

**CPI--Consumer Price Index**

1. Level, seasonally adjusted, multiplied by 100.0. Quarterly vintages. Monthly observations.
2. First Quarterly Vintage: 1994:Q3.
3. First Monthly Observation: 1947:M1 (1948:M1 starting with the 1998:Q2 vintage).
4. Data Source: Collected in real time.
5. Vintage Names: CPIyyMmm, where yy is the year of the vintage (two digits), M represents the word month, and mm is the month of the vintage, collected in the middle of the quarter (mm = 2, 5, 8, 11).
6. Vintage Dates: Quarterly vintages reflect the data available in the middle of the quarter.

*Special Notes* – None.