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| **Category** | **Constituent** [**CPI Expenditure Classes or Items**](https://www.bls.gov/opub/hom/pdf/homch17.pdf) |
| Basic ingredients | F39 (Butter or margarine)  F41 (Peanut butter, or cooking fats and oils)  FA03 (Rice, pasta, cornmeal)  FJ02 (Cheese and related products)  FJ011 Milk  FJ04 (Other dairy and related products) [not including processed cheese spreads and dips]  F61 (Meat, including beef, poultry, pork, or lunch meats)  F63 (Fresh fruits or vegetables) |
| Ready-to-eat or -prepare food | FA02 (Breakfast cereal)  F15 (Processed fish or processed seafood, including frozen, canned, or cooked)  F29 (Canned fruits or vegetables)  F30 (Frozen fruits or vegetables)  F31 (Dried or other processed fruits and vegetables)  F49 (Easy-to-prepare canned or packaged foods, excluding fruits, vegetables, and soups)  FB011 (Bread)  FT011 (Soups and soup bases)  FT021 (Frozen and freeze-dried prepared foods) |
| Beverages | F32 (Carbonated drinks)  F33 (Noncarbonated juices or drinks, frozen and non frozen)  F34 (Roasted, instant, or freeze-dried coffee)  F35 (Powdered drinks, tea, cocktail mixes, or ice) |
| Condiments | F36 (Sugar or artificial sweeteners)  F40 (Salad dressing or mayonnaise)  F65 (Condiments, spices, sauces, or gravies) |
| Snack foods | FB041 (Crackers, and bread and cracker products)  FT031 (Snacks) [includes nuts]  FB03 (Cakes, cupcakes, and cookies)  FB042 (Sweetrolls, coffee cake, and doughnuts (excluding frozen))  FB043 (Frozen bakery products, and frozen/refrigerated doughs and batters)  FB044 (Pies, tarts, turnovers (excluding frozen))  F37 (Candy or chewing gum)  F38 (Jellies, syrups, honey, molasses, marshmallows, icings, or fudge mixes)  FJ03 (Ice cream and related products)  FB032 (Cookies) |
| Electronics | H21 (Small electric kitchen appliances or clothing irons)  H22 (Heating or cooling equipment or home safety devices)  A22 (Watches)  R01 (Televisions)  G06 (Electric personal care appliances, such as shavers or hair dryers) |
| Household goods and supplies | H25 (Nonelectric kitchen utensils, cookware, or bake ware)  H32 (Household laundry and cleaning products or supplies)  H33 (Paper napkins, paper towels, facial tissue, or toilet paper)  H34 (Other disposable products, such as plastic or foil wraps, garbage bags, paper plates, batteries, or light bulbs)  R21 (Toys, games, hobby supplies, or playground equipment)  A23 (Jewelry)  R32 (Books) |
| Clothing | A01 through A19 |
| Hygiene and wellness | M02 (Nonprescription drugs)  M06 (Eyeglasses or eye care)  G03 (Hair Products, such as shampoo, sprays, pins, or combs)  G04 (Dental or shaving products)  G05 (Deodorant, feminine hygiene products, suntan lotions, or foot care products)  G07 (Cosmetics, perfumes, or bath and nail preparations) |
| Mail & stationary | G18 (Stationary, school supplies, or gift wrap)  EC011 (Postage) |