

Table B-35
St. Louis Consumer Price Index
Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers: 2003
(1982-84 = 100)

	Avg 2002	First Half of 2003	Second Half of 2003	Avg 2003	Avg. % Change 2002-2003
All Items	167.5	170.7	173.0	171.8	2.6
Food	170.3	170.6	173.1	171.8	0.9
Food at Home	161.5	162.9	165.1	164.0	1.5
Food Away from Home	183.5	183.7	185.2	184.4	0.5
Housing	163.2	167.7	170.5	169.1	3.6
Shelter	182.0	186.0	187.8	186.9	2.7
Rent	167.6	170.8	173.7	172.2	2.7
Homeownership	174.2	177.4	179.2	178.3	2.4
Fuel and Utilities	133.1	141.9	150.8	146.4	10.0
Gas and Electricity	122.3	127.6	143.9	135.8	11.0
Household Furnishings and Operations	140.7	143.7	142.2	143.0	1.6
Apparel	120.8	119.4	127.6	123.5	2.2
Transportation	150.1	154.1	152.6	153.3	2.1
Private	149.2	153.6	151.8	152.7	2.3
Medical Care	275.9				
Recreation	108.6	111.6	112.6	112.1	3.2
Education and Communication	109.4	112.8	116.1	114.4	4.6
Other Goods and Services	252.9	254.3	252.4	253.3	0.2

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