

Table 12.12-- RELATIVE IMPORTANCE OF COMPONENTS IN THE CONSUMER PRICE INDEX FOR ALL URBAN CONSUMERS (CPI-U), FOR THE U.S.AND HONOLULU: DECEMBER 2002

(Percent of all items. Based on the 1999-2000 Consumer Expenditures Survey)

Group	U.S.	Honolulu
Relative importance of local area	100.000	0.320
EXPENDITURE CATEGORY		
All items	100.000	100.000
Food and beverages	15.583	16.090
Food	14.554	14.938
Food at home	8.338	8.573
Cereals and bakery products	1.281	NA
Meats, poultry, fish and eggs	2.222	NA
Meats, poultry and fish	2.123	NA
Dairy products	0.876	NA
Fruits and vegetables	1.234	NA
Other foods at home	1.771	NA
Food away from home	6.216	6.365
Alcoholic beverages	1.029	1.152
Housing	40.854	42.479
Shelter	31.728	35.375
Renters' costs	NA	NA
Rent, Residential	6.467	8.314
Other renters' costs	NA	NA
Tenants; and household insurance	0.365	NA
Homeowners' costs	NA	NA
Owners' equivalent rent	22.243	24.822
Lodging away from home	2.405	NA
Fuel and other utilities	4.469	3.255
Fuels	3.604	2.455
Fuel oil and other household fuel	0.205	NA
Fuel oil	0.136	NA
Other household fuel commodities	0.070	NA
Gas (piped) and electricity	3.399	2.420
Electricity	2.415	2.254
Utility (piped) gas	0.984	0.166
Water and sewer and trash collection	0.864	NA
Household furnishings and operations	4.658	3.849

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EXPENDITURE CATEGORY -- Continued		
Apparel and upkeep	NA	NA
Apparel commodities	4.220	4.740
Men's and boys' apparel	1.065	NA
Women's and girls' apparel	1.738	NA
Footwear	0.853	NA
Infants' and toddlers' apparel	0.193	NA
Jewelry and watches	0.370	NA
Transportation	17.293	14.377
Private transportation	16.121	11.749
Motor fuel	3.119	2.964
Gasoline (all types)	3.091	2.905
Public transportation	1.172	NA
Medical care	5.961	6.364
Recreation	5.943	5.678
Education and communication	5.798	5.330
Other goods and services	4.350	4.943
Personal care	3.358	NA
COMMODITY AND SERVICE GROUP		
All items	100.000	100.000
Commodities	40.822	37.063
Food and beverages	15.583	16.090
Commodities less food and beverages	25.239	20.973
Nondurables less food and beverages	13.824	13.907
Durables	11.415	7.066
Services	59.178	62.937
Medical care services	4.574	NA

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COMMODITY AND SERVICE GROUP -- Continued		
Special indexes		
All items less shelter	68.272	64.625
All items less medical care	94.039	93.636
All items less energy	93.277	94.581
All items less food and energy	78.724	79.643
Energy	6.723	5.419
Commodities less food	26.268	22.125
Nondurables less food	14.853	15.059
Nondurables	29.406	29.997
Services less rent of shelter	27.815	27.796
Rent of shelter	31.364	NA
Services less medical care services	54.604	57.984

NA = Not available.

Source: Hawaii State Department of Business, Economic Development and Tourism, Website:

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