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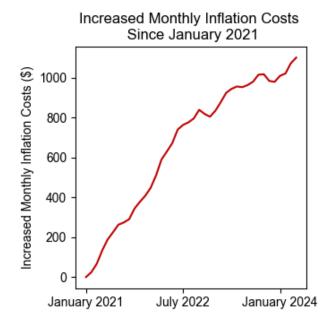


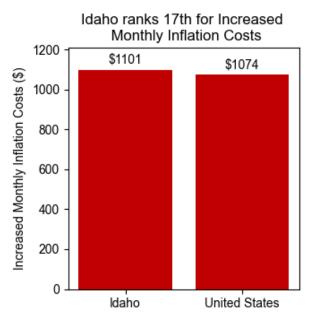
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Summary

Using the **April 2024** Consumer Price Index data release by the Bureau of Labor Statistics, the Joint Economic Committee (JEC) State Inflation Tracker estimates that the average household in **Idaho** is paying **\$1,101** more per month to purchase the same basket of goods and services as in January 2021.

Cumulatively, the average **Idaho** household has spent **\$26,609** more due to inflation since January 2021.





Breakdown

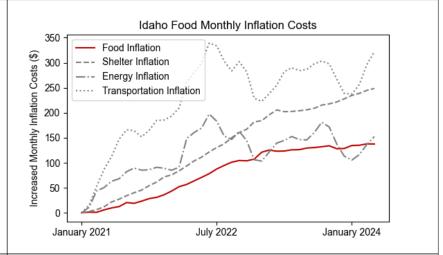
The Census Division where **Idaho** is located has seen cumulative inflation of **22.2 percent** since January 2021. This is **2.3 percentage points higher** than the national cumulative inflation since January 2021 of **19.9 percent**.

Compared to one year earlier, the average **Idaho** households needs to spend **\$156** more per month to maintain the same standard of living.

The JEC Inflation Tracker breaks down the increased cost to the average household in **Idaho** relative to January 2021 into four essential spending categories below:

Household Food Expenses

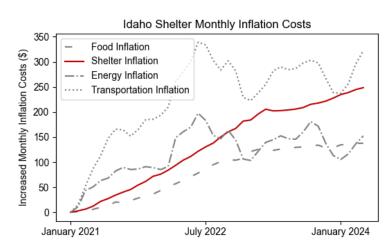
Compared to January 2021, the average household in **Idaho** is spending \$137 more on food per month. This is \$14 more each month than one year ago. Cumulatively, the average household in **Idaho** has spent \$3,226 more on food due to inflation since January 2021.



Household Shelter Expenses

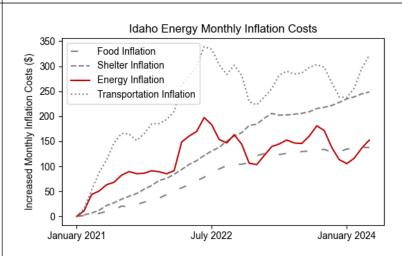
Compared to January 2021, the average household in **Idaho** is spending **\$248** more on shelter per month. This is **\$46** more each month than one year ago.

Cumulatively, the average household in **Idaho** has spent **\$5,353** more on shelter due to inflation since January 2021.



Household Energy Expenses

Compared to January 2021, the average household in **Idaho** is spending **\$152** more on energy per month. This is **\$7 more** each month than one year ago. Cumulatively, the average household in **Idaho** has spent **\$4,735** more on energy due to inflation since January 2021.



Household Transportation Expenses

Compared to January 2021, the average household in **Idaho** is spending **\$322** more on transportation per month. This is **\$40 more** each month than one year ago. Cumulatively, the average household in **Idaho** has spent **\$9,122** more on transportation due to inflation since January 2021.

