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**CONSUMER PRICE INDEXES PACIFIC CITIES AND U. S. CITY AVERAGE
SEPTEMBER 2009
ALL ITEMS INDEXES
(1982-84=100 unless otherwise noted)**

MONTHLY DATA	All Urban Consumers (CPI-U)						Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W)					
	Indexes			Percent Change			Indexes			Percent Change		
				Year ending	1 Month ending					Year ending	1 Month ending	
Sept. 2008	August 2009	Sept. 2009	August 2009	Sept. 2009	Sept. 2009	Sept. 2008	August 2009	Sept. 2009	August 2009	Sept. 2009	Sept. 2009	
U. S. City Average.....	218.783	215.834	215.969	-1.5	-1.3	0.1	214.935	211.156	211.322	-1.9	-1.7	0.1
(1967=100).....	655.376	646.544	646.948	-	-	-	640.226	628.970	629.462	-	-	-
Los Angeles-Riverside-Orange Co.....	227.449	224.507	225.226	-1.7	-1.0	0.3	220.285	216.628	217.302	-2.1	-1.4	0.3
(1967=100).....	671.986	663.294	665.419	-	-	-	651.009	640.202	642.193	-	-	-
West	222.132	219.884	220.294	-1.3	-0.8	0.2	217.028	213.988	214.490	-1.8	-1.2	0.2
(Dec. 1977 = 100)	359.064	355.430	356.094	-	-	-	349.187	344.295	345.103	-	-	-
West - A*.....	225.910	224.072	224.412	-1.1	-0.7	0.2	219.169	216.539	217.000	-1.5	-1.0	0.2
(Dec. 1977 = 100)	368.378	365.381	365.934	-	-	-	354.792	350.534	351.280	-	-	-
West - B/C**(Dec. 1996=100).....	134.834	132.756	133.128	-1.8	-1.3	0.3	134.873	132.407	132.773	-2.3	-1.6	0.3

BI-MONTHLY DATA	All Urban Consumers (CPI-U)						Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W)					
	Indexes			Percent Change			Indexes			Percent Change		
				Year ending	2 Months ending					Year ending	2 Months ending	
August 2008	June 2009	August 2009	June 2009	August 2009	August 2009	August 2008	June 2009	August 2009	June 2009	August 2009	August 2009	
San Francisco-Oakland-San Jose.....	225.411	225.692	225.801	0.2	0.2	0.0	221.385	220.996	221.279	-0.2	0.0	0.1
(1967=100).....	692.975	693.839	694.175	-	-	-	674.136	672.950	673.814	-	-	-
Seattle-Tacoma-Bremerton.....	227.745	227.257	227.138	-0.4	-0.3	-0.1	223.273	221.993	221.873	-0.7	-0.6	-0.1
(1967=100).....	694.255	692.768	692.405	-	-	-	662.228	658.432	658.077	-	-	-

* A = 1,500,000 population and over

** B/C = less than 1,500,000 population

Dash (-) = Not Available.

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