

## Data Insights: Unconventional Consumer Price Indices

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### Today's unconventional CPI data: what you need to know

|                        | 12-mo YOY | 3-mo ann | 1-mo ann | 12 / 3 / 1-mo |  |  | 12-mo YOY history |
|------------------------|-----------|----------|----------|---------------|--|--|-------------------|
| All items              | +2.0%     | +5.0%    | +7.1%    |               |  |  |                   |
| Core                   | +2.0%     | +1.2%    | +1.8%    |               |  |  |                   |
| All items NSA          | +2.0%     | +3.4%    | +5.5%    |               |  |  |                   |
| Core NSA               | +2.0%     | +1.6%    | +3.1%    |               |  |  |                   |
| Chained CPI (NSA)      | +1.7%     | +2.7%    | +4.6%    |               |  |  |                   |
| Chained core CPI (NSA) | +1.8%     | +1.4%    | +3.1%    |               |  |  |                   |
| Median CPI             | +2.3%     | +2.6%    | +2.6%    |               |  |  |                   |
| Trimmed mean CPI       | +1.9%     | +1.9%    | +2.6%    |               |  |  |                   |
| Sticky CPI             | +2.3%     | +1.9%    | +2.4%    |               |  |  |                   |
| Sticky core CPI        | +2.2%     | +1.9%    | +2.4%    |               |  |  |                   |
| Flexible CPI           | +1.3%     | +11.8%   | +18.0%   |               |  |  |                   |
| Flexible core CPI      | +0.9%     | -2.6%    | -1.5%    |               |  |  |                   |

Source: BLS, Cleveland Fed, Atlanta Fed, TrendMacro calculations

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