

**Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U) in the U.S., Midwest, and West**

(1982-84=100 unless otherwise noted)(not seasonally adjusted)

Item	U.S. City Average			Midwest region			West region		
	Dec 2011	Percent change from		Dec 2011	Percent change from		Dec 2011	Percent change from	
		1 month ago	1 year ago		1 month ago	1 year ago		1 month ago	1 year ago
All Items	225.672	-0.2	3.0	215.173	-0.2	2.8	228.117	-0.3	2.7
Food and Beverages	231.130	0.2	4.5	225.041	0.2	4.6	232.996	0.2	4.1
Housing	220.193	0.1	1.9	199.683	0.1	1.4	229.784	0.2	1.8
Apparel	123.470	-3.0	4.6	116.998	-3.2	5.6	115.534	-2.4	3.8
Transportation	208.585	-1.3	5.2	208.267	-1.2	4.9	208.980	-1.7	4.5
Medical Care	405.629	0.2	3.5	404.215	0.1	3.5	413.076	0.3	3.5
Recreation (1)	113.499	0.2	1.0	115.269	1.2	0.4	108.417	-0.2	1.5
Education and Communication (1)	132.728	0.0	1.7	134.477	0.0	1.6	133.335	-0.2	1.8
Other Goods and Services	391.043	0.1	1.7	376.960	0.7	1.9	381.710	-0.5	0.4
All Items (1967 = 100)	676.014								

Footnotes:  
(1) December 1997=100.

**Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W) in the U.S., Midwest, and West**

(1982-84=100 unless otherwise noted)(not seasonally adjusted)

Item	U.S. City Average			Midwest region			West region		
	Dec 2011	Percent change from		Dec 2011	Percent change from		Dec 2011	Percent change from	
		1 month ago	1 year ago		1 month ago	1 year ago		1 month ago	1 year ago
All Items	222.166	-0.3	3.2	211.459	-0.2	3.1	222.968	-0.4	2.8
Food and Beverages	230.642	0.2	4.6	225.358	0.2	4.8	233.066	0.2	4.2
Housing	217.009	0.1	1.9	194.978	0.1	1.5	227.277	0.3	1.8
Apparel	123.203	-2.8	5.2	115.909	-2.4	6.8	115.362	-2.5	4.0
Transportation	209.013	-1.5	5.7	209.269	-1.3	5.2	207.727	-2.1	4.9
Medical Care	407.909	0.2	3.6	407.704	0.1	3.7	413.547	0.3	3.6
Recreation (1)	109.959	0.2	1.3	111.607	1.0	1.2	102.010	-0.3	1.1
Education and Communication (1)	126.413	0.0	1.1	128.862	0.0	1.0	128.926	-0.1	1.4
Other Goods and Services	421.000	0.1	1.7	411.732	0.7	2.1	389.941	-0.5	0.3
All Items (1967 = 100)	661.766								

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(1) December 1997=100.

The CPI for January will be issued on February 17, 2012.

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