

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
[December 1999=100, unless otherwise noted]

Item and group	Relative importance 2017-2018	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to Oct. 2020 from--	
		Sep. 2020	Oct. 2020	Oct. 2019	Sep. 2020
Expenditure category					
All items.....		145.884	145.927	0.9	0.0
Food and beverages.....		153.145	153.555	3.7	0.3
Food.....		153.769	154.154	3.8	0.3
Food at home.....		137.469	137.786	3.8	0.2
Food away from home.....		178.042	178.532	3.8	0.3
Alcoholic beverages.....		146.227	146.951	2.1	0.5
Housing.....		159.332	159.253	1.9	0.0
Shelter.....		170.794	170.858	2.0	0.0
Fuels and utilities.....		180.329	179.206	1.1	-0.6
Household furnishings and operations.....		90.783	90.681	1.9	-0.1
Apparel.....		89.399	89.264	-5.7	-0.2
Transportation.....		134.289	134.491	-3.8	0.2
Private transportation.....		140.010	139.760	-2.8	-0.2
New vehicles.....		102.470	102.878	1.7	0.4
Public transportation.....		96.692	100.583	-15.2	4.0
Medical care.....		199.272	198.586	2.5	-0.3
Medical care commodities.....		157.044	155.950	-1.4	-0.7
Medical care services.....		214.106	213.543	3.4	-0.3
Recreation.....		104.119	104.412	0.6	0.3
Education and communication.....		115.745	115.806	1.7	0.1
Education.....		253.479	253.691	1.3	0.1
Communication.....		59.296	59.313	1.9	0.0
Other goods and services.....		171.576	171.645	1.8	0.0
Commodity and service group					
Services.....		169.845	169.911	1.5	0.0
Commodities.....		117.631	117.648	-0.1	0.0
Durables.....		74.000	74.224	2.9	0.3
Nondurables.....		140.517	140.371	-1.3	-0.1
All items less food and energy.....		141.129	141.265	1.3	0.1
Energy.....		166.475	164.424	-9.3	-1.2

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.