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[1982-84=100, unless otherwise noted]

Area	Pricing Schedule ⁽¹⁾	Percent change to Mar. 2023 from:			Percent change to Feb. 2023 from:		
		Mar. 2022	Jan. 2023	Feb. 2023	Feb. 2022	Dec. 2022	Jan. 2023
U.S. city average	M	5.0	0.9	0.3	6.0	1.4	0.6
Region and area size ⁽²⁾							
Northeast	M	4.3	0.3	-0.2	5.9	1.2	0.5
Northeast - Size Class A	M	4.8	0.5	-0.1	6.3	1.4	0.6
Northeast - Size Class B/C ⁽³⁾	M	3.6	0.0	-0.4	5.4	1.0	0.5
New England ⁽⁴⁾	M	3.6	0.2	0.0	5.1	1.1	0.2
Middle Atlantic ⁽⁴⁾	M	4.6	0.3	-0.3	6.2	1.3	0.7
Midwest	M	4.9	1.1	0.6	5.6	1.3	0.5
Midwest - Size Class A	M	4.7	1.1	0.6	5.4	1.1	0.4
Midwest - Size Class B/C ⁽³⁾	M	5.0	1.1	0.6	5.7	1.4	0.5
East North Central ⁽⁴⁾	M	5.1	1.1	0.8	5.6	1.3	0.4
West North Central ⁽⁴⁾	M	4.3	0.9	0.2	5.4	1.2	0.7
South	M	5.3	1.0	0.4	6.4	1.4	0.6
South - Size Class A	M	5.4	1.2	0.5	6.4	1.3	0.7
South - Size Class B/C ⁽³⁾	M	5.2	0.9	0.3	6.4	1.5	0.6
South Atlantic ⁽⁴⁾	M	5.6	1.1	0.5	6.4	1.2	0.6

East South Central (4)	M	5.2	1.2	0.3	6.5	1.8	1.0
West South Central (4)	M	4.7	0.7	0.2	6.3	1.6	0.5
West	M	5.1	1.0	0.5	6.0	1.4	0.5
West - Size Class A	M	5.0	0.7	0.3	6.2	1.6	0.4
West - Size Class B/C (3)	M	5.2	1.4	0.7	5.7	1.2	0.7
Mountain (4)	M	6.0	1.5	0.8	6.7	1.3	0.7
Pacific (4)	M	4.8	0.8	0.4	5.7	1.5	0.4
Size classes							
Size Class A (5)	M	5.0	0.8	0.3	6.1	1.4	0.5
Size Class B/C (3)	M	4.9	0.9	0.3	6.0	1.3	0.6
Selected local areas							
Chicago-Naperville-Elgin, IL-IN-WI	M	4.4	1.2	0.8	5.0	1.2	0.4
Los Angeles-Long Beach-Anaheim, CA	M	3.7	-0.2	0.1	5.1	1.6	-0.3
New York-Newark-Jersey City, NY-NJ-PA	M	4.6	0.3	-0.1	6.0	1.2	0.4
Atlanta-Sandy Springs-Roswell, GA	2				7.2	1.5	
Baltimore-Columbia-Towson, MD (6)	2				6.1	1.2	
Detroit-Warren-Dearborn, MI	2				7.0	1.9	
Houston-The Woodlands-Sugar Land, TX	2				5.2	1.9	
Miami-Fort Lauderdale-West Palm Beach, FL	2						
Philadelphia-Camden-Wilmington, PA-NJ-DE-MD	2				6.9	2.0	
Phoenix-Mesa-Scottsdale, AZ (7)	2				8.5	1.2	
San Francisco-Oakland-Hayward, CA	2				5.3	1.8	
Seattle-Tacoma-Bellevue, WA	2				8.0	1.4	

St. Louis, MO-IL	2				5.9	0.8	
Urban Alaska	2				4.3	0.1	
Boston-Cambridge-Newton, MA-NH	1	4.7	0.2				
Dallas-Fort Worth-Arlington, TX	1	5.8	1.3				
Denver-Aurora-Lakewood, CO	1	5.7	1.3				
Minneapolis-St.Paul-Bloomington, MN-WI	1	3.4	0.4				
Riverside-San Bernardino-Ontario, CA(4)	1	4.6	0.0				
San Diego-Carlsbad, CA	1	5.3	1.0				
Tampa-St. Petersburg-Clearwater, FL(8)	1	7.7	1.1				
Urban Hawaii	1	3.3	0.6				
Washington-Arlington-Alexandria, DC-VA-MD-WV(6)	1	3.7	1.3				

Footnotes

(1) Foods, fuels, and several other items are priced every month in all areas. Most other goods and services are priced as indicated: M - Every month. 1 - January, March, May, July, September, and November. 2 - February, April, June, August, October, and December.

(2) Regions defined as the four Census regions.

(3) Indexes on a December 1996=100 base.

(4) Indexes on a December 2017=100 base.

(5) Indexes on a December 1986=100 base.

(6) 1998 - 2017 indexes based on substantially smaller sample.

(7) Indexes on a December 2001=100 base.

(8) Indexes on a 1987=100 base.

NOTE: Local area indexes are byproducts of the national CPI program. Each local index has a smaller sample size than the national index and is, therefore, subject to substantially more sampling and other measurement error. As a result, local area indexes show greater volatility than the national index, although their long-term trends are similar. Therefore, the Bureau of Labor Statistics strongly urges users to consider adopting the national average CPI for use in their escalator clauses.

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