

**Table B-33**  
**U.S. Consumer Price Index**  
**Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers: 2008<sup>1</sup>**  
**(1982-84 = 100)**

	<b>Avg</b>														<b>Avg. %</b>
	<b>2007</b>	<b>Jan</b>	<b>Feb</b>	<b>Mar</b>	<b>Apr</b>	<b>May</b>	<b>Jun</b>	<b>Jul</b>	<b>Aug</b>	<b>Sep</b>	<b>Oct</b>	<b>Nov</b>	<b>Dec</b>	<b>2008</b>	<b>Change</b>
															<b>2007-2008</b>
All Items	202.8	206.7	207.3	209.1	210.7	212.8	215.2	216.3	215.2	214.9	212.2	207.3	204.8	211.1	4.1
Food	202.1	207.8	208.3	208.6	210.3	211.2	212.5	214.6	215.8	217.1	218.1	218.1	218.2	213.4	5.6
Food at Home	200.3	206.9	207.2	207.2	209.7	210.6	212.1	214.7	216.2	217.6	218.6	218.0	217.5	213.0	6.4
Food Away from Home	206.4	210.8	211.5	212.2	212.8	213.7	214.9	216.2	217.0	218.1	219.2	220.1	220.8	215.6	4.5
Housing	204.8	207.7	208.3	209.4	210.2	211.2	213.4	215.0	214.7	214.0	213.2	212.6	212.5	211.8	3.4
Shelter	233.0	236.6	237.2	238.0	238.3	238.4	239.2	239.8	240.0	240.2	240.5	240.7	240.8	239.1	2.6
Rent	233.8	239.0	239.4	239.9	240.5	240.8	241.6	242.3	243.0	243.7	244.6	245.4	246.0	242.2	3.6
Homeownership	223.2	226.7	227.1	227.5	227.9	228.0	228.5	228.8	229.2	229.7	230.0	230.7	230.9	228.8	2.5
Fuel and Utilities	198.9	202.7	203.6	206.9	210.9	217.4	228.8	236.4	233.4	226.7	219.3	214.7	213.9	217.9	9.6
Gas and Electricity	184.4	184.5	185.3	188.1	192.4	199.0	211.4	219.6	216.6	209.4	201.7	197.5	197.5	200.3	8.6
Household Furnishings and Operations	122.5	122.3	122.5	123.2	123.1	123.3	123.4	123.8	123.9	124.5	124.7	124.5	124.3	123.6	0.9
Apparel	118.5	115.9	117.9	120.8	121.9	120.4	116.7	114.0	116.2	121.0	122.0	121.1	117.0	118.7	0.2
Transportation	184.3	190.9	190.6	195.7	199.6	206.8	213.6	214.5	207.8	204.8	192.2	170.9	160.9	195.7	6.2
Private	181.5	188.1	187.8	192.7	196.6	203.8	210.4	211.2	204.3	201.5	188.9	167.3	157.3	192.5	6.1
Medical Care	350.9	360.7	362.3	363.1	363.4	363.5	363.6	363.9	364.7	365.3	366.0	366.8	367.3	364.2	3.8
Recreation	108.6	109.0	109.3	109.7	109.8	109.9	109.9	110.2	110.7	110.9	110.9	110.8	110.5	110.1	1.4
Education and Communication	116.3	118.1	118.1	118.2	118.5	118.7	119.3	119.9	120.8	121.4	121.6	121.6	121.8	119.8	3.0
Other Goods and Services	344.0	350.6	352.0	353.4	354.9	356.5	358.4	360.0	360.1	361.1	362.4	362.6	363.0	357.9	4.0

<sup>1</sup> Not Seasonally Adjusted

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