

Statistical tables

Table 2
The Consumer Price Index, major components and special aggregates, ¹ Canada, seasonally adjusted

	CANSIM vector number	Relative ² importance	Indexes			Percentage change December 2008 from		
			December 2008	November 2008	December 2007	November 2008	December 2007	
			2002=100					
All-items	(v41690914)	100.0	114.0	114.5	112.4	-0.4	1.4	
Food	(v41690915)	17.0	119.9	119.6	111.8	0.3	7.2	
Shelter	(v41690916)	26.6	123.4	123.4	119.2	0.0	3.5	
Household operations, furnishings and equipment	(v41690917)	11.1	105.8	105.7	103.5	0.1	2.2	
Clothing and footwear	(v41690918)	5.4	92.8	93.1	95.2	-0.3	-2.5	
Transportation	(v41690919)	19.9	110.3	113.2	117.5	-2.6	-6.1	
Health and personal care	(v41690920)	4.7	110.1	109.9	107.9	0.2	2.0	
Recreation, education and reading	(v41690921)	12.2	102.1	102.1	101.8	0.0	0.3	
Alcoholic beverages and tobacco products	(v41690922)	3.1	129.0	128.5	126.7	0.4	1.8	
Special aggregates								
All-items excluding food	(v41690923)	83.0	112.7	113.4	112.6	-0.6	0.1	
All-items excluding food and energy	(v41690924)	73.6	111.2	111.1	109.5	0.1	1.6	
All-items excluding eight of the most volatile components (Bank of Canada definition)	(v41690925)	82.7	111.6	111.5	109.5	0.1	1.9	
Core consumer price index (CPI) (Bank of Canada definition) ³	(v41690926)	82.7	112.9	112.9	110.2	0.0	2.5	

Note(s): See "Data quality, concepts and methodology — Explanatory notes for tables" section.