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CONSUMER PRICE INDEX – NOVEMBER 2021

(NOTE: This news release was reissued on December 10, 2021 correcting the following sentence: "The all items index rose 6.8 percent for the 12 months ending November, the largest 12-month increase since the period ending June 1982." The original sentence referenced October instead of November.)

The Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U) increased 0.8 percent in November on a seasonally adjusted basis after rising 0.9 percent in October, the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics reported today. Over the last 12 months, the all items index increased 6.8 percent before seasonal adjustment.

The monthly all items seasonally adjusted increase was the result of broad increases in most component indexes, similar to last month. The indexes for gasoline, shelter, food, used cars and trucks, and new vehicles were among the larger contributors. The energy index rose 3.5 percent in November as the gasoline index increased 6.1 percent and the other major energy component indexes also rose. The food index increased 0.7 percent as the index for food at home rose 0.8 percent.

The index for all items less food and energy rose 0.5 percent in November following a 0.6-percent increase in October. Along with shelter, used cars and trucks, and new vehicles, the indexes for household furnishings and operations, apparel, and airline fares were among those that increased. The indexes for motor vehicle insurance, recreation, and communication all declined in November.

The all items index rose 6.8 percent for the 12 months ending November, the largest 12-month increase since the period ending June 1982. The index for all items less food and energy rose 4.9 percent over the last 12 months, while the energy index rose 33.3 percent over the last year, and the food index increased 6.1 percent. These changes are the largest 12-month increases in at least 13 years in the respective series.

Chart 1. One-month percent change in CPI for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U), seasonally adjusted, Nov. 2020 - Nov. 2021
Percent change

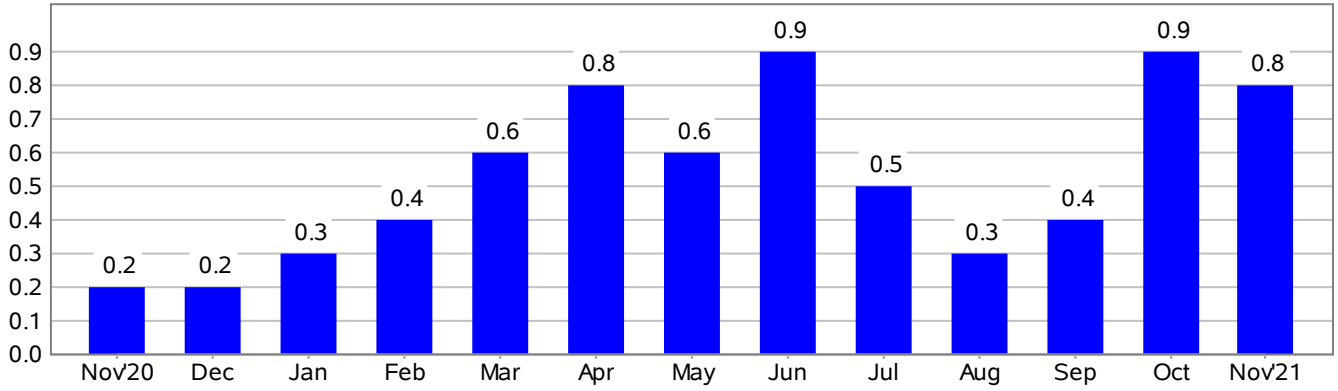


Chart 2. 12-month percent change in CPI for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U), not seasonally adjusted, Nov. 2020 - Nov. 2021
Percent change

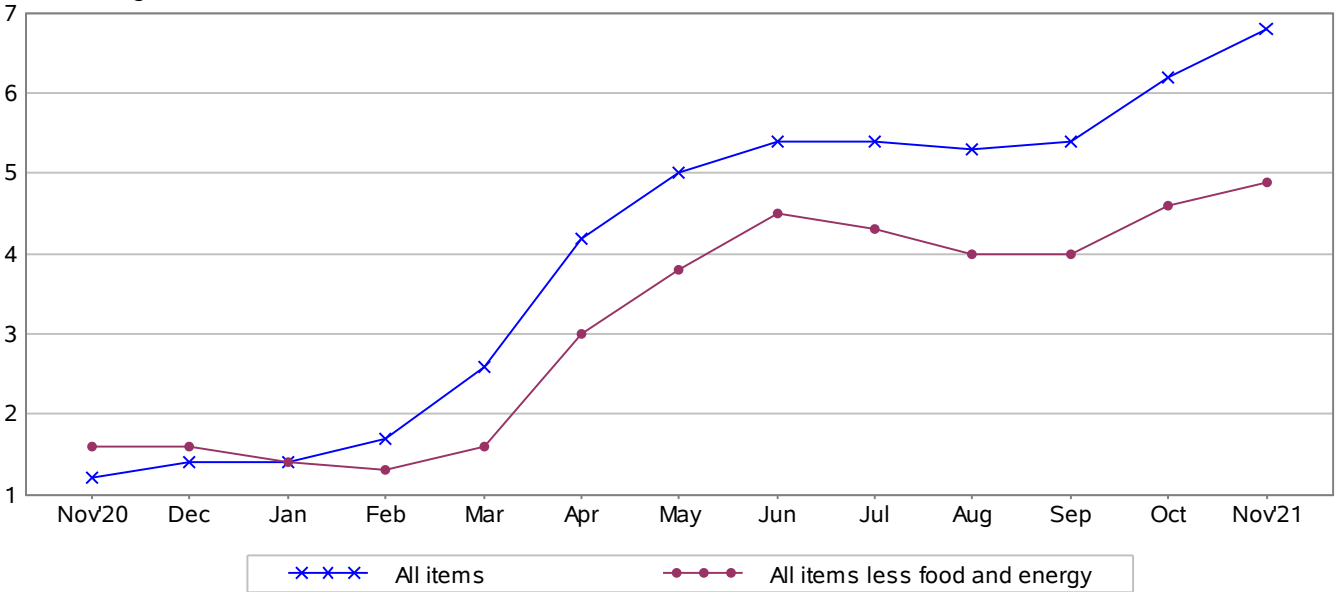


Table A. Percent changes in CPI for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average

	Seasonally adjusted changes from preceding month							Un- adjusted 12-mos. ended Nov. 2021
	May 2021	Jun. 2021	Jul. 2021	Aug. 2021	Sep. 2021	Oct. 2021	Nov. 2021	
All items.....	0.6	0.9	0.5	0.3	0.4	0.9	0.8	6.8
Food.....	0.4	0.8	0.7	0.4	0.9	0.9	0.7	6.1
Food at home.....	0.4	0.8	0.7	0.4	1.2	1.0	0.8	6.4
Food away from home ¹	0.6	0.7	0.8	0.4	0.5	0.8	0.6	5.8
Energy.....	0.0	1.5	1.6	2.0	1.3	4.8	3.5	33.3
Energy commodities.....	-0.6	2.6	2.3	2.7	1.3	6.2	5.9	57.5
Gasoline (all types).....	-0.7	2.5	2.4	2.8	1.2	6.1	6.1	58.1
Fuel oil ¹	2.1	2.9	0.6	-2.1	3.9	12.3	3.5	59.3
Energy services.....	0.7	0.2	0.8	1.1	1.2	3.0	0.3	10.7
Electricity.....	0.3	-0.3	0.4	1.0	0.8	1.8	0.3	6.5
Utility (piped) gas service.....	1.7	1.7	2.2	1.6	2.7	6.6	0.6	25.1
All items less food and energy.....	0.7	0.9	0.3	0.1	0.2	0.6	0.5	4.9
Commodities less food and energy commodities.....	1.8	2.2	0.5	0.3	0.2	1.0	0.9	9.4
New vehicles.....	1.6	2.0	1.7	1.2	1.3	1.4	1.1	11.1
Used cars and trucks.....	7.3	10.5	0.2	-1.5	-0.7	2.5	2.5	31.4
Apparel.....	1.2	0.7	0.0	0.4	-1.1	0.0	1.3	5.0
Medical care commodities ¹	0.0	-0.4	0.2	-0.2	0.3	0.6	0.1	0.2
Services less energy services.....	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.0	0.2	0.4	0.4	3.4
Shelter.....	0.3	0.5	0.4	0.2	0.4	0.5	0.5	3.8
Transportation services.....	1.5	1.5	-1.1	-2.3	-0.5	0.4	0.7	3.9
Medical care services.....	-0.1	0.0	0.3	0.3	-0.1	0.5	0.3	2.1

¹ Not seasonally adjusted.

Food

The food index increased 0.7 percent in November after rising 0.9 percent in both September and October. The food at home index increased 0.8 percent in November as all six major grocery store food group indexes rose; this was the third consecutive month that all six increased. The indexes for other food at home and for fruits and vegetables both increased 1.0 percent in November. The index for meats, poultry, fish, and eggs rose 0.9 percent in November. Within this group, the index for pork rose sharply, increasing 2.2 percent, while the index for eggs declined in November, falling 2.7 percent.

The cereals and bakery products index increased 0.8 percent in November after larger increases in September and October. The index for dairy and related products increased 0.2 percent over the month, the same increase as the prior month. The index for nonalcoholic beverages also rose 0.2 percent, its smallest monthly increase in the last 6 months.

The food away from home index rose 0.6 percent in November following a 0.8-percent increase the prior month. The index for limited service meals continued to rise sharply, increasing 1.0 percent over the month, while the index for full service meals rose 0.4 percent in November.

The food at home index rose 6.4 percent over the past 12 months, the largest 12-month increase since the period ending December 2008. All of the six major grocery store food group indexes increased over the period. The index for meats, poultry, fish, and eggs increased 12.8 percent, with the index for beef rising 20.9 percent. The index for dairy and related products posted the smallest increase, rising 1.6 percent over the last 12 months. The remaining major grocery store food group indexes posted increases ranging from 4.0 percent (fruits and vegetables) to 5.7 percent (other food at home).

The index for food away from home rose 5.8 percent over the last year, the largest 12-month increase since the period ending January 1982. The index for limited service meals rose 7.9 percent over the last 12 months, and the index for full service meals rose 6.0 percent. The index for food at employee sites and schools, in contrast, declined 44.9 percent over the past 12 months.

Energy

The energy index rose 3.5 percent in November after rising 4.8 percent in October. The gasoline index rose 6.1 percent in November, the same increase as the prior month. (Before seasonal adjustment, gasoline prices rose 2.8 percent in November.) The electricity index increased 0.3 percent in November after rising 1.8 percent in October. The index for natural gas rose 0.6 percent in November following a 6.6-percent increase the prior month.

The energy index rose 33.3 percent over the past 12 months with all major energy component indexes increasing sharply. The gasoline index rose 58.1 percent over the last year, its largest 12-month increase since the period ending April 1980. The index for natural gas rose 25.1 percent over the last 12 months, and the electricity index rose 6.5 percent.

All items less food and energy

The index for all items less food and energy rose 0.5 percent in November. The shelter index increased 0.5 percent over the month, as the indexes for rent and owners' equivalent rent both rose 0.4 percent; these increases were the same as in October. The index for lodging away from home rose 2.9 percent in November after rising 1.4 percent in October. Vehicle indexes also continued to rise in November. The index for used cars and trucks rose 2.5 percent over the month, the same increase as in October. The index for new vehicles rose 1.1 percent in November after a 1.4-percent increase in October.

The index for household furnishings and operations increased in November, rising 0.8 percent, the same increase as in October. The apparel index rose 1.3 percent in November after being unchanged in October. The index for airline fares turned up in November, rising 4.7 percent after declining in recent months.

The medical care index also rose in November, increasing 0.2 percent after rising 0.5 percent in October. The index for physicians' services rose 0.4 percent, and the index for prescription drugs increased 0.3 percent, while the index for hospital services declined 0.3 percent.

A few indexes declined in November. The motor vehicle insurance index fell 0.8 percent over the month after being unchanged in October. The recreation index fell 0.2 percent in November after rising in each of the last 9 months. The index for communication also declined 0.2 percent in November.

The index for all items less food and energy rose 4.9 percent over the past 12 months, its largest 12-month increase since the period ending June 1991. The index for used cars and trucks rose 31.4 percent over the last 12 months, and the index for new vehicles rose 11.1 percent. The shelter index rose 3.8 percent, the largest 12-month increase since the period ending June 2007. The index for medical care increased 1.7 percent over the last year.

Not seasonally adjusted CPI measures

The Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U) increased 6.8 percent over the last 12 months to an index level of 277.948 (1982-84=100). For the month, the index increased 0.5 percent prior to seasonal adjustment.

The Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W) increased 7.6 percent over the last 12 months to an index level of 273.042 (1982-84=100). For the month, the index rose 0.5 percent prior to seasonal adjustment.

The Chained Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (C-CPI-U) increased 6.7 percent over the last 12 months. For the month, the index increased 0.5 percent on a not seasonally adjusted basis. Please note that the indexes for the past 10 to 12 months are subject to revision.

The Consumer Price Index for December 2021 is scheduled to be released on Wednesday, January 12, 2022 at 8:30 a.m. (ET).

Coronavirus (COVID-19) Pandemic Impact on November 2021 Consumer Price Index Data

Data collection by personal visit for the Consumer Price Index (CPI) program has been suspended almost entirely since March 16, 2020. When possible, data normally collected by personal visit were collected either online or by phone. Additionally, data collection in November was affected by the temporary closing or limited operations of certain types of establishments. These factors resulted in an increase in the number of prices considered temporarily unavailable and imputed. While the CPI program attempted to collect as much data as possible, many indexes are based on smaller amounts of collected prices than usual, and a small number of indexes that are normally published were not published this month. Additional information is available at www.bls.gov/covid19/effects-of-covid-19-pandemic-on-consumer-price-index.htm.

Technical Note

Brief Explanation of the CPI

The Consumer Price Index (CPI) measures the change in prices paid by consumers for goods and services. The CPI reflects spending patterns for each of two population groups: all urban consumers and urban wage earners and clerical workers. The all urban consumer group represents about 93 percent of the total U.S. population. It is based on the expenditures of almost all residents of urban or metropolitan areas, including professionals, the self-employed, the poor, the unemployed, and retired people, as well as urban wage earners and clerical workers. Not included in the CPI are the spending patterns of people living in rural nonmetropolitan areas, farming families, people in the Armed Forces, and those in institutions, such as prisons and mental hospitals. Consumer inflation for all urban consumers is measured by two indexes, namely, the Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U) and the Chained Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (C-CPI-U).

The Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W) is based on the expenditures of households included in the CPI-U definition that meet two requirements: more than one-half of the household's income must come from clerical or wage occupations, and at least one of the household's earners must have been employed for at least 37 weeks during the previous 12 months. The

CPI-W population represents about 29 percent of the total U.S. population and is a subset of the CPI-U population.

The CPIs are based on prices of food, clothing, shelter, fuels, transportation, doctors' and dentists' services, drugs, and other goods and services that people buy for day-to-day living. Prices are collected each month in 75 urban areas across the country from about 6,000 housing units and approximately 22,000 retail establishments (department stores, supermarkets, hospitals, filling stations, and other types of stores and service establishments). All taxes directly associated with the purchase and use of items are included in the index. Prices of fuels and a few other items are obtained every month in all 75 locations. Prices of most other commodities and services are collected every month in the three largest geographic areas and every other month in other areas. Prices of most goods and services are obtained by personal visits or telephone calls by the Bureau's trained representatives.

In calculating the index, price changes for the various items in each location are aggregated using weights, which represent their importance in the spending of the appropriate population group. Local data are then combined to obtain a U.S. city average. For the CPI-U and CPI-W, separate indexes are also published by size of city, by region of the country, for cross-classifications of regions and population-size classes, and for 23 selected local areas. Area indexes do not measure differences in the level of prices among cities; they only measure the average change in prices for each area since the base period. For the C-CPI-U, data are issued only at the national level. The CPI-U and CPI-W are considered final when released, but the C-CPI-U is issued in preliminary form and subject to three subsequent quarterly revisions.

The index measures price change from a designed reference date. For most of the CPI-U and the CPI-W, the reference base is 1982-84 equals 100. The reference base for the C-CPI-U is December 1999 equals 100. An increase of 7 percent from the reference base, for example, is shown as 107.000. Alternatively, that relationship can also be expressed as the price of a base period market basket of goods and services rising from \$100 to \$107.

Sampling Error in the CPI

The CPI is a statistical estimate that is subject to sampling error because it is based upon a sample of retail prices and not the complete universe of all prices. BLS calculates and publishes estimates of the 1-month, 2-month, 6-month, and 12-month percent change standard errors annually for the CPI-U. These standard error estimates can be used to construct confidence intervals for hypothesis testing. For example, the estimated standard error of the 1-month percent change is 0.03 percent for the U.S. all items CPI. This means that if we repeatedly sample from the universe of all retail prices using the same methodology, and estimate a percentage change for each sample, then 95 percent of these estimates will be within 0.06 percent of the 1-month percentage change based on all retail prices. For example, for a 1-month change of 0.2 percent in the all items CPI-U, we are 95 percent confident that the actual percent change based on all retail prices would fall between 0.14 and 0.26 percent. For the latest data, including information on how to use the estimates of standard error, see <https://www.bls.gov/cpi/tables/variance-estimates/home.htm>.

Calculating Index Changes

Movements of the indexes from 1 month to another are usually expressed as percent changes rather than changes in index points, because index point changes are affected by the level of the index in relation to its base period, while percent changes are not. The following table shows an example of using index values to calculate percent changes:

	Item A	Item B	Item C
Year I	112.500	225.000	110.000
Year II	121.500	243.000	128.000
Change in index points	9.000	18.000	18.000
Percent change	$9.0/112.500 \times 100 = 8.0$	$18.0/225.000 \times 100 = 8.0$	$18.0/110.000 \times 100 = 16.4$

Use of Seasonally Adjusted and Unadjusted Data

The Consumer Price Index (CPI) produces both unadjusted and seasonally adjusted data. Seasonally adjusted data are computed using seasonal factors derived by the X-13ARIMA-SEATS seasonal adjustment method. These factors are updated each February, and the new factors are used to revise the previous 5 years of seasonally adjusted data. The factors are available at www.bls.gov/cpi/tables/seasonal-adjustment/seasonal-factors-2021.xlsx. For more information on data revision scheduling, please see the Factsheet on Seasonal Adjustment at www.bls.gov/cpi/seasonal-adjustment/questions-and-answers.htm and the Timeline of Seasonal Adjustment Methodological Changes at www.bls.gov/cpi/seasonal-adjustment/timeline-seasonal-adjustment-methodology-changes.htm.

For analyzing short-term price trends in the economy, seasonally adjusted changes are usually preferred since they eliminate the effect of changes that normally occur at the same time and in about the same magnitude every year—such as price movements resulting from weather events, production cycles, model changeovers, holidays, and sales. This allows data users to focus on changes that are not typical for the time of year. The unadjusted data are of primary interest to consumers concerned about the prices they actually pay. Unadjusted data are also used extensively for escalation purposes. Many collective bargaining contract agreements and pension plans, for example, tie compensation changes to the Consumer Price Index before adjustment for seasonal variation. BLS advises against the use of seasonally adjusted data in escalation agreements because seasonally adjusted series are revised annually.

Intervention Analysis

The Bureau of Labor Statistics uses intervention analysis seasonal adjustment for some CPI series. Sometimes extreme values or sharp movements can distort the underlying seasonal pattern of price change. Intervention analysis seasonal adjustment is a process by which the distortions caused by such unusual events are estimated and removed from the data prior to calculation of seasonal factors. The resulting seasonal factors, which more accurately represent the seasonal pattern, are then applied to the unadjusted data.

For example, this procedure was used for the motor fuel series to offset the effects of the 2009 return to normal pricing after the worldwide economic downturn in 2008. Retaining this outlier data during seasonal factor calculation would distort the computation of the seasonal portion of the time series data for motor fuel, so it was estimated and removed from the data prior to seasonal adjustment. Following that, seasonal factors were calculated based on this “prior adjusted” data. These seasonal factors represent a clearer picture of the seasonal pattern in the data. The last step is for motor fuel seasonal factors to be applied to the unadjusted data.

For the seasonal factors introduced for January 2021, BLS adjusted 72 series using intervention analysis seasonal adjustment, including selected food and beverage items, motor fuels, electricity, and vehicles.

Revision of Seasonally Adjusted Indexes

Seasonally adjusted data, including the U.S. city average all items index levels, are subject to revision for up to 5 years after their original release. Every year, economists in the CPI calculate new seasonal factors for seasonally adjusted series and apply them to the last 5 years of data. Seasonally adjusted indexes beyond the last 5 years of data are considered to be final and not subject to revision. For January 2021, revised seasonal factors and seasonally adjusted indexes for 2016 to 2020 were calculated and published. For series which are directly adjusted using the Census X-13ARIMA-SEATS seasonal adjustment software, the seasonal factors for 2020 will be applied to data for 2021 to produce the seasonally adjusted 2021 indexes. Series which are indirectly seasonally adjusted by summing seasonally adjusted component series have seasonal factors which are derived and are therefore not available in advance.

Determining Seasonal Status

Each year the seasonal status of every series is reevaluated based upon certain statistical criteria. Using these criteria, BLS economists determine whether a series should change its status from "not seasonally adjusted" to "seasonally adjusted", or vice versa. If any of the 81 components of the U.S. city average all items index change their seasonal adjustment status from seasonally adjusted to not seasonally adjusted, not seasonally adjusted data will be used in the aggregation of the dependent series for the last 5 years, but the seasonally adjusted indexes before that period will not be changed. Thirty-four of the 81 components of the U.S. city average all items index are not seasonally adjusted for 2021.

Contact Information

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For additional information on seasonal adjustment in the CPI visit www.bls.gov/cpi/seasonal-adjustment/home.htm or contact the CPI seasonal adjustment section at 202-691-6968 or cpiseas@bls.gov.

Information from this release will be made available to sensory impaired individuals upon request. Voice phone: 202-691-5200; Federal Relay Service: 1-800-877-8339.

Table 1. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, by expenditure category, November 2021

[1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted]

Expenditure category	Relative importance Oct. 2021	Unadjusted indexes			Unadjusted percent change		Seasonally adjusted percent change		
		Nov. 2020	Oct. 2021	Nov. 2021	Nov. 2020- Nov. 2021	Oct. 2021- Nov. 2021	Aug. 2021- Sep. 2021	Sep. 2021- Oct. 2021	Oct. 2021- Nov. 2021
All items.....	100.000	260.229	276.589	277.948	6.8	0.5	0.4	0.9	0.8
Food.....	13.995	269.069	284.205	285.507	6.1	0.5	0.9	0.9	0.7
Food at home.....	7.733	250.407	265.478	266.384	6.4	0.3	1.2	1.0	0.8
Cereals and bakery products.....	0.979	282.782	294.625	295.909	4.6	0.4	1.1	1.0	0.8
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs.....	1.838	265.307	297.377	299.228	12.8	0.6	2.2	1.7	0.9
Dairy and related products.....	0.750	229.503	233.168	233.157	1.6	0.0	0.7	0.2	0.2
Fruits and vegetables.....	1.311	306.311	318.316	318.436	4.0	0.0	0.6	0.1	1.0
Nonalcoholic beverages and beverage materials.....	0.920	175.869	186.387	185.119	5.3	-0.7	1.2	0.8	0.2
Other food at home.....	1.935	217.310	227.701	229.643	5.7	0.9	1.1	1.2	1.0
Food away from home ¹	6.262	298.253	313.592	315.481	5.8	0.6	0.5	0.8	0.6
Energy.....	7.469	194.388	255.338	259.100	33.3	1.5	1.3	4.8	3.5
Energy commodities.....	4.207	192.126	294.326	302.635	57.5	2.8	1.3	6.2	5.9
Fuel oil ¹	0.111	209.579	322.736	333.899	59.3	3.5	3.9	12.3	3.5
Motor fuel.....	4.022	188.544	289.665	297.841	58.0	2.8	1.2	6.1	6.1
Gasoline (all types).....	3.937	187.609	288.501	296.571	58.1	2.8	1.2	6.1	6.1
Energy services.....	3.262	205.921	228.484	227.874	10.7	-0.3	1.2	3.0	0.3
Electricity.....	2.446	213.787	229.641	227.588	6.5	-0.9	0.8	1.8	0.3
Utility (piped) gas service.....	0.816	179.226	220.668	224.225	25.1	1.6	2.7	6.6	0.6
All items less food and energy.....	78.536	269.473	281.617	282.754	4.9	0.4	0.2	0.6	0.5
Commodities less food and energy.....	20.755	145.750	158.550	159.426	9.4	0.6	0.2	1.0	0.9
Apparel.....	2.725	116.602	124.323	122.383	5.0	-1.6	-1.1	0.0	1.3
New vehicles.....	3.856	148.063	162.527	164.511	11.1	1.2	1.3	1.4	1.1
Used cars and trucks.....	3.350	152.324	195.213	200.209	31.4	2.6	-0.7	2.5	2.5
Medical care commodities ¹	1.493	378.810	379.003	379.483	0.2	0.1	0.3	0.6	0.1
Alcoholic beverages.....	0.997	259.995	264.748	264.957	1.9	0.1	0.2	-0.2	0.0
Tobacco and smoking products ¹	0.615	1,192.609	1,287.067	1,298.746	8.9	0.9	0.7	1.9	0.9
Services less energy services.....	57.781	346.884	357.469	358.722	3.4	0.4	0.2	0.4	0.4
Shelter.....	32.425	327.435	338.671	339.997	3.8	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.5
Rent of primary residence.....	7.585	344.039	352.892	354.526	3.0	0.5	0.5	0.4	0.4
Owners' equivalent rent of residences ²	23.514	337.247	347.522	349.152	3.5	0.5	0.4	0.4	0.4
Medical care services.....	7.002	565.345	575.493	577.076	2.1	0.3	-0.1	0.5	0.3
Physicians' services ¹	1.780	392.156	407.391	408.843	4.3	0.4	-0.3	0.0	0.4
Hospital services ³	2.171	355.164	368.593	367.479	3.5	-0.3	0.1	0.5	-0.3
Transportation services.....	5.012	315.554	323.903	327.749	3.9	1.2	-0.5	0.4	0.7
Motor vehicle maintenance and repair ¹	1.085	309.949	325.095	325.076	4.9	0.0	0.0	1.5	0.0
Motor vehicle insurance.....	1.557	537.765	564.507	568.239	5.7	0.7	2.1	0.0	-0.8
Airline fares.....	0.596	223.360	205.994	215.159	-3.7	4.4	-6.4	-0.7	4.7

¹ Not seasonally adjusted.

² Indexes on a December 1982=100 base.

³ Indexes on a December 1996=100 base.

Table 2. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, by detailed expenditure category, November 2021

[1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted]

Expenditure category	Relative importance Oct. 2021	Unadjusted percent change		Seasonally adjusted percent change		
		Nov. 2020- Nov. 2021	Oct. 2021- Nov. 2021	Aug. 2021- Sep. 2021	Sep. 2021- Oct. 2021	Oct. 2021- Nov. 2021
All items.....	100.000	6.8	0.5	0.4	0.9	0.8
Food.....	13.995	6.1	0.5	0.9	0.9	0.7
Food at home.....	7.733	6.4	0.3	1.2	1.0	0.8
Cereals and bakery products.....	0.979	4.6	0.4	1.1	1.0	0.8
Cereals and cereal products.....	0.298	4.4	0.7	0.6	1.6	1.3
Flour and prepared flour mixes.....	0.042	6.2	-1.3	1.1	2.0	1.8
Breakfast cereal ¹	0.139	5.7	0.7	-0.3	3.3	0.7
Rice, pasta, cornmeal.....	0.117	2.3	1.4	1.6	0.0	1.2
Rice ^{1, 2, 3}		1.1	1.5	0.5	0.0	1.5
Bakery products ¹	0.681	4.8	0.3	1.5	0.7	0.3
Bread ^{1, 2}	0.193	4.0	1.2	1.8	0.8	1.2
White bread ^{1, 3}		3.5	1.5	2.5	0.6	1.5
Bread other than white ^{1, 3}		4.7	0.9	1.2	1.1	0.9
Fresh biscuits, rolls, muffins ²	0.100	6.6	1.2	3.7	-0.1	1.3
Cakes, cupcakes, and cookies ¹	0.173	3.4	0.1	0.4	-0.1	0.1
Cookies ^{1, 3}		1.0	-0.5	0.3	-0.6	-0.5
Fresh cakes and cupcakes ^{1, 3}		6.9	0.5	0.7	0.7	0.5
Other bakery products.....	0.215	5.7	-0.7	1.2	1.7	0.9
Fresh sweetrolls, coffeecakes, doughnuts ^{1, 3}		4.0	3.5	-0.3	0.0	3.5
Crackers, bread, and cracker products ³		5.9	-2.2	3.1	-0.1	0.6
Frozen and refrigerated bakery products, pies, tarts, turnovers ^{1, 3}		6.5	-1.1	0.6	3.7	-1.1
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs.....	1.838	12.8	0.6	2.2	1.7	0.9
Meats, poultry, and fish.....	1.736	13.1	0.8	2.2	1.9	1.2
Meats.....	1.117	16.0	0.7	3.3	2.5	1.4
Beef and veal.....	0.536	20.9	0.6	4.8	3.1	0.9
Uncooked ground beef ¹	0.186	13.9	0.9	1.7	2.6	0.9
Uncooked beef roasts ^{1, 2}	0.086	26.4	1.8	6.0	0.3	1.8
Uncooked beef steaks ²	0.213	24.6	-0.7	4.8	2.8	0.2
Uncooked other beef and veal ^{1, 2}	0.050	24.2	2.5	5.2	1.5	2.5
Pork.....	0.354	16.8	0.6	1.7	2.6	2.2
Bacon, breakfast sausage, and related products ²	0.147	17.8	0.2	1.8	2.4	2.3
Bacon and related products ³		21.0	0.6	2.6	2.0	1.7
Breakfast sausage and related products ^{2, 3}		12.9	-0.4	0.6	2.7	2.7
Ham.....	0.068	10.7	-1.8	2.5	-0.1	2.1
Ham, excluding canned ³		11.1	-1.9	2.6	-0.2	2.1
Pork chops ¹	0.055	12.7	0.2	-1.4	5.0	0.2
Other pork including roasts, steaks, and ribs ²	0.084	22.9	3.7	1.4	2.4	3.7
Other meats.....	0.227	4.8	1.2	2.4	0.9	1.2
Frankfurters ³		3.0	2.4	3.8	-1.9	2.8
Lunchmeats ^{1, 2, 3}		4.4	1.0	1.8	1.6	1.0
Poultry ¹	0.340	8.4	0.8	-0.5	0.8	0.8
Chicken ^{1, 2}	0.278	9.2	1.4	0.0	1.0	1.4
Fresh whole chicken ^{1, 3}		6.7	1.3	0.1	-0.5	1.3
Fresh and frozen chicken parts ^{1, 3}		10.7	1.5	0.0	1.5	1.5
Other uncooked poultry including turkey ²	0.062	4.6	-1.9	-2.5	-0.1	1.1
Fish and seafood.....	0.280	8.0	1.0	1.4	0.6	0.7
Fresh fish and seafood ²	0.145	10.6	-0.2	2.4	0.6	-0.3
Processed fish and seafood ²	0.135	5.5	2.2	1.1	0.5	1.8
Shelf stable fish and seafood ³		0.0	1.1	0.1	0.9	0.9
Frozen fish and seafood ³		8.1	3.4	2.5	-1.4	3.1
Eggs.....	0.102	8.0	-1.8	1.1	-0.1	-2.7

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Table 2. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, by detailed expenditure category, November 2021 — Continued
 [1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted]

Expenditure category	Relative importance Oct. 2021	Unadjusted percent change		Seasonally adjusted percent change		
		Nov. 2020- Nov. 2021	Oct. 2021- Nov. 2021	Aug. 2021- Sep. 2021	Sep. 2021- Oct. 2021	Oct. 2021- Nov. 2021
Dairy and related products.....	0.750	1.6	0.0	0.7	0.2	0.2
Milk ²	0.208	4.6	1.0	0.4	0.0	0.9
Fresh whole milk ³		6.6	1.4	0.5	-0.3	1.5
Fresh milk other than whole ^{2, 3}		4.4	0.9	0.5	-0.1	0.7
Cheese and related products ¹	0.249	-0.3	0.0	0.8	0.4	0.0
Ice cream and related products.....	0.106	0.7	-1.7	-0.3	1.7	-2.0
Other dairy and related products ^{1, 2}	0.187	1.4	-0.2	0.7	-0.1	-0.2
Fruits and vegetables.....	1.311	4.0	0.0	0.6	0.1	1.0
Fresh fruits and vegetables.....	1.031	4.0	0.2	0.7	-0.3	1.1
Fresh fruits.....	0.536	5.8	0.8	0.5	-0.9	2.2
Apples.....	0.075	7.4	-1.8	3.8	0.1	0.6
Bananas ¹	0.072	3.7	1.4	0.4	1.3	1.4
Citrus fruits ²	0.143	2.6	-2.6	-0.9	-1.2	2.3
Oranges, including tangerines ³		0.9	-3.1	1.2	-1.3	2.4
Other fresh fruits ²	0.246	7.7	3.3	-0.8	-1.9	3.5
Fresh vegetables.....	0.494	2.2	-0.3	1.0	0.4	0.0
Potatoes.....	0.078	-0.2	-9.3	2.4	-0.3	-2.5
Lettuce ¹	0.062	3.2	6.9	2.2	1.5	6.9
Tomatoes.....	0.078	3.0	2.2	-0.6	0.5	-1.2
Other fresh vegetables.....	0.276	2.4	-0.2	0.3	1.2	-0.4
Processed fruits and vegetables ²	0.281	3.7	-0.7	0.2	1.5	0.6
Canned fruits and vegetables ²	0.148	4.2	-1.2	-0.1	2.4	0.5
Canned fruits ^{2, 3}		0.0	-2.5	-0.4	2.4	-1.4
Canned vegetables ^{2, 3}		6.5	-0.5	-0.1	3.3	1.0
Frozen fruits and vegetables ²	0.084	2.8	-0.3	0.3	0.4	0.7
Frozen vegetables ³		0.5	-0.7	-0.5	1.0	0.4
Other processed fruits and vegetables including dried ²	0.049	3.6	0.2	2.0	-0.1	1.1
Dried beans, peas, and lentils ^{1, 2, 3}		8.6	3.1	1.7	-1.2	3.1
Nonalcoholic beverages and beverage materials.....	0.920	5.3	-0.7	1.2	0.8	0.2
Juices and nonalcoholic drinks ²	0.659	5.3	-0.7	1.3	0.6	0.1
Carbonated drinks.....	0.281	7.4	-1.1	1.7	0.6	1.4
Frozen noncarbonated juices and drinks ^{1, 2}	0.006	3.6	-0.4	1.6	2.0	-0.4
Nonfrozen noncarbonated juices and drinks ²	0.372	3.7	-0.4	0.8	0.7	-0.3
Beverage materials including coffee and tea ²	0.261	5.2	-0.7	0.9	1.2	0.2
Coffee.....	0.169	7.5	-0.3	1.9	1.7	1.1
Roasted coffee ³		7.6	-0.7	1.9	2.1	0.9
Instant coffee ^{1, 3}		6.8	0.0	1.6	-0.4	0.0
Other beverage materials including tea ^{1, 2}	0.091	1.3	-1.4	-1.2	0.2	-1.4
Other food at home.....	1.935	5.7	0.9	1.1	1.2	1.0
Sugar and sweets ¹	0.260	3.8	1.3	0.3	0.2	1.3
Sugar and sugar substitutes.....	0.037	3.3	-1.5	0.1	4.1	0.6
Candy and chewing gum ^{1, 2}	0.171	3.1	1.5	0.1	-0.1	1.5
Other sweets ²	0.052	6.8	2.8	0.7	-0.1	3.2
Fats and oils.....	0.217	9.1	-0.2	1.2	0.3	1.5
Butter and margarine ²	0.062	3.9	-2.9	-0.8	1.1	-0.5
Butter ³		2.4	-3.7	-1.7	2.0	-0.6
Margarine ³		5.0	-2.5	-0.9	0.2	-0.7
Salad dressing ²	0.052	8.2	0.2	-0.8	-0.3	1.6
Other fats and oils including peanut butter ²	0.104	12.9	1.2	3.7	0.3	2.3
Peanut butter ^{1, 2, 3}		6.8	0.9	3.0	3.3	0.9
Other foods.....	1.458	5.5	0.9	1.3	1.5	0.9
Soups.....	0.087	3.6	-1.5	1.8	2.1	-0.1
Frozen and freeze dried prepared foods.....	0.253	5.7	1.5	1.2	0.7	1.6

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Table 2. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, by detailed expenditure category, November 2021 — Continued
 [1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted]

Expenditure category	Relative importance Oct. 2021	Unadjusted percent change		Seasonally adjusted percent change		
		Nov. 2020- Nov. 2021	Oct. 2021- Nov. 2021	Aug. 2021- Sep. 2021	Sep. 2021- Oct. 2021	Oct. 2021- Nov. 2021
Snacks ¹	0.333	5.9	1.6	1.3	2.1	1.6
Spices, seasonings, condiments, sauces.....	0.285	4.7	0.7	1.0	1.7	2.0
Salt and other seasonings and spices ^{2, 3}		6.7	1.8	1.4	1.9	3.1
Olives, pickles, relishes ^{1, 2, 3}		4.5	2.1	1.1	1.7	2.1
Sauces and gravies ^{2, 3}		3.3	-0.4	1.2	1.6	1.0
Other condiments ³		6.9	1.6	-0.3	3.0	2.7
Baby food ^{1, 2}	0.043	6.7	0.4	2.2	2.6	0.4
Other miscellaneous foods ²	0.457	5.9	0.7	1.4	1.5	-0.1
Prepared salads ^{3, 4}		7.7	2.3	4.2	-0.3	1.1
Food away from home ¹	6.262	5.8	0.6	0.5	0.8	0.6
Full service meals and snacks ^{1, 2}	3.149	6.0	0.4	0.6	0.9	0.4
Limited service meals and snacks ^{1, 2}	2.791	7.9	1.0	0.6	0.8	1.0
Food at employee sites and schools ^{1, 2}	0.071	-44.9	-5.5	-6.4	1.8	-5.5
Food at elementary and secondary schools ^{1, 3, 5}		-58.6	-8.3	-10.4	-6.1	-8.3
Food from vending machines and mobile vendors ^{1, 2}	0.080	6.4	0.2	-0.3	0.0	0.2
Other food away from home ^{1, 2}	0.171	4.4	0.0	1.3	0.2	0.0
Energy.....	7.469	33.3	1.5	1.3	4.8	3.5
Energy commodities.....	4.207	57.5	2.8	1.3	6.2	5.9
Fuel oil and other fuels.....	0.185	48.3	2.8	3.1	9.4	1.5
Fuel oil ¹	0.111	59.3	3.5	3.9	12.3	3.5
Propane, kerosene, and firewood ⁶	0.074	34.3	1.9	3.8	6.2	0.1
Motor fuel.....	4.022	58.0	2.8	1.2	6.1	6.1
Gasoline (all types).....	3.937	58.1	2.8	1.2	6.1	6.1
Gasoline, unleaded regular ³		60.1	2.8	1.1	6.5	5.9
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ^{3, 7}		50.6	2.8	0.5	5.6	5.9
Gasoline, unleaded premium ³		46.2	2.6	1.0	4.3	5.2
Other motor fuels ^{1, 2}	0.085	53.1	4.0	0.6	5.3	4.0
Energy services.....	3.262	10.7	-0.3	1.2	3.0	0.3
Electricity.....	2.446	6.5	-0.9	0.8	1.8	0.3
Utility (piped) gas service.....	0.816	25.1	1.6	2.7	6.6	0.6
All items less food and energy.....	78.536	4.9	0.4	0.2	0.6	0.5
Commodities less food and energy commodities.....	20.755	9.4	0.6	0.2	1.0	0.9
Household furnishings and supplies ⁸	3.774	6.0	0.3	1.3	0.8	0.7
Window and floor coverings and other linens ^{1, 2}	0.281	5.8	-1.9	3.9	-1.0	-1.9
Floor coverings ^{1, 2}	0.062	7.6	3.1	0.9	0.5	3.1
Window coverings ^{1, 2}	0.061	10.7	-0.1	-3.4	1.8	-0.1
Other linens ^{1, 2}	0.159	3.2	-4.6	8.0	-2.5	-4.6
Furniture and bedding ¹	0.985	11.8	0.6	2.4	0.3	0.6
Bedroom furniture ¹	0.340	9.9	0.0	1.5	1.3	0.0
Living room, kitchen, and dining room furniture ^{1, 2}	0.482	14.1	0.9	3.5	-0.8	0.9
Other furniture ²	0.154	9.0	0.9	0.4	2.0	1.0
Appliances ²	0.221	4.9	-1.3	1.2	-0.1	0.0
Major appliances ²	0.079	5.5	-0.3	0.7	-0.9	2.4
Laundry equipment ^{1, 3}		9.2	-1.3	1.4	-2.1	-1.3
Other appliances ^{1, 2}	0.140	4.6	-1.8	2.2	0.3	-1.8
Other household equipment and furnishings ^{1, 2}	0.522	4.0	0.7	0.8	1.2	0.7
Clocks, lamps, and decorator items ¹	0.305	4.2	1.3	0.9	1.8	1.3
Indoor plants and flowers ⁹	0.090	6.4	1.0	-1.5	1.3	2.0
Dishes and flatware ^{1, 2}	0.048	-3.9	-0.7	2.9	-1.7	-0.7
Nonelectric cookware and tableware ^{1, 2}	0.078	5.7	-1.4	0.8	0.1	-1.4
Tools, hardware, outdoor equipment and supplies ²	0.888	6.9	0.9	0.8	3.1	0.9
Tools, hardware and supplies ^{1, 2}	0.242	6.0	0.0	1.0	-0.7	0.0
Outdoor equipment and supplies ²	0.458	7.5	1.4	1.0	5.1	1.1

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Expenditure category	Relative importance Oct. 2021	Unadjusted percent change		Seasonally adjusted percent change		
		Nov. 2020- Nov. 2021	Oct. 2021- Nov. 2021	Aug. 2021- Sep. 2021	Sep. 2021- Oct. 2021	Oct. 2021- Nov. 2021
Housekeeping supplies ¹	0.876	0.7	0.2	0.4	0.7	0.2
Household cleaning products ^{1, 2}	0.346	1.0	0.0	-0.4	0.5	0.0
Household paper products ^{1, 2}	0.226	2.6	0.2	1.3	1.0	0.2
Miscellaneous household products ^{1, 2}	0.305	-1.1	0.4	0.8	0.7	0.4
Apparel.....	2.725	5.0	-1.6	-1.1	0.0	1.3
Men's and boys' apparel.....	0.688	7.8	-0.2	-0.4	-0.5	3.0
Men's apparel.....	0.551	7.6	-0.3	-1.1	-0.4	2.9
Men's suits, sport coats, and outerwear.....	0.095	14.1	0.8	-2.4	-1.1	6.7
Men's underwear, nightwear, swimwear, and accessories ¹	0.163	6.5	-0.1	0.6	1.3	-0.1
Men's shirts and sweaters ²	0.155	6.0	-1.6	1.0	-2.2	2.2
Men's pants and shorts.....	0.132	6.5	0.1	-1.7	-1.0	1.4
Boys' apparel.....	0.137	8.4	0.5	-1.7	0.7	3.0
Women's and girls' apparel.....	1.101	3.4	-2.6	-2.6	0.7	1.1
Women's apparel.....	0.911	4.2	-2.6	-2.6	1.1	1.2
Women's outerwear.....	0.067	5.4	-5.7	1.8	1.3	-1.5
Women's dresses.....	0.101	8.6	-3.9	-1.3	0.3	1.6
Women's suits and separates ²	0.465	4.8	-2.3	-3.7	2.4	2.2
Women's underwear, nightwear, swimwear, and accessories ²	0.268	1.4	-1.9	-1.3	-0.7	-1.0
Girls' apparel.....	0.190	-0.4	-2.4	-3.0	-1.1	0.9
Footwear.....	0.648	4.7	-0.5	0.5	-0.3	0.7
Men's footwear ¹	0.228	6.2	0.1	1.7	-0.1	0.1
Boys' and girls' footwear.....	0.136	2.2	-1.2	3.3	-0.5	-0.6
Women's footwear.....	0.285	4.8	-0.6	-1.1	-0.2	1.2
Infants' and toddlers' apparel.....	0.127	4.5	-1.3	0.8	1.1	0.1
Jewelry and watches ⁶	0.161	5.2	-5.2	-1.7	-2.4	-1.9
Watches ^{1, 6}	0.038	1.0	-1.6	-2.3	-0.5	-1.6
Jewelry ⁶	0.123	6.7	-6.2	-1.4	-2.0	-2.8
Transportation commodities less motor fuel ⁸	7.872	19.2	1.8	0.3	1.9	1.7
New vehicles.....	3.856	11.1	1.2	1.3	1.4	1.1
New cars and trucks ^{2, 3}		11.1	1.2	1.3	1.4	1.1
New cars ³		10.9	1.5	1.2	1.1	1.4
New trucks ^{3, 10}		11.2	1.1	1.3	1.5	1.0
Used cars and trucks.....	3.350	31.4	2.6	-0.7	2.5	2.5
Motor vehicle parts and equipment ¹	0.401	10.2	1.1	0.8	1.4	1.1
Tires ¹	0.256	11.1	1.3	0.8	1.2	1.3
Vehicle accessories other than tires ^{1, 2}	0.146	8.7	0.8	0.9	1.8	0.8
Vehicle parts and equipment other than tires ^{1, 3}		7.1	1.4	1.0	1.4	1.4
Motor oil, coolant, and fluids ^{1, 3}		9.7	-0.7	-0.7	2.1	-0.7
Medical care commodities ¹	1.493	0.2	0.1	0.3	0.6	0.1
Medicinal drugs ⁸	1.427	0.0	0.2	0.7	0.7	0.2
Prescription drugs.....	1.071	-0.3	0.1	0.8	0.6	0.3
Nonprescription drugs ^{1, 8}	0.356	0.8	0.2	0.1	1.0	0.2
Medical equipment and supplies ^{1, 8}	0.065	5.2	-0.4	1.0	0.3	-0.4
Recreation commodities ⁸	1.961	3.9	0.1	-0.2	0.4	0.3
Video and audio products ⁸	0.260	1.3	-0.9	-0.5	-0.6	-0.1
Televisions.....	0.096	7.9	-2.8	-0.6	-2.2	-1.4
Other video equipment ²	0.040	2.0	-0.2	0.9	-2.6	1.7
Audio equipment ¹	0.070	-5.0	0.9	-1.7	2.4	0.9
Recorded music and music subscriptions ^{1, 2}	0.043	-1.9	-0.7	0.3	0.2	-0.7
Pets and pet products ¹	0.609	2.8	0.1	0.5	0.0	0.1
Pet food ^{1, 2, 3}		1.5	0.3	0.5	0.1	0.3
Purchase of pets, pet supplies, accessories ^{1, 2, 3}		4.3	0.0	-0.1	-0.3	0.0

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		Nov. 2020- Nov. 2021	Oct. 2021- Nov. 2021	Aug. 2021- Sep. 2021	Sep. 2021- Oct. 2021	Oct. 2021- Nov. 2021
Sporting goods ¹	0.610	8.4	0.3	-0.4	1.6	0.3
Sports vehicles including bicycles ¹	0.373	9.4	0.8	-0.3	1.9	0.8
Sports equipment ¹	0.227	6.7	-0.5	-0.4	1.0	-0.5
Photographic equipment and supplies.....	0.026	4.0	-0.8	0.2	-0.1	-1.0
Photographic equipment ^{2, 3}		5.2	-1.0	-0.1	-0.6	-0.7
Recreational reading materials ¹	0.115	2.2	0.5	0.0	0.1	0.5
Newspapers and magazines ^{1, 2}	0.067	3.5	0.0	-0.1	0.7	0.0
Recreational books ^{1, 2}	0.046	0.2	1.3	0.2	-0.8	1.3
Other recreational goods ²	0.341	1.1	0.5	-1.2	0.0	1.1
Toys.....	0.261	1.2	0.7	-1.3	0.0	1.4
Toys, games, hobbies and playground equipment ^{1, 3}		2.3	0.7	-0.4	0.5	1.7
Sewing machines, fabric and supplies ^{1, 2}	0.019	-4.8	1.2	-2.9	0.3	1.2
Music instruments and accessories ^{1, 2}	0.046	2.9	-0.6	0.1	-0.1	-0.6
Education and communication commodities ⁸	0.480	0.9	-1.0	0.6	-0.5	-1.0
Educational books and supplies ¹	0.103	0.2	-0.4	-0.4	0.1	-0.4
College textbooks ^{1, 3, 11}		-0.2	-0.9	-0.3	0.0	-0.9
Information technology commodities ⁸	0.377	1.2	-1.2	0.9	-0.7	-1.2
Computers, peripherals, and smart home assistants ^{1, 4}	0.294	4.8	-1.3	1.2	-0.8	-1.3
Computer software and accessories ^{1, 2}	0.017	-2.3	-1.4	-3.5	3.3	-1.4
Telephone hardware, calculators, and other consumer information items ²	0.067	-11.5	-0.7	0.9	-0.9	-0.6
Smartphones ^{1, 3, 12}		-16.0	-0.8	-2.1	-3.6	-0.8
Alcoholic beverages.....	0.997	1.9	0.1	0.2	-0.2	0.0
Alcoholic beverages at home.....	0.555	1.3	0.0	-0.1	-0.4	0.1
Beer, ale, and other malt beverages at home.....	0.214	1.2	0.2	0.3	-1.0	-0.3
Distilled spirits at home ¹	0.092	3.2	-0.3	0.6	0.3	-0.3
Whiskey at home ^{1, 3}		1.6	-0.2	0.4	0.6	-0.2
Distilled spirits, excluding whiskey, at home ^{1, 3}		3.8	-0.5	0.9	0.1	-0.5
Wine at home.....	0.250	0.6	0.0	-0.4	-0.2	0.5
Alcoholic beverages away from home ¹	0.442	2.7	0.1	0.4	0.1	0.1
Beer, ale, and other malt beverages away from home ^{1, 2, 3}		3.5	0.5	0.3	0.1	0.5
Wine away from home ^{1, 2, 3}		2.3	0.1	0.7	0.2	0.1
Distilled spirits away from home ^{1, 2, 3}		1.2	-0.4	0.3	0.0	-0.4
Other goods ⁸	1.453	4.3	0.3	0.1	1.2	0.3
Tobacco and smoking products ¹	0.615	8.9	0.9	0.7	1.9	0.9
Cigarettes ^{1, 2}	0.537	9.4	0.9	0.7	2.1	0.9
Tobacco products other than cigarettes ^{1, 2}	0.059	4.6	0.7	0.5	0.0	0.7
Personal care products ¹	0.643	-0.2	-0.4	-0.1	0.2	-0.4
Hair, dental, shaving, and miscellaneous personal care products ^{1, 2}	0.348	0.5	-0.2	-0.3	0.5	-0.2
Cosmetics, perfume, bath, nail preparations and implements ¹	0.288	-1.2	-0.7	0.1	-0.2	-0.7
Miscellaneous personal goods ^{1, 2}	0.195	6.0	1.1	-1.2	2.7	1.1
Stationery, stationery supplies, gift wrap ³		7.3	2.8	-0.1	1.9	1.9
Services less energy services.....	57.781	3.4	0.4	0.2	0.4	0.4
Shelter.....	32.425	3.8	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.5
Rent of shelter ¹³	32.083	3.9	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.5
Rent of primary residence.....	7.585	3.0	0.5	0.5	0.4	0.4
Lodging away from home ²	0.984	22.2	-1.8	-0.6	1.4	2.9
Housing at school, excluding board ¹³	0.114	1.8	-0.1	-0.1	0.1	0.0
Other lodging away from home including hotels and motels.....	0.870	25.5	-2.0	-0.6	1.5	3.2

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Table 2. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, by detailed expenditure category, November 2021 — Continued
 [1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted]

Expenditure category	Relative importance Oct. 2021	Unadjusted percent change		Seasonally adjusted percent change		
		Nov. 2020- Nov. 2021	Oct. 2021- Nov. 2021	Aug. 2021- Sep. 2021	Sep. 2021- Oct. 2021	Oct. 2021- Nov. 2021
Owners' equivalent rent of residences ¹³	23.514	3.5	0.5	0.4	0.4	0.4
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence ¹³ ..	22.332	3.5	0.5	0.4	0.4	0.4
Tenants' and household insurance ^{1, 2}	0.342	-1.0	-0.3	0.3	-0.3	-0.3
Water and sewer and trash collection services ²	1.074	3.5	0.1	0.5	0.2	0.0
Water and sewerage maintenance.....	0.783	3.0	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.1
Garbage and trash collection ^{1, 10}	0.292	4.8	-0.2	1.1	0.0	-0.2
Household operations ^{1, 2}	0.890	8.4	1.1	-0.2	0.5	1.1
Domestic services ^{1, 2}	0.300	10.2	1.5	-2.3	0.1	1.5
Gardening and lawncare services ^{1, 2}	0.302		0.2	1.9	1.1	0.2
Moving, storage, freight expense ^{1, 2}	0.093	7.5	-0.2	-0.8	-2.2	-0.2
Repair of household items ^{1, 2}						
Medical care services.....	7.002	2.1	0.3	-0.1	0.5	0.3
Professional services.....	3.549	3.1	0.2	-0.2	0.1	0.3
Physicians' services ¹	1.780	4.3	0.4	-0.3	0.0	0.4
Dental services.....	0.966	2.2	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.2
Eyeglasses and eye care ^{1, 6}	0.348	1.1	0.2	0.0	0.2	0.2
Services by other medical professionals ^{1, 6}	0.456	2.1	0.0	0.3	0.0	0.0
Hospital and related services.....	2.364	3.5	-0.3	0.1	0.5	-0.2
Hospital services ¹⁴	2.171	3.5	-0.3	0.1	0.5	-0.3
Inpatient hospital services ^{14, 3}		3.5	-0.3	0.0	0.5	-0.2
Outpatient hospital services ^{3, 6}		2.7	-0.5	0.2	0.3	-0.4
Nursing homes and adult day services ¹⁴	0.121	3.2	-0.1	0.6	0.4	0.0
Care of invalids and elderly at home ^{1, 5}	0.072	5.2	-0.1	0.3	0.2	-0.1
Health insurance ^{1, 5}	1.089	-3.8	1.7	-1.0	2.0	1.7
Transportation services.....	5.012	3.9	1.2	-0.5	0.4	0.7
Leased cars and trucks ^{1, 11}						
Car and truck rental ²	0.176	37.2	2.3	-2.9	3.1	1.1
Motor vehicle maintenance and repair ¹	1.085	4.9	0.0	0.0	1.5	0.0
Motor vehicle body work ¹	0.059	8.0	1.0	0.2	0.9	1.0
Motor vehicle maintenance and servicing ¹	0.627	4.5	-0.4	0.7	1.5	-0.4
Motor vehicle repair ^{1, 2}	0.340	5.1	0.5	-1.3	1.5	0.5
Motor vehicle insurance.....	1.557	5.7	0.7	2.1	0.0	-0.8
Motor vehicle fees ^{1, 2}	0.540	1.5	0.3	0.2	-0.2	0.3
State motor vehicle registration and license fees ^{1, 2}	0.281	0.3	-0.2	0.0	0.0	-0.2
Parking and other fees ^{1, 2}	0.245	2.8	0.9	0.5	-0.4	0.9
Parking fees and tolls ^{2, 3}		4.0	1.1	0.5	-0.2	0.9
Public transportation.....	1.050	-0.6	3.0	-5.0	-0.7	3.0
Airline fares.....	0.596	-3.7	4.4	-6.4	-0.7	4.7
Other intercity transportation.....	0.170	2.4	0.9	-1.7	-1.8	1.0
Ship fare ^{1, 2, 3}		3.7	0.8	-2.4	-3.3	0.8
Intracity transportation ¹	0.281	5.0	1.0	-1.9	-0.4	1.0
Intracity mass transit ^{1, 3, 8}		8.5	1.0	-0.3	0.0	1.0
Recreation services ⁹	3.703	2.8	-0.5	0.4	0.8	-0.5
Video and audio services ⁸	1.234	3.6	-0.2	0.4	0.0	-0.3
Cable and satellite television service ¹⁰	1.161	3.9	-0.1	0.5	-0.1	-0.2
Video discs and other media, including rental of video ^{1, 2}	0.073	-0.1	-1.8	-0.8	0.6	-1.8
Video discs and other media ^{1, 2, 3}		-1.2	-3.7	-2.2	2.8	-3.7
Rental of video discs and other media ^{1, 2, 3}		3.1	0.2	0.7	0.0	0.2
Pet services including veterinary ²	0.547	4.2	0.2	0.3	0.4	0.4
Veterinarian services ^{2, 3}		3.4	0.3	0.3	0.5	0.4
Photographers and photo processing ^{1, 2}	0.042	2.7	2.5	0.0	0.2	2.5
Other recreation services ²	1.879	1.9	-0.9	0.4	1.6	-0.9

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 2. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, by detailed expenditure category, November 2021 — Continued
 [1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted]

Expenditure category	Relative importance Oct. 2021	Unadjusted percent change		Seasonally adjusted percent change		
		Nov. 2020- Nov. 2021	Oct. 2021- Nov. 2021	Aug. 2021- Sep. 2021	Sep. 2021- Oct. 2021	Oct. 2021- Nov. 2021
Club membership for shopping clubs, fraternal, or other organizations, or participant sports fees ^{1, 2, ..}	0.656	1.5	0.1	0.0	0.4	0.1
Admissions ¹	0.697	1.8	-2.2	1.0	3.2	-2.2
Admission to movies, theaters, and concerts ^{1, 2, 3}		4.5	0.8	-0.1	0.1	0.8
Admission to sporting events ^{1, 2, 3}			-4.8	0.2	8.3	-4.8
Fees for lessons or instructions ^{1, 6}	0.211	2.9	0.0	-0.6	0.0	0.0
Education and communication services ⁸	6.043	1.7	0.0	0.4	0.2	0.0
Tuition, other school fees, and childcare.....	2.812	2.2	0.0	0.4	0.2	0.2
College tuition and fees.....	1.505	1.9	0.0	0.5	0.0	0.2
Elementary and high school tuition and fees.....	0.416	2.5	0.0	-0.5	0.1	0.3
Day care and preschool ⁹	0.742	2.7	0.0	0.7	0.5	0.3
Technical and business school tuition and fees ²	0.035	1.2	-0.1	-0.1	0.2	0.1
Postage and delivery services ²	0.112	7.2	0.0	0.2	4.2	0.3
Postage.....	0.102	7.2	0.0	0.4	4.6	0.3
Delivery services ²	0.010	7.5	0.3	-1.8	0.7	0.4
Telephone services ^{1, 2}	2.249	0.7	0.0	0.2	0.1	0.0
Wireless telephone services ^{1, 2}	1.840	-0.4	0.0	0.4	0.0	0.0
Land-line telephone services ^{1, 8}	0.408	5.7	-0.2	-0.5	0.7	-0.2
Internet services and electronic information providers ²	0.859	2.3	0.1	0.6	0.0	-0.5
Other personal services ^{1, 8}	1.632	4.5	0.1	0.1	0.5	0.1
Personal care services ¹	0.674	4.4	0.2	-0.4	-0.3	0.2
Haircuts and other personal care services ^{1, 2}	0.674	4.4	0.2	-0.4	-0.3	0.2
Miscellaneous personal services ¹	0.958	4.6	0.0	0.5	1.1	0.0
Legal services ^{1, 6}	0.245	3.2	-0.9	1.8	1.8	-0.9
Funeral expenses ^{1, 6}	0.134	1.7	0.2	0.0	0.2	0.2
Laundry and dry cleaning services ^{1, 2}	0.220	7.5	0.9	0.2	0.7	0.9
Apparel services other than laundry and dry cleaning ^{1, 2}	0.029	2.7	0.0	0.8	1.0	0.0
Financial services ⁶	0.221	5.6	0.2	-0.2	1.8	0.5
Checking account and other bank services ^{1, 2, 3}		9.9	0.0	0.0	0.9	0.0
Tax return preparation and other accounting fees ^{1, 2, 3}		4.1		-0.7		

¹ Not seasonally adjusted.

² Indexes on a December 1997=100 base.

³ Special index based on a substantially smaller sample.

⁴ Indexes on a December 2007=100 base.

⁵ Indexes on a December 2005=100 base.

⁶ Indexes on a December 1986=100 base.

⁷ Indexes on a December 1993=100 base.

⁸ Indexes on a December 2009=100 base.

⁹ Indexes on a December 1990=100 base.

¹⁰ Indexes on a December 1983=100 base.

¹¹ Indexes on a December 2001=100 base.

¹² Indexes on a December 2019=100 base.

¹³ Indexes on a December 1982=100 base.

¹⁴ Indexes on a December 1996=100 base.

Table 3. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, special aggregate indexes, November 2021

[1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted]

Special aggregate indexes	Relative importance Oct. 2021	Unadjusted indexes			Unadjusted percent change		Seasonally adjusted percent change		
		Nov. 2020	Oct. 2021	Nov. 2021	Nov. 2020- Nov. 2021	Oct. 2021- Nov. 2021	Aug. 2021- Sep. 2021	Sep. 2021- Oct. 2021	Oct. 2021- Nov. 2021
All items less food.....	86.005	258.826	275.379	276.747	6.9	0.5	0.3	0.9	0.8
All items less shelter.....	67.575	237.052	255.337	256.714	8.3	0.5	0.4	1.2	0.9
All items less food and shelter.....	53.581	228.936	247.875	249.264	8.9	0.6	0.3	1.2	1.0
All items less food, shelter, and energy.....	46.111	237.342	249.864	250.894	5.7	0.4	0.1	0.7	0.6
All items less food, shelter, energy, and used cars and trucks.....	42.761	242.169	251.429	252.043	4.1	0.2	0.2	0.6	0.4
All items less medical care.....	91.506	247.790	264.530	265.889	7.3	0.5	0.5	1.0	0.8
All items less energy.....	92.531	268.680	281.238	282.397	5.1	0.4	0.3	0.6	0.6
Commodities.....	38.957	185.594	206.134	207.708	11.9	0.8	0.6	1.5	1.4
Commodities less food, energy, and used cars and trucks.....	17.405	145.197	153.483	153.738	5.9	0.2	0.4	0.8	0.6
Commodities less food.....	24.962	149.704	171.217	172.817	15.4	0.9	0.4	1.9	1.8
Commodities less food and beverages.....	23.965	146.034	167.881	169.510	16.1	1.0	0.4	2.0	1.8
Services.....	61.043	334.031	345.540	346.637	3.8	0.3	0.3	0.6	0.4
Services less rent of shelter ¹	28.961	351.287	363.265	364.091	3.6	0.2	0.1	0.6	0.2
Services less medical care services.....	54.042	316.523	328.118	329.178	4.0	0.3	0.3	0.5	0.3
Durables.....	11.683	107.612	122.097	123.678	14.9	1.3	0.4	1.4	1.6
Nondurables.....	27.274	224.697	247.330	248.656	10.7	0.5	0.4	1.3	1.1
Nondurables less food.....	13.279	187.750	216.257	217.593	15.9	0.6	0.1	1.9	1.6
Nondurables less food and beverages.....	12.282	183.195	213.281	214.693	17.2	0.7	0.1	2.1	1.8
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel.....	9.557	228.608	273.316	276.857	21.1	1.3	0.5	2.6	1.7
Nondurables less food and apparel.....	10.554	230.503	271.121	274.322	19.0	1.2	0.5	2.3	1.6
Housing.....	41.611	273.290	285.310	286.308	4.8	0.3	0.5	0.7	0.5
Education and communication ²	6.523	141.534	143.974	143.884	1.7	-0.1	0.4	0.2	0.0
Education ²	2.915	272.359	278.047	278.097	2.1	0.0	0.4	0.2	0.2
Communication ²	3.608	75.313	76.391	76.294	1.3	-0.1	0.4	0.1	-0.2
Information and information processing ²	3.496	71.176	72.070	71.974	1.1	-0.1	0.4	0.0	-0.3
Information technology, hardware and services ³	1.247	7.280	7.443	7.420	1.9	-0.3	0.7	-0.2	-0.7
Recreation ²	5.664	123.016	127.301	126.952	3.2	-0.3	0.2	0.7	-0.2
Video and audio ²	1.494	107.882	111.704	111.366	3.2	-0.3	0.3	-0.1	-0.2
Pets, pet products and services ²	1.156	180.412	186.424	186.695	3.5	0.1	0.4	0.2	0.2
Photography ²	0.070	76.341	77.827	78.763	3.2	1.2	0.1	0.1	1.2
Food and beverages.....	14.992	268.539	282.943	284.168	5.8	0.4	0.9	0.8	0.7
Domestically produced farm food.....	6.461	258.692	274.278	275.508	6.5	0.4	1.1	1.1	0.4
Other services.....	11.378	371.190	380.812	380.326	2.5	-0.1	0.3	0.5	-0.1
Apparel less footwear.....	2.077	108.165	115.803	113.600	5.0	-1.9	-1.6	0.1	1.5
Fuels and utilities.....	4.522	245.807	270.577	270.444	10.0	0.0	1.1	2.6	0.3
Household energy.....	3.447	200.670	225.447	225.221	12.2	-0.1	1.3	3.3	0.4
Medical care.....	8.494	519.848	527.564	528.877	1.7	0.2	0.0	0.5	0.2
Transportation.....	16.906	202.828	241.042	245.532	21.1	1.9	0.3	2.4	2.5
Private transportation.....	15.856	200.039	241.413	245.735	22.8	1.8	0.7	2.6	2.4
New and used motor vehicles ²	8.250	103.442	120.192	122.436	18.4	1.9	0.3	1.8	1.8
Utilities and public transportation.....	8.796	221.306	231.301	231.880	4.8	0.3	0.0	1.2	0.4
Household furnishings and operations.....	4.665	127.134	134.745	135.345	6.5	0.4	1.0	0.8	0.8
Other goods and services.....	3.085	464.211	483.592	484.683	4.4	0.2	0.1	0.8	0.2
Personal care.....	2.470	238.477	246.307	246.445	3.3	0.1	-0.1	0.6	0.1

¹ Indexes on a December 1982=100 base.

² Indexes on a December 1997=100 base.

³ Indexes on a December 1988=100 base.

Table 4. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): Selected areas, all items index, November 2021

[1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted]

Area	Pricing Schedule ¹	Percent change to Nov. 2021 from:			Percent change to Oct. 2021 from:		
		Nov. 2020	Sep. 2021	Oct. 2021	Oct. 2020	Aug. 2021	Sep. 2021
U.S. city average.....	M	6.8	1.3	0.5	6.2	1.1	0.8
Region and area size²							
Northeast.....	M	6.0	1.2	0.6	5.4	0.9	0.6
Northeast - Size Class A.....	M	5.2	0.9	0.5	4.7	0.8	0.5
Northeast - Size Class B/C ³	M	6.9	1.5	0.7	6.4	1.0	0.8
New England ⁴	M	6.1	1.8	0.9	5.6	0.9	0.9
Middle Atlantic ⁴	M	5.9	1.0	0.4	5.4	0.9	0.5
Midwest.....	M	7.3	1.3	0.4	6.6	1.0	0.8
Midwest - Size Class A.....	M	6.6	1.1	0.4	5.8	1.1	0.8
Midwest - Size Class B/C ³	M	7.7	1.3	0.5	7.1	1.0	0.8
East North Central ⁴	M	7.2	1.3	0.5	6.3	1.1	0.9
West North Central ⁴	M	7.6	1.0	0.3	7.3	1.0	0.7
South.....	M	7.2	1.4	0.4	6.6	1.3	1.0
South - Size Class A.....	M	6.9	1.5	0.5	6.2	1.3	0.9
South - Size Class B/C ³	M	7.5	1.4	0.4	6.9	1.3	1.0
South Atlantic ⁴	M	7.0	1.5	0.4	6.5	1.4	1.0
East South Central ⁴	M	7.8	1.3	0.4	7.2	1.0	0.9
West South Central ⁴	M	7.4	1.4	0.5	6.6	1.2	0.9
West.....	M	6.5	1.4	0.5	6.0	1.0	0.8
West - Size Class A.....	M	6.2	1.4	0.5	5.7	1.0	0.9
West - Size Class B/C ³	M	6.9	1.3	0.6	6.3	1.0	0.7
Mountain ⁴	M	7.7	1.7	0.6	7.0	1.3	1.0
Pacific ⁴	M	6.1	1.2	0.5	5.6	0.9	0.7
Size classes							
Size Class A ⁵	M	6.2	1.3	0.5	5.6	1.1	0.8
Size Class B/C ³	M	7.3	1.4	0.5	6.7	1.1	0.9
Selected local areas							
Chicago-Naperville-Elgin, IL-IN-WI.....	M	6.0	0.9	0.2	5.3	1.0	0.7
Los Angeles-Long Beach-Anaheim, CA.....	M	6.0	1.6	0.6	5.4	1.2	0.9
New York-Newark-Jersey City, NY-NJ-PA.....	M	5.0	0.7	0.3	4.3	0.9	0.3
Atlanta-Sandy Springs-Roswell, GA.....	2				7.9	1.5	
Baltimore-Columbia-Towson, MD ⁶	2				6.3	2.3	
Detroit-Warren-Dearborn, MI.....	2				5.5	1.2	
Houston-The Woodlands-Sugar Land, TX.....	2				6.1	1.1	
Miami-Fort Lauderdale-West Palm Beach, FL.....	2				5.7	1.5	
Philadelphia-Camden-Wilmington, PA-NJ-DE-MD.....	2				5.6	1.0	
Phoenix-Mesa-Scottsdale, AZ ⁷	2				7.1	2.2	
San Francisco-Oakland-Hayward, CA.....	2				3.8	0.7	
Seattle-Tacoma-Bellevue, WA.....	2				6.5	1.1	
St. Louis, MO-IL.....	2				7.5	0.6	
Urban Alaska.....	2				6.3	1.2	
Boston-Cambridge-Newton, MA-NH.....	1	5.3	1.7				
Dallas-Fort Worth-Arlington, TX.....	1	7.5	1.0				
Denver-Aurora-Lakewood, CO.....	1	6.5	1.2				
Minneapolis-St.Paul-Bloomington, MN-WI.....	1	6.9	1.0				
Riverside-San Bernardino-Ontario, CA ⁴	1	7.9	1.4				
San Diego-Carlsbad, CA.....	1	6.6	0.7				
Tampa-St. Petersburg-Clearwater, FL ⁸	1	8.0	1.8				
Urban Hawaii.....	1	5.4	0.1				
Washington-Arlington-Alexandria, DC-VA-MD-WV ⁶	1	5.8	1.2				

¹ Foods, fuels, and several other items are priced every month in all areas. Most other goods and services are priced as indicated: M - Every month.

¹ 1 - January, March, May, July, September, and November. 2 - February, April, June, August, October, and December.

² Regions defined as the four Census regions.

³ Indexes on a December 1996=100 base.

⁴ Indexes on a December 2017=100 base.

⁵ Indexes on a December 1986=100 base.

⁶ 1998 - 2017 indexes based on substantially smaller sample.

⁷ Indexes on a December 2001=100 base.

⁸ Indexes on a 1987=100 base.

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.

Table 5. Chained Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (C-CPI-U) and the Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, all items index, November 2021

[Percent changes]

Month Year	Unadjusted 1-month percent change		Unadjusted 12-month percent change	
	C-CPI-U ¹	CPI-U	C-CPI-U ¹	CPI-U
December 2008.....			0.2	0.1
December 2009.....			2.5	2.7
December 2010.....			1.3	1.5
December 2011.....			2.9	3.0
December 2012.....			1.5	1.7
December 2013.....			1.3	1.5
December 2014.....			0.5	0.8
December 2015.....			0.4	0.7
December 2016.....			1.8	2.1
December 2017.....			1.7	2.1
December 2018.....			1.5	1.9
January 2019.....	0.2	0.2	1.3	1.6
February 2019.....	0.4	0.4	1.3	1.5
March 2019.....	0.5	0.6	1.5	1.9
April 2019.....	0.4	0.5	1.6	2.0
May 2019.....	0.2	0.2	1.4	1.8
June 2019.....	0.0	0.0	1.3	1.6
July 2019.....	0.1	0.2	1.5	1.8
August 2019.....	0.0	0.0	1.5	1.7
September 2019.....	0.0	0.1	1.4	1.7
October 2019.....	0.1	0.2	1.4	1.8
November 2019.....	-0.1	-0.1	1.6	2.1
December 2019.....	-0.2	-0.1	1.8	2.3
January 2020.....	0.4	0.4	2.0	2.5
February 2020.....	0.3	0.3	1.8	2.3
March 2020.....	-0.2	-0.2	1.1	1.5
April 2020.....	-0.5	-0.7	0.2	0.3
May 2020.....	-0.1	0.0	-0.1	0.1
June 2020.....	0.6	0.5	0.4	0.6
July 2020.....	0.6	0.5	0.9	1.0
August 2020.....	0.4	0.3	1.3	1.3
September 2020.....	0.1	0.1	1.4	1.4
October 2020.....	0.0	0.0	1.2	1.2
November 2020.....	-0.1	-0.1	1.2	1.2
December 2020.....	0.1	0.1	1.5	1.4
January 2021.....	0.4	0.4	1.5	1.4
February 2021.....	0.6	0.5	1.8	1.7
March 2021.....	0.7	0.7	2.8	2.6
April 2021.....	0.8	0.8	4.2	4.2
May 2021.....	0.8	0.8	5.1	5.0
June 2021.....	0.9	0.9	5.4	5.4
July 2021.....	0.5	0.5	5.2	5.4
August 2021.....	0.2	0.2	5.0	5.3
September 2021.....	0.3	0.3	5.2	5.4
October 2021.....	0.8	0.8	6.1	6.2
November 2021.....	0.5	0.5	6.7	6.8

¹ The C-CPI-U is designed to be a closer approximation to a cost-of-living index in that it, in its final form, accounts for any substitution that consumers make across item categories in response to changes in relative prices. Since the expenditure data required for the calculation of the C-CPI-U are available only with a time lag, the C-CPI-U is issued first in preliminary form using the latest available expenditure data at that time and is subject to four revisions.

Indexes are issued as initial estimates. Indexes are revised each quarter with the publication of January, April, July, and October data as updated expenditure estimates become available. The C-CPI-U indexes are updated quarterly until they become final. January-March indexes are final in January of the following year; April-June indexes are final in April of the following year; July-September indexes are final in July of the following year; October-December indexes are final in October of the following year.

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All items.....	100.000	0.8		0.04	S-Sep.2021	0.4
Food.....	13.995	0.7	0.099	0.10	S-Aug.2021	0.4
Food at home.....	7.733	0.8	0.062	0.15	S-Aug.2021	0.4
Cereals and bakery products.....	0.979	0.8	0.008	0.40	S-Aug.2021	0.0
Cereals and cereal products.....	0.298	1.3	0.004	0.50	S-Sep.2021	0.6
Flour and prepared flour mixes.....	0.042	1.8	0.001	0.83	S-Sep.2021	1.1
Breakfast cereal ⁴	0.139	0.7	0.001	0.92	S-Sep.2021	-0.3
Rice, pasta, cornmeal.....	0.117	1.2	0.001	0.78	L-Sep.2021	1.6
Rice ^{4, 5, 6}		1.5		0.68	L-Apr.2020	3.6
Bakery products ⁴	0.681	0.3	0.002	0.52	S-Aug.2021	-0.3
Bread ^{4, 5}	0.193	1.2	0.002	0.83	L-Sep.2021	1.8
White bread ^{4, 6}		1.5		0.94	L-Sep.2021	2.5
Bread other than white ^{4, 6}		0.9		1.04	S-Aug.2021	0.2
Fresh biscuits, rolls, muffins ⁵	0.100	1.3	0.001	1.35	L-Sep.2021	3.7
Cakes, cupcakes, and cookies ⁴	0.173	0.1	0.000	0.86	L-Sep.2021	0.4
Cookies ^{4, 6}		-0.5		0.94	L-Sep.2021	0.3
Fresh cakes and cupcakes ^{4, 6}		0.5		1.62	S-Aug.2021	-0.6
Other bakery products.....	0.215	0.9	0.002	0.82	S-Aug.2021	-0.3
Fresh sweetrolls, coffeecakes, doughnuts ^{4, 6}		3.5		0.76	L-Apr.2020	5.0
Crackers, bread, and cracker products ⁶		0.6		1.24	L-Sep.2021	3.1
Frozen and refrigerated bakery products, pies, tarts, turnovers ^{4, 6}		-1.1		1.13	S-Jan.2021	-1.7
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs.....	1.838	0.9	0.017	0.34	S-Aug.2021	0.7
Meats, poultry, and fish.....	1.736	1.2	0.020	0.36	S-Aug.2021	0.6
Meats.....	1.117	1.4	0.015	0.44	S-Aug.2021	0.5
Beef and veal.....	0.536	0.9	0.005	0.69	S-Apr.2021	-0.2
Uncooked ground beef ⁴	0.186	0.9	0.002	0.98	S-Jul.2021	0.7
Uncooked beef roasts ^{4, 5}	0.086	1.8	0.002	1.73	L-Sep.2021	6.0
Uncooked beef steaks ⁵	0.213	0.2	0.000	0.93	S-Mar.2021	-1.4
Uncooked other beef and veal ^{4, 5}	0.050	2.5	0.001	1.14	L-Sep.2021	5.2
Pork.....	0.354	2.2	0.008	0.80	S-Sep.2021	1.7
Bacon, breakfast sausage, and related products ⁵	0.147	2.3	0.003	0.96	S-Sep.2021	1.8
Bacon and related products ⁶		1.7		1.05	S-Jul.2021	1.1
Breakfast sausage and related products ^{5, 6}		2.7		1.32	-	-
Ham.....	0.068	2.1	0.001	1.91	L-Sep.2021	2.5
Ham, excluding canned ⁶		2.1		2.36	L-Sep.2021	2.6
Pork chops ⁴	0.055	0.2	0.000	1.70	S-Sep.2021	-1.4
Other pork including roasts, steaks, and ribs ⁵	0.084	3.7	0.003	1.96	L-Jul.2021	4.4
Other meats.....	0.227	1.2	0.003	0.60	L-Sep.2021	2.4
Frankfurters ⁶		2.8		1.75	L-Sep.2021	3.8
Lunchmeats ^{4, 5, 6}		1.0		0.58	S-Aug.2021	-0.5
Poultry ⁴	0.340	0.8	0.003	0.73	-	-
Chicken ^{4, 5}	0.278	1.4	0.004	0.78	L-Aug.2021	1.4
Fresh whole chicken ^{4, 6}		1.3		1.35	L-Jul.2021	1.5
Fresh and frozen chicken parts ^{4, 6}		1.5		0.95	-	-
Other uncooked poultry including turkey ⁵	0.062	1.1	0.001	1.27	L-Aug.2021	1.3
Fish and seafood.....	0.280	0.7	0.002	0.54	L-Sep.2021	1.4
Fresh fish and seafood ⁵	0.145	-0.3	0.000	0.82	S-Apr.2021	-1.5
Processed fish and seafood ⁵	0.135	1.8	0.002	0.80	L-Jun.2021	1.9
Shelf stable fish and seafood ⁶		0.9		1.06	-	-
Frozen fish and seafood ⁶		3.1		0.82	L-Apr.2020	5.5

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Expenditure category	Relative importance Oct. 2021	One Month				
		Seasonally adjusted percent change Oct. 2021-Nov. 2021	Seasonally adjusted effect on All Items Oct. 2021-Nov. 2021 ¹	Standard error, median price change ²	Largest (L) or Smallest (S) seasonally adjusted change since: ³	
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Eggs.....	0.102	-2.7	-0.003	0.89	S-Dec.2020	-2.8
Dairy and related products.....	0.750	0.2	0.001	0.36	—	—
Milk ⁵	0.208	0.9	0.002	0.66	L-Jul.2021	0.9
Fresh whole milk ⁶		1.5		0.76	L-May 2021	3.1
Fresh milk other than whole ^{5, 6}		0.7		0.80	L-Jul.2021	0.7
Cheese and related products ⁴	0.249	0.0	0.000	0.54	S-Aug.2021	0.0
Ice cream and related products.....	0.106	-2.0	-0.002	0.95	S-Feb.2018	-2.0
Other dairy and related products ^{4, 5}	0.187	-0.2	0.000	0.71	S-Aug.2021	-0.9
Fruits and vegetables.....	1.311	1.0	0.013	0.36	L-Mar.2021	1.0
Fresh fruits and vegetables.....	1.031	1.1	0.012	0.46	L-Mar.2021	1.1
Fresh fruits.....	0.536	2.2	0.012	0.72	L-Mar.2014	3.0
Apples.....	0.075	0.6	0.000	1.36	L-Sep.2021	3.8
Bananas ⁴	0.072	1.4	0.001	0.84	L-Apr.2021	1.4
Citrus fruits ⁵	0.143	2.3	0.003	0.97	L-Jan.2021	3.4
Oranges, including tangerines ⁶		2.4		1.48	L-Apr.2021	2.5
Other fresh fruits ⁵	0.246	3.5	0.009	1.46	L-Feb.2021	3.8
Fresh vegetables.....	0.494	0.0	0.000	0.50	S-Jul.2021	-0.8
Potatoes.....	0.078	-2.5	-0.002	1.27	S-Sep.2020	-2.7
Lettuce ⁴	0.062	6.9	0.004	1.17	L-Oct.2020	7.2
Tomatoes.....	0.078	-1.2	-0.001	1.35	S-Dec.2020	-3.3
Other fresh vegetables.....	0.276	-0.4	-0.001	0.64	S-Jul.2021	-0.7
Processed fruits and vegetables ⁵	0.281	0.6	0.002	0.52	S-Sep.2021	0.2
Canned fruits and vegetables ⁵	0.148	0.5	0.001	0.67	S-Sep.2021	-0.1
Canned fruits ^{5, 6}		-1.4		0.80	S-Jan.2021	-1.4
Canned vegetables ^{5, 6}		1.0		0.85	S-Sep.2021	-0.1
Frozen fruits and vegetables ⁵	0.084	0.7	0.001	0.93	L-Aug.2021	0.9
Frozen vegetables ⁶		0.4		1.21	S-Sep.2021	-0.5
Other processed fruits and vegetables including dried ⁵	0.049	1.1	0.001	1.19	L-Sep.2021	2.0
Dried beans, peas, and lentils ^{4, 5, 6}		3.1		1.72	L-May 2020	4.9
Nonalcoholic beverages and beverage materials.....	0.920	0.2	0.002	0.44	S-May 2021	-0.5
Juices and nonalcoholic drinks ⁵	0.659	0.1	0.001	0.51	S-May 2021	-0.8
Carbonated drinks.....	0.281	1.4	0.004	1.03	L-Sep.2021	1.7
Frozen noncarbonated juices and drinks ^{4, 5}	0.006	-0.4	0.000	0.72	S-Aug.2021	-1.8
Nonfrozen noncarbonated juices and drinks ⁵	0.372	-0.3	-0.001	0.60	S-May 2021	-0.6
Beverage materials including coffee and tea ⁵	0.261	0.2	0.000	0.66	S-Jul.2021	-0.4
Coffee.....	0.169	1.1	0.002	0.87	S-Jul.2021	-0.6
Roasted coffee ⁶		0.9		0.97	S-Jul.2021	-0.4
Instant coffee ^{4, 6}		0.0		1.47	L-Sep.2021	1.6
Other beverage materials including tea ^{4, 5}	0.091	-1.4	-0.001	0.81	S-Aug.2017	-1.4
Other food at home.....	1.935	1.0	0.020	0.33	S-Aug.2021	0.6
Sugar and sweets ⁴	0.260	1.3	0.003	0.64	L-Jan.2020	2.6
Sugar and sugar substitutes.....	0.037	0.6	0.000	0.90	S-Sep.2021	0.1
Candy and chewing gum ^{4, 5}	0.171	1.5	0.003	0.87	L-Sep.2020	1.5
Other sweets ⁵	0.052	3.2	0.002	0.92	L-May 2000	3.6
Fats and oils.....	0.217	1.5	0.003	0.64	L-May 2019	1.7
Butter and margarine ⁵	0.062	-0.5	0.000	0.98	S-Sep.2021	-0.8
Butter ⁶		-0.6		1.18	S-Sep.2021	-1.7
Margarine ⁶		-0.7		1.33	S-Sep.2021	-0.9
Salad dressing ⁵	0.052	1.6	0.001	1.06	L-Aug.2021	4.0
Other fats and oils including peanut butter ⁵	0.104	2.3	0.002	1.14	L-Sep.2021	3.7
Peanut butter ^{4, 5, 6}		0.9		1.01	S-Aug.2021	-2.8
Other foods.....	1.458	0.9	0.013	0.37	S-Aug.2021	0.5

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Soups.....	0.087	-0.1	0.000	1.17	S-May 2021	-0.7
Frozen and freeze dried prepared foods.....	0.253	1.6	0.004	0.67	L-Jul.2008	1.9
Snacks ⁴	0.333	1.6	0.005	0.84	S-Sep.2021	1.3
Spices, seasonings, condiments, sauces.....	0.285	2.0	0.006	0.51	L-Oct.2011	2.3
Salt and other seasonings and spices ^{5, 6}		3.1		1.05	L-Jan.2011	3.5
Olives, pickles, relishes ^{4, 5, 6}		2.1		0.89	L-Aug.2020	2.1
Sauces and gravies ^{5, 6}		1.0		0.77	S-Aug.2021	-0.8
Other condiments ⁶		2.7		1.05	S-Sep.2021	-0.3
Baby food ^{4, 5}	0.043	0.4	0.000	0.88	S-Aug.2021	0.1
Other miscellaneous foods ⁵	0.457	-0.1	0.000	0.63	S-Apr.2021	-0.6
Prepared salads ^{7, 6}		1.1		1.72	L-Sep.2021	4.2
Food away from home ⁴	6.262	0.6	0.038	0.10	S-Sep.2021	0.5
Full service meals and snacks ^{4, 5}	3.149	0.4	0.014	0.10	S-Apr.2021	0.2
Limited service meals and snacks ^{4, 5}	2.791	1.0	0.027	0.14	L-Jul.2021	1.0
Food at employee sites and schools ^{4, 5}	0.071	-5.5	-0.004	0.27	S-Sep.2021	-6.4
Food at elementary and secondary schools ^{4, 8, 6}		-8.3		0.06	S-Sep.2021	-10.4
Food from vending machines and mobile vendors ^{4, 5}	0.080	0.2	0.000	0.11	L-Aug.2021	0.6
Other food away from home ^{4, 5}	0.171	0.0	0.000	0.14	S-Jun.2021	0.0
Energy.....	7.469	3.5	0.260	0.16	S-Sep.2021	1.3
Energy commodities.....	4.207	5.9	0.248	0.20	S-Sep.2021	1.3
Fuel oil and other fuels.....	0.185	1.5	0.003	0.60	S-Aug.2021	0.5
Fuel oil ⁴	0.111	3.5	0.004	0.94	S-Aug.2021	-2.1
Propane, kerosene, and firewood ⁹	0.074	0.1	0.000	0.56	S-Apr.2021	-1.5
Motor fuel.....	4.022	6.1	0.246	0.20	-	-
Gasoline (all types).....	3.937	6.1	0.242	0.20	-	-
Gasoline, unleaded regular ⁶		5.9		0.45	S-Sep.2021	1.1
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ^{10, 6}		5.9		0.46	L-Mar.2021	8.4
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁶		5.2		0.40	L-Mar.2021	9.3
Other motor fuels ^{4, 5}	0.085	4.0	0.003	0.37	S-Sep.2021	0.6
Energy services.....	3.262	0.3	0.011	0.18	S-Jun.2021	0.2
Electricity.....	2.446	0.3	0.006	0.25	S-Jun.2021	-0.3
Utility (piped) gas service.....	0.816	0.6	0.005	0.34	S-Jan.2021	-0.4
All items less food and energy.....	78.536	0.5	0.420	0.04	S-Sep.2021	0.2
Commodities less food and energy commodities.....	20.755	0.9	0.194	0.10	S-Sep.2021	0.2
Household furnishings and supplies ¹¹	3.774	0.7	0.026	0.23	S-Jul.2021	0.1
Window and floor coverings and other linens ^{4, 5}	0.281	-1.9	-0.005	0.96	S-Dec.2020	-2.3
Floor coverings ^{4, 5}	0.062	3.1	0.002	0.74	L-EVER	-
Window coverings ^{4, 5}	0.061	-0.1	0.000	1.37	S-Sep.2021	-3.4
Other linens ^{4, 5}	0.159	-4.6	-0.007	1.52	S-EVER	-
Furniture and bedding ⁴	0.985	0.6	0.006	0.55	L-Sep.2021	2.4
Bedroom furniture ⁴	0.340	0.0	0.000	0.68	S-Feb.2021	-1.4
Living room, kitchen, and dining room furniture ^{4, 5}	0.482	0.9	0.004	0.90	L-Sep.2021	3.5
Other furniture ⁵	0.154	1.0	0.002	0.70	S-Sep.2021	0.4
Appliances ⁵	0.221	0.0	0.000	0.72	L-Sep.2021	1.2
Major appliances ⁵	0.079	2.4	0.002	0.93	L-Jun.2021	2.7
Laundry equipment ^{4, 6}		-1.3		1.73	L-Sep.2021	1.4
Other appliances ^{4, 5}	0.140	-1.8	-0.003	0.92	S-Dec.2018	-2.1
Other household equipment and furnishings ^{4, 5}	0.522	0.7	0.004	0.55	S-Aug.2021	-0.2
Clocks, lamps, and decorator items ⁴	0.305	1.3	0.004	0.89	S-Sep.2021	0.9
Indoor plants and flowers ¹²	0.090	2.0	0.002	0.80	L-Jan.2021	2.9
Dishes and flatware ^{4, 5}	0.048	-0.7	0.000	1.49	L-Sep.2021	2.9
Nonelectric cookware and tableware ^{4, 5}	0.078	-1.4	-0.001	0.81	S-Jun.2021	-2.9

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Tools, hardware, outdoor equipment and supplies ⁵ . . .	0.888	0.9	0.008	0.40	S-Sep.2021	0.8
Tools, hardware and supplies ^{4, 5}	0.242	0.0	0.000	0.57	L-Sep.2021	1.0
Outdoor equipment and supplies ⁵	0.458	1.1	0.005	0.57	S-Sep.2021	1.0
Housekeeping supplies ⁴	0.876	0.2	0.002	0.39	S-Aug.2021	-0.3
Household cleaning products ^{4, 5}	0.346	0.0	0.000	0.57	S-Sep.2021	-0.4
Household paper products ^{4, 5}	0.226	0.2	0.000	0.74	S-Aug.2021	-1.2
Miscellaneous household products ^{4, 5}	0.305	0.4	0.001	0.64	S-Aug.2021	-0.8
Apparel	2.725	1.3	0.034	0.41	L-Jan.2021	2.2
Men's and boys' apparel	0.688	3.0	0.020	0.69	L-EVER	—
Men's apparel	0.551	2.9	0.016	0.76	L-Feb.2009	3.1
Men's suits, sport coats, and outerwear	0.095	6.7	0.006	2.01	L-Aug.2021	7.9
Men's underwear, nightwear, swimwear, and accessories ⁴	0.163	-0.1	0.000	1.25	S-Jun.2021	-1.2
Men's shirts and sweaters ⁵	0.155	2.2	0.003	1.48	L-Aug.2021	4.3
Men's pants and shorts	0.132	1.4	0.002	1.52	L-Apr.2021	2.3
Boys' apparel	0.137	3.0	0.004	1.38	L-Mar.2021	6.8
Women's and girls' apparel	1.101	1.1	0.012	0.74	L-Jun.2021	1.2
Women's apparel	0.911	1.2	0.010	0.75	L-Jun.2021	1.6
Women's outerwear	0.067	-1.5	-0.001	2.12	S-Jul.2021	-2.6
Women's dresses	0.101	1.6	0.002	1.93	L-Jul.2021	5.5
Women's suits and separates ⁵	0.465	2.2	0.010	1.09	S-Sep.2021	-3.7
Women's underwear, nightwear, swimwear, and accessories ⁵	0.268	-1.0	-0.003	1.11	S-Sep.2021	-1.3
Girls' apparel	0.190	0.9	0.002	1.99	L-May 2021	5.2
Footwear	0.648	0.7	0.004	0.57	L-Aug.2021	0.7
Men's footwear ⁴	0.228	0.1	0.000	0.81	L-Sep.2021	1.7
Boys' and girls' footwear	0.136	-0.6	-0.001	1.00	S-Jul.2021	-3.4
Women's footwear	0.285	1.2	0.003	0.82	L-Aug.2021	1.2
Infants' and toddlers' apparel	0.127	0.1	0.000	1.47	S-Mar.2021	-2.0
Jewelry and watches ⁹	0.161	-1.9	-0.003	1.26	L-Sep.2021	-1.7
Watches ^{4, 9}	0.038	-1.6	-0.001	1.41	S-Sep.2021	-2.3
Jewelry ⁹	0.123	-2.8	-0.003	1.67	S-Feb.2021	-4.6
Transportation commodities less motor fuel ¹¹	7.872	1.7	0.138	0.10	S-Sep.2021	0.3
New vehicles	3.856	1.1	0.044	0.17	S-Apr.2021	0.5
New cars and trucks ^{5, 6}		1.1		0.21	S-Apr.2021	0.5
New cars ⁶		1.4		0.24	L-Aug.2021	1.4
New trucks ^{13, 6}		1.0		0.21	S-Apr.2021	0.6
Used cars and trucks	3.350	2.5	0.085	0.02	—	—
Motor vehicle parts and equipment ⁴	0.401	1.1	0.004	0.29	S-Sep.2021	0.8
Tires ⁴	0.256	1.3	0.003	0.33	L-Aug.2021	2.1
Vehicle accessories other than tires ^{4, 5}	0.146	0.8	0.001	0.56	S-Jun.2021	0.3
Vehicle parts and equipment other than tires ^{4, 6}		1.4		0.74	—	—
Motor oil, coolant, and fluids ^{4, 6}		-0.7		1.50	S-Sep.2021	-0.7
Medical care commodities ⁴	1.493	0.1	0.002	0.19	S-Aug.2021	-0.2
Medicinal drugs ¹¹	1.427	0.2	0.003	0.20	S-Aug.2021	-0.6
Prescription drugs	1.071	0.3	0.003	0.17	S-Aug.2021	-0.4
Nonprescription drugs ^{4, 11}	0.356	0.2	0.001	0.66	S-Sep.2021	0.1
Medical equipment and supplies ^{4, 11}	0.065	-0.4	0.000	0.54	S-Jun.2021	-0.6
Recreation commodities ¹¹	1.961	0.3	0.006	0.22	S-Sep.2021	-0.2
Video and audio products ¹¹	0.260	-0.1	0.000	0.42	L-Aug.2021	1.2
Televisions	0.096	-1.4	-0.001	0.57	L-Sep.2021	-0.6
Other video equipment ⁵	0.040	1.7	0.001	0.93	L-Aug.2021	2.7
Audio equipment ⁴	0.070	0.9	0.001	1.00	S-Sep.2021	-1.7

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Table 6. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, by expenditure category, November 2021, 1-month analysis table — Continued
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Expenditure category	Relative importance Oct. 2021	One Month				
		Seasonally adjusted percent change Oct. 2021-Nov. 2021	Seasonally adjusted effect on All Items Oct. 2021-Nov. 2021 ¹	Standard error, median price change ²	Largest (L) or Smallest (S) seasonally adjusted change since: ³	
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Recorded music and music subscriptions ^{4, 5}	0.043	-0.7	0.000	0.67	S-Jul.2021	-0.9
Pets and pet products ⁴	0.609	0.1	0.000	0.38	L-Sep.2021	0.5
Pet food ^{4, 5, 6}		0.3		0.45	L-Sep.2021	0.5
Purchase of pets, pet supplies, accessories ^{4, 5, 6}		0.0		0.64	L-Aug.2021	0.3
Sporting goods ⁴	0.610	0.3	0.002	0.53	S-Sep.2021	-0.4
Sports vehicles including bicycles ⁴	0.373	0.8	0.003	0.69	S-Sep.2021	-0.3
Sports equipment ⁴	0.227	-0.5	-0.001	0.53	S-Jun.2021	-0.7
Photographic equipment and supplies.....	0.026	-1.0	0.000	0.78	S-Mar.2021	-1.8
Photographic equipment ^{5, 6}		-0.7		0.98	S-Mar.2021	-1.2
Recreational reading materials ⁴	0.115	0.5	0.001	0.83	L-Aug.2021	0.5
Newspapers and magazines ^{4, 5}	0.067	0.0	0.000	0.95	S-Sep.2021	-0.1
Recreational books ^{4, 5}	0.046	1.3	0.001	1.40	L-Apr.2021	1.7
Other recreational goods ⁵	0.341	1.1	0.004	0.56	L-Apr.2021	2.4
Toys.....	0.261	1.4	0.004	0.64	L-Apr.2021	2.7
Toys, games, hobbies and playground equipment ^{7, 6}		1.7		0.95	L-Apr.2021	2.5
Sewing machines, fabric and supplies ^{4, 5}	0.019	1.2	0.000	1.79	L-Apr.2021	5.0
Music instruments and accessories ^{4, 5}	0.046	-0.6	0.000	0.75	S-Jun.2021	-1.0
Education and communication commodities ¹¹	0.480	-1.0	-0.005	0.58	S-Mar.2021	-1.8
Educational books and supplies ⁴	0.103	-0.4	0.000	0.63	S-Sep.2021	-0.4
College textbooks ^{4, 14, 6}		-0.9		0.52	S-Aug.2021	-1.1
Information technology commodities ¹¹	0.377	-1.2	-0.005	0.70	S-Mar.2021	-1.6
Computers, peripherals, and smart home assistants ⁷	0.294	-1.3	-0.004	0.93	S-Mar.2021	-2.0
Computer software and accessories ^{4, 5}	0.017	-1.4	0.000	1.59	S-Sep.2021	-3.5
Telephone hardware, calculators, and other consumer information items ⁵	0.067	-0.6	0.000	0.79	L-Sep.2021	0.9
Smartphones ^{4, 6, 15}		-0.8		1.23	L-Aug.2021	-0.2
Alcoholic beverages.....	0.997	0.0	0.000	0.24	L-Sep.2021	0.2
Alcoholic beverages at home.....	0.555	0.1	0.000	0.35	L-Aug.2021	0.5
Beer, ale, and other malt beverages at home.....	0.214	-0.3	-0.001	0.45	L-Sep.2021	0.3
Distilled spirits at home ⁴	0.092	-0.3	0.000	0.52	S-Jul.2020	-0.4
Whiskey at home ^{4, 6}		-0.2		0.80	S-Jul.2021	-0.2
Distilled spirits, excluding whiskey, at home ^{4, 6}		-0.5		0.59	S-Jul.2020	-0.8
Wine at home.....	0.250	0.5	0.001	0.68	L-Aug.2021	0.5
Alcoholic beverages away from home ⁴	0.442	0.1	0.001	0.31	—	—
Beer, ale, and other malt beverages away from home ^{4, 5, 6}		0.5		0.72	L-Aug.2021	0.6
Wine away from home ^{4, 5, 6}		0.1		0.33	S-Jul.2021	0.0
Distilled spirits away from home ^{4, 5, 6}		-0.4		0.53	S-Jul.2020	-0.4
Other goods ¹¹	1.453	0.3	0.005	0.21	S-Sep.2021	0.1
Tobacco and smoking products ⁴	0.615	0.9	0.006	0.20	S-Sep.2021	0.7
Cigarettes ^{4, 5}	0.537	0.9	0.005	0.22	S-Sep.2021	0.7
Tobacco products other than cigarettes ^{4, 5}	0.059	0.7	0.000	0.43	L-Mar.2021	0.8
Personal care products ⁴	0.643	-0.4	-0.003	0.32	S-May 2021	-0.4
Hair, dental, shaving, and miscellaneous personal care products ^{4, 5}	0.348	-0.2	-0.001	0.39	S-Sep.2021	-0.3
Cosmetics, perfume, bath, nail preparations and implements ⁴	0.288	-0.7	-0.002	0.57	S-Jul.2021	-1.0
Miscellaneous personal goods ^{4, 5}	0.195	1.1	0.002	0.98	S-Sep.2021	-1.2
Stationery, stationery supplies, gift wrap ⁶		1.9		0.89	—	—
Services less energy services.....	57.781	0.4	0.212	0.04	—	—
Shelter.....	32.425	0.5	0.163	0.05	—	—
Rent of shelter ¹⁶	32.083	0.5	0.157	0.05	L-Jun.2021	0.5

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Expenditure category	Relative importance Oct. 2021	One Month				
		Seasonally adjusted percent change Oct. 2021-Nov. 2021	Seasonally adjusted effect on All Items Oct. 2021-Nov. 2021 ¹	Standard error, median price change ²	Largest (L) or Smallest (S) seasonally adjusted change since: ³	
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Rent of primary residence.....	7.585	0.4	0.032	0.04	—	—
Lodging away from home ⁵	0.984	2.9	0.029	1.46	L-Jul.2021	6.0
Housing at school, excluding board ¹⁶	0.114	0.0	0.000	0.03	S-Sep.2021	-0.1
Other lodging away from home including hotels and motels.....	0.870	3.2	0.029	1.65	L-Jul.2021	6.8
Owners' equivalent rent of residences ¹⁶	23.514	0.4	0.103	0.04	—	—
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence ¹⁶ ..	22.332	0.4	0.097	0.04	—	—
Tenants' and household insurance ^{4, 5}	0.342	-0.3	-0.001	0.12	—	—
Water and sewer and trash collection services ⁵	1.074	0.0	0.000	0.07	S-Jan.2019	-0.4
Water and sewerage maintenance.....	0.783	0.1	0.001	0.09	S-Aug.2019	0.1
Garbage and trash collection ^{4, 13}	0.292	-0.2	-0.001	0.15	S-May 2021	-0.4
Household operations ^{4, 5}	0.890	1.1	0.010	0.13	L-May 2021	3.1
Domestic services ^{4, 5}	0.300	1.5	0.004	0.20	L-May 2021	6.4
Gardening and lawncare services ^{4, 5}	0.302	0.2	0.001	0.07	S-Jul.2021	0.0
Moving, storage, freight expense ^{4, 5}	0.093	-0.2	0.000	0.63	L-Aug.2021	1.7
Repair of household items ^{4, 5}						
Medical care services.....	7.002	0.3	0.018	0.09	S-Sep.2021	-0.1
Professional services.....	3.549	0.3	0.011	0.12	L-Aug.2021	0.4
Physicians' services ⁴	1.780	0.4	0.006	0.16	L-Jul.2021	0.4
Dental services.....	0.966	0.2	0.002	0.24	L-Aug.2021	1.3
Eyeglasses and eye care ^{4, 9}	0.348	0.2	0.001	0.28	—	—
Services by other medical professionals ^{4, 9}	0.456	0.0	0.000	0.06	—	—
Hospital and related services.....	2.364	-0.2	-0.006	0.13	S-Oct.2020	-0.3
Hospital services ¹⁷	2.171	-0.3	-0.006	0.14	S-Oct.2020	-0.4
Inpatient hospital services ^{17, 6}		-0.2		0.24	S-Oct.2020	-0.3
Outpatient hospital services ^{9, 6}		-0.4		0.22	S-Oct.2020	-0.4
Nursing homes and adult day services ¹⁷	0.121	0.0	0.000	0.14	S-Aug.2021	-0.1
Care of invalids and elderly at home ^{4, 8}	0.072	-0.1	0.000	0.18	S-Jul.2021	-0.1
Health insurance ^{4, 8}	1.089	1.7	0.019	0.08	S-Sep.2021	-1.0
Transportation services.....	5.012	0.7	0.035	0.28	L-Jun.2021	1.5
Leased cars and trucks ^{4, 14}						
Car and truck rental ⁵	0.176	1.1	0.002	1.88	S-Sep.2021	-2.9
Motor vehicle maintenance and repair ⁴	1.085	0.0	0.000	0.17	S-Sep.2021	0.0
Motor vehicle body work ⁴	0.059	1.0	0.001	0.20	L-Aug.2021	1.5
Motor vehicle maintenance and servicing ⁴	0.627	-0.4	-0.002	0.24	S-Jul.2019	-0.4
Motor vehicle repair ^{4, 5}	0.340	0.5	0.002	0.23	S-Sep.2021	-1.3
Motor vehicle insurance.....	1.557	-0.8	-0.012	0.51	S-Aug.2021	-2.8
Motor vehicle fees ^{4, 5}	0.540	0.3	0.002	0.21	L-Jul.2021	0.4
State motor vehicle registration and license fees ^{4, 5}	0.281	-0.2	-0.001	0.04	S-Nov.2014	-0.2
Parking and other fees ^{4, 5}	0.245	0.9	0.002	0.43	L-Jan.2021	1.5
Parking fees and tolls ^{5, 6}		0.9		0.50	L-May 2021	1.3
Public transportation.....	1.050	3.0	0.031	0.65	L-May 2021	4.0
Airline fares.....	0.596	4.7	0.028	0.82	L-May 2021	7.0
Other intercity transportation.....	0.170	1.0	0.002	0.85	L-May 2021	2.0
Ship fare ^{4, 5, 6}		0.8		1.02	L-May 2021	0.9
Intracity transportation ⁴	0.281	1.0	0.003	0.46	L-Jun.2021	1.5
Intracity mass transit ^{4, 11, 6}		1.0		0.31	L-Jun.2021	1.2
Recreation services ¹¹	3.703	-0.5	-0.017	0.23	S-Jan.2021	-1.0
Video and audio services ¹¹	1.234	-0.3	-0.003	0.17	S-Jan.2021	-0.4
Cable and satellite television service ¹³	1.161	-0.2	-0.002	0.15	S-Jan.2021	-0.4
Video discs and other media, including rental of video ^{1, 5}	0.073	-1.8	-0.001	1.18	S-Apr.2021	-2.8

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Video discs and other media ^{4, 5, 6}		-3.7		1.57	S-Apr.2021	-4.1
Rental of video discs and other media ^{4, 5, 6}		0.2		0.21	L-Sep.2021	0.7
Pet services including veterinary ⁵	0.547	0.4	0.002	0.20	—	—
Veterinarian services ^{5, 6}		0.4		0.22	S-Sep.2021	0.3
Photographers and photo processing ^{4, 5}	0.042	2.5	0.001	0.38	L-Jun.2020	2.5
Other recreation services ⁵	1.879	-0.9	-0.018	0.43	S-Jan.2021	-2.1
Club membership for shopping clubs, fraternal, or other organizations, or participant sports fees ^{4, 5}	0.656	0.1	0.001	0.32	S-Sep.2021	0.0
Admissions ⁴	0.697	-2.2	-0.015	0.85	S-Jan.2021	-5.5
Admission to movies, theaters, and concerts ^{4, 5, 6}		0.8		0.78	L-Jul.2021	1.7
Admission to sporting events ^{4, 5, 6}		-4.8		2.17	S-Feb.2019	-7.2
Fees for lessons or instructions ^{4, 9}	0.211	0.0	0.000	0.22	—	—
Education and communication services ¹¹	6.043	0.0	0.002	0.07	S-Mar.2021	0.0
Tuition, other school fees, and childcare.....	2.812	0.2	0.006	0.05	—	—
College tuition and fees.....	1.505	0.2	0.003	0.06	L-Sep.2021	0.5
Elementary and high school tuition and fees.....	0.416	0.3	0.001	0.14	L-Jul.2021	0.3
Day care and preschool ¹²	0.742	0.3	0.002	0.05	S-Aug.2021	0.0
Technical and business school tuition and fees ⁵	0.035	0.1	0.000	0.21	S-Sep.2021	-0.1
Postage and delivery services ⁵	0.112	0.3	0.000	0.03	S-Sep.2021	0.2
Postage.....	0.102	0.3	0.000	0.00	S-Jul.2021	0.3
Delivery services ⁵	0.010	0.4	0.000	0.35	S-Sep.2021	-1.8
Telephone services ^{4, 5}	2.249	0.0	-0.001	0.09	S-Jul.2021	-0.1
Wireless telephone services ^{4, 5}	1.840	0.0	0.000	0.10	—	—
Land-line telephone services ^{4, 11}	0.408	-0.2	-0.001	0.19	S-Sep.2021	-0.5
Internet services and electronic information providers ⁵	0.859	-0.5	-0.004	0.20	S-Jun.2021	-0.5
Other personal services ^{4, 11}	1.632	0.1	0.002	0.17	S-Sep.2021	0.1
Personal care services ⁴	0.674	0.2	0.002	0.35	L-Aug.2021	0.6
Haircuts and other personal care services ^{4, 5}	0.674	0.2	0.002	0.35	L-Aug.2021	0.6
Miscellaneous personal services ⁴	0.958	0.0	0.000	0.12	S-Apr.2021	0.0
Legal services ^{4, 9}	0.245	-0.9	-0.002	0.05	S-Apr.2019	-1.2
Funeral expenses ^{4, 9}	0.134	0.2	0.000	0.10	—	—
Laundry and dry cleaning services ^{4, 5}	0.220	0.9	0.002	0.17	L-Aug.2021	2.0
Apparel services other than laundry and dry cleaning ^{4, 5}	0.029	0.0	0.000	0.37	S-Aug.2021	-0.7
Financial services ⁹	0.221	0.5	0.001	0.38	S-Sep.2021	-0.2
Checking account and other bank services ^{4, 5, 6}		0.0		0.17	S-Sep.2021	0.0
Tax return preparation and other accounting fees ^{4, 5, 6}				0.36	—	—
Special aggregate indexes						
All items less food.....	86.005	0.8	0.680	0.04	S-Sep.2021	0.3
All items less shelter.....	67.575	0.9	0.616	0.05	S-Sep.2021	0.4
All items less food and shelter.....	53.581	1.0	0.517	0.06	S-Sep.2021	0.3
All items less food, shelter, and energy.....	46.111	0.6	0.257	0.07	S-Sep.2021	0.1
All items less food, shelter, energy, and used cars and trucks.....	42.761	0.4	0.172	0.07	S-Sep.2021	0.2
All items less medical care.....	91.506	0.8	0.760	0.04	S-Sep.2021	0.5
All items less energy.....	92.531	0.6	0.519	0.04	—	—
Commodities.....	38.957	1.4	0.542	0.07	S-Sep.2021	0.6

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Commodities less food, energy, and used cars and trucks.....	17.405	0.6	0.109	0.11	S-Sep.2021	0.4
Commodities less food.....	24.962	1.8	0.442	0.10	S-Sep.2021	0.4
Commodities less food and beverages.....	23.965	1.8	0.442	0.10	S-Sep.2021	0.4
Services.....	61.043	0.4	0.224	0.04	S-Sep.2021	0.3
Services less rent of shelter ¹⁶	28.961	0.2	0.057	0.07	S-Sep.2021	0.1
Services less medical care services.....	54.042	0.3	0.168	0.05	S-Sep.2021	0.3
Durables.....	11.683	1.6	0.181	0.11	L-Jun.2021	3.5
Nondurables.....	27.274	1.1	0.300	0.08	S-Sep.2021	0.4
Nondurables less food.....	13.279	1.6	0.217	0.14	S-Sep.2021	0.1
Nondurables less food and beverages.....	12.282	1.8	0.215	0.15	S-Sep.2021	0.1
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel.....	9.557	1.7	0.166	0.12	S-Sep.2021	0.5
Nondurables less food and apparel.....	10.554	1.6	0.167	0.11	S-Sep.2021	0.5
Housing.....	41.611	0.5	0.215	0.05	S-Sep.2021	0.5
Education and communication ⁵	6.523	0.0	-0.003	0.08	S-Mar.2021	-0.1
Education ⁵	2.915	0.2	0.006	0.06	—	—
Communication ⁵	3.608	-0.2	-0.009	0.13	S-Jun.2020	-0.2
Information and information processing ⁵	3.496	-0.3	-0.009	0.13	S-Nov.2018	-1.3
Information technology, hardware and services ¹⁸	1.247	-0.7	-0.009	0.27	S-Sep.2020	-0.7
Recreation ⁵	5.664	-0.2	-0.012	0.18	S-Jan.2021	-0.6
Video and audio ⁵	1.494	-0.2	-0.003	0.17	S-Jan.2021	-0.4
Pets, pet products and services ⁵	1.156	0.2	0.003	0.22	—	—
Photography ⁵	0.070	1.2	0.001	0.38	L-Feb.2021	1.7
Food and beverages.....	14.992	0.7	0.100	0.09	S-Aug.2021	0.4
Domestically produced farm food ⁴	6.461	0.4	0.029	0.17	S-Aug.2021	0.2
Other services.....	11.378	-0.1	-0.014	0.10	S-Jan.2021	-0.3
Apparel less footwear.....	2.077	1.5	0.029	0.56	L-Jan.2021	2.5
Fuels and utilities.....	4.522	0.3	0.014	0.14	S-Jun.2021	0.3
Household energy.....	3.447	0.4	0.014	0.18	S-Jun.2021	0.3
Medical care.....	8.494	0.2	0.020	0.08	S-Sep.2021	0.0
Transportation.....	16.906	2.5	0.419	0.13	L-Jun.2021	3.6
Private transportation.....	15.856	2.4	0.388	0.11	S-Sep.2021	0.7
New and used motor vehicles ⁵	8.250	1.8	0.148	0.10	—	—
Utilities and public transportation.....	8.796	0.4	0.036	0.12	S-Sep.2021	0.0
Household furnishings and operations.....	4.665	0.8	0.038	0.19	—	—
Other goods and services.....	3.085	0.2	0.007	0.13	S-Sep.2021	0.1
Personal care ⁴	2.470	0.1	0.001	0.16	S-Sep.2021	-0.1

¹ The 'effect' of an item category is a measure of that item's contribution to the All items price change. For example, if the Food index had an effect of 0.40, and the All items index rose 1.2 percent, then the increase in food prices contributed 0.40 / 1.2, or 33.3 percent, to that All items increase. Said another way, had food prices been unchanged for that month the change in the All items index would have been 1.2 percent minus 0.40, or 0.8 percent. Effects can be negative as well. For example, if the effect of food was a negative 0.1, and the All items index rose 0.5 percent, the All items index actually would have been 0.1 percent higher (or 0.6 percent) had food prices been unchanged. Since food prices fell while prices overall were rising, the contribution of food to the All items price change was negative (in this case, -0.1 / 0.5, or minus 20 percent).

² A statistic's margin of error is often expressed as its point estimate plus or minus two standard errors. For example, if a CPI category rose 0.6 percent, and its standard error was 0.15 percent, the margin of error on this item's 1-month percent change would be 0.6 percent, plus or minus 0.3 percent.

³ If the current seasonally adjusted 1-month percent change is greater than the previous published 1-month percent change, then this column identifies the closest prior month with a 1-month percent change as (L)arge as or (L)arger than the current 1-month change. If the current 1-month percent change is smaller than the previous published 1-month percent change, the most recent month with a change as (S)mall or (S)maller than the current month change is identified. If the current and previous published 1-month percent changes are equal, a dash will appear. Standard numerical comparisons are used. For example, 0.8% is greater than 0.6%, -0.4% is less than -0.2%, and -0.2% is less than 0.0%. Note that a (L)arger change can be a smaller decline, for example, a -0.2% change is larger than a -0.4% change, but still represents a decline in the price index. Likewise, (S)maller changes can be increases, for example, a 0.6% change is smaller than 0.8%, but still represents an increase in the price index. In this context, a -0.2% change is considered to be smaller than a 0.0% change.

⁴ Not seasonally adjusted.

⁵ Indexes on a December 1997=100 base.

⁶ Special indexes based on a substantially smaller sample. These series do not contribute to the all items index aggregation and therefore do not have a relative importance or effect.

- ⁷ Indexes on a December 2007=100 base.
- ⁸ Indexes on a December 2005=100 base.
- ⁹ Indexes on a December 1986=100 base.
- ¹⁰ Indexes on a December 1993=100 base.
- ¹¹ Indexes on a December 2009=100 base.
- ¹² Indexes on a December 1990=100 base.
- ¹³ Indexes on a December 1983=100 base.
- ¹⁴ Indexes on a December 2001=100 base.
- ¹⁵ Indexes on a December 2019=100 base.
- ¹⁶ Indexes on a December 1982=100 base.
- ¹⁷ Indexes on a December 1996=100 base.
- ¹⁸ Indexes on a December 1988=100 base.

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All items.....	100.000	6.8		0.09	L-Jun.1982	7.1
Food.....	13.995	6.1	0.860	0.16	L-Oct.2008	6.3
Food at home.....	7.733	6.4	0.495	0.24	L-Dec.2008	6.6
Cereals and bakery products.....	0.979	4.6	0.046	0.52	L-Apr.2012	4.7
Cereals and cereal products.....	0.298	4.4	0.013	0.79	L-Apr.2012	5.0
Flour and prepared flour mixes.....	0.042	6.2	0.003	1.47	L-Jun.2012	6.2
Breakfast cereal.....	0.139	5.7	0.008	1.30	L-Jan.2012	5.9
Rice, pasta, cornmeal.....	0.117	2.3	0.003	1.30	L-Jan.2021	2.4
Rice ^{4, 5}		1.1		1.80	L-Mar.2021	3.8
Bakery products.....	0.681	4.8	0.033	0.68	L-Mar.2012	4.9
Bread ⁴	0.193	4.0	0.008	1.23	L-Oct.2020	4.6
White bread ⁵		3.5		1.35	L-Oct.2020	5.0
Bread other than white ⁵		4.7		1.27	L-Jan.2021	4.8
Fresh biscuits, rolls, muffins ⁴	0.100	6.6	0.007	1.53	L-Oct.2011	7.3
Cakes, cupcakes, and cookies.....	0.173	3.4	0.006	1.06	L-Sep.2021	3.9
Cookies ⁵		1.0		1.36	L-Sep.2021	2.4
Fresh cakes and cupcakes ⁵		6.9		1.83	L-Feb.2012	7.1
Other bakery products.....	0.215	5.7	0.012	1.12	L-Mar.2009	9.3
Fresh sweetrolls, coffeecakes, doughnuts ⁵		4.0		2.11	L-Mar.2021	4.7
Crackers, bread, and cracker products ⁵		5.9		1.89	S-Aug.2021	3.8
Frozen and refrigerated bakery products, pies, tarts, turnovers ⁵		6.5		1.51	L-Jun.2009	7.3
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs.....	1.838	12.8	0.223	0.50	L-Jun.2020	12.8
Meats, poultry, and fish.....	1.736	13.1	0.215	0.51	L-Jul.1979	13.3
Meats.....	1.117	16.0	0.165	0.64	L-Jun.2020	16.7
Beef and veal.....	0.536	20.9	0.099	0.93	L-Jun.2020	25.1
Uncooked ground beef.....	0.186	13.9	0.024	1.27	L-Jul.2020	15.0
Uncooked beef roasts ⁴	0.086	26.4	0.019	2.74	L-May 2020	26.9
Uncooked beef steaks ⁴	0.213	24.6	0.044	1.39	L-Dec.2003	27.5
Uncooked other beef and veal ⁴	0.050	24.2	0.011	2.51	L-EVER	-
Pork.....	0.354	16.8	0.054	1.15	L-Nov.1990	17.4
Bacon, breakfast sausage, and related products ⁴	0.147	17.8	0.024	1.43	L-EVER	-
Bacon and related products ⁵		21.0		1.36	L-May 2011	21.6
Breakfast sausage and related products ^{4, 5}		12.9		2.43	L-Jul.2014	13.2
Ham.....	0.068	10.7	0.007	3.22	L-Jun.2020	12.4
Ham, excluding canned ⁵		11.1		3.42	L-Jun.2020	13.1
Pork chops.....	0.055	12.7	0.007	2.49	S-Sep.2021	5.9
Other pork including roasts, steaks, and ribs ⁴	0.084	22.9	0.017	2.52	L-EVER	-
Other meats.....	0.227	4.8	0.011	1.06	L-Dec.2020	4.9
Frankfurters ⁵		3.0		2.85	L-Apr.2021	3.3
Lunchmeats ^{4, 5}		4.4		1.25	L-Dec.2020	4.6
Poultry.....	0.340	8.4	0.028	1.09	L-Jun.2020	8.7
Chicken ⁴	0.278	9.2	0.025	1.13	L-Jan.2008	9.5
Fresh whole chicken ⁵		6.7		2.20	S-Aug.2021	4.9
Fresh and frozen chicken parts ⁵		10.7		1.56	L-Sep.2004	11.8
Other uncooked poultry including turkey ⁴	0.062	4.6	0.003	3.45	L-Aug.2021	6.1
Fish and seafood.....	0.280	8.0	0.022	0.94	L-Sep.2011	8.1
Fresh fish and seafood ⁴	0.145	10.6	0.015	1.53	S-Aug.2021	10.6
Processed fish and seafood ⁴	0.135	5.5	0.008	1.06	L-Apr.2012	7.9
Shelf stable fish and seafood ⁵		0.0		1.74	S-Sep.2021	-1.3
Frozen fish and seafood ⁵		8.1		1.70	L-Sep.2014	8.3
Eggs.....	0.102	8.0	0.008	1.87	S-Jul.2021	5.7

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Dairy and related products.....	0.750	1.6	0.012	0.62	S-Sep.2021	0.6
Milk ⁴	0.208	4.6	0.010	1.11	L-Jul.2021	6.2
Fresh whole milk ⁵		6.6		1.99	L-Jul.2021	8.1
Fresh milk other than whole ^{4, 5}		4.4		1.10	L-Jul.2021	5.1
Cheese and related products.....	0.249	-0.3	-0.001	0.91	L-Jul.2021	0.1
Ice cream and related products.....	0.106	0.7	0.001	1.40	S-Sep.2021	0.3
Other dairy and related products ⁴	0.187	1.4	0.003	1.03	L-Sep.2021	1.5
Fruits and vegetables.....	1.311	4.0	0.053	0.62	L-Mar.2013	4.4
Fresh fruits and vegetables.....	1.031	4.0	0.043	0.76	L-Mar.2019	4.3
Fresh fruits.....	0.536	5.8	0.031	1.19	L-Jun.2021	7.3
Apples.....	0.075	7.4	0.005	1.95	L-Sep.2021	7.8
Bananas.....	0.072	3.7	0.003	1.54	L-Sep.2018	4.4
Citrus fruits ⁴	0.143	2.6	0.004	1.83	S-Dec.2020	2.6
Oranges, including tangerines ⁵		0.9		2.52	S-Nov.2020	0.8
Other fresh fruits ⁴	0.246	7.7	0.019	1.94	L-Jun.2021	8.7
Fresh vegetables.....	0.494	2.2	0.011	0.89	L-Dec.2020	4.2
Potatoes.....	0.078	-0.2	0.000	2.00	S-Aug.2021	-1.7
Lettuce.....	0.062	3.2	0.002	2.64	L-Sep.2021	5.0
Tomatoes.....	0.078	3.0	0.002	2.33	L-Dec.2020	4.5
Other fresh vegetables.....	0.276	2.4	0.007	1.36	S-Sep.2021	0.5
Processed fruits and vegetables ⁴	0.281	3.7	0.010	0.77	L-Mar.2021	4.0
Canned fruits and vegetables ⁴	0.148	4.2	0.006	1.17	S-Sep.2021	2.4
Canned fruits ^{4, 5}		0.0		1.49	S-Mar.2020	-1.9
Canned vegetables ^{4, 5}		6.5		1.67	S-Sep.2021	3.8
Frozen fruits and vegetables ⁴	0.084	2.8	0.002	1.35	L-Mar.2021	3.4
Frozen vegetables ⁵		0.5		1.73	L-Mar.2021	1.5
Other processed fruits and vegetables including dried ⁴	0.049	3.6	0.002	1.65	L-Dec.2020	3.6
Dried beans, peas, and lentils ^{4, 5}		8.6		3.56	L-Aug.2020	10.3
Nonalcoholic beverages and beverage materials.....	0.920	5.3	0.049	0.59	L-Jun.2020	5.3
Juices and nonalcoholic drinks ⁴	0.659	5.3	0.035	0.72	L-Oct.2020	5.6
Carbonated drinks.....	0.281	7.4	0.021	1.46	L-Jan.2021	7.4
Frozen noncarbonated juices and drinks ⁴	0.006	3.6	0.000	2.35	L-Aug.2017	6.6
Nonfrozen noncarbonated juices and drinks ⁴	0.372	3.7	0.014	0.84	S-Sep.2021	2.8
Beverage materials including coffee and tea ⁴	0.261	5.2	0.014	0.94	L-Feb.2012	7.1
Coffee.....	0.169	7.5	0.012	1.23	L-Mar.2012	9.8
Roasted coffee ⁵		7.6		1.70	L-Mar.2012	11.0
Instant coffee ⁵		6.8		1.91	L-Jan.2012	7.7
Other beverage materials including tea ⁴	0.091	1.3	0.001	1.20	S-May 2021	-0.6
Other food at home.....	1.935	5.7	0.111	0.39	L-Feb.2012	5.7
Sugar and sweets.....	0.260	3.8	0.010	0.87	L-Dec.2020	4.6
Sugar and sugar substitutes.....	0.037	3.3	0.001	1.43	S-Aug.2021	3.2
Candy and chewing gum ⁴	0.171	3.1	0.006	1.23	L-Aug.2021	3.4
Other sweets ⁴	0.052	6.8	0.004	1.40	L-Jul.2009	7.0
Fats and oils.....	0.217	9.1	0.019	0.99	L-Feb.2012	10.8
Butter and margarine ⁴	0.062	3.9	0.002	1.58	L-May 2017	4.2
Butter ⁵		2.4		2.34	L-Aug.2020	2.4
Margarine ⁵		5.0		1.75	L-Aug.2021	5.3
Salad dressing ⁴	0.052	8.2	0.004	1.51	L-Aug.2021	8.7
Other fats and oils including peanut butter ⁴	0.104	12.9	0.013	1.64	L-Jun.2012	14.1
Peanut butter ^{4, 5}		6.8		2.02	L-Dec.2020	11.2
Other foods.....	1.458	5.5	0.082	0.47	L-Mar.2009	7.1
Soups.....	0.087	3.6	0.003	2.10	L-Dec.2020	6.7
Frozen and freeze dried prepared foods.....	0.253	5.7	0.015	1.03	L-Feb.2009	7.2

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Snacks.....	0.333	5.9	0.020	1.16	L-Jul.2020	6.0
Spices, seasonings, condiments, sauces.....	0.285	4.7	0.014	0.77	L-Feb.2012	4.8
Salt and other seasonings and spices ^{4, 5}		6.7		1.74	L-Oct.2015	7.0
Olives, pickles, relishes ^{4, 5}		4.5		1.17	L-Dec.2020	6.2
Sauces and gravies ^{4, 5}		3.3		1.41	L-Feb.2021	3.4
Other condiments ⁵		6.9		1.52	L-Dec.2011	10.2
Baby food ⁴	0.043	6.7	0.003	1.18	S-Sep.2021	4.4
Other miscellaneous foods ⁴	0.457	5.9	0.027	1.22	L-Jan.2009	7.7
Prepared salads ^{6, 5}		7.7		3.47	L-EVER	—
Food away from home.....	6.262	5.8	0.366	0.26	L-Jan.1982	6.7
Full service meals and snacks ⁴	3.149	6.0	0.191	0.29	L-EVER	—
Limited service meals and snacks ⁴	2.791	7.9	0.220	0.41	L-EVER	—
Food at employee sites and schools ⁴	0.071	-44.9	-0.058	1.61	L-Aug.2021	-42.5
Food at elementary and secondary schools ^{7, 5}		-58.6		5.74	L-Sep.2021	-56.1
Food from vending machines and mobile vendors ⁴	0.080	6.4	0.005	0.93	L-Aug.2021	6.7
Other food away from home ⁴	0.171	4.4	0.008	0.42	S-Sep.2021	3.5
Energy.....	7.469	33.3	2.012	0.26	L-Sep.2005	34.8
Energy commodities.....	4.207	57.5	1.679	0.30	L-Apr.1980	58.9
Fuel oil and other fuels.....	0.185	48.3	0.066	1.00	—	—
Fuel oil.....	0.111	59.3	0.045	1.43	L-Jul.2008	75.7
Propane, kerosene, and firewood ⁸	0.074	34.3	0.021	1.17	S-Sep.2021	27.6
Motor fuel.....	4.022	58.0	1.613	0.31	L-Apr.1980	59.5
Gasoline (all types).....	3.937	58.1	1.580	0.32	L-Apr.1980	59.7
Gasoline, unleaded regular ⁵		60.1		0.73	L-Mar.1980	65.9
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ^{9, 5}		50.6		0.71	L-Dec.2009	50.9
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁵		46.2		0.73	L-Jan.2010	46.9
Other motor fuels ⁴	0.085	53.1	0.033	0.57	L-Jul.2008	61.4
Energy services.....	3.262	10.7	0.333	0.40	S-Sep.2021	8.5
Electricity.....	2.446	6.5	0.156	0.45	—	—
Utility (piped) gas service.....	0.816	25.1	0.177	0.71	S-Sep.2021	20.6
All items less food and energy.....	78.536	4.9	3.937	0.11	L-Jun.1991	5.0
Commodities less food and energy commodities.....	20.755	9.4	1.903	0.24	L-Dec.1980	9.8
Household furnishings and supplies ¹⁰	3.774	6.0	0.228	0.42	S-Sep.2021	4.8
Window and floor coverings and other linens ⁴	0.281	5.8	0.016	2.13	L-EVER	—
Floor coverings ⁴	0.062	7.6	0.005	1.99	L-Jan.2001	7.6
Window coverings ⁴	0.061	10.7	0.006	5.19	L-May.2020	11.1
Other linens ⁴	0.159	3.2	0.005	3.22	S-Aug.2021	-3.3
Furniture and bedding.....	0.985	11.8	0.111	1.04	S-Sep.2021	11.2
Bedroom furniture.....	0.340	9.9	0.032	1.71	S-Sep.2021	9.8
Living room, kitchen, and dining room furniture ⁴	0.482	14.1	0.064	1.56	L-EVER	—
Other furniture ⁴	0.154	9.0	0.014	2.53	S-Sep.2021	6.6
Appliances ⁴	0.221	4.9	0.011	1.52	S-Aug.2021	4.3
Major appliances ⁴	0.079	5.5	0.004	2.27	S-Jul.2020	5.2
Laundry equipment ⁵		9.2		3.31	S-Oct.2020	7.9
Other appliances ⁴	0.140	4.6	0.006	1.96	S-Aug.2021	2.4
Other household equipment and furnishings ⁴	0.522	4.0	0.022	1.25	L-Mar.2021	4.0
Clocks, lamps, and decorator items.....	0.305	4.2	0.013	1.94	L-Mar.2021	4.9
Indoor plants and flowers ¹¹	0.090	6.4	0.006	1.80	L-Mar.2021	7.6
Dishes and flatware ⁴	0.048	-3.9	-0.002	3.27	S-Aug.2021	-8.3
Nonelectric cookware and tableware ⁴	0.078	5.7	0.004	2.07	L-EVER	—
Tools, hardware, outdoor equipment and supplies ⁴	0.888	6.9	0.062	1.03	L-EVER	—
Tools, hardware and supplies ⁴	0.242	6.0	0.014	1.75	L-EVER	—
Outdoor equipment and supplies ⁴	0.458	7.5	0.034	1.36	S-Sep.2021	2.3

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Housekeeping supplies.....	0.876	0.7	0.006	0.64	S-Aug.2021	-0.1
Household cleaning products ⁴	0.346	1.0	0.004	0.80	S-Jul.2021	0.3
Household paper products ⁴	0.226	2.6	0.006	1.36	S-Aug.2021	0.3
Miscellaneous household products ⁴	0.305	-1.1	-0.003	1.34	—	—
Apparel.....	2.725	5.0	0.135	0.80	L-May 2021	5.6
Men's and boys' apparel.....	0.688	7.8	0.053	1.46	L-Feb.1975	8.7
Men's apparel.....	0.551	7.6	0.041	1.53	L-EVER	—
Men's suits, sport coats, and outerwear.....	0.095	14.1	0.013	4.24	L-EVER	—
Men's underwear, nightwear, swimwear, and accessories.....	0.163	6.5	0.011	2.88	L-May 2012	7.7
Men's shirts and sweaters ⁴	0.155	6.0	0.009	2.58	S-Aug.2021	4.4
Men's pants and shorts.....	0.132	6.5	0.009	3.27	L-Sep.2021	7.0
Boys' apparel.....	0.137	8.4	0.011	3.18	L-Feb.2019	10.5
Women's and girls' apparel.....	1.101	3.4	0.037	1.53	L-Aug.2021	3.6
Women's apparel.....	0.911	4.2	0.038	1.52	L-Jul.2021	4.5
Women's outerwear.....	0.067	5.4	0.003	4.57	S-Sep.2021	4.7
Women's dresses.....	0.101	8.6	0.008	3.36	S-Apr.2021	-1.2
Women's suits and separates ⁴	0.465	4.8	0.022	2.18	L-May 2012	5.9
Women's underwear, nightwear, swimwear, and accessories ⁴	0.268	1.4	0.004	2.69	S-Apr.2021	0.8
Girls' apparel.....	0.190	-0.4	-0.001	3.94	S-Sep.2021	-0.5
Footwear.....	0.648	4.7	0.031	1.33	S-Jul.2021	4.6
Men's footwear.....	0.228	6.2	0.014	1.82	L-Jun.2021	6.5
Boys' and girls' footwear.....	0.136	2.2	0.003	2.46	S-Apr.2021	2.0
Women's footwear.....	0.285	4.8	0.014	2.14	L-Sep.2021	4.9
Infants' and toddlers' apparel.....	0.127	4.5	0.006	2.66	S-Sep.2021	3.0
Jewelry and watches ⁸	0.161	5.2	0.008	3.31	S-Feb.2021	1.2
Watches ⁸	0.038	1.0	0.000	4.26	S-Jul.2020	0.7
Jewelry ⁸	0.123	6.7	0.008	3.87	S-Feb.2021	0.5
Transportation commodities less motor fuel ¹⁰	7.872	19.2	1.370	0.25	L-Jul.2021	19.8
New vehicles.....	3.856	11.1	0.415	0.44	L-Apr.1975	12.5
New cars and trucks ^{4, 5}		11.1		0.48	L-EVER	—
New cars ⁵		10.9		0.76	L-Apr.1975	12.5
New trucks ^{12, 5}		11.2		0.50	L-EVER	—
Used cars and trucks.....	3.350	31.4	0.873	0.06	L-Aug.2021	31.9
Motor vehicle parts and equipment.....	0.401	10.2	0.040	0.64	L-Sep.1980	12.0
Tires.....	0.256	11.1	0.028	0.74	L-Dec.1980	11.3
Vehicle accessories other than tires ⁴	0.146	8.7	0.012	1.42	L-Dec.2008	9.6
Vehicle parts and equipment other than tires ⁵		7.1		1.73	L-Nov.2008	7.3
Motor oil, coolant, and fluids ⁵		9.7		2.04	S-Sep.2021	6.8
Medical care commodities.....	1.493	0.2	0.003	1.54	L-Sep.2020	0.9
Medicinal drugs ¹⁰	1.427	0.0	-0.001	1.58	L-Sep.2020	1.1
Prescription drugs.....	1.071	-0.3	-0.004	2.04	L-Sep.2020	1.4
Nonprescription drugs ¹⁰	0.356	0.8	0.003	0.99	L-Nov.2019	0.8
Medical equipment and supplies ¹⁰	0.065	5.2	0.003	1.50	L-EVER	—
Recreation commodities ¹⁰	1.961	3.9	0.079	0.58	S-Sep.2021	3.5
Video and audio products ¹⁰	0.260	1.3	0.004	0.96	L-Sep.2021	1.7
Televisions.....	0.096	7.9	0.007	1.45	S-Jun.2021	7.6
Other video equipment ⁴	0.040	2.0	0.001	1.93	L-Jun.2021	2.1
Audio equipment.....	0.070	-5.0	-0.004	2.02	L-Jun.2021	-4.4
Recorded music and music subscriptions ⁴	0.043	-1.9	-0.001	1.98	S-Sep.2021	-2.8
Pets and pet products.....	0.609	2.8	0.018	0.66	S-Sep.2021	2.8
Pet food ^{4, 5}		1.5		0.81	S-Aug.2021	0.5
Purchase of pets, pet supplies, accessories ^{4, 5}		4.3		1.61	S-Sep.2021	4.2

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Table 7. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, by expenditure category, November 2021, 12-month analysis table — Continued
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Sporting goods.....	0.610	8.4	0.050	1.44	S-Sep.2021	7.5
Sports vehicles including bicycles.....	0.373	9.4	0.034	2.05	L-May 2021	10.1
Sports equipment.....	0.227	6.7	0.015	1.43	S-Sep.2021	5.4
Photographic equipment and supplies.....	0.026	4.0	0.001	2.04	S-Jul.2021	3.5
Photographic equipment ^{4, 5}		5.2		1.80	S-Jul.2021	5.1
Recreational reading materials.....	0.115	2.2	0.003	2.24	L-Sep.2021	2.8
Newspapers and magazines ⁴	0.067	3.5	0.002	3.31	S-Aug.2021	2.6
Recreational books ⁴	0.046	0.2	0.000	2.51	L-Sep.2021	0.9
Other recreational goods ⁴	0.341	1.1	0.004	1.27	L-Aug.2021	1.1
Toys.....	0.261	1.2	0.003	1.56	L-Aug.2021	1.7
Toys, games, hobbies and playground equipment ^{1, 5}		2.3		1.48	L-May 2021	3.4
Sewing machines, fabric and supplies ⁴	0.019	-4.8	-0.001	3.12	L-Jul.2021	5.0
Music instruments and accessories ⁴	0.046	2.9	0.001	2.64	L-Aug.2021	3.2
Education and communication commodities ¹⁰	0.480	0.9	0.005	1.26	S-Aug.2021	-0.5
Educational books and supplies.....	0.103	0.2	0.000	1.94	S-Nov.2020	0.2
College textbooks ^{13, 5}		-0.2		1.94	S-Nov.2020	-0.5
Information technology commodities ¹⁰	0.377	1.2	0.005	1.37	S-Aug.2021	-0.7
Computers, peripherals, and smart home assistants ⁶	0.294	4.8	0.014	1.83	S-Aug.2021	3.4
Computer software and accessories ⁴	0.017	-2.3	0.000	3.82	S-Jul.2021	-3.3
Telephone hardware, calculators, and other consumer information items ⁴	0.067	-11.5	-0.009	2.08	L-Dec.2018	-11.2
Smartphones ^{5, 14}		-16.0		2.84	L-EVER	-
Alcoholic beverages.....	0.997	1.9	0.020	0.73	S-Jun.2021	1.9
Alcoholic beverages at home.....	0.555	1.3	0.007	1.07	S-May 2021	1.2
Beer, ale, and other malt beverages at home.....	0.214	1.2	0.003	0.79	S-May 2021	0.4
Distilled spirits at home.....	0.092	3.2	0.003	1.41	S-Sep.2021	2.9
Whiskey at home ⁵		1.6		2.07	S-Sep.2021	1.4
Distilled spirits, excluding whiskey, at home ⁵		3.8		1.36	S-Aug.2021	3.5
Wine at home.....	0.250	0.6	0.002	2.11	L-Sep.2021	1.6
Alcoholic beverages away from home.....	0.442	2.7	0.012	0.88	S-Jun.2021	2.2
Beer, ale, and other malt beverages away from home ^{1, 5}		3.5		1.14	S-Sep.2021	3.3
Wine away from home ^{4, 5}		2.3		0.88	S-Aug.2021	2.1
Distilled spirits away from home ^{4, 5}		1.2		1.00	S-Oct.2019	1.2
Other goods ¹⁰	1.453	4.3	0.064	0.47	S-Sep.2021	3.4
Tobacco and smoking products.....	0.615	8.9	0.054	0.32	L-Mar.2010	15.9
Cigarettes ⁴	0.537	9.4	0.050	0.33	L-Mar.2010	15.8
Tobacco products other than cigarettes ⁴	0.059	4.6	0.003	1.00	L-Sep.2021	4.6
Personal care products.....	0.643	-0.2	-0.002	0.64	S-Aug.2021	-0.2
Hair, dental, shaving, and miscellaneous personal care products ⁴	0.348	0.5	0.002	0.80	L-Oct.2020	0.6
Cosmetics, perfume, bath, nail preparations and implements.....	0.288	-1.2	-0.004	0.96	S-Jul.2021	-1.8
Miscellaneous personal goods ⁴	0.195	6.0	0.012	2.57	S-Sep.2021	5.3
Stationery, stationery supplies, gift wrap ⁵		7.3		2.57	S-Jul.2021	4.7
Services less energy services.....	57.781	3.4	2.034	0.12	L-Jan.2008	3.4
Shelter.....	32.425	3.8	1.278	0.16	L-Jun.2007	3.8
Rent of shelter ¹⁵	32.083	3.9	1.282	0.16	L-Apr.2007	3.9
Rent of primary residence.....	7.585	3.0	0.240	0.15	L-Jul.2020	3.1
Lodging away from home ⁴	0.984	22.2	0.186	2.25	S-Sep.2021	17.5
Housing at school, excluding board ¹⁵	0.114	1.8	0.002	0.28	S-EVER	-
Other lodging away from home including hotels and motels.....	0.870	25.5	0.184	2.52	-	-

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Owners' equivalent rent of residences ¹⁵	23.514	3.5	0.856	0.15	L-Mar.2017	3.5
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence ¹⁵ ..	22.332	3.5	0.812	0.15	L-Mar.2017	3.5
Tenants' and household insurance ⁴	0.342	-1.0	-0.004	0.71	S-Jun.2020	-1.1
Water and sewer and trash collection services ⁴	1.074	3.5	0.039	0.23	S-Aug.2021	3.5
Water and sewerage maintenance.....	0.783	3.0	0.025	0.30	S-Sep.2021	3.0
Garbage and trash collection ¹²	0.292	4.8	0.014	0.46	S-Aug.2021	4.7
Household operations ⁴	0.890	8.4	0.075	0.67	L-EVER	-
Domestic services ⁴	0.300	10.2	0.030	1.26	L-Aug.2021	11.5
Gardening and lawncare services ⁴	0.302		0.017	0.60	-	-
Moving, storage, freight expense ⁴	0.093	7.5	0.007	1.51	S-Apr.2021	7.4
Repair of household items ⁴						
Medical care services.....	7.002	2.1	0.152	0.43	L-Apr.2021	2.2
Professional services.....	3.549	3.1	0.114	0.63	L-Apr.2021	3.5
Physicians' services.....	1.780	4.3	0.077	1.05	L-Apr.2021	4.9
Dental services.....	0.966	2.2	0.022	0.73	-	-
Eyeglasses and eye care ⁸	0.348	1.1	0.004	0.67	L-Oct.2020	1.3
Services by other medical professionals ⁸	0.456	2.1	0.010	0.52	-	-
Hospital and related services.....	2.364	3.5	0.085	0.62	S-Sep.2021	3.3
Hospital services ¹⁶	2.171	3.5	0.077	0.68	S-Sep.2021	3.2
Inpatient hospital services ^{16, 5}		3.5		1.14	S-Sep.2021	3.2
Outpatient hospital services ^{8, 5}		2.7		1.03	S-Sep.2021	2.7
Nursing homes and adult day services ¹⁶	0.121	3.2	0.004	0.40	S-Aug.2021	3.1
Care of invalids and elderly at home ⁷	0.072	5.2	0.004	1.78	S-Sep.2020	4.3
Health insurance ⁷	1.089	-3.8	-0.047	0.62	L-Apr.2021	-3.0
Transportation services.....	5.012	3.9	0.201	0.40	S-Mar.2021	-1.6
Leased cars and trucks ¹³						
Car and truck rental ⁴	0.176	37.2	0.052	2.77	S-Mar.2021	31.2
Motor vehicle maintenance and repair.....	1.085	4.9	0.054	0.66	S-Sep.2021	4.0
Motor vehicle body work.....	0.059	8.0	0.005	0.96	L-Sep.1982	8.2
Motor vehicle maintenance and servicing.....	0.627	4.5	0.029	0.74	S-Sep.2021	4.3
Motor vehicle repair ⁴	0.340	5.1	0.017	1.40	L-Aug.2021	5.3
Motor vehicle insurance.....	1.557	5.7	0.089	0.78	S-Sep.2021	4.8
Motor vehicle fees ⁴	0.540	1.5	0.008	0.71	L-Jul.2021	1.9
State motor vehicle registration and license fees ⁴	0.281	0.3	0.001	0.66	S-Jun.2015	-0.7
Parking and other fees ⁴	0.245	2.8	0.007	1.38	L-Jul.2021	3.5
Parking fees and tolls ^{4, 5}		4.0		1.40	L-Aug.2021	4.5
Public transportation.....	1.050	-0.6	-0.007	0.79	L-Sep.2021	1.6
Airline fares.....	0.596	-3.7	-0.025	1.12	L-Sep.2021	0.8
Other intercity transportation.....	0.170	2.4	0.004	2.07	S-Nov.2020	-0.9
Ship fare ^{4, 5}		3.7		2.16	S-Jan.2021	2.2
Intracity transportation.....	0.281	5.0	0.014	0.91	L-Aug.2021	10.9
Intracity mass transit ^{10, 5}		8.5		1.75	L-Aug.2021	10.6
Recreation services ¹⁰	3.703	2.8	0.107	0.43	S-Jun.2021	1.9
Video and audio services ¹⁰	1.234	3.6	0.046	0.55	S-May 2021	3.4
Cable and satellite television service ¹²	1.161	3.9	0.046	0.55	S-May 2021	3.9
Video discs and other media, including rental of video ⁴	0.073	-0.1	0.000	2.32	L-Sep.2019	3.3
Video discs and other media ^{4, 5}		-1.2		4.12	L-Feb.2021	0.9
Rental of video discs and other media ^{4, 5}		3.1		1.10	L-Jan.2021	3.3
Pet services including veterinary ⁴	0.547	4.2	0.024	0.71	L-Jun.2021	4.9
Veterinarian services ^{4, 5}		3.4		0.75	L-Jul.2021	3.4
Photographers and photo processing ⁴	0.042	2.7	0.001	1.27	L-May 2021	3.2
Other recreation services ⁴	1.879	1.9	0.036	0.74	S-Jun.2021	-0.5

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Club membership for shopping clubs, fraternal, or other organizations, or participant sports fees ⁴	0.656	1.5	0.010	0.79	S-Jun.2021	-0.4
Admissions.....	0.697	1.8	0.013	1.45	S-Aug.2021	1.2
Admission to movies, theaters, and concerts ^{4, 5}		4.5		1.84	—	—
Admission to sporting events ^{4, 5}				6.47	—	—
Fees for lessons or instructions ⁸	0.211	2.9	0.006	1.21	S-Sep.2020	2.4
Education and communication services ¹⁰	6.043	1.7	0.108	0.25	—	—
Tuition, other school fees, and childcare.....	2.812	2.2	0.064	0.34	L-Jul.2020	2.3
College tuition and fees.....	1.505	1.9	0.029	0.55	L-Jul.2020	2.1
Elementary and high school tuition and fees.....	0.416	2.5	0.011	0.84	L-Aug.2021	3.1
Day care and preschool ¹¹	0.742	2.7	0.021	0.32	—	—
Technical and business school tuition and fees ⁴	0.035	1.2	0.000	0.67	S-Jul.2021	1.1
Postage and delivery services ⁴	0.112	7.2	0.008	0.11	—	—
Postage.....	0.102	7.2	0.007	0.11	—	—
Delivery services ⁴	0.010	7.5	0.001	0.59	—	—
Telephone services ⁴	2.249	0.7	0.016	0.43	L-Sep.2021	0.8
Wireless telephone services ⁴	1.840	-0.4	-0.007	0.38	L-Jul.2021	0.1
Land-line telephone services ¹⁰	0.408	5.7	0.023	1.05	S-May 2021	5.2
Internet services and electronic information providers ⁴	0.859	2.3	0.020	0.86	S-Jul.2021	1.3
Other personal services ¹⁰	1.632	4.5	0.075	0.40	L-EVER	—
Personal care services.....	0.674	4.4	0.030	0.77	L-Sep.2021	5.0
Haircuts and other personal care services ⁴	0.674	4.4	0.030	0.77	L-Sep.2021	5.0
Miscellaneous personal services.....	0.958	4.6	0.044	0.34	L-Dec.2018	4.7
Legal services ⁹	0.245	3.2	0.008	0.84	S-Sep.2021	2.3
Funeral expenses ⁹	0.134	1.7	0.002	0.67	L-Aug.2021	1.7
Laundry and dry cleaning services ⁴	0.220	7.5	0.017	0.66	L-EVER	—
Apparel services other than laundry and dry cleaning ⁴	0.029	2.7	0.001	1.01	L-Jan.2021	3.6
Financial services ⁹	0.221	5.6	0.012	1.09	L-Feb.2019	9.1
Checking account and other bank services ^{4, 5}		9.9		0.52	L-Oct.2018	9.9
Tax return preparation and other accounting fees ^{4, 5}		4.1		1.17	L-Jul.2021	4.4
Special aggregate indexes						
All items less food.....	86.005	6.9	5.949	0.10	L-Jul.1982	6.9
All items less shelter.....	67.575	8.3	5.531	0.11	L-Dec.1981	8.6
All items less food and shelter.....	53.581	8.9	4.670	0.13	L-Jan.1982	9.1
All items less food, shelter, and energy.....	46.111	5.7	2.658	0.15	L-Jun.2021	5.8
All items less food, shelter, energy, and used cars and trucks.....	42.761	4.1	1.785	0.16	L-May 1992	4.1
All items less medical care.....	91.506	7.3	6.654	0.09	L-Feb.1982	7.5
All items less energy.....	92.531	5.1	4.797	0.10	L-Feb.1991	5.3
Commodities.....	38.957	11.9	4.442	0.15	L-May 1980	12.4
Commodities less food, energy, and used cars and trucks.....	17.405	5.9	1.029	0.27	L-Aug.1981	6.2
Commodities less food.....	24.962	15.4	3.582	0.20	L-Apr.1980	15.8
Commodities less food and beverages.....	23.965	16.1	3.562	0.21	L-Mar.1980	16.8
Services.....	61.043	3.8	2.367	0.12	L-Sep.2008	3.8
Services less rent of shelter ¹⁵	28.961	3.6	1.085	0.16	S-Sep.2021	3.2
Services less medical care services.....	54.042	4.0	2.215	0.12	L-Aug.2008	4.1
Durables.....	11.683	14.9	1.634	0.24	L-Jun.1942	17.2
Nondurables.....	27.274	10.7	2.808	0.18	L-Jul.2008	11.0

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Nondurables less food.....	13.279	15.9	1.948	0.29	L-Jul.1980	17.7
Nondurables less food and beverages.....	12.282	17.2	1.928	0.32	L-Jul.1980	18.2
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel.....	9.557	21.1	1.793	0.33	L-Sep.2005	23.6
Nondurables less food and apparel.....	10.554	19.0	1.813	0.30	L-Jul.2008	19.2
Housing.....	41.611	4.8	2.018	0.13	L-Jan.2001	4.9
Education and communication ⁴	6.523	1.7	0.113	0.25	S-Sep.2021	1.7
Education ⁴	2.915	2.1	0.064	0.34	L-Jul.2020	2.2
Communication ⁴	3.608	1.3	0.049	0.37	S-Aug.2021	1.0
Information and information processing ⁴	3.496	1.1	0.041	0.38	S-Aug.2021	1.0
Information technology, hardware and services ¹⁷	1.247	1.9	0.025	0.66	S-Aug.2021	1.4
Recreation ⁴	5.664	3.2	0.186	0.37	S-Jun.2021	2.4
Video and audio ⁴	1.494	3.2	0.050	0.52	S-May 2021	3.0
Pets, pet products and services ⁴	1.156	3.5	0.041	0.50	S-Sep.2021	3.3
Photography ⁴	0.070	3.2	0.002	1.20	L-Jan.2021	3.2
Food and beverages.....	14.992	5.8	0.880	0.14	L-Dec.2008	5.8
Domestically produced farm food.....	6.461	6.5	0.421	0.27	L-Sep.2011	6.5
Other services.....	11.378	2.5	0.290	0.22	S-Sep.2021	2.5
Apparel less footwear.....	2.077	5.0	0.104	0.97	L-May 2021	5.1
Fuels and utilities.....	4.522	10.0	0.438	0.29	S-Sep.2021	8.2
Household energy.....	3.447	12.2	0.399	0.38	S-Sep.2021	9.6
Medical care.....	8.494	1.7	0.155	0.51	L-Mar.2021	1.8
Transportation.....	16.906	21.1	3.183	0.19	L-Jun.2021	21.5
Private transportation.....	15.856	22.8	3.190	0.19	L-Mar.1980	23.2
New and used motor vehicles ⁴	8.250	18.4	1.386	0.26	L-Jul.2021	19.9
Utilities and public transportation.....	8.796	4.8	0.427	0.20	S-Sep.2021	4.5
Household furnishings and operations.....	4.665	6.5	0.302	0.36	L-Mar.1982	6.8
Other goods and services.....	3.085	4.4	0.139	0.34	L-Mar.2010	4.9
Personal care.....	2.470	3.3	0.085	0.41	L-May 2007	3.3

¹ The 'effect' of an item category is a measure of that item's contribution to the All items price change. For example, if the Food index had an effect of 0.40, and the All items index rose 1.2 percent, then the increase in food prices contributed 0.40 / 1.2, or 33.3 percent, to that All items increase. Said another way, had food prices been unchanged for that year the change in the All items index would have been 1.2 percent minus 0.40, or 0.8 percent. Effects can be negative as well. For example, if the effect of food was a negative 0.1, and the All items index rose 0.5 percent, the All items index actually would have been 0.1 percent higher (or 0.6 percent) had food prices been unchanged. Since food prices fell while prices overall were rising, the contribution of food to the All items price change was negative (in this case, -0.1 / 0.5, or minus 20 percent).

² A statistic's margin of error is often expressed as its point estimate plus or minus two standard errors. For example, if a CPI category rose 2.6 percent, and its standard error was 0.25 percent, the margin of error on this item's 12-month percent change would be 2.6 percent, plus or minus 0.5 percent.

³ If the current 12-month percent change is greater than the previous published 12-month percent change, then this column identifies the closest prior month with a 12-month percent change as (L)arge as or (L)arger than the current 12-month change. If the current 12-month percent change is smaller than the previous published 12-month percent change, the most recent month with a change as (S)mall or (S)maller than the current month change is identified. If the current and previous published 12-month percent changes are equal, a dash will appear. Standard numerical comparison is used. For example, 2.0% is greater than 0.6%, -4.4% is less than -2.0%, and -2.0% is less than 0.0%. Note that a (L)arger change can be a smaller decline, for example, a -0.2% change is larger than a -0.4% change, but still represents a decline in the price index. Likewise, (S)maller changes can be increases, for example, a 0.6% change is smaller than 0.8%, but still represents an increase in the price index. In this context, a -0.2% change is considered to be smaller than a 0.0% change.

⁴ Indexes on a December 1997=100 base.

⁵ Special indexes based on a substantially smaller sample. These series do not contribute to the all items index aggregation and therefore do not have a relative importance or effect.

⁶ Indexes on a December 2007=100 base.

⁷ Indexes on a December 2005=100 base.

⁸ Indexes on a December 1986=100 base.

⁹ Indexes on a December 1993=100 base.

¹⁰ Indexes on a December 2009=100 base.

¹¹ Indexes on a December 1990=100 base.

¹² Indexes on a December 1983=100 base.

¹³ Indexes on a December 2001=100 base.

¹⁴ Indexes on a December 2019=100 base.

¹⁵ Indexes on a December 1982=100 base.

¹⁶ Indexes on a December 1996=100 base.

¹⁷ Indexes on a December 1988=100 base.