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CONSUMER PRICE INDEX (1982-84=100) January 2004

Group	All urban consumers			Wage earners & clerical workers		
	Index	Percent change	Percent change	Index	Percent change	Percent change
		Jan 03	Dec 03		Jan 03	Dec 03
		Jan 04	Jan 04		Jan 04	Jan 04
U.S. City Average						
All items (1982-84=100)	185.2	1.9	0.5	180.9	1.8	0.6
All items (1967=100)	554.9	-	-	538.7	-	-
Food and beverages	184.3	3.5	0.1	183.8	3.6	0.1
Housing	186.3	2.2	0.6	182.1	2.4	0.6
Shelter	215.2	2.0	0.5	209.2	2.1	0.5
Rent of primary residence	208.3	2.5	0.2	207.4	2.4	0.2
Apparel	115.8	-1.9	-2.7	115.7	-1.4	-2.5
Transportation	157.0	1.0	1.5	154.9	0.2	1.6
Medical care	303.6	3.8	0.5	302.8	3.8	0.5
Recreation 1/	107.9	0.9	0.2	105.6	0.5	0.1
Education & communication 1/	111.1	1.3	0.2	109.8	0.5	0.1
Other goods and services	301.4	1.7	0.4	309.3	1.2	0.4
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South						
All items (1982-84=100)	178.2	1.8	0.4	175.0	1.4	0.5
All items (Dec 1977=100)	289.0	-	-	283.4	-	-
Food and beverages	181.6	3.4	0.2	180.6	3.5	0.1
Housing	170.3	2.4	0.4	168.6	2.4	0.4
Apparel	127.3	-3.4	-3.2	127.9	-1.8	-2.9
Transportation	154.2	0.7	1.8	151.3	-0.5	2.0
Medical care	294.6	3.6	0.3	295.7	3.7	0.3
Recreation 1/	108.2	0.9	0.3	105.9	0.5	0.2
Education & communication 1/	109.3	-0.2	0.1	107.4	-1.0	0.1
Other goods and services	288.8	0.9	0.1	293.8	0.3	0.1

1/ Indexes on a December 1997=100 base.

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