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CONSUMER PRICE INDEX (1982-84=100) April 2005

Group	All urban consumers			Wage earners & clerical workers		
	Index	Percent change Apr 04	Percent change Mar 05	Index	Percent change Apr 04	Percent change Mar 05
		Apr 05	Apr 05		Apr 05	Apr 05
U.S. City Average						
All items (1982-84=100)	194.6	3.5	0.7	190.2	3.7	0.8
All items (1967=100)	582.9	-	-	566.4	-	-
Food and beverages	190.7	3.1	0.6	190.1	3.0	0.5
Housing	194.4	3.2	0.2	189.4	3.2	0.3
Shelter	224.4	2.7	0.0	216.9	2.6	0.0
Rent of primary residence	216.0	3.0	0.2	215.2	3.0	0.3
Apparel	123.7	-0.5	0.2	123.2	-0.5	0.2
Transportation	173.2	7.0	2.6	172.2	7.7	2.7
Medical care	321.5	4.3	0.2	321.1	4.4	0.2
Recreation 1/	109.2	0.2	0.2	106.8	0.1	0.3
Education & communication 1/	112.9	1.8	0.2	110.8	1.1	0.1
Other goods and services	311.6	2.6	0.1	319.9	2.8	0.1
South						
All items (1982-84=100)	187.3	3.5	0.8	184.3	3.8	0.9
All items (Dec 1977=100)	303.8	-	-	298.5	-	-
Food and beverages	187.5	2.6	0.5	186.5	2.6	0.4
Housing	177.5	3.0	0.3	175.4	3.1	0.3
Apparel	136.9	-0.1	0.4	136.8	-0.1	0.4
Transportation	171.4	8.1	2.8	169.5	8.8	3.0
Medical care	310.4	4.3	0.2	311.8	4.5	0.2
Recreation 1/	109.4	-0.5	0.2	107.0	-0.5	0.1
Education & communication 1/	110.1	0.8	0.3	107.7	0.5	0.4
Other goods and services	298.2	2.6	-0.2	303.6	2.7	-0.2
		Percent change			Percent change	
		Apr 04	Feb 05		Apr 04	Feb 05
	Index	Apr 05	Apr 05	Index	Apr 05	Apr 05
Atlanta						
All items (1982-84=100)	188.0	3.1	1.5	186.0	3.3	1.4
All items (1967=100)	567.1	-	-	562.5	-	-
Food and beverages	197.4	2.1	0.4	194.9	2.1	0.4
Housing	183.3	1.3	1.8	179.7	1.1	1.2
Apparel	116.9	-0.3	-4.6	122.5	2.4	-4.3
Transportation	164.8	9.6	4.2	164.7	10.5	5.1
Medical care	338.1	7.1	0.5	333.1	7.3	0.5
Recreation 1/	108.3	2.7	0.4	103.4	2.2	0.2
Education & communication 1/	103.3	-0.5	-0.3	101.4	-0.3	-0.3
Other goods and services	289.0	3.3	0.0	315.2	3.2	-0.1
Miami						
All items (1982-84=100)	193.2	4.3	1.4	191.2	4.7	1.5
All items (Nov 1977=100)	311.5	-	-	310.6	-	-
Food and beverages	200.0	3.1	0.9	199.1	3.1	0.8
Housing	189.2	6.2	0.9	187.8	6.3	1.0
Apparel	142.3	-3.1	0.6	150.5	-5.6	0.2
Transportation	177.9	5.8	3.6	176.1	6.4	4.0
Medical care	309.0	5.1	1.0	311.7	5.0	0.7
Recreation 1/	110.7	0.8	0.4	108.7	1.0	0.6
Education & communication 1/	107.8	-0.7	2.2	110.4	1.5	2.9
Other goods and services	248.4	0.6	-0.4	239.3	0.8	-0.4

1/ Indexes on a December 1977=100 base

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