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CONSUMER PRICE INDEX (1982-84=100) September 2006

Group	All urban consumers			Wage earners & clerical workers		
	Index	Percent change	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Percent change
		Sep 05	Aug 06		Sep 05	Aug 06
		Sep 06	Sep 06		Sep 06	Sep 06
U.S. City Average						
All items (1982-84=100)	202.9	2.1	-0.5	198.4	1.7	-0.6
All items (1967=100)	607.9	-	-	591.0	-	-
Food and beverages	196.7	2.6	0.4	195.9	2.5	0.4
Housing	205.0	4.1	0.0	200.4	3.9	0.0
Shelter	233.9	4.2	-0.1	226.6	4.0	0.0
Rent of primary residence	227.1	3.9	0.4	226.2	3.9	0.4
Apparel	121.7	1.0	4.8	121.4	1.5	4.9
Transportation	180.6	-3.2	-4.2	180.1	-3.4	-4.5
Medical care	338.3	4.2	0.2	337.8	4.3	0.1
Recreation 1/	111.1	1.3	-0.2	108.3	1.2	-0.2
Education & communication 1/	118.4	2.7	0.8	115.3	2.4	0.7
Other goods and services	323.3	2.6	0.5	332.2	2.4	0.4
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South						
All items (1982-84=100)	195.8	2.0	-0.7	192.9	1.6	-0.8
All items (Dec 1977=100)	317.6	-	-	312.4	-	-
Food and beverages	194.0	2.4	0.5	192.7	2.2	0.4
Housing	189.1	4.5	-0.1	187.9	4.7	0.1
Apparel	132.9	1.8	4.4	133.9	3.1	4.2
Transportation	177.7	-4.3	-4.9	175.9	-4.9	-5.1
Medical care	323.8	3.5	0.2	325.4	3.7	0.2
Recreation 1/	112.3	2.2	-0.1	109.4	1.9	0.0
Education & communication 1/	115.0	2.5	0.8	111.7	2.1	0.8
Other goods and services	308.5	2.4	0.8	313.9	2.4	0.6

1/ Indexes on a December 1997=100 base.

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