



Market Basket

The Consumer Price Index

Tracks **change** in prices over time for a **basket** of
basic necessary goods and services



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Education and Communication

The Consumer Price Index

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Food and
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Housing

Transportation

Medical Care

Recreation

Education and

Communication

Sales Tax

Water and Sewer fees

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Market Basket

Relative Importance

