

**ACCRA Cost of Living Comparisons
Third Quarter 2008**

Component Weights:	100%	14%	29%	10%	10%	4%	33%
	<u>All Items</u>	<u>Groceries</u>	<u>Housing</u>	<u>Utilities</u>	<u>Transportation</u>	<u>Health Care</u>	<u>Misc.</u>
U.S. Average	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Salt Lake City UT (Metro)	100.9	104.5	101.9	72.2	103.1	100.8	106.5
Logan UT (Metro)	94.9	108.1	76.5	82.3	96.2	100.2	109.2
Cedar City UT (Micro)	92.6	100.0	88.7	78.7	99.6	89	95.5
St. George UT (Metro)	96.5	100.0	103.0	69.5	101.5	89.6	96.5
Western Cities							
Phoenix AZ	101.1	103.4	100.2	86.0	102.2	98.4	105.5
San Diego CA	136.1	111.9	207.3	97.8	100.5	113.6	103.5
San Francisco CA	173.6	125.8	297.3	98.6	109.0	122.8	129.6
Denver CO	104.9	109.1	108.6	95.6	98.9	106.5	104.6
Las Vegas NV	106.9	100.9	126.7	86.7	105.0	107.7	97.9
Seattle WA	124.6	119.9	154.6	81.1	112.0	119.0	117.3
Other Cities							
Washington DC	137.4	107.5	216.8	88.9	108.1	104.8	105.0
Tampa FL	94.3	97.5	84.8	90.8	104.2	95.0	99.4
Atlanta GA	97.5	103.6	88.0	86.3	103.2	101.3	104.8
Chicago IL	115.3	108.3	131.3	122.5	109.8	107.2	104.1
Boston MA	132.3	114.5	150.8	144.3	106.6	130.8	127.4
St Louis MO	91.5	101.2	77.3	90.8	99.5	97.5	97.7
Charlotte NC	93.5	102.5	79.2	88.4	93.5	107.9	102.8
New York (Manhattan) NY	222.4	114.6	413.2	171.2	119.3	135.2	144.3
Cincinnati OH	93.6	93.2	86.5	110.7	97.6	92.3	93.8
Philadelphia PA	125.8	123.2	149.4	115.9	104.1	109.4	117.6
Memphis TN	87.8	95.6	73.7	91.9	96.5	98.4	92.3
Dallas TX	92.6	98.5	71.6	108.7	102.9	105.6	99.7
Houston TX	90.9	86.1	75.5	111.2	98.0	97.9	97.2

For data on additional cities, to calculate percentage differences, or to obtain equivalent-wage calculations, visit the Council for Community and Economic Research website at www.c2er.org

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