

Table 1C. Chained Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (C-CPI-U): U.S. city average, by expenditure category and commodity and service group
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Item and group	Relative importance 2017-2018	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Dec. 2020 from--	
		Nov. 2020	Dec. 2020	Dec. 2019	Nov. 2020
Expenditure category					
All items.....	100.000	145.819	145.944	1.2	0.1
Food and beverages.....	14.836	153.170	153.649	3.8	0.3
Food.....	13.799	153.692	154.239	3.8	0.4
Food at home.....	7.752	136.935	137.405	3.8	0.3
Food away from home.....	6.047	178.715	179.378	3.8	0.4
Alcoholic beverages.....	1.037	147.560	147.173	2.7	-0.3
Housing.....	41.386	159.409	159.619	2.0	0.1
Shelter.....	32.263	170.929	171.048	1.8	0.1
Fuels and utilities.....	4.444	179.828	180.924	2.2	0.6
Household furnishings and operations.....	4.679	90.914	91.015	2.9	0.1
Apparel.....	3.057	87.287	85.557	-4.3	-2.0
Transportation.....	16.138	134.308	134.837	-2.7	0.4
Private transportation.....	14.760	139.244	140.418	-1.8	0.8
New vehicles.....	3.870	102.949	103.667	1.9	0.7
Public transportation.....	1.379	103.133	98.404	-13.1	-4.6
Medical care.....	8.630	198.284	197.900	1.7	-0.2
Medical care commodities.....	1.663	155.338	154.970	-2.4	-0.2
Medical care services.....	6.967	213.336	212.944	2.6	-0.2
Recreation.....	5.922	104.752	104.457	0.7	-0.3
Education and communication.....	6.922	115.836	115.838	1.8	0.0
Education.....	2.980	253.590	253.662	1.4	0.0
Communication.....	3.943	59.359	59.347	2.2	0.0
Other goods and services.....	3.108	171.727	172.482	2.3	0.4
Commodity and service group					
Services.....	61.490	170.262	170.224	1.5	0.0
Commodities.....	38.510	117.025	117.332	0.6	0.3
Durables.....	11.173	74.087	74.139	3.6	0.1
Nondurables.....	27.337	139.428	139.905	-0.6	0.3
All items less food and energy.....	79.305	141.342	141.169	1.5	-0.1
Energy.....	6.897	162.536	165.882	-7.2	2.1

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.