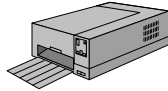


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ALL URBAN CONSUMERS (CPI-U)

	U.S. CITY AVERAGE			MIDWEST REGION			WEST REGION		
		Percent change from			Percent change from			Percent change from	
		1 Year Ago	1 Month Ago		1 Year Ago	1 Month Ago		1 Year Ago	1 Month Ago
ALL ITEMS (1982-84 = 100)	178.3	2.6	0.5	174.6	2.7	0.9	182.5	3.3	0.3
FOOD AND BEVERAGES	174.6	3.1	0.1	171.8	3.1	0.2	178.8	3.5	-0.1
HOUSING	177.4	3.5	-0.3	169.4	1.9	-0.4	188.3	5.7	-0.1
APPAREL	126.8	-2.8	3.4	123.8	-2.2	3.9	116.7	-3.2	2.9
TRANSPORTATION	155.5	0.5	1.4	159.5	3.4	3.6	158.0	-0.5	0.9
MEDICAL CARE	275.0	4.5	0.2	270.4	5.0	0.2	275.0	5.0	0.5
RECREATION/1	105.2	1.3	0.1	106.2	2.9	-0.2	102.8	0.4	0.6
EDUCATION AND COMMUNICATION/1	106.6	3.6	0.8	108.2	3.8	1.4	104.7	1.9	0.4
OTHER GOODS AND SERVICES	287.8	4.8	1.6	280.8	5.0	1.7	288.5	3.7	0.9
ALL ITEMS (1967=100)	534.0								

URBAN WAGE EARNERS AND CLERICAL WORKERS (CPI-W)

	U.S. CITY AVERAGE			MIDWEST REGION			WEST REGION		
		Percent change from			Percent change from			Percent change from	
		1 Year Ago	1 Month Ago		1 Year Ago	1 Month Ago		1 Year Ago	1 Month Ago
ALL ITEMS (1982-84=100)	174.8	2.6	0.6	170.8	2.6	1.1	177.6	3.2	0.4
FOOD AND BEVERAGES	174.0	3.1	0.1	171.8	3.1	0.2	178.4	3.5	-0.1
HOUSING	173.2	3.5	-0.2	164.0	1.8	-0.3	183.8	5.9	0.1
APPAREL	125.6	-2.4	3.3	122.6	-2.1	4.0	117.2	-2.7	2.7
TRANSPORTATION	155.1	0.6	1.7	159.3	3.4	3.8	154.8	-0.5	1.0
MEDICAL CARE	273.9	4.5	0.2	270.6	5.0	0.2	273.9	5.1	0.6
RECREATION/1	103.8	1.0	-0.1	104.6	2.0	-0.3	101.5	0.2	0.4
EDUCATION AND COMMUNICATION/1	106.5	3.5	0.7	107.9	3.7	1.2	105.2	1.6	0.2
OTHER GOODS AND SERVICES	295.5	5.2	1.9	287.5	5.2	2.0	291.2	4.2	1.3
ALL ITEMS (1967=100)	520.6								

Notes:

- (1) December 1997 = 100 base
- (-) Data not available

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