

Item	U.S. City Average		Northeast region		Boston-Brockton-Nashua	
	Nov 2014	Percent change from Nov 2013	Nov 2014	Percent change from Nov 2013	Nov 2014	Percent change from Nov 2013
Utility (piped) gas service (2)	178.558	3.2	166.432	-3.5	214.262	8.6
Household furnishings and operations	122.694	-0.8	123.395	-1.6	127.113	1.6
Apparel	129.023	-0.3	132.251	0.0	148.429	0.2
Transportation	206.874	-2.8	208.769	-2.9	198.617	-3.3
Private transportation	201.505	-2.8	200.291	-2.8	195.175	-3.8
Motor fuel	252.897	-10.5	253.633	-10.3	255.220	-10.4
Gasoline	251.172	-10.5	252.361	-10.3	252.153	-10.4
Medical Care	438.445	2.5	459.461	2.3	597.061	1.9
Recreation (5)	115.026	-0.3	119.260	-0.7	114.268	0.6
Education and Communication (5)	137.708	0.6	137.975	-0.1	148.429	-0.6
Other Goods and Services	409.825	1.7	444.355	2.4	447.550	3.7
Energy	221.844	-4.8	221.924	-4.9	245.031	-0.2

Footnotes

(1) For the Northeast, December 1977 = 100.

(2) This index series was calculated using a Laspeyres estimator. All other item stratum index series converted to a geometric means estimator in January, 1999.

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**Consumer Price Indexes for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W), U.S. city averages and selected areas, not seasonally adjusted (1982-84=100 unless otherwise noted)**

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	Nov 2014	Percent change from Nov 2013	Nov 2014	Percent change from Nov 2013	Nov 2014	Percent change from Nov 2013
All Items	231.551	1.1	249.148	0.7	255.903	1.0
All Items (1967 = 100) (1)	689.720		389.156		739.652	
Food and Beverages	244.476	3.2	248.286	2.8	248.956	1.6

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<b>Food</b>	244.543	3.3	248.211	2.9	249.332	1.6
<b>Food at home</b>	240.896	3.5	245.592	3.3	237.698	2.1
<b>Food away from home</b>	252.058	2.9	255.974	2.3	271.264	0.4
<b>Alcoholic beverages</b>	242.198	1.6	247.746	1.1	244.099	2.4
<b>Housing</b>	230.944	2.6	260.030	1.8	260.083	4.0
<b>Shelter</b>	266.786	3.0	315.607	2.2	300.111	3.0
<b>Rent of primary residence (2)</b>	277.561	3.4	315.399	2.5	305.536	2.7
<b>Owners' equivalent rent of residences (2) (3)</b>	253.982	2.6	291.449	2.0	276.455	3.1
<b>Owners' equivalent rent of primary residence (2) (3)</b>	253.975	2.6	291.447	2.0	276.455	3.1
<b>Fuels and utilities</b>	228.158	2.9	220.678	1.3	278.611	11.3
<b>Household energy</b>	193.847	2.5	197.819	1.0	236.579	12.5
<b>Energy services (2) (4)</b>	196.643	3.0	191.624	2.7	239.919	16.7
<b>Electricity (2)</b>	200.831	2.9	197.716	5.5	250.454	21.4
<b>Utility (piped) gas service (2)</b>	178.710	3.1	166.557	-4.0	214.267	8.6
<b>Household furnishings and operations</b>	118.270	-1.3	116.626	-2.0	129.896	0.7
<b>Apparel</b>	128.301	-0.4	131.685	-0.9	152.308	-2.9
<b>Transportation</b>	206.009	-3.2	210.101	-2.9	202.710	-3.9
<b>Private transportation</b>	202.132	-3.3	203.301	-3.0	198.958	-4.3
<b>Motor fuel</b>	253.904	-10.4	254.254	-10.1	255.207	-10.4
<b>Gasoline</b>	252.248	-10.5	252.986	-10.2	252.156	-10.4
<b>Medical Care</b>	441.306	2.4	457.006	2.3	587.825	1.4
<b>Recreation (5)</b>	111.143	-0.5	119.961	-1.1	111.803	-3.2
<b>Education and Communication (5)</b>	129.377	0.0	128.651	-1.0	136.426	-2.0
<b>Other Goods and Services</b>	443.005	1.7	506.476	2.8	518.109	3.6
<b>Energy</b>	222.452	-5.2	222.280	-5.0	240.759	0.2

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