

**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 2006	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Mar. 2007 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Feb. 2007	Mar. 2007	Mar. 2006	Feb. 2007	Dec. to Jan.	Jan. to Feb.	Feb. to Mar.
<b>Expenditure category</b>								
All items .....	100.000	203.499	205.352	2.8	0.9	0.2	0.4	0.6
All items (1967=100) .....	-	609.594	615.145	-	-	-	-	-
Food and beverages .....	14.992	200.402	200.869	3.3	.2	.7	.8	.3
Food .....	13.885	200.000	200.403	3.3	.2	.7	.8	.3
Food at home .....	7.896	198.193	198.766	3.4	.3	.9	1.1	.4
Cereals and bakery products .....	1.103	219.041	218.458	3.6	-.3	.3	1.1	-.3
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs .....	2.112	190.491	192.508	3.6	1.1	.8	.4	1.1
Dairy and related products .....	.821	183.779	185.724	1.5	1.1	1.3	.2	1.3
Fruits and vegetables .....	1.211	268.565	263.910	6.2	-1.7	1.3	4.7	-1.4
Nonalcoholic beverages and beverage materials .....	.906	151.716	153.894	4.0	1.4	.8	.2	1.7
Other food at home .....	1.743	171.483	171.819	1.5	.2	.9	.3	.2
Sugar and sweets .....	.302	174.300	174.633	2.7	.2	.6	-.7	.4
Fats and oils .....	.227	171.667	170.851	1.4	-.5	.0	.9	-.3
Other foods <sup>1</sup> .....	1.214	186.358	186.962	1.3	.3	1.1	.5	.3
Other miscellaneous foods <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.327	114.939	114.331	1.2	-.5	-.4	.2	-.5
Food away from home <sup>1</sup> .....	5.989	203.909	204.082	3.3	.1	.5	.4	.1
Other food away from home <sup>2</sup> .....	.281	141.626	141.366	4.6	-.2	1.3	.3	-.1
Alcoholic beverages <sup>1</sup> .....	1.107	204.385	205.663	2.8	.6	.9	.7	.6
Housing .....	42.691	207.177	208.080	3.4	.4	.2	.4	.2
Shelter .....	32.776	237.972	238.980	3.9	.4	.3	.3	.1
Rent of primary residence <sup>3</sup> .....	5.930	231.739	232.495	4.6	.3	.4	.4	.3
Lodging away from home <sup>2</sup> .....	2.648	139.160	142.247	1.3	2.2	1.1	.1	-2.3
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>3 4</sup> .....	23.830	244.020	244.602	4.1	.2	.2	.3	.3
Tenants' and household insurance <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.369	117.320	117.333	1.0	.0	.3	-.1	.0
Fuels and utilities .....	5.264	194.890	196.414	2.1	.8	.3	1.2	1.2
Household energy .....	4.368	176.092	177.635	1.6	.9	.1	1.4	1.4
Fuel oil and other fuels .....	.338	231.800	236.863	2.8	2.2	-4.4	-.2	3.5
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>3</sup> .....	4.029	181.232	182.624	1.5	.8	.5	1.5	1.3
Water and sewer and trash collection services <sup>2</sup> .....	.897	141.349	141.806	5.0	.3	1.0	.5	.3
Household furnishings and operations .....	4.651	127.495	127.655	.8	.1	-.3	.2	.2
Household operations <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.792	139.733	139.861	3.7	.1	.3	.1	.1
Apparel .....	3.726	119.017	122.582	.5	3.0	.3	.5	-1.0
Men's and boys' apparel .....	.885	111.233	113.685	-2.2	2.2	-1.1	-.2	-.6
Women's and girls' apparel .....	1.590	110.871	116.911	1.7	5.4	1.3	.7	-1.4
Infants' and toddlers' apparel .....	.177	115.416	117.996	-.6	2.2	-.3	.9	.2
Footwear .....	.749	121.930	123.505	-1.5	1.3	-.5	.1	-.7
Transportation .....	17.249	174.799	180.346	1.7	3.2	-.8	.1	2.8
Private transportation .....	16.188	170.775	176.468	1.7	3.3	-.9	.0	2.9
New and used motor vehicles <sup>2</sup> .....	7.581	94.591	94.493	-1.6	-.1	-.2	-.2	.1
New vehicles .....	4.982	137.340	137.228	-1.1	-.1	.0	-.1	.3
Used cars and trucks <sup>1</sup> .....	1.716	134.597	134.382	-4.0	-.2	-.7	-.5	-.2
Motor fuel .....	4.347	195.377	220.515	7.2	12.9	-3.0	.3	10.6
Gasoline (all types) .....	4.303	194.282	219.473	7.2	13.0	-3.0	.3	10.6
Motor vehicle parts and equipment <sup>1</sup> .....	.370	120.196	120.485	4.4	.2	.2	.4	.2
Motor vehicle maintenance and repair .....	1.145	220.530	221.160	3.6	.3	.1	.6	.4
Public transportation .....	1.060	224.061	225.893	1.5	.8	1.5	.3	.1
Medical care .....	6.281	346.457	347.172	4.0	.2	.8	.5	.1
Medical care commodities .....	1.446	287.703	286.940	.9	-.3	.6	-.3	-.3
Medical care services .....	4.834	363.908	365.164	4.9	.3	.9	.7	.2
Professional services .....	2.817	298.393	298.990	3.9	.2	.8	.7	.1
Hospital and related services <sup>3</sup> .....	1.630	487.881	490.104	5.8	.5	.6	.6	.4

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**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 2006	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Mar. 2007 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Feb. 2007	Mar. 2007	Mar. 2006	Feb. 2007	Dec. to Jan.	Jan. to Feb.	Feb. to Mar.
<b>Expenditure category</b>								
Recreation <sup>2</sup> .....	5.552	111.174	111.244	0.6	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0
Video and audio <sup>2</sup> .....	1.719	103.144	102.886	-2.2	-3	-2	-1	-5
Education and communication <sup>2</sup> .....	6.034	117.971	118.231	2.3	.2	-.1	.3	.5
Education <sup>2</sup> .....	3.076	167.927	168.114	6.1	.1	.1	.6	.6
Educational books and supplies .....	.204	407.809	413.665	8.0	1.4	1.1	.1	1.7
Tuition, other school fees, and childcare .....	2.872	484.459	484.532	6.0	.0	.1	.6	.5
Communication <sup>2</sup> .....	2.958	82.845	83.122	-1.5	.3	-.4	.1	.3
Information and information processing <sup>1 2</sup> .....	2.769	80.311	80.601	-1.6	.4	-.4	.1	.4
Telephone services <sup>1 2</sup> .....	2.225	97.096	97.514	2.6	.4	.1	.2	.4
Information technology, hardware and services <sup>1 5</sup> .....	.543	10.853	10.860	-16.5	.1	-2.7	-.4	.1
Personal computers and peripheral equipment <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.203	10.174	10.191	-10.6	.2	-.4	-.8	.2
Other goods and services .....	3.476	330.459	331.144	3.5	.2	.8	.2	.2
Tobacco and smoking products <sup>1</sup> .....	.712	548.896	550.021	6.0	.2	3.1	1.0	.2
Personal care .....	2.764	193.987	194.390	2.8	.2	.2	.0	.1
Personal care products <sup>1</sup> .....	.708	158.038	158.592	2.2	.4	-.8	.2	.4
Personal care services <sup>1</sup> .....	.677	214.616	215.091	3.2	.2	.7	.3	.2
Miscellaneous personal services .....	1.188	320.725	321.299	3.3	.2	.2	.0	.1
<b>Commodity and service group</b>								
Commodities .....	40.305	162.890	165.710	1.8	1.7	-.1	.4	1.2
Food and beverages .....	14.992	200.402	200.869	3.3	.2	.7	.8	.3
Commodities less food and beverages .....	25.313	142.290	146.037	.9	2.6	-.5	.1	1.8
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	14.191	170.479	178.548	3.0	4.7	-1.5	-.2	2.9
Apparel .....	3.726	119.017	122.582	.5	3.0	.3	.5	-1.0
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel .....	10.465	206.395	217.451	3.9	5.4	-1.1	.2	4.9
Durables .....	11.122	113.210	113.163	-1.7	.0	-.3	-.1	.1
Services .....	59.695	243.793	244.671	3.4	.4	.3	.4	.2
Rent of shelter <sup>4</sup> .....	32.407	248.024	249.087	4.0	.4	.3	.3	.0
Tenants' and household insurance <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.369	117.320	117.333	1.0	.0	.3	-.1	.0
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>3</sup> .....	4.029	181.232	182.624	1.5	.8	.5	1.5	1.3
Water and sewer and trash collection services <sup>2</sup> .....	.897	141.349	141.806	5.0	.3	1.0	.5	.3
Household operations <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.792	139.733	139.861	3.7	.1	.3	.1	.1
Transportation services .....	5.638	232.077	232.200	1.5	.1	.3	.1	.0
Medical care services .....	4.834	363.908	365.164	4.9	.3	.9	.7	.2
Other services .....	10.730	281.864	282.431	2.9	.2	.1	.2	.3
<b>Special indexes</b>								
All items less food .....	86.115	204.101	206.195	2.7	1.0	.0	.3	.7
All items less shelter .....	67.224	192.272	194.482	2.2	1.1	.1	.4	.9
All items less medical care .....	93.719	196.298	198.179	2.7	1.0	.1	.4	.6
Commodities less food .....	26.420	144.558	148.240	1.0	2.5	-.5	.2	1.7
Nondurables less food .....	15.299	172.552	180.197	3.0	4.4	-1.3	-.2	2.8
Nondurables less food and apparel .....	11.572	205.347	215.400	3.8	4.9	-1.0	.2	4.5
Nondurables .....	29.183	185.751	190.212	3.2	2.4	-.4	.3	1.6
Services less rent of shelter <sup>4</sup> .....	27.288	257.147	257.864	2.8	.3	.3	.4	.4
Services less medical care services .....	54.861	233.963	234.809	3.3	.4	.3	.3	.2
Energy .....	8.715	184.451	196.929	4.4	6.8	-1.5	.9	5.9
All items less energy .....	91.285	207.106	207.850	2.6	.4	.3	.3	.1
All items less food and energy .....	77.401	209.112	209.923	2.5	.4	.3	.2	.1
Commodities less food and energy commodities .....	21.735	140.305	141.056	-.3	.5	.1	.1	-.1
Energy commodities .....	4.685	198.617	222.620	6.9	12.1	-3.1	.3	10.1
Services less energy services .....	55.666	250.199	251.026	3.6	.3	.3	.3	.1
Purchasing power of the consumer dollar (1982-84=\$1.00) .....	-	\$ .491	\$ .487	-	-	-	-	-
Purchasing power of the consumer dollar (1967=\$1.00) .....	-	\$ .164	\$ .163	-	-	-	-	-

<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.

- Data not available.

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

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	Dec. 2006	Jan. 2007	Feb. 2007	Mar. 2007	June 2006	Sep. 2006	Dec. 2006	Mar. 2007	Sep. 2006	Mar. 2007
<b>Expenditure category</b>										
All items .....	202.8	203.153	203.906	205.146	5.7	0.6	0.2	4.7	3.1	2.4
Food and beverages .....	197.2	198.604	200.150	200.756	2.1	3.1	.6	7.4	2.6	4.0
Food .....	196.8	198.173	199.728	200.281	2.1	3.3	.6	7.3	2.7	3.9
Food at home .....	193.9	195.562	197.721	198.554	1.0	3.8	-1.2	10.0	2.4	4.2
Cereals and bakery products .....	216.0	216.642	219.067	218.512	2.3	3.8	3.4	4.7	3.1	4.1
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs .....	188.1	189.534	190.383	192.493	.9	3.0	.9	9.7	1.9	5.2
Dairy and related products .....	180.4	182.720	183.143	185.540	-3.2	-2.4	.4	11.9	-2.8	6.0
Fruits and vegetables .....	252.3	255.519	267.426	263.665	3.3	18.6	-12.8	19.3	10.7	2.0
Nonalcoholic beverages and beverage materials .....	149.0	150.136	150.507	153.069	.0	1.9	3.0	11.4	1.0	7.1
Other food at home .....	169.2	170.708	171.243	171.658	2.4	-.5	-1.4	5.9	.9	2.2
Sugar and sweets .....	174.0	175.043	173.767	174.394	3.8	2.1	3.8	.9	3.0	2.3
Fats and oils .....	169.0	169.010	170.528	169.938	.5	-.5	3.4	2.2	.0	2.8
Other foods <sup>1</sup> .....	183.5	185.499	186.358	186.962	2.4	-1.3	-3.2	7.8	.5	2.1
Other miscellaneous foods <sup>1 2</sup> .....	115.1	114.655	114.939	114.331	5.0	-.7	3.2	-2.6	2.1	.2
Food away from home <sup>1</sup> .....	202.2	203.171	203.909	204.082	3.3	2.6	3.4	3.8	3.0	3.6
Other food away from home <sup>2</sup> .....	139.3	141.129	141.604	141.393	3.3	3.6	5.3	6.1	3.4	5.7
Alcoholic beverages <sup>1</sup> .....	201.1	202.968	204.385	205.663	3.0	-.4	-.6	9.4	1.3	4.3
Housing .....	206.3	206.799	207.616	208.072	2.8	3.8	3.4	3.5	3.3	3.4
Shelter .....	236.6	237.350	238.043	238.176	5.0	4.0	4.2	2.7	4.5	3.4
Rent of primary residence <sup>3</sup> .....	229.8	230.670	231.642	232.437	4.4	4.5	4.8	4.7	4.5	4.8
Lodging away from home <sup>2</sup> .....	138.3	139.802	139.913	136.702	2.7	3.9	3.5	-4.5	3.3	-.6
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>3 4</sup> .....	242.8	243.279	243.988	244.646	5.4	4.1	4.1	3.1	4.7	3.6
Tenants' and household insurance <sup>1 2</sup> .....	117.1	117.417	117.320	117.333	.7	.0	2.4	.8	.3	1.6
Fuels and utilities .....	195.3	195.818	198.215	200.689	-7.9	5.1	1.0	11.5	-1.6	6.1
Household energy .....	177.1	177.287	179.714	182.293	-10.1	4.9	.7	12.3	-2.9	6.3
Fuel oil and other fuels .....	233.9	223.707	223.344	231.088	35.2	-2.9	-10.7	-4.7	14.6	-7.8
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>3</sup> .....	182.2	183.084	185.812	188.185	-12.9	5.5	1.8	13.8	-4.2	7.6
Water and sewer and trash collection services <sup>2</sup> .....	139.3	140.634	141.349	141.806	3.3	6.0	3.2	7.4	4.6	5.3
Household furnishings and operations .....	127.4	127.017	127.238	127.483	1.9	.9	.0	.3	1.4	.1
Household operations <sup>1 2</sup> .....	139.1	139.526	139.733	139.861	4.2	3.3	5.0	2.2	3.7	3.6
Apparel .....	119.8	120.180	120.805	119.541	2.4	2.0	-1.7	-.9	2.2	-1.3
Men's and boys' apparel .....	113.7	112.492	112.314	111.598	-1.0	5.0	-5.1	-7.2	1.9	-6.2
Women's and girls' apparel .....	111.4	112.856	113.628	112.077	4.1	2.5	-2.1	2.5	3.3	.1
Infants' and toddlers' apparel .....	114.9	114.536	115.619	115.794	-.3	-1.4	-3.7	3.1	-.9	-.4
Footwear .....	123.5	122.910	122.984	122.184	-1.3	-2.9	2.3	-4.2	-2.1	-1.0
Transportation .....	177.0	175.661	175.749	180.584	20.0	-10.1	-8.6	8.3	3.9	-.5
Private transportation .....	173.1	171.516	171.567	176.599	20.8	-10.7	-8.5	8.3	3.8	-.5
New and used motor vehicles <sup>2</sup> .....	94.5	94.328	94.141	94.273	.8	-1.2	-4.9	-1.0	-.2	-3.0
New vehicles .....	136.4	136.360	136.204	136.601	-1.4	-.6	-3.2	.6	-1.0	-1.3
Used cars and trucks <sup>1</sup> .....	136.2	135.257	134.597	134.382	4.4	-1.4	-12.9	-5.2	1.4	-9.2
Motor fuel .....	206.5	200.234	200.921	222.136	86.3	-32.5	-21.7	33.9	12.1	2.4
Gasoline (all types) .....	205.3	199.170	199.842	221.080	86.6	-32.4	-22.1	34.5	12.3	2.4
Motor vehicle parts and equipment <sup>1</sup> .....	119.5	119.759	120.196	120.485	5.7	5.9	2.7	3.3	5.8	3.0
Motor vehicle maintenance and repair .....	218.8	219.001	220.213	221.071	4.6	2.8	3.0	4.2	3.7	3.6
Public transportation .....	223.8	227.138	227.931	228.152	7.3	.0	-8.5	8.0	3.6	-.6
Medical care .....	341.3	344.046	345.686	345.994	3.8	3.7	2.9	5.6	3.8	4.2
Medical care commodities .....	286.9	288.720	287.830	286.925	2.3	2.5	-1.1	.0	2.4	-.5
Medical care services .....	357.2	360.250	362.812	363.568	4.2	4.2	4.0	7.3	4.2	5.7
Professional services .....	293.5	295.956	297.958	298.146	2.5	3.2	3.3	6.5	2.9	4.9
Hospital and related services <sup>3</sup> .....	478.7	481.795	484.918	486.910	6.9	5.6	3.7	7.0	6.2	5.3

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					3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
	Dec. 2006	Jan. 2007	Feb. 2007	Mar. 2007	June 2006	Sep. 2006	Dec. 2006	Mar. 2007	Sep. 2006	Mar. 2007
<b>Expenditure category</b>										
Recreation <sup>2</sup> .....	111.1	111.160	111.150	111.118	2.2	0.4	-0.4	0.1	1.3	-0.1
Video and audio <sup>2</sup> .....	103.4	103.160	103.065	102.541	1.1	-1.5	-4.9	-3.3	-2	-4.1
Education and communication <sup>2</sup> .....	117.7	117.558	117.952	118.496	2.8	2.8	.7	2.7	2.8	1.7
Education <sup>2</sup> .....	166.7	166.913	167.882	168.862	6.4	6.3	6.5	5.3	6.4	5.9
Educational books and supplies .....	400.5	404.984	405.288	412.206	6.3	6.2	7.3	12.2	6.3	9.7
Tuition, other school fees, and childcare .....	481.3	481.562	484.536	486.972	6.2	6.4	6.5	4.8	6.3	5.6
Communication <sup>2</sup> .....	83.1	82.775	82.841	83.117	-5	-5	-5.1	.1	-5	-2.6
Information and information processing <sup>1 2</sup> .....	80.6	80.246	80.311	80.601	-5	-5	-5.3	.0	-5	-2.7
Telephone services <sup>1 2</sup> .....	96.8	96.898	97.096	97.514	1.7	3.0	2.9	3.0	2.3	3.0
Information technology, hardware and services <sup>1 5</sup> .....	11.2	10.900	10.853	10.860	-8.9	-12.0	-31.3	-11.6	-10.5	-22.0
Personal computers and peripheral equipment <sup>1 2</sup> .....	10.3	10.259	10.174	10.191	-22.4	-7.3	-7.4	-4.2	-15.2	-5.8
Other goods and services .....	326.8	329.378	330.076	330.604	2.4	2.6	4.0	4.7	2.5	4.4
Tobacco and smoking products <sup>1</sup> .....	527.3	543.477	548.896	550.021	1.9	-5	5.1	18.4	.7	11.5
Personal care .....	193.3	193.694	193.702	193.988	2.6	3.4	3.8	1.4	3.0	2.6
Personal care products <sup>1</sup> .....	159.0	157.699	158.038	158.592	.0	3.1	6.8	-1.0	1.6	2.8
Personal care services <sup>1</sup> .....	212.5	214.045	214.616	215.091	1.2	3.1	3.5	5.0	2.1	4.2
Miscellaneous personal services .....	319.5	320.287	320.360	320.565	3.9	4.3	3.8	1.3	4.1	2.6
<b>Commodity and service group</b>										
Commodities .....	162.8	162.690	163.297	165.295	9.2	-3.8	-3.8	6.3	2.5	1.1
Food and beverages .....	197.2	198.604	200.150	200.756	2.1	3.1	.6	7.4	2.6	4.0
Commodities less food and beverages .....	143.5	142.779	142.968	145.505	13.4	-7.3	-6.7	5.7	2.5	-7
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	176.6	173.869	173.440	178.529	20.6	-13.4	3.2	4.4	2.2	3.8
Apparel .....	119.8	120.180	120.805	119.541	2.4	2.0	-1.7	-.9	2.2	-1.3
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel .....	210.1	207.739	208.104	218.217	35.1	-17.0	-10.7	16.4	5.9	2.0
Durables .....	113.3	112.933	112.806	112.900	-7	-1.0	-3.5	-1.4	-.9	-2.4
Services .....	242.5	243.298	244.229	244.701	3.1	3.9	3.0	3.7	3.5	3.4
Rent of shelter <sup>4</sup> .....	246.7	247.426	248.104	248.206	4.6	4.4	4.3	2.5	4.5	3.4
Tenants' and household insurance <sup>1 2</sup> .....	117.1	117.417	117.320	117.333	.7	.0	2.4	.8	.3	1.6
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>3</sup> .....	182.2	183.084	185.812	188.185	-12.9	5.5	1.8	13.8	-4.2	7.6
Water and sewer and trash collection services <sup>2</sup> .....	139.3	140.634	141.349	141.806	3.3	6.0	3.2	7.4	4.6	5.3
Household operations <sup>1 2</sup> .....	139.1	139.526	139.733	139.861	4.2	3.3	5.0	2.2	3.7	3.6
Transportation services .....	231.8	232.384	232.643	232.641	3.2	1.7	-.3	1.5	2.5	.6
Medical care services .....	357.2	360.250	362.812	363.568	4.2	4.2	4.0	7.3	4.2	5.7
Other services .....	280.9	281.091	281.756	282.570	4.0	3.1	1.9	2.4	3.5	2.1
<b>Special indexes</b>										
All items less food .....	203.9	203.999	204.620	205.973	6.1	.4	.2	4.1	3.2	2.1
All items less shelter .....	191.9	192.030	192.816	194.509	6.0	-.8	-1.7	5.6	2.5	1.9
All items less medical care .....	195.8	196.033	196.746	198.011	5.7	.6	.0	4.6	3.1	2.3
Commodities less food .....	145.7	144.991	145.217	147.723	13.2	-7.2	-6.1	5.7	2.5	-.4
Nondurables less food .....	178.1	175.707	175.288	180.116	19.3	-12.5	3.0	4.6	2.2	3.8
Nondurables less food and apparel .....	208.4	206.407	206.835	216.051	31.9	-15.5	-9.7	15.5	5.6	2.1
Nondurables .....	187.5	186.765	187.249	190.237	10.6	-5.2	1.9	6.0	2.4	3.9
Services less rent of shelter <sup>4</sup> .....	255.5	256.241	257.370	258.518	2.9	3.2	.3	4.8	3.0	2.5
Services less medical care services .....	232.8	233.396	234.204	234.638	4.1	3.5	2.4	3.2	3.8	2.8
Energy .....	190.1	187.340	188.952	200.164	31.8	-17.1	-11.5	22.9	4.5	4.3
All items less energy .....	205.8	206.414	207.083	207.278	3.2	2.8	1.6	2.9	3.0	2.2
All items less food and energy .....	208.1	208.632	209.135	209.263	3.4	2.7	1.6	2.3	3.1	1.9
Commodities less food and energy commodities .....	140.1	140.209	140.330	140.229	.9	.3	-2.5	.4	.6	-1.1
Energy commodities .....	209.2	202.686	203.310	223.786	82.5	-30.9	-21.0	30.9	12.3	1.7
Services less energy services .....	248.7	249.469	250.220	250.502	4.4	3.6	3.3	2.9	4.0	3.1

<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.

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 2006	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Mar. 2007 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Feb. 2007	Mar. 2007	Mar. 2006	Feb. 2007	Dec. to Jan.	Jan. to Feb.	Feb. to Mar.
<b>Expenditure category</b>								
All items .....	100.000	203.499	205.352	2.8	0.9	0.2	0.4	0.6
All items (1967=100) .....	-	609.594	615.145	-	-	-	-	-
Food and beverages .....	14.992	200.402	200.869	3.3	.2	.7	.8	.3
Food .....	13.885	200.000	200.403	3.3	.2	.7	.8	.3
Food at home .....	7.896	198.193	198.766	3.4	.3	.9	1.1	.4
Cereals and bakery products .....	1.103	219.041	218.458	3.6	-.3	.3	1.1	-.3
Cereals and cereal products .....	.359	192.826	191.577	3.3	-.6	-.9	2.4	-.5
Flour and prepared flour mixes .....	.046	188.986	189.168	3.7	.1	.9	.7	-.9
Breakfast cereal <sup>1</sup> .....	.199	204.051	201.684	2.4	-1.2	-2.4	3.3	-1.2
Rice, pasta, cornmeal <sup>1</sup> .....	.114	178.494	178.352	4.9	-.1	-.2	2.2	-.1
Rice <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	-	117.838	117.571	4.0	-.2	1.1	-.7	-.2
Bakery products <sup>1</sup> .....	.744	232.883	232.692	3.7	-.1	1.2	.7	-.1
Bread <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.221	136.488	135.943	5.8	-.4	1.1	1.2	-.4
White bread <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	250.388	247.489	5.5	-1.2	1.9	.5	-1.2
Bread other than white <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	258.667	258.738	4.9	.0	.7	2.2	.0
Fresh biscuits, rolls, muffins <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.103	133.881	135.034	4.9	.9	-.2	.1	.9
Cakes, cupcakes, and cookies .....	.206	218.981	219.776	3.2	.4	.4	1.0	.8
Cookies <sup>2</sup> .....	-	216.397	217.504	4.7	.5	.2	1.2	.8
Fresh cakes and cupcakes <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	221.814	222.203	2.0	.2	.5	1.8	.2
Other bakery products .....	.214	218.863	217.507	1.5	-.6	1.6	-.5	-.7
Fresh sweetrolls, coffee cakes, doughnuts <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	221.596	223.128	1.1	.7	-.8	-.9	.7
Crackers, bread, and cracker products <sup>2</sup> .....	-	253.669	253.415	1.1	-.1	3.2	-2.1	.6
Frozen and refrigerated bakery products, pies, tarts, turnovers <sup>2</sup> .....	-	226.256	222.621	4.2	-1.6	.4	2.6	-2.1
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs .....	2.112	190.491	192.508	3.6	1.1	.8	.4	1.1
Meats, poultry, and fish .....	2.013	190.244	192.665	2.8	1.3	.7	.1	1.3
Meats .....	1.305	190.291	193.337	2.5	1.6	.8	-.2	1.7
Beef and veal <sup>1</sup> .....	.628	205.786	208.731	2.3	1.4	.3	1.3	1.4
Uncooked ground beef <sup>1</sup> .....	.232	180.997	181.778	1.8	.4	.1	1.8	.4
Uncooked beef roasts <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.105	151.905	152.622	5.0	.5	-.6	3.6	.5
Uncooked beef steaks <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.239	146.366	150.995	2.3	3.2	.9	-.1	3.2
Uncooked other beef and veal <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.052	139.459	139.390	-.1	.0	.4	.6	.0
Pork .....	.414	176.128	179.208	2.2	1.7	.3	-.6	1.9
Bacon, breakfast sausage, and related products <sup>3</sup> .....	.132	125.311	124.754	3.1	-.4	1.0	1.3	.2
Bacon and related products <sup>2</sup> .....	-	217.949	215.625	2.8	-1.1	.7	2.0	-.6
Breakfast sausage and related products <sup>2 3</sup> .....	-	121.014	121.087	2.4	.1	1.0	-.1	.6
Ham .....	.094	170.358	176.106	-.4	3.4	-.3	-2.0	2.0
Ham, excluding canned <sup>2</sup> .....	-	190.474	197.511	-.4	3.7	-.2	-2.9	2.8
Pork chops .....	.081	166.031	169.230	.2	1.9	-.9	-.3	1.8
Other pork including roasts and picnics <sup>3</sup> .....	.106	109.992	113.314	5.3	3.0	.2	-.7	1.6
Other meats .....	.263	181.506	184.738	3.5	1.8	2.7	-2.9	2.0
Frankfurters <sup>2</sup> .....	-	176.040	181.213	5.2	2.9	6.3	-4.1	2.9
Lunchmeats <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	-	118.575	119.559	2.6	.8	1.0	-1.4	.8
Lamb and organ meats <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	NA	NA	-	-	-	-	-
Lamb and mutton <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	-	NA	NA	-	-	-	-	-
Poultry <sup>1</sup> .....	.371	183.213	185.958	2.1	1.5	-.4	.8	1.5
Chicken <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.297	118.216	120.488	2.6	1.9	-1.3	1.1	1.9
Fresh whole chicken <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	181.895	187.814	3.8	3.3	-1.1	-1.2	3.3
Fresh and frozen chicken parts <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	183.151	185.350	3.0	1.2	-1.6	2.8	1.2
Other poultry including turkey <sup>3</sup> .....	.073	117.800	117.598	.0	-.2	1.8	-1.1	-.6
Fish and seafood <sup>1</sup> .....	.337	215.407	214.915	4.7	-.2	1.4	.4	-.2
Fresh fish and seafood <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.208	129.729	129.383	6.5	-.3	1.4	1.6	-.3
Processed fish and seafood <sup>3</sup> .....	.129	110.672	110.490	1.8	-.2	.8	-.6	.9
Canned fish and seafood <sup>2</sup> .....	-	145.887	143.302	3.6	-1.8	1.3	.9	-.8
Frozen fish and seafood <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	228.370	231.850	.3	1.5	1.5	-3.8	1.5
Eggs .....	.099	190.534	184.878	20.8	-3.0	2.2	8.0	-3.4
Dairy and related products .....	.821	183.779	185.724	1.5	1.1	1.3	.2	1.3
Milk <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.293	128.241	129.333	1.8	.9	1.2	.9	.9
Fresh whole milk <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	185.371	186.492	1.1	.6	1.4	.9	.6
Fresh milk other than whole <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	-	130.862	132.032	2.3	.9	1.2	1.0	.9
Cheese and related products <sup>1</sup> .....	.253	181.240	184.030	.6	1.5	1.2	.1	1.5
Ice cream and related products .....	.142	181.574	183.603	2.7	1.1	.8	-1.5	1.6
Other dairy and related products <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.133	124.681	125.366	1.3	.5	1.3	1.1	.5

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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 2006	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Mar. 2007 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Feb. 2007	Mar. 2007	Mar. 2006	Feb. 2007	Dec. to Jan.	Jan. to Feb.	Feb. to Mar.
<b>Expenditure category</b>								
Fruits and vegetables .....	1.211	268.565	263.910	6.2	-1.7	1.3	4.7	-1.4
Fresh fruits and vegetables .....	.963	322.096	315.187	7.2	-2.1	1.7	5.7	-1.7
Fresh fruits .....	.493	333.813	326.204	6.3	-2.3	1.5	5.7	-2.3
Apples .....	.086	292.261	291.633	13.8	-.2	1.5	3.0	1.3
Bananas .....	.073	176.996	176.329	-1.7	-.4	-1.3	-.6	-1.4
Citrus fruits <sup>3</sup> .....	.094	223.468	217.906	16.7	-2.5	8.3	16.3	-2.4
Oranges, including tangerines <sup>2</sup> .....	-	471.409	452.199	33.3	-4.1	7.8	22.1	-2.6
Other fresh fruits <sup>3</sup> .....	.239	117.515	113.244	1.7	-3.6	-.9	4.5	-3.0
Fresh vegetables .....	.470	308.620	302.414	8.1	-2.0	1.9	5.7	-1.2
Potatoes .....	.077	269.922	275.973	4.3	2.2	-2.0	-.4	1.9
Lettuce <sup>1</sup> .....	.062	294.692	287.574	13.1	-2.4	3.6	.9	-2.4
Tomatoes .....	.092	317.158	291.882	-6.3	-8.0	-6.0	8.4	-7.4
Other fresh vegetables .....	.239	328.564	324.874	13.7	-1.1	6.4	6.3	.4
Processed fruits and vegetables <sup>3</sup> .....	.248	125.512	125.418	2.5	-.1	-.3	.6	.0
Canned fruits and vegetables <sup>3</sup> .....	.129	123.646	123.627	.9	.0	-.9	1.0	-.5
Canned fruits <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	-	124.395	123.276	1.3	-.9	.5	1.2	-.9
Canned vegetables <sup>2 3</sup> .....	-	127.004	127.604	.8	.5	.0	.6	.2
Frozen fruits and vegetables <sup>3</sup> .....	.077	128.167	127.449	3.1	-.6	-.3	.5	1.0
Frozen vegetables <sup>2</sup> .....	-	182.084	180.430	.4	-.9	-1.3	1.3	.5
Other processed fruits and vegetables including dried <sup>3</sup> .....	.042	125.249	126.035	5.9	.6	2.0	-.5	.9
Dried beans, peas, and lentils <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	-	124.531	126.769	8.3	1.8	2.0	-1.3	1.8
Nonalcoholic beverages and beverage materials .....	.906	151.716	153.894	4.0	1.4	.8	.2	1.7
Juices and nonalcoholic drinks <sup>3</sup> .....	.602	116.386	118.588	4.7	1.9	1.2	.0	2.0
Carbonated drinks .....	.325	137.962	141.433	4.8	2.5	1.3	.0	2.8
Frozen noncarbonated juices and drinks <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.017	133.910	134.429	14.4	.4	2.7	3.1	.4
Nonfrozen noncarbonated juices and drinks <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.260	112.064	113.410	3.9	1.2	1.3	-.1	1.2
Beverage materials including coffee and tea <sup>3</sup> .....	.304	107.351	107.915	2.7	.5	.5	.8	.5
Coffee <sup>1</sup> .....	.100	172.937	174.184	4.5	.7	2.8	1.5	.7
Roasted coffee <sup>2</sup> .....	-	175.403	178.429	3.4	1.7	1.1	2.3	.1
Instant and freeze dried coffee <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	190.645	187.522	6.1	-1.6	.6	.6	-1.6
Other beverage materials including tea <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.204	119.293	119.801	1.8	.4	-.3	.6	.4
Other food at home .....	1.743	171.483	171.819	1.5	.2	.9	.3	.2
Sugar and sweets .....	.302	174.300	174.633	2.7	.2	.6	-.7	.4
Sugar and artificial sweeteners .....	.056	167.979	168.265	4.8	.2	-.4	-.1	.5
Candy and chewing gum <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.194	113.538	113.869	1.6	.3	1.3	-.9	.3
Other sweets <sup>3</sup> .....	.052	125.522	125.329	4.6	-.2	-.3	.6	1.0
Fats and oils .....	.227	171.667	170.851	1.4	-.5	.0	.9	-.3
Butter and margarine <sup>3</sup> .....	.068	133.802	134.542	.5	.6	.7	-1.0	1.3
Butter <sup>2</sup> .....	-	168.772	168.879	-3.7	.1	-1.4	-1.0	2.2
Margarine <sup>2</sup> .....	-	185.295	186.701	5.1	.8	.7	.6	1.5
Salad dressing <sup>3</sup> .....	.062	110.852	110.230	1.4	-.6	.6	-.8	-.1
Other fats and oils including peanut butter <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.097	121.658	120.273	2.0	-1.1	1.2	2.5	-1.1
Peanut butter <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	-	113.066	111.507	-.5	-1.4	2.9	1.2	-1.4
Other foods <sup>1</sup> .....	1.214	186.358	186.962	1.3	.3	1.1	.5	.3
Soups .....	.086	209.892	214.010	.1	2.0	-.5	.9	-.3
Frozen and freeze dried prepared foods .....	.247	155.151	155.290	.7	.1	1.6	1.4	-.2
Snacks <sup>1</sup> .....	.268	180.916	183.887	1.7	1.6	.8	.0	1.6
Spices, seasonings, condiments, sauces <sup>1</sup> .....	.215	195.589	195.197	2.5	-.2	4.4	1.3	-.2
Salt and other seasonings and spices <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	-	112.190	113.290	1.1	1.0	1.8	1.1	1.0
Olives, pickles, relishes <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	-	120.774	118.134	6.4	-2.2	5.2	2.0	-2.2
Sauces and gravies <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	-	112.333	111.842	1.7	-.4	2.6	.1	-.4
Other condiments <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	228.192	229.058	2.4	.4	14.3	.2	.4
Baby food <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.071	128.593	128.328	.3	-.2	-.5	.5	-.2
Other miscellaneous foods <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.327	114.939	114.331	1.2	-.5	-.4	.2	-.5
Food away from home <sup>1</sup> .....	5.989	203.909	204.082	3.3	.1	.5	.4	.1
Full service meals and snacks <sup>1 3</sup> .....	2.615	128.504	128.725	3.4	.2	.5	.3	.2
Limited service meals and snacks <sup>1 3</sup> .....	2.711	128.781	128.843	3.1	.0	.4	.4	.0
Food at employee sites and schools <sup>3</sup> .....	.257	125.700	125.555	3.9	-.1	.3	.5	.1
Food at elementary and secondary schools <sup>1 2 4</sup> .....	-	104.702	104.622	4.6	-.1	.0	.3	-.1
Food from vending machines and mobile vendors <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.126	116.578	116.678	1.8	.1	-.2	.3	.1
Other food away from home <sup>3</sup> .....	.281	141.626	141.366	4.6	-.2	1.3	.3	-.1

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		Feb. 2007	Mar. 2007	Mar. 2006	Feb. 2007	Dec. to Jan.	Jan. to Feb.	Feb. to Mar.
<b>Expenditure category</b>								
Alcoholic beverages <sup>1</sup> .....	1.107	204.385	205.663	2.8	0.6	0.9	0.7	0.6
Alcoholic beverages at home .....	.708	177.464	178.964	2.0	.8	.6	.5	.5
Beer, ale, and other malt beverages at home .....	.332	181.726	183.514	2.3	1.0	.8	.9	.2
Distilled spirits at home .....	.123	180.829	181.010	.7	.1	-.3	.5	.2
Whiskey at home <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	184.299	185.558	2.5	.7	1.2	1.8	.7
Distilled spirits, excluding whiskey, at home <sup>2</sup> .....	-	178.064	177.675	-.4	-.2	-.6	.2	.2
Wine at home .....	.253	161.635	163.286	2.3	1.0	.6	.0	1.2
Alcoholic beverages away from home .....	.399	260.849	261.453	4.2	.2	.7	.3	.4
Beer, ale, and other malt beverages away from home <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	-	132.837	132.924	4.4	.1	.6	.2	.1
Wine away from home <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	-	141.708	141.803	2.9	.1	.5	.7	.1
Distilled spirits away from home <sup>2 3</sup> .....	-	137.293	138.023	4.3	.5	.8	.1	.8
Housing .....	42.691	207.177	208.080	3.4	.4	.2	.4	.2
Shelter .....	32.776	237.972	238.980	3.9	.4	.3	.3	.1
Rent of primary residence <sup>5</sup> .....	5.930	231.739	232.495	4.6	.3	.4	.4	.3
Lodging away from home <sup>3</sup> .....	2.648	139.160	142.247	1.3	2.2	1.1	.1	-2.3
Housing at school, excluding board <sup>5 6</sup> .....	.154	363.387	363.666	5.4	.1	.4	.6	.6
Other lodging away from home including hotels and motels .....	2.493	292.154	298.988	1.1	2.3	1.1	.1	-2.5
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>5 6</sup> .....	23.830	244.020	244.602	4.1	.2	.2	.3	.3
Tenants' and household insurance <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.369	117.320	117.333	1.0	.0	.3	-.1	.0
Fuels and utilities .....	5.264	194.890	196.414	2.1	.8	.3	1.2	1.2
Household energy .....	4.368	176.092	177.635	1.6	.9	.1	1.4	1.4
Fuel oil and other fuels .....	.338	231.800	236.863	2.8	2.2	-4.4	-.2	3.5
Fuel oil .....	.231	238.651	245.141	2.8	2.7	-5.6	.5	3.8
Propane, kerosene, and firewood <sup>7</sup> .....	.107	271.977	274.791	2.8	1.0	-.5	-.1	1.8
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>5</sup> .....	4.029	181.232	182.624	1.5	.8	.5	1.5	1.3
Electricity <sup>5</sup> .....	2.750	168.870	169.346	3.8	.3	2.0	.0	.5
Utility (piped) gas service <sup>5</sup> .....	1.280	218.173	222.221	-3.2	1.9	-3.0	5.0	3.0
Water and sewer and trash collection services <sup>3</sup> .....	.897	141.349	141.806	5.0	.3	1.0	.5	.3
Water and sewerage maintenance <sup>1 5</sup> .....	.669	307.203	308.184	4.9	.3	.9	.6	.3
Garbage and trash collection <sup>1 8</sup> .....	.228	340.898	342.033	5.1	.3	.9	.2	.3
Household furnishings and operations .....	4.651	127.495	127.655	.8	.1	-.3	.2	.2
Window and floor coverings and other linens <sup>3</sup> .....	.350	82.406	81.905	-3.2	-.6	-.6	.7	-.4
Floor coverings <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.051	118.858	118.415	2.4	-.4	-.6	.0	-.4
Window coverings <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.097	87.619	85.605	.1	-2.3	1.6	-1.9	-2.3
Other linens <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.203	71.470	71.566	-5.8	.1	.2	.0	.1
Furniture and bedding <sup>1</sup> .....	.981	127.137	127.438	.9	.2	-.1	.9	.2
Bedroom furniture <sup>1</sup> .....	.324	145.225	145.426	-.4	.1	-.3	.9	.1
Living room, kitchen, and dining room furniture <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.458	92.287	92.645	.7	.4	-.1	.1	.4
Other furniture <sup>3</sup> .....	.193	91.615	91.656	3.8	.0	.1	2.0	-.6
Infants' furniture <sup>1 2 4</sup> .....	-	105.049	104.297	4.8	-.7	.9	5.6	-.7
Appliances <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.334	89.074	89.458	1.7	.4	.3	.9	.4
Major appliances <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.193	99.054	99.777	4.3	.7	.6	1.3	.7
Laundry equipment <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	114.650	115.857	3.4	1.1	.1	1.9	1.1
Other appliances <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.134	76.287	76.280	-2.0	.0	.0	.3	.0
Other household equipment and furnishings <sup>3</sup> .....	.585	78.439	78.016	-4.2	-.5	-.5	-.4	-.3
Clocks, lamps, and decorator items <sup>1</sup> .....	.318	76.163	75.511	-6.5	-.9	-1.5	-.3	-.9
Indoor plants and flowers <sup>9</sup> .....	.100	125.279	124.855	.6	-.3	1.1	.8	-.7
Dishes and flatware <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.075	74.288	74.269	-6.0	.0	-.3	.4	.0
Nonelectric cookware and tableware <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.091	91.720	91.617	.3	-.1	.8	.4	-.1
Tools, hardware, outdoor equipment and supplies <sup>3</sup> .....	.756	95.240	95.453	.8	.2	-.2	-.1	.3
Tools, hardware and supplies <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.206	100.107	100.484	1.1	.4	-.4	.4	.4
Outdoor equipment and supplies <sup>3</sup> .....	.365	92.791	92.885	.6	.1	.1	.0	.0
Housekeeping supplies <sup>1</sup> .....	.853	168.695	169.666	2.5	.6	.5	-.2	.6
Household cleaning products <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.372	112.528	112.577	1.4	.0	.1	-.4	.0
Household paper products <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.211	134.534	135.110	3.8	.4	.6	-.1	.4
Miscellaneous household products <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.270	112.477	114.071	3.0	1.4	1.0	.0	1.4
Household operations <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.792	139.733	139.861	3.7	.1	.3	.1	.1
Domestic services <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.252	137.598	137.710	4.7	.1	.1	.1	.1
Gardening and lawn care services <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.256	NA	NA	-	-	-	-	-
Moving, storage, freight expense <sup>3</sup> .....	.079	127.803	127.451	-1.2	-.3	.5	-1.1	-.2
Repair of household items <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.128	160.201	159.496	4.2	-.4	1.0	.2	-.4

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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 2006	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Mar. 2007 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Feb. 2007	Mar. 2007	Mar. 2006	Feb. 2007	Dec. to Jan.	Jan. to Feb.	Feb. to Mar.
<b>Expenditure category</b>								
Apparel .....	3.726	119.017	122.582	0.5	3.0	0.3	0.5	-1.0
Men's and boys' apparel .....	.885	111.233	113.685	-2.2	2.2	-1.1	-.2	-.6
Men's apparel .....	.698	117.708	119.531	-1.9	1.5	-.3	-.3	-.7
Men's suits, sport coats, and outerwear .....	.136	116.857	118.819	-4.9	1.7	-.5	-.2	-.6
Men's furnishings .....	.175	133.233	133.500	-1.0	.2	-.3	.7	-.7
Men's shirts and sweaters <sup>3</sup> .....	.198	81.659	84.802	-1.5	3.8	-1.2	-1.1	.0
Men's pants and shorts .....	.173	110.536	110.955	-.7	.4	.3	-1.0	-.9
Boys' apparel .....	.186	88.682	92.849	-3.4	4.7	-4.9	.7	.7
Women's and girls' apparel .....	1.590	110.871	116.911	1.7	5.4	1.3	.7	-1.4
Women's apparel .....	1.353	112.703	118.153	1.2	4.8	1.3	.8	-2.3
Women's outerwear .....	.113	88.452	94.179	-3.7	6.5	-5.4	-1.0	1.7
Women's dresses .....	.139	110.179	115.067	.9	4.4	5.8	-1.5	-8.1
Women's suits and separates <sup>3</sup> .....	.723	90.496	96.056	4.5	6.1	1.8	2.5	-1.6
Women's underwear, nightwear, sportswear and accessories <sup>3</sup> .....	.352	92.595	94.293	-4.1	1.8	.0	-1.8	-.6
Girls' apparel .....	.237	101.342	110.502	4.7	9.0	1.0	-.2	4.0
Footwear .....	.749	121.930	123.505	-1.5	1.3	-.5	.1	-.7
Men's footwear <sup>1</sup> .....	.228	121.483	121.975	-1.4	.4	-1.1	-.4	.4
Boys' and girls' footwear <sup>1</sup> .....	.162	121.855	122.031	-2.0	.1	-2.4	1.2	.1
Women's footwear .....	.359	121.420	124.287	-1.4	2.4	-.2	.4	-1.0
Infants' and toddlers' apparel .....	.177	115.416	117.996	-.6	2.2	-.3	.9	.2
Jewelry and watches <sup>7</sup> .....	.325	137.724	134.561	7.4	-2.3	1.6	2.3	-2.0
Watches <sup>7</sup> .....	.046	119.160	117.621	1.8	-1.3	1.9	.1	-2.1
Jewelry <sup>7</sup> .....	.279	142.744	139.239	8.3	-2.5	1.6	2.6	-2.1
Transportation .....	17.249	174.799	180.346	1.7	3.2	-.8	.1	2.8
Private transportation .....	16.188	170.775	176.468	1.7	3.3	-.9	.0	2.9
New and used motor vehicles <sup>3</sup> .....	7.581	94.591	94.493	-1.6	-.1	-.2	-.2	.1
New vehicles .....	4.982	137.340	137.228	-1.1	-.1	.0	-.1	.3
New cars and trucks <sup>2 3</sup> .....	-	95.191	95.098	-1.1	-.1	.0	-.1	.3
New cars <sup>2</sup> .....	-	136.844	136.589	-.2	-.2	-.1	-.2	.2
New trucks <sup>2 8</sup> .....	-	142.002	141.982	-2.1	.0	.1	-.2	.4
Used cars and trucks <sup>1</sup> .....	1.716	134.597	134.382	-4.0	-.2	-.7	-.5	-.2
Leased cars and trucks <sup>10</sup> .....	.596	92.101	92.169	1.0	.1	.0	-.1	.2
Car and truck rental <sup>3</sup> .....	.090	113.998	112.194	2.1	-1.6	-.9	-.1	-2.7
Motor fuel .....	4.347	195.377	220.515	7.2	12.9	-3.0	.3	10.6
Gasoline (all types) .....	4.303	194.282	219.473	7.2	13.0	-3.0	.3	10.6
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>2</sup> .....	-	194.070	219.594	7.2	13.2	-3.3	.5	10.6
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>2 11</sup> .....	-	198.104	223.577	6.9	12.9	-2.9	-.4	11.0
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>2</sup> .....	-	188.464	211.366	7.1	12.2	-2.3	-.6	10.4
Other motor fuels <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.044	195.863	201.939	3.9	3.1	-2.5	.4	3.1
Motor vehicle parts and equipment <sup>1</sup> .....	.370	120.196	120.485	4.4	.2	.2	.4	.2
Tires <sup>1</sup> .....	.219	110.716	110.747	3.4	.0	.2	.5	.0
Vehicle accessories other than tires <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.151	126.821	127.515	5.9	.5	.3	.2	.5
Vehicle parts and equipment other than tires <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	125.891	126.743	4.4	.7	.3	-.1	.7
Motor oil, coolant, and fluids <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	228.067	227.535	12.0	-.2	.3	1.3	-.2
Motor vehicle maintenance and repair .....	1.145	220.530	221.160	3.6	.3	.1	.6	.4
Motor vehicle body work <sup>1</sup> .....	.086	230.738	231.084	3.4	.1	.7	.4	.1
Motor vehicle maintenance and servicing <sup>1</sup> .....	.425	199.679	201.080	3.5	.7	.3	.4	.7
Motor vehicle repair <sup>3</sup> .....	.612	135.899	135.923	3.8	.0	-.1	.6	.2
Motor vehicle insurance .....	2.261	334.232	332.864	.5	-.4	-.2	-.2	-.2
Motor vehicle fees <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.484	140.371	140.658	1.7	.2	.4	.3	.2
State and local registration and license <sup>1 3 5</sup> .....	.311	138.435	138.349	.9	-.1	.3	.3	-.1
Parking and other fees <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.161	143.781	144.798	3.4	.7	.8	.3	.7
Parking fees and tolls <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	-	148.939	149.248	3.1	.2	1.4	.3	.2
Automobile service clubs <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	-	116.909	119.074	3.5	1.9	-1.3	.2	1.9
Public transportation .....	1.060	224.061	225.893	1.5	.8	1.5	.3	.1
Airline fare .....	.649	242.627	246.331	1.8	1.5	2.1	.9	.3
Other intercity transportation <sup>1</sup> .....	.163	152.063	150.383	-.4	-1.1	.3	-1.9	-1.1
Ship fare <sup>2 3</sup> .....	-	71.120	70.593	-.9	-.7	.6	-.3	-.8
Intracity transportation <sup>1</sup> .....	.246	229.194	229.455	1.9	.1	.6	.2	.1

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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)

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		Feb. 2007	Mar. 2007	Mar. 2006	Feb. 2007	Dec. to Jan.	Jan. to Feb.	Feb. to Mar.
<b>Expenditure category</b>								
Medical care .....	6.281	346.457	347.172	4.0	0.2	0.8	0.5	0.1
Medical care commodities .....	1.446	287.703	286.940	.9	-.3	.6	-.3	-.3
Prescription drugs .....	1.018	366.558	365.078	1.0	-.4	1.1	-.4	-.4
Nonprescription drugs and medical supplies <sup>1 7</sup> .....	.428	155.219	155.328	.8	.1	-.6	-.1	.1
Internal and respiratory over-the-counter drugs <sup>1</sup> .....	.294	184.376	184.325	1.1	.0	-.8	.2	.0
Nonprescription medical equipment and supplies <sup>1</sup> .....	.135	183.563	184.082	.3	.3	.0	-.8	.3
Medical care services .....	4.834	363.908	365.164	4.9	.3	.9	.7	.2
Professional services .....	2.817	298.393	298.990	3.9	.2	.8	.7	.1
Physicians' services <sup>5</sup> .....	1.616	301.560	301.974	3.6	.1	1.2	.6	.0
Dental services <sup>5</sup> .....	.721	352.565	354.185	5.3	.5	.5	.6	.2
Eyeglasses and eye care <sup>1 7</sup> .....	.225	172.079	171.268	2.4	-.5	.6	.5	-.5
Services by other medical professionals <sup>5 7</sup> .....	.255	195.667	196.561	2.9	.5	.3	.0	.5
Hospital and related services <sup>5</sup> .....	1.630	487.881	490.104	5.8	.5	.6	.6	.4
Hospital services <sup>5 12</sup> .....	1.542	179.436	180.282	5.8	.5	.6	.7	.4
Inpatient hospital services <sup>2 5 12</sup> .....	-	174.743	174.826	5.1	.0	.6	.7	-.2
Outpatient hospital services <sup>1 2 5 7</sup> .....	-	410.863	416.325	6.6	1.3	.9	1.2	1.3
Nursing homes and adult daycare <sup>5 12</sup> .....	.089	156.878	157.155	5.6	.2	.7	.2	.5
Health insurance <sup>1 4</sup> .....	.386	110.101	111.122	9.2	.9	1.8	1.7	.9
Recreation <sup>3</sup> .....	5.552	111.174	111.244	.6	.1	.1	.0	.0
Video and audio <sup>3</sup> .....	1.719	103.144	102.886	-2.2	-.3	-.2	-.1	-.5
Televisions .....	.124	18.449	18.092	-25.9	-1.9	-3.0	-.3	-3.0
Cable and satellite television and radio service <sup>8</sup> .....	1.145	348.195	348.252	1.5	.0	.0	.1	-.3
Other video equipment <sup>3</sup> .....	.040	25.293	24.372	-13.6	-3.6	.0	.3	-2.7
Video cassettes, discs, and other media including rental <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.173	75.904	75.993	-.8	.1	-1.0	-.9	.1
Video cassettes and discs, blank and prerecorded <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	-	64.702	64.918	-7.8	.3	-2.2	-3.3	.3
Rental of video tapes and discs <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	-	91.389	91.463	2.2	.1	-.6	-.3	.1
Audio equipment <sup>1</sup> .....	.074	55.163	55.280	-4.2	.2	-.7	-.6	.2
Audio discs, tapes and other media <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.090	105.989	104.919	-3.3	-1.0	-.4	.5	-1.0
Pets, pet products and services <sup>3</sup> .....	.646	131.546	131.719	4.3	.1	.6	.8	.0
Pets and pet products .....	.377	164.312	164.036	3.6	-.2	.6	.9	-.4
Pet food <sup>2 3</sup> .....	-	117.607	117.560	4.7	.0	.8	1.1	-.4
Purchase of pets, pet supplies, accessories <sup>2 3</sup> .....	-	111.037	110.438	.9	-.5	.3	-.2	-.3
Pet services including veterinary <sup>3</sup> .....	.269	162.057	162.945	5.3	.5	.6	.8	.4
Pet services <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	-	140.575	141.032	4.4	.3	.6	.8	.3
Veterinarian services <sup>2 3</sup> .....	-	166.408	167.191	5.6	.5	.8	1.0	.4
Sporting goods <sup>1</sup> .....	.674	116.498	116.994	.8	.4	-.1	-.5	.4
Sports vehicles including bicycles .....	.401	138.007	138.092	1.8	.1	-.5	-1.1	.1
Sports equipment <sup>1</sup> .....	.264	96.228	97.176	-.7	1.0	-.2	-.4	1.0
Photography <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.168	83.560	83.080	-6.0	-.6	-.7	-.6	-.6
Photographic equipment and supplies <sup>1</sup> .....	.080	82.899	82.085	-12.9	-1.0	-1.2	-1.1	-1.0
Film and photographic supplies <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	-	83.631	84.907	-1.8	1.5	-.7	-.4	1.5
Photographic equipment <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	-	43.921	42.413	-22.2	-3.4	-1.5	-2.0	-3.4
Photographers and film processing <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.086	106.309	106.087	1.1	-.2	-.2	-.1	-.2
Photographer fees <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	-	115.086	114.915	1.2	-.1	.3	.1	-.1
Film processing <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	-	99.852	99.770	.9	-.1	-.4	-.3	-.1
Other recreational goods <sup>3</sup> .....	.381	65.743	65.590	-3.4	-.2	-.9	-.1	-.2
Toys <sup>1</sup> .....	.245	72.345	72.240	-4.2	-.1	-.4	-.1	-.1
Toys, games, hobbies and playground equipment <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	-	69.795	70.068	-2.0	.4	-.3	.0	.4
Sewing machines, fabric and supplies <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.071	90.664	90.234	-.7	-.5	-1.5	-.6	-.5
Music instruments and accessories <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.049	95.490	95.016	-2.7	-.5	-1.8	.3	-.5
Recreation services <sup>3</sup> .....	1.651	138.166	138.649	3.7	.3	.4	.0	.4
Club membership dues and fees for participant sports <sup>3</sup> .....	.504	122.836	123.084	1.1	.2	.4	-.4	.0
Admissions .....	.706	301.666	302.935	5.4	.4	.5	.0	.6
Admission to movies, theaters, and concerts <sup>2 3</sup> .....	-	146.788	147.279	5.5	.3	.7	.1	.4
Admission to sporting events <sup>2 3</sup> .....	-	156.921	158.095	4.3	.7	.8	-.2	.7
Fees for lessons or instructions <sup>7</sup> .....	.217	241.141	242.758	4.4	.7	.1	.8	.8
Recreational reading materials <sup>1</sup> .....	.312	206.484	206.565	.6	.0	.1	.3	.0
Newspapers and magazines <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.184	121.482	121.576	.3	.1	-.2	.2	.1
Recreational books <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.127	103.901	103.884	.9	.0	-.2	.4	.0

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<b>Expenditure category</b>								
Education and communication <sup>3</sup> .....	6.034	117.971	118.231	2.3	0.2	-0.1	0.3	0.5
Education <sup>3</sup> .....	3.076	167.927	168.114	6.1	.1	.1	.6	.6
Educational books and supplies .....	.204	407.809	413.665	8.0	1.4	1.1	.1	1.7
College textbooks <sup>1 2 10</sup> .....	-	134.254	136.309	8.2	1.5	1.7	.5	1.5
Tuition, other school fees, and childcare .....	2.872	484.459	484.532	6.0	.0	.1	.6	.5
College tuition and fees .....	1.524	526.636	526.508	6.7	.0	.2	.6	.5
Elementary and high school tuition and fees .....	.408	528.094	528.086	6.0	.0	.5	.6	.4
Child care and nursery school <sup>9</sup> .....	.735	212.245	212.286	4.7	.0	.1	.3	.3
Technical and business school tuition and fees <sup>3</sup> .....	.067	173.496	175.240	4.4	1.0	-1.1	.9	1.3
Communication <sup>3</sup> .....	2.958	82.845	83.122	-1.5	.3	-4	.1	.3
Postage and delivery services <sup>3</sup> .....	.189	127.065	127.006	.4	.0	.2	.1	-1
Postage <sup>1</sup> .....	.174	201.115	201.115	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0
Delivery services <sup>3</sup> .....	.015	181.004	180.016	5.5	-5	2.8	.6	-7
Information and information processing <sup>1 3</sup> .....	2.769	80.311	80.601	-1.6	.4	-4	.1	.4
Telephone services <sup>1 3</sup> .....	2.225	97.096	97.514	2.6	.4	.1	.2	.4
Land-line telephone services, local charges <sup>1 5</sup> .....	.746	218.289	219.371	3.5	.5	.1	.6	.5
Land-line telephone services, long distance charges <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.685	69.861	70.460	4.9	.9	.3	.1	.9
Land-line interstate toll calls <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	50.545	50.519	5.2	-1	.5	.0	-1
Land-line intrastate toll calls <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	71.844	72.598	5.2	1.0	-3	-1	1.0
Wireless telephone services <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.795	64.575	64.575	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0
Information technology, hardware and services <sup>1 13</sup> .....	.543	10.853	10.860	-16.5	.1	-2.7	-4	.1
Personal computers and peripheral equipment <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.203	10.174	10.191	-10.6	.2	-4	-8	.2
Computer software and accessories <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.037	53.956	53.687	-5.1	-5	-2	-2	-5
Internet services and electronic information providers <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.245	73.302	73.460	-23.3	.2	-4.9	-1	.2
Telephone hardware, calculators, and other consumer information items <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.051	39.851	39.608	-8.3	-6	-7	-5	-6
Other goods and services .....	3.476	330.459	331.144	3.5	.2	.8	.2	.2
Tobacco and smoking products <sup>1</sup> .....	.712	548.896	550.021	6.0	.2	3.1	1.0	.2
Cigarettes <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.662	222.650	223.044	6.2	.2	3.2	1.1	.2
Tobacco products other than cigarettes <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.046	159.082	160.067	2.7	.6	.8	.1	.6
Personal care .....	2.764	193.987	194.390	2.8	.2	.2	.0	.1
Personal care products <sup>1</sup> .....	.708	158.038	158.592	2.2	.4	-8	.2	.4
Hair, dental, shaving, and miscellaneous personal care products <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.368	103.826	103.610	1.9	-2	-1.1	.7	-2
Cosmetics, perfume, bath, nail preparations and implements <sup>1</sup> .....	.336	176.007	177.711	2.4	1.0	-5	-3	1.0
Personal care services <sup>1</sup> .....	.677	214.616	215.091	3.2	.2	.7	.3	.2
Haircuts and other personal care services <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.677	130.951	131.241	3.2	.2	.8	.3	.2
Miscellaneous personal services .....	1.188	320.725	321.299	3.3	.2	.2	.0	.1
Legal services <sup>7</sup> .....	.304	256.503	258.069	4.3	.6	.0	.1	.5
Funeral expenses <sup>7</sup> .....	.191	248.487	249.495	5.4	.4	.6	.4	.4
Laundry and dry cleaning services <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.285	127.842	127.078	2.2	-6	.3	.4	-6
Apparel services other than laundry and dry cleaning <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.034	135.029	135.607	4.5	.4	.1	.4	.4
Financial services <sup>7</sup> .....	.186	265.089	266.343	2.5	.5	.6	-1	.0
Checking account and other bank services <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	-	127.160	127.136	1.6	.0	.5	-1	.0
Tax return preparation and other accounting fees <sup>2 3</sup> .....	-	158.977	160.155	2.9	.7	.6	-3	.2
Care of invalids and elderly at home <sup>1 4</sup> .....	.106	102.364	102.250	1.2	-1	.3	-1.0	-1
Miscellaneous personal goods <sup>3</sup> .....	.192	86.975	86.813	.7	-2	-5	.3	-3
Stationery, stationery supplies, gift wrap <sup>2</sup> .....	-	152.043	151.678	1.2	-2	.1	.2	-4
Infants' equipment <sup>1 2 4</sup> .....	-	96.900	97.261	2.9	.4	-4	.2	.4
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>								
Commodities .....	40.305	162.890	165.710	1.8	1.7	-1	.4	1.2
Commodities less food and beverages .....	25.313	142.290	146.037	.9	2.6	-5	.1	1.8
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	14.191	170.479	178.548	3.0	4.7	-1.5	-2	2.9
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel .....	10.465	206.395	217.451	3.9	5.4	-1.1	.2	4.9
Durables .....	11.122	113.210	113.163	-1.7	.0	-3	-1	.1
Services .....	59.695	243.793	244.671	3.4	.4	.3	.4	.2
Rent of shelter <sup>6</sup> .....	32.407	248.024	249.087	4.0	.4	.3	.3	.0
Transportation services .....	5.638	232.077	232.200	1.5	.1	.3	.1	.0
Other services .....	10.730	281.864	282.431	2.9	.2	.1	.2	.3
All items less food .....	86.115	204.101	206.195	2.7	1.0	.0	.3	.7
All items less shelter .....	67.224	192.272	194.482	2.2	1.1	.1	.4	.9
All items less medical care .....	93.719	196.298	198.179	2.7	1.0	.1	.4	.6
Commodities less food .....	26.420	144.558	148.240	1.0	2.5	-5	.2	1.7

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 2006	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Mar. 2007 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Feb. 2007	Mar. 2007	Mar. 2006	Feb. 2007	Dec. to Jan.	Jan. to Feb.	Feb. to Mar.
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>								
Nondurables less food .....	15.299	172.552	180.197	3.0	4.4	-1.3	-0.2	2.8
Nondurables less food and apparel .....	11.572	205.347	215.400	3.8	4.9	-1.0	.2	4.5
Nondurables .....	29.183	185.751	190.212	3.2	2.4	-.4	.3	1.6
Apparel less footwear .....	2.977	113.974	117.869	1.0	3.4	.6	.6	-1.1
Services less rent of shelter <sup>6</sup> .....	27.288	257.147	257.864	2.8	.3	.3	.4	.4
Services less medical care services .....	54.861	233.963	234.809	3.3	.4	.3	.3	.2
Energy .....	8.715	184.451	196.929	4.4	6.8	-1.5	.9	5.9
All items less energy .....	91.285	207.106	207.850	2.6	.4	.3	.3	.1
All items less food and energy .....	77.401	209.112	209.923	2.5	.4	.3	.2	.1
Commodities less food and energy commodities .....	21.735	140.305	141.056	-.3	.5	.1	.1	-.1
Energy commodities .....	4.685	198.617	222.620	6.9	12.1	-3.1	.3	10.1
Services less energy services .....	55.666	250.199	251.026	3.6	.3	.3	.3	.1
Domestically produced farm food <sup>1</sup> .....	6.580	203.203	203.537	3.2	.2	1.1	.9	.2
Utilities and public transportation .....	9.356	187.485	188.535	2.1	.6	.3	.7	.9
Purchasing power of the consumer dollar (1982-84=\$1.00) .....	-	\$ .491	\$ .487	-	-	-	-	-
Purchasing power of the consumer dollar (1967=\$1.00) .....	-	\$ .164	\$ .163	-	-	-	-	-

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

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

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

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

<sup>5</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 1996=100 base.

<sup>13</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 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—	
	Dec. 2006	Jan. 2007	Feb. 2007	Mar. 2007	June 2006	Sep. 2006	Dec. 2006	Mar. 2007	Sep. 2006	Mar. 2007
<b>Expenditure category</b>										
All items .....	202.8	203.153	203.906	205.146	5.7	0.6	0.2	4.7	3.1	2.4
Food and beverages .....	197.2	198.604	200.150	200.756	2.1	3.1	.6	7.4	2.6	4.0
Food .....	196.8	198.173	199.728	200.281	2.1	3.3	.6	7.3	2.7	3.9
Food at home .....	193.9	195.562	197.721	198.554	1.0	3.8	-1.2	10.0	2.4	4.2
Cereals and bakery products .....	216.0	216.642	219.067	218.512	2.3	3.8	3.4	4.7	3.1	4.1
Cereals and cereal products .....	190.0	188.296	192.799	191.743	3.1	1.3	5.2	3.7	2.2	4.5
Flour and prepared flour mixes .....	185.7	187.364	188.662	186.943	.7	6.3	4.9	2.7	3.5	3.8
Breakfast cereal <sup>1</sup> .....	202.3	197.456	204.051	201.684	10.6	-6.8	8.1	-1.2	1.5	3.3
Rice, pasta, cornmeal <sup>1</sup> .....	174.9	174.587	178.494	178.352	-.2	3.1	8.7	8.1	1.4	8.4
Rice <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	117.3	118.648	117.838	117.571	5.8	3.9	5.3	.9	4.8	3.1
Bakery products <sup>1</sup> .....	228.5	231.220	232.883	232.692	2.3	4.0	1.1	7.5	3.1	4.2
Bread <sup>1 3</sup> .....	133.4	134.828	136.488	135.943	.9	8.7	5.9	7.8	4.7	6.9
White bread <sup>1 2</sup> .....	244.6	249.169	250.388	247.489	.3	7.0	10.3	4.8	3.6	7.5
Bread other than white <sup>1 2</sup> .....	251.3	252.994	258.667	258.738	.5	11.1	-3.6	12.4	5.7	4.1
Fresh biscuits, rolls, muffins <sup>1 3</sup> .....	134.0	133.759	133.881	135.034	-.6	8.3	9.1	3.1	3.8	6.1
Cakes, cupcakes, and cookies .....	214.8	215.753	217.941	219.598	2.9	1.7	-.6	9.2	2.3	4.2
Cookies <sup>2</sup> .....	213.2	213.583	216.243	217.953	3.1	4.9	1.9	9.2	4.0	5.5
Fresh cakes and cupcakes <sup>1 2</sup> .....	216.9	217.902	221.814	222.203	2.2	-3.6	-.2	10.1	-.7	4.9
Other bakery products .....	217.0	220.523	219.311	217.711	2.1	3.2	-.6	1.3	2.6	.4
Fresh sweetrolls, coffeecakes, doughnuts <sup>1 2</sup> .....	225.3	223.573	221.596	223.128	.5	.9	7.2	-3.8	.7	1.6
Crackers, bread, and cracker products <sup>2</sup> .....	251.8	259.913	254.481	256.068	-5.0	5.1	-2.2	7.0	-.1	2.3
Frozen and refrigerated bakery products, pies, tarts, turnovers <sup>2</sup> .....	221.5	222.386	228.073	223.264	10.1	3.7	.2	3.2	6.8	1.7
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs .....	188.1	189.534	190.383	192.493	.9	3.0	.9	9.7	1.9	5.2
Meats, poultry, and fish .....	189.1	190.343	190.517	193.061	.0	3.2	-.4	8.6	1.6	4.0
Meats .....	189.6	191.034	190.713	193.949	-2.3	2.1	1.3	9.5	-.1	5.3
Beef and veal <sup>1</sup> .....	202.6	203.168	205.786	208.731	-7.1	1.6	3.0	12.7	-2.8	7.7
Uncooked ground beef <sup>1</sup> .....	177.7	177.805	180.997	181.778	-6.8	.7	4.4	9.5	-3.1	6.9
Uncooked beef roasts <sup>1 3</sup> .....	147.5	146.626	151.905	152.622	-7.2	2.0	11.9	14.6	-2.7	13.3
Uncooked beef steaks <sup>1 3</sup> .....	145.1	146.440	146.366	150.995	-7.6	3.4	-2.2	17.3	-2.3	7.1
Uncooked other beef and veal <sup>1 3</sup> .....	138.1	138.617	139.459	139.390	-4.2	-1.4	1.8	3.8	-2.8	2.8
Pork .....	177.9	178.426	177.327	180.677	-1.1	4.1	-.2	6.4	1.5	3.0
Bacon, breakfast sausage, and related products <sup>3</sup> ..	123.0	124.170	125.764	126.028	3.3	1.6	-2.2	10.2	2.5	3.8
Bacon and related products <sup>2</sup> .....	213.0	214.554	218.913	217.647	1.9	4.6	-3.8	9.0	3.2	2.4
Breakfast sausage and related products <sup>2 3</sup> .....	120.1	121.312	121.151	121.922	3.7	-2.0	2.0	6.2	.8	4.1
Ham .....	176.4	175.860	172.430	175.949	-4.5	3.5	.5	-1.0	-.6	-.3
Ham, excluding canned <sup>2</sup> .....	199.3	198.820	193.135	198.546	-4.9	5.8	-.6	-1.5	.3	-1.1
Pork chops .....	168.6	167.047	166.464	169.443	-8.9	5.4	2.9	2.0	-2.0	2.5
Other pork including roasts and picnics <sup>3</sup> .....	112.8	112.979	112.233	114.040	8.0	9.8	-.7	4.5	8.9	1.8
Other meats .....	182.0	186.991	181.571	185.277	7.1	.2	-.4	7.4	3.6	3.4
Frankfurters <sup>2</sup> .....	172.2	183.025	175.433	180.602	3.5	-5.2	3.1	21.0	-.9	11.7
Lunchmeats <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	119.1	120.306	118.575	119.559	10.7	2.4	-3.6	1.6	6.5	-1.1
Lamb and organ meats <sup>1 2</sup> .....	NA	NA	NA	NA	17.8	-5.5	-	-	5.5	-
Lamb and mutton <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	NA	NA	NA	NA	-	-	-	-	-	-
Poultry <sup>1</sup> .....	182.5	181.808	183.213	185.958	.7	3.3	-3.0	7.8	2.0	2.3
Chicken <sup>1 3</sup> .....	118.5	116.973	118.216	120.488	1.0	4.1	-1.3	6.9	2.6	2.7
Fresh whole chicken <sup>1 2</sup> .....	186.1	184.110	181.895	187.814	8.9	.7	2.2	3.7	4.7	3.0
Fresh and frozen chicken parts <sup>1 2</sup> .....	181.2	178.227	183.151	185.350	-1.5	8.5	-3.9	9.5	3.4	2.6
Other poultry including turkey <sup>3</sup> .....	116.9	118.948	117.581	116.837	-1.7	.3	1.7	-.2	-.7	.8
Fish and seafood <sup>1</sup> .....	211.6	214.642	215.407	214.915	10.1	6.8	-3.9	6.4	8.5	1.1
Fresh fish and seafood <sup>1 3</sup> .....	125.9	127.640	129.729	129.383	8.8	11.8	-5.2	11.5	10.3	2.8
Processed fish and seafood <sup>3</sup> .....	111.5	112.366	111.639	112.681	2.9	-1.8	1.8	4.3	.5	3.1
Canned fish and seafood <sup>2</sup> .....	143.9	145.762	147.017	145.804	5.8	-3.0	6.7	5.4	1.3	6.0
Frozen fish and seafood <sup>1 2</sup> .....	233.8	237.281	228.370	231.850	12.9	2.0	-9.2	-3.3	7.3	-6.3
Eggs .....	165.9	169.607	183.213	177.065	19.9	-2.6	40.4	29.8	8.1	35.0
Dairy and related products .....	180.4	182.720	183.143	185.540	-3.2	-2.4	.4	11.9	-2.8	6.0
Milk <sup>1 3</sup> .....	125.5	127.038	128.241	129.333	-10.6	-.6	7.0	12.8	-5.7	9.8
Fresh whole milk <sup>1 2</sup> .....	181.2	183.792	185.371	186.492	-11.6	-2.7	8.1	12.2	-7.2	10.1
Fresh milk other than whole <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	128.0	129.594	130.862	132.032	-11.5	3.9	5.2	13.2	-4.1	9.1
Cheese and related products <sup>1</sup> .....	178.9	181.083	181.240	184.030	-9.5	2.5	-1.3	12.0	-3.7	5.1
Ice cream and related products .....	181.5	183.025	180.199	183.044	4.3	-.4	3.4	3.4	1.9	3.4
Other dairy and related products <sup>1 3</sup> .....	121.7	123.286	124.681	125.366	-1.9	-2.9	-1.6	12.6	-2.4	5.2

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—	
	Dec. 2006	Jan. 2007	Feb. 2007	Mar. 2007	June 2006	Sep. 2006	Dec. 2006	Mar. 2007	Sep. 2006	Mar. 2007
<b>Expenditure category</b>										
Fruits and vegetables .....	252.3	255.519	267.426	263.665	3.3	18.6	-12.8	19.3	10.7	2.0
Fresh fruits and vegetables .....	298.1	303.198	320.532	314.923	3.9	23.1	-17.1	24.6	13.1	1.6
Fresh fruits .....	316.5	321.256	339.683	331.845	3.4	9.2	-6.3	20.8	6.2	6.4
Apples .....	283.1	287.281	295.811	299.535	19.2	35.0	-16.7	25.3	26.8	2.2
Bananas .....	178.0	175.773	174.733	172.230	-2	-7	7.8	-12.3	-5	-2.8
Citrus fruits <sup>3</sup> .....	197.6	213.995	248.911	242.825	-25.7	13.0	-3.2	128.0	-8.4	48.6
Oranges, including tangerines <sup>2</sup> .....	411.4	443.536	541.451	527.162	.0	10.0	6.5	169.6	4.9	69.4
Other fresh fruits <sup>3</sup> .....	111.8	110.739	115.707	112.279	14.5	3.9	-11.6	1.7	9.1	-5.2
Fresh vegetables .....	278.6	284.030	300.211	296.705	4.4	39.2	-26.9	28.6	20.6	-3.0
Potatoes .....	279.1	273.523	272.447	277.552	7.6	19.3	-5.7	-2.2	13.3	-3.9
Lettuce <sup>1</sup> .....	281.9	292.179	294.692	287.574	16.3	16.4	11.7	8.3	16.4	10.0
Tomatoes .....	297.2	279.233	302.718	280.402	-13.0	139.4	-53.3	-20.8	44.4	-39.2
Other fresh vegetables .....	280.5	298.371	317.236	318.660	5.8	23.3	-23.2	66.6	14.2	13.1
Processed fruits and vegetables <sup>3</sup> .....	124.9	124.515	125.291	125.255	.7	2.6	5.6	1.1	1.6	3.4
Canned fruits and vegetables <sup>3</sup> .....	124.1	123.018	124.189	123.622	-2.6	-3	8.5	-1.5	-1.5	3.4
Canned fruits <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	122.3	122.945	124.395	123.276	5.0	-1.9	-1.0	3.2	1.5	1.1
Canned vegetables <sup>2 3</sup> .....	127.1	127.065	127.834	128.071	-2.5	-3.4	6.2	3.1	-3.0	4.6
Frozen fruits and vegetables <sup>3</sup> .....	126.6	126.231	126.801	128.083	-1.0	4.3	4.5	4.8	1.6	4.7
Frozen vegetables <sup>2</sup> .....	180.6	178.311	180.595	181.455	-8.4	3.4	5.3	1.9	-2.6	3.6
Other processed fruits and vegetables including dried <sup>3</sup> .....	123.1	125.523	124.893	126.029	6.2	4.7	3.0	9.9	5.5	6.4
Dried beans, peas, and lentils <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	123.6	126.117	124.531	126.769	7.7	5.1	9.6	10.7	6.4	10.1
Nonalcoholic beverages and beverage materials .....	149.0	150.136	150.507	153.069	.0	1.9	3.0	11.4	1.0	7.1
Juices and nonalcoholic drinks <sup>3</sup> .....	114.2	115.573	115.538	117.820	1.4	2.1	2.1	13.3	1.8	7.6
Carbonated drinks .....	135.0	136.732	136.695	140.482	.0	.9	2.1	17.3	.4	9.4
Frozen noncarbonated juices and drinks <sup>1 3</sup> .....	126.5	129.916	133.910	134.429	4.1	3.1	25.2	27.5	3.6	26.3
Nonfrozen noncarbonated juices and drinks <sup>1 3</sup> .....	110.7	112.127	112.064	113.410	.0	3.0	2.6	10.2	1.5	6.3
Beverage materials including coffee and tea <sup>3</sup> .....	105.3	105.826	106.620	107.204	-2.7	1.9	4.3	7.4	-4	5.8
Coffee <sup>1</sup> .....	165.8	170.396	172.937	174.184	-2.6	-1.0	1.5	21.8	-1.8	11.2
Roasted coffee <sup>2</sup> .....	170.9	172.744	176.684	176.803	-7.5	2.4	5.6	14.5	-2.7	10.0
Instant and freeze dried coffee <sup>1 2</sup> .....	188.5	189.583	190.645	187.522	4.1	-3.8	29.2	-2.1	.1	12.5
Other beverage materials including tea <sup>1 3</sup> .....	118.9	118.579	119.293	119.801	-9.8	4.3	10.8	3.1	-3.0	6.8
Other food at home .....	169.2	170.708	171.243	171.658	2.4	-5	-1.4	5.9	.9	2.2
Sugar and sweets .....	174.0	175.043	173.767	174.394	3.8	2.1	3.8	.9	3.0	2.3
Sugar and artificial sweeteners .....	167.6	166.877	166.775	167.572	11.7	5.0	2.9	-1	8.3	1.4
Candy and chewing gum <sup>1 3</sup> .....	113.1	114.541	113.538	113.869	.0	-1.1	4.7	2.7	-5	3.7
Other sweets <sup>3</sup> .....	124.5	124.182	124.963	126.206	9.6	.0	3.6	5.6	4.7	4.6
Fats and oils .....	169.0	169.010	170.528	169.938	.5	-5	3.4	2.2	.0	2.8
Butter and margarine <sup>3</sup> .....	133.0	133.905	132.597	134.307	-7.3	-1.5	7.2	4.0	-4.4	5.6
Butter <sup>2</sup> .....	168.1	165.751	164.052	167.614	-5.4	-12.4	4.9	-1.2	-9.0	1.8
Margarine <sup>2</sup> .....	181.5	182.688	183.710	186.444	3.7	-2	5.7	11.3	1.7	8.5
Salad dressing <sup>3</sup> .....	109.8	110.482	109.595	109.522	.0	6.8	.0	-1.0	3.4	-5
Other fats and oils including peanut butter <sup>1 3</sup> .....	117.3	118.710	121.658	120.273	1.0	-3.3	.3	10.5	-1.2	5.3
Peanut butter <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	108.5	111.686	113.066	111.507	2.9	-7.2	-8.0	11.6	-2.3	1.3
Other foods <sup>1</sup> .....	183.5	185.499	186.358	186.962	2.4	-1.3	-3.2	7.8	.5	2.1
Soups .....	214.6	213.569	215.585	214.994	-9	2.4	-2.0	.7	.7	-7
Frozen and freeze dried prepared foods .....	151.4	153.895	156.009	155.621	-4.1	.8	-4.6	11.6	-1.7	3.2
Snacks <sup>1</sup> .....	179.5	180.949	180.916	183.887	2.2	-1.7	-3.3	10.1	.2	3.2
Spices, seasonings, condiments, sauces <sup>1</sup> .....	185.0	193.147	195.589	195.197	3.2	-1.0	-12.7	23.9	1.1	4.0
Salt and other seasonings and spices <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	109.0	110.948	112.190	113.290	-1.8	1.8	-10.6	16.7	.0	2.1
Olives, pickles, relishes <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	112.6	118.417	120.774	118.134	-4	26.0	-15.7	21.2	12.1	1.1
Sauces and gravies <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	109.4	112.214	112.333	111.842	.4	1.1	-3.6	9.2	.7	2.6
Other condiments <sup>1 2</sup> .....	199.3	227.769	228.192	229.058	3.8	-4.5	-36.4	74.5	-4	5.3
Baby food <sup>1 3</sup> .....	128.6	127.966	128.593	128.328	-4.0	5.2	1.3	-.8	.5	.2
Other miscellaneous foods <sup>1 3</sup> .....	115.1	114.655	114.939	114.331	5.0	-7	3.2	-2.6	2.1	.2
Food away from home <sup>1</sup> .....	202.2	203.171	203.909	204.082	3.3	2.6	3.4	3.8	3.0	3.6
Full service meals and snacks <sup>1 3</sup> .....	127.5	128.128	128.504	128.725	3.9	2.2	3.5	3.9	3.1	3.7
Limited service meals and snacks <sup>1 3</sup> .....	127.7	128.244	128.781	128.843	2.9	2.2	3.5	3.6	2.6	3.6
Food at employee sites and schools <sup>3</sup> .....	124.5	124.840	125.490	125.600	4.7	7.4	.0	3.6	6.0	1.8
Food at elementary and secondary schools <sup>1 2 4</sup> .....	104.3	104.342	104.702	104.622	.8	15.2	1.9	1.2	7.7	1.6
Food from vending machines and mobile vendors <sup>1 3</sup> .....	116.5	116.280	116.578	116.678	.7	2.1	3.9	.6	1.4	2.2
Other food away from home <sup>3</sup> .....	139.3	141.129	141.604	141.393	3.3	3.6	5.3	6.1	3.4	5.7

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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					
					3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
	Dec. 2006	Jan. 2007	Feb. 2007	Mar. 2007	June 2006	Sep. 2006	Dec. 2006	Mar. 2007	Sep. 2006	Mar. 2007
<b>Expenditure category</b>										
Alcoholic beverages <sup>1</sup> .....	201.1	202.968	204.385	205.663	3.0	-0.4	-0.6	9.4	1.3	4.3
Alcoholic beverages at home .....	175.2	176.259	177.184	178.084	1.8	-1.4	1.1	6.7	.2	3.9
Beer, ale, and other malt beverages at home .....	178.6	180.073	181.667	182.014	.2	.9	.4	7.9	.6	4.1
Distilled spirits at home .....	180.0	179.410	180.383	180.749	1.3	-1.5	1.6	1.7	-1.1	1.6
Whiskey at home <sup>1 2</sup> .....	178.9	181.021	184.299	185.558	.0	1.1	-5.6	15.7	.6	4.5
Distilled spirits, excluding whiskey, at home <sup>2</sup> .....	178.1	176.990	177.379	177.686	-.9	-3.1	3.7	-.9	-2.0	1.3
Wine at home .....	160.1	161.061	161.018	162.900	4.6	-2.9	.8	7.2	.8	3.9
Alcoholic beverages away from home .....	258.4	260.133	260.787	261.946	5.5	4.5	1.1	5.6	5.0	3.3
Beer, ale, and other malt beverages away from home <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	131.7	132.534	132.837	132.924	9.8	3.7	.6	3.8	6.7	2.2
Wine away from home <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	140.1	140.777	141.708	141.803	4.1	2.0	.6	5.0	3.1	2.7
Distilled spirits away from home <sup>2 3</sup> .....	136.2	137.292	137.401	138.512	5.2	3.6	1.5	7.0	4.4	4.2
Housing .....	206.3	206.799	207.616	208.072	2.8	3.8	3.4	3.5	3.3	3.4
Shelter .....	236.6	237.350	238.043	238.176	5.0	4.0	4.2	2.7	4.5	3.4
Rent of primary residence <sup>5</sup> .....	229.8	230.670	231.642	232.437	4.4	4.5	4.8	4.7	4.5	4.8
Lodging away from home <sup>3</sup> .....	138.3	139.802	139.913	136.702	2.7	3.9	3.5	-4.5	3.3	-6
Housing at school, excluding board <sup>5 6</sup> .....	360.2	361.640	363.736	365.850	6.9	3.2	5.0	6.4	5.0	5.7
Other lodging away from home including hotels and motels .....	290.5	293.656	293.808	286.588	2.4	3.8	3.7	-5.3	3.1	-9
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>5 6</sup> .....	242.8	243.279	243.988	244.646	5.4	4.1	4.1	3.1	4.7	3.6
Tenants' and household insurance <sup>1 3</sup> .....	117.1	117.417	117.320	117.333	.7	.0	2.4	.8	.3	1.6
Fuels and utilities .....	195.3	195.818	198.215	200.689	-7.9	5.1	1.0	11.5	-1.6	6.1
Household energy .....	177.1	177.287	179.714	182.293	-10.1	4.9	.7	12.3	-2.9	6.3
Fuel oil and other fuels .....	233.9	223.707	223.344	231.088	35.2	-2.9	-10.7	-4.7	14.6	-7.8
Fuel oil .....	242.5	228.804	230.029	238.868	44.7	-6.9	-12.0	-5.9	16.1	-9.0
Propane, kerosene, and firewood <sup>7</sup> .....	269.8	268.390	268.076	272.873	11.3	-2.8	-1.2	4.6	4.0	1.7
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>5</sup> .....	182.2	183.084	185.812	188.185	-12.9	5.5	1.8	13.8	-4.2	7.6
Electricity <sup>5</sup> .....	170.4	173.833	173.819	174.722	1.9	3.4	-2	10.5	2.6	5.0
Utility (piped) gas service <sup>5</sup> .....	217.5	211.067	221.722	228.355	-38.6	11.0	6.3	21.5	-17.5	13.7
Water and sewer and trash collection services <sup>3</sup> .....	139.3	140.634	141.349	141.806	3.3	6.0	3.2	7.4	4.6	5.3
Water and sewerage maintenance <sup>1 5</sup> .....	302.5	305.367	307.203	308.184	2.9	5.9	3.1	7.7	4.4	5.4
Garbage and trash collection <sup>1 8</sup> .....	337.2	340.087	340.898	342.033	4.4	6.9	3.5	5.9	5.6	4.7
Household furnishings and operations .....	127.4	127.017	127.238	127.483	1.9	.9	.0	.3	1.4	.1
Window and floor coverings and other linens <sup>3</sup> .....	82.6	82.089	82.667	82.322	-4.6	1.0	-7.4	-1.3	-1.9	-4.4
Floor coverings <sup>1 3</sup> .....	119.5	118.801	118.858	118.415	-1.0	9.7	5.2	-3.6	4.2	.7
Window coverings <sup>1 3</sup> .....	87.9	89.298	87.619	85.605	.5	8.2	2.8	-10.0	4.3	-3.8
Other linens <sup>1 3</sup> .....	71.3	71.444	71.470	71.566	-7.2	1.6	-17.9	1.5	-2.9	-8.7
Furniture and bedding <sup>1</sup> .....	126.2	126.021	127.137	127.438	4.8	-3.4	-1.6	4.0	.6	1.2
Bedroom furniture <sup>1</sup> .....	144.4	143.933	145.225	145.426	-2.4	.8	-2.7	2.9	-.8	.0
Living room, kitchen, and dining room furniture <sup>1 3</sup> .....	92.3	92.206	92.287	92.645	7.6	-4.6	-1.3	1.5	1.3	.1
Other furniture <sup>3</sup> .....	89.6	89.733	91.513	90.933	9.0	3.6	-3.1	6.1	6.3	1.4
Infants' furniture <sup>1 2 4</sup> .....	98.6	99.489	105.049	104.297	3.7	-2.8	-4.3	25.2	.4	9.4
Appliances <sup>1 3</sup> .....	88.0	88.283	89.074	89.458	-.5	2.3	-1.8	6.8	.9	2.4
Major appliances <sup>1 3</sup> .....	97.2	97.762	99.054	99.777	-.4	5.1	1.7	11.0	2.3	6.2
Laundry equipment <sup>1 2</sup> .....	112.4	112.541	114.650	115.857	-4.2	.0	5.5	12.9	-2.1	9.1
Other appliances <sup>1 3</sup> .....	76.1	76.065	76.287	76.280	.0	-2.5	-6.1	.9	-1.3	-2.6
Other household equipment and furnishings <sup>3</sup> .....	78.7	78.312	78.023	77.781	-2.0	-7.7	-2.5	-4.6	-4.9	-3.6
Clocks, lamps, and decorator items <sup>1</sup> .....	77.6	76.402	76.163	75.511	-3.9	-14.2	3.2	-10.3	-9.2	-3.8
Indoor plants and flowers <sup>9</sup> .....	122.0	123.302	124.247	123.438	.0	-5.4	3.3	4.8	-2.8	4.1
Dishes and flatware <sup>1 3</sup> .....	74.2	73.994	74.288	74.269	-3.0	-8.9	-12.0	.4	-6.0	-6.0
Nonelectric cookware and tableware <sup>1 3</sup> .....	90.6	91.331	91.720	91.617	-5.6	4.5	-1.7	4.6	-.7	1.4
Tools, hardware, outdoor equipment and supplies <sup>3</sup> .....	95.3	95.063	94.978	95.220	.4	1.3	1.7	-.3	.8	.7
Tools, hardware and supplies <sup>1 3</sup> .....	100.1	99.660	100.107	100.484	-.4	3.3	.0	1.5	1.4	.8
Outdoor equipment and supplies <sup>3</sup> .....	92.6	92.664	92.673	92.696	.9	-1.3	2.6	.4	-.2	1.5
Housekeeping supplies <sup>1</sup> .....	168.3	169.060	168.695	169.666	3.7	3.9	-.7	3.3	3.8	1.3
Household cleaning products <sup>1 3</sup> .....	112.9	112.963	112.528	112.577	2.5	2.5	1.8	-1.1	2.5	.3
Household paper products <sup>1 3</sup> .....	133.9	134.731	134.534	135.110	8.2	2.4	.9	3.7	5.3	2.3
Miscellaneous household products <sup>1 3</sup> .....	111.4	112.523	112.477	114.071	1.8	7.0	-5.9	9.9	4.4	1.7
Household operations <sup>1 3</sup> .....	139.1	139.526	139.733	139.861	4.2	3.3	5.0	2.2	3.7	3.6
Domestic services <sup>1 3</sup> .....	137.3	137.450	137.598	137.710	.9	3.4	13.9	1.2	2.1	7.4
Gardening and lawn care services <sup>1 3</sup> .....	NA	NA	NA	NA	7.0	4.1	-	-	5.6	-
Moving, storage, freight expense <sup>3</sup> .....	128.7	129.406	128.045	127.832	4.1	-1.8	-4.2	-2.7	1.1	-3.5
Repair of household items <sup>1 3</sup> .....	158.4	159.927	160.201	159.496	2.9	5.3	6.0	2.8	4.1	4.4

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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					
					3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
	Dec. 2006	Jan. 2007	Feb. 2007	Mar. 2007	June 2006	Sep. 2006	Dec. 2006	Mar. 2007	Sep. 2006	Mar. 2007
<b>Expenditure category</b>										
Apparel .....	119.8	120.180	120.805	119.541	2.4	2.0	-1.7	-0.9	2.2	-1.3
Men's and boys' apparel .....	113.7	112.492	112.314	111.598	-1.0	5.0	-5.1	-7.2	1.9	-6.2
Men's apparel .....	119.6	119.192	118.796	117.969	-.7	2.0	-3.3	-5.3	.7	-4.3
Men's suits, sport coats, and outerwear .....	119.8	119.196	118.976	118.206	-7.8	-.7	-5.8	-5.2	-4.3	-5.5
Men's furnishings .....	133.3	132.834	133.737	132.814	.6	9.2	-11.2	-1.5	4.8	-6.4
Men's shirts and sweaters <sup>3</sup> .....	85.8	84.755	83.788	83.753	-1.9	.5	5.3	-9.2	-.7	-2.2
Men's pants and shorts .....	109.5	109.805	108.722	107.792	2.2	5.6	-3.9	-6.1	3.9	-5.0
Boys' apparel .....	93.1	88.576	89.156	89.738	-1.3	11.7	-8.5	-13.7	5.0	-11.1
Women's and girls' apparel .....	111.4	112.856	113.628	112.077	4.1	2.5	-2.1	2.5	3.3	.1
Women's apparel .....	113.4	114.907	115.856	113.244	5.5	2.5	-2.4	-.5	4.0	-1.5
Women's outerwear .....	96.6	91.394	90.509	92.053	-14.6	10.4	10.6	-17.5	-2.9	-4.5
Women's dresses .....	114.8	121.513	119.741	110.080	10.3	2.5	8.4	-15.5	6.3	-4.3
Women's suits and separates <sup>3</sup> .....	89.1	90.731	93.027	91.511	9.0	7.8	-8.9	11.3	8.4	.7
Women's underwear, nightwear, sportswear and accessories <sup>3</sup> .....	93.8	93.812	92.096	91.503	2.1	-8.1	-.4	-9.4	-3.1	-5.0
Girls' apparel .....	101.2	102.182	102.022	106.056	-3.9	2.8	.8	20.6	-.6	10.3
Footwear .....	123.5	122.910	122.984	122.184	-1.3	-2.9	2.3	-4.2	-2.1	-1.0
Men's footwear <sup>1</sup> .....	123.4	122.032	121.483	121.975	2.6	-1.9	-1.6	-4.5	.3	-3.1
Boys' and girls' footwear <sup>1</sup> .....	123.4	120.387	121.855	122.031	-7.2	12.3	-7.4	-4.4	2.1	-5.9
Women's footwear .....	122.6	122.384	122.906	121.657	-.6	-7.3	6.1	-3.0	-4.0	1.4
Infants' and toddlers' apparel .....	114.9	114.536	115.619	115.794	-.3	-1.4	-3.7	3.1	-.9	-.4
Jewelry and watches <sup>7</sup> .....	133.0	135.109	138.193	135.364	19.0	3.1	1.2	7.3	10.8	4.2
Watches <sup>7</sup> .....	117.8	120.070	120.151	117.579	3.5	4.2	.3	-.7	3.8	-.2
Jewelry <sup>7</sup> .....	137.3	139.478	143.113	140.101	21.7	3.3	.9	8.4	12.1	4.6
Transportation .....	177.0	175.661	175.749	180.584	20.0	-10.1	-8.6	8.3	3.9	-.5
Private transportation .....	173.1	171.516	171.567	176.599	20.8	-10.7	-8.5	8.3	3.8	-.5
New and used motor vehicles <sup>3</sup> .....	94.5	94.328	94.141	94.273	.8	-1.2	-4.9	-1.0	-.2	-3.0
New vehicles .....	136.4	136.360	136.204	136.601	-1.4	-.6	-3.2	.6	-1.0	-1.3
New cars and trucks <sup>2 3</sup> .....	94.5	94.503	94.424	94.661	-1.7	-.4	-3.3	.7	-1.0	-1.3
New cars <sup>2</sup> .....	136.1	136.019	135.800	136.054	-.3	1.5	-2.0	-.1	.6	-1.1
New trucks <sup>2 8</sup> .....	140.8	140.940	140.657	141.238	-2.5	-3.0	-3.9	1.3	-2.8	-1.3
Used cars and trucks <sup>1</sup> .....	136.2	135.257	134.597	134.382	4.4	-1.4	-12.9	-5.2	1.4	-9.2
Leased cars and trucks <sup>10</sup> .....	93.1	93.115	92.981	93.191	8.5	-5.0	.4	.4	1.5	.4
Car and truck rental <sup>3</sup> .....	114.7	113.621	113.517	110.483	1.5	8.7	14.4	-13.9	5.1	-.8
Motor fuel .....	206.5	200.234	200.921	222.136	86.3	-32.5	-21.7	33.9	12.1	2.4
Gasoline (all types) .....	205.3	199.170	199.842	221.080	86.6	-32.4	-22.1	34.5	12.3	2.4
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>2</sup> .....	205.6	198.850	199.835	220.984	88.2	-33.1	-21.3	33.5	12.2	2.5
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>2 11</sup> .....	209.7	203.627	202.905	225.141	84.1	-31.8	-21.7	32.9	12.0	2.0
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>2</sup> .....	198.8	194.251	193.073	213.165	82.5	-30.4	-21.6	32.2	12.7	1.8
Other motor fuels <sup>1 3</sup> .....	200.1	195.110	195.863	201.939	58.2	-9.9	-21.1	3.7	19.4	-9.5
Motor vehicle parts and equipment <sup>1</sup> .....	119.5	119.759	120.196	120.485	5.7	5.9	2.7	3.3	5.8	3.0
Tires <sup>1</sup> .....	110.0	110.196	110.716	110.747	3.0	5.7	2.2	2.7	4.3	2.5
Vehicle accessories other than tires <sup>1 3</sup> .....	126.2	126.553	126.821	127.515	9.6	7.0	2.9	4.2	8.3	3.6
Vehicle parts and equipment other than tires <sup>1 2</sup> .....	125.6	125.959	125.891	126.743	8.1	3.6	2.3	3.7	5.8	3.0
Motor oil, coolant, and fluids <sup>1 2</sup> .....	224.4	225.123	228.067	227.535	17.1	20.3	5.5	5.7	18.7	5.6
Motor vehicle maintenance and repair .....	218.8	219.001	220.213	221.071	4.6	2.8	3.0	4.2	3.7	3.6
Motor vehicle body work <sup>1</sup> .....	228.1	229.720	230.738	231.084	1.4	4.4	2.7	5.3	2.9	4.0
Motor vehicle maintenance and servicing <sup>1</sup> .....	198.3	198.918	199.679	201.080	2.1	4.0	2.5	5.7	3.0	4.1
Motor vehicle repair <sup>3</sup> .....	135.0	134.848	135.699	135.942	6.2	1.5	4.6	2.8	3.9	3.7
Motor vehicle insurance .....	334.2	333.601	332.950	332.123	-.2	3.3	1.3	-2.5	1.5	-.6
Motor vehicle fees <sup>1 3</sup> .....	139.4	139.957	140.371	140.658	.3	2.6	.3	3.7	1.5	2.0
State and local registration and license <sup>1 3 5</sup> .....	137.6	138.015	138.435	138.349	.0	1.8	-.3	2.2	.9	.9
Parking and other fees <sup>1 3</sup> .....	142.3	143.377	143.781	144.798	2.0	3.7	.8	7.2	2.9	4.0
Parking fees and tolls <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	146.5	148.526	148.939	149.248	1.7	1.9	1.4	7.7	1.8	4.5
Automobile service clubs <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	118.2	116.703	116.909	119.074	2.8	10.4	-1.7	3.0	6.5	.6
Public transportation .....	223.8	227.138	227.931	228.152	7.3	.0	-8.5	8.0	3.6	-.6
Airline fare .....	241.4	246.586	248.856	249.591	9.8	1.0	-15.3	14.3	5.3	-1.6
Other intercity transportation <sup>1</sup> .....	154.7	155.087	152.063	150.383	16.3	-8.2	3.2	-10.7	3.3	-4.0
Ship fare <sup>2 3</sup> .....	71.0	71.454	71.262	70.707	1.7	-4.9	1.7	-1.6	-1.7	.0
Intracity transportation <sup>1</sup> .....	227.5	228.843	229.194	229.455	1.1	2.0	1.1	3.5	1.5	2.3

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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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	Dec. 2006	Jan. 2007	Feb. 2007	Mar. 2007	June 2006	Sep. 2006	Dec. 2006	Mar. 2007	Sep. 2006	Mar. 2007
<b>Expenditure category</b>										
Medical care .....	341.3	344.046	345.686	345.994	3.8	3.7	2.9	5.6	3.8	4.2
Medical care commodities .....	286.9	288.720	287.830	286.925	2.3	2.5	-1.1	.0	2.4	-.5
Prescription drugs .....	364.1	368.121	366.595	365.232	3.1	3.6	-3.9	1.2	3.3	-1.3
Nonprescription drugs and medical supplies <sup>1 7</sup> .....	156.3	155.403	155.219	155.328	.0	-.3	6.1	-2.5	-.1	1.7
Internal and respiratory over-the-counter drugs <sup>1</sup> .....	185.5	184.023	184.376	184.325	1.1	-.4	6.3	-2.5	.3	1.8
Nonprescription medical equipment and supplies <sup>1</sup> .....	185.1	185.024	183.563	184.082	-2.2	.0	5.8	-2.2	-1.1	1.7
Medical care services .....	357.2	360.250	362.812	363.568	4.2	4.2	4.0	7.3	4.2	5.7
Professional services .....	293.5	295.956	297.958	298.146	2.5	3.2	3.3	6.5	2.9	4.9
Physicians' services <sup>5</sup> .....	295.5	298.980	300.877	301.002	1.2	1.9	3.7	7.7	1.6	5.7
Dental services <sup>5</sup> .....	348.3	350.165	352.301	353.154	6.1	5.0	4.2	5.7	5.6	5.0
Eyeglasses and eye care <sup>1 7</sup> .....	170.3	171.281	172.079	171.268	.5	1.2	5.8	2.3	.8	4.1
Services by other medical professionals <sup>5 7</sup> .....	194.7	195.226	195.251	196.303	1.1	6.2	.8	3.3	3.6	2.1
Hospital and related services <sup>5</sup> .....	478.7	481.795	484.918	486.910	6.9	5.6	3.7	7.0	6.2	5.3
Hospital services <sup>5 12</sup> .....	176.0	177.105	178.300	179.099	7.0	5.5	3.5	7.2	6.2	5.3
Inpatient hospital services <sup>2 5 12</sup> .....	171.5	172.480	173.674	173.286	6.2	5.6	4.3	4.2	5.9	4.3
Outpatient hospital services <sup>1 2 5 7</sup> .....	402.4	405.847	410.863	416.325	2.8	5.1	4.2	14.6	3.9	9.3
Nursing homes and adult daycare <sup>5 12</sup> .....	155.0	156.019	156.390	157.165	4.6	4.9	7.3	5.7	4.8	6.5
Health insurance <sup>1 4</sup> .....	106.4	108.292	110.101	111.122	3.2	4.8	10.4	19.0	4.0	14.6
Recreation <sup>3</sup> .....	111.1	111.160	111.150	111.118	2.2	.4	-.4	.1	1.3	-.1
Video and audio <sup>3</sup> .....	103.4	103.160	103.065	102.541	1.1	-1.5	-4.9	-3.3	-.2	-4.1
Televisions .....	19.1	18.522	18.473	17.918	-22.6	-23.9	-34.1	-22.5	-23.3	-28.6
Cable and satellite television and radio service <sup>8</sup> .....	347.3	347.422	347.809	346.861	5.6	1.6	-.5	-.5	3.6	-.5
Other video equipment <sup>3</sup> .....	25.0	24.996	25.077	24.411	-18.4	-14.1	-11.8	-9.1	-16.3	-10.5
Video cassettes, discs, and other media including rental <sup>1 3</sup> .....	77.4	76.628	75.904	75.993	-1.6	1.1	4.8	-7.1	-.3	-1.3
Video cassettes and discs, blank and prerecorded <sup>1 2 3</sup> ..	68.4	66.916	64.702	64.918	-9.3	1.8	-3.4	-18.9	-3.9	-11.5
Rental of video tapes and discs <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	92.2	91.643	91.389	91.463	.4	.4	11.6	-3.2	.4	4.0
Audio equipment <sup>1</sup> .....	55.9	55.494	55.163	55.280	2.1	-8.7	-5.5	-4.4	-3.4	-4.9
Audio discs, tapes and other media <sup>1 3</sup> .....	105.9	105.483	105.989	104.919	-.4	-5.1	-4.0	-3.7	-2.7	-3.9
Pets, pet products and services <sup>3</sup> .....	130.0	130.781	131.888	131.831	7.5	3.1	.9	5.8	5.3	3.3
Pets and pet products .....	162.8	163.709	165.146	164.509	9.1	3.5	-2.2	4.3	6.3	1.0
Pet food <sup>2 3</sup> .....	116.2	117.080	118.374	117.938	12.6	4.6	-4.0	6.1	8.5	.9
Purchase of pets, pet supplies, accessories <sup>2 3</sup> .....	111.2	111.525	111.300	110.924	-.7	2.2	3.3	-1.0	.7	1.1
Pet services including veterinary <sup>3</sup> .....	159.7	160.631	161.919	162.623	5.3	2.6	5.7	7.5	3.9	6.6
Pet services <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	138.6	139.433	140.575	141.032	2.1	1.5	6.9	7.2	1.8	7.1
Veterinarian services <sup>2 3</sup> .....	163.5	164.769	166.343	166.934	5.4	2.5	5.8	8.7	4.0	7.2
Sporting goods <sup>1</sup> .....	117.2	117.114	116.498	116.994	2.8	-1.4	2.4	-.7	.7	.8
Sports vehicles including bicycles .....	140.1	139.463	137.886	138.042	3.0	8.8	1.4	-5.7	5.8	-2.2
Sports equipment <sup>1</sup> .....	96.8	96.584	96.228	97.176	.8	-9.8	5.1	1.6	-4.6	3.3
Photography <sup>1 3</sup> .....	84.7	84.069	83.560	83.080	-7.9	.9	-9.3	-7.4	-3.6	-8.4
Photographic equipment and supplies <sup>1</sup> .....	84.9	83.851	82.899	82.085	-11.8	-8.1	-18.7	-12.6	-9.9	-15.7
Film and photographic supplies <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	84.5	83.946	83.631	84.907	-3.2	-.9	-5.0	1.9	-2.1	-1.6
Photographic equipment <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	45.5	44.807	43.921	42.413	-20.9	-14.7	-28.0	-24.5	-17.8	-26.3
Photographers and film processing <sup>1 3</sup> .....	106.7	106.440	106.309	106.087	-3.0	9.5	.8	-2.3	3.1	-.8
Photographer fees <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	114.6	114.923	115.086	114.915	.0	4.7	-.7	1.1	2.3	.2
Film processing <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	100.5	100.107	99.852	99.770	-4.0	11.1	.0	-2.9	3.3	-1.4
Other recreational goods <sup>3</sup> .....	66.4	65.820	65.743	65.590	-4.6	.6	-4.7	-4.8	-2.1	-4.7
Toys <sup>1</sup> .....	72.7	72.392	72.345	72.240	-7.7	-1.1	-5.3	-2.5	-4.5	-3.9
Toys, games, hobbies and playground equipment <sup>1 2 3</sup> ..	70.0	69.782	69.795	70.068	-2.8	.0	-5.5	.4	-1.4	-2.6
Sewing machines, fabric and supplies <sup>1 3</sup> .....	92.6	91.176	90.664	90.234	4.9	5.8	-3.0	-9.8	5.4	-6.5
Music instruments and accessories <sup>1 3</sup> .....	96.9	95.163	95.490	95.016	1.2	-.4	-4.0	-7.6	.4	-5.8
Recreation services <sup>3</sup> .....	137.5	138.066	138.035	138.559	4.6	2.7	4.5	3.1	3.6	3.8
Club membership dues and fees for participant sports <sup>3</sup> ...	122.4	122.845	122.314	122.283	4.7	1.3	-1.0	-.4	3.0	-.7
Admissions .....	300.4	301.921	301.850	303.664	3.9	4.6	8.7	4.4	4.3	6.5
Admission to movies, theaters, and concerts <sup>2 3</sup> .....	145.9	146.939	147.099	147.754	4.1	4.3	8.7	5.2	4.2	6.9
Admission to sporting events <sup>2 3</sup> .....	156.4	157.691	157.415	158.511	1.9	2.6	7.2	5.5	2.2	6.4
Fees for lessons or instructions <sup>7</sup> .....	239.3	239.425	241.312	243.330	5.2	2.4	3.1	6.9	3.8	5.0
Recreational reading materials <sup>1</sup> .....	205.7	205.880	206.484	206.565	.0	-1.7	2.4	1.7	-.9	2.0
Newspapers and magazines <sup>1 3</sup> .....	121.0	121.253	121.482	121.576	-.3	-1.3	1.0	1.9	-.8	1.5
Recreational books <sup>1 3</sup> .....	103.6	103.440	103.901	103.884	.0	-2.3	4.8	1.1	-1.2	2.9

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Item and group	Seasonally adjusted indexes				Seasonally adjusted annual rate percent change for					
					3 months ended—				6 months ended—	
	Dec. 2006	Jan. 2007	Feb. 2007	Mar. 2007	June 2006	Sep. 2006	Dec. 2006	Mar. 2007	Sep. 2006	Mar. 2007
<b>Expenditure category</b>										
Education and communication <sup>3</sup> .....	117.7	117.558	117.952	118.496	2.8	2.8	0.7	2.7	2.8	1.7
Education <sup>3</sup> .....	166.7	166.913	167.882	168.862	6.4	6.3	6.5	5.3	6.4	5.9
Educational books and supplies .....	400.5	404.984	405.288	412.206	6.3	6.2	7.3	12.2	6.3	9.7
College textbooks <sup>1 2 10</sup> .....	131.4	133.577	134.254	136.309	4.2	7.8	5.3	15.8	6.0	10.5
Tuition, other school fees, and childcare .....	481.3	481.562	484.536	486.972	6.2	6.4	6.5	4.8	6.3	5.6
College tuition and fees .....	522.6	523.864	527.116	529.948	7.2	6.3	7.5	5.7	6.8	6.6
Elementary and high school tuition and fees .....	524.1	526.512	529.561	531.873	7.2	5.1	5.6	6.1	6.1	5.8
Child care and nursery school <sup>9</sup> .....	210.9	211.180	211.891	212.597	3.6	7.2	4.9	3.3	5.4	4.1
Technical and business school tuition and fees <sup>3</sup> .....	174.2	172.358	173.849	176.076	5.8	1.4	6.0	4.4	3.6	5.2
Communication <sup>3</sup> .....	83.1	82.775	82.841	83.117	-.5	-.5	-5.1	.1	-.5	-2.6
Postage and delivery services <sup>3</sup> .....	126.6	126.906	126.970	126.898	.6	.6	-.6	.9	.6	.2
Postage <sup>1</sup> .....	201.1	201.115	201.115	201.115	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0
Delivery services <sup>3</sup> .....	173.5	178.337	179.411	178.204	9.8	8.3	-6.6	11.3	9.1	1.9
Information and information processing <sup>1 3</sup> .....	80.6	80.246	80.311	80.601	-.5	-.5	-5.3	.0	-.5	-2.7
Telephone services <sup>1 3</sup> .....	96.8	96.898	97.096	97.514	1.7	3.0	2.9	3.0	2.3	3.0
Land-line telephone services, local charges <sup>1 5</sup> .....	216.8	217.079	218.289	219.371	1.9	5.6	1.7	4.8	3.7	3.2
Land-line telephone services, long distance charges <sup>1 3</sup> .....	69.6	69.812	69.861	70.460	4.2	2.4	7.8	5.0	3.3	6.4
Land-line interstate toll calls <sup>1 2</sup> .....	50.3	50.531	50.545	50.519	4.2	3.3	12.0	1.8	3.8	6.7
Land-line intrastate toll calls <sup>1 2</sup> .....	72.1	71.919	71.844	72.598	5.9	.6	11.9	2.8	3.2	7.3
Wireless telephone services <sup>1 3</sup> .....	64.6	64.583	64.575	64.575	-1.2	1.9	-.6	-.2	.3	-.4
Information technology, hardware and services <sup>1 13</sup> .....	11.2	10.900	10.853	10.860	-8.9	-12.0	-31.3	-11.6	-10.5	-22.0
Personal computers and peripheral equipment <sup>1 3</sup> .....	10.3	10.259	10.174	10.191	-22.4	-7.3	-7.4	-4.2	-15.2	-5.8
Computer software and accessories <sup>1 3</sup> .....	54.2	54.067	53.956	53.687	-10.2	-4.3	-2.2	-3.7	-7.3	-3.0
Internet services and electronic information providers <sup>1 3</sup> .....	77.2	73.399	73.302	73.460	6.8	-16.5	-52.7	-18.0	-5.6	-37.7
Telephone hardware, calculators, and other consumer information items <sup>1 3</sup> .....	40.3	40.034	39.851	39.608	-16.5	-11.1	2.0	-6.7	-13.8	-2.4
Other goods and services .....	326.8	329.378	330.076	330.604	2.4	2.6	4.0	4.7	2.5	4.4
Tobacco and smoking products <sup>1</sup> .....	527.3	543.477	548.896	550.021	1.9	-.5	5.1	18.4	.7	11.5
Cigarettes <sup>1 3</sup> .....	213.4	220.312	222.650	223.044	1.9	-.8	5.4	19.3	.6	12.2
Tobacco products other than cigarettes <sup>1 3</sup> .....	157.7	158.990	159.082	160.067	1.8	4.9	-1.8	6.1	3.4	2.1
Personal care .....	193.3	193.694	193.702	193.988	2.6	3.4	3.8	1.4	3.0	2.6
Personal care products <sup>1</sup> .....	159.0	157.699	158.038	158.592	.0	3.1	6.8	-1.0	1.6	2.8
Hair, dental, shaving, and miscellaneous personal care products <sup>1 3</sup> .....	104.2	103.074	103.826	103.610	3.2	2.0	4.7	-2.2	2.6	1.2
Cosmetics, perfume, bath, nail preparations and implements <sup>1</sup> .....	177.5	176.619	176.007	177.711	-3.9	4.7	8.8	.5	.3	4.6
Personal care services <sup>1</sup> .....	212.5	214.045	214.616	215.091	1.2	3.1	3.5	5.0	2.1	4.2
Haircuts and other personal care services <sup>1 3</sup> .....	129.6	130.602	130.951	131.241	1.3	2.9	3.5	5.2	2.1	4.3
Miscellaneous personal services .....	319.5	320.287	320.360	320.565	3.9	4.3	3.8	1.3	4.1	2.6
Legal services <sup>7</sup> .....	256.0	255.881	256.017	257.205	2.6	6.8	6.0	1.9	4.7	3.9
Funeral expenses <sup>7</sup> .....	245.6	247.116	248.118	249.049	7.8	4.0	3.8	5.7	5.9	4.8
Laundry and dry cleaning services <sup>1 3</sup> .....	126.9	127.272	127.842	127.078	2.6	4.2	1.3	.6	3.4	.9
Apparel services other than laundry and dry cleaning <sup>1 3</sup> .....	134.4	134.555	135.029	135.607	7.3	3.1	4.0	3.6	5.1	3.8
Financial services <sup>7</sup> .....	263.9	265.568	265.262	265.213	3.4	2.5	2.0	2.0	3.0	2.0
Checking account and other bank services <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	126.7	127.328	127.160	127.136	3.2	.3	1.6	1.4	1.8	1.5
Tax return preparation and other accounting fees <sup>2 3</sup> .....	158.3	159.242	158.769	159.098	1.3	3.7	4.7	2.0	2.5	3.3
Care of invalids and elderly at home <sup>1 4</sup> .....	103.1	103.404	102.364	102.250	2.8	3.2	2.4	-3.3	3.0	-.5
Miscellaneous personal goods <sup>3</sup> .....	87.0	86.599	86.850	86.558	1.9	1.4	1.9	-2.0	1.6	-.1
Stationery, stationery supplies, gift wrap <sup>2</sup> .....	151.3	151.507	151.735	151.061	1.9	3.2	.3	-.6	2.6	-.2
Infants' equipment <sup>1 2 4</sup> .....	97.1	96.714	96.900	97.261	3.0	7.8	.4	.7	5.4	.5
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>										
Commodities .....	162.8	162.690	163.297	165.295	9.2	-3.8	-3.8	6.3	2.5	1.1
Commodities less food and beverages .....	143.5	142.779	142.968	145.505	13.4	-7.3	-6.7	5.7	2.5	-.7
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	176.6	173.869	173.440	178.529	20.6	-13.4	3.2	4.4	2.2	3.8
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel .....	210.1	207.739	208.104	218.217	35.1	-17.0	-10.7	16.4	5.9	2.0
Durables .....	113.3	112.933	112.806	112.900	-.7	-1.0	-3.5	-1.4	-.9	-2.4
Services .....	242.5	243.298	244.229	244.701	3.1	3.9	3.0	3.7	3.5	3.4
Rent of shelter <sup>6</sup> .....	246.7	247.426	248.104	248.206	4.6	4.4	4.3	2.5	4.5	3.4
Transportation services .....	231.8	232.384	232.643	232.641	3.2	1.7	-.3	1.5	2.5	.6
Other services .....	280.9	281.091	281.756	282.570	4.0	3.1	1.9	2.4	3.5	2.1
All items less food .....	203.9	203.999	204.620	205.973	6.1	.4	.2	4.1	3.2	2.1

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	Dec. 2006	Jan. 2007	Feb. 2007	Mar. 2007	June 2006	Sep. 2006	Dec. 2006	Mar. 2007	Sep. 2006	Mar. 2007
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>										
All items less shelter .....	191.9	192.030	192.816	194.509	6.0	-0.8	-1.7	5.6	2.5	1.9
All items less medical care .....	195.8	196.033	196.746	198.011	5.7	.6	.0	4.6	3.1	2.3
Commodities less food .....	145.7	144.991	145.217	147.723	13.2	-7.2	-6.1	5.7	2.5	-4
Nondurables less food .....	178.1	175.707	175.288	180.116	19.3	-12.5	3.0	4.6	2.2	3.8
Nondurables less food and apparel .....	208.4	206.407	206.835	216.051	31.9	-15.5	-9.7	15.5	5.6	2.1
Nondurables .....	187.5	186.765	187.249	190.237	10.6	-5.2	1.9	6.0	2.4	3.9
Apparel less footwear .....	114.5	115.136	115.866	114.541	3.6	3.2	-2.7	.1	3.4	-1.3
Services less rent of shelter <sup>6</sup> .....	255.5	256.241	257.370	258.518	2.9	3.2	.3	4.8	3.0	2.5
Services less medical care services .....	232.8	233.396	234.204	234.638	4.1	3.5	2.4	3.2	3.8	2.8
Energy .....	190.1	187.340	188.952	200.164	31.8	-17.1	-11.5	22.9	4.5	4.3
All items less energy .....	205.8	206.414	207.083	207.278	3.2	2.8	1.6	2.9	3.0	2.2
All items less food and energy .....	208.1	208.632	209.135	209.263	3.4	2.7	1.6	2.3	3.1	1.9
Commodities less food and energy commodities .....	140.1	140.209	140.330	140.229	.9	.3	-2.5	.4	.6	-1.1
Energy commodities .....	209.2	202.686	203.310	223.786	82.5	-30.9	-21.0	30.9	12.3	1.7
Services less energy services .....	248.7	249.469	250.220	250.502	4.4	3.6	3.3	2.9	4.0	3.1
Domestically produced farm food <sup>1</sup> .....	199.2	201.481	203.203	203.537	-4	4.3	.2	9.0	1.9	4.5
Utilities and public transportation .....	186.7	187.212	188.539	190.247	.6	2.6	-2.5	7.8	1.6	2.5

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

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

<sup>3</sup> Indexes on a December 1997=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 1996=100 base.

<sup>13</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 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 Mar. 2007 from—
	Dec. 2006	Jan. 2007	Feb. 2007	Mar. 2007	Dec. 2006	Jan. 2007	Feb. 2007	Mar. 2007	Mar. 2006
<b>Food and beverages</b>									
Rice <sup>2</sup> .....	117.3	118.648	117.838	117.571	-0.4	1.1	-0.7	-0.2	4.0
White bread .....	244.6	249.169	250.388	247.489	.0	1.9	.5	-1.2	5.5
Bread other than white .....	251.3	252.994	258.667	258.738	-.4	.7	2.2	.0	4.9
Fresh cakes and cupcakes .....	216.9	217.902	221.814	222.203	-.9	.5	1.8	.2	2.0
Cookies .....	216.2	214.961	216.397	217.504	.3	-.6	.7	.5	4.7
Fresh sweetrolls, coffeecakes, doughnuts .....	225.3	223.573	221.596	223.128	1.0	-.8	-.9	.7	1.1
Crackers, bread, and cracker products .....	244.4	256.033	253.669	253.415	-.1	4.8	-.9	-.1	1.1
Frozen and refrigerated bakery products, pies, tarts, turnovers .....	217.3	225.660	226.256	222.621	1.6	3.8	.3	-1.6	4.2
Bacon and related products .....	211.1	213.161	217.949	215.625	-1.0	1.0	2.2	-1.1	2.8
Breakfast sausage and related products <sup>2</sup> .....	119.3	121.438	121.014	121.087	1.5	1.8	-.3	.1	2.4
Ham, excluding canned .....	195.9	193.804	190.474	197.511	-3.3	-1.1	-1.7	3.7	-.4
Frankfurters .....	177.6	185.620	176.040	181.213	-2.3	4.5	-5.2	2.9	5.2
Lunchmeats <sup>2</sup> .....	119.1	120.306	118.575	119.559	-.9	1.0	-1.4	.8	2.6
Lamb and organ meats .....	NA	NA	NA	NA	-	-	-	-	-
Lamb and mutton <sup>2</sup> .....	NA	NA	NA	NA	-	-	-	-	-
Fresh whole chicken .....	186.1	184.110	181.895	187.814	.4	-1.1	-1.2	3.3	3.8
Fresh and frozen chicken parts .....	181.2	178.227	183.151	185.350	.8	-1.6	2.8	1.2	3.0
Canned fish and seafood .....	144.0	146.074	145.887	143.302	-1.0	1.4	-.1	-1.8	3.6
Frozen fish and seafood .....	233.8	237.281	228.370	231.850	-.7	1.5	-3.8	1.5	.3
Fresh whole milk .....	181.2	183.792	185.371	186.492	-.3	1.4	.9	.6	1.1
Fresh milk other than whole <sup>2</sup> .....	128.0	129.594	130.862	132.032	-.1	1.2	1.0	.9	2.3
Oranges, including tangerines .....	370.7	393.607	471.409	452.199	-12.8	6.2	19.8	-4.1	33.3
Canned fruits <sup>2</sup> .....	122.3	122.945	124.395	123.276	2.4	.5	1.2	-.9	1.3
Canned vegetables <sup>2</sup> .....	125.9	127.081	127.004	127.604	.3	.9	-.1	.5	.8
Frozen vegetables .....	178.7	178.992	182.084	180.430	.3	.2	1.7	-.9	.4
Dried beans, peas, and lentils <sup>2</sup> .....	123.6	126.117	124.531	126.769	2.1	2.0	-1.3	1.8	8.3
Roasted coffee .....	166.3	172.155	175.403	178.429	-.2	3.5	1.9	1.7	3.4
Instant and freeze dried coffee .....	188.5	189.583	190.645	187.522	3.5	.6	.6	-1.6	6.1
Butter .....	164.5	170.964	168.772	168.879	-.2	3.9	-1.3	.1	-3.7
Margarine .....	177.0	183.534	185.295	186.701	-.7	3.7	1.0	.8	5.1
Peanut butter <sup>2</sup> .....	108.5	111.686	113.066	111.507	-1.5	2.9	1.2	-1.4	-.5
Salt and other seasonings and spices <sup>2</sup> .....	109.0	110.948	112.190	113.290	-.4	1.8	1.1	1.0	1.1
Olives, pickles, relishes <sup>2</sup> .....	112.6	118.417	120.774	118.134	.4	5.2	2.0	-2.2	6.4
Sauces and gravies <sup>2</sup> .....	109.4	112.214	112.333	111.842	.4	2.6	.1	-.4	1.7
Other condiments .....	199.3	227.769	228.192	229.058	-3.0	14.3	.2	.4	2.4
Food at elementary and secondary schools <sup>3</sup> .....	104.3	104.342	104.702	104.622	-.1	.0	.3	-.1	4.6
Whiskey at home .....	178.9	181.021	184.299	185.558	-1.2	1.2	1.8	.7	2.5
Distilled spirits, excluding whiskey, at home .....	177.2	176.770	178.064	177.675	-.4	-.2	.7	-.2	-.4
Beer, ale, and other malt beverages away from home <sup>2</sup> .....	131.7	132.534	132.837	132.924	.2	.6	.2	.1	4.4
Wine away from home <sup>2</sup> .....	140.1	140.777	141.708	141.803	.3	.5	.7	.1	2.9
Distilled spirits away from home <sup>2</sup> .....	136.2	137.351	137.293	138.023	.4	.8	.0	.5	4.3
<b>Housing</b>									
Infants' furniture <sup>3</sup> .....	98.6	99.489	105.049	104.297	-.3	.9	5.6	-.7	4.8
Laundry equipment .....	112.4	112.541	114.650	115.857	-.4	.1	1.9	1.1	3.4
<b>Transportation</b>									
New cars and trucks <sup>2</sup> .....	95.0	95.374	95.191	95.098	.2	.4	-.2	-.1	-1.1
New cars .....	136.9	137.204	136.844	136.589	.2	.2	-.3	-.2	-.2
New trucks <sup>4</sup> .....	141.5	142.190	142.002	141.982	.3	.5	-.1	.0	-2.1
Gasoline, unleaded regular .....	197.9	192.258	194.070	219.594	4.2	-2.9	.9	13.2	7.2
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>5</sup> .....	202.1	196.787	198.104	223.577	4.1	-2.6	.7	12.9	6.9
Gasoline, unleaded premium .....	192.3	188.159	188.464	211.366	3.9	-2.2	.2	12.2	7.1
Vehicle parts and equipment other than tires .....	125.6	125.959	125.891	126.743	.1	.3	-.1	.7	4.4
Motor oil, coolant, and fluids .....	224.4	225.123	228.067	227.535	-.3	.3	1.3	-.2	12.0
Parking fees and tolls <sup>2</sup> .....	146.5	148.526	148.939	149.248	.1	1.4	.3	.2	3.1
Automobile service clubs <sup>2</sup> .....	118.2	116.703	116.909	119.074	1.0	-1.3	.2	1.9	3.5
Ship fare <sup>2</sup> .....	71.3	71.897	71.120	70.593	.7	.8	-1.1	-.7	-.9
<b>Medical care</b>									
Inpatient hospital services <sup>6 7</sup> .....	170.6	172.547	174.743	174.826	-.1	1.1	1.3	.0	5.1
Outpatient hospital services <sup>7 8</sup> .....	402.4	405.847	410.863	416.325	-.1	.9	1.2	1.3	6.6

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 Mar. 2007 from—
	Dec. 2006	Jan. 2007	Feb. 2007	Mar. 2007	Dec. 2006	Jan. 2007	Feb. 2007	Mar. 2007	Mar. 2006
<b>Recreation</b>									
Video cassettes and discs, blank and prerecorded <sup>2</sup> .....	68.4	66.916	64.702	64.918	-0.1	-2.2	-3.3	0.3	-7.8
Rental of video tapes and discs <sup>2</sup> .....	92.2	91.643	91.389	91.463	.1	-.6	-.3	.1	2.2
Pet food <sup>2</sup> .....	116.2	116.744	117.607	117.560	-.1	.5	.7	.0	4.7
Purchase of pets, pet supplies, accessories <sup>2</sup> .....	110.9	111.211	111.037	110.438	.1	.3	-.2	-.5	.9
Pet services <sup>2</sup> .....	138.6	139.433	140.575	141.032	-.1	.6	.8	.3	4.4
Veterinarian services <sup>2</sup> .....	163.0	164.490	166.408	167.191	.4	.9	1.2	.5	5.6
Film and photographic supplies <sup>2</sup> .....	84.5	83.946	83.631	84.907	-.4	-.7	-.4	1.5	-1.8
Photographic equipment <sup>2</sup> .....	45.5	44.807	43.921	42.413	-4.0	-1.5	-2.0	-3.4	-22.2
Photographer fees <sup>2</sup> .....	114.6	114.923	115.086	114.915	.3	.3	.1	-.1	1.2
Film processing <sup>2</sup> .....	100.5	100.107	99.852	99.770	.5	-.4	-.3	-.1	.9
Toys, games, hobbies and playground equipment <sup>2</sup> .....	70.0	69.782	69.795	70.068	-1.3	-.3	.0	.4	-2.0
Admission to movies, theaters, and concerts <sup>2</sup> .....	145.7	146.873	146.788	147.279	.8	.8	-.1	.3	5.5
Admission to sporting events <sup>2</sup> .....	156.0	157.338	156.921	158.095	-.1	.9	-.3	.7	4.3
<b>Education and communication</b>									
College textbooks <sup>9</sup> .....	131.4	133.577	134.254	136.309	.2	1.7	.5	1.5	8.2
Land-line interstate toll calls .....	50.3	50.531	50.545	50.519	.2	.5	.0	-.1	5.2
Land-line intrastate toll calls .....	72.1	71.919	71.844	72.598	1.1	-.3	-.1	1.0	5.2
<b>Other goods and services</b>									
Checking account and other bank services <sup>2</sup> .....	126.7	127.328	127.160	127.136	.2	.5	-.1	.0	1.6
Tax return preparation and other accounting fees <sup>2</sup> .....	156.6	158.781	158.977	160.155	.0	1.4	.1	.7	2.9
Stationery, stationery supplies, gift wrap .....	151.6	151.936	152.043	151.678	.2	.2	.1	-.2	1.2
Infants' equipment <sup>3</sup> .....	97.1	96.714	96.900	97.261	-.2	-.4	.2	.4	2.9

<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 2005=100 base.

<sup>4</sup> Indexes on a December 1983=100 base.

<sup>5</sup> Indexes on a December 1993=100 base.

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

<sup>7</sup> This index series was calculated using a Laspeyres estimator. All other

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

<sup>8</sup> Indexes on a December 1986=100 base.

<sup>9</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 2006	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Mar. 2007 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Feb. 2007	Mar. 2007	Mar. 2006	Feb. 2007	Dec. to Jan.	Jan. to Feb.	Feb. to Mar.
<b>Expenditure category</b>								
All items .....	100.000	198.544	200.612	2.7	1.0	0.1	0.4	0.8
All items (1967=100) .....	-	591.403	597.561	-	-	-	-	-
Food and beverages .....	16.475	199.540	200.056	3.2	.3	.7	.8	.3
Food .....	15.457	199.111	199.589	3.3	.2	.6	.8	.3
Food at home .....	9.244	197.044	197.735	3.3	.4	.8	1.1	.5
Cereals and bakery products .....	1.285	219.191	218.799	3.6	-.2	.1	1.1	-.1
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs .....	2.623	189.996	192.013	3.3	1.1	.8	.4	1.1
Dairy and related products .....	.928	183.185	185.095	1.3	1.0	1.2	.3	1.3
Fruits and vegetables .....	1.332	266.159	261.627	6.4	-1.7	1.0	4.7	-1.3
Nonalcoholic beverages and beverage materials .....	1.082	150.968	153.329	4.1	1.6	.9	.1	1.8
Other food at home .....	1.993	170.861	171.183	1.5	.2	.8	.3	.2
Sugar and sweets .....	.337	173.081	173.248	2.5	.1	.5	-.8	.4
Fats and oils .....	.283	172.380	172.005	1.5	-.2	-.3	1.1	-.2
Other foods <sup>1</sup> .....	1.373	186.473	187.026	1.2	.3	1.1	.4	.3
Other miscellaneous foods <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.368	115.151	114.402	.9	-.7	-.5	.3	-.7
Food away from home <sup>1</sup> .....	6.213	203.689	203.838	3.3	.1	.4	.4	.1
Other food away from home <sup>2</sup> .....	.279	141.274	141.119	4.7	-.1	1.4	.4	.0
Alcoholic beverages <sup>1</sup> .....	1.018	204.616	205.729	2.6	.5	.9	.9	.5
Housing .....	40.463	202.370	203.203	3.4	.4	.3	.4	.3
Shelter .....	30.570	230.472	231.315	4.0	.4	.3	.3	.2
Rent of primary residence <sup>3</sup> .....	8.021	230.860	231.634	4.6	.3	.3	.4	.4
Lodging away from home <sup>2</sup> .....	1.430	138.083	141.335	.7	2.4	1.0	-.4	-2.1
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>3 4</sup> .....	20.776	221.185	221.704	4.1	.2	.2	.3	.3
Tenants' and household insurance <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.342	117.622	117.653	1.0	.0	.3	-.1	.0
Fuels and utilities .....	5.779	193.330	194.963	2.2	.8	.4	1.2	1.3
Household energy .....	4.842	173.654	175.303	1.7	.9	.3	1.3	1.5
Fuel oil and other fuels .....	.346	231.136	236.103	2.7	2.1	-4.3	.3	3.0
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>3</sup> .....	4.496	179.550	181.092	1.6	.9	.6	1.4	1.4
Water and sewer and trash collection services <sup>2</sup> .....	.937	141.636	142.070	4.9	.3	1.0	.5	.3
Household furnishings and operations .....	4.114	122.962	123.134	.5	.1	-.2	.1	.1
Household operations <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.368	141.886	142.069	3.5	.1	.4	.1	.1
Apparel .....	4.041	118.211	122.021	.3	3.2	-.1	.5	-.8
Men's and boys' apparel .....	.954	111.079	113.921	-1.5	2.6	-1.6	.0	-.1
Women's and girls' apparel .....	1.680	110.214	116.275	1.7	5.5	1.1	.5	-1.2
Infants' and toddlers' apparel .....	.235	118.037	120.167	-.5	1.8	-.1	1.0	-.5
Footwear .....	.954	121.679	122.870	-1.5	1.0	-.7	.5	-.8
Transportation .....	19.515	173.518	179.541	1.7	3.5	-1.0	.0	3.0
Private transportation .....	18.793	170.588	176.695	1.7	3.6	-1.0	.0	3.1
New and used motor vehicles <sup>2</sup> .....	8.626	93.459	93.365	-1.8	-.1	-.2	-.2	.1
New vehicles .....	5.210	138.451	138.315	-1.1	-.1	.0	-.2	.3
Used cars and trucks <sup>1</sup> .....	2.675	135.411	135.203	-4.0	-.2	-.7	-.5	-.2
Motor fuel .....	5.441	195.934	221.011	7.0	12.8	-3.1	.4	10.5
Gasoline (all types) .....	5.388	194.923	220.052	7.0	12.9	-3.2	.4	10.5
Motor vehicle parts and equipment <sup>1</sup> .....	.444	119.897	120.170	4.6	.2	.2	.4	.2
Motor vehicle maintenance and repair .....	1.145	223.054	223.683	3.7	.3	.1	.5	.4
Public transportation .....	.723	223.338	224.973	1.5	.7	1.4	.4	.1
Medical care .....	5.228	346.191	346.946	4.1	.2	.8	.5	.1
Medical care commodities .....	1.135	280.597	279.762	.9	-.3	.6	-.4	-.3
Medical care services .....	4.094	364.519	365.827	5.0	.4	.8	.8	.2
Professional services .....	2.338	300.720	301.339	3.8	.2	.7	.8	.1
Hospital and related services <sup>3</sup> .....	1.378	482.895	485.074	5.8	.5	.6	.7	.4

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 2006	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Mar. 2007 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Feb. 2007	Mar. 2007	Mar. 2006	Feb. 2007	Dec. to Jan.	Jan. to Feb.	Feb. to Mar.
<b>Expenditure category</b>								
Recreation <sup>2</sup> .....	5.022	108.484	108.461	0.5	0.0	0.1	0.0	-0.1
Video and audio <sup>2</sup> .....	1.867	102.653	102.363	-2.0	-.3	-.3	-.1	-.6
Education and communication <sup>2</sup> .....	5.605	114.870	115.161	1.9	.3	-.1	.3	.4
Education <sup>2</sup> .....	2.329	166.144	166.341	6.1	.1	.2	.5	.6
Educational books and supplies .....	.208	411.130	417.027	8.3	1.4	1.3	.1	1.7
Tuition, other school fees, and childcare .....	2.121	469.284	469.224	5.9	.0	.1	.6	.5
Communication <sup>2</sup> .....	3.276	85.112	85.408	-.9	.3	-.3	.1	.3
Information and information processing <sup>1 2</sup> .....	3.124	83.337	83.645	-1.0	.4	-.3	.1	.4
Telephone services <sup>1 2</sup> .....	2.633	97.233	97.625	2.5	.4	-.1	.2	.4
Information technology, hardware and services <sup>1 5</sup> .....	.492	11.272	11.292	-17.0	.2	-2.4	-.4	.2
Personal computers and peripheral equipment <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.178	9.997	10.040	-11.2	.4	-1.2	-.8	.4
Other goods and services .....	3.652	340.917	341.719	3.7	.2	1.0	.4	.2
Tobacco and smoking products <sup>1</sup> .....	1.139	550.097	551.161	5.8	.2	3.0	1.0	.2
Personal care .....	2.513	191.922	192.411	2.8	.3	.1	.1	.2
Personal care products <sup>1</sup> .....	.771	157.992	158.528	2.1	.3	-.7	.3	.3
Personal care services <sup>1</sup> .....	.618	214.773	215.318	3.3	.3	.7	.2	.3
Miscellaneous personal services .....	.962	321.269	322.090	3.4	.3	.2	.3	.1
<b>Commodity and service group</b>								
Commodities .....	44.175	164.171	167.350	1.9	1.9	-.2	.4	1.4
Food and beverages .....	16.475	199.540	200.056	3.2	.3	.7	.8	.3
Commodities less food and beverages .....	27.700	144.567	148.836	1.1	3.0	-.6	.1	2.1
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	15.699	175.371	184.604	3.3	5.3	-1.8	-.3	3.4
Apparel .....	4.041	118.211	122.021	.3	3.2	-.1	.5	-.8
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel .....	11.658	214.738	227.564	4.3	6.0	-1.2	.3	5.2
Durables .....	12.001	113.178	113.107	-1.8	-.1	-.2	-.2	.0
Services .....	55.825	238.783	239.586	3.4	.3	.3	.4	.3
Rent of shelter <sup>4</sup> .....	30.227	222.150	222.970	4.0	.4	.3	.2	.2
Tenants' and household insurance <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.342	117.622	117.653	1.0	.0	.3	-.1	.0
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>3</sup> .....	4.496	179.550	181.092	1.6	.9	.6	1.4	1.4
Water and sewer and trash collection services <sup>2</sup> .....	.937	141.636	142.070	4.9	.3	1.0	.5	.3
Household operations <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.368	141.886	142.069	3.5	.1	.4	.1	.1
Transportation services .....	5.600	232.362	232.332	1.5	.0	.2	.1	.0
Medical care services .....	4.094	364.519	365.827	5.0	.4	.8	.8	.2
Other services .....	9.761	271.921	272.474	2.5	.2	.1	.2	.3
<b>Special indexes</b>								
All items less food .....	84.543	198.258	200.616	2.6	1.2	.0	.3	.9
All items less shelter .....	69.430	189.058	191.591	2.1	1.3	.0	.4	1.0
All items less medical care .....	94.772	192.389	194.481	2.6	1.1	.1	.4	.8
Commodities less food .....	28.718	146.653	150.856	1.2	2.9	-.6	.2	2.0
Nondurables less food .....	16.717	177.171	185.979	3.3	5.0	-1.7	-.2	3.2
Nondurables less food and apparel .....	12.676	212.940	224.712	4.2	5.5	-1.1	.3	5.0
Nondurables .....	32.174	187.995	193.028	3.3	2.7	-.5	.3	1.9
Services less rent of shelter <sup>4</sup> .....	25.598	227.801	228.479	2.6	.3	.3	.4	.5
Services less medical care services .....	51.732	229.453	230.221	3.2	.3	.2	.3	.3
Energy .....	10.282	183.842	196.940	4.5	7.1	-1.5	.8	6.2
All items less energy .....	89.718	201.238	201.948	2.5	.4	.3	.3	.1
All items less food and energy .....	74.261	202.056	202.816	2.3	.4	.2	.2	.1
Commodities less food and energy commodities .....	22.932	140.680	141.482	-.3	.6	.1	.1	-.1
Energy commodities .....	5.786	198.398	222.509	6.8	12.2	-3.2	.4	10.1
Services less energy services .....	51.329	245.211	245.923	3.5	.3	.3	.3	.2
Purchasing power of the consumer dollar (1982-84=\$1.00) .....	-	\$ .504	\$ .498	-	-	-	-	-
Purchasing power of the consumer dollar (1967=\$1.00) .....	-	\$ .169	\$ .167	-	-	-	-	-

<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.

- 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—	
	Dec. 2006	Jan. 2007	Feb. 2007	Mar. 2007	June 2006	Sep. 2006	Dec. 2006	Mar. 2007	Sep. 2006	Mar. 2007
<b>Expenditure category</b>										
All items .....	198.0	198.225	198.984	200.527	5.9	0.2	-0.4	5.2	3.0	2.4
Food and beverages .....	196.4	197.677	199.249	199.913	1.7	3.3	.6	7.3	2.5	3.9
Food .....	196.0	197.244	198.801	199.437	1.9	3.3	.8	7.2	2.6	4.0
Food at home .....	193.0	194.473	196.534	197.484	1.1	4.0	-1.2	9.6	2.5	4.1
Cereals and bakery products .....	216.5	216.798	219.095	218.810	2.5	4.2	3.6	4.3	3.3	4.0
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs .....	187.6	189.036	189.882	191.953	-4	3.3	1.1	9.6	1.4	5.3
Dairy and related products .....	179.8	181.898	182.501	184.953	-3.9	-2.4	.2	12.0	-3.2	5.9
Fruits and vegetables .....	250.4	253.022	264.940	261.391	3.5	20.5	-13.4	18.7	11.6	1.4
Nonalcoholic beverages and beverage materials .....	148.3	149.587	149.749	152.389	.5	1.6	3.0	11.5	1.1	7.2
Other food at home .....	168.7	170.028	170.572	170.984	2.4	-5	-1.4	5.5	1.0	2.0
Sugar and sweets .....	173.0	173.813	172.484	173.102	3.8	2.1	3.8	.2	3.0	2.0
Fats and oils .....	169.7	169.191	171.051	170.779	1.0	-2	2.9	2.6	.4	2.7
Other foods <sup>1</sup> .....	183.7	185.681	186.473	187.026	2.4	-1.3	-3.4	7.4	.5	1.9
Other miscellaneous foods <sup>1 2</sup> .....	115.3	114.759	115.151	114.402	5.8	-1.7	2.8	-3.1	1.9	-2
Food away from home <sup>1</sup> .....	202.0	202.905	203.689	203.838	3.1	2.6	3.6	3.7	2.9	3.7
Other food away from home <sup>2</sup> .....	138.8	140.765	141.338	141.285	3.0	2.7	5.7	7.4	2.8	6.5
Alcoholic beverages <sup>1</sup> .....	201.1	202.821	204.616	205.729	1.0	-2	.4	9.5	.4	4.9
Housing .....	201.5	202.017	202.830	203.510	2.3	3.9	3.2	4.1	3.1	3.6
Shelter .....	229.2	229.798	230.467	230.875	4.6	4.2	4.3	3.0	4.4	3.6
Rent of primary residence <sup>3</sup> .....	228.9	229.696	230.703	231.583	4.2	4.5	4.9	4.8	4.4	4.8
Lodging away from home <sup>2</sup> .....	137.8	139.243	138.634	135.688	1.5	1.8	5.7	-6.0	1.6	-3
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>3 4</sup> .....	220.1	220.518	221.169	221.773	5.2	4.1	3.9	3.1	4.7	3.5
Tenants' and household insurance <sup>1 2</sup> .....	117.4	117.748	117.622	117.653	.7	.3	2.1	.9	.5	1.5
Fuels and utilities .....	193.6	194.362	196.694	199.210	-8.5	4.7	1.5	12.1	-2.1	6.6
Household energy .....	174.4	174.925	177.263	179.858	-10.6	4.2	1.2	13.1	-3.5	7.0
Fuel oil and other fuels .....	232.7	222.684	223.337	230.061	35.6	-3.8	-10.6	-4.5	14.2	-7.6
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>3</sup> .....	180.3	181.459	184.020	186.511	-13.2	5.1	2.0	14.5	-4.5	8.1
Water and sewer and trash collection services <sup>2</sup> .....	139.6	140.947	141.636	142.070	3.6	5.7	3.2	7.3	4.6	5.2
Household furnishings and operations .....	122.9	122.595	122.719	122.902	1.3	1.0	-3	.0	1.1	-2
Household operations <sup>1 2</sup> .....	141.2	141.729	141.886	142.069	5.0	2.3	4.1	2.5	3.7	3.3
Apparel .....	119.6	119.451	120.061	119.132	2.0	3.4	-2.3	-1.6	2.7	-1.9
Men's and boys' apparel .....	113.7	111.883	111.899	111.739	.4	7.2	-6.4	-6.7	3.7	-6.6
Women's and girls' apparel .....	111.4	112.603	113.167	111.805	3.7	4.8	-2.5	1.5	4.2	-5
Infants' and toddlers' apparel .....	117.3	117.148	118.322	117.687	.0	-3	-3.0	1.3	-2	-9
Footwear .....	123.1	122.250	122.846	121.891	-1.6	-1.9	1.6	-3.9	-1.8	-1.2
Transportation .....	176.1	174.417	174.491	179.761	21.4	-10.7	-9.2	8.6	4.1	-7
Private transportation .....	173.2	171.432	171.483	176.866	22.1	-11.3	-9.3	8.7	4.1	-7
New and used motor vehicles <sup>2</sup> .....	93.4	93.254	93.035	93.159	.8	-1.3	-6.2	-1.0	-2	-3.6
New vehicles .....	137.5	137.513	137.293	137.675	-1.4	-6	-3.1	.5	-1.0	-1.3
Used cars and trucks <sup>1</sup> .....	137.0	136.063	135.411	135.203	4.6	-1.4	-13.1	-5.1	1.6	-9.2
Motor fuel .....	207.1	200.603	201.411	222.605	84.1	-31.8	-21.8	33.5	12.1	2.2
Gasoline (all types) .....	206.2	199.614	200.433	221.570	84.6	-32.0	-21.6	33.3	12.0	2.3
Motor vehicle parts and equipment <sup>1</sup> .....	119.2	119.464	119.897	120.170	6.1	6.3	2.7	3.3	6.2	3.0
Motor vehicle maintenance and repair .....	221.4	221.537	222.687	223.605	4.7	2.6	3.3	4.0	3.6	3.7
Public transportation .....	222.7	225.827	226.645	226.760	6.8	.2	-7.7	7.5	3.4	-4
Medical care .....	340.9	343.619	345.415	345.778	3.9	3.9	2.9	5.8	3.9	4.3
Medical care commodities .....	280.0	281.738	280.701	279.756	2.5	2.5	-1.0	-.3	2.5	-7
Medical care services .....	357.7	360.670	363.443	364.265	4.3	4.3	4.0	7.5	4.3	5.8
Professional services .....	295.8	297.931	300.252	300.458	2.4	3.2	3.3	6.4	2.8	4.9
Hospital and related services <sup>3</sup> .....	474.0	477.026	480.230	482.119	6.9	5.9	3.4	7.0	6.4	5.2

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—	
	Dec. 2006	Jan. 2007	Feb. 2007	Mar. 2007	June 2006	Sep. 2006	Dec. 2006	Mar. 2007	Sep. 2006	Mar. 2007
<b>Expenditure category</b>										
Recreation <sup>2</sup> .....	108.4	108.456	108.489	108.351	2.2	0.0	0.0	-0.2	1.1	-0.1
Video and audio <sup>2</sup> .....	103.0	102.732	102.658	102.032	1.2	-1.1	-4.2	-3.7	.0	-3.9
Education and communication <sup>2</sup> .....	114.6	114.517	114.825	115.329	2.1	2.8	.0	2.6	2.5	1.3
Education <sup>2</sup> .....	164.8	165.149	166.001	166.936	6.0	6.9	6.3	5.3	6.5	5.8
Educational books and supplies .....	403.2	408.325	408.597	415.361	6.0	6.2	8.7	12.6	6.1	10.6
Tuition, other school fees, and childcare .....	466.0	466.513	469.130	471.264	6.0	7.0	6.1	4.6	6.5	5.3
Communication <sup>2</sup> .....	85.3	85.027	85.107	85.404	-5	.5	-4.1	.5	.0	-1.8
Information and information processing <sup>1 2</sup> .....	83.5	83.256	83.337	83.645	-5	.0	-4.2	.7	-.2	-1.8
Telephone services <sup>1 2</sup> .....	96.9	97.045	97.233	97.625	1.3	3.0	2.9	3.0	2.1	3.0
Information technology, hardware and services <sup>1 5</sup> .....	11.6	11.321	11.272	11.292	-8.5	-11.5	-34.6	-10.2	-10.0	-23.4
Personal computers and peripheral equipment <sup>1 2</sup> .....	10.2	10.081	9.997	10.040	-25.5	-7.4	-3.8	-6.1	-16.9	-5.0
Other goods and services .....	335.7	339.151	340.563	341.327	2.1	1.9	4.0	6.9	2.0	5.4
Tobacco and smoking products <sup>1</sup> .....	528.6	544.568	550.097	551.161	2.0	-.8	4.8	18.2	.6	11.3
Personal care .....	191.1	191.366	191.628	192.086	2.2	3.2	3.6	2.1	2.7	2.9
Personal care products <sup>1</sup> .....	158.6	157.505	157.992	158.528	-.3	3.1	6.0	-.2	1.4	2.9
Personal care services <sup>1</sup> .....	212.7	214.254	214.773	215.318	1.3	3.1	3.7	5.0	2.2	4.3
Miscellaneous personal services .....	319.6	320.102	321.057	321.437	3.8	4.0	3.6	2.3	3.9	2.9
<b>Commodity and service group</b>										
Commodities .....	164.3	164.009	164.641	166.963	10.1	-4.2	-4.3	6.6	2.7	1.0
Food and beverages .....	196.4	197.677	199.249	199.913	1.7	3.3	.6	7.3	2.5	3.9
Commodities less food and beverages .....	146.1	145.155	145.360	148.351	15.3	-7.9	-7.3	6.3	3.0	-.7
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	182.5	179.125	178.618	184.774	22.2	-14.6	3.8	5.1	2.1	4.4
Apparel .....	119.6	119.451	120.061	119.132	2.0	3.4	-2.3	-1.6	2.7	-1.9
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel .....	219.0	216.359	217.028	228.357	36.9	-17.3	-11.5	18.2	6.4	2.3
Durables .....	113.3	113.096	112.926	112.934	-.7	-1.7	-3.5	-1.3	-1.2	-2.4
Services .....	237.5	238.283	239.197	239.874	2.6	3.6	3.1	4.1	3.1	3.6
Rent of shelter <sup>4</sup> .....	220.9	221.587	222.103	222.481	4.8	4.3	4.3	2.9	4.5	3.6
Tenants' and household insurance <sup>1 2</sup> .....	117.4	117.748	117.622	117.653	.7	.3	2.1	.9	.5	1.5
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>3</sup> .....	180.3	181.459	184.020	186.511	-13.2	5.1	2.0	14.5	-4.5	8.1
Water and sewer and trash collection services <sup>2</sup> .....	139.6	140.947	141.636	142.070	3.6	5.7	3.2	7.3	4.6	5.2
Household operations <sup>1 2</sup> .....	141.2	141.729	141.886	142.069	5.0	2.3	4.1	2.5	3.7	3.3
Transportation services .....	231.9	232.262	232.505	232.557	2.5	1.9	.3	1.1	2.2	.7
Medical care services .....	357.7	360.670	363.443	364.265	4.3	4.3	4.0	7.5	4.3	5.8
Other services .....	271.0	271.240	271.752	272.525	3.8	3.0	1.2	2.3	3.4	1.7
<b>Special indexes</b>										
All items less food .....	198.2	198.224	198.835	200.544	6.5	-.2	-.6	4.8	3.1	2.1
All items less shelter .....	188.8	188.864	189.663	191.634	6.3	-1.3	-2.3	6.1	2.5	1.8
All items less medical care .....	192.0	192.143	192.863	194.431	5.8	.2	-.6	5.2	3.0	2.2
Commodities less food .....	148.1	147.182	147.428	150.381	14.4	-7.6	-7.0	6.3	2.8	-.6
Nondurables less food .....	183.8	180.624	180.295	186.144	20.7	-13.6	3.6	5.2	2.1	4.4
Nondurables less food and apparel .....	216.6	214.118	214.716	225.427	35.8	-17.4	-10.4	17.3	5.9	2.6
Nondurables .....	190.1	189.104	189.616	193.124	11.4	-5.9	1.9	6.5	2.4	4.2
Services less rent of shelter <sup>4</sup> .....	226.3	227.051	228.013	229.109	2.3	3.2	-.2	5.1	2.8	2.4
Services less medical care services .....	228.3	228.855	229.602	230.290	3.6	3.4	2.3	3.5	3.5	2.9
Energy .....	189.7	186.769	188.349	200.028	33.4	-17.9	-11.9	23.6	4.7	4.4
All items less energy .....	199.9	200.516	201.176	201.470	2.9	2.9	1.0	3.2	2.9	2.1
All items less food and energy .....	201.1	201.575	202.045	202.268	3.1	2.6	1.2	2.3	2.9	1.8
Commodities less food and energy commodities .....	140.5	140.610	140.753	140.665	.9	.3	-2.8	.5	.6	-1.2
Energy commodities .....	209.1	202.399	203.201	223.710	81.0	-30.5	-21.2	31.0	12.2	1.6
Services less energy services .....	243.7	244.423	245.136	245.594	4.3	3.6	3.2	3.1	3.9	3.2

<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.

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 2006	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Mar. 2007 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Feb. 2007	Mar. 2007	Mar. 2006	Feb. 2007	Dec. to Jan.	Jan. to Feb.	Feb. to Mar.
<b>Expenditure category</b>								
All items .....	100.000	198.544	200.612	2.7	1.0	0.1	0.4	0.8
All items (1967=100) .....	-	591.403	597.561	-	-	-	-	-
Food and beverages .....	16.475	199.540	200.056	3.2	.3	.7	.8	.3
Food .....	15.457	199.111	199.589	3.3	.2	.6	.8	.3
Food at home .....	9.244	197.044	197.735	3.3	.4	.8	1.1	.5
Cereals and bakery products .....	1.285	219.191	218.799	3.6	-.2	.1	1.1	-.1
Cereals and cereal products .....	.440	192.684	191.850	3.6	-.4	-1.1	2.4	-.3
Flour and prepared flour mixes .....	.054	188.705	189.700	4.0	.5	.9	.4	-.3
Breakfast cereal <sup>1</sup> .....	.237	203.825	201.666	2.4	-1.1	-2.3	3.3	-1.1
Rice, pasta, cornmeal <sup>1</sup> .....	.148	179.334	179.679	5.2	.2	-.2	2.3	.2
Bakery products <sup>1</sup> .....	.845	233.666	233.558	3.7	.0	1.1	.7	.0
Bread <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.246	136.780	136.172	5.7	-.4	1.0	1.3	-.4
Fresh biscuits, rolls, muffins <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.109	134.412	135.672	4.8	.9	-.3	.2	.9
Cakes, cupcakes, and cookies .....	.245	218.149	219.282	3.3	.5	.5	.9	.9
Other bakery products .....	.246	220.830	219.442	1.5	-.6	1.2	-.5	-.8
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs .....	2.623	189.996	192.013	3.3	1.1	.8	.4	1.1
Meats, poultry, and fish .....	2.503	189.798	192.223	2.6	1.3	.7	.1	1.3
Meats .....	1.660	189.965	192.897	2.3	1.5	.8	-.1	1.6
Beef and veal <sup>1</sup> .....	.808	205.780	208.791	2.1	1.5	.4	1.2	1.5
Uncooked ground beef <sup>1</sup> .....	.319	180.336	181.366	1.8	.6	.2	1.5	.6
Uncooked beef roasts <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.129	151.859	152.224	5.1	.2	-.7	3.7	.2
Uncooked beef steaks <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.294	146.454	151.325	1.9	3.3	1.0	-.2	3.3
Uncooked other beef and veal <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.066	142.296	142.260	-.3	.0	.2	.7	.0
Pork .....	.527	175.609	178.189	1.9	1.5	.5	-.4	1.5
Bacon, breakfast sausage, and related products <sup>2</sup> .....	.169	125.149	124.594	3.1	-.4	1.0	1.3	.3
Ham .....	.112	170.770	176.319	-.4	3.2	-.8	-1.5	2.4
Pork chops .....	.117	166.770	170.312	.0	2.1	-.7	-.3	1.8
Other pork including roasts and picnics <sup>2</sup> .....	.129	107.920	110.015	4.5	1.9	.5	-2.2	1.9
Other meats .....	.325	180.313	183.688	3.1	1.9	2.4	-2.9	2.1
Poultry <sup>1</sup> .....	.468	182.927	185.846	2.0	1.6	-.4	1.0	1.6
Chicken <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.385	118.625	120.963	2.5	2.0	-1.3	1.3	2.0
Other poultry including turkey <sup>2</sup> .....	.082	115.327	115.203	-.3	-.1	2.5	-1.6	-.8
Fish and seafood <sup>1</sup> .....	.375	216.288	215.694	4.9	-.3	1.8	.1	-.3
Fresh fish and seafood <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.232	129.286	128.913	6.9	-.3	1.8	1.3	-.3
Processed fish and seafood <sup>2</sup> .....	.144	110.631	110.353	1.6	-.3	.9	-.7	.7
Eggs .....	.121	190.653	184.728	21.4	-3.1	2.2	8.1	-3.4
Dairy and related products .....	.928	183.185	185.095	1.3	1.0	1.2	.3	1.3
Milk <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.358	127.873	128.787	1.4	.7	1.3	1.1	.7
Cheese and related products <sup>1</sup> .....	.271	179.211	182.312	.6	1.7	1.3	.0	1.7
Ice cream and related products .....	.157	183.176	185.119	2.6	1.1	.5	-1.4	1.4
Other dairy and related products <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.143	124.853	125.543	1.2	.6	1.2	1.2	.6
Fruits and vegetables .....	1.332	266.159	261.627	6.4	-1.7	1.0	4.7	-1.3
Fresh fruits and vegetables .....	1.052	319.474	312.776	7.5	-2.1	1.5	5.8	-1.7
Fresh fruits .....	.533	330.509	323.754	6.9	-2.0	1.4	5.8	-2.0
Apples .....	.100	293.733	293.917	14.1	.1	1.7	2.8	1.6
Bananas .....	.085	177.515	176.487	-1.4	-.6	-1.3	-.3	-1.5
Citrus fruits <sup>2</sup> .....	.107	220.923	216.533	16.9	-2.0	7.5	15.6	-1.6
Other fresh fruits <sup>2</sup> .....	.241	117.326	113.089	2.2	-3.6	-1.5	5.0	-2.8
Fresh vegetables .....	.520	307.264	300.663	8.0	-2.1	1.6	5.9	-1.3
Potatoes .....	.092	270.057	275.321	4.4	1.9	-2.0	-.3	1.9
Lettuce <sup>1</sup> .....	.069	285.218	279.017	13.1	-2.2	3.6	.8	-2.2
Tomatoes .....	.109	309.826	284.446	-6.2	-8.2	-6.7	9.5	-7.8
Other fresh vegetables .....	.250	332.863	328.873	14.2	-1.2	6.0	6.0	.5
Processed fruits and vegetables <sup>2</sup> .....	.279	125.000	124.787	2.5	-.2	-.5	.6	.0
Canned fruits and vegetables <sup>2</sup> .....	.142	123.832	123.510	.8	-.3	-.7	1.0	-.7
Frozen fruits and vegetables <sup>2</sup> .....	.087	126.691	125.990	3.0	-.6	-.5	.6	1.2
Other processed fruits and vegetables including dried <sup>2</sup> .....	.051	123.828	124.730	6.1	.7	2.4	-.8	.8

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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 2006	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Mar. 2007 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Feb. 2007	Mar. 2007	Mar. 2006	Feb. 2007	Dec. to Jan.	Jan. to Feb.	Feb. to Mar.
<b>Expenditure category</b>								
Nonalcoholic beverages and beverage materials .....	1.082	150.968	153.329	4.1	1.6	0.9	0.1	1.8
Juices and nonalcoholic drinks <sup>2</sup> .....	.754	116.985	119.279	4.7	2.0	1.4	-.1	2.0
Carbonated drinks .....	.432	139.226	142.953	4.9	2.7	1.1	.0	2.7
Frozen noncarbonated juices and drinks <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.020	134.363	135.216	14.3	.6	2.8	2.7	.6
Nonfrozen noncarbonated juices and drinks <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.303	112.191	113.330	3.9	1.0	1.5	-.1	1.0
Beverage materials including coffee and tea <sup>2</sup> .....	.328	107.272	107.961	2.7	.6	.8	.3	.5
Coffee <sup>1</sup> .....	.103	172.456	173.535	4.2	.6	2.7	1.5	.6
Other beverage materials including tea <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.225	118.671	119.442	1.9	.6	-.2	.4	.6
Other food at home .....	1.993	170.861	171.183	1.5	.2	.8	.3	.2
Sugar and sweets .....	.337	173.081	173.248	2.5	.1	.5	-.8	.4
Sugar and artificial sweeteners .....	.069	168.212	168.430	4.8	.1	1.4	-.1	.5
Candy and chewing gum <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.207	112.383	112.587	1.2	.2	-.1	-.9	.2
Other sweets <sup>2</sup> .....	.061	124.338	124.060	4.5	-.2	-.3	.8	.8
Fats and oils .....	.283	172.380	172.005	1.5	-.2	-.3	1.1	-.2
Butter and margarine <sup>2</sup> .....	.081	134.737	135.617	.2	.7	.9	-.1	1.2
Salad dressing <sup>2</sup> .....	.080	111.725	111.544	2.0	-.2	.4	-.8	.5
Other fats and oils including peanut butter <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.122	122.022	121.015	2.2	-.8	.9	2.8	-.8
Other foods <sup>1</sup> .....	1.373	186.473	187.026	1.2	.3	1.1	.4	.3
Soups .....	.092	210.303	214.372	.0	1.9	-.3	.8	-.2
Frozen and freeze dried prepared foods .....	.280	152.294	152.714	.7	.3	1.7	.7	.2
Snacks <sup>1</sup> .....	.288	180.082	183.206	1.7	1.7	.6	.1	1.7
Spices, seasonings, condiments, sauces <sup>1</sup> .....	.244	197.208	196.716	2.5	-.2	4.4	1.2	-.2
Baby food <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.100	129.299	128.745	.3	-.4	-.3	.3	-.4
Other miscellaneous foods <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.368	115.151	114.402	.9	-.7	-.5	.3	-.7
Food away from home <sup>1</sup> .....	6.213	203.689	203.838	3.3	.1	.4	.4	.1
Full service meals and snacks <sup>1 2</sup> .....	2.164	128.299	128.505	3.5	.2	.5	.3	.2
Limited service meals and snacks <sup>1 2</sup> .....	3.238	128.771	128.835	3.1	.0	.4	.4	.0
Food at employee sites and schools <sup>2</sup> .....	.332	125.666	125.498	3.9	-.1	.3	.6	.1
Food from vending machines and mobile vendors <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.201	116.546	116.681	1.7	.1	-.2	.3	.1
Other food away from home <sup>2</sup> .....	.279	141.274	141.119	4.7	-.1	1.4	.4	.0
Alcoholic beverages <sup>1</sup> .....	1.018	204.616	205.729	2.6	.5	.9	.9	.5
Alcoholic beverages at home .....	.717	179.297	180.532	2.0	.7	.6	.8	.2
Beer, ale, and other malt beverages at home .....	.457	182.424	183.894	2.1	.8	.7	1.0	.0
Distilled spirits at home .....	.114	178.562	179.215	1.0	.4	-.1	.6	.3
Wine at home .....	.146	159.890	160.808	2.3	.6	.3	.5	.5
Alcoholic beverages away from home .....	.301	260.229	260.737	4.2	.2	.8	.2	.4
Housing .....	40.463	202.370	203.203	3.4	.4	.3	.4	.3
Shelter .....	30.570	230.472	231.315	4.0	.4	.3	.3	.2
Rent of primary residence <sup>3</sup> .....	8.021	230.860	231.634	4.6	.3	.3	.4	.4
Lodging away from home <sup>2</sup> .....	1.430	138.083	141.335	.7	2.4	1.0	-.4	-2.1
Housing at school, excluding board <sup>3 4</sup> .....	.075	369.028	369.288	5.6	.1	.5	.8	.6
Other lodging away from home including hotels and motels .....	1.356	287.851	294.964	.4	2.5	1.0	-.5	-2.3
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>3 4</sup> .....	20.776	221.185	221.704	4.1	.2	.2	.3	.3
Tenants' and household insurance <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.342	117.622	117.653	1.0	.0	.3	-.1	.0
Fuels and utilities .....	5.779	193.330	194.963	2.2	.8	.4	1.2	1.3
Household energy .....	4.842	173.654	175.303	1.7	.9	.3	1.3	1.5
Fuel oil and other fuels .....	.346	231.136	236.103	2.7	2.1	-.4	.3	3.0
Fuel oil .....	.227	238.819	245.385	2.6	2.7	-.5	1.3	3.0
Propane, kerosene, and firewood <sup>5</sup> .....	.119	273.295	276.086	2.9	1.0	-.4	.0	1.8
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>3</sup> .....	4.496	179.550	181.092	1.6	.9	.6	1.4	1.4
Electricity <sup>3</sup> .....	3.099	167.487	168.055	3.8	.3	2.2	.0	.6
Utility (piped) gas service <sup>3</sup> .....	1.397	217.880	222.369	-3.2	2.1	-2.9	4.9	3.2
Water and sewer and trash collection services <sup>2</sup> .....	.937	141.636	142.070	4.9	.3	1.0	.5	.3
Water and sewerage maintenance <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.711	303.169	304.074	4.8	.3	1.0	.6	.3
Garbage and trash collection <sup>1 6</sup> .....	.226	340.692	341.826	5.2	.3	.9	.2	.3
Household furnishings and operations .....	4.114	122.962	123.134	.5	.1	-.2	.1	.1
Window and floor coverings and other linens <sup>2</sup> .....	.281	83.504	82.749	-4.1	-.9	-1.3	.7	-.8
Floor coverings <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.046	117.088	116.681	1.6	-.3	-.5	.1	-.3
Window coverings <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.069	91.094	88.815	-.1	-2.5	1.1	-1.5	-2.5
Other linens <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.165	72.431	72.146	-7.1	-.4	-.9	.4	-.4
Furniture and bedding <sup>1</sup> .....	.856	123.290	123.593	.6	.2	-.3	.8	.2
Bedroom furniture <sup>1</sup> .....	.290	142.236	142.346	-.6	.1	-.4	1.0	.1
Living room, kitchen, and dining room furniture <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.401	91.139	91.610	.3	.5	-.5	-.1	.5
Other furniture <sup>2</sup> .....	.153	91.550	91.427	3.8	-.1	.7	2.2	-.6

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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 2006	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Mar. 2007 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Feb. 2007	Mar. 2007	Mar. 2006	Feb. 2007	Dec. to Jan.	Jan. to Feb.	Feb. to Mar.
<b>Expenditure category</b>								
Appliances <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.381	89.316	89.665	1.7	0.4	0.2	0.9	0.4
Major appliances <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.218	99.908	100.573	4.5	.7	.4	1.5	.7
Other appliances <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.153	75.551	75.534	-2.4	.0	-.1	.0	.0
Other household equipment and furnishings <sup>2</sup> .....	.491	78.754	78.331	-4.0	-.5	-.4	-.3	-.4
Clocks, lamps, and decorator items <sup>1</sup> .....	.252	72.848	72.105	-6.2	-1.0	-1.5	-.5	-1.0
Indoor plants and flowers <sup>7</sup> .....	.079	127.422	127.049	1.0	-.3	1.2	.7	-.5
Dishes and flatware <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.068	74.996	75.130	-6.3	.2	-.3	.2	.2
Nonelectric cookware and tableware <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.092	93.460	93.467	.2	.0	1.1	.3	.0
Tools, hardware, outdoor equipment and supplies <sup>2</sup> .....	.791	94.947	95.177	.9	.2	-.2	-.6	.3
Tools, hardware and supplies <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.292	100.384	100.692	.7	.3	-.4	.2	.3
Outdoor equipment and supplies <sup>2</sup> .....	.319	90.356	90.415	.9	.1	.1	-.5	.1
Housekeeping supplies <sup>1</sup> .....	.946	169.299	170.182	2.5	.5	.6	-.3	.5
Household cleaning products <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.461	112.889	112.968	1.5	.1	.1	-.4	.1
Household paper products <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.231	134.249	134.737	3.9	.4	.8	-.1	.4
Miscellaneous household products <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.254	111.626	113.274	3.1	1.5	1.2	-.2	1.5
Household operations <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.368	141.886	142.069	3.5	.1	.4	.1	.1
Domestic services <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.079	136.105	136.154	4.6	.0	.1	.2	.0
Gardening and lawn care services <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.113	NA	NA	-	-	-	-	-
Moving, storage, freight expense <sup>2</sup> .....	.051	128.330	128.112	-1.1	-.2	.7	-1.0	.0
Repair of household items <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.080	163.841	163.530	4.6	-.2	.9	.2	-.2
Apparel .....	4.041	118.211	122.021	.3	3.2	-.1	.5	-.8
Men's and boys' apparel .....	.954	111.079	113.921	-1.5	2.6	-1.6	.0	-.1
Men's apparel .....	.706	118.286	120.599	-1.1	2.0	-.6	-.5	-.1
Men's suits, sport coats, and outerwear .....	.121	117.845	121.125	-2.2	2.8	-.3	.2	.4
Men's furnishings .....	.176	134.405	134.906	-.2	.4	-.9	.8	-.3
Men's shirts and sweaters <sup>2</sup> .....	.184	82.324	86.422	-1.0	5.0	-2.3	-1.5	1.6
Men's pants and shorts .....	.207	109.223	109.680	-1.1	.4	-.1	-1.1	-.6
Boys' apparel .....	.247	91.068	94.986	-3.0	4.3	-4.7	1.3	.7
Women's and girls' apparel .....	1.680	110.214	116.275	1.7	5.5	1.1	.5	-1.2
Women's apparel .....	1.388	112.067	117.309	1.0	4.7	1.1	.7	-2.5
Women's outerwear .....	.121	93.140	99.592	-3.2	6.9	-5.3	-.8	1.0
Women's dresses .....	.218	114.420	118.580	.2	3.6	2.4	2.2	-9.3
Women's suits and separates <sup>2</sup> .....	.706	91.222	96.729	4.7	6.0	1.5	2.5	-1.5
Women's underwear, nightwear, sportswear and accessories <sup>2</sup> .....	.318	92.054	93.577	-5.0	1.7	.7	-2.6	-.9
Girls' apparel .....	.292	102.465	112.165	5.7	9.5	.9	-.4	5.3
Footwear .....	.954	121.679	122.870	-1.5	1.0	-.7	.5	-.8
Men's footwear <sup>1</sup> .....	.311	119.436	119.790	-.5	.3	-.9	-.4	.3
Boys' and girls' footwear <sup>1</sup> .....	.236	124.669	124.187	-.9	-.4	-2.4	2.3	-.4
Women's footwear .....	.407	120.756	123.526	-2.5	2.3	-1.0	.4	-1.0
Infants' and toddlers' apparel .....	.235	118.037	120.167	-.5	1.8	-.1	1.0	-.5
Jewelry and watches <sup>5</sup> .....	.218	134.398	134.436	7.0	.0	.2	2.3	-.4
Watches <sup>5</sup> .....	.045	113.804	112.405	1.4	-1.2	1.2	.3	-1.9
Jewelry <sup>5</sup> .....	.173	140.629	141.115	8.6	.3	-.2	2.7	.0
Transportation .....	19.515	173.518	179.541	1.7	3.5	-1.0	.0	3.0
Private transportation .....	18.793	170.588	176.695	1.7	3.6	-1.0	.0	3.1
New and used motor vehicles <sup>2</sup> .....	8.626	93.459	93.365	-1.8	-.1	-.2	-.2	.1
New vehicles .....	5.210	138.451	138.315	-1.1	-.1	.0	-.2	.3
Used cars and trucks <sup>1</sup> .....	2.675	135.411	135.203	-4.0	-.2	-.7	-.5	-.2
Leased cars and trucks <sup>8</sup> .....	.540	91.502	91.701	1.2	.2	.2	.2	.4
Car and truck rental <sup>2</sup> .....	.056	113.970	112.697	1.9	-1.1	-.6	.3	-2.2
Motor fuel .....	5.441	195.934	221.011	7.0	12.8	-3.1	.4	10.5
Gasoline (all types) .....	5.388	194.923	220.052	7.0	12.9	-3.2	.4	10.5
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>9</sup> .....	-	194.612	220.051	7.1	13.1	-3.4	.5	10.5
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>9 10</sup> .....	-	198.891	224.342	6.8	12.8	-2.9	.1	10.8
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>9</sup> .....	-	188.867	211.697	6.9	12.1	-2.2	-.7	10.2
Other motor fuels <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.053	196.093	202.483	3.9	3.3	-2.4	.1	3.3
Motor vehicle parts and equipment <sup>1</sup> .....	.444	119.897	120.170	4.6	.2	.2	.4	.2
Tires <sup>1</sup> .....	.238	109.848	109.852	3.5	.0	.3	.4	.0
Vehicle accessories other than tires <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.206	126.373	126.990	5.9	.5	.3	.3	.5
Motor vehicle maintenance and repair .....	1.145	223.054	223.683	3.7	.3	.1	.5	.4
Motor vehicle body work <sup>1</sup> .....	.064	230.755	231.253	3.5	.2	.7	.4	.2
Motor vehicle maintenance and servicing <sup>1</sup> .....	.423	201.485	202.929	3.6	.7	.3	.4	.7
Motor vehicle repair <sup>2</sup> .....	.631	136.512	136.509	3.7	.0	-.1	.6	.2

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(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

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<b>Expenditure category</b>								
Motor vehicle insurance .....	2.678	335.414	334.066	0.5	-0.4	-0.2	-0.2	-0.2
Motor vehicle fees <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.458	140.868	141.106	1.7	.2	.5	.3	.2
State and local registration and license <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	.321	139.775	139.687	.9	-.1	.3	.3	-.1
Parking and other fees <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.132	142.901	143.944	3.4	.7	.8	.3	.7
Public transportation .....	.723	223.338	224.973	1.5	.7	1.4	.4	.1
Airline fare .....	.387	241.578	245.244	1.8	1.5	2.2	.9	.6
Other intercity transportation <sup>1</sup> .....	.075	153.843	151.768	-.4	-1.3	.1	-1.8	-1.3
Intracity transportation <sup>1</sup> .....	.257	226.250	226.457	1.8	.1	.5	.1	.1
Medical care .....	5.228	346.191	346.946	4.1	.2	.8	.5	.1
Medical care commodities .....	1.135	280.597	279.762	.9	-.3	.6	-.4	-.3
Prescription drugs .....	.775	365.959	364.343	1.0	-.4	1.2	-.5	-.4
Nonprescription drugs and medical supplies <sup>1 5</sup> .....	.360	153.231	153.259	.6	.0	-.6	-.2	.0
Internal and respiratory over-the-counter drugs <sup>1</sup> .....	.265	182.142	181.985	.7	-.1	-.8	.0	-.1
Nonprescription medical equipment and supplies <sup>1</sup> .....	.094	183.819	184.392	.4	.3	-.1	-.8	.3
Medical care services .....	4.094	364.519	365.827	5.0	.4	.8	.8	.2
Professional services .....	2.338	300.720	301.339	3.8	.2	.7	.8	.1
Physicians' services <sup>3</sup> .....	1.404	303.369	303.827	3.6	.2	1.1	.7	.1
Dental services <sup>3</sup> .....	.584	352.482	354.102	5.4	.5	.6	.8	.3
Eyeglasses and eye care <sup>1 5</sup> .....	.181	173.178	172.411	2.3	-.4	.5	.3	-.4
Services by other medical professionals <sup>3 5</sup> .....	.169	199.909	200.850	2.8	.5	.4	.0	.6
Hospital and related services <sup>3</sup> .....	1.378	482.895	485.074	5.8	.5	.6	.7	.4
Hospital services <sup>3 11</sup> .....	1.344	178.665	179.484	5.8	.5	.5	.6	.4
Inpatient hospital services <sup>3 9 11</sup> .....	-	173.112	173.209	5.0	.1	.5	.7	-.2
Outpatient hospital services <sup>1 3 5 9</sup> .....	-	411.514	416.482	6.7	1.2	.8	1.1	1.2
Nursing homes and adult daycare <sup>3 11</sup> .....	.034	168.355	168.658	6.5	.2	2.1	.6	.3
Health insurance <sup>1 12</sup> .....	.378	110.559	111.622	9.8	1.0	1.7	1.7	1.0
Recreation <sup>2</sup> .....	5.022	108.484	108.461	.5	.0	.1	.0	-.1
Video and audio <sup>2</sup> .....	1.867	102.653	102.363	-2.0	-.3	-.3	-.1	-.6
Televisions .....	.123	18.370	18.025	-25.5	-1.9	-2.7	-1.0	-2.3
Cable and satellite television and radio service <sup>6</sup> .....	1.263	349.816	349.625	1.6	-.1	.0	.0	-.2
Other video equipment <sup>2</sup> .....	.042	24.921	23.955	-14.1	-3.9	.3	.4	-3.3
Video cassettes, discs, and other media including rental <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.214	76.419	76.527	-1.0	.1	-1.1	-1.1	.1
Audio equipment <sup>1</sup> .....	.070	52.846	52.974	-5.4	.2	-1.2	-.7	.2
Audio discs, tapes and other media <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.101	105.985	104.910	-3.0	-1.0	-.4	.4	-1.0
Pets, pet products and services <sup>2</sup> .....	.640	129.512	129.568	4.2	.0	.6	.8	.0
Pets and pet products .....	.418	164.692	164.268	3.8	-.3	.5	.9	-.4
Pet services including veterinary <sup>2</sup> .....	.222	162.665	163.645	5.0	.6	.7	.6	.6
Sporting goods <sup>1</sup> .....	.529	118.055	118.306	1.5	.2	.1	.1	.2
Sports vehicles including bicycles .....	.272	142.506	141.650	3.4	-.6	-.1	.5	-.5
Sports equipment <sup>1</sup> .....	.250	93.329	94.369	-.6	1.1	-.3	-.4	1.1
Photography <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.147	84.371	83.928	-5.6	-.5	-.7	-.6	-.5
Photographic equipment and supplies <sup>1</sup> .....	.068	83.478	82.670	-12.7	-1.0	-1.2	-1.3	-1.0
Photographers and film processing <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.077	106.504	106.345	1.3	-.1	-.2	.0	-.1
Other recreational goods <sup>2</sup> .....	.366	64.833	64.700	-3.6	-.2	-.6	-.2	-.2
Toys <sup>1</sup> .....	.269	73.874	73.728	-4.4	-.2	-.3	-.2	-.2
Sewing machines, fabric and supplies <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.052	91.178	90.960	.0	-.2	-1.5	-.3	-.2
Music instruments and accessories <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.033	95.866	94.987	-2.6	-.9	-1.2	.4	-.9
Recreation services <sup>2</sup> .....	1.248	139.985	140.458	4.0	.3	.5	-.1	.4
Club membership dues and fees for participant sports <sup>2</sup> .....	.312	122.944	122.761	1.0	-.1	.6	-.7	-.2
Admissions .....	.608	300.041	301.387	5.3	.4	.5	-.1	.6
Fees for lessons or instructions <sup>5</sup> .....	.139	242.192	245.121	4.7	1.2	.0	.8	1.4
Recreational reading materials <sup>1</sup> .....	.224	207.873	207.963	.5	.0	.0	.3	.0
Newspapers and magazines <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.142	120.961	121.124	.4	.1	.1	.1	.1
Recreational books <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.082	103.074	102.956	.6	-.1	-.3	.6	-.1
Education and communication <sup>2</sup> .....	5.605	114.870	115.161	1.9	.3	-.1	.3	.4
Education <sup>2</sup> .....	2.329	166.144	166.341	6.1	.1	.2	.5	.6
Educational books and supplies .....	.208	411.130	417.027	8.3	1.4	1.3	.1	1.7
Tuition, other school fees, and childcare .....	2.121	469.284	469.224	5.9	.0	.1	.6	.5
College tuition and fees .....	.970	528.732	528.574	7.0	.0	.3	.6	.5
Elementary and high school tuition and fees .....	.272	526.472	526.464	5.9	.0	.5	.6	.4
Child care and nursery school <sup>7</sup> .....	.759	211.234	211.186	4.6	.0	.2	.4	.3
Technical and business school tuition and fees <sup>2</sup> .....	.033	175.726	176.929	4.4	.7	-.7	.7	.9

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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 2006	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Mar. 2007 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Feb. 2007	Mar. 2007	Mar. 2006	Feb. 2007	Dec. to Jan.	Jan. to Feb.	Feb. to Mar.
<b>Expenditure category</b>								
Communication <sup>2</sup> .....	3.276	85.112	85.408	-0.9	0.3	-0.3	0.1	0.3
Postage and delivery services <sup>2</sup> .....	.152	127.053	126.961	.4	-1	.2	.0	-1
Postage <sup>1</sup> .....	.140	201.932	201.932	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0
Delivery services <sup>2</sup> .....	.012	180.865	179.244	4.9	-9	3.0	.1	-7
Information and information processing <sup>1 2</sup> .....	3.124	83.337	83.645	-1.0	.4	-3	.1	.4
Telephone services <sup>1 2</sup> .....	2.633	97.233	97.625	2.5	.4	.1	.2	.4
Land-line telephone services, local charges <sup>1 3</sup> .....	.859	218.168	219.288	3.5	.5	.2	.6	.5
Land-line telephone services, long distance charges <sup>1 2</sup> ...	.807	69.746	70.281	4.7	.8	.3	.1	.8
Wireless telephone services <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.967	65.590	65.590	-2	.0	.0	.0	.0
Information technology, hardware and services <sup>1 13</sup> .....	.492	11.272	11.292	-17.0	.2	-2.4	-4	.2
Personal computers and peripheral equipment <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.178	9.997	10.040	-11.2	.4	-1.2	-8	.4
Computer software and accessories <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.026	52.799	52.415	-4.9	-7	.0	.0	-7
Internet services and electronic information providers <sup>1 2</sup> ...	.239	73.678	73.829	-23.2	.2	-4.5	-2	.2
Telephone hardware, calculators, and other consumer information items <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.039	41.481	41.259	-6.0	-5	-1.5	-4	-5
Other goods and services .....	3.652	340.917	341.719	3.7	.2	1.0	.4	.2
Tobacco and smoking products <sup>1</sup> .....	1.139	550.097	551.161	5.8	.2	3.0	1.0	.2
Cigarettes <sup>1 2</sup> .....	1.073	222.624	222.997	5.9	.2	3.2	1.1	.2
Tobacco products other than cigarettes <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.061	157.907	158.950	3.0	.7	.8	.0	.7
Personal care .....	2.513	191.922	192.411	2.8	.3	.1	.1	.2
Personal care products <sup>1</sup> .....	.771	157.992	158.528	2.1	.3	-7	.3	.3
Hair, dental, shaving, and miscellaneous personal care products <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.421	103.646	103.519	2.1	-1	-9	.7	-1
Cosmetics, perfume, bath, nail preparations and implements <sup>1</sup> .....	.345	177.333	178.943	2.2	.9	-4	-1	.9
Personal care services <sup>1</sup> .....	.618	214.773	215.318	3.3	.3	.7	.2	.3
Haircuts and other personal care services <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.618	130.905	131.237	3.3	.3	.7	.2	.3
Miscellaneous personal services .....	.962	321.269	322.090	3.4	.3	.2	.3	.1
Legal services <sup>5</sup> .....	.257	256.686	258.643	4.1	.8	.0	.0	.6
Funeral expenses <sup>5</sup> .....	.124	255.104	256.329	5.5	.5	.4	.9	.5
Laundry and dry cleaning services <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.282	127.578	126.947	2.2	-5	.2	.5	-5
Apparel services other than laundry and dry cleaning <sup>1 2</sup> ...	.025	136.222	136.671	4.2	.3	-1	.4	.3
Financial services <sup>5</sup> .....	.147	266.924	267.919	2.5	.4	.5	-2	.0
Care of invalids and elderly at home <sup>1 12</sup> .....	.005	103.797	103.758	2.8	.0	.4	.4	.0
Miscellaneous personal goods <sup>2</sup> .....	.162	86.842	86.717	.6	-1	-5	-1	-2
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>								
Commodities .....	44.175	164.171	167.350	1.9	1.9	-2	.4	1.4
Commodities less food and beverages .....	27.700	144.567	148.836	1.1	3.0	-6	.1	2.1
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	15.699	175.371	184.604	3.3	5.3	-1.8	-3	3.4
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel .....	11.658	214.738	227.564	4.3	6.0	-1.2	.3	5.2
Durables .....	12.001	113.178	113.107	-1.8	-1	-2	-2	.0
Services .....	55.825	238.783	239.586	3.4	.3	.3	.4	.3
Rent of shelter <sup>4</sup> .....	30.227	222.150	222.970	4.0	.4	.3	.2	.2
Transportation services .....	5.600	232.362	232.332	1.5	.0	.2	.1	.0
Other services .....	9.761	271.921	272.474	2.5	.2	.1	.2	.3
All items less food .....	84.543	198.258	200.616	2.6	1.2	.0	.3	.9
All items less shelter .....	69.430	189.058	191.591	2.1	1.3	.0	.4	1.0
All items less medical care .....	94.772	192.389	194.481	2.6	1.1	.1	.4	.8
Commodities less food .....	28.718	146.653	150.856	1.2	2.9	-6	.2	2.0
Nondurables less food .....	16.717	177.171	185.979	3.3	5.0	-1.7	-2	3.2
Nondurables less food and apparel .....	12.676	212.940	224.712	4.2	5.5	-1.1	.3	5.0
Nondurables .....	32.174	187.995	193.028	3.3	2.7	-5	.3	1.9

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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 2006	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Mar. 2007 from—		Seasonally adjusted percent change from—		
		Feb. 2007	Mar. 2007	Mar. 2006	Feb. 2007	Dec. to Jan.	Jan. to Feb.	Feb. to Mar.
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>								
Apparel less footwear .....	3.087	113.036	117.459	0.9	3.9	0.1	0.5	-0.8
Services less rent of shelter <sup>4</sup> .....	25.598	227.801	228.479	2.6	.3	.3	.4	.5
Services less medical care services .....	51.732	229.453	230.221	3.2	.3	.2	.3	.3
Energy .....	10.282	183.842	196.940	4.5	7.1	-1.5	.8	6.2
All items less energy .....	89.718	201.238	201.948	2.5	.4	.3	.3	.1
All items less food and energy .....	74.261	202.056	202.816	2.3	.4	.2	.2	.1
Commodities less food and energy commodities .....	22.932	140.680	141.482	-.3	.6	.1	.1	-.1
Energy commodities .....	5.786	198.398	222.509	6.8	12.2	-3.2	.4	10.1
Services less energy services .....	51.329	245.211	245.923	3.5	.3	.3	.3	.2
Domestically produced farm food <sup>1</sup> .....	7.702	202.025	202.470	3.1	.2	1.1	.9	.2
Utilities and public transportation .....	10.051	185.138	186.184	2.1	.6	.3	.6	1.0
Purchasing power of the consumer dollar (1982-84=\$1.00) .....	-	\$ .504	\$ .498	-	-	-	-	-
Purchasing power of the consumer dollar (1967=\$1.00) .....	-	\$ .169	\$ .167	-	-	-	-	-

<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 1996=100 base.

<sup>12</sup> Indexes on a December 2005=100 base.

<sup>13</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 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—	
	Dec. 2006	Jan. 2007	Feb. 2007	Mar. 2007	June 2006	Sep. 2006	Dec. 2006	Mar. 2007	Sep. 2006	Mar. 2007
<b>Expenditure category</b>										
All items .....	198.0	198.225	198.984	200.527	5.9	0.2	-0.4	5.2	3.0	2.4
Food and beverages .....	196.4	197.677	199.249	199.913	1.7	3.3	.6	7.3	2.5	3.9
Food .....	196.0	197.244	198.801	199.437	1.9	3.3	.8	7.2	2.6	4.0
Food at home .....	193.0	194.473	196.534	197.484	1.1	4.0	-1.2	9.6	2.5	4.1
Cereals and bakery products .....	216.5	216.798	219.095	218.810	2.5	4.2	3.6	4.3	3.3	4.0
Cereals and cereal products .....	190.0	187.985	192.541	191.998	3.5	1.3	5.4	4.3	2.4	4.9
Flour and prepared flour mixes .....	185.8	187.554	188.217	187.636	.0	7.5	4.7	4.0	3.7	4.3
Breakfast cereal <sup>1</sup> .....	202.0	197.256	203.825	201.666	10.8	-7.1	7.7	-7	1.4	3.4
Rice, pasta, cornmeal <sup>1</sup> .....	175.8	175.380	179.334	179.679	.7	1.9	9.4	9.1	1.3	9.3
Bakery products <sup>1</sup> .....	229.5	232.048	233.666	233.558	2.5	4.5	.5	7.3	3.5	3.8
Bread <sup>1 2</sup> .....	133.7	135.064	136.780	136.172	.6	8.6	6.2	7.6	4.6	6.9
Fresh biscuits, rolls, muffins <sup>1 2</sup> .....	134.6	134.200	134.412	135.672	-.6	8.6	8.4	3.2	3.9	5.8
Cakes, cupcakes, and cookies .....	214.2	215.250	217.163	219.030	2.9	1.9	-.6	9.3	2.4	4.3
Other bakery products .....	219.7	222.439	221.379	219.653	2.6	4.9	-1.1	-.1	3.7	-.6
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs .....	187.6	189.036	189.882	191.953	-.4	3.3	1.1	9.6	1.4	5.3
Meats, poultry, and fish .....	188.5	189.891	190.072	192.564	-1.1	3.5	-.6	8.9	1.2	4.0
Meats .....	189.2	190.642	190.379	193.413	-3.5	3.0	.9	9.2	-.3	4.9
Beef and veal <sup>1</sup> .....	202.7	203.435	205.780	208.791	-7.6	1.8	2.8	12.6	-3.0	7.6
Uncooked ground beef <sup>1</sup> .....	177.3	177.680	180.336	181.366	-6.8	.7	4.4	9.5	-3.1	6.9
Uncooked beef roasts <sup>1 2</sup> .....	147.4	146.411	151.859	152.224	-6.5	.8	13.5	13.7	-2.9	13.6
Uncooked beef steaks <sup>1 2</sup> .....	145.3	146.781	146.454	151.325	-9.4	4.2	-3.0	17.6	-2.8	6.8
Uncooked other beef and veal <sup>1 2</sup> .....	141.0	141.313	142.296	142.260	-5.5	-.3	1.1	3.6	-2.9	2.4
Pork .....	176.8	177.606	176.881	179.507	-2.9	5.8	-1.1	6.3	1.4	2.5
Bacon, breakfast sausage, and related products <sup>2</sup> ..	122.6	123.874	125.526	125.846	2.6	2.0	-2.6	11.0	2.3	4.0
Ham .....	176.8	175.395	172.729	176.875	-7.2	2.8	2.8	.2	-2.3	1.5
Pork chops .....	168.9	167.671	167.139	170.174	-11.0	9.3	-.2	3.1	-1.4	1.4
Other pork including roasts and picnics <sup>2</sup> .....	110.6	111.120	108.650	110.760	6.6	11.6	-.4	.6	9.1	.1
Other meats .....	181.2	185.550	180.205	184.012	5.7	1.3	-.7	6.4	3.5	2.8
Poultry <sup>1</sup> .....	181.9	181.198	182.927	185.846	-.4	3.6	-3.7	9.0	1.5	2.5
Chicken <sup>1 2</sup> .....	118.6	117.104	118.625	120.963	-.3	4.8	-2.3	8.2	2.2	2.8
Other poultry including turkey <sup>2</sup> .....	114.2	117.090	115.233	114.360	-1.7	-2.1	2.1	.6	-1.9	1.3
Fish and seafood <sup>1</sup> .....	212.4	216.139	216.288	215.694	10.7	5.2	-2.4	6.3	7.9	1.9
Fresh fish and seafood <sup>1 2</sup> .....	125.4	127.678	129.286	128.913	9.6	9.0	-2.2	11.7	9.3	4.5
Processed fish and seafood <sup>2</sup> .....	111.5	112.523	111.704	112.462	3.7	-1.8	1.1	3.5	.9	2.3
Eggs .....	165.7	169.280	183.025	176.881	17.5	-1.3	44.2	29.8	7.7	36.9
Dairy and related products .....	179.8	181.898	182.501	184.953	-3.9	-2.4	.2	12.0	-3.2	5.9
Milk <sup>1 2</sup> .....	124.9	126.533	127.873	128.787	-11.4	.0	5.6	13.0	-5.9	9.3
Cheese and related products <sup>1</sup> .....	176.9	179.180	179.211	182.312	-9.2	1.6	-1.8	12.8	-3.9	5.3
Ice cream and related products .....	183.7	184.646	182.011	184.580	3.8	-.4	4.9	1.9	1.7	3.4
Other dairy and related products <sup>1 2</sup> .....	121.9	123.381	124.853	125.543	-1.9	-3.2	-1.6	12.5	-2.6	5.2
Fruits and vegetables .....	250.4	253.022	264.940	261.391	3.5	20.5	-13.4	18.7	11.6	1.4
Fresh fruits and vegetables .....	295.9	300.332	317.822	312.480	4.6	25.5	-18.4	24.4	14.6	.8
Fresh fruits .....	313.4	317.793	336.207	329.430	3.3	10.6	-6.4	22.1	6.9	6.9
Apples .....	284.2	289.099	297.324	302.088	19.6	36.2	-18.4	27.7	27.6	2.1
Bananas .....	178.2	175.852	175.250	172.617	-.7	-.5	8.5	-12.0	-.6	-2.3
Citrus fruits <sup>2</sup> .....	197.3	212.079	245.222	241.241	-26.5	14.3	-.6	123.5	-8.3	49.0
Other fresh fruits <sup>2</sup> .....	111.6	109.940	115.418	112.177	15.0	2.8	-9.8	2.1	8.7	-4.0
Fresh vegetables .....	278.0	282.392	298.921	294.924	5.8	42.6	-28.8	26.7	22.9	-5.0
Potatoes .....	278.7	273.168	272.323	277.497	7.7	19.8	-6.5	-1.7	13.6	-4.1
Lettuce <sup>1</sup> .....	273.0	282.861	285.218	279.017	15.8	14.7	13.1	9.1	15.2	11.1
Tomatoes .....	290.8	271.420	297.201	273.906	-11.0	159.7	-57.4	-21.3	52.0	-42.1
Other fresh vegetables .....	284.5	301.449	319.501	321.162	7.5	26.3	-22.9	62.4	16.5	11.9
Processed fruits and vegetables <sup>2</sup> .....	124.6	123.968	124.714	124.695	-.3	2.7	7.4	.3	1.2	3.8
Canned fruits and vegetables <sup>2</sup> .....	123.9	123.043	124.226	123.303	-2.3	-.7	8.5	-1.9	-1.5	3.2
Frozen fruits and vegetables <sup>2</sup> .....	125.2	124.592	125.295	126.792	-2.3	5.3	3.9	5.2	1.5	4.6
Other processed fruits and vegetables including dried <sup>2</sup> .....	121.6	124.570	123.567	124.584	7.3	4.4	2.3	10.2	5.9	6.2

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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—	
	Dec. 2006	Jan. 2007	Feb. 2007	Mar. 2007	June 2006	Sep. 2006	Dec. 2006	Mar. 2007	Sep. 2006	Mar. 2007
<b>Expenditure category</b>										
Nonalcoholic beverages and beverage materials .....	148.3	149.587	149.749	152.389	0.5	1.6	3.0	11.5	1.1	7.2
Juices and nonalcoholic drinks <sup>2</sup> .....	114.7	116.265	116.117	118.492	1.8	1.8	2.1	13.9	1.8	7.8
Carbonated drinks .....	136.6	138.083	138.030	141.792	.3	1.2	2.7	16.1	.7	9.2
Frozen noncarbonated juices and drinks <sup>1 2</sup> .....	127.3	130.880	134.363	135.216	4.1	3.0	25.0	27.3	3.6	26.1
Nonfrozen noncarbonated juices and drinks <sup>1 2</sup> .....	110.6	112.268	112.191	113.330	.4	2.6	2.6	10.2	1.5	6.3
Beverage materials including coffee and tea <sup>2</sup> .....	105.4	106.243	106.580	107.124	-1.9	1.9	4.3	6.7	.0	5.5
Coffee <sup>1</sup> .....	165.4	169.843	172.456	173.535	-1.7	-1.0	.0	21.2	-1.3	10.1
Other beverage materials including tea <sup>1 2</sup> .....	118.4	118.208	118.671	119.442	-9.2	3.5	10.8	3.6	-3.0	7.1
Other food at home .....	168.7	170.028	170.572	170.984	2.4	-5	-1.4	5.5	1.0	2.0
Sugar and sweets .....	173.0	173.813	172.484	173.102	3.8	2.1	3.8	.2	3.0	2.0
Sugar and artificial sweeteners .....	167.8	167.163	166.991	167.784	11.5	4.7	3.4	.0	8.0	1.7
Candy and chewing gum <sup>1 2</sup> .....	112.2	113.397	112.383	112.587	-.4	.0	3.6	1.4	-.2	2.5
Other sweets <sup>2</sup> .....	123.4	123.015	123.945	124.960	9.0	-.3	4.3	5.2	4.2	4.7
Fats and oils .....	169.7	169.191	171.051	170.779	1.0	-.2	2.9	2.6	.4	2.7
Butter and margarine <sup>2</sup> .....	133.7	134.876	133.412	135.027	-8.1	-.3	5.6	4.0	-4.3	4.8
Salad dressing <sup>2</sup> .....	110.8	111.188	110.332	110.889	.4	6.8	.4	.3	3.5	.3
Other fats and oils including peanut butter <sup>1 2</sup> .....	117.6	118.716	122.022	121.015	.7	-4.3	1.0	12.1	-1.8	6.4
Other foods <sup>1</sup> .....	183.7	185.681	186.473	187.026	2.4	-1.3	-3.4	7.4	.5	1.9
Soups .....	214.7	214.110	215.775	215.315	-1.3	2.3	-1.8	1.2	.5	-.4
Frozen and freeze dried prepared foods .....	149.2	151.746	152.852	153.102	-3.9	.5	-3.9	10.9	-1.7	3.2
Snacks <sup>1</sup> .....	178.7	179.829	180.082	183.206	2.2	-2.4	-3.1	10.5	-.1	3.5
Spices, seasonings, condiments, sauces <sup>1</sup> .....	186.5	194.774	197.208	196.716	3.2	-.8	-13.0	23.8	1.1	3.8
Baby food <sup>1 2</sup> .....	129.3	128.906	129.299	128.745	-3.7	6.8	.0	-1.7	1.4	-.9
Other miscellaneous foods <sup>1 2</sup> .....	115.3	114.759	115.151	114.402	5.8	-1.7	2.8	-3.1	1.9	-.2
Food away from home <sup>1</sup> .....	202.0	202.905	203.689	203.838	3.1	2.6	3.6	3.7	2.9	3.7
Full service meals and snacks <sup>1 2</sup> .....	127.3	127.918	128.299	128.505	3.9	2.3	3.9	3.8	3.1	3.9
Limited service meals and snacks <sup>1 2</sup> .....	127.7	128.221	128.771	128.835	2.9	1.9	3.8	3.6	2.4	3.7
Food at employee sites and schools <sup>2</sup> .....	124.4	124.761	125.448	125.547	4.7	7.1	.3	3.7	5.9	2.0
Food from vending machines and mobile vendors <sup>1 2</sup> .....	116.4	116.211	116.546	116.681	.3	2.5	3.2	1.0	1.4	2.1
Other food away from home <sup>2</sup> .....	138.8	140.765	141.338	141.285	3.0	2.7	5.7	7.4	2.8	6.5
Alcoholic beverages <sup>1</sup> .....	201.1	202.821	204.616	205.729	1.0	-.2	.4	9.5	.4	4.9
Alcoholic beverages at home .....	176.6	177.600	178.989	179.310	.9	.0	.9	6.3	.5	3.6
Beer, ale, and other malt beverages at home .....	179.4	180.593	182.368	182.377	-.7	1.1	1.3	6.8	.2	4.0
Distilled spirits at home .....	177.4	177.195	178.273	178.810	1.6	-1.3	.5	3.2	.1	1.8
Wine at home .....	158.0	158.471	159.286	160.121	4.4	-1.8	1.3	5.5	1.3	3.4
Alcoholic beverages away from home .....	257.4	259.467	260.094	261.079	6.2	4.0	.9	5.8	5.1	3.4
Housing .....	201.5	202.017	202.830	203.510	2.3	3.9	3.2	4.1	3.1	3.6
Shelter .....	229.2	229.798	230.467	230.875	4.6	4.2	4.3	3.0	4.4	3.6
Rent of primary residence <sup>3</sup> .....	228.9	229.696	230.703	231.583	4.2	4.5	4.9	4.8	4.4	4.8
Lodging away from home <sup>2</sup> .....	137.8	139.243	138.634	135.688	1.5	1.8	5.7	-6.0	1.6	-.3
Housing at school, excluding board <sup>3 4</sup> .....	364.8	366.513	369.309	371.386	6.9	2.9	5.2	7.4	4.9	6.3
Other lodging away from home including hotels and motels .....	287.5	290.492	289.048	282.513	1.1	1.9	5.8	-6.8	1.5	-.7
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>3 4</sup> .....	220.1	220.518	221.169	221.773	5.2	4.1	3.9	3.1	4.7	3.5
Tenants' and household insurance <sup>1 2</sup> .....	117.4	117.748	117.622	117.653	.7	.3	2.1	.9	.5	1.5
Fuels and utilities .....	193.6	194.362	196.694	199.210	-8.5	4.7	1.5	12.1	-2.1	6.6
Household energy .....	174.4	174.925	177.263	179.858	-10.6	4.2	1.2	13.1	-3.5	7.0
Fuel oil and other fuels .....	232.7	222.684	223.337	230.061	35.6	-3.8	-10.6	-4.5	14.2	-7.6
Fuel oil .....	242.2	228.266	231.207	238.208	49.4	-8.6	-13.2	-6.4	16.9	-9.9
Propane, kerosene, and firewood <sup>5</sup> .....	270.1	268.979	268.989	273.792	11.8	-3.5	-1.5	5.6	3.9	2.0
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>3</sup> .....	180.3	181.459	184.020	186.511	-13.2	5.1	2.0	14.5	-4.5	8.1
Electricity <sup>3</sup> .....	168.7	172.352	172.366	173.333	1.2	2.9	.0	11.4	2.0	5.6
Utility (piped) gas service <sup>3</sup> .....	217.2	210.927	221.171	228.276	-39.0	10.2	7.1	22.0	-18.0	14.3
Water and sewer and trash collection services <sup>2</sup> .....	139.6	140.947	141.636	142.070	3.6	5.7	3.2	7.3	4.6	5.2
Water and sewerage maintenance <sup>1 3</sup> .....	298.5	301.442	303.169	304.074	2.9	5.6	3.0	7.7	4.2	5.3
Garbage and trash collection <sup>1 6</sup> .....	337.0	339.931	340.692	341.826	4.8	6.9	3.5	5.9	5.8	4.7
Household furnishings and operations .....	122.9	122.595	122.719	122.902	1.3	1.0	-.3	.0	1.1	-.2
Window and floor coverings and other linens <sup>2</sup> .....	84.1	82.996	83.567	82.884	-3.2	-1.4	-6.0	-5.7	-2.3	-5.8
Floor coverings <sup>1 2</sup> .....	117.5	116.937	117.088	116.681	.7	7.1	1.7	-2.8	3.9	-.5
Window coverings <sup>1 2</sup> .....	91.4	92.447	91.094	88.815	2.7	5.9	2.7	-10.8	4.3	-4.3
Other linens <sup>1 2</sup> .....	72.8	72.113	72.431	72.146	-8.5	-3.6	-12.6	-3.5	-6.1	-8.2

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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—	
	Dec. 2006	Jan. 2007	Feb. 2007	Mar. 2007	June 2006	Sep. 2006	Dec. 2006	Mar. 2007	Sep. 2006	Mar. 2007
<b>Expenditure category</b>										
Furniture and bedding <sup>1</sup> .....	122.6	122.254	123.290	123.593	4.0	-3.2	-1.3	3.3	0.3	1.0
Bedroom furniture <sup>1</sup> .....	141.4	140.877	142.236	142.346	-2.8	1.4	-3.6	2.7	-7	-5
Living room, kitchen, and dining room furniture <sup>1 2</sup> .....	91.7	91.233	91.139	91.610	5.8	-4.7	.9	-4	.4	.2
Other furniture <sup>2</sup> .....	89.0	89.620	91.548	91.034	6.5	3.6	-3.9	9.5	5.1	2.5
Appliances <sup>1 2</sup> .....	88.4	88.540	89.316	89.665	.0	1.8	-9	5.8	.9	2.4
Major appliances <sup>1 2</sup> .....	98.1	98.453	99.908	100.573	-4	6.0	2.5	10.5	2.7	6.4
Other appliances <sup>1 2</sup> .....	75.6	75.528	75.551	75.534	-5	-2.6	-6.1	-3	-1.5	-3.3
Other household equipment and furnishings <sup>2</sup> .....	79.0	78.685	78.468	78.162	-2.9	-5.8	-3.0	-4.2	-4.4	-3.6
Clocks, lamps, and decorator items <sup>1</sup> .....	74.3	73.210	72.848	72.105	-3.1	-13.9	4.4	-11.3	-8.6	-3.8
Indoor plants and flowers <sup>7</sup> .....	124.0	125.514	126.358	125.691	.6	-6.3	4.3	5.6	-2.9	4.9
Dishes and flatware <sup>1 2</sup> .....	75.1	74.844	74.996	75.130	-2.0	-10.1	-12.7	.2	-6.1	-6.5
Nonelectric cookware and tableware <sup>1 2</sup> .....	92.2	93.223	93.460	93.467	-7.9	4.4	-9	5.6	-1.9	2.3
Tools, hardware, outdoor equipment and supplies <sup>2</sup> .....	95.2	95.051	94.498	94.814	.9	3.0	1.7	-1.6	1.9	.0
Tools, hardware and supplies <sup>1 2</sup> .....	100.5	100.139	100.384	100.692	.0	2.8	-8	.8	1.4	.0
Outdoor equipment and supplies <sup>2</sup> .....	90.4	90.512	90.030	90.101	.9	-4	4.5	-1.3	.2	1.6
Housekeeping supplies <sup>1</sup> .....	168.8	169.753	169.299	170.182	3.7	3.9	-7	3.3	3.8	1.3
Household cleaning products <sup>1 2</sup> .....	113.2	113.304	112.889	112.968	2.2	2.5	2.1	-8	2.3	.7
Household paper products <sup>1 2</sup> .....	133.4	134.401	134.249	134.737	8.3	2.7	.6	4.1	5.5	2.3
Miscellaneous household products <sup>1 2</sup> .....	110.6	111.883	111.626	113.274	1.8	7.1	-5.9	10.0	4.4	1.7
Household operations <sup>1 2</sup> .....	141.2	141.729	141.886	142.069	5.0	2.3	4.1	2.5	3.7	3.3
Domestic services <sup>1 2</sup> .....	135.7	135.841	136.105	136.154	.6	3.1	13.7	1.3	1.9	7.4
Gardening and lawn care services <sup>1 2</sup> .....	NA	NA	NA	NA	8.5	2.9	-	-	5.6	-
Moving, storage, freight expense <sup>2</sup> .....	129.0	129.924	128.637	128.596	5.0	-2.7	-5.4	-1.2	1.1	-3.3
Repair of household items <sup>1 2</sup> .....	162.1	163.542	163.841	163.530	3.4	3.3	8.0	3.6	3.4	5.8
Apparel .....	119.6	119.451	120.061	119.132	2.0	3.4	-2.3	-1.6	2.7	-1.9
Men's and boys' apparel .....	113.7	111.883	111.899	111.739	.4	7.2	-6.4	-6.7	3.7	-6.6
Men's apparel .....	120.3	119.546	118.997	118.900	1.0	3.4	-3.9	-4.6	2.2	-4.2
Men's suits, sport coats, and outerwear .....	120.2	119.856	120.054	120.479	-5.1	-7	-3.6	.9	-2.9	-1.3
Men's furnishings .....	134.8	133.553	134.558	134.115	3.3	8.5	-9.7	-2.0	5.9	-6.0
Men's shirts and sweaters <sup>2</sup> .....	87.6	85.627	84.311	85.626	-1.4	2.3	4.2	-8.7	.5	-2.5
Men's pants and shorts .....	108.5	108.349	107.118	106.443	3.0	7.2	-6.4	-7.4	5.1	-6.9
Boys' apparel .....	95.0	90.565	91.726	92.406	-2.1	13.3	-10.6	-10.5	5.3	-10.5
Women's and girls' apparel .....	111.4	112.603	113.167	111.805	3.7	4.8	-2.5	1.5	4.2	-.5
Women's apparel .....	113.5	114.712	115.504	112.588	6.2	4.7	-3.4	-3.2	5.5	-3.3
Women's outerwear .....	101.9	96.546	95.731	96.667	-16.1	16.9	10.4	-19.0	-1.0	-5.4
Women's dresses .....	119.8	122.627	125.272	113.647	15.7	4.1	3.4	-19.0	9.8	-8.5
Women's suits and separates <sup>2</sup> .....	90.3	91.618	93.921	92.523	10.3	7.3	-8.0	10.2	8.8	.7
Women's underwear, nightwear, sportswear and accessories <sup>2</sup> .....	93.2	93.831	91.417	90.573	4.3	-11.1	-1.3	-10.8	-3.7	-6.2
Girls' apparel .....	102.8	103.727	103.290	108.788	-8.3	4.4	4.0	25.4	-2.1	14.2
Footwear .....	123.1	122.250	122.846	121.891	-1.6	-1.9	1.6	-3.9	-1.8	-1.2
Men's footwear <sup>1</sup> .....	121.0	119.912	119.436	119.790	2.7	.3	-1.0	-3.9	1.5	-2.5
Boys' and girls' footwear <sup>1</sup> .....	124.9	121.914	124.669	124.187	-7.7	14.0	-6.2	-2.3	2.6	-4.2
Women's footwear .....	122.9	121.633	122.077	120.837	-6	-6.9	4.7	-6.5	-3.8	-1.1
Infants' and toddlers' apparel .....	117.3	117.148	118.322	117.687	.0	-3	-3.0	1.3	-.2	-.9
Jewelry and watches <sup>5</sup> .....	132.1	132.314	135.293	134.782	16.5	6.3	-2.1	8.4	11.3	3.0
Watches <sup>5</sup> .....	112.9	114.256	114.587	112.422	2.9	3.6	1.1	-1.7	3.3	-.3
Jewelry <sup>5</sup> .....	137.9	137.684	141.463	141.446	20.8	7.2	-3.1	10.7	13.8	3.6
Transportation .....	176.1	174.417	174.491	179.761	21.4	-10.7	-9.2	8.6	4.1	-.7
Private transportation .....	173.2	171.432	171.483	176.866	22.1	-11.3	-9.3	8.7	4.1	-.7
New and used motor vehicles <sup>2</sup> .....	93.4	93.254	93.035	93.159	.8	-1.3	-6.2	-1.0	-.2	-3.6
New vehicles .....	137.5	137.513	137.293	137.675	-1.4	-.6	-3.1	.5	-1.0	-1.3
Used cars and trucks <sup>1</sup> .....	137.0	136.063	135.411	135.203	4.6	-1.4	-13.1	-5.1	1.6	-9.2
Leased cars and trucks <sup>8</sup> .....	92.0	92.216	92.372	92.775	6.7	-3.8	-1.3	3.4	1.3	1.0
Car and truck rental <sup>2</sup> .....	113.4	112.682	112.966	110.475	-.7	5.7	14.2	-9.9	2.4	1.4
Motor fuel .....	207.1	200.603	201.411	222.605	84.1	-31.8	-21.8	33.5	12.1	2.2
Gasoline (all types) .....	206.2	199.614	200.433	221.570	84.6	-32.0	-21.6	33.3	12.0	2.3
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>9</sup> .....	206.2	199.192	200.253	221.330	86.6	-32.6	-21.3	32.7	12.2	2.2
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>9 10</sup> .....	210.0	203.959	204.088	226.087	80.0	-30.4	-22.8	34.3	12.0	1.9
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>9</sup> .....	199.5	195.095	193.634	213.387	78.8	-29.5	-20.8	30.9	12.3	1.8
Other motor fuels <sup>1 2</sup> .....	200.7	195.803	196.093	202.483	58.0	-9.4	-21.3	3.6	19.7	-9.7

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<b>Expenditure category</b>										
Motor vehicle parts and equipment <sup>1</sup> .....	119.2	119.464	119.897	120.170	6.1	6.3	2.7	3.3	6.2	3.0
Tires <sup>1</sup> .....	109.1	109.375	109.848	109.852	3.4	5.7	2.2	2.8	4.6	2.5
Vehicle accessories other than tires <sup>1 2</sup> .....	125.7	126.019	126.373	126.990	9.7	7.0	2.9	4.2	8.3	3.5
Motor vehicle maintenance and repair .....	221.4	221.537	222.687	223.605	4.7	2.6	3.3	4.0	3.6	3.7
Motor vehicle body work <sup>1</sup> .....	228.2	229.785	230.755	231.253	2.0	3.8	2.9	5.5	2.9	4.1
Motor vehicle maintenance and servicing <sup>1</sup> .....	200.1	200.751	201.485	202.929	2.1	3.7	2.8	5.8	2.9	4.3
Motor vehicle repair <sup>2</sup> .....	135.6	135.408	136.259	136.528	6.2	1.2	4.9	2.8	3.7	3.8
Motor vehicle insurance .....	335.3	334.784	334.124	333.396	-2	3.4	1.3	-2.3	1.6	-5
Motor vehicle fees <sup>1 2</sup> .....	139.8	140.440	140.868	141.106	.3	2.6	.0	3.8	1.4	1.9
State and local registration and license <sup>1 2 3</sup> .....	138.9	139.363	139.775	139.687	-3	2.0	-3	2.3	.9	1.0
Parking and other fees <sup>1 2</sup> .....	141.3	142.436	142.901	143.944	2.0	3.5	.6	7.7	2.7	4.1
Public transportation .....	222.7	225.827	226.645	226.760	6.8	.2	-7.7	7.5	3.4	-4
Airline fare .....	239.8	245.061	247.161	248.554	10.4	1.3	-17.0	15.4	5.7	-2.1
Other intercity transportation <sup>1</sup> .....	156.5	156.637	153.843	151.768	17.3	-7.8	2.9	-11.6	4.0	-4.6
Intracity transportation <sup>1</sup> .....	224.8	226.023	226.250	226.457	.7	1.6	1.8	3.0	1.2	2.4
Medical care .....	340.9	343.619	345.415	345.778	3.9	3.9	2.9	5.8	3.9	4.3
Medical care commodities .....	280.0	281.738	280.701	279.756	2.5	2.5	-1.0	-.3	2.5	-.7
Prescription drugs .....	363.5	367.733	366.051	364.569	3.3	3.9	-4.2	1.2	3.6	-1.5
Nonprescription drugs and medical supplies <sup>1 5</sup> .....	154.5	153.529	153.231	153.259	.0	-.5	6.5	-3.2	-.3	1.5
Internal and respiratory over-the-counter drugs <sup>1</sup> .....	183.5	182.089	182.142	181.985	1.1	-1.1	6.3	-3.3	.0	1.4
Nonprescription medical equipment and supplies <sup>1</sup> .....	185.5	185.332	183.819	184.392	-2.8	1.1	6.0	-2.4	-.9	1.7
Medical care services .....	357.7	360.670	363.443	364.265	4.3	4.3	4.0	7.5	4.3	5.8
Professional services .....	295.8	297.931	300.252	300.458	2.4	3.2	3.3	6.4	2.8	4.9
Physicians' services <sup>3</sup> .....	297.5	300.628	302.642	302.864	1.4	1.9	3.6	7.4	1.6	5.5
Dental services <sup>3</sup> .....	347.5	349.472	352.165	353.096	6.1	4.8	4.0	6.6	5.4	5.3
Eyeglasses and eye care <sup>1 5</sup> .....	171.7	172.613	173.178	172.411	.7	1.2	5.8	1.7	1.0	3.7
Services by other medical professionals <sup>3 5</sup> .....	198.8	199.581	199.552	200.663	1.0	5.9	.8	3.8	3.4	2.3
Hospital and related services <sup>3</sup> .....	474.0	477.026	480.230	482.119	6.9	5.9	3.4	7.0	6.4	5.2
Hospital services <sup>3 11</sup> .....	175.6	176.522	177.653	178.341	7.3	6.0	3.7	6.4	6.6	5.1
Inpatient hospital services <sup>3 9 11</sup> .....	170.0	170.918	172.124	171.734	6.3	5.4	4.1	4.1	5.8	4.1
Outpatient hospital services <sup>1 3 5 9</sup> .....	404.1	407.153	411.514	416.482	3.4	5.9	4.8	12.8	4.7	8.7
Nursing homes and adult daycare <sup>3 11</sup> .....	163.8	167.178	168.125	168.636	4.9	3.0	5.8	12.3	4.0	9.0
Health insurance <sup>1 12</sup> .....	106.8	108.661	110.559	111.622	3.6	5.6	11.2	19.3	4.6	15.2
Recreation <sup>2</sup> .....	108.4	108.456	108.489	108.351	2.2	.0	.0	-.2	1.1	-.1
Video and audio <sup>2</sup> .....	103.0	102.732	102.658	102.032	1.2	-1.1	-4.2	-3.7	.0	-3.9
Televisions .....	19.0	18.493	18.310	17.881	-20.0	-23.9	-35.5	-21.6	-22.0	-28.9
Cable and satellite television and radio service <sup>6</sup> .....	348.9	349.053	349.079	348.371	5.8	1.7	-.6	-.6	3.8	-.6
Other video equipment <sup>2</sup> .....	24.6	24.672	24.783	23.963	-19.8	-14.3	-12.0	-10.0	-17.1	-11.0
Video cassettes, discs, and other media including rental <sup>1 2</sup> .....	78.1	77.231	76.419	76.527	-1.5	.5	5.3	-7.8	-.5	-1.5
Audio equipment <sup>1</sup> .....	53.9	53.228	52.846	52.974	.7	-9.0	-6.4	-6.7	-4.2	-6.6
Audio discs, tapes and other media <sup>1 2</sup> .....	105.9	105.516	105.985	104.910	.4	-5.8	-2.6	-3.7	-2.8	-3.1
Pets, pet products and services <sup>2</sup> .....	128.1	128.859	129.840	129.787	7.9	2.9	.9	5.4	5.4	3.1
Pets and pet products .....	163.2	164.094	165.495	164.895	9.4	3.2	-1.2	4.2	6.3	1.5
Pet services including veterinary <sup>2</sup> .....	160.3	161.414	162.363	163.281	5.5	1.5	5.4	7.6	3.5	6.5
Sporting goods <sup>1</sup> .....	117.9	117.977	118.055	118.306	2.8	-5.7	7.8	1.4	-1.5	4.6
Sports vehicles including bicycles .....	142.1	142.008	142.743	141.970	2.9	1.5	9.9	-.4	2.2	4.6
Sports equipment <sup>1</sup> .....	93.9	93.657	93.329	94.369	1.7	-10.9	5.7	2.0	-4.8	3.9
Photography <sup>1 2</sup> .....	85.5	84.886	84.371	83.928	-6.6	.5	-8.8	-7.2	-3.1	-8.0
Photographic equipment and supplies <sup>1</sup> .....	85.6	84.553	83.478	82.670	-10.9	-7.6	-18.9	-13.0	-9.3	-16.0
Photographers and film processing <sup>1 2</sup> .....	106.8	106.534	106.504	106.345	-2.6	8.7	1.1	-1.7	2.9	-.3
Other recreational goods <sup>2</sup> .....	65.3	64.934	64.833	64.700	-5.8	.6	-5.3	-3.6	-2.7	-4.5
Toys <sup>1</sup> .....	74.2	73.985	73.874	73.728	-8.0	-.5	-6.2	-2.5	-4.4	-4.4
Sewing machines, fabric and supplies <sup>1 2</sup> .....	92.9	91.479	91.178	90.960	4.5	7.6	-3.4	-8.1	6.0	-5.8
Music instruments and accessories <sup>1 2</sup> .....	96.7	95.529	95.866	94.987	-.4	1.2	-4.0	-6.9	.4	-5.5
Recreation services <sup>2</sup> .....	139.3	139.999	139.820	140.435	4.8	3.3	4.7	3.3	4.0	4.0
Club membership dues and fees for participant sports <sup>2</sup> .....	122.3	123.052	122.223	121.986	5.1	2.0	-1.6	-1.0	3.5	-1.3
Admissions .....	299.1	300.470	300.140	302.040	4.5	4.5	8.4	4.0	4.5	6.2
Fees for lessons or instructions <sup>5</sup> .....	240.4	240.436	242.466	245.890	5.0	1.9	2.5	9.5	3.4	5.9
Recreational reading materials <sup>1</sup> .....	207.3	207.230	207.873	207.963	.4	-2.1	2.5	1.3	-.9	1.9
Newspapers and magazines <sup>1 2</sup> .....	120.7	120.801	120.961	121.124	.0	-1.3	1.7	1.4	-.7	1.5
Recreational books <sup>1 2</sup> .....	102.7	102.442	103.074	102.956	1.2	-3.8	4.4	1.0	-1.4	2.7

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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—	
	Dec. 2006	Jan. 2007	Feb. 2007	Mar. 2007	June 2006	Sep. 2006	Dec. 2006	Mar. 2007	Sep. 2006	Mar. 2007
<b>Expenditure category</b>										
Education and communication <sup>2</sup> .....	114.6	114.517	114.825	115.329	2.1	2.8	0.0	2.6	2.5	1.3
Education <sup>2</sup> .....	164.8	165.149	166.001	166.936	6.0	6.9	6.3	5.3	6.5	5.8
Educational books and supplies .....	403.2	408.325	408.597	415.361	6.0	6.2	8.7	12.6	6.1	10.6
Tuition, other school fees, and childcare .....	466.0	466.513	469.130	471.264	6.0	7.0	6.1	4.6	6.5	5.3
College tuition and fees .....	524.3	525.886	529.002	531.893	7.3	7.7	7.1	5.9	7.5	6.5
Elementary and high school tuition and fees .....	522.4	524.909	527.834	530.025	7.0	5.0	5.5	6.0	6.0	5.8
Child care and nursery school <sup>7</sup> .....	209.7	210.031	210.881	211.473	3.8	6.8	4.3	3.4	5.3	3.9
Technical and business school tuition and fees <sup>2</sup> .....	176.2	174.881	176.080	177.677	6.7	.9	6.6	3.4	3.8	5.0
Communication <sup>2</sup> .....	85.3	85.027	85.107	85.404	-.5	.5	-4.1	.5	.0	-1.8
Postage and delivery services <sup>2</sup> .....	126.6	126.890	126.899	126.828	.6	1.0	-.9	.7	.8	-.1
Postage <sup>1</sup> .....	201.9	201.932	201.932	201.932	.0	.0	.0	.1	.0	.0
Delivery services <sup>2</sup> .....	172.8	177.991	178.162	176.904	11.1	10.6	-10.2	9.8	10.8	-.7
Information and information processing <sup>1 2</sup> .....	83.5	83.256	83.337	83.645	-.5	.0	-4.2	.7	-.2	-1.8
Telephone services <sup>1 2</sup> .....	96.9	97.045	97.233	97.625	1.3	3.0	2.9	3.0	2.1	3.0
Land-line telephone services, local charges <sup>1 3</sup> .....	216.6	216.968	218.168	219.288	1.7	5.8	1.5	5.1	3.7	3.3
Land-line telephone services, long distance charges <sup>1 2</sup> .....	69.5	69.705	69.746	70.281	4.2	1.8	8.5	4.6	3.0	6.5
Wireless telephone services <sup>1 2</sup> .....	65.6	65.599	65.590	65.590	-1.8	1.8	-.6	-.1	.0	-.3
Information technology, hardware and services <sup>1 13</sup> .....	11.6	11.321	11.272	11.292	-8.5	-11.5	-34.6	-10.2	-10.0	-23.4
Personal computers and peripheral equipment <sup>1 2</sup> .....	10.2	10.081	9.997	10.040	-25.5	-7.4	-3.8	-6.1	-16.9	-5.0
Computer software and accessories <sup>1 2</sup> .....	52.8	52.783	52.799	52.415	-8.4	-5.1	-3.0	-2.9	-6.8	-2.9
Internet services and electronic information providers <sup>1 2</sup> .....	77.3	73.814	73.678	73.829	6.0	-16.5	-52.7	-16.8	-5.9	-37.2
Telephone hardware, calculators, and other consumer information items <sup>1 2</sup> .....	42.3	41.646	41.481	41.259	-11.3	-3.7	1.0	-9.5	-7.6	-4.4
Other goods and services .....	335.7	339.151	340.563	341.327	2.1	1.9	4.0	6.9	2.0	5.4
Tobacco and smoking products <sup>1</sup> .....	528.6	544.568	550.097	551.161	2.0	-.8	4.8	18.2	.6	11.3
Cigarettes <sup>1 2</sup> .....	213.5	220.261	222.624	222.997	1.9	-1.1	5.0	19.0	.4	11.8
Tobacco products other than cigarettes <sup>1 2</sup> .....	156.6	157.900	157.907	158.950	2.1	5.0	-1.0	6.1	3.5	2.5
Personal care .....	191.1	191.366	191.628	192.086	2.2	3.2	3.6	2.1	2.7	2.9
Personal care products <sup>1</sup> .....	158.6	157.505	157.992	158.528	-.3	3.1	6.0	-.2	1.4	2.9
Hair, dental, shaving, and miscellaneous personal care products <sup>1 2</sup> .....	103.9	102.942	103.646	103.519	3.2	2.0	4.8	-1.5	2.6	1.6
Cosmetics, perfume, bath, nail preparations and implements <sup>1</sup> .....	178.4	177.598	177.333	178.943	-4.5	4.7	7.8	1.2	.0	4.4
Personal care services <sup>1</sup> .....	212.7	214.254	214.773	215.318	1.3	3.1	3.7	5.0	2.2	4.3
Haircuts and other personal care services <sup>1 2</sup> .....	129.7	130.588	130.905	131.237	1.3	3.2	3.8	4.8	2.2	4.3
Miscellaneous personal services .....	319.6	320.102	321.057	321.437	3.8	4.0	3.6	2.3	3.9	2.9
Legal services <sup>5</sup> .....	256.3	256.267	256.379	257.921	3.3	5.4	5.2	2.6	4.3	3.8
Funeral expenses <sup>5</sup> .....	251.5	252.396	254.692	255.840	7.3	4.4	3.2	7.1	5.9	5.1
Laundry and dry cleaning services <sup>1 2</sup> .....	126.7	126.977	127.578	126.947	2.6	4.2	1.3	.8	3.4	1.0
Apparel services other than laundry and dry cleaning <sup>1 2</sup> .....	135.8	135.649	136.222	136.671	6.6	3.6	3.9	2.6	5.1	3.3
Financial services <sup>5</sup> .....	266.1	267.430	266.972	267.016	3.3	2.2	3.4	1.4	2.7	2.4
Care of invalids and elderly at home <sup>1 12</sup> .....	103.0	103.404	103.797	103.758	3.6	1.6	3.2	3.0	2.6	3.1
Miscellaneous personal goods <sup>2</sup> .....	87.0	86.577	86.502	86.351	2.4	1.4	1.9	-3.0	1.9	-.6
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>										
Commodities .....	164.3	164.009	164.641	166.963	10.1	-4.2	-4.3	6.6	2.7	1.0
Commodities less food and beverages .....	146.1	145.155	145.360	148.351	15.3	-7.9	-7.3	6.3	3.0	-.7
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	182.5	179.125	178.618	184.774	22.2	-14.6	3.8	5.1	2.1	4.4
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel .....	219.0	216.359	217.028	228.357	36.9	-17.3	-11.5	18.2	6.4	2.3
Durables .....	113.3	113.096	112.926	112.934	-.7	-1.7	-3.5	-1.3	-1.2	-2.4
Services .....	237.5	238.283	239.197	239.874	2.6	3.6	3.1	4.1	3.1	3.6
Rent of shelter <sup>4</sup> .....	220.9	221.587	222.103	222.481	4.8	4.3	4.3	2.9	4.5	3.6
Transportation services .....	231.9	232.262	232.505	232.557	2.5	1.9	.3	1.1	2.2	.7
Other services .....	271.0	271.240	271.752	272.525	3.8	3.0	1.2	2.3	3.4	1.7
All items less food .....	198.2	198.224	198.835	200.544	6.5	-.2	-.6	4.8	3.1	2.1
All items less shelter .....	188.8	188.864	189.663	191.634	6.3	-1.3	-2.3	6.1	2.5	1.8
All items less medical care .....	192.0	192.143	192.863	194.431	5.8	.2	-.6	5.2	3.0	2.2
Commodities less food .....	148.1	147.182	147.428	150.381	14.4	-7.6	-7.0	6.3	2.8	-.6
Nondurables less food .....	183.8	180.624	180.295	186.144	20.7	-13.6	3.6	5.2	2.1	4.4
Nondurables less food and apparel .....	216.6	214.118	214.716	225.427	35.8	-17.4	-10.4	17.3	5.9	2.6
Nondurables .....	190.1	189.104	189.616	193.124	11.4	-5.9	1.9	6.5	2.4	4.2

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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—	
	Dec. 2006	Jan. 2007	Feb. 2007	Mar. 2007	June 2006	Sep. 2006	Dec. 2006	Mar. 2007	Sep. 2006	Mar. 2007
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>										
Apparel less footwear .....	114.3	114.423	115.015	114.126	2.9	5.4	-3.8	-0.6	4.1	-2.2
Services less rent of shelter <sup>4</sup> .....	226.3	227.051	228.013	229.109	2.3	3.2	-.2	5.1	2.8	2.4
Services less medical care services .....	228.3	228.855	229.602	230.290	3.6	3.4	2.3	3.5	3.5	2.9
Energy .....	189.7	186.769	188.349	200.028	33.4	-17.9	-11.9	23.6	4.7	4.4
All items less energy .....	199.9	200.516	201.176	201.470	2.9	2.9	1.0	3.2	2.9	2.1
All items less food and energy .....	201.1	201.575	202.045	202.268	3.1	2.6	1.2	2.3	2.9	1.8
Commodities less food and energy commodities .....	140.5	140.610	140.753	140.665	.9	.3	-2.8	.5	.6	-1.2
Energy commodities .....	209.1	202.399	203.201	223.710	81.0	-30.5	-21.2	31.0	12.2	1.6
Services less energy services .....	243.7	244.423	245.136	245.594	4.3	3.6	3.2	3.1	3.9	3.2
Domestically produced farm food <sup>1</sup> .....	198.1	200.238	202.025	202.470	-.6	4.8	-.4	9.1	2.0	4.2
Utilities and public transportation .....	184.3	184.795	185.971	187.843	.0	2.4	-1.5	7.9	1.2	3.1

<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 1996=100 base.

<sup>12</sup> Indexes on a December 2005=100 base.

<sup>13</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 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 Mar. 2007 from—			Percent change to Feb. 2007 from—		
		Dec. 2006	Jan. 2007	Feb. 2007	Mar. 2007	Mar. 2006	Jan. 2007	Feb. 2007	Feb. 2006	Dec. 2006	Jan. 2007
U.S. city average .....	M	201.8	202.416	203.499	205.352	2.8	1.5	0.9	2.4	0.8	0.5
<b>Region and area size<sup>2</sup></b>											
Northeast urban .....	M	215.2	215.813	216.651	218.334	2.6	1.2	.8	2.4	.7	.4
Size A - More than 1,500,000 .....	M	217.8	218.365	219.330	220.936	2.8	1.2	.7	2.6	.7	.4
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 <sup>3</sup> .....	M	126.7	127.237	127.546	128.691	2.1	1.1	.9	1.9	.7	.2
Midwest urban .....	M	192.9	193.068	194.458	196.389	2.3	1.7	1.0	2.0	.8	.7
Size A - More than 1,500,000 .....	M	194.7	195.073	196.507	198.335	2.3	1.7	.9	2.1	.9	.7
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 <sup>3</sup> .....	M	123.0	122.861	123.854	125.151	2.3	1.9	1.0	1.9	.7	.8
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000) .....	M	187.1	187.587	188.122	190.365	2.0	1.5	1.2	1.6	.5	.3
South urban .....	M	194.8	195.021	195.950	197.904	2.6	1.5	1.0	2.2	.6	.5
Size A - More than 1,500,000 .....	M	197.3	197.650	198.516	200.538	3.1	1.5	1.0	2.4	.6	.4
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 <sup>3</sup> .....	M	123.8	123.817	124.521	125.726	2.2	1.5	1.0	2.0	.6	.6
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000) .....	M	196.0	196.077	196.043	198.204	3.1	1.1	1.1	2.6	.0	.0
West urban .....	M	206.2	207.790	208.995	210.778	3.4	1.4	.9	3.1	1.4	.6
Size A - More than 1,500,000 .....	M	209.6	211.102	212.549	214.393	3.7	1.6	.9	3.3	1.4	.7
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 <sup>3</sup> .....	M	125.0	126.244	126.805	127.848	2.9	1.3	.8	2.5	1.4	.4
<b>Size classes</b>											
A <sup>4</sup> .....	M	184.9	185.608	186.673	188.309	3.0	1.5	.9	2.6	1.0	.6
B/C <sup>3</sup> .....	M	124.3	124.571	125.243	126.424	2.4	1.5	.9	2.1	.8	.5
D .....	M	194.6	194.724	194.945	196.999	2.8	1.2	1.1	2.5	.2	.1
<b>Selected local areas<sup>5</sup></b>											
Chicago-Gary-Kenosha, IL-IN-WI .....	M	197.8	199.401	200.630	202.483	2.5	1.5	.9	1.7	1.4	.6
Los Angeles-Riverside-Orange County, CA ...	M	210.6	212.584	214.760	216.500	3.8	1.8	.8	3.5	2.0	1.0
New York-Northern N.J.-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT-PA .....	M	221.3	221.767	223.066	224.551	2.9	1.3	.7	3.1	.8	.6
Boston-Brockton-Nashua, MA-NH-ME-CT .....	1	-	224.432	-	226.427	2.3	.9	-	-	-	-
Cleveland-Akron, OH .....	1	-	191.610	-	194.244	1.9	1.4	-	-	-	-
Dallas-Fort Worth, TX .....	1	-	188.890	-	190.156	.9	.7	-	-	-	-
Washington-Baltimore, DC-MD-VA-WV <sup>6</sup> .....	1	-	129.956	-	131.945	4.1	1.5	-	-	-	-
Atlanta, GA .....	2	194.8	-	194.886	-	-	-	-	2.7	.0	-
Detroit-Ann Arbor-Flint, MI .....	2	196.4	-	198.064	-	-	-	-	1.7	.8	-
Houston-Galveston-Brazoria, TX .....	2	179.2	-	181.217	-	-	-	-	1.5	1.1	-
Miami-Fort Lauderdale, FL .....	2	205.4	-	207.989	-	-	-	-	2.9	1.3	-
Philadelphia-Wilmington-Atlantic City, PA-NJ-DE-MD .....	2	211.6	-	213.152	-	-	-	-	2.0	.7	-
San Francisco-Oakland-San Jose, CA .....	2	210.4	-	213.688	-	-	-	-	3.2	1.6	-
Seattle-Tacoma-Bremerton, WA .....	2	209.3	-	211.704	-	-	-	-	4.0	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 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—	
	Mar. 2007	Mar. 2006	Feb. 2007	Mar. 2007	Mar. 2006	Feb. 2007	Mar. 2007	Mar. 2006	Feb. 2007	Mar. 2007	Mar. 2006	Feb. 2007
<b>Expenditure category</b>												
All items .....	218.334	2.6	0.8	196.389	2.3	1.0	197.904	2.6	1.0	210.778	3.4	0.9
All items (December 1977=100) .....	343.810	-	-	319.536	-	-	321.028	-	-	340.711	-	-
Food and beverages .....	205.003	3.3	.1	194.671	3.7	.4	197.475	3.0	.3	206.958	3.4	.1
Food .....	204.458	3.3	.1	193.964	3.7	.4	197.655	3.0	.3	206.066	3.4	.0
Food at home .....	203.819	2.9	.0	189.853	4.0	.8	193.908	3.1	.3	208.930	3.5	.1
Food away from home .....	208.087	3.8	.2	200.491	3.3	.0	205.612	2.8	.2	201.451	3.4	-.1
Alcoholic beverages .....	211.006	3.0	.5	202.838	3.3	.1	193.907	2.3	.6	216.748	2.6	1.3
Housing .....	232.821	3.6	.4	191.582	2.2	.7	191.422	3.5	.5	219.554	3.9	.2
Shelter .....	276.636	3.9	.3	220.831	2.5	.6	212.396	4.4	.6	245.751	4.4	.2
Rent of primary residence <sup>2</sup> .....	261.201	4.3	.1	209.730	2.8	.3	208.607	5.5	.4	243.491	5.0	.5
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>2 3</sup> .....	286.469	4.6	.2	222.837	2.3	.1	214.251	4.7	.3	256.604	4.5	.3
Fuels and utilities .....	202.342	3.8	1.2	189.671	2.6	1.4	193.817	.8	.5	213.858	2.6	.1
Household energy .....	190.522	3.6	1.3	168.585	2.2	1.6	168.460	.2	.6	201.504	1.8	.0
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>2</sup> .....	196.938	3.7	1.0	174.577	2.1	1.5	169.683	.2	.5	203.982	1.7	.0
Electricity <sup>2</sup> .....	177.333	9.2	1.4	148.356	8.7	.0	159.426	.8	.4	203.729	1.7	-1.0
Utility (piped) gas service <sup>2</sup> .....	232.668	-4.6	.4	218.917	-5.0	3.5	223.180	-2.8	.9	220.744	1.8	1.9
Household furnishings and operations ...	130.625	.2	.0	120.199	.4	.4	126.390	.5	-2	134.192	1.7	.3
Apparel .....	120.591	-2.7	2.3	114.232	.9	3.7	136.266	1.3	3.2	115.158	2.4	2.9
Transportation .....	178.610	1.3	3.1	180.578	1.2	2.6	177.492	.8	3.5	184.808	3.4	3.3
Private transportation .....	172.855	1.4	3.3	176.301	1.1	2.7	176.150	.8	3.7	179.857	3.5	3.4
New and used motor vehicles <sup>4</sup> .....	92.558	-2.4	-2	94.917	-7	-2	95.423	-1.9	.0	94.479	-1.3	-1
New vehicles .....	135.934	-1.4	-2	132.134	-1.1	-2	141.672	-1.7	.0	137.085	-2	-1
New cars and trucks <sup>4 5</sup> .....	94.317	-1.5	-2	93.110	-9	-2	96.392	-1.7	.0	95.299	-1	-1
New cars <sup>5</sup> .....	135.143	-2	-2	130.173	.1	-1	143.385	-9	-1	136.008	.4	-4
Used cars and trucks .....	139.306	-3.7	-2	135.392	-3.8	-2	133.545	-4.0	-1	131.778	-4.2	-2
Motor fuel .....	212.612	8.1	13.6	223.687	3.0	10.1	214.303	4.5	13.7	231.703	14.0	13.7
Gasoline (all types) .....	211.444	8.2	13.6	222.635	3.0	10.1	213.142	4.5	13.8	230.887	14.2	14.0
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>5</sup> .....	212.936	8.3	14.1	221.587	3.0	10.4	212.858	4.3	14.0	229.571	14.5	14.2
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>5 6</sup> .....	214.597	7.8	13.0	243.513	3.2	9.7	221.013	4.8	13.6	218.070	13.8	13.9
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>5</sup> .....	204.241	7.8	12.0	218.279	2.8	9.4	209.558	4.8	12.9	221.552	13.6	13.1
Medical care .....	371.384	4.6	.6	347.274	4.1	.1	329.054	2.8	-3	351.512	5.2	.6
Medical care commodities .....	311.327	3.9	-2	288.250	1.8	-3	271.598	-1.5	-7	289.855	1.8	.4
Medical care services .....	386.937	4.8	.9	366.045	4.8	.3	347.352	4.3	-2	369.745	6.1	.7
Professional services .....	306.868	4.1	.6	315.951	3.7	.2	294.893	3.7	.1	280.609	4.1	.1
Recreation <sup>4</sup> .....	112.868	-8	-3	111.486	1.0	.6	112.296	1.0	.0	108.313	.8	-1
Education and communication <sup>4</sup> .....	119.608	2.1	.1	120.748	2.9	.2	114.630	2.3	.1	118.585	1.8	.6
Other goods and services .....	351.521	2.3	-2	320.192	2.1	.6	320.135	5.1	.3	333.358	3.8	.1
<b>Commodity and service group</b>												
All items .....	218.334	2.6	.8	196.389	2.3	1.0	197.904	2.6	1.0	210.778	3.4	.9
Commodities .....	169.184	1.6	1.5	161.150	1.6	1.7	165.941	1.2	1.9	166.753	2.8	1.8
Commodities less food and beverages ...	147.038	.4	2.5	143.447	.5	2.4	149.002	.3	2.7	144.097	2.5	2.8
Nondurables less food and beverages	176.769	2.0	4.2	175.983	1.8	4.2	183.989	2.4	5.1	175.550	5.7	5.2
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel .....	220.960	4.1	5.1	216.637	2.1	4.3	214.910	2.8	5.7	218.213	6.9	6.1
Durables .....	111.744	-2.0	-1	110.151	-1.4	.0	115.494	-2.2	-1	114.443	-1.3	.0
Services .....	266.490	3.3	.3	233.114	2.8	.5	230.598	3.6	.4	250.623	3.9	.2
Rent of shelter <sup>3</sup> .....	289.328	4.0	.3	227.057	2.6	.6	218.396	4.4	.6	261.336	4.5	.2
Transportation services .....	221.151	.3	.1	239.167	2.7	.1	237.146	1.9	.1	234.430	1.0	-1
Other services .....	299.366	2.0	-1	276.448	2.8	.3	274.053	3.2	.2	279.079	3.1	.3

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—	
	Mar. 2007	Mar. 2006	Feb. 2007	Mar. 2007	Mar. 2006	Feb. 2007	Mar. 2007	Mar. 2006	Feb. 2007	Mar. 2007	Mar. 2006	Feb. 2007
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>												
All items less medical care .....	211.409	2.5	0.8	189.033	2.2	1.1	190.140	2.6	1.1	203.929	3.4	0.9
All items less food .....	221.050	2.5	.9	196.719	2.1	1.1	197.811	2.5	1.1	211.656	3.4	1.0
All items less shelter .....	198.577	1.9	1.0	189.543	2.2	1.2	193.274	1.8	1.2	197.783	2.9	1.2
Commodities less food .....	149.568	.5	2.4	145.462	.6	2.3	150.557	.4	2.7	147.089	2.5	2.8
Nondurables .....	191.515	2.7	2.0	185.668	2.7	2.3	190.929	2.7	2.6	192.381	4.5	2.6
Nondurables less food .....	178.741	2.1	3.9	177.433	2.0	3.9	184.444	2.5	4.8	178.801	5.4	4.9
Nondurables less food and apparel .....	218.467	4.0	4.5	214.433	2.3	3.9	212.219	2.8	5.3	217.512	6.5	5.6
Services less rent of shelter <sup>3</sup> .....	264.330	2.3	.3	252.673	3.0	.5	252.574	2.7	.2	264.595	3.1	.2
Services less medical care services .....	257.661	3.1	.3	222.543	2.6	.6	219.031	3.6	.4	241.691	3.7	.2
Energy .....	200.051	5.5	6.3	192.406	2.6	5.8	185.455	2.3	7.0	220.842	8.6	7.9
All items less energy .....	222.343	2.3	.3	198.964	2.3	.5	199.961	2.6	.4	211.762	3.0	.3
All items less food and energy .....	227.122	2.1	.3	200.530	2.0	.5	200.802	2.6	.4	213.380	2.9	.3
Commodities less food and energy												
commodities .....	143.247	-1.0	.4	138.341	.0	.7	143.583	-.4	.4	138.465	.2	.6
Energy commodities .....	218.698	7.2	11.2	223.642	3.1	9.8	216.986	4.3	13.2	234.235	13.8	13.4
Services less energy services .....	273.418	3.2	.3	240.936	2.9	.5	236.861	3.9	.4	254.233	4.0	.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 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—	
	Mar. 2007	Mar. 2006	Feb. 2007	Mar. 2007	Mar. 2006	Feb. 2007	Mar. 2007	Mar. 2006	Feb. 2007
<b>Expenditure category</b>									
All items <sup>4</sup> .....	188.309	3.0	0.9	126.424	2.4	0.9	196.999	2.8	1.1
All items (December 1977=100) .....	188.309	-	-	-	-	-	317.710	-	-
Food and beverages .....	182.341	3.2	.2	124.949	3.3	.3	198.033	3.7	.3
Food .....	181.973	3.2	.1	124.902	3.4	.3	197.826	3.8	.3
Food at home .....	185.494	3.2	.2	122.825	3.4	.4	193.008	4.4	.5
Food away from home .....	176.473	3.2	.1	128.114	3.4	.1	207.240	3.1	.1
Alcoholic beverages .....	185.081	2.8	.7	125.672	3.0	.6	200.484	1.9	.0
Housing .....	192.729	3.7	.4	126.362	2.7	.4	184.374	3.1	.4
Shelter .....	208.644	4.2	.4	127.317	3.5	.5	207.962	4.1	.4
Rent of primary residence <sup>5</sup> .....	200.684	4.7	.3	129.582	4.5	.3	199.366	3.8	.3
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>5 6</sup> .....	206.388	4.3	.3	125.613	3.7	.2	217.381	4.1	.1
Fuels and utilities .....	200.681	3.0	1.0	148.183	1.1	.6	191.190	1.8	.2
Household energy .....	202.146	2.7	1.1	149.087	.3	.7	164.057	1.1	.2
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>5</sup> .....	194.368	2.6	1.0	143.652	.1	.6	174.834	.9	.1
Electricity <sup>5</sup> .....	173.094	4.8	.2	130.270	2.6	.3	167.566	4.4	.6
Utility (piped) gas service <sup>5</sup> .....	238.304	-1.1	2.4	188.263	-5.9	1.4	204.298	-7.4	-1.5
Household furnishings and operations .....	122.071	1.1	.2	100.118	.4	.1	122.834	-.8	.2
Apparel .....	115.732	1.3	3.1	89.937	-.7	2.9	119.885	-1.0	2.7
Transportation .....	176.882	1.8	3.1	126.665	1.5	3.2	180.510	2.0	3.8
Private transportation .....	176.408	1.9	3.3	126.451	1.4	3.3	176.484	1.8	4.0
New and used motor vehicles <sup>3</sup> .....	94.637	-1.4	-.1	94.377	-1.7	-.1	93.879	-2.2	.0
New vehicles .....	119.758	-.9	.0	95.740	-1.3	-.2	142.175	-2.4	.0
New cars and trucks <sup>3 7</sup> .....	94.253	-.9	.0	95.792	-1.3	-.2	98.079	-2.3	.0
New cars <sup>7</sup> .....	120.044	.1	-.1	97.040	-.6	-.4	138.910	-1.2	.0
Used cars and trucks .....	128.647	-4.1	-.2	90.389	-4.0	-.1	123.701	-3.4	-.1
Motor fuel .....	324.334	8.5	13.2	215.590	5.7	12.3	213.780	6.2	13.5
Gasoline (all types) .....	322.819	8.5	13.3	215.982	5.7	12.4	212.225	6.3	13.6
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>7</sup> .....	331.070	8.5	13.6	220.972	5.9	12.5	204.216	6.1	13.8
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>7 8</sup> .....	218.762	8.4	13.1	210.882	5.3	12.4	235.166	6.2	13.6
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>7</sup> .....	288.127	8.5	12.5	202.926	5.4	11.6	213.811	7.0	12.7
Medical care .....	274.949	4.5	.4	146.168	3.5	.0	338.533	3.4	.3
Medical care commodities .....	227.972	1.5	-.2	134.129	.5	-.5	282.056	.3	.7
Medical care services .....	288.350	5.4	.5	150.343	4.6	.2	358.118	4.3	.1
Professional services .....	234.523	4.0	.1	139.643	3.7	.3	302.467	3.6	.1
Recreation <sup>3</sup> .....	112.818	.5	-.1	108.722	.6	.2	112.041	1.2	.6
Education and communication <sup>3</sup> .....	119.827	2.4	.3	114.948	1.5	.2	122.131	3.9	.1
Other goods and services .....	262.936	3.0	.2	145.640	4.1	.2	338.214	3.5	.3
<b>Commodity and service group</b>									
All items <sup>4</sup> .....	188.309	3.0	.9	126.424	2.4	.9	196.999	2.8	1.1
Commodities .....	158.961	2.0	1.7	116.339	1.5	1.7	165.473	1.6	2.0
Commodities less food and beverages .....	144.496	1.3	2.7	111.492	.5	2.5	149.022	.6	3.0
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	183.216	3.4	4.8	135.228	2.5	4.6	182.562	2.6	5.2
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel .....	232.167	4.3	5.5	157.187	3.5	5.1	216.188	3.5	5.9
Durables .....	105.940	-1.5	-.1	87.818	-2.0	.0	114.802	-2.0	.0
Services .....	211.594	3.6	.4	131.665	3.1	.3	231.305	3.7	.3
Rent of shelter <sup>6</sup> .....	209.462	4.2	.4	127.484	3.5	.5	215.052	4.1	.4
Transportation services .....	187.565	.8	-.1	128.054	2.4	.3	240.788	4.2	.1
Other services .....	231.541	2.9	.3	130.560	2.6	.1	282.350	3.5	.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—	
	Mar. 2007	Mar. 2006	Feb. 2007	Mar. 2007	Mar. 2006	Feb. 2007	Mar. 2007	Mar. 2006	Feb. 2007
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>									
All items less medical care .....	184.029	2.9	0.9	123.275	2.3	1.0	187.855	2.8	1.1
All items less food .....	189.431	3.0	1.0	124.654	2.3	1.1	196.785	2.7	1.2
All items less shelter .....	179.413	2.3	1.1	123.716	1.9	1.1	194.947	2.3	1.3
Commodities less food .....	146.447	1.3	2.6	111.912	.5	2.5	150.406	.6	2.9
Nondurables .....	183.008	3.3	2.3	129.944	3.0	2.5	190.645	3.1	2.8
Nondurables less food .....	183.658	3.4	4.4	134.601	2.6	4.4	183.194	2.5	4.9
Nondurables less food and apparel .....	226.483	4.1	4.9	154.425	3.4	4.8	214.432	3.4	5.4
Services less rent of shelter <sup>6</sup> .....	213.608	2.8	.3	135.890	2.6	.2	259.617	3.4	.2
Services less medical care services .....	205.942	3.5	.4	129.900	2.9	.4	217.915	3.6	.3
Energy .....	252.248	5.6	7.0	178.391	3.1	6.5	189.133	3.9	7.1
All items less energy .....	184.016	2.7	.4	120.475	2.3	.4	198.863	2.7	.4
All items less food and energy .....	184.506	2.7	.4	119.616	2.1	.4	199.537	2.5	.4
Commodities less food and energy commodities .....	128.417	-.1	.6	98.934	-.6	.5	142.911	-.7	.5
Energy commodities .....	325.581	8.1	12.4	219.050	5.4	11.5	213.672	6.1	13.1
Services less energy services .....	212.851	3.7	.3	130.721	3.3	.3	237.611	4.0	.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 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—	
		Mar. 2006	Feb. 2007		Mar. 2006	Feb. 2007
<b>Expenditure category</b>						
All items <sup>3</sup> .....	220.936	2.8	0.7	128.691	2.1	0.9
All items (December 1977=100) .....	341.390	-	-	-	-	-
Food and beverages .....	204.906	3.2	.0	126.901	3.6	.5
Food .....	204.184	3.2	-.1	127.171	3.6	.5
Food at home .....	204.702	2.7	-.3	125.279	3.5	.8
Food away from home .....	206.443	3.7	.2	130.298	4.1	.1
Alcoholic beverages .....	213.311	3.2	.5	122.366	2.6	.4
Housing .....	236.919	3.9	.4	131.156	2.5	.2
Shelter .....	281.468	4.1	.3	129.284	3.3	.2
Rent of primary residence <sup>4</sup> .....	267.992	4.4	.1	132.602	3.8	-.1
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>4 5</sup> .....	287.829	4.6	.2	127.450	4.6	.1
Fuels and utilities .....	197.608	4.8	1.5	168.051	1.9	.6
Household energy .....	192.372	4.7	1.7	170.873	1.5	.6
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>4</sup> .....	195.419	4.7	1.4	152.167	1.4	.2
Electricity <sup>4</sup> .....	172.876	9.1	2.2	132.543	9.4	.0
Utility (piped) gas service <sup>4</sup> .....	236.982	-1.4	.3	185.776	-12.6	.7
Household furnishings and operations .....	131.531	.9	.0	103.362	-1.3	-.2
Apparel .....	118.252	-2.1	2.2	87.640	-5.2	2.7
Transportation .....	179.405	1.0	2.9	125.431	2.1	3.4
Private transportation .....	173.094	1.0	3.2	126.000	2.1	3.6
Motor fuel .....	207.625	8.5	14.0	215.948	7.6	12.9
Gasoline (all types) .....	206.230	8.5	14.0	215.964	7.6	13.0
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>6</sup> .....	207.754	8.5	14.6	219.558	7.9	13.2
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>6 7</sup> .....	205.226	8.4	13.1	215.595	6.6	12.7
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>6</sup> .....	200.427	8.1	12.1	203.135	7.2	11.8
Medical care .....	375.319	4.7	.7	151.496	4.3	.6
Recreation <sup>2</sup> .....	114.038	-.4	-.2	110.069	-1.9	-.5
Education and communication <sup>2</sup> .....	122.016	2.6	.1	113.031	.7	.1
Other goods and services .....	342.886	1.7	-.2	152.623	3.7	.0
<b>Commodity and service group</b>						
All items <sup>3</sup> .....	220.936	2.8	.7	128.691	2.1	.9
Commodities .....	169.489	1.6	1.4	119.958	1.5	1.8
Commodities less food and beverages .....	146.271	.5	2.4	115.710	.4	2.5
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	173.815	1.9	4.1	140.008	2.1	4.7
Durables .....	112.522	-1.8	.0	88.943	-2.2	-.4
Services .....	267.835	3.5	.3	132.867	2.6	.2
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>						
All items less medical care .....	214.060	2.6	.7	125.520	2.0	.9
All items less shelter .....	198.827	2.0	1.0	126.160	1.7	1.2
Commodities less food .....	148.998	.6	2.3	115.930	.4	2.4
Nondurables .....	190.579	2.6	1.8	132.926	2.8	2.6
Nondurables less food .....	176.281	2.1	3.7	138.600	2.1	4.4
Services less rent of shelter <sup>5</sup> .....	261.527	2.4	.3	136.404	2.0	.2
Services less medical care services .....	259.006	3.3	.3	130.941	2.5	.2
Energy .....	199.707	6.2	6.5	189.524	4.2	5.9
All items less energy .....	225.017	2.4	.3	121.983	1.9	.3
All items less food and energy .....	230.364	2.3	.3	120.903	1.5	.3

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—	
	Mar. 2007	Mar. 2006	Feb. 2007	Mar. 2007	Mar. 2006	Feb. 2007	Mar. 2007	Mar. 2006	Feb. 2007
<b>Expenditure category</b>									
All items <sup>3</sup> .....	198.335	2.3	0.9	125.151	2.3	1.0	190.365	2.0	1.2
All items (December 1977=100) .....	327.461	-	-	-	-	-	305.198	-	-
Food and beverages .....	197.194	3.2	.4	124.423	4.5	.4	192.411	3.1	.2
Food .....	196.769	3.2	.5	124.261	4.5	.4	191.321	3.0	.3
Food at home .....	195.327	3.3	.8	121.317	5.1	.8	180.509	3.5	.4
Food away from home .....	199.037	3.1	.0	128.232	3.7	-.1	209.852	2.5	.2
Alcoholic beverages .....	200.529	2.8	.1	127.322	4.0	.4	208.012	3.9	-1.2
Housing .....	195.333	2.4	.7	121.505	1.8	.7	179.332	2.4	.7
Shelter .....	227.733	2.8	.5	121.447	2.0	.6	199.854	2.5	1.1
Rent of primary residence <sup>4</sup> .....	220.390	3.2	.3	120.864	2.3	.2	185.958	2.0	.3
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>4 5</sup> .....	228.975	2.3	.1	118.607	2.1	.2	209.000	2.8	.0
Fuels and utilities .....	184.685	2.7	1.7	152.684	2.4	1.4	196.657	2.9	-.3
Household energy .....	167.139	2.4	1.8	156.101	2.0	1.6	155.940	2.1	-.4
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>4</sup> .....	170.180	2.3	1.8	152.941	1.8	1.7	166.248	1.9	-.6
Electricity <sup>4</sup> .....	135.021	9.2	-.8	130.193	8.0	.9	145.727	8.8	.4
Utility (piped) gas service <sup>4</sup> .....	213.439	-3.6	4.6	200.902	-6.8	2.9	210.161	-9.2	-2.4
Household furnishings and operations .....	116.374	.1	.5	96.142	.7	.4	115.792	1.0	.0
Apparel .....	112.485	1.6	4.8	85.471	-.3	2.3	125.993	-.3	.8
Transportation .....	180.537	1.3	2.1	131.117	1.4	3.0	168.103	-.2	4.2
Private transportation .....	177.496	1.2	2.2	131.116	1.3	3.1	161.668	.0	4.4
Motor fuel .....	226.033	3.0	9.1	229.004	3.4	10.7	202.326	1.7	13.2
Gasoline (all types) .....	224.677	3.0	9.1	229.000	3.4	10.7	200.037	1.7	13.2
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>6</sup> .....	224.503	2.9	9.3	233.626	3.6	10.9	192.875	1.2	13.6
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>6 7</sup> .....	238.374	3.1	9.0	226.260	3.3	10.5	232.370	2.7	12.2
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>6</sup> .....	216.722	2.8	8.8	214.475	2.9	9.8	204.594	2.7	12.4
Medical care .....	340.865	4.2	.1	151.543	4.2	.2	341.780	3.1	.3
Recreation <sup>2</sup> .....	113.297	.8	.0	109.507	1.4	1.0	108.478	.2	2.1
Education and communication <sup>2</sup> .....	121.742	2.8	.0	121.334	3.2	.5	111.042	2.4	-.1
Other goods and services .....	322.077	1.8	.8	144.478	2.0	.4	327.327	3.9	.0
<b>Commodity and service group</b>									
All items <sup>3</sup> .....	198.335	2.3	.9	125.151	2.3	1.0	190.365	2.0	1.2
Commodities .....	160.946	1.4	1.5	115.345	2.1	1.8	164.040	1.4	1.8
Commodities less food and beverages .....	141.182	.3	2.2	110.297	.7	2.6	149.263	.4	2.8
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	173.002	1.5	4.1	134.616	2.4	4.2	185.748	1.6	4.3
Durables .....	108.675	-1.2	-.1	84.545	-1.6	.2	111.504	-1.4	.4
Services .....	235.414	3.0	.5	131.364	2.5	.5	219.240	2.4	.7
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>									
All items less medical care .....	191.858	2.2	1.0	121.982	2.2	1.1	180.706	1.8	1.3
All items less shelter .....	189.300	2.1	1.1	124.928	2.6	1.2	188.335	1.7	1.2
Commodities less food .....	143.474	.4	2.1	110.826	.8	2.5	150.863	.6	2.6
Nondurables .....	185.862	2.3	2.2	129.522	3.4	2.3	189.682	2.4	2.3
Nondurables less food .....	174.782	1.6	3.8	134.035	2.5	4.0	186.719	1.8	3.9
Services less rent of shelter <sup>5</sup> .....	252.565	3.2	.6	141.128	3.1	.4	242.059	2.2	.4
Services less medical care services .....	226.399	2.9	.5	128.890	2.3	.5	203.556	2.1	.8
Energy .....	192.347	2.6	5.4	188.252	2.7	6.2	177.171	1.9	6.3
All items less energy .....	200.991	2.3	.5	119.091	2.3	.5	193.096	2.0	.6
All items less food and energy .....	202.399	2.1	.5	118.106	1.9	.5	193.550	1.8	.7

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—	
	Mar. 2007	Mar. 2006	Feb. 2007	Mar. 2007	Mar. 2006	Feb. 2007	Mar. 2007	Mar. 2006	Feb. 2007
<b>Expenditure category</b>									
All items <sup>3</sup> .....	200.538	3.1	1.0	125.726	2.2	1.0	198.204	3.1	1.1
All items (December 1977=100) .....	323.735	-	-	-	-	-	321.866	-	-
Food and beverages .....	199.829	2.9	.2	124.131	2.8	.5	193.714	4.2	-.3
Food .....	200.234	2.9	.1	124.300	2.9	.5	193.689	4.3	-.3
Food at home .....	195.360	3.0	.0	122.723	3.0	.6	193.114	4.7	-.6
Food away from home .....	209.027	2.8	.3	126.785	2.7	.2	197.976	3.8	.0
Alcoholic beverages .....	194.212	2.5	.6	121.127	2.0	.6	192.636	2.8	.7
Housing .....	196.974	3.8	.6	126.311	3.1	.5	185.036	4.1	.2
Shelter .....	218.125	4.4	.6	129.063	4.3	.6	209.596	6.4	.2
Rent of primary residence <sup>4</sup> .....	215.538	5.4	.4	130.971	5.5	.4	202.942	5.4	.3
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>4 5</sup> .....	221.420	5.2	.4	127.590	4.1	.2	217.637	6.6	.0
Fuels and utilities .....	191.866	2.4	.8	138.756	-.2	.3	185.560	.1	.6
Household energy .....	174.935	2.4	.9	137.934	-1.4	.3	164.658	-.3	.7
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>4</sup> .....	178.508	2.4	.9	135.908	-1.4	.3	168.953	-.4	.6
Electricity <sup>4</sup> .....	164.457	2.9	.7	128.337	-1.1	.2	164.216	3.1	1.0
Utility (piped) gas service <sup>4</sup> .....	218.748	.0	1.8	181.108	-2.8	.7	190.456	-15.7	-1.6
Household furnishings and operations .....	134.574	1.0	.0	98.184	.6	-.3	121.601	-3.3	.1
Apparel .....	151.852	4.4	3.6	91.430	-.6	2.7	122.684	-1.4	4.2
Transportation .....	177.738	1.2	3.7	124.479	.5	3.4	188.287	1.7	3.9
Private transportation .....	178.155	1.3	3.9	124.112	.4	3.5	187.254	1.6	4.1
Motor fuel .....	221.220	4.8	14.2	213.245	4.0	13.2	205.200	6.2	14.7
Gasoline (all types) .....	219.058	4.9	14.3	213.446	4.0	13.3	202.696	6.2	14.8
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>6</sup> .....	220.595	4.6	14.6	220.059	3.9	13.5	196.199	5.9	15.2
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>6 7</sup> .....	218.122	5.2	13.8	206.600	4.3	13.3	237.945	6.5	14.3
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>6</sup> .....	214.126	5.4	13.3	201.039	4.0	12.5	209.943	7.4	13.6
Medical care .....	320.512	2.9	-.2	141.460	2.7	-.5	327.295	3.1	.4
Recreation <sup>2</sup> .....	114.057	1.1	.0	110.781	.9	.0	113.905	.8	.6
Education and communication <sup>2</sup> .....	115.247	2.4	.0	113.209	1.7	.1	121.128	4.7	.1
Other goods and services .....	305.427	5.3	.5	144.069	5.2	.1	325.281	3.2	.6
<b>Commodity and service group</b>									
All items <sup>3</sup> .....	200.538	3.1	1.0	125.726	2.2	1.0	198.204	3.1	1.1
Commodities .....	167.661	1.8	2.0	115.648	.9	1.7	167.537	1.3	2.2
Commodities less food and beverages .....	149.667	1.1	3.1	111.016	-.1	2.4	154.331	-.1	3.4
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	181.800	3.4	5.5	134.874	1.9	4.7	186.561	2.0	6.2
Durables .....	119.020	-1.9	.1	88.152	-2.3	-.2	118.740	-2.8	-.2
Services .....	232.418	3.8	.4	131.191	3.3	.4	230.902	4.7	.2
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>									
All items less medical care .....	194.270	3.1	1.1	122.849	2.2	1.1	188.392	3.1	1.2
All items less shelter .....	194.212	2.3	1.2	122.200	1.5	1.1	195.711	2.0	1.4
Commodities less food .....	151.576	1.2	3.0	111.295	.0	2.4	155.177	.0	3.3
Nondurables .....	190.743	3.2	2.6	129.342	2.3	2.6	190.463	3.0	3.1
Nondurables less food .....	182.594	3.3	5.1	134.087	1.9	4.4	186.485	2.1	5.9
Services less rent of shelter <sup>5</sup> .....	253.957	3.0	.2	133.061	2.4	.1	255.416	3.2	.3
Services less medical care services .....	222.961	3.8	.5	129.883	3.2	.4	216.688	4.8	.2
Energy .....	192.760	3.5	7.0	169.505	1.4	6.8	182.079	3.1	7.7
All items less energy .....	203.082	3.0	.4	120.158	2.3	.3	199.347	3.1	.3
All items less food and energy .....	204.009	3.0	.5	119.344	2.3	.3	200.849	2.8	.4

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—	
	Mar. 2007	Mar. 2006	Feb. 2007	Mar. 2007	Mar. 2006	Feb. 2007
<b>Expenditure category</b>						
All items <sup>3</sup> .....	214.393	3.7	0.9	127.848	2.9	0.8
All items (December 1977=100) .....	349.598	-	-	-	-	-
Food and beverages .....	208.740	3.4	.2	125.847	3.2	-.4
Food .....	208.106	3.5	.1	125.071	3.1	-.5
Food at home .....	212.871	3.8	.4	122.412	2.4	-1.0
Food away from home .....	201.182	3.1	-.2	129.239	4.2	.1
Alcoholic beverages .....	214.103	2.4	1.4	139.489	4.6	1.2
Housing .....	229.598	4.3	.2	127.527	3.1	.3
Shelter .....	256.584	4.9	.2	127.841	3.4	.2
Rent of primary residence <sup>4</sup> .....	257.338	5.3	.5	132.207	4.8	.4
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>4 5</sup> .....	268.598	4.9	.3	126.797	3.8	.3
Fuels and utilities .....	220.264	2.7	-.1	150.430	2.3	.4
Household energy .....	213.796	2.1	-.4	149.426	1.2	.5
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>4</sup> .....	216.151	2.0	-.4	147.010	1.2	.5
Electricity <sup>4</sup> .....	224.515	1.4	-1.8	131.077	2.5	.3
Utility (piped) gas service <sup>4</sup> .....	223.014	3.2	2.6	190.652	-1.6	1.1
Household furnishings and operations .....	136.670	2.0	.1	106.743	1.4	.8
Apparel .....	116.838	2.7	2.5	93.144	2.4	4.0
Transportation .....	182.560	3.4	3.5	128.685	3.2	3.0
Private transportation .....	178.222	3.6	3.6	127.607	3.2	3.0
Motor fuel .....	236.177	15.8	15.0	203.931	11.0	11.3
Gasoline (all types) .....	235.001	16.0	15.4	205.306	11.1	11.5
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>6</sup> .....	236.242	16.2	15.7	205.418	11.6	11.8
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>6 7</sup> .....	217.580	15.4	15.1	201.906	10.0	11.0
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>6</sup> .....	226.443	15.6	14.4	196.634	9.9	10.6
Medical care .....	345.919	5.8	.8	148.023	4.2	.4
Recreation <sup>2</sup> .....	110.417	.6	-.1	102.327	.8	.2
Education and communication <sup>2</sup> .....	118.911	1.8	.9	113.405	.4	.2
Other goods and services .....	340.582	3.6	.0	143.503	4.4	.3
<b>Commodity and service group</b>						
All items <sup>3</sup> .....	214.393	3.7	.9	127.848	2.9	.8
Commodities .....	167.682	3.1	1.9	116.026	2.2	1.6
Commodities less food and beverages .....	143.585	2.9	2.9	110.348	1.7	2.7
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	174.209	6.2	5.4	132.233	4.8	4.9
Durables .....	114.102	-1.1	-.2	89.849	-1.5	.4
Services .....	255.261	4.0	.2	132.245	3.4	.2
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>						
All items less medical care .....	208.315	3.5	.9	123.907	2.8	.9
All items less shelter .....	197.971	3.0	1.2	124.150	2.7	1.1
Commodities less food .....	146.827	2.9	2.9	111.168	1.8	2.6
Nondurables .....	192.807	4.7	2.6	129.246	4.0	2.2
Nondurables less food .....	177.609	5.9	5.1	132.696	4.7	4.7
Services less rent of shelter <sup>5</sup> .....	263.627	2.7	.3	136.802	3.3	.3
Services less medical care services .....	247.793	3.9	.2	130.272	3.2	.2
Energy .....	225.883	10.2	8.7	180.996	6.7	6.5
All items less energy .....	215.425	3.2	.3	121.524	2.6	.3
All items less food and energy .....	217.437	3.2	.3	120.866	2.4	.4

<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 1982=100 base.

<sup>6</sup> Special index based on a substantially smaller sample.

<sup>7</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 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 Mar. 2007 from—			Percent change to Feb. 2007 from—		
		Dec. 2006	Jan. 2007	Feb. 2007	Mar. 2007	Mar. 2006	Jan. 2007	Feb. 2007	Feb. 2006	Dec. 2006	Jan. 2007
U.S. city average .....	M	194.3	196.671	198.193	198.766	3.4	1.1	0.3	2.9	2.0	0.8
<b>Region and area size<sup>2</sup></b>											
Northeast urban .....	M	199.1	202.339	203.781	203.819	2.9	.7	.0	2.9	2.4	.7
Size A - More than 1,500,000 .....	M	199.8	203.680	205.348	204.702	2.7	.5	-.3	3.0	2.8	.8
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 <sup>3</sup> .....	M	122.5	123.702	124.273	125.279	3.5	1.3	.8	2.7	1.4	.5
Midwest urban .....	M	185.5	187.279	188.403	189.853	4.0	1.4	.8	2.6	1.6	.6
Size A - More than 1,500,000 .....	M	191.6	193.014	193.818	195.327	3.3	1.2	.8	2.2	1.2	.4
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 <sup>3</sup> .....	M	117.5	119.481	120.303	121.317	5.1	1.5	.8	3.2	2.4	.7
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000) .....	M	178.0	177.335	179.721	180.509	3.5	1.8	.4	3.4	1.0	1.3
South urban .....	M	191.3	192.337	193.312	193.908	3.1	.8	.3	2.4	1.1	.5
Size A - More than 1,500,000 .....	M	192.7	193.363	195.333	195.360	3.0	1.0	.0	2.6	1.4	1.0
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 <sup>3</sup> .....	M	121.2	121.800	121.950	122.723	3.0	.8	.6	2.1	.6	.1
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000) .....	M	189.8	193.084	194.187	193.114	4.7	.0	-.6	4.1	2.3	.6
West urban .....	M	202.1	206.010	208.712	208.930	3.5	1.4	.1	3.7	3.3	1.3
Size A - More than 1,500,000 .....	M	205.2	208.658	212.067	212.871	3.8	2.0	.4	3.9	3.3	1.6
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 <sup>3</sup> .....	M	119.1	122.036	123.607	122.412	2.4	.3	-1.0	3.1	3.8	1.3
<b>Size classes</b>											
A <sup>4</sup> .....	M	181.0	183.289	185.151	185.494	3.2	1.2	.2	3.0	2.3	1.0
B/C <sup>3</sup> .....	M	120.3	121.707	122.326	122.825	3.4	.9	.4	2.5	1.7	.5
D .....	M	189.7	191.691	192.008	193.008	4.4	.7	.5	4.1	1.2	.2
<b>Selected local areas<sup>5</sup></b>											
Chicago-Gary-Kenosha, IL-IN-WI .....	M	195.7	199.102	198.833	202.304	2.7	1.6	1.7	.8	1.6	-.1
Los Angeles-Riverside-Orange County, CA ...	M	209.3	213.447	218.497	219.143	5.2	2.7	.3	4.7	4.4	2.4
New York-Northern N.J.-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT-PA .....	M	200.9	205.166	205.847	205.142	2.5	.0	-.3	2.5	2.5	.3
Boston-Brockton-Nashua, MA-NH-ME-CT .....	1	201.6	205.313	206.744	207.782	3.9	1.2	.5	3.8	2.6	.7
Cleveland-Akron, OH .....	1	194.0	193.277	197.533	197.216	3.6	2.0	-.2	2.5	1.8	2.2
Dallas-Fort Worth, TX .....	1	179.4	179.431	181.962	181.945	3.6	1.4	.0	3.7	1.4	1.4
Washington-Baltimore, DC-MD-VA-WV <sup>3</sup> .....	1	124.6	125.389	126.585	126.820	2.9	1.1	.2	2.1	1.6	1.0
Atlanta, GA .....	2	201.3	199.642	203.750	203.039	3.5	1.7	-.3	1.7	1.2	2.1
Detroit-Ann Arbor-Flint, MI .....	2	183.8	184.009	184.675	185.029	3.1	.6	.2	2.8	.5	.4
Houston-Galveston-Brazoria, TX .....	2	182.0	185.180	186.375	184.545	1.9	-.3	-1.0	4.0	2.4	.6
Miami-Fort Lauderdale, FL .....	2	207.1	206.633	207.168	209.745	3.0	1.5	1.2	1.0	.0	.3
Philadelphia-Wilmington-Atlantic City, PA-NJ-DE-MD .....	2	198.3	201.725	207.417	204.433	.9	1.3	-1.4	2.7	4.6	2.8
San Francisco-Oakland-San Jose, CA .....	2	206.4	210.394	213.139	211.553	2.1	.6	-.7	3.8	3.3	1.3
Seattle-Tacoma-Bremerton, WA .....	2	208.3	209.681	212.269	217.690	4.6	3.8	2.6	3.7	1.9	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—	
		Mar. 2006	Feb. 2007		Mar. 2006	Feb. 2007		Mar. 2006	Feb. 2007		Mar. 2006	Feb. 2007
<b>Expenditure category</b>												
All items .....	205.352	2.8	0.9	202.483	2.5	0.9	216.500	3.8	0.8	224.551	2.9	0.7
All items (1967=100) .....	615.145	-	-	604.934	-	-	639.638	-	-	649.146	-	-
Food and beverages .....	200.869	3.3	.2	198.628	2.8	.8	210.120	3.4	.0	207.674	3.0	-.1
Food .....	200.403	3.3	.2	197.698	3.0	1.0	208.655	3.6	-.2	206.669	3.0	-.1
Food at home .....	198.766	3.4	.3	202.304	2.7	1.7	219.143	5.2	.3	205.142	2.5	-.3
Food away from home .....	204.082	3.3	.1	186.923	3.3	.0	192.998	1.6	-.9	214.038	3.7	.1
Alcoholic beverages .....	205.663	2.8	.6	210.677	.7	-1.3	218.045	1.0	3.6	218.554	2.9	.4
Housing .....	208.080	3.4	.4	211.655	4.0	.6	235.342	5.4	.3	244.042	4.6	.6
Shelter .....	238.980	3.9	.4	255.253	3.6	.4	262.144	6.6	.5	293.493	4.6	.4
Rent of primary residence <sup>1</sup> .....	232.495	4.6	.3	255.087	4.5	.3	260.742	6.9	.8	277.974	4.7	.1
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>1 2</sup> .....	244.602	4.1	.2	256.689	2.2	.1	272.191	6.6	.6	300.334	5.4	.4
Fuels and utilities .....	196.414	2.1	.8	181.773	12.3	1.7	234.628	.9	-1.4	182.536	7.4	2.3
Household energy .....	177.635	1.6	.9	168.525	14.0	2.0	240.508	-.4	-2.1	184.117	7.7	2.5
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>1</sup> .....	182.624	1.5	.8	172.218	14.2	2.0	240.339	-.5	-2.2	182.703	8.4	2.6
Electricity <sup>1</sup> .....	169.346	3.8	.3	126.633	23.5	-3.0	262.796	-3.4	-4.9	159.917	11.7	4.7
Utility (piped) gas service <sup>1</sup> .....	222.221	-3.2	1.9	229.683	6.7	7.1	224.134	5.9	3.7	227.474	4.2	-.1
Household furnishings and operations ...	127.655	.8	.1	107.854	-.6	1.0	129.719	.6	.0	132.378	1.4	-.3
Apparel .....	122.582	.5	3.0	99.686	-2.4	5.5	107.798	-.5	-.4	114.281	-5.3	.5
Transportation .....	180.346	1.7	3.2	168.183	.8	2.2	183.122	3.2	4.1	185.679	1.2	2.6
Private transportation .....	176.468	1.7	3.3	165.579	.7	2.3	177.172	3.2	4.3	176.063	1.2	3.0
Motor fuel .....	220.515	7.2	12.9	219.650	2.9	8.7	238.444	16.1	16.8	199.110	7.8	14.1
Gasoline (all types) .....	219.473	7.2	13.0	217.801	2.8	8.7	233.599	16.2	16.8	198.332	7.8	14.1
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>3</sup> .....	219.594	7.2	13.2	214.569	2.9	8.8	233.332	16.5	17.3	200.995	7.8	14.7
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>3 4</sup> .....	223.577	6.9	12.9	227.160	2.8	8.8	221.421	15.7	16.3	197.150	7.6	13.3
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>3</sup> .....	211.366	7.1	12.2	208.917	3.0	8.2	224.749	15.4	15.8	195.753	7.6	12.4
Medical care .....	347.172	4.0	.2	342.688	2.8	.2	339.332	4.2	.2	357.692	5.6	.9
Recreation <sup>5</sup> .....	111.244	.6	.1	107.671	-1.8	-.9	113.993	-1.0	-.2	114.437	-1.1	-.1
Education and communication <sup>5</sup> .....	118.231	2.3	.2	124.583	2.5	-.1	119.173	1.8	.4	123.451	3.6	.1
Other goods and services .....	331.144	3.5	.2	321.786	1.2	.8	326.596	2.7	-.8	332.024	.2	-.3
<b>Commodity and service group</b>												
All items .....	205.352	2.8	.9	202.483	2.5	.9	216.500	3.8	.8	224.551	2.9	.7
Commodities .....	165.710	1.8	1.7	156.959	.4	1.7	166.840	2.5	1.7	170.811	1.3	1.0
Commodities less food and beverages ...	146.037	.9	2.6	133.756	-.9	2.2	140.888	1.9	2.8	144.680	-.1	1.9
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	178.548	3.0	4.7	166.235	.6	4.1	175.139	5.3	5.3	169.963	.5	3.2
Durables .....	113.163	-1.7	.0	101.806	-2.9	-.2	107.439	-2.4	-.5	110.607	-1.0	-.2
Services .....	244.671	3.4	.4	245.449	3.8	.5	259.483	4.7	.3	270.606	3.9	.5
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>												
All items less medical care .....	198.179	2.7	1.0	196.126	2.5	1.0	210.513	3.8	.8	218.564	2.8	.7
All items less shelter .....	194.482	2.2	1.1	184.807	1.9	1.2	196.614	2.2	1.0	197.517	1.9	.8
Commodities less food .....	148.240	1.0	2.5	136.759	-.8	2.0	144.648	1.9	2.8	147.810	.1	1.8
Nondurables .....	190.212	3.2	2.4	183.643	1.7	2.4	194.741	4.3	2.5	190.781	1.9	1.3
Nondurables less food .....	180.197	3.0	4.4	169.289	.6	3.7	179.766	4.9	5.1	173.181	.7	2.9
Services less rent of shelter <sup>2</sup> .....	257.864	2.8	.3	247.128	4.0	.6	262.894	1.9	-.2	254.346	2.8	.5
Services less medical care services .....	234.809	3.3	.4	237.881	3.9	.5	252.344	4.7	.3	263.353	3.7	.4
Energy .....	196.929	4.4	6.8	187.012	8.6	5.0	240.507	9.8	9.5	191.671	7.7	7.0
All items less energy .....	207.850	2.6	.4	205.462	1.9	.5	216.472	3.4	.2	229.287	2.5	.2
All items less food and energy .....	209.923	2.5	.4	207.700	1.8	.5	218.307	3.3	.2	234.982	2.5	.3

<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 1 <sup>1</sup>								
	U.S. city average			Boston- Brockton- Nashua, MA-NH-ME-CT			Chicago- Gary- Kenosha, IL-IN-WI		
	Index Mar. 2007	Percent change from—		Index Mar. 2007	Percent change from—		Index Mar. 2007	Percent change from—	
		Mar. 2006	Jan. 2007		Mar. 2006	Jan. 2007		Mar. 2006	Jan. 2007
<b>Expenditure category</b>									
All items <sup>3</sup> .....	205.352	2.8	1.5	226.427	2.3	0.9	202.483	2.5	1.5
All items (1967=100) .....	615.145	-	-	658.116	-	-	604.934	-	-
Food and beverages <sup>3</sup> .....	200.869	3.3	.8	211.991	4.2	1.1	198.628	2.8	.9
Food <sup>3</sup> .....	200.403	3.3	.8	212.427	4.0	1.1	197.698	3.0	1.0
Food at home .....	198.766	3.4	1.1	207.782	3.9	1.2	202.304	2.7	1.6
Food away from home <sup>4</sup> .....	204.082	3.3	.4	221.522	4.1	1.0	186.923	3.3	.1
Alcoholic beverages <sup>4</sup> .....	205.663	2.8	1.3	210.007	5.8	1.3	210.677	.7	.4
Housing <sup>3</sup> .....	208.080	3.4	1.0	233.301	2.0	.0	211.655	4.0	1.1
Shelter .....	238.980	3.9	1.0	271.226	2.0	.0	255.253	3.6	.8
Rent of primary residence <sup>3 5</sup> .....	232.495	4.6	.7	266.500	3.4	.3	255.087	4.5	.8
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>5 6</sup> .....	244.602	4.1	.5	285.280	2.4	-.1	256.689	2.2	.0
Fuels and utilities .....	196.414	2.1	1.0	233.900	1.8	-1.0	181.773	12.3	3.9
Household energy .....	177.635	1.6	1.1	205.668	1.3	-1.1	168.525	14.0	4.5
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>5</sup> .....	182.624	1.5	.9	223.203	.2	-3.4	172.218	14.2	4.5
Electricity <sup>5</sup> .....	169.346	3.8	.3	207.303	-1.5	-1.9	126.633	23.5	-2.5
Utility (piped) gas service <sup>5</sup> .....	222.221	-3.2	2.2	243.790	3.7	-6.2	229.683	6.7	11.9
Household furnishings and operations .....	127.655	.8	.4	127.367	2.5	1.2	107.854	-.6	-.1
Apparel <sup>3</sup> .....	122.582	.5	5.7	141.645	1.9	13.2	99.686	-2.4	13.9
Transportation <sup>3</sup> .....	180.346	1.7	3.4	172.641	1.6	1.7	168.183	.8	2.9
Private transportation .....	176.468	1.7	3.5	171.657	1.5	1.9	165.579	.7	3.0
Motor fuel .....	220.515	7.2	13.7	213.160	11.0	7.3	219.650	2.9	13.4
Gasoline (all types) .....	219.473	7.2	13.8	210.292	11.0	7.4	217.801	2.8	13.4
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>7</sup> .....	219.594	7.2	14.2	209.362	11.2	7.9	214.569	2.9	13.8
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>7 8</sup> .....	223.577	6.9	13.6	210.795	11.1	6.6	227.160	2.8	12.8
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>7</sup> .....	211.366	7.1	12.3	205.941	9.5	5.3	208.917	3.0	12.2
Medical care <sup>3</sup> .....	347.172	4.0	1.1	475.155	4.5	.7	342.688	2.8	.7
Recreation <sup>9</sup> .....	111.244	.6	.2	115.152	1.6	-.7	107.671	-1.8	-1.3
Education and communication <sup>9</sup> .....	118.231	2.3	.4	119.376	.1	-.1	124.583	2.5	-.1
Other goods and services <sup>3</sup> .....	331.144	3.5	.6	346.152	3.2	-.3	321.786	1.2	1.7
<b>Commodity and service group</b>									
All items <sup>3</sup> .....	205.352	2.8	1.5	226.427	2.3	.9	202.483	2.5	1.5
Commodities .....	165.710	1.8	2.3	171.019	2.6	2.6	156.959	.4	2.5
Commodities less food and beverages .....	146.037	.9	3.2	148.653	1.5	3.6	133.756	-.9	3.4
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	178.548	3.0	5.8	184.650	4.0	5.9	166.235	.6	7.5
Durables .....	113.163	-1.7	-.1	113.061	-1.9	.4	101.806	-2.9	-1.4
Services .....	244.671	3.4	.9	276.342	2.1	-.2	245.449	3.8	1.0
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>									
All items less medical care <sup>3</sup> .....	198.179	2.7	1.5	216.080	2.2	.9	196.126	2.5	1.6
All items less shelter .....	194.482	2.2	1.6	210.678	2.5	1.4	184.807	1.9	1.9
Commodities less food .....	148.240	1.0	3.1	151.219	1.8	3.4	136.759	-.8	3.3
Nondurables .....	190.212	3.2	3.2	197.036	4.1	3.3	183.643	1.7	4.1
Nondurables less food .....	180.197	3.0	5.5	185.472	4.1	5.4	169.289	.6	6.9
Services less rent of shelter <sup>6</sup> .....	257.864	2.8	.7	294.430	2.3	-.4	247.128	4.0	1.2
Services less medical care services .....	234.809	3.3	.8	260.963	1.9	-.2	237.881	3.9	1.0
Energy <sup>3</sup> .....	196.929	4.4	7.3	209.224	5.1	2.2	187.012	8.6	8.4
All items less energy .....	207.850	2.6	.9	231.419	2.0	.8	205.462	1.9	.9
All items less food and energy <sup>3</sup> .....	209.923	2.5	.9	235.783	1.7	.7	207.700	1.8	.9

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 1 <sup>1</sup>								
	Cleveland-Akron, OH			Dallas-Fort Worth, TX			Los Angeles-Riverside-Orange County, CA		
	Index Mar. 2007	Percent change from—		Index Mar. 2007	Percent change from—		Index Mar. 2007	Percent change from—	
		Mar. 2006	Jan. 2007		Mar. 2006	Jan. 2007		Mar. 2006	Jan. 2007
<b>Expenditure category</b>									
All items <sup>3</sup> .....	194.244	1.9	1.4	190.156	0.9	0.7	216.500	3.8	1.8
All items (1967=100) .....	622.450	-	-	596.508	-	-	639.638	-	-
Food and beverages <sup>3</sup> .....	201.782	3.7	1.1	201.937	3.0	1.0	210.120	3.4	1.2
Food <sup>3</sup> .....	204.803	3.7	1.2	197.009	3.0	1.1	208.655	3.6	1.1
Food at home .....	197.216	3.6	2.0	181.945	3.6	1.4	219.143	5.2	2.7
Food away from home <sup>4</sup> .....	219.608	3.9	-1	220.907	2.4	.7	192.998	1.6	-.8
Alcoholic beverages <sup>4</sup> .....	168.181	4.1	.0	266.898	2.5	-.1	218.045	1.0	2.6
Housing <sup>3</sup> .....	188.011	1.5	.1	174.101	.3	.7	235.342	5.4	1.6
Shelter .....	213.879	3.2	.8	177.663	.5	.4	262.144	6.6	1.9
Rent of primary residence <sup>3 5</sup> .....	205.988	2.2	-.2	174.109	1.8	.8	260.742	6.9	1.6
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>5 6</sup> .....	209.971	2.6	-.1	191.008	2.0	.8	272.191	6.6	1.1
Fuels and utilities .....	182.907	-6.8	-2.9	220.463	-6	1.9	234.628	.9	1.7
Household energy .....	175.596	-10.0	-4.8	220.045	-1.7	2.3	240.508	-.4	2.0
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>5</sup> .....	176.565	-10.4	-5.2	218.830	-1.5	2.5	240.339	-.5	2.0
Electricity <sup>5</sup> .....	132.518	.2	.0	206.929	-4.2	1.6	262.796	-3.4	-4.6
Utility (piped) gas service <sup>5</sup> .....	221.702	-16.9	-8.6	239.256	18.2	8.2	224.134	5.9	18.4
Household furnishings and operations .....	118.369	1.2	-.5	134.756	.3	.8	129.719	.6	-.5
Apparel <sup>3</sup> .....	114.726	-.7	11.1	121.419	-6.3	-1.4	107.798	-.5	2.2
Transportation <sup>3</sup> .....	185.047	1.4	3.7	180.336	.2	2.2	183.122	3.2	4.8
Private transportation .....	185.873	1.1	3.6	181.377	.6	2.2	177.172	3.2	4.9
Motor fuel .....	249.573	2.8	17.3	218.814	3.0	10.8	238.444	16.1	20.5
Gasoline (all types) .....	247.622	2.9	17.3	217.752	3.1	10.9	233.599	16.2	20.7
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>7</sup> .....	239.605	2.7	17.9	216.062	2.9	11.5	233.332	16.5	21.1
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>7 8</sup> .....	253.983	3.0	16.2	216.619	2.5	10.5	221.421	15.7	20.0
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>7</sup> .....	241.908	3.6	15.8	211.432	4.2	8.9	224.749	15.4	19.7
Medical care <sup>3</sup> .....	308.513	3.3	.5	315.096	3.7	-.8	339.332	4.2	.5
Recreation <sup>9</sup> .....	106.209	1.3	.2	114.662	-2.0	-1.6	113.993	-1.0	-.2
Education and communication <sup>9</sup> .....	110.166	2.0	.6	125.011	1.9	-.2	119.173	1.8	.7
Other goods and services <sup>3</sup> .....	326.759	2.1	2.8	316.971	7.5	.9	326.596	2.7	-.6
<b>Commodity and service group</b>									
All items <sup>3</sup> .....	194.244	1.9	1.4	190.156	.9	.7	216.500	3.8	1.8
Commodities .....	168.209	1.9	3.0	164.593	.5	1.2	166.840	2.5	2.7
Commodities less food and beverages .....	149.080	.9	4.1	145.686	-.9	1.2	140.888	1.9	3.7
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	179.959	.5	8.0	167.846	.1	2.6	175.139	5.3	6.8
Durables .....	113.510	1.3	-.3	126.778	-2.0	-.3	107.439	-2.4	-.3
Services .....	221.072	1.8	.4	215.489	1.3	.3	259.483	4.7	1.3
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>									
All items less medical care <sup>3</sup> .....	188.999	1.7	1.4	183.772	.7	.8	210.513	3.8	1.9
All items less shelter .....	188.010	1.2	1.7	196.485	1.1	.8	196.614	2.2	1.8
Commodities less food .....	149.861	1.0	3.9	149.367	-.8	1.2	144.648	1.9	3.6
Nondurables .....	191.814	2.1	4.3	184.101	1.5	1.8	194.741	4.3	3.8
Nondurables less food .....	178.777	.7	7.3	173.437	.3	2.4	179.766	4.9	6.5
Services less rent of shelter <sup>6</sup> .....	231.981	.3	-.1	269.982	2.0	.2	262.894	1.9	.3
Services less medical care services .....	214.404	1.6	.4	205.275	.8	.4	252.344	4.7	1.3
Energy <sup>3</sup> .....	242.381	-4.1	4.0	219.530	.6	6.3	240.507	9.8	13.4
All items less energy .....	195.196	2.6	1.1	190.649	1.0	.1	216.472	3.4	1.0
All items less food and energy <sup>3</sup> .....	193.337	2.3	1.1	189.716	.6	-.1	218.307	3.3	1.0

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 <sup>1</sup>					
	New York-Northern N.J.-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT-PA			Washington-Baltimore, DC-MD-VA-WV <sup>2</sup>		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
		Mar. 2007	Jan. 2007		Mar. 2006	Jan. 2007
<b>Expenditure category</b>						
All items <sup>3</sup> .....	224.551	2.9	1.3	131.945	4.1	1.5
All items (1967=100) .....	649.146	-	-	-	-	-
Food and beverages <sup>3</sup> .....	207.674	3.0	.2	129.104	3.0	.9
Food <sup>3</sup> .....	206.669	3.0	.1	129.766	3.0	.8
Food at home .....	205.142	2.5	.0	126.820	2.9	1.1
Food away from home <sup>4</sup> .....	214.038	3.7	.3	131.163	3.0	.5
Alcoholic beverages <sup>4</sup> .....	218.554	2.9	1.1	116.905	3.3	1.9
Housing <sup>3</sup> .....	244.042	4.6	1.1	141.081	5.8	.8
Shelter .....	293.493	4.6	1.1	147.622	6.3	1.1
Rent of primary residence <sup>3 5</sup> .....	277.974	4.7	.3	154.276	6.0	.5
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>5 6</sup> .....	300.334	5.4	.6	146.738	6.2	.7
Fuels and utilities .....	182.536	7.4	1.9	142.030	7.0	-.6
Household energy .....	184.117	7.7	2.1	142.232	7.7	-.7
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>5</sup> .....	182.703	8.4	1.3	136.914	8.1	-.8
Electricity <sup>5</sup> .....	159.917	11.7	.9	127.637	14.0	.5
Utility (piped) gas service <sup>5</sup> .....	227.474	4.2	1.9	161.449	-9.2	-5.3
Household furnishings and operations .....	132.378	1.4	-.3	102.649	.2	-.5
Apparel <sup>3</sup> .....	114.281	-5.3	8.4	98.834	6.8	9.7
Transportation <sup>3</sup> .....	185.679	1.2	1.8	125.176	2.0	3.7
Private transportation .....	176.063	1.2	1.9	125.689	2.4	4.0
Motor fuel .....	199.110	7.8	10.4	208.854	5.3	13.1
Gasoline (all types) .....	198.332	7.8	10.4	209.024	5.4	13.2
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>7</sup> .....	200.995	7.8	11.1	212.484	4.9	13.4
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>7 8</sup> .....	197.150	7.6	9.5	205.975	6.4	13.0
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>7</sup> .....	195.753	7.6	8.8	205.213	6.0	12.8
Medical care <sup>3</sup> .....	357.692	5.6	2.0	129.237	-1.1	.1
Recreation <sup>9</sup> .....	114.437	-1.1	.4	116.729	1.9	.9
Education and communication <sup>9</sup> .....	123.451	3.6	.4	123.254	2.2	.3
Other goods and services <sup>3</sup> .....	332.024	.2	-.7	147.857	3.7	1.0
<b>Commodity and service group</b>						
All items <sup>3</sup> .....	224.551	2.9	1.3	131.945	4.1	1.5
Commodities .....	170.811	1.3	1.9	118.086	2.6	3.0
Commodities less food and beverages .....	144.680	-.1	3.3	111.815	2.4	4.5
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	169.963	.5	5.7	132.783	4.4	7.2
Durables .....	110.607	-1.0	-.5	88.868	-.7	.5
Services .....	270.606	3.9	.9	141.093	4.8	.7
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>						
All items less medical care <sup>3</sup> .....	218.564	2.8	1.2	132.033	4.3	1.6
All items less shelter .....	197.517	1.9	1.3	123.980	2.6	1.8
Commodities less food .....	147.810	.1	3.2	112.134	2.4	4.3
Nondurables .....	190.781	1.9	2.6	130.226	3.7	3.8
Nondurables less food .....	173.181	.7	5.3	131.567	4.3	6.7
Services less rent of shelter <sup>6</sup> .....	254.346	2.8	.5	133.473	2.7	.2
Services less medical care services .....	263.353	3.7	.8	142.158	5.3	.8
Energy <sup>3</sup> .....	191.671	7.7	5.3	167.732	6.5	5.9
All items less energy .....	229.287	2.5	.9	128.966	3.8	1.2
All items less food and energy <sup>3</sup> .....	234.982	2.5	1.1	129.681	3.9	1.2

<sup>1</sup> Areas on pricing schedule 2 (see Table 10) will appear next month.

<sup>2</sup> For Washington-Baltimore, indexes are on a December 1997=100 base unless otherwise noted.

<sup>3</sup> For Washington-Baltimore, index is on a November 1996=100 base.

<sup>4</sup> For Washington-Baltimore, index is on a November 1997=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.

<sup>9</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 Mar. 2007 from—			Percent change to Feb. 2007 from—		
		Dec. 2006	Jan. 2007	Feb. 2007	Mar. 2007	Mar. 2006	Jan. 2007	Feb. 2007	Feb. 2006	Dec. 2006	Jan. 2007
U.S. city average .....	M	197.2	197.559	198.544	200.612	2.7	1.5	1.0	2.2	0.7	0.5
<b>Region and area size<sup>2</sup></b>											
Northeast urban .....	M	211.5	212.054	212.649	214.517	2.6	1.2	.9	2.3	.5	.3
Size A - More than 1,500,000 .....	M	212.7	213.163	213.892	215.629	2.8	1.2	.8	2.5	.6	.3
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 <sup>3</sup> .....	M	126.9	127.395	127.587	128.888	2.2	1.2	1.0	1.7	.5	.2
Midwest urban .....	M	187.8	187.811	189.121	191.145	2.2	1.8	1.1	1.7	.7	.7
Size A - More than 1,500,000 .....	M	188.6	188.802	190.087	192.051	2.2	1.7	1.0	1.7	.8	.7
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 <sup>3</sup> .....	M	122.3	122.103	123.121	124.508	2.3	2.0	1.1	1.8	.7	.8
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000) .....	M	185.5	185.949	186.458	188.484	2.0	1.4	1.1	1.8	.5	.3
South urban .....	M	191.8	191.671	192.574	194.734	2.5	1.6	1.1	1.9	.4	.5
Size A - More than 1,500,000 .....	M	195.1	195.057	196.032	198.254	3.0	1.6	1.1	2.2	.5	.5
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 <sup>3</sup> .....	M	122.3	122.204	122.842	124.185	2.1	1.6	1.1	1.8	.4	.5
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000) .....	M	195.7	195.466	195.444	197.902	2.9	1.2	1.3	2.3	-.1	.0
West urban .....	M	200.8	201.946	203.036	205.173	3.5	1.6	1.1	3.0	1.1	.5
Size A - More than 1,500,000 .....	M	202.4	203.537	204.885	207.180	3.7	1.8	1.1	3.2	1.2	.7
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 <sup>3</sup> .....	M	124.6	125.593	126.161	127.333	3.0	1.4	.9	2.5	1.3	.5
<b>Size classes</b>											
A <sup>4</sup> .....	M	183.0	183.443	184.447	186.331	2.9	1.6	1.0	2.5	.8	.5
B/C <sup>3</sup> .....	M	123.4	123.578	124.203	125.513	2.4	1.6	1.1	1.9	.7	.5
D .....	M	192.9	192.985	193.060	195.247	2.7	1.2	1.1	2.3	.1	.0
<b>Selected local areas<sup>5</sup></b>											
Chicago-Gary-Kenosha, IL-IN-WI .....	M	190.9	192.166	193.451	195.472	2.4	1.7	1.0	1.5	1.3	.7
Los Angeles-Riverside-Orange County, CA ...	M	202.9	204.498	206.632	208.929	4.0	2.2	1.1	3.4	1.8	1.0
New York-Northern N.J.-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT-PA .....	M	215.2	215.793	216.771	218.510	3.1	1.3	.8	2.9	.7	.5
Boston-Brockton-Nashua, MA-NH-ME-CT .....	1	-	224.256	-	225.918	2.5	.7	-	-	-	-
Cleveland-Akron, OH .....	1	-	181.559	-	184.014	1.3	1.4	-	-	-	-
Dallas-Fort Worth, TX .....	1	-	190.187	-	191.750	1.1	.8	-	-	-	-
Washington-Baltimore, DC-MD-VA-WV <sup>6</sup> .....	1	-	128.978	-	131.234	3.8	1.7	-	-	-	-
Atlanta, GA .....	2	193.1	-	193.446	-	-	-	-	2.6	.2	-
Detroit-Ann Arbor-Flint, MI .....	2	191.0	-	192.717	-	-	-	-	1.6	.9	-
Houston-Galveston-Brazoria, TX .....	2	177.5	-	179.288	-	-	-	-	1.5	1.0	-
Miami-Fort Lauderdale, FL .....	2	203.6	-	205.688	-	-	-	-	2.9	1.0	-
Philadelphia-Wilmington-Atlantic City, PA-NJ-DE-MD .....	2	211.2	-	212.986	-	-	-	-	1.9	.8	-
San Francisco-Oakland-San Jose, CA .....	2	205.6	-	208.803	-	-	-	-	3.1	1.6	-
Seattle-Tacoma-Bremerton, WA .....	2	204.3	-	205.746	-	-	-	-	3.9	.7	-

<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—	
		Mar. 2007	Mar. 2006		Mar. 2007	Mar. 2006		Mar. 2007	Mar. 2006		Mar. 2007	Mar. 2006
<b>Expenditure category</b>												
All items .....	214.517	2.6	0.9	191.145	2.2	1.1	194.734	2.5	1.1	205.173	3.5	1.1
All items (December 1977=100) .....	335.064	-	-	309.123	-	-	315.394	-	-	330.111	-	-
Food and beverages .....	203.963	3.2	.1	194.564	3.5	.5	196.319	3.0	.3	206.473	3.4	.1
Food .....	203.564	3.2	.1	193.956	3.6	.5	196.512	3.0	.3	205.392	3.5	.1
Food at home .....	202.724	2.8	.0	190.118	3.8	.9	192.574	3.1	.3	207.819	3.4	.2
Food away from home .....	207.829	3.7	.2	200.445	3.3	.0	204.738	2.8	.2	202.134	3.6	-.1
Alcoholic beverages .....	208.146	2.7	.4	202.447	2.7	-.2	193.383	2.9	.6	219.081	2.1	1.3
Housing .....	228.527	3.7	.4	185.306	2.3	.6	189.791	3.5	.4	215.033	3.9	.3
Shelter .....	270.348	4.1	.2	209.353	2.4	.4	210.530	4.6	.5	237.432	4.5	.3
Rent of primary residence <sup>2</sup> .....	259.272	4.3	.1	210.107	2.8	.3	207.766	5.4	.4	244.781	5.1	.5
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>2 3</sup> .....	251.912	4.6	.2	207.296	2.2	.1	199.613	4.7	.3	227.656	4.5	.3
Fuels and utilities .....	200.502	4.0	1.2	190.129	2.7	1.5	193.670	.8	.5	212.387	2.6	.1
Household energy .....	188.289	3.9	1.3	168.426	2.3	1.7	166.837	.0	.6	200.184	1.7	.0
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>2</sup> .....	196.017	4.0	1.1	173.818	2.2	1.7	168.865	.0	.6	202.858	1.6	.0
Electricity <sup>2</sup> .....	177.221	9.1	1.5	148.695	8.9	.0	158.370	.6	.5	202.465	1.7	-.9
Utility (piped) gas service <sup>2</sup> .....	231.573	-4.0	.3	219.173	-5.0	3.9	226.643	-2.9	1.0	222.252	1.4	1.9
Household furnishings and operations ...	123.957	.2	.0	117.546	.6	.4	120.897	.2	-.1	132.472	1.2	.3
Apparel .....	119.465	-2.7	2.1	112.608	.0	4.1	136.546	.7	3.1	115.987	3.0	3.6
Transportation .....	180.816	1.5	3.4	179.834	1.0	3.0	175.417	.7	3.8	182.828	3.6	3.6
Private transportation .....	176.386	1.5	3.6	177.075	.9	3.0	174.162	.7	3.8	179.619	3.7	3.7
New and used motor vehicles <sup>4</sup> .....	93.219	-2.2	-.2	94.008	-1.5	-.2	93.455	-2.2	.0	92.732	-1.5	.0
New vehicles .....	136.993	-1.2	-.2	134.807	-1.0	-.1	141.117	-1.9	-.1	139.000	-.1	.0
Used cars and trucks .....	139.467	-3.7	-.2	136.559	-3.9	-.2	134.266	-4.0	-.1	132.348	-4.2	-.2
Motor fuel .....	212.545	8.1	13.5	223.963	3.0	10.1	214.166	4.4	13.7	231.787	13.8	13.6
Gasoline (all types) .....	211.463	8.1	13.5	222.886	3.0	10.1	213.075	4.4	13.8	231.103	14.1	13.9
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>5</sup> .....	212.626	8.2	14.0	221.736	2.9	10.3	212.787	4.3	14.0	229.605	14.3	14.1
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>5 6</sup> .....	214.881	7.6	12.9	243.005	3.1	9.7	220.948	4.7	13.6	218.629	13.6	13.8
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>5</sup> .....	203.909	7.7	12.0	217.867	2.8	9.4	209.166	4.7	12.8	221.942	13.4	13.0
Medical care .....	368.203	4.8	.7	348.732	4.1	.2	330.814	3.0	-.3	349.986	5.3	.7
Medical care commodities .....	304.959	4.3	-.2	282.501	2.0	-.2	264.615	-1.9	-.8	281.830	1.5	.3
Medical care services .....	384.446	4.9	.9	368.148	4.8	.3	350.521	4.5	-.2	368.187	6.3	.8
Professional services .....	308.271	4.1	.6	317.035	3.7	.1	295.523	3.7	.0	283.642	4.0	.1
Recreation <sup>4</sup> .....	111.869	-.5	-.3	108.352	1.0	.4	109.458	.9	.0	104.701	.4	-.2
Education and communication <sup>4</sup> .....	115.277	1.4	.0	117.721	2.5	.2	111.261	2.0	.1	117.166	1.7	.8
Other goods and services .....	375.650	2.9	-.1	331.111	2.2	.6	328.313	5.8	.3	334.826	3.6	.0
<b>Commodity and service group</b>												
All items .....	214.517	2.6	.9	191.145	2.2	1.1	194.734	2.5	1.1	205.173	3.5	1.1
Commodities .....	173.011	1.6	1.7	162.005	1.6	1.8	166.777	1.3	2.0	168.928	3.1	2.0
Commodities less food and beverages ...	152.765	.7	2.7	145.184	.5	2.7	150.881	.4	3.1	147.282	2.9	3.2
Nondurables less food and beverages	183.379	2.5	4.8	181.806	1.9	4.5	189.567	2.6	5.6	181.795	6.4	6.0
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel .....	232.282	4.6	5.8	224.613	2.4	4.6	224.204	3.3	6.5	229.982	7.7	6.9
Durables .....	113.490	-1.9	-.2	109.620	-1.3	.0	114.268	-2.4	-.1	115.506	-1.4	.0
Services .....	261.770	3.3	.3	226.599	2.6	.5	228.834	3.6	.4	244.015	3.8	.3
Rent of shelter <sup>3</sup> .....	253.044	4.1	.2	208.099	2.5	.4	200.476	4.6	.5	229.311	4.6	.3
Transportation services .....	220.823	.6	.2	236.430	2.2	.0	240.070	2.0	.1	233.564	1.1	-.3
Other services .....	296.952	1.7	-.1	261.224	2.5	.3	264.333	2.9	.2	266.413	2.9	.4
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>												
All items less medical care .....	208.804	2.5	.9	184.861	2.1	1.1	187.839	2.5	1.2	199.419	3.4	1.1
All items less food .....	216.830	2.5	1.0	190.398	1.9	1.2	194.130	2.4	1.3	204.977	3.5	1.2
All items less shelter .....	197.034	1.9	1.2	186.978	2.1	1.3	190.355	1.7	1.4	193.955	2.9	1.4
Commodities less food .....	154.979	.8	2.7	147.063	.7	2.5	152.194	.5	3.0	150.146	2.8	3.2
Nondurables .....	194.723	2.8	2.4	188.730	2.7	2.5	193.025	2.8	2.9	195.677	4.8	2.8

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 Mar. 2007	Percent change from—		Index Mar. 2007	Percent change from—		Index Mar. 2007	Percent change from—		Index Mar. 2007	Percent change from—	
		Mar. 2006	Feb. 2007		Mar. 2006	Feb. 2007		Mar. 2006	Feb. 2007		Mar. 2006	Feb. 2007
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>												
Nondurables less food .....	184.994	2.5	4.5	182.877	1.9	4.2	189.675	2.6	5.3	185.016	6.1	5.7
Nondurables less food and apparel .....	228.979	4.5	5.3	221.511	2.5	4.2	220.684	3.3	6.0	228.318	7.2	6.4
Services less rent of shelter <sup>3</sup> .....	231.200	2.4	.3	225.634	2.8	.5	226.678	2.5	.2	233.249	2.8	.2
Services less medical care services .....	253.794	3.3	.2	216.466	2.4	.5	217.553	3.5	.4	235.718	3.6	.2
Energy .....	198.946	5.8	6.7	193.173	2.6	6.0	185.731	2.4	7.4	223.326	8.9	8.4
All items less energy .....	217.619	2.3	.2	192.278	2.1	.5	195.916	2.6	.4	204.653	2.9	.4
All items less food and energy .....	221.881	2.1	.3	192.220	1.8	.5	195.936	2.5	.4	204.695	2.8	.4
Commodities less food and energy												
commodities .....	146.805	-.9	.3	138.069	.1	.8	142.894	-.6	.4	139.019	.2	.7
Energy commodities .....	217.284	7.2	11.5	224.213	3.0	9.8	216.229	4.3	13.3	234.193	13.7	13.5
Services less energy services .....	268.744	3.3	.2	233.567	2.7	.3	235.595	4.0	.3	247.323	4.0	.3

<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—	
	Mar. 2007	Mar. 2006	Feb. 2007	Mar. 2007	Mar. 2006	Feb. 2007	Mar. 2007	Mar. 2006	Feb. 2007
<b>Expenditure category</b>									
All items <sup>4</sup> .....	186.331	2.9	1.0	125.513	2.4	1.1	195.247	2.7	1.1
All items (December 1977=100) .....	186.331	-	-	-	-	-	315.552	-	-
Food and beverages .....	182.064	3.2	.2	124.946	3.3	.3	196.972	3.7	.4
Food .....	181.723	3.2	.2	124.864	3.3	.3	196.600	3.9	.4
Food at home .....	185.186	3.2	.3	122.822	3.2	.4	191.076	4.4	.6
Food away from home .....	176.089	3.2	.0	128.104	3.4	.1	207.247	3.2	.1
Alcoholic beverages .....	184.954	2.4	.6	126.313	3.1	.6	201.714	1.7	.0
Housing .....	190.612	3.8	.4	126.269	2.8	.4	187.348	3.1	.3
Shelter .....	205.983	4.2	.3	127.201	3.6	.4	212.863	4.0	.3
Rent of primary residence <sup>5</sup> .....	200.144	4.7	.3	129.570	4.6	.3	199.200	3.8	.3
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>5 6</sup> .....	205.721	4.3	.3	125.483	3.7	.2	202.526	4.2	.1
Fuels and utilities .....	198.251	3.0	1.2	147.975	1.3	.6	193.060	1.8	.3
Household energy .....	198.666	2.8	1.3	148.663	.4	.7	163.781	1.2	.3
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>5</sup> .....	192.168	2.7	1.2	143.650	.3	.6	174.554	1.0	.1
Electricity <sup>5</sup> .....	171.623	4.8	.4	130.174	2.7	.3	167.323	4.3	.7
Utility (piped) gas service <sup>5</sup> .....	237.872	-1.0	2.8	188.458	-6.0	1.5	207.969	-7.9	-1.5
Household furnishings and operations .....	118.049	1.0	.1	97.744	.3	.1	119.037	-.7	.3
Apparel .....	114.363	1.1	3.4	90.386	-.7	3.0	121.764	-1.5	2.6
Transportation .....	179.539	1.8	3.4	125.475	1.4	3.5	177.301	1.7	3.8
Private transportation .....	179.213	1.9	3.6	125.340	1.3	3.5	174.684	1.7	3.9
New and used motor vehicles <sup>3</sup> .....	93.954	-1.6	-.1	92.912	-2.0	-.1	92.321	-2.1	.0
New vehicles .....	120.127	-.8	.0	95.894	-1.3	-.2	144.948	-2.1	-.1
Used cars and trucks .....	129.089	-4.0	-.2	90.426	-4.0	-.1	124.213	-3.5	-.1
Motor fuel .....	325.147	8.2	13.1	216.416	5.8	12.3	214.320	6.2	13.5
Gasoline (all types) .....	323.731	8.3	13.2	216.819	5.8	12.4	212.786	6.3	13.6
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>7</sup> .....	331.798	8.3	13.4	221.995	6.0	12.5	204.879	6.1	13.9
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>7 8</sup> .....	220.010	8.1	13.1	211.369	5.3	12.4	235.234	6.2	13.7
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>7</sup> .....	288.769	8.3	12.4	203.542	5.5	11.6	212.994	7.0	12.8
Medical care .....	274.561	4.6	.4	146.695	3.7	.0	336.038	3.6	.3
Medical care commodities .....	223.285	1.2	-.2	132.724	.6	-.5	274.628	.4	.7
Medical care services .....	288.951	5.6	.6	150.933	4.6	.2	354.530	4.4	.2
Professional services .....	236.528	4.0	.1	139.897	3.7	.3	300.729	3.7	.1
Recreation <sup>3</sup> .....	110.570	.3	-.1	105.710	.7	.1	109.081	.7	.2
Education and communication <sup>3</sup> .....	116.698	2.0	.3	111.832	1.4	.2	120.692	3.8	.1
Other goods and services .....	272.086	3.2	.3	152.746	4.5	.2	352.705	3.6	.2
<b>Commodity and service group</b>									
All items <sup>4</sup> .....	186.331	2.9	1.0	125.513	2.4	1.1	195.247	2.7	1.1
Commodities .....	162.411	2.1	1.9	116.830	1.6	1.9	166.801	1.6	2.1
Commodities less food and beverages .....	149.701	1.5	3.1	112.431	.7	2.8	151.369	.5	3.1
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	191.850	3.6	5.3	138.882	3.0	5.2	188.998	2.7	5.6
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel .....	247.017	4.7	6.1	163.463	4.0	5.8	226.351	3.9	6.5
Durables .....	108.384	-1.6	-.1	87.770	-2.0	-.1	114.642	-2.2	.0
Services .....	208.570	3.6	.4	131.132	3.0	.3	232.421	3.6	.2
Rent of shelter <sup>6</sup> .....	206.792	4.3	.4	127.358	3.6	.4	198.952	4.1	.3
Transportation services .....	190.521	.6	-.2	128.747	2.3	.2	237.421	4.3	.2
Other services .....	225.584	2.6	.3	127.544	2.4	.1	274.440	3.3	.2

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 Mar. 2007	Percent change from—		Index Mar. 2007	Percent change from—		Index Mar. 2007	Percent change from—	
		Mar. 2006	Feb. 2007		Mar. 2006	Feb. 2007		Mar. 2006	Feb. 2007
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>									
All items less medical care .....	182.710	2.9	1.1	122.852	2.3	1.1	187.824	2.6	1.2
All items less food .....	187.216	2.9	1.2	123.869	2.2	1.2	194.867	2.5	1.3
All items less shelter .....	178.605	2.4	1.4	122.965	1.9	1.3	191.465	2.2	1.4
Commodities less food .....	151.357	1.5	3.0	112.822	.8	2.7	152.799	.6	3.0
Nondurables .....	186.971	3.4	2.6	131.448	3.2	2.8	194.275	3.2	3.0
Nondurables less food .....	191.815	3.6	5.0	138.013	3.0	4.9	189.589	2.6	5.3
Nondurables less food and apparel .....	240.062	4.5	5.6	159.992	4.0	5.4	224.091	3.7	6.0
Services less rent of shelter <sup>6</sup> .....	210.195	2.6	.4	134.886	2.5	.2	230.869	3.3	.2
Services less medical care services .....	203.290	3.5	.4	129.487	2.9	.3	220.679	3.6	.2
Energy .....	254.471	5.7	7.3	179.705	3.3	6.8	190.485	4.0	7.5
All items less energy .....	180.875	2.7	.4	119.154	2.3	.3	195.574	2.5	.3
All items less food and energy .....	180.776	2.5	.4	117.918	2.0	.3	196.040	2.2	.3
Commodities less food and energy commodities .....	130.817	-.1	.7	99.088	-.5	.4	142.551	-.9	.4
Energy commodities .....	325.985	8.0	12.5	218.407	5.5	11.6	213.543	6.2	13.2
Services less energy services .....	209.802	3.7	.3	129.975	3.3	.3	239.048	3.9	.2

<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—	
	Mar. 2007	Mar. 2006	Feb. 2007	Mar. 2007	Mar. 2006	Feb. 2007
<b>Expenditure category</b>						
All items <sup>3</sup> .....	215.629	2.8	0.8	128.888	2.2	1.0
All items (December 1977=100) .....	329.494	-	-	-	-	-
Food and beverages .....	203.684	3.0	-1	126.584	3.4	.5
Food .....	203.164	3.0	-1	126.750	3.6	.5
Food at home .....	203.331	2.6	-3	124.705	3.3	.8
Food away from home .....	205.198	3.6	.2	130.047	3.8	.1
Alcoholic beverages .....	209.737	2.9	.4	123.052	2.4	.4
Housing .....	229.296	4.1	.4	131.864	2.8	.2
Shelter .....	270.384	4.3	.2	129.274	3.4	.2
Rent of primary residence <sup>4</sup> .....	267.015	4.3	.2	132.602	3.8	-.1
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>4 5</sup> .....	254.432	4.6	.2	127.450	4.6	.1
Fuels and utilities .....	193.080	5.0	1.6	167.714	2.4	.5
Household energy .....	187.981	4.9	1.8	170.355	2.1	.6
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>4</sup> .....	193.745	5.0	1.6	152.803	2.2	.2
Electricity <sup>4</sup> .....	171.932	8.9	2.6	132.543	9.4	.0
Utility (piped) gas service <sup>4</sup> .....	235.555	-3	.2	185.776	-12.6	.7
Household furnishings and operations .....	124.373	.9	.1	101.743	-.9	-.2
Apparel .....	115.157	-2.3	1.9	88.787	-4.4	3.1
Transportation .....	182.127	1.3	3.4	126.628	1.8	3.3
Private transportation .....	176.828	1.4	3.7	127.045	1.8	3.4
Motor fuel .....	207.697	8.4	13.9	215.947	7.6	12.9
Gasoline (all types) .....	206.402	8.4	14.0	215.964	7.6	13.0
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>6</sup> .....	207.708	8.5	14.6	219.558	7.9	13.2
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>6 7</sup> .....	205.646	8.3	13.1	215.595	6.6	12.7
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>6</sup> .....	200.704	8.0	12.1	203.135	7.2	11.8
Medical care .....	371.177	4.9	.7	151.878	4.5	.7
Recreation <sup>2</sup> .....	112.887	-.1	-.1	110.099	-1.1	-.6
Education and communication <sup>2</sup> .....	118.747	2.1	.0	106.772	-.3	.1
Other goods and services .....	368.637	2.2	-.1	162.983	4.2	.0
<b>Commodity and service group</b>						
All items <sup>3</sup> .....	215.629	2.8	.8	128.888	2.2	1.0
Commodities .....	172.154	1.6	1.6	121.536	1.6	2.0
Commodities less food and beverages .....	150.270	.6	2.8	118.948	.8	2.7
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	176.749	2.1	4.4	148.035	3.2	5.4
Durables .....	113.248	-1.9	.0	89.222	-2.0	-.4
Services .....	261.720	3.6	.3	132.575	2.7	.2
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>						
All items less medical care .....	209.865	2.7	.8	126.235	2.0	1.0
All items less shelter .....	196.679	2.0	1.1	126.766	1.7	1.3
Commodities less food .....	152.686	.7	2.7	119.047	.9	2.6
Nondurables .....	191.732	2.6	2.0	136.294	3.3	3.1
Nondurables less food .....	179.004	2.1	4.1	146.033	3.2	5.2
Services less rent of shelter <sup>5</sup> .....	227.650	2.5	.4	135.862	2.0	.2
Services less medical care services .....	253.640	3.5	.3	130.915	2.6	.1
Energy .....	196.914	6.4	6.9	190.607	4.7	6.4
All items less energy .....	219.206	2.4	.2	121.615	1.9	.3
All items less food and energy .....	223.876	2.3	.3	120.585	1.5	.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—	
	Mar. 2007	Mar. 2006	Feb. 2007	Mar. 2007	Mar. 2006	Feb. 2007	Mar. 2007	Mar. 2006	Feb. 2007
<b>Expenditure category</b>									
All items <sup>3</sup> .....	192.051	2.2	1.0	124.508	2.3	1.1	188.484	2.0	1.1
All items (December 1977=100) .....	313.966	-	-	-	-	-	305.391	-	-
Food and beverages .....	196.973	3.2	.5	124.517	4.3	.5	192.189	2.9	.3
Food .....	196.743	3.2	.5	124.425	4.3	.5	191.038	2.9	.4
Food at home .....	195.952	3.4	.9	121.739	4.8	1.0	179.465	3.2	.5
Food away from home .....	198.373	3.1	.0	128.146	3.8	.0	210.840	2.4	.2
Alcoholic beverages .....	199.132	2.2	-.2	126.776	3.2	.2	208.826	4.1	-1.5
Housing .....	187.016	2.4	.6	120.965	1.9	.6	179.957	2.6	.5
Shelter .....	212.400	2.7	.3	120.612	2.0	.4	200.246	2.5	.7
Rent of primary residence <sup>4</sup> .....	220.821	3.2	.3	120.864	2.3	.2	185.958	2.0	.3
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>4 5</sup> .....	209.487	2.2	.1	118.607	2.1	.2	198.934	2.8	.0
Fuels and utilities .....	185.450	2.7	1.9	152.038	2.5	1.4	198.846	3.2	-1.1
Household energy .....	166.769	2.4	2.1	154.982	2.0	1.6	156.792	2.5	-.2
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>4</sup> .....	169.719	2.4	2.1	151.166	1.8	1.6	166.195	2.3	-.5
Electricity <sup>4</sup> .....	133.991	9.7	-.9	130.193	8.0	.9	145.732	8.8	.4
Utility (piped) gas service <sup>4</sup> .....	213.839	-3.7	5.1	200.902	-6.8	2.9	210.043	-9.2	-2.4
Household furnishings and operations .....	113.661	.3	.4	94.095	.9	.5	117.172	2.0	.2
Apparel .....	110.999	.8	5.6	83.944	-1.5	2.2	126.260	-1.0	-.2
Transportation .....	178.347	.8	2.4	131.619	1.5	3.5	169.406	.0	4.5
Private transportation .....	175.969	.7	2.5	131.627	1.4	3.6	165.268	.1	4.7
Motor fuel .....	225.543	2.9	9.1	229.001	3.4	10.7	202.306	1.7	13.2
Gasoline (all types) .....	224.172	2.9	9.2	229.000	3.4	10.7	200.043	1.7	13.2
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>6</sup> .....	223.818	2.9	9.3	233.626	3.6	10.9	192.881	1.2	13.6
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>6 7</sup> .....	237.524	3.1	9.0	226.260	3.3	10.5	232.370	2.7	12.2
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>6</sup> .....	215.639	2.7	8.8	214.475	2.9	9.8	204.591	2.7	12.4
Medical care .....	342.796	4.1	.1	151.869	4.4	.2	339.685	3.2	.3
Recreation <sup>2</sup> .....	111.501	1.2	-.1	105.107	1.1	1.1	107.635	-.2	.6
Education and communication <sup>2</sup> .....	118.619	2.2	.0	117.315	2.9	.5	114.340	2.6	.0
Other goods and services .....	327.874	1.7	.8	153.744	2.4	.3	341.959	4.3	.0
<b>Commodity and service group</b>									
All items <sup>3</sup> .....	192.051	2.2	1.0	124.508	2.3	1.1	188.484	2.0	1.1
Commodities .....	160.886	1.4	1.7	116.709	2.1	2.0	166.759	1.6	1.9
Commodities less food and beverages .....	141.713	.4	2.5	112.716	.8	2.9	153.798	.8	3.0
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	177.636	1.6	4.5	140.164	2.4	4.6	192.052	1.9	4.5
Durables .....	107.899	-1.2	-.1	86.360	-1.6	.3	112.411	-1.1	.3
Services .....	227.953	2.8	.5	130.376	2.5	.4	216.689	2.4	.4
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>									
All items less medical care .....	186.232	2.0	1.1	121.775	2.2	1.2	181.236	1.9	1.2
All items less shelter .....	186.652	1.9	1.3	124.453	2.4	1.4	186.648	1.9	1.2
Commodities less food .....	143.791	.4	2.4	113.070	.9	2.8	155.337	.9	2.8
Nondurables .....	188.249	2.4	2.5	132.044	3.3	2.5	193.304	2.4	2.3
Nondurables less food .....	179.072	1.6	4.2	138.930	2.4	4.3	193.116	2.0	4.1
Services less rent of shelter <sup>5</sup> .....	227.503	2.8	.6	139.866	2.9	.4	212.774	2.2	.1
Services less medical care services .....	218.875	2.6	.5	128.037	2.3	.4	203.766	2.1	.4
Energy .....	192.704	2.7	5.7	188.259	2.8	6.3	180.122	2.1	6.8
All items less energy .....	193.402	2.1	.5	117.789	2.2	.5	189.586	2.0	.4
All items less food and energy .....	192.900	1.8	.5	116.389	1.8	.5	189.644	1.8	.4

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—	
	Mar. 2007	Mar. 2006	Feb. 2007	Mar. 2007	Mar. 2006	Feb. 2007	Mar. 2007	Mar. 2006	Feb. 2007
<b>Expenditure category</b>									
All items <sup>3</sup> .....	198.254	3.0	1.1	124.185	2.1	1.1	197.902	2.9	1.3
All items (December 1977=100) .....	321.171	-	-	-	-	-	320.360	-	-
Food and beverages .....	198.410	2.9	.1	124.369	2.9	.5	192.863	4.2	-.2
Food .....	198.573	2.9	.1	124.479	2.9	.5	192.943	4.3	-.3
Food at home .....	194.039	3.0	.0	122.973	3.0	.7	192.041	4.8	-.4
Food away from home .....	207.565	2.9	.3	126.845	2.6	.2	197.899	3.8	-.1
Alcoholic beverages .....	196.931	3.1	.6	121.950	2.9	.6	191.337	2.4	.8
Housing .....	193.752	4.0	.5	126.004	3.0	.4	190.229	3.8	.2
Shelter .....	213.596	4.7	.5	129.027	4.4	.5	222.054	6.2	.1
Rent of primary residence <sup>4</sup> .....	213.046	5.4	.4	130.971	5.5	.4	202.942	5.4	.3
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>4 5</sup> .....	205.649	5.2	.4	127.590	4.1	.2	205.695	6.6	.0
Fuels and utilities .....	190.400	2.3	.9	138.675	-.2	.3	186.917	.2	.6
Household energy .....	173.861	2.2	1.0	137.641	-1.3	.3	162.561	-.2	.7
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>4</sup> .....	178.388	2.3	1.0	136.018	-1.4	.2	168.023	-.3	.6
Electricity <sup>4</sup> .....	164.805	2.6	.8	128.337	-1.1	.2	164.354	3.1	1.0
Utility (piped) gas service <sup>4</sup> .....	225.435	.7	2.3	181.108	-2.8	.7	190.575	-15.7	-1.6
Household furnishings and operations .....	128.393	.9	.0	95.890	.1	-.2	113.016	-3.5	.0
Apparel .....	153.387	3.0	3.3	91.550	-.6	2.8	122.079	-.2	4.2
Transportation .....	182.199	1.2	4.1	121.421	.3	3.5	182.090	1.7	3.9
Private transportation .....	181.914	1.2	4.3	121.071	.2	3.6	180.996	1.6	4.0
Motor fuel .....	221.162	4.7	14.2	213.232	4.0	13.2	205.214	6.2	14.7
Gasoline (all types) .....	218.999	4.7	14.3	213.446	4.0	13.3	202.704	6.2	14.8
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>6</sup> .....	220.997	4.5	14.6	220.059	3.9	13.5	196.185	5.9	15.2
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>6 7</sup> .....	218.030	5.0	13.8	206.600	4.3	13.3	237.945	6.5	14.3
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>6</sup> .....	213.394	5.2	13.3	201.039	4.0	12.5	209.940	7.4	13.6
Medical care .....	324.044	3.4	-.2	141.412	2.8	-.5	325.573	3.2	.3
Recreation <sup>2</sup> .....	111.164	.2	-.1	108.222	1.2	-.1	110.534	.4	.6
Education and communication <sup>2</sup> .....	110.915	1.4	.1	110.074	1.7	.1	120.576	4.8	.1
Other goods and services .....	310.306	6.5	.5	149.647	5.8	.1	340.781	3.3	.7
<b>Commodity and service group</b>									
All items <sup>3</sup> .....	198.254	3.0	1.1	124.185	2.1	1.1	197.902	2.9	1.3
Commodities .....	171.111	1.9	2.1	115.536	1.0	2.0	166.924	1.2	2.3
Commodities less food and beverages .....	155.370	1.2	3.5	110.868	.1	2.7	153.344	-.3	3.6
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	194.645	3.4	5.8	136.906	2.2	5.4	189.663	1.9	6.7
Durables .....	117.003	-2.3	.1	87.651	-2.4	-.2	116.009	-3.0	-.2
Services .....	229.542	3.9	.4	130.514	3.3	.3	238.601	4.6	.3
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>									
All items less medical care .....	192.345	3.0	1.2	121.834	2.1	1.2	189.450	2.9	1.3
All items less shelter .....	193.777	2.2	1.4	120.852	1.4	1.3	192.602	1.9	1.6
Commodities less food .....	157.053	1.3	3.4	111.180	.2	2.7	154.176	-.1	3.5
Nondurables .....	196.323	3.2	2.7	130.212	2.5	2.9	192.507	2.9	3.4
Nondurables less food .....	194.811	3.4	5.5	136.122	2.3	5.1	189.150	2.0	6.3
Services less rent of shelter <sup>5</sup> .....	225.915	2.8	.2	131.793	2.2	.1	233.767	3.3	.3
Services less medical care services .....	219.700	3.8	.5	129.268	3.2	.4	225.904	4.6	.3
Energy .....	194.431	3.5	7.5	170.833	1.6	7.2	180.473	3.3	8.1
All items less energy .....	199.479	3.0	.4	118.299	2.2	.3	198.084	2.8	.3
All items less food and energy .....	199.835	3.0	.5	116.911	2.1	.3	199.872	2.5	.4

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—	
	Mar. 2007	Mar. 2006	Feb. 2007	Mar. 2007	Mar. 2006	Feb. 2007
<b>Expenditure category</b>						
All items <sup>3</sup> .....	207.180	3.7	1.1	127.333	3.0	0.9
All items (December 1977=100) .....	335.384	-	-	-	-	-
Food and beverages .....	208.878	3.5	.3	125.581	3.1	-.4
Food .....	208.033	3.6	.2	124.890	3.0	-.5
Food at home .....	212.450	3.8	.5	122.419	2.4	-.8
Food away from home .....	201.330	3.2	-.3	129.500	4.3	.1
Alcoholic beverages .....	216.109	1.7	1.3	139.367	4.5	1.3
Housing .....	220.868	4.4	.2	128.111	3.2	.4
Shelter .....	241.553	5.0	.3	128.538	3.7	.3
Rent of primary residence <sup>4</sup> .....	260.211	5.3	.5	131.966	4.8	.4
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>4 5</sup> .....	233.263	5.0	.3	126.897	3.8	.3
Fuels and utilities .....	218.927	2.6	-.1	149.469	2.3	.4
Household energy .....	214.326	2.0	-.4	148.281	1.2	.5
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>4</sup> .....	216.548	1.9	-.4	146.857	1.2	.5
Electricity <sup>4</sup> .....	224.980	1.3	-1.8	131.142	2.5	.3
Utility (piped) gas service <sup>4</sup> .....	222.742	3.1	2.6	190.742	-1.7	1.1
Household furnishings and operations .....	136.183	1.9	.0	104.205	.5	.8
Apparel .....	117.888	3.5	3.4	94.577	2.5	4.1
Transportation .....	182.058	3.6	3.8	128.018	3.7	3.3
Private transportation .....	178.777	3.8	3.9	127.683	3.7	3.4
Motor fuel .....	237.376	15.7	15.1	204.046	11.0	11.3
Gasoline (all types) .....	236.276	15.9	15.4	205.397	11.1	11.5
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>6</sup> .....	237.325	16.2	15.7	205.505	11.6	11.8
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>6 7</sup> .....	218.840	15.4	15.2	202.131	10.0	11.0
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>6</sup> .....	227.857	15.5	14.5	196.791	9.8	10.5
Medical care .....	342.328	6.0	.9	149.725	4.4	.4
Recreation <sup>2</sup> .....	107.137	-.2	-.3	99.687	.7	.0
Education and communication <sup>2</sup> .....	117.301	2.2	1.2	114.100	.4	.1
Other goods and services .....	334.673	3.3	.0	147.387	4.5	.3
<b>Commodity and service group</b>						
All items <sup>3</sup> .....	207.180	3.7	1.1	127.333	3.0	.9
Commodities .....	170.252	3.4	2.2	116.675	2.5	1.7
Commodities less food and beverages .....	147.178	3.4	3.5	111.408	2.1	3.0
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	182.231	7.1	6.4	134.112	5.4	5.3
Durables .....	115.192	-1.1	-.2	89.757	-1.5	.2
Services .....	245.520	3.9	.3	132.079	3.4	.3
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>						
All items less medical care .....	202.160	3.6	1.1	123.720	2.9	1.0
All items less shelter .....	194.797	3.1	1.5	123.474	2.7	1.2
Commodities less food .....	150.169	3.4	3.4	112.156	2.2	2.9
Nondurables .....	197.297	5.1	3.0	129.646	4.2	2.4
Nondurables less food .....	185.497	6.7	6.0	134.332	5.3	5.1
Services less rent of shelter <sup>5</sup> .....	230.496	2.4	.2	135.539	3.1	.2
Services less medical care services .....	238.549	3.8	.2	130.270	3.3	.3
Energy .....	229.567	10.8	9.5	182.349	6.9	6.9
All items less energy .....	206.608	3.1	.4	120.632	2.6	.3
All items less food and energy .....	206.565	3.1	.4	119.666	2.5	.5

<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> Special index based on a substantially smaller sample.

<sup>7</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 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 Mar. 2007 from—			Percent change to Feb. 2007 from—		
		Dec. 2006	Jan. 2007	Feb. 2007	Mar. 2007	Mar. 2006	Jan. 2007	Feb. 2007	Feb. 2006	Dec. 2006	Jan. 2007
U.S. city average .....	M	193.2	195.531	197.044	197.735	3.3	1.1	0.4	2.8	2.0	0.8
<b>Region and area size<sup>2</sup></b>											
Northeast urban .....	M	198.0	201.073	202.647	202.724	2.8	.8	.0	2.9	2.3	.8
Size A - More than 1,500,000 .....	M	198.4	201.988	203.992	203.331	2.6	.7	-.3	3.1	2.8	1.0
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 <sup>3</sup> .....	M	121.9	123.265	123.660	124.705	3.3	1.2	.8	2.6	1.4	.3
Midwest urban .....	M	185.6	187.498	188.468	190.118	3.8	1.4	.9	2.4	1.5	.5
Size A - More than 1,500,000 .....	M	192.0	193.641	194.241	195.952	3.4	1.2	.9	2.0	1.2	.3
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 <sup>3</sup> .....	M	117.9	119.822	120.585	121.739	4.8	1.6	1.0	2.8	2.3	.6
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000) .....	M	176.6	176.149	178.525	179.465	3.2	1.9	.5	3.1	1.1	1.3
South urban .....	M	190.0	190.955	191.961	192.574	3.1	.8	.3	2.4	1.0	.5
Size A - More than 1,500,000 .....	M	191.5	192.067	194.092	194.039	3.0	1.0	.0	2.7	1.4	1.1
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 <sup>3</sup> .....	M	121.4	121.999	122.153	122.973	3.0	.8	.7	2.0	.6	.1
Size D - Nonmetropolitan (less than 50,000) .....	M	188.4	191.748	192.855	192.041	4.8	.2	-.4	4.0	2.4	.6
West urban .....	M	201.0	204.807	207.436	207.819	3.4	1.5	.2	3.5	3.2	1.3
Size A - More than 1,500,000 .....	M	204.5	207.919	211.383	212.450	3.8	2.2	.5	3.6	3.4	1.7
Size B/C - 50,000 to 1,500,000 <sup>3</sup> .....	M	119.2	121.929	123.443	122.419	2.4	.4	-.8	3.0	3.6	1.2
<b>Size classes</b>											
A <sup>4</sup> .....	M	180.6	182.770	184.702	185.186	3.2	1.3	.3	2.9	2.3	1.1
B/C <sup>3</sup> .....	M	120.3	121.692	122.289	122.822	3.2	.9	.4	2.4	1.7	.5
D .....	M	187.7	189.878	189.892	191.076	4.4	.6	.6	3.9	1.2	.0
<b>Selected local areas<sup>5</sup></b>											
Chicago-Gary-Kenosha, IL-IN-WI .....	M	195.2	198.459	198.070	201.360	2.6	1.5	1.7	.7	1.5	-.2
Los Angeles-Riverside-Orange County, CA ...	M	208.9	212.808	217.947	218.858	4.9	2.8	.4	4.2	4.3	2.4
New York-Northern N.J.-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT-PA .....	M	199.0	202.924	203.886	203.285	2.6	.2	-.3	2.8	2.5	.5
Boston-Brockton-Nashua, MA-NH-ME-CT .....	1	198.6	201.867	203.278	204.332	3.7	1.2	.5	3.8	2.4	.7
Cleveland-Akron, OH .....	1	191.5	191.236	195.081	195.383	3.5	2.2	.2	2.1	1.9	2.0
Dallas-Fort Worth, TX .....	1	178.3	178.729	181.393	180.894	3.4	1.2	-.3	4.0	1.7	1.5
Washington-Baltimore, DC-MD-VA-WV <sup>3</sup> .....	1	124.5	125.074	126.231	126.726	2.9	1.3	.4	1.8	1.4	.9
Atlanta, GA .....	2	194.9	193.241	197.480	196.554	3.7	1.7	-.5	2.0	1.3	2.2
Detroit-Ann Arbor-Flint, MI .....	2	186.9	187.156	187.724	188.016	3.3	.5	.2	2.9	.4	.3
Houston-Galveston-Brazoria, TX .....	2	185.1	188.192	189.380	187.295	1.8	-.5	-1.1	4.2	2.3	.6
Miami-Fort Lauderdale, FL .....	2	205.3	204.781	205.400	207.786	2.9	1.5	1.2	1.1	.0	.3
Philadelphia-Wilmington-Atlantic City, PA-NJ-DE-MD .....	2	199.4	202.736	208.836	206.006	.7	1.6	-1.4	2.4	4.7	3.0
San Francisco-Oakland-San Jose, CA .....	2	205.3	208.814	211.511	210.156	2.0	.6	-.6	3.5	3.0	1.3
Seattle-Tacoma-Bremerton, WA .....	2	205.5	206.648	208.902	214.883	4.4	4.0	2.9	3.2	1.7	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 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—	
		Mar. 2006	Feb. 2007		Mar. 2006	Feb. 2007		Mar. 2006	Feb. 2007		Mar. 2006	Feb. 2007
<b>Expenditure category</b>												
All items .....	200.612	2.7	1.0	195.472	2.4	1.0	208.929	4.0	1.1	218.510	3.1	0.8
All items (1967=100) .....	597.561	-	-	574.073	-	-	617.449	-	-	622.154	-	-
Food and beverages .....	200.056	3.2	.3	198.469	2.6	.8	211.333	3.4	.1	205.522	3.0	-.1
Food .....	199.589	3.3	.2	197.605	2.8	1.0	209.321	3.8	-.1	205.082	3.0	-.1
Food at home .....	197.735	3.3	.4	201.360	2.6	1.7	218.858	4.9	.4	203.285	2.6	-.3
Food away from home .....	203.838	3.3	.1	188.085	3.2	.0	194.252	2.0	-.9	212.087	3.5	.1
Alcoholic beverages .....	205.729	2.6	.5	209.580	.4	-1.2	221.346	-2.2	3.4	210.304	2.8	.4
Housing .....	203.203	3.4	.4	199.332	4.0	.6	227.899	5.5	.4	236.845	5.0	.6
Shelter .....	231.315	4.0	.4	233.444	3.3	.3	248.764	6.6	.6	284.423	4.9	.4
Rent of primary residence <sup>1</sup> .....	231.634	4.6	.3	255.087	4.5	.3	261.341	6.9	.8	276.830	4.6	.1
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>1 2</sup> .....	221.704	4.1	.2	229.662	2.2	.1	242.365	6.6	.6	267.930	5.5	.4
Fuels and utilities .....	194.963	2.2	.8	182.880	11.9	2.0	232.649	.9	-1.4	177.295	8.1	2.7
Household energy .....	175.303	1.7	.9	168.097	13.7	2.3	240.503	-.3	-2.0	180.551	8.4	2.9
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>1</sup> .....	181.092	1.6	.9	172.256	13.8	2.2	240.534	-.4	-2.1	182.377	9.1	3.1
Electricity <sup>1</sup> .....	168.055	3.8	.3	126.633	23.5	-3.0	262.107	-3.4	-4.9	159.163	12.2	5.7
Utility (piped) gas service <sup>1</sup> .....	222.369	-3.2	2.1	229.681	6.7	7.1	224.059	5.9	3.7	227.643	5.3	-.2
Household furnishings and operations ...	123.134	.5	.1	103.495	-9	1.0	128.581	.4	-.1	122.280	1.8	-.1
Apparel .....	122.021	.3	3.2	97.759	-1.1	6.1	108.812	1.7	.8	106.766	-6.1	1.0
Transportation .....	179.541	1.7	3.5	163.898	.5	2.4	184.301	4.0	4.8	186.647	1.4	3.1
Private transportation .....	176.695	1.7	3.6	161.189	.4	2.4	180.285	4.1	4.9	178.685	1.5	3.5
Motor fuel .....	221.011	7.0	12.8	219.656	2.9	8.7	238.315	16.1	16.7	199.342	7.7	14.0
Gasoline (all types) .....	220.052	7.0	12.9	217.797	2.8	8.7	233.431	16.2	16.8	198.578	7.7	14.0
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>3</sup> .....	220.051	7.1	13.1	214.570	2.9	8.8	233.306	16.5	17.3	201.075	7.7	14.6
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>3 4</sup> .....	224.342	6.8	12.8	227.160	2.8	8.8	221.423	15.7	16.2	197.691	7.6	13.2
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>3</sup> .....	211.697	6.9	12.1	208.921	3.0	8.2	224.808	15.5	15.8	196.357	7.5	12.3
Medical care .....	346.946	4.1	.2	348.853	2.9	.2	333.257	4.1	.2	356.199	5.9	1.0
Recreation <sup>5</sup> .....	108.461	.5	.0	105.782	-1.0	-1.0	109.399	-1.4	-.2	111.011	-1.2	-.2
Education and communication <sup>5</sup> .....	115.161	1.9	.3	125.771	1.4	-.1	117.057	2.9	.6	120.564	3.2	.0
Other goods and services .....	341.719	3.7	.2	331.071	1.1	.8	314.613	2.4	-.7	362.561	1.0	-.1
<b>Commodity and service group</b>												
All items .....	200.612	2.7	1.0	195.472	2.4	1.0	208.929	4.0	1.1	218.510	3.1	.8
Commodities .....	167.350	1.9	1.9	156.684	.6	1.9	169.967	3.2	2.2	171.534	1.2	1.3
Commodities less food and beverages ...	148.836	1.1	3.0	134.496	-.4	2.5	145.137	3.0	3.6	146.576	-.1	2.4
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	184.604	3.3	5.3	172.950	1.3	4.5	181.034	6.8	6.7	170.760	.5	3.9
Durables .....	113.107	-1.8	-.1	100.511	-2.6	-.2	110.425	-1.7	-.4	110.130	-1.2	-.2
Services .....	239.586	3.4	.3	236.292	3.6	.5	249.598	4.7	.3	265.841	4.2	.5
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>												
All items less medical care .....	194.481	2.6	1.1	188.911	2.3	1.1	204.259	4.1	1.1	213.367	3.0	.8
All items less shelter .....	191.591	2.1	1.3	183.020	1.9	1.4	193.215	2.7	1.4	194.254	2.0	1.1
Commodities less food .....	150.856	1.2	2.9	137.233	-.4	2.3	149.019	2.8	3.5	149.160	.0	2.3
Nondurables .....	193.028	3.3	2.7	187.470	1.9	2.7	198.843	5.0	3.1	190.063	1.9	1.7
Nondurables less food .....	185.979	3.3	5.0	175.704	1.2	4.1	186.654	6.3	6.5	173.350	.7	3.7
Services less rent of shelter <sup>2</sup> .....	228.479	2.6	.3	224.164	3.9	.6	228.136	1.8	-.2	221.234	3.1	.7
Services less medical care services .....	230.221	3.2	.3	226.992	3.7	.5	243.433	4.7	.3	258.928	4.1	.4
Energy .....	196.940	4.5	7.1	187.386	8.1	5.3	242.261	10.7	10.5	190.349	8.1	7.5
All items less energy .....	201.948	2.5	.4	197.205	1.8	.6	207.170	3.4	.3	222.882	2.6	.2
All items less food and energy .....	202.816	2.3	.4	197.277	1.5	.5	206.819	3.4	.3	227.891	2.6	.3

<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 1 <sup>1</sup>								
	U.S. city average			Boston- Brockton- Nashua, MA-NH-ME-CT			Chicago- Gary- Kenosha, IL-IN-WI		
	Index Mar. 2007	Percent change from—		Index Mar. 2007	Percent change from—		Index Mar. 2007	Percent change from—	
		Mar. 2006	Jan. 2007		Mar. 2006	Jan. 2007		Mar. 2006	Jan. 2007
<b>Expenditure category</b>									
All items <sup>3</sup> .....	200.612	2.7	1.5	225.918	2.5	0.7	195.472	2.4	1.7
All items (1967=100) .....	597.561	-	-	652.984	-	-	574.073	-	-
Food and beverages <sup>3</sup> .....	200.056	3.2	.9	210.171	3.9	1.0	198.469	2.6	.9
Food <sup>3</sup> .....	199.589	3.3	.9	210.647	3.9	1.1	197.605	2.8	.9
Food at home .....	197.735	3.3	1.1	204.332	3.7	1.2	201.360	2.6	1.5
Food away from home <sup>4</sup> .....	203.838	3.3	.5	224.355	4.2	.9	188.085	3.2	.1
Alcoholic beverages <sup>4</sup> .....	205.729	2.6	1.4	206.445	4.5	.7	209.580	.4	1.1
Housing <sup>3</sup> .....	203.203	3.4	.8	233.290	2.1	-2	199.332	4.0	1.0
Shelter .....	231.315	4.0	.9	271.928	2.2	.0	233.444	3.3	.7
Rent of primary residence <sup>3 5</sup> .....	231.634	4.6	.7	266.500	3.4	.3	255.087	4.5	.8
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>5 6</sup> .....	221.704	4.1	.5	250.712	2.4	.0	229.662	2.2	.0
Fuels and utilities .....	194.963	2.2	1.1	231.103	1.7	-1.7	182.880	11.9	4.2
Household energy .....	175.303	1.7	1.1	200.663	1.2	-1.8	168.097	13.7	4.8
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>5</sup> .....	181.092	1.6	.9	222.589	.4	-3.6	172.256	13.8	4.8
Electricity <sup>5</sup> .....	168.055	3.8	.3	207.304	-1.5	-1.9	126.633	23.5	-2.5
Utility (piped) gas service <sup>5</sup> .....	222.369	-3.2	2.3	243.796	3.7	-6.2	229.681	6.7	11.9
Household furnishings and operations .....	123.134	.5	.4	124.313	2.4	.7	103.495	-.9	-.2
Apparel <sup>3</sup> .....	122.021	.3	5.8	152.861	2.8	7.0	97.759	-1.1	13.8
Transportation <sup>3</sup> .....	179.541	1.7	3.7	177.720	1.8	1.9	163.898	.5	3.2
Private transportation .....	176.695	1.7	3.7	175.579	1.8	2.0	161.189	.4	3.3
Motor fuel .....	221.011	7.0	13.8	213.179	10.9	7.3	219.656	2.9	13.4
Gasoline (all types) .....	220.052	7.0	13.9	210.295	11.0	7.4	217.797	2.8	13.4
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>7</sup> .....	220.051	7.1	14.2	209.346	11.2	7.9	214.570	2.9	13.8
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>7 8</sup> .....	224.342	6.8	13.7	210.795	11.1	6.6	227.160	2.8	12.8
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>7</sup> .....	211.697	6.9	12.4	205.937	9.5	5.3	208.921	3.0	12.2
Medical care <sup>3</sup> .....	346.946	4.1	1.1	466.085	4.7	.8	348.853	2.9	.7
Recreation <sup>9</sup> .....	108.461	.5	.2	119.208	3.3	.2	105.782	-1.0	-1.2
Education and communication <sup>9</sup> .....	115.161	1.9	.4	116.596	-.4	-.1	125.771	1.4	.0
Other goods and services <sup>3</sup> .....	341.719	3.7	.8	374.607	3.4	-.3	331.071	1.1	1.6
<b>Commodity and service group</b>									
All items <sup>3</sup> .....	200.612	2.7	1.5	225.918	2.5	.7	195.472	2.4	1.7
Commodities .....	167.350	1.9	2.5	177.477	2.6	2.3	156.684	.6	2.8
Commodities less food and beverages .....	148.836	1.1	3.5	159.245	1.9	3.0	134.496	-.4	3.9
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	184.604	3.3	6.4	197.582	4.5	4.8	172.950	1.3	8.0
Durables .....	113.107	-1.8	-.1	115.469	-1.9	.2	100.511	-2.6	-1.3
Services .....	239.586	3.4	.8	277.826	2.3	-.2	236.292	3.6	.9
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>									
All items less medical care <sup>3</sup> .....	194.481	2.6	1.6	216.600	2.3	.7	188.911	2.3	1.8
All items less shelter .....	191.591	2.1	1.9	211.677	2.6	1.1	183.020	1.9	2.2
Commodities less food .....	150.856	1.2	3.5	160.797	2.0	2.9	137.233	-.4	3.8
Nondurables .....	193.028	3.3	3.5	202.807	4.3	3.0	187.470	1.9	4.4
Nondurables less food .....	185.979	3.3	6.1	196.734	4.5	4.5	175.704	1.2	7.5
Services less rent of shelter <sup>6</sup> .....	228.479	2.6	.7	266.399	2.4	-.5	224.164	3.9	1.3
Services less medical care services .....	230.221	3.2	.7	263.443	2.2	-.2	226.992	3.7	1.0
Energy <sup>3</sup> .....	196.940	4.5	7.7	205.200	5.0	1.8	187.386	8.1	8.8
All items less energy .....	201.948	2.5	.9	231.224	2.1	.6	197.205	1.8	1.0
All items less food and energy <sup>3</sup> .....	202.816	2.3	.8	236.842	1.9	.6	197.277	1.5	1.0

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 1 <sup>1</sup>									
	Cleveland-Akron, OH			Dallas-Fort Worth, TX			Los Angeles-Riverside-Orange County, CA			
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—		
		Mar. 2007	Mar. 2006	Jan. 2007	Mar. 2007	Mar. 2006	Jan. 2007	Mar. 2007	Mar. 2006	Jan. 2007
<b>Expenditure category</b>										
All items <sup>3</sup> .....	184.014	1.3	1.4	191.750	1.1	0.8	208.929	4.0	2.2	
All items (1967=100) .....	574.986	-	-	591.294	-	-	617.449	-	-	
Food and beverages <sup>3</sup> .....	200.405	3.6	1.1	200.103	3.0	1.0	211.333	3.4	1.5	
Food <sup>3</sup> .....	203.008	3.6	1.3	195.228	3.0	1.0	209.321	3.8	1.5	
Food at home .....	195.383	3.5	2.2	180.894	3.4	1.2	218.858	4.9	2.8	
Food away from home <sup>4</sup> .....	217.776	3.6	-1	221.540	2.4	.8	194.252	2.0	-.7	
Alcoholic beverages <sup>4</sup> .....	167.948	3.4	-4	263.997	2.0	-2	221.346	-2.2	1.8	
Housing <sup>3</sup> .....	172.319	.5	-6	175.290	.9	.9	227.899	5.5	1.4	
Shelter .....	188.296	2.6	.1	177.974	1.5	.7	248.764	6.6	1.6	
Rent of primary residence <sup>3 5</sup> .....	205.988	2.2	-2	174.109	1.8	.8	261.341	6.9	1.6	
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>5 6</sup> .....	195.157	2.6	-1	173.438	2.0	.8	242.365	6.6	1.1	
Fuels and utilities .....	183.383	-7.4	-3.1	218.238	-1.2	1.9	232.649	.9	1.9	
Household energy .....	174.617	-10.2	-4.8	220.721	-2.2	2.2	240.503	-.3	2.2	
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>5</sup> .....	174.933	-10.7	-5.3	218.429	-2.1	2.3	240.534	-.4	2.2	
Electricity <sup>5</sup> .....	132.518	.2	.0	206.929	-4.2	1.6	262.107	-3.4	-4.6	
Utility (piped) gas service <sup>5</sup> .....	221.709	-16.9	-8.6	239.257	18.2	8.2	224.059	5.9	18.4	
Household furnishings and operations .....	115.090	.3	-1.2	125.424	-.1	.9	128.581	.4	-.2	
Apparel <sup>3</sup> .....	113.365	.1	14.5	119.973	-7.8	-3.1	108.812	1.7	4.4	
Transportation <sup>3</sup> .....	180.890	.7	4.3	190.061	.0	2.7	184.301	4.0	5.7	
Private transportation .....	180.829	.6	4.3	191.062	.2	2.8	180.285	4.1	5.8	
Motor fuel .....	249.555	2.9	17.3	218.781	3.0	10.8	238.315	16.1	20.5	
Gasoline (all types) .....	247.639	2.8	17.3	217.748	3.1	10.9	233.431	16.2	20.6	
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>7</sup> .....	239.602	2.7	17.9	216.064	2.9	11.5	233.306	16.5	21.1	
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>7 8</sup> .....	253.983	3.0	16.2	216.619	2.5	10.5	221.423	15.7	19.9	
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>7</sup> .....	241.909	3.6	15.8	211.413	4.1	8.9	224.808	15.5	19.6	
Medical care <sup>3</sup> .....	302.000	3.2	.6	320.704	3.5	-.9	333.257	4.1	.4	
Recreation <sup>9</sup> .....	104.899	1.4	-.3	111.787	-2.5	-2.1	109.399	-1.4	-.3	
Education and communication <sup>9</sup> .....	104.188	2.0	.5	118.234	-.2	-.2	117.057	2.9	1.1	
Other goods and services <sup>3</sup> .....	363.204	2.1	2.6	325.343	11.1	.9	314.613	2.4	-.4	
<b>Commodity and service group</b>										
All items <sup>3</sup> .....	184.014	1.3	1.4	191.750	1.1	.8	208.929	4.0	2.2	
Commodities .....	164.872	1.6	3.7	171.852	.8	1.2	169.967	3.2	3.5	
Commodities less food and beverages .....	146.497	.4	5.4	154.707	-.6	1.4	145.137	3.0	4.9	
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	186.727	1.0	9.3	182.720	.9	2.6	181.034	6.8	8.9	
Durables .....	109.659	-.6	-.4	129.179	-2.6	-.2	110.425	-1.7	-.1	
Services .....	207.501	1.1	-.2	215.577	1.3	.4	249.598	4.7	1.1	
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>										
All items less medical care <sup>3</sup> .....	179.484	1.2	1.4	185.713	.9	.9	204.259	4.1	2.2	
All items less shelter .....	185.284	.8	1.9	198.368	.9	.9	193.215	2.7	2.5	
Commodities less food .....	147.222	.6	5.1	158.716	-.5	1.4	149.019	2.8	4.8	
Nondurables .....	193.794	2.3	5.0	191.916	2.0	1.7	198.843	5.0	4.8	
Nondurables less food .....	184.993	1.2	8.5	188.703	1.0	2.4	186.654	6.3	8.4	
Services less rent of shelter <sup>6</sup> .....	213.318	-.5	-.5	242.251	1.1	.2	228.136	1.8	.4	
Services less medical care services .....	200.758	.9	-.2	205.134	.9	.5	243.433	4.7	1.2	
Energy <sup>3</sup> .....	203.459	-4.1	4.2	221.116	.5	6.6	242.261	10.7	14.5	
All items less energy .....	183.491	2.2	1.0	190.136	1.1	.1	207.170	3.4	1.1	
All items less food and energy <sup>3</sup> .....	179.433	1.9	.9	188.784	.7	-.1	206.819	3.4	1.0	

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**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 <sup>1</sup>					
	New York-Northern N.J.-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT-PA			Washington-Baltimore, DC-MD-VA-WV <sup>2</sup>		
	Index	Percent change from—		Index	Percent change from—	
		Mar. 2007	Jan. 2007		Mar. 2006	Jan. 2007
<b>Expenditure category</b>						
All items <sup>3</sup> .....	218.510	3.1	1.3	131.234	3.8	1.7
All items (1967=100) .....	622.154	-	-	-	-	-
Food and beverages <sup>3</sup> .....	205.522	3.0	.3	128.538	2.9	1.0
Food <sup>3</sup> .....	205.082	3.0	.2	129.209	2.9	1.0
Food at home .....	203.285	2.6	.2	126.726	2.9	1.3
Food away from home <sup>4</sup> .....	212.087	3.5	.3	130.611	2.8	.5
Alcoholic beverages <sup>4</sup> .....	210.304	2.8	1.2	118.608	4.0	2.2
Housing <sup>3</sup> .....	236.845	5.0	.9	141.175	5.9	.5
Shelter .....	284.423	4.9	.9	148.095	6.2	.8
Rent of primary residence <sup>3 5</sup> .....	276.830	4.6	.3	154.285	6.0	.5
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>5 6</sup> .....	267.930	5.5	.6	146.302	6.2	.7
Fuels and utilities .....	177.295	8.1	2.1	137.624	8.4	-.3
Household energy .....	180.551	8.4	2.2	136.988	9.2	-.4
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>5</sup> .....	182.377	9.1	1.6	134.060	9.6	-.4
Electricity <sup>5</sup> .....	159.163	12.2	1.1	125.502	13.9	.5
Utility (piped) gas service <sup>5</sup> .....	227.643	5.3	2.4	166.322	-8.8	-5.2
Household furnishings and operations .....	122.280	1.8	-.4	97.616	-.5	-1.1
Apparel <sup>3</sup> .....	106.766	-6.1	8.2	99.011	4.0	12.9
Transportation <sup>3</sup> .....	186.647	1.4	2.0	124.553	1.8	3.6
Private transportation .....	178.685	1.5	2.3	124.856	2.0	3.8
Motor fuel .....	199.342	7.7	10.2	208.593	5.3	13.1
Gasoline (all types) .....	198.578	7.7	10.2	208.784	5.3	13.2
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>7</sup> .....	201.075	7.7	10.9	212.201	4.8	13.4
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>7 8</sup> .....	197.691	7.6	9.3	205.956	6.4	12.9
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>7</sup> .....	196.357	7.5	8.7	204.975	6.0	12.8
Medical care <sup>3</sup> .....	356.199	5.9	2.2	129.394	-.5	.2
Recreation <sup>9</sup> .....	111.011	-1.2	.1	112.830	.8	1.2
Education and communication <sup>9</sup> .....	120.564	3.2	.3	117.577	.6	.1
Other goods and services <sup>3</sup> .....	362.561	1.0	.0	161.493	3.9	1.3
<b>Commodity and service group</b>						
All items <sup>3</sup> .....	218.510	3.1	1.3	131.234	3.8	1.7
Commodities .....	171.534	1.2	2.1	119.532	2.3	3.4
Commodities less food and beverages .....	146.576	-.1	3.5	114.491	1.8	5.3
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	170.760	.5	5.8	140.659	3.7	8.6
Durables .....	110.130	-1.2	-.6	88.156	-1.2	.3
Services .....	265.841	4.2	.8	140.817	4.9	.5
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>						
All items less medical care <sup>3</sup> .....	213.367	3.0	1.2	131.230	4.0	1.8
All items less shelter .....	194.254	2.0	1.5	123.781	2.6	2.3
Commodities less food .....	149.160	.0	3.4	114.779	1.8	5.1
Nondurables .....	190.063	1.9	2.7	133.263	3.2	4.3
Nondurables less food .....	173.350	.7	5.5	138.879	3.6	8.1
Services less rent of shelter <sup>6</sup> .....	221.234	3.1	.6	132.064	3.1	.2
Services less medical care services .....	258.928	4.1	.7	141.646	5.3	.6
Energy <sup>3</sup> .....	190.349	8.1	5.6	165.873	7.3	5.8
All items less energy .....	222.882	2.6	.9	127.859	3.4	1.4
All items less food and energy <sup>3</sup> .....	227.891	2.6	1.0	128.460	3.6	1.4

<sup>1</sup> Areas on pricing schedule 2 (see Table 10) will appear next month.

<sup>2</sup> For Washington-Baltimore, indexes are on a December 1997=100 base unless otherwise noted.

<sup>3</sup> For Washington-Baltimore, index is on a November 1996=100 base.

<sup>4</sup> For Washington-Baltimore, index is on a November 1997=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.

<sup>9</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	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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	-	-	-	-	-

- 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-Continued**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Unadjusted indexes								Mar. 2007	
	December									
	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006		
<b>Expenditure category</b>										
Apparel .....	130.1	127.8	123.7	121.5	119.0	118.8	117.5	118.6	122.582	
Men's and boys' apparel .....	131.5	128.0	122.8	119.3	118.0	116.3	114.1	113.2	113.685	
Men's apparel .....	134.4	131.4	125.8	124.5	122.4	121.4	119.8	119.4	119.531	
Men's suits, sport coats, and outerwear .....	135.8	130.0	128.1	127.2	128.1	126.0	125.3	120.2	118.819	
Men's furnishings .....	137.6	135.2	132.0	133.2	136.1	134.8	133.4	131.7	133.500	
Men's shirts and sweaters <sup>2</sup> .....	99.5	99.9	92.2	91.3	88.5	86.0	85.4	87.8	84.802	
Men's pants and shorts .....	128.9	123.6	117.5	113.7	106.8	110.3	106.4	106.8	110.955	
Boys' apparel .....	119.8	114.5	110.8	100.6	101.7	97.5	93.8	91.4	92.849	
Women's and girls' apparel .....	121.8	119.7	114.8	113.1	110.9	110.0	108.9	110.2	116.911	
Women's apparel .....	122.3	120.1	115.3	112.9	111.1	109.6	109.7	111.6	118.153	
Women's outerwear .....	118.5	121.8	113.3	113.8	112.6	106.8	102.4	101.7	94.179	
Women's dresses .....	104.4	95.8	99.1	100.3	100.4	96.8	104.2	112.4	115.067	
Women's suits and separates <sup>2</sup> .....	98.1	96.5	90.9	88.7	86.3	86.0	85.6	87.6	96.056	
Women's underwear, nightwear, sportswear and accessories <sup>2</sup> .....	100.8	100.6	97.5	93.8	93.3	92.2	91.8	91.0	94.293	
Girls' apparel .....	119.2	117.8	112.2	114.1	109.5	112.1	104.4	102.8	110.502	
Footwear .....	123.7	123.8	120.6	120.7	118.5	120.3	121.4	123.0	123.505	
Men's footwear .....	127.8	128.7	124.5	124.6	120.4	118.1	120.7	123.4	121.975	
Boys' and girls' footwear .....	126.7	123.5	122.1	120.6	118.2	122.9	124.4	123.4	122.031	
Women's footwear .....	118.8	120.0	116.7	117.3	116.5	119.7	119.7	121.7	124.287	
Infants' and toddlers' apparel .....	133.0	128.2	128.5	125.3	119.2	118.6	115.0	114.1	117.996	
Jewelry and watches <sup>6</sup> .....	133.6	132.4	132.3	127.2	122.1	126.0	123.2	129.1	134.561	
Watches <sup>6</sup> .....	118.0	119.3	117.1	110.9	111.0	112.8	113.7	115.7	117.621	
Jewelry <sup>6</sup> .....	138.0	136.2	136.6	131.7	125.6	129.8	126.4	133.0	139.239	
Transportation .....	148.3	154.4	148.5	154.2	154.7	164.8	172.7	175.4	180.346	
Private transportation .....	144.4	150.3	144.3	150.4	150.8	161.3	168.9	171.8	176.468	
New and used motor vehicles <sup>2</sup> .....	101.1	102.1	101.6	98.7	94.4	95.4	95.8	94.8	94.493	
New vehicles .....	143.6	143.6	143.5	140.6	138.0	138.8	138.3	137.1	137.228	
New cars and trucks <sup>1 2</sup> .....	99.6	99.6	99.6	97.6	95.7	96.3	95.9	95.0	95.098	
New cars <sup>1</sup> .....	140.1	140.5	140.5	137.7	134.8	135.5	136.6	136.9	136.589	
New trucks <sup>1 7</sup> .....	153.1	152.2	152.0	148.6	146.4	147.2	144.4	141.5	141.982	
Used cars and trucks .....	155.0	160.2	157.2	148.5	131.0	137.3	139.2	136.2	134.382	
Leased cars and trucks <sup>9</sup> .....	-	-	100.0	98.0	95.7	91.7	93.0	92.9	92.169	
Car and truck rental <sup>2</sup> .....	108.2	107.6	103.7	104.2	107.5	103.2	112.1	115.4	112.194	
Motor fuel .....	112.2	127.8	96.1	119.7	127.8	161.2	187.3	199.3	220.515	
Gasoline (all types) .....	111.5	127.0	95.4	119.1	127.2	160.4	186.2	198.1	219.473	
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>1</sup> .....	109.6	125.5	93.1	117.1	125.7	159.2	185.8	197.9	219.594	
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>1 10</sup> .....	116.2	131.5	98.8	123.9	131.4	165.2	190.8	202.1	223.577	
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>1</sup> .....	112.3	126.7	97.0	119.8	127.1	158.0	181.1	192.3	211.366	
Other motor fuels <sup>2</sup> .....	107.3	134.3	112.0	113.8	115.8	152.6	186.4	200.1	201.939	
Motor vehicle parts and equipment .....	100.8	103.1	105.8	107.0	107.7	109.9	114.0	119.5	120.485	
Tires .....	97.5	98.5	101.2	101.3	100.8	103.2	106.2	110.0	110.747	
Vehicle accessories other than tires <sup>2</sup> .....	100.3	103.6	106.2	108.7	111.1	112.7	118.4	126.2	127.515	
Vehicle parts and equipment other than tires <sup>1</sup> .....	108.6	110.1	111.3	113.9	115.5	116.0	119.9	125.6	126.743	
Motor oil, coolant, and fluids <sup>1</sup> .....	132.2	141.7	150.7	154.3	160.2	170.3	195.1	224.4	227.535	
Motor vehicle maintenance and repair .....	173.8	179.9	186.4	193.3	198.0	203.3	210.7	218.8	221.160	
Motor vehicle body work .....	184.2	191.1	197.6	201.2	205.0	210.5	220.5	228.1	231.084	
Motor vehicle maintenance and servicing .....	160.3	165.0	171.6	177.9	180.9	186.2	192.2	198.3	201.080	
Motor vehicle repair <sup>2</sup> .....	105.8	109.7	113.5	117.9	121.4	124.4	129.2	134.9	135.923	
Motor vehicle insurance .....	255.8	260.5	279.4	304.6	318.4	329.3	332.5	335.2	332.864	
Motor vehicle fees <sup>2</sup> .....	104.5	108.2	110.4	114.0	121.8	132.3	136.2	139.4	140.658	
State and local registration and license <sup>2 4</sup> .....	102.2	105.3	106.4	110.1	119.4	131.8	134.4	137.6	138.349	
Parking and other fees <sup>2</sup> .....	109.9	114.8	119.6	122.9	126.5	133.0	139.5	142.3	144.798	
Parking fees and tolls <sup>1 2</sup> .....	110.1	115.3	120.2	123.9	128.0	135.4	144.2	146.5	149.248	
Automobile service clubs <sup>1 2</sup> .....	103.9	104.5	109.8	109.5	112.2	113.9	114.1	118.2	119.074	
Public transportation .....	201.2	209.5	204.8	203.0	205.6	205.4	217.6	217.8	225.893	
Airline fare .....	224.9	238.2	229.0	223.4	223.1	219.7	233.8	231.4	246.331	
Other intercity transportation .....	158.9	156.3	152.0	155.1	147.0	144.6	151.6	154.7	150.383	
Ship fare <sup>1 2</sup> .....	98.6	86.0	78.4	77.0	69.1	72.5	72.3	71.3	70.593	
Intracity transportation .....	173.2	177.5	182.3	185.1	204.1	211.9	223.3	227.5	229.455	

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								Mar. 2007	
	December									
	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006		
<b>Expenditure category</b>										
Education and communication <sup>2</sup> .....	102.3	103.6	106.9	109.2	110.9	112.6	115.3	118.0	118.231	
Education <sup>2</sup> .....	109.3	115.5	122.0	130.0	139.4	148.5	157.6	167.6	168.114	
Educational books and supplies .....	256.0	285.4	294.7	323.3	342.8	355.9	374.3	399.5	413.665	
Tuition, other school fees, and childcare .....	316.3	332.7	352.2	374.0	401.7	428.9	455.3	484.0	484.532	
College tuition and fees .....	326.1	340.9	361.9	387.4	425.5	462.2	492.8	527.2	526.508	
Elementary and high school tuition and fees .....	340.1	361.4	387.3	413.6	440.4	471.4	497.8	527.1	528.086	
Child care and nursery school <sup>8</sup> .....	151.6	160.1	168.1	176.4	183.6	190.0	200.5	211.2	212.286	
Technical and business school tuition and fees <sup>2</sup> .....	113.8	119.0	126.0	132.3	144.3	155.8	166.0	174.4	175.240	
Communication <sup>2</sup> .....	95.9	93.0	93.4	91.8	88.2	85.4	84.3	83.1	83.122	
Postage and delivery services <sup>2</sup> .....	103.1	103.2	108.0	119.2	119.4	120.0	120.5	126.5	127.006	
Postage .....	165.1	165.1	172.7	190.9	190.9	190.9	190.9	201.1	201.115	
Delivery services <sup>2</sup> .....	110.0	116.0	123.7	129.4	135.1	154.0	169.3	171.5	180.016	
Information and information processing <sup>2</sup> .....	95.4	92.2	92.3	90.0	86.2	83.3	82.2	80.6	80.601	
Telephone services <sup>2</sup> .....	100.7	98.4	99.7	99.9	97.2	94.8	95.2	96.8	97.514	
Land-line telephone services, local charges <sup>4</sup> .....	170.7	180.1	188.2	198.2	203.3	205.5	212.2	216.8	219.371	
Land-line telephone services, long distance charges <sup>2</sup> .....	98.6	89.5	87.9	82.6	74.3	68.6	67.4	69.6	70.460	
Land-line interstate toll calls <sup>1</sup> .....	74.1	65.8	64.5	60.7	54.1	49.4	47.9	50.3	50.519	
Land-line intrastate toll calls <sup>1</sup> .....	94.6	88.9	87.4	82.1	74.4	69.5	69.8	72.1	72.598	
Wireless telephone services <sup>2</sup> .....	81.1	71.1	67.2	67.4	66.5	65.6	64.6	64.6	64.575	
Information technology, hardware and services <sup>12</sup> .....	28.2	23.8	19.8	17.2	15.3	14.2	13.1	11.2	10.860	
Personal computers and peripheral equipment <sup>2</sup> .....	47.2	36.5	25.3	19.7	16.2	13.9	11.7	10.3	10.191	
Computer software and accessories <sup>2</sup> .....	88.2	81.5	79.5	71.0	64.1	61.1	58.5	54.2	53.687	
Internet services and electronic information providers <sup>2</sup> .....	96.0	95.7	100.3	99.6	97.6	97.2	94.5	77.2	73.460	
Telephone hardware, calculators, and other consumer information items <sup>2</sup> .....	79.6	70.8	65.0	59.0	52.3	48.4	44.2	40.3	39.608	
Other goods and services .....	263.0	274.0	286.4	295.8	300.2	307.8	317.3	326.7	331.144	
Tobacco and smoking products .....	369.1	396.6	431.7	472.5	470.4	484.8	513.1	527.3	550.021	
Cigarettes <sup>2</sup> .....	149.1	160.4	175.1	192.3	190.6	196.0	207.6	213.4	223.044	
Tobacco products other than cigarettes <sup>2</sup> .....	115.5	121.7	125.8	130.9	138.6	147.1	154.6	157.7	160.067	
Personal care .....	162.9	167.8	172.6	175.4	179.0	183.3	187.6	193.3	194.390	
Personal care products .....	152.5	155.5	155.4	153.4	153.4	153.4	155.4	159.0	158.592	
Hair, dental, shaving, and miscellaneous personal care products <sup>2</sup> .....	101.0	104.9	104.6	103.4	102.6	101.7	102.1	104.2	103.610	
Cosmetics, perfume, bath, nail preparations and implements .....	167.8	168.1	168.3	165.9	167.3	169.2	173.1	177.5	177.711	
Personal care services .....	174.3	181.3	186.4	189.9	194.3	201.2	206.6	212.5	215.091	
Haircuts and other personal care services <sup>2</sup> .....	106.3	110.6	113.7	115.9	118.6	122.8	126.0	129.6	131.241	
Miscellaneous personal services .....	246.6	255.7	268.5	276.9	287.1	297.7	306.6	318.7	321.299	
Legal services <sup>6</sup> .....	183.5	192.6	205.1	213.9	224.6	236.6	244.6	255.5	258.069	
Funeral expenses <sup>6</sup> .....	185.1	189.8	198.3	206.8	215.4	223.2	233.5	244.9	249.495	
Laundry and dry cleaning services <sup>2</sup> .....	104.6	107.1	111.5	113.8	117.2	120.7	122.9	126.9	127.078	
Apparel services other than laundry and dry cleaning <sup>2</sup> .....	104.6	108.6	113.0	115.1	118.7	121.9	127.9	134.4	135.607	
Financial services <sup>6</sup> .....	210.5	218.2	228.0	235.2	241.3	250.2	254.2	263.0	266.343	
Checking account and other bank services <sup>1 2</sup> .....	106.8	110.4	116.0	117.9	120.1	123.4	123.9	126.7	127.136	
Tax return preparation and other accounting fees <sup>1 2</sup> .....	112.2	117.4	122.7	128.7	134.1	141.0	147.2	156.6	160.155	
Care of invalids and elderly at home <sup>3</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	103.1	102.250	
Miscellaneous personal goods <sup>2</sup> .....	98.2	96.0	94.4	93.6	89.0	86.6	86.4	86.9	86.813	
Stationery, stationery supplies, gift wrap <sup>1</sup> .....	157.2	155.6	156.5	156.4	149.5	148.0	150.2	151.6	151.678	
Infants' equipment <sup>1 3</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	97.1	97.261	
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>										
Commodities .....	146.1	150.0	147.9	149.7	150.4	155.8	160.0	162.1	165.710	
Commodities less food and beverages .....	134.4	137.8	132.3	133.6	131.7	137.2	141.3	142.5	146.037	
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	140.9	147.2	138.4	145.2	146.7	157.4	166.3	170.9	178.548	
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel .....	152.1	163.1	151.6	163.9	167.7	185.2	200.4	207.3	217.451	
Durables .....	125.9	125.9	124.3	120.2	115.0	115.5	114.9	113.3	113.163	
Services .....	190.5	198.0	205.3	211.9	217.9	224.6	233.2	241.2	244.671	

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								Mar. 2007	
	December									
	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006		
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>										
Rent of shelter <sup>5</sup> .....	196.3	203.1	211.7	218.1	222.9	228.9	235.0	245.0	249.087	
Transportation services .....	192.8	198.3	204.5	212.0	217.7	221.8	227.8	230.8	232.200	
Other services .....	226.5	233.0	241.9	250.2	257.4	264.3	272.3	280.9	282.431	
All items less food .....	168.8	174.7	177.0	181.6	184.4	190.6	197.4	202.6	206.195	
All items less shelter .....	162.1	167.5	168.2	171.7	174.7	180.9	187.7	191.1	194.482	
All items less medical care .....	163.6	169.0	171.3	175.1	178.2	183.9	190.0	194.8	198.179	
Commodities less food .....	135.9	139.3	134.1	135.6	133.8	139.3	143.3	144.7	148.240	
Nondurables less food .....	142.8	149.0	140.9	147.6	149.2	159.5	168.1	172.7	180.197	
Nondurables less food and apparel .....	153.2	163.6	153.4	165.0	168.8	185.1	199.2	205.8	215.400	
Nondurables .....	153.6	159.1	156.8	161.6	165.4	173.3	180.1	184.5	190.212	
Apparel less footwear .....	126.8	124.1	119.9	117.2	114.8	114.1	112.3	113.3	117.869	
Services less rent of shelter <sup>5</sup> .....	198.0	206.9	213.2	220.5	228.4	236.5	248.8	254.9	257.864	
Services less medical care services .....	184.3	191.5	198.3	204.3	209.9	216.0	224.2	231.7	234.809	
Energy .....	112.2	128.1	111.4	123.3	131.8	153.7	180.0	185.2	196.929	
All items less energy .....	175.7	180.2	185.2	188.6	191.5	195.8	200.1	205.1	207.850	
All items less food and energy .....	178.2	182.8	187.8	191.4	193.6	197.8	202.1	207.3	209.923	
Commodities less food and energy commodities ..	144.2	145.1	144.7	142.5	139.0	139.8	140.1	139.9	141.056	
Energy commodities .....	111.8	129.3	97.6	120.7	129.0	163.4	190.7	202.4	222.620	
Services less energy services .....	197.7	204.4	212.6	219.8	225.5	231.9	238.7	247.5	251.026	
Domestically produced farm food .....	167.8	173.2	178.2	179.8	189.5	194.4	196.9	199.2	203.537	
Utilities and public transportation .....	147.9	156.5	156.6	158.4	163.2	168.3	183.5	185.2	188.535	

<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 2005=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 1982=100 base.

<sup>6</sup> Indexes on a December 1986=100 base.

<sup>7</sup> Indexes on a December 1983=100 base.

<sup>8</sup> Indexes on a December 1990=100 base.

<sup>9</sup> Indexes on a December 2001=100 base.

<sup>10</sup> Indexes on a December 1993=100 base.

<sup>11</sup> Indexes on a December 1996=100 base.

<sup>12</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								Mar. 2007	
	December									
	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006		
<b>Expenditure category</b>										
All items .....	2.7	3.4	1.6	2.4	1.9	3.3	3.4	2.5	1.8	
Food and beverages .....	2.0	2.8	2.8	1.5	3.5	2.6	2.3	2.2	1.8	
Food .....	1.9	2.8	2.8	1.5	3.6	2.7	2.3	2.1	1.7	
Food at home .....	1.7	2.9	2.6	.8	4.5	2.4	1.7	1.4	2.3	
Cereals and bakery products .....	2.0	2.6	2.4	1.0	2.8	1.7	1.0	3.1	1.7	
Cereals and cereal products .....	1.2	.9	2.0	.5	2.1	1.0	-.3	2.1	1.4	
Flour and prepared flour mixes .....	-1.8	.7	4.6	3.8	3.9	-3.5	3.7	3.1	6.9	
Breakfast cereal .....	2.1	1.2	1.6	.0	.5	1.2	-2.1	.5	-.3	
Rice, pasta, cornmeal .....	.9	.4	1.8	-.1	4.2	2.4	1.3	4.7	2.0	
Rice <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.1	-1.2	-1.0	.3	5.3	4.7	1.7	6.5	.2	
Bakery products .....	2.4	3.5	2.6	1.3	3.2	2.1	1.7	3.5	1.8	
Bread <sup>2</sup> .....	2.0	4.6	5.2	1.0	2.1	4.0	2.9	5.1	1.9	
White bread <sup>1</sup> .....	1.7	4.7	5.2	.7	2.4	3.8	2.3	5.2	1.2	
Bread other than white <sup>1</sup> .....	3.0	5.4	4.2	2.1	-.4	5.0	2.8	4.6	3.0	
Fresh biscuits, rolls, muffins <sup>2</sup> .....	3.3	3.0	3.8	1.9	3.8	2.7	2.4	6.3	.8	
Cakes, cupcakes, and cookies .....	2.9	1.8	1.7	1.9	2.6	2.1	2.1	1.0	1.7	
Cookies <sup>1</sup> .....	4.0	-1.3	2.7	2.8	.7	2.5	2.1	1.7	.6	
Fresh cakes and cupcakes <sup>1</sup> .....	2.6	3.5	1.8	1.3	3.9	1.9	2.1	.4	2.4	
Other bakery products .....	1.8	4.1	.5	.7	4.7	.2	-.5	3.2	2.4	
Fresh sweetrolls, coffeecakes, doughnuts <sup>1</sup> .....	2.6	7.7	4.0	1.0	3.8	2.1	3.3	3.9	-1.0	
Crackers, bread, and cracker products <sup>1</sup> .....	1.9	3.0	-.6	.8	6.8	-1.1	-1.3	3.3	3.7	
Frozen and refrigerated bakery products, pies, tarts, turnovers <sup>1</sup> .....	.1	3.6	3.4	.8	1.6	2.4	-.1	2.7	2.4	
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs .....	1.7	4.5	3.4	.2	11.5	1.1	1.4	1.6	2.1	
Meats, poultry, and fish .....	2.4	4.0	4.0	-.2	10.7	2.3	1.4	1.0	1.9	
Meats .....	3.6	5.2	4.6	.2	14.0	1.6	1.2	.9	2.1	
Beef and veal .....	4.4	5.5	6.2	.6	23.5	-.9	2.2	.5	3.0	
Uncooked ground beef .....	4.4	6.1	6.9	1.2	19.5	2.9	3.5	.5	2.3	
Uncooked beef roasts <sup>2</sup> .....	1.9	6.4	8.2	.3	23.5	-.7	1.2	-.2	3.5	
Uncooked beef steaks <sup>2</sup> .....	5.5	4.5	4.4	.3	27.5	-3.3	1.3	.1	4.1	
Uncooked other beef and veal <sup>2</sup> .....	4.6	5.3	5.6	-.8	21.7	-6.2	3.0	4.1	.9	
Pork .....	3.1	5.8	3.7	-2.3	5.2	4.7	-.1	.7	1.6	
Bacon, breakfast sausage, and related products <sup>2</sup> .....	3.6	7.4	5.3	-.3	4.3	5.8	-3.6	1.7	2.0	
Bacon and related products <sup>1</sup> .....	4.8	8.7	6.5	1.1	9.2	3.6	-2.2	1.6	2.1	
Breakfast sausage and related products <sup>1 2</sup> .....	2.0	6.9	3.2	-1.0	4.0	7.4	-4.8	1.4	1.5	
Ham .....	1.0	4.0	3.9	-2.0	4.6	4.2	2.2	.4	1.4	
Ham, excluding canned <sup>1</sup> .....	1.8	4.7	4.1	-.9	5.4	5.4	2.5	1.3	.8	
Pork chops .....	4.9	5.9	2.8	-2.8	5.4	2.3	-.1	-.4	1.8	
Other pork including roasts and picnics <sup>2</sup> .....	2.4	5.1	1.9	-5.3	7.1	6.5	2.6	.4	1.1	
Other meats .....	2.7	3.7	3.0	3.2	5.5	2.9	.8	2.0	.4	
Frankfurters <sup>1</sup> .....	5.8	3.2	3.1	9.1	2.9	-2.4	1.6	1.1	2.0	
Lunchmeats <sup>1 2</sup> .....	1.6	2.8	3.8	1.2	3.5	3.1	1.0	.9	.4	
Lamb and organ meats <sup>1</sup> .....	-6.7	9.3	2.2	9.5	6.8	2.4	3.2	-	-	
Lamb and mutton <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-2.8	5.6	-2.7	-	-	-	10.4	-	-	
Poultry .....	-1.1	2.0	4.4	-.7	4.7	5.1	.3	-.7	1.9	
Chicken <sup>2</sup> .....	-2.1	1.8	5.1	-.1	4.7	5.8	-.3	-.9	1.7	
Fresh whole chicken <sup>1</sup> .....	-.4	1.4	2.9	1.1	.5	8.7	1.1	-1.3	.9	
Fresh and frozen chicken parts <sup>1</sup> .....	-3.1	2.1	6.8	-1.2	5.6	5.3	-1.7	-1.1	2.3	
Other poultry including turkey <sup>2</sup> .....	2.2	2.6	2.0	-2.9	4.3	2.5	2.8	.3	2.5	
Fish and seafood .....	1.7	1.4	-.1	-1.1	2.7	2.3	3.8	3.5	1.6	
Fresh fish and seafood <sup>2</sup> .....	2.8	3.9	-.8	-3.0	4.7	2.8	5.7	4.1	2.8	
Processed fish and seafood <sup>2</sup> .....	.5	-1.8	1.1	1.7	.0	1.5	1.2	2.5	-.4	
Canned fish and seafood <sup>1</sup> .....	-2.2	-4.7	2.3	1.8	-.2	2.7	2.1	5.5	-.5	
Frozen fish and seafood <sup>1</sup> .....	-	2.2	-.5	3.6	.7	.7	1.2	1.0	-.8	
Eggs .....	-13.2	17.3	-8.2	9.7	30.1	-19.9	1.4	14.1	4.7	
Dairy and related products .....	2.9	-.4	5.8	-2.0	3.4	4.1	1.7	-1.2	2.6	
Milk <sup>2</sup> .....	3.4	-.4	4.4	-3.7	6.9	5.9	3.5	-2.5	3.1	
Fresh whole milk <sup>1</sup> .....	2.2	.9	4.6	-4.2	6.9	6.0	4.3	-4.3	2.9	
Fresh milk other than whole <sup>1 2</sup> .....	4.3	-.1	3.4	-2.3	6.5	5.0	2.3	.0	3.2	
Cheese and related products .....	4.0	-2.5	7.2	-2.5	2.3	5.3	.5	-1.9	2.9	
Ice cream and related products .....	.8	1.8	8.8	-1.5	.2	-.6	.4	1.6	.9	
Other dairy and related products <sup>2</sup> .....	1.8	1.5	2.8	2.0	1.6	2.9	1.5	-.2	3.0	
Fruits and vegetables .....	1.9	5.2	-.3	4.9	3.3	7.9	.6	1.9	2.6	

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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								Mar. 2007	
	December									
	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006		
<b>Expenditure category</b>										
Fresh fruits and vegetables .....	2.0	6.2	-1.7	5.5	4.5	9.6	-0.5	1.8	2.9	
Fresh fruits .....	3.2	.8	.6	4.7	1.4	7.3	1.3	4.3	.2	
Apples .....	5.5	.2	6.6	6.9	3.2	1.0	4.2	10.0	5.5	
Bananas .....	-2.5	-.2	2.7	.0	-1.5	-2.9	7.4	2.7	1.0	
Citrus fruits <sup>2</sup> .....	7.1	-4.7	7.7	9.7	1.9	11.8	7.5	6.1	17.8	
Oranges, including tangerines <sup>1</sup> .....	6.7	-10.3	12.8	15.1	5.6	6.6	5.7	11.8	22.0	
Other fresh fruits <sup>2</sup> .....	2.8	4.3	-5.8	3.7	1.8	11.5	-3.9	2.1	-9.0	
Fresh vegetables .....	.8	12.2	-4.1	6.4	7.6	11.9	-2.3	-.8	5.7	
Potatoes .....	7.1	-5.9	14.4	8.3	-3.5	7.5	9.2	6.0	3.4	
Lettuce .....	6.7	32.4	-17.8	-5.7	38.1	-8.3	-6.1	8.4	2.0	
Tomatoes .....	-17.2	22.5	-7.6	9.2	-1.5	49.5	-19.5	-7.0	-8.4	
Other fresh vegetables .....	4.8	10.7	-4.6	7.7	8.4	4.2	4.5	-2.4	12.8	
Processed fruits and vegetables <sup>2</sup> .....	1.4	1.8	4.6	2.9	-.8	1.6	5.3	2.7	1.6	
Canned fruits and vegetables <sup>2</sup> .....	.6	1.9	4.2	3.3	-2.7	2.5	5.8	2.6	1.2	
Canned fruits <sup>1 2</sup> .....	1.9	3.0	-.1	3.9	-1.6	1.7	5.2	3.8	.8	
Canned vegetables <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.5	2.0	7.6	2.1	-3.4	3.8	6.8	1.2	1.4	
Frozen fruits and vegetables <sup>2</sup> .....	3.0	2.0	6.3	.3	2.7	-.8	4.8	2.5	1.4	
Frozen vegetables <sup>1</sup> .....	2.7	3.1	6.1	-.1	2.7	-1.0	3.6	.7	1.0	
Other processed fruits and vegetables including dried <sup>2</sup> .....	.6	1.3	1.9	6.2	-.7	3.2	4.9	3.4	2.9	
Dried beans, peas, and lentils <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-2.1	.6	4.6	6.3	-1.1	4.5	2.5	6.0	2.6	
Nonalcoholic beverages and beverage materials .....	2.3	1.5	1.3	.9	-.4	.9	3.5	2.1	3.6	
Juices and nonalcoholic drinks <sup>2</sup> .....	3.0	1.9	1.9	1.0	-.6	.8	3.0	1.9	4.4	
Carbonated drinks .....	3.2	2.1	1.8	1.3	-.1	2.2	4.4	.4	5.9	
Frozen noncarbonated juices and drinks <sup>2</sup> .....	4.3	1.9	2.8	-.6	1.1	-3.0	.2	13.2	6.3	
Nonfrozen noncarbonated juices and drinks <sup>2</sup> .....	2.8	1.7	1.8	.9	-1.3	-.4	1.6	3.1	2.4	
Beverage materials including coffee and tea <sup>2</sup> .....	.1	.2	-.3	.9	.1	1.2	4.5	2.4	2.2	
Coffee .....	-1.7	-3.2	-3.5	-.3	.7	1.6	11.5	2.2	5.1	
Roasted coffee <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-3.6	-5.9	-.5	1.8	1.2	14.1	-.5	7.3	
Instant and freeze dried coffee <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-.6	3.1	.0	-1.9	4.2	4.3	7.7	-.5	
Other beverage materials including tea <sup>2</sup> .....	1.9	4.1	2.8	1.8	-.3	1.0	.4	2.6	.8	
Other food at home .....	.6	2.0	2.9	.1	1.2	.4	2.4	.7	1.8	
Sugar and sweets .....	1.5	.8	1.7	1.9	1.2	.2	4.0	2.7	1.3	
Sugar and artificial sweeteners .....	.3	-.4	2.3	2.5	2.1	-.2	8.1	5.8	3.0	
Candy and chewing gum <sup>2</sup> .....	1.9	1.2	1.1	1.6	.3	.2	3.6	1.5	.7	
Other sweets <sup>2</sup> .....	1.4	1.0	2.6	2.7	3.3	.7	1.7	4.0	1.6	
Fats and oils .....	-4.5	3.5	4.5	-2.6	3.2	6.2	-1.3	.9	2.5	
Butter and margarine <sup>2</sup> .....	-13.2	8.3	11.6	-9.3	4.0	13.8	-3.2	-1.3	3.9	
Butter <sup>1</sup> .....	-22.4	12.4	18.8	-19.4	2.9	28.3	-6.2	-5.8	2.7	
Margarine <sup>1</sup> .....	-1.7	2.3	4.5	.4	6.0	1.1	.6	1.7	5.5	
Salad dressing <sup>2</sup> .....	.7	1.7	1.9	-.6	2.2	.5	-4.3	3.4	.9	
Other fats and oils including peanut butter <sup>2</sup> .....	-.1	1.0	.4	2.0	3.2	4.5	2.2	.9	2.5	
Peanut butter <sup>1 2</sup> .....	3.5	2.3	1.2	.1	.3	.4	1.3	-2.9	2.8	
Other foods .....	1.5	1.9	3.0	.2	.8	-.7	2.8	.1	1.9	
Soups .....	.0	2.7	3.0	1.2	.9	.1	1.9	.0	1.3	
Frozen and freeze dried prepared foods .....	-.2	2.3	3.0	-1.0	.3	-.5	.9	-1.7	2.4	
Snacks .....	3.6	2.6	4.1	-3.3	4.5	-2.3	5.8	-1.0	2.4	
Spices, seasonings, condiments, sauces .....	1.5	-1.1	5.4	3.1	-2.2	-2.9	3.8	-.1	5.5	
Salt and other seasonings and spices <sup>1 2</sup> .....	2.6	-1.9	7.4	-.3	-1.1	-.3	6.1	-3.7	3.9	
Olives, pickles, relishes <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-1.4	.3	9.2	2.1	-6.0	4.5	.5	2.2	4.9	
Sauces and gravies <sup>1 2</sup> .....	2.8	.9	2.9	3.6	-1.4	-8.5	3.8	2.9	2.2	
Other condiments <sup>1</sup> .....	3.7	5.7	1.0	6.0	3.8	-3.6	1.7	.2	14.9	
Baby food <sup>2</sup> .....	4.1	4.1	3.0	1.5	3.2	2.1	3.4	.9	-.2	
Other miscellaneous foods <sup>2</sup> .....	.8	3.0	-.4	1.6	-.4	.9	1.4	2.4	-.7	
Food away from home .....	2.3	2.4	3.0	2.3	2.3	3.0	3.2	3.2	.9	
Full service meals and snacks <sup>2</sup> .....	2.2	2.8	3.3	2.2	2.2	2.9	2.8	3.4	1.0	
Limited service meals and snacks <sup>2</sup> .....	2.6	2.8	3.2	2.2	2.3	3.2	3.3	3.0	.9	
Food at employee sites and schools <sup>2</sup> .....	2.0	-.2	1.8	4.8	2.5	2.9	2.7	3.6	.4	
Food at elementary and secondary schools <sup>1 3</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.3	.3	
Food from vending machines and mobile vendors <sup>2</sup> .....	.7	1.5	1.6	1.3	2.4	2.2	2.9	2.0	.2	
Other food away from home <sup>2</sup> .....	3.5	3.9	4.0	3.7	2.6	3.3	5.3	4.0	1.6	

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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								Mar. 2007
	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	
<b>Expenditure category</b>									
Alcoholic beverages .....	2.8	2.7	2.5	2.2	2.1	2.8	1.3	2.4	2.3
Alcoholic beverages at home .....	2.7	2.4	1.4	1.9	1.7	2.1	.4	1.5	2.9
Beer, ale, and other malt beverages at home .....	2.9	3.1	1.6	2.6	3.0	3.3	-.5	1.3	3.2
Distilled spirits at home .....	3.7	3.1	3.6	.5	2.1	.8	1.1	.8	1.3
Whiskey at home <sup>1</sup> .....	2.3	2.1	3.6	1.4	2.9	.5	1.9	1.0	3.7
Distilled spirits, excluding whiskey, at home <sup>1</sup> .....	4.2	3.5	3.8	.2	1.3	1.2	.6	.2	.3
Wine at home .....	1.8	.9	-.3	1.4	-.5	.7	1.6	1.9	3.1
Alcoholic beverages away from home .....	2.7	3.4	4.3	3.0	2.7	3.8	2.9	4.2	1.2
Beer, ale, and other malt beverages away from home <sup>1 2</sup> .....	3.2	3.3	2.9	2.6	3.6	3.5	2.1	4.8	.9
Wine away from home <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.9	5.1	9.0	2.5	1.5	4.8	3.3	3.2	1.2
Distilled spirits away from home <sup>1 2</sup> .....	2.3	3.6	4.6	2.9	3.8	3.2	4.2	3.5	1.3
Housing .....	2.2	4.3	2.9	2.4	2.2	3.0	4.0	3.3	1.6
Shelter .....	2.5	3.4	4.2	3.1	2.2	2.7	2.6	4.2	1.7
Rent of primary residence <sup>4</sup> .....	3.1	4.0	4.7	3.1	2.7	2.9	3.1	4.3	1.1
Lodging away from home <sup>2</sup> .....	1.9	2.8	-.2	.6	3.4	5.1	3.5	4.0	11.4
Housing at school, excluding board <sup>4 5</sup> .....	4.2	4.2	5.2	6.1	5.7	6.9	5.1	5.1	.2
Other lodging away from home including hotels and motels .....	1.7	2.7	-.8	.0	3.1	5.0	3.3	3.9	12.1
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>4 5</sup> .....	2.4	3.4	4.5	3.3	2.0	2.3	2.5	4.3	.7
Tenants' and household insurance <sup>2</sup> .....	2.3	2.4	1.5	5.6	1.8	3.8	-2.2	.9	.2
Fuels and utilities .....	2.4	12.1	-2.1	1.4	6.5	7.9	15.6	.5	2.0
Household energy .....	2.4	14.5	-3.4	1.0	7.1	8.4	18.0	-.3	2.0
Fuel oil and other fuels .....	23.5	36.3	-22.2	11.4	9.1	34.1	24.0	2.4	1.6
Fuel oil .....	30.9	40.5	-26.7	14.7	7.8	39.5	27.2	2.3	1.8
Propane, kerosene, and firewood <sup>6</sup> .....	7.9	25.7	-9.3	5.5	11.6	23.9	17.3	2.6	1.1
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>4</sup> .....	1.2	12.7	-1.5	.4	6.9	6.8	17.6	-.6	2.0
Electricity <sup>4</sup> .....	.7	2.6	6.1	-1.9	2.6	2.1	10.7	7.5	2.8
Utility (piped) gas service <sup>4</sup> .....	2.1	36.7	-15.1	6.7	17.4	16.4	30.2	-14.2	.4
Water and sewer and trash collection services <sup>2</sup> .....	1.9	3.1	2.9	3.2	4.5	5.4	5.2	4.8	1.8
Water and sewerage maintenance <sup>4</sup> .....	1.8	3.3	3.0	3.5	4.7	6.2	5.5	4.7	1.9
Garbage and trash collection <sup>7</sup> .....	2.5	2.0	2.5	2.4	4.2	3.4	4.3	5.2	1.4
Household furnishings and operations .....	-.2	1.7	.2	-1.5	-1.8	.6	.7	.5	.5
Window and floor coverings and other linens <sup>2</sup> .....	-1.9	1.8	-2.6	-5.3	-4.1	-1.5	-1.8	-4.8	-.6
Floor coverings <sup>2</sup> .....	-2.0	7.0	.0	2.0	-1.7	.7	6.2	4.0	-.9
Window coverings <sup>2</sup> .....	-.6	1.7	-6.3	-3.7	-1.5	-1.6	.1	-.8	-2.6
Other linens <sup>2</sup> .....	-2.8	-1.3	-1.2	-8.2	-6.1	-1.9	-4.2	-8.5	.4
Furniture and bedding .....	-1.3	.4	-3.1	-1.1	-1.6	-.2	.6	-.7	1.0
Bedroom furniture .....	-.8	-2.3	-1.2	-1.6	-.3	5.0	4.7	-1.2	.7
Living room, kitchen, and dining room furniture <sup>2</sup> .....	-.7	2.1	-3.4	-1.0	-2.3	-1.9	-1.5	-.8	.4
Other furniture <sup>2</sup> .....	-3.8	-.6	-5.8	-.3	-1.3	-3.7	-.4	.5	3.0
Infants' furniture <sup>1 3</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-1.4	5.8
Appliances <sup>2</sup> .....	-1.2	-2.9	-.5	-3.1	-3.9	-3.8	2.8	1.1	1.7
Major appliances <sup>2</sup> .....	-.1	-2.1	1.7	-2.3	-3.7	-3.0	5.8	2.9	2.7
Laundry equipment <sup>1</sup> .....	.7	.5	-.4	-.1	-1.8	-3.8	5.1	1.5	3.1
Other appliances <sup>2</sup> .....	-2.8	-4.1	-3.9	-4.1	-4.2	-4.8	-1.2	-1.3	.2
Other household equipment and furnishings <sup>2</sup> .....	-3.1	-.7	-.5	-4.3	-5.0	.5	-4.7	-5.4	-.9
Clocks, lamps, and decorator items .....	-4.9	-4.4	-1.8	-5.3	-9.1	-.1	-7.7	-8.3	-2.7
Indoor plants and flowers <sup>8</sup> .....	-.5	5.5	2.4	-.8	2.1	.8	1.9	-.7	2.7
Dishes and flatware <sup>2</sup> .....	-3.3	-2.8	-3.0	-5.4	-2.3	1.6	-6.8	-6.3	.1
Nonelectric cookware and tableware <sup>2</sup> .....	-2.4	-.8	-1.1	-4.6	-1.3	1.1	-1.0	1.0	1.1
Tools, hardware, outdoor equipment and supplies <sup>2</sup> .....	-1.2	-2.0	-.6	-1.3	-2.6	1.6	.1	1.2	.7
Tools, hardware and supplies <sup>2</sup> .....	-.1	.5	-2.1	-1.6	-1.7	3.3	2.6	1.9	.4
Outdoor equipment and supplies <sup>2</sup> .....	-1.8	-3.1	.2	-1.3	-3.1	.8	-1.1	.8	.9
Housekeeping supplies .....	1.9	4.7	2.4	-1.1	-.9	.9	2.3	4.0	.8
Household cleaning products <sup>2</sup> .....	1.1	4.7	2.7	-1.4	-1.6	-.7	3.2	2.7	-.3
Household paper products <sup>2</sup> .....	5.8	8.0	1.4	.0	-1.8	6.9	.5	6.6	.9
Miscellaneous household products <sup>2</sup> .....	.1	2.1	2.8	-1.6	.8	-1.2	2.5	3.8	2.4
Household operations <sup>2</sup> .....	2.9	6.1	4.2	2.3	2.3	3.6	5.0	4.4	.5
Domestic services <sup>2</sup> .....	3.5	4.5	2.9	4.0	2.6	1.9	5.1	4.6	.3
Gardening and lawn care services <sup>2</sup> .....	2.4	9.0	4.5	.1	1.3	4.7	-	-	-
Moving, storage, freight expense <sup>2</sup> .....	2.5	5.1	3.9	1.4	2.3	2.9	4.1	.2	-.9
Repair of household items <sup>2</sup> .....	2.6	5.4	7.4	4.9	3.4	6.9	6.8	4.3	.7

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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								Mar. 2007	
	December									
	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006		
<b>Expenditure category</b>										
Apparel .....	-0.5	-1.8	-3.2	-1.8	-2.1	-0.2	-1.1	0.9	3.4	
Men's and boys' apparel .....	.9	-2.7	-4.1	-2.9	-1.1	-1.4	-1.9	-.8	.4	
Men's apparel .....	1.0	-2.2	-4.3	-1.0	-1.7	-.8	-1.3	-.3	.1	
Men's suits, sport coats, and outerwear .....	2.0	-4.3	-1.5	-.7	.7	-1.6	-.6	-4.1	-1.1	
Men's furnishings .....	3.4	-1.7	-2.4	.9	2.2	-1.0	-1.0	-1.3	1.4	
Men's shirts and sweaters <sup>2</sup> .....	-1.1	.4	-7.7	-1.0	-3.1	-2.8	-.7	2.8	-3.4	
Men's pants and shorts .....	.0	-4.1	-4.9	-3.2	-6.1	3.3	-3.5	.4	3.9	
Boys' apparel .....	.8	-4.4	-3.2	-9.2	1.1	-4.1	-3.8	-2.6	1.6	
Women's and girls' apparel .....	-.5	-1.7	-4.1	-1.5	-1.9	-.8	-1.0	1.2	6.1	
Women's apparel .....	-.6	-1.8	-4.0	-2.1	-1.6	-1.4	.1	1.7	5.9	
Women's outerwear .....	-2.9	2.8	-7.0	.4	-1.1	-5.2	-4.1	-.7	-7.4	
Women's dresses .....	-2.6	-8.2	3.4	1.2	.1	-3.6	7.6	7.9	2.4	
Women's suits and separates <sup>2</sup> .....	-.1	-1.6	-5.8	-2.4	-2.7	-.3	-.5	2.3	9.7	
Women's underwear, nightwear, sportswear and accessories <sup>2</sup> .....	.4	-.2	-3.1	-3.8	-.5	-1.2	-.4	-.9	3.6	
Girls' apparel .....	-.2	-1.2	-4.8	1.7	-4.0	2.4	-6.9	-1.5	7.5	
Footwear .....	-3.0	.1	-2.6	.1	-1.8	1.5	.9	1.3	.4	
Men's footwear .....	-3.5	.7	-3.3	.1	-3.4	-1.9	2.2	2.2	-1.2	
Boys' and girls' footwear .....	-5.0	-2.5	-1.1	-1.2	-2.0	4.0	1.2	-.8	-1.1	
Women's footwear .....	-1.5	1.0	-2.8	.5	-.7	2.7	.0	1.7	2.1	
Infants' and toddlers' apparel .....	2.6	-3.6	.2	-2.5	-4.9	-.5	-3.0	-.8	3.4	
Jewelry and watches <sup>6</sup> .....	-1.8	-.9	-.1	-3.9	-4.0	3.2	-2.2	4.8	4.2	
Watches <sup>6</sup> .....	-2.1	1.1	-1.8	-5.3	.1	1.6	.8	1.8	1.7	
Jewelry <sup>6</sup> .....	-1.8	-1.3	.3	-3.6	-4.6	3.3	-2.6	5.2	4.7	
Transportation .....	5.4	4.1	-3.8	3.8	.3	6.5	4.8	1.6	2.8	
Private transportation .....	5.2	4.1	-4.0	4.2	.3	7.0	4.7	1.7	2.7	
New and used motor vehicles <sup>2</sup> .....	.2	1.0	-.5	-2.9	-4.4	1.1	.4	-1.0	-.3	
New vehicles .....	-.3	.0	-.1	-2.0	-1.8	.6	-.4	-.9	.1	
New cars and trucks <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-.4	.0	.0	-2.0	-1.9	.6	-.4	-.9	.1	
New cars <sup>1</sup> .....	-.8	.3	.0	-2.0	-2.1	.5	.8	.2	-.2	
New trucks <sup>1 7</sup> .....	.7	-.6	-.1	-2.2	-1.5	.5	-1.9	-2.0	.3	
Used cars and trucks .....	1.2	3.4	-1.9	-5.5	-11.8	4.8	1.4	-2.2	-1.3	
Leased cars and trucks <sup>9</sup> .....	-	-	-	-2.0	-2.3	-4.2	1.4	-.1	-.8	
Car and truck rental <sup>2</sup> .....	6.6	-.6	-3.6	.5	3.2	-4.0	8.6	2.9	-2.8	
Motor fuel .....	30.2	13.9	-24.8	24.6	6.8	26.1	16.2	6.4	10.6	
Gasoline (all types) .....	30.1	13.9	-24.9	24.8	6.8	26.1	16.1	6.4	10.8	
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>1</sup> .....	32.4	14.5	-25.8	25.8	7.3	26.7	16.7	6.5	11.0	
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>1 10</sup> .....	28.1	13.2	-24.9	25.4	6.1	25.7	15.5	5.9	10.6	
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>1</sup> .....	25.9	12.8	-23.4	23.5	6.1	24.3	14.6	6.2	9.9	
Other motor fuels <sup>2</sup> .....	22.3	25.2	-16.6	1.6	1.8	31.8	22.1	7.3	.9	
Motor vehicle parts and equipment .....	-.4	2.3	2.6	1.1	.7	2.0	3.7	4.8	.8	
Tires .....	-1.1	1.0	2.7	.1	-.5	2.4	2.9	3.6	.7	
Vehicle accessories other than tires <sup>2</sup> .....	.4	3.3	2.5	2.4	2.2	1.4	5.1	6.6	1.0	
Vehicle parts and equipment other than tires <sup>1</sup> .....	.3	1.4	1.1	2.3	1.4	.4	3.4	4.8	.9	
Motor oil, coolant, and fluids <sup>1</sup> .....	1.1	7.2	6.4	2.4	3.8	6.3	14.6	15.0	1.4	
Motor vehicle maintenance and repair .....	2.5	3.5	3.6	3.7	2.4	2.7	3.6	3.8	1.1	
Motor vehicle body work .....	1.5	3.7	3.4	1.8	1.9	2.7	4.8	3.4	1.3	
Motor vehicle maintenance and servicing .....	2.4	2.9	4.0	3.7	1.7	2.9	3.2	3.2	1.4	
Motor vehicle repair <sup>2</sup> .....	2.7	3.7	3.5	3.9	3.0	2.5	3.9	4.4	.8	
Motor vehicle insurance .....	.5	1.8	7.3	9.0	4.5	3.4	1.0	.8	-.7	
Motor vehicle fees <sup>2</sup> .....	1.4	3.5	2.0	3.3	6.8	8.6	2.9	2.3	.9	
State and local registration and license <sup>2 4</sup> .....	.8	3.0	1.0	3.5	8.4	10.4	2.0	2.4	.5	
Parking and other fees <sup>2</sup> .....	2.7	4.5	4.2	2.8	2.9	5.1	4.9	2.0	1.8	
Parking fees and tolls <sup>1 2</sup> .....	2.5	4.7	4.2	3.1	3.3	5.8	6.5	1.6	1.9	
Automobile service clubs <sup>1 2</sup> .....	3.0	.6	5.1	-.3	2.5	1.5	.2	3.6	.7	
Public transportation .....	6.8	4.1	-2.2	-.9	1.3	-.1	5.9	.1	3.7	
Airline fare .....	10.9	5.9	-3.9	-2.4	-.1	-1.5	6.4	-1.0	6.5	
Other intercity transportation .....	-1.4	-1.6	-2.8	2.0	-5.2	-1.6	4.8	2.0	-2.8	
Ship fare <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-5.7	-12.8	-8.8	-1.8	-10.3	4.9	-.3	-1.4	-1.0	
Intracity transportation .....	.8	2.5	2.7	1.5	10.3	3.8	5.4	1.9	.9	

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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								Mar. 2007	
	December									
	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006		
<b>Expenditure category</b>										
Medical care .....	3.7	4.2	4.7	5.0	3.7	4.2	4.3	3.6	2.1	
Medical care commodities .....	4.0	2.8	4.4	3.1	2.1	2.2	3.7	1.8	.4	
Prescription drugs .....	6.1	3.6	6.0	4.5	2.5	3.5	4.4	1.9	.8	
Nonprescription drugs and medical supplies <sup>6</sup> .....	-3	1.0	.6	.1	1.2	-1.3	1.7	1.8	-.6	
Internal and respiratory over-the-counter drugs .....	-1.1	1.1	1.2	.2	1.4	-2.3	2.1	1.9	-.6	
Nonprescription medical equipment and supplies .....	1.1	.9	-.4	-.5	.5	1.2	.7	1.5	-.5	
Medical care services .....	3.6	4.6	4.8	5.6	4.2	4.9	4.5	4.1	2.6	
Professional services .....	3.2	3.7	3.6	3.3	2.8	4.0	3.8	2.6	2.3	
Physicians' services <sup>4</sup> .....	2.6	3.9	3.5	3.2	2.3	4.0	3.1	1.7	2.6	
Dental services <sup>4</sup> .....	4.6	4.3	3.9	4.5	4.4	4.9	5.7	5.0	2.3	
Eyeglasses and eye care <sup>6</sup> .....	3.1	2.4	2.8	-.3	1.5	2.9	3.1	2.0	.6	
Services by other medical professionals <sup>4 6</sup> .....	1.7	2.6	3.4	3.6	2.3	2.5	2.5	3.1	1.2	
Hospital and related services <sup>4</sup> .....	5.1	6.2	7.1	9.8	6.4	5.2	5.1	6.1	2.7	
Hospital services <sup>4 11</sup> .....	5.1	6.3	7.2	10.1	6.4	5.2	5.2	6.2	2.8	
Inpatient hospital services <sup>1 4 11</sup> .....	4.7	5.6	6.9	9.4	5.7	5.6	5.3	6.8	2.5	
Outpatient hospital services <sup>1 4 6</sup> .....	6.7	7.2	6.8	12.7	6.6	4.5	5.0	5.2	3.5	
Nursing homes and adult daycare <sup>4 11</sup> .....	4.6	4.9	4.5	4.4	5.8	3.5	3.5	5.0	1.7	
Health insurance <sup>3</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.4	4.4	
Recreation <sup>2</sup> .....	.8	1.7	1.5	1.1	1.1	.7	1.1	1.0	.4	
Video and audio <sup>2</sup> .....	-.6	.6	.5	2.0	.1	.6	.0	-1.1	.1	
Televisions .....	-7.3	-10.7	-10.8	-10.6	-14.3	-12.3	-14.4	-22.6	-3.8	
Cable and satellite television and radio service <sup>7</sup> .....	2.8	5.1	4.0	7.3	3.8	4.0	3.3	2.6	1.0	
Other video equipment <sup>2</sup> .....	-15.5	-17.8	-16.6	-13.1	-12.3	-14.3	-10.6	-13.9	-3.7	
Video cassettes, discs, and other media including rental <sup>2</sup> .....	-3.2	-6.1	-1.8	-7.0	.0	-1.2	-.8	1.2	-1.8	
Video cassettes and discs, blank and prerecorded <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-12.6	1.3	-4.6	-.4	-2.1	-2.4	-8.3	-3.3	-5.1	
Rental of video tapes and discs <sup>1 2</sup> .....	7.1	-8.2	3.2	-8.2	-.2	-.9	4.2	3.5	-.8	
Audio equipment .....	-3.9	.9	-4.4	-4.5	-5.4	-6.7	-8.8	-4.3	-1.1	
Audio discs, tapes and other media <sup>2</sup> .....	1.3	2.7	4.3	1.0	-3.9	3.5	.1	-2.9	-.9	
Pets, pet products and services <sup>2</sup> .....	2.0	2.9	4.2	2.2	2.7	4.3	2.8	3.5	1.5	
Pets and pet products .....	1.1	-.6	3.3	.6	1.5	2.8	1.2	3.2	.9	
Pet food <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.8	.1	3.0	.3	2.0	3.1	1.2	3.4	1.2	
Purchase of pets, pet supplies, accessories <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.9	-1.1	2.1	2.7	-.4	1.8	1.8	3.0	-.4	
Pet services including veterinary <sup>2</sup> .....	3.4	9.0	5.9	4.9	5.0	6.3	4.9	4.1	2.3	
Pet services <sup>1 2</sup> .....	1.3	5.5	1.9	4.0	3.8	5.1	3.9	4.1	1.8	
Veterinarian services <sup>1 2</sup> .....	3.5	9.0	6.4	5.2	5.4	6.7	5.2	4.3	2.6	
Sporting goods .....	-3.0	.8	-1.6	-1.4	-.7	-1.2	1.8	1.5	-.2	
Sports vehicles including bicycles .....	.5	3.2	-.5	-.8	-2.2	1.4	3.9	3.0	-.5	
Sports equipment .....	-5.8	-1.3	-2.6	-1.8	.6	-3.9	-.4	-1.0	.4	
Photography <sup>2</sup> .....	-.2	.3	-.7	-1.9	-2.2	-3.1	-3.1	-4.8	-1.9	
Photographic equipment and supplies .....	-.8	-2.9	-2.2	-6.2	-5.7	-7.1	-4.9	-11.2	-3.3	
Film and photographic supplies <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-1.6	-1.6	1.4	-5.8	-3.2	-1.5	.6	-4.0	.5	
Photographic equipment <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-.9	-4.0	-7.7	-6.0	-8.4	-13.7	-10.2	-18.0	-6.8	
Photographers and film processing <sup>2</sup> .....	.1	2.6	.1	1.8	.6	.2	-1.6	1.8	-.6	
Photographer fees <sup>1 2</sup> .....	-	-	4.3	5.2	3.3	-2.3	-1.7	1.1	.3	
Film processing <sup>1 2</sup> .....	.2	.8	-1.7	1.1	.1	-.2	-1.6	1.7	-.7	
Other recreational goods <sup>2</sup> .....	-6.6	-2.6	-3.8	-7.3	-3.2	-4.3	-3.9	-3.1	-1.2	
Toys .....	-8.0	-3.7	-5.2	-9.3	-4.2	-6.1	-4.5	-4.8	-.6	
Toys, games, hobbies and playground equipment <sup>1 2</sup> ..	-7.1	-2.7	-4.1	-5.2	-3.1	-2.8	-2.4	-2.5	.1	
Sewing machines, fabric and supplies <sup>2</sup> .....	-3.0	.0	1.1	-2.2	.5	.3	-3.4	1.0	-2.6	
Music instruments and accessories <sup>2</sup> .....	-.9	1.4	.0	-1.2	-1.4	1.2	-1.8	.0	-1.9	
Recreation services <sup>2</sup> .....	5.2	3.8	3.9	3.1	3.5	2.1	3.0	3.9	1.1	
Club membership dues and fees for participant sports <sup>2</sup>	1.5	3.3	2.1	.6	2.7	.3	2.6	2.2	.9	
Admissions .....	8.6	5.0	4.5	4.9	3.4	3.5	3.5	5.2	1.0	
Admission to movies, theaters, and concerts <sup>1 2</sup> .....	9.7	4.1	2.6	5.0	3.9	2.5	3.5	5.4	1.1	
Admission to sporting events <sup>1 2</sup> .....	7.3	5.8	6.0	4.0	.7	6.9	6.4	3.7	1.3	
Fees for lessons or instructions <sup>6</sup> .....	4.6	1.8	6.7	1.4	6.3	2.7	2.6	3.5	1.6	
Recreational reading materials .....	.7	1.3	2.0	2.0	.9	2.2	.5	.8	.4	
Newspapers and magazines <sup>2</sup> .....	1.9	1.6	2.1	2.2	1.7	3.7	1.7	1.0	.5	
Recreational books <sup>2</sup> .....	-1.9	.7	1.7	1.7	-.5	.0	-1.2	.7	.3	

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<b>Expenditure category</b>									
Education and communication <sup>2</sup> .....	1.6	1.3	3.2	2.2	1.6	1.5	2.4	2.3	0.2
Education <sup>2</sup> .....	4.4	5.7	5.6	6.6	7.2	6.5	6.1	6.3	.3
Educational books and supplies .....	-5	11.5	3.3	9.7	6.0	3.8	5.2	6.7	3.5
Tuition, other school fees, and childcare .....	4.8	5.2	5.9	6.2	7.4	6.8	6.2	6.3	.1
College tuition and fees .....	4.0	4.5	6.2	7.0	9.8	8.6	6.6	7.0	-.1
Elementary and high school tuition and fees .....	6.7	6.3	7.2	6.8	6.5	7.0	5.6	5.9	.2
Child care and nursery school <sup>8</sup> .....	5.1	5.6	5.0	4.9	4.1	3.5	5.5	5.3	.5
Technical and business school tuition and fees <sup>2</sup> .....	6.3	4.6	5.9	5.0	9.1	8.0	6.5	5.1	.5
Communication <sup>2</sup> .....	-1.2	-3.0	.4	-1.7	-3.9	-3.2	-1.3	-1.4	.0
Postage and delivery services <sup>2</sup> .....	3.0	.1	4.7	10.4	.2	.5	.4	5.0	.4
Postage .....	3.0	.0	4.6	10.5	.0	.0	.0	5.3	.0
Delivery services <sup>2</sup> .....	5.6	5.5	6.6	4.6	4.4	14.0	9.9	1.3	5.0
Information and information processing <sup>2</sup> .....	-1.5	-3.4	.1	-2.5	-4.2	-3.4	-1.3	-1.9	.0
Telephone services <sup>2</sup> .....	.4	-2.3	1.3	.2	-2.7	-2.5	.4	1.7	.7
Land-line telephone services, local charges <sup>4</sup> .....	2.8	5.5	4.5	5.3	2.6	1.1	3.3	2.2	1.2
Land-line telephone services, long distance charges <sup>2</sup> .....	-1.3	-9.2	-1.8	-6.0	-10.0	-7.7	-1.7	3.3	1.2
Land-line interstate toll calls <sup>1</sup> .....	-.7	-11.2	-2.0	-5.9	-10.9	-8.7	-3.0	5.0	.4
Land-line intrastate toll calls <sup>1</sup> .....	-1.6	-6.0	-1.7	-6.1	-9.4	-6.6	.4	3.3	.7
Wireless telephone services <sup>2</sup> .....	-11.6	-12.3	-5.5	.3	-1.3	-1.4	-1.5	.0	.0
Information technology, hardware and services <sup>12</sup> .....	-19.0	-15.6	-16.8	-13.1	-11.0	-7.2	-7.7	-14.5	-3.0
Personal computers and peripheral equipment <sup>2</sup> .....	-26.5	-22.7	-30.7	-22.1	-17.8	-14.2	-15.8	-12.0	-1.1
Computer software and accessories <sup>2</sup> .....	-2.0	-7.6	-2.5	-10.7	-9.7	-4.7	-4.3	-7.4	-.9
Internet services and electronic information providers <sup>2</sup> .....	-7.1	-.3	4.8	-.7	-2.0	-.4	-2.8	-18.3	-4.8
Telephone hardware, calculators, and other consumer information items <sup>2</sup> .....	-11.8	-11.1	-8.2	-9.2	-11.4	-7.5	-8.7	-8.8	-1.7
Other goods and services .....	5.1	4.2	4.5	3.3	1.5	2.5	3.1	3.0	1.4
Tobacco and smoking products .....	11.4	7.5	8.9	9.5	-.4	3.1	5.8	2.8	4.3
Cigarettes <sup>2</sup> .....	11.5	7.6	9.2	9.8	-.9	2.8	5.9	2.8	4.5
Tobacco products other than cigarettes <sup>2</sup> .....	9.5	5.4	3.4	4.1	5.9	6.1	5.1	2.0	1.5
Personal care .....	2.9	3.0	2.9	1.6	2.1	2.4	2.3	3.0	.6
Personal care products .....	2.6	2.0	-.1	-1.3	.0	.0	1.3	2.3	-.3
Hair, dental, shaving, and miscellaneous personal care products <sup>2</sup> .....	.6	3.9	-.3	-1.1	-.8	-.9	.4	2.1	-.6
Cosmetics, perfume, bath, nail preparations and implements .....	4.4	.2	.1	-1.4	.8	1.1	2.3	2.5	.1
Personal care services .....	3.6	4.0	2.8	1.9	2.3	3.6	2.7	2.9	1.2
Haircuts and other personal care services <sup>2</sup> .....	3.5	4.0	2.8	1.9	2.3	3.5	2.6	2.9	1.3
Miscellaneous personal services .....	3.7	3.7	5.0	3.1	3.7	3.7	3.0	3.9	.8
Legal services <sup>6</sup> .....	5.1	5.0	6.5	4.3	5.0	5.3	3.4	4.5	1.0
Funeral expenses <sup>6</sup> .....	3.4	2.5	4.5	4.3	4.2	3.6	4.6	4.9	1.9
Laundry and dry cleaning services <sup>2</sup> .....	2.2	2.4	4.1	2.1	3.0	3.0	1.8	3.3	.1
Apparel services other than laundry and dry cleaning <sup>2</sup> .....	2.9	3.8	4.1	1.9	3.1	2.7	4.9	5.1	.9
Financial services <sup>6</sup> .....	4.4	3.7	4.5	3.2	2.6	3.7	1.6	3.5	1.3
Checking account and other bank services <sup>1 2</sup> .....	4.5	3.4	5.1	1.6	1.9	2.7	.4	2.3	.3
Tax return preparation and other accounting fees <sup>1 2</sup> .....	6.0	4.6	4.5	4.9	4.2	5.1	4.4	6.4	2.3
Care of invalids and elderly at home <sup>3</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.1	-.8
Miscellaneous personal goods <sup>2</sup> .....	-2.4	-2.2	-1.7	-.8	-4.9	-2.7	-.2	.6	-.1
Stationery, stationery supplies, gift wrap <sup>1</sup> .....	-2.2	-1.0	.6	-.1	-4.4	-1.0	1.5	.9	.1
Infants' equipment <sup>1 3</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-2.9	.2
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>									
Commodities .....	2.7	2.7	-1.4	1.2	.5	3.6	2.7	1.3	2.2
Commodities less food and beverages .....	3.2	2.5	-4.0	1.0	-1.4	4.2	3.0	.8	2.5
Nondurables less food and beverages .....	6.7	4.5	-6.0	4.9	1.0	7.3	5.7	2.8	4.5
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel .....	10.4	7.2	-7.1	8.1	2.3	10.4	8.2	3.4	4.9
Durables .....	-1.2	.0	-1.3	-3.3	-4.3	.4	-.5	-1.4	-.1
Services .....	2.6	3.9	3.7	3.2	2.8	3.1	3.8	3.4	1.4

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								Mar. 2007
	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>									
Rent of shelter <sup>5</sup> .....	2.5	3.5	4.2	3.0	2.2	2.7	2.7	4.3	1.7
Transportation services .....	2.3	2.9	3.1	3.7	2.7	1.9	2.7	1.3	.6
Other services .....	3.2	2.9	3.8	3.4	2.9	2.7	3.0	3.2	.5
All items less food .....	2.8	3.5	1.3	2.6	1.5	3.4	3.6	2.6	1.8
All items less shelter .....	2.7	3.3	.4	2.1	1.7	3.5	3.8	1.8	1.8
All items less medical care .....	2.6	3.3	1.4	2.2	1.8	3.2	3.3	2.5	1.7
Commodities less food .....	3.2	2.5	-3.7	1.1	-1.3	4.1	2.9	1.0	2.4
Nondurables less food .....	6.4	4.3	-5.4	4.8	1.1	6.9	5.4	2.7	4.3
Nondurables less food and apparel .....	9.7	6.8	-6.2	7.6	2.3	9.7	7.6	3.3	4.7
Nondurables .....	4.1	3.6	-1.4	3.1	2.4	4.8	3.9	2.4	3.1
Apparel less footwear .....	.1	-2.1	-3.4	-2.3	-2.0	-.6	-1.6	.9	4.0
Services less rent of shelter <sup>5</sup> .....	2.7	4.5	3.0	3.4	3.6	3.5	5.2	2.5	1.2
Services less medical care services .....	2.5	3.9	3.6	3.0	2.7	2.9	3.8	3.3	1.3
Energy .....	13.4	14.2	-13.0	10.7	6.9	16.6	17.1	2.9	6.3
All items less energy .....	2.0	2.6	2.8	1.8	1.5	2.2	2.2	2.5	1.3
All items less food and energy .....	1.9	2.6	2.7	1.9	1.1	2.2	2.2	2.6	1.3
Commodities less food and energy commodities .....	.2	.6	-.3	-1.5	-2.5	.6	.2	-.1	.8
Energy commodities .....	29.5	15.7	-24.5	23.7	6.9	26.7	16.7	6.1	10.0
Services less energy services .....	2.7	3.4	4.0	3.4	2.6	2.8	2.9	3.7	1.4
Domestically produced farm food .....	1.7	3.2	2.9	.9	5.4	2.6	1.3	1.2	2.2
Utilities and public transportation .....	2.0	5.8	.1	1.1	3.0	3.1	9.0	.9	1.8

<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 2005=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 1982=100 base.

<sup>6</sup> Indexes on a December 1986=100 base.

<sup>7</sup> Indexes on a December 1983=100 base.

<sup>8</sup> Indexes on a December 1990=100 base.

<sup>9</sup> Indexes on a December 2001=100 base.

<sup>10</sup> Indexes on a December 1993=100 base.

<sup>11</sup> Indexes on a December 1996=100 base.

<sup>12</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-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

See footnotes at end of table.

**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	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

See footnotes at end of table.

**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	-	-	-	-	-

- 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-Continued**

(1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Unadjusted indexes								Mar. 2007	
	December									
	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006		
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>										
Energy .....	112.1	127.6	110.0	122.6	131.1	153.3	179.3	184.7	196.940	
All items less energy .....	172.5	176.8	181.5	184.6	186.9	191.0	194.9	199.6	201.948	
All items less food and energy .....	174.5	178.7	183.5	186.7	188.0	192.0	195.9	200.7	202.816	
Commodities less food and energy commodities ..	144.6	145.8	145.6	143.1	138.7	139.9	140.4	140.4	141.482	
Energy commodities .....	112.1	128.9	97.5	120.7	129.0	163.4	190.7	202.1	222.509	
Services less energy services .....	194.7	201.1	209.4	216.7	222.1	228.1	234.6	243.0	245.923	
Domestically produced farm food .....	166.6	172.0	177.2	178.7	188.7	193.6	196.0	198.1	202.470	
Utilities and public transportation .....	145.7	154.1	154.2	156.3	161.3	166.4	181.4	183.0	186.184	

<sup>1</sup> Indexes on a December 1997=100 base.

<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 1986=100 base.

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

<sup>6</sup> Indexes on a December 1990=100 base.

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

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

<sup>9</sup> Indexes on a December 1996=100 base.

<sup>10</sup> Indexes on a December 2005=100 base.

<sup>11</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 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								Mar. 2007	
	December									
	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006		
<b>Expenditure category</b>										
All items .....	2.7	3.4	1.3	2.4	1.6	3.4	3.5	2.4	1.7	
Food and beverages .....	2.0	2.8	2.8	1.4	3.7	2.6	2.2	2.1	1.8	
Food .....	2.0	2.8	2.8	1.4	3.7	2.6	2.3	2.0	1.8	
Food at home .....	1.8	3.0	2.7	.8	4.7	2.3	1.7	1.3	2.3	
Cereals and bakery products .....	2.0	2.5	2.5	1.0	2.9	1.7	1.0	3.3	1.7	
Cereals and cereal products .....	1.2	.9	1.9	.6	2.2	.9	-.3	2.3	1.6	
Flour and prepared flour mixes .....	-2.2	1.1	4.8	4.0	3.9	-3.8	3.8	3.0	7.3	
Breakfast cereal .....	2.0	1.2	1.5	.0	.6	1.2	-2.3	.5	-.2	
Rice, pasta, cornmeal .....	1.2	.3	1.7	.1	3.9	2.5	1.4	5.1	2.2	
Bakery products .....	2.4	3.6	2.6	1.4	3.3	2.1	1.7	3.7	1.8	
Bread .....	2.1	4.6	5.1	1.0	2.1	4.4	2.6	5.4	1.8	
Fresh biscuits, rolls, muffins .....	3.1	3.3	3.8	1.9	4.0	2.3	2.5	6.2	.8	
Cakes, cupcakes, and cookies .....	3.1	1.7	1.6	2.1	2.7	1.9	2.3	1.1	1.8	
Other bakery products .....	1.8	4.2	.5	.8	4.8	.0	-.3	3.7	2.1	
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs .....	1.7	4.6	3.5	.3	11.5	1.2	1.3	1.3	2.1	
Meats, poultry, and fish .....	2.4	4.1	4.1	-.1	10.7	2.3	1.4	.7	2.0	
Meats .....	3.6	5.2	4.7	.2	13.8	1.6	1.2	.7	2.0	
Beef and veal .....	4.5	5.2	6.1	.7	23.5	-.8	2.4	.5	3.0	
Uncooked ground beef .....	4.4	6.0	6.8	1.1	19.4	3.1	3.3	.7	2.3	
Uncooked beef roasts .....	2.0	5.9	8.5	.3	23.6	-1.1	1.4	.0	3.3	
Uncooked beef steaks .....	5.5	4.4	4.4	.6	27.6	-3.6	1.8	-.4	4.1	
Uncooked other beef and veal .....	5.4	4.3	5.2	-.4	22.4	-5.6	3.1	4.6	.9	
Pork .....	3.0	5.8	3.9	-2.4	5.1	4.8	-.2	.2	1.6	
Bacon, breakfast sausage, and related products .....	3.5	7.2	5.7	-.4	4.2	5.9	-3.8	1.6	2.2	
Ham .....	.6	3.6	4.3	-1.5	4.6	4.3	2.4	.5	1.2	
Pork chops .....	4.8	6.0	3.0	-2.9	5.5	2.4	.3	-1.2	2.4	
Other pork including roasts and picnics .....	2.5	5.9	1.7	-5.4	6.2	6.5	1.7	-.4	.6	
Other meats .....	2.5	3.8	2.8	3.5	5.1	2.8	.8	2.1	.2	
Poultry .....	-.9	1.8	4.4	-.6	4.9	5.5	-.2	-1.2	2.2	
Chicken .....	-1.8	1.6	5.0	.0	5.1	6.2	-.6	-1.4	2.0	
Other poultry including turkey .....	2.6	2.5	2.1	-3.3	3.8	2.3	1.4	-.1	3.0	
Fish and seafood .....	1.6	1.9	.1	-1.3	2.8	1.9	3.9	3.4	1.6	
Fresh fish and seafood .....	2.6	4.3	-.7	-3.1	4.7	2.1	5.9	4.0	2.8	
Processed fish and seafood .....	.4	-1.6	1.4	1.4	.0	1.6	1.0	2.4	-.4	
Eggs .....	-13.1	17.1	-8.4	9.8	30.1	-20.0	1.7	14.6	4.8	
Dairy and related products .....	2.9	-.2	5.6	-2.0	3.3	4.2	1.7	-1.5	2.7	
Milk .....	3.4	-.4	4.3	-3.7	7.1	5.6	3.5	-2.9	3.1	
Cheese and related products .....	3.8	-2.5	7.2	-2.4	1.9	5.4	.3	-2.2	3.1	
Ice cream and related products .....	.9	2.1	8.9	-.9	-.4	-.1	-.1	2.1	.6	
Other dairy and related products .....	2.0	1.8	2.6	1.6	1.5	2.8	1.6	.0	3.0	
Fruits and vegetables .....	1.9	5.2	-.2	4.7	3.1	8.2	.4	2.0	2.7	
Fresh fruits and vegetables .....	2.1	6.1	-1.5	5.4	4.3	10.0	-.7	1.8	3.0	
Fresh fruits .....	3.7	.5	.9	4.6	1.3	7.1	1.2	4.8	.9	
Apples .....	6.0	.5	6.8	6.7	3.1	.8	4.3	10.1	5.8	
Bananas .....	-2.5	-.4	2.5	.6	-1.9	-2.5	7.1	2.9	1.0	
Citrus fruits .....	7.3	-4.9	7.7	9.3	1.8	11.4	7.0	6.3	18.3	
Other fresh fruits .....	3.6	3.8	-5.6	3.6	1.6	11.7	-4.4	2.7	-8.9	
Fresh vegetables .....	.6	12.3	-4.0	6.2	7.2	12.7	-2.5	-1.0	5.2	
Potatoes .....	7.8	-6.3	14.5	8.5	-4.0	7.5	9.7	5.7	3.2	
Lettuce .....	6.6	32.2	-17.4	-6.0	37.2	-8.1	-6.5	7.8	2.2	
Tomatoes .....	-17.1	22.6	-7.4	8.6	-1.3	49.1	-19.0	-7.6	-8.9	
Other fresh vegetables .....	4.6	10.8	-4.8	7.5	8.3	4.6	4.6	-2.4	12.9	
Processed fruits and vegetables .....	1.3	1.8	4.4	2.8	-1.1	1.9	5.0	2.6	1.7	
Canned fruits and vegetables .....	.4	2.1	4.1	3.3	-3.0	2.7	5.7	2.6	1.2	
Frozen fruits and vegetables .....	3.0	1.8	6.1	.1	2.5	-.5	4.2	2.4	1.4	
Other processed fruits and vegetables including dried .....	.6	1.2	1.3	6.1	-.7	3.3	4.4	3.1	3.1	
Nonalcoholic beverages and beverage materials .....	2.4	1.7	1.4	1.0	-.4	1.0	3.5	2.0	3.7	
Juices and nonalcoholic drinks .....	3.2	2.0	1.8	1.0	-.3	.8	3.2	1.9	4.4	
Carbonated drinks .....	3.2	2.4	1.7	1.4	.0	2.4	4.5	.7	5.7	
Frozen noncarbonated juices and drinks .....	4.4	1.8	2.5	-.3	1.1	-2.1	-.3	13.5	6.2	
Nonfrozen noncarbonated juices and drinks .....	2.8	1.8	1.7	.9	-1.0	-.7	1.8	2.9	2.5	

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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								Mar. 2007
	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	
<b>Expenditure category</b>									
Beverage materials including coffee and tea .....	0.0	0.7	-0.1	0.9	-0.3	1.3	4.2	2.2	2.1
Coffee .....	-1.8	-2.9	-3.4	-2	.6	1.4	12.1	2.0	4.9
Other beverage materials including tea .....	1.9	4.3	3.0	1.6	-.9	1.3	.3	2.3	.9
Other food at home .....	.7	2.0	3.0	.1	1.2	.4	2.4	.6	1.8
Sugar and sweets .....	1.5	.7	1.7	1.9	1.0	.1	3.9	2.6	1.1
Sugar and artificial sweeteners .....	.1	-.6	2.4	2.6	2.0	-.3	8.3	5.8	3.0
Candy and chewing gum .....	2.1	1.1	1.1	1.5	.0	.0	3.3	1.3	.3
Other sweets .....	1.5	.8	2.7	2.6	3.0	.7	1.3	4.0	1.5
Fats and oils .....	-4.3	3.6	4.4	-2.3	3.1	6.1	-1.0	1.0	2.8
Butter and margarine .....	-13.1	8.3	11.6	-9.1	4.1	13.8	-2.9	-1.4	4.2
Salad dressing .....	.9	1.8	1.8	-.3	2.0	.6	-4.0	3.5	1.3
Other fats and oils including peanut butter .....	-.2	1.3	.4	2.0	3.0	4.6	2.0	1.1	2.9
Other foods .....	1.6	2.1	3.1	.1	.8	-.8	2.9	.0	1.8
Soups .....	.3	2.6	2.9	1.1	1.2	-.1	1.4	.0	1.5
Frozen and freeze dried prepared foods .....	-.3	2.1	3.0	-1.2	.1	-.6	.7	-1.6	2.1
Snacks .....	3.8	2.8	4.1	-3.9	4.7	-2.4	5.9	-1.1	2.5
Spices, seasonings, condiments, sauces .....	1.6	-1.0	5.4	3.3	-2.3	-2.8	4.0	-.1	5.5
Baby food .....	4.8	4.4	3.0	1.0	3.1	2.5	3.4	1.0	-.4
Other miscellaneous foods .....	.3	3.2	.4	1.6	-.4	.9	1.4	2.1	-.8
Food away from home .....	2.3	2.4	3.0	2.3	2.3	3.0	3.2	3.2	.9
Full service meals and snacks .....	2.3	2.8	3.1	2.2	2.3	2.8	2.8	3.4	.9
Limited service meals and snacks .....	2.6	2.8	3.2	2.2	2.3	3.1	3.4	3.0	.9
Food at employee sites and schools .....	2.0	-.4	1.9	4.8	2.5	3.0	2.6	3.6	.6
Food from vending machines and mobile vendors .....	.8	1.5	1.6	1.4	2.4	2.2	2.7	1.9	.2
Other food away from home .....	3.4	4.2	3.9	3.7	2.5	3.2	5.2	3.8	1.7
Alcoholic beverages .....	2.9	2.8	2.7	2.3	2.3	2.8	1.1	2.4	2.3
Alcoholic beverages at home .....	2.9	2.7	1.6	2.1	2.0	2.4	.1	1.7	2.8
Beer, ale, and other malt beverages at home .....	3.0	3.2	1.6	2.6	3.0	3.2	-.3	1.6	2.9
Distilled spirits at home .....	3.6	2.6	3.8	1.4	1.2	.9	.7	.7	1.7
Wine at home .....	1.8	.7	.1	.7	-.6	.2	1.5	3.0	3.1
Alcoholic beverages away from home .....	3.1	3.0	4.7	3.0	3.0	3.6	2.9	4.1	1.3
Housing .....	2.1	4.3	2.9	2.3	2.3	3.0	4.2	3.2	1.3
Shelter .....	2.5	3.4	4.3	3.1	2.1	2.5	2.7	4.2	1.3
Rent of primary residence <sup>1</sup> .....	3.0	3.9	4.7	3.2	2.5	2.9	3.1	4.3	1.1
Lodging away from home .....	1.6	2.8	.1	.7	3.5	4.6	3.2	3.8	11.2
Housing at school, excluding board <sup>1</sup> .....	4.2	4.4	5.4	6.0	6.0	6.0	5.9	5.2	.4
Other lodging away from home including hotels and motels .....	1.4	2.6	-.5	.0	3.1	4.4	3.0	3.7	11.8
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>1</sup> .....	2.4	3.2	4.5	3.3	1.9	2.2	2.5	4.2	.7
Tenants' and household insurance .....	2.1	2.4	1.3	5.6	1.9	3.9	-2.1	.9	.2
Fuels and utilities .....	2.2	11.9	-2.1	1.4	6.6	7.6	15.5	.4	2.1
Household energy .....	2.3	13.9	-3.2	1.0	7.1	8.1	17.8	-.5	2.2
Fuel oil and other fuels .....	22.4	35.9	-21.8	10.9	9.0	34.7	24.0	2.1	1.7
Fuel oil .....	31.3	40.4	-27.0	14.3	7.8	40.3	26.9	2.1	1.9
Propane, kerosene, and firewood .....	8.3	27.4	-10.9	6.0	10.8	24.7	18.1	2.2	1.4
Gas (piped) and electricity <sup>1</sup> .....	1.2	12.5	-1.7	.5	7.0	6.7	17.3	-.7	2.3
Electricity <sup>1</sup> .....	.8	2.6	5.6	-1.9	2.9	2.1	10.5	7.2	3.0
Utility (piped) gas service <sup>1</sup> .....	2.4	37.3	-15.5	7.1	17.3	16.7	30.3	-14.6	.6
Water and sewer and trash collection services .....	1.9	3.1	2.8	3.2	4.6	5.5	5.3	4.8	1.8
Water and sewerage maintenance <sup>1</sup> .....	1.8	3.4	3.0	3.5	4.7	6.3	5.5	4.7	1.9
Garbage and trash collection .....	2.4	2.0	2.3	2.3	4.4	3.4	4.3	5.2	1.4
Household furnishings and operations .....	-.5	1.1	-.2	-1.9	-2.1	.7	.5	.6	.4
Window and floor coverings and other linens .....	-2.0	1.6	-1.3	-5.0	-3.8	-1.4	-1.9	-4.3	-1.4
Floor coverings .....	-2.4	6.5	-.2	1.7	-.7	.4	5.8	3.1	-.7
Window coverings .....	-1.6	2.8	-2.9	-3.0	-1.3	-3.0	-1.5	1.4	-2.8
Other linens .....	-2.0	-1.4	-.8	-7.8	-5.8	-1.4	-3.8	-8.4	-.9
Furniture and bedding .....	-1.6	.3	-3.2	-1.0	-1.7	.0	.5	-.8	.8
Bedroom furniture .....	-1.5	-2.5	-1.3	-2.1	-.1	5.2	4.2	-1.5	.7
Living room, kitchen, and dining room furniture .....	-.9	2.2	-3.8	-.5	-2.7	-1.9	-1.8	-.3	-.1
Other furniture .....	-4.1	-.7	-5.2	-.4	-1.8	-3.8	.2	-.4	3.3
Appliances .....	-1.4	-2.7	-.5	-3.8	-3.5	-3.4	3.3	1.1	1.4
Major appliances .....	-.4	-2.0	1.7	-2.8	-3.3	-2.8	6.0	3.5	2.5
Other appliances .....	-3.2	-3.4	-4.2	-5.1	-3.9	-4.2	-1.0	-1.9	-.1

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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								Mar. 2007
	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	
<b>Expenditure category</b>									
Other household equipment and furnishings .....	-3.5	-0.9	-0.6	-4.2	-5.3	1.2	-4.9	-4.7	-0.8
Clocks, lamps, and decorator items .....	-6.5	-4.7	-2.0	-5.8	-10.7	1.2	-8.2	-7.2	-3.0
Indoor plants and flowers .....	.0	5.4	2.7	.1	1.4	1.0	2.0	-.4	2.8
Dishes and flatware .....	-4.1	-2.2	-2.7	-5.3	-.5	1.1	-6.4	-6.9	.0
Nonelectric cookware and tableware .....	-1.1	-1.2	-1.6	-3.9	-.2	1.0	-.3	.5	1.4
Tools, hardware, outdoor equipment and supplies .....	-.7	-2.4	-1.0	-1.9	-2.8	2.2	.3	1.6	.5
Tools, hardware and supplies .....	.6	-.1	-2.2	-2.2	-2.4	4.8	2.6	2.0	.2
Outdoor equipment and supplies .....	-1.6	-4.0	-.5	-1.9	-3.0	.6	-1.6	1.0	.8
Housekeeping supplies .....	2.0	4.6	2.4	-1.4	-.9	1.1	2.4	3.9	.8
Household cleaning products .....	1.4	4.5	2.7	-1.5	-1.5	-.7	3.4	2.7	-.2
Household paper products .....	5.5	8.2	1.4	-.4	-1.7	7.1	.5	6.5	1.0
Miscellaneous household products .....	.6	1.6	3.0	-2.1	.5	-1.3	2.6	3.8	2.4
Household operations .....	2.8	6.6	4.2	2.4	2.5	4.4	5.2	3.8	.6
Domestic services .....	3.6	4.1	2.6	3.9	2.7	2.1	5.2	3.5	.3
Gardening and lawn care services .....	2.2	9.7	4.9	-.3	1.7	4.6	-	-	-
Moving, storage, freight expense .....	2.7	4.7	2.7	2.7	2.5	3.2	4.3	-.5	-.7
Repair of household items .....	2.6	7.4	7.1	4.4	3.7	7.5	7.4	4.2	.9
Apparel .....	-.6	-1.9	-2.8	-1.7	-1.8	-.1	-1.2	1.2	2.9
Men's and boys' apparel .....	1.1	-2.7	-4.1	-3.2	-.8	-1.8	-1.9	-.4	.8
Men's apparel .....	.9	-2.1	-4.3	-1.4	-1.6	-.9	-1.6	.3	.6
Men's suits, sport coats, and outerwear .....	1.0	-4.0	-1.3	-.9	.8	-2.1	-.3	-2.8	.3
Men's furnishings .....	4.1	-2.3	-2.3	.8	2.1	-2.4	-1.3	-.3	1.2
Men's shirts and sweaters .....	-1.5	.7	-7.4	-.8	-2.5	-3.1	-.7	3.5	-3.7
Men's pants and shorts .....	.1	-4.2	-5.0	-4.1	-5.9	3.7	-3.6	-.1	3.9
Boys' apparel .....	1.7	-4.5	-3.7	-8.4	1.9	-4.8	-2.8	-2.6	1.7
Women's and girls' apparel .....	-1.0	-1.9	-3.4	-1.1	-1.6	-.3	-1.7	1.9	5.3
Women's apparel .....	-1.2	-1.9	-3.2	-1.7	-1.0	-1.2	-.2	2.8	4.7
Women's outerwear .....	-2.4	2.7	-5.9	.2	-.1	-2.6	-4.7	-1.0	-6.9
Women's dresses .....	-4.4	-8.6	6.2	1.2	1.3	-2.5	4.3	12.4	1.4
Women's suits and separates .....	-.7	-1.7	-5.2	-1.4	-2.4	-.6	-.6	2.6	8.4
Women's underwear, nightwear, sportswear and accessories .....	.1	.0	-3.2	-4.3	.0	-1.4	.0	-1.4	3.4
Girls' apparel .....	-.6	-1.7	-4.5	1.2	-3.8	2.8	-7.1	-1.4	7.6
Footwear .....	-3.1	-.2	-2.4	-.2	-2.5	1.4	1.3	1.4	.2
Men's footwear .....	-3.9	.5	-3.4	-.6	-4.1	-1.9	2.2	2.5	-1.0
Boys' and girls' footwear .....	-5.3	-1.6	-1.9	-.7	-2.1	4.3	1.3	-.2	-.6
Women's footwear .....	-1.1	.2	-1.8	.5	-1.3	2.4	.3	1.7	1.6
Infants' and toddlers' apparel .....	3.0	-3.6	.2	-2.4	-4.6	.0	-3.1	-.7	2.9
Jewelry and watches .....	-1.6	-1.1	.7	-4.7	-1.8	3.2	-3.2	4.7	4.8
Watches .....	-3.4	1.4	-2.0	-6.9	.4	1.2	.3	2.1	1.3
Jewelry .....	-1.1	-1.6	1.3	-4.3	-2.2	3.4	-3.7	5.5	5.6
Transportation .....	5.7	4.3	-4.2	3.8	-.3	7.1	5.0	1.6	2.9
Private transportation .....	5.8	4.3	-4.4	4.1	-.5	7.5	4.9	1.7	2.9
New and used motor vehicles .....	.4	1.3	-.8	-3.4	-5.8	1.6	.5	-1.2	-.4
New vehicles .....	-.4	-.1	.1	-2.1	-1.8	.4	-.4	-.8	.1
Used cars and trucks .....	1.3	3.4	-2.2	-5.6	-11.8	4.9	1.4	-2.1	-1.3
Car and truck rental .....	6.8	-.5	-3.8	.6	2.6	-4.7	9.9	1.6	-1.1
Motor fuel .....	30.6	13.7	-24.6	24.6	6.8	26.2	16.3	6.3	10.6
Gasoline (all types) .....	30.6	13.6	-24.6	24.8	6.9	26.1	16.2	6.3	10.7
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>2</sup> .....	32.8	14.3	-25.6	25.8	7.3	26.7	16.9	6.4	10.9
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>2</sup> .....	28.7	12.9	-24.6	25.3	6.1	25.8	15.6	5.8	10.6
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>2</sup> .....	26.3	12.6	-23.2	23.5	6.2	24.3	14.8	6.1	9.9
Other motor fuels .....	22.5	25.1	-16.9	1.7	1.7	32.5	22.2	7.3	.9
Motor vehicle parts and equipment .....	-.3	2.1	2.5	1.3	.9	1.9	3.9	4.9	.8
Tires .....	-1.2	1.0	3.0	.1	-.5	2.4	2.9	3.5	.7
Vehicle accessories other than tires .....	.5	3.0	2.2	2.4	2.3	1.4	5.1	6.5	1.0
Motor vehicle maintenance and repair .....	2.5	3.6	3.5	3.8	2.5	2.8	3.8	3.8	1.0
Motor vehicle body work .....	1.4	3.8	3.4	1.9	1.6	2.9	4.7	3.4	1.3
Motor vehicle maintenance and servicing .....	2.5	3.1	3.9	3.8	1.6	3.2	3.2	3.1	1.4
Motor vehicle repair .....	2.7	3.7	3.4	4.0	2.9	2.5	4.1	4.4	.7
Motor vehicle insurance .....	.5	1.9	7.4	9.1	4.6	3.4	.9	.8	-.7
Motor vehicle fees .....	1.4	4.1	1.8	3.2	7.3	8.7	2.5	2.3	.9
State and local registration and license <sup>1</sup> .....	.9	3.9	1.0	3.4	8.8	9.9	1.7	2.4	.6
Parking and other fees .....	3.1	4.5	4.1	2.4	2.8	5.4	4.5	1.7	1.9

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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								Mar. 2007
	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	
<b>Expenditure category</b>									
Public transportation .....	5.9	3.9	-1.8	-0.4	2.2	0.3	6.1	0.4	3.5
Airline fare .....	11.0	5.9	-4.0	-2.2	-.4	-1.8	6.7	-1.0	6.6
Other intercity transportation .....	-1.6	-1.9	-3.0	2.1	-6.2	-1.2	4.8	2.2	-3.0
Intracity transportation .....	.5	2.3	2.6	1.4	9.9	3.8	5.6	1.9	.7
Medical care .....	3.6	4.2	4.7	5.2	3.7	4.3	4.4	3.6	2.0
Medical care commodities .....	3.6	2.7	4.3	3.0	2.1	1.9	3.6	1.9	.2
Prescription drugs .....	6.2	3.6	6.0	4.4	2.4	3.5	4.4	1.9	.7
Nonprescription drugs and medical supplies .....	-.8	1.2	1.0	.1	1.5	-1.6	1.7	1.8	-.8
Internal and respiratory over-the-counter drugs .....	-1.4	1.4	1.5	.2	1.7	-2.5	2.0	1.9	-.8
Nonprescription medical equipment and supplies .....	.9	.3	-.3	-.4	.5	1.1	.8	1.6	-.6
Medical care services .....	3.6	4.5	4.8	5.8	4.1	5.1	4.6	4.1	2.6
Professional services .....	3.2	3.8	3.6	3.3	2.8	4.0	3.7	2.5	2.3
Physicians' services <sup>1</sup> .....	2.6	3.9	3.6	3.4	2.2	4.0	3.1	1.6	2.5
Dental services <sup>1</sup> .....	4.7	4.4	3.9	4.5	4.5	5.0	5.5	4.9	2.5
Eyeglasses and eye care .....	3.3	2.4	2.7	-.2	1.8	3.0	2.9	2.1	.4
Services by other medical professionals <sup>1</sup> .....	1.7	2.7	3.4	3.3	2.4	2.5	2.6	2.9	1.3
Hospital and related services <sup>1</sup> .....	5.1	6.2	7.1	10.3	6.4	5.2	5.2	6.0	2.6
Hospital services <sup>1</sup> .....	5.1	6.2	7.2	10.4	6.4	5.2	5.2	6.1	2.5
Inpatient hospital services <sup>1 2</sup> .....	4.7	5.6	6.9	9.7	5.2	5.6	5.3	6.5	2.3
Outpatient hospital services <sup>1 2</sup> .....	6.6	7.2	6.7	13.2	6.8	4.4	5.1	4.9	3.1
Nursing homes and adult daycare <sup>1</sup> .....	5.9	5.9	5.3	4.9	5.5	3.7	4.4	4.5	3.1
Health insurance <sup>3</sup> .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.8	4.5
Recreation .....	.4	1.4	1.2	.9	.8	.6	.9	.9	.3
Video and audio .....	-9	.5	.2	1.9	.1	.7	.0	-.8	.0
Televisions .....	-7.3	-10.7	-10.7	-10.8	-14.0	-12.5	-13.6	-22.7	-3.6
Cable and satellite television and radio service .....	2.9	5.3	3.9	7.2	3.7	4.1	3.3	2.6	1.0
Other video equipment .....	-15.3	-17.8	-16.9	-13.7	-12.2	-14.5	-10.8	-14.1	-3.8
Video cassettes, discs, and other media including rental .....	-3.5	-5.8	-2.0	-6.4	-.5	-1.3	-.6	1.2	-2.0
Audio equipment .....	-4.4	.4	-5.0	-5.0	-5.5	-5.5	-10.1	-5.1	-1.7
Audio discs, tapes and other media .....	1.2	2.5	3.8	1.1	-4.0	3.7	.1	-2.6	-.9
Pets, pet products and services .....	1.9	2.6	4.1	1.8	2.3	4.2	2.8	3.6	1.4
Pets and pet products .....	1.1	-.6	3.2	.7	1.1	3.2	1.5	3.3	.9
Pet services including veterinary .....	3.5	9.6	6.0	4.7	4.8	6.2	5.0	4.1	2.4
Sporting goods .....	-2.7	1.1	-1.8	-1.6	-1.1	-1.2	1.2	1.2	.3
Sports vehicles including bicycles .....	.1	3.3	-1.0	-1.1	-2.0	1.5	3.5	3.1	.2
Sports equipment .....	-5.5	-1.3	-2.7	-2.2	.0	-4.2	-1.8	-.7	.5
Photography .....	-.5	.5	-.5	-1.4	-2.0	-3.7	-2.9	-4.5	-1.8
Photographic equipment and supplies .....	-.8	-3.0	-2.4	-6.0	-5.4	-7.8	-4.8	-10.6	-3.4
Photographers and film processing .....	-.3	2.5	.5	2.0	.3	.2	-1.5	1.8	-.4
Other recreational goods .....	-6.8	-2.6	-3.9	-7.6	-3.5	-4.6	-4.0	-3.4	-.9
Toys .....	-7.8	-3.4	-5.0	-9.0	-4.2	-6.1	-4.5	-4.7	-.6
Sewing machines, fabric and supplies .....	-3.7	.1	.9	-2.8	.3	.0	-2.2	1.1	-2.1
Music instruments and accessories .....	-.5	.8	-.2	-1.8	-1.4	1.2	-2.9	1.7	-1.8
Recreation services .....	5.8	4.1	3.8	3.8	3.4	2.1	3.1	4.2	1.0
Club membership dues and fees for participant sports ..	1.5	3.7	2.1	.8	2.6	-.3	2.7	2.5	.6
Admissions .....	8.9	4.9	4.1	5.4	3.4	3.3	3.3	5.2	1.0
Fees for lessons or instructions .....	4.6	1.6	7.3	1.4	6.6	2.7	2.6	3.2	2.0
Recreational reading materials .....	.7	1.4	1.7	1.9	.9	2.3	.6	.9	.3
Newspapers and magazines .....	2.1	1.5	1.9	2.1	1.7	3.4	1.8	1.2	.4
Recreational books .....	-2.1	1.0	1.4	1.4	-.4	.1	-1.5	.4	.2
Education and communication .....	1.6	1.2	3.1	1.8	.8	.7	1.9	2.0	.3
Education .....	4.5	5.8	5.5	6.2	6.7	6.2	5.9	6.4	.5
Educational books and supplies .....	-1.1	12.6	2.8	9.1	5.9	4.0	5.0	7.1	3.7
Tuition, other school fees, and childcare .....	4.9	5.2	5.7	6.0	6.7	6.4	5.9	6.3	.2
College tuition and fees .....	4.1	4.6	6.2	7.0	9.7	8.8	6.7	7.3	-.1
Elementary and high school tuition and fees .....	7.0	5.6	7.5	6.8	6.3	7.2	5.7	5.8	.1
Child care and nursery school .....	5.0	5.5	4.9	4.8	3.7	3.4	5.1	5.3	.6
Technical and business school tuition and fees .....	5.8	4.5	5.8	5.4	9.6	8.3	6.8	4.9	.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								Mar. 2007
	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>									
Energy .....	14.6	13.8	-13.8	11.5	6.9	16.9	17.0	3.0	6.6
All items less energy .....	1.9	2.5	2.7	1.7	1.2	2.2	2.0	2.4	1.2
All items less food and energy .....	1.9	2.4	2.7	1.7	.7	2.1	2.0	2.5	1.1
Commodities less food and energy commodities .....	.3	.8	-.1	-1.7	-3.1	.9	.4	.0	.8
Energy commodities .....	30.0	15.0	-24.4	23.8	6.9	26.7	16.7	6.0	10.1
Services less energy services .....	2.6	3.3	4.1	3.5	2.5	2.7	2.8	3.6	1.2
Domestically produced farm food .....	1.8	3.2	3.0	.8	5.6	2.6	1.2	1.1	2.2
Utilities and public transportation .....	1.8	5.8	.1	1.4	3.2	3.2	9.0	.9	1.7

<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 2005=100 base.

- Data not available.

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