

Table B-33
U.S. Consumer Price Index
Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers: 2004¹
(1982-84 = 100)

	Avg 2003	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Avg. % Avg Change 20042003-2004	
All Items	179.8	180.9	181.9	182.9	183.5	184.7	185.3	184.9	189.5	185.4	186.5	186.8	186.0	184.5	2.6
Food	179.4	183.3	183.5	183.8	183.9	185.6	185.9	186.3	186.8	186.2	187.4	187.6	187.9	185.7	3.5
Food at Home	178.5	183.2	183.2	183.5	183.3	185.8	186.1	186.3	186.7	185.5	187.1	187.3	187.6	185.4	3.9
Food Away from Home	182.0	184.8	185.3	185.6	186.1	186.6	186.8	187.6	188.4	188.8	189.3	189.5	189.7	187.4	3.0
Housing	180.4	182.1	182.6	183.2	183.6	184.1	185.6	186.2	191.2	186.5	186.2	186.4	186.4	185.0	2.5
Shelter	206.9	209.2	209.8	211.0	211.5	211.8	212.2	213.0	220.3	213.4	213.8	213.4	213.5	212.2	2.6
Rent	204.7	207.4	208.0	208.4	208.9	209.4	209.9	210.3	211.9	211.6	212.0	212.4	213.0	210.2	2.7
Homeownership	199.7	202.1	202.3	202.7	203.1	203.6	203.9	204.2	225.7	205.1	205.5	205.8	206.1	204.1	2.2
Fuel and Utilities	153.9	155.6	156.2	154.7	155.1	157.4	165.0	166.1	167.7	166.2	161.9	164.5	164.7	161.2	4.7
Gas and Electricity	144.1	144.7	144.7	142.9	143.5	146.1	155.1	156.2	157.6	155.3	149.1	151.7	152.0	149.8	4.0
Household Furnishings and Operations	121.9	121.0	121.4	121.4	121.3	121.1	121.3	120.7	124.8	120.6	121.7	121.5	121.3	121.1	-0.7
Apparel	120.0	115.7	118.3	122.9	123.8	122.8	119.6	115.6	116.5	120.6	123.5	122.6	118.6	120.0	0.0
Transportation	156.3	154.9	156.8	158.5	159.9	163.6	164.0	162.2	162.9	161.6	165.3	165.8	163.4	161.5	3.3
Private	153.5	152.2	154.0	155.7	157.1	160.9	161.3	159.3	159.1	159.1	162.7	163.2	160.9	158.8	3.5
Medical Care	296.3	302.8	305.4	306.9	307.7	308.4	309.4	310.4	311.6	311.7	312.7	313.6	314.4	309.5	4.5
Recreation	105.5	105.6	106.2	106.5	106.7	106.6	106.7	106.3	108.5	106.2	106.2	106.3	106.1	106.3	0.8
Education and Communication	109.0	109.8	110.0	109.8	109.6	109.2	109.4	109.4	111.7	110.8	110.5	110.6	110.5	110.0	0.9
Other Goods and Services	307.0	309.3	310.0	310.8	311.3	311.5	311.8	313.2	305.5	314.4	314.7	314.9	315.9	312.6	1.8

¹ Not Seasonally Adjusted

Source: U.S. Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics.