

Table 1C. Chained Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (C-CPI-U): U.S. city average, by expenditure category and commodity and service group

(December 1999=100, unless otherwise noted)

Item and group	Relative importance, 2015-2016	Unadjusted indexes		Unadjusted percent change to July 2019 from—	
		June 2019	July 2019	July 2018	June 2019
Expenditure category					
All items	100.000	144.485	144.705	1.7	0.2
Food and beverages	14.562	147.468	147.598	1.7	.1
Food	13.581	147.813	147.928	1.7	.1
Food at home	7.676	132.546	132.519	.5	.0
Food away from home	5.905	170.409	170.752	3.2	.2
Alcoholic beverages980	144.124	144.456	1.9	.2
Housing	40.955	155.903	156.267	2.9	.2
Shelter	31.818	166.551	166.986	3.4	.3
Fuels and utilities	4.659	179.057	179.433	.4	.2
Household furnishings and operations	4.478	89.494	89.546	1.7	.1
Apparel	3.247	93.125	91.877	.2	-1.3
Transportation	16.603	142.067	142.278	-5	.1
Private transportation	15.341	145.714	146.338	-5	.4
New vehicles	3.937	102.459	102.192	.2	-3
Public transportation	1.262	123.042	118.970	.3	-3.3
Medical care	8.526	190.506	191.286	2.4	.4
Medical care commodities	1.713	157.116	157.444	-6	.2
Medical care services	6.813	202.642	203.572	3.2	.5
Recreation	5.855	103.697	103.620	.4	-.1
Education and communication	7.071	114.655	114.861	.6	.2
Education	2.976	246.511	246.725	3.0	.1
Communication	4.094	59.467	59.617	-1.5	.3
Other goods and services	3.180	166.900	167.756	1.8	.5
Commodity and service group					
Services	61.556	166.412	166.725	2.5	.2
Commodities	38.444	118.342	118.451	.3	.1
Durables	10.890	73.751	73.884	.2	.2
Nondurables	27.554	141.988	142.071	.4	.1
All items less food and energy	79.090	139.190	139.369	2.0	.1
Energy	7.329	185.389	186.366	-2.0	.5

Indexes are issued as initial estimates. Indexes are revised each quarter with the publication of January, April, July, and October data as updated expenditure estimates become available. The C-CPI-U indexes are updated quarterly until they become final. January-March indexes are final in January of the following year; April-June indexes are final in April of the following year; July-September indexes are final in July of the following year; October-December indexes are final in October of the following year.