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Consumer Price Index March 2017

Group (1982-84=100 unless otherwise noted)	United States City Average			Midwest Region		
	Index Mar. 2017	Percent change to Mar. 2017 from		Index Mar. 2017	Percent change to Mar. 2017 from	
		Mar. 2016	Feb. 2017		Mar. 2016	Feb. 2017
All Urban Consumers (CPI-U)						
All Items	243.801	2.4	0.1	228.824	1.9	0.1
All items (other base)(1).....	730.320	-	-	372.309	-	-
Food and beverages	248.967	.5	.1	240.842	.4	.1
Food.....	249.165	.5	.2	240.330	.3	.1
Food at home.....	238.256	-.9	.1	225.919	-.8	.2
Food away from home.....	267.055	2.4	.2	264.553	2.1	.1
Alcoholic beverages.....	244.978	1.1	.1	245.680	.4	.0
Housing	248.978	3.1	.1	219.759	2.2	.0
Shelter.....	295.044	3.5	.2	260.312	2.5	.1
Rent of primary residence(2).....	304.868	3.9	.2	259.587	2.8	.2
Owners' equiv. rent of residences(2)(3).....	302.259	3.5	.2	264.395	2.7	.2
Owners' equiv. rent of primary residence(2)(3).....	302.242	3.5	.2	264.370	2.7	.2
Fuels and utilities.....	232.714	3.9	-.4	217.084	3.8	-.6
Household energy.....	193.703	4.0	-.6	177.386	3.8	-.8
Energy services(2).....	197.709	3.4	-.6	184.406	3.5	-.7
Electricity(2).....	205.692	1.6	-.4	198.192	.7	.2
Utility (piped) gas service(2).....	170.755	10.3	-1.3	150.422	10.3	-2.6
Furnishings and operations.....	121.548	-.7	.0	114.349	-1.0	.1
Apparel	128.250	.6	1.7	118.906	.8	1.8
Transportation	200.091	4.6	.5	195.223	3.5	.7
Private transportation.....	194.890	4.9	.4	189.455	3.6	.7
Motor fuel.....	205.155	19.9	1.1	206.882	17.6	2.2
Gasoline (all types).....	204.217	19.9	1.1	205.745	17.6	2.2
Unleaded regular(4).....	199.896	20.2	1.1	199.746	17.7	2.3
Unleaded midgrade(4)(5).....	221.312	18.0	1.4	241.431	16.7	1.5
Unleaded premium(4).....	216.981	18.3	1.3	229.830	16.9	1.6
Medical Care	474.561	3.5	.0	479.253	3.3	-.3
Recreation(6)	118.573	1.3	.2	121.447	2.6	.6
Education and communication(6)	136.234	-2.2	-1.8	137.614	-1.9	-1.8
Other goods and services	428.336	1.8	.1	412.323	1.4	.0
Commodity and Service Group						
Commodities.....	181.136	1.5	.3	176.752	1.1	.4
Commodities less food & beverages.....	147.435	2.2	.4	145.677	1.6	.5
Nondurables less food & beverages.....	189.614	5.5	.7	188.947	4.7	1.0
Durables.....	106.343	-2.0	.0	103.652	-2.4	-.1
Services.....	305.590	2.9	.0	282.517	2.4	-.1
Special indexes						
All items less medical care.....	232.732	2.3	.1	216.968	1.7	.1
All items less shelter.....	226.469	1.8	.0	219.735	1.6	.1
Energy.....	198.597	10.9	.2	190.872	9.9	.6
All items less energy.....	250.277	1.8	.1	235.410	1.3	.0
All items less food and energy.....	251.290	2.0	.1	235.232	1.5	.0
Commodities less food.....	150.691	2.1	.4	148.811	1.5	.5
Nondurables.....	218.705	2.8	.4	214.506	2.3	.5
Nondurables less food.....	192.856	5.2	.6	191.943	4.4	.9
Services less rent of shelter(3).....	327.067	2.2	-.3	315.348	2.3	-.3
Services less medical care services.....	290.423	2.8	.0	265.616	2.3	.0
Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W)						
All items	237.656	2.3	0.1	222.671	1.8	0.1
All items (other base)(1).....	707.906	-	-	360.109	-	-

(1) Other base: United States City Average, 1967=100; Midwest Region, December 1977=100 base.

(2) This index series was calculated using a Laspeyres estimator. All other item stratum index series were calculated using a geometric means estimator.

(3) Index is on a December 1982=100 base.

(4) Special index based on a substantially smaller sample.

(5) Indexes on a December 1993=100 base.

(6) Indexes on a December 1997=100 base.

- Data not available.

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Consumer Price Index March 2017

Group (1982-84=100 unless otherwise noted)	Chicago-Gary-Kenosha, IL-IN-WI			Cleveland-Akron, OH		
	Index Mar. 2017	Percent change to Mar. 2017 from		Index Mar. 2017	Percent change to Mar. 2017 from	
		Mar. 2016	Feb. 2017		Mar. 2016	Jan. 2017
All Urban Consumers (CPI-U)						
All Items	232.225	2.0	-0.1	222.849	1.3	0.3
All items (1967=100).....	693.792	-	-	714.113	-	-
Food and beverages	242.987	.6	.3	250.214	-.2	.4
Food.....	242.842	.7	.3	254.614	-.4	.5
Food at home.....	233.725	-.4	.5	240.982	-1.6	.3
Food away from home.....	250.953	2.4	.1	279.358	1.4	.7
Alcoholic beverages.....	243.410	-.9	.1	199.377	2.1	-.6
Housing	239.698	2.1	-.3	207.623	1.7	.1
Shelter.....	299.877	2.0	-.4	242.235	2.0	-.1
Rent of primary residence(1).....	318.071	2.4	.0	240.779	2.4	.1
Owners' equiv. rent of residences(1)(2).....	305.444	2.3	.2	237.318	2.5	.2
Owners' equiv. rent of primary residence(1)(2).....	305.444	2.3	.2	237.318	2.5	.2
Fuels and utilities.....	203.895	6.0	.2	194.592	2.8	3.4
Household energy.....	161.621	6.9	.1	157.572	2.1	3.2
Energy services(1).....	164.878	7.0	.2	155.759	1.8	3.1
Electricity(1).....	156.635	.1	1.7	164.916	-9.2	5.5
Utility (piped) gas service(1).....	163.828	19.6	-2.0	126.922	27.6	-.8
Furnishings and operations.....	92.416	-1.2	.3	114.921	-2.0	-2.8
Apparel	83.546	-4.8	-3.9	136.930	-4.2	5.5
Transportation	182.158	3.9	.7	191.063	.1	.1
Private transportation.....	178.455	4.0	.7	190.969	-.1	-.3
Motor fuel.....	215.119	18.3	1.8	228.180	15.3	-2.3
Gasoline (all types).....	212.950	18.3	1.8	225.717	15.2	-2.3
Unleaded regular(3).....	203.631	18.4	1.7	212.654	15.5	-2.1
Unleaded midgrade(3)(4).....	242.219	18.3	2.6	240.583	13.4	-3.7
Unleaded premium(3).....	240.732	17.1	1.9	246.478	13.4	-3.3
Medical Care	491.401	4.2	-.3	445.113	6.4	.0
Recreation(5)	113.501	2.3	1.9	120.320	6.2	1.4
Education and communication(5)	143.432	.9	-1.4	125.043	-1.0	-1.1
Other goods and services	384.439	.3	.0	414.741	-.6	-.9
Commodity and service group						
Commodities.....	164.527	.3	-.2	188.244	.5	.1
Commodities less food & beverages.....	124.971	.1	-.5	157.105	1.0	-.1
Nondurables less food & beverages.....	164.413	2.9	-.7	205.836	4.1	.2
Durables.....	88.036	-3.5	-.3	105.859	-2.9	-.4
Services.....	296.523	2.9	-.1	257.873	1.9	.4
Special indexes						
All items less medical care.....	221.102	1.7	-.1	212.641	.8	.3
All items less shelter.....	209.426	1.9	.0	217.229	1.0	.4
Energy.....	182.057	11.8	.9	185.088	7.5	.7
All items less energy.....	238.881	1.3	-.2	228.622	.9	.2
All items less food and energy.....	239.004	1.4	-.3	224.285	1.1	.2
Commodities less food.....	129.232	.0	-.5	158.787	1.1	-.1
Nondurables.....	204.141	1.5	-.1	227.993	1.6	.3
Nondurables less food.....	169.638	2.6	-.6	204.925	3.9	.1
Services less rent of shelter(2).....	308.418	3.9	.3	280.211	1.6	.8
Services less medical care services.....	281.660	2.6	-.1	244.809	1.7	.4
Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W)						
All items	223.928	1.9	-0.1	212.802	1.4	0.2
All items (1967=100).....	657.644	-	-	664.942	-	-

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