

Inflation Rate History

(Based on the Annual Consumer Price Index)*

Year	Annual Inflation Rate	Year	Annual Inflation Rate	Year	Annual Inflation Rate
1946	8.4%	1966	2.8%	1986	1.9
1947	14	1967	2.9	1987	3.6
1948	7.6	1968	4.2	1988	4.0
1949	-1.0	1969	5.3	1989	4.8
1950	1.0	1970	5.9	1990	5.4
1951	7.9	1971	4.33.3	1991	4.2
1952	2.1	1972	6.2	1992	3.0
1953	0.8	1973	11.0	1993	3.0
1954	0.5	1974	9.1	1994	2.6
1955	-0.4	1975		1995	2.5
1956	1.5	1976	5.8	1996	2.9
1957	3.6	1977	6.5	1997	2.3
1958	2.7	1978	7.7	1998	1.6
1959	0.9	1979	11.3	1999	2.2
1960	1.6	1980	13.5	2000	3.4
1961	1.0	1981	10.4	2001	2.8
1962	1.1	1982	6.1	2002	2.1
1963	1.2	1983	3.2	2003	1.7
1964	1.4	1984	4.3	2004	2.1
1965	1.7	1985	3.6		

* The consumer price index used is the CPI-U for all urban consumers, as reported by the National Bureau of Labor Statistics.