6	71.5	72.3	73.1	73.8	74.6	75.2	75.9	76.7
1980	77.8	78.9	80.1	81.0	81.8	82.7	82.7	83.3	84.0	84.8	85.5	86.3
1981	87.0	87.9	88.5	89.1	89.8	90.6	91.6	92.3	93.2	93.4	93.7	94.0
1982	94.3	94.6	94.5	94.9	95.8	97.0	97.5	97.7	97.9	98.2	98.0	97.6
1983	97.8	97.9	97.9	98.6	99.2	99.5	99.9	100.2	100.7	101.0	101.2	101.3
1984	101.9	102.4	102.6	103.1	103.4	103.7	104.1	104.5	105.0	105.3	105.3	105.3
1985	105.5	106.0	106.4	106.9	107.3	107.6	107.8	108.0	108.3	108.7	109.0	109.3
1986	109.6	109.3	108.8	108.6	108.9	109.5	109.5	109.7	110.2	110.3	110.4	110.5
1987	111.2	111.6	112.1	112.7	113.1	113.5	113.8	114.4	115.0	115.3	115.4	115.4
1988	115.7	116.0	116.5	117.1	117.5	118.0	118.5	119.0	119.8	120.2	120.3	120.5
1989	121.1	121.6	122.3	123.1	123.8	124.1	124.4	124.6	125.0	125.6	125.9	126.1
1990	127.4	128.0	128.7	128.9	129.2	129.9	130.4	131.6	132.7	133.5	133.8	133.8
1991	134.6	134.8	135.0	135.2	135.6	136.0	136.2	136.6	137.2	137.4	137.8	137.9
1992	138.1	138.6	139.3	139.5	139.7	140.2	140.5	140.9	141.3	141.8	142.0	141.9
1993	142.6	143.1	143.6	144.0	144.2	144.4	144.4	144.8	145.1	145.7	145.8	145.8
1994	146.2	146.7	147.2	147.4	147.5	148.0	148.4	149.0	149.4	149.5	149.7	149.7
1995	150.3	150.9	151.4	151.9	152.2	152.5	152.5	152.9	153.2	153.7	153.6	153.5
1996	154.4	154.9	155.7	156.3	156.6	156.7	157.0	157.3	157.8	158.3	158.6	158.6
1997	159.1	159.6	160.0	160.2	160.1	160.3	160.5	160.8	161.2	161.6	161.5	161.3
1998	161.6	161.9	162.2	162.5	162.8	163.0	163.2	163.4	163.6	164.0	164.0	163.9
1999	164.3	164.5	165.0	166.2	166.2	166.2	166.7	167.1	167.9	168.2	168.3	168.3
2000	168.8	169.8	171.2	171.3	171.5	172.4	172.8	172.8	173.7	174.0	174.1	174.0
2001	175.1	175.8	176.2	176.9	177.7	178.0	177.5	177.5	178.3	177.7	177.4	176.7
2002	177.1	177.8	178.8	179.8	179.8	179.9	180.1	180.7	181.0	181.3	181.3	180.9
2003	181.7	183.1	184.2	183.8	183.5	183.7	183.9	184.6	185.2	185.0	184.5	184.3
2004	185.2	186.2	187.4	188.0	189.1	189.7	189.4	189.5	189.9	190.9	191.0	190.3
2005	190.7	191.8	193.3	194.6	194.4	194.5	195.4	196.4	198.8	199.2	197.6	196.8
2006	198.3	198.7	199.8	201.5	202.5	202.9	203.5	203.9	202.9	201.8	201.5	201.8
2007	202.416	203.499	205.352	206.686	207.949	208.352	208.299	207.917	208.490	208.936	210.177	210.036
2008	211.080	211.693	213.528	214.823	216.632	218.815	219.964	219.086	218.783	216.573	212.425	210.228
2009	211.143	212.193	212.709	213.240	213.856	215.693	215.351	215.834	215.969	216.177	216.330	215.949
2010	216.687	216.741	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 24. Historical Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U. S. city average, all items-Continued**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Year	Semiannual averages		Annual avg.	Percent change from previous	
	1st half	2nd half		Dec.	Annual avg.
1970	-	-	38.8	5.6	5.7
1971	-	-	40.5	3.3	4.4
1972	-	-	41.8	3.4	3.2
1973	-	-	44.4	8.7	6.2
1974	-	-	49.3	12.3	11.0
1975	-	-	53.8	6.9	9.1
1976	-	-	56.9	4.9	5.8
1977	-	-	60.6	6.7	6.5
1978	-	-	65.2	9.0	7.6
1979	-	-	72.6	13.3	11.3
1980	-	-	82.4	12.5	13.5
1981	-	-	90.9	8.9	10.3
1982	-	-	96.5	3.8	6.2
1983	-	-	99.6	3.8	3.2
1984	102.9	104.9	103.9	3.9	4.3
1985	106.6	108.5	107.6	3.8	3.6
1986	109.1	110.1	109.6	1.1	1.9
1987	112.4	114.9	113.6	4.4	3.6
1988	116.8	119.7	118.3	4.4	4.1
1989	122.7	125.3	124.0	4.6	4.8
1990	128.7	132.6	130.7	6.1	5.4
1991	135.2	137.2	136.2	3.1	4.2
1992	139.2	141.4	140.3	2.9	3.0
1993	143.7	145.3	144.5	2.7	3.0
1994	147.2	149.3	148.2	2.7	2.6
1995	151.5	153.2	152.4	2.5	2.8
1996	155.8	157.9	156.9	3.3	3.0
1997	159.9	161.2	160.5	1.7	2.3
1998	162.3	163.7	163.0	1.6	1.6
1999	165.4	167.8	166.6	2.7	2.2
2000	170.8	173.6	172.2	3.4	3.4
2001	176.6	177.5	177.1	1.6	2.8
2002	178.9	180.9	179.9	2.4	1.6
2003	183.3	184.6	184.0	1.9	2.3
2004	187.6	190.2	188.9	3.3	2.7
2005	193.2	197.4	195.3	3.4	3.4
2006	200.6	202.6	201.6	2.5	3.2
2007	205.709	208.976	207.342	4.1	2.8
2008	214.429	216.177	215.303	.1	3.8
2009	213.139	215.935	214.537	2.7	-4
2010	-	-	-	-	-

- Data not available.

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

**Table 25. Historical Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, by commodity and service group and detailed expenditure categories**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Unadjusted indexes								
	December								Feb. 2010
	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	
<b>Expenditure category</b>									
All items .....	180.9	184.3	190.3	196.8	201.8	210.036	210.228	215.949	216.741
All items (1967=100) .....	541.9	552.1	570.1	589.4	604.5	629.174	629.751	646.887	649.259
Food and beverages .....	177.8	184.1	188.9	193.2	197.4	206.936	218.839	218.049	219.140
Food .....	177.3	183.6	188.5	192.9	197.0	206.704	218.805	217.637	218.778
Food at home .....	176.1	184.1	188.5	191.7	194.3	205.208	218.683	213.359	215.118
Cereals and bakery products .....	197.3	202.9	206.4	208.4	214.8	226.461	253.063	251.019	251.361
Cereals and cereal products .....	180.1	183.9	185.7	185.1	189.0	196.793	222.639	219.487	219.347
Flour and prepared flour mixes .....	165.0	171.4	165.4	171.6	177.0	190.014	229.875	220.166	230.666
Breakfast cereal .....	202.2	203.2	205.7	201.3	202.3	207.828	217.930	218.174	214.970
Rice, pasta, cornmeal .....	154.6	161.1	165.0	167.1	174.9	183.958	233.018	226.189	227.734
Rice <sup>1 2</sup> .....	98.2	103.4	108.3	110.1	117.3	122.254	170.418	155.502	157.436
Bakery products .....	206.0	212.6	217.1	220.7	228.5	242.268	269.187	267.776	268.398
Bread <sup>2</sup> .....	116.2	118.6	123.3	126.9	133.4	147.354	165.774	160.007	159.052
White bread <sup>1</sup> .....	213.7	218.9	227.2	232.5	244.6	272.159	304.713	294.248	290.106
Bread other than white <sup>1</sup> .....	223.3	222.5	233.7	240.2	251.3	276.643	313.310	301.685	305.106
Fresh biscuits, rolls, muffins <sup>2</sup> .....	115.5	119.9	123.1	126.1	134.0	139.977	158.809	154.706	152.659
Cakes, cupcakes, and cookies .....	199.9	205.1	209.4	213.9	216.1	228.738	248.707	255.349	253.402
Cookies <sup>1</sup> .....	201.6	203.1	208.1	212.5	216.2	222.193	241.011	251.261	246.980
Fresh cakes and cupcakes <sup>1</sup> .....	199.9	207.7	211.6	216.1	216.9	235.227	256.070	258.666	258.667
Other bakery products .....	197.3	206.5	206.9	205.9	212.4	217.459	240.851	242.453	248.865
Fresh sweetrolls, coffeecakes, doughnuts <sup>1</sup> .....	198.0	205.5	209.8	216.8	225.3	233.009	250.349	251.485	254.307
Crackers, bread, and cracker products <sup>1</sup> .....	227.0	242.4	239.8	236.6	244.4	247.888	277.864	280.837	290.281
Frozen and refrigerated bakery products, pies, tarts, turnovers <sup>1</sup> .....	203.7	207.0	211.9	211.6	217.3	225.129	248.467	254.335	259.492
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs .....	162.4	181.1	183.1	185.7	188.6	198.755	208.890	201.003	202.343
Meats, poultry, and fish .....	163.0	180.4	184.5	187.1	189.0	196.639	208.647	201.129	202.217
Meats .....	160.3	182.7	185.6	187.8	189.4	195.558	206.864	196.202	198.120
Beef and veal .....	161.1	198.9	197.1	201.5	202.6	212.808	226.019	215.426	215.129
Uncooked ground beef .....	139.0	166.1	170.9	176.8	177.7	186.936	207.712	195.073	197.606
Uncooked beef roasts <sup>2</sup> .....	119.1	147.1	146.1	147.8	147.5	155.076	162.822	158.812	158.467
Uncooked beef steaks <sup>2</sup> .....	116.1	148.0	143.1	145.0	145.1	152.557	154.867	147.026	144.402
Uncooked other beef and veal <sup>2</sup> .....	112.8	137.3	128.8	132.7	138.1	143.603	152.620	151.342	151.261
Pork .....	159.2	167.5	175.4	175.2	176.4	178.818	187.918	173.178	181.214
Bacon, breakfast sausage, and related products <sup>2</sup> .....	113.1	118.0	124.8	120.3	122.3	126.273	129.126	122.472	125.657
Bacon and related products <sup>1</sup> .....	187.8	205.1	212.4	207.7	211.1	219.140	219.838	211.750	216.122
Breakfast sausage and related products <sup>1 2</sup> .....	110.7	115.1	123.6	117.7	119.3	122.097	127.313	120.341	125.406
Ham .....	155.3	162.4	169.2	172.9	173.6	175.954	185.401	169.673	176.698
Ham, excluding canned <sup>1</sup> .....	169.8	178.9	188.5	193.3	195.9	198.301	208.760	190.435	199.139
Pork chops .....	154.9	163.2	166.9	166.8	166.2	167.482	178.470	164.203	175.602
Other pork including roasts and picnics <sup>2</sup> .....	95.4	102.2	108.8	111.6	112.1	111.596	120.335	107.138	113.866
Other meats .....	164.8	173.8	178.9	180.4	184.0	187.239	198.096	193.250	190.072
Frankfurters <sup>1</sup> .....	172.0	177.0	172.8	175.6	177.6	186.345	193.675	183.973	183.590
Lunchmeats <sup>1 2</sup> .....	109.5	113.3	116.8	118.0	119.1	120.873	129.323	128.646	125.383
Lamb and organ meats <sup>1</sup> .....	189.8	202.7	207.5	214.2	NA	231.966	253.332	257.675	258.299
Lamb and mutton <sup>1 2</sup> .....	NA	NA	114.9	126.8	NA	NA	156.461	155.167	155.496
Poultry .....	166.6	174.4	183.3	183.8	182.5	193.998	205.222	202.158	202.083
Chicken <sup>2</sup> .....	108.3	113.4	120.0	119.6	118.5	127.324	134.248	131.427	130.866
Fresh whole chicken <sup>1</sup> .....	170.6	171.5	186.4	188.5	186.1	202.199	218.072	208.519	207.462
Fresh and frozen chicken parts <sup>1</sup> .....	167.5	176.9	186.3	183.2	181.2	194.487	202.195	201.295	199.629
Other poultry including turkey <sup>2</sup> .....	104.0	108.5	111.2	114.3	114.7	116.282	124.859	126.405	128.345
Fish and seafood .....	187.4	192.5	196.9	204.4	211.6	221.633	238.759	238.671	237.881
Fresh fish and seafood <sup>2</sup> .....	106.3	111.3	114.4	120.9	125.9	132.385	140.429	138.441	139.100
Processed fish and seafood <sup>2</sup> .....	105.3	105.3	106.9	108.2	110.9	115.420	126.573	128.506	126.970
Canned fish and seafood <sup>1</sup> .....	130.5	130.2	133.7	136.5	144.0	148.631	170.862	176.701	175.276
Frozen fish and seafood <sup>1</sup> .....	225.5	227.1	228.7	231.5	233.8	245.839	260.713	266.261	263.957
Eggs .....	146.5	190.6	152.6	154.7	176.5	234.018	212.819	198.747	204.419
Dairy and related products .....	167.3	173.0	180.1	183.2	181.0	205.299	210.838	194.792	198.800
Milk <sup>2</sup> .....	109.9	117.5	124.4	128.7	125.5	149.692	144.817	129.538	132.969
Fresh whole milk <sup>1</sup> .....	160.2	171.3	181.5	189.3	181.2	221.014	211.209	184.074	189.575
Fresh milk other than whole <sup>1 2</sup> .....	111.8	119.1	125.1	128.0	128.0	149.603	145.893	133.648	137.330
Cheese and related products .....	168.3	172.2	181.4	182.3	178.9	202.189	219.187	198.738	203.386
Ice cream and related products .....	179.1	179.4	178.4	179.1	182.0	188.522	199.080	194.929	196.264
Other dairy and related products <sup>2</sup> .....	114.9	116.7	120.1	121.9	121.7	136.064	139.584	134.255	136.537
Fruits and vegetables .....	224.9	232.4	250.8	252.3	257.2	272.482	281.706	273.189	274.963

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 25. Historical Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, by commodity and service group and detailed expenditure categories-Continued**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Unadjusted indexes								
	December								Feb. 2010
	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	
<b>Expenditure category</b>									
Fresh fruits and vegetables .....	264.3	276.3	302.7	301.1	306.4	326.064	327.943	315.247	316.252
Fresh fruits .....	283.3	287.3	308.2	312.3	325.7	344.733	338.252	325.602	323.142
Apples .....	231.2	238.5	241.0	251.1	276.3	292.707	304.060	273.996	287.461
Bananas .....	165.4	162.9	158.2	169.9	174.5	182.356	211.145	193.304	198.900
Citrus fruits <sup>2</sup> .....	142.4	145.1	162.2	174.3	185.0	186.752	186.888	187.089	187.063
Oranges, including tangerines <sup>1</sup> .....	278.8	294.3	313.7	331.5	370.7	348.722	362.266	377.682	366.964
Other fresh fruits <sup>2</sup> .....	111.7	113.7	126.8	121.8	124.4	134.596	122.430	120.840	116.258
Fresh vegetables .....	245.2	263.8	295.1	288.3	286.1	306.142	315.835	303.191	307.454
Potatoes .....	222.2	214.5	230.5	251.7	266.8	274.694	335.346	278.568	294.938
Lettuce .....	218.5	301.8	276.9	260.0	281.9	295.313	300.040	329.458	278.477
Tomatoes .....	288.5	284.2	425.0	342.3	318.5	378.746	337.763	348.514	329.789
Other fresh vegetables .....	250.1	271.0	282.5	295.2	288.0	300.382	311.165	293.958	315.882
Processed fruits and vegetables <sup>2</sup> .....	113.3	112.4	114.2	120.3	123.5	128.488	145.854	145.397	147.884
Canned fruits and vegetables <sup>2</sup> .....	112.9	109.9	112.6	119.1	122.2	127.028	147.963	149.489	151.651
Canned fruits <sup>1 2</sup> .....	111.9	110.1	112.0	117.8	122.3	125.693	139.051	139.841	141.288
Canned vegetables <sup>1 2</sup> .....	116.1	112.2	116.5	124.4	125.9	131.871	157.030	159.591	163.558
Frozen fruits and vegetables <sup>2</sup> .....	114.9	118.0	117.0	122.6	125.7	129.831	140.185	135.621	139.884
Frozen vegetables <sup>1</sup> .....	168.6	173.2	171.4	177.5	178.7	179.760	195.634	188.807	196.836
Other processed fruits and vegetables including dried <sup>2</sup> .....	110.3	109.5	113.0	118.5	122.5	129.286	148.092	148.847	148.993
Dried beans, peas, and lentils <sup>1 2</sup> .....	110.1	108.9	113.8	116.6	123.6	139.039	176.320	176.524	176.360
Nonalcoholic beverages and beverage materials .....	139.8	139.3	140.6	145.5	148.5	153.648	162.750	161.216	162.775
Juices and nonalcoholic drinks <sup>2</sup> .....	108.0	107.4	108.3	111.5	113.6	117.609	126.154	124.645	125.616
Carbonated drinks .....	124.9	124.8	127.5	133.1	133.6	138.194	151.095	151.851	157.834
Frozen noncarbonated juices and drinks <sup>2</sup> .....	113.7	115.0	111.5	111.7	126.5	143.465	149.073	150.282	149.209
Nonfrozen noncarbonated juices and drinks <sup>2</sup> .....	107.5	106.1	105.7	107.4	110.7	114.034	120.207	116.601	114.934
Beverage materials including coffee and tea <sup>2</sup> .....	97.4	97.5	98.7	103.1	105.6	109.195	112.894	112.391	114.133
Coffee .....	142.2	143.2	145.5	162.3	165.8	175.083	185.929	180.802	184.667
Roasted coffee <sup>1</sup> .....	142.0	144.6	146.4	167.1	166.3	180.752	189.098	185.174	190.108
Instant and freeze dried coffee <sup>1</sup> .....	164.2	161.0	167.8	175.0	188.5	184.030	207.297	196.843	198.347
Other beverage materials including tea <sup>2</sup> .....	114.7	114.3	115.4	115.9	118.9	121.631	123.849	124.960	126.228
Other food at home .....	161.1	163.0	163.6	167.6	168.7	174.057	190.203	189.921	191.572
Sugar and sweets .....	159.1	161.0	161.3	167.8	172.4	178.631	193.312	198.712	201.942
Sugar and artificial sweeteners .....	140.1	143.0	142.7	154.3	163.3	162.521	173.015	179.643	188.518
Candy and chewing gum <sup>2</sup> .....	107.0	107.3	107.5	111.4	113.1	118.555	128.689	132.313	132.935
Other sweets <sup>2</sup> .....	112.1	115.8	116.6	118.6	123.3	127.536	138.640	141.122	144.571
Fats and oils .....	152.8	157.7	167.4	165.2	166.7	176.068	206.710	197.391	200.919
Butter and margarine <sup>2</sup> .....	114.6	119.2	135.6	131.2	129.5	137.454	163.439	150.847	157.384
Butter <sup>1</sup> .....	141.0	145.1	186.2	174.6	164.5	168.121	181.703	160.781	170.185
Margarine <sup>1</sup> .....	161.4	171.1	173.0	174.1	177.0	193.811	246.153	234.357	243.285
Salad dressing <sup>2</sup> .....	107.3	109.7	110.3	105.6	109.2	113.085	124.935	125.704	125.726
Other fats and oils including peanut butter <sup>2</sup> .....	105.5	108.9	113.8	116.3	117.3	125.054	151.240	142.856	144.780
Peanut butter <sup>1 2</sup> .....	109.6	109.9	110.3	111.7	108.5	117.962	133.912	132.636	132.725
Other foods .....	178.2	179.6	178.3	183.3	183.5	188.325	203.902	203.832	205.008
Soups .....	205.3	207.1	207.4	211.4	211.3	211.165	229.675	224.677	223.115
Frozen and freeze dried prepared foods .....	153.1	153.6	152.9	154.3	151.7	157.409	167.801	166.386	166.560
Snacks .....	167.9	175.4	171.4	181.3	179.5	187.632	211.835	215.081	216.747
Spices, seasonings, condiments, sauces .....	187.9	183.8	178.4	185.2	185.0	191.486	204.785	208.868	217.289
Salt and other seasonings and spices <sup>1 2</sup> .....	108.2	107.0	106.7	113.2	109.0	115.302	117.672	121.482	123.009
Olives, pickles, relishes <sup>1 2</sup> .....	111.7	105.0	109.7	110.2	112.6	117.241	132.534	130.724	135.173
Sauces and gravies <sup>1 2</sup> .....	113.5	111.9	102.4	106.3	109.4	110.635	119.993	124.327	127.840
Other condiments <sup>1</sup> .....	195.4	202.8	195.5	198.9	199.3	211.775	222.149	217.733	249.637
Baby food <sup>2</sup> .....	117.0	120.7	123.2	127.4	128.6	133.326	140.918	139.287	140.360
Other miscellaneous foods <sup>2</sup> .....	110.2	109.8	110.8	112.4	115.1	115.267	123.791	122.422	121.172
Prepared salads <sup>1 3</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	100.000	105.705	107.366	105.410
Food away from home .....	180.1	184.3	189.9	196.0	202.2	210.233	220.684	224.789	225.081
Full service meals and snacks <sup>2</sup> .....	114.0	116.5	119.9	123.3	127.5	132.413	137.620	140.112	140.432
Limited service meals and snacks <sup>2</sup> .....	113.7	116.3	120.0	124.0	127.7	132.959	140.918	143.407	143.201
Food at employee sites and schools <sup>2</sup> .....	111.3	114.1	117.4	120.6	125.0	128.545	135.998	139.858	140.233
Food at elementary and secondary schools <sup>1</sup> <sup>4</sup> .....	-	-	-	100.0	104.3	107.685	114.392	117.561	117.795
Food from vending machines and mobile vendors <sup>2</sup> .....	106.1	108.6	111.0	114.2	116.5	120.438	128.587	131.765	132.409

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 25. Historical Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, by commodity and service group and detailed expenditure categories-Continued**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Unadjusted indexes								
	December								Feb. 2010
	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	
<b>Expenditure category</b>									
Other food away from home <sup>2</sup> .....	119.8	122.9	127.0	133.7	139.1	145.814	154.062	156.990	158.569
Alcoholic beverages .....	184.9	188.7	193.9	196.4	201.1	208.704	217.975	222.082	222.496
Alcoholic beverages at home .....	164.6	167.4	170.9	171.5	174.0	179.709	187.666	190.510	191.208
Beer, ale, and other malt beverages at home .....	165.7	170.7	176.4	175.5	177.8	185.387	195.197	200.240	200.621
Distilled spirits at home .....	170.3	173.9	175.3	177.2	178.7	179.844	184.756	188.000	189.322
Whiskey at home <sup>1</sup> .....	168.1	172.9	173.8	177.1	178.9	183.048	190.333	195.242	196.343
Distilled spirits, excluding whiskey, at home <sup>1</sup> .....	171.3	173.6	175.7	176.8	177.2	177.552	179.735	183.543	184.942
Wine at home .....	152.8	152.0	153.0	155.4	158.4	163.500	169.743	169.730	170.539
Alcoholic beverages away from home .....	225.9	232.0	240.9	248.0	258.4	270.329	282.390	289.055	288.847
Beer, ale, and other malt beverages away from home <sup>1 2</sup> .....	114.8	118.9	123.1	125.7	131.7	136.117	141.613	145.617	145.762
Wine away from home <sup>1 2</sup> .....	123.5	125.4	131.4	135.8	140.1	148.241	155.850	159.749	159.017
Distilled spirits away from home <sup>1 2</sup> .....	117.9	122.4	126.3	131.6	136.2	144.053	149.577	152.055	151.998
Housing .....	181.1	185.1	190.7	198.3	204.8	210.933	216.073	215.523	215.841
Shelter .....	209.5	214.1	219.8	225.6	235.1	242.372	247.085	247.863	248.001
Rent of primary residence <sup>5</sup> .....	202.5	207.9	213.9	220.5	230.0	239.102	247.278	248.999	249.017
Lodging away from home <sup>2</sup> .....	109.2	112.9	118.7	122.8	127.7	133.545	129.157	122.638	128.991
Housing at school, excluding board <sup>5 6</sup> .....	290.5	307.2	328.4	345.3	362.9	381.548	399.369	419.367	420.094
Other lodging away from home including hotels and motels .....	229.4	236.6	248.5	256.7	266.8	278.872	268.348	253.003	269.401
Owners' equivalent rent of residences <sup>5 6</sup> .....	217.9	222.2	227.2	232.8	242.8	249.532	254.875	256.727	256.483
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>5 6</sup> .....	217.9	222.2	227.2	232.8	242.8	249.532	254.875	256.727	256.479
Tenants' and household insurance <sup>2</sup> .....	112.3	114.3	118.7	116.1	117.1	117.003	120.019	123.812	124.439
Fuels and utilities .....	144.2	153.6	165.7	191.6	192.6	203.006	215.184	208.760	210.819
Household energy .....	127.5	136.5	148.0	174.7	174.2	183.516	194.335	184.886	186.345
Fuel oil and other fuels .....	125.6	137.0	183.7	227.8	233.2	299.296	256.209	262.649	277.284
Fuel oil .....	123.2	132.8	185.2	235.5	240.9	319.208	252.024	268.396	277.928
Propane, kerosene, and firewood <sup>7</sup> .....	163.4	182.3	225.8	264.9	271.9	324.116	323.105	309.643	338.392
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>5</sup> .....	134.1	143.3	153.0	180.0	179.0	185.155	199.487	188.724	189.549
Electricity <sup>5</sup> .....	132.1	135.6	138.5	153.3	164.8	173.357	188.342	187.388	185.448
Utility (piped) gas service <sup>5</sup> .....	145.1	170.3	198.2	258.0	221.3	220.496	232.548	190.497	200.120
Water and sewer and trash collection services <sup>2</sup> .....	114.6	119.8	126.3	132.9	139.3	146.878	156.390	165.204	168.078
Water and sewerage maintenance <sup>5</sup> .....	246.2	257.8	273.7	288.8	302.5	319.460	341.965	365.664	373.080
Garbage and trash collection <sup>8</sup> .....	285.4	297.4	307.4	320.6	337.2	353.439	371.093	379.248	382.490
Household furnishings and operations .....	127.0	124.7	125.5	126.4	127.0	126.066	128.535	127.119	126.945
Window and floor coverings and other linens <sup>2</sup> .....	93.3	89.5	88.2	86.6	82.4	79.801	76.079	73.655	73.205
Floor coverings <sup>2</sup> .....	109.4	107.5	108.2	114.9	119.5	119.083	120.576	117.287	114.241
Window coverings <sup>2</sup> .....	91.3	89.9	88.5	88.6	87.9	85.646	85.257	79.977	76.998
Other linens <sup>2</sup> .....	88.3	82.9	81.3	77.9	71.3	68.305	62.517	61.602	62.529
Furniture and bedding .....	128.6	126.5	126.3	127.1	126.2	123.506	123.379	123.373	122.467
Bedroom furniture .....	133.5	133.1	139.7	146.2	144.4	142.055	142.693	139.258	137.995
Living room, kitchen, and dining room furniture <sup>2</sup> .....	98.5	96.2	94.4	93.0	92.3	90.510	89.411	91.131	90.790
Other furniture <sup>2</sup> .....	93.6	92.4	89.0	88.6	89.0	85.986	87.597	86.892	85.713
Infants' furniture <sup>1 4</sup> .....	-	-	-	100.0	98.6	NA	NA	NA	NA
Appliances <sup>2</sup> .....	91.5	87.9	84.6	87.0	88.0	89.273	90.507	88.124	88.713
Major appliances <sup>2</sup> .....	95.6	92.1	89.3	94.5	97.2	99.903	101.990	99.009	99.444
Laundry equipment <sup>1</sup> .....	111.5	109.5	105.3	110.7	112.4	115.994	116.576	112.673	112.643
Other appliances <sup>2</sup> .....	85.5	81.9	78.0	77.1	76.1	75.756	75.935	74.307	75.029
Other household equipment and furnishings <sup>2</sup> .....	91.5	86.9	87.3	83.2	78.7	74.948	74.767	72.130	72.345
Clocks, lamps, and decorator items .....	101.0	91.8	91.7	84.6	77.6	70.179	68.602	65.126	65.076
Indoor plants and flowers <sup>9</sup> .....	116.7	119.2	120.1	122.4	121.6	124.005	129.884	126.116	127.906
Dishes and flatware <sup>2</sup> .....	85.7	83.7	85.0	79.2	74.2	72.305	71.721	70.080	70.170
Nonelectric cookware and tableware <sup>2</sup> .....	90.8	89.6	90.6	89.7	90.6	93.341	95.330	95.600	95.993
Tools, hardware, outdoor equipment and supplies <sup>2</sup> .....	94.6	92.1	93.6	93.7	94.8	93.772	94.010	92.642	92.338
Tools, hardware and supplies <sup>2</sup> .....	94.2	92.6	95.7	98.2	100.1	99.028	99.541	97.073	96.914
Outdoor equipment and supplies <sup>2</sup> .....	94.6	91.7	92.4	91.4	92.1	91.213	91.115	90.115	89.763
Housekeeping supplies .....	158.1	156.7	158.1	161.8	168.3	170.743	182.569	183.109	183.825
Household cleaning products <sup>2</sup> .....	109.0	107.3	106.5	109.9	112.9	112.712	120.558	122.280	122.069
Household paper products <sup>2</sup> .....	119.1	116.9	125.0	125.6	133.9	138.930	154.754	155.772	156.523
Miscellaneous household products <sup>2</sup> .....	105.2	106.0	104.7	107.3	111.4	113.655	117.609	115.953	117.111
Household operations <sup>2</sup> .....	119.9	122.6	127.0	133.3	139.1	142.100	150.689	150.172	149.707
Domestic services <sup>2</sup> .....	119.5	122.6	124.9	131.3	137.3	139.648	143.688	144.263	144.337
Gardening and lawn care services <sup>2</sup> .....	118.4	119.9	125.5	NA	NA	141.672	NA	156.052	NA

See footnotes at end of table.



**Table 25. Historical Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, by commodity and service group and detailed expenditure categories-Continued**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Unadjusted indexes								
	December								Feb. 2010
	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	
<b>Expenditure category</b>									
Moving, storage, freight expense <sup>2</sup> .....	117.2	119.9	123.4	128.4	128.6	128.413	127.430	124.592	122.060
Repair of household items <sup>2</sup> .....	128.6	133.0	142.2	151.9	158.4	165.089	173.193	178.830	180.191
Apparel .....	121.5	119.0	118.8	117.5	118.6	118.257	117.078	119.357	118.869
Men's and boys' apparel .....	119.3	118.0	116.3	114.1	113.2	112.026	110.767	110.633	111.351
Men's apparel .....	124.5	122.4	121.4	119.8	119.4	116.489	114.775	115.301	116.703
Men's suits, sport coats, and outerwear .....	127.2	128.1	126.0	125.3	120.2	121.449	116.071	113.718	111.841
Men's furnishings .....	133.2	136.1	134.8	133.4	131.7	126.721	134.123	136.207	144.531
Men's shirts and sweaters <sup>2</sup> .....	91.3	88.5	86.0	85.4	87.8	81.560	78.307	79.733	76.354
Men's pants and shorts .....	113.7	106.8	110.3	106.4	106.8	108.284	104.650	104.203	110.061
Boys' apparel .....	100.6	101.7	97.5	93.8	91.4	95.216	95.395	93.228	91.706
Women's and girls' apparel .....	113.1	110.9	110.0	108.9	110.2	109.418	105.456	108.304	106.818
Women's apparel .....	112.9	111.1	109.6	109.7	111.6	110.570	106.734	109.851	107.846
Women's outerwear .....	113.8	112.6	106.8	102.4	101.7	96.725	95.894	100.512	87.275
Women's dresses .....	100.3	100.4	96.8	104.2	112.4	115.453	110.886	112.306	107.569
Women's suits and separates <sup>2</sup> .....	88.7	86.3	86.0	85.6	87.6	87.306	82.653	83.985	83.078
Women's underwear, nightwear, sportswear and accessories <sup>2</sup> .....	93.8	93.3	92.2	91.8	91.0	88.867	88.612	93.355	95.238
Girls' apparel .....	114.1	109.5	112.1	104.4	102.8	103.475	98.956	100.550	101.460
Footwear .....	120.7	118.5	120.3	121.4	123.0	122.258	124.093	128.492	127.737
Men's footwear .....	124.6	120.4	118.1	120.7	123.4	120.906	125.664	127.787	127.311
Boys' and girls' footwear .....	120.6	118.2	122.9	124.4	123.4	125.993	131.745	133.820	133.226
Women's footwear .....	117.3	116.5	119.7	119.7	121.7	120.615	118.767	125.675	124.663
Infants' and toddlers' apparel .....	125.3	119.2	118.6	115.0	114.1	113.779	112.568	112.695	114.318
Jewelry and watches <sup>7</sup> .....	127.2	122.1	126.0	123.2	129.1	134.325	143.607	146.340	147.384
Watches <sup>7</sup> .....	110.9	111.0	112.8	113.7	115.7	113.726	117.491	114.260	116.433
Jewelry <sup>7</sup> .....	131.7	125.6	129.8	126.4	133.0	139.691	150.122	154.017	154.816
Transportation .....	154.2	154.7	164.8	172.7	175.4	189.984	164.628	188.318	189.577
Private transportation .....	150.4	150.8	161.3	168.9	171.8	186.134	159.411	183.766	185.274
New and used motor vehicles <sup>2</sup> .....	98.7	94.4	95.4	95.8	94.8	94.754	91.408	96.421	97.020
New vehicles .....	140.6	138.0	138.8	138.3	137.1	136.664	132.308	138.857	138.851
New cars and trucks <sup>1 2</sup> .....	97.6	95.7	96.3	95.9	95.0	94.727	91.677	96.214	96.226
New cars <sup>1</sup> .....	137.7	134.8	135.5	136.6	136.9	136.371	134.930	139.728	139.198
New trucks <sup>1 8</sup> .....	148.6	146.4	147.2	144.4	141.5	141.191	133.657	142.520	143.176
Used cars and trucks .....	148.5	131.0	137.3	139.2	136.2	136.943	125.883	137.406	140.218
Leased cars and trucks <sup>10</sup> .....	98.0	95.7	91.7	93.0	92.9	93.464	99.045	99.045	99.362
Car and truck rental <sup>2</sup> .....	104.2	107.5	103.2	112.1	115.4	113.982	118.241	125.705	120.646
Motor fuel .....	119.7	127.8	161.2	187.3	199.3	258.132	149.132	224.730	227.674
Gasoline (all types) .....	119.1	127.2	160.4	186.2	198.1	256.790	146.102	224.260	227.198
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>1</sup> .....	117.1	125.7	159.2	185.8	197.9	256.775	143.918	223.353	226.314
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>1 11</sup> .....	123.9	131.4	165.2	190.8	202.1	261.983	152.838	230.558	233.541
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>1</sup> .....	119.8	127.1	158.0	181.1	192.3	247.369	148.343	218.751	221.444
Other motor fuels <sup>2</sup> .....	113.8	115.8	152.6	186.4	200.1	248.393	185.983	203.092	205.752
Motor vehicle parts and equipment .....	107.0	107.7	109.9	114.0	119.5	123.928	133.077	134.781	135.649
Tires .....	101.3	100.8	103.2	106.2	110.0	113.060	119.796	121.348	122.251
Vehicle accessories other than tires <sup>2</sup> .....	108.7	111.1	112.7	118.4	126.2	132.574	145.311	147.139	147.812
Vehicle parts and equipment other than tires <sup>1</sup> .....	113.9	115.5	116.0	119.9	125.6	131.420	139.882	142.377	142.917
Motor oil, coolant, and fluids <sup>1</sup> .....	154.3	160.2	170.3	195.1	224.4	240.510	298.121	292.337	297.676
Motor vehicle maintenance and repair .....	193.3	198.0	203.3	210.7	218.8	226.120	239.356	245.417	245.969
Motor vehicle body work .....	201.2	205.0	210.5	220.5	228.1	236.039	245.361	251.006	251.192
Motor vehicle maintenance and servicing .....	177.9	180.9	186.2	192.2	198.3	204.331	219.020	224.018	223.787
Motor vehicle repair <sup>2</sup> .....	117.9	121.4	124.4	129.2	134.9	139.602	146.705	150.735	151.486
Motor vehicle insurance .....	304.6	318.4	329.3	332.5	335.2	336.915	350.308	366.799	369.752
Motor vehicle fees <sup>2</sup> .....	114.0	121.8	132.3	136.2	139.4	142.248	147.741	163.829	164.757
State motor vehicle registration and license fees <sup>2 5</sup> .....	110.1	119.4	131.8	134.4	137.6	139.320	142.812	163.132	164.350
Parking and other fees <sup>2</sup> .....	122.9	126.5	133.0	139.5	142.3	147.630	156.704	165.205	165.624
Parking fees and tolls <sup>1 2</sup> .....	123.9	128.0	135.4	144.2	146.5	153.178	166.315	176.892	177.160
Automobile service clubs <sup>1 2</sup> .....	109.5	112.2	113.9	114.1	118.2	119.323	117.295	119.061	119.680
Public transportation .....	203.0	205.6	205.4	217.6	217.8	233.408	237.638	245.203	241.967
Airline fare .....	223.4	223.1	219.7	233.8	231.4	255.873	259.566	270.667	265.358
Other intercity transportation .....	155.1	147.0	144.6	151.6	154.7	156.648	155.454	149.138	147.912

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 25. Historical Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, by commodity and service group and detailed expenditure categories-Continued**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Unadjusted indexes								
	December								Feb. 2010
	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	
<b>Expenditure category</b>									
Intercity bus fare <sup>1 3</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	100.000	108.182	108.660	107.065
Intercity train fare <sup>1 3</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	100.000	108.295	105.854	100.191
Ship fare <sup>1 2</sup> .....	77.0	69.1	72.5	72.3	71.3	72.918	67.057	64.686	65.086
Intracity transportation .....	185.1	204.1	211.9	223.3	227.5	232.378	244.260	256.436	257.501
Intracity mass transit <sup>1 12</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.000	100.809
Medical care .....	291.3	302.1	314.9	328.4	340.1	357.661	367.133	379.516	385.907
Medical care commodities .....	259.5	265.0	270.8	280.8	285.9	293.610	298.361	308.221	312.864
Medicinal drugs <sup>12</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.000	101.586
Prescription drugs .....	321.2	329.1	340.7	355.7	362.3	374.389	379.943	396.526	404.090
Nonprescription drugs <sup>12</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.000	100.310
Medical equipment and supplies <sup>12</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.000	99.991
Medical care services .....	299.4	311.9	327.3	342.0	356.0	376.940	388.267	401.452	408.447
Professional services .....	257.0	264.1	274.6	284.9	292.4	304.784	313.886	321.827	325.969
Physicians' services <sup>5</sup> .....	264.1	270.1	280.8	289.5	294.3	306.304	315.233	323.124	329.028
Dental services <sup>5</sup> .....	284.8	297.2	311.9	329.6	346.2	366.225	379.603	391.677	394.477
Eyeglasses and eye care <sup>7</sup> .....	155.2	157.5	162.0	167.0	170.3	172.811	173.377	176.391	176.882
Services by other medical professionals <sup>5 7</sup> .....	175.1	179.2	183.7	188.3	194.2	200.312	207.850	211.524	213.566
Hospital and related services <sup>5</sup> .....	382.4	407.0	428.0	449.7	477.2	515.677	543.585	581.968	598.549
Hospital services <sup>5 13</sup> .....	140.3	149.3	157.1	165.2	175.4	189.908	201.053	216.570	223.614
Inpatient hospital services <sup>1 5 13</sup> .....	136.0	143.7	151.8	159.8	170.6	183.595	194.073	209.075	216.697
Outpatient hospital services <sup>1 5 7</sup> .....	327.0	348.5	364.2	382.5	402.4	442.085	466.736	504.843	516.326
Nursing homes and adult day services <sup>5 13</sup> .....	129.8	137.3	142.1	147.1	154.5	161.981	167.097	173.095	174.896
Care of invalids and elderly at home <sup>4</sup> .....	-	-	-	100.0	103.1	106.602	108.281	109.971	110.361
Health insurance <sup>4</sup> .....	-	-	-	100.0	106.4	115.727	111.697	108.325	109.059
Recreation <sup>2</sup> .....	106.5	107.7	108.5	109.7	110.8	111.705	113.674	113.212	113.345
Video and audio <sup>2</sup> .....	103.2	103.3	103.9	103.9	102.8	102.691	101.629	99.873	99.532
Televisions .....	37.8	32.4	28.4	24.3	18.8	15.352	12.378	8.983	8.391
Cable and satellite television and radio service <sup>8</sup> .....	301.3	312.6	325.2	336.0	344.7	353.432	359.854	368.083	370.828
Other video equipment <sup>2</sup> .....	43.8	38.4	32.9	29.4	25.3	22.009	18.833	16.947	16.902
Video discs and other media, including rental of video and audio <sup>2</sup> .....	78.0	78.0	77.1	76.5	77.4	77.808	79.629	77.022	75.960
Video discs and other media <sup>1 2</sup> .....	80.7	79.0	77.1	70.7	68.4	64.303	61.029	55.958	56.622
Rental of video or audio discs and other media <sup>1 2</sup> .....	86.5	86.3	85.5	89.1	92.2	95.867	101.515	100.789	98.682
Audio equipment .....	72.5	68.6	64.0	58.4	55.9	53.242	50.650	48.213	48.119
Audio discs, tapes and other media <sup>2</sup> .....	109.6	105.3	109.0	109.1	105.9	105.202	104.528	95.165	95.294
Pets, pet products and services <sup>2</sup> .....	113.9	117.0	122.0	125.4	129.8	136.947	150.242	152.943	153.920
Pets and pet products .....	149.3	151.5	155.8	157.6	162.6	170.641	191.503	193.281	194.394
Pet food <sup>1 2</sup> .....	105.7	107.8	111.1	112.4	116.2	122.446	141.485	142.867	143.793
Purchase of pets, pet supplies, accessories <sup>1 2</sup> .....	104.3	103.9	105.8	107.7	110.9	114.293	117.639	118.375	119.502
Pet services including veterinary <sup>2</sup> .....	130.7	137.3	145.9	153.0	159.3	169.281	179.657	185.234	186.626
Pet services <sup>1 2</sup> .....	117.5	122.0	128.2	133.2	138.6	144.294	153.922	155.941	156.635
Veterinarian services <sup>1 2</sup> .....	132.2	139.3	148.6	156.3	163.0	174.382	185.269	192.436	194.052
Sporting goods .....	115.7	114.9	113.5	115.5	117.2	116.125	119.632	118.314	118.460
Sports vehicles including bicycles .....	130.7	127.8	129.6	134.7	138.8	138.424	139.862	139.648	140.576
Sports equipment .....	101.6	102.2	98.2	97.8	96.8	95.030	100.316	98.056	97.564
Photography <sup>2</sup> .....	96.8	94.7	91.8	89.0	84.7	81.737	80.236	80.606	80.049
Photographic equipment and supplies .....	114.7	108.2	100.5	95.6	84.9	79.082	74.245	72.637	72.307
Film and photographic supplies <sup>1 2</sup> .....	91.7	88.8	87.5	88.0	84.5	86.304	86.915	89.475	91.162
Photographic equipment <sup>1 2</sup> .....	78.2	71.6	61.8	55.5	45.5	38.800	35.196	33.844	33.421
Photographers and film processing <sup>2</sup> .....	105.7	106.3	106.5	104.8	106.7	106.295	108.430	111.306	110.341
Photographer fees <sup>1 2</sup> .....	114.3	118.1	115.4	113.4	114.6	117.023	117.795	120.763	120.077
Film processing <sup>1 2</sup> .....	100.5	100.6	100.4	98.8	100.5	99.692	102.004	105.993	105.116
Other recreational goods <sup>2</sup> .....	77.0	74.5	71.3	68.5	66.4	62.868	60.213	58.316	58.937
Toys .....	88.9	85.2	80.0	76.4	72.7	68.585	63.944	59.985	60.599
Toys, games, hobbies and playground equipment <sup>1 2</sup> .....	78.1	75.7	73.6	71.8	70.0	67.586	64.308	62.449	63.086
Sewing machines, fabric and supplies <sup>2</sup> .....	94.1	94.6	94.9	91.7	92.6	86.794	88.423	92.515	93.862
Music instruments and accessories <sup>2</sup> .....	98.9	97.5	98.7	96.9	96.9	95.018	96.680	97.671	98.441
Recreation services <sup>2</sup> .....	121.4	125.6	128.3	132.1	137.2	140.427	143.750	144.023	144.192
Club dues and fees for participant sports and group exercises <sup>2</sup> .....	113.1	116.1	116.4	119.4	122.0	123.864	125.014	122.918	123.428
Admissions .....	257.4	266.1	275.3	284.9	299.8	307.108	316.607	319.307	319.179

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 25. Historical Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, by commodity and service group and detailed expenditure categories-Continued**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Unadjusted indexes								
	December								Feb. 2010
	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	
<b>Expenditure category</b>									
Admission to movies, theaters, and concerts <sup>1 2</sup>	125.4	130.3	133.5	138.2	145.7	148.620	152.546	153.725	153.701
Admission to sporting events <sup>1 2</sup>	131.4	132.3	141.4	150.4	156.0	163.370	172.671	174.389	174.122
Fees for lessons or instructions <sup>7</sup>	206.1	219.0	224.9	230.8	238.9	248.080	257.231	264.055	264.065
Recreational reading materials	196.9	198.6	202.9	204.0	205.7	208.036	215.325	221.333	221.152
Newspapers and magazines <sup>2</sup>	111.7	113.6	117.8	119.8	121.0	122.709	128.653	134.986	135.761
Recreational books <sup>2</sup>	104.7	104.2	104.2	102.9	103.6	104.305	106.299	106.493	105.593
Education and communication <sup>2</sup>	109.2	110.9	112.6	115.3	118.0	121.506	125.921	128.883	129.105
Education <sup>2</sup>	130.0	139.4	148.5	157.6	167.6	176.927	186.916	195.672	196.137
Educational books and supplies	323.3	342.8	355.9	374.3	399.5	434.352	464.544	496.580	502.812
Tuition, other school fees, and childcare	374.0	401.7	428.9	455.3	484.0	510.016	538.309	562.610	563.544
College tuition and fees	387.4	425.5	462.2	492.8	527.2	559.190	591.804	627.061	625.578
Elementary and high school tuition and fees	413.6	440.4	471.4	497.8	527.1	556.271	590.037	613.370	614.006
Child care and nursery school <sup>9</sup>	176.4	183.6	190.0	200.5	211.2	219.405	230.326	235.532	237.802
Technical and business school tuition and fees <sup>2</sup>	132.3	144.3	155.8	166.0	174.4	183.016	189.275	196.480	196.703
Communication <sup>2</sup>	91.8	88.2	85.4	84.3	83.1	83.282	84.737	84.809	84.905
Postage and delivery services <sup>2</sup>	119.2	119.4	120.0	120.5	126.5	132.091	136.357	143.156	145.842
Postage	190.9	190.9	190.9	190.9	201.1	208.927	215.400	226.626	229.846
Delivery services <sup>2</sup>	129.4	135.1	154.0	169.3	171.5	189.551	199.456	202.732	223.992
Information and information processing <sup>2</sup>	90.0	86.2	83.3	82.2	80.6	80.546	81.886	81.728	81.743
Telephone services <sup>2</sup>	99.9	97.2	94.8	95.2	96.8	98.792	101.688	102.707	102.288
Wireless telephone services <sup>2</sup>	67.4	66.5	65.6	64.6	64.6	64.011	64.361	63.629	62.551
Land-line telephone services <sup>12</sup>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.000	101.126
Information technology, hardware and services <sup>14</sup>	17.2	15.3	14.2	13.1	11.2	10.215	9.906	9.423	9.540
Personal computers and peripheral equipment <sup>3</sup>	220.7	181.1	155.7	131.1	115.8	100.000	88.529	77.960	77.961
Computer software and accessories <sup>2</sup>	71.0	64.1	61.1	58.5	54.2	50.722	50.180	48.930	49.348
Internet services and electronic information providers <sup>2</sup>	99.6	97.6	97.2	94.5	77.2	73.176	75.899	75.642	77.498
Telephone hardware, calculators, and other consumer information items <sup>2</sup>	59.0	52.3	48.4	44.2	40.3	36.945	36.230	34.994	34.270
Other goods and services	295.8	300.2	307.8	317.3	326.7	337.633	349.220	377.330	377.992
Tobacco and smoking products	472.5	470.4	484.8	513.1	527.3	566.696	602.644	783.794	785.714
Cigarettes <sup>2</sup>	192.3	190.6	196.0	207.6	213.4	229.969	244.647	319.378	319.859
Tobacco products other than cigarettes <sup>2</sup>	130.9	138.6	147.1	154.6	157.7	163.226	172.664	210.845	213.970
Personal care	175.4	179.0	183.3	187.6	193.3	197.643	202.774	205.823	206.137
Personal care products	153.4	153.4	153.4	155.4	159.0	158.236	161.397	162.275	162.029
Hair, dental, shaving, and miscellaneous personal care products <sup>2</sup>	103.4	102.6	101.7	102.1	104.2	103.861	104.966	104.825	105.729
Cosmetics, perfume, bath, nail preparations and implements	165.9	167.3	169.2	173.1	177.5	176.418	181.661	183.917	181.725
Personal care services	189.9	194.3	201.2	206.6	212.5	219.656	226.281	228.343	228.107
Haircuts and other personal care services <sup>2</sup>	115.9	118.6	122.8	126.0	129.6	134.026	138.068	139.326	139.182
Miscellaneous personal services	276.9	287.1	297.7	306.6	318.7	329.908	339.698	348.697	350.780
Legal services <sup>7</sup>	213.9	224.6	236.6	244.6	255.5	262.910	274.810	283.418	285.617
Funeral expenses <sup>7</sup>	206.8	215.4	223.2	233.5	244.9	256.560	270.369	278.644	280.058
Laundry and dry cleaning services <sup>2</sup>	113.8	117.2	120.7	122.9	126.9	130.834	137.122	140.340	140.958
Apparel services other than laundry and dry cleaning <sup>2</sup>	115.1	118.7	121.9	127.9	134.4	139.205	149.481	155.624	156.627
Financial services <sup>7</sup>	235.2	241.3	250.2	254.2	263.0	273.241	258.195	262.572	264.151
Checking account and other bank services <sup>1 2</sup>	117.9	120.1	123.4	123.9	126.7	129.839	122.325	124.260	125.556
Tax return preparation and other accounting fees <sup>1 2</sup>	128.7	134.1	141.0	147.2	156.6	163.279	171.238	173.992	173.810
Miscellaneous personal goods <sup>2</sup>	93.6	89.0	86.6	86.4	86.9	87.487	88.754	89.262	89.042
Stationery, stationery supplies, gift wrap <sup>1</sup>	156.4	149.5	148.0	150.2	151.6	154.060	155.308	157.926	158.044
Infants' equipment <sup>1 4</sup>	-	-	-	100.0	97.1	95.663	98.654	NA	NA
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>									
Commodities	149.7	150.4	155.8	160.0	162.1	170.511	163.582	172.572	173.419
Commodities less food and beverages	133.6	131.7	137.2	141.3	142.5	150.162	135.720	148.441	149.162
Nondurables less food and beverages	145.2	146.7	157.4	166.3	170.9	188.635	161.681	185.689	186.882
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel	163.9	167.7	185.2	200.4	207.3	236.735	192.948	231.169	233.447

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 25. Historical Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, by commodity and service group and detailed expenditure categories-Continued**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Unadjusted indexes								Feb. 2010
	December								
	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>									
Durables .....	120.2	115.0	115.5	114.9	113.3	112.093	108.811	111.477	111.753
Services .....	211.9	217.9	224.6	233.2	241.2	249.225	256.731	259.055	259.792
Rent of shelter <sup>6</sup> .....	218.1	222.9	228.9	235.0	245.0	252.669	257.567	258.303	258.435
Transportation services .....	212.0	217.7	221.8	227.8	230.8	236.504	246.287	256.014	256.365
Other services .....	250.2	257.4	264.3	272.3	280.9	289.945	300.067	306.436	307.171
All items less food .....	181.6	184.4	190.6	197.4	202.6	210.610	208.855	215.703	216.440
All items less shelter .....	171.7	174.7	180.9	187.7	191.1	199.734	198.127	205.888	206.948
All items less medical care .....	175.1	178.2	183.9	190.0	194.8	202.600	202.442	207.860	208.432
Commodities less food .....	135.6	133.8	139.3	143.3	144.7	152.344	138.536	151.052	151.767
Nondurables less food .....	147.6	149.2	159.5	168.1	172.7	189.844	165.032	187.864	189.015
Nondurables less food and apparel .....	165.0	168.8	185.1	199.2	205.8	233.014	194.403	229.250	231.353
Nondurables .....	161.6	165.4	173.3	180.1	184.5	198.422	189.557	202.064	203.219
Apparel less footwear .....	117.2	114.8	114.1	112.3	113.3	112.990	111.235	112.993	112.579
Services less rent of shelter <sup>6</sup> .....	220.5	228.4	236.5	248.8	254.9	263.966	275.370	279.896	281.432
Services less medical care services .....	204.3	209.9	216.0	224.2	231.7	238.894	246.090	247.793	248.178
Energy .....	123.3	131.8	153.7	180.0	185.2	217.506	171.158	202.301	204.455
All items less energy .....	188.6	191.5	195.8	200.1	205.1	210.890	215.930	219.048	219.708
All items less food and energy .....	191.4	193.6	197.8	202.1	207.3	212.356	216.100	220.025	220.602
Commodities less food and energy commodities ..	142.5	139.0	139.8	140.1	139.9	140.014	139.228	143.383	143.711
Energy commodities .....	120.7	129.0	163.4	190.7	202.4	261.976	155.745	228.186	231.735
Services less energy services .....	219.8	225.5	231.9	238.7	247.5	255.785	262.636	266.237	266.967
Domestically produced farm food .....	179.8	189.5	194.4	196.9	199.2	211.109	224.865	218.813	220.638
Utilities and public transportation .....	158.4	163.2	168.3	183.5	185.2	191.955	201.511	199.834	200.222

<sup>1</sup> Special index based on a substantially smaller sample.  
<sup>2</sup> Indexes on a December 1997=100 base.  
<sup>3</sup> Indexes on a December 2007=100 base.  
<sup>4</sup> Indexes on a December 2005=100 base.  
<sup>5</sup> This index series was calculated using a Laspeyres estimator. All other item stratum index series were calculated using a geometric means estimator.  
<sup>6</sup> Indexes on a December 1982=100 base.  
<sup>7</sup> Indexes on a December 1986=100 base.  
<sup>8</sup> Indexes on a December 1983=100 base.

<sup>9</sup> Indexes on a December 1990=100 base.  
<sup>10</sup> Indexes on a December 2001=100 base.  
<sup>11</sup> Indexes on a December 1993=100 base.  
<sup>12</sup> Indexes on a December 2009=100 base.  
<sup>13</sup> Indexes on a December 1996=100 base.  
<sup>14</sup> Indexes on a December 1988=100 base.  
 NA Data not adequate for publication.  
 - Data not available.  
 NOTE: Index applies to a month as a whole, not to any specific date.

**Table 26. Historical Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, by commodity and service group and detailed expenditure categories**

Item and group	Percent change from previous December								
	December								Feb. 2010
	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	
<b>Expenditure category</b>									
All items .....	2.4	1.9	3.3	3.4	2.5	4.1	0.1	2.7	0.4
Food and beverages .....	1.5	3.5	2.6	2.3	2.2	4.8	5.8	-4	.5
Food .....	1.5	3.6	2.7	2.3	2.1	4.9	5.9	-5	.5
Food at home .....	.8	4.5	2.4	1.7	1.4	5.6	6.6	-2.4	.8
Cereals and bakery products .....	1.0	2.8	1.7	1.0	3.1	5.4	11.7	-8	.1
Cereals and cereal products .....	.5	2.1	1.0	-.3	2.1	4.1	13.1	-1.4	-.1
Flour and prepared flour mixes .....	3.8	3.9	-3.5	3.7	3.1	7.4	21.0	-4.2	4.8
Breakfast cereal .....	.0	.5	1.2	-2.1	.5	2.7	4.9	.1	-1.5
Rice, pasta, cornmeal .....	-.1	4.2	2.4	1.3	4.7	5.2	26.7	-2.9	.7
Rice <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.3	5.3	4.7	1.7	6.5	4.2	39.4	-8.8	1.2
Bakery products .....	1.3	3.2	2.1	1.7	3.5	6.0	11.1	-.5	.2
Bread <sup>2</sup> .....	1.0	2.1	4.0	2.9	5.1	10.5	12.5	-3.5	-.6
White bread <sup>1</sup> .....	.7	2.4	3.8	2.3	5.2	11.3	12.0	-3.4	-1.4
Bread other than white <sup>1</sup> .....	2.1	-.4	5.0	2.8	4.6	10.1	13.3	-3.7	1.1
Fresh biscuits, rolls, muffins <sup>2</sup> .....	1.9	3.8	2.7	2.4	6.3	4.5	13.5	-2.6	-1.3
Cakes, cupcakes, and cookies .....	1.9	2.6	2.1	2.1	1.0	5.8	8.7	2.7	-.8
Cookies <sup>1</sup> .....	2.8	.7	2.5	2.1	1.7	2.8	8.5	4.3	-1.7
Fresh cakes and cupcakes <sup>1</sup> .....	1.3	3.9	1.9	2.1	.4	8.4	8.9	1.0	.0
Other bakery products .....	.7	4.7	.2	-.5	3.2	2.4	10.8	.7	2.6
Fresh sweetrolls, coffeecakes, doughnuts <sup>1</sup> .....	1.0	3.8	2.1	3.3	3.9	3.4	7.4	.5	1.1
Crackers, bread, and cracker products <sup>1</sup> .....	.8	6.8	-1.1	-1.3	3.3	1.4	12.1	1.1	3.4
Frozen and refrigerated bakery products, pies, tarts, turnovers <sup>1</sup> .....	.8	1.6	2.4	-.1	2.7	3.6	10.4	2.4	2.0
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs .....	.2	11.5	1.1	1.4	1.6	5.4	5.1	-3.8	.7
Meats, poultry, and fish .....	-.2	10.7	2.3	1.4	1.0	4.0	6.1	-3.6	.5
Meats .....	.2	14.0	1.6	1.2	.9	3.3	5.8	-5.2	1.0
Beef and veal .....	.6	23.5	-.9	2.2	.5	5.0	6.2	-4.7	-.1
Uncooked ground beef .....	1.2	19.5	2.9	3.5	.5	5.2	11.1	-6.1	1.3
Uncooked beef roasts <sup>2</sup> .....	.3	23.5	-.7	1.2	-.2	5.1	5.0	-2.5	-.2
Uncooked beef steaks <sup>2</sup> .....	.3	27.5	-3.3	1.3	-.1	5.1	1.5	-5.1	-1.8
Uncooked other beef and veal <sup>2</sup> .....	-.8	21.7	-6.2	3.0	4.1	4.0	6.3	-.8	-.1
Pork .....	-2.3	5.2	4.7	-.1	.7	1.4	5.1	-7.8	4.6
Bacon, breakfast sausage, and related products <sup>2</sup> .....	-.3	4.3	5.8	-3.6	1.7	3.2	2.3	-5.2	2.6
Bacon and related products <sup>1</sup> .....	1.1	9.2	3.6	-2.2	1.6	3.8	.3	-3.7	2.1
Breakfast sausage and related products <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-1.0	4.0	7.4	-4.8	1.4	2.3	4.3	-5.5	4.2
Ham .....	-2.0	4.6	4.2	2.2	.4	1.4	5.4	-8.5	4.1
Ham, excluding canned <sup>1</sup> .....	-.9	5.4	5.4	2.5	1.3	1.2	5.3	-8.8	4.6
Pork chops .....	-2.8	5.4	2.3	-.1	-.4	.8	6.6	-8.0	6.9
Other pork including roasts and picnics <sup>2</sup> .....	-5.3	7.1	6.5	2.6	.4	-.4	7.8	-11.0	6.3
Other meats .....	3.2	5.5	2.9	.8	2.0	1.8	5.8	-2.4	-1.6
Frankfurters <sup>1</sup> .....	9.1	2.9	-2.4	1.6	1.1	4.9	3.9	-5.0	-.2
Lunchmeats <sup>1 2</sup> .....	1.2	3.5	3.1	1.0	.9	1.5	7.0	-.5	-2.5
Lamb and organ meats <sup>1</sup> .....	9.5	6.8	2.4	3.2	-	-	9.2	1.7	.2
Lamb and mutton <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	-	-	10.4	-	-	-	-.8	.2
Poultry .....	-.7	4.7	5.1	.3	-.7	6.3	5.8	-1.5	.0
Chicken <sup>2</sup> .....	-.1	4.7	5.8	-.3	-.9	7.4	5.4	-2.1	-.4
Fresh whole chicken <sup>1</sup> .....	1.1	.5	8.7	1.1	-1.3	8.7	7.9	-4.4	-.5
Fresh and frozen chicken parts <sup>1</sup> .....	-1.2	5.6	5.3	-1.7	-1.1	7.3	4.0	-.4	-.8
Other poultry including turkey <sup>2</sup> .....	-2.9	4.3	2.5	2.8	.3	1.4	7.4	1.2	1.5
Fish and seafood .....	-1.1	2.7	2.3	3.8	3.5	4.7	7.7	.0	-.3
Fresh fish and seafood <sup>2</sup> .....	-3.0	4.7	2.8	5.7	4.1	5.2	6.1	-1.4	.5
Processed fish and seafood <sup>2</sup> .....	1.7	.0	1.5	1.2	2.5	4.1	9.7	1.5	-1.2
Canned fish and seafood <sup>1</sup> .....	1.8	-.2	2.7	2.1	5.5	3.2	15.0	3.4	-.8
Frozen fish and seafood <sup>1</sup> .....	3.6	.7	.7	1.2	1.0	5.1	6.1	2.1	-.9
Eggs .....	9.7	30.1	-19.9	1.4	14.1	32.6	-9.1	-6.6	2.9
Dairy and related products .....	-2.0	3.4	4.1	1.7	-1.2	13.4	2.7	-7.6	2.1
Milk <sup>2</sup> .....	-3.7	6.9	5.9	3.5	-2.5	19.3	-3.3	-10.6	2.6
Fresh whole milk <sup>1</sup> .....	-4.2	6.9	6.0	4.3	-4.3	22.0	-4.4	-12.8	3.0
Fresh milk other than whole <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-2.3	6.5	5.0	2.3	.0	16.9	-2.5	-8.4	2.8
Cheese and related products .....	-2.5	2.3	5.3	.5	-1.9	13.0	8.4	-9.3	2.3
Ice cream and related products .....	-1.5	.2	-.6	.4	1.6	3.6	5.6	-2.1	.7
Other dairy and related products <sup>2</sup> .....	2.0	1.6	2.9	1.5	-.2	11.8	2.6	-3.8	1.7
Fruits and vegetables .....	4.9	3.3	7.9	.6	1.9	5.9	3.4	-3.0	.6

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**Table 26. Historical Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, by commodity and service group and detailed expenditure categories-Continued**

Item and group	Percent change from previous December								
	December								Feb. 2010
	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	
<b>Expenditure category</b>									
Fresh fruits and vegetables .....	5.5	4.5	9.6	-0.5	1.8	6.4	0.6	-3.9	0.3
Fresh fruits .....	4.7	1.4	7.3	1.3	4.3	5.8	-1.9	-3.7	-8
Apples .....	6.9	3.2	1.0	4.2	10.0	5.9	3.9	-9.9	4.9
Bananas .....	.0	-1.5	-2.9	7.4	2.7	4.5	15.8	-8.4	2.9
Citrus fruits <sup>2</sup> .....	9.7	1.9	11.8	7.5	6.1	.9	.1	.1	.0
Oranges, including tangerines <sup>1</sup> .....	15.1	5.6	6.6	5.7	11.8	-5.9	3.9	4.3	-2.8
Other fresh fruits <sup>2</sup> .....	3.7	1.8	11.5	-3.9	2.1	8.2	-9.0	-1.3	-3.8
Fresh vegetables .....	6.4	7.6	11.9	-2.3	-8	7.0	3.2	-4.0	1.4
Potatoes .....	8.3	-3.5	7.5	9.2	6.0	3.0	22.1	-16.9	5.9
Lettuce .....	-5.7	38.1	-8.3	-6.1	8.4	4.8	1.6	9.8	-15.5
Tomatoes .....	9.2	-1.5	49.5	-19.5	-7.0	18.9	-10.8	3.2	-5.4
Other fresh vegetables .....	7.7	8.4	4.2	4.5	-2.4	4.3	3.6	-5.5	7.5
Processed fruits and vegetables <sup>2</sup> .....	2.9	-8	1.6	5.3	2.7	4.0	13.5	-3	1.7
Canned fruits and vegetables <sup>2</sup> .....	3.3	-2.7	2.5	5.8	2.6	4.0	16.5	1.0	1.4
Canned fruits <sup>1 2</sup> .....	3.9	-1.6	1.7	5.2	3.8	2.8	10.6	.6	1.0
Canned vegetables <sup>1 2</sup> .....	2.1	-3.4	3.8	6.8	1.2	4.7	19.1	1.6	2.5
Frozen fruits and vegetables <sup>2</sup> .....	.3	2.7	-8	4.8	2.5	3.3	8.0	-3.3	3.1
Frozen vegetables <sup>1</sup> .....	-1	2.7	-1.0	3.6	.7	.6	8.8	-3.5	4.3
Other processed fruits and vegetables including dried <sup>2</sup> .....	6.2	-7	3.2	4.9	3.4	5.5	14.5	.5	.1
Dried beans, peas, and lentils <sup>1 2</sup> .....	6.3	-1.1	4.5	2.5	6.0	12.5	26.8	.1	-1
Nonalcoholic beverages and beverage materials .....	.9	-4	.9	3.5	2.1	3.5	5.9	-9	1.0
Juices and nonalcoholic drinks <sup>2</sup> .....	1.0	-6	.8	3.0	1.9	3.5	7.3	-1.2	.8
Carbonated drinks .....	1.3	-1	2.2	4.4	.4	3.4	9.3	.5	3.9
Frozen noncarbonated juices and drinks <sup>2</sup> .....	-6	1.1	-3.0	.2	13.2	13.4	3.9	.8	-7
Nonfrozen noncarbonated juices and drinks <sup>2</sup> .....	.9	-1.3	-4	1.6	3.1	3.0	5.4	-3.0	-1.4
Beverage materials including coffee and tea <sup>2</sup> .....	.9	.1	1.2	4.5	2.4	3.4	3.4	-4	1.5
Coffee .....	-3	.7	1.6	11.5	2.2	5.6	6.2	-2.8	2.1
Roasted coffee <sup>1</sup> .....	-5	1.8	1.2	14.1	-5	8.7	4.6	-2.1	2.7
Instant and freeze dried coffee <sup>1</sup> .....	.0	-1.9	4.2	4.3	7.7	-2.4	12.6	-5.0	.8
Other beverage materials including tea <sup>2</sup> .....	1.8	-3	1.0	.4	2.6	2.3	1.8	.9	1.0
Other food at home .....	.1	1.2	.4	2.4	.7	3.2	9.3	-1	.9
Sugar and sweets .....	1.9	1.2	.2	4.0	2.7	3.6	8.2	2.8	1.6
Sugar and artificial sweeteners .....	2.5	2.1	-2	8.1	5.8	-5	6.5	3.8	4.9
Candy and chewing gum <sup>2</sup> .....	1.6	.3	.2	3.6	1.5	4.8	8.5	2.8	.5
Other sweets <sup>2</sup> .....	2.7	3.3	.7	1.7	4.0	3.4	8.7	1.8	2.4
Fats and oils .....	-2.6	3.2	6.2	-1.3	.9	5.6	17.4	-4.5	1.8
Butter and margarine <sup>2</sup> .....	-9.3	4.0	13.8	-3.2	-1.3	6.1	18.9	-7.7	4.3
Butter <sup>1</sup> .....	-19.4	2.9	28.3	-6.2	-5.8	2.2	8.1	-11.5	5.8
Margarine <sup>1</sup> .....	.4	6.0	1.1	.6	1.7	9.5	27.0	-4.8	3.8
Salad dressing <sup>2</sup> .....	-6	2.2	.5	-4.3	3.4	3.6	10.5	.6	.0
Other fats and oils including peanut butter <sup>2</sup> .....	2.0	3.2	4.5	2.2	.9	6.6	20.9	-5.5	1.3
Peanut butter <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.1	.3	.4	1.3	-2.9	8.7	13.5	-1.0	.1
Other foods .....	.2	.8	-7	2.8	.1	2.6	8.3	.0	.6
Soups .....	1.2	.9	.1	1.9	.0	-1	8.8	-2.2	-7
Frozen and freeze dried prepared foods .....	-1.0	.3	-5	.9	-1.7	3.8	6.6	-8	.1
Snacks .....	-3.3	4.5	-2.3	5.8	-1.0	4.5	12.9	1.5	.8
Spices, seasonings, condiments, sauces .....	3.1	-2.2	-2.9	3.8	-1	3.5	6.9	2.0	4.0
Salt and other seasonings and spices <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-3	-1.1	-3	6.1	-3.7	5.8	2.1	3.2	1.3
Olives, pickles, relishes <sup>1 2</sup> .....	2.1	-6.0	4.5	.5	2.2	4.1	13.0	-1.4	3.4
Sauces and gravies <sup>1 2</sup> .....	3.6	-1.4	-8.5	3.8	2.9	1.1	8.5	3.6	2.8
Other condiments <sup>1</sup> .....	6.0	3.8	-3.6	1.7	.2	6.3	4.9	-2.0	14.7
Baby food <sup>2</sup> .....	1.5	3.2	2.1	3.4	.9	3.7	5.7	-1.2	.8
Other miscellaneous foods <sup>2</sup> .....	1.6	-4	.9	1.4	2.4	.1	7.4	-1.1	-1.0
Prepared salads <sup>1 3</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.7	1.6	-1.8
Food away from home .....	2.3	2.3	3.0	3.2	3.2	4.0	5.0	1.9	.1
Full service meals and snacks <sup>2</sup> .....	2.2	2.2	2.9	2.8	3.4	3.9	3.9	1.8	.2
Limited service meals and snacks <sup>2</sup> .....	2.2	2.3	3.2	3.3	3.0	4.1	6.0	1.8	-1
Food at employee sites and schools <sup>2</sup> .....	4.8	2.5	2.9	2.7	3.6	2.8	5.8	2.8	.3
Food at elementary and secondary schools <sup>1 4</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	4.3	3.2	6.2	2.8	.2
Food from vending machines and mobile vendors <sup>2</sup> .....	1.3	2.4	2.2	2.9	2.0	3.4	6.8	2.5	.5

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Item and group	Percent change from previous December								
	December								Feb. 2010
	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	
<b>Expenditure category</b>									
Other food away from home <sup>2</sup> .....	3.7	2.6	3.3	5.3	4.0	4.8	5.7	1.9	1.0
Alcoholic beverages .....	2.2	2.1	2.8	1.3	2.4	3.8	4.4	1.9	.2
Alcoholic beverages at home .....	1.9	1.7	2.1	.4	1.5	3.3	4.4	1.5	.4
Beer, ale, and other malt beverages at home .....	2.6	3.0	3.3	-.5	1.3	4.3	5.3	2.6	.2
Distilled spirits at home .....	.5	2.1	.8	1.1	.8	.6	2.7	1.8	.7
Whiskey at home <sup>1</sup> .....	1.4	2.9	.5	1.9	1.0	2.3	4.0	2.6	.6
Distilled spirits, excluding whiskey, at home <sup>1</sup> .....	.2	1.3	1.2	.6	.2	.2	1.2	2.1	.8
Wine at home .....	1.4	-.5	.7	1.6	1.9	3.2	3.8	.0	.5
Alcoholic beverages away from home .....	3.0	2.7	3.8	2.9	4.2	4.6	4.5	2.4	-.1
Beer, ale, and other malt beverages away from home <sup>1 2</sup> .....	2.6	3.6	3.5	2.1	4.8	3.4	4.0	2.8	.1
Wine away from home <sup>1 2</sup> .....	2.5	1.5	4.8	3.3	3.2	5.8	5.1	2.5	-.5
Distilled spirits away from home <sup>1 2</sup> .....	2.9	3.8	3.2	4.2	3.5	5.8	3.8	1.7	.0
Housing .....	2.4	2.2	3.0	4.0	3.3	3.0	2.4	-.3	.1
Shelter .....	3.1	2.2	2.7	2.6	4.2	3.1	1.9	.3	.1
Rent of primary residence <sup>5</sup> .....	3.1	2.7	2.9	3.1	4.3	4.0	3.4	.7	.0
Lodging away from home <sup>2</sup> .....	.6	3.4	5.1	3.5	4.0	4.6	-3.3	-5.0	5.2
Housing at school, excluding board <sup>5 6</sup> .....	6.1	5.7	6.9	5.1	5.1	5.1	4.7	5.0	.2
Other lodging away from home including hotels and motels .....	.0	3.1	5.0	3.3	3.9	4.5	-3.8	-5.7	6.5
Owners' equivalent rent of residences <sup>5 6</sup> .....	3.3	2.0	2.3	2.5	4.3	2.8	2.1	.7	-.1
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>5 6</sup> .....	3.3	2.0	2.3	2.5	4.3	2.8	2.1	.7	-.1
Tenants' and household insurance <sup>2</sup> .....	5.6	1.8	3.8	-2.2	.9	-.1	2.6	3.2	.5
Fuels and utilities .....	1.4	6.5	7.9	15.6	.5	5.4	6.0	-3.0	1.0
Household energy .....	1.0	7.1	8.4	18.0	-.3	5.3	5.9	-4.9	.8
Fuel oil and other fuels .....	11.4	9.1	34.1	24.0	2.4	28.3	-14.4	2.5	5.6
Fuel oil .....	14.7	7.8	39.5	27.2	2.3	32.5	-21.0	6.5	3.6
Propane, kerosene, and firewood <sup>7</sup> .....	5.5	11.6	23.9	17.3	2.6	19.2	-.3	-4.2	9.3
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>5</sup> .....	.4	6.9	6.8	17.6	-.6	3.4	7.7	-5.4	.4
Electricity <sup>5</sup> .....	-1.9	2.6	2.1	10.7	7.5	5.2	8.6	-.5	-1.0
Utility (piped) gas service <sup>5</sup> .....	6.7	17.4	16.4	30.2	-14.2	-.4	5.5	-18.1	5.1
Water and sewer and trash collection services <sup>2</sup> .....	3.2	4.5	5.4	5.2	4.8	5.4	6.5	5.6	1.7
Water and sewerage maintenance <sup>5</sup> .....	3.5	4.7	6.2	5.5	4.7	5.6	7.0	6.9	2.0
Garbage and trash collection <sup>8</sup> .....	2.4	4.2	3.4	4.3	5.2	4.8	5.0	2.2	.9
Household furnishings and operations .....	-1.5	-1.8	.6	.7	.5	-.7	2.0	-1.1	-.1
Window and floor coverings and other linens <sup>2</sup> .....	-5.3	-4.1	-1.5	-1.8	-4.8	-3.2	-4.7	-3.2	-.6
Floor coverings <sup>2</sup> .....	2.0	-1.7	.7	6.2	4.0	-.3	1.3	-2.7	-2.6
Window coverings <sup>2</sup> .....	-3.7	-1.5	-1.6	.1	-.8	-2.6	-.5	-6.2	-3.7
Other linens <sup>2</sup> .....	-8.2	-6.1	-1.9	-4.2	-8.5	-4.2	-8.5	-1.5	1.5
Furniture and bedding .....	-1.1	-1.6	-.2	.6	-.7	-2.1	-.1	.0	-.7
Bedroom furniture .....	-1.6	-.3	5.0	4.7	-1.2	-1.6	.4	-2.4	-.9
Living room, kitchen, and dining room furniture <sup>2</sup> .....	-1.0	-2.3	-1.9	-1.5	-.8	-1.9	-1.2	1.9	-.4
Other furniture <sup>2</sup> .....	-.3	-1.3	-3.7	-.4	.5	-3.4	1.9	-.8	-1.4
Infants' furniture <sup>1 4</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-1.4	-	-	-	-
Appliances <sup>2</sup> .....	-3.1	-3.9	-3.8	2.8	1.1	1.4	1.4	-2.6	.7
Major appliances <sup>2</sup> .....	-2.3	-3.7	-3.0	5.8	2.9	2.8	2.1	-2.9	.4
Laundry equipment <sup>1</sup> .....	-.1	-1.8	-3.8	5.1	1.5	3.2	.5	-3.3	.0
Other appliances <sup>2</sup> .....	-4.1	-4.2	-4.8	-1.2	-1.3	-.5	.2	-2.1	1.0
Other household equipment and furnishings <sup>2</sup> .....	-4.3	-5.0	.5	-4.7	-5.4	-4.8	-.2	-3.5	.3
Clocks, lamps, and decorator items .....	-5.3	-9.1	-.1	-7.7	-8.3	-9.6	-2.2	-5.1	-.1
Indoor plants and flowers <sup>9</sup> .....	-.8	2.1	.8	1.9	-.7	2.0	4.7	-2.9	1.4
Dishes and flatware <sup>2</sup> .....	-5.4	-2.3	1.6	-6.8	-6.3	-2.6	-.8	-2.3	.1
Nonelectric cookware and tableware <sup>2</sup> .....	-4.6	-1.3	1.1	-1.0	1.0	3.0	2.1	.3	.4
Tools, hardware, outdoor equipment and supplies <sup>2</sup> .....	-1.3	-2.6	1.6	.1	1.2	-1.1	.3	-1.5	-.3
Tools, hardware and supplies <sup>2</sup> .....	-1.6	-1.7	3.3	2.6	1.9	-1.1	.5	-2.5	-.2
Outdoor equipment and supplies <sup>2</sup> .....	-1.3	-3.1	.8	-1.1	.8	-1.0	-.1	-1.1	-.4
Housekeeping supplies .....	-1.1	-.9	.9	2.3	4.0	1.5	6.9	.3	.4
Household cleaning products <sup>2</sup> .....	-1.4	-1.6	-.7	3.2	2.7	-.2	7.0	1.4	-.2
Household paper products <sup>2</sup> .....	.0	-1.8	6.9	.5	6.6	3.8	11.4	.7	.5
Miscellaneous household products <sup>2</sup> .....	-1.6	.8	-1.2	2.5	3.8	2.0	3.5	-1.4	1.0
Household operations <sup>2</sup> .....	2.3	2.3	3.6	5.0	4.4	2.2	6.0	-.3	-.3
Domestic services <sup>2</sup> .....	4.0	2.6	1.9	5.1	4.6	1.7	2.9	.4	.1
Gardening and lawn care services <sup>2</sup> .....	.1	1.3	4.7	-	-	-	-	-	-

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Item and group	Percent change from previous December								
	December								Feb. 2010
	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	
<b>Expenditure category</b>									
Moving, storage, freight expense <sup>2</sup> .....	1.4	2.3	2.9	4.1	0.2	-0.1	-0.8	-2.2	-2.0
Repair of household items <sup>2</sup> .....	4.9	3.4	6.9	6.8	4.3	4.2	4.9	3.3	.8
Apparel .....	-1.8	-2.1	-2	-1.1	.9	-3	-1.0	1.9	-.4
Men's and boys' apparel .....	-2.9	-1.1	-1.4	-1.9	-.8	-1.0	-1.1	-.1	.6
Men's apparel .....	-1.0	-1.7	-.8	-1.3	-.3	-2.4	-1.5	.5	1.2
Men's suits, sport coats, and outerwear .....	-.7	.7	-1.6	-.6	-4.1	1.0	-4.4	-2.0	-1.7
Men's furnishings .....	.9	2.2	-1.0	-1.0	-1.3	-3.8	5.8	1.6	6.1
Men's shirts and sweaters <sup>2</sup> .....	-1.0	-3.1	-2.8	-.7	2.8	-7.1	-4.0	1.8	-4.2
Men's pants and shorts .....	-3.2	-6.1	3.3	-3.5	.4	1.4	-3.4	-.4	5.6
Boys' apparel .....	-9.2	1.1	-4.1	-3.8	-2.6	4.2	.2	-2.3	-1.6
Women's and girls' apparel .....	-1.5	-1.9	-.8	-1.0	1.2	-.7	-3.6	2.7	-1.4
Women's apparel .....	-2.1	-1.6	-1.4	.1	1.7	-.9	-3.5	2.9	-1.8
Women's outerwear .....	.4	-1.1	-5.2	-4.1	-.7	-4.9	-.9	4.8	-13.2
Women's dresses .....	1.2	.1	-3.6	7.6	7.9	2.7	-4.0	1.3	-4.2
Women's suits and separates <sup>2</sup> .....	-2.4	-2.7	-.3	-.5	2.3	-.3	-5.3	1.6	-1.1
Women's underwear, nightwear, sportswear and accessories <sup>2</sup> .....	-3.8	-.5	-1.2	-.4	-.9	-2.3	-.3	5.4	2.0
Girls' apparel .....	1.7	-4.0	2.4	-6.9	-1.5	.7	-4.4	1.6	.9
Footwear .....	.1	-1.8	1.5	.9	1.3	-.6	1.5	3.5	-.6
Men's footwear .....	.1	-3.4	-1.9	2.2	2.2	-2.0	3.9	1.7	-.4
Boys' and girls' footwear .....	-1.2	-2.0	4.0	1.2	-.8	2.1	4.6	1.6	-.4
Women's footwear .....	.5	-.7	2.7	.0	1.7	-.9	-1.5	5.8	-.8
Infants' and toddlers' apparel .....	-2.5	-4.9	-.5	-3.0	-.8	-.3	-1.1	.1	1.4
Jewelry and watches <sup>7</sup> .....	-3.9	-4.0	3.2	-2.2	4.8	4.0	6.9	1.9	.7
Watches <sup>7</sup> .....	-5.3	.1	1.6	.8	1.8	-1.7	3.3	-2.7	1.9
Jewelry <sup>7</sup> .....	-3.6	-4.6	3.3	-2.6	5.2	5.0	7.5	2.6	.5
Transportation .....	3.8	.3	6.5	4.8	1.6	8.3	-13.3	14.4	.7
Private transportation .....	4.2	.3	7.0	4.7	1.7	8.3	-14.4	15.3	.8
New and used motor vehicles <sup>2</sup> .....	-2.9	-4.4	1.1	.4	-1.0	.0	-3.5	5.5	.6
New vehicles .....	-2.0	-1.8	.6	-.4	-.9	-.3	-3.2	4.9	.0
New cars and trucks <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-2.0	-1.9	.6	-.4	-.9	-.3	-3.2	4.9	.0
New cars <sup>1</sup> .....	-2.0	-2.1	.5	.8	.2	-.4	-1.1	3.6	-.4
New trucks <sup>1 8</sup> .....	-2.2	-1.5	.5	-1.9	-2.0	-.2	-5.3	6.6	.5
Used cars and trucks .....	-5.5	-11.8	4.8	1.4	-2.2	.5	-8.1	9.2	2.0
Leased cars and trucks <sup>10</sup> .....	-2.0	-2.3	-4.2	1.4	-.1	.6	6.0	.0	.3
Car and truck rental <sup>2</sup> .....	.5	3.2	-4.0	8.6	2.9	-1.2	3.7	6.3	-4.0
Motor fuel .....	24.6	6.8	26.1	16.2	6.4	29.5	-42.2	50.7	1.3
Gasoline (all types) .....	24.8	6.8	26.1	16.1	6.4	29.6	-43.1	53.5	1.3
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>1</sup> .....	25.8	7.3	26.7	16.7	6.5	29.7	-44.0	55.2	1.3
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>1 11</sup> .....	25.4	6.1	25.7	15.5	5.9	29.6	-41.7	50.9	1.3
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>1</sup> .....	23.5	6.1	24.3	14.6	6.2	28.6	-40.0	47.5	1.2
Other motor fuels <sup>2</sup> .....	1.6	1.8	31.8	22.1	7.3	24.1	-25.1	9.2	1.3
Motor vehicle parts and equipment .....	1.1	.7	2.0	3.7	4.8	3.7	7.4	1.3	.6
Tires .....	.1	-.5	2.4	2.9	3.6	2.8	6.0	1.3	.7
Vehicle accessories other than tires <sup>2</sup> .....	2.4	2.2	1.4	5.1	6.6	5.1	9.6	1.3	.5
Vehicle parts and equipment other than tires <sup>1</sup> .....	2.3	1.4	.4	3.4	4.8	4.6	6.4	1.8	.4
Motor oil, coolant, and fluids <sup>1</sup> .....	2.4	3.8	6.3	14.6	15.0	7.2	24.0	-1.9	1.8
Motor vehicle maintenance and repair .....	3.7	2.4	2.7	3.6	3.8	3.3	5.9	2.5	.2
Motor vehicle body work .....	1.8	1.9	2.7	4.8	3.4	3.5	3.9	2.3	.1
Motor vehicle maintenance and servicing .....	3.7	1.7	2.9	3.2	3.2	3.0	7.2	2.3	-.1
Motor vehicle repair <sup>2</sup> .....	3.9	3.0	2.5	3.9	4.4	3.5	5.1	2.7	.5
Motor vehicle insurance .....	9.0	4.5	3.4	1.0	.8	.5	4.0	4.7	.8
Motor vehicle fees <sup>2</sup> .....	3.3	6.8	8.6	2.9	2.3	2.0	3.9	10.9	.6
State motor vehicle registration and license fees <sup>2 5</sup> .....	3.5	8.4	10.4	2.0	2.4	1.3	2.5	14.2	.7
Parking and other fees <sup>2</sup> .....	2.8	2.9	5.1	4.9	2.0	3.7	6.1	5.4	-.3
Parking fees and tolls <sup>1 2</sup> .....	3.1	3.3	5.8	6.5	1.6	4.6	8.6	6.4	.2
Automobile service clubs <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-.3	2.5	1.5	.2	3.6	1.0	-1.7	1.5	.5
Public transportation .....	-.9	1.3	-.1	5.9	.1	7.2	1.8	3.2	-1.3
Airline fare .....	-2.4	-.1	-1.5	6.4	-1.0	10.6	1.4	4.3	-2.0
Other intercity transportation .....	2.0	-5.2	-1.6	4.8	2.0	1.3	-.8	-4.1	-.8

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Item and group	Percent change from previous December								
	December								Feb. 2010
	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	
<b>Expenditure category</b>									
Intercity bus fare <sup>1 3</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.2	0.4	-1.5
Intercity train fare <sup>1 3</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.3	-2.3	-5.3
Ship fare <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-1.8	-10.3	4.9	-0.3	-1.4	2.3	-8.0	-3.5	.6
Intracity transportation .....	1.5	10.3	3.8	5.4	1.9	2.1	5.1	5.0	.4
Intracity mass transit <sup>1 12</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	.8
Medical care .....	5.0	3.7	4.2	4.3	3.6	5.2	2.6	3.4	1.7
Medical care commodities .....	3.1	2.1	2.2	3.7	1.8	2.7	1.6	3.3	1.5
Medicinal drugs <sup>12</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.6
Prescription drugs .....	4.5	2.5	3.5	4.4	1.9	3.3	1.5	4.4	1.9
Nonprescription drugs <sup>12</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	.3
Medical equipment and supplies <sup>12</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	.0
Medical care services .....	5.6	4.2	4.9	4.5	4.1	5.9	3.0	3.4	1.7
Professional services .....	3.3	2.8	4.0	3.8	2.6	4.2	3.0	2.5	1.3
Physicians' services <sup>5</sup> .....	3.2	2.3	4.0	3.1	1.7	4.1	2.9	2.5	1.8
Dental services <sup>5</sup> .....	4.5	4.4	4.9	5.7	5.0	5.8	3.7	3.2	.7
Eyeglasses and eye care <sup>7</sup> .....	-3	1.5	2.9	3.1	2.0	1.5	.3	1.7	.3
Services by other medical professionals <sup>5 7</sup> .....	3.6	2.3	2.5	2.5	3.1	3.1	3.8	1.8	1.0
Hospital and related services <sup>5</sup> .....	9.8	6.4	5.2	5.1	6.1	8.1	5.4	7.1	2.8
Hospital services <sup>5 13</sup> .....	10.1	6.4	5.2	5.2	6.2	8.3	5.9	7.7	3.3
Inpatient hospital services <sup>1 5 13</sup> .....	9.4	5.7	5.6	5.3	6.8	7.6	5.7	7.7	3.6
Outpatient hospital services <sup>1 5 7</sup> .....	12.7	6.6	4.5	5.0	5.2	9.9	5.6	8.2	2.3
Nursing homes and adult day services <sup>5 13</sup> .....	4.4	5.8	3.5	3.5	5.0	4.8	3.2	3.6	1.0
Care of invalids and elderly at home <sup>4</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	3.1	3.4	1.6	1.6	.4
Health insurance <sup>4</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	6.4	8.8	-3.5	-3.0	.7
Recreation <sup>2</sup> .....	1.1	1.1	.7	1.1	1.0	.8	1.8	-4	.1
Video and audio <sup>2</sup> .....	2.0	.1	.6	.0	-1.1	-1	-1.0	-1.7	-3
Televisions .....	-10.6	-14.3	-12.3	-14.4	-22.6	-18.3	-19.4	-27.4	-6.6
Cable and satellite television and radio service <sup>8</sup> .....	7.3	3.8	4.0	3.3	2.6	2.5	1.8	2.3	.7
Other video equipment <sup>2</sup> .....	-13.1	-12.3	-14.3	-10.6	-13.9	-13.0	-14.4	-10.0	-3
Video discs and other media, including rental of video and audio <sup>2</sup> .....	-7.0	.0	-1.2	-.8	1.2	.5	2.3	-3.3	-1.4
Video discs and other media <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-4	-2.1	-2.4	-8.3	-3.3	-6.0	-5.1	-8.3	1.2
Rental of video or audio discs and other media <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-8.2	-2	-.9	4.2	3.5	4.0	5.9	-.7	-2.1
Audio equipment .....	-4.5	-5.4	-6.7	-8.8	-4.3	-4.8	-4.9	-4.8	-2
Audio discs, tapes and other media <sup>2</sup> .....	1.0	-3.9	3.5	.1	-2.9	-.7	-.6	-9.0	.1
Pets, pet products and services <sup>2</sup> .....	2.2	2.7	4.3	2.8	3.5	5.5	9.7	1.8	.6
Pets and pet products .....	.6	1.5	2.8	1.2	3.2	4.9	12.2	.9	.6
Pet food <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.3	2.0	3.1	1.2	3.4	5.4	15.5	1.0	.6
Purchase of pets, pet supplies, accessories <sup>1 2</sup> .....	2.7	-.4	1.8	1.8	3.0	3.1	2.9	.6	1.0
Pet services including veterinary <sup>2</sup> .....	4.9	5.0	6.3	4.9	4.1	6.3	6.1	3.1	.8
Pet services <sup>1 2</sup> .....	4.0	3.8	5.1	3.9	4.1	4.1	6.7	1.3	.4
Veterinarian services <sup>1 2</sup> .....	5.2	5.4	6.7	5.2	4.3	7.0	6.2	3.9	.8
Sporting goods .....	-1.4	-.7	-1.2	1.8	1.5	-.9	3.0	-1.1	.1
Sports vehicles including bicycles .....	-.8	-2.2	1.4	3.9	3.0	-.3	1.0	-.2	.7
Sports equipment .....	-1.8	.6	-3.9	-.4	-1.0	-1.8	5.6	-2.3	-.5
Photography <sup>2</sup> .....	-1.9	-2.2	-3.1	-3.1	-4.8	-3.5	-1.8	.5	-.7
Photographic equipment and supplies .....	-6.2	-5.7	-7.1	-4.9	-11.2	-6.9	-6.1	-2.2	-.5
Film and photographic supplies <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-5.8	-3.2	-1.5	.6	-4.0	2.1	.7	2.9	1.9
Photographic equipment <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-6.0	-8.4	-13.7	-10.2	-18.0	-14.7	-9.3	-3.8	-1.2
Photographers and film processing <sup>2</sup> .....	1.8	.6	.2	-1.6	1.8	-.4	2.0	2.7	-.9
Photographer fees <sup>1 2</sup> .....	5.2	3.3	-2.3	-1.7	1.1	2.1	.7	2.5	-.6
Film processing <sup>1 2</sup> .....	1.1	.1	-.2	-1.6	1.7	-.8	2.3	3.9	-.8
Other recreational goods <sup>2</sup> .....	-7.3	-3.2	-4.3	-3.9	-3.1	-5.3	-4.2	-3.2	1.1
Toys .....	-9.3	-4.2	-6.1	-4.5	-4.8	-5.7	-6.8	-6.2	1.0
Toys, games, hobbies and playground equipment <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-5.2	-3.1	-2.8	-2.4	-2.5	-3.4	-4.9	-2.9	1.0
Sewing machines, fabric and supplies <sup>2</sup> .....	-2.2	.5	.3	-3.4	1.0	-6.3	1.9	4.6	1.5
Music instruments and accessories <sup>2</sup> .....	-1.2	-1.4	1.2	-1.8	.0	-1.9	1.7	1.0	.8
Recreation services <sup>2</sup> .....	3.1	3.5	2.1	3.0	3.9	2.4	2.4	.2	.1
Club dues and fees for participant sports and group exercises <sup>2</sup> .....	.6	2.7	.3	2.6	2.2	1.5	.9	-1.7	.4
Admissions .....	4.9	3.4	3.5	3.5	5.2	2.4	3.1	.9	.0

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<b>Expenditure category</b>									
Admission to movies, theaters, and concerts <sup>1 2</sup> .....	5.0	3.9	2.5	3.5	5.4	2.0	2.6	0.8	0.0
Admission to sporting events <sup>1 2</sup> .....	4.0	.7	6.9	6.4	3.7	4.7	5.7	1.0	-.2
Fees for lessons or instructions <sup>7</sup> .....	1.4	6.3	2.7	2.6	3.5	3.8	3.7	2.7	.0
Recreational reading materials .....	2.0	.9	2.2	.5	.8	1.1	3.5	2.8	-.1
Newspapers and magazines <sup>2</sup> .....	2.2	1.7	3.7	1.7	1.0	1.4	4.8	4.9	.6
Recreational books <sup>2</sup> .....	1.7	-.5	.0	-1.2	.7	.7	1.9	.2	-.8
Education and communication <sup>2</sup> .....	2.2	1.6	1.5	2.4	2.3	3.0	3.6	2.4	.2
Education <sup>2</sup> .....	6.6	7.2	6.5	6.1	6.3	5.6	5.6	4.7	.2
Educational books and supplies .....	9.7	6.0	3.8	5.2	6.7	8.7	7.0	6.9	1.3
Tuition, other school fees, and childcare .....	6.2	7.4	6.8	6.2	6.3	5.4	5.5	4.5	.2
College tuition and fees .....	7.0	9.8	8.6	6.6	7.0	6.1	5.8	6.0	-.2
Elementary and high school tuition and fees .....	6.8	6.5	7.0	5.6	5.9	5.5	6.1	4.0	.1
Child care and nursery school <sup>9</sup> .....	4.9	4.1	3.5	5.5	5.3	3.9	5.0	2.3	1.0
Technical and business school tuition and fees <sup>2</sup> .....	5.0	9.1	8.0	6.5	5.1	4.9	3.4	3.8	.1
Communication <sup>2</sup> .....	-1.7	-3.9	-3.2	-1.3	-1.4	.2	1.7	.1	.1
Postage and delivery services <sup>2</sup> .....	10.4	.2	.5	.4	5.0	4.4	3.2	5.0	1.9
Postage .....	10.5	.0	.0	.0	5.3	3.9	3.1	5.2	1.4
Delivery services <sup>2</sup> .....	4.6	4.4	14.0	9.9	1.3	10.5	5.2	1.6	10.5
Information and information processing <sup>2</sup> .....	-2.5	-4.2	-3.4	-1.3	-1.9	-1	1.7	-.2	.0
Telephone services <sup>2</sup> .....	.2	-2.7	-2.5	.4	1.7	2.1	2.9	1.0	-.4
Wireless telephone services <sup>2</sup> .....	.3	-1.3	-1.4	-1.5	.0	-.9	.5	-1.1	-1.7
Land-line telephone services <sup>12</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.1
Information technology, hardware and services <sup>14</sup> .....	-13.1	-11.0	-7.2	-7.7	-14.5	-8.8	-3.0	-4.9	1.2
Personal computers and peripheral equipment <sup>3</sup> .....	-22.0	-17.9	-14.0	-15.8	-11.7	-13.6	-11.5	-11.9	.0
Computer software and accessories <sup>2</sup> .....	-10.7	-9.7	-4.7	-4.3	-7.4	-6.4	-1.1	-2.5	.9
Internet services and electronic information providers <sup>2</sup> .....	-.7	-2.0	-.4	-2.8	-18.3	-5.2	3.7	-.3	2.5
Telephone hardware, calculators, and other consumer information items <sup>2</sup> .....	-9.2	-11.4	-7.5	-8.7	-8.8	-8.3	-1.9	-3.4	-2.1
Other goods and services .....	3.3	1.5	2.5	3.1	3.0	3.3	3.4	8.0	.2
Tobacco and smoking products .....	9.5	-.4	3.1	5.8	2.8	7.5	6.3	30.1	.2
Cigarettes <sup>2</sup> .....	9.8	-.9	2.8	5.9	2.8	7.8	6.4	30.5	.2
Tobacco products other than cigarettes <sup>2</sup> .....	4.1	5.9	6.1	5.1	2.0	3.5	5.8	22.1	1.5
Personal care .....	1.6	2.1	2.4	2.3	3.0	2.2	2.6	1.5	.2
Personal care products .....	-1.3	.0	.0	1.3	2.3	-.5	2.0	.5	-.2
Hair, dental, shaving, and miscellaneous personal care products <sup>2</sup> .....	-1.1	-.8	-.9	.4	2.1	-.3	1.1	-.1	.9
Cosmetics, perfume, bath, nail preparations and implements .....	-1.4	.8	1.1	2.3	2.5	-.6	3.0	1.2	-1.2
Personal care services .....	1.9	2.3	3.6	2.7	2.9	3.4	3.0	.9	-.1
Haircuts and other personal care services <sup>2</sup> .....	1.9	2.3	3.5	2.6	2.9	3.4	3.0	.9	-.1
Miscellaneous personal services .....	3.1	3.7	3.7	3.0	3.9	3.5	3.0	2.6	.6
Legal services <sup>7</sup> .....	4.3	5.0	5.3	3.4	4.5	2.9	4.5	3.1	.8
Funeral expenses <sup>7</sup> .....	4.3	4.2	3.6	4.6	4.9	4.8	5.4	3.1	.5
Laundry and dry cleaning services <sup>2</sup> .....	2.1	3.0	3.0	1.8	3.3	3.1	4.8	2.3	.4
Apparel services other than laundry and dry cleaning <sup>2</sup> .....	1.9	3.1	2.7	4.9	5.1	3.6	7.4	4.1	.6
Financial services <sup>7</sup> .....	3.2	2.6	3.7	1.6	3.5	3.9	-5.5	1.7	.6
Checking account and other bank services <sup>1 2</sup> .....	1.6	1.9	2.7	.4	2.3	2.5	-5.8	1.6	1.0
Tax return preparation and other accounting fees <sup>1 2</sup> .....	4.9	4.2	5.1	4.4	6.4	4.3	4.9	1.6	-.1
Miscellaneous personal goods <sup>2</sup> .....	-.8	-4.9	-2.7	-.2	.6	.7	1.4	.6	-.2
Stationery, stationery supplies, gift wrap <sup>1</sup> .....	-.1	-4.4	-1.0	1.5	.9	1.6	.8	1.7	.1
Infants' equipment <sup>1 4</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-2.9	-1.5	3.1	-	-
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>									
Commodities .....	1.2	.5	3.6	2.7	1.3	5.2	-4.1	5.5	.5
Commodities less food and beverages .....	1.0	-1.4	4.2	3.0	.8	5.4	-9.6	9.4	.5
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	4.9	1.0	7.3	5.7	2.8	10.4	-14.3	14.8	.6
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel .....	8.1	2.3	10.4	8.2	3.4	14.2	-18.5	19.8	1.0

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 26. Historical Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, by commodity and service group and detailed expenditure categories-Continued**

Item and group	Percent change from previous December								
	December								Feb. 2010
	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>									
Durables .....	-3.3	-4.3	0.4	-0.5	-1.4	-1.1	-2.9	2.5	0.2
Services .....	3.2	2.8	3.1	3.8	3.4	3.3	3.0	.9	.3
Rent of shelter <sup>6</sup> .....	3.0	2.2	2.7	2.7	4.3	3.1	1.9	.3	.1
Transportation services .....	3.7	2.7	1.9	2.7	1.3	2.5	4.1	3.9	.1
Other services .....	3.4	2.9	2.7	3.0	3.2	3.2	3.5	2.1	.2
All items less food .....	2.6	1.5	3.4	3.6	2.6	4.0	-8	3.3	.3
All items less shelter .....	2.1	1.7	3.5	3.8	1.8	4.5	-8	3.9	.5
All items less medical care .....	2.2	1.8	3.2	3.3	2.5	4.0	-1	2.7	.3
Commodities less food .....	1.1	-1.3	4.1	2.9	1.0	5.3	-9.1	9.0	.5
Nondurables less food .....	4.8	1.1	6.9	5.4	2.7	9.9	-13.1	13.8	.6
Nondurables less food and apparel .....	7.6	2.3	9.7	7.6	3.3	13.2	-16.6	17.9	.9
Nondurables .....	3.1	2.4	4.8	3.9	2.4	7.5	-4.5	6.6	.6
Apparel less footwear .....	-2.3	-2.0	-6	-1.6	.9	-3	-1.6	1.6	-.4
Services less rent of shelter <sup>6</sup> .....	3.4	3.6	3.5	5.2	2.5	3.6	4.3	1.6	.5
Services less medical care services .....	3.0	2.7	2.9	3.8	3.3	3.1	3.0	.7	.2
Energy .....	10.7	6.9	16.6	17.1	2.9	17.4	-21.3	18.2	1.1
All items less energy .....	1.8	1.5	2.2	2.2	2.5	2.8	2.4	1.4	.3
All items less food and energy .....	1.9	1.1	2.2	2.2	2.6	2.4	1.8	1.8	.3
Commodities less food and energy commodities .....	-1.5	-2.5	.6	.2	-.1	.1	-6	3.0	.2
Energy commodities .....	23.7	6.9	26.7	16.7	6.1	29.4	-40.5	46.5	1.6
Services less energy services .....	3.4	2.6	2.8	2.9	3.7	3.3	2.7	1.4	.3
Domestically produced farm food .....	.9	5.4	2.6	1.3	1.2	6.0	6.5	-2.7	.8
Utilities and public transportation .....	1.1	3.0	3.1	9.0	.9	3.6	5.0	-8	.2

<sup>1</sup> Special index based on a substantially smaller sample.

<sup>2</sup> Indexes on a December 1997=100 base.

<sup>3</sup> Indexes on a December 2007=100 base.

<sup>4</sup> Indexes on a December 2005=100 base.

<sup>5</sup> This index series was calculated using a Laspeyres estimator.

All other item stratum index series were calculated using a geometric means estimator.

<sup>6</sup> Indexes on a December 1982=100 base.

<sup>7</sup> Indexes on a December 1986=100 base.

<sup>8</sup> Indexes on a December 1983=100 base.

<sup>9</sup> Indexes on a December 1990=100 base.

<sup>10</sup> Indexes on a December 2001=100 base.

<sup>11</sup> Indexes on a December 1993=100 base.

<sup>12</sup> Indexes on a December 2009=100 base.

<sup>13</sup> Indexes on a December 1996=100 base.

<sup>14</sup> Indexes on a December 1988=100 base.

- Data not available.

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

**Table 27. Historical Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): U. S. city average, all items**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1913	9.9	9.8	9.8	9.9	9.8	9.8	9.9	10.0	10.0	10.1	10.1	10.1
1914	10.1	10.0	10.0	9.9	9.9	10.0	10.1	10.2	10.3	10.2	10.2	10.2
1915	10.2	10.1	10.0	10.1	10.1	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.3	10.4	10.4
1916	10.5	10.5	10.6	10.7	10.7	10.9	10.9	11.0	11.2	11.3	11.5	11.6
1917	11.8	12.0	12.1	12.6	12.9	13.0	12.9	13.1	13.3	13.6	13.6	13.8
1918	14.0	14.2	14.1	14.3	14.5	14.8	15.2	15.4	15.8	16.1	16.3	16.6
1919	16.6	16.2	16.5	16.8	17.0	17.0	17.5	17.8	17.9	18.2	18.6	19.0
1920	19.4	19.6	19.8	20.4	20.7	21.0	20.9	20.4	20.1	20.0	19.9	19.5
1921	19.1	18.5	18.4	18.2	17.8	17.7	17.8	17.8	17.6	17.6	17.5	17.4
1922	17.0	17.0	16.8	16.8	16.8	16.8	16.9	16.7	16.7	16.8	16.9	17.0
1923	16.9	16.9	16.9	17.0	17.0	17.1	17.3	17.2	17.3	17.4	17.4	17.4
1924	17.4	17.3	17.2	17.1	17.1	17.1	17.2	17.1	17.2	17.3	17.3	17.4
1925	17.4	17.3	17.4	17.3	17.4	17.6	17.8	17.8	17.8	17.8	18.1	18.0
1926	18.0	18.0	17.9	18.0	17.9	17.8	17.6	17.5	17.6	17.7	17.8	17.8
1927	17.6	17.5	17.4	17.4	17.5	17.7	17.4	17.3	17.4	17.5	17.4	17.4
1928	17.4	17.2	17.2	17.2	17.3	17.2	17.2	17.2	17.4	17.3	17.3	17.2
1929	17.2	17.2	17.1	17.0	17.1	17.2	17.4	17.4	17.4	17.4	17.4	17.3
1930	17.2	17.1	17.0	17.1	17.0	16.9	16.7	16.6	16.7	16.6	16.5	16.2
1931	16.0	15.7	15.6	15.5	15.4	15.2	15.2	15.1	15.1	15.0	14.8	14.7
1932	14.4	14.2	14.1	14.0	13.8	13.7	13.7	13.5	13.5	13.4	13.3	13.2
1933	13.0	12.8	12.7	12.6	12.7	12.8	13.2	13.3	13.3	13.3	13.3	13.2
1934	13.3	13.4	13.4	13.4	13.4	13.4	13.4	13.5	13.7	13.6	13.5	13.5
1935	13.7	13.8	13.8	13.9	13.8	13.8	13.7	13.7	13.8	13.8	13.9	13.9
1936	13.9	13.8	13.8	13.8	13.8	13.9	14.0	14.1	14.1	14.1	14.1	14.1
1937	14.2	14.2	14.3	14.4	14.4	14.5	14.5	14.6	14.7	14.6	14.5	14.5
1938	14.3	14.2	14.2	14.2	14.2	14.2	14.2	14.2	14.2	14.1	14.1	14.1
1939	14.0	14.0	13.9	13.9	13.9	13.9	13.9	13.9	14.2	14.1	14.1	14.0
1940	14.0	14.1	14.1	14.1	14.1	14.1	14.1	14.1	14.1	14.1	14.1	14.2
1941	14.2	14.2	14.2	14.4	14.5	14.7	14.8	14.9	15.2	15.4	15.5	15.5
1942	15.7	15.9	16.1	16.2	16.3	16.4	16.5	16.6	16.6	16.8	16.9	17.0
1943	17.0	17.0	17.3	17.5	17.6	17.6	17.5	17.4	17.5	17.5	17.5	17.5
1944	17.5	17.5	17.5	17.6	17.6	17.7	17.8	17.8	17.8	17.8	17.8	17.9
1945	17.9	17.9	17.9	17.9	18.0	18.2	18.2	18.2	18.2	18.2	18.2	18.3
1946	18.3	18.2	18.4	18.5	18.6	18.8	18.9	20.3	20.5	20.9	21.5	21.6
1947	21.6	21.6	22.1	22.1	22.0	22.2	22.4	22.6	23.1	23.1	23.3	23.6
1948	23.8	23.6	23.6	23.9	24.1	24.2	24.5	24.6	24.6	24.5	24.4	24.2
1949	24.2	23.9	24.0	24.0	24.0	24.0	23.8	23.9	24.0	23.9	23.9	23.8
1950	23.7	23.6	23.7	23.7	23.8	24.0	24.2	24.4	24.6	24.7	24.8	25.1
1951	25.5	25.9	26.0	26.0	26.1	26.1	26.1	26.1	26.3	26.4	26.5	26.6
1952	26.6	26.5	26.5	26.6	26.6	26.7	26.9	26.9	26.9	26.9	26.9	26.9
1953	26.8	26.7	26.7	26.8	26.8	26.9	27.0	27.1	27.1	27.2	27.1	27.0
1954	27.1	27.1	27.0	27.0	27.1	27.1	27.1	27.1	27.0	26.9	27.0	26.9
1955	26.9	26.9	26.9	26.9	26.9	26.9	27.0	26.9	27.0	27.0	27.1	27.0
1956	27.0	27.0	27.0	27.0	27.2	27.3	27.5	27.5	27.5	27.7	27.7	27.8
1957	27.8	27.9	28.0	28.1	28.1	28.3	28.4	28.5	28.5	28.5	28.6	28.6
1958	28.8	28.8	29.0	29.1	29.1	29.1	29.1	29.1	29.1	29.1	29.1	29.1
1959	29.1	29.1	29.1	29.1	29.2	29.3	29.4	29.3	29.4	29.5	29.5	29.5
1960	29.5	29.5	29.5	29.7	29.7	29.8	29.8	29.8	29.8	29.9	30.0	30.0
1961	30.0	30.0	30.0	30.0	30.0	30.0	30.1	30.1	30.2	30.2	30.2	30.2
1962	30.2	30.2	30.3	30.4	30.4	30.4	30.4	30.4	30.6	30.6	30.6	30.6
1963	30.6	30.6	30.7	30.7	30.7	30.8	30.9	30.9	30.9	31.0	31.0	31.1
1964	31.1	31.1	31.1	31.1	31.1	31.2	31.3	31.2	31.3	31.3	31.4	31.4
1965	31.4	31.4	31.5	31.6	31.6	31.8	31.8	31.8	31.8	31.9	31.9	32.0
1966	32.0	32.2	32.3	32.5	32.5	32.6	32.7	32.9	32.9	33.1	33.1	33.1
1967	33.1	33.1	33.2	33.3	33.4	33.5	33.6	33.7	33.8	33.9	34.0	34.1
1968	34.2	34.3	34.5	34.6	34.7	34.9	35.1	35.2	35.3	35.5	35.6	35.7
1969	35.8	36.0	36.3	36.5	36.6	36.8	37.0	37.2	37.3	37.5	37.7	37.9

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**Table 27. Historical Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): U. S. city average, all items-Continued**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Year	Semiannual averages		Annual avg.	Percent change from previous	
	1st half	2nd half		Dec.	Annual avg.
1913	-	-	10.0	-	-
1914	-	-	10.1	1.0	1.0
1915	-	-	10.2	2.0	1.0
1916	-	-	11.0	11.5	7.8
1917	-	-	12.9	19.0	17.3
1918	-	-	15.1	20.3	17.1
1919	-	-	17.4	14.5	15.2
1920	-	-	20.1	2.6	15.5
1921	-	-	18.0	-10.8	-10.4
1922	-	-	16.9	-2.3	-6.1
1923	-	-	17.2	2.4	1.8
1924	-	-	17.2	.0	.0
1925	-	-	17.6	3.4	2.3
1926	-	-	17.8	-1.1	1.1
1927	-	-	17.5	-2.2	-1.7
1928	-	-	17.2	-1.1	-1.7
1929	-	-	17.2	.6	.0
1930	-	-	16.8	-6.4	-2.3
1931	-	-	15.3	-9.3	-8.9
1932	-	-	13.7	-10.2	-10.5
1933	-	-	13.0	.0	-5.1
1934	-	-	13.5	2.3	3.8
1935	-	-	13.8	3.0	2.2
1936	-	-	13.9	1.4	.7
1937	-	-	14.4	2.8	3.6
1938	-	-	14.2	-2.8	-1.4
1939	-	-	14.0	-.7	-1.4
1940	-	-	14.1	1.4	.7
1941	-	-	14.8	9.2	5.0
1942	-	-	16.4	9.7	10.8
1943	-	-	17.4	2.9	6.1
1944	-	-	17.7	2.3	1.7
1945	-	-	18.1	2.2	2.3
1946	-	-	19.6	18.0	8.3
1947	-	-	22.5	9.3	14.8
1948	-	-	24.2	2.5	7.6
1949	-	-	24.0	-1.7	-.8
1950	-	-	24.2	5.5	.8
1951	-	-	26.1	6.0	7.9
1952	-	-	26.7	1.1	2.3
1953	-	-	26.9	.4	.7
1954	-	-	27.0	-.4	.4
1955	-	-	26.9	.4	-.4
1956	-	-	27.3	3.0	1.5
1957	-	-	28.3	2.9	3.7
1958	-	-	29.1	1.7	2.8
1959	-	-	29.3	1.4	.7
1960	-	-	29.8	1.7	1.7
1961	-	-	30.1	.7	1.0
1962	-	-	30.4	1.3	1.0
1963	-	-	30.8	1.6	1.3
1964	-	-	31.2	1.0	1.3
1965	-	-	31.7	1.9	1.6
1966	-	-	32.6	3.4	2.8
1967	-	-	33.6	3.0	3.1
1968	-	-	35.0	4.7	4.2
1969	-	-	36.9	6.2	5.4

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**Table 27. Historical Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): U. S. city average, all items-Continued**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1970	38.0	38.2	38.4	38.7	38.8	39.0	39.2	39.2	39.4	39.6	39.8	40.0
1971	40.0	40.1	40.2	40.4	40.6	40.8	40.9	41.0	41.0	41.1	41.2	41.3
1972	41.4	41.6	41.6	41.7	41.9	42.0	42.1	42.2	42.4	42.5	42.6	42.7
1973	42.9	43.2	43.6	43.9	44.1	44.4	44.5	45.4	45.5	45.9	46.2	46.5
1974	46.9	47.5	48.0	48.3	48.8	49.3	49.7	50.3	50.9	51.4	51.8	52.2
1975	52.4	52.8	53.0	53.2	53.5	53.9	54.5	54.7	54.9	55.3	55.6	55.8
1976	56.0	56.1	56.2	56.5	56.8	57.1	57.4	57.7	57.9	58.2	58.3	58.5
1977	58.9	59.5	59.8	60.3	60.6	61.0	61.3	61.5	61.8	61.9	62.2	62.5
1978	62.8	63.2	63.7	64.3	64.9	65.6	66.0	66.4	66.8	67.4	67.7	68.1
1979	68.7	69.5	70.3	71.1	71.9	72.8	73.7	74.4	75.1	75.7	76.4	77.2
1980	78.3	79.4	80.5	81.4	82.3	83.2	83.3	83.8	84.6	85.3	86.1	86.9
1981	87.5	88.5	89.0	89.6	90.3	91.1	92.2	92.8	93.7	93.9	94.1	94.4
1982	94.7	95.0	94.8	95.2	96.2	97.4	98.0	98.2	98.3	98.6	98.4	98.0
1983	98.1	98.1	98.4	99.0	99.5	99.8	100.1	100.5	101.0	101.2	101.2	101.2
1984	101.6	101.8	101.8	102.1	102.5	102.8	103.2	104.2	104.8	104.8	104.7	104.8
1985	104.9	105.4	105.9	106.3	106.7	107.0	107.1	107.3	107.6	107.9	108.3	108.6
1986	108.9	108.5	107.9	107.6	107.9	108.4	108.4	108.6	109.1	109.1	109.2	109.3
1987	110.0	110.5	111.0	111.6	111.9	112.4	112.7	113.3	113.8	114.1	114.3	114.2
1988	114.5	114.7	115.1	115.7	116.2	116.7	117.2	117.7	118.5	118.9	119.0	119.2
1989	119.7	120.2	120.8	121.8	122.5	122.8	123.2	123.2	123.6	124.2	124.4	124.6
1990	125.9	126.4	127.1	127.3	127.5	128.3	128.7	129.9	131.1	131.9	132.2	132.2
1991	132.8	132.8	133.0	133.3	133.8	134.1	134.3	134.6	135.2	135.4	135.8	135.9
1992	136.0	136.4	137.0	137.3	137.6	138.1	138.4	138.8	139.1	139.6	139.8	139.8
1993	140.3	140.7	141.1	141.6	141.9	142.0	142.1	142.4	142.6	143.3	143.4	143.3
1994	143.6	144.0	144.4	144.7	144.9	145.4	145.8	146.5	146.9	147.0	147.3	147.2
1995	147.8	148.3	148.7	149.3	149.6	149.9	149.9	150.2	150.6	151.0	150.9	150.9
1996	151.7	152.2	152.9	153.6	154.0	154.1	154.3	154.5	155.1	155.5	155.9	155.9
1997	156.3	156.8	157.0	157.2	157.2	157.4	157.5	157.8	158.3	158.5	158.5	158.2
1998	158.4	158.5	158.7	159.1	159.5	159.7	159.8	160.0	160.2	160.6	160.7	160.7
1999	161.0	161.1	161.4	162.7	162.8	162.8	163.3	163.8	164.7	165.0	165.1	165.1
2000	165.6	166.5	167.9	168.0	168.2	169.2	169.4	169.3	170.4	170.6	170.9	170.7
2001	171.7	172.4	172.6	173.5	174.4	174.6	173.8	173.8	174.8	174.0	173.7	172.9
2002	173.2	173.7	174.7	175.8	175.8	175.9	176.1	176.6	177.0	177.3	177.4	177.0
2003	177.7	179.2	180.3	179.8	179.4	179.6	179.6	180.3	181.0	180.7	180.2	179.9
2004	180.9	181.9	182.9	183.5	184.7	185.3	184.9	185.0	185.4	186.5	186.8	186.0
2005	186.3	187.3	188.6	190.2	190.0	190.1	191.0	192.1	195.0	195.2	193.4	192.5
2006	194.0	194.2	195.3	197.2	198.2	198.6	199.2	199.6	198.4	197.0	196.8	197.2
2007	197.559	198.544	200.612	202.130	203.661	203.906	203.700	203.199	203.889	204.338	205.891	205.777
2008	206.744	207.254	209.147	210.698	212.788	215.223	216.304	215.247	214.935	212.182	207.296	204.813
2009	205.700	206.708	207.218	207.925	208.774	210.972	210.526	211.156	211.322	211.549	212.003	211.703
2010	212.568	212.544	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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**Table 27. Historical Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): U. S. city average, all items-Continued**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Year	Semiannual averages		Annual avg.	Percent change from previous	
	1st half	2nd half		Dec.	Annual avg.
1970	-	-	39.0	5.5	5.7
1971	-	-	40.7	3.3	4.4
1972	-	-	42.1	3.4	3.4
1973	-	-	44.7	8.9	6.2
1974	-	-	49.6	12.3	11.0
1975	-	-	54.1	6.9	9.1
1976	-	-	57.2	4.8	5.7
1977	-	-	60.9	6.8	6.5
1978	-	-	65.6	9.0	7.7
1979	-	-	73.1	13.4	11.4
1980	-	-	82.9	12.6	13.4
1981	-	-	91.4	8.6	10.3
1982	-	-	96.9	3.8	6.0
1983	-	-	99.8	3.3	3.0
1984	102.1	104.4	103.3	3.6	3.5
1985	106.0	107.8	106.9	3.6	3.5
1986	108.2	109.0	108.6	.6	1.6
1987	111.2	113.7	112.5	4.5	3.6
1988	115.5	118.4	117.0	4.4	4.0
1989	121.3	123.9	122.6	4.5	4.8
1990	127.1	131.0	129.0	6.1	5.2
1991	133.3	135.2	134.3	2.8	4.1
1992	137.1	139.3	138.2	2.9	2.9
1993	141.3	142.9	142.1	2.5	2.8
1994	144.5	146.8	145.6	2.7	2.5
1995	148.9	150.6	149.8	2.5	2.9
1996	153.1	155.2	154.1	3.3	2.9
1997	157.0	158.1	157.6	1.5	2.3
1998	159.0	160.3	159.7	1.6	1.3
1999	162.0	164.5	163.2	2.7	2.2
2000	167.6	170.2	168.9	3.4	3.5
2001	173.2	173.8	173.5	1.3	2.7
2002	174.9	176.9	175.9	2.4	1.4
2003	179.3	180.3	179.8	1.6	2.2
2004	183.2	185.8	184.5	3.4	2.6
2005	188.8	193.2	191.0	3.5	3.5
2006	196.3	198.0	197.1	2.4	3.2
2007	201.069	204.466	202.767	4.3	2.9
2008	210.309	211.796	211.053	-.5	4.1
2009	207.883	211.377	209.630	3.4	-.7
2010	-	-	-	-	-

- Data not available.

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

**Table 28. Historical Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): U.S. city average, by commodity and service group and detailed expenditure categories**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Unadjusted indexes								
	December								Feb. 2010
	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	
<b>Expenditure category</b>									
All items .....	177.0	179.9	186.0	192.5	197.2	205.777	204.813	211.703	212.544
All items (1967=100) .....	527.2	536.0	554.2	573.3	587.3	612.948	610.075	630.600	633.105
Food and beverages .....	177.1	183.6	188.4	192.5	196.5	206.141	218.269	217.186	218.299
Food .....	176.5	183.1	187.9	192.2	196.1	205.855	218.155	216.679	217.837
Food at home .....	175.1	183.3	187.6	190.7	193.2	204.141	217.498	212.041	213.839
Cereals and bakery products .....	197.1	202.9	206.3	208.4	215.2	226.696	253.759	251.570	251.757
Cereals and cereal products .....	179.4	183.4	185.1	184.6	188.9	196.937	223.504	220.044	219.553
Flour and prepared flour mixes .....	165.5	171.9	165.4	171.7	176.8	190.120	229.039	218.595	228.769
Breakfast cereal .....	201.9	203.2	205.6	200.9	202.0	208.175	218.381	218.580	215.037
Rice, pasta, cornmeal .....	154.9	161.0	165.0	167.3	175.8	184.496	233.048	226.081	227.325
Bakery products .....	206.3	213.1	217.6	221.3	229.5	243.149	270.252	268.885	269.476
Bread <sup>1</sup> .....	116.0	118.4	123.6	126.8	133.7	147.613	166.349	160.563	159.618
Fresh biscuits, rolls, muffins <sup>1</sup> .....	116.2	120.8	123.6	126.7	134.6	140.373	159.319	155.735	153.305
Cakes, cupcakes, and cookies .....	199.2	204.6	208.4	213.2	215.5	228.155	247.775	254.648	252.866
Other bakery products .....	198.2	207.8	207.9	207.2	214.9	219.795	243.351	244.918	251.706
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs .....	162.3	181.0	183.2	185.6	188.0	198.489	208.639	200.623	202.139
Meats, poultry, and fish .....	163.0	180.4	184.6	187.1	188.5	196.452	208.480	200.836	202.101
Meats .....	160.3	182.5	185.4	187.7	189.1	195.296	206.941	196.375	198.575
Beef and veal .....	160.8	198.6	197.0	201.7	202.7	213.259	227.130	216.156	216.152
Uncooked ground beef .....	138.5	165.3	170.4	176.0	177.3	186.988	207.556	194.559	197.265
Uncooked beef roasts <sup>1</sup> .....	118.9	147.0	145.4	147.4	147.4	154.068	162.136	157.240	157.156
Uncooked beef steaks <sup>1</sup> .....	116.5	148.6	143.3	145.9	145.3	153.152	155.559	148.214	145.642
Uncooked other beef and veal <sup>1</sup> .....	113.2	138.6	130.8	134.8	141.0	147.341	156.835	154.481	153.979
Pork .....	159.2	167.3	175.3	174.9	175.3	177.887	186.701	172.260	180.314
Bacon, breakfast sausage, and related products <sup>1</sup> .....	113.0	117.8	124.7	120.0	121.9	125.971	128.835	121.794	124.932
Ham .....	155.2	162.4	169.4	173.4	174.2	176.895	186.378	171.729	178.602
Pork chops .....	155.5	164.0	167.9	168.4	166.3	167.784	178.092	163.913	175.456
Other pork including roasts and picnics <sup>1</sup> ..	95.5	101.4	108.0	109.8	109.4	108.820	116.862	104.617	111.171
Other meats .....	164.8	173.2	178.1	179.6	183.3	186.035	197.514	193.620	190.555
Poultry .....	166.8	174.9	184.5	184.1	181.9	194.314	205.506	202.388	201.731
Chicken <sup>1</sup> .....	108.4	113.9	121.0	120.3	118.6	127.898	134.854	132.050	131.266
Other poultry including turkey <sup>1</sup> .....	103.9	107.9	110.4	112.0	111.9	114.166	122.553	124.030	125.276
Fish and seafood .....	188.8	194.1	197.7	205.5	212.4	223.236	239.504	239.238	238.966
Fresh fish and seafood <sup>1</sup> .....	106.6	111.6	113.9	120.6	125.4	132.570	139.815	137.987	138.867
Processed fish and seafood <sup>1</sup> .....	105.4	105.4	107.1	108.2	110.8	115.420	126.376	127.997	126.833
Eggs .....	145.4	189.1	151.2	153.8	176.2	234.691	212.916	198.504	204.364
Dairy and related products .....	167.2	172.7	179.9	183.0	180.3	205.149	209.922	193.546	197.583
Milk <sup>1</sup> .....	109.9	117.7	124.3	128.6	124.9	149.236	144.176	128.979	132.398
Cheese and related products .....	167.7	170.9	180.2	180.8	176.9	200.799	217.373	196.937	201.503
Ice cream and related products .....	181.6	180.8	180.6	180.4	184.1	189.727	200.306	195.768	197.168
Other dairy and related products <sup>1</sup> .....	115.0	116.7	120.0	121.9	121.9	136.149	139.890	134.414	136.707
Fruits and vegetables .....	222.9	229.7	248.6	249.6	254.7	269.533	278.835	270.279	271.974
Fresh fruits and vegetables .....	261.9	273.1	300.3	298.1	303.6	322.717	324.316	311.627	312.593
Fresh fruits .....	279.2	282.7	302.7	306.3	321.0	338.490	333.638	319.843	318.956
Apples .....	232.6	239.9	241.8	252.3	277.8	294.385	304.463	275.345	288.716
Bananas .....	165.8	162.6	158.5	169.8	174.7	183.352	212.173	194.027	200.728
Citrus fruits <sup>1</sup> .....	142.0	144.5	161.0	172.2	183.1	183.278	181.951	182.025	182.855
Other fresh fruits <sup>1</sup> .....	111.4	113.2	126.5	120.9	124.2	133.873	121.829	119.566	115.434
Fresh vegetables .....	245.0	262.6	296.0	288.6	285.7	306.165	313.763	302.178	304.832
Potatoes .....	222.9	213.9	230.0	252.4	266.8	275.821	331.842	276.458	294.355
Lettuce .....	214.9	294.8	270.9	253.2	273.0	286.234	291.564	318.530	269.076
Tomatoes .....	283.4	279.6	416.9	337.8	312.1	373.203	333.609	342.058	321.501
Other fresh vegetables .....	251.9	272.7	285.2	298.4	291.2	302.224	311.812	296.805	317.567
Processed fruits and vegetables <sup>1</sup> .....	113.0	111.8	113.9	119.6	122.7	127.813	145.395	144.715	146.989
Canned fruits and vegetables <sup>1</sup> .....	112.9	109.5	112.5	118.9	122.0	127.130	148.284	149.616	151.608
Frozen fruits and vegetables <sup>1</sup> .....	114.1	117.0	116.4	121.3	124.2	127.862	138.253	133.373	137.190
Other processed fruits and vegetables including dried <sup>1</sup> .....	109.7	108.9	112.5	117.4	121.0	128.005	147.495	148.254	148.437
Nonalcoholic beverages and beverage materials .....	139.1	138.6	140.0	144.9	147.8	152.883	162.280	160.745	162.524
Juices and nonalcoholic drinks <sup>1</sup> .....	108.0	107.7	108.6	112.1	114.2	118.208	126.985	125.475	126.728
Carbonated drinks .....	125.5	125.5	128.5	134.3	135.3	139.574	152.766	153.097	159.499
Frozen noncarbonated juices and drinks <sup>1</sup> ..	113.7	114.9	112.5	112.2	127.3	143.862	149.813	151.411	149.792
Nonfrozen noncarbonated juices and drinks <sup>1</sup>	107.4	106.3	105.6	107.5	110.6	114.191	120.279	116.782	115.102

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 28. Historical Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): U.S. city average, by commodity and service group and detailed expenditure categories-Continued**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Unadjusted indexes								
	December								Feb. 2010
	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	
<b>Expenditure category</b>									
Beverage materials including coffee and tea <sup>1</sup>	98.2	97.9	99.2	103.4	105.7	109.188	112.847	112.401	114.087
Coffee .....	141.8	142.6	144.6	162.1	165.4	173.838	184.976	180.716	184.590
Other beverage materials including tea <sup>1</sup> .....	114.9	113.9	115.4	115.7	118.4	121.348	123.678	124.344	125.561
Other food at home .....	160.6	162.5	163.2	167.1	168.1	173.511	189.527	189.197	190.831
Sugar and sweets .....	158.9	160.5	160.6	166.9	171.3	177.051	192.120	197.258	200.880
Sugar and artificial sweeteners .....	140.3	143.1	142.7	154.5	163.5	162.645	172.947	179.629	188.678
Candy and chewing gum <sup>1</sup> .....	107.3	107.3	107.3	110.8	112.2	117.281	127.765	131.090	131.822
Other sweets <sup>1</sup> .....	111.8	115.2	116.0	117.5	122.2	126.657	138.694	141.020	144.506
Fats and oils .....	152.9	157.7	167.3	165.6	167.3	176.736	207.439	198.165	201.356
Butter and margarine <sup>1</sup> .....	114.7	119.4	135.9	132.0	130.2	138.383	164.119	151.702	158.065
Salad dressing <sup>1</sup> .....	107.9	110.1	110.8	106.4	110.1	113.763	126.045	126.582	126.540
Other fats and oils including peanut butter <sup>1</sup> .....	105.8	109.0	114.0	116.3	117.6	125.513	151.538	143.034	144.829
Other foods .....	178.5	180.0	178.6	183.7	183.7	188.646	203.937	203.972	205.117
Soups .....	206.0	208.5	208.3	211.3	211.3	211.526	229.108	226.023	225.104
Frozen and freeze dried prepared foods .....	151.8	151.9	151.0	152.0	149.5	154.768	164.905	163.260	163.173
Snacks .....	166.9	174.8	170.6	180.7	178.7	186.595	211.129	214.567	216.462
Spices, seasonings, condiments, sauces .....	189.0	184.7	179.6	186.7	186.5	193.197	205.712	210.137	218.435
Baby food <sup>1</sup> .....	117.2	120.8	123.8	128.0	129.3	134.720	142.495	141.182	142.272
Other miscellaneous foods <sup>1</sup> .....	110.7	110.3	111.3	112.9	115.3	115.658	124.144	122.796	121.482
Food away from home .....	180.0	184.2	189.7	195.8	202.0	209.931	220.847	224.940	225.168
Full service meals and snacks <sup>1</sup> .....	113.8	116.4	119.7	123.1	127.3	132.236	137.473	139.929	140.247
Limited service meals and snacks <sup>1</sup> .....	113.7	116.3	119.9	124.0	127.7	132.893	140.911	143.384	143.117
Food at employee sites and schools <sup>1</sup> .....	111.2	114.0	117.4	120.5	124.8	128.568	135.938	139.721	140.150
Food from vending machines and mobile vendors <sup>1</sup> .....	106.2	108.8	111.2	114.2	116.4	120.269	128.848	131.785	132.416
Other food away from home <sup>1</sup> .....	120.1	123.1	127.0	133.6	138.7	144.454	153.646	156.830	158.826
Alcoholic beverages .....	184.7	188.9	194.2	196.3	201.1	208.934	218.445	223.168	223.621
Alcoholic beverages at home .....	165.2	168.5	172.5	172.7	175.7	181.999	190.471	194.523	195.222
Beer, ale, and other malt beverages at home .....	166.1	171.0	176.5	175.9	178.7	186.264	196.194	201.688	202.264
Distilled spirits at home .....	170.1	172.2	173.8	175.1	176.3	178.085	182.474	185.979	186.880
Wine at home .....	149.9	149.0	149.3	151.5	156.0	161.506	167.054	166.961	167.869
Alcoholic beverages away from home .....	225.2	231.9	240.3	247.3	257.4	269.505	281.406	287.621	287.535
Housing .....	176.9	181.0	186.4	194.2	200.5	206.638	212.452	212.142	212.401
Shelter .....	203.9	208.2	213.5	219.2	228.3	235.480	240.752	241.991	242.002
Rent of primary residence <sup>2</sup> .....	201.9	207.0	213.0	219.7	229.1	238.216	246.026	247.465	247.448
Lodging away from home <sup>1</sup> .....	109.6	113.4	118.6	122.4	127.1	133.179	129.982	124.222	130.571
Housing at school, excluding board <sup>2 3</sup> .....	293.9	311.5	330.2	349.6	367.7	388.209	405.966	427.153	427.686
Other lodging away from home including hotels and motels .....	229.4	236.5	247.0	254.4	263.8	276.352	267.821	253.210	269.705
Owners' equivalent rent of residences <sup>2 3</sup> .....	198.0	201.7	206.1	211.2	220.1	226.151	230.926	232.603	232.354
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>2 3</sup> .....	198.0	201.7	206.1	211.2	220.1	226.151	230.926	232.603	232.353
Tenants' and household insurance <sup>1</sup> .....	112.3	114.4	118.9	116.4	117.4	117.396	120.360	124.415	125.367
Fuels and utilities .....	143.5	153.0	164.7	190.2	190.9	200.831	213.861	207.329	209.171
Household energy .....	126.4	135.4	146.4	172.4	171.5	180.379	192.050	182.701	183.918
Fuel oil and other fuels .....	125.0	136.2	183.4	227.4	232.2	298.656	260.185	265.130	281.157
Fuel oil .....	123.0	132.6	186.0	236.0	240.9	320.865	252.236	270.525	280.741
Propane, kerosene, and firewood <sup>4</sup> .....	163.3	181.0	225.7	266.5	272.4	326.741	327.270	312.422	341.664
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>2</sup> .....	133.2	142.5	152.0	178.3	177.1	183.066	197.545	187.125	187.730
Electricity <sup>2</sup> .....	131.1	134.9	137.7	152.2	163.2	171.431	186.472	185.190	183.247
Utility (piped) gas service <sup>2</sup> .....	145.1	170.2	198.7	258.9	221.1	220.150	232.380	190.227	200.039
Water and sewer and trash collection services <sup>1</sup> .....	114.6	119.9	126.5	133.2	139.6	147.186	156.864	165.808	168.774
Water and sewerage maintenance <sup>2</sup> .....	242.8	254.2	270.1	285.0	298.5	315.239	337.662	360.749	368.178
Garbage and trash collection <sup>5</sup> .....	284.5	297.1	307.1	320.3	337.0	353.370	379.034	379.734	383.001
Household furnishings and operations .....	123.0	120.4	121.3	121.9	122.6	121.880	124.314	123.187	123.097
Window and floor coverings and other linens <sup>1</sup> .....	94.3	90.7	89.4	87.7	83.9	81.035	77.171	74.826	75.048
Floor coverings <sup>1</sup> .....	108.1	107.3	107.7	114.0	117.5	117.978	120.817	116.767	113.743
Window coverings <sup>1</sup> .....	95.5	94.3	91.5	90.1	91.4	90.188	90.166	83.394	80.305
Other linens <sup>1</sup> .....	89.0	83.8	82.6	79.5	72.8	68.938	63.065	62.293	63.468
Furniture and bedding .....	125.1	123.0	123.0	123.6	122.6	120.204	119.826	119.684	119.071
Bedroom furniture .....	131.1	131.0	137.8	143.6	141.4	140.415	140.843	137.094	136.624
Living room, kitchen, and dining room furniture <sup>1</sup> .....	98.1	95.5	93.7	92.0	91.7	89.432	88.045	89.881	89.704
Other furniture <sup>1</sup> .....	93.9	92.2	88.7	88.9	88.5	85.686	87.286	87.092	85.778
Appliances <sup>1</sup> .....	90.8	87.6	84.6	87.4	88.4	89.909	91.480	88.684	89.130
Major appliances <sup>1</sup> .....	95.1	92.0	89.4	94.8	98.1	100.715	102.836	99.788	100.261

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 28. Historical Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): U.S. city average, by commodity and service group and detailed expenditure categories-Continued**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Unadjusted indexes								
	December								Feb. 2010
	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	
<b>Expenditure category</b>									
Other appliances <sup>1</sup> .....	84.6	81.3	77.9	77.1	75.6	75.914	76.735	74.250	74.618
Other household equipment and furnishings <sup>1</sup> .....	91.0	86.2	87.2	82.9	79.0	76.170	76.086	73.849	74.199
Clocks, lamps, and decorator items .....	96.6	86.3	87.3	80.1	74.3	67.750	66.408	63.889	63.962
Indoor plants and flowers <sup>6</sup> .....	118.8	120.5	121.7	124.1	123.6	128.403	134.433	130.327	132.315
Dishes and flatware <sup>1</sup> .....	85.7	85.3	86.2	80.7	75.1	73.764	72.685	70.705	71.127
Nonelectric cookware and tableware <sup>1</sup> .....	91.3	91.1	92.0	91.7	92.2	95.198	96.592	96.138	96.840
Tools, hardware, outdoor equipment and supplies <sup>1</sup> .....	93.5	90.9	92.9	93.2	94.7	93.593	94.697	93.468	92.845
Tools, hardware and supplies <sup>1</sup> .....	93.9	91.6	96.0	98.5	100.5	98.836	101.573	98.773	98.310
Outdoor equipment and supplies <sup>1</sup> .....	92.5	89.7	90.2	88.8	89.7	89.028	88.810	88.575	87.883
Housekeeping supplies .....	158.5	157.0	158.7	162.5	168.8	171.286	183.428	184.503	185.206
Household cleaning products <sup>1</sup> .....	108.9	107.3	106.6	110.2	113.2	113.279	121.182	123.214	122.979
Household paper products <sup>1</sup> .....	118.3	116.3	124.6	125.2	133.4	138.485	154.045	155.385	156.225
Miscellaneous household products <sup>1</sup> .....	104.8	105.3	103.9	106.6	110.6	112.593	116.635	115.123	116.384
Household operations <sup>1</sup> .....	120.8	123.8	129.3	136.0	141.2	144.659	152.814	152.486	151.535
Domestic services <sup>1</sup> .....	118.8	122.0	124.6	131.1	135.7	138.159	141.938	142.901	142.317
Gardening and lawn care services <sup>1</sup> .....	119.3	121.3	126.9	NA	NA	143.712	NA	157.991	NA
Moving, storage, freight expense <sup>1</sup> .....	117.5	120.4	124.3	129.6	129.0	130.180	129.074	125.137	121.730
Repair of household items <sup>1</sup> .....	129.9	134.7	144.8	155.5	162.1	168.656	177.632	184.346	185.602
Apparel .....	120.9	118.7	118.6	117.2	118.6	118.126	117.006	118.984	118.607
Men's and boys' apparel .....	118.8	117.8	115.7	113.5	113.0	112.487	111.232	110.856	111.575
Men's apparel .....	124.6	122.6	121.5	119.6	119.9	117.412	115.849	116.346	117.948
Men's suits, sport coats, and outerwear .....	126.4	127.4	124.7	124.3	120.8	122.326	115.341	113.420	112.878
Men's furnishings .....	135.9	138.7	135.4	133.7	133.3	127.244	135.854	137.577	145.813
Men's shirts and sweaters <sup>1</sup> .....	92.4	90.1	87.3	86.7	89.7	83.798	80.130	81.777	78.129
Men's pants and shorts .....	112.3	105.7	109.6	105.7	105.6	107.614	105.128	104.078	109.484
Boys' apparel .....	101.8	103.7	98.7	95.9	93.4	97.503	97.105	94.354	92.827
Women's and girls' apparel .....	112.3	110.5	110.2	108.3	110.4	109.375	105.413	107.819	106.496
Women's apparel .....	111.6	110.5	109.2	109.0	112.0	110.682	106.699	109.343	107.497
Women's outerwear .....	116.5	116.4	113.4	108.1	107.0	102.975	101.095	107.200	92.253
Women's dresses .....	101.0	102.3	99.7	104.0	116.9	116.942	114.752	111.348	107.016
Women's suits and separates <sup>1</sup> .....	90.1	87.9	87.4	86.9	89.2	88.138	83.483	84.982	84.447
Women's underwear, nightwear, sportswear and accessories <sup>1</sup> .....	93.1	93.1	91.8	91.8	90.5	89.828	88.639	92.768	94.520
Girls' apparel .....	115.1	110.7	113.8	105.7	104.2	104.034	100.160	101.628	102.209
Footwear .....	120.8	117.8	119.4	120.9	122.9	122.029	124.152	128.637	127.843
Men's footwear .....	122.9	117.8	115.6	118.1	121.0	119.023	123.943	126.388	125.996
Boys' and girls' footwear .....	121.0	118.5	123.6	125.2	124.9	127.064	131.106	134.149	132.874
Women's footwear .....	117.9	116.4	119.2	119.6	121.6	120.533	119.224	126.162	125.321
Infants' and toddlers' apparel .....	127.2	121.4	121.4	117.6	116.8	116.419	115.003	115.754	117.789
Jewelry and watches <sup>4</sup> .....	124.8	122.6	126.5	122.5	128.3	133.527	143.678	145.122	145.745
Watches <sup>4</sup> .....	106.7	107.1	108.4	108.7	111.0	108.082	110.894	109.437	109.932
Jewelry <sup>4</sup> .....	129.9	127.1	131.4	126.6	133.6	141.273	153.213	155.325	155.982
Transportation .....	153.0	152.5	163.4	171.6	174.4	189.967	160.914	186.839	188.406
Private transportation .....	150.4	149.7	160.9	168.8	171.7	187.159	157.272	183.565	185.268
New and used motor vehicles <sup>1</sup> .....	98.5	92.8	94.3	94.8	93.7	93.733	89.482	95.072	95.819
New vehicles .....	141.7	139.2	139.8	139.3	138.2	137.736	133.317	139.962	139.905
Used cars and trucks .....	149.3	131.7	138.1	140.0	137.0	137.791	126.526	138.242	141.079
Leased cars and trucks <sup>7</sup> .....	98.1	95.4	90.8	92.3	91.9	92.588	97.978	97.929	97.456
Car and truck rental <sup>1</sup> .....	104.4	107.1	102.1	112.2	114.0	112.921	115.879	122.965	118.954
Motor fuel .....	120.0	128.1	161.7	188.0	199.8	259.032	149.650	225.584	228.569
Gasoline (all types) .....	119.4	127.6	160.9	187.0	198.8	257.792	146.644	225.223	228.207
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>8</sup> .....	117.4	126.0	159.6	186.5	198.4	257.653	144.405	224.201	227.200
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>8 9</sup> .....	124.3	131.9	165.9	191.8	202.9	263.140	153.372	231.652	234.689
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>8</sup> .....	120.0	127.4	158.3	181.7	192.7	248.029	148.665	219.433	222.193
Other motor fuels <sup>1</sup> .....	113.6	115.5	153.0	187.0	200.7	249.230	186.488	203.701	206.356
Motor vehicle parts and equipment .....	106.3	107.3	109.3	113.6	119.2	123.786	133.295	134.892	135.694
Tires .....	100.5	100.0	102.4	105.4	109.1	112.172	119.029	120.562	121.386
Vehicle accessories other than tires <sup>1</sup> .....	108.3	110.8	112.3	118.0	125.7	132.125	144.653	146.242	146.925
Motor vehicle maintenance and repair .....	195.0	199.8	205.3	213.2	221.4	228.692	241.855	247.812	248.479
Motor vehicle body work .....	201.7	204.9	210.8	220.7	228.2	235.569	246.234	253.026	252.825
Motor vehicle maintenance and servicing .....	179.1	182.0	187.9	194.0	200.1	206.152	221.590	226.521	226.389
Motor vehicle repair <sup>1</sup> .....	118.2	121.6	124.7	129.8	135.5	140.233	146.810	150.646	151.486
Motor vehicle insurance .....	305.6	319.7	330.5	333.5	336.3	338.071	351.694	368.294	371.508
Motor vehicle fees <sup>1</sup> .....	114.3	122.7	133.4	136.7	139.8	142.586	147.649	163.758	164.642

See footnotes at end of table.



**Table 28. Historical Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): U.S. city average, by commodity and service group and detailed expenditure categories-Continued**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Unadjusted indexes								
	December								Feb. 2010
	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	
<b>Expenditure category</b>									
State motor vehicle registration and license fees <sup>1 2</sup> .....	111.5	121.3	133.3	135.6	138.9	140.582	144.018	163.318	164.400
Parking and other fees <sup>1</sup> .....	122.7	126.1	132.9	138.9	141.3	146.865	155.748	164.530	164.961
Public transportation .....	199.2	203.6	204.2	216.6	217.4	231.363	235.199	243.453	240.418
Airline fare .....	222.6	221.8	217.8	232.3	230.0	254.153	256.668	267.543	261.850
Other intercity transportation .....	157.5	147.8	146.1	153.1	156.5	158.532	155.828	150.317	148.498
Intracity transportation .....	183.2	201.4	209.0	220.6	224.8	228.979	241.010	253.521	254.586
Medical care .....	290.6	301.4	314.4	328.2	340.0	357.745	367.301	380.302	386.919
Medical care commodities .....	254.0	259.4	264.4	273.9	279.1	285.913	290.080	299.777	304.320
Medicinal drugs <sup>10</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.000	101.573
Prescription drugs .....	320.6	328.4	340.0	354.9	361.8	373.019	377.458	394.125	401.628
Nonprescription drugs <sup>10</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.000	100.245
Medical equipment and supplies <sup>10</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.000	99.914
Medical care services .....	299.5	311.9	327.7	342.8	356.7	378.119	389.744	403.791	411.114
Professional services .....	259.2	266.5	277.2	287.4	294.7	307.333	316.435	324.763	329.020
Physicians' services <sup>2</sup> .....	266.2	272.1	282.9	291.7	296.3	308.349	317.426	325.735	331.683
Dental services <sup>2</sup> .....	284.6	297.4	312.2	329.4	345.5	366.759	379.634	392.030	395.053
Eyeglasses and eye care <sup>4</sup> .....	155.8	158.6	163.4	168.2	171.7	173.615	173.932	176.615	177.229
Services by other medical professionals <sup>2 4</sup> .....	179.2	183.5	188.0	192.8	198.3	204.926	213.024	217.072	218.902
Hospital and related services <sup>2</sup> .....	379.1	403.4	424.2	446.4	473.0	510.961	540.101	580.567	598.149
Hospital services <sup>2 11</sup> .....	140.2	149.2	156.9	165.1	175.1	189.193	200.327	215.857	222.727
Inpatient hospital services <sup>2 8 11</sup> .....	135.9	143.0	151.0	159.0	169.3	181.855	192.246	207.169	214.477
Outpatient hospital services <sup>2 4 8</sup> .....	328.5	350.9	366.5	385.3	404.1	442.799	468.195	508.210	519.909
Nursing homes and adult day services <sup>2 11</sup> .....	137.0	144.6	150.0	156.6	163.6	172.786	178.265	184.933	186.945
Care of invalids and elderly at home <sup>12</sup> .....	-	-	-	100.0	103.0	106.595	107.778	108.693	109.205
Health insurance <sup>12</sup> .....	-	-	-	100.0	106.8	116.743	112.829	109.521	110.164
Recreation <sup>1</sup> .....	104.7	105.5	106.1	107.1	108.1	108.702	110.487	109.851	110.076
Video and audio <sup>1</sup> .....	102.4	102.5	103.2	103.2	102.4	102.523	101.810	100.400	100.084
Televisions .....	37.2	32.0	28.0	24.2	18.7	15.462	12.443	9.042	8.426
Cable and satellite television and radio service <sup>5</sup> .....	302.7	313.9	326.8	337.5	346.3	354.903	360.943	368.818	371.279
Other video equipment <sup>1</sup> .....	43.3	38.0	32.5	29.0	24.9	21.692	18.357	16.618	16.717
Video discs and other media, including rental of video and audio <sup>1</sup> .....	79.1	78.7	77.7	77.2	78.1	78.675	80.133	77.205	76.323
Audio equipment .....	70.8	66.9	63.2	56.8	53.9	51.080	49.026	46.754	46.674
Audio discs, tapes and other media <sup>1</sup> .....	109.1	104.7	108.6	108.7	105.9	105.660	104.363	94.647	95.009
Pets, pet products and services <sup>1</sup> .....	112.6	115.2	120.0	123.3	127.8	134.740	148.513	150.801	152.152
Pets and pet products .....	148.8	150.5	155.3	157.6	162.8	171.130	192.166	193.575	194.843
Pet services including veterinary <sup>1</sup> .....	131.4	137.7	146.2	153.5	159.8	169.616	180.073	185.861	188.600
Sporting goods .....	117.8	116.5	115.1	116.5	117.9	114.764	117.671	115.762	115.848
Sports vehicles including bicycles .....	133.1	130.5	132.5	137.2	141.4	137.138	137.036	134.293	134.506
Sports equipment .....	100.5	100.5	96.3	94.6	93.9	91.728	96.836	95.519	95.464
Photography <sup>1</sup> .....	97.7	95.7	92.2	89.5	85.5	82.841	81.453	82.229	81.647
Photographic equipment and supplies .....	115.3	109.1	100.6	95.8	85.6	79.989	75.292	73.771	73.619
Photographers and film processing <sup>1</sup> .....	106.0	106.3	106.5	104.9	106.8	106.717	108.636	112.134	111.042
Other recreational goods <sup>1</sup> .....	76.5	73.8	70.4	67.6	65.3	62.080	58.841	56.790	57.446
Toys .....	90.7	86.9	81.6	77.9	74.2	70.193	65.228	61.607	62.238
Sewing machines, fabric and supplies <sup>1</sup> .....	93.7	94.0	94.0	91.9	92.9	87.326	87.505	91.721	92.723
Music instruments and accessories <sup>1</sup> .....	98.1	96.7	97.9	95.1	96.7	96.967	98.906	98.929	100.801
Recreation services <sup>1</sup> .....	122.6	126.8	129.4	133.4	139.0	141.896	145.233	145.317	145.629
Club dues and fees for participant sports and group exercises <sup>1</sup> .....	113.4	116.3	115.9	119.0	122.0	123.194	124.737	121.825	122.518
Admissions .....	257.0	265.8	274.5	283.6	298.4	304.937	313.626	315.568	315.396
Fees for lessons or instructions <sup>4</sup> .....	207.5	221.1	227.0	232.8	240.2	249.677	258.077	263.880	264.032
Recreational reading materials .....	197.9	199.7	204.3	205.5	207.3	209.747	217.493	224.023	224.072
Newspapers and magazines <sup>1</sup> .....	111.4	113.3	117.2	119.3	120.7	122.141	128.122	134.522	135.307
Recreational books <sup>1</sup> .....	104.2	103.8	103.9	102.3	102.7	103.872	106.082	106.442	105.711
Education and communication <sup>1</sup> .....	108.8	109.7	110.5	112.6	114.8	117.782	121.819	124.156	124.334
Education <sup>1</sup> .....	129.7	138.4	147.0	155.6	165.5	174.276	184.352	192.760	193.641
Educational books and supplies .....	324.5	343.8	357.6	375.5	402.0	437.391	467.179	499.478	505.356
Tuition, other school fees, and childcare .....	366.0	390.7	415.8	440.5	468.3	491.554	519.500	542.036	544.155
College tuition and fees .....	387.3	424.8	462.2	493.2	529.2	560.233	594.722	630.503	628.958

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**Table 28. Historical Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): U.S. city average, by commodity and service group and detailed expenditure categories-Continued**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Unadjusted indexes								Feb. 2010
	December								
	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	
<b>Expenditure category</b>									
Elementary and high school tuition and fees .....	412.8	438.9	470.4	497.1	525.7	553.931	587.368	610.140	610.586
Child care and nursery school <sup>6</sup> .....	176.9	183.5	189.7	199.3	209.9	217.589	228.624	234.217	237.067
Technical and business school tuition and fees .....	132.6	145.3	157.3	168.0	176.3	185.776	193.831	201.734	202.298
Communication <sup>1</sup> .....	93.2	89.7	87.0	86.2	85.2	85.834	87.444	87.541	87.501
Postage and delivery services <sup>1</sup> .....	119.4	119.5	120.0	120.5	126.5	132.101	136.250	142.984	145.282
Postage .....	191.7	191.7	191.7	191.7	201.9	209.745	216.173	227.304	230.143
Delivery services <sup>1</sup> .....	130.4	136.2	154.9	169.4	170.9	190.190	198.345	202.004	222.107
Information and information processing <sup>1</sup> .....	92.0	88.3	85.5	84.6	83.5	83.917	85.454	85.404	85.314
Telephone services <sup>1</sup> .....	100.1	97.4	95.0	95.3	96.9	98.887	101.720	102.585	102.038
Wireless telephone services <sup>1</sup> .....	68.5	67.6	66.7	65.7	65.6	64.977	65.341	64.593	63.524
Land-line telephone services <sup>10</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.000	101.093
Information technology, hardware and services <sup>13</sup> .....	17.8	15.8	14.8	13.6	11.6	10.722	10.406	9.935	10.077
Personal computers and peripheral equipment <sup>14</sup> .....	218.7	179.3	154.7	130.8	115.0	100.000	88.176	77.821	77.939
Computer software and accessories <sup>1</sup> .....	69.9	63.3	60.0	57.4	52.8	49.486	49.328	48.219	48.678
Internet services and electronic information providers <sup>1</sup> .....	99.9	98.1	97.3	94.8	77.3	73.716	76.165	76.037	77.990
Telephone hardware, calculators, and other consumer information items <sup>1</sup> .....	59.3	52.1	48.5	44.7	42.3	40.192	39.887	38.567	37.789
Other goods and services .....	305.1	308.1	315.9	326.6	335.7	348.830	362.986	403.970	404.722
Tobacco and smoking products .....	474.3	471.5	485.7	515.0	528.6	568.410	605.662	789.173	790.710
Cigarettes <sup>1</sup> .....	192.4	190.6	196.0	208.0	213.5	230.125	245.184	320.486	320.827
Tobacco products other than cigarettes <sup>1</sup> .....	130.3	138.4	146.8	153.6	156.6	162.102	173.011	211.734	215.015
Personal care .....	174.7	177.8	181.9	185.8	191.1	195.467	200.918	203.454	203.824
Personal care products .....	154.2	154.0	153.8	155.4	158.6	158.407	161.295	162.231	162.073
Hair, dental, shaving, and miscellaneous personal care products <sup>1</sup> .....	103.0	102.2	101.4	101.8	103.9	103.913	104.888	104.766	105.685
Cosmetics, perfume, bath, nail preparations and implements .....	169.3	170.2	171.4	174.8	178.4	177.830	182.840	185.326	183.191
Personal care services .....	190.7	194.9	201.8	206.9	212.7	219.945	226.578	228.614	228.169
Haircuts and other personal care services <sup>1</sup> .....	116.2	118.8	123.0	126.1	129.7	134.057	138.100	139.341	139.069
Miscellaneous personal services .....	276.7	286.6	298.4	307.0	318.7	330.850	342.530	349.851	352.366
Legal services <sup>4</sup> .....	213.2	224.0	238.0	245.9	255.7	265.264	277.998	282.925	286.015
Funeral expenses <sup>4</sup> .....	210.8	219.9	228.4	239.8	250.6	263.363	277.828	286.593	288.212
Laundry and dry cleaning services <sup>1</sup> .....	113.8	117.0	120.5	122.8	126.7	130.494	136.794	139.979	140.562
Apparel services other than laundry and dry cleaning <sup>1</sup> .....	116.4	120.3	123.4	129.2	135.8	140.418	150.044	156.280	157.560
Financial services <sup>4</sup> .....	235.9	241.9	251.0	254.5	264.8	276.411	269.265	272.967	275.003
Miscellaneous personal goods <sup>1</sup> .....	92.6	88.5	85.7	86.1	86.8	87.196	88.882	89.309	88.888
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>									
Commodities .....	150.3	150.7	156.6	161.2	163.5	172.952	164.233	175.127	176.118
Commodities less food and beverages .....	135.0	132.5	138.8	143.4	145.0	154.086	137.015	152.532	153.444
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	147.3	149.0	160.9	170.8	176.1	196.636	164.879	193.667	195.059
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel .....	167.2	171.3	190.8	207.8	215.7	249.863	198.108	244.413	246.914
Durables .....	120.4	114.0	115.1	114.9	113.3	112.450	108.576	112.165	112.618
Services .....	208.3	214.2	220.5	229.2	236.6	244.275	252.176	254.519	255.199
Rent of shelter <sup>3</sup> .....	196.3	200.6	205.6	211.2	220.0	227.035	232.112	233.241	233.234
Transportation services .....	211.7	218.0	222.7	228.3	231.4	236.020	245.881	256.007	256.809
Other services .....	245.1	250.9	256.5	263.5	270.9	278.783	288.227	293.470	294.230
All items less food .....	177.0	179.2	185.5	192.3	197.2	205.575	202.292	210.639	211.423
All items less shelter .....	169.1	171.6	178.0	184.8	188.0	197.174	193.918	202.951	204.101
All items less medical care .....	172.1	174.7	180.6	186.7	191.2	199.431	198.153	204.800	205.461
Commodities less food .....	136.8	134.5	140.7	145.3	147.0	156.073	139.620	154.918	155.820
Nondurables less food .....	149.6	151.4	162.9	172.4	177.7	197.551	167.933	195.487	196.831
Nondurables less food and apparel .....	168.0	172.1	190.3	205.9	213.5	245.286	198.909	241.513	243.829
Nondurables .....	162.6	166.6	175.1	182.2	186.9	202.222	190.910	205.823	207.092
Apparel less footwear .....	116.6	114.8	114.2	112.0	113.3	112.830	110.975	112.281	112.012
Services less rent of shelter <sup>3</sup> .....	195.9	202.9	209.9	221.1	225.8	233.314	243.646	247.174	248.586

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 28. Historical Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): U.S. city average, by commodity and service group and detailed expenditure categories-Continued**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Unadjusted indexes								Feb. 2010
	December								
	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>									
Services less medical care services .....	201.1	206.6	212.4	220.6	227.6	234.468	242.079	243.838	244.205
Energy .....	122.6	131.1	153.3	179.3	184.7	218.104	168.726	202.398	204.494
All items less energy .....	184.6	186.9	191.0	194.9	199.6	205.155	210.168	213.780	214.472
All items less food and energy .....	186.7	188.0	192.0	195.9	200.7	205.377	208.925	213.572	214.172
Commodities less food and energy commodities ..	143.1	138.7	139.9	140.4	140.4	140.815	139.731	145.253	145.722
Energy commodities .....	120.7	129.0	163.4	190.7	202.1	261.928	154.744	228.303	231.808
Services less energy services .....	216.7	222.1	228.1	234.6	243.0	250.925	258.039	261.871	262.559
Domestically produced farm food .....	178.7	188.7	193.6	196.0	198.1	210.009	223.608	217.384	219.174
Utilities and public transportation .....	156.3	161.3	166.4	181.4	183.0	189.083	198.746	196.776	197.115

1 Indexes on a December 1997=100 base.  
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 1984=100 base  
4 Indexes on a December 1986=100 base.  
5 Indexes on a December 1983=100 base.  
6 Indexes on a December 1990=100 base.  
7 Indexes on a December 2001=100 base.  
8 Special index based on a substantially smaller sample.

9 Indexes on a December 1993=100 base.  
10 Indexes on a December 2009=100 base.  
11 Indexes on a December 1996=100 base.  
12 Indexes on a December 2005=100 base.  
13 Indexes on a December 1988=100 base.  
14 Indexes on a December 2007=100 base.  
NA Data not adequate for publication.  
- Data not available.  
NOTE: Index applies to a month as a whole, not to any specific date.

**Table 29. Historical Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): U.S. city average, by commodity and service group and detailed expenditure categories**

Item and group	Percent change from previous December								
	December								Feb. 2010
	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	
<b>Expenditure category</b>									
All items .....	2.4	1.6	3.4	3.5	2.4	4.3	-0.5	3.4	0.4
Food and beverages .....	1.4	3.7	2.6	2.2	2.1	4.9	5.9	-5	.5
Food .....	1.4	3.7	2.6	2.3	2.0	5.0	6.0	-7	.5
Food at home .....	.8	4.7	2.3	1.7	1.3	5.7	6.5	-2.5	.8
Cereals and bakery products .....	1.0	2.9	1.7	1.0	3.3	5.3	11.9	-9	.1
Cereals and cereal products .....	.6	2.2	.9	-.3	2.3	4.3	13.5	-1.5	-.2
Flour and prepared flour mixes .....	4.0	3.9	-3.8	3.8	3.0	7.5	20.5	-4.6	4.7
Breakfast cereal .....	.0	.6	1.2	-2.3	.5	3.1	4.9	.1	-1.6
Rice, pasta, cornmeal .....	.1	3.9	2.5	1.4	5.1	4.9	26.3	-3.0	.6
Bakery products .....	1.4	3.3	2.1	1.7	3.7	5.9	11.1	-.5	.2
Bread .....	1.0	2.1	4.4	2.6	5.4	10.4	12.7	-3.5	-.6
Fresh biscuits, rolls, muffins .....	1.9	4.0	2.3	2.5	6.2	4.3	13.5	-2.2	-1.6
Cakes, cupcakes, and cookies .....	2.1	2.7	1.9	2.3	1.1	5.9	8.6	2.8	-.7
Other bakery products .....	.8	4.8	.0	-.3	3.7	2.3	10.7	.6	2.8
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs .....	.3	11.5	1.2	1.3	1.3	5.6	5.1	-3.8	.8
Meats, poultry, and fish .....	-.1	10.7	2.3	1.4	.7	4.2	6.1	-3.7	.6
Meats .....	.2	13.8	1.6	1.2	.7	3.3	6.0	-5.1	1.1
Beef and veal .....	.7	23.5	-.8	2.4	.5	5.2	6.5	-4.8	.0
Uncooked ground beef .....	1.1	19.4	3.1	3.3	.7	5.5	11.0	-6.3	1.4
Uncooked beef roasts .....	.3	23.6	-1.1	1.4	.0	4.5	5.2	-3.0	-.1
Uncooked beef steaks .....	.6	27.6	-3.6	1.8	-.4	5.4	1.6	-4.7	-1.7
Uncooked other beef and veal .....	-.4	22.4	-5.6	3.1	4.6	4.5	6.4	-1.5	-.3
Pork .....	-2.4	5.1	4.8	-.2	.2	1.5	5.0	-7.7	4.7
Bacon, breakfast sausage, and related products .....	-.4	4.2	5.9	-3.8	1.6	3.3	2.3	-5.5	2.6
Ham .....	-1.5	4.6	4.3	2.4	.5	1.5	5.4	-7.9	4.0
Pork chops .....	-2.9	5.5	2.4	.3	-1.2	.9	6.1	-8.0	7.0
Other pork including roasts and picnics .....	-5.4	6.2	6.5	1.7	-.4	-.5	7.4	-10.5	6.3
Other meats .....	3.5	5.1	2.8	.8	2.1	1.5	6.2	-2.0	-1.6
Poultry .....	-.6	4.9	5.5	-.2	-1.2	6.8	5.8	-1.5	-.3
Chicken .....	.0	5.1	6.2	-.6	-1.4	7.8	5.4	-2.1	-.6
Other poultry including turkey .....	-3.3	3.8	2.3	1.4	-.1	2.0	7.3	1.2	1.0
Fish and seafood .....	-1.3	2.8	1.9	3.9	3.4	5.1	7.3	-.1	-.1
Fresh fish and seafood .....	-3.1	4.7	2.1	5.9	4.0	5.7	5.5	-1.3	.6
Processed fish and seafood .....	1.4	.0	1.6	1.0	2.4	4.2	9.5	1.3	-.9
Eggs .....	9.8	30.1	-20.0	1.7	14.6	33.2	-9.3	-6.8	3.0
Dairy and related products .....	-2.0	3.3	4.2	1.7	-1.5	13.8	2.3	-7.8	2.1
Milk .....	-3.7	7.1	5.6	3.5	-2.9	19.5	-3.4	-10.5	2.7
Cheese and related products .....	-2.4	1.9	5.4	.3	-2.2	13.5	8.3	-9.4	2.3
Ice cream and related products .....	-.9	-.4	-.1	-.1	2.1	3.1	5.6	-2.3	.7
Other dairy and related products .....	1.6	1.5	2.8	1.6	.0	11.7	2.7	-3.9	1.7
Fruits and vegetables .....	4.7	3.1	8.2	.4	2.0	5.8	3.5	-3.1	.6
Fresh fruits and vegetables .....	5.4	4.3	10.0	-.7	1.8	6.3	.5	-3.9	.3
Fresh fruits .....	4.6	1.3	7.1	1.2	4.8	5.4	-1.4	-4.1	-.3
Apples .....	6.7	3.1	.8	4.3	10.1	6.0	3.4	-9.6	4.9
Bananas .....	.6	-1.9	-2.5	7.1	2.9	5.0	15.7	-8.6	3.5
Citrus fruits .....	9.3	1.8	11.4	7.0	6.3	.1	-.7	.0	.5
Other fresh fruits .....	3.6	1.6	11.7	-4.4	2.7	7.8	-9.0	-1.9	-3.5
Fresh vegetables .....	6.2	7.2	12.7	-2.5	-1.0	7.2	2.5	-3.7	.9
Potatoes .....	8.5	-4.0	7.5	9.7	5.7	3.4	20.3	-16.7	6.5
Lettuce .....	-6.0	37.2	-8.1	-6.5	7.8	4.8	1.9	9.2	-15.5
Tomatoes .....	8.6	-1.3	49.1	-19.0	-7.6	19.6	-10.6	2.5	-6.0
Other fresh vegetables .....	7.5	8.3	4.6	4.6	-2.4	3.8	3.2	-4.8	7.0
Processed fruits and vegetables .....	2.8	-1.1	1.9	5.0	2.6	4.2	13.8	-.5	1.6
Canned fruits and vegetables .....	3.3	-3.0	2.7	5.7	2.6	4.2	16.6	.9	1.3
Frozen fruits and vegetables .....	.1	2.5	-.5	4.2	2.4	2.9	8.1	-3.5	2.9
Other processed fruits and vegetables including dried .....	6.1	-.7	3.3	4.4	3.1	5.8	15.2	.5	.1
Nonalcoholic beverages and beverage materials .....	1.0	-.4	1.0	3.5	2.0	3.4	6.1	-.9	1.1
Juices and nonalcoholic drinks .....	1.0	-.3	.8	3.2	1.9	3.5	7.4	-1.2	1.0
Carbonated drinks .....	1.4	.0	2.4	4.5	.7	3.2	9.5	.2	4.2
Frozen noncarbonated juices and drinks .....	-.3	1.1	-2.1	-.3	13.5	13.0	4.1	1.1	-1.1
Nonfrozen noncarbonated juices and drinks .....	.9	-1.0	-.7	1.8	2.9	3.2	5.3	-2.9	-1.4

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**Table 29. Historical Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): U.S. city average, by commodity and service group and detailed expenditure categories-Continued**

Item and group	Percent change from previous December								
	December								Feb. 2010
	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	
<b>Expenditure category</b>									
Beverage materials including coffee and tea .....	0.9	-0.3	1.3	4.2	2.2	3.3	3.4	-0.4	1.5
Coffee .....	-2	.6	1.4	12.1	2.0	5.1	6.4	-2.3	2.1
Other beverage materials including tea .....	1.6	-9	1.3	.3	2.3	2.5	1.9	.5	1.0
Other food at home .....	.1	1.2	.4	2.4	.6	3.2	9.2	-2	.9
Sugar and sweets .....	1.9	1.0	.1	3.9	2.6	3.4	8.5	2.7	1.8
Sugar and artificial sweeteners .....	2.6	2.0	-3	8.3	5.8	-5	6.3	3.9	5.0
Candy and chewing gum .....	1.5	.0	.0	3.3	1.3	4.5	8.9	2.6	.6
Other sweets .....	2.6	3.0	.7	1.3	4.0	3.6	9.5	1.7	2.5
Fats and oils .....	-2.3	3.1	6.1	-1.0	1.0	5.6	17.4	-4.5	1.6
Butter and margarine .....	-9.1	4.1	13.8	-2.9	-1.4	6.3	18.6	-7.6	4.2
Salad dressing .....	-3	2.0	.6	-4.0	3.5	3.3	10.8	.4	.0
Other fats and oils including peanut butter .....	2.0	3.0	4.6	2.0	1.1	6.7	20.7	-5.6	1.3
Other foods .....	.1	.8	-8	2.9	.0	2.7	8.1	.0	.6
Soups .....	1.1	1.2	-1	1.4	.0	.1	8.3	-1.3	-4
Frozen and freeze dried prepared foods .....	-1.2	.1	-6	.7	-1.6	3.5	6.5	-1.0	-1
Snacks .....	-3.9	4.7	-2.4	5.9	-1.1	4.4	13.1	1.6	.9
Spices, seasonings, condiments, sauces .....	3.3	-2.3	-2.8	4.0	-1	3.6	6.5	2.2	3.9
Baby food .....	1.0	3.1	2.5	3.4	1.0	4.2	5.8	-9	.8
Other miscellaneous foods .....	1.6	-4	.9	1.4	2.1	.3	7.3	-1.1	-1.1
Food away from home .....	2.3	2.3	3.0	3.2	3.2	3.9	5.2	1.9	.1
Full service meals and snacks .....	2.2	2.3	2.8	2.8	3.4	3.9	4.0	1.8	.2
Limited service meals and snacks .....	2.2	2.3	3.1	3.4	3.0	4.1	6.0	1.8	-2
Food at employee sites and schools .....	4.8	2.5	3.0	2.6	3.6	3.0	5.7	2.8	.3
Food from vending machines and mobile vendors .....	1.4	2.4	2.2	2.7	1.9	3.3	7.1	2.3	.5
Other food away from home .....	3.7	2.5	3.2	5.2	3.8	4.1	6.4	2.1	1.3
Alcoholic beverages .....	2.3	2.3	2.8	1.1	2.4	3.9	4.6	2.2	.2
Alcoholic beverages at home .....	2.1	2.0	2.4	.1	1.7	3.6	4.7	2.1	.4
Beer, ale, and other malt beverages at home .....	2.6	3.0	3.2	-3	1.6	4.2	5.3	2.8	.3
Distilled spirits at home .....	1.4	1.2	.9	.7	.7	1.0	2.5	1.9	.5
Wine at home .....	.7	-6	.2	1.5	3.0	3.5	3.4	-1	.5
Alcoholic beverages away from home .....	3.0	3.0	3.6	2.9	4.1	4.7	4.4	2.2	.0
Housing .....	2.3	2.3	3.0	4.2	3.2	3.1	2.8	-1	.1
Shelter .....	3.1	2.1	2.5	2.7	4.2	3.1	2.2	.5	.0
Rent of primary residence <sup>1</sup> .....	3.2	2.5	2.9	3.1	4.3	4.0	3.3	.6	.0
Lodging away from home .....	.7	3.5	4.6	3.2	3.8	4.8	-2.4	-4.4	5.1
Housing at school, excluding board <sup>1</sup> .....	6.0	6.0	6.0	5.9	5.2	5.6	4.6	5.2	.1
Other lodging away from home including hotels and motels .....	.0	3.1	4.4	3.0	3.7	4.8	-3.1	-5.5	6.5
Owners' equivalent rent of residences <sup>1</sup> .....	3.3	1.9	2.2	2.5	4.2	2.7	2.1	.7	-1
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>1</sup> .....	3.3	1.9	2.2	2.5	4.2	2.7	2.1	.7	-1
Tenants' and household insurance .....	5.6	1.9	3.9	-2.1	.9	.0	2.5	3.4	.8
Fuels and utilities .....	1.4	6.6	7.6	15.5	.4	5.2	6.5	-3.1	.9
Household energy .....	1.0	7.1	8.1	17.8	-.5	5.2	6.5	-4.9	.7
Fuel oil and other fuels .....	10.9	9.0	34.7	24.0	2.1	28.6	-12.9	1.9	6.0
Fuel oil .....	14.3	7.8	40.3	26.9	2.1	33.2	-21.4	7.3	3.8
Propane, kerosene, and firewood .....	6.0	10.8	24.7	18.1	2.2	19.9	.2	-4.5	9.4
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>1</sup> .....	.5	7.0	6.7	17.3	-.7	3.4	7.9	-5.3	.3
Electricity <sup>1</sup> .....	-1.9	2.9	2.1	10.5	7.2	5.0	8.8	-.7	-1.0
Utility (piped) gas service <sup>1</sup> .....	7.1	17.3	16.7	30.3	-14.6	-.4	5.6	-18.1	5.2
Water and sewer and trash collection services .....	3.2	4.6	5.5	5.3	4.8	5.4	6.6	5.7	1.8
Water and sewerage maintenance <sup>1</sup> .....	3.5	4.7	6.3	5.5	4.7	5.6	7.1	6.8	2.1
Garbage and trash collection .....	2.3	4.4	3.4	4.3	5.2	4.9	5.0	2.3	.9
Household furnishings and operations .....	-1.9	-2.1	.7	.5	.6	-.6	2.0	-.9	-.1
Window and floor coverings and other linens .....	-5.0	-3.8	-1.4	-1.9	-4.3	-3.4	-4.8	-3.0	.3
Floor coverings .....	1.7	-.7	.4	5.8	3.1	.4	2.4	-3.4	-2.6
Window coverings .....	-3.0	-1.3	-3.0	-1.5	1.4	-1.3	.0	-7.5	-3.7
Other linens .....	-7.8	-5.8	-1.4	-3.8	-8.4	-5.3	-8.5	-1.2	1.9
Furniture and bedding .....	-1.0	-1.7	.0	.5	-.8	-2.0	-.3	-.1	-.5
Bedroom furniture .....	-2.1	-.1	5.2	4.2	-1.5	-.7	.3	-2.7	-.3
Living room, kitchen, and dining room furniture .....	-.5	-2.7	-1.9	-1.8	-.3	-2.5	-1.6	2.1	-.2
Other furniture .....	-.4	-1.8	-3.8	.2	-.4	-3.2	1.9	-.2	-1.5
Appliances .....	-3.8	-3.5	-3.4	3.3	1.1	1.7	1.7	-3.1	.5
Major appliances .....	-2.8	-3.3	-2.8	6.0	3.5	2.7	2.1	-3.0	.5

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**Table 29. Historical Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): U.S. city average, by commodity and service group and detailed expenditure categories-Continued**

Item and group	Percent change from previous December								
	December								Feb. 2010
	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	
<b>Expenditure category</b>									
Other appliances .....	-5.1	-3.9	-4.2	-1.0	-1.9	0.4	1.1	-3.2	0.5
Other household equipment and furnishings .....	-4.2	-5.3	1.2	-4.9	-4.7	-3.6	-1	-2.9	.5
Clocks, lamps, and decorator items .....	-5.8	-10.7	1.2	-8.2	-7.2	-8.8	-2.0	-3.8	.1
Indoor plants and flowers .....	.1	1.4	1.0	2.0	-4	3.9	4.7	-3.1	1.5
Dishes and flatware .....	-5.3	-5	1.1	-6.4	-6.9	-1.8	-1.5	-2.7	.6
Nonelectric cookware and tableware .....	-3.9	-2	1.0	-.3	.5	3.3	1.5	-.5	.7
Tools, hardware, outdoor equipment and supplies .....	-1.9	-2.8	2.2	.3	1.6	-1.2	1.2	-1.3	-.7
Tools, hardware and supplies .....	-2.2	-2.4	4.8	2.6	2.0	-1.7	2.8	-2.8	-.5
Outdoor equipment and supplies .....	-1.9	-3.0	.6	-1.6	1.0	-.7	-.2	-.3	-.8
Housekeeping supplies .....	-1.4	-.9	1.1	2.4	3.9	1.5	7.1	.6	.4
Household cleaning products .....	-1.5	-1.5	-.7	3.4	2.7	.1	7.0	1.7	-.2
Household paper products .....	-.4	-1.7	7.1	.5	6.5	3.8	11.2	.9	.5
Miscellaneous household products .....	-2.1	.5	-1.3	2.6	3.8	1.8	3.6	-1.3	1.1
Household operations .....	2.4	2.5	4.4	5.2	3.8	2.4	5.6	-.2	-.6
Domestic services .....	3.9	2.7	2.1	5.2	3.5	1.8	2.7	.7	-.4
Gardening and lawn care services .....	-.3	1.7	4.6	-	-	-	-	-	-
Moving, storage, freight expense .....	2.7	2.5	3.2	4.3	-.5	.9	-.8	-3.1	-2.7
Repair of household items .....	4.4	3.7	7.5	7.4	4.2	4.0	5.3	3.8	.7
Apparel .....	-1.7	-1.8	-.1	-1.2	1.2	-.4	-.9	1.7	-.3
Men's and boys' apparel .....	-3.2	-.8	-1.8	-1.9	-.4	-.5	-1.1	-.3	.6
Men's apparel .....	-1.4	-1.6	-.9	-1.6	.3	-2.1	-1.3	.4	1.4
Men's suits, sport coats, and outerwear .....	-.9	.8	-2.1	-.3	-2.8	1.3	-5.7	-1.7	-.5
Men's furnishings .....	.8	2.1	-2.4	-1.3	-.3	-4.5	6.8	1.3	6.0
Men's shirts and sweaters .....	-.8	-2.5	-3.1	-.7	3.5	-6.6	-4.4	2.1	-4.5
Men's pants and shorts .....	-4.1	-5.9	3.7	-3.6	-.1	1.9	-2.3	-1.0	5.2
Boys' apparel .....	-8.4	1.9	-4.8	-2.8	-2.6	4.4	-.4	-2.8	-1.6
Women's and girls' apparel .....	-1.1	-1.6	-.3	-1.7	1.9	-.9	-3.6	2.3	-1.2
Women's apparel .....	-1.7	-1.0	-1.2	-.2	2.8	-1.2	-3.6	2.5	-1.7
Women's outerwear .....	.2	-.1	-2.6	-4.7	-1.0	-3.8	-1.8	6.0	-13.9
Women's dresses .....	1.2	1.3	-2.5	4.3	12.4	.0	-1.9	-3.0	-3.9
Women's suits and separates .....	-1.4	-2.4	-.6	-.6	2.6	-1.2	-5.3	1.8	-.6
Women's underwear, nightwear, sportswear and accessories .....	-4.3	.0	-1.4	.0	-1.4	-.7	-1.3	4.7	1.9
Girls' apparel .....	1.2	-3.8	2.8	-7.1	-1.4	-.2	-3.7	1.5	.6
Footwear .....	-.2	-2.5	1.4	1.3	1.4	-.5	1.7	3.6	-.6
Men's footwear .....	-.6	-4.1	-1.9	2.2	2.5	-1.6	4.1	2.0	-.3
Boys' and girls' footwear .....	-.7	-2.1	4.3	1.3	-.2	1.7	3.2	2.3	-1.0
Women's footwear .....	.5	-1.3	2.4	.3	1.7	-.9	-1.1	5.8	-.7
Infants' and toddlers' apparel .....	-2.4	-4.6	.0	-3.1	-.7	-.3	-1.2	.7	1.8
Jewelry and watches .....	-4.7	-1.8	3.2	-3.2	4.7	4.1	7.6	1.0	.4
Watches .....	-6.9	.4	1.2	.3	2.1	-2.6	2.6	-1.3	.5
Jewelry .....	-4.3	-2.2	3.4	-3.7	5.5	5.7	8.5	1.4	.4
Transportation .....	3.8	-.3	7.1	5.0	1.6	8.9	-15.3	16.1	.8
Private transportation .....	4.1	-.5	7.5	4.9	1.7	9.0	-16.0	16.7	.9
New and used motor vehicles .....	-3.4	-5.8	1.6	.5	-1.2	.0	-4.5	6.2	.8
New vehicles .....	-2.1	-1.8	.4	-.4	-.8	-.3	-3.2	5.0	.0
Used cars and trucks .....	-5.6	-11.8	4.9	1.4	-2.1	.6	-8.2	9.3	2.1
Leased cars and trucks .....	-1.9	-2.8	-4.8	1.7	-.4	.7	5.8	-.1	-.5
Car and truck rental .....	.6	2.6	-4.7	9.9	1.6	-.9	2.6	6.1	-3.3
Motor fuel .....	24.6	6.8	26.2	16.3	6.3	29.6	-42.2	50.7	1.3
Gasoline (all types) .....	24.8	6.9	26.1	16.2	6.3	29.7	-43.1	53.6	1.3
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>2</sup> .....	25.8	7.3	26.7	16.9	6.4	29.9	-44.0	55.3	1.3
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>2</sup> .....	25.3	6.1	25.8	15.6	5.8	29.7	-41.7	51.0	1.3
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>2</sup> .....	23.5	6.2	24.3	14.8	6.1	28.7	-40.1	47.6	1.3
Other motor fuels .....	1.7	1.7	32.5	22.2	7.3	24.2	-25.2	9.2	1.3
Motor vehicle parts and equipment .....	1.3	.9	1.9	3.9	4.9	3.8	7.7	1.2	.6
Tires .....	.1	-.5	2.4	2.9	3.5	2.8	6.1	1.3	.7
Vehicle accessories other than tires .....	2.4	2.3	1.4	5.1	6.5	5.1	9.5	1.1	.5
Motor vehicle maintenance and repair .....	3.8	2.5	2.8	3.8	3.8	3.3	5.8	2.5	.3
Motor vehicle body work .....	1.9	1.6	2.9	4.7	3.4	3.2	4.5	2.8	-.1
Motor vehicle maintenance and servicing .....	3.8	1.6	3.2	3.2	3.1	3.0	7.5	2.2	-.1
Motor vehicle repair .....	4.0	2.9	2.5	4.1	4.4	3.5	4.7	2.6	.6
Motor vehicle insurance .....	9.1	4.6	3.4	.9	.8	.5	4.0	4.7	.9
Motor vehicle fees .....	3.2	7.3	8.7	2.5	2.3	2.0	3.6	10.9	.5

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**Table 29. Historical Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): U.S. city average, by commodity and service group and detailed expenditure categories-Continued**

Item and group	Percent change from previous December								
	December								Feb. 2010
	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	
<b>Expenditure category</b>									
State motor vehicle registration and license fees <sup>1</sup> .....	3.4	8.8	9.9	1.7	2.4	1.2	2.4	13.4	0.7
Parking and other fees .....	2.4	2.8	5.4	4.5	1.7	3.9	6.0	5.6	.3
Public transportation .....	-4	2.2	.3	6.1	.4	6.4	1.7	3.5	-1.2
Airline fare .....	-2.2	-4	-1.8	6.7	-1.0	10.5	1.0	4.2	-2.1
Other intercity transportation .....	2.1	-6.2	-1.2	4.8	2.2	1.3	-1.7	-3.5	-1.2
Intracity transportation .....	1.4	9.9	3.8	5.6	1.9	1.9	5.3	5.2	.4
Medical care .....	5.2	3.7	4.3	4.4	3.6	5.2	2.7	3.5	1.7
Medical care commodities .....	3.0	2.1	1.9	3.6	1.9	2.4	1.5	3.3	1.5
Medicinal drugs <sup>3</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.6
Prescription drugs .....	4.4	2.4	3.5	4.4	1.9	3.1	1.2	4.4	1.9
Nonprescription drugs <sup>3</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	.2
Medical equipment and supplies <sup>3</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-1
Medical care services .....	5.8	4.1	5.1	4.6	4.1	6.0	3.1	3.6	1.8
Professional services .....	3.3	2.8	4.0	3.7	2.5	4.3	3.0	2.6	1.3
Physicians' services <sup>1</sup> .....	3.4	2.2	4.0	3.1	1.6	4.1	2.9	2.6	1.8
Dental services <sup>1</sup> .....	4.5	4.5	5.0	5.5	4.9	6.2	3.5	3.3	.8
Eyeglasses and eye care .....	-2	1.8	3.0	2.9	2.1	1.1	.2	1.5	.3
Services by other medical professionals <sup>1</sup> .....	3.3	2.4	2.5	2.6	2.9	3.3	4.0	1.9	.8
Hospital and related services <sup>1</sup> .....	10.3	6.4	5.2	5.2	6.0	8.0	5.7	7.5	3.0
Hospital services <sup>1</sup> .....	10.4	6.4	5.2	5.2	6.1	8.0	5.9	7.8	3.2
Inpatient hospital services <sup>1 2</sup> .....	9.7	5.2	5.6	5.3	6.5	7.4	5.7	7.8	3.5
Outpatient hospital services <sup>1 2</sup> .....	13.2	6.8	4.4	5.1	4.9	9.6	5.7	8.5	2.3
Nursing homes and adult day services <sup>1</sup> .....	4.9	5.5	3.7	4.4	4.5	5.6	3.2	3.7	1.1
Care of invalids and elderly at home <sup>4</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	3.0	3.5	1.1	.8	.5
Health insurance <sup>4</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	6.8	9.3	-3.4	-2.9	.6
Recreation .....	.9	.8	.6	.9	.9	.6	1.6	-.6	.2
Video and audio .....	1.9	.1	.7	.0	-.8	1.1	-.7	-1.4	-.3
Televisions .....	-10.8	-14.0	-12.5	-13.6	-22.7	-17.3	-19.5	-27.3	-6.8
Cable and satellite television and radio service .....	7.2	3.7	4.1	3.3	2.6	2.5	1.7	2.2	.7
Other video equipment .....	-13.7	-12.2	-14.5	-10.8	-14.1	-12.9	-15.4	-9.5	.6
Video discs and other media, including rental of video and audio .....	-6.4	-.5	-1.3	-.6	1.2	.7	1.9	-3.7	-1.1
Audio equipment .....	-5.0	-5.5	-5.5	-10.1	-5.1	-5.2	-4.0	-4.6	-.2
Audio discs, tapes and other media .....	1.1	-4.0	3.7	.1	-2.6	-.2	-1.2	-9.3	.4
Pets, pet products and services .....	1.8	2.3	4.2	2.8	3.6	5.4	10.2	1.5	.9
Pets and pet products .....	.7	1.1	3.2	1.5	3.3	5.1	12.3	.7	.7
Pet services including veterinary .....	4.7	4.8	6.2	5.0	4.1	6.1	6.2	3.2	1.5
Sporting goods .....	-1.6	-1.1	-1.2	1.2	1.2	-2.7	2.5	-1.6	.1
Sports vehicles including bicycles .....	-1.1	-2.0	1.5	3.5	3.1	-3.0	-.1	-2.0	.2
Sports equipment .....	-2.2	.0	-4.2	-1.8	-.7	-2.3	5.6	-1.4	-.1
Photography .....	-1.4	-2.0	-3.7	-2.9	-4.5	-3.1	-1.7	1.0	-.7
Photographic equipment and supplies .....	-6.0	-5.4	-7.8	-4.8	-10.6	-6.6	-5.9	-2.0	-.2
Photographers and film processing .....	2.0	.3	.2	-1.5	1.8	-.1	1.8	3.2	-1.0
Other recreational goods .....	-7.6	-3.5	-4.6	-4.0	-3.4	-4.9	-5.2	-3.5	1.2
Toys .....	-9.0	-4.2	-6.1	-4.5	-4.7	-5.4	-7.1	-5.6	1.0
Sewing machines, fabric and supplies .....	-2.8	.3	.0	-2.2	1.1	-6.0	.2	4.8	1.1
Music instruments and accessories .....	-1.8	-1.4	1.2	-2.9	1.7	.3	2.0	.0	1.9
Recreation services .....	3.8	3.4	2.1	3.1	4.2	2.1	2.4	.1	.2
Club dues and fees for participant sports and group exercises .....	.8	2.6	-.3	2.7	2.5	1.0	1.3	-2.3	.6
Admissions .....	5.4	3.4	3.3	3.3	5.2	2.2	2.8	.6	-.1
Fees for lessons or instructions .....	1.4	6.6	2.7	2.6	3.2	3.9	3.4	2.2	.1
Recreational reading materials .....	1.9	.9	2.3	.6	.9	1.2	3.7	3.0	.0
Newspapers and magazines .....	2.1	1.7	3.4	1.8	1.2	1.2	4.9	5.0	.6
Recreational books .....	1.4	-.4	.1	-1.5	.4	1.1	2.1	.3	-.7
Education and communication .....	1.8	.8	.7	1.9	2.0	2.6	3.4	1.9	.1
Education .....	6.2	6.7	6.2	5.9	6.4	5.3	5.8	4.6	.5
Educational books and supplies .....	9.1	5.9	4.0	5.0	7.1	8.8	6.8	6.9	1.2
Tuition, other school fees, and childcare .....	6.0	6.7	6.4	5.9	6.3	5.0	5.7	4.3	.4
College tuition and fees .....	7.0	9.7	8.8	6.7	7.3	5.9	6.2	6.0	-.2

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**Table 29. Historical Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): U.S. city average, by commodity and service group and detailed expenditure categories-Continued**

Item and group	Percent change from previous December								
	December								Feb. 2010
	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	
<b>Expenditure category</b>									
Elementary and high school tuition and fees .....	6.8	6.3	7.2	5.7	5.8	5.4	6.0	3.9	0.1
Child care and nursery school .....	4.8	3.7	3.4	5.1	5.3	3.7	5.1	2.4	1.2
Technical and business school tuition and fees .....	5.4	9.6	8.3	6.8	4.9	5.4	4.3	4.1	.3
Communication .....	-1.5	-3.8	-3.0	-9	-1.2	.7	1.9	.1	.0
Postage and delivery services .....	10.5	.1	.4	.4	5.0	4.4	3.1	4.9	1.6
Postage .....	10.6	.0	.0	.0	5.3	3.9	3.1	5.1	1.2
Delivery services .....	5.1	4.4	13.7	9.4	.9	11.3	4.3	1.8	10.0
Information and information processing .....	-2.0	-4.0	-3.2	-1.1	-1.3	.5	1.8	-1	-1
Telephone services .....	.2	-2.7	-2.5	.3	1.7	2.1	2.9	.9	-5
Wireless telephone services .....	.4	-1.3	-1.3	-1.5	-2	-9	.6	-1.1	-1.7
Land-line telephone services <sup>3</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.1
Information technology, hardware and services .....	-13.6	-11.2	-6.3	-8.1	-14.7	-7.6	-2.9	-4.5	1.4
Personal computers and peripheral equipment <sup>5</sup> .....	-22.5	-18.0	-13.7	-15.4	-12.1	-13.0	-11.8	-11.7	.2
Computer software and accessories .....	-11.9	-9.4	-5.2	-4.3	-8.0	-6.3	-3	-2.2	1.0
Internet services and electronic information providers .....	-8	-1.8	-8	-2.6	-18.5	-4.6	3.3	-2	2.6
Telephone hardware, calculators, and other consumer information items .....	-8.3	-12.1	-6.9	-7.8	-5.4	-5.0	-8	-3.3	-2.0
Other goods and services .....	4.0	1.0	2.5	3.4	2.8	3.9	4.1	11.3	.2
Tobacco and smoking products .....	9.6	-6	3.0	6.0	2.6	7.5	6.6	30.3	.2
Cigarettes .....	9.9	-9	2.8	6.1	2.6	7.8	6.5	30.7	.1
Tobacco products other than cigarettes .....	4.0	6.2	6.1	4.6	2.0	3.5	6.7	22.4	1.5
Personal care .....	1.4	1.8	2.3	2.1	2.9	2.3	2.8	1.3	.2
Personal care products .....	-1.2	-1	-1	1.0	2.1	-1	1.8	.6	-1
Hair, dental, shaving, and miscellaneous personal care products .....	-1.0	-8	-8	.4	2.1	.0	.9	-1	.9
Cosmetics, perfume, bath, nail preparations and implements .....	-1.4	.5	.7	2.0	2.1	-3	2.8	1.4	-1.2
Personal care services .....	1.9	2.2	3.5	2.5	2.8	3.4	3.0	.9	-2
Haircuts and other personal care services .....	1.8	2.2	3.5	2.5	2.9	3.4	3.0	.9	-2
Miscellaneous personal services .....	3.2	3.6	4.1	2.9	3.8	3.8	3.5	2.1	.7
Legal services .....	4.5	5.1	6.3	3.3	4.0	3.7	4.8	1.8	1.1
Funeral expenses .....	3.9	4.3	3.9	5.0	4.5	5.1	5.5	3.2	.6
Laundry and dry cleaning services .....	2.2	2.8	3.0	1.9	3.2	3.0	4.8	2.3	.4
Apparel services other than laundry and dry cleaning ..	2.1	3.4	2.6	4.7	5.1	3.4	6.9	4.2	.8
Financial services .....	3.4	2.5	3.8	1.4	4.0	4.4	-2.6	1.4	.7
Miscellaneous personal goods .....	-1.0	-4.4	-3.2	.5	.8	.5	1.9	.5	-5
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>									
Commodities .....	1.3	.3	3.9	2.9	1.4	5.8	-5.0	6.6	.6
Commodities less food and beverages .....	1.2	-1.9	4.8	3.3	1.1	6.3	-11.1	11.3	.6
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	5.7	1.2	8.0	6.2	3.1	11.7	-16.2	17.5	.7
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel .....	9.2	2.5	11.4	8.9	3.8	15.8	-20.7	23.4	1.0
Durables .....	-3.6	-5.3	1.0	-2	-1.4	-8	-3.4	3.3	.4
Services .....	3.3	2.8	2.9	3.9	3.2	3.2	3.2	.9	.3
Rent of shelter .....	3.1	2.2	2.5	2.7	4.2	3.2	2.2	.5	.0
Transportation services .....	4.5	3.0	2.2	2.5	1.4	2.0	4.2	4.1	.3
Other services .....	3.3	2.4	2.2	2.7	2.8	2.9	3.4	1.8	.3
All items less food .....	2.6	1.2	3.5	3.7	2.5	4.2	-1.6	4.1	.4
All items less shelter .....	2.1	1.5	3.7	3.8	1.7	4.9	-1.7	4.7	.6
All items less medical care .....	2.3	1.5	3.4	3.4	2.4	4.3	-6	3.4	.3
Commodities less food .....	1.3	-1.7	4.6	3.3	1.2	6.2	-10.5	11.0	.6
Nondurables less food .....	5.5	1.2	7.6	5.8	3.1	11.2	-15.0	16.4	.7
Nondurables less food and apparel .....	8.6	2.4	10.6	8.2	3.7	14.9	-18.9	21.4	1.0
Nondurables .....	3.4	2.5	5.1	4.1	2.6	8.2	-5.6	7.8	.6
Apparel less footwear .....	-2.2	-1.5	-5	-1.9	1.2	-4	-1.6	1.2	-2
Services less rent of shelter .....	3.5	3.6	3.4	5.3	2.1	3.3	4.4	1.4	.6

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**Table 29. Historical Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W): U.S. city average, by commodity and service group and detailed expenditure categories-Continued**

Item and group	Percent change from previous December								
	December								Feb. 2010
	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>									
Services less medical care services .....	3.1	2.7	2.8	3.9	3.2	3.0	3.2	0.7	0.2
Energy .....	11.5	6.9	16.9	17.0	3.0	18.1	-22.6	20.0	1.0
All items less energy .....	1.7	1.2	2.2	2.0	2.4	2.8	2.4	1.7	.3
All items less food and energy .....	1.7	.7	2.1	2.0	2.5	2.3	1.7	2.2	.3
Commodities less food and energy commodities .....	-1.7	-3.1	.9	.4	.0	.3	-8	4.0	.3
Energy commodities .....	23.8	6.9	26.7	16.7	6.0	29.6	-40.9	47.5	1.5
Services less energy services .....	3.5	2.5	2.7	2.8	3.6	3.3	2.8	1.5	.3
Domestically produced farm food .....	.8	5.6	2.6	1.2	1.1	6.0	6.5	-2.8	.8
Utilities and public transportation .....	1.4	3.2	3.2	9.0	.9	3.3	5.1	-1.0	.2

<sup>1</sup> This index series was calculated using a Laspeyres estimator.  
 All other item stratum index series were calculated using a geometric means estimator.

<sup>2</sup> Special index based on a substantially smaller sample.

<sup>3</sup> Indexes on a December 2009=100 base.

<sup>4</sup> Indexes on a December 2005=100 base.

<sup>5</sup> Indexes on a December 2007=100 base.

- Data not available.

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

**Table P1. Average residential prices for utility (piped) gas, electricity, and fuel oil, U.S. city average and selected areas**

Area, region and population size class	Utility (piped) gas				Electricity		Fuel oil #2	
	per 40 therms		per 100 therms		per 500 KWH		per gallon (3.785 liters)	
	Jan. 2010	Feb. 2010	Jan. 2010	Feb. 2010	Jan. 2010	Feb. 2010	Jan. 2010	Feb. 2010
U.S. city average .....	\$53.206	\$53.410	\$115.680	\$115.990	\$64.760	\$63.682	\$2.967	\$2.890
<b>Region and area size <sup>1</sup></b>								
Northeast urban .....	65.445	65.092	141.635	140.850	86.578	86.904	2.986	2.904
Size A - More than 1,500,000 .....	66.976	66.531	147.486	146.491	91.967	92.591	3.012	2.936
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 .....	R 61.728	R 61.648	R 125.569	R 125.436	76.685	76.465	2.926	2.830
Midwest urban .....	48.778	49.316	100.888	101.840	60.100	59.712	2.639	2.673
Size A - More than 1,500,000 .....	51.044	52.055	104.617	106.425	60.492	59.859	2.706	2.727
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 .....	46.779	46.772	97.655	97.554	60.001	60.060	2.467	2.534
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000) .....	44.046	43.974	92.033	91.845	58.565	57.714	NA	NA
South urban .....	55.514	55.490	120.305	119.503	61.215	58.636	2.947	2.889
Size A - More than 1,500,000 .....	57.438	57.187	125.837	123.094	69.597	60.470	3.100	3.118
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 .....	55.547	55.847	118.981	119.739	55.821	56.571	2.955	2.834
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000) .....	47.391	46.364	104.716	102.295	63.088	63.015	NA	NA
West urban .....	46.665	46.991	113.291	114.573	58.241	58.221	2.677	2.596
Size A - More than 1,500,000 .....	47.318	47.638	117.012	118.594	63.346	63.476	2.985	2.856
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 .....	46.248	46.695	108.715	109.671	56.548	56.809	NA	NA
<b>Size classes</b>								
A .....	55.469	55.777	121.920	122.364	71.435	68.835	3.008	2.939
B/C .....	51.400	51.532	109.442	109.720	59.632	60.036	2.919	2.824
D .....	44.456	44.214	95.734	95.164	56.540	55.943	2.466	2.394
<b>Selected local areas</b>								
Chicago-Gary-Kenosha, IL-IN-WI .....	52.414	53.663	102.073	103.128	62.539	63.912	-	-
Los Angeles-Riverside-Orange County, CA .....	46.459	45.967	117.420	118.918	74.187	74.403	-	-
New York-Northern N.J.-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT-PA .....	71.611	69.715	158.171	153.560	101.669	102.442	-	-
Boston-Brockton-Nashua, MA-NH-ME-CT .....	65.806	69.153	144.631	152.040	80.712	81.561	-	-
Cleveland-Akron, OH .....	46.740	51.159	90.369	101.379	61.351	61.351	-	-
Dallas-Fort Worth, TX .....	42.649	40.492	95.345	89.932	67.326	68.215	-	-
Washington-Baltimore, DC-MD-VA-WV .....	58.298	58.498	131.781	124.161	74.006	37.875	-	-
Atlanta, GA .....	74.148	72.444	157.423	153.139	57.990	57.990	-	-
Detroit-Ann Arbor-Flint, MI .....	53.030	52.902	118.621	118.303	60.391	54.944	-	-
Houston-Galveston-Brazoria, TX .....	50.168	53.852	108.982	118.194	81.605	81.605	-	-
Miami-Fort Lauderdale, FL .....	70.498	70.472	148.019	148.957	57.195	57.195	-	-
Philadelphia-Wilmington-Atlantic City, PA-NJ-DE-MD .....	61.483	61.449	138.496	138.413	86.272	86.532	-	-
San Francisco-Oakland-San Jose, CA .....	42.404	44.233	117.262	121.873	64.893	64.893	-	-
Seattle-Tacoma-Bremerton, WA .....	53.141	53.141	117.078	117.078	40.322	40.322	-	-

<sup>1</sup> Regions defined as the four Census regions. See map in technical notes.

NA Data not adequate for publication.

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**Table P2. Average residential unit prices and consumption ranges for utility (piped) gas and electricity for U.S. city average and selected areas**

Area, region and population size class	Average price per therm of utility (piped) gas		Range of therm consumption for Feb.2010		Average price per KWH of electricity		Range of KWH consumption for Feb.2010	
	Jan. 2010	Feb. 2010	Low	High	Jan. 2010	Feb. 2010	Low	High
U.S. city average .....	\$1.155	\$1.161	4	987	\$0.124	\$0.123	11	9,890
<b>Region and area size <sup>1</sup></b>								
Northeast urban .....	1.371	1.367	4	987	.163	.163	129	8,494
Size A - More than 1,500,000 .....	1.425	1.418	4	987	.175	.176	129	8,494
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 .....	R 1.233	R 1.233	25	422	.141	.141	233	4,762
Midwest urban .....	1.004	1.015	17	712	.112	.112	11	9,890
Size A - More than 1,500,000 .....	1.027	1.046	17	581	.119	.119	11	9,890
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 .....	.986	.986	18	712	.106	.106	70	3,932
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000) .....	.940	.938	25	323	.103	.101	230	3,529
South urban .....	1.248	1.249	7	522	.108	.107	164	8,744
Size A - More than 1,500,000 .....	1.273	1.265	7	522	.128	.120	244	8,744
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 .....	1.257	1.269	11	298	.098	.099	225	5,000
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000) .....	1.089	1.065	25	364	.109	.109	164	4,883
West urban .....	1.150	1.163	7	851	.136	.137	153	7,471
Size A - More than 1,500,000 .....	1.188	1.204	7	851	.152	.153	153	7,471
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 .....	1.102	1.114	8	364	.130	.130	235	4,233
<b>Size classes</b>								
A .....	1.201	1.209	4	987	.143	.141	11	9,890
B/C .....	1.114	1.119	8	712	.110	.110	70	5,000
D .....	.985	.978	19	364	.102	.101	163	4,883
<b>Selected local areas</b>								
Chicago-Gary-Kenosha, IL-IN-WI .....	.990	1.005	17	581	.136	.139	11	2,751
Los Angeles-Riverside-Orange County, CA .....	1.176	1.189	16	851	.187	.188	258	7,471
New York-Northern N.J.-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT-PA .....	1.520	1.480	4	987	.194	.196	129	4,706
Boston-Brockton-Nashua, MA-NH-ME-CT .....	1.379	1.454	24	642	.152	.154	384	8,494
Cleveland-Akron, OH .....	.897	1.007	19	410	.122	.122	48	3,300
Dallas-Fort Worth, TX .....	.939	.891	31	490	.121	.116	348	3,889
Washington-Baltimore, DC-MD-VA-WV .....	1.271	1.271	15	371	.137	.109	551	4,132
Atlanta, GA .....	1.585	1.542	15	308	.100	.100	244	4,110
Detroit-Ann Arbor-Flint, MI .....	1.171	1.167	34	509	.130	.120	94	2,833
Houston-Galveston-Brazoria, TX .....	1.145	1.237	17	230	.148	.148	438	4,494
Miami-Fort Lauderdale, FL .....	1.663	1.672	7	522	.115	.115	373	5,813
Philadelphia-Wilmington-Atlantic City, PA-NJ-DE-MD .....	1.353	1.352	37	752	.163	.163	430	3,810
San Francisco-Oakland-San Jose, CA .....	1.154	1.201	13	257	.212	.212	178	2,448
Seattle-Tacoma-Bremerton, WA .....	1.207	1.207	12	241	.085	.085	313	5,882

<sup>1</sup> Regions defined as the four Census regions. See map in technical notes.  
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**Table P3. Average prices for gasoline, U.S. city average and selected areas**

Area, region and population size class	Gasoline All types <sup>1</sup>		Gasoline Unleaded regular		Gasoline Unleaded midgrade		Gasoline Unleaded premium		Automotive Diesel fuel	
	Jan. 2010	Feb. 2010	Jan. 2010	Feb. 2010	Jan. 2010	Feb. 2010	Jan. 2010	Feb. 2010	Jan. 2010	Feb. 2010
U.S. city average .....	\$2.779	\$2.709	\$2.731	\$2.659	\$2.849	\$2.784	\$2.987	\$2.922	\$2.901	\$2.846
<b>Region and area size <sup>2</sup></b>										
Northeast urban .....	2.810	2.756	2.764	2.708	2.891	2.846	3.023	2.980	3.003	2.966
Size A - More than 1,500,000 .....	2.796	2.744	2.748	2.692	2.888	2.847	3.009	2.966	3.009	2.965
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 .....	2.840	2.786	2.800	2.745	2.896	2.843	3.060	3.015	2.987	2.971
Midwest urban .....	2.747	2.628	2.712	2.591	2.784	2.674	2.934	2.817	2.864	2.799
Size A - More than 1,500,000 .....	2.770	2.651	2.725	2.603	2.860	2.754	2.965	2.841	2.846	2.788
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 .....	2.720	2.603	2.691	2.570	2.738	2.635	2.905	2.793	2.871	2.833
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000) .....	2.723	2.603	2.708	2.587	2.716	2.592	2.861	2.760	2.888	2.772
South urban .....	2.669	2.608	2.614	2.551	2.762	2.711	2.894	2.837	2.828	2.774
Size A - More than 1,500,000 .....	2.701	2.643	2.636	2.577	2.811	2.758	2.935	2.873	2.862	2.821
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 .....	2.667	2.605	2.613	2.549	2.758	2.700	2.887	2.826	2.809	2.778
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000) .....	2.638	2.579	2.594	2.528	2.712	2.676	2.854	2.810	2.825	2.744
West urban .....	2.926	2.869	2.878	2.820	2.997	2.945	3.101	3.045	2.988	2.932
Size A - More than 1,500,000 .....	2.975	2.904	2.924	2.853	3.060	2.990	3.151	3.075	3.026	2.962
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 .....	2.853	2.802	2.812	2.758	2.918	2.874	3.029	2.990	2.938	2.899
<b>Size classes</b>										
A .....	2.836	2.761	2.783	2.706	2.928	2.859	3.042	2.967	2.951	2.897
B/C .....	2.737	2.666	2.693	2.620	2.798	2.732	2.941	2.878	2.869	2.836
D .....	2.692	2.636	2.649	2.589	2.748	2.694	2.886	2.851	2.855	2.772
<b>Selected local areas</b>										
Chicago-Gary-Kenosha, IL-IN-WI .....	2.859	2.781	2.807	2.733	2.929	2.848	3.041	2.942	-	-
Los Angeles-Riverside-Orange County, CA .....	3.057	2.979	3.008	2.930	3.122	3.047	3.205	3.123	-	-
New York-Northern N.J.-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT-PA .....	2.830	2.785	2.777	2.730	2.926	2.892	3.035	2.991	-	-
Boston-Brockton-Nashua, MA-NH-ME-CT .....	2.746	2.698	2.708	2.653	2.824	2.796	2.932	2.908	-	-
Cleveland-Akron, OH .....	2.759	2.528	2.732	2.503	2.849	2.610	2.953	2.714	-	-
Dallas-Fort Worth, TX .....	2.570	2.486	2.507	2.429	2.674	2.580	2.837	2.728	-	-
Washington-Baltimore, DC-MD-VA-WV .....	2.767	2.758	2.709	2.703	2.846	2.831	2.971	2.952	-	-
Atlanta, GA .....	2.676	2.593	2.599	2.514	2.791	2.719	2.949	2.867	-	-
Detroit-Ann Arbor-Flint, MI .....	2.772	2.562	2.746	2.537	2.862	2.643	2.938	2.729	-	-
Houston-Galveston-Brazoria, TX .....	2.580	2.491	2.541	2.451	2.678	2.592	2.802	2.719	-	-
Miami-Fort Lauderdale, FL .....	2.879	2.837	2.817	2.772	2.952	2.914	3.047	3.014	-	-
Philadelphia-Wilmington-Atlantic City, PA-NJ-DE-MD .....	2.741	2.680	2.706	2.642	2.845	2.802	2.973	2.920	-	-
San Francisco-Oakland-San Jose, CA .....	3.033	2.947	2.990	2.902	3.128	3.039	3.202	3.125	-	-
Seattle-Tacoma-Bremerton, WA .....	2.904	2.848	2.866	2.811	3.027	2.962	3.120	3.064	-	-

<sup>1</sup> Also includes types of gasoline not shown separately.

<sup>2</sup> Regions defined as the four Census regions. See map in technical notes.



**Table P4. Average retail food prices, U.S. city average and four regions**

Food and unit	U.S. city average		Northeast		Midwest		South		West	
	Jan. 2010	Feb. 2010	Jan. 2010	Feb. 2010	Jan. 2010	Feb. 2010	Jan. 2010	Feb. 2010	Jan. 2010	Feb. 2010
<b>Cereals and bakery products:</b>										
Flour, white, all purpose, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	\$0.491	\$0.496	NA	NA	\$0.483	\$0.477	\$0.445	\$0.463	\$0.526	\$0.525
Rice, white, long grain, uncooked, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	.754	.759	NA	NA	NA	NA	.814	.785	NA	NA
Spaghetti and macaroni, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	1.147	1.163	NA	NA	1.128	1.157	1.114	1.098	NA	NA
Bread, white, pan, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	1.360	1.361	\$1.713	\$1.763	1.332	1.288	1.268	1.285	1.343	1.357
Bread, French, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Bread, whole wheat, pan, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	1.759	1.741	NA	NA	NA	NA	1.738	1.724	NA	NA
Cookies, chocolate chip, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	3.280	3.266	NA	NA	3.557	3.769	3.145	3.066	3.543	3.382
Crackers, soda, salted, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
<b>Meats, poultry, fish and eggs:</b>										
<b>Meats:</b>										
<b>Beef and veal:</b>										
Ground chuck, 100% beef, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	2.825	2.881	2.864	2.950	2.657	2.791	2.965	2.960	NA	NA
Ground beef, 100% beef, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	2.279	2.277	NA	NA	1.983	2.032	2.320	2.315	NA	NA
Ground beef, lean and extra lean, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	3.397	3.449	3.179	3.277	3.004	3.096	3.471	3.500	3.747	3.762
All uncooked ground beef, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	3.065	3.113	3.036	3.087	2.741	2.813	3.054	3.078	3.512	3.573
Chuck roast, graded and ungraded, excluding USDA Prime and Choice, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	3.345	3.488	NA	NA	NA	NA	3.234	3.472	3.388	3.448
Chuck roast, USDA Choice, boneless, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	3.751	3.832	3.658	3.752	3.718	3.823	3.765	3.864	3.817	3.859
Round roast, USDA Choice, boneless, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	4.060	3.933	3.769	3.889	4.434	4.260	3.840	3.666	NA	NA
Round roast, graded and ungraded, excluding USDA Prime and Choice, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	3.806	3.872	NA	NA	NA	NA	3.864	3.968	NA	NA
All Uncooked Beef Roasts, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	3.990	4.014	3.907	3.971	4.274	4.268	3.770	3.831	4.123	4.095
Steak, round, USDA Choice, boneless, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	4.084	4.075	4.140	4.071	4.347	3.919	3.842	4.111	NA	NA
Steak, round, graded and ungraded, excluding USDA Prime and Choice, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	3.902	3.981	NA	NA	NA	NA	3.878	4.036	3.777	3.841
Steak, sirloin, graded and ungraded, excluding USDA Prime and Choice, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	4.774	4.689	NA	NA	NA	NA	4.641	4.593	5.170	4.902
Steak, sirloin, USDA Choice, boneless, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	5.312	5.415	6.197	6.115	5.342	5.331	5.133	5.383	4.907	5.092
Short ribs, any primal source, bone-in, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	3.734	3.853	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Beef for stew, boneless, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	3.633	3.843	NA	NA	3.592	3.725	3.601	4.036	NA	NA
All Uncooked Beef Steaks, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	5.273	5.193	5.489	5.360	5.495	5.350	5.101	4.969	5.250	5.298
All Uncooked Other Beef (Excluding Veal), per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	3.016	3.034	3.746	3.654	3.085	3.174	2.827	2.843	2.928	2.925
<b>Pork:</b>										
Bacon, sliced, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	3.630	3.642	3.363	3.465	3.343	3.423	3.346	3.401	5.139	4.806
Chops, center cut, bone-in, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	3.228	3.464	2.796	3.010	3.707	3.894	3.461	3.608	3.062	3.421
Chops, boneless, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	3.672	3.747	3.569	3.598	3.617	3.794	3.700	3.824	3.762	3.635
All Pork Chops, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	3.078	3.210	2.836	2.909	3.331	3.472	3.199	3.311	2.875	3.065
Ham, rump or shank half, bone-in, smoked, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	1.917	2.024	NA	NA	NA	NA	1.946	2.045	NA	NA
Ham, boneless, excluding canned, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	3.180	3.146	NA	NA	2.939	2.949	3.338	3.326	3.146	3.102
All Ham (Excluding Canned Ham and Luncheon Slices), per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	2.231	2.221	2.196	2.189	2.253	2.262	2.093	2.098	2.604	2.525
Ham, canned, 3 or 5 lbs, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Shoulder picnic, bone-in, smoked, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
All Other Pork (Excluding Canned Ham and Luncheon Slices), per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	2.147	2.171	1.840	1.882	2.456	2.494	1.999	2.005	2.475	2.497
Sausage, fresh, loose, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
<b>Other meats:</b>										
Frankfurters, all meat or all beef, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Bologna, all beef or mixed, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	3.160	3.068	NA	NA	2.938	2.969	2.803	2.662	NA	NA
Lamb and mutton, bone-in, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
<b>Poultry:</b>										
Chicken, fresh, whole, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	1.265	1.265	1.383	1.398	1.322	1.316	1.169	1.156	1.470	1.511
Chicken breast, bone-in, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	2.277	2.230	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Chicken breast, boneless, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	3.251	3.313	3.298	3.536	3.243	3.204	3.231	3.366	3.225	3.165
Chicken legs, bone-in, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	1.436	1.471	1.536	1.523	1.335	1.316	1.524	1.553	1.248	1.381
Turkey, frozen, whole, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	1.398	1.375	NA	NA	1.135	1.107	1.204	1.209	NA	NA
<b>Fish and seafood:</b>										
Tuna, light, chunk, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
<b>Eggs:</b>										
Grade A, large, per doz. ....	1.789	1.872	NA	NA	1.465	1.645	1.904	1.915	NA	NA
Grade AA, large, per doz. ....	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	1.918	1.988
<b>Dairy products:</b>										
Milk, fresh, whole, fortified, per 1/2 gal. (1.9 lit) .....	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Milk, fresh, whole, fortified, per gal. (3.8 lit) .....	3.236	3.203	3.222	3.222	3.336	3.284	3.449	3.467	2.959	2.846
Milk, fresh, low fat, per 1/2 gal. (1.9 lit) .....	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table P4. Average retail food prices, U.S. city average and four regions-Continued**

Food and unit	U.S. city average		Northeast		Midwest		South		West	
	Jan. 2010	Feb. 2010	Jan. 2010	Feb. 2010	Jan. 2010	Feb. 2010	Jan. 2010	Feb. 2010	Jan. 2010	Feb. 2010
<b>Dairy products:</b>										
Milk, fresh, low fat, per gal. (3.8 lit) .....	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Butter, salted, grade AA, stick, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	\$2.778	\$2.838	NA	NA	NA	NA	\$2.617	\$2.619	NA	NA
American processed cheese, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	3.875	3.943	NA	NA	\$3.233	\$3.305	NA	NA	NA	NA
Cheddar cheese, natural, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	4.720	4.608	NA	NA	5.163	5.060	5.093	4.787	\$3.544	\$3.548
Ice cream, prepackaged, bulk, regular, per 1/2 gal. (1.9 lit) .....	4.483	4.388	\$5.200	\$4.841	4.118	4.202	4.569	4.521	4.110	4.054
Yogurt, natural, fruit flavored, per 8 oz. (226.8 gm) .....	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
<b>Fruits and vegetables:</b>										
<b>Fresh fruits and vegetables:</b>										
Apples, Red Delicious, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	1.141	1.153	NA	NA	1.071	1.172	1.231	1.241	1.026	1.012
Bananas, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	.586	.587	.625	.621	.529	.535	.575	.559	.628	.656
Oranges, Navel, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	.899	.870	1.109	.996	.966	.972	1.047	.892	.719	.772
Oranges, Valencia, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Cherries, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	4.002	NA	NA	NA
Grapefruit, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	.841	.832	.770	.702	.912	.997	.824	.873	.895	.821
Grapes, Thompson Seedless, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	3.070	2.236	3.111	2.195	2.970	2.126	2.957	2.253	3.258	2.384
Lemons, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	1.626	1.586	1.336	1.376	1.740	1.534	1.708	1.706	1.651	1.624
Peaches, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	NA	1.976	NA	2.199	NA	1.911	NA	1.710	NA	NA
Pears, Anjou, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	1.264	1.226	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Strawberries, dry pint, per 12 oz. (340.2 gm) .....	2.854	2.700	3.335	2.997	2.711	2.611	2.507	2.393	3.111	2.987
Potatoes, white, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	.563	.555	.617	.626	.517	.485	.653	.642	.463	.467
Lettuce, iceberg, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	.896	.839	.896	.891	.735	.767	.983	.885	1.008	.830
Lettuce, romaine, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	1.959	1.822	NA	NA	NA	NA	1.792	1.706	1.939	1.622
Tomatoes, field grown, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	1.837	1.765	2.011	2.122	1.957	1.851	2.054	1.988	1.410	1.234
Broccoli, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	1.558	1.561	NA	NA	1.643	1.415	1.908	1.858	1.246	1.282
Cabbage, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	.635	.754	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Carrots, short trimmed and topped, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Celery, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Corn on the cob, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Cucumbers, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Onions, dry yellow, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Peppers, sweet, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
<b>Processed fruits and vegetables:</b>										
Apple Sauce, any variety, all sizes, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Orange juice, frozen concentrate, 12 oz. can, per 16 oz. (473.2 ml) .....	2.501	2.481	NA	NA	NA	NA	2.538	2.466	NA	NA
Peaches, any variety, all sizes, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Beans, dried, any type, all sizes, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	1.360	1.354	NA	NA	1.355	1.359	1.253	1.236	1.279	1.283
Corn, canned, any style, all sizes, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Potatoes, frozen, French fried, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Tomatoes, canned, whole, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Tomatoes, canned, any type, all sizes, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
<b>Other foods at home:</b>										
<b>Sugar and sweets:</b>										
Sugar, white, all sizes, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	.613	.634	NA	NA	.603	.623	.603	.626	.634	.640
Sugar, white, 33-80 oz. pkg, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	.586	.611	NA	NA	NA	NA	.603	.628	NA	NA
<b>Fats and oils:</b>										
Margarine, stick, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	1.193	1.179	NA	NA	NA	NA	1.046	1.046	NA	NA
Margarine, soft, tubs, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	1.626	1.632	NA	NA	1.610	1.599	1.446	1.482	1.588	1.600
Shortening, vegetable oil blends, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Peanut butter, creamy, all sizes, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	2.080	2.089	NA	NA	1.980	2.047	NA	NA	NA	NA
<b>Nonalcoholic beverages:</b>										
Cola, nondiet, cans, 72 oz. 6 pk., per 16 oz. (473.2 ml) <sup>1</sup> .....	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Cola, nondiet, per 2 liters (67.6 oz) <sup>1</sup> .....	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Coffee, 100%, ground roast, all sizes, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	3.811	3.736	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Coffee, 100%, ground roast, 13.1-20 oz. can, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Coffee, instant, plain, regular, all sizes, per lb. (453.6 gm) .....	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
<b>Other prepared foods:</b>										
Potato chips, per 16 oz. (453.6 gm) .....	4.651	4.561	4.905	4.769	4.837	4.586	4.636	4.656	4.400	4.376
<b>Alcoholic beverages at home:</b>										
Malt beverages, all types, all sizes, any origin, per 16 oz. (473.2 ml) <sup>1</sup> .....	1.231	1.265	1.339	1.256	1.095	1.249	1.168	1.212	1.347	1.353
Vodka, all types, all sizes, any origin, per 1 liter (33.8 oz) .....	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Wine, red and white table, all sizes, any origin, per 1 liter (33.8 oz) .....	8.564	11.331	NA	12.169	11.919	14.360	7.874	10.639	7.747	10.282

<sup>1</sup> Deposit may be included in price.  
NA Data not adequate for publication.

**Table 1C. Chained Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (C-CPI-U): U.S. city average, by expenditure category and commodity and service group**

(December 1999=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Relative importance, 2007-2008	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Feb. 2010 from—	
		Jan. 2010	Feb. 2010	Feb. 2009	Jan. 2010
<b>Expenditure category</b>					
All items .....	100.000	R125.628	R125.604	2.2	0.0
Food and beverages .....	14.519	127.981	127.923	-3	.0
Food .....	13.493	127.962	127.895	-4	-.1
Food at home .....	7.780	123.115	122.940	-1.7	-.1
Food away from home .....	5.712	134.554	134.648	1.3	.1
Alcoholic beverages .....	1.027	128.680	128.745	1.1	.1
Housing .....	42.074	R128.296	R128.240	-7	.0
Shelter .....	32.119	130.799	130.840	-4	.0
Fuels and utilities .....	5.231	R157.973	R157.467	-1.3	-.3
Household furnishings and operations .....	4.724	94.503	94.268	-2.0	-.2
Apparel .....	3.772	86.984	88.474	.0	1.7
Transportation .....	17.199	130.159	129.375	13.8	-6
Private transportation .....	16.013	131.066	130.185	14.6	-7
Public transportation .....	1.186	118.303	118.725	4.4	.4
Medical care .....	6.294	148.326	149.521	3.3	.8
Medical care commodities .....	1.570	130.850	131.864	3.2	.8
Medical care services .....	4.723	154.738	156.001	3.3	.8
Recreation .....	6.625	103.359	103.267	-2.7	-.1
Education and communication .....	6.288	111.806	111.783	1.4	.0
Education .....	2.804	180.738	181.011	4.5	.2
Communication .....	3.484	73.401	73.285	-1.0	-.2
Other goods and services .....	3.229	136.994	137.103	6.1	.1
<b>Commodity and service group</b>					
Services .....	59.383	R134.619	R134.773	.4	.1
Commodities .....	40.617	114.592	114.347	4.9	-.2
Durables .....	10.376	81.555	81.503	1.2	-.1
Nondurables .....	30.241	131.785	131.435	6.2	-.3
All items less food and energy .....	76.901	119.269	119.518	1.0	.2
Energy .....	9.606	R185.213	R181.912	17.1	-1.8

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

**Table 24C. Historical Chained Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (C-CPI-U): U. S. city average, all items**

(December 1999=100, unless otherwise noted)

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Annual avg.	Percent change from previous		
														Dec.	Annual avg.	
1999	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	-	-	-	-
2000	100.3	100.9	101.6	101.6	101.7	102.1	102.3	102.3	102.8	102.9	102.8	102.6	102.0	2.6	-	-
2001	103.3	103.7	103.9	104.2	104.6	104.8	104.5	104.6	104.9	104.7	104.4	103.9	104.3	1.3	2.3	2.3
2002	104.2	104.5	105.1	105.6	105.6	105.6	105.7	106.0	106.3	106.4	106.3	106.0	105.6	2.0	1.2	1.2
2003	106.5	107.3	107.9	107.7	107.5	107.6	107.7	108.2	108.5	108.4	108.0	107.8	107.8	1.7	2.1	2.1
2004	108.5	109.1	109.7	110.0	110.6	110.8	110.7	110.7	111.0	111.6	111.6	111.2	110.5	3.2	2.5	2.5
2005	111.3	111.9	112.6	113.4	113.3	113.2	113.7	114.3	115.6	115.7	114.9	114.4	113.7	2.9	2.9	2.9
2006	115.2	115.4	116.0	116.9	117.5	117.7	118.1	118.3	117.8	117.1	116.9	117.0	117.0	2.3	2.9	2.9
2007	117.330	117.877	118.913	119.666	120.292	120.439	120.377	120.288	120.638	120.885	121.481	121.295	119.957	3.7	2.5	2.5
2008	121.867	122.250	123.323	124.116	125.171	126.307	126.918	126.594	126.551	125.500	123.044	121.557	124.433	.2	3.7	3.7
2009	122.155	122.868	123.139	123.494	123.988	125.216	124.933	125.226	125.238	125.359	125.447	125.174	124.353	3.0	-1	-1
2010	R125.628	R125.604	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

R Revised.

- Data not available.

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**Table 25C. Historical Chained Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (C-CPI-U): U.S. city average, by commodity and service group and detailed expenditure categories**

(December 1999=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Unadjusted indexes											
	December										Feb. 2010	
	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009		
<b>Expenditure category</b>												
All items .....	102.6	103.9	106.0	107.8	111.2	114.4	117.0	121.295	121.557	125.174	R125.604	
Food and beverages .....	102.4	105.0	106.3	109.5	111.7	114.0	116.3	121.475	128.111	127.274	127.923	
Food .....	102.4	105.0	106.2	109.5	111.7	114.0	116.3	121.531	128.286	127.214	127.895	
Food at home .....	102.4	104.6	104.8	108.6	110.0	111.5	112.7	118.145	125.333	121.918	122.940	
Food away from home .....	102.4	105.6	108.1	110.6	113.9	117.5	121.2	125.875	132.107	134.482	134.648	
Alcoholic beverages .....	102.4	104.8	107.2	109.1	111.9	113.5	116.4	121.101	126.277	128.505	128.745	
Housing .....	103.6	106.8	109.1	111.6	115.1	118.6	122.1	125.272	128.495	128.009	R128.240	
Shelter .....	103.4	107.6	110.7	113.0	116.4	119.3	124.1	127.742	130.352	130.739	130.840	
Fuels and utilities .....	110.1	109.9	110.9	119.7	128.4	143.2	142.8	150.342	161.108	155.703	R157.467	
Household furnishings and operations .....	99.7	99.3	97.5	95.9	96.3	96.3	96.1	94.348	95.958	94.422	94.268	
Apparel .....	98.1	95.0	92.2	90.1	89.6	89.0	89.0	87.875	87.730	89.124	88.474	
Transportation .....	103.6	99.7	103.3	103.4	110.2	114.5	117.0	127.515	109.300	128.495	129.375	
Private transportation .....	103.6	99.5	103.4	103.5	111.0	115.2	117.8	128.558	108.760	129.097	130.185	
Public transportation .....	104.4	101.8	101.0	101.9	101.3	107.1	106.8	114.506	116.641	120.425	118.725	
Medical care .....	104.0	108.9	114.3	118.3	123.2	128.4	133.0	139.266	142.786	147.148	149.521	
Medical care commodities .....	102.6	107.4	110.7	112.7	114.9	119.0	121.2	124.391	126.200	129.930	131.864	
Medical care services .....	104.4	109.3	115.5	120.2	126.0	131.6	137.2	144.675	148.866	153.462	156.001	
Recreation .....	101.2	102.1	102.7	103.3	104.3	104.8	104.8	104.464	105.539	103.377	103.267	
Education and communication .....	98.0	97.9	99.5	99.9	101.2	103.0	104.2	106.207	110.077	111.681	111.783	
Education .....	105.6	112.1	119.7	128.7	137.9	146.5	155.5	163.716	172.978	180.605	181.011	
Communication .....	92.5	88.1	85.7	81.2	78.2	76.5	74.1	73.258	73.930	73.296	73.285	
Other goods and services .....	103.8	107.6	110.9	112.2	114.9	118.3	121.7	125.479	128.660	136.919	137.103	
<b>Commodity and service group</b>												
Services .....	103.6	107.4	110.7	113.9	117.5	121.5	125.3	129.271	133.381	134.398	R134.773	
Commodities .....	101.5	99.3	100.0	100.2	103.3	105.7	106.7	111.498	107.102	113.846	114.347	
Durables .....	98.1	95.3	91.7	88.0	88.7	87.5	85.5	83.597	80.520	81.410	81.503	
Nondurables .....	103.0	100.9	103.6	105.8	110.2	114.8	117.4	125.732	120.876	130.714	131.435	
All items less food and energy .....	101.9	104.1	105.8	106.6	109.0	111.0	113.4	115.627	117.623	119.271	119.518	
Energy .....	112.6	98.3	108.6	116.4	134.4	154.5	158.1	185.912	146.392	179.806	R181.912	

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**Table 26C. Historical Chained Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (C-CPI-U): U.S. city average, by commodity and service group and detailed expenditure categories**

Item and group	Percent change from previous December										
	December										Feb. 2010
	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	
<b>Expenditure category</b>											
All items .....	2.6	1.3	2.0	1.7	3.2	2.9	2.3	3.7	0.2	3.0	0.3
Food and beverages .....	2.4	2.5	1.2	3.0	2.0	2.1	2.0	4.4	5.5	-7	.5
Food .....	2.4	2.5	1.1	3.1	2.0	2.1	2.0	4.5	5.6	-8	.5
Food at home .....	2.4	2.1	.2	3.6	1.3	1.4	1.1	4.8	6.1	-2.7	.8
Food away from home .....	2.4	3.1	2.4	2.3	3.0	3.2	3.1	3.9	5.0	1.8	.1
Alcoholic beverages .....	2.4	2.3	2.3	1.8	2.6	1.4	2.6	4.0	4.3	1.8	.2
Housing .....	3.6	3.1	2.2	2.3	3.1	3.0	3.0	2.6	2.6	-4	.2
Shelter .....	3.4	4.1	2.9	2.1	3.0	2.5	4.0	2.9	2.0	.3	.1
Fuels and utilities .....	10.1	-2	.9	7.9	7.3	11.5	-3	5.3	7.2	-3.4	1.1
Household furnishings and operations .....	-3	-4	-1.8	-1.6	.4	.0	-2	-1.8	1.7	-1.6	-2
Apparel .....	-1.9	-3.2	-2.9	-2.3	-6	-7	.0	-1.3	-2	1.6	-7
Transportation .....	3.6	-3.8	3.6	.1	6.6	3.9	2.2	9.0	-14.3	17.6	.7
Private transportation .....	3.6	-4.0	3.9	.1	7.2	3.8	2.3	9.1	-15.4	18.7	.8
Public transportation .....	4.4	-2.5	-8	.9	-6	5.7	-3	7.2	1.9	3.2	-1.4
Medical care .....	4.0	4.7	5.0	3.5	4.1	4.2	3.6	4.7	2.5	3.1	1.6
Medical care commodities .....	2.6	4.7	3.1	1.8	2.0	3.6	1.8	2.6	1.5	3.0	1.5
Medical care services .....	4.4	4.7	5.7	4.1	4.8	4.4	4.3	5.4	2.9	3.1	1.7
Recreation .....	1.2	.9	.6	.6	1.0	.5	.0	-3	1.0	-2.0	-.1
Education and communication .....	-2.0	-1	1.6	.4	1.3	1.8	1.2	1.9	3.6	1.5	.1
Education .....	5.6	6.2	6.8	7.5	7.1	6.2	6.1	5.3	5.7	4.4	.2
Communication .....	-7.5	-4.8	-2.7	-5.3	-3.7	-2.2	-3.1	-1.1	.9	-9	.0
Other goods and services .....	3.8	3.7	3.1	1.2	2.4	3.0	2.9	3.1	2.5	6.4	.1
<b>Commodity and service group</b>											
Services .....	3.6	3.7	3.1	2.9	3.2	3.4	3.1	3.2	3.2	.8	.3
Commodities .....	1.5	-2.2	.7	.2	3.1	2.3	.9	4.5	-3.9	6.3	.4
Durables .....	-1.9	-2.9	-3.8	-4.0	.8	-1.4	-2.3	-2.2	-3.7	1.1	.1
Nondurables .....	3.0	-2.0	2.7	2.1	4.2	4.2	2.3	7.1	-3.9	8.1	.6
All items less food and energy .....	1.9	2.2	1.6	.8	2.3	1.8	2.2	2.0	1.7	1.4	.2
Energy .....	12.6	-12.7	10.5	7.2	15.5	15.0	2.3	17.6	-21.3	22.8	1.2

Indexes for 2010 are initial estimates. Indexes for 2009 are interim adjustments. Indexes for 2008 and earlier are final.  
NOTE: Index applies to a month as a whole, not to any specific date.

# Technical Notes

## 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 U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics (BLS) 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 32 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 87 percent of the total population and include, in addition to wage earner 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 in 87 urban areas across the country from about 50,000 housing units and approximately 23,000 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 through personal visits or telephone calls by BLS trained representatives.

In calculating the index, price changes for the various items in each location are averaged together with weights that 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 also are 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 measure only 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 is subject to two annual revisions.

The index measures price change from a designated reference date. For the CPI-U and the CPI-W, the reference base is 1982–84 = 100.0. The reference base for the C-CPI-U is December 1999=100.0. An increase of 16.5 percent from the reference base, for example, is shown as 116.5. This change also can 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 homepage on the Internet at <http://www.bls.gov/cpi> or contact our CPI Information and Analysis Section at (202) 691-7000.

### Calculating index changes

Movements of the indexes from one month to another usually are 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, whereas percent changes are not. The example shown in the box on this page 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	0.003 x 100
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.

## Energy prices

Prices usually are available for the U.S. city average, 13 large metropolitan areas, the 4 census regions, 3 size classifications, and 10 areas reflecting the 4 census regions cross-classified by the 3 population sizes. However, not all energy commodities and services are used in every area of the country. Fuel oil, for example, is not a common heating fuel in some urban areas, particularly in the South and West. Where no average prices are available, the designation NA appears. This designation also appears if the data sufficiency criteria have not been met in any given month. For example, if there are fewer than five usable fuel oil prices for a published city or region size class, no fuel oil prices for the area will be published.

All prices are collected monthly by BLS representatives in the urban areas priced for the CPI. Prices for natural gas and electricity include fuel and purchased gas adjustments and all applicable taxes. Fuel oil and gasoline prices include applicable Federal, State, and local taxes.

*Natural gas and electricity.* Natural gas prices are reported in therms, which are a measure of heating value. Electricity prices are given in kilowatt hours (kwh). For both utility services, the consumption ranges specified in table P2 are the upper and lower limits of the bill sizes priced for the CPI. The average prices per therm and per kilowatt hour are calculated from bills priced within these ranges. It should be noted that bills priced for the CPI not only are for different consumption amounts, but may also be calculated from different types of residential rate schedules. *The average prices per therm and per kilowatt hour are not, therefore, generally suitable for use in place-to-place price comparisons.* The average prices for 40 and 100 therms of natural gas, and for 500 kilowatt hours of electricity (shown in table P1) are calculated from a special price collection program. They are not used in the calculation of the CPI. Because heating and air-conditioning requirements vary by geographic location, climate, and weather conditions, it cannot be inferred that these consumption amounts represent those used by a typical residential consumer. These bills are used merely to track price changes over time for constant amounts of consumption, and to provide continuity with prices of natural gas and electricity formerly published in conjunction with the unrevised CPI.

*Fuel oil.* Only #2 fuel oil (home heating oil) is priced. (See table P1.) Prices are collected, in most cases, for quantities greater than 1 gallon. These prices are converted to a gallon price for this program. Fuel oil prices reflect discounts for quantity or quick payment.

*Gasoline and automotive diesel fuel.* Gasoline and diesel prices, shown in table P3, are collected at the pump from a sample of full service, miniservice, and self-service gas stations. Approximate British Thermal Unit (BTU) values for some energy items are as follows, according to the source indicated:

1 therm = 100,000 BTUs (U.S. Department of Energy)

1 kwh = 3,412 BTUs (Edison Electric Institute)

1 gallon #2 fuel oil = 140,000 BTUs (U.S. Department of Energy)

## Food and beverage prices

Actual weighted average prices for food and beverages are calculated each month at the national level and for the four census geographic regions, as shown in table P4. As a result of changes in price collection methodology and sample sizes, average prices for individual cities cannot, in general, be produced. It is hoped, however, that regional average prices will help to satisfy the need for local area data. It should be noted that the average prices for food in this report reflect variations in brand, quality, and size among geographic areas. Users of average food prices should be aware that these differences exist.

Because a number of food commodities are not available in all areas on a year-round basis, prices will not appear in some months for some regions or for the U.S. city average. In other instances, sufficient prices may not be available due to temporary

disruptions in supplies. Where no average prices are available, the designation NA appears. When a price is not available from an individual store in any month, an estimated price will be calculated for the missing item and used in computing the average price. For cases in which the proportion of estimated prices used to calculate the average is considered too high, the average price is not published, and NA appears for that item in the table.

Because of space limitations in the table, the description for each item is abbreviated. Detailed specifications are available from BLS information offices or from the Washington office, upon request.

### **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 2005 through December 2009 were replaced in January 2010. 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](#).

The seasonal movement of all items and 54 other aggregations is derived by combining the seasonal movement of 73 selected components. Each year the seasonal status of every series is reevaluated based upon certain statistical criteria. If any of the 73 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 will be used before that period. Note: 46 of the 73 components are seasonally adjusted for 2010.

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 2010, BLS adjusted 30 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.

## Metropolitan areas

BLS publishes price indexes for three major metropolitan areas monthly:

Chicago-Gary-Kenosha, IL-IN-WI  
Los Angeles-Riverside-Orange County, CA  
New York-Northern New Jersey-Long Island,  
NY-NJ-CT-PA

Data for an additional 11 metropolitan areas are published every other month [on an odd- (January, March, etc.) or even- (February, April, and so forth) month schedule] for the following areas:

Atlanta, GA	-even
Boston-Brockton-Nashua, MA- NH -ME-CT	-odd
Cleveland-Akron, OH	-odd
Dallas-Fort Worth, TX	-odd
Detroit-Ann Arbor-Flint, MI	-even
Houston-Galveston-Brazoria, TX	-even
Miami-Fort Lauderdale, FL	-even
Philadelphia-Wilmington -Atlantic City, PA-NJ-DE-MD	-even
San Francisco-Oakland -San Jose, CA	-even
Seattle-Tacoma-Bremerton, WA	-even
Washington-Baltimore, DC-MD-VA-WV	-odd

(Note: The designation even or odd refers to the month during which the area's price change is measured. Due to the time needed for processing, data are released 2 to 3 weeks into the following month.)

Data are published for another group of 13 metropolitan areas on a semiannual basis. These indexes, which refer to the arithmetic average for the 6-month periods from January through June and July through December, are published with release of the CPI for July and January, respectively, in August and February for

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  
San Diego, CA  
St. Louis, MO-IL  
Tampa-St. Petersburg-Clearwater, FL

## How to Obtain Consumer Price Index Information

CPI information is available from BLS electronically, through publication subscriptions, and via telephone and fax through automated recordings. Information specialists also are available in the national and information offices to provide help and to respond to questions.

### Electronic access to CPI data

*BLS on the Internet.* Through the Internet, BLS provides free, continuous access to published CPI data and press releases. The most recent month's CPI is made available immediately at the time of release. Additionally, a database called LABSTAT, containing current and historical data for the CPI, is accessible.

*World Wide Web.* BLS maintains a Web site at <http://www.bls.gov> on the Internet. This BLS homepage provides access to LABSTAT, as well as links to program-specific homepages. The CPI homepage <http://www.bls.gov/cpi/> provides other CPI information, as well as indexes. This includes a brief explanation of methodology, frequently asked questions and answers, contacts for further information, and explanations of how the CPI program handles special items, such as medical care and housing. In addition, CPI press releases and historical data for metropolitan areas can be accessed by linking to the regional office home pages from the main BLS Web site listed above.

### Recorded CPI data

Summary CPI data are provided on 24-hour recorded messages. Detailed CPI information may be obtained by calling (202) 691-5200. A touch-tone telephone is recommended, as this system allows the user to select specific indexes from lists of available data.

Recorded summaries of CPI data also may be obtained by calling any one of the metropolitan area CPI hotlines listed next. These hotline summaries typically include data for the U.S. city average, as well as for the specified area. The recordings are approximately 3 minutes in length, do not require a touch-tone telephone, and are available 24 hours a day, 7 days a week.

<i>Area</i>	<i>Hotline number</i>
Anchorage	(907) 271-2770
Atlanta	(404) 893-4222
Baltimore	(410) 962-4898
Boston	(617) 565-2327
Chicago	(312) 353-1880
Cincinnati	(513) 684-2349
Cleveland	(216) 522-3852
Dallas	(214) 767-6970
Denver	(816) 285-7000
Detroit	(313) 226-7558
Honolulu	(808) 541-2808
Houston	(214) 767-6970
Indianapolis	(317) 226-7885
Kansas City	(816) 285-7000
Los Angeles	(310) 235-6884
Milwaukee	(414) 276-2579
Minneapolis-St. Paul	(612) 725-3580
New York	(646) 264-3600
Philadelphia	(215) 656-3948
Phoenix-Mesa	(480) 503-9075
Pittsburgh	(412) 644-2900
Portland	(503) 326-5818
San Diego	(619) 557-6538
San Francisco	(415) 625-2270
Seattle	(206) 553-0645
St. Louis	(816) 285-7000
Washington, DC	(202) 691-6994

### Other sources of CPI data

*Fax-on-Demand.* This fax service has been discontinued as of April 27, 2007.

Technical information may be obtained during normal working hours, Monday through Friday, by calling the Washington, DC national office at (202) 691-7000 or any of the information offices listed below.

<i>Office</i>	<i>Telephone</i>
Atlanta	(404) 331-3415
Boston	(617) 565-2327
Chicago	(312) 353-1880
Dallas	(214) 767-6970
Kansas City	(816) 285-7000
New York	(212) 337-2400
Philadelphia	(215) 597-3282
San Francisco	(415) 625-2270
Washington, DC	(202) 691-7000

*Historical tables.* These include all published indexes for each of the detailed CPI components. These tables may be obtained via the Internet, by calling (202) 691-7000 in the national office, or by contacting any of the information offices just listed.

*Descriptive publications.* These publications describe the CPI and ways in which to use it. They include simple factsheets discussing specific topics about the CPI, a broader, non-technical overview of the CPI in a question-and-answer format, and a technical and thorough description of the CPI and its methodology. These publications may be obtained by calling (202) 691-7000, and many are included on the CPI homepage on the Internet.

*Special publications.* Also available are various special publications, such as *Relative Importance of Components in the Consumer Price Index* and materials describing the annual revisions of seasonally adjusted CPI data. For more information, call (202) 691-7000.

*Further information* can be obtained by writing the Office of Prices and Living Conditions, Bureau of Labor Statistics, 2 Massachusetts Avenue, NE., Room 3615, Washington, DC 20212-0001, or by calling any of the information offices listed earlier.