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CONSUMER PRICE INDEX – SEPTEMBER 2025

The Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U) increased 0.3 percent on a seasonally adjusted basis in September, after rising 0.4 percent in August, the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics reported today. Over the last 12 months, the all items index increased 3.0 percent before seasonal adjustment. Note that September CPI data collection was completed before the lapse in appropriations.

The index for gasoline rose 4.1 percent in September and was the largest factor in the all items monthly increase, as the index for energy rose 1.5 percent over the month. The food index increased 0.2 percent over the month as the food at home index rose 0.3 percent and the food away from home index increased 0.1 percent.

The index for all items less food and energy rose 0.2 percent in September, after rising 0.3 percent in each of the 2 preceding months. Indexes that increased over the month include shelter, airline fares, recreation, household furnishings and operations, and apparel. The indexes for motor vehicle insurance, used cars and trucks, and communication were among the few major indexes that decreased in September.

The all items index rose 3.0 percent for the 12 months ending September, after rising 2.9 percent over the 12 months ending August. The all items less food and energy index also rose 3.0 percent over the last 12 months. The energy index increased 2.8 percent for the 12 months ending September. The food index increased 3.1 percent over the last year.

Chart 1. One-month percent change in CPI for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U), seasonally adjusted, Sep. 2024 - Sep. 2025
Percent change

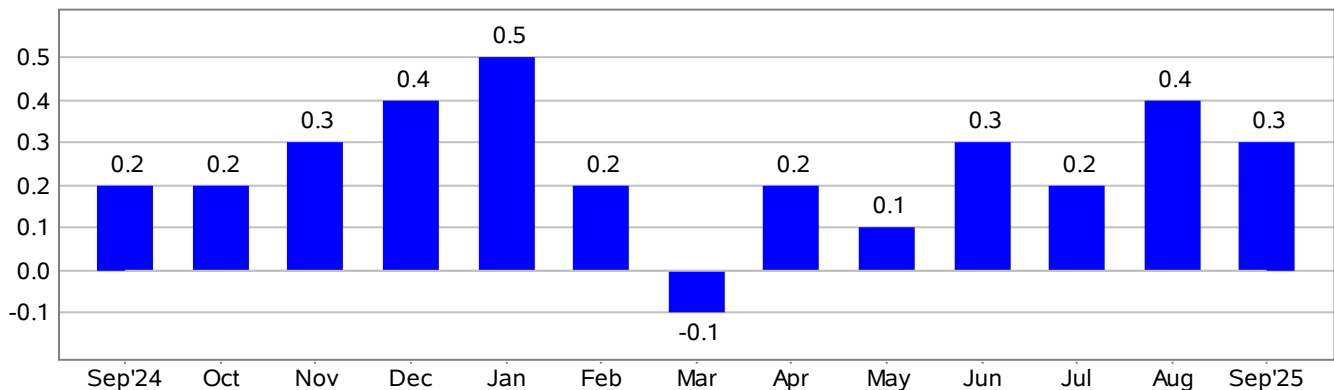


Chart 2. 12-month percent change in CPI for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U), not seasonally adjusted, Sep. 2024 - Sep. 2025

Percent change

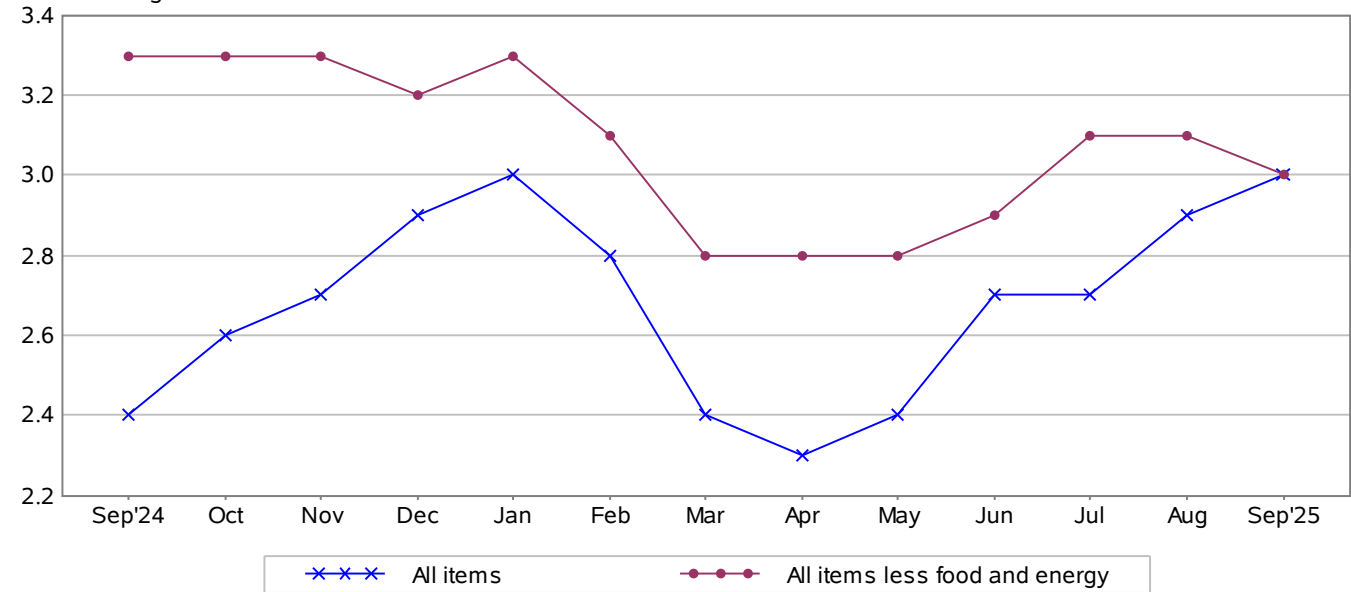


Table A. Percent changes in CPI for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average

	Seasonally adjusted changes from preceding month							Un-adjusted 12-mos. ended Sep. 2025
	Mar. 2025	Apr. 2025	May 2025	Jun. 2025	Jul. 2025	Aug. 2025	Sep. 2025	
All items.....	-0.1	0.2	0.1	0.3	0.2	0.4	0.3	3.0
Food.....	0.4	-0.1	0.3	0.3	0.0	0.5	0.2	3.1
Food at home.....	0.5	-0.4	0.3	0.3	-0.1	0.6	0.3	2.7
Food away from home ¹	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.1	3.7
Energy.....	-2.4	0.7	-1.0	0.9	-1.1	0.7	1.5	2.8
Energy commodities.....	-6.1	-0.2	-2.4	1.0	-1.9	1.7	3.8	-0.4
Gasoline (all types).....	-6.3	-0.1	-2.6	1.0	-2.2	1.9	4.1	-0.5
Fuel oil.....	-4.2	-1.3	0.9	1.3	1.8	-0.3	0.6	4.1
Energy services.....	1.6	1.5	0.4	0.9	-0.3	-0.2	-0.7	6.4
Electricity.....	0.9	0.8	0.9	1.0	-0.1	0.2	-0.5	5.1
Utility (piped) gas service.....	3.6	3.7	-1.0	0.5	-0.9	-1.6	-1.2	11.7
All items less food and energy.....	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.2	3.0
Commodities less food and energy								
commodities.....	-0.1	0.1	0.0	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.2	1.5
New vehicles.....	0.1	0.0	-0.3	-0.3	0.0	0.3	0.2	0.8
Used cars and trucks.....	-0.7	-0.5	-0.5	-0.7	0.5	1.0	-0.4	5.1
Apparel.....	0.4	-0.2	-0.4	0.4	0.1	0.5	0.7	-0.1
Medical care commodities ¹	-1.1	0.4	0.6	0.1	0.1	-0.3	-0.1	0.7
Services less energy services.....	0.1	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.2	3.5
Shelter.....	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.4	0.2	3.6
Transportation services.....	-1.4	0.1	-0.2	0.2	0.8	1.0	0.3	2.5
Medical care services.....	0.5	0.5	0.2	0.6	0.8	-0.1	0.3	3.9

¹ Not seasonally adjusted.

Food

The index for food rose 0.2 percent in September, after rising 0.5 percent in August. The food at home index increased 0.3 percent over the month. Four of the six major grocery store food group indexes increased in September. The index for other food at home rose 0.5 percent over the month after rising 0.1 percent in August. The cereals and bakery products index and the nonalcoholic beverages index both increased 0.7 percent in September. The index for meats, poultry, fish, and eggs rose 0.3 percent over the month following a 1.0-percent increase in August.

The dairy and related products index declined 0.5 percent in September as the cheese and related products index decreased 0.7 percent. The index for fruits and vegetables was unchanged over the month.

The food away from home index rose 0.1 percent in September. The index for limited service meals rose 0.2 percent over the month while the index for full service meals was unchanged.

The index for food at home rose 2.7 percent over the 12 months ending in September, as it did over the 12 months ending in August. The meats, poultry, fish, and eggs index rose 5.2 percent over the last 12 months. The index for nonalcoholic beverages increased 5.3 percent over the same period and the index for other food at home rose 1.9 percent. The cereals and bakery products index increased 1.6 percent over the 12 months ending in September. The index for fruits and vegetables rose 1.3 percent and the index for dairy and related products increased 0.7 percent over the same period.

The food away from home index rose 3.7 percent over the last year. The index for full service meals rose 4.2 percent and the index for limited service meals rose 3.2 percent over the same period.

Energy

The index for energy increased 1.5 percent in September, after rising 0.7 percent in August. The gasoline index increased 4.1 percent over the month. (Before seasonal adjustment, gasoline prices increased 1.1 percent in September.) The index for electricity decreased 0.5 percent over the month and the index for natural gas decreased 1.2 percent over the same period.

The index for energy increased 2.8 percent over the past 12 months. The electricity index increased 5.1 percent over the 12 months ending in September and the natural gas index rose 11.7 percent. In contrast, the index for gasoline fell 0.5 percent over this 12-month span.

All items less food and energy

The index for all items less food and energy rose 0.2 percent in September, after rising 0.3 percent in each of the preceding 2 months. The shelter index increased 0.2 percent over the month. The index for owners' equivalent rent rose 0.1 percent in September, the smallest 1-month increase in that index since January 2021. The rent index increased 0.2 percent over the month. The index for lodging away from home rose 1.3 percent in September.

The index for airline fares increased 2.7 percent over the month, after rising 5.9 percent in August. The recreation index rose 0.4 percent in September as did the household furnishings and operations index. The index for apparel rose 0.7 percent over the month and the index for personal care increased 0.4 percent. The new vehicles index rose 0.2 percent in September.

The motor vehicle insurance index declined 0.4 percent in September, after being unchanged in August. The index for used cars and trucks also decreased 0.4 percent over the month and the index for communication declined 0.2 percent.

The medical care index increased 0.2 percent over the month, after declining 0.2 percent in August. The index for hospital services increased 0.3 percent over the month, as did the index for prescription drugs. The dental services index decreased 0.6 percent in September and the physicians' services index declined 0.1 percent.

The index for all items less food and energy rose 3.0 percent over the past 12 months. The shelter index increased 3.6 percent over the last year. Other indexes with notable increases over the last year include medical care (+3.3 percent), household furnishings and operations (+4.1 percent), recreation (+3.0 percent), and used cars and trucks (+5.1 percent).

Not seasonally adjusted CPI measures

The Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U) increased 3.0 percent over the last 12 months to an index level of 324.800 (1982-84=100). For the month, the index increased 0.3 percent prior to seasonal adjustment.

The Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W) increased 2.9 percent over the last 12 months to an index level of 318.139 (1982-84=100). For the month, the index increased 0.3 percent prior to seasonal adjustment.

The Chained Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (C-CPI-U) increased 2.9 percent over the last 12 months. For the month, the index increased 0.3 percent on a not seasonally adjusted basis. Please note that the indexes for the past 10 to 12 months are subject to revision.

BLS staff availability on October 24, 2025

Due to the lapse in appropriations, BLS press office staff will be available to answer questions about September 2025 CPI data only until noon (ET) today, October 24, 2025. The press office can be reached at PressOffice@bls.gov.

The Cost-of-Living Adjustment (COLA) for 2026 is announced by the Social Security Administration (SSA). Visit www.ssa.gov for more information.

Changes to health insurance index

With the next release of CPI data, the Bureau of Labor Statistics (BLS) will remove long-term care (LTC) insurance from the health insurance index. There have been changes in the market for LTC insurance that now make it out of scope and ineligible for pricing in the CPI market basket.

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 over 90 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 approximately 30 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 visit, telephone call, web, or app collection 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 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) program 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-2025.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.

How to Use Seasonally Adjusted and Unadjusted Data

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 for five years.

Intervention Analysis

The Bureau of Labor Statistics uses intervention analysis seasonal adjustment (IASA) 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 2025, BLS adjusted 63 series using intervention analysis seasonal adjustment, including selected food and beverage items, motor fuels 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 2025, revised seasonal factors and seasonally adjusted indexes for 2020 to 2024 were calculated and published. For series which are directly adjusted using the Census X-13ARIMA-SEATS seasonal adjustment software, the seasonal factors for 2024 will be applied to data for 2025 to produce the seasonally adjusted 2025 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. For 2025, 34 of the 81 components of the U.S. city average all items index are not seasonally adjusted.

Contact Information

For additional information about the CPI visit www.bls.gov/cpi or contact the CPI Information and Analysis Section at 202-691-7000 or cpi_info@bls.gov.

For additional information on seasonal adjustment in the CPI visit www.bls.gov/cpi/seasonal-adjustment/home.htm

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Table 1. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, by expenditure category, September 2025

[1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted]

Expenditure category	Relative importance Aug. 2025	Unadjusted indexes			Unadjusted percent change		Seasonally adjusted percent change		
		Sep. 2024	Aug. 2025	Sep. 2025	Sep. 2024- Sep. 2025	Aug. 2025- Sep. 2025	Jun. 2025- Jul. 2025	Jul. 2025- Aug. 2025	Aug. 2025- Sep. 2025
All items.....	100.000	315.301	323.976	324.800	3.0	0.3	0.2	0.4	0.3
Food.....	13.646	332.083	341.295	342.405	3.1	0.3	0.0	0.5	0.2
Food at home.....	7.993	307.767	314.608	316.042	2.7	0.5	-0.1	0.6	0.3
Cereals and bakery products.....	1.091	356.088	359.740	361.894	1.6	0.6	-0.2	0.1	0.7
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs.....	1.644	332.525	347.509	349.716	5.2	0.6	0.2	1.0	0.3
Dairy and related products ¹	0.726	269.643	272.840	271.583	0.7	-0.5	0.7	0.1	-0.5
Fruits and vegetables.....	1.311	353.508	356.104	358.019	1.3	0.5	0.0	1.6	0.0
Nonalcoholic beverages and beverage materials.....	0.908	219.488	229.406	231.144	5.3	0.8	-0.5	0.6	0.7
Other food at home.....	2.313	272.658	276.649	277.710	1.9	0.4	-0.5	0.1	0.5
Food away from home ¹	5.653	371.604	384.909	385.451	3.7	0.1	0.3	0.3	0.1
Energy.....	6.400	275.740	283.247	283.589	2.8	0.1	-1.1	0.7	1.5
Energy commodities.....	3.166	293.273	289.117	292.190	-0.4	1.1	-1.9	1.7	3.8
Fuel oil.....	0.074	334.792	347.565	348.399	4.1	0.2	1.8	-0.3	0.6
Motor fuel.....	3.033	287.876	283.504	286.672	-0.4	1.1	-2.0	1.8	4.0
Gasoline (all types).....	2.949	287.102	282.358	285.595	-0.5	1.1	-2.2	1.9	4.1
Energy services.....	3.235	269.593	289.154	286.838	6.4	-0.8	-0.3	-0.2	-0.7
Electricity.....	2.465	282.522	298.738	296.887	5.1	-0.6	-0.1	0.2	-0.5
Utility (piped) gas service.....	0.770	225.366	255.253	251.728	11.7	-1.4	-0.9	-1.6	-1.2
All items less food and energy.....	79.954	321.109	329.970	330.804	3.0	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.2
Commodities less food and energy commodities.....	19.319	165.534	167.448	168.083	1.5	0.4	0.2	0.3	0.2
Apparel.....	2.504	135.537	131.989	135.424	-0.1	2.6	0.1	0.5	0.7
New vehicles.....	4.307	177.435	178.698	178.770	0.8	0.0	0.0	0.3	0.2
Used cars and trucks.....	2.440	178.072	188.960	187.121	5.1	-1.0	0.5	1.0	-0.4
Medical care commodities ¹	1.503	413.708	416.721	416.471	0.7	-0.1	0.1	-0.3	-0.1
Alcoholic beverages ¹	0.828	291.683	296.908	297.507	2.0	0.2	0.1	0.6	0.2
Tobacco and smoking products ¹	0.491	1,562.356	1,660.548	1,670.441	6.9	0.6	0.3	1.0	0.6
Services less energy services.....	60.635	420.286	433.930	434.852	3.5	0.2	0.4	0.3	0.2
Shelter.....	35.471	404.133	417.902	418.598	3.6	0.2	0.2	0.4	0.2
Rent of primary residence.....	7.456	423.821	436.981	438.212	3.4	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.2
Owners' equivalent rent of residences ²	26.231	415.601	430.387	431.245	3.8	0.2	0.3	0.4	0.1
Medical care services.....	6.765	615.354	637.817	639.215	3.9	0.2	0.8	-0.1	0.3
Physicians' services ¹	1.805	420.170	430.753	430.246	2.4	-0.1	0.2	0.3	-0.1
Hospital services ^{1, 3}	1.965	415.293	436.917	438.310	5.5	0.3	0.5	0.0	0.3
Transportation services.....	6.243	436.331	446.688	447.451	2.5	0.2	0.8	1.0	0.3
Motor vehicle maintenance and repair ¹	1.052	411.276	441.987	442.843	7.7	0.2	1.0	2.4	0.2
Motor vehicle insurance.....	2.804	863.292	894.075	890.473	3.1	-0.4	0.1	0.0	-0.4
Airline fares.....	0.855	250.030	250.982	258.027	3.2	2.8	4.0	5.9	2.7

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, September 2025

[1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted]

Expenditure category	Relative importance Aug. 2025	Unadjusted percent change		Seasonally adjusted percent change		
		Sep. 2024- Sep. 2025	Aug. 2025- Sep. 2025	Jun. 2025- Jul. 2025	Jul. 2025- Aug. 2025	Aug. 2025- Sep. 2025
All items.....	100.000	3.0	0.3	0.2	0.4	0.3
Food.....	13.646	3.1	0.3	0.0	0.5	0.2
Food at home.....	7.993	2.7	0.5	-0.1	0.6	0.3
Cereals and bakery products.....	1.091	1.6	0.6	-0.2	0.1	0.7
Cereals and cereal products.....	0.326	-0.8	0.4	-0.9	0.3	0.8
Flour and prepared flour mixes.....	0.030	1.1	-0.3	-1.9	0.4	0.3
Breakfast cereal ¹	0.141	0.4	1.0	-0.7	-0.6	1.0
Rice, pasta, cornmeal.....	0.155	-1.5	-0.1	-0.6	0.3	0.4
Rice ^{1, 2, 3}		-1.7	-1.1	-1.1	1.5	-1.1
Bakery products ¹	0.765	2.7	0.7	0.2	0.0	0.7
Bread ^{1, 2}	0.139	1.8	0.3	0.4	-0.2	0.3
White bread ^{1, 3}		1.1	0.4	-0.1	0.4	0.4
Bread other than white ^{1, 3}		2.5	0.4	1.2	-0.9	0.4
Fresh biscuits, rolls, muffins ²	0.134	3.9	-0.1	-0.2	-0.5	-0.1
Cakes, cupcakes, and cookies ¹	0.213	2.2	0.6	1.7	-0.4	0.6
Cookies ^{1, 3}		1.7	0.2	4.2	-1.0	0.2
Fresh cakes and cupcakes ^{1, 3}		3.7	1.8	-0.4	-0.1	1.8
Other bakery products.....	0.279	2.6	1.4	-1.0	0.4	1.4
Fresh sweetrolls, coffeecakes, doughnuts ^{1, 3}		5.5	5.7	-1.8	-2.3	5.7
Crackers, bread, and cracker products ³		2.1	1.5	-1.2	1.0	1.6
Frozen and refrigerated bakery products, pies, tarts, turnovers ³		0.4	-0.1	-1.8	0.4	-0.2
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs.....	1.644	5.2	0.6	0.2	1.0	0.3
Meats, poultry, and fish.....	1.490	6.0	0.9	0.7	1.1	0.8
Meats.....	0.961	8.5	1.6	1.0	1.8	1.3
Beef and veal.....	0.491	14.7	1.0	1.5	2.7	1.2
Uncooked ground beef ¹	0.220	12.9	0.5	2.4	2.3	0.5
Uncooked beef roasts ²	0.062	18.4	3.9	1.4	4.0	4.8
Uncooked beef steaks ²	0.144	16.6	0.5	2.3	4.1	0.0
Uncooked other beef and veal ^{1, 2}	0.065	12.4	1.2	2.2	2.3	1.2
Pork.....	0.288	1.6	1.4	0.5	0.2	0.5
Bacon, breakfast sausage, and related products ²	0.105	3.5	0.3	-0.5	1.2	-1.6
Bacon and related products ³		5.8	1.6	0.6	1.1	-0.6
Breakfast sausage and related products ^{2, 3}		0.0	-2.2	-1.2	2.5	-2.3
Ham.....	0.042	0.1	1.5	3.7	-4.9	1.5
Ham, excluding canned ³		-0.2	1.4	3.9	-5.2	1.4
Pork chops ¹	0.049	0.3	1.5	2.0	-1.3	1.5
Other pork including roasts, steaks, and ribs ² ...	0.092	0.5	2.6	0.3	1.5	1.9
Other meats.....	0.183	4.6	3.4	0.2	2.2	2.9
Frankfurters ³		1.5	0.9	-1.1	-0.5	1.5
Lunchmeats ^{1, 2, 3}		4.1	4.2	1.9	0.0	4.2
Poultry.....	0.287	1.4	-0.3	-0.1	-0.7	0.1
Chicken ²	0.216	1.5	-1.1	-0.4	0.1	-0.6
Fresh whole chicken ³		0.1	-0.9	0.0	-0.5	0.3
Fresh and frozen chicken parts ³		2.2	-1.1	-0.4	0.3	-0.9
Other uncooked poultry including turkey ²	0.071	0.6	2.1	0.4	-2.8	1.4
Fish and seafood.....	0.242	2.1	-0.3	0.4	0.6	-0.3
Fresh fish and seafood ^{1, 2}	0.140	3.0	0.3	-0.5	0.3	0.3
Processed fish and seafood ²	0.102	1.0	-1.2	0.1	0.8	-1.1
Shelf stable fish and seafood ³		-3.0	-2.0	-0.6	0.1	-1.8
Frozen fish and seafood ³		6.6	-0.7	1.1	1.7	-0.8
Eggs.....	0.154	-1.3	-2.1	-3.9	0.0	-4.7

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Expenditure category	Relative importance Aug. 2025	Unadjusted percent change		Seasonally adjusted percent change		
		Sep. 2024- Sep. 2025	Aug. 2025- Sep. 2025	Jun. 2025- Jul. 2025	Jul. 2025- Aug. 2025	Aug. 2025- Sep. 2025
Dairy and related products ¹	0.726	0.7	-0.5	0.7	0.1	-0.5
Milk ^{1, 2}	0.195	2.1	-0.2	1.9	-0.2	-0.2
Fresh whole milk ^{1, 3}		1.1	-0.3	2.5	0.1	-0.3
Fresh milk other than whole ^{1, 2, 3}		2.6	-0.3	1.5	-0.3	-0.3
Cheese and related products ¹	0.251	1.1	-0.7	-0.4	0.4	-0.7
Ice cream and related products.....	0.128	-0.7	-0.3	-0.3	0.3	-0.9
Other dairy and related products ²	0.152	0.2	-0.4	1.3	-0.1	-0.2
Fruits and vegetables.....	1.311	1.3	0.5	0.0	1.6	0.0
Fresh fruits and vegetables.....	1.090	1.2	0.4	-0.1	2.0	-0.2
Fresh fruits.....	0.543	-0.2	0.9	-1.4	1.0	-0.5
Apples.....	0.085	5.3	-3.3	-1.7	3.5	-1.8
Bananas ¹	0.113	6.9	0.4	0.4	2.1	0.4
Citrus fruits ²	0.065	0.8	-0.1	2.0	1.2	-0.6
Oranges, including tangerines ³		3.0	-1.0	2.1	0.9	-1.1
Other fresh fruits ²	0.280	-2.3	2.6	-2.6	-0.2	-0.2
Fresh vegetables.....	0.547	2.8	0.0	1.2	3.0	0.0
Potatoes.....	0.087	3.7	1.3	-2.3	1.8	2.6
Lettuce.....	0.069	4.2	-0.6	4.0	3.5	-1.8
Tomatoes.....	0.089	1.1	0.2	3.3	4.5	0.7
Other fresh vegetables.....	0.302	2.7	-0.3	1.4	2.9	-0.5
Processed fruits and vegetables ²	0.221	2.5	1.1	0.6	-0.5	1.0
Canned fruits and vegetables ²	0.091	5.0	0.9	0.0	0.5	0.6
Canned fruits ^{2, 3}		4.8	0.7	0.6	0.5	0.4
Canned vegetables ^{2, 3}		4.9	0.7	-0.3	0.2	0.8
Frozen fruits and vegetables ²	0.066	0.8	1.0	1.4	-0.6	1.0
Frozen vegetables ³		-0.7	0.6	1.2	-0.5	1.3
Other processed fruits and vegetables including dried ²	0.064	1.3	1.4	0.8	-1.8	1.4
Dried beans, peas, and lentils ^{1, 2, 3}		1.9	0.5	0.7	-3.0	0.5
Nonalcoholic beverages and beverage materials.....	0.908	5.3	0.8	-0.5	0.6	0.7
Juices and nonalcoholic drinks ²	0.623	3.1	1.5	-1.3	-0.3	1.4
Carbonated drinks.....	0.346	3.6	1.1	-1.2	-0.3	1.4
Frozen noncarbonated juices and drinks ^{1, 2}	0.004	9.6	2.2	5.3	-0.2	2.2
Nonfrozen noncarbonated juices and drinks ²	0.274	1.8	2.1	-1.7	-0.7	1.7
Beverage materials including coffee and tea ²	0.285	10.6	-0.9	1.2	2.8	-0.7
Coffee.....	0.153	18.9	-0.3	2.3	3.6	-0.1
Roasted coffee ³		18.9	-0.6	2.1	4.1	-0.4
Instant coffee ^{1, 3}		21.7	0.5	1.6	4.9	0.5
Other beverage materials including tea ^{1, 2}	0.132	1.7	-1.5	0.0	1.5	-1.5
Other food at home.....	2.313	1.9	0.4	-0.5	0.1	0.5
Sugar and sweets.....	0.337	6.7	0.6	-0.2	0.7	0.4
Sugar and sugar substitutes.....	0.028	2.9	0.5	-0.9	0.6	0.3
Candy and chewing gum ²	0.237	9.8	0.7	-0.2	0.7	0.5
Other sweets ²	0.072	0.4	0.3	-0.9	0.6	0.3
Fats and oils.....	0.243	-1.7	0.8	-1.5	0.2	0.3
Butter and margarine ²	0.054	-2.0	0.2	-0.7	0.2	0.0
Butter ³		-1.8	-0.4	-1.0	1.3	-0.2
Margarine ³		1.4	1.3	0.0	-1.6	0.2
Salad dressing ^{1, 2}	0.065	1.1	1.8	1.4	1.3	1.8
Other fats and oils including peanut butter ²	0.123	-2.8	0.5	-2.3	0.3	0.2
Peanut butter ^{1, 2, 3}		-1.2	2.1	-2.6	-1.7	2.1
Other foods.....	1.733	1.5	0.3	-0.4	-0.1	0.5
Soups.....	0.111	2.1	-3.3	-1.1	1.8	-1.6
Frozen and freeze dried prepared foods.....	0.268	1.1	0.6	-0.8	-1.2	1.2

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Expenditure category	Relative importance Aug. 2025	Unadjusted percent change		Seasonally adjusted percent change		
		Sep. 2024- Sep. 2025	Aug. 2025- Sep. 2025	Jun. 2025- Jul. 2025	Jul. 2025- Aug. 2025	Aug. 2025- Sep. 2025
Snacks.....	0.362	2.0	1.4	-0.7	1.0	1.2
Spices, seasonings, condiments, sauces.....	0.387	1.2	-1.1	-0.5	0.4	-0.4
Salt and other seasonings and spices ^{2, 3}		0.8	-0.3	-1.5	0.9	1.0
Olives, pickles, relishes ^{2, 3}		0.3	-1.3	-1.3	-1.2	-0.9
Sauces and gravies ^{2, 3}		0.5	-1.2	0.4	-0.1	-0.7
Other condiments ³		7.8	-1.5	1.6	0.3	0.1
Baby food and formula ^{1, 2}	0.059	0.6	1.3	-1.1	-0.9	1.3
Other miscellaneous foods ²	0.547	1.4	1.0	0.4	-1.0	1.0
Prepared salads ^{3, 4}		3.3	0.9	0.1	1.7	-0.5
Food away from home ¹	5.653	3.7	0.1	0.3	0.3	0.1
Full service meals and snacks ^{1, 2}	2.451	4.2	0.0	0.5	0.4	0.0
Limited service meals and snacks ^{1, 2}	2.828	3.2	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.2
Food at employee sites and schools ^{1, 2}	0.073	3.8	-0.2	0.8	-0.8	-0.2
Food at elementary and secondary schools ^{1, 3, 5}		1.4				
Food from vending machines and mobile vendors ^{1, 2}	0.056	6.3	1.6	0.0	0.1	1.6
Other food away from home ^{1, 2}	0.245	5.3	0.4	0.0	1.7	0.4
Energy.....	6.400	2.8	0.1	-1.1	0.7	1.5
Energy commodities.....	3.166	-0.4	1.1	-1.9	1.7	3.8
Fuel oil and other fuels.....	0.133	0.5	-0.2	1.0	-1.1	-1.2
Fuel oil.....	0.074	4.1	0.2	1.8	-0.3	0.6
Propane, kerosene, and firewood ⁶	0.059	-3.9	-0.7	-1.1	-0.2	-1.0
Motor fuel.....	3.033	-0.4	1.1	-2.0	1.8	4.0
Gasoline (all types).....	2.949	-0.5	1.1	-2.2	1.9	4.1
Gasoline, unleaded regular ³		-0.7	1.1	-2.2	2.0	4.2
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ^{3, 7}		-0.1	1.2	-2.0	1.8	3.4
Gasoline, unleaded premium ³		0.5	1.5	-1.1	1.5	3.1
Other motor fuels ^{1, 2}	0.083	3.3	0.1	4.5	-0.5	0.1
Energy services.....	3.235	6.4	-0.8	-0.3	-0.2	-0.7
Electricity.....	2.465	5.1	-0.6	-0.1	0.2	-0.5
Utility (piped) gas service.....	0.770	11.7	-1.4	-0.9	-1.6	-1.2
All items less food and energy.....	79.954	3.0	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.2
Commodities less food and energy commodities.....	19.319	1.5	0.4	0.2	0.3	0.2
Household furnishings and supplies ⁸	3.388	3.0	0.5	0.7	0.1	0.2
Window and floor coverings and other linens ²	0.237	1.7	0.9	1.2	-5.6	0.4
Floor coverings ^{1, 2}	0.058	2.5	1.0	0.7	-1.2	1.0
Window coverings ^{1, 2}	0.055	0.1	-1.4	-0.8	-0.5	-1.4
Other linens ²	0.124	2.0	1.9	1.4	-6.7	-0.5
Furniture and bedding ¹	0.791	3.8	0.9	0.9	0.3	0.9
Bedroom furniture ¹	0.253	1.5	1.1	1.5	-0.4	1.1
Living room, kitchen, and dining room furniture ^{1, 2}	0.389	5.9	-0.2	1.0	0.7	-0.2
Other furniture ²	0.140	2.4	3.3	1.5	1.8	1.9
Appliances ²	0.221	1.3	0.7	-0.9	0.4	0.8
Major appliances ²	0.069	-0.6	0.2	-2.2	-1.1	0.4
Laundry equipment ^{1, 3}		-0.2	-0.7	-1.8	-2.9	-0.7
Other appliances ²	0.149	2.2	0.9	-0.4	1.4	0.7
Other household equipment and furnishings ²	0.493	2.3	0.3	-0.2	-0.2	-0.2
Clocks, lamps, and decorator items ¹	0.289	2.6	0.0	-1.8	-0.3	0.0
Indoor plants and flowers ⁹	0.114	4.5	-0.4	1.5	2.8	-1.4
Dishes and flatware ^{1, 2}	0.036	-4.4	2.8	2.0	-0.4	2.8
Nonelectric cookware and tableware ²	0.055	1.4	1.8	2.0	-0.2	1.2
Tools, hardware, outdoor equipment and supplies ^{1, 2}	0.853	4.3	-0.3	1.6	0.8	-0.3
Tools, hardware and supplies ²	0.246	6.2	0.0	1.2	0.4	-1.0
Outdoor equipment and supplies ^{1, 2}	0.367	3.0	-0.7	2.2	0.7	-0.7

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Expenditure category	Relative importance Aug. 2025	Unadjusted percent change		Seasonally adjusted percent change		
		Sep. 2024- Sep. 2025	Aug. 2025- Sep. 2025	Jun. 2025- Jul. 2025	Jul. 2025- Aug. 2025	Aug. 2025- Sep. 2025
Housekeeping supplies ¹	0.793	2.1	0.8	0.0	0.4	0.8
Household cleaning products ^{1, 2}	0.293	0.1	0.4	0.1	0.4	0.4
Household paper products ^{1, 2}	0.178	5.5	1.0	-0.4	1.2	1.0
Miscellaneous household products ^{1, 2}	0.321	2.2	1.1	0.2	0.0	1.1
Apparel.....	2.504	-0.1	2.6	0.1	0.5	0.7
Men's and boys' apparel.....	0.654	1.5	2.9	-1.3	0.4	1.5
Men's apparel.....	0.529	2.5	2.6	-1.6	1.0	1.5
Men's suits, sport coats, and outerwear.....	0.087	0.0	0.6	-2.6	-0.3	-2.1
Men's underwear, nightwear, swimwear, and accessories.....	0.138	1.8	2.6	0.3	-2.2	1.8
Men's shirts and sweaters ²	0.151	2.6	3.9	-2.6	1.3	1.3
Men's pants and shorts.....	0.137	4.9	2.4	-2.0	4.2	1.9
Boys' apparel.....	0.125	-2.0	3.9	-0.6	-1.9	2.6
Women's and girls' apparel.....	0.979	-1.9	3.4	-0.2	0.2	0.4
Women's apparel.....	0.869	-2.0	3.0	-0.3	0.1	0.3
Women's outerwear.....	0.079	4.6	5.1	-0.3	4.4	-0.8
Women's dresses.....	0.136	3.7	3.9	2.7	1.7	-3.0
Women's suits and separates ²	0.350	-2.8	4.4	-1.7	1.1	0.8
Women's underwear, nightwear, swimwear, and accessories ²	0.293	-4.6	0.2	0.3	-2.8	0.1
Girls' apparel.....	0.110	-1.1	6.9	0.3	0.8	1.4
Footwear.....	0.576	1.3	1.9	1.4	-0.4	0.9
Men's footwear.....	0.196	0.7	2.1	1.4	-1.2	1.2
Boys' and girls' footwear ¹	0.111	-1.0	1.1	0.7	1.5	1.1
Women's footwear.....	0.269	2.8	2.1	0.4	0.2	1.5
Infants' and toddlers' apparel.....	0.103	0.2	0.7	3.3	1.0	-0.3
Jewelry and watches ⁶	0.191	2.0	0.7	0.8	5.5	-0.5
Watches ^{1, 6}	0.041	6.6	3.2	-0.8	1.9	3.2
Jewelry ⁶	0.150	1.7	0.1	1.1	6.8	-2.8
Transportation commodities less motor fuel ⁸	7.247	2.3	-0.3	0.2	0.5	0.0
New vehicles.....	4.307	0.8	0.0	0.0	0.3	0.2
New cars ³		1.2	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.1
New trucks ^{3, 10}		0.7	0.0	0.0	0.3	0.2
Used cars and trucks.....	2.440	5.1	-1.0	0.5	1.0	-0.4
Motor vehicle parts and equipment ¹	0.364	3.1	0.5	0.9	0.6	0.5
Tires ¹	0.299	3.5	0.6	1.0	0.3	0.6
Vehicle accessories other than tires ^{1, 2}	0.065	1.5	-0.2	0.1	1.7	-0.2
Vehicle parts and equipment other than tires ^{1, 3} ...		2.5	0.7	0.3	2.0	0.7
Motor oil, coolant, and fluids ^{1, 3}		-1.5	-1.4	0.1	0.8	-1.4
Medical care commodities ¹	1.503	0.7	-0.1	0.1	-0.3	-0.1
Medicinal drugs ^{1, 8}	1.323	0.6	0.0	-0.1	-0.4	0.0
Prescription drugs ¹	0.914	1.7	0.3	-0.2	-0.2	0.3
Nonprescription drugs ⁸	0.409	-1.8	-0.7	-0.5	-0.9	0.0
Medical equipment and supplies ^{1, 8}	0.180	0.8	-0.6	1.1	0.6	-0.6
Recreation commodities ⁸	1.830	0.8	0.5	0.4	0.0	0.4
Video and audio products ⁸	0.254	1.6	0.3	0.8	0.5	-0.1
Televisions.....	0.086	-6.0	0.0	0.5	2.5	-1.1
Other video equipment ²	0.028	1.2	0.6	-0.2	-2.5	0.3
Audio equipment ¹	0.060	13.6	0.8	2.2	-0.8	0.8
Recorded music and music subscriptions ^{1, 2}	0.074	3.1	0.1	0.6	0.4	0.1
Pets and pet products ¹	0.621	0.9	0.3	0.5	-0.5	0.3
Pet food and treats ^{1, 2, 3}		0.5	0.0	0.5	-0.3	0.0
Purchase of pets, pet supplies, accessories ^{1, 2, 3} ...		1.5	1.0	0.0	-0.6	1.0
Sporting goods ¹	0.468	0.0	1.0	0.4	0.1	1.0

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		Sep. 2024- Sep. 2025	Aug. 2025- Sep. 2025	Jun. 2025- Jul. 2025	Jul. 2025- Aug. 2025	Aug. 2025- Sep. 2025
Sports vehicles including bicycles ¹	0.234	0.2	1.5	1.1	0.6	1.5
Sports equipment ¹	0.219	-0.1	0.5	-0.4	-0.6	0.5
Photographic equipment and supplies.....	0.020	5.8	0.1	1.2	1.1	0.4
Photographic equipment ^{1, 2, 3}		5.7	0.0	2.1	1.8	0.0
Recreational reading materials ¹	0.099	2.1	-0.4	-0.3	0.9	-0.4
Newspapers and magazines ^{1, 2}	0.054	5.6	0.0	1.0	-1.1	0.0
Recreational books ^{1, 2}	0.045	-1.7	-1.0	-1.9	3.4	-1.0
Other recreational goods ²	0.367	0.4	0.5	0.3	0.0	0.1
Toys.....	0.288	0.2	0.4	0.2	-0.8	-0.1
Toys, games, hobbies and playground equipment ^{2, 3}		1.4	0.5	0.6	-1.1	0.3
Sewing machines, fabric and supplies ^{1, 2}	0.021	-6.4	1.1	2.6	9.1	1.1
Music instruments and accessories ^{1, 2}	0.043	6.1	1.0	0.0	1.1	1.0
Education and communication commodities ⁸	0.732	-4.0	-0.9	-1.3	-0.3	-0.8
Educational books and supplies ¹	0.041		-0.7	0.1	-0.6	-0.7
College textbooks ^{1, 3, 11}		6.8	-0.9	0.4	-0.2	-0.9
Information technology commodities ⁸	0.691	-5.1	-0.9	-1.4	-0.3	-0.8
Computers, peripherals, and smart home assistants ^{1, 4}	0.264	-0.7	0.2	-1.2	-0.6	0.2
Computer software and accessories ^{1, 2}	0.026	-6.1	-1.9	-2.6	-5.5	-1.9
Telephone hardware, calculators, and other consumer information items ²	0.401	-7.7	-1.6	-1.4	0.3	-1.4
Smartphones ^{1, 3, 12}		-14.9	-2.2	0.0	-0.2	-2.2
Alcoholic beverages ¹	0.828	2.0	0.2	0.1	0.6	0.2
Alcoholic beverages at home.....	0.441	0.3	0.1	0.1	0.6	0.0
Beer, ale, and other malt beverages at home ¹	0.151	1.0	0.2	0.2	0.6	0.2
Distilled spirits at home ¹	0.102	1.8	0.3	0.5	0.6	0.3
Whiskey at home ^{1, 3}		1.2	0.6	0.3	0.5	0.6
Distilled spirits, excluding whiskey, at home ^{1, 3}		2.3	0.3	0.6	0.7	0.3
Wine at home.....	0.188	-1.2	0.0	-0.3	0.2	-0.2
Alcoholic beverages away from home ¹	0.386	4.1	0.3	0.2	0.6	0.3
Beer, ale, and other malt beverages away from home ^{1, 2, 3}		3.6	0.4	0.3	0.5	0.4
Wine away from home ^{1, 2, 3}		2.9	0.1	0.1	-0.1	0.1
Distilled spirits away from home ^{1, 2, 3}		4.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
Other goods ⁸	1.287	3.7	0.8	0.2	0.4	0.8
Tobacco and smoking products ¹	0.491	6.9	0.6	0.3	1.0	0.6
Cigarettes ^{1, 2}	0.371	8.2	0.4	0.8	1.1	0.4
Tobacco products other than cigarettes ^{1, 2}	0.114	2.3	1.2	-1.4	0.7	1.2
Personal care products ¹	0.643	1.5	0.7	0.0	0.4	0.7
Hair, dental, shaving, and miscellaneous personal care products ^{1, 2}	0.286	2.2	1.0	0.2	0.5	1.0
Cosmetics, perfume, bath, nail preparations and implements ¹	0.347	0.7	0.5	-0.2	0.3	0.5
Miscellaneous personal goods ²	0.153	2.5	1.7	0.8	-1.8	1.4
Stationery, stationery supplies, gift wrap ³		3.1	1.9	0.2	-0.8	2.1
Services less energy services.....	60.635	3.5	0.2	0.4	0.3	0.2
Shelter.....	35.471	3.6	0.2	0.2	0.4	0.2
Rent of shelter ¹³	35.049	3.5	0.2	0.2	0.4	0.2
Rent of primary residence.....	7.456	3.4	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.2
Lodging away from home ²	1.363	-0.1	-1.4	-1.0	2.3	1.3
Housing at school, excluding board ¹³	0.243	3.4	0.5	0.1	0.8	-0.1
Other lodging away from home including hotels and motels.....	1.119	-0.8	-1.8	-1.3	2.6	1.7
Owners' equivalent rent of residences ¹³	26.231	3.8	0.2	0.3	0.4	0.1

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, September 2025 — Continued
[1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted]

Expenditure category	Relative importance Aug. 2025	Unadjusted percent change		Seasonally adjusted percent change		
		Sep. 2024- Sep. 2025	Aug. 2025- Sep. 2025	Jun. 2025- Jul. 2025	Jul. 2025- Aug. 2025	Aug. 2025- Sep. 2025
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence ¹³ ..	25.034	3.8	0.2	0.3	0.4	0.1
Tenants' and household insurance ^{1, 2}	0.422	7.5	1.2	1.0	0.6	1.2
Water and sewer and trash collection services ²	1.089	4.8	0.1	0.4	0.4	0.1
Water and sewerage maintenance ¹	0.742	4.6	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.4
Garbage and trash collection ^{1, 10}	0.347	5.4	-0.5	0.6	0.5	-0.5
Household operations ^{1, 2}						
Domestic services ^{1, 2}						
Gardening and lawn care services ^{1, 2}	0.361	13.9				
Moving, storage, freight expense ²	0.125	1.6	0.5	-0.9	-1.7	1.3
Repair of household items ^{1, 2}						
Medical care services	6.765	3.9	0.2	0.8	-0.1	0.3
Professional services	3.680	2.6	-0.1	0.7	0.1	-0.4
Physicians' services ¹	1.805	2.4	-0.1	0.2	0.3	-0.1
Dental services	0.949	3.2	-0.5	2.6	-0.7	-0.6
Eyeglasses and eye care ^{1, 6}	0.333	4.1	0.3	0.2	0.7	0.3
Services by other medical professionals ^{1, 6}						
Hospital and related services ¹	2.287	5.8	0.8	0.4	0.0	0.8
Hospital services ^{1, 14}	1.965	5.5	0.3	0.5	0.0	0.3
Inpatient hospital services ^{1, 3, 14}		5.2				
Outpatient hospital services ^{1, 3, 6}		6.2	0.0	0.6	0.4	0.0
Nursing homes and adult day services ¹⁴	0.167	4.1	0.3	-0.1	0.3	0.3
Care of invalids and elderly at home ^{1, 5}	0.155	11.6	7.0	0.4	-0.2	7.0
Health insurance ^{1, 5}	0.797	4.2	0.3	0.4	0.1	0.3
Transportation services	6.243	2.5	0.2	0.8	1.0	0.3
Leased cars and trucks ^{1, 11}	0.382	-3.9	-0.6	-0.4	-0.3	-0.6
Car and truck rental ²	0.135	-5.0	-5.1	-2.9	-6.9	0.3
Motor vehicle maintenance and repair ¹	1.052	7.7	0.2	1.0	2.4	0.2
Motor vehicle body work ¹	0.054	5.4		0.9		
Motor vehicle maintenance and servicing ¹	0.508	5.1	0.8	1.2	0.4	0.8
Motor vehicle repair ^{1, 2}	0.426	11.5	-0.3	0.8	5.0	-0.3
Motor vehicle insurance	2.804	3.1	-0.4	0.1	0.0	-0.4
Motor vehicle fees ^{1, 2}	0.491	1.0	1.1	0.1	-0.1	1.1
State motor vehicle registration and license fees ^{1, 2}	0.278	0.7	0.1	0.3	-0.5	0.1
Parking and other fees ^{1, 2}	0.200	1.7	2.6	-0.2	0.4	2.6
Parking fees and tolls ^{2, 3}		2.8	0.1	0.4	-0.1	-0.1
Public transportation	1.379	1.8	1.7	3.0	3.6	1.6
Airline fares	0.855	3.2	2.8	4.0	5.9	2.7
Other intercity transportation	0.208	-2.6	-1.9	-1.6	-1.5	-1.7
Ship fare ^{1, 2, 3}		-7.3	-1.9	0.5	0.6	-1.9
Intracity transportation ¹	0.311	0.3	1.1	0.9	-0.6	1.1
Intracity mass transit ^{1, 3, 8}		1.8	-0.1	0.0	0.4	-0.1
Recreation services ⁸	3.439	4.4	0.2	0.4	-0.2	0.4
Video and audio services ⁸	0.804	1.9	0.1	-0.3	-0.6	0.3
Cable, satellite, and live streaming television service ¹⁰	0.650	2.2	0.0	-0.5	-0.3	0.2
Purchase, subscription, and rental of video ^{1, 2}	0.154	0.0	0.4	0.4	-1.8	0.4
Video discs and other media ^{1, 2, 3}		1.6	2.2	1.0	-0.4	2.2
Subscription and rental of video and video games ^{1, 2, 3}		4.8	0.4	0.4	-2.7	0.4
Pet services including veterinary ²	0.538	6.9	1.0	0.4	0.6	1.3
Pet services ^{2, 3}		5.1	-0.2	1.1	0.2	0.2
Veterinarian services ^{1, 2, 3}		7.8	1.4	0.2	0.1	1.4
Photographers and photo processing ^{1, 2}	0.053	-2.3	0.2	0.9	-0.8	0.2

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, September 2025 — Continued
[1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted]

Expenditure category	Relative importance Aug. 2025	Unadjusted percent change		Seasonally adjusted percent change		
		Sep. 2024- Sep. 2025	Aug. 2025- Sep. 2025	Jun. 2025- Jul. 2025	Jul. 2025- Aug. 2025	Aug. 2025- Sep. 2025
Other recreation services ²	2.044	5.1	0.0	0.7	-0.1	0.2
Club membership for shopping clubs, fraternal, or other organizations, or participant sports fees ²	0.807	6.2	0.0	-0.3	0.2	0.5
Admissions ¹	0.740	4.3	0.3	1.5	-0.6	0.3
Admission to movies, theaters, and concerts ^{1, 2, 3}		4.0	-0.7	0.8	-0.9	-0.7
Admission to sporting events ^{1, 2, 3}		-6.9	3.7	1.9	-0.7	3.7
Fees for lessons or instructions ^{1, 6}	0.168	4.0	0.0	1.4	0.1	0.0
Education and communication services ⁸	4.907	1.1	0.4	0.2	0.1	0.1
Tuition, other school fees, and childcare.....	2.525	2.9	0.8	0.4	0.2	0.2
College tuition and fees.....	1.302	1.4	0.5	0.3	-0.1	-0.1
Elementary and high school tuition and fees.....	0.392	3.8	0.4	0.0	0.6	0.5
Day care and preschool ^{1, 9}	0.727	5.2	1.7	0.5	0.7	1.7
Technical and business school tuition and fees ²	0.039	2.0	-0.1	0.5	0.9	0.0
Postage and delivery services ²	0.053	4.7	0.0	2.0	1.4	-0.5
Postage.....	0.051	4.9	0.0	2.0	1.4	-0.5
Delivery services ²	0.002	8.0	-0.6	0.9	0.8	-0.2
Telephone services ^{1, 2}	1.394	-1.8	0.0	-0.1	-1.0	0.0
Wireless telephone services ^{1, 2}	1.226	-2.1	0.0	0.0	-1.1	0.0
Residential telephone services ^{1, 8}	0.169	1.2	-0.2	-0.8	-0.3	-0.2
Internet services and electronic information providers ^{1, 2}	0.926	0.4	-0.1	0.0	1.2	-0.1
Other personal services ^{1, 8}	1.657	4.5	0.2	0.5	0.1	0.2
Personal care services ¹	0.660	4.6	0.9	0.1	0.5	0.9
Haircuts and other personal care services ^{1, 2}	0.660	4.6	0.9	0.1	0.5	0.9
Miscellaneous personal services ¹	0.997	4.4	-0.3	0.8	-0.1	-0.3
Legal services ^{1, 6}						
Funeral expenses ^{1, 6}	0.139	2.9	0.4	0.1	0.2	0.4
Laundry and dry cleaning services ^{1, 2}	0.166	4.9	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.3
Apparel services other than laundry and dry cleaning ^{1, 2}	0.027	6.0	0.8	0.9	0.9	0.8
Financial services ^{1, 6}	0.251	2.7	-1.5	2.7	-0.7	-1.5
Checking account and other bank services ^{1, 2, 3}		0.7	0.2	0.4	0.1	0.2
Tax return preparation and other accounting fees ^{1, 2, 3}		3.7	-2.0	3.5	-1.4	-2.0

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, September 2025

[1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted]

Special aggregate indexes	Relative importance Aug. 2025	Unadjusted indexes			Unadjusted percent change		Seasonally adjusted percent change		
		Sep. 2024	Aug. 2025	Sep. 2025	Sep. 2024- Sep. 2025	Aug. 2025- Sep. 2025	Jun. 2025- Jul. 2025	Jul. 2025- Aug. 2025	Aug. 2025- Sep. 2025
All items less food.....	86.354	312.692	321.287	322.068	3.0	0.2	0.2	0.4	0.3
All items less shelter.....	64.529	284.044	290.784	291.663	2.7	0.3	0.2	0.4	0.4
All items less food and shelter.....	50.883	272.293	278.458	279.283	2.6	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.4
All items less food, shelter, and energy.....	44.483	275.128	281.241	282.146	2.6	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.2
All items less food, shelter, energy, and used cars and trucks.....	42.043	280.655	286.324	287.460	2.4	0.4	0.4	0.2	0.3
All items less medical care.....	91.732	303.175	311.423	312.239	3.0	0.3	0.2	0.4	0.3
All items less energy.....	93.600	321.850	330.737	331.609	3.0	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.2
Commodities.....	36.130	223.014	226.364	227.312	1.9	0.4	0.0	0.5	0.5
Commodities less food, energy, and used cars and trucks.....	16.878	164.171	165.051	166.000	1.1	0.6	0.2	0.2	0.3
Commodities less food.....	22.484	177.549	178.830	179.680	1.2	0.5	-0.1	0.5	0.7
Commodities less food and beverages.....	21.656	173.715	174.891	175.741	1.2	0.5	-0.1	0.5	0.7
Services.....	63.870	406.433	420.424	421.102	3.6	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.2
Services less rent of shelter ¹	28.821	419.050	433.800	434.536	3.7	0.2	0.3	0.1	0.2
Services less medical care services.....	57.105	390.387	403.730	404.354	3.6	0.2	0.2	0.4	0.1
Durables.....	10.939	122.204	124.570	124.402	1.8	-0.1	0.4	0.4	0.3
Nondurables.....	25.191	277.420	281.139	282.993	2.0	0.7	-0.2	0.6	1.0
Nondurables less food.....	11.545	231.993	231.424	233.863	0.8	1.1	-0.5	0.5	1.8
Nondurables less food and beverages.....	10.718	228.334	227.428	229.975	0.7	1.1	-0.6	0.4	2.0
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel.....	8.214	290.865	291.660	293.608	0.9	0.7	-0.7	0.3	2.7
Nondurables less food and apparel.....	9.042	289.403	290.581	292.398	1.0	0.6	-0.6	0.3	2.5
Housing.....	44.380	336.776	349.277	349.773	3.9	0.1	0.2	0.4	0.2
Education and communication ²	5.639	146.928	147.152	147.501	0.4	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.0
Education ²	2.566	304.883	311.752	314.267	3.1	0.8	0.4	0.2	0.2
Communication ²	3.073	74.092	72.991	72.818	-1.7	-0.2	-0.3	-0.1	-0.2
Information and information processing ²	3.020	69.701	68.577	68.411	-1.9	-0.2	-0.4	-0.1	-0.2
Information technology, hardware and services ³	1.625	6.929	6.821	6.792	-2.0	-0.4	-0.6	0.6	-0.4
Recreation ²	5.269	137.651	141.394	141.827	3.0	0.3	0.4	-0.1	0.4
Video and audio ²	1.057	117.725	119.661	119.853	1.8	0.2	0.0	-0.3	0.2
Pets, pet products and services ²	1.159	222.980	229.313	230.823	3.5	0.7	0.4	0.0	0.8
Photography ²	0.074	85.829	85.366	85.497	-0.4	0.2	1.0	-0.3	0.2
Food and beverages.....	14.474	329.417	338.366	339.443	3.0	0.3	0.0	0.5	0.2
Domestically produced farm food.....	6.730	318.919	324.773	326.212	2.3	0.4	0.2	0.4	0.4
Other services.....	10.003	417.567	427.731	429.001	2.7	0.3	0.3	0.0	0.2
Apparel less footwear.....	1.928	127.725	123.770	127.251	-0.4	2.8	-0.3	0.8	0.7
Fuels and utilities.....	4.457	316.243	336.541	334.686	5.8	-0.6	-0.1	-0.1	-0.5
Household energy.....	3.367	264.362	282.839	280.642	6.2	-0.8	-0.2	-0.3	-0.7
Medical care.....	8.268	566.266	583.875	584.858	3.3	0.2	0.7	-0.2	0.2
Transportation.....	16.523	269.604	273.910	274.301	1.7	0.1	0.0	0.9	0.8
Private transportation.....	15.144	269.771	274.710	274.710	1.8	0.0	-0.2	0.7	0.8
New and used motor vehicles ²	7.401	124.187	126.820	126.275	1.7	-0.4	0.1	0.4	0.0
Utilities and public transportation.....	7.747	259.374	267.873	267.839	3.3	0.0	0.0	0.3	0.0
Household furnishings and operations.....	4.452	147.906	153.039	154.023	4.1	0.6	0.4	0.2	0.4
Other goods and services.....	2.944	562.638	583.313	585.873	4.1	0.4	0.4	0.2	0.5
Personal care.....	2.453	283.738	292.584	293.775	3.5	0.4	0.4	0.1	0.4

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, September 2025

[1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted]

Area	Pricing Schedule ¹	Percent change to Sep. 2025 from:			Percent change to Aug. 2025 from:		
		Sep. 2024	Jul. 2025	Aug. 2025	Aug. 2024	Jun. 2025	Jul. 2025
U.S. city average.....	M	3.0	0.5	0.3	2.9	0.4	0.3
Region and area size²							
Northeast.....	M	3.1	0.5	0.1	3.3	0.6	0.4
Northeast - Size Class A.....	M	3.1	0.5	0.3	3.2	0.2	0.2
Northeast - Size Class B/C ³	M	3.1	0.5	-0.1	3.4	1.0	0.5
New England ⁴	M	3.2	0.5	-0.1	3.7	0.8	0.6
Middle Atlantic ⁴	M	3.1	0.5	0.2	3.1	0.4	0.3
Midwest.....	M	3.1	0.6	0.3	2.8	0.4	0.3
Midwest - Size Class A.....	M	2.7	0.7	0.4	2.3	0.4	0.4
Midwest - Size Class B/C ³	M	3.3	0.5	0.2	3.1	0.4	0.3
East North Central ⁴	M	3.2	0.5	0.2	3.0	0.4	0.3
West North Central ⁴	M	2.7	0.8	0.4	2.3	0.5	0.4
South.....	M	2.7	0.5	0.3	2.6	0.4	0.3
South - Size Class A.....	M	2.3	0.3	0.3	1.8	0.1	0.0
South - Size Class B/C ³	M	3.0	0.6	0.2	3.0	0.6	0.4
South Atlantic ⁴	M	2.8	0.5	0.3	2.6	0.4	0.3
East South Central ⁴	M	3.1	0.3	0.0	3.5	0.6	0.3
West South Central ⁴	M	2.3	0.6	0.3	2.0	0.3	0.2
West.....	M	3.3	0.6	0.3	3.2	0.4	0.3
West - Size Class A.....	M	3.1	0.6	0.4	2.9	0.4	0.2
West - Size Class B/C ³	M	3.5	0.6	0.3	3.5	0.5	0.3
Mountain ⁴	M	2.9	0.8	0.4	2.5	0.6	0.4
Pacific ⁴	M	3.5	0.5	0.3	3.5	0.3	0.2
Size classes							
Size Class A ⁵	M	2.8	0.5	0.3	2.6	0.3	0.2
Size Class B/C ³	M	3.2	0.6	0.2	3.2	0.6	0.4
Selected local areas							
Chicago-Naperville-Elgin, IL-IN-WI.....	M	2.9	0.9	0.3	3.1	0.4	0.6
Los Angeles-Long Beach-Anaheim, CA.....	M	3.5	0.7	0.4	3.3	0.4	0.3
New York-Newark-Jersey City, NY-NJ-PA.....	M	3.0	0.5	0.2	3.2	0.3	0.3
Atlanta-Sandy Springs-Roswell, GA.....	2				1.7	0.1	
Baltimore-Columbia-Towson, MD ⁶	2				2.8	0.3	
Detroit-Warren-Dearborn, MI.....	2				0.7	0.2	
Houston-The Woodlands-Sugar Land, TX.....	2				1.1	-0.1	
Miami-Fort Lauderdale-West Palm Beach, FL.....	2				2.5	-0.2	
Philadelphia-Camden-Wilmington, PA-NJ-DE-MD.....	2				3.3	0.5	
Phoenix-Mesa-Scottsdale, AZ ⁷	2				1.4	0.9	
San Francisco-Oakland-Hayward, CA.....	2				2.5	0.4	
Seattle-Tacoma-Bellevue, WA.....	2				2.8	0.2	
St. Louis, MO-IL.....	2				2.6	0.2	
Urban Alaska.....	2				2.4	0.8	
Boston-Cambridge-Newton, MA-NH.....	1	3.3	0.7				
Dallas-Fort Worth-Arlington, TX.....	1	1.9	0.6				
Denver-Aurora-Lakewood, CO.....	1	3.1	1.0				
Minneapolis-St. Paul-Bloomington, MN-WI.....	1	2.6	0.8				
Riverside-San Bernardino-Ontario, CA ⁴	1	3.6	0.2				
San Diego-Carlsbad, CA.....	1	3.9	0.1				
Tampa-St. Petersburg-Clearwater, FL ⁸	1	3.3	-0.1				
Urban Hawaii.....	1	2.2	0.5				
Washington-Arlington-Alexandria, DC-VA-MD-WV ⁶	1	2.5	0.8				

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 - 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, September 2025
[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 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
December 2019.....			1.8	2.3
December 2020.....			1.5	1.4
December 2021.....			6.5	7.0
December 2022.....			6.4	6.5
January 2023.....	0.8	0.8	6.4	6.4
February 2023.....	0.5	0.6	6.0	6.0
March 2023.....	0.3	0.3	4.8	5.0
April 2023.....	0.5	0.5	4.7	4.9
May 2023.....	0.2	0.3	3.8	4.0
June 2023.....	0.3	0.3	2.9	3.0
July 2023.....	0.1	0.2	3.0	3.2
August 2023.....	0.4	0.4	3.5	3.7
September 2023.....	0.2	0.2	3.4	3.7
October 2023.....	0.0	0.0	2.9	3.2
November 2023.....	-0.3	-0.2	2.7	3.1
December 2023.....	-0.1	-0.1	2.9	3.4
January 2024.....	0.5	0.5	2.6	3.1
February 2024.....	0.6	0.6	2.8	3.2
March 2024.....	0.6	0.6	3.1	3.5
April 2024.....	0.4	0.4	3.0	3.4
May 2024.....	0.1	0.2	2.9	3.3
June 2024.....	0.0	0.0	2.6	3.0
July 2024.....	0.0	0.1	2.5	2.9
August 2024.....	0.0	0.1	2.2	2.5
September 2024.....	0.1	0.2	2.1	2.4
October 2024.....	0.1	0.1	2.3	2.6
November 2024.....	-0.1	-0.1	2.4	2.7
December 2024.....	0.0	0.0	2.6	2.9
January 2025.....	0.6	0.7	2.7	3.0
February 2025.....	0.4	0.4	2.5	2.8
March 2025.....	0.2	0.2	2.1	2.4
April 2025.....	0.3	0.3	2.0	2.3
May 2025.....	0.2	0.2	2.1	2.4
June 2025.....	0.3	0.3	2.4	2.7
July 2025.....	0.1	0.2	2.5	2.7
August 2025.....	0.3	0.3	2.7	2.9
September 2025.....	0.3	0.3	2.9	3.0

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.

Table 6. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, by expenditure category, September 2025, 1-month analysis table
[1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted]

Expenditure category	Relative importance Aug. 2025	One Month				
		Seasonally adjusted percent change Aug. 2025-Sep. 2025	Seasonally adjusted effect on All Items Aug. 2025-Sep. 2025 ¹	Standard error, median price change ²	Largest (L) or Smallest (S) seasonally adjusted change since: ³	
					Date	Percent change
All items.....	100.000	0.3		0.05	S-Jul.2025	0.2
Food.....	13.646	0.2	0.034	0.07	S-Jul.2025	0.0
Food at home.....	7.993	0.3	0.026	0.12	S-Jul.2025	-0.1
Cereals and bakery products.....	1.091	0.7	0.008	0.30	L-May 2025	1.1
Cereals and cereal products.....	0.326	0.8	0.003	0.50	L-May 2025	1.4
Flour and prepared flour mixes.....	0.030	0.3	0.000	0.75	S-Jul.2025	-1.9
Breakfast cereal ⁴	0.141	1.0	0.001	0.93	L-May 2025	2.0
Rice, pasta, cornmeal.....	0.155	0.4	0.001	0.63	L-May 2025	1.1
Rice ^{4, 5, 6}		-1.1		0.73	S-Jul.2025	-1.1
Bakery products ⁴	0.765	0.7	0.005	0.38	L-May 2025	1.0
Bread ^{4, 5}	0.139	0.3	0.000	0.61	L-Jul.2025	0.4
White bread ^{4, 6}		0.4		0.64	—	—
Bread other than white ^{4, 6}		0.4		1.08	L-Jul.2025	1.2
Fresh biscuits, rolls, muffins ⁵	0.134	-0.1	0.000	1.02	L-Jun.2025	-0.1
Cakes, cupcakes, and cookies ⁴	0.213	0.6	0.001	0.59	L-Jul.2025	1.7
Cookies ^{4, 6}		0.2		0.80	L-Jul.2025	4.2
Fresh cakes and cupcakes ^{4, 6}		1.8		0.69	L-Sep.2022	2.5
Other bakery products.....	0.279	1.4	0.004	0.64	L-May 2025	1.5
Fresh sweetrolls, coffeecakes, doughnuts ^{4, 6} ...		5.7		0.84	L-Apr.1999	6.4
Crackers, bread, and cracker products ⁶		1.6		1.02	L-Dec.2024	1.9
Frozen and refrigerated bakery products, pies, tarts, turnovers ⁶		-0.2		1.14	S-Jul.2025	-1.8
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs.....	1.644	0.3	0.004	0.24	S-Jul.2025	0.2
Meats, poultry, and fish.....	1.490	0.8	0.012	0.25	S-Jul.2025	0.7
Meats.....	0.961	1.3	0.013	0.31	S-Jul.2025	1.0
Beef and veal.....	0.491	1.2	0.006	0.46	S-May 2025	-0.1
Uncooked ground beef ⁴	0.220	0.5	0.001	0.69	S-Apr.2025	0.0
Uncooked beef roasts ⁵	0.062	4.8	0.003	1.10	L-Sep.2021	7.1
Uncooked beef steaks ⁵	0.144	0.0	0.000	0.81	S-May 2025	-1.1
Uncooked other beef and veal ^{4, 5}	0.065	1.2	0.001	0.88	S-May 2025	0.5
Pork.....	0.288	0.5	0.001	0.55	L-Jul.2025	0.5
Bacon, breakfast sausage, and related products ⁵	0.105	-1.6	-0.002	0.89	S-Apr.2025	-1.6
Bacon and related products ⁶		-0.6		1.07	S-Apr.2025	-1.0
Breakfast sausage and related products ^{5, 6} ...		-2.3		1.18	S-Dec.2018	-2.4
Ham.....	0.042	1.5	0.001	1.06	L-Jul.2025	3.7
Ham, excluding canned ⁶		1.4		1.11	L-Jul.2025	3.9
Pork chops ⁴	0.049	1.5	0.001	1.29	L-Jul.2025	2.0
Other pork including roasts, steaks, and ribs ⁵ ...	0.092	1.9	0.002	1.20	L-Jan.2025	2.0
Other meats.....	0.183	2.9	0.005	0.58	L-EVER	—
Frankfurters ⁶		1.5		1.36	L-Jun.2025	9.0
Lunchmeats ^{4, 5, 6}		4.2		0.76	L-EVER	—
Poultry.....	0.287	0.1	0.000	0.50	L-Jun.2025	0.6
Chicken ⁵	0.216	-0.6	-0.001	0.53	S-Apr.2024	-1.7
Fresh whole chicken ⁶		0.3		0.99	L-Jun.2025	0.5
Fresh and frozen chicken parts ⁶		-0.9		0.69	S-Apr.2024	-2.0
Other uncooked poultry including turkey ⁵	0.071	1.4	0.001	1.20	L-Apr.2025	1.8
Fish and seafood.....	0.242	-0.3	-0.001	0.60	S-Mar.2025	-1.5
Fresh fish and seafood ^{4, 5}	0.140	0.3	0.000	0.83	—	—
Processed fish and seafood ⁵	0.102	-1.1	-0.001	0.96	S-Mar.2025	-2.0
Shelf stable fish and seafood ⁶		-1.8		1.43	S-Mar.2025	-3.0
Frozen fish and seafood ⁶		-0.8		1.19	S-Jun.2025	-1.4

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Table 6. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, by expenditure category, September 2025, 1-month analysis table — Continued
[1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted]

Expenditure category	Relative importance Aug. 2025	One Month				
		Seasonally adjusted percent change Aug. 2025-Sep. 2025	Seasonally adjusted effect on All Items Aug. 2025-Sep. 2025 ¹	Standard error, median price change ²	Largest (L) or Smallest (S) seasonally adjusted change since: ³	
					Date	Percent change
Eggs.....	0.154	-4.7	-0.008	1.00	S-Jun.2025	-7.4
Dairy and related products ⁴	0.726	-0.5	-0.003	0.29	S-Feb.2025	-1.0
Milk ^{4, 5}	0.195	-0.2	0.000	0.39	—	—
Fresh whole milk ^{4, 6}		-0.3		0.49	S-Jun.2025	-1.3
Fresh milk other than whole ^{4, 5, 6}		-0.3		0.55	—	—
Cheese and related products ⁴	0.251	-0.7	-0.002	0.69	S-Feb.2025	-1.2
Ice cream and related products.....	0.128	-0.9	-0.001	1.04	S-Apr.2025	-1.4
Other dairy and related products ⁵	0.152	-0.2	0.000	0.54	S-Jun.2025	-1.1
Fruits and vegetables.....	1.311	0.0	0.000	0.32	S-Jul.2025	0.0
Fresh fruits and vegetables.....	1.090	-0.2	-0.002	0.41	S-Apr.2025	-0.2
Fresh fruits.....	0.543	-0.5	-0.003	0.58	S-Jul.2025	-1.4
Apples.....	0.085	-1.8	-0.002	0.95	S-Apr.2024	-2.2
Bananas ⁴	0.113	0.4	0.000	0.65	S-Jul.2025	0.4
Citrus fruits ⁵	0.065	-0.6	0.000	0.88	S-Apr.2025	-2.8
Oranges, including tangerines ⁶		-1.1		1.44	S-Apr.2025	-3.7
Other fresh fruits ⁵	0.280	-0.2	-0.001	1.11	—	—
Fresh vegetables.....	0.547	0.0	0.000	0.58	S-Apr.2025	-0.1
Potatoes.....	0.087	2.6	0.002	0.97	L-Nov.2023	3.0
Lettuce.....	0.069	-1.8	-0.001	1.17	S-Mar.2025	-3.5
Tomatoes.....	0.089	0.7	0.001	1.22	S-Jun.2025	-1.5
Other fresh vegetables.....	0.302	-0.5	-0.002	0.79	S-Mar.2025	-0.6
Processed fruits and vegetables ⁵	0.221	1.0	0.002	0.47	L-May 2023	1.1
Canned fruits and vegetables ⁵	0.091	0.6	0.001	0.60	L-Jun.2025	0.7
Canned fruits ^{5, 6}		0.4		0.94	S-Apr.2025	-1.0
Canned vegetables ^{5, 6}		0.8		0.90	L-May 2025	2.6
Frozen fruits and vegetables ⁵	0.066	1.0	0.001	0.89	L-Jul.2025	1.4
Frozen vegetables ⁶		1.3		1.08	L-Feb.2025	1.9
Other processed fruits and vegetables including dried ⁵	0.064	1.4	0.001	0.66	L-May 2025	1.4
Dried beans, peas, and lentils ^{4, 5, 6}		0.5		0.76	L-Jul.2025	0.7
Nonalcoholic beverages and beverage materials.....	0.908	0.7	0.007	0.40	L-Jun.2025	1.4
Juices and nonalcoholic drinks ⁵	0.623	1.4	0.008	0.48	L-Jun.2025	1.7
Carbonated drinks.....	0.346	1.4	0.005	0.93	L-Jun.2025	1.7
Frozen noncarbonated juices and drinks ^{4, 5}	0.004	2.2	0.000	0.81	L-Jul.2025	5.3
Nonfrozen noncarbonated juices and drinks ⁵	0.274	1.7	0.005	0.49	L-Jun.2025	2.0
Beverage materials including coffee and tea ⁵	0.285	-0.7	-0.002	0.68	S-Apr.2023	-0.7
Coffee.....	0.153	-0.1	0.000	0.97	S-Jan.2025	-0.1
Roasted coffee ⁶		-0.4		1.25	S-Aug.2024	-1.8
Instant coffee ^{4, 6}		0.5		1.07	S-May 2025	-0.5
Other beverage materials including tea ^{4, 5}	0.132	-1.5	-0.002	1.06	S-Mar.2024	-1.5
Other food at home.....	2.313	0.5	0.011	0.24	L-May 2025	0.7
Sugar and sweets.....	0.337	0.4	0.001	0.44	S-Jul.2025	-0.2
Sugar and sugar substitutes.....	0.028	0.3	0.000	0.62	S-Jul.2025	-0.9
Candy and chewing gum ⁵	0.237	0.5	0.001	0.60	S-Jul.2025	-0.2
Other sweets ⁵	0.072	0.3	0.000	0.82	S-Jul.2025	-0.9
Fats and oils.....	0.243	0.3	0.001	0.53	L-Jun.2025	0.4
Butter and margarine ⁵	0.054	0.0	0.000	0.99	S-Jul.2025	-0.7
Butter ⁶		-0.2		1.11	S-Jul.2025	-1.0
Margarine ⁶		0.2		1.56	L-Apr.2025	1.2
Salad dressing ^{4, 5}	0.065	1.8	0.001	1.52	L-Sep.2024	3.3
Other fats and oils including peanut butter ⁵	0.123	0.2	0.000	0.68	S-Jul.2025	-2.3
Peanut butter ^{4, 5, 6}		2.1		0.76	L-Jun.2025	2.2
Other foods.....	1.733	0.5	0.009	0.30	L-May 2025	0.6

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Table 6. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, by expenditure category, September 2025, 1-month analysis table — Continued
[1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted]

Expenditure category	Relative importance Aug. 2025	One Month				
		Seasonally adjusted percent change Aug. 2025-Sep. 2025	Seasonally adjusted effect on All Items Aug. 2025-Sep. 2025 ¹	Standard error, median price change ²	Largest (L) or Smallest (S) seasonally adjusted change since: ³	
					Date	Percent change
Soups.....	0.111	-1.6	-0.002	0.97	S-Sep.2023	-1.8
Frozen and freeze dried prepared foods.....	0.268	1.2	0.003	0.69	L-Aug.2022	1.4
Snacks.....	0.362	1.2	0.004	0.78	L-Jan.2025	1.4
Spices, seasonings, condiments, sauces.....	0.387	-0.4	-0.001	0.50	S-Jul.2025	-0.5
Salt and other seasonings and spices ^{5, 6}		1.0		0.91	L-Jun.2025	1.8
Olives, pickles, relishes ^{5, 6}		-0.9		0.90	L-Jun.2025	4.9
Sauces and gravies ^{5, 6}		-0.7		0.70	S-May 2025	-1.0
Other condiments ⁶		0.1		1.10	S-Jun.2025	0.0
Baby food and formula ^{4, 5}	0.059	1.3	0.001	0.57	L-Jun.2024	1.7
Other miscellaneous foods ⁵	0.547	1.0	0.005	0.54	L-May 2025	1.1
Prepared salads ^{6, 7}		-0.5		0.98	S-Jun.2025	-2.7
Food away from home ⁴	5.653	0.1	0.008	0.06	S-Feb.2024	0.1
Full service meals and snacks ^{4, 5}	2.451	0.0	0.001	0.07	S-Apr.2020	-0.3
Limited service meals and snacks ^{4, 5}	2.828	0.2	0.006	0.09	L-Jun.2025	0.2
Food at employee sites and schools ^{4, 5}	0.073	-0.2	0.000	0.29	L-Jul.2025	0.8
Food at elementary and secondary schools ^{4, 6, 8}				0.10	—	—
Food from vending machines and mobile vendors ^{4, 5}	0.056	1.6	0.001	0.25	L-Mar.2025	2.0
Other food away from home ^{4, 5}	0.245	0.4	0.001	0.10	S-Jul.2025	0.0
Energy.....	6.400	1.5	0.095	0.15	L-Dec.2024	2.4
Energy commodities.....	3.166	3.8	0.116	0.18	L-Dec.2024	3.9
Fuel oil and other fuels.....	0.133	-1.2	-0.002	0.34	S-Apr.2025	-2.6
Fuel oil.....	0.074	0.6	0.000	0.47	L-Jul.2025	1.8
Propane, kerosene, and firewood ⁹	0.059	-1.0	-0.001	0.42	S-Jul.2025	-1.1
Motor fuel.....	3.033	4.0	0.118	0.19	L-Dec.2024	4.0
Gasoline (all types).....	2.949	4.1	0.115	0.19	L-Aug.2023	7.8
Gasoline, unleaded regular ⁶		4.2		0.46	L-Aug.2023	8.1
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ^{6, 10}		3.4		0.43	L-Dec.2024	3.4
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁶		3.1		0.50	L-Dec.2024	3.4
Other motor fuels ^{4, 5}	0.083	0.1	0.000	0.28	L-Jul.2025	4.5
Energy services.....	3.235	-0.7	-0.022	0.26	S-Aug.2024	-0.7
Electricity.....	2.465	-0.5	-0.012	0.30	S-May 2023	-0.8
Utility (piped) gas service.....	0.770	-1.2	-0.009	0.44	L-Jul.2025	-0.9
All items less food and energy.....	79.954	0.2	0.182	0.05	S-Jun.2025	0.2
Commodities less food and energy commodities.....	19.319	0.2	0.042	0.09	S-Jul.2025	0.2
Household furnishings and supplies ¹¹	3.388	0.2	0.007	0.21	L-Jul.2025	0.7
Window and floor coverings and other linens ⁵	0.237	0.4	0.001	0.90	L-Jul.2025	1.2
Floor coverings ^{4, 5}	0.058	1.0	0.001	0.74	L-Jun.2025	2.2
Window coverings ^{4, 5}	0.055	-1.4	-0.001	1.68	S-Oct.2024	-3.5
Other linens ⁵	0.124	-0.5	-0.001	1.18	L-Jul.2025	1.4
Furniture and bedding ⁴	0.791	0.9	0.007	0.41	L-Jul.2025	0.9
Bedroom furniture ⁴	0.253	1.1	0.003	0.62	L-Jul.2025	1.5
Living room, kitchen, and dining room furniture ^{4, 5}	0.389	-0.2	-0.001	0.60	S-May 2025	-0.8
Other furniture ⁵	0.140	1.9	0.003	0.94	L-Oct.2023	3.7
Appliances ⁵	0.221	0.8	0.002	0.68	L-Jun.2025	1.9
Major appliances ⁵	0.069	0.4	0.000	1.04	L-Jun.2025	1.9
Laundry equipment ^{4, 6}		-0.7		0.76	L-Jun.2025	1.8
Other appliances ⁵	0.149	0.7	0.001	0.87	S-Jul.2025	-0.4
Other household equipment and furnishings ⁵	0.493	-0.2	-0.001	0.53	—	—
Clocks, lamps, and decorator items ⁴	0.289	0.0	0.000	0.60	L-Jun.2025	1.6
Indoor plants and flowers ¹²	0.114	-1.4	-0.002	0.89	S-Mar.2025	-2.4
Dishes and flatware ^{4, 5}	0.036	2.8	0.001	1.59	L-Feb.2025	2.8
Nonelectric cookware and tableware ⁵	0.055	1.2	0.001	1.38	L-Jul.2025	2.0

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[1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted]

Expenditure category	Relative importance Aug. 2025	One Month				
		Seasonally adjusted percent change Aug. 2025-Sep. 2025	Seasonally adjusted effect on All Items Aug. 2025-Sep. 2025 ¹	Standard error, median price change ²	Largest (L) or Smallest (S) seasonally adjusted change since: ³	
					Date	Percent change
Tools, hardware, outdoor equipment and supplies ^{4, 5} ...	0.853	-0.3	-0.003	0.38	S-Mar.2025	-0.4
Tools, hardware and supplies ⁵	0.246	-1.0	-0.002	0.59	S-Sep.2024	-1.3
Outdoor equipment and supplies ^{4, 5}	0.367	-0.7	-0.002	0.53	S-Apr.2025	-0.7
Housekeeping supplies ⁴	0.793	0.8	0.006	0.26	L-Jun.2025	0.8
Household cleaning products ^{4, 5}	0.293	0.4	0.001	0.42	—	—
Household paper products ^{4, 5}	0.178	1.0	0.002	0.34	S-Jul.2025	-0.4
Miscellaneous household products ^{4, 5}	0.321	1.1	0.003	0.39	L-Jun.2025	1.1
Apparel.....	2.504	0.7	0.018	0.34	L-Sep.2024	1.0
Men's and boys' apparel.....	0.654	1.5	0.010	0.50	L-Nov.2021	1.5
Men's apparel.....	0.529	1.5	0.008	0.61	L-Nov.2021	1.6
Men's suits, sport coats, and outerwear.....	0.087	-2.1	-0.002	1.98	S-Jul.2025	-2.6
Men's underwear, nightwear, swimwear, and accessories.....	0.138	1.8	0.002	0.78	L-Mar.2025	2.1
Men's shirts and sweaters ⁵	0.151	1.3	0.002	1.04	—	—
Men's pants and shorts.....	0.137	1.9	0.003	1.12	S-Jul.2025	-2.0
Boys' apparel.....	0.125	2.6	0.003	0.96	L-Aug.2024	3.0
Women's and girls' apparel.....	0.979	0.4	0.004	0.61	L-Jun.2025	0.5
Women's apparel.....	0.869	0.3	0.003	0.66	L-Jun.2025	0.7
Women's outerwear.....	0.079	-0.8	-0.001	2.56	S-Jun.2025	-3.3
Women's dresses.....	0.136	-3.0	-0.004	1.89	S-Jan.2025	-4.3
Women's suits and separates ⁵	0.350	0.8	0.003	0.86	S-Jul.2025	-1.7
Women's underwear, nightwear, swimwear, and accessories ⁵	0.293	0.1	0.000	0.89	L-Jul.2025	0.3
Girls' apparel.....	0.110	1.4	0.002	1.29	L-Feb.2025	3.6
Footwear.....	0.576	0.9	0.005	0.48	L-Jul.2025	1.4
Men's footwear.....	0.196	1.2	0.002	0.82	L-Jul.2025	1.4
Boys' and girls' footwear ⁴	0.111	1.1	0.001	0.86	S-Jul.2025	0.7
Women's footwear.....	0.269	1.5	0.004	0.74	L-Sep.2024	1.5
Infants' and toddlers' apparel.....	0.103	-0.3	0.000	0.97	S-May 2025	-1.9
Jewelry and watches ⁹	0.191	-0.5	-0.001	1.56	S-May 2025	-1.4
Watches ^{4, 9}	0.041	3.2	0.001	1.47	L-Oct.2024	3.3
Jewelry ⁹	0.150	-2.8	-0.004	2.00	S-Jan.2025	-4.2
Transportation commodities less motor fuel ¹¹	7.247	0.0	0.001	0.03	S-Jun.2025	-0.4
New vehicles.....	4.307	0.2	0.010	0.01	S-Jul.2025	0.0
New cars ⁶		0.1		0.06	S-Jul.2025	0.0
New trucks ^{6, 13}		0.2		0.03	S-Jul.2025	0.0
Used cars and trucks.....	2.440	-0.4	-0.010	0.03	S-Jun.2025	-0.7
Motor vehicle parts and equipment ⁴	0.364	0.5	0.002	0.36	S-Apr.2025	-0.1
Tires ⁴	0.299	0.6	0.002	0.40	L-Jul.2025	1.0
Vehicle accessories other than tires ^{4, 5}	0.065	-0.2	0.000	0.62	S-Jun.2025	-0.8
Vehicle parts and equipment other than tires ^{4, 6} ...		0.7		0.78	S-Jul.2025	0.3
Motor oil, coolant, and fluids ^{4, 6}		-1.4		0.63	S-Jun.2025	-2.2
Medical care commodities ⁴	1.503	-0.1	-0.001	0.28	L-Jul.2025	0.1
Medicinal drugs ^{4, 11}	1.323	0.0	0.000	0.30	L-Jun.2025	0.1
Prescription drugs ⁴	0.914	0.3	0.003	0.26	L-Jun.2025	0.4
Nonprescription drugs ¹¹	0.409	0.0	0.000	0.63	L-Apr.2025	0.3
Medical equipment and supplies ^{4, 11}	0.180	-0.6	-0.001	0.53	S-Jan.2025	-0.6
Recreation commodities ¹¹	1.830	0.4	0.006	0.24	L-Jul.2025	0.4
Video and audio products ¹¹	0.254	-0.1	0.000	0.36	S-Mar.2025	-0.3
Televisions.....	0.086	-1.1	-0.001	0.61	S-Apr.2025	-2.1
Other video equipment ⁵	0.028	0.3	0.000	1.17	L-Jun.2025	4.5
Audio equipment ⁴	0.060	0.8	0.001	0.87	L-Jul.2025	2.2
Recorded music and music subscriptions ^{4, 5}	0.074	0.1	0.000	0.66	S-Jun.2025	-0.2

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Table 6. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, by expenditure category, September 2025, 1-month analysis table — Continued
[1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted]

Expenditure category	Relative importance Aug. 2025	One Month				
		Seasonally adjusted percent change Aug. 2025-Sep. 2025	Seasonally adjusted effect on All Items Aug. 2025-Sep. 2025 ¹	Standard error, median price change ²	Largest (L) or Smallest (S) seasonally adjusted change since: ³	
					Date	Percent change
Pets and pet products ⁴	0.621	0.3	0.002	0.34	L-Jul.2025	0.5
Pet food and treats ^{4, 5, 6}		0.0		0.37	L-Jul.2025	0.5
Purchase of pets, pet supplies, accessories ^{4, 5, 6}		1.0		0.75	L-Apr.2025	1.2
Sporting goods ⁴	0.468	1.0	0.005	0.50	L-Jun.2025	1.4
Sports vehicles including bicycles ⁴	0.234	1.5	0.003	0.74	L-Apr.2025	1.8
Sports equipment ⁴	0.219	0.5	0.001	0.52	L-Jun.2025	1.8
Photographic equipment and supplies.....	0.020	0.4	0.000	0.68	S-Mar.2025	-0.8
Photographic equipment ^{4, 5, 6}		0.0		1.03	S-Mar.2025	-1.0
Recreational reading materials ⁴	0.099	-0.4	0.000	1.41	S-Jun.2025	-1.0
Newspapers and magazines ^{4, 5}	0.054	0.0	0.000	1.46	L-Jul.2025	1.0
Recreational books ^{4, 5}	0.045	-1.0	0.000	2.14	S-Jul.2025	-1.9
Other recreational goods ⁵	0.367	0.1	0.000	0.53	L-Jul.2025	0.3
Toys.....	0.288	-0.1	0.000	0.65	L-Jul.2025	0.2
Toys, games, hobbies and playground equipment ^{5, 6}		0.3		0.90	L-Jul.2025	0.6
Sewing machines, fabric and supplies ^{4, 5}	0.021	1.1	0.000	1.12	S-Jun.2025	-3.7
Music instruments and accessories ^{4, 5}	0.043	1.0	0.000	0.71	S-Jul.2025	0.0
Education and communication commodities ¹¹	0.732	-0.8	-0.006	0.64	S-Jul.2025	-1.3
Educational books and supplies ⁴	0.041	-0.7	0.000	0.88	S-Dec.2024	-0.8
College textbooks ^{4, 6, 14}		-0.9		1.17	S-Dec.2024	-1.1
Information technology commodities ¹¹	0.691	-0.8	-0.006	0.70	S-Jul.2025	-1.4
Computers, peripherals, and smart home assistants ^{4, 7}	0.264	0.2	0.001	0.83	L-Jun.2025	1.4
Computer software and accessories ^{4, 5}	0.026	-1.9	-0.001	1.62	L-Jun.2025	-0.2
Telephone hardware, calculators, and other consumer information items ⁵	0.401	-1.4	-0.006	0.88	S-Jul.2025	-1.4
Smartphones ^{4, 6, 15}		-2.2		0.93	S-Nov.2024	-3.7
Alcoholic beverages ⁴	0.828	0.2	0.002	0.14	S-Jul.2025	0.1
Alcoholic beverages at home.....	0.441	0.0	0.000	0.18	S-Jun.2025	-0.2
Beer, ale, and other malt beverages at home ⁴	0.151	0.2	0.000	0.24	S-Jul.2025	0.2
Distilled spirits at home ⁴	0.102	0.3	0.000	0.36	S-Jun.2025	-0.2
Whiskey at home ^{4, 6}		0.6		0.66	L-Mar.2025	0.6
Distilled spirits, excluding whiskey, at home ^{4, 6}		0.3		0.50	S-Jun.2025	-0.2
Wine at home.....	0.188	-0.2	0.000	0.29	S-Jul.2025	-0.3
Alcoholic beverages away from home ⁴	0.386	0.3	0.001	0.20	S-Jul.2025	0.2
Beer, ale, and other malt beverages away from home ^{4, 5, 6}		0.4		0.21	S-Jul.2025	0.3
Wine away from home ^{4, 5, 6}		0.1		0.20	L-Jul.2025	0.1
Distilled spirits away from home ^{4, 5, 6}		0.1		0.25	—	—
Other goods ¹¹	1.287	0.8	0.010	0.24	L-Feb.2025	0.8
Tobacco and smoking products ⁴	0.491	0.6	0.003	0.22	S-Jul.2025	0.3
Cigarettes ^{4, 5}	0.371	0.4	0.002	0.25	S-Jun.2025	0.3
Tobacco products other than cigarettes ^{4, 5}	0.114	1.2	0.001	0.70	L-Jun.2025	1.3
Personal care products ⁴	0.643	0.7	0.005	0.37	L-Feb.2025	0.9
Hair, dental, shaving, and miscellaneous personal care products ^{4, 5}	0.286	1.0	0.003	0.43	L-Feb.2025	1.6
Cosmetics, perfume, bath, nail preparations and implements ⁴	0.347	0.5	0.002	0.58	L-Jun.2025	0.9
Miscellaneous personal goods ⁵	0.153	1.4	0.002	0.76	L-Feb.2025	1.4
Stationery, stationery supplies, gift wrap ⁶		2.1		0.74	L-Jul.2024	2.1
Services less energy services.....	60.635	0.2	0.145	0.07	S-May 2025	0.2
Shelter.....	35.471	0.2	0.073	0.09	S-Jul.2025	0.2
Rent of shelter ¹⁶	35.049	0.2	0.073	0.09	S-Jul.2025	0.2
Rent of primary residence.....	7.456	0.2	0.015	0.04	S-Jun.2025	0.2

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Table 6. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, by expenditure category, September 2025, 1-month analysis table — Continued
[1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted]

Expenditure category	Relative importance Aug. 2025	One Month				
		Seasonally adjusted percent change Aug. 2025-Sep. 2025	Seasonally adjusted effect on All Items Aug. 2025-Sep. 2025 ¹	Standard error, median price change ²	Largest (L) or Smallest (S) seasonally adjusted change since: ³	
					Date	Percent change
Lodging away from home ⁵	1.363	1.3	0.018	1.69	S-Jul.2025	-1.0
Housing at school, excluding board ¹⁶	0.243	-0.1	0.000	0.07	S-Aug.2020	-0.2
Other lodging away from home including hotels and motels.....	1.119	1.7	0.018	2.00	S-Jul.2025	-1.3
Owners' equivalent rent of residences ¹⁶	26.231	0.1	0.036	0.05	S-Jan.2021	0.1
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence ¹⁶ ..	25.034	0.1	0.034	0.05	S-Jan.2021	0.1
Tenants' and household insurance ^{4, 5}	0.422	1.2	0.005	0.23	L-May 2014	1.2
Water and sewer and trash collection services ⁵	1.089	0.1	0.002	0.11	S-Dec.2024	0.1
Water and sewerage maintenance ⁴	0.742	0.4	0.003	0.13	L-Jun.2025	0.4
Garbage and trash collection ^{4, 13}	0.347	-0.5	-0.002	0.15	S-Jan.2019	-2.1
Household operations ^{4, 5}						
Domestic services ^{4, 5}						
Gardening and lawncare services ^{4, 5}	0.361		0.013	0.30	—	—
Moving, storage, freight expense ⁵	0.125	1.3	0.002	0.61	L-Oct.2024	2.5
Repair of household items ^{4, 5}						
Medical care services.....	6.765	0.3	0.019	0.17	L-Jul.2025	0.8
Professional services.....	3.680	-0.4	-0.013	0.21	S-Apr.2017	-0.6
Physicians' services ⁴	1.805	-0.1	-0.002	0.36	S-May 2025	-0.3
Dental services.....	0.949	-0.6	-0.005	0.24	L-Jul.2025	2.6
Eyeglasses and eye care ^{4, 9}	0.333	0.3	0.001	0.28	S-Jul.2025	0.2
Services by other medical professionals ^{4, 9}						
Hospital and related services ⁴	2.287	0.8	0.018	0.25	L-Mar.2025	1.3
Hospital services ^{4, 17}	1.965	0.3	0.006	0.26	L-Jul.2025	0.5
Inpatient hospital services ^{4, 6, 17}				0.34	—	—
Outpatient hospital services ^{4, 6, 9}		0.0		0.26	S-Jul.2024	-1.9
Nursing homes and adult day services ¹⁷	0.167	0.3	0.000	0.19	—	—
Care of invalids and elderly at home ^{4, 8}	0.155	7.0	0.011	0.53	L-EVER	—
Health insurance ^{4, 8}	0.797	0.3	0.002	0.19	L-Jul.2025	0.4
Transportation services.....	6.243	0.3	0.018	0.21	S-Jun.2025	0.2
Leased cars and trucks ^{4, 14}	0.382	-0.6	-0.002	0.63	S-May 2023	-1.6
Car and truck rental ⁵	0.135	0.3	0.000	1.18	L-Jun.2025	3.2
Motor vehicle maintenance and repair ⁴	1.052	0.2	0.002	0.26	S-Jun.2025	0.2
Motor vehicle body work ⁴	0.054		-0.001	0.20	—	—
Motor vehicle maintenance and servicing ⁴	0.508	0.8	0.004	0.30	L-Jul.2025	1.2
Motor vehicle repair ^{4, 5}	0.426	-0.3	-0.001	0.48	S-Dec.2024	-0.6
Motor vehicle insurance.....	2.804	-0.4	-0.012	0.31	S-Mar.2025	-0.8
Motor vehicle fees ^{4, 5}	0.491	1.1	0.005	0.24	L-Jan.2025	2.6
State motor vehicle registration and license fees ^{4, 5}	0.278	0.1	0.000	0.09	L-Jul.2025	0.3
Parking and other fees ^{4, 5}	0.200	2.6	0.005	0.53	L-Jan.2025	6.4
Parking fees and tolls ^{5, 6}		-0.1		0.34	—	—
Public transportation.....	1.379	1.6	0.023	0.55	S-Jun.2025	0.4
Airline fares.....	0.855	2.7	0.024	0.77	S-Jun.2025	-0.1
Other intercity transportation.....	0.208	-1.7	-0.003	1.03	S-Feb.2025	-3.0
Ship fare ^{4, 5, 6}		-1.9		1.04	S-Jun.2025	-3.3
Intracity transportation ⁴	0.311	1.1	0.003	0.62	L-Mar.2024	1.2
Intracity mass transit ^{4, 6, 11}		-0.1		0.09	S-Apr.2025	-0.1
Recreation services ¹¹	3.439	0.4	0.014	0.22	L-Jul.2025	0.4
Video and audio services ¹¹	0.804	0.3	0.002	0.24	L-May 2025	0.5
Cable, satellite, and live streaming television service ¹³	0.650	0.2	0.001	0.20	L-Jun.2025	0.4
Purchase, subscription, and rental of video ^{4, 5}	0.154	0.4	0.001	0.99	L-Jul.2025	0.4
Video discs and other media ^{4, 5, 6}		2.2		1.92	L-Jan.2025	7.1

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Table 6. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, by expenditure category, September 2025, 1-month analysis table — Continued
[1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted]

Expenditure category	Relative importance Aug. 2025	One Month				
		Seasonally adjusted percent change Aug. 2025- Sep. 2025	Seasonally adjusted effect on All Items Aug. 2025- Sep. 2025 ¹	Standard error, median price change ²	Largest (L) or Smallest (S) seasonally adjusted change since: ³	
					Date	Percent change
Subscription and rental of video and video games ^{4, 5, 6}		0.4		0.47	L-Jul.2025	0.4
Pet services including veterinary ⁵	0.538	1.3	0.007	0.32	L-Mar.2024	1.5
Pet services ^{5, 6}		0.2		0.50	—	—
Veterinarian services ^{4, 5, 6}		1.4		0.63	L-Feb.2025	2.3
Photographers and photo processing ^{4, 5}	0.053	0.2	0.000	0.41	L-Jul.2025	0.9
Other recreation services ⁵	2.044	0.2	0.005	0.38	L-Jul.2025	0.7
Club membership for shopping clubs, fraternal, or other organizations, or participant sports fees ⁵	0.807	0.5	0.004	0.17	L-Jan.2025	0.8
Admissions ⁴	0.740	0.3	0.002	0.71	L-Jul.2025	1.5
Admission to movies, theaters, and concerts ^{4, 5, 6}		-0.7		0.55	L-Jul.2025	0.8
Admission to sporting events ^{4, 5, 6}		3.7		1.75	L-Feb.2025	7.2
Fees for lessons or instructions ^{4, 9}	0.168	0.0	0.000	0.34	S-Apr.2025	-1.2
Education and communication services ¹¹	4.907	0.1	0.004	0.08	—	—
Tuition, other school fees, and childcare.....	2.525	0.2	0.006	0.06	—	—
College tuition and fees.....	1.302	-0.1	-0.001	0.08	—	—
Elementary and high school tuition and fees.....	0.392	0.5	0.002	0.09	S-Jul.2025	0.0
Day care and preschool ^{4, 12}	0.727	1.7	0.013	0.14	L-Sep.2023	1.7
Technical and business school tuition and fees ⁵	0.039	0.0	0.000	0.07	S-Jun.2025	-0.1
Postage and delivery services ⁵	0.053	-0.5	0.000	0.07	S-Feb.2025	-2.7
Postage.....	0.051	-0.5	0.000	0.00	S-Feb.2025	-2.9
Delivery services ⁵	0.002	-0.2	0.000	0.33	S-Jan.2025	-0.6
Telephone services ^{4, 5}	1.394	0.0	0.000	0.06	L-Apr.2025	0.0
Wireless telephone services ^{4, 5}	1.226	0.0	0.000	0.06	L-Jul.2025	0.0
Residential telephone services ^{4, 11}	0.169	-0.2	0.000	0.30	L-Jun.2025	0.7
Internet services and electronic information providers ^{4, 5}	0.926	-0.1	-0.001	0.23	S-May 2025	-0.1
Other personal services ^{4, 11}	1.657	0.2	0.003	0.16	L-Jul.2025	0.5
Personal care services ⁴	0.660	0.9	0.006	0.24	L-Apr.2024	1.2
Haircuts and other personal care services ^{4, 5}	0.660	0.9	0.006	0.24	L-Apr.2024	1.2
Miscellaneous personal services ⁴	0.997	-0.3	-0.003	0.15	S-Jan.2025	-1.2
Legal services ^{4, 9}						
Funeral expenses ^{4, 9}	0.139	0.4	0.001	0.24	L-Mar.2025	0.7
Laundry and dry cleaning services ^{4, 5}	0.166	0.3	0.000	0.27	S-Jul.2025	0.3
Apparel services other than laundry and dry cleaning ^{4, 5}	0.027	0.8	0.000	0.68	S-May 2025	0.7
Financial services ^{4, 9}	0.251	-1.5	-0.004	0.42	S-Jan.2025	-4.7
Checking account and other bank services ^{4, 5, 6}		0.2		0.00	L-Jul.2025	0.4
Tax return preparation and other accounting fees ^{4, 5, 6}		-2.0		0.96	S-May 2025	-2.3
Special aggregate indexes						
All items less food.....	86.354	0.3	0.277	0.05	S-Jul.2025	0.2
All items less shelter.....	64.529	0.4	0.237	0.05	—	—
All items less food and shelter.....	50.883	0.4	0.204	0.05	L-Jun.2025	0.4
All items less food, shelter, and energy.....	44.483	0.2	0.109	0.06	S-May 2025	0.0
All items less food, shelter, energy, and used cars and trucks.....	42.043	0.3	0.119	0.06	L-Jul.2025	0.4
All items less medical care.....	91.732	0.3	0.293	0.05	S-Jul.2025	0.2
All items less energy.....	93.600	0.2	0.216	0.05	S-Jun.2025	0.2
Commodities.....	36.130	0.5	0.193	0.05	—	—

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Table 6. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, by expenditure category, September 2025, 1-month analysis table — Continued
[1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted]

Expenditure category	Relative importance Aug. 2025	One Month				
		Seasonally adjusted percent change Aug. 2025-Sep. 2025	Seasonally adjusted effect on All Items Aug. 2025-Sep. 2025 ¹	Standard error, median price change ²	Largest (L) or Smallest (S) seasonally adjusted change since: ³	
					Date	Percent change
Commodities less food, energy, and used cars and trucks.....	16.878	0.3	0.052	0.10	L-Jun.2025	0.3
Commodities less food.....	22.484	0.7	0.159	0.07	L-Aug.2023	0.9
Commodities less food and beverages.....	21.656	0.7	0.157	0.07	L-Aug.2023	0.9
Services.....	63.870	0.2	0.123	0.07	S-May 2025	0.2
Services less rent of shelter ¹⁶	28.821	0.2	0.056	0.07	L-Jul.2025	0.3
Services less medical care services.....	57.105	0.1	0.085	0.07	S-Aug.2021	0.1
Durables.....	10.939	0.3	0.035	0.09	S-Jun.2025	0.1
Nondurables.....	25.191	1.0	0.257	0.07	L-Aug.2023	1.3
Nondurables less food.....	11.545	1.8	0.210	0.11	L-Aug.2023	2.2
Nondurables less food and beverages.....	10.718	2.0	0.207	0.12	L-Aug.2023	2.3
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel.....	8.214	2.7	0.216	0.11	L-Aug.2023	2.8
Nondurables less food and apparel.....	9.042	2.5	0.218	0.10	L-Aug.2023	2.6
Housing.....	44.380	0.2	0.070	0.08	S-Jul.2025	0.2
Education and communication ⁵	5.639	0.0	-0.001	0.12	—	—
Education ⁵	2.566	0.2	0.005	0.06	—	—
Communication ⁵	3.073	-0.2	-0.007	0.17	S-Jul.2025	-0.3
Information and information processing ⁵	3.020	-0.2	-0.007	0.18	S-Jul.2025	-0.4
Information technology, hardware and services ¹⁸	1.625	-0.4	-0.006	0.33	S-Jul.2025	-0.6
Recreation ⁵	5.269	0.4	0.020	0.19	L-Jul.2025	0.4
Video and audio ⁵	1.057	0.2	0.002	0.21	L-Jun.2025	0.4
Pets, pet products and services ⁵	1.159	0.8	0.009	0.25	L-Mar.2024	0.8
Photography ⁵	0.074	0.2	0.000	0.53	L-Jul.2025	1.0
Food and beverages.....	14.474	0.2	0.036	0.07	S-Jul.2025	0.0
Domestically produced farm food ⁴	6.730	0.4	0.030	0.14	—	—
Other services.....	10.003	0.2	0.021	0.10	L-Jul.2025	0.3
Apparel less footwear.....	1.928	0.7	0.013	0.41	S-Jul.2025	-0.3
Fuels and utilities.....	4.457	-0.5	-0.022	0.19	S-Aug.2024	-0.5
Household energy.....	3.367	-0.7	-0.023	0.25	S-Aug.2024	-0.7
Medical care.....	8.268	0.2	0.018	0.14	L-Jul.2025	0.7
Transportation.....	16.523	0.8	0.136	0.10	S-Jul.2025	0.0
Private transportation.....	15.144	0.8	0.113	0.10	L-Jan.2025	1.2
New and used motor vehicles ⁵	7.401	0.0	-0.003	0.06	S-Jun.2025	-0.4
Utilities and public transportation.....	7.747	0.0	-0.002	0.15	S-Jul.2025	0.0
Household furnishings and operations.....	4.452	0.4	0.019	0.17	L-Jul.2025	0.4
Other goods and services.....	2.944	0.5	0.014	0.15	L-May 2025	0.5
Personal care.....	2.453	0.4	0.011	0.15	L-Jul.2025	0.4

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.

Table 7. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, by expenditure category, September 2025, 12-month analysis table
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Expenditure category	Relative importance Aug. 2025	Twelve Month				
		Unadjusted percent change Sep. 2024- Sep. 2025	Unadjusted effect on All Items Sep. 2024- Sep. 2025 ¹	Standard error, median price change ²	Largest (L) or Smallest (S) unadjusted change since: ³	
					Date	Percent change
All items.....	100.000	3.0		0.11	L-Jan.2025	3.0
Food.....	13.646	3.1	0.423	0.13	S-Jul.2025	2.9
Food at home.....	7.993	2.7	0.216	0.18	—	—
Cereals and bakery products.....	1.091	1.6	0.018	0.43	L-Feb.2024	1.7
Cereals and cereal products.....	0.326	-0.8	-0.003	0.77	L-Jun.2025	-0.5
Flour and prepared flour mixes.....	0.030	1.1	0.000	1.21	L-Jun.2025	1.7
Breakfast cereal.....	0.141	0.4	0.000	1.66	L-Jun.2025	0.6
Rice, pasta, cornmeal.....	0.155	-1.5	-0.003	0.82	S-Jul.2025	-1.5
Rice ^{4, 5}		-1.7		1.28	S-Apr.2025	-2.7
Bakery products.....	0.765	2.7	0.021	0.48	L-Dec.2023	3.6
Bread ⁴	0.139	1.8	0.003	0.75	L-Apr.2025	1.9
White bread ⁵		1.1		1.19	L-Apr.2025	1.6
Bread other than white ⁵		2.5		1.00	S-Jul.2025	2.3
Fresh biscuits, rolls, muffins ⁴	0.134	3.9	0.005	1.27	L-Dec.2023	4.1
Cakes, cupcakes, and cookies.....	0.213	2.2	0.005	0.86	S-Jun.2025	2.1
Cookies ⁵		1.7		1.10	S-Jun.2025	1.4
Fresh cakes and cupcakes ⁵		3.7		1.16	L-Dec.2023	3.8
Other bakery products.....	0.279	2.6	0.008	0.94	L-Feb.2024	3.4
Fresh sweetrolls, coffeecakes, doughnuts ⁵		5.5		1.74	L-May 2025	5.9
Crackers, bread, and cracker products ⁵		2.1		1.63	L-Oct.2024	2.4
Frozen and refrigerated bakery products, pies, tarts, turnovers ⁵		0.4		1.11	L-Mar.2025	0.5
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs.....	1.644	5.2	0.084	0.38	S-Jul.2025	5.2
Meats, poultry, and fish.....	1.490	6.0	0.087	0.37	L-Sep.2022	7.7
Meats.....	0.961	8.5	0.078	0.47	L-May 2022	12.3
Beef and veal.....	0.491	14.7	0.065	0.69	L-Mar.2022	16.0
Uncooked ground beef.....	0.220	12.9	0.026	1.04	L-May 2022	13.6
Uncooked beef roasts ⁴	0.062	18.4	0.010	1.53	L-Feb.2022	18.6
Uncooked beef steaks ⁴	0.144	16.6	0.021	1.11	—	—
Uncooked other beef and veal ⁴	0.065	12.4	0.007	1.34	L-Apr.2022	18.9
Pork.....	0.288	1.6	0.004	0.95	L-Mar.2025	2.9
Bacon, breakfast sausage, and related products ⁴	0.105	3.5	0.003	1.41	S-Jul.2025	2.9
Bacon and related products ⁵		5.8		1.89	S-Jul.2025	4.6
Breakfast sausage and related products ^{4, 5}		0.0		1.76	S-Apr.2025	-1.1
Ham.....	0.042	0.1	0.000	1.90	L-Jul.2025	1.8
Ham, excluding canned ⁵		-0.2		1.97	L-Jul.2025	1.7
Pork chops.....	0.049	0.3	0.000	2.08	L-Apr.2025	0.6
Other pork including roasts, steaks, and ribs ⁴	0.092	0.5	0.001	2.05	L-Mar.2025	1.0
Other meats.....	0.183	4.6	0.009	0.88	L-May 2023	5.0
Frankfurters ⁵		1.5		2.78	L-Jun.2025	2.3
Lunchmeats ^{4, 5}		4.1		1.11	L-Jul.2023	4.4
Poultry.....	0.287	1.4	0.004	0.80	S-Mar.2025	0.9
Chicken ⁴	0.216	1.5	0.003	0.85	S-Mar.2025	1.3
Fresh whole chicken ⁵		0.1		1.48	L-Jul.2025	1.6
Fresh and frozen chicken parts ⁵		2.2		1.08	S-Mar.2025	1.4
Other uncooked poultry including turkey ⁴	0.071	0.6	0.001	1.96	L-Jul.2025	1.6
Fish and seafood.....	0.242	2.1	0.005	0.81	S-Jul.2025	1.7
Fresh fish and seafood ⁴	0.140	3.0	0.004	1.17	L-Feb.2023	4.0
Processed fish and seafood ⁴	0.102	1.0	0.001	1.10	S-Jul.2025	1.0
Shelf stable fish and seafood ⁵		-3.0		1.78	S-Apr.2017	-4.7
Frozen fish and seafood ⁵		6.6		1.93	S-Jul.2025	5.0
Eggs.....	0.154	-1.3	-0.003	1.83	S-Apr.2024	-9.0

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Expenditure category	Relative importance Aug. 2025	Twelve Month				
		Unadjusted percent change Sep. 2024- Sep. 2025	Unadjusted effect on All Items Sep. 2024- Sep. 2025 ¹	Standard error, median price change ²	Largest (L) or Smallest (S) unadjusted change since: ³	
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Dairy and related products.....	0.726	0.7	0.005	0.45	S-Sep.2024	0.5
Milk ⁴	0.195	2.1	0.004	0.70	L-Jul.2025	2.6
Fresh whole milk ⁵		1.1		0.75	L-Jul.2025	2.0
Fresh milk other than whole ^{4, 5}		2.6		0.86	L-Jul.2025	2.9
Cheese and related products.....	0.251	1.1	0.003	0.86	S-Feb.2025	0.0
Ice cream and related products.....	0.128	-0.7	-0.001	1.19	S-Apr.2025	-2.8
Other dairy and related products ⁴	0.152	0.2	0.000	0.80	S-Jun.2025	-1.2
Fruits and vegetables.....	1.311	1.3	0.017	0.48	S-Jul.2025	0.2
Fresh fruits and vegetables.....	1.090	1.2	0.013	0.60	S-Jul.2025	0.3
Fresh fruits.....	0.543	-0.2	-0.001	0.84	S-Dec.2024	-0.2
Apples.....	0.085	5.3	0.004	1.37	S-Mar.2025	4.6
Bananas.....	0.113	6.9	0.008	1.14	L-Sep.2022	7.3
Citrus fruits ⁴	0.065	0.8	-0.004	1.56	S-Jun.2025	0.7
Oranges, including tangerines ⁵		3.0		2.38	S-May 2025	-0.2
Other fresh fruits ⁴	0.280	-2.3	-0.009	1.75	S-Apr.2023	-3.4
Fresh vegetables.....	0.547	2.8	0.014	0.83	S-Jul.2025	-0.8
Potatoes.....	0.087	3.7	0.004	1.54	L-Jul.2023	4.4
Lettuce.....	0.069	4.2	0.003	2.36	L-Dec.2024	4.4
Tomatoes.....	0.089	1.1	0.000	1.81	L-Dec.2024	1.6
Other fresh vegetables.....	0.302	2.7	0.007	1.17	S-Jul.2025	0.3
Processed fruits and vegetables ⁴	0.221	2.5	0.004	0.63	L-Apr.2024	2.9
Canned fruits and vegetables ⁴	0.091	5.0	0.003	0.81	L-Jul.2023	7.0
Canned fruits ^{4, 5}		4.8		1.45	L-Jul.2023	7.7
Canned vegetables ^{4, 5}		4.9		0.87	L-Aug.2023	4.9
Frozen fruits and vegetables ⁴	0.066	0.8	0.000	1.54	L-Mar.2025	0.9
Frozen vegetables ⁵		-0.7		1.67	L-Mar.2025	-0.2
Other processed fruits and vegetables including dried ⁴	0.064	1.3	0.001	1.26	L-Jul.2025	1.8
Dried beans, peas, and lentils ^{4, 5}		1.9		2.29	L-Jul.2025	3.7
Nonalcoholic beverages and beverage materials.....	0.908	5.3	0.048	0.62	L-Jul.2023	5.4
Juices and nonalcoholic drinks ⁴	0.623	3.1	0.020	0.83	L-Nov.2024	3.1
Carbonated drinks.....	0.346	3.6	0.013	1.28	L-Jul.2024	3.9
Frozen noncarbonated juices and drinks ⁴	0.004	9.6	0.000	3.05	L-Dec.2024	12.5
Nonfrozen noncarbonated juices and drinks ⁴	0.274	1.8	0.007	0.98	L-Jun.2025	2.4
Beverage materials including coffee and tea ⁴	0.285	10.6	0.028	0.99	S-Jul.2025	8.6
Coffee.....	0.153	18.9	0.026	1.16	S-Jul.2025	14.5
Roasted coffee ⁵		18.9		1.42	S-Jul.2025	14.8
Instant coffee ⁵		21.7		1.82	L-Jun.1995	28.9
Other beverage materials including tea ⁴	0.132	1.7	0.002	1.58	S-Jun.2025	1.5
Other food at home.....	2.313	1.9	0.044	0.34	L-Feb.2024	2.3
Sugar and sweets.....	0.337	6.7	0.021	0.77	L-Aug.2023	8.0
Sugar and sugar substitutes.....	0.028	2.9	0.000	1.19	L-Jun.2025	3.1
Candy and chewing gum ⁴	0.237	9.8	0.020	1.11	L-Jul.2023	11.1
Other sweets ⁴	0.072	0.4	0.000	1.18	L-Jan.2025	1.9
Fats and oils.....	0.243	-1.7	-0.004	0.86	S-Jul.2025	-2.3
Butter and margarine ⁴	0.054	-2.0	-0.002	1.15	S-Mar.2024	-2.1
Butter ⁵		-1.8		1.57	S-Dec.2023	-2.9
Margarine ⁵		1.4		1.72	S-Jun.2025	1.0
Salad dressing ⁴	0.065	1.1	0.001	1.73	S-Jul.2025	-0.1
Other fats and oils including peanut butter ⁴	0.123	-2.8	-0.003	1.46	L-Jun.2025	-1.5
Peanut butter ^{4, 5}		-1.2		1.63	L-Jul.2025	-1.0
Other foods.....	1.733	1.5	0.027	0.40	L-Feb.2024	1.9
Soups.....	0.111	2.1	0.003	1.56	S-Jul.2025	0.7
Frozen and freeze dried prepared foods.....	0.268	1.1	0.003	0.92	L-Jul.2025	1.1

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Snacks.....	0.362	2.0	0.008	1.04	L-Dec.2023	2.0
Spices, seasonings, condiments, sauces.....	0.387	1.2	0.006	0.76	S-Apr.2025	0.3
Salt and other seasonings and spices ^{4, 5}		0.8		1.23	L-Jun.2025	1.7
Olives, pickles, relishes ^{4, 5}		0.3		1.79	S-Dec.2019	-1.1
Sauces and gravies ^{4, 5}		0.5		1.26	S-May 2025	0.2
Other condiments ⁵		7.8		2.48	S-Mar.2025	5.3
Baby food and formula ⁴	0.059	0.6	0.000	1.47	L-Jul.2025	1.0
Other miscellaneous foods ⁴	0.547	1.4	0.008	0.80	L-May 2025	1.4
Prepared salads ^{5, 6}		3.3		1.20	S-Jul.2025	2.9
Food away from home.....	5.653	3.7	0.207	0.17	S-Feb.2025	3.7
Full service meals and snacks ⁴	2.451	4.2	0.102	0.27	S-Jun.2025	4.0
Limited service meals and snacks ⁴	2.828	3.2	0.087	0.24	—	—
Food at employee sites and schools ⁴	0.073	3.8	0.003	1.01	S-Apr.2025	3.7
Food at elementary and secondary schools ^{5, 7}		1.4		0.76	S-Aug.2024	1.4
Food from vending machines and mobile vendors ⁴	0.056	6.3	0.003	1.42	L-Apr.2025	6.5
Other food away from home ⁴	0.245	5.3	0.013	0.55	S-Jul.2025	4.4
Energy.....	6.400	2.8	0.176	0.46	L-May 2024	3.7
Energy commodities.....	3.166	-0.4	-0.022	0.39	L-May 2024	2.2
Fuel oil and other fuels.....	0.133	0.5	0.001	1.05	L-Jul.2024	1.0
Fuel oil.....	0.074	4.1	0.003	1.00	L-Feb.2023	9.2
Propane, kerosene, and firewood ⁸	0.059	-3.9	-0.002	1.38	S-Apr.2025	-5.6
Motor fuel.....	3.033	-0.4	-0.023	0.40	L-Jan.2025	-0.4
Gasoline (all types).....	2.949	-0.5	-0.026	0.41	L-Jan.2025	-0.2
Gasoline, unleaded regular ⁵		-0.7		0.86	L-Jan.2025	-0.2
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade ^{5, 9}		-0.1		0.91	L-Jan.2025	0.0
Gasoline, unleaded premium ⁵		0.5		0.97	L-May 2024	3.1
Other motor fuels ⁴	0.083	3.3	0.002	0.56	L-Feb.2023	16.5
Energy services.....	3.235	6.4	0.198	0.88	S-Apr.2025	6.2
Electricity.....	2.465	5.1	0.120	1.10	S-May 2025	4.5
Utility (piped) gas service.....	0.770	11.7	0.078	0.75	S-Mar.2025	9.4
All items less food and energy.....	79.954	3.0	2.414	0.14	S-Jun.2025	2.9
Commodities less food and energy commodities.....	19.319	1.5	0.315	0.18	—	—
Household furnishings and supplies ¹⁰	3.388	3.0	0.101	0.54	L-Jun.2023	3.2
Window and floor coverings and other linens ⁴	0.237	1.7	0.004	1.92	L-Jul.2025	7.2
Floor coverings ⁴	0.058	2.5	0.001	3.63	L-Jul.2025	3.7
Window coverings ⁴	0.055	0.1	0.000	3.66	S-Apr.2025	0.0
Other linens ⁴	0.124	2.0	0.002	2.65	S-May 2025	-0.3
Furniture and bedding.....	0.791	3.8	0.030	1.14	S-Jul.2025	3.2
Bedroom furniture.....	0.253	1.5	0.003	1.50	L-Feb.2023	1.6
Living room, kitchen, and dining room furniture ⁴	0.389	5.9	0.024	1.50	S-Jun.2025	5.1
Other furniture ⁴	0.140	2.4	0.003	2.57	L-Dec.2022	3.7
Appliances ⁴	0.221	1.3	0.003	1.45	L-Feb.2023	1.6
Major appliances ⁴	0.069	-0.6	0.000	1.76	L-Jul.2025	-0.1
Laundry equipment ⁵		-0.2		2.51	S-Sep.2024	-0.9
Other appliances ⁴	0.149	2.2	0.003	1.95	L-Oct.2023	2.7
Other household equipment and furnishings ⁴	0.493	2.3	0.011	1.14	L-Jun.2025	2.5
Clocks, lamps, and decorator items.....	0.289	2.6	0.007	1.73	L-Jun.2025	4.8
Indoor plants and flowers ¹¹	0.114	4.5	0.005	2.36	S-Jul.2025	1.3
Dishes and flatware ⁴	0.036	-4.4	-0.002	3.61	L-Mar.2024	-3.9
Nonelectric cookware and tableware ⁴	0.055	1.4	0.001	2.83	S-May 2025	-2.3
Tools, hardware, outdoor equipment and supplies ⁴	0.853	4.3	0.036	1.50	L-Sep.2023	6.3
Tools, hardware and supplies ⁴	0.246	6.2	0.014	1.24	L-Jun.2023	6.3
Outdoor equipment and supplies ⁴	0.367	3.0	0.011	2.29	L-Nov.2023	3.7

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Housekeeping supplies.....	0.793	2.1	0.017	0.58	L-Dec.2023	2.8
Household cleaning products ⁴	0.293	0.1	0.000	0.97	L-Jul.2025	0.9
Household paper products ⁴	0.178	5.5	0.009	0.92	L-Oct.2023	6.3
Miscellaneous household products ⁴	0.321	2.2	0.007	0.95	L-Nov.2023	2.4
Apparel.....	2.504	-0.1	-0.002	0.72	S-Jul.2025	-0.2
Men's and boys' apparel.....	0.654	1.5	0.011	1.19	L-Jun.2025	1.5
Men's apparel.....	0.529	2.5	0.015	1.35	L-Feb.2024	3.1
Men's suits, sport coats, and outerwear.....	0.087	0.0	0.000	4.19	S-Jan.2025	-2.2
Men's underwear, nightwear, swimwear, and accessories.....	0.138	1.8	0.002	1.47	L-Apr.2025	1.8
Men's shirts and sweaters ⁴	0.151	2.6	0.005	2.59	L-Jul.2024	6.1
Men's pants and shorts.....	0.137	4.9	0.007	2.45	L-Dec.2024	6.1
Boys' apparel.....	0.125	-2.0	-0.004	2.44	L-Jul.2025	1.9
Women's and girls' apparel.....	0.979	-1.9	-0.022	1.27	S-Mar.2021	-4.6
Women's apparel.....	0.869	-2.0	-0.019	1.16	S-Mar.2021	-5.4
Women's outerwear.....	0.079	4.6	0.005	4.43	S-Jul.2025	0.0
Women's dresses.....	0.136	3.7	0.006	3.60	S-Jul.2025	3.4
Women's suits and separates ⁴	0.350	-2.8	-0.016	1.71	L-Jun.2025	-1.7
Women's underwear, nightwear, swimwear, and accessories ⁴	0.293	-4.6	-0.014	1.78	S-Mar.2021	-5.1
Girls' apparel.....	0.110	-1.1	-0.003	3.41	L-Feb.2025	4.6
Footwear.....	0.576	1.3	0.010	1.01	S-Jul.2025	0.9
Men's footwear.....	0.196	0.7	0.002	1.51	L-Jul.2025	1.2
Boys' and girls' footwear.....	0.111	-1.0	-0.001	2.10	S-Jun.2025	-1.1
Women's footwear.....	0.269	2.8	0.009	1.58	—	—
Infants' and toddlers' apparel.....	0.103	0.2	0.000	2.49	L-Jan.2025	0.5
Jewelry and watches ⁸	0.191	2.0	-0.001	3.57	S-Jul.2025	-0.8
Watches ⁸	0.041	6.6	0.003	2.95	L-Nov.2024	7.4
Jewelry ⁸	0.150	1.7	-0.003	4.04	S-Jul.2025	-0.8
Transportation commodities less motor fuel ¹⁰	7.247	2.3	0.160	0.13	S-Jul.2025	2.0
New vehicles.....	4.307	0.8	0.033	0.19	L-Dec.2023	1.0
New cars ⁵		1.2		0.20	L-Oct.2023	1.3
New trucks ^{5, 12}		0.7		0.18	L-Jan.2024	0.8
Used cars and trucks.....	2.440	5.1	0.114	0.11	S-Jul.2025	4.8
Motor vehicle parts and equipment.....	0.364	3.1	0.011	0.73	S-Jul.2025	2.9
Tires.....	0.299	3.5	0.010	0.86	S-Jul.2025	3.3
Vehicle accessories other than tires ⁴	0.065	1.5	0.000	1.48	S-Jul.2025	0.9
Vehicle parts and equipment other than tires ⁵		2.5		1.81	L-Oct.2024	5.9
Motor oil, coolant, and fluids ⁵		-1.5		1.00	S-May 2024	-5.5
Medical care commodities.....	1.503	0.7	0.010	1.10	L-Apr.2025	1.0
Medicinal drugs ¹⁰	1.323	0.6	0.008	1.18	L-Apr.2025	1.1
Prescription drugs.....	0.914	1.7	0.016	1.56	L-Apr.2025	2.3
Nonprescription drugs ¹⁰	0.409	-1.8	-0.008	1.54	L-Jul.2025	-1.8
Medical equipment and supplies ¹⁰	0.180	0.8	0.002	1.09	S-Jul.2025	0.4
Recreation commodities ¹⁰	1.830	0.8	0.013	0.45	L-Jul.2023	1.0
Video and audio products ¹⁰	0.254	1.6	0.004	1.01	L-Sep.2021	1.7
Televisions.....	0.086	-6.0	-0.007	1.17	S-Jul.2025	-9.0
Other video equipment ⁴	0.028	1.2	0.001	2.42	L-Jul.2025	3.3
Audio equipment.....	0.060	13.6	0.007	2.33	L-EVER	—
Recorded music and music subscriptions ⁴	0.074	3.1	0.002	2.30	S-Oct.2024	2.8
Pets and pet products.....	0.621	0.9	0.006	1.10	L-Mar.2024	1.3
Pet food and treats ^{4, 5}		0.5		1.31	L-Mar.2024	1.8
Purchase of pets, pet supplies, accessories ^{4, 5}		1.5		1.90	L-May 2025	1.7
Sporting goods.....	0.468	0.0	-0.001	1.02	L-Apr.2023	0.0

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Sports vehicles including bicycles.....	0.234	0.2	-0.002	1.55	L-Sep.2023	1.7
Sports equipment.....	0.219	-0.1	0.000	1.17	L-Mar.2023	-0.1
Photographic equipment and supplies.....	0.020	5.8	0.001	3.36	L-Sep.2024	10.7
Photographic equipment ^{4, 5}		5.7		4.99	L-Sep.2024	9.9
Recreational reading materials.....	0.099	2.1	0.002	2.37	L-May 2025	4.1
Newspapers and magazines ⁴	0.054	5.6	0.003	2.97	L-May 2025	9.2
Recreational books ⁴	0.045	-1.7	-0.001	2.63	S-Jul.2025	-1.8
Other recreational goods ⁴	0.367	0.4	0.002	1.02	L-Jun.2023	1.7
Toys.....	0.288	0.2	0.002	1.32	L-Jul.2025	0.9
Toys, games, hobbies and playground equipment ^{4, 5}		1.4		1.90	L-Jul.2025	1.8
Sewing machines, fabric and supplies ⁴	0.021	-6.4	-0.002	3.34	L-Apr.2025	-2.6
Music instruments and accessories ⁴	0.043	6.1	0.002	2.10	L-Oct.2023	7.2
Education and communication commodities ¹⁰	0.732	-4.0	-0.033	1.43	S-Jul.2025	-4.3
Educational books and supplies.....	0.041		0.005	2.44	—	—
College textbooks ^{5, 13}		6.8		3.00	S-Oct.2024	3.2
Information technology commodities ¹⁰	0.691	-5.1	-0.037	1.58	L-Jun.2025	-4.7
Computers, peripherals, and smart home assistants ⁶	0.264	-0.7	-0.003	1.68	L-Jun.2025	-0.3
Computer software and accessories ⁴	0.026	-6.1	-0.001	3.81	S-May 2024	-6.6
Telephone hardware, calculators, and other consumer information items ⁴	0.401	-7.7	-0.033	2.32	S-Jul.2025	-8.8
Smartphones ^{5, 14}		-14.9		2.26	S-Sep.2023	-15.4
Alcoholic beverages.....	0.828	2.0	0.017	0.45	L-Apr.2024	2.0
Alcoholic beverages at home.....	0.441	0.3	0.001	0.50	—	—
Beer, ale, and other malt beverages at home.....	0.151	1.0	0.002	0.61	S-Jul.2025	0.3
Distilled spirits at home.....	0.102	1.8	0.002	0.81	L-Apr.2025	1.9
Whiskey at home ⁵		1.2		1.40	L-Jun.2024	2.1
Distilled spirits, excluding whiskey, at home ⁵		2.3		1.10	—	—
Wine at home.....	0.188	-1.2	-0.002	0.81	S-Feb.2017	-1.4
Alcoholic beverages away from home.....	0.386	4.1	0.015	0.84	L-Dec.2023	4.6
Beer, ale, and other malt beverages away from home ^{4, 5}		3.6		1.12	L-Nov.2024	4.0
Wine away from home ^{4, 5}		2.9		0.62	S-Jun.2025	2.9
Distilled spirits away from home ^{4, 5}		4.1		1.37	L-Mar.2025	4.3
Other goods ¹⁰	1.287	3.7	0.048	0.44	L-Mar.2024	3.9
Tobacco and smoking products.....	0.491	6.9	0.034	0.64	L-Apr.2025	7.1
Cigarettes ⁴	0.371	8.2	0.031	0.64	L-Apr.2025	8.5
Tobacco products other than cigarettes ⁴	0.114	2.3	0.003	1.69	L-Mar.2025	3.5
Personal care products.....	0.643	1.5	0.010	0.70	L-Apr.2024	2.6
Hair, dental, shaving, and miscellaneous personal care products ⁴	0.286	2.2	0.006	0.94	L-May 2024	2.3
Cosmetics, perfume, bath, nail preparations and implements.....	0.347	0.7	0.003	1.19	L-Apr.2024	0.9
Miscellaneous personal goods ⁴	0.153	2.5	0.004	1.47	L-Jul.2025	2.7
Stationery, stationery supplies, gift wrap ⁵		3.1		1.65	L-Jun.2025	3.4
Services less energy services.....	60.635	3.5	2.099	0.17	S-Nov.2021	3.4
Shelter.....	35.471	3.6	1.272	0.19	—	—
Rent of shelter ¹⁵	35.049	3.5	1.241	0.19	S-Oct.2021	3.5
Rent of primary residence.....	7.456	3.4	0.255	0.19	S-Dec.2021	3.3
Lodging away from home ⁴	1.363	-0.1	-0.004	2.02	L-Feb.2025	2.0
Housing at school, excluding board ¹⁵	0.243	3.4	0.008	0.32	S-Jul.2025	3.3
Other lodging away from home including hotels and motels.....	1.119	-0.8	-0.013	2.40	L-Feb.2025	1.7
Owners' equivalent rent of residences ¹⁵	26.231	3.8	0.990	0.18	S-Dec.2021	3.8

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Table 7. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, by expenditure category, September 2025, 12-month analysis table — Continued
[1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted]

Expenditure category	Relative importance Aug. 2025	Twelve Month				
		Unadjusted percent change Sep. 2024- Sep. 2025	Unadjusted effect on All Items Sep. 2024- Sep. 2025 ¹	Standard error, median price change ²	Largest (L) or Smallest (S) unadjusted change since: ³	
					Date	Percent change
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence ¹⁵ ..	25.034	3.8	0.942	0.18	S-Dec.2021	3.8
Tenants' and household insurance ⁴	0.422	7.5	0.031	0.78	L-EVER	—
Water and sewer and trash collection services ⁴	1.089	4.8	0.052	0.35	S-Jan.2025	4.4
Water and sewerage maintenance.....	0.742	4.6	0.034	0.37	S-Sep.2023	4.6
Garbage and trash collection ¹²	0.347	5.4	0.018	0.69	S-Apr.2025	5.2
Household operations ⁴						
Domestic services ⁴						
Gardening and lawncare services ⁴	0.361	13.9	0.047	1.82	L-EVER	—
Moving, storage, freight expense ⁴	0.125	1.6	0.002	4.88	L-Jul.2025	2.7
Repair of household items ⁴						
Medical care services.....	6.765	3.9	0.259	0.63	S-Jun.2025	3.4
Professional services.....	3.680	2.6	0.095	0.85	S-May 2025	2.4
Physicians' services.....	1.805	2.4	0.043	1.42	S-Jan.2025	2.1
Dental services.....	0.949	3.2	0.030	1.58	S-Jun.2025	2.4
Eyeglasses and eye care ⁸	0.333	4.1	0.013	0.96	L-Mar.2025	4.2
Services by other medical professionals ⁸						
Hospital and related services.....	2.287	5.8	0.131	0.73	L-Aug.2024	5.8
Hospital services ¹⁶	1.965	5.5	0.107	0.85	S-Jun.2025	4.2
Inpatient hospital services ^{5, 16}		5.2		1.19	S-May 2025	3.8
Outpatient hospital services ^{5, 8}		6.2		1.87	S-Jun.2025	3.8
Nursing homes and adult day services ¹⁶	0.167	4.1	0.007	0.75	S-Feb.2025	4.1
Care of invalids and elderly at home ⁷	0.155	11.6	0.018	2.37	L-Apr.2024	13.9
Health insurance ⁷	0.797	4.2	0.032	0.62	S-Jun.2025	3.4
Transportation services.....	6.243	2.5	0.162	0.67	S-Apr.2025	2.5
Leased cars and trucks ¹³	0.382	-3.9	-0.018	1.84	S-Jan.2020	-5.4
Car and truck rental ⁴	0.135	-5.0	-0.007	1.58	S-Mar.2025	-8.7
Motor vehicle maintenance and repair.....	1.052	7.7	0.081	1.82	S-Jul.2025	6.5
Motor vehicle body work.....	0.054	5.4	0.003	1.36	S-Jun.2025	4.4
Motor vehicle maintenance and servicing.....	0.508	5.1	0.027	0.76	L-Jan.2025	5.2
Motor vehicle repair ⁴	0.426	11.5	0.046	3.85	S-Jul.2025	11.0
Motor vehicle insurance.....	2.804	3.1	0.089	1.06	S-Aug.2021	1.0
Motor vehicle fees ⁴	0.491	1.0	0.004	0.55	L-Jul.2025	1.0
State motor vehicle registration and license fees ⁴	0.278	0.7	0.002	0.28	—	—
Parking and other fees ⁴	0.200	1.7	0.003	1.22	L-Mar.2025	2.2
Parking fees and tolls ^{4, 5}		2.8		1.12	S-Jun.2025	2.8
Public transportation.....	1.379	1.8	0.012	0.92	S-Jul.2025	0.7
Airline fares.....	0.855	3.2	0.022	1.21	S-Jul.2025	0.7
Other intercity transportation.....	0.208	-2.6	-0.010	2.10	S-Nov.2024	-3.5
Ship fare ^{4, 5}		-7.3		2.52	S-Aug.2022	-7.4
Intracity transportation.....	0.311	0.3	0.001	1.02	L-Apr.2025	1.4
Intracity mass transit ^{5, 10}		1.8		2.29	S-Jul.2025	1.7
Recreation services ¹⁰	3.439	4.4	0.146	0.52	L-Mar.2024	4.5
Video and audio services ¹⁰	0.804	1.9	0.015	0.72	L-Jul.2025	2.2
Cable, satellite, and live streaming television service ¹²	0.650	2.2	0.014	0.50	L-Jul.2025	2.2
Purchase, subscription, and rental of video ⁴	0.154	0.0	0.001	3.19	S-Mar.2022	-2.2
Video discs and other media ^{4, 5}		1.6		3.73	L-Mar.2025	3.4
Subscription and rental of video and video games ^{4, 5}		4.8		2.16	L-Jul.2025	6.0
Pet services including veterinary ⁴	0.538	6.9	0.035	1.07	L-Nov.2024	7.1
Pet services ^{4, 5}		5.1		2.58	S-May 2025	4.9
Veterinarian services ^{4, 5}		7.8		1.88	L-Feb.2025	8.1
Photographers and photo processing ⁴	0.053	-2.3	-0.001	2.15	L-May 2025	-0.2

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Table 7. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, by expenditure category, September 2025, 12-month analysis table — Continued
[1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted]

Expenditure category	Relative importance Aug. 2025	Twelve Month				
		Unadjusted percent change Sep. 2024- Sep. 2025	Unadjusted effect on All Items Sep. 2024- Sep. 2025 ¹	Standard error, median price change ²	Largest (L) or Smallest (S) unadjusted change since: ³	
					Date	Percent change
Other recreation services ⁴	2.044	5.1	0.098	0.62	L-Apr.2025	5.1
Club membership for shopping clubs, fraternal, or other organizations, or participant sports fees ⁴	0.807	6.2	0.044	0.50	L-Nov.2024	6.4
Admissions.....	0.740	4.3	0.030	1.52	S-Jun.2025	3.2
Admission to movies, theaters, and concerts ^{4, 5}		4.0		1.66	L-May 2025	4.7
Admission to sporting events ^{4, 5}		-6.9		6.37	S-Nov.2022	-7.2
Fees for lessons or instructions ⁸	0.168	4.0	0.007	1.18	L-Jun.2025	4.0
Education and communication services ¹⁰	4.907	1.1	0.055	0.24	L-Jul.2025	1.1
Tuition, other school fees, and childcare.....	2.525	2.9	0.074	0.43	S-Jun.2024	2.9
College tuition and fees.....	1.302	1.4	0.019	0.68	S-Aug.2024	1.4
Elementary and high school tuition and fees.....	0.392	3.8	0.015	0.37	L-Jun.2025	3.8
Day care and preschool ¹¹	0.727	5.2	0.038	0.51	L-Jul.2025	5.7
Technical and business school tuition and fees ⁴ ...	0.039	2.0	0.001	0.92	S-Jul.2025	1.8
Postage and delivery services ⁴	0.053	4.7	0.003	0.47	—	—
Postage.....	0.051	4.9	0.003	0.54	—	—
Delivery services ⁴	0.002	8.0	0.000	0.88	S-Jul.2025	7.6
Telephone services ⁴	1.394	-1.8	-0.026	0.16	S-Mar.2024	-1.8
Wireless telephone services ⁴	1.226	-2.1	-0.028	0.20	—	—
Residential telephone services ¹⁰	0.169	1.2	0.002	0.63	S-May 2025	1.2
Internet services and electronic information providers ⁴	0.926	0.4	0.004	0.54	L-Oct.2024	1.1
Other personal services ¹⁰	1.657	4.5	0.073	0.51	L-Jul.2025	4.5
Personal care services.....	0.660	4.6	0.030	0.73	L-Mar.2025	4.7
Haircuts and other personal care services ⁴	0.660	4.6	0.030	0.73	L-Mar.2025	4.7
Miscellaneous personal services.....	0.997	4.4	0.043	0.57	S-Apr.2025	4.0
Legal services ⁸						
Funeral expenses ⁸	0.139	2.9	0.004	0.81	L-Feb.2025	3.3
Laundry and dry cleaning services ⁴	0.166	4.9	0.008	0.82	L-Jul.2025	5.0
Apparel services other than laundry and dry cleaning ⁴	0.027	6.0	0.002	2.34	L-Mar.2025	6.4
Financial services ⁸	0.251	2.7	0.007	1.41	S-Jun.2025	2.5
Checking account and other bank services ^{4, 5} ...		0.7		3.33	L-Jul.2025	3.2
Tax return preparation and other accounting fees ^{4, 5}		3.7		2.69	S-Jun.2025	3.2
Special aggregate indexes						
All items less food.....	86.354	3.0	2.589	0.13	L-Jan.2025	3.1
All items less shelter.....	64.529	2.7	1.741	0.14	L-Apr.2023	3.4
All items less food and shelter.....	50.883	2.6	1.318	0.17	L-Feb.2023	3.9
All items less food, shelter, and energy.....	44.483	2.6	1.142	0.19	S-Jul.2025	2.6
All items less food, shelter, energy, and used cars and trucks.....	42.043	2.4	1.028	0.19	S-Jul.2025	2.4
All items less medical care.....	91.732	3.0	2.744	0.10	L-Jan.2025	3.0
All items less energy.....	93.600	3.0	2.837	0.12	S-Jul.2025	3.0
Commodities.....	36.130	1.9	0.715	0.12	L-Apr.2023	2.1
Commodities less food, energy, and used cars and trucks.....	16.878	1.1	0.201	0.20	L-Oct.2023	1.4
Commodities less food.....	22.484	1.2	0.292	0.16	L-Jan.2023	1.6
Commodities less food and beverages.....	21.656	1.2	0.276	0.16	L-Jan.2023	1.5
Services.....	63.870	3.6	2.297	0.17	S-Oct.2021	3.6
Services less rent of shelter ¹⁵	28.821	3.7	1.056	0.26	S-May 2025	3.5
Services less medical care services.....	57.105	3.6	2.039	0.16	S-Sep.2021	3.5
Durables.....	10.939	1.8	0.203	0.21	S-Jul.2025	1.2

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Table 7. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, by expenditure category, September 2025, 12-month analysis table — Continued
[1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted]

Expenditure category	Relative importance Aug. 2025	Twelve Month				
		Unadjusted percent change Sep. 2024-Sep. 2025	Unadjusted effect on All Items Sep. 2024-Sep. 2025 ¹	Standard error, median price change ²	Largest (L) or Smallest (S) unadjusted change since: ³	
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Nondurables.....	25.191	2.0	0.513	0.14	L-Sep.2023	3.2
Nondurables less food.....	11.545	0.8	0.090	0.24	L-May 2024	1.5
Nondurables less food and beverages.....	10.718	0.7	0.073	0.25	L-May 2024	1.5
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel.....	8.214	0.9	0.075	0.26	L-May 2024	1.7
Nondurables less food and apparel.....	9.042	1.0	0.091	0.25	L-May 2024	1.7
Housing.....	44.380	3.9	1.706	0.18	S-Jul.2025	3.9
Education and communication ⁴	5.639	0.4	0.022	0.26	L-Jun.2025	0.5
Education ⁴	2.566	3.1	0.079	0.41	S-Aug.2024	3.1
Communication ⁴	3.073	-1.7	-0.057	0.43	L-Oct.2024	-1.3
Information and information processing ⁴	3.020	-1.9	-0.060	0.44	L-Oct.2024	-1.5
Information technology, hardware and services ¹⁷	1.625	-2.0	-0.034	0.81	L-Aug.2024	-1.3
Recreation ⁴	5.269	3.0	0.160	0.36	L-Oct.2023	3.2
Video and audio ⁴	1.057	1.8	0.018	0.64	L-Jul.2025	1.8
Pets, pet products and services ⁴	1.159	3.5	0.040	0.90	L-Mar.2024	3.8
Photography ⁴	0.074	-0.4	0.000	1.86	L-May 2025	0.4
Food and beverages.....	14.474	3.0	0.440	0.13	S-Jul.2025	2.8
Domestically produced farm food.....	6.730	2.3	0.155	0.19	S-Jul.2025	2.0
Other services.....	10.003	2.7	0.274	0.24	L-Mar.2025	3.0
Apparel less footwear.....	1.928	-0.4	-0.011	0.85	S-Jul.2025	-0.5
Fuels and utilities.....	4.457	5.8	0.251	0.66	S-Apr.2025	5.4
Household energy.....	3.367	6.2	0.199	0.84	S-May 2025	6.2
Medical care.....	8.268	3.3	0.269	0.60	S-Jun.2025	2.8
Transportation.....	16.523	1.7	0.298	0.31	L-Feb.2025	1.7
Private transportation.....	15.144	1.8	0.285	0.32	L-Feb.2025	1.9
New and used motor vehicles ⁴	7.401	1.7	0.124	0.19	S-Jun.2025	1.3
Utilities and public transportation.....	7.747	3.3	0.251	0.42	S-May 2025	2.6
Household furnishings and operations.....	4.452	4.1	0.183	0.50	L-May 2023	4.2
Other goods and services.....	2.944	4.1	0.120	0.39	L-Jul.2024	4.2
Personal care.....	2.453	3.5	0.086	0.44	L-Apr.2024	3.7

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)maller 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.