

**Table B-34**  
**Kansas City Consumer Price Index**  
**Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers: 2003**  
**(1982-84 = 100)**

	<b>Avg 2002</b>	<b>First Half of 2003</b>	<b>Second Half of 2003</b>	<b>Avg 2003</b>	<b>Avg. % Change 2002-2003</b>
All Items	167.3	169.6	169.8	169.7	1.4
Food	175.8	176.2	179.1	177.6	1.0
Food at Home	171.8	171.3	173.8	172.5	0.4
Food Away from Home	182.6	184.5	187.3	185.9	1.8
Housing	160.6	164.1	166.3	165.2	2.9
Shelter	177.3	180.3	183.1	181.5	2.4
Rent	189.3	193.1	194.5	193.8	2.4
Homeownership	169.4	171.5	174.1	172.8	2.0
Fuel and Utilities	146.0	154.8	158.8	156.8	7.4
Gas and Electricity	126.2	132.1	140.4	136.2	7.9
Household Furnishings and Operations	119.1	118.2	116.2	117.2	-1.6
Apparel	108.5	103.3	99.6	101.4	-6.5
Transportation	143.0	147.6	145.9	146.8	2.7
Private	141.8	146.6	144.8	145.7	2.8
Medical Care	259.3	269.3	267.3	268.3	3.5
Recreation	106.0	107.5	107.1	107.3	1.2
Education and Communication	117.5	112.1	108.4	110.3	-6.1
Other Goods and Services	319.1	314.1	315.5	314.8	-1.3

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