

1st Quarter 2006 (Published May 2006)

<i>(National Average = 100)</i> <i>Metropolitan Area</i>	Composite Index (100%)	Grocery Items (13%)	Housing (28%)	Utilities (10%)	Transportation (10%)	Health Care (4%)	Misc. Goods & Services (35%)
Huntsville, AL	91.1	93.9	79.1	81.1	101.4	87.2	99.9
Comparable Technology Communities							
Austin, TX	94.1	91.9	85.7	88.7	97.2	98.1	101.9
Charlotte, NC	91.1	91.9	77.0	77.3	99.2	105.7	102.1
Orlando, FL	102.9	94.9	108.0	91.2	107.0	94.4	104.8
Raleigh, NC	93.1	101.1	75.9	95.7	100.1	118.1	98.3
Richmond, VA	108.8	99.6	117.6	102.9	107.5	106.6	107.5
San Jose, CA	156.0	147.0	254.3	98.2	101.4	117.7	117.3
Major U.S. Metro Areas							
Atlanta, GA	97.5	97.8	96.3	86.2	102.0	101.2	99.9
Boston, MA	133.6	112.6	163.2	126.0	111.5	130.4	126.4
Chicago, IL	111.9	109.4	133.5	107.2	105.2	107.5	99.3
Cincinnati, OH	94.0	91.7	85.3	109.2	89.8	95.2	98.5
Cleveland, OH	98.0	106.4	92.0	112.4	99.1	100.9	95.0
Dallas, TX	95.8	105.8	78.4	119.1	102.6	99.7	97.0
Denver, CO	100.4	103.7	106.7	94.3	94.7	102.5	97.1
Detroit, MI	104.1	101.0	116.5	108.7	98.6	100.3	96.1
Houston, TX	90.2	83.1	74.0	112.3	98.1	98.8	96.3
Los Angeles, CA	158.2	135.8	271.7	102.9	115.0	116.6	108.7
Miami, FL	115.4	102.1	144.0	96.5	109.1	113.4	104.8
New York (Manhattan), NY	201.2	144.6	373.6	135.1	108.6	127.8	138.2
Philadelphia, PA	124.0	123.7	144.7	115.2	110.0	115.9	115.1
Phoenix, AZ	103.8	99.1	113.4	90.4	101.4	100.8	102.7
Pittsburgh, PA	93.3	96.9	88.1	93.4	102.2	89.1	94.0
Portland, OR	116.7	114.7	127.4	115.6	102.6	106.4	114.4
San Diego, CA *	150.3	113.6	232.7	93.8	110.7	118.6	125.6
San Francisco, CA	170.6	145.3	283.9	86.6	112.0	126.9	135.1
Seattle, WA	116.3	110.0	136.8	93.6	108.7	117.1	110.6
St. Louis, MO	95.6	97.9	92.4	100.0	96.3	93.6	95.9
Tampa, FL	99.5	102.1	96.0	103.5	103.6	94.6	99.6
Washington, DC	142.1	109.2	223.6	118.8	109.1	109.3	108.9

Source: ACCRA Cost of Living Index, 1st Quarter 2006.

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* Data for 4th Quarter 2005.