

NEWS RELEASE

BUREAU OF LABOR STATISTICS

U. S. D E P A R T M E N T O F L A B O R



MIDWEST INFORMATION OFFICE
Chicago, Ill.

For release: 7:30 A.M. CDT, Friday, September 11, 2020

General information: (312) 353-1880 • BLSInfoChicago@bls.gov • www.bls.gov/regions/midwest
Media contact: (312) 353-1138

Scheduled Release Date for the September 2020 CPI:
Tuesday, October 13, 2020

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX

August 2020

Midwest CPI Summary

CPI news releases that contain analysis of price changes at the local level are available on the Region 5 Web site: <https://www.bls.gov/regions/midwest/>

Chicago-Naperville-Elgin, IL-IN-WI (monthly)

https://www.bls.gov/regions/midwest/news-release/consumerpriceindex_chicago.htm

Detroit-Warren-Dearborn, MI (bimonthly)

https://www.bls.gov/regions/midwest/news-release/consumerpriceindex_detroit.htm

Minneapolis-St. Paul-Bloomington, MN-WI (bimonthly)

https://www.bls.gov/regions/midwest/news-release/consumerpriceindex_minneapolis.htm

Retrieve historical CPI-U and CPI-W data from our CPI databases:

<https://www.bls.gov/cpi/data.htm>

Consumer Price Index August 2020

Group (1982-84=100 unless otherwise noted)	United States City Average			Midwest		
	Index Aug. 2020	Percent change to Aug. 2020 from		Index Aug. 2020	Percent change to Aug. 2020 from	
		Aug. 2019	Jul. 2020		Aug. 2019	Jul. 2020
All Urban Consumers (CPI-U)						
All Items	259.918	1.3	0.3	241.362	1.1	0.4
All items (other base)(1).....	778.599	-	-	392.710	-	-
Food and beverages	268.383	4.0	.1	254.994	2.9	-3
Food.....	269.079	4.1	.1	254.488	3.0	-3
Food at home.....	252.352	4.6	-1	234.738	3.4	-7
Cereals and bakery products.....	284.472	2.8	-3	262.515	2.3	-3
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs.....	266.969	7.1	-1.5	262.086	5.7	-3.1
Dairy and related products.....	231.231	5.7	1.8	208.633	6.1	1.7
Fruits and vegetables.....	306.754	2.7	.2	271.670	.6	.4
Nonalcoholic beverages and beverage materials....	178.684	5.1	.3	166.247	2.1	-1.4
Other food at home.....	219.607	4.2	.2	204.547	3.3	-4
Food away from home.....	295.437	3.5	.3	287.265	2.5	.3
Alcoholic beverages.....	257.678	1.7	.3	259.869	1.9	.3
Housing	272.866	2.1	.2	238.822	2.0	.3
Shelter.....	326.997	2.3	.1	287.179	2.3	.2
Rent of primary residence.....	342.444	2.9	.1	288.963	3.4	.3
Owners' equiv. rent of residences(2).....	335.763	2.7	.2	293.867	3.0	.3
Owners' equiv. rent of primary residence(2).....	335.791	2.7	.2	293.789	3.0	.3
Fuels and utilities.....	244.948	.2	-1	225.260	-.5	.5
Household energy.....	200.177	-.9	-3	180.476	-1.7	.5
Energy services.....	205.636	-.1	-4	188.155	-1.4	.5
Electricity.....	217.680	-.1	-5	212.582	-1.3	.1
Utility (piped) gas service.....	166.916	-.5	.2	137.092	-1.6	1.7
Furnishings and operations.....	126.974	2.5	.6	117.653	2.0	.2
Apparel	116.299	-5.9	1.8	107.366	-7.7	1.2
Transportation	202.386	-4.1	.8	198.115	-3.4	1.2
Private transportation.....	200.884	-2.9	1.1	195.883	-2.3	1.2
New and used motor vehicles(3).....	102.070	1.7	1.9	101.697	3.0	2.0
New vehicles.....	147.412	.7	-3	139.697	1.9	-4
Used cars and trucks.....	149.765	4.0	5.8	149.390	4.2	5.9
Motor fuel.....	195.352	-16.8	.0	192.626	-19.2	-1.0
Gasoline (all types).....	194.449	-16.8	.0	191.645	-19.2	-1.0
Unleaded regular(4).....	189.060	-17.3	.0	185.785	-19.5	-1.0
Unleaded midgrade(4)(5).....	216.482	-14.2	.3	227.404	-16.9	-1.2
Unleaded premium(4).....	215.819	-13.1	.4	219.246	-16.5	-.9
Motor vehicle insurance(6).....	560.623	-1.5	.4	746.387	2.0	1.5
Medical Care	523.295	4.5	.1	521.898	4.3	.5
Recreation(3)	122.074	1.3	.6	122.053	.7	.5
Education and communication(3)	141.320	2.3	.4	141.137	2.7	.4
Tuition, other school fees, and child care(6).....	780.064	1.9	.3	1212.665	1.0	.4
Other goods and services	462.847	2.2	-2	443.845	1.7	-7
Special indexes						
Commodities.....	185.830	.1	.7	179.274	-.6	.4
Durables.....	106.970	1.6	1.6	104.535	2.3	1.5
Nondurables.....	225.659	-.6	.3	217.533	-1.9	.0
Services.....	333.141	2.0	.1	305.595	2.2	.4
All items less medical care.....	247.304	1.0	.3	228.063	.7	.4
All items less shelter.....	236.785	.8	.4	227.396	.5	.4
Energy.....	197.362	-9.0	-2	186.154	-10.7	-2
All items less energy.....	268.073	2.1	.3	249.736	2.0	.4
All items less food and energy.....	268.756	1.7	.4	249.628	1.9	.6
Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W)						
All Items	253.597	1.4	0.4	235.713	1.2	0.5
All items (other base)(1).....	755.387	-	-	381.200	-	-

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

(2) Index on a December 1982=100 base.

(3) Index on a December 1997=100 base.

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

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

(6) For the Midwest, index on a December 1977=100 base.

- Data not available.

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

Consumer Price Index August 2020

Group (December 2017=100 unless otherwise noted)	East North Central Division			West North Central Division		
	Index Aug. 2020	Percent change to Aug. 2020 from		Index Aug. 2020	Percent change to Aug. 2020 from	
		Aug. 2019	Jul. 2020		Aug. 2019	Jul. 2020
All Urban Consumers (CPI-U)						
All Items	104.745	1.2	0.5	104.578	0.9	0.2
Food and beverages	104.865	2.8	.0	106.024	3.0	-8
Food.....	104.886	3.0	.0	106.250	3.0	-9
Food at home.....	103.478	3.5	-.5	105.483	3.0	-1.3
Cereals and bakery products.....	102.198	3.5	-.1	100.503	-.3	-9
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs.....	106.180	5.2	-2.3	108.098	6.9	-4.8
Dairy and related products.....	106.697	7.5	1.9	106.374	3.0	1.2
Fruits and vegetables.....	99.557	.8	.9	104.603	.4	-6
Nonalcoholic beverages and beverage materials....	103.866	2.2	-2.1	106.359	1.7	.2
Other food at home.....	103.066	2.9	-.3	105.693	3.8	-5
Food away from home.....	106.702	2.3	.5	107.185	2.9	-4
Alcoholic beverages.....	104.671	1.1	.1	103.376	3.5	.5
Housing	106.736	2.0	.3	107.878	1.9	.1
Shelter.....	108.070	2.4	.3	108.423	2.1	.1
Rent of primary residence.....	108.128	3.2	.2	109.129	3.7	.4
Owners' equiv. rent of residences.....	108.310	2.7	.4	109.249	3.5	.3
Owners' equiv. rent of primary residence.....	108.316	2.7	.4	109.205	3.5	.3
Fuels and utilities.....	100.943	-.4	.6	105.822	-.1	.2
Household energy.....	99.107	-1.4	.6	104.299	-1.7	.3
Energy services.....	99.622	-1.1	.6	105.247	-1.7	.4
Electricity.....	103.509	-.9	.1	115.203	-1.5	-.1
Utility (piped) gas service.....	91.683	-1.4	1.7	84.311	-2.0	1.6
Furnishings and operations.....	103.976	1.8	.3	106.873	2.4	.0
Apparel	93.245	-8.7	1.3	96.074	-5.2	1.0
Transportation	101.885	-2.8	1.3	97.919	-4.7	1.2
Private transportation.....	103.139	-1.8	1.3	99.448	-3.4	1.1
New and used motor vehicles.....	106.678	3.1	1.8	105.366	2.8	2.7
New vehicles.....	101.622	3.0	-.6	-	-	-
Used cars and trucks.....	110.256	3.7	5.8	110.074	5.3	5.9
Motor fuel.....	87.695	-19.5	-1.4	87.009	-18.4	.1
Gasoline (all types).....	87.841	-19.5	-1.5	87.088	-18.4	.1
Unleaded regular(1).....	87.553	-19.9	-1.5	86.842	-18.5	.2
Unleaded midgrade(1).....	89.697	-17.5	-1.1	91.513	-15.7	-1.2
Unleaded premium(1).....	90.864	-15.8	-1.0	88.737	-18.1	-.6
Motor vehicle insurance.....	109.816	6.3	3.3	89.904	-8.7	-3.3
Medical Care	108.468	3.5	.4	109.511	6.1	.8
Recreation	102.174	2.3	.6	96.914	-2.8	.3
Education and communication	101.741	2.6	.5	103.529	3.0	.2
Tuition, other school fees, and child care.....	103.037	2.2	.6	101.620	-1.7	-.1
Other goods and services	106.811	1.9	-.4	105.031	1.4	-1.4
Special indexes						
Commodities.....	101.359	-.9	.5	102.217	-.1	.3
Durables.....	103.365	2.5	1.5	103.138	2.0	1.5
Nondurables.....	100.470	-2.3	.1	101.728	-1.0	-3
Services.....	106.970	2.5	.5	106.160	1.5	.1
All items less medical care.....	104.362	.9	.5	104.049	.3	.1
All items less shelter.....	103.347	.6	.5	103.027	.3	.2
Energy.....	93.509	-10.8	-.4	95.644	-10.1	.2
All items less energy.....	105.649	2.2	.5	105.281	1.8	.2
All items less food and energy.....	105.788	2.0	.6	105.111	1.6	.4
Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W)						
All Items	104.948	1.1	.5	104.938	1.3	.3

(1) Special index based on a substantially smaller sample.
 - Data not available.

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

Consumer Price Index August 2020

Group (1982-84=100 unless otherwise noted)	Chicago-Naperville-Elgin, IL-IN-WI			Detroit-Warren-Dearborn, MI			
	Index Aug. 2020	Percent change to Aug. 2020 from		Index Aug. 2020	Percent change to Aug. 2020 from		
		Aug. 2019	Jul. 2020		Aug. 2019	Jun. 2020	Jul. 2020
All Urban Consumers (CPI-U)							
All Items	244.341	1.0	0.1	240.598	1.8	1.9	-
All items (1967=100).....	729.989	-	-	715.157	-	-	-
Food and beverages	260.499	2.6	-5	231.162	2.3	1.3	-
Food	259.872	2.7	-7	230.575	2.6	1.3	-
Food at home.....	246.435	4.0	-1.9	220.173	5.7	-4	.6
Cereals and bakery products.....	275.587	3.3	-8	267.911	-2	4.9	-
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs.....	263.884	3.9	-5.7	238.648	9.2	-8.1	-
Dairy and related products.....	233.675	10.8	2.4	167.011	3.7	2.0	-
Fruits and vegetables.....	308.078	1.4	-1.4	226.223	.5	-8	-
Nonalcoholic beverages and beverage materials(1)	206.231	4.1	-4	208.588	5.0	.9	-
Other food at home.....	198.818	3.7	-1.5	205.163	10.3	2.9	-
Food away from home.....	272.882	.9	1.0	247.971	-1.1	3.7	-
Alcoholic beverages.....	267.163	2.3	1.1	232.839	-1.7	.2	-
Housing	259.549	2.1	.3	229.436	2.1	1.2	-
Shelter.....	330.642	2.4	.3	263.704	2.1	1.3	.5
Rent of primary residence.....	350.673	2.6	.2	274.291	3.2	.7	.1
Owners' equiv. rent of residences(2).....	340.744	3.2	.5	264.490	2.8	1.1	.5
Owners' equiv. rent of primary residence(2).....	340.744	3.2	.5	264.490	2.8	1.1	.5
Fuels and utilities.....	209.238	.0	.5	263.200	1.0	.3	-
Household energy.....	160.986	-7	.6	203.368	.4	.0	.3
Energy services.....	164.263	-6	.6	205.394	.3	.0	.3
Electricity.....	167.590	.6	1.0	253.963	1.8	-1	-1
Utility (piped) gas service.....	145.844	-2.5	.0	143.006	-2.1	.2	.9
Furnishings and operations.....	90.365	2.3	-1	121.766	2.9	1.5	-
Apparel	79.850	-8.8	.4	107.720	-7.8	6.4	-
Transportation	179.927	-3.9	.8	250.572	.1	4.3	-
Private transportation.....	180.116	-2.4	.2	254.946	.8	4.7	-
New and used motor vehicles(3).....	98.531	2.9	.1	-	-	-	-
New vehicles(1).....	173.124	1.6	-1.0	-	-	-	-
Used cars and trucks(1).....	288.106	3.7	5.8	310.732	3.7	9.6	-
Motor fuel.....	207.903	-17.8	-6	196.955	-21.1	5.2	-1.4
Gasoline (all types).....	205.960	-17.7	-6	195.885	-21.2	5.3	-1.4
Unleaded regular(4).....	197.638	-17.9	-6	196.126	-21.5	5.3	-1.4
Unleaded midgrade(4)(5).....	231.165	-17.0	-6	235.888	-19.8	4.4	-1.9
Unleaded premium(4).....	234.048	-15.3	-4	213.292	-17.9	5.3	-2
Motor vehicle insurance(1).....	540.884	1.5	.0	2156.045	16.0	11.8	-
Medical Care	535.786	3.9	-2	472.534	6.0	.2	-
Recreation(3)	114.536	1.8	.1	111.719	-1.2	-8	-
Education and communication(3)	141.498	-1	.0	148.146	2.6	2.6	-
Tuition, other school fees, and child care(1).....	1216.774	2.3	.0	1329.407	1.2	.0	-
Other goods and services	409.307	.6	-1	451.173	3.4	1.2	-
Special indexes							
Commodities.....	167.792	-9	-1	176.617	-1.0	2.3	-
Durables.....	85.943	2.7	.4	-	-	-	-
Nondurables.....	211.134	-2.1	-3	202.593	-2.6	2.2	-
Services.....	317.348	2.0	.3	305.671	3.5	1.6	-
All items less medical care.....	231.800	.7	.2	231.102	1.4	2.1	-
All items less shelter.....	215.141	.3	.0	234.643	1.6	2.2	-
Energy.....	178.764	-9.6	.0	204.526	-10.3	2.2	-4
All items less energy.....	252.492	1.7	.1	246.846	2.8	1.9	-
All items less food and energy.....	252.029	1.6	.3	250.414	2.8	2.0	-
Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W)							
All Items	236.287	1.1	0.2	236.123	1.9	2.1	-
All items (1967=100).....	693.943	-	-	695.429	-	-	-

(1) Index is on a December 1977=100 base.

(2) Index on a December 1982=100 base.

(3) Index on a December 1997=100 base.

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

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

- Data not available.

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

Consumer Price Index August 2020

		Minneapolis-St. Paul-Bloomington, MN-WI					
Group (1982-84=100 unless otherwise noted)	Index Aug. 2020	Percent change to Aug. 2020 from			Index 1st half 2020	Percent change to 1st half 2020 from	
		Aug. 2019	Jun. 2020	Jul. 2020		2nd half 2019	1st half 2019
All Urban Consumers (CPI-U)							
All Items	-	-	-	-	251.842	0.1	1.3
All items (1967=100).....	-	-	-	-	791.421	-	-
Food and beverages	-	-	-	-	290.406	1.7	2.7
Food.....	-	-	-	-	278.920	1.6	2.6
Food at home.....	254.864	2.3	-.6	.6	250.983	1.5	1.4
Cereals and bakery products.....	-	-	-	-	269.222	-.4	-2.3
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs.....	-	-	-	-	274.779	3.9	4.8
Dairy and related products.....	-	-	-	-	281.079	1.3	4.6
Fruits and vegetables.....	-	-	-	-	340.419	.2	-.8
Nonalcoholic beverages and beverage materials(1)	-	-	-	-	157.567	2.0	-.6
Other food at home.....	-	-	-	-	199.279	1.4	1.7
Food away from home.....	-	-	-	-	318.479	1.6	3.9
Alcoholic beverages.....	-	-	-	-	391.509	2.0	4.0
Housing	-	-	-	-	242.500	1.7	3.3
Shelter.....	289.648	2.2	-.6	-.7	289.606	2.1	4.2
Rent of primary residence.....	299.202	3.8	.1	.1	297.072	2.5	5.1
Owners' equiv. rent of residences(2).....	307.752	4.2	.3	.1	303.481	2.4	4.5
Owners' equiv. rent of primary residence(2).....	307.752	4.2	.3	.1	303.481	2.4	4.5
Fuels and utilities.....	-	-	-	-	207.775	.3	-2.1
Household energy.....	195.985	2.3	.2	.8	182.374	-.3	-3.3
Energy services.....	200.273	1.9	.1	.8	185.483	-.5	-3.5
Electricity.....	289.915	2.4	-2.2	-.3	262.655	-.2	-.6
Utility (piped) gas service.....	121.863	-.6	5.9	3.3	118.413	-2.2	-9.4
Furnishings and operations.....	-	-	-	-	121.427	-.1	1.1
Apparel	-	-	-	-	131.295	-5.5	-4.6
Transportation	-	-	-	-	187.677	-6.7	-6.6
Private transportation.....	-	-	-	-	175.588	-5.8	-5.7
New and used motor vehicles(3).....	-	-	-	-	90.402	-1.0	-.6
New vehicles(1).....	-	-	-	-	153.944	-1.8	-.5
Used cars and trucks(1).....	-	-	-	-	270.882	-.8	-1.5
Motor fuel.....	167.393	-21.1	1.2	-1.5	170.478	-19.9	-17.7
Gasoline (all types).....	167.388	-21.3	1.3	-1.5	170.213	-20.2	-18.0
Unleaded regular(4).....	167.039	-21.6	1.3	-1.5	169.609	-20.5	-18.4
Unleaded midgrade(4)(5).....	173.849	-19.8	-5.6	-3.4	185.028	-15.7	-13.2
Unleaded premium(4).....	215.106	-18.5	2.5	-1.3	220.452	-17.0	-15.0
Motor vehicle insurance(1).....	-	-	-	-	438.591	-5.3	-12.6
Medical Care	-	-	-	-	572.135	1.0	3.4
Recreation(3)	-	-	-	-	134.086	1.6	3.4
Education and communication(3)	-	-	-	-	137.162	-.7	-1.4
Tuition, other school fees, and child care(1).....	-	-	-	-	1089.730	-1.0	-3.6
Other goods and services	-	-	-	-	390.840	3.4	5.0
Special indexes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Commodities.....	-	-	-	-	185.342	-1.8	-.8
Durables.....	-	-	-	-	103.959	-1.0	-.4
Nondurables.....	-	-	-	-	232.075	-2.2	-1.0
Services.....	-	-	-	-	311.179	1.2	2.5
All items less medical care.....	-	-	-	-	237.418	.0	1.1
All items less shelter.....	-	-	-	-	236.718	-.9	-.2
Energy.....	183.538	-10.5	.7	-.3	178.582	-11.3	-11.1
All items less energy.....	-	-	-	-	262.701	.8	2.1
All items less food and energy.....	-	-	-	-	260.396	.7	2.0
Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W)							
All Items	-	-	-	-	244.412	-0.1	1.0
All items (1967=100).....	-	-	-	-	767.114	-	-

(1) Index is on a April 1978=100 base.
(2) Index on a December 1982=100 base.
(3) Index on a December 1997=100 base.
(4) Special index based on a substantially smaller sample.
(5) Index on a December 1993=100 base.

- Data not available.

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