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### **CONSUMER PRICE INDEX – FEBRUARY 2022**

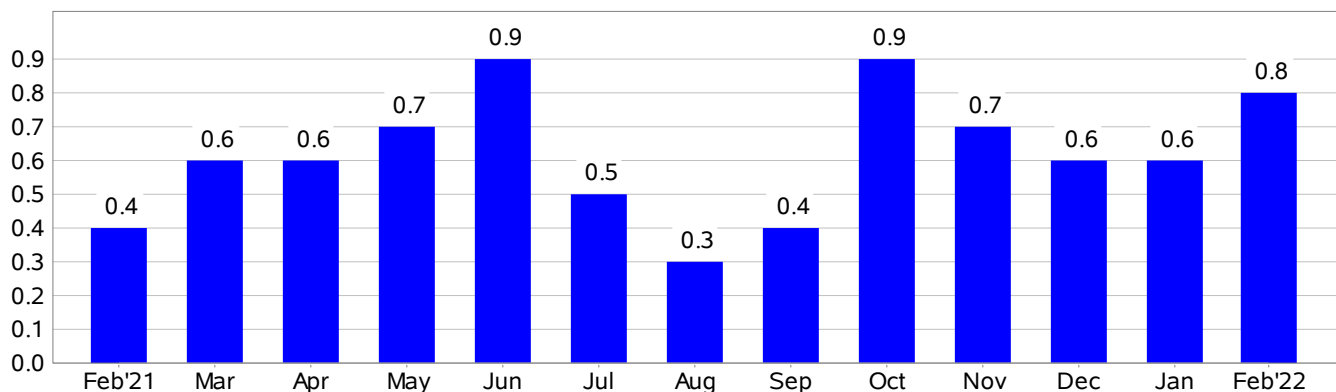
The Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U) increased 0.8 percent in February on a seasonally adjusted basis after rising 0.6 percent in January, the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics reported today. Over the last 12 months, the all items index increased 7.9 percent before seasonal adjustment.

Increases in the indexes for gasoline, shelter, and food were the largest contributors to the seasonally adjusted all items increase. The gasoline index rose 6.6 percent in February and accounted for almost a third of the all items monthly increase; other energy component indexes were mixed. The food index rose 1.0 percent as the food at home index rose 1.4 percent; both were the largest monthly increases since April 2020.

The index for all items less food and energy rose 0.5 percent in February following a 0.6-percent increase the prior month. The shelter index was by far the biggest factor in the increase, with a broad set of indexes also contributing, including those for recreation, household furnishings and operations, motor vehicle insurance, personal care, and airline fares.

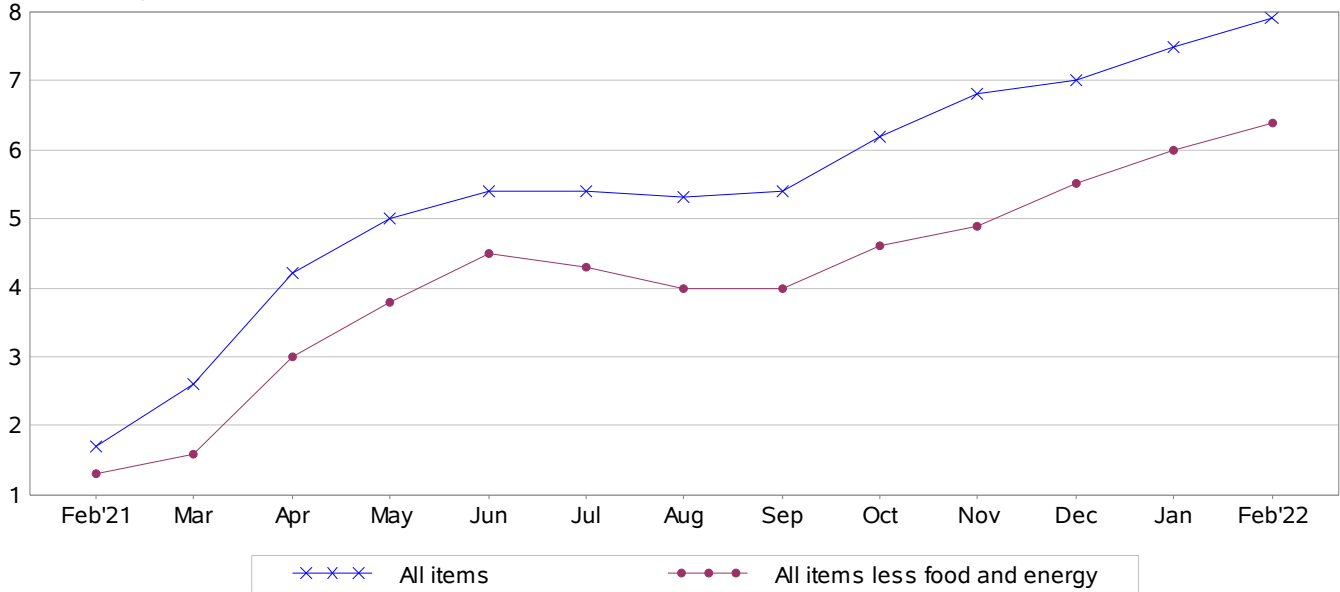
The all items index rose 7.9 percent for the 12 months ending February. The 12-month increase has been steadily rising and is now the largest since the period ending January 1982. The all items less food and energy index rose 6.4 percent, the largest 12-month change since the period ending August 1982. The energy index rose 25.6 percent over the last year, and the food index increased 7.9 percent, the largest 12-month increase since the period ending July 1981.

**Chart 1. One-month percent change in CPI for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U), seasonally adjusted, Feb. 2021 - Feb. 2022**  
 Percent change



**Chart 2. 12-month percent change in CPI for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U), not seasonally adjusted, Feb. 2021 - Feb. 2022**

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 Feb. 2022
	Aug. 2021	Sep. 2021	Oct. 2021	Nov. 2021	Dec. 2021	Jan. 2022	Feb. 2022	
All items.....	0.3	0.4	0.9	0.7	0.6	0.6	0.8	7.9
Food.....	0.4	0.9	0.9	0.8	0.5	0.9	1.0	7.9
Food at home.....	0.4	1.2	0.9	0.9	0.4	1.0	1.4	8.6
Food away from home <sup>1</sup> .....	0.4	0.5	0.8	0.6	0.6	0.7	0.4	6.8
Energy.....	1.9	1.2	3.7	2.4	0.9	0.9	3.5	25.6
Energy commodities.....	2.5	1.2	4.7	4.2	1.3	-0.6	6.7	37.9
Gasoline (all types).....	2.5	1.1	4.6	4.5	1.3	-0.8	6.6	38.0
Fuel oil <sup>1</sup> .....	-2.1	3.9	12.3	3.5	-2.4	9.5	7.7	43.6
Energy services.....	1.2	1.2	2.4	0.2	0.3	2.9	-0.4	12.3
Electricity.....	1.0	0.6	1.4	0.2	0.5	4.2	-1.1	9.0
Utility (piped) gas service.....	1.6	2.9	5.9	0.3	-0.3	-0.5	1.5	23.8
All items less food and energy.....	0.2	0.3	0.6	0.5	0.6	0.6	0.5	6.4
Commodities less food and energy								
commodities.....	0.4	0.3	1.1	0.9	1.2	1.0	0.4	12.3
New vehicles.....	1.2	1.3	1.3	1.2	1.2	0.0	0.3	12.4
Used cars and trucks.....	-1.2	-0.5	2.5	2.4	3.3	1.5	-0.2	41.2
Apparel.....	0.3	-0.7	0.6	0.7	1.1	1.1	0.7	6.6
Medical care commodities <sup>1</sup> .....	-0.2	0.3	0.6	0.1	0.0	0.9	0.3	2.5
Services less energy services.....	0.1	0.2	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.4	0.5	4.4
Shelter.....	0.2	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.4	0.3	0.5	4.7
Transportation services.....	-1.2	-1.0	0.2	0.7	0.0	1.0	1.4	6.6
Medical care services.....	0.2	0.2	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.6	0.1	2.4

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

## **Food**

The food index increased 1.0 percent in February as the food at home index increased 1.4 percent over the month. All six major grocery store food group indexes increased in February. The index for fruits and vegetables had the largest increase, rising 2.3 percent, its largest monthly increase since March 2010. The index for fresh fruits increased 3.7 percent over the month, and the index for fresh vegetables rose 1.3 percent. The index for dairy and related products rose 1.9 percent, its largest monthly increase since April 2011. The index for nonalcoholic beverages increased 1.6 percent in February.

The index for meats, poultry, fish, and eggs increased 1.2 percent in February as all of its major component indexes increased. The index for cereals and bakery products rose 1.1 percent and the index for other food at home increased 0.8 percent over the month.

The food away from home index rose 0.4 percent in February after increasing 0.7 percent in January. The index for full service meals rose 0.6 percent and the index for limited service meals increased 0.3 percent.

The food at home index rose 8.6 percent over the last 12 months, the largest 12-month increase since the period ending April 1981. The index for meats, poultry, fish, and eggs increased 13.0 percent over the last year as the index for beef rose 16.2 percent. The other major grocery store food group indexes also rose over the past year, with increases ranging from 5.2 percent (dairy and related products) to 8.2 percent (other food at home).

The index for food away from home rose 6.8 percent over the last year, the largest 12-month increase since December 1981. The index for limited service meals rose 8.0 percent over the last 12 months, and the index for full service meals rose 7.5 percent. The index for food at employee sites and schools, in contrast, declined 40.7 percent over the past 12 months, reflecting widespread free lunch programs.

## **Energy**

The energy index rose 3.5 percent in February following a 0.9-percent increase in January. The gasoline index rose sharply in February, increasing 6.6 percent after falling 0.8 percent in January. (Before seasonal adjustment, gasoline prices rose 5.4 percent in February.) The index for natural gas increased in February, rising 1.5 percent after declining 0.5 percent in January. In contrast, the electricity index, which rose sharply in January, declined 1.1 percent in February.

The energy index rose 25.6 percent over the past 12 months with all major energy component indexes increasing. The index for gasoline rose 38.0 percent over the last year and the index for natural gas rose 23.8 percent. The index for electricity rose 9.0 percent for the 12 months ending February.

## **All items less food and energy**

The index for all items less food and energy rose 0.5 percent in February. The shelter index increased 0.5 percent in February and accounted for over 40 percent of the monthly increase in the all items less food and energy index. The rent index increased 0.6 percent in February and the owners' equivalent rent index rose 0.4 percent. The index for lodging away from home rose 2.2 percent over the month after declining in January.

The recreation index increased 0.7 percent in February following a 0.9-percent increase in January. The index for household furnishings and operations also continued to rise, increasing 0.6 percent in February following larger increases in recent months. The index for motor vehicle insurance rose 1.2 percent over the month after a 0.9-percent advance in January. The personal care index increased 1.2 percent in February, its largest ever monthly increase. The index for airline fares rose 5.2 percent in February, and the index for apparel increased 0.7 percent.

The medical care index rose 0.2 percent in February. The index for prescription drugs rose 0.3 percent, but the indexes for hospital services and for physicians' services both declined 0.1 percent.

The index for new vehicles increased 0.3 percent in February after being unchanged the prior month. The index for used cars and trucks, which rose sharply in recent months, declined in February, falling 0.2 percent, one of the very few indexes to show a decline in February.

The index for all items less food and energy rose 6.4 percent over the past 12 months, with virtually all of its major component indexes rising over the span. The shelter index rose 4.7 percent over the last 12 months, its largest 12-month increase since May 1991. Several transportation indexes showed large increases over the past year, including used cars and trucks (+41.2 percent), new vehicles (+12.4 percent), and airline fares (+12.7 percent).

#### **Not seasonally adjusted CPI measures**

The Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U) increased 7.9 percent over the last 12 months to an index level of 283.716 (1982-84=100). For the month, the index increased 0.9 percent prior to seasonal adjustment.

The Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W) increased 8.6 percent over the last 12 months to an index level of 278.943 (1982-84=100). For the month, the index rose 1.0 percent prior to seasonal adjustment.

The Chained Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (C-CPI-U) increased 7.5 percent over the last 12 months. For the month, the index increased 0.9 percent on a not seasonally adjusted basis. Please note that the indexes for the past 10 to 12 months are subject to revision.

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**The Consumer Price Index for March 2022 is scheduled to be released on Tuesday, April 12, 2022 at 8:30 a.m. (ET).**

## **Technical Note**

### **Brief Explanation of the CPI**

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

The Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W) is based on the expenditures of households included in the CPI-U definition that meet two requirements: more than one-half of the household's income must come from clerical or wage occupations, and at least one of the household's earners must have been employed for at least 37 weeks during the previous 12 months. The CPI-W population represents about 29 percent of the total U.S. population and is a subset of the CPI-U population.

The CPIs are based on prices of food, clothing, shelter, fuels, transportation, doctors' and dentists' services, drugs, and other goods and services that people buy for day-to-day living. Prices are collected each month in 75 urban areas across the country from about 6,000 housing units and approximately 22,000 retail establishments (department stores, supermarkets, hospitals, filling stations, and other types of stores and service establishments). All taxes directly associated with the purchase and use of items are included in the index. Prices of fuels and a few other items are obtained every month in all 75 locations. Prices of most other commodities and services are collected every month in the three largest geographic areas and every other month in other areas. Prices of most goods and services are obtained by personal visit, telephone call, or web 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 <https://www.bls.gov/cpi/tables/variance-estimates/home.htm>.

### Calculating Index Changes

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

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

### Use of Seasonally Adjusted and Unadjusted Data

The Consumer Price Index (CPI) produces both unadjusted and seasonally adjusted data. Seasonally adjusted data are computed using seasonal factors derived by the X-13ARIMA-SEATS seasonal adjustment method. These factors are updated each February, and the new factors are used to revise the previous 5 years of seasonally adjusted data. The factors are available at [www.bls.gov/cpi/tables/seasonal-adjustment/seasonal-factors-2022.xlsx](http://www.bls.gov/cpi/tables/seasonal-adjustment/seasonal-factors-2022.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](http://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](http://www.bls.gov/cpi/seasonal-adjustment/timeline-seasonal-adjustment-methodology-changes.htm).

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

### *Intervention Analysis*

The Bureau of Labor Statistics uses intervention analysis seasonal adjustment (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 2022, BLS adjusted 72 series using intervention analysis seasonal adjustment, including selected food and beverage items, motor fuels, electricity, and vehicles.

### *Revision of Seasonally Adjusted Indexes*

Seasonally adjusted data, including the U.S. city average all items index levels, are subject to revision for up to 5 years after their original release. Every year, economists in the CPI calculate new seasonal factors for seasonally adjusted series and apply them to the last 5 years of data. Seasonally adjusted indexes beyond the last 5 years of data are considered to be final and not subject to revision. For January 2022, revised seasonal factors and seasonally adjusted indexes for 2017 to 2021 were calculated and published. For series which are directly adjusted using the Census X-13ARIMA-SEATS seasonal adjustment software, the seasonal factors for 2021 will be applied to data for 2022 to produce the seasonally adjusted 2022 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 2022, 22 of the 81 components of the U.S. city average all items index are seasonally adjusted.

### **Contact Information**

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

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**Table 1. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, by expenditure category, February 2022**

[1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted]

Expenditure category	Relative importance Jan. 2022	Unadjusted indexes			Unadjusted percent change		Seasonally adjusted percent change		
		Feb. 2021	Jan. 2022	Feb. 2022	Feb. 2021-Feb. 2022	Jan. 2022-Feb. 2022	Nov. 2021-Dec. 2021	Dec. 2021-Jan. 2022	Jan. 2022-Feb. 2022
All items.....	100.000	263.014	281.148	283.716	7.9	0.9	0.6	0.6	0.8
Food.....	13.388	271.363	289.772	292.794	7.9	1.0	0.5	0.9	1.0
Food at home.....	8.193	252.716	270.711	274.568	8.6	1.4	0.4	1.0	1.4
Cereals and bakery products.....	1.039	284.095	302.242	306.193	7.8	1.3	0.3	1.8	1.1
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs.....	1.878	266.606	298.441	301.240	13.0	0.9	0.2	0.3	1.2
Dairy and related products.....	0.756	230.452	238.675	242.386	5.2	1.6	0.6	1.1	1.9
Fruits and vegetables.....	1.420	309.993	327.451	333.675	7.6	1.9	0.5	0.9	2.3
Nonalcoholic beverages and beverage materials.....	0.935	180.202	188.719	192.210	6.7	1.8	0.6	0.0	1.6
Other food at home.....	2.164	219.110	233.956	237.143	8.2	1.4	0.4	1.6	0.8
Food away from home <sup>1</sup> .....	5.195	300.540	319.471	320.880	6.8	0.4	0.6	0.7	0.4
Energy.....	7.413	213.277	260.653	267.771	25.6	2.7	0.9	0.9	3.5
Energy commodities.....	3.995	227.412	297.454	313.522	37.9	5.4	1.3	-0.6	6.7
Fuel oil <sup>1</sup> .....	0.125	267.613	356.864	384.179	43.6	7.7	-2.4	9.5	7.7
Motor fuel.....	3.794	222.667	291.767	307.422	38.1	5.4	1.4	-0.8	6.7
Gasoline (all types).....	3.720	221.689	290.416	305.959	38.0	5.4	1.3	-0.8	6.6
Energy services.....	3.418	209.296	235.941	235.017	12.3	-0.4	0.3	2.9	-0.4
Electricity.....	2.543	216.998	238.183	236.453	9.0	-0.7	0.5	4.2	-1.1
Utility (piped) gas service.....	0.875	183.006	225.181	226.491	23.8	0.6	-0.3	-0.5	1.5
All items less food and energy.....	79.199	270.696	285.996	288.059	6.4	0.7	0.6	0.6	0.5
Commodities less food and energy commodities.....	21.804	146.532	162.991	164.559	12.3	1.0	1.2	1.0	0.4
Apparel.....	2.498	119.998	124.079	127.868	6.6	3.1	1.1	1.1	0.7
New vehicles.....	4.094	149.515	167.582	168.027	12.4	0.3	1.2	0.0	0.3
Used cars and trucks.....	4.170	150.221	210.293	212.040	41.2	0.8	3.3	1.5	-0.2
Medical care commodities <sup>1</sup> .....	1.525	374.905	382.984	384.304	2.5	0.3	0.0	0.9	0.3
Alcoholic beverages.....	0.886	260.011	266.749	269.128	3.5	0.9	0.3	0.4	0.8
Tobacco and smoking products <sup>1</sup> .....	0.522	1,228.750	1,306.913	1,314.838	7.0	0.6	0.7	-0.1	0.6
Services less energy services.....	57.395	348.361	361.397	363.672	4.4	0.6	0.3	0.4	0.5
Shelter.....	32.802	329.005	342.604	344.607	4.7	0.6	0.4	0.3	0.5
Rent of primary residence.....	7.374	345.242	357.737	359.627	4.2	0.5	0.4	0.5	0.6
Owners' equivalent rent of residences <sup>2</sup> .....	24.151	338.918	352.005	353.512	4.3	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4
Medical care services.....	6.971	572.378	584.111	586.177	2.4	0.4	0.3	0.6	0.1
Physicians' services <sup>1</sup> .....	1.883	405.897	408.335	407.984	0.5	-0.1	0.0	-0.1	-0.1
Hospital services <sup>3</sup> .....	2.209	359.521	371.646	371.745	3.4	0.0	0.2	0.5	-0.1
Transportation services.....	5.597	313.160	328.665	333.919	6.6	1.6	0.0	1.0	1.4
Motor vehicle maintenance and repair <sup>1</sup> .....	1.031	311.627	325.448	331.130	6.3	1.7	-0.1	0.2	1.7
Motor vehicle insurance.....	2.388	560.386	574.042	584.317	4.3	1.8	-0.2	0.9	1.2
Airline fares.....	0.481	197.204	210.762	222.227	12.7	5.4	2.5	2.3	5.2

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

<sup>2</sup> Indexes on a December 1982=100 base.

<sup>3</sup> 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, February 2022**

[1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted]

Expenditure category	Relative importance Jan. 2022	Unadjusted percent change		Seasonally adjusted percent change		
		Feb. 2021-Feb. 2022	Jan. 2022-Feb. 2022	Nov. 2021-Dec. 2021	Dec. 2021-Jan. 2022	Jan. 2022-Feb. 2022
All items.....	100.000	7.9	0.9	0.6	0.6	0.8
Food.....	13.388	7.9	1.0	0.5	0.9	1.0
Food at home.....	8.193	8.6	1.4	0.4	1.0	1.4
Cereals and bakery products.....	1.039	7.8	1.3	0.3	1.8	1.1
Cereals and cereal products.....	0.332	7.7	1.2	0.6	1.1	1.3
Flour and prepared flour mixes.....	0.054	11.6	0.6	0.2	2.9	1.0
Breakfast cereal <sup>1</sup> .....	0.139	7.5	1.1	1.4	-1.4	1.1
Rice, pasta, cornmeal.....	0.139	6.1	1.6	0.7	2.1	0.8
Rice <sup>1, 2, 3</sup> .....		4.8	0.9	0.8	1.2	0.9
Bakery products <sup>1</sup> .....	0.706	7.8	1.3	0.1	2.0	1.3
Bread <sup>1, 2</sup> .....	0.199	6.5	0.4	0.0	1.1	0.4
White bread <sup>1, 3</sup> .....		6.5	0.6	-0.5	1.1	0.6
Bread other than white <sup>1, 3</sup> .....		7.3	0.4	0.6	1.2	0.4
Fresh biscuits, rolls, muffins <sup>2</sup> .....	0.107	7.1	2.4	-1.2	1.4	2.4
Cakes, cupcakes, and cookies <sup>1</sup> .....	0.174	7.6	1.2	0.7	2.4	1.2
Cookies <sup>1, 3</sup> .....		8.0	1.9	1.8	2.9	1.9
Fresh cakes and cupcakes <sup>1, 3</sup> .....		7.4	0.4	-0.9	2.4	0.4
Other bakery products.....	0.227	9.6	1.8	0.5	1.3	1.6
Fresh sweetrolls, coffeecakes, doughnuts <sup>1, 3</sup> .....		11.2	4.1	-1.0	2.8	4.1
Crackers, bread, and cracker products <sup>3</sup> .....		12.7	2.1	2.0	1.4	1.5
Frozen and refrigerated bakery products, pies, tarts, turnovers <sup>1, 3</sup> .....		7.9	1.4	-0.3	1.6	1.4
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs.....	1.878	13.0	0.9	0.2	0.3	1.2
Meats, poultry, and fish.....	1.768	13.1	0.9	0.0	0.2	1.2
Meats.....	1.134	14.0	0.8	-0.3	-0.3	1.0
Beef and veal.....	0.535	16.2	0.5	-1.0	-1.3	0.8
Uncooked ground beef <sup>1</sup> .....	0.192	13.6	0.7	-1.8	-0.3	0.7
Uncooked beef roasts <sup>1, 2</sup> .....	0.080	18.6	1.6	-3.8	-1.7	1.6
Uncooked beef steaks <sup>2</sup> .....	0.211	16.9	-0.2	-1.2	-1.4	0.1
Uncooked other beef and veal <sup>1, 2</sup> .....	0.053	19.2	1.0	0.1	-3.6	1.0
Pork.....	0.362	14.0	0.7	-0.4	-0.2	1.0
Bacon, breakfast sausage, and related products <sup>2</sup> .....	0.161	17.1	0.0	0.6	-1.2	1.3
Bacon and related products <sup>3</sup> .....		18.8	-0.4	-0.3	-0.2	0.8
Breakfast sausage and related products <sup>2, 3</sup> .....		13.9	0.6	0.9	-1.7	2.1
Ham.....	0.064	7.1	2.8	0.8	2.5	3.0
Ham, excluding canned <sup>3</sup> .....		6.6	2.5	1.0	2.2	2.9
Pork chops <sup>1</sup> .....	0.052	13.4	0.0	-1.1	-0.7	0.0
Other pork including roasts, steaks, and ribs <sup>2</sup> .....	0.084	15.6	0.7	-2.9	-2.3	1.6
Other meats.....	0.237	9.7	1.6	1.5	1.9	1.6
Frankfurters <sup>3</sup> .....		3.5	2.1	-0.4	2.1	2.2
Lunchmeats <sup>1, 2, 3</sup> .....		11.0	2.0	2.7	1.1	2.0
Poultry <sup>1</sup> .....	0.343	12.5	1.7	0.1	0.8	1.7
Chicken <sup>1, 2</sup> .....	0.278	13.2	1.8	0.3	-0.3	1.8
Fresh whole chicken <sup>1, 3</sup> .....		10.3	2.6	0.0	-0.5	2.6
Fresh and frozen chicken parts <sup>1, 3</sup> .....		15.0	1.7	0.4	-0.2	1.7
Other uncooked poultry including turkey <sup>2</sup> .....	0.065	9.1	1.2	-0.7	4.2	0.6
Fish and seafood.....	0.291	10.4	0.2	0.7	1.3	1.1
Fresh fish and seafood <sup>1, 2</sup> .....	0.149	11.8	-0.7	0.5	2.4	-0.7
Processed fish and seafood <sup>2</sup> .....	0.142	9.0	1.1	1.3	0.4	2.3
Shelf stable fish and seafood <sup>3</sup> .....		2.8	1.1	0.5	0.9	2.3
Frozen fish and seafood <sup>3</sup> .....		12.1	1.3	1.4	0.3	2.4
Eggs <sup>1</sup> .....	0.110	11.4	2.2	3.6	2.0	2.2

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 [1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted]

Expenditure category	Relative importance Jan. 2022	Unadjusted percent change		Seasonally adjusted percent change		
		Feb. 2021- Feb. 2022	Jan. 2022- Feb. 2022	Nov. 2021- Dec. 2021	Dec. 2021- Jan. 2022	Jan. 2022- Feb. 2022
Dairy and related products.....	0.756	5.2	1.6	0.6	1.1	1.9
Milk <sup>2</sup> .....	0.195	11.2	2.6	0.9	1.8	3.5
Fresh whole milk <sup>3</sup> .....		12.4	1.8	0.7	1.7	3.0
Fresh milk other than whole <sup>2, 3</sup> .....		10.4	2.9	1.2	1.6	3.4
Cheese and related products <sup>1</sup> .....	0.250	1.9	1.2	0.2	1.2	1.2
Ice cream and related products.....	0.112	3.3	1.3	1.0	-0.6	1.6
Other dairy and related products <sup>1, 2</sup> .....	0.199	4.2	1.1	0.7	2.6	1.1
Fruits and vegetables.....	1.420	7.6	1.9	0.5	0.9	2.3
Fresh fruits and vegetables.....	1.094	7.7	1.9	0.4	0.8	2.6
Fresh fruits.....	0.589	10.6	3.5	1.2	1.7	3.7
Apples.....	0.076	7.8	3.7	1.0	-0.2	2.7
Bananas <sup>1</sup> .....	0.081	5.2	-0.1	1.0	1.2	-0.1
Citrus fruits <sup>2</sup> .....	0.161	16.2	6.1	6.6	3.4	6.8
Oranges, including tangerines <sup>3</sup> .....		14.3	4.3	7.3	2.0	5.7
Other fresh fruits <sup>2</sup> .....	0.271	10.0	2.9	-0.5	0.7	3.5
Fresh vegetables.....	0.505	4.3	0.0	-0.4	-0.2	1.3
Potatoes.....	0.076	3.0	1.4	4.6	-2.9	1.3
Lettuce <sup>1</sup> .....	0.060	7.9	-0.3	-0.2	-1.3	-0.3
Tomatoes.....	0.084	1.1	-1.9	-1.8	-3.0	1.2
Other fresh vegetables.....	0.285	4.8	0.2	0.0	0.1	0.8
Processed fruits and vegetables <sup>2</sup> .....	0.326	7.6	2.0	0.9	1.2	1.5
Canned fruits and vegetables <sup>2</sup> .....	0.165	7.7	2.1	0.3	1.6	1.3
Canned fruits <sup>2, 3</sup> .....		6.8	0.5	1.4	3.9	-0.3
Canned vegetables <sup>2, 3</sup> .....		7.9	2.8	-0.8	0.2	2.1
Frozen fruits and vegetables <sup>2</sup> .....	0.098	8.3	2.0	2.8	0.1	2.2
Frozen vegetables <sup>3</sup> .....		6.3	2.3	2.5	-0.8	2.7
Other processed fruits and vegetables including dried <sup>2</sup> .....	0.063	6.1	1.5	0.4	1.4	1.4
Dried beans, peas, and lentils <sup>1, 2, 3</sup> .....		9.6	0.5	1.6	0.3	0.5
Nonalcoholic beverages and beverage materials.....	0.935	6.7	1.8	0.6	0.0	1.6
Juices and nonalcoholic drinks <sup>2</sup> .....	0.660	6.1	1.8	0.7	-0.9	1.5
Carbonated drinks.....	0.275	5.4	2.3	0.8	-2.8	1.5
Frozen noncarbonated juices and drinks <sup>1, 2</sup> .....	0.007	3.9	4.6	-0.3	-1.8	4.6
Nonfrozen noncarbonated juices and drinks <sup>2</sup> .....	0.378	6.6	1.5	0.7	0.5	1.6
Beverage materials including coffee and tea <sup>2</sup> .....	0.276	8.0	1.9	0.2	1.6	1.9
Coffee.....	0.179	10.5	1.6	0.2	2.7	1.5
Roasted coffee <sup>3</sup> .....		10.9	1.6	0.4	2.6	1.7
Instant coffee <sup>1, 3</sup> .....		8.0	0.7	0.5	2.3	0.7
Other beverage materials including tea <sup>1, 2</sup> .....	0.097	3.7	2.5	-0.7	1.1	2.5
Other food at home.....	2.164	8.2	1.4	0.4	1.6	0.8
Sugar and sweets <sup>1</sup> .....	0.279	7.0	1.1	1.2	1.6	1.1
Sugar and sugar substitutes.....	0.041	6.0	1.1	0.8	0.2	0.9
Candy and chewing gum <sup>1, 2</sup> .....	0.179	7.1	1.2	2.1	1.2	1.2
Other sweets <sup>2</sup> .....	0.060	7.5	0.7	-0.4	0.4	0.7
Fats and oils.....	0.236	11.7	1.7	0.3	1.9	1.4
Butter and margarine <sup>2</sup> .....	0.069	7.3	3.3	0.9	1.4	3.2
Butter <sup>3</sup> .....		5.5	2.8	-0.1	2.0	3.1
Margarine <sup>1, 3</sup> .....		11.4	5.0	4.4	0.5	5.0
Salad dressing <sup>2</sup> .....	0.055	9.4	0.9	0.2	0.4	1.0
Other fats and oils including peanut butter <sup>2</sup> .....	0.112	15.6	1.0	0.8	2.8	0.7
Peanut butter <sup>1, 2, 3</sup> .....			2.0	0.3	3.1	2.0
Other foods.....	1.650	8.0	1.4	0.3	1.6	0.6
Soups.....	0.094	10.0	5.4	0.3	1.4	3.9
Frozen and freeze dried prepared foods.....	0.266	11.1	1.6	0.2	3.7	1.0

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 [1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted]

Expenditure category	Relative importance Jan. 2022	Unadjusted percent change		Seasonally adjusted percent change		
		Feb. 2021- Feb. 2022	Jan. 2022- Feb. 2022	Nov. 2021- Dec. 2021	Dec. 2021- Jan. 2022	Jan. 2022- Feb. 2022
Snacks <sup>1</sup> .....	0.358	8.0	1.6	-0.1	0.6	1.6
Spices, seasonings, condiments, sauces.....	0.321	5.3	0.5	0.4	0.2	0.0
Salt and other seasonings and spices <sup>2, 3</sup> .....		4.8	0.5	-0.1	-0.7	-0.3
Olives, pickles, relishes <sup>1, 2, 3</sup> .....		5.5	0.6	0.8	0.5	0.6
Sauces and gravies <sup>2, 3</sup> .....		5.2	1.0	0.1	1.2	1.3
Other condiments <sup>3</sup> .....		6.8	-0.5	1.0	0.8	-0.8
Baby food <sup>1, 2</sup> .....	0.043	8.4	0.7	-0.1	0.1	0.7
Other miscellaneous foods <sup>2</sup> .....	0.568	7.6	1.0	0.6	2.3	0.5
Prepared salads <sup>3, 4</sup> .....		7.4	2.7	-0.6	-0.6	2.6
Food away from home <sup>1</sup> .....	5.195	6.8	0.4	0.6	0.7	0.4
Full service meals and snacks <sup>1, 2</sup> .....	2.405	7.5	0.6	0.8	0.7	0.6
Limited service meals and snacks <sup>1, 2</sup> .....	2.546	8.0	0.3	0.6	0.7	0.3
Food at employee sites and schools <sup>1, 2</sup> .....	0.036	-40.7	-2.0	-7.9	-0.2	-2.0
Food at elementary and secondary schools <sup>1, 3, 5</sup> .....		-53.3	0.4	-12.4	0.8	0.4
Food from vending machines and mobile vendors <sup>1, 2</sup> .....	0.037	5.9	0.2	-1.5	2.6	0.2
Other food away from home <sup>1, 2</sup> .....	0.173	5.5	0.8	0.6	0.0	0.8
Energy.....	7.413	25.6	2.7	0.9	0.9	3.5
Energy commodities.....	3.995	37.9	5.4	1.3	-0.6	6.7
Fuel oil and other fuels.....	0.201	33.4	6.1	-1.0	3.8	6.5
Fuel oil <sup>1</sup> .....	0.125	43.6	7.7	-2.4	9.5	7.7
Propane, kerosene, and firewood <sup>6</sup> .....	0.076	19.1	3.5	1.0	-3.0	3.9
Motor fuel.....	3.794	38.1	5.4	1.4	-0.8	6.7
Gasoline (all types).....	3.720	38.0	5.4	1.3	-0.8	6.6
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>3</sup> .....		38.7	5.6	1.2	-0.9	6.1
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>3, 7</sup> .....		35.6	4.6	1.4	0.0	4.6
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>3</sup> .....		33.3	3.7	1.6	0.0	3.9
Other motor fuels <sup>1, 2</sup> .....	0.074	40.5	6.0	-0.9	0.5	6.0
Energy services.....	3.418	12.3	-0.4	0.3	2.9	-0.4
Electricity.....	2.543	9.0	-0.7	0.5	4.2	-1.1
Utility (piped) gas service.....	0.875	23.8	0.6	-0.3	-0.5	1.5
All items less food and energy.....	79.199	6.4	0.7	0.6	0.6	0.5
Commodities less food and energy commodities.....	21.804	12.3	1.0	1.2	1.0	0.4
Household furnishings and supplies <sup>8</sup> .....	3.982	10.3	1.0	1.2	1.6	0.8
Window and floor coverings and other linens <sup>1, 2</sup> .....	0.299	6.8	0.1	0.4	1.6	0.1
Floor coverings <sup>1, 2</sup> .....	0.066	11.3	4.8	-2.0	0.8	4.8
Window coverings <sup>1, 2</sup> .....	0.059	11.2	-5.5	0.8	1.8	-5.5
Other linens <sup>1, 2</sup> .....	0.173	3.2	0.3	1.3	1.8	0.3
Furniture and bedding <sup>1</sup> .....	0.986	17.1	0.1	2.0	2.4	0.1
Bedroom furniture <sup>1</sup> .....	0.322	15.9	0.5	0.7	1.8	0.5
Living room, kitchen, and dining room furniture <sup>1, 2</sup> .....	0.477	19.3	-0.2	3.1	2.2	-0.2
Other furniture <sup>2</sup> .....	0.178	12.9	0.1	1.3	3.6	-0.3
Appliances <sup>2</sup> .....	0.258	7.3	0.8	0.8	1.5	0.7
Major appliances <sup>2</sup> .....	0.085	11.1	1.2	0.7	1.2	1.8
Laundry equipment <sup>1, 3</sup> .....		11.5	3.0	3.4	1.3	3.0
Other appliances <sup>1, 2</sup> .....	0.170	5.3	0.6	0.3	2.3	0.6
Other household equipment and furnishings <sup>2</sup> .....	0.569	7.5	3.3	1.8	0.7	2.4
Clocks, lamps, and decorator items <sup>1</sup> .....	0.343	9.6	3.7	0.9	2.7	3.7
Indoor plants and flowers <sup>9</sup> .....	0.101	5.1	4.0	0.4	1.1	1.0
Dishes and flatware <sup>1, 2</sup> .....	0.050	1.9	2.1	1.3	4.0	2.1
Nonelectric cookware and tableware <sup>1, 2</sup> .....	0.075	5.6	1.5	0.5	1.8	1.5
Tools, hardware, outdoor equipment and supplies <sup>2</sup> .....	0.941	10.6	0.6	0.8	2.2	0.4
Tools, hardware and supplies <sup>1, 2</sup> .....	0.242	8.7	0.9	0.4	2.4	0.9
Outdoor equipment and supplies <sup>2</sup> .....	0.472	11.7	0.3	0.9	2.1	0.3

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Expenditure category	Relative importance Jan. 2022	Unadjusted percent change		Seasonally adjusted percent change		
		Feb. 2021- Feb. 2022	Jan. 2022- Feb. 2022	Nov. 2021- Dec. 2021	Dec. 2021- Jan. 2022	Jan. 2022- Feb. 2022
Housekeeping supplies <sup>1</sup> .....	0.929	6.3	1.4	1.0	1.6	1.4
Household cleaning products <sup>1, 2</sup> .....	0.339	5.8	1.9	1.6	1.9	1.9
Household paper products <sup>1, 2</sup> .....	0.212	5.4	1.7	0.7	0.9	1.7
Miscellaneous household products <sup>1, 2</sup> .....	0.377	7.8	0.7	0.5	1.7	0.7
Apparel.....	2.498	6.6	3.1	1.1	1.1	0.7
Men's and boys' apparel.....	0.638	8.6	3.3	0.7	0.4	0.4
Men's apparel.....	0.488	8.6	4.1	0.7	0.1	1.0
Men's suits, sport coats, and outerwear.....	0.076	12.2	3.4	-0.1	2.8	-1.7
Men's underwear, nightwear, swimwear, and accessories <sup>1</sup> .....	0.164	9.2	2.4	-2.2	2.2	2.4
Men's shirts and sweaters <sup>2</sup> .....	0.120	12.8	6.6	1.9	2.4	0.8
Men's pants and shorts.....	0.123	2.2	4.5	1.1	-5.1	2.5
Boys' apparel.....	0.150	9.1	0.8	0.6	1.8	1.0
Women's and girls' apparel.....	0.964	4.9	4.8	1.1	1.2	1.2
Women's apparel.....	0.808	6.0	5.0	1.4	0.7	1.5
Women's outerwear.....	0.061	9.3	2.3	1.3	6.5	-1.6
Women's dresses.....	0.087	13.5	5.5	1.0	1.6	-0.8
Women's suits and separates <sup>2</sup> .....	0.385	2.5	5.7	2.5	0.4	1.3
Women's underwear, nightwear, swimwear, and accessories <sup>2</sup> .....	0.266	9.1	4.5	1.6	2.0	3.8
Girls' apparel.....	0.156	0.0	4.1	-0.5	3.6	0.0
Footwear.....	0.611	7.0	1.9	1.2	0.7	1.3
Men's footwear <sup>1</sup> .....	0.208	5.3	1.0	-0.5	1.6	1.0
Boys' and girls' footwear.....	0.118	10.3	2.6	0.2	2.4	2.5
Women's footwear.....	0.285	6.8	2.2	1.4	0.8	0.3
Infants' and toddlers' apparel.....	0.116	12.4	3.5	-0.3	4.2	2.1
Jewelry and watches <sup>6</sup> .....	0.169	4.2	-4.4	3.5	1.8	-4.2
Watches <sup>1, 6</sup> .....	0.031	5.1	0.9	3.4	1.4	0.9
Jewelry <sup>6</sup> .....	0.137	3.9	-5.6	2.9	1.4	-5.7
Transportation commodities less motor fuel <sup>8</sup> .....	8.780	23.9	0.6	2.2	0.9	0.1
New vehicles.....	4.094	12.4	0.3	1.2	0.0	0.3
New cars and trucks <sup>2, 3</sup> .....		12.4	0.3	1.2	0.0	0.3
New cars <sup>3</sup> .....		12.1	0.4	1.5	-0.2	0.3
New trucks <sup>3, 10</sup> .....		12.4	0.2	1.0	0.2	0.3
Used cars and trucks.....	4.170	41.2	0.8	3.3	1.5	-0.2
Motor vehicle parts and equipment <sup>1</sup> .....	0.427	14.3	1.6	1.6	1.7	1.6
Tires <sup>1</sup> .....	0.272	15.4	1.5	1.9	2.4	1.5
Vehicle accessories other than tires <sup>1, 2</sup> .....	0.155	12.3	1.7	1.1	0.6	1.7
Vehicle parts and equipment other than tires <sup>1, 3</sup> .....		11.3	1.9	1.6	-0.3	1.9
Motor oil, coolant, and fluids <sup>1, 3</sup> .....		13.4	1.3	0.8	2.9	1.3
Medical care commodities <sup>1</sup> .....	1.525	2.5	0.3	0.0	0.9	0.3
Medicinal drugs <sup>1, 8</sup> .....	1.422	2.5	0.4	0.0	0.9	0.4
Prescription drugs <sup>1</sup> .....	1.048	2.4	0.3	0.1	1.3	0.3
Nonprescription drugs <sup>1, 8</sup> .....	0.374	3.0	0.7	-0.4	-0.3	0.7
Medical equipment and supplies <sup>1, 8</sup> .....	0.103	2.8	-0.5	0.5	1.3	-0.5
Recreation commodities <sup>8</sup> .....	1.929	4.6	1.0	-0.4	1.0	0.9
Video and audio products <sup>8</sup> .....	0.307	-0.2	-0.2	-0.8	-0.5	-0.6
Televisions.....	0.145	0.4	-0.3	-1.7	-1.4	-0.9
Other video equipment <sup>2</sup> .....	0.026	-2.7	2.1	-1.0	-2.2	0.7
Audio equipment <sup>1</sup> .....	0.076	0.4	-0.1	-0.3	0.6	-0.1
Recorded music and music subscriptions <sup>1, 2</sup> .....	0.054	0.3	-1.1	0.4	0.2	-1.1
Pets and pet products <sup>1</sup> .....	0.546	5.2	1.6	0.4	0.9	1.6
Pet food <sup>1, 2, 3</sup> .....		3.7	1.1	0.8	0.3	1.1
Purchase of pets, pet supplies, accessories <sup>1, 2, 3</sup> .....		7.5	2.3	0.3	1.8	2.3

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		Feb. 2021-Feb. 2022	Jan. 2022-Feb. 2022	Nov. 2021-Dec. 2021	Dec. 2021-Jan. 2022	Jan. 2022-Feb. 2022
Sporting goods <sup>1</sup> .....	0.573	7.1	0.5	-1.2	2.5	0.5
Sports vehicles including bicycles <sup>1</sup> .....	0.332	8.1	-0.2	-2.3	2.9	-0.2
Sports equipment <sup>1</sup> .....	0.230	5.5	1.6	0.7	1.9	1.6
Photographic equipment and supplies.....	0.021	2.8	0.7	1.0	0.1	0.0
Photographic equipment <sup>2, 3</sup> .....		3.0	0.2	0.2	0.9	-0.4
Recreational reading materials <sup>1</sup> .....	0.097	4.1	3.5	-1.2	0.8	3.5
Newspapers and magazines <sup>1, 2</sup> .....	0.056	6.2	5.3	-1.0	0.7	5.3
Recreational books <sup>1, 2</sup> .....	0.041	1.2	1.2	-1.6	0.9	1.2
Other recreational goods <sup>2</sup> .....	0.386	3.5	1.3	0.2	0.0	1.0
Toys.....	0.301	2.6	1.3	0.3	-0.3	0.9
Toys, games, hobbies and playground equipment <sup>1, 3</sup> .....		6.7	2.1	1.5	-0.3	2.4
Sewing machines, fabric and supplies <sup>1, 2</sup> .....	0.026	1.2	1.9	-1.7	-0.8	1.9
Music instruments and accessories <sup>1, 2</sup> .....	0.043	9.7	1.0	0.4	2.3	1.0
Education and communication commodities <sup>8</sup> .....	0.847	0.3	-0.5	-0.4	0.3	-0.7
Educational books and supplies <sup>1</sup> .....	0.089	0.8	-0.4	0.1	2.7	-0.4
College textbooks <sup>1, 3, 11</sup> .....		0.7	-0.4	0.1	3.2	-0.4
Information technology commodities <sup>8</sup> .....	0.758	0.6	-0.5	-0.6	0.0	-0.7
Computers, peripherals, and smart home assistants <sup>1, 4</sup> .....	0.360	4.6	0.8	-1.0	0.6	0.8
Computer software and accessories <sup>1, 2</sup> .....	0.021	-2.2	-0.5	0.5	0.3	-0.5
Telephone hardware, calculators, and other consumer information items <sup>2</sup> .....	0.378	-7.7	-1.8	0.8	-1.1	-2.1
Smartphones <sup>1, 3, 12</sup> .....		-13.2	-1.7	-0.8	1.1	-1.7
Alcoholic beverages.....	0.886	3.5	0.9	0.3	0.4	0.8
Alcoholic beverages at home.....	0.591	2.5	1.2	-0.1	0.2	1.0
Beer, ale, and other malt beverages at home.....	0.221	3.7	2.1	0.4	-0.2	2.2
Distilled spirits at home <sup>1</sup> .....	0.109	1.9	0.2	-0.1	0.2	0.2
Whiskey at home <sup>1, 3</sup> .....		1.6	0.8	0.1	0.5	0.8
Distilled spirits, excluding whiskey, at home <sup>1, 3</sup> .....		1.6	-0.1	-0.1	-0.1	-0.1
Wine at home <sup>1</sup> .....	0.260	1.9	0.7	-1.1	1.1	0.7
Alcoholic beverages away from home <sup>1</sup> .....	0.295	4.5	0.3	1.0	0.6	0.3
Beer, ale, and other malt beverages away from home <sup>1, 2, 3</sup> .....		5.3	0.5	0.8	1.0	0.5
Wine away from home <sup>1, 2, 3</sup> .....		4.1	0.2	1.1	0.4	0.2
Distilled spirits away from home <sup>1, 2, 3</sup> .....		3.5	0.3	1.0	0.8	0.3
Other goods <sup>8</sup> .....	1.357	4.9	0.9	0.2	0.8	0.9
Tobacco and smoking products <sup>1</sup> .....	0.522	7.0	0.6	0.7	-0.1	0.6
Cigarettes <sup>1, 2</sup> .....	0.450	7.3	0.7	0.8	-0.3	0.7
Tobacco products other than cigarettes <sup>1, 2</sup> .....	0.066	4.1	-0.3	0.2	1.6	-0.3
Personal care products <sup>1</sup> .....	0.647	0.8	0.8	-0.2	0.7	0.8
Hair, dental, shaving, and miscellaneous personal care products <sup>1, 2</sup> .....	0.331	2.2	0.5	0.0	1.1	0.5
Cosmetics, perfume, bath, nail preparations and implements <sup>1</sup> .....	0.306	-0.9	1.2	-0.4	0.3	1.2
Miscellaneous personal goods <sup>1, 2</sup> .....	0.189	12.3	2.3	0.1	3.5	2.3
Stationery, stationery supplies, gift wrap <sup>3</sup> .....		12.1	2.9	1.1	0.6	3.0
Services less energy services.....	57.395	4.4	0.6	0.3	0.4	0.5
Shelter.....	32.802	4.7	0.6	0.4	0.3	0.5
Rent of shelter <sup>13</sup> .....	32.423	4.8	0.6	0.4	0.4	0.6
Rent of primary residence.....	7.374	4.2	0.5	0.4	0.5	0.6
Lodging away from home <sup>2</sup> .....	0.898	25.1	5.5	1.6	-3.9	2.2
Housing at school, excluding board <sup>13</sup> .....	0.128	1.6	0.0	0.2	0.0	0.2
Other lodging away from home including hotels and motels.....	0.770	29.0	6.4	1.8	-4.2	2.5

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**Table 2. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, by detailed expenditure category, February 2022 — Continued**  
 [1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted]

Expenditure category	Relative importance Jan. 2022	Unadjusted percent change		Seasonally adjusted percent change		
		Feb. 2021-Feb. 2022	Jan. 2022-Feb. 2022	Nov. 2021-Dec. 2021	Dec. 2021-Jan. 2022	Jan. 2022-Feb. 2022
Owners' equivalent rent of residences <sup>13</sup> .....	24.151	4.3	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>13</sup> ..	22.894	4.3	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4
Tenants' and household insurance <sup>1, 2</sup> .....	0.379	-0.4	0.1	0.2	-0.3	0.1
Water and sewer and trash collection services <sup>2</sup> .....	1.113	4.2	0.5	0.3	0.9	0.5
Water and sewerage maintenance.....	0.805	4.2	0.3	0.2	1.3	0.4
Garbage and trash collection <sup>1, 10</sup> .....	0.308	4.1	1.0	0.7	0.1	1.0
Household operations <sup>1, 2</sup> .....						
Domestic services <sup>1, 2</sup> .....	0.246	9.4	0.6	2.4	0.9	0.6
Gardening and lawncare services <sup>1, 2</sup> .....						
Moving, storage, freight expense <sup>1, 2</sup> .....	0.103	5.7	-0.6	1.1	0.0	-0.6
Repair of household items <sup>1, 2</sup> .....						
Medical care services.....	6.971	2.4	0.4	0.3	0.6	0.1
Professional services.....	3.567	1.5	0.2	0.2	0.2	-0.1
Physicians' services <sup>1</sup> .....	1.883	0.5	-0.1	0.0	-0.1	-0.1
Dental services.....	0.920	2.1	0.4	0.2	0.3	0.0
Eyeglasses and eye care <sup>1, 6</sup> .....	0.369	1.8	0.1	0.6	0.2	0.1
Services by other medical professionals <sup>1, 6</sup> .....	0.396	4.8	0.8	0.7	2.5	0.8
Hospital and related services.....	2.584	3.4	0.1	0.1	0.5	0.0
Hospital services <sup>14</sup> .....	2.209	3.4	0.0	0.2	0.5	-0.1
Inpatient hospital services <sup>14, 3</sup> .....		3.6	-0.1	0.2	0.6	-0.1
Outpatient hospital services <sup>3, 6</sup> .....		2.6	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.3
Nursing homes and adult day services <sup>14</sup> .....	0.211	3.7	0.3	0.3	0.7	0.1
Care of invalids and elderly at home <sup>1, 5</sup> .....	0.163	3.4	0.7	-2.0	0.5	0.7
Health insurance <sup>1, 5</sup> .....	0.820	4.1	1.9	1.6	2.7	1.9
Transportation services.....	5.597	6.6	1.6	0.0	1.0	1.4
Leased cars and trucks <sup>1, 11</sup> .....						
Car and truck rental <sup>2</sup> .....	0.135	24.3	1.4	-2.7	-7.0	3.5
Motor vehicle maintenance and repair <sup>1</sup> .....	1.031	6.3	1.7	-0.1	0.2	1.7
Motor vehicle body work <sup>1</sup> .....	0.051	11.9	1.6	2.3	0.6	1.6
Motor vehicle maintenance and servicing <sup>1</sup> .....	0.576	5.4	0.2	0.5	0.5	0.2
Motor vehicle repair <sup>1, 2</sup> .....	0.361	6.7	4.3	-1.7	-0.3	4.3
Motor vehicle insurance.....	2.388	4.3	1.8	-0.2	0.9	1.2
Motor vehicle fees <sup>1, 2</sup> .....	0.518	1.1	0.1	0.1	0.3	0.1
State motor vehicle registration and license fees <sup>1, 2</sup> .....	0.299	0.4	0.0	0.0	0.4	0.0
Parking and other fees <sup>1, 2</sup> .....	0.204	1.9	0.4	0.3	0.1	0.4
Parking fees and tolls <sup>2, 3</sup> .....		3.2	0.6	0.5	-0.2	0.4
Public transportation.....	0.772	8.3	3.8	1.1	1.6	3.5
Airline fares.....	0.481	12.7	5.4	2.5	2.3	5.2
Other intercity transportation.....	0.093	-1.5	0.9	-0.1	-1.6	1.2
Ship fare <sup>1, 2, 3</sup> .....		-0.9	2.0	0.4	-1.4	2.0
Intracity transportation <sup>1</sup> .....	0.197	3.9	1.1	0.9	-0.3	1.1
Intracity mass transit <sup>1, 3, 8</sup> .....		4.8	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Recreation services <sup>9</sup> .....	3.186	5.1	0.9	0.0	0.8	0.6
Video and audio services <sup>8</sup> .....	1.164	3.8	1.0	-0.3	1.2	0.4
Cable and satellite television service <sup>10</sup> .....	1.071	4.4	1.0	-0.3	1.3	0.4
Video discs and other media, including rental of video <sup>1, 2</sup> .....	0.092	-3.7	0.5	-0.9	-0.2	0.5
Video discs and other media <sup>1, 2, 3</sup> .....		-7.4	0.7	-1.6	-0.8	0.7
Rental of video discs and other media <sup>1, 2, 3</sup> .....		3.5	2.1	-0.5	0.9	2.1
Pet services including veterinary <sup>2</sup> .....	0.514	5.8	1.0	1.3	0.7	1.0
Pet services <sup>1, 2, 3</sup> .....		6.5	1.3	0.5	0.6	1.3
Veterinarian services <sup>2, 3</sup> .....		5.2	0.7	1.6	0.8	0.9
Photographers and photo processing <sup>1, 2</sup> .....	0.030	1.6	0.3	-1.5	1.0	0.3

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**Table 2. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, by detailed expenditure category, February 2022 — Continued**  
 [1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted]

Expenditure category	Relative importance Jan. 2022	Unadjusted percent change		Seasonally adjusted percent change		
		Feb. 2021- Feb. 2022	Jan. 2022- Feb. 2022	Nov. 2021- Dec. 2021	Dec. 2021- Jan. 2022	Jan. 2022- Feb. 2022
Other recreation services <sup>2</sup> .....	1.478	5.8	0.7	-0.1	0.5	0.7
Club membership for shopping clubs, fraternal, or other organizations, or participant sports fees <sup>1, 2</sup> ..	0.647	2.4	0.3	0.6	0.6	0.3
Admissions <sup>1</sup> .....	0.466	11.2	1.6	-0.7	0.3	1.6
Admission to movies, theaters, and concerts <sup>1, 2, 3</sup> .....		4.6	-0.2	0.6	0.8	-0.2
Admission to sporting events <sup>1, 2, 3</sup> .....		20.9	2.7	-1.5	-1.4	2.7
Fees for lessons or instructions <sup>1, 6</sup> .....	0.174	2.0	0.2	-0.1	0.8	0.2
Education and communication services <sup>8</sup> .....	5.507	1.7	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
Tuition, other school fees, and childcare.....	2.568	2.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.2
College tuition and fees.....	1.479	2.0	0.0	0.1	0.2	0.2
Elementary and high school tuition and fees.....	0.321	2.3	0.0	0.1	0.2	0.2
Day care and preschool <sup>9</sup> .....	0.636	2.8	0.4	0.2	0.1	0.3
Technical and business school tuition and fees <sup>1, 2</sup> ..	0.040	0.8	0.0	-0.1	-0.4	0.0
Postage and delivery services <sup>2</sup> .....	0.085	3.7	0.5	-0.1	-1.3	-1.4
Postage.....	0.076	3.0	0.5	-0.2	-1.7	-1.7
Delivery services <sup>2</sup> .....	0.009	9.7	0.8	0.6	2.5	1.3
Telephone services <sup>1, 2</sup> .....	1.885	0.6	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.2
Wireless telephone services <sup>1, 2</sup> .....	1.571	-0.4	0.1	-0.1	-0.1	0.1
Residential telephone services <sup>1, 8</sup> .....	0.314	5.8	0.5	0.2	1.0	0.5
Internet services and electronic information providers <sup>1, 2</sup> .....	0.960	2.8	-0.1	0.4	0.1	-0.1
Other personal services <sup>1, 8</sup> .....	1.378	6.2	1.2	0.7	0.7	1.2
Personal care services <sup>1</sup> .....	0.548	5.6	1.1	0.8	1.2	1.1
Haircuts and other personal care services <sup>1, 2</sup> .....	0.548	5.6	1.1	0.8	1.2	1.1
Miscellaneous personal services <sup>1</sup> .....	0.830	6.6	1.2	0.7	0.4	1.2
Legal services <sup>1, 6</sup> .....	0.230	4.9	2.0	0.4	-0.2	2.0
Funeral expenses <sup>1, 6</sup> .....	0.149	2.0	0.2	0.4	0.5	0.2
Laundry and dry cleaning services <sup>1, 2</sup> .....	0.154	9.5	0.9	1.2	0.8	0.9
Apparel services other than laundry and dry cleaning <sup>1, 2</sup> .....	0.018	6.5	1.2	2.8	-0.1	1.2
Financial services <sup>1, 6</sup> .....	0.196	9.1	1.5	0.5	0.8	1.5
Checking account and other bank services <sup>1, 2, 3</sup> ..		10.0	0.0	0.2	0.0	0.0
Tax return preparation and other accounting fees <sup>1, 2, 3</sup> .....		9.8	3.0			3.0

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

<sup>2</sup> Indexes on a December 1997=100 base.

<sup>3</sup> Special index based on a substantially smaller sample.

<sup>4</sup> Indexes on a December 2007=100 base.

<sup>5</sup> Indexes on a December 2005=100 base.

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

<sup>7</sup> Indexes on a December 1993=100 base.

<sup>8</sup> Indexes on a December 2009=100 base.

<sup>9</sup> Indexes on a December 1990=100 base.

<sup>10</sup> Indexes on a December 1983=100 base.

<sup>11</sup> Indexes on a December 2001=100 base.

<sup>12</sup> Indexes on a December 2019=100 base.

<sup>13</sup> Indexes on a December 1982=100 base.

<sup>14</sup> 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, February 2022**

[1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted]

Special aggregate indexes	Relative importance Jan. 2022	Unadjusted indexes			Unadjusted percent change		Seasonally adjusted percent change		
		Feb. 2021	Jan. 2022	Feb. 2022	Feb. 2021-Feb. 2022	Jan. 2022-Feb. 2022	Nov. 2021-Dec. 2021	Dec. 2021-Jan. 2022	Jan. 2022-Feb. 2022
All items less food.....	86.612	261.688	279.782	282.281	7.9	0.9	0.6	0.6	0.8
All items less shelter.....	67.198	240.288	260.156	262.949	9.4	1.1	0.6	0.8	0.9
All items less food and shelter.....	53.810	232.376	252.505	255.235	9.8	1.1	0.7	0.8	0.9
All items less food, shelter, and energy.....	46.397	238.376	254.448	256.529	7.6	0.8	0.6	0.8	0.5
All items less food, shelter, energy, and used cars and trucks.....	42.227	243.504	254.861	256.942	5.5	0.8	0.4	0.7	0.6
All items less medical care.....	91.504	250.497	268.947	271.543	8.4	1.0	0.6	0.6	0.9
All items less energy.....	92.587	270.060	285.779	287.972	6.6	0.8	0.6	0.6	0.6
Commodities.....	39.187	189.402	210.918	213.960	13.0	1.4	1.0	0.8	1.3
Commodities less food, energy, and used cars and trucks.....	17.634	146.418	156.318	157.870	7.8	1.0	0.8	0.9	0.6
Commodities less food.....	25.799	153.865	175.530	178.425	16.0	1.6	1.2	0.7	1.4
Commodities less food and beverages.....	24.913	150.285	172.227	175.114	16.5	1.7	1.3	0.7	1.5
Services.....	60.813	335.655	349.753	351.754	4.8	0.6	0.3	0.6	0.5
Services less rent of shelter <sup>1</sup> .....	28.390	352.974	367.891	369.918	4.8	0.6	0.2	0.9	0.4
Services less medical care services.....	53.842	317.746	332.001	333.994	5.1	0.6	0.3	0.7	0.6
Durables.....	13.112	107.893	127.345	128.109	18.7	0.6	1.6	1.2	0.5
Nondurables.....	26.075	230.980	250.951	255.634	10.7	1.9	0.6	0.6	1.9
Nondurables less food.....	12.687	197.194	218.295	224.264	13.7	2.7	0.8	0.3	2.5
Nondurables less food and beverages.....	11.801	193.264	215.316	221.502	14.6	2.9	0.9	0.3	2.7
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel.....	9.303	243.062	276.866	284.685	17.1	2.8	0.5	0.2	3.1
Nondurables less food and apparel.....	10.189	243.488	274.509	281.800	15.7	2.7	0.3	0.3	2.7
Housing.....	42.357	275.137	289.889	291.504	5.9	0.6	0.5	0.7	0.5
Education and communication <sup>2</sup> .....	6.354	141.679	143.876	143.913	1.6	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.0
Education <sup>2</sup> .....	2.657	272.539	278.087	278.380	2.1	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.2
Communication <sup>2</sup> .....	3.697	75.412	76.292	76.267	1.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	-0.1
Information and information processing <sup>2</sup> ....	3.612	71.208	71.991	71.959	1.1	0.0	0.0	0.1	-0.1
Information technology, hardware and services <sup>3</sup> .....	1.727	7.261	7.425	7.404	2.0	-0.3	0.1	0.1	-0.3
Recreation <sup>2</sup> .....	5.115	123.021	127.937	129.116	5.0	0.9	-0.1	0.9	0.7
Video and audio <sup>2</sup> .....	1.470	108.911	111.376	112.225	3.0	0.8	-0.4	0.9	0.2
Pets, pet products and services <sup>2</sup> .....	1.060	182.884	190.444	192.891	5.5	1.3	0.8	0.8	1.3
Photography <sup>2</sup> .....	0.051	77.109	78.317	78.683	2.0	0.5	-0.6	0.7	0.2
Food and beverages.....	14.274	270.672	288.264	291.244	7.6	1.0	0.5	0.8	1.0
Domestically produced farm food.....	6.885	260.634	279.808	283.829	8.9	1.4	0.4	1.2	1.4
Other services.....	10.071	371.267	382.052	383.948	3.4	0.5	0.2	0.4	0.4
Apparel less footwear.....	1.886	112.107	115.394	119.350	6.5	3.4	1.1	1.2	0.6
Fuels and utilities.....	4.733	251.277	278.758	279.032	11.0	0.1	0.3	2.5	0.1
Household energy.....	3.619	205.820	233.373	233.300	13.4	0.0	0.2	3.0	-0.1
Medical care.....	8.496	524.207	535.048	536.932	2.4	0.4	0.3	0.7	0.2
Transportation.....	18.171	209.054	248.424	253.150	21.1	1.9	1.4	0.4	1.9
Private transportation.....	17.398	207.664	248.995	253.525	22.1	1.8	1.4	0.4	1.8
New and used motor vehicles <sup>2</sup> .....	9.240	102.704	126.211	126.822	23.5	0.5	1.9	0.9	0.0
Utilities and public transportation.....	8.260	221.675	235.419	236.442	6.7	0.4	0.3	1.6	0.2
Household furnishings and operations.....	4.823	127.935	139.162	140.306	9.7	0.8	1.1	1.3	0.6
Other goods and services.....	2.735	469.886	490.856	496.045	5.6	1.1	0.5	0.8	1.1
Personal care.....	2.214	240.366	249.954	252.862	5.2	1.2	0.5	1.0	1.2

<sup>1</sup> Indexes on a December 1982=100 base.

<sup>2</sup> Indexes on a December 1997=100 base.

<sup>3</sup> Indexes on a December 1988=100 base.



**Table 4. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): Selected areas, all items index, February 2022**

[1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted]

Area	Pricing Schedule <sup>1</sup>	Percent change to Feb. 2022 from:			Percent change to Jan. 2022 from:		
		Feb. 2021	Dec. 2021	Jan. 2022	Jan. 2021	Nov. 2021	Dec. 2021
U.S. city average.....	M	7.9	1.8	0.9	7.5	1.2	0.8
<b>Region and area size<sup>2</sup></b>							
Northeast.....	M	6.6	1.4	0.7	6.3	1.0	0.8
Northeast - Size Class A.....	M	5.7	1.4	0.4	5.7	1.1	1.0
Northeast - Size Class B/C <sup>3</sup> .....	M	7.6	1.5	1.0	7.0	0.8	0.5
New England <sup>4</sup> .....	M	6.9	1.5	0.6	6.6	1.3	0.9
Middle Atlantic <sup>4</sup> .....	M	6.4	1.4	0.7	6.1	0.9	0.7
Midwest.....	M	8.0	1.7	0.9	7.9	1.1	0.8
Midwest - Size Class A.....	M	7.4	1.4	0.9	7.4	0.9	0.6
Midwest - Size Class B/C <sup>3</sup> .....	M	8.3	1.8	0.9	8.2	1.1	0.9
East North Central <sup>4</sup> .....	M	7.9	1.8	0.9	7.9	1.2	0.9
West North Central <sup>4</sup> .....	M	8.2	1.4	0.9	7.9	0.8	0.6
South.....	M	8.4	2.0	1.1	7.8	1.2	0.9
South - Size Class A.....	M	8.4	2.1	1.2	7.7	1.5	0.9
South - Size Class B/C <sup>3</sup> .....	M	8.4	2.0	1.1	7.8	1.1	0.9
South Atlantic <sup>4</sup> .....	M	8.6	2.1	1.1	7.9	1.4	1.0
East South Central <sup>4</sup> .....	M	7.4	1.8	1.1	6.9	0.5	0.7
West South Central <sup>4</sup> .....	M	8.5	2.0	1.2	7.8	1.1	0.8
West.....	M	8.1	1.7	0.8	7.7	1.3	0.9
West - Size Class A.....	M	7.6	1.6	0.7	7.4	1.3	0.9
West - Size Class B/C <sup>3</sup> .....	M	8.5	1.8	0.9	8.1	1.2	0.9
Mountain <sup>4</sup> .....	M	9.7	1.9	1.2	9.0	1.3	0.7
Pacific <sup>4</sup> .....	M	7.4	1.6	0.7	7.3	1.2	0.9
<b>Size classes</b>							
Size Class A <sup>5</sup> .....	M	7.4	1.7	0.8	7.1	1.2	0.9
Size Class B/C <sup>3</sup> .....	M	8.3	1.8	1.0	7.8	1.1	0.8
<b>Selected local areas</b>							
Chicago-Naperville-Elgin, IL-IN-WI.....	M	7.1	1.7	0.8	6.8	1.3	0.9
Los Angeles-Long Beach-Anaheim, CA.....	M	7.4	1.4	0.3	7.5	1.5	1.1
New York-Newark-Jersey City, NY-NJ-PA.....	M	5.1	1.4	0.3	5.1	0.9	1.1
Atlanta-Sandy Springs-Roswell, GA.....	2	10.6	2.3				
Baltimore-Columbia-Towson, MD <sup>6</sup> .....	2	9.3	1.3				
Detroit-Warren-Dearborn, MI.....	2	7.5	1.1				
Houston-The Woodlands-Sugar Land, TX.....	2	7.8	2.1				
Miami-Fort Lauderdale-West Palm Beach, FL.....	2	9.8	3.3				
Philadelphia-Camden-Wilmington, PA-NJ-DE-MD.....	2	7.3	1.5				
Phoenix-Mesa-Scottsdale, AZ <sup>7</sup> .....	2	10.9	2.1				
San Francisco-Oakland-Hayward, CA.....	2	5.2	1.4				
Seattle-Tacoma-Bellevue, WA.....	2	8.1	1.7				
St. Louis, MO-IL.....	2	8.2	1.1				
Urban Alaska.....	2	7.4	1.1				
Boston-Cambridge-Newton, MA-NH.....	1				6.3	1.6	
Dallas-Fort Worth-Arlington, TX.....	1				7.8	1.6	
Denver-Aurora-Lakewood, CO.....	1				7.9	1.4	
Minneapolis-St. Paul-Bloomington, MN-WI.....	1				7.2	0.7	
Riverside-San Bernardino-Ontario, CA <sup>4</sup> .....	1				8.6	1.5	
San Diego-Carlsbad, CA.....	1				8.2	2.0	
Tampa-St. Petersburg-Clearwater, FL <sup>8</sup> .....	1				9.6	2.4	
Urban Hawaii.....	1				6.0	0.9	
Washington-Arlington-Alexandria, DC-VA-MD-WV <sup>6</sup> .....	1				6.0	0.9	

<sup>1</sup> 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.

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

<sup>2</sup> Regions defined as the four Census regions.

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

<sup>4</sup> Indexes on a December 2017=100 base.

<sup>5</sup> Indexes on a December 1986=100 base.

<sup>6</sup> 1998 - 2017 indexes based on substantially smaller sample.

<sup>7</sup> Indexes on a December 2001=100 base.

<sup>8</sup> 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, February 2022**  
 [Percent changes]

Month Year	Unadjusted 1-month percent change		Unadjusted 12-month percent change	
	C-CPI-U <sup>1</sup>	CPI-U	C-CPI-U <sup>1</sup>	CPI-U
December 2009.....			2.5	2.7
December 2010.....			1.3	1.5
December 2011.....			2.9	3.0
December 2012.....			1.5	1.7
December 2013.....			1.3	1.5
December 2014.....			0.5	0.8
December 2015.....			0.4	0.7
December 2016.....			1.8	2.1
December 2017.....			1.7	2.1
December 2018.....			1.5	1.9
December 2019.....			1.8	2.3
January 2020.....	0.4	0.4	2.0	2.5
February 2020.....	0.3	0.3	1.8	2.3
March 2020.....	-0.2	-0.2	1.1	1.5
April 2020.....	-0.5	-0.7	0.2	0.3
May 2020.....	-0.1	0.0	-0.1	0.1
June 2020.....	0.6	0.5	0.4	0.6
July 2020.....	0.6	0.5	0.9	1.0
August 2020.....	0.4	0.3	1.3	1.3
September 2020.....	0.1	0.1	1.4	1.4
October 2020.....	0.0	0.0	1.2	1.2
November 2020.....	-0.1	-0.1	1.2	1.2
December 2020.....	0.1	0.1	1.5	1.4
January 2021.....	0.5	0.4	1.6	1.4
February 2021.....	0.5	0.5	1.8	1.7
March 2021.....	0.6	0.7	2.6	2.6
April 2021.....	0.8	0.8	4.0	4.2
May 2021.....	0.8	0.8	5.0	5.0
June 2021.....	0.9	0.9	5.3	5.4
July 2021.....	0.5	0.5	5.1	5.4
August 2021.....	0.2	0.2	4.9	5.3
September 2021.....	0.3	0.3	5.1	5.4
October 2021.....	0.8	0.8	6.0	6.2
November 2021.....	0.5	0.5	6.6	6.8
December 2021.....	0.3	0.3	6.7	7.0
January 2022.....	0.8	0.8	7.1	7.5
February 2022.....	0.9	0.9	7.5	7.9

<sup>1</sup> 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, February 2022, 1-month analysis table**  
 [1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted]

Expenditure category	Relative importance Jan. 2022	One Month				
		Seasonally adjusted percent change Jan. 2022-Feb. 2022	Seasonally adjusted effect on All Items Jan. 2022-Feb. 2022 <sup>1</sup>	Standard error, median price change <sup>2</sup>	Largest (L) or Smallest (S) seasonally adjusted change since: <sup>3</sup>	
					Date	Percent change
All items.....	100.000	0.8		0.04	L-Oct.2021	0.9
Food.....	13.388	1.0	0.136	0.09	L-Apr.2020	1.4
Food at home.....	8.193	1.4	0.113	0.13	L-Apr.2020	2.5
Cereals and bakery products.....	1.039	1.1	0.011	0.32	S-Dec.2021	0.3
Cereals and cereal products.....	0.332	1.3	0.004	0.38	L-Oct.2021	1.7
Flour and prepared flour mixes.....	0.054	1.0	0.001	0.89	S-Dec.2021	0.2
Breakfast cereal <sup>4</sup> .....	0.139	1.1	0.002	0.68	L-Dec.2021	1.4
Rice, pasta, cornmeal.....	0.139	0.8	0.001	0.53	S-Dec.2021	0.7
Rice <sup>4, 5, 6</sup> .....		0.9		0.62	S-Dec.2021	0.8
Bakery products <sup>4</sup> .....	0.706	1.3	0.009	0.39	S-Dec.2021	0.1
Bread <sup>4, 5</sup> .....	0.199	0.4	0.001	0.53	S-Dec.2021	0.0
White bread <sup>4, 6</sup> .....		0.6		0.74	S-Dec.2021	-0.5
Bread other than white <sup>4, 6</sup> .....		0.4		0.86	S-Aug.2021	0.2
Fresh biscuits, rolls, muffins <sup>5</sup> .....	0.107	2.4	0.003	1.00	L-Sep.2021	3.5
Cakes, cupcakes, and cookies <sup>4</sup> .....	0.174	1.2	0.002	0.67	S-Dec.2021	0.7
Cookies <sup>4, 6</sup> .....		1.9		0.77	S-Dec.2021	1.8
Fresh cakes and cupcakes <sup>4, 6</sup> .....		0.4		1.06	S-Dec.2021	-0.9
Other bakery products.....	0.227	1.6	0.004	0.67	L-Oct.2021	1.8
Fresh sweetrolls, coffeecakes, doughnuts <sup>4, 6</sup> .....		4.1		1.29	L-Apr.2020	5.0
Crackers, bread, and cracker products <sup>6</sup> .....		1.5		1.31	L-Dec.2021	2.0
Frozen and refrigerated bakery products, pies, tarts, turnovers <sup>4, 6</sup> .....		1.4		0.86	S-Dec.2021	-0.3
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs.....	1.878	1.2	0.023	0.25	L-Oct.2021	1.5
Meats, poultry, and fish.....	1.768	1.2	0.020	0.27	L-Nov.2021	1.2
Meats.....	1.134	1.0	0.011	0.38	L-Nov.2021	1.4
Beef and veal.....	0.535	0.8	0.004	0.55	L-Nov.2021	0.9
Uncooked ground beef <sup>4</sup> .....	0.192	0.7	0.001	0.65	L-Nov.2021	0.9
Uncooked beef roasts <sup>4, 5</sup> .....	0.080	1.6	0.001	1.40	L-Nov.2021	1.8
Uncooked beef steaks <sup>5</sup> .....	0.211	0.1	0.000	0.93	L-Nov.2021	0.5
Uncooked other beef and veal <sup>4, 5</sup> .....	0.053	1.0	0.001	1.15	L-Nov.2021	2.5
Pork.....	0.362	1.0	0.004	0.64	L-Nov.2021	2.4
Bacon, breakfast sausage, and related products <sup>5</sup> .....	0.161	1.3	0.002	0.77	L-Nov.2021	1.9
Bacon and related products <sup>6</sup> .....		0.8		0.86	L-Nov.2021	1.4
Breakfast sausage and related products <sup>5, 6</sup> .....		2.1		1.20	L-Nov.2021	2.5
Ham.....	0.064	3.0	0.002	1.86	L-Apr.2021	3.4
Ham, excluding canned <sup>6</sup> .....		2.9		2.02	L-Apr.2021	4.0
Pork chops <sup>4</sup> .....	0.052	0.0	0.000	1.63	L-Nov.2021	0.2
Other pork including roasts, steaks, and ribs <sup>5</sup> .....	0.084	1.6	0.001	1.53	L-Nov.2021	4.0
Other meats.....	0.237	1.6	0.004	0.60	S-Dec.2021	1.5
Frankfurters <sup>6</sup> .....		2.2		1.28	L-Sep.2021	3.5
Lunchmeats <sup>4, 5, 6</sup> .....		2.0		0.59	L-Dec.2021	2.7
Poultry <sup>4</sup> .....	0.343	1.7	0.006	0.51	L-Jul.2021	1.9
Chicken <sup>4, 5</sup> .....	0.278	1.8	0.005	0.62	L-Jul.2021	2.2
Fresh whole chicken <sup>4, 6</sup> .....		2.6		0.93	L-Apr.2020	7.1
Fresh and frozen chicken parts <sup>4, 6</sup> .....		1.7		0.73	L-Jul.2021	2.7
Other uncooked poultry including turkey <sup>5</sup> .....	0.065	0.6	0.000	0.90	S-Dec.2021	-0.7
Fish and seafood.....	0.291	1.1	0.003	0.56	S-Dec.2021	0.7
Fresh fish and seafood <sup>4, 5</sup> .....	0.149	-0.7	-0.001	0.84	S-Apr.2021	-0.7
Processed fish and seafood <sup>5</sup> .....	0.142	2.3	0.003	0.71	L-Apr.2020	3.6
Shelf stable fish and seafood <sup>6</sup> .....		2.3		0.91	L-Mar.2018	5.5
Frozen fish and seafood <sup>6</sup> .....		2.4		0.96	L-Nov.2021	2.8

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**Table 6. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, by expenditure category, February 2022, 1-month analysis table — Continued**  
 [1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted]

Expenditure category	Relative importance Jan. 2022	One Month				
		Seasonally adjusted percent change Jan. 2022-Feb. 2022	Seasonally adjusted effect on All Items Jan. 2022-Feb. 2022 <sup>1</sup>	Standard error, median price change <sup>2</sup>	Largest (L) or Smallest (S) seasonally adjusted change since: <sup>3</sup>	
					Date	Percent change
Eggs <sup>4</sup> .....	0.110	2.2	0.002	0.73	L-Dec.2021	3.6
Dairy and related products.....	0.756	1.9	0.014	0.32	L-Apr.2011	2.3
Milk <sup>5</sup> .....	0.195	3.5	0.007	0.43	L-Aug.2020	3.7
Fresh whole milk <sup>6</sup> .....		3.0		0.56	L-Aug.2020	4.3
Fresh milk other than whole <sup>5, 6</sup> .....		3.4		0.65	L-Aug.2020	3.5
Cheese and related products <sup>4</sup> .....	0.250	1.2	0.003	0.59	—	—
Ice cream and related products.....	0.112	1.6	0.002	0.94	L-Jul.2021	1.8
Other dairy and related products <sup>4, 5</sup> .....	0.199	1.1	0.002	0.57	S-Dec.2021	0.7
Fruits and vegetables.....	1.420	2.3	0.033	0.33	L-Mar.2010	2.8
Fresh fruits and vegetables.....	1.094	2.6	0.028	0.40	L-Mar.2010	3.7
Fresh fruits.....	0.589	3.7	0.022	0.62	L-Feb.2007	4.6
Apples.....	0.076	2.7	0.002	1.09	L-Sep.2021	2.8
Bananas <sup>4</sup> .....	0.081	-0.1	0.000	0.71	S-Aug.2021	-1.1
Citrus fruits <sup>5</sup> .....	0.161	6.8	0.012	1.06	L-Feb.2007	11.9
Oranges, including tangerines <sup>6</sup> .....		5.7		1.43	L-Dec.2021	7.3
Other fresh fruits <sup>5</sup> .....	0.271	3.5	0.009	1.07	L-Aug.2020	4.2
Fresh vegetables.....	0.505	1.3	0.006	0.51	L-Jan.2020	2.4
Potatoes.....	0.076	1.3	0.001	0.77	L-Dec.2021	4.6
Lettuce <sup>4</sup> .....	0.060	-0.3	0.000	0.92	L-Dec.2021	-0.2
Tomatoes.....	0.084	1.2	0.001	1.09	L-May 2021	1.2
Other fresh vegetables.....	0.285	0.8	0.002	0.71	L-Oct.2021	1.2
Processed fruits and vegetables <sup>5</sup> .....	0.326	1.5	0.005	0.41	L-Apr.2020	1.8
Canned fruits and vegetables <sup>5</sup> .....	0.165	1.3	0.002	0.61	S-Dec.2021	0.3
Canned fruits <sup>5, 6</sup> .....		-0.3		0.69	S-Nov.2021	-0.8
Canned vegetables <sup>5, 6</sup> .....		2.1		0.72	L-Oct.2021	2.5
Frozen fruits and vegetables <sup>5</sup> .....	0.098	2.2	0.002	0.88	L-Dec.2021	2.8
Frozen vegetables <sup>6</sup> .....		2.7		1.04	L-May 2015	2.8
Other processed fruits and vegetables including dried <sup>5</sup> .....	0.063	1.4	0.001	0.94	—	—
Dried beans, peas, and lentils <sup>4, 5, 6</sup> .....		0.5		0.90	L-Dec.2021	1.6
Nonalcoholic beverages and beverage materials.....	0.935	1.6	0.015	0.40	L-Apr.2020	3.3
Juices and nonalcoholic drinks <sup>5</sup> .....	0.660	1.5	0.010	0.49	L-Sep.2021	1.5
Carbonated drinks.....	0.275	1.5	0.004	0.85	L-Sep.2021	2.4
Frozen noncarbonated juices and drinks <sup>4, 5</sup> .....	0.007	4.6	0.000	0.66	L-Nov.2006	4.8
Nonfrozen noncarbonated juices and drinks <sup>5</sup> .....	0.378	1.6	0.006	0.59	L-Apr.2020	3.9
Beverage materials including coffee and tea <sup>5</sup> .....	0.276	1.9	0.005	0.61	L-Mar.2011	1.9
Coffee.....	0.179	1.5	0.003	0.79	S-Dec.2021	0.2
Roasted coffee <sup>6</sup> .....		1.7		0.90	S-Dec.2021	0.4
Instant coffee <sup>4, 6</sup> .....		0.7		1.86	S-Dec.2021	0.5
Other beverage materials including tea <sup>4, 5</sup> .....	0.097	2.5	0.002	1.01	L-EVER	—
Other food at home.....	2.164	0.8	0.016	0.25	S-Dec.2021	0.4
Sugar and sweets <sup>4</sup> .....	0.279	1.1	0.003	0.68	S-Oct.2021	0.2
Sugar and sugar substitutes.....	0.041	0.9	0.000	0.59	L-Oct.2021	3.0
Candy and chewing gum <sup>4, 5</sup> .....	0.179	1.2	0.002	0.97	—	—
Other sweets <sup>5</sup> .....	0.060	0.7	0.000	0.82	L-Nov.2021	3.4
Fats and oils.....	0.236	1.4	0.003	0.59	S-Dec.2021	0.3
Butter and margarine <sup>5</sup> .....	0.069	3.2	0.002	1.06	L-Oct.2015	4.1
Butter <sup>6</sup> .....		3.1		1.49	L-Apr.2018	4.0
Margarine <sup>4, 6</sup> .....		5.0		1.54	L-Apr.2008	6.8
Salad dressing <sup>5</sup> .....	0.055	1.0	0.001	0.96	L-Aug.2021	3.3
Other fats and oils including peanut butter <sup>5</sup> .....	0.112	0.7	0.001	0.95	S-Oct.2021	0.3
Peanut butter <sup>4, 5, 6</sup> .....		2.0		0.58	S-Dec.2021	0.3
Other foods.....	1.650	0.6	0.010	0.29	S-Dec.2021	0.3

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 [1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted]

Expenditure category	Relative importance Jan. 2022	One Month				
		Seasonally adjusted percent change Jan. 2022-Feb. 2022	Seasonally adjusted effect on All Items Jan. 2022-Feb. 2022 <sup>1</sup>	Standard error, median price change <sup>2</sup>	Largest (L) or Smallest (S) seasonally adjusted change since: <sup>3</sup>	
					Date	Percent change
Soups.....	0.094	3.9	0.004	1.00	L-EVER	-
Frozen and freeze dried prepared foods.....	0.266	1.0	0.003	0.55	S-Dec.2021	0.2
Snacks <sup>4</sup> .....	0.358	1.6	0.006	0.58	L-Nov.2021	1.6
Spices, seasonings, condiments, sauces.....	0.321	0.0	0.000	0.48	S-Aug.2021	-0.2
Salt and other seasonings and spices <sup>5, 6</sup> .....		-0.3		0.73	L-Dec.2021	-0.1
Olives, pickles, relishes <sup>4, 5, 6</sup> .....		0.6		0.86	L-Dec.2021	0.8
Sauces and gravies <sup>5, 6</sup> .....		1.3		1.02	L-Apr.2021	1.3
Other condiments <sup>6</sup> .....		-0.8		0.71	S-Jun.2021	-1.4
Baby food <sup>4, 5</sup> .....	0.043	0.7	0.000	0.61	L-Oct.2021	2.6
Other miscellaneous foods <sup>5</sup> .....	0.568	0.5	0.003	0.60	S-Nov.2021	0.1
Prepared salads <sup>7, 6</sup> .....		2.6		1.61	L-Sep.2021	3.3
Food away from home <sup>4</sup> .....	5.195	0.4	0.023	0.11	S-Aug.2021	0.4
Full service meals and snacks <sup>4, 5</sup> .....	2.405	0.6	0.015	0.14	S-Nov.2021	0.4
Limited service meals and snacks <sup>4, 5</sup> .....	2.546	0.3	0.007	0.15	S-Nov.2020	0.2
Food at employee sites and schools <sup>4, 5</sup> .....	0.036	-2.0	-0.001	2.22	S-Dec.2021	-7.9
Food at elementary and secondary schools <sup>4, 8, 6</sup> .....		0.4		6.84	S-Dec.2021	-12.4
Food from vending machines and mobile vendors <sup>4, 5</sup> .....	0.037	0.2	0.000	0.46	S-Dec.2021	-1.5
Other food away from home <sup>4, 5</sup> .....	0.173	0.8	0.001	0.12	L-Sep.2021	1.3
Energy.....	7.413	3.5	0.262	0.14	L-Oct.2021	3.7
Energy commodities.....	3.995	6.7	0.277	0.13	L-Mar.2021	9.8
Fuel oil and other fuels.....	0.201	6.5	0.013	0.65	L-Oct.2021	7.2
Fuel oil <sup>4</sup> .....	0.125	7.7	0.010	0.67	S-Dec.2021	-2.4
Propane, kerosene, and firewood <sup>9</sup> .....	0.076	3.9	0.003	0.83	L-Oct.2021	6.1
Motor fuel.....	3.794	6.7	0.264	0.13	L-Mar.2021	10.2
Gasoline (all types).....	3.720	6.6	0.256	0.13	L-Mar.2021	10.3
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>6</sup> .....		6.1		0.39	L-Mar.2021	11.2
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>10, 6</sup> .....		4.6		0.36	L-Nov.2021	4.7
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>6</sup> .....		3.9		0.36	L-Nov.2021	4.3
Other motor fuels <sup>4, 5</sup> .....	0.074	6.0	0.004	0.26	L-Mar.2021	10.4
Energy services.....	3.418	-0.4	-0.015	0.21	S-Feb.2020	-0.4
Electricity.....	2.543	-1.1	-0.028	0.21	S-Apr.2014	-2.8
Utility (piped) gas service.....	0.875	1.5	0.013	0.37	L-Oct.2021	5.9
All items less food and energy.....	79.199	0.5	0.400	0.04	S-Nov.2021	0.5
Commodities less food and energy commodities.....	21.804	0.4	0.096	0.10	S-Sep.2021	0.3
Household furnishings and supplies <sup>11</sup> .....	3.982	0.8	0.030	0.24	S-Nov.2021	0.8
Window and floor coverings and other linens <sup>4, 5</sup> .....	0.299	0.1	0.000	1.08	S-Nov.2021	-1.9
Floor coverings <sup>4, 5</sup> .....	0.066	4.8	0.003	1.03	L-EVER	-
Window coverings <sup>4, 5</sup> .....	0.059	-5.5	-0.003	1.42	S-EVER	-
Other linens <sup>4, 5</sup> .....	0.173	0.3	0.000	1.57	S-Nov.2021	-4.6
Furniture and bedding <sup>4</sup> .....	0.986	0.1	0.001	0.47	S-Jul.2021	-0.6
Bedroom furniture <sup>4</sup> .....	0.322	0.5	0.002	0.72	S-Nov.2021	0.0
Living room, kitchen, and dining room furniture <sup>4, 5</sup> .....	0.477	-0.2	-0.001	0.79	S-Oct.2021	-0.8
Other furniture <sup>5</sup> .....	0.178	-0.3	-0.001	0.83	S-Jun.2021	-0.3
Appliances <sup>5</sup> .....	0.258	0.7	0.002	0.62	S-Nov.2021	0.1
Major appliances <sup>5</sup> .....	0.085	1.8	0.002	0.80	L-Jun.2021	1.9
Laundry equipment <sup>4, 6</sup> .....		3.0		1.08	L-Dec.2021	3.4
Other appliances <sup>4, 5</sup> .....	0.170	0.6	0.001	0.85	S-Dec.2021	0.3
Other household equipment and furnishings <sup>5</sup> .....	0.569	2.4	0.013	0.54	L-Oct.2004	4.5
Clocks, lamps, and decorator items <sup>4</sup> .....	0.343	3.7	0.013	0.66	L-Oct.2004	7.9
Indoor plants and flowers <sup>12</sup> .....	0.101	1.0	0.001	0.89	S-Dec.2021	0.4
Dishes and flatware <sup>4, 5</sup> .....	0.050	2.1	0.001	1.90	S-Dec.2021	1.3
Nonelectric cookware and tableware <sup>4, 5</sup> .....	0.075	1.5	0.001	1.17	S-Dec.2021	0.5

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Expenditure category	Relative importance Jan. 2022	One Month				
		Seasonally adjusted percent change Jan. 2022-Feb. 2022	Seasonally adjusted effect on All Items Jan. 2022-Feb. 2022 <sup>1</sup>	Standard error, median price change <sup>2</sup>	Largest (L) or Smallest (S) seasonally adjusted change since: <sup>3</sup>	
					Date	Percent change
Tools, hardware, outdoor equipment and supplies <sup>5</sup> . . .	0.941	0.4	0.003	0.34	S-Jul.2021	0.2
Tools, hardware and supplies <sup>4, 5</sup> . . . . .	0.242	0.9	0.002	0.57	S-Dec.2021	0.4
Outdoor equipment and supplies <sup>5</sup> . . . . .	0.472	0.3	0.001	0.43	S-Nov.2021	0.3
Housekeeping supplies <sup>4</sup> . . . . .	0.929	1.4	0.013	0.34	S-Dec.2021	1.0
Household cleaning products <sup>4, 5</sup> . . . . .	0.339	1.9	0.006	0.54	—	—
Household paper products <sup>4, 5</sup> . . . . .	0.212	1.7	0.004	0.45	L-Nov.2020	4.0
Miscellaneous household products <sup>4, 5</sup> . . . . .	0.377	0.7	0.002	0.57	S-Dec.2021	0.5
Apparel . . . . .	2.498	0.7	0.018	0.37	S-Nov.2021	0.7
Men's and boys' apparel . . . . .	0.638	0.4	0.003	0.69	—	—
Men's apparel . . . . .	0.488	1.0	0.005	0.83	L-Nov.2021	1.7
Men's suits, sport coats, and outerwear . . . . .	0.076	-1.7	-0.001	2.00	S-Sep.2021	-2.0
Men's underwear, nightwear, swimwear, and accessories <sup>4</sup> . . . . .	0.164	2.4	0.004	1.01	L-Aug.2021	2.5
Men's shirts and sweaters <sup>5</sup> . . . . .	0.120	0.8	0.001	1.26	S-Oct.2021	-0.6
Men's pants and shorts . . . . .	0.123	2.5	0.003	1.42	L-Jan.2021	2.9
Boys' apparel . . . . .	0.150	1.0	0.002	1.14	S-Dec.2021	0.6
Women's and girls' apparel . . . . .	0.964	1.2	0.012	0.62	—	—
Women's apparel . . . . .	0.808	1.5	0.012	0.69	L-Oct.2021	1.6
Women's outerwear . . . . .	0.061	-1.6	-0.001	1.73	S-Jul.2021	-1.7
Women's dresses . . . . .	0.087	-0.8	-0.001	1.69	S-Sep.2021	-1.6
Women's suits and separates <sup>5</sup> . . . . .	0.385	1.3	0.005	1.10	L-Dec.2021	2.5
Women's underwear, nightwear, swimwear, and accessories <sup>5</sup> . . . . .	0.266	3.8	0.010	0.96	L-Feb.2009	4.6
Girls' apparel . . . . .	0.156	0.0	0.000	1.39	S-Dec.2021	-0.5
Footwear . . . . .	0.611	1.3	0.008	0.51	L-Jul.2020	1.4
Men's footwear <sup>4</sup> . . . . .	0.208	1.0	0.002	0.74	S-Dec.2021	-0.5
Boys' and girls' footwear . . . . .	0.118	2.5	0.003	1.15	L-May 2021	3.1
Women's footwear . . . . .	0.285	0.3	0.001	0.73	S-Oct.2021	-0.2
Infants' and toddlers' apparel . . . . .	0.116	2.1	0.002	1.54	S-Dec.2021	-0.3
Jewelry and watches <sup>9</sup> . . . . .	0.169	-4.2	-0.007	1.23	S-EVER	—
Watches <sup>4, 9</sup> . . . . .	0.031	0.9	0.000	1.52	S-Nov.2021	-1.6
Jewelry <sup>9</sup> . . . . .	0.137	-5.7	-0.008	1.50	S-EVER	—
Transportation commodities less motor fuel <sup>11</sup> . . . . .	8.780	0.1	0.009	0.13	S-Aug.2021	0.1
New vehicles . . . . .	4.094	0.3	0.013	0.24	L-Dec.2021	1.2
New cars and trucks <sup>5, 6</sup> . . . . .		0.3		0.34	L-Dec.2021	1.2
New cars <sup>6</sup> . . . . .		0.3		0.36	L-Dec.2021	1.5
New trucks <sup>13, 6</sup> . . . . .		0.3		0.34	L-Dec.2021	1.0
Used cars and trucks . . . . .	4.170	-0.2	-0.010	0.02	S-Sep.2021	-0.5
Motor vehicle parts and equipment <sup>4</sup> . . . . .	0.427	1.6	0.007	0.42	S-Dec.2021	1.6
Tires <sup>4</sup> . . . . .	0.272	1.5	0.004	0.54	S-Nov.2021	1.3
Vehicle accessories other than tires <sup>4, 5</sup> . . . . .	0.155	1.7	0.003	0.55	L-Oct.2021	1.8
Vehicle parts and equipment other than tires <sup>4, 6</sup> . . . . .		1.9		0.66	L-Mar.2021	2.4
Motor oil, coolant, and fluids <sup>4, 6</sup> . . . . .		1.3		0.76	S-Dec.2021	0.8
Medical care commodities <sup>4</sup> . . . . .	1.525	0.3	0.005	0.20	S-Dec.2021	0.0
Medicinal drugs <sup>4, 11</sup> . . . . .	1.422	0.4	0.006	0.21	S-Dec.2021	0.0
Prescription drugs <sup>4</sup> . . . . .	1.048	0.3	0.003	0.17	S-Dec.2021	0.1
Nonprescription drugs <sup>4, 11</sup> . . . . .	0.374	0.7	0.003	0.51	L-Oct.2021	1.0
Medical equipment and supplies <sup>4, 11</sup> . . . . .	0.103	-0.5	-0.001	0.49	S-Jun.2021	-0.6
Recreation commodities <sup>11</sup> . . . . .	1.929	0.9	0.017	0.24	S-Dec.2021	-0.4
Video and audio products <sup>11</sup> . . . . .	0.307	-0.6	-0.002	0.43	S-Dec.2021	-0.8
Televisions . . . . .	0.145	-0.9	-0.001	0.58	L-Sep.2021	-0.5
Other video equipment <sup>5</sup> . . . . .	0.026	0.7	0.000	1.14	L-Nov.2021	0.8
Audio equipment <sup>4</sup> . . . . .	0.076	-0.1	0.000	1.11	S-Dec.2021	-0.3

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Recorded music and music subscriptions <sup>4, 5</sup> .....	0.054	-1.1	-0.001	0.38	S-Jan.2021	-1.5
Pets and pet products <sup>4</sup> .....	0.546	1.6	0.008	0.36	L-Jul.2008	2.3
Pet food <sup>4, 5, 6</sup> .....		1.1		0.36	L-Jun.2011	1.1
Purchase of pets, pet supplies, accessories <sup>4, 5, 6</sup> .....		2.3		0.75	L-Jul.2021	3.1
Sporting goods <sup>4</sup> .....	0.573	0.5	0.003	0.50	S-Dec.2021	-1.2
Sports vehicles including bicycles <sup>4</sup> .....	0.332	-0.2	-0.001	0.74	S-Dec.2021	-2.3
Sports equipment <sup>4</sup> .....	0.230	1.6	0.004	0.48	S-Dec.2021	0.7
Photographic equipment and supplies.....	0.021	0.0	0.000	0.79	S-Nov.2021	-0.5
Photographic equipment <sup>5, 6</sup> .....		-0.4		0.75	S-Nov.2021	-0.6
Recreational reading materials <sup>4</sup> .....	0.097	3.5	0.003	0.63	L-EVER	—
Newspapers and magazines <sup>4, 5</sup> .....	0.056	5.3	0.003	0.82	L-EVER	—
Recreational books <sup>4, 5</sup> .....	0.041	1.2	0.000	0.85	L-Nov.2021	1.3
Other recreational goods <sup>5</sup> .....	0.386	1.0	0.004	0.56	L-Apr.2021	2.2
Toys.....	0.301	0.9	0.003	0.67	L-Nov.2021	1.0
Toys, games, hobbies and playground equipment <sup>7, 6</sup> .....		2.4		0.90	L-EVER	—
Sewing machines, fabric and supplies <sup>4, 5</sup> .....	0.026	1.9	0.001	1.60	L-Apr.2021	5.0
Music instruments and accessories <sup>4, 5</sup> .....	0.043	1.0	0.000	0.93	S-Dec.2021	0.4
Education and communication commodities <sup>11</sup> .....	0.847	-0.7	-0.006	0.55	S-Nov.2021	-1.0
Educational books and supplies <sup>4</sup> .....	0.089	-0.4	0.000	0.85	S-Nov.2021	-0.4
College textbooks <sup>4, 14, 6</sup> .....		-0.4		0.73	S-Nov.2021	-0.9
Information technology commodities <sup>11</sup> .....	0.758	-0.7	-0.005	0.70	S-Nov.2021	-1.2
Computers, peripherals, and smart home assistants <sup>7</sup> .....	0.360	0.8	0.003	0.83	L-Sep.2021	1.2
Computer software and accessories <sup>4, 5</sup> .....	0.021	-0.5	0.000	1.40	S-Nov.2021	-1.4
Telephone hardware, calculators, and other consumer information items <sup>5</sup> .....	0.378	-2.1	-0.008	0.85	S-Jan.2021	-2.6
Smartphones <sup>4, 6, 15</sup> .....		-1.7		1.16	S-Oct.2021	-3.6
Alcoholic beverages.....	0.886	0.8	0.007	0.20	L-Jan.2012	0.9
Alcoholic beverages at home.....	0.591	1.0	0.006	0.25	L-Feb.1991	3.4
Beer, ale, and other malt beverages at home.....	0.221	2.2	0.005	0.38	L-Feb.1991	4.1
Distilled spirits at home <sup>4</sup> .....	0.109	0.2	0.000	0.34	—	—
Whiskey at home <sup>4, 6</sup> .....		0.8		0.42	L-Feb.2021	0.8
Distilled spirits, excluding whiskey, at home <sup>4, 6</sup> .....		-0.1		0.52	—	—
Wine at home <sup>4</sup> .....	0.260	0.7	0.002	0.39	S-Dec.2021	-1.1
Alcoholic beverages away from home <sup>4</sup> .....	0.295	0.3	0.001	0.24	S-Nov.2021	0.1
Beer, ale, and other malt beverages away from home <sup>4, 5, 6</sup> .....		0.5		0.29	S-Nov.2021	0.5
Wine away from home <sup>4, 5, 6</sup> .....		0.2		0.29	S-Nov.2021	0.1
Distilled spirits away from home <sup>4, 5, 6</sup> .....		0.3		0.31	S-Nov.2021	-0.4
Other goods <sup>11</sup> .....	1.357	0.9	0.013	0.21	L-Oct.2021	1.2
Tobacco and smoking products <sup>4</sup> .....	0.522	0.6	0.003	0.20	L-Dec.2021	0.7
Cigarettes <sup>4, 5</sup> .....	0.450	0.7	0.003	0.22	L-Dec.2021	0.8
Tobacco products other than cigarettes <sup>4, 5</sup> .....	0.066	-0.3	0.000	0.33	S-Jun.2021	-0.4
Personal care products <sup>4</sup> .....	0.647	0.8	0.005	0.26	L-Feb.2020	1.1
Hair, dental, shaving, and miscellaneous personal care products <sup>4, 5</sup> .....	0.331	0.5	0.001	0.33	S-Dec.2021	0.0
Cosmetics, perfume, bath, nail preparations and implements <sup>4</sup> .....	0.306	1.2	0.004	0.37	L-Aug.2021	1.3
Miscellaneous personal goods <sup>4, 5</sup> .....	0.189	2.3	0.004	0.88	S-Dec.2021	0.1
Stationery, stationery supplies, gift wrap <sup>6</sup> .....		3.0		0.71	L-Oct.2020	3.2
Services less energy services.....	57.395	0.5	0.306	0.05	L-Apr.2021	0.5
Shelter.....	32.802	0.5	0.170	0.06	L-Nov.2021	0.5
Rent of shelter <sup>16</sup> .....	32.423	0.6	0.182	0.06	L-Mar.2005	0.6

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Rent of primary residence.....	7.374	0.6	0.042	0.05	L-Dec.1987	0.7
Lodging away from home <sup>5</sup> .....	0.898	2.2	0.021	1.65	L-Jul.2021	5.8
Housing at school, excluding board <sup>16</sup> .....	0.128	0.2	0.000	0.05	L-Dec.2021	0.2
Other lodging away from home including hotels and motels.....	0.770	2.5	0.020	1.90	L-Jul.2021	6.5
Owners' equivalent rent of residences <sup>16</sup> .....	24.151	0.4	0.108	0.05	—	—
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>16</sup> ..	22.894	0.4	0.102	0.05	—	—
Tenants' and household insurance <sup>4, 5</sup> .....	0.379	0.1	0.000	0.12	L-Dec.2021	0.2
Water and sewer and trash collection services <sup>5</sup> .....	1.113	0.5	0.006	0.10	S-Dec.2021	0.3
Water and sewerage maintenance.....	0.805	0.4	0.003	0.10	S-Dec.2021	0.2
Garbage and trash collection <sup>4, 13</sup> .....	0.308	1.0	0.003	0.26	L-Sep.2021	1.1
Household operations <sup>4, 5</sup> .....						
Domestic services <sup>4, 5</sup> .....	0.246	0.6	0.002	0.38	S-Oct.2021	0.1
Gardening and lawncare services <sup>4, 5</sup> .....						
Moving, storage, freight expense <sup>4, 5</sup> .....	0.103	-0.6	-0.001	1.45	S-Oct.2021	-2.2
Repair of household items <sup>4, 5</sup> .....						
Medical care services.....	6.971	0.1	0.010	0.13	S-Jun.2021	0.0
Professional services.....	3.567	-0.1	-0.003	0.20	S-Sep.2021	-0.1
Physicians' services <sup>4</sup> .....	1.883	-0.1	-0.002	0.27	—	—
Dental services.....	0.920	0.0	0.000	0.19	S-Sep.2021	-0.1
Eyeglasses and eye care <sup>4, 9</sup> .....	0.369	0.1	0.000	0.37	S-Sep.2021	0.0
Services by other medical professionals <sup>4, 9</sup> .....	0.396	0.8	0.003	0.10	S-Dec.2021	0.7
Hospital and related services.....	2.584	0.0	0.000	0.12	S-Nov.2021	-0.1
Hospital services <sup>17</sup> .....	2.209	-0.1	-0.001	0.13	S-Nov.2021	-0.1
Inpatient hospital services <sup>17, 6</sup> .....		-0.1		0.36	S-Nov.2021	-0.1
Outpatient hospital services <sup>9, 6</sup> .....		0.3		0.34	L-Oct.2021	0.3
Nursing homes and adult day services <sup>17</sup> .....	0.211	0.1	0.000	0.16	S-Nov.2021	0.1
Care of invalids and elderly at home <sup>4, 8</sup> .....	0.163	0.7	0.001	0.24	L-Apr.2021	3.0
Health insurance <sup>4, 8</sup> .....	0.820	1.9	0.016	0.15	S-Dec.2021	1.6
Transportation services.....	5.597	1.4	0.078	0.19	L-May 2021	1.7
Leased cars and trucks <sup>4, 14</sup> .....						
Car and truck rental <sup>5</sup> .....	0.135	3.5	0.005	1.79	L-Jun.2021	5.7
Motor vehicle maintenance and repair <sup>4</sup> .....	1.031	1.7	0.018	0.21	L-Sep.1974	2.3
Motor vehicle body work <sup>4</sup> .....	0.051	1.6	0.001	0.26	L-Dec.2021	2.3
Motor vehicle maintenance and servicing <sup>4</sup> .....	0.576	0.2	0.001	0.25	S-Nov.2021	-0.4
Motor vehicle repair <sup>4, 5</sup> .....	0.361	4.3	0.015	0.31	L-EVER	—
Motor vehicle insurance.....	2.388	1.2	0.029	0.19	L-Dec.2020	1.3
Motor vehicle fees <sup>4, 5</sup> .....	0.518	0.1	0.001	0.23	S-Dec.2021	0.1
State motor vehicle registration and license fees <sup>4, 5</sup> .....	0.299	0.0	0.000	0.02	S-Dec.2021	0.0
Parking and other fees <sup>4, 5</sup> .....	0.204	0.4	0.001	0.45	L-Nov.2021	0.9
Parking fees and tolls <sup>5, 6</sup> .....		0.4		0.53	L-Dec.2021	0.5
Public transportation.....	0.772	3.5	0.028	0.65	L-May 2021	4.7
Airline fares.....	0.481	5.2	0.025	0.97	L-May 2021	8.8
Other intercity transportation.....	0.093	1.2	0.001	0.62	L-Jun.2021	1.2
Ship fare <sup>4, 5, 6</sup> .....		2.0		0.82	L-Dec.2020	3.8
Intracity transportation <sup>4</sup> .....	0.197	1.1	0.002	0.92	L-Jun.2021	1.5
Intracity mass transit <sup>4, 11, 6</sup> .....		0.0		0.26	—	—
Recreation services <sup>11</sup> .....	3.186	0.6	0.020	0.21	S-Dec.2021	0.0
Video and audio services <sup>11</sup> .....	1.164	0.4	0.004	0.17	S-Dec.2021	-0.3
Cable and satellite television service <sup>13</sup> .....	1.071	0.4	0.004	0.13	S-Dec.2021	-0.3
Video discs and other media, including rental of video <sup>1, 5</sup> .....	0.092	0.5	0.000	1.04	L-Oct.2021	0.6

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Expenditure category	Relative importance Jan. 2022	One Month				
		Seasonally adjusted percent change Jan. 2022-Feb. 2022	Seasonally adjusted effect on All Items Jan. 2022-Feb. 2022 <sup>1</sup>	Standard error, median price change <sup>2</sup>	Largest (L) or Smallest (S) seasonally adjusted change since: <sup>3</sup>	
					Date	Percent change
Video discs and other media <sup>4, 5, 6</sup> .....		0.7		1.84	L-Oct.2021	2.8
Rental of video discs and other media <sup>4, 5, 6</sup> .....		2.1		0.22	L-Jun.2019	2.2
Pet services including veterinary <sup>5</sup> .....	0.514	1.0	0.005	0.32	L-Dec.2021	1.3
Pet services <sup>4, 5, 6</sup> .....		1.3		0.39	L-Mar.2021	1.8
Veterinarian services <sup>5, 6</sup> .....		0.9		0.60	L-Dec.2021	1.6
Photographers and photo processing <sup>4, 5</sup> .....	0.030	0.3	0.000	0.45	S-Dec.2021	-1.5
Other recreation services <sup>5</sup> .....	1.478	0.7	0.011	0.41	L-Oct.2021	1.6
Club membership for shopping clubs, fraternal, or other organizations, or participant sports fees <sup>4, 5</sup> .....	0.647	0.3	0.002	0.28	S-Nov.2021	0.1
Admissions <sup>4</sup> .....	0.466	1.6	0.008	0.87	L-Oct.2021	3.2
Admission to movies, theaters, and concerts <sup>4, 5, 6</sup> .....		-0.2		0.61	S-Aug.2021	-0.6
Admission to sporting events <sup>4, 5, 6</sup> .....		2.7		4.15	L-Oct.2021	8.3
Fees for lessons or instructions <sup>4, 9</sup> .....	0.174	0.2	0.000	0.43	S-Dec.2021	-0.1
Education and communication services <sup>11</sup> .....	5.507	0.1	0.006	0.06	—	—
Tuition, other school fees, and childcare.....	2.568	0.2	0.005	0.08	L-Nov.2021	0.2
College tuition and fees.....	1.479	0.2	0.003	0.09	—	—
Elementary and high school tuition and fees.....	0.321	0.2	0.001	0.05	—	—
Day care and preschool <sup>12</sup> .....	0.636	0.3	0.002	0.09	L-Oct.2021	0.4
Technical and business school tuition and fees <sup>4, 5</sup> .....	0.040	0.0	0.000	0.11	L-Oct.2021	0.4
Postage and delivery services <sup>5</sup> .....	0.085	-1.4	-0.001	0.06	S-Apr.2016	-1.4
Postage.....	0.076	-1.7	-0.001	0.01	—	—
Delivery services <sup>5</sup> .....	0.009	1.3	0.000	0.30	S-Dec.2021	0.6
Telephone services <sup>4, 5</sup> .....	1.885	0.2	0.003	0.07	L-Sep.2021	0.2
Wireless telephone services <sup>4, 5</sup> .....	1.571	0.1	0.001	0.04	L-Sep.2021	0.4
Residential telephone services <sup>4, 11</sup> .....	0.314	0.5	0.002	0.27	S-Dec.2021	0.2
Internet services and electronic information providers <sup>4, 5</sup> .....	0.960	-0.1	-0.001	0.20	S-Oct.2021	-0.1
Other personal services <sup>4, 11</sup> .....	1.378	1.2	0.016	0.19	L-Jul.2021	1.2
Personal care services <sup>4</sup> .....	0.548	1.1	0.006	0.28	S-Dec.2021	0.8
Haircuts and other personal care services <sup>4, 5</sup> .....	0.548	1.1	0.006	0.28	S-Dec.2021	0.8
Miscellaneous personal services <sup>4</sup> .....	0.830	1.2	0.010	0.18	L-Mar.2021	1.2
Legal services <sup>4, 9</sup> .....	0.230	2.0	0.005	0.09	L-Feb.2018	2.6
Funeral expenses <sup>4, 9</sup> .....	0.149	0.2	0.000	0.13	S-Nov.2021	0.2
Laundry and dry cleaning services <sup>4, 5</sup> .....	0.154	0.9	0.001	0.39	L-Dec.2021	1.2
Apparel services other than laundry and dry cleaning <sup>4, 5</sup> .....	0.018	1.2	0.000	0.45	L-Dec.2021	2.8
Financial services <sup>4, 9</sup> .....	0.196	1.5	0.003	0.50	L-Mar.2021	4.9
Checking account and other bank services <sup>4, 5, 6</sup> .....		0.0		0.30	—	—
Tax return preparation and other accounting fees <sup>4, 5, 6</sup> .....		3.0		0.51	L-May 2019	3.6
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>						
All items less food.....	86.612	0.8	0.662	0.04	L-Oct.2021	0.9
All items less shelter.....	67.198	0.9	0.627	0.05	L-Oct.2021	1.1
All items less food and shelter.....	53.810	0.9	0.491	0.05	L-Oct.2021	1.1
All items less food, shelter, and energy.....	46.397	0.5	0.229	0.06	S-Sep.2021	0.1
All items less food, shelter, energy, and used cars and trucks.....	42.227	0.6	0.240	0.06	S-Dec.2021	0.4
All items less medical care.....	91.504	0.9	0.783	0.04	L-Oct.2021	0.9
All items less energy.....	92.587	0.6	0.536	0.04	—	—

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 6. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, by expenditure category, February 2022, 1-month analysis table — Continued**

[1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted]

Expenditure category	Relative importance Jan. 2022	One Month				
		Seasonally adjusted percent change Jan. 2022-Feb. 2022	Seasonally adjusted effect on All Items Jan. 2022-Feb. 2022 <sup>1</sup>	Standard error, median price change <sup>2</sup>	Largest (L) or Smallest (S) seasonally adjusted change since: <sup>3</sup>	
					Date	Percent change
Commodities.....	39.187	1.3	0.508	0.07	L-Oct.2021	1.4
Commodities less food, energy, and used cars and trucks.....	17.634	0.6	0.106	0.12	S-Nov.2021	0.5
Commodities less food.....	25.799	1.4	0.372	0.09	L-Nov.2021	1.4
Commodities less food and beverages.....	24.913	1.5	0.366	0.09	L-Nov.2021	1.5
Services.....	60.813	0.5	0.292	0.05	S-Dec.2021	0.3
Services less rent of shelter <sup>16</sup> .....	28.390	0.4	0.115	0.06	S-Dec.2021	0.2
Services less medical care services.....	53.842	0.6	0.308	0.05	S-Dec.2021	0.3
Durables.....	13.112	0.5	0.060	0.14	S-Sep.2021	0.5
Nondurables.....	26.075	1.9	0.491	0.07	L-Jun.2009	2.8
Nondurables less food.....	12.687	2.5	0.325	0.12	L-Jun.2020	2.8
Nondurables less food and beverages.....	11.801	2.7	0.317	0.13	L-Jun.2020	3.1
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel.....	9.303	3.1	0.293	0.11	L-Mar.2021	3.9
Nondurables less food and apparel.....	10.189	2.7	0.278	0.10	L-Mar.2021	3.9
Housing.....	42.357	0.5	0.204	0.06	S-Dec.2021	0.5
Education and communication <sup>5</sup> .....	6.354	0.0	0.001	0.07	S-Nov.2021	0.0
Education <sup>5</sup> .....	2.657	0.2	0.005	0.08	—	—
Communication <sup>5</sup> .....	3.697	-0.1	-0.004	0.10	S-Nov.2021	-0.1
Information and information processing <sup>5</sup> .....	3.612	-0.1	-0.003	0.11	S-Nov.2021	-0.1
Information technology, hardware and services <sup>18</sup> .....	1.727	-0.3	-0.006	0.25	S-Nov.2021	-0.3
Recreation <sup>5</sup> .....	5.115	0.7	0.037	0.17	S-Dec.2021	-0.1
Video and audio <sup>5</sup> .....	1.470	0.2	0.003	0.17	S-Dec.2021	-0.4
Pets, pet products and services <sup>5</sup> .....	1.060	1.3	0.014	0.29	L-Jul.2008	1.6
Photography <sup>5</sup> .....	0.051	0.2	0.000	0.42	S-Dec.2021	-0.6
Food and beverages.....	14.274	1.0	0.143	0.08	L-Apr.2020	1.4
Domestically produced farm food <sup>4</sup> .....	6.885	1.4	0.099	0.14	L-Apr.2020	2.6
Other services.....	10.071	0.4	0.043	0.08	—	—
Apparel less footwear.....	1.886	0.6	0.011	0.46	S-Sep.2021	-1.1
Fuels and utilities.....	4.733	0.1	0.004	0.16	S-Aug.2020	0.1
Household energy.....	3.619	-0.1	-0.002	0.20	S-May 2020	-0.2
Medical care.....	8.496	0.2	0.015	0.12	S-Sep.2021	0.2
Transportation.....	18.171	1.9	0.351	0.10	L-Nov.2021	2.0
Private transportation.....	17.398	1.8	0.324	0.09	L-Nov.2021	2.1
New and used motor vehicles <sup>5</sup> .....	9.240	0.0	0.005	0.13	S-Aug.2021	-0.1
Utilities and public transportation.....	8.260	0.2	0.018	0.12	S-Sep.2021	0.1
Household furnishings and operations.....	4.823	0.6	0.030	0.20	S-Jul.2021	0.0
Other goods and services.....	2.735	1.1	0.029	0.14	L-Apr.2009	2.5
Personal care <sup>4</sup> .....	2.214	1.2	0.026	0.16	L-EVER	—

<sup>1</sup> 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).

<sup>2</sup> 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.

<sup>3</sup> 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.

<sup>4</sup> Not seasonally adjusted.

<sup>5</sup> Indexes on a December 1997=100 base.

<sup>6</sup> 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.

<sup>7</sup> Indexes on a December 2007=100 base.

<sup>8</sup> Indexes on a December 2005=100 base.

<sup>9</sup> Indexes on a December 1986=100 base.

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

<sup>11</sup> Indexes on a December 2009=100 base.

<sup>12</sup> Indexes on a December 1990=100 base.

<sup>13</sup> Indexes on a December 1983=100 base.

<sup>14</sup> Indexes on a December 2001=100 base.

<sup>15</sup> Indexes on a December 2019=100 base.

<sup>16</sup> Indexes on a December 1982=100 base.

<sup>17</sup> Indexes on a December 1996=100 base.

<sup>18</sup> 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, February 2022, 12-month analysis table**  
 [1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted]

Expenditure category	Relative importance Jan. 2022	Twelve Month				
		Unadjusted percent change Feb. 2021-Feb. 2022	Unadjusted effect on All Items Feb. 2021-Feb. 2022 <sup>1</sup>	Standard error, median price change <sup>2</sup>	Largest (L) or Smallest (S) unadjusted change since: <sup>3</sup>	
					Date	Percent change
All items.....	100.000	7.9		0.09	L-Jan.1982	8.4
Food.....	13.388	7.9	1.096	0.19	L-Jul.1981	8.4
Food at home.....	8.193	8.6	0.681	0.29	L-Apr.1981	9.5
Cereals and bakery products.....	1.039	7.8	0.079	0.54	L-Feb.2009	8.9
Cereals and cereal products.....	0.332	7.7	0.024	0.79	L-Nov.2011	8.5
Flour and prepared flour mixes.....	0.054	11.6	0.006	1.42	L-Dec.2011	12.0
Breakfast cereal.....	0.139	7.5	0.010	1.23	L-Feb.1991	7.7
Rice, pasta, cornmeal.....	0.139	6.1	0.008	1.21	L-Dec.2011	6.9
Rice <sup>4, 5</sup> .....		4.8		1.30	L-Dec.2020	5.9
Bakery products.....	0.706	7.8	0.055	0.71	L-Feb.2009	8.8
Bread <sup>4</sup> .....	0.199	6.5	0.013	1.38	L-Dec.2011	6.7
White bread <sup>5</sup> .....		6.5		1.37	L-Aug.2020	6.8
Bread other than white <sup>5</sup> .....		7.3		1.36	L-Dec.2011	9.3
Fresh biscuits, rolls, muffins <sup>4</sup> .....	0.107	7.1	0.008	1.72	L-Oct.2011	7.3
Cakes, cupcakes, and cookies.....	0.174	7.6	0.013	1.68	L-Feb.2009	8.7
Cookies <sup>5</sup> .....		8.0		1.15	L-Mar.2009	8.8
Fresh cakes and cupcakes <sup>5</sup> .....		7.4		2.20	L-Jan.2009	7.4
Other bakery products.....	0.227	9.6	0.021	1.16	S-Dec.2021	6.5
Fresh sweetrolls, coffeecakes, doughnuts <sup>5</sup> .....		11.2		1.67	L-May 1981	11.2
Crackers, bread, and cracker products <sup>5</sup> .....		12.7		1.72	L-Jan.2009	13.7
Frozen and refrigerated bakery products, pies, tarts, turnovers <sup>5</sup> .....		7.9		1.90	S-Dec.2021	4.9
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs.....	1.878	13.0	0.226	0.71	L-Jul.1979	13.4
Meats, poultry, and fish.....	1.768	13.1	0.214	0.71	L-Nov.2021	13.1
Meats.....	1.134	14.0	0.144	0.92	L-Dec.2021	14.8
Beef and veal.....	0.535	16.2	0.076	0.97	L-Dec.2021	18.6
Uncooked ground beef.....	0.192	13.6	0.023	1.12	L-Nov.2021	13.9
Uncooked beef roasts <sup>4</sup> .....	0.080	18.6	0.014	2.91	S-Aug.2021	13.1
Uncooked beef steaks <sup>4</sup> .....	0.211	16.9	0.031	1.56	S-Aug.2021	16.6
Uncooked other beef and veal <sup>4</sup> .....	0.053	19.2	0.008	2.50	L-Dec.2021	23.2
Pork.....	0.362	14.0	0.046	1.71	S-Sep.2021	12.7
Bacon, breakfast sausage, and related products <sup>4</sup> .....	0.161	17.1	0.022	1.89	L-Nov.2021	17.8
Bacon and related products <sup>5</sup> .....		18.8		2.17	L-Nov.2021	21.0
Breakfast sausage and related products <sup>4, 5</sup> .....		13.9		1.90	L-EVER	-
Ham.....	0.064	7.1	0.005	2.87	S-Oct.2021	7.1
Ham, excluding canned <sup>5</sup> .....		6.6		3.44	S-Aug.2021	4.4
Pork chops.....	0.052	13.4	0.007	2.62	S-Dec.2021	12.5
Other pork including roasts, steaks, and ribs <sup>4</sup> .....	0.084	15.6	0.012	3.71	L-Dec.2021	18.9
Other meats.....	0.237	9.7	0.022	1.13	L-Dec.1990	10.1
Frankfurters <sup>5</sup> .....		3.5		2.39	L-Mar.2021	6.8
Lunchmeats <sup>4, 5</sup> .....		11.0		1.01	L-EVER	-
Poultry.....	0.343	12.5	0.041	1.24	L-Jun.1989	16.7
Chicken <sup>4</sup> .....	0.278	13.2	0.035	1.29	L-EVER	-
Fresh whole chicken <sup>5</sup> .....		10.3		2.09	L-Oct.2004	11.3
Fresh and frozen chicken parts <sup>5</sup> .....		15.0		1.71	L-Jun.1989	19.0
Other uncooked poultry including turkey <sup>4</sup> .....	0.065	9.1	0.006	3.14	L-Oct.2020	11.3
Fish and seafood.....	0.291	10.4	0.029	0.99	L-Nov.1987	11.1
Fresh fish and seafood <sup>4</sup> .....	0.149	11.8	0.016	1.61	S-Dec.2021	10.2
Processed fish and seafood <sup>4</sup> .....	0.142	9.0	0.012	1.08	L-Jun.2009	9.4
Shelf stable fish and seafood <sup>5</sup> .....		2.8		1.70	L-Mar.2021	7.1
Frozen fish and seafood <sup>5</sup> .....		12.1		1.66	L-Sep.1987	12.3
Eggs.....	0.110	11.4	0.012	2.04	S-Dec.2021	11.1

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**Table 7. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, by expenditure category, February 2022, 12-month analysis table — Continued**  
 [1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted]

Expenditure category	Relative importance Jan. 2022	Twelve Month				
		Unadjusted percent change Feb. 2021- Feb. 2022	Unadjusted effect on All Items Feb. 2021- Feb. 2022 <sup>1</sup>	Standard error, median price change <sup>2</sup>	Largest (L) or Smallest (S) unadjusted change since: <sup>3</sup>	
					Date	Percent change
Dairy and related products.....	0.756	5.2	0.040	0.49	L-Aug.2020	5.7
Milk <sup>4</sup> .....	0.195	11.2	0.023	1.24	L-Sep.2011	13.1
Fresh whole milk <sup>5</sup> .....		12.4		1.43	L-Sep.2011	13.0
Fresh milk other than whole <sup>4, 5</sup> .....		10.4		1.15	L-Oct.2011	10.9
Cheese and related products.....	0.250	1.9	0.005	0.84	L-Mar.2021	2.7
Ice cream and related products.....	0.112	3.3	0.004	1.24	L-Oct.2021	3.5
Other dairy and related products <sup>4</sup> .....	0.199	4.2	0.009	0.93	L-Jun.2012	4.3
Fruits and vegetables.....	1.420	7.6	0.106	0.64	L-Oct.2008	8.3
Fresh fruits and vegetables.....	1.094	7.7	0.083	0.74	L-Sep.2008	9.7
Fresh fruits.....	0.589	10.6	0.061	1.20	L-Jun.1999	10.6
Apples.....	0.076	7.8	0.006	2.17	L-Dec.2021	7.8
Bananas.....	0.081	5.2	0.004	1.54	L-Dec.2021	6.0
Citrus fruits <sup>4</sup> .....	0.161	16.2	0.024	2.18	L-May 2014	22.5
Oranges, including tangerines <sup>5</sup> .....		14.3		2.06	L-May 2014	17.1
Other fresh fruits <sup>4</sup> .....	0.271	10.0	0.027	1.94	L-Aug.2011	11.9
Fresh vegetables.....	0.505	4.3	0.022	0.78	L-Jun.2020	4.9
Potatoes.....	0.076	3.0	0.002	1.82	L-Dec.2021	4.8
Lettuce.....	0.060	7.9	0.005	1.66	L-Dec.2020	8.9
Tomatoes.....	0.084	1.1	0.001	2.02	—	—
Other fresh vegetables.....	0.285	4.8	0.014	0.97	L-Jun.2019	5.1
Processed fruits and vegetables <sup>4</sup> .....	0.326	7.6	0.023	0.91	L-Nov.2011	7.7
Canned fruits and vegetables <sup>4</sup> .....	0.165	7.7	0.012	1.47	L-Jul.2009	9.9
Canned fruits <sup>4, 5</sup> .....		6.8		1.39	S-Dec.2021	2.9
Canned vegetables <sup>4, 5</sup> .....		7.9		1.63	L-Apr.2012	8.2
Frozen fruits and vegetables <sup>4</sup> .....	0.098	8.3	0.008	1.48	L-Dec.2011	9.8
Frozen vegetables <sup>5</sup> .....		6.3		1.57	L-Jun.2012	6.8
Other processed fruits and vegetables including dried <sup>4</sup> .....	0.063	6.1	0.004	1.86	L-Aug.2020	6.5
Dried beans, peas, and lentils <sup>4, 5</sup> .....		9.6		2.73	L-Aug.2020	10.3
Nonalcoholic beverages and beverage materials.....	0.935	6.7	0.063	0.65	L-Oct.1997	7.1
Juices and nonalcoholic drinks <sup>4</sup> .....	0.660	6.1	0.041	0.84	L-Aug.2020	6.6
Carbonated drinks.....	0.275	5.4	0.016	1.76	L-Dec.2021	7.4
Frozen noncarbonated juices and drinks <sup>4</sup> .....	0.007	3.9	0.000	1.09	L-Aug.2017	6.6
Nonfrozen noncarbonated juices and drinks <sup>4</sup> .....	0.378	6.6	0.025	0.87	L-EVER	—
Beverage materials including coffee and tea <sup>4</sup> .....	0.276	8.0	0.022	0.83	L-Jan.2012	8.4
Coffee.....	0.179	10.5	0.018	1.15	L-Feb.2012	14.1
Roasted coffee <sup>5</sup> .....		10.9		1.31	L-Mar.2012	11.0
Instant coffee <sup>5</sup> .....		8.0		1.79	L-Dec.2011	10.1
Other beverage materials including tea <sup>4</sup> .....	0.097	3.7	0.004	1.65	L-Oct.2021	4.0
Other food at home.....	2.164	8.2	0.167	0.40	L-Feb.2009	8.2
Sugar and sweets.....	0.279	7.0	0.019	0.88	L-Mar.2009	8.2
Sugar and sugar substitutes.....	0.041	6.0	0.002	1.43	L-Feb.2021	6.3
Candy and chewing gum <sup>4</sup> .....	0.179	7.1	0.013	1.17	L-Mar.2009	7.6
Other sweets <sup>4</sup> .....	0.060	7.5	0.004	1.37	L-May 2009	7.6
Fats and oils.....	0.236	11.7	0.026	1.12	L-Jan.2012	12.7
Butter and margarine <sup>4</sup> .....	0.069	7.3	0.005	1.57	L-Jan.2015	8.8
Butter <sup>5</sup> .....		5.5		2.25	L-Mar.2019	5.8
Margarine <sup>5</sup> .....		11.4		1.83	L-Apr.2012	11.9
Salad dressing <sup>4</sup> .....	0.055	9.4	0.005	1.54	L-Oct.2011	9.5
Other fats and oils including peanut butter <sup>4</sup> .....	0.112	15.6	0.016	1.77	L-Apr.2012	16.6
Peanut butter <sup>4, 5</sup> .....				1.63	—	—
Other foods.....	1.650	8.0	0.122	0.46	L-Jan.2009	8.6
Soups.....	0.094	10.0	0.009	1.69	L-Jul.1979	10.5
Frozen and freeze dried prepared foods.....	0.266	11.1	0.028	0.86	L-Mar.1981	11.1

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Snacks.....	0.358	8.0	0.028	1.02	S-Dec.2021	5.6
Spices, seasonings, condiments, sauces.....	0.321	5.3	0.016	0.78	S-Dec.2021	5.3
Salt and other seasonings and spices <sup>4, 5</sup> .....		4.8		1.35	S-Dec.2021	4.8
Olives, pickles, relishes <sup>4, 5</sup> .....		5.5		1.31	S-Nov.2021	4.5
Sauces and gravies <sup>4, 5</sup> .....		5.2		1.38	L-Sep.2009	5.5
Other condiments <sup>5</sup> .....		6.8		1.28	S-Oct.2021	2.6
Baby food <sup>4</sup> .....	0.043	8.4	0.004	1.33	L-EVER	—
Other miscellaneous foods <sup>4</sup> .....	0.568	7.6	0.037	0.87	L-Jan.2009	7.7
Prepared salads <sup>6, 5</sup> .....		7.4		1.72	L-Nov.2021	7.7
Food away from home.....	5.195	6.8	0.414	0.28	L-Dec.1981	7.1
Full service meals and snacks <sup>4</sup> .....	2.405	7.5	0.225	0.35	L-EVER	—
Limited service meals and snacks <sup>4</sup> .....	2.546	8.0	0.219	0.44	—	—
Food at employee sites and schools <sup>4</sup> .....	0.036	-40.7	-0.043	3.39	L-Jun.2021	-29.9
Food at elementary and secondary schools <sup>7, 5</sup> .....		-53.3		9.47	L-Mar.2021	-43.5
Food from vending machines and mobile vendors <sup>4</sup> .....	0.037	5.9	0.003	0.99	L-Nov.2021	6.4
Other food away from home <sup>4</sup> .....	0.173	5.5	0.010	0.68	L-Dec.2008	5.7
Energy.....	7.413	25.6	1.672	0.35	S-Sep.2021	24.8
Energy commodities.....	3.995	37.9	1.283	0.65	S-Mar.2021	22.0
Fuel oil and other fuels.....	0.201	33.4	0.056	1.86	S-Aug.2021	28.6
Fuel oil.....	0.125	43.6	0.043	2.71	S-Dec.2021	41.0
Propane, kerosene, and firewood <sup>8</sup> .....	0.076	19.1	0.013	2.45	S-Jun.2021	17.7
Motor fuel.....	3.794	38.1	1.226	0.68	S-Mar.2021	22.2
Gasoline (all types).....	3.720	38.0	1.199	0.70	S-Mar.2021	22.5
Gasoline, unleaded regular <sup>5</sup> .....		38.7		1.12	S-Mar.2021	23.5
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade <sup>9, 5</sup> .....		35.6		0.96	S-Mar.2021	18.5
Gasoline, unleaded premium <sup>5</sup> .....		33.3		0.91	S-Mar.2021	16.6
Other motor fuels <sup>4</sup> .....	0.074	40.5	0.027	1.05	L-Dec.2021	45.5
Energy services.....	3.418	12.3	0.389	0.42	S-Dec.2021	10.4
Electricity.....	2.543	9.0	0.220	0.47	S-Dec.2021	6.3
Utility (piped) gas service.....	0.875	23.8	0.170	0.87	S-Sep.2021	20.6
All items less food and energy.....	79.199	6.4	5.103	0.11	L-Aug.1982	7.1
Commodities less food and energy commodities.....	21.804	12.3	2.501	0.22	L-Mar.1975	12.4
Household furnishings and supplies <sup>10</sup> .....	3.982	10.3	0.391	0.60	L-EVER	—
Window and floor coverings and other linens <sup>4</sup> .....	0.299	6.8	0.019	2.43	S-Nov.2021	5.8
Floor coverings <sup>4</sup> .....	0.066	11.3	0.007	2.37	L-EVER	—
Window coverings <sup>4</sup> .....	0.059	11.2	0.006	4.65	S-Nov.2021	10.7
Other linens <sup>4</sup> .....	0.173	3.2	0.006	3.39	S-Nov.2021	3.2
Furniture and bedding.....	0.986	17.1	0.158	1.37	L-EVER	—
Bedroom furniture.....	0.322	15.9	0.050	2.10	L-EVER	—
Living room, kitchen, and dining room furniture <sup>4</sup> .....	0.477	19.3	0.086	2.01	S-Dec.2021	17.3
Other furniture <sup>4</sup> .....	0.178	12.9	0.020	2.81	S-Dec.2021	10.4
Appliances <sup>4</sup> .....	0.258	7.3	0.018	1.61	S-Dec.2021	6.0
Major appliances <sup>4</sup> .....	0.085	11.1	0.009	3.13	L-Jul.2021	12.3
Laundry equipment <sup>5</sup> .....		11.5		6.20	L-Dec.2021	12.1
Other appliances <sup>4</sup> .....	0.170	5.3	0.008	2.12	S-Dec.2021	4.7
Other household equipment and furnishings <sup>4</sup> .....	0.569	7.5	0.043	1.66	L-EVER	—
Clocks, lamps, and decorator items.....	0.343	9.6	0.032	2.59	L-Feb.1981	10.1
Indoor plants and flowers <sup>11</sup> .....	0.101	5.1	0.005	2.70	L-Dec.2021	5.2
Dishes and flatware <sup>4</sup> .....	0.050	1.9	0.001	4.12	L-Apr.2020	4.6
Nonelectric cookware and tableware <sup>4</sup> .....	0.075	5.6	0.004	2.27	S-Oct.2021	3.4
Tools, hardware, outdoor equipment and supplies <sup>4</sup> .....	0.941	10.6	0.094	0.90	S-Dec.2021	7.2
Tools, hardware and supplies <sup>4</sup> .....	0.242	8.7	0.021	1.19	L-EVER	—
Outdoor equipment and supplies <sup>4</sup> .....	0.472	11.7	0.053	1.17	S-Dec.2021	7.8

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Housekeeping supplies.....	0.929	6.3	0.059	0.88	L-Feb.2009	6.3
Household cleaning products <sup>4</sup> .....	0.339	5.8	0.021	1.24	L-Feb.2021	6.4
Household paper products <sup>4</sup> .....	0.212	5.4	0.012	1.66	L-Oct.2021	6.5
Miscellaneous household products <sup>4</sup> .....	0.377	7.8	0.026	1.51	L-EVER	—
Apparel.....	2.498	6.6	0.171	0.85	L-Dec.1980	6.8
Men's and boys' apparel.....	0.638	8.6	0.057	1.47	L-Feb.1975	8.7
Men's apparel.....	0.488	8.6	0.044	1.65	L-EVER	—
Men's suits, sport coats, and outerwear.....	0.076	12.2	0.010	4.72	S-Dec.2021	10.7
Men's underwear, nightwear, swimwear, and accessories.....	0.164	9.2	0.015	2.63	L-Jun.1998	10.1
Men's shirts and sweaters <sup>4</sup> .....	0.120	12.8	0.016	2.95	L-EVER	—
Men's pants and shorts.....	0.123	2.2	0.002	3.94	L-Dec.2021	7.4
Boys' apparel.....	0.150	9.1	0.013	2.64	L-Feb.2019	10.5
Women's and girls' apparel.....	0.964	4.9	0.048	1.37	L-Jun.2021	5.3
Women's apparel.....	0.808	6.0	0.051	1.51	L-Apr.2012	6.0
Women's outerwear.....	0.061	9.3	0.006	4.67	S-Dec.2021	6.0
Women's dresses.....	0.087	13.5	0.012	3.19	L-Jul.2021	18.8
Women's suits and separates <sup>4</sup> .....	0.385	2.5	0.008	2.25	S-Oct.2021	0.2
Women's underwear, nightwear, swimwear, and accessories <sup>4</sup> .....	0.266	9.1	0.025	2.82	L-Jan.2012	9.2
Girls' apparel.....	0.156	0.0	-0.002	4.60	L-Oct.2021	0.3
Footwear.....	0.611	7.0	0.044	1.13	L-May 2021	7.1
Men's footwear.....	0.208	5.3	0.012	1.67	L-Dec.2021	7.4
Boys' and girls' footwear.....	0.118	10.3	0.013	2.88	L-Sep.2021	11.9
Women's footwear.....	0.285	6.8	0.020	1.75	—	—
Infants' and toddlers' apparel.....	0.116	12.4	0.015	5.09	L-Sep.1977	12.6
Jewelry and watches <sup>8</sup> .....	0.169	4.2	0.007	3.48	S-Feb.2021	1.2
Watches <sup>8</sup> .....	0.031	5.1	0.002	2.94	L-Jul.2021	7.4
Jewelry <sup>8</sup> .....	0.137	3.9	0.005	4.37	S-Feb.2021	0.5
Transportation commodities less motor fuel <sup>10</sup> .....	8.780	23.9	1.703	0.36	L-EVER	—
New vehicles.....	4.094	12.4	0.464	0.65	L-Apr.1975	12.5
New cars and trucks <sup>4, 5</sup> .....		12.4		0.69	L-EVER	—
New cars <sup>5</sup> .....		12.1		0.67	L-Apr.1975	12.5
New trucks <sup>12, 5</sup> .....		12.4		0.78	L-EVER	—
Used cars and trucks.....	4.170	41.2	1.131	0.10	L-Jul.2021	41.7
Motor vehicle parts and equipment.....	0.427	14.3	0.056	0.79	L-EVER	—
Tires.....	0.272	15.4	0.039	0.91	L-Jun.1951	23.6
Vehicle accessories other than tires <sup>4</sup> .....	0.155	12.3	0.018	1.56	L-EVER	—
Vehicle parts and equipment other than tires <sup>5</sup> .....		11.3		1.37	L-May 1980	12.0
Motor oil, coolant, and fluids <sup>5</sup> .....		13.4		2.37	L-Mar.2012	15.2
Medical care commodities.....	1.525	2.5	0.039	0.56	L-Dec.2019	2.5
Medicinal drugs <sup>10</sup> .....	1.422	2.5	0.037	0.57	L-Dec.2019	2.5
Prescription drugs.....	1.048	2.4	0.026	0.67	L-Feb.2020	2.4
Nonprescription drugs <sup>10</sup> .....	0.374	3.0	0.011	1.24	L-EVER	—
Medical equipment and supplies <sup>10</sup> .....	0.103	2.8	0.002	1.33	S-Oct.2021	0.0
Recreation commodities <sup>10</sup> .....	1.929	4.6	0.091	0.57	L-EVER	—
Video and audio products <sup>10</sup> .....	0.307	-0.2	-0.001	1.16	S-Mar.2021	-1.4
Televisions.....	0.145	0.4	0.000	1.72	S-Mar.2021	-0.7
Other video equipment <sup>4</sup> .....	0.026	-2.7	-0.001	2.15	L-Dec.2021	-1.3
Audio equipment.....	0.076	0.4	0.000	3.21	L-Dec.2020	2.0
Recorded music and music subscriptions <sup>4</sup> .....	0.054	0.3	0.000	1.24	S-Dec.2021	-0.2
Pets and pet products.....	0.546	5.2	0.031	0.79	L-Aug.2009	5.5
Pet food <sup>4, 5</sup> .....		3.7		1.21	L-Nov.2019	3.7
Purchase of pets, pet supplies, accessories <sup>4, 5</sup> .....		7.5		1.93	L-EVER	—

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Sporting goods.....	0.573	7.1	0.042	1.45	S-Dec.2021	6.3
Sports vehicles including bicycles.....	0.332	8.1	0.029	2.09	S-Dec.2021	7.8
Sports equipment.....	0.230	5.5	0.013	1.94	L-Nov.2021	6.7
Photographic equipment and supplies.....	0.021	2.8	0.001	2.22	S-May 2021	2.8
Photographic equipment <sup>4, 5</sup> .....		3.0		2.67	S-Apr.2021	1.0
Recreational reading materials.....	0.097	4.1	0.004	1.28	L-Apr.2021	5.5
Newspapers and magazines <sup>4</sup> .....	0.056	6.2	0.004	1.67	L-Apr.2021	7.4
Recreational books <sup>4</sup> .....	0.041	1.2	0.000	1.82	L-May 2021	1.6
Other recreational goods <sup>4</sup> .....	0.386	3.5	0.014	1.36	L-EVER	—
Toys.....	0.301	2.6	0.008	1.65	L-Dec.1996	2.8
Toys, games, hobbies and playground equipment <sup>1, 5</sup> .....		6.7		2.20	L-EVER	—
Sewing machines, fabric and supplies <sup>4</sup> .....	0.026	1.2	0.000	3.11	S-Nov.2021	-4.8
Music instruments and accessories <sup>4</sup> .....	0.043	9.7	0.004	2.39	L-EVER	—
Education and communication commodities <sup>10</sup> .....	0.847	0.3	0.000	1.66	S-Dec.2021	0.2
Educational books and supplies.....	0.089	0.8	0.001	2.04	S-Dec.2021	-0.4
College textbooks <sup>13, 5</sup> .....		0.7		2.25	S-Dec.2021	-0.9
Information technology commodities <sup>10</sup> .....	0.758	0.6	-0.001	1.97	S-Dec.2021	0.3
Computers, peripherals, and smart home assistants <sup>6</sup> .....	0.360	4.6	0.015	2.76	L-Nov.2021	4.8
Computer software and accessories <sup>4</sup> .....	0.021	-2.2	0.000	3.69	S-Dec.2021	-3.4
Telephone hardware, calculators, and other consumer information items <sup>4</sup> .....	0.378	-7.7	-0.015	2.38	S-Dec.2021	-8.5
Smartphones <sup>5, 14</sup> .....		-13.2		3.54	L-EVER	—
Alcoholic beverages.....	0.886	3.5	0.035	0.73	L-Mar.2009	3.6
Alcoholic beverages at home.....	0.591	2.5	0.015	0.90	L-Dec.2020	2.8
Beer, ale, and other malt beverages at home.....	0.221	3.7	0.008	1.63	L-Nov.2020	4.2
Distilled spirits at home.....	0.109	1.9	0.002	1.09	S-Sep.2020	1.5
Whiskey at home <sup>5</sup> .....		1.6		1.62	S-Nov.2021	1.6
Distilled spirits, excluding whiskey, at home <sup>5</sup> .....		1.6		1.55	S-Aug.2020	1.0
Wine at home.....	0.260	1.9	0.005	1.33	L-Jan.2021	2.4
Alcoholic beverages away from home.....	0.295	4.5	0.019	1.13	L-Dec.2008	4.5
Beer, ale, and other malt beverages away from home <sup>1, 5</sup> .....		5.3		1.31	L-Oct.2006	5.5
Wine away from home <sup>4, 5</sup> .....		4.1		0.95	L-Jul.2009	4.3
Distilled spirits away from home <sup>4, 5</sup> .....		3.5		1.44	L-Sep.2021	3.7
Other goods <sup>10</sup> .....	1.357	4.9	0.072	0.44	L-EVER	—
Tobacco and smoking products.....	0.522	7.0	0.043	0.77	—	—
Cigarettes <sup>4</sup> .....	0.450	7.3	0.039	0.87	—	—
Tobacco products other than cigarettes <sup>4</sup> .....	0.066	4.1	0.003	0.75	S-Oct.2021	4.1
Personal care products.....	0.647	0.8	0.006	0.57	L-Aug.2016	0.9
Hair, dental, shaving, and miscellaneous personal care products <sup>4</sup> .....	0.331	2.2	0.008	0.69	L-Dec.2000	3.9
Cosmetics, perfume, bath, nail preparations and implements.....	0.306	-0.9	-0.002	1.08	L-Oct.2021	0.1
Miscellaneous personal goods <sup>4</sup> .....	0.189	12.3	0.023	1.63	L-EVER	—
Stationery, stationery supplies, gift wrap <sup>5</sup> .....		12.1		2.75	L-EVER	—
Services less energy services.....	57.395	4.4	2.602	0.12	L-Dec.1991	4.6
Shelter.....	32.802	4.7	1.576	0.14	L-May 1991	5.0
Rent of shelter <sup>15</sup> .....	32.423	4.8	1.578	0.14	L-May 1991	5.1
Rent of primary residence.....	7.374	4.2	0.323	0.15	L-Jul.2007	4.2
Lodging away from home <sup>4</sup> .....	0.898	25.1	0.210	2.60	L-EVER	—
Housing at school, excluding board <sup>15</sup> .....	0.128	1.6	0.002	0.31	S-EVER	—
Other lodging away from home including hotels and motels.....	0.770	29.0	0.208	2.99	L-EVER	—

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Owners' equivalent rent of residences <sup>15</sup> .....	24.151	4.3	1.045	0.12	L-Jan.2007	4.3
Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence <sup>15</sup> ..	22.894	4.3	0.991	0.12	L-Jan.2007	4.3
Tenants' and household insurance <sup>4</sup> .....	0.379	-0.4	-0.002	0.79	L-Oct.2021	-0.4
Water and sewer and trash collection services <sup>4</sup> .....	1.113	4.2	0.047	0.30	L-Dec.2018	4.5
Water and sewerage maintenance.....	0.805	4.2	0.034	0.25	L-Feb.2017	4.3
Garbage and trash collection <sup>12</sup> .....	0.308	4.1	0.012	0.76	L-Dec.2021	4.8
Household operations <sup>4</sup> .....						
Domestic services <sup>4</sup> .....	0.246	9.4	0.028	1.16	L-Dec.2021	9.4
Gardening and lawncare services <sup>4</sup> .....						
Moving, storage, freight expense <sup>4</sup> .....	0.103	5.7	0.005	2.55	S-Mar.2021	5.3
Repair of household items <sup>4</sup> .....						
Medical care services.....	6.971	2.4	0.176	0.34	S-Nov.2021	2.1
Professional services.....	3.567	1.5	0.057	0.43	S-Feb.2020	1.2
Physicians' services.....	1.883	0.5	0.009	0.69	S-Jun.2019	0.4
Dental services.....	0.920	2.1	0.021	0.74	S-Jul.2021	1.2
Eyeglasses and eye care <sup>8</sup> .....	0.369	1.8	0.007	1.04	S-Dec.2021	1.8
Services by other medical professionals <sup>8</sup> .....	0.396	4.8	0.021	0.64	L-Sep.2008	4.8
Hospital and related services.....	2.584	3.4	0.086	0.55	S-Dec.2021	3.3
Hospital services <sup>16</sup> .....	2.209	3.4	0.076	0.60	S-Dec.2021	3.3
Inpatient hospital services <sup>16, 5</sup> .....		3.6		1.16	S-Dec.2021	3.5
Outpatient hospital services <sup>8, 5</sup> .....		2.6		0.99	L-Nov.2021	2.7
Nursing homes and adult day services <sup>16</sup> .....	0.211	3.7	0.006	0.52	S-Dec.2021	3.4
Care of invalids and elderly at home <sup>7</sup> .....	0.163	3.4	0.004	1.96	L-Nov.2021	5.2
Health insurance <sup>7</sup> .....	0.820	4.1	0.033	0.34	L-Dec.2020	4.8
Transportation services.....	5.597	6.6	0.353	0.57	L-Jun.2021	10.4
Leased cars and trucks <sup>13</sup> .....						
Car and truck rental <sup>4</sup> .....	0.135	24.3	0.034	3.92	S-Feb.2021	11.5
Motor vehicle maintenance and repair.....	1.031	6.3	0.068	0.62	L-Jan.1983	6.3
Motor vehicle body work.....	0.051	11.9	0.007	0.94	L-Nov.1980	12.0
Motor vehicle maintenance and servicing.....	0.576	5.4	0.033	0.77	S-Dec.2021	5.0
Motor vehicle repair <sup>4</sup> .....	0.361	6.7	0.024	1.33	L-EVER	-
Motor vehicle insurance.....	2.388	4.3	0.095	0.97	L-Nov.2021	5.7
Motor vehicle fees <sup>4</sup> .....	0.518	1.1	0.006	0.75	S-Oct.2021	0.9
State motor vehicle registration and license fees <sup>4</sup> .....	0.299	0.4	0.001	0.28	S-Dec.2021	0.3
Parking and other fees <sup>4</sup> .....	0.204	1.9	0.005	1.55	S-Oct.2021	1.2
Parking fees and tolls <sup>4, 5</sup> .....		3.2		2.29	L-Dec.2021	5.1
Public transportation.....	0.772	8.3	0.078	1.44	L-Aug.2021	8.4
Airline fares.....	0.481	12.7	0.068	2.32	L-Jul.2021	19.0
Other intercity transportation.....	0.093	-1.5	-0.002	2.93	L-Dec.2021	-0.1
Ship fare <sup>4, 5</sup> .....		-0.9		2.37	L-Dec.2021	0.3
Intracity transportation.....	0.197	3.9	0.011	1.51	S-Oct.2021	3.8
Intracity mass transit <sup>10, 5</sup> .....		4.8		4.43	S-Sep.2021	-2.7
Recreation services <sup>10</sup> .....	3.186	5.1	0.184	0.47	L-EVER	-
Video and audio services <sup>10</sup> .....	1.164	3.8	0.047	0.43	S-Dec.2021	2.6
Cable and satellite television service <sup>12</sup> .....	1.071	4.4	0.050	0.44	L-Sep.2021	4.7
Video discs and other media, including rental of video <sup>4</sup> .....	0.092	-3.7	-0.003	4.53	S-Oct.2021	-3.7
Video discs and other media <sup>4, 5</sup> .....		-7.4		5.35	S-Sep.2021	-10.1
Rental of video discs and other media <sup>4, 5</sup> .....		3.5		1.34	L-Feb.2020	4.3
Pet services including veterinary <sup>4</sup> .....	0.514	5.8	0.032	0.68	L-Mar.2011	6.1
Pet services <sup>4, 5</sup> .....		6.5		1.11	L-Jan.2009	6.8
Veterinarian services <sup>4, 5</sup> .....		5.2		1.31	L-Jun.2021	5.2
Photographers and photo processing <sup>4</sup> .....	0.030	1.6	0.001	1.15	S-Oct.2021	-0.2

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**Table 7. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, by expenditure category, February 2022, 12-month analysis table — Continued**

[1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted]

Expenditure category	Relative importance Jan. 2022	Twelve Month				
		Unadjusted percent change Feb. 2021-Feb. 2022	Unadjusted effect on All Items Feb. 2021-Feb. 2022 <sup>1</sup>	Standard error, median price change <sup>2</sup>	Largest (L) or Smallest (S) unadjusted change since: <sup>3</sup>	
					Date	Percent change
Other recreation services <sup>4</sup> .....	1.478	5.8	0.105	0.92	L-EVER	—
Club membership for shopping clubs, fraternal, or other organizations, or participant sports fees <sup>4</sup> .....	0.647	2.4	0.016	0.85	—	—
Admissions.....	0.466	11.2	0.069	1.76	L-EVER	—
Admission to movies, theaters, and concerts <sup>4, 5</sup> .....		4.6		1.65	S-Nov.2021	4.5
Admission to sporting events <sup>4, 5</sup> .....		20.9		6.53	S-Jun.2021	-7.2
Fees for lessons or instructions <sup>8</sup> .....	0.174	2.0	0.004	1.75	L-Dec.2021	2.9
Education and communication services <sup>10</sup> .....	5.507	1.7	0.107	0.22	—	—
Tuition, other school fees, and childcare.....	2.568	2.2	0.063	0.33	L-Nov.2021	2.2
College tuition and fees.....	1.479	2.0	0.030	0.41	L-Jul.2020	2.1
Elementary and high school tuition and fees.....	0.321	2.3	0.010	0.36	—	—
Day care and preschool <sup>11</sup> .....	0.636	2.8	0.021	0.71	L-Jul.2020	2.9
Technical and business school tuition and fees <sup>4</sup> .....	0.040	0.8	0.000	0.48	L-Dec.2021	1.1
Postage and delivery services <sup>4</sup> .....	0.085	3.7	0.004	0.13	S-Sep.2021	3.2
Postage.....	0.076	3.0	0.003	0.11	S-Sep.2021	2.9
Delivery services <sup>4</sup> .....	0.009	9.7	0.001	0.74	L-Dec.2011	11.4
Telephone services <sup>4</sup> .....	1.885	0.6	0.015	0.30	S-Oct.2021	0.6
Wireless telephone services <sup>4</sup> .....	1.571	-0.4	-0.008	0.38	L-Dec.2021	-0.3
Residential telephone services <sup>10</sup> .....	0.314	5.8	0.022	0.89	S-Dec.2021	5.8
Internet services and electronic information providers <sup>4</sup> .....	0.960	2.8	0.024	0.78	L-Apr.2019	3.1
Other personal services <sup>10</sup> .....	1.378	6.2	0.097	0.50	L-EVER	—
Personal care services.....	0.548	5.6	0.035	1.02	L-Aug.2021	5.7
Haircuts and other personal care services <sup>4</sup> .....	0.548	5.6	0.035	1.02	L-Aug.2021	5.7
Miscellaneous personal services.....	0.830	6.6	0.062	0.37	L-Apr.1994	6.6
Legal services <sup>9</sup> .....	0.230	4.9	0.012	0.43	L-Dec.2018	6.4
Funeral expenses <sup>9</sup> .....	0.149	2.0	0.003	0.52	S-Dec.2021	2.0
Laundry and dry cleaning services <sup>4</sup> .....	0.154	9.5	0.020	0.82	L-EVER	—
Apparel services other than laundry and dry cleaning <sup>4</sup> .....	0.018	6.5	0.002	1.06	L-Apr.2020	6.9
Financial services <sup>9</sup> .....	0.196	9.1	0.019	0.78	S-Dec.2021	3.2
Checking account and other bank services <sup>4, 5</sup> .....		10.0		2.34	S-Dec.2021	1.6
Tax return preparation and other accounting fees <sup>4, 5</sup> .....		9.8		1.07	L-Feb.2019	13.8
<b>Special aggregate indexes</b>						
All items less food.....	86.612	7.9	6.775	0.10	L-Feb.1982	8.3
All items less shelter.....	67.198	9.4	6.295	0.10	L-Aug.1981	9.5
All items less food and shelter.....	53.810	9.8	5.199	0.12	L-Dec.1981	9.9
All items less food, shelter, and energy.....	46.397	7.6	3.527	0.14	L-Jul.1982	7.7
All items less food, shelter, energy, and used cars and trucks.....	42.227	5.5	2.396	0.15	L-Feb.1991	5.8
All items less medical care.....	91.504	8.4	7.655	0.09	L-Jan.1982	8.4
All items less energy.....	92.587	6.6	6.199	0.09	L-Jul.1982	7.1
Commodities.....	39.187	13.0	4.880	0.14	L-Apr.1980	13.1
Commodities less food, energy, and used cars and trucks.....	17.634	7.8	1.370	0.26	L-Jan.1981	8.3
Commodities less food.....	25.799	16.0	3.784	0.20	L-Mar.1980	16.6
Commodities less food and beverages.....	24.913	16.5	3.750	0.22	L-Mar.1980	16.8
Services.....	60.813	4.8	2.991	0.11	L-Jul.1991	4.9
Services less rent of shelter <sup>15</sup> .....	28.390	4.8	1.413	0.16	L-Oct.2008	5.0
Services less medical care services.....	53.842	5.1	2.815	0.12	L-Apr.1991	5.1
Durables.....	13.112	18.7	2.057	0.31	L-Mar.1942	20.2

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**Table 7. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average, by expenditure category, February 2022, 12-month analysis table — Continued**

[1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted]

Expenditure category	Relative importance Jan. 2022	Twelve Month				
		Unadjusted percent change Feb. 2021-Feb. 2022	Unadjusted effect on All Items Feb. 2021-Feb. 2022 <sup>1</sup>	Standard error, median price change <sup>2</sup>	Largest (L) or Smallest (S) unadjusted change since: <sup>3</sup>	
					Date	Percent change
Nondurables.....	26.075	10.7	2.823	0.17	L-Nov.2021	10.7
Nondurables less food.....	12.687	13.7	1.728	0.28	L-Dec.2021	14.7
Nondurables less food and beverages.....	11.801	14.6	1.693	0.29	L-Dec.2021	15.8
Nondurables less food, beverages, and apparel.....	9.303	17.1	1.522	0.29	L-Dec.2021	18.9
Nondurables less food and apparel.....	10.189	15.7	1.557	0.27	L-Dec.2021	17.1
Housing.....	42.357	5.9	2.522	0.12	L-Aug.1982	6.8
Education and communication <sup>4</sup> .....	6.354	1.6	0.106	0.25	—	—
Education <sup>4</sup> .....	2.657	2.1	0.064	0.33	—	—
Communication <sup>4</sup> .....	3.697	1.1	0.042	0.38	S-Aug.2021	1.0
Information and information processing <sup>4</sup> .....	3.612	1.1	0.038	0.39	—	—
Information technology, hardware and services <sup>17</sup> .....	1.727	2.0	0.024	0.88	—	—
Recreation <sup>4</sup> .....	5.115	5.0	0.275	0.38	L-EVER	—
Video and audio <sup>4</sup> .....	1.470	3.0	0.047	0.45	S-Dec.2021	2.1
Pets, pet products and services <sup>4</sup> .....	1.060	5.5	0.063	0.53	L-Jul.2009	6.0
Photography <sup>4</sup> .....	0.051	2.0	0.001	1.07	S-Oct.2021	2.0
Food and beverages.....	14.274	7.6	1.130	0.19	L-Jul.1981	8.3
Domestically produced farm food.....	6.885	8.9	0.586	0.30	L-Feb.1990	8.9
Other services.....	10.071	3.4	0.388	0.19	L-Mar.2009	3.4
Apparel less footwear.....	1.886	6.5	0.127	1.01	L-Jan.1991	6.5
Fuels and utilities.....	4.733	11.0	0.492	0.29	S-Dec.2021	9.5
Household energy.....	3.619	13.4	0.446	0.41	S-Dec.2021	11.6
Medical care.....	8.496	2.4	0.216	0.29	S-Dec.2021	2.2
Transportation.....	18.171	21.1	3.282	0.28	L-Dec.2021	21.1
Private transportation.....	17.398	22.1	3.204	0.26	—	—
New and used motor vehicles <sup>4</sup> .....	9.240	23.5	1.753	0.39	L-EVER	—
Utilities and public transportation.....	8.260	6.7	0.578	0.24	—	—
Household furnishings and operations.....	4.823	9.7	0.453	0.50	L-Jul.1975	11.2
Other goods and services.....	2.735	5.6	0.169	0.36	L-Feb.2010	7.6
Personal care.....	2.214	5.2	0.126	0.37	L-Jun.1990	5.2

<sup>1</sup> 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).

<sup>2</sup> 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.

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

<sup>4</sup> Indexes on a December 1997=100 base.

<sup>5</sup> 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.

<sup>6</sup> Indexes on a December 2007=100 base.

<sup>7</sup> Indexes on a December 2005=100 base.

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

<sup>9</sup> Indexes on a December 1993=100 base.

<sup>10</sup> Indexes on a December 2009=100 base.

<sup>11</sup> Indexes on a December 1990=100 base.

<sup>12</sup> Indexes on a December 1983=100 base.

<sup>13</sup> Indexes on a December 2001=100 base.

<sup>14</sup> Indexes on a December 2019=100 base.

<sup>15</sup> Indexes on a December 1982=100 base.

<sup>16</sup> Indexes on a December 1996=100 base.

<sup>17</sup> Indexes on a December 1988=100 base.