

Table 3. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, by expenditure category, November 2011

[1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted]

Special aggregate indexes	Relative importance Oct. 2011	Unadjusted indexes			Unadjusted percent change		Seasonally adjusted percent change		
		Nov. 2010	Oct. 2011	Nov. 2011	Nov. 2010- Nov. 2011	Oct. 2011- Nov. 2011	Aug. 2011- Sep. 2011	Sep. 2011- Oct. 2011	Oct. 2011- Nov. 2011
All items less food.....	86.092	218.538	225.717	225.532	3.2	-0.1	0.3	-0.1	0.0
All items less shelter.....	68.554	209.560	218.558	218.205	4.1	-0.2	0.4	-0.2	-0.1
All items less food and shelter.....	54.645	206.429	215.073	214.691	4.0	-0.2	0.4	-0.3	-0.1
All items less food, shelter, and energy.....	44.931	207.544	212.412	212.473	2.4	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.2
All items less food, shelter, energy, and used cars and trucks.....	42.815	211.480	216.024	216.249	2.3	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.2
All items less medical care.....	93.397	210.336	217.730	217.479	3.4	-0.1	0.3	-0.1	0.0
All items less energy.....	90.286	221.235	226.754	226.818	2.5	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.2
Commodities.....	40.761	175.415	185.236	184.791	5.3	-0.2	0.5	-0.4	-0.3
Commodities less food, energy, and used cars and trucks.....	18.698	144.460	147.317	147.280	2.0	0.0	-0.2	0.0	0.1
Commodities less food.....	26.853	153.761	163.084	162.572	5.7	-0.3	0.5	-0.7	-0.4
Commodities less food and beverages.....	25.820	151.148	160.608	160.091	5.9	-0.3	0.5	-0.8	-0.5
Services.....	59.239	261.921	267.352	267.413	2.1	0.0	0.2	0.2	0.1
Services less rent of shelter ¹	28.136	285.467	292.365	292.242	2.4	0.0	0.3	0.2	0.1
Services less medical care services.....	54.260	250.044	255.009	254.978	2.0	0.0	0.3	0.2	0.3
Durables.....	9.631	110.573	112.822	112.405	1.7	-0.4	-0.4	-0.4	-0.4
Nondurables.....	31.130	207.053	221.035	220.592	6.5	-0.2	0.6	-0.6	0.1
Nondurables less food.....	17.222	194.266	210.697	210.101	8.2	-0.3	0.8	-1.3	-0.1
Nondurables less food and beverages.....	16.189	192.320	209.518	208.902	8.6	-0.3	0.8	-1.4	-0.1
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel.....	12.422	240.762	265.302	264.478	9.9	-0.3	1.5	-1.8	-0.6
Nondurables less food and apparel.....	13.455	238.165	260.703	259.934	9.1	-0.3	1.3	-1.7	-0.5
Housing.....	40.876	215.830	220.138	219.969	1.9	-0.1	0.2	0.1	0.1
Education and communication ²	6.320	130.894	132.755	132.750	1.4	0.0	0.1	0.2	0.2
Education ²	3.146	203.139	212.680	212.751	4.7	0.0	0.2	0.4	0.5
Communication ²	3.174	84.423	83.049	83.016	-1.7	0.0	-0.1	0.0	0.0
Information and information processing ²	2.998	81.250	79.659	79.625	-2.0	0.0	-0.1	0.0	0.0
Information technology, hardware and services ³	0.749	9.309	8.882	8.866	-4.8	-0.2	-0.5	-0.4	-0.1
Recreation ²	6.142	112.839	113.270	113.232	0.3	0.0	-0.1	-0.1	0.1
Video and audio ²	1.783	98.214	98.572	98.315	0.1	-0.3	0.4	0.3	-0.1
Pets, pet products and services ²	1.142	155.117	160.074	160.394	3.4	0.2	0.1	0.0	0.3
Photography ²	0.158	78.491	80.239	80.195	2.2	-0.1	-0.2	0.3	0.2
Food and beverages.....	14.941	220.991	230.885	230.656	4.4	-0.1	0.4	0.1	0.1
Domestically produced farm food ⁴	6.704	222.243	236.824	235.925	6.2	-0.4	0.7	0.2	-0.4
Other services.....	11.193	311.499	316.933	317.275	1.9	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.3
Apparel less footwear.....	3.067	115.324	122.166	121.934	5.7	-0.2	-1.4	0.7	0.8
Fuels and utilities.....	5.117	210.978	220.450	218.199	3.4	-1.0	0.7	-0.2	-0.3
Household energy.....	4.012	184.764	193.058	190.444	3.1	-1.4	0.7	-0.3	-0.4
Medical care.....	6.603	391.660	403.430	404.858	3.4	0.4	0.2	0.5	0.4
Transportation.....	17.925	195.659	212.127	211.358	8.0	-0.4	1.0	-1.1	-0.8
Private transportation.....	16.682	190.915	207.404	206.635	8.2	-0.4	1.0	-1.2	-0.9
New and used motor vehicles ²	6.351	96.936	100.540	100.021	3.2	-0.5	-0.2	-0.4	-0.3
Utilities and public transportation.....	9.525	201.624	206.823	205.469	1.9	-0.7	0.6	-0.2	-0.4
Household furnishings and operations.....	4.312	124.121	125.223	125.073	0.8	-0.1	0.0	0.1	0.0
Other goods and services.....	3.426	383.633	389.119	390.761	1.9	0.4	0.3	0.1	0.5
Personal care.....	2.532	207.162	209.232	210.354	1.5	0.5	0.2	0.1	0.6

1 Indexes on a December 1982=100 base.

2 Indexes on a December 1997=100 base.

3 Indexes on a December 1988=100 base.

4 Not seasonally adjusted.

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

See footnotes at end of table.

