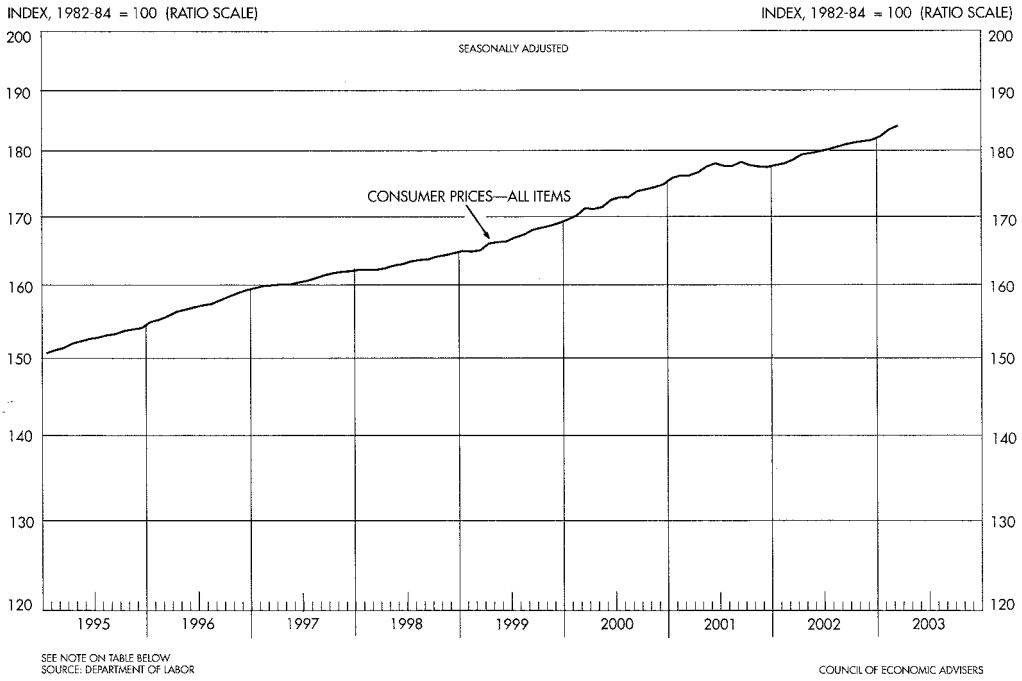
CONSUMER PRICES—ALL URBAN CONSUMERS

In March, the consumer price index for all urban consumers rose 0.3 percent seasonally adjusted; it rose 0.6 percent not seasonally adjusted. The index was 3.0 percent above its year-earlier level.



[1982–84=100, except as noted; monthly data seasonally adjusted, except as noted]

Period	All items [1]		Food	Housing				Fuels and utilities	Apparel	Transportation			Medical care	Energy [2]	All items less food and energy
	Not seasonally adjusted (NSA)	Seasonally adjusted		Total [1]	Shelter					Total [1]	New cars	Motor fuel			
					Total [1]	Rent of primary residence	Owners' equivalent rent (12/82=100)								
Rel. imp.[3]	*100.0*	.....	*14.6*	*40.9*	*31.7*	*6.5*	*22.2*	*4.5*	*4.2*	*17.3*	.....	*3.1*	*6.0*	*6.7*	*78.7*
1993	144.5	.....	140.9	141.2	155.7	150.3	160.5	121.3	133.7	130.4	131.5	98.0	201.4	104.2	152.2
1994	148.2	.....	144.3	144.8	160.5	154.0	165.8	122.8	133.4	134.3	136.0	98.5	211.0	104.6	156.5
1995	152.4	.....	148.4	148.5	165.7	157.8	171.3	123.7	132.0	139.1	139.0	100.0	220.5	105.2	161.2
1996	156.9	.....	153.3	152.8	171.0	162.0	176.8	127.5	131.7	143.0	141.4	106.3	228.2	110.1	165.6
1997	160.5	.....	157.3	156.8	176.3	166.7	181.9	130.8	132.9	144.3	141.7	106.2	234.6	111.5	169.5
1998	163.0	.....	160.7	160.4	182.1	172.1	187.8	128.5	133.0	141.6	140.7	92.2	242.1	102.9	173.4
1999	166.6	.....	164.1	163.9	187.3	177.5	192.9	128.8	131.3	144.4	139.6	100.7	250.6	106.6	177.0
2000	172.2	.....	167.8	169.6	193.4	183.9	198.7	137.9	129.6	153.3	139.6	129.3	260.8	124.6	181.3
2001	177.1	.....	173.1	176.4	200.6	192.1	206.3	150.2	127.3	154.3	138.9	124.7	272.8	129.3	186.1
2002	179.9	.....	176.2	180.3	208.1	199.7	214.7	143.6	124.0	152.9	137.3	116.6	285.6	121.7	190.5
2002: Mar	178.8	178.5	176.0	179.0	206.3	198.0	212.8	142.5	125.5	150.5	137.6	108.2	281.5	117.2	189.2
Apr	179.8	179.3	176.1	179.4	207.0	198.5	213.4	142.6	125.2	152.8	137.3	117.9	282.7	121.9	189.7
May	179.8	179.5	175.9	179.9	207.5	199.0	213.9	143.3	124.5	152.9	137.0	117.7	283.9	122.1	190.0
June	179.9	179.8	175.9	180.1	207.8	199.5	214.5	143.5	123.8	153.2	136.9	119.1	284.6	122.9	190.2
July	180.1	180.1	176.1	180.4	208.2	200.0	215.1	143.4	123.0	153.8	136.8	120.9	286.4	123.7	190.5
Aug	180.7	180.5	176.0	180.8	208.9	200.4	215.6	143.8	124.0	154.2	136.6	121.1	287.1	123.9	191.1
Sept	181.0	180.9	176.4	181.1	209.4	200.8	216.2	144.1	123.7	154.5	137.0	121.9	288.0	124.4	191.4
Oct	181.3	181.2	176.6	181.6	209.9	201.3	216.8	144.6	123.5	155.2	137.4	125.0	289.7	126.2	191.6
Nov	181.3	181.4	177.0	181.8	210.3	201.9	217.1	144.7	123.2	154.9	137.3	123.8	291.2	125.6	191.8
Dec	180.9	181.6	177.3	182.2	210.8	202.3	217.7	145.3	122.9	154.5	136.8	122.1	292.3	125.1	192.1
2003: Jan	181.7	182.2	177.0	182.9	211.4	203.1	218.3	147.4	121.8	156.2	135.7	130.2	292.6	130.1	192.3
Feb	183.1	183.3	178.2	183.4	211.5	203.5	218.7	150.3	121.6	159.3	135.4	143.0	293.0	137.8	192.5
Mar	184.2	183.9	178.5	184.1	211.4	203.9	218.9	156.9	121.1	160.9	135.6	148.7	293.5	144.2	192.5

[1] Includes items not shown separately.

[2] Household fuels—gas (piped), electricity, fuel oil, etc.—and motor fuel. Motor oil, coolant, etc. excluded beginning 1983.

[3] Relative importance, December 2002.

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