

**Table 2**  
**The Consumer Price Index, major components and special aggregates, <sup>1</sup> Canada, seasonally adjusted**

|  | CANSIM<br>vector<br>number | Relative<br>importance <sup>2</sup> | Indexes      |              |              | Percentage change        |                           |
|--|----------------------------|-------------------------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------------------|---------------------------|
|  |                            |                                     | May<br>2011  | June<br>2011 | July<br>2011 | May 2011 to<br>June 2011 | June 2011 to<br>July 2011 |
|  |                            |                                     | %            | 2002=100     |              | %                        |                           |
| <b>All-items CPI</b>   | <b>(v41690914)</b>         | <b>100.0</b>                        | <b>119.9</b> | <b>119.5</b> | <b>119.6</b> | <b>-0.3</b>              | <b>0.1</b>                |
| Food   | (v41690915)                | 16.0                                | 127.3        | 127.7        | 128.3        | 0.3                      | 0.5                       |
| Shelter  | (v41690916)                | 27.5                                | 125.2        | 125.4        | 125.9        | 0.2                      | 0.4                       |
| Household operations, furnishings and equipment  | (v41690917)                | 11.6                                | 110.2        | 110.7        | 110.8        | 0.5                      | 0.1                       |
| Clothing and footwear  | (v41690918)                | 5.3                                 | 92.8         | 92.7         | 91.8         | -0.1                     | -1.0                      |
| Transportation   | (v41690919)                | 20.6                                | 126.5        | 123.5        | 123.5        | -2.4                     | 0.0                       |
| Health and personal care   | (v41690920)                | 5.0                                 | 117.0        | 116.7        | 116.6        | -0.3                     | -0.1                      |
| Recreation, education and reading  | (v41690921)                | 11.2                                | 105.5        | 105.4        | 105.6        | -0.1                     | 0.2                       |
| Alcoholic beverages and tobacco products   | (v41690922)                | 2.9                                 | 135.7        | 135.6        | 136.1        | -0.1                     | 0.4                       |
| <b>Special aggregates</b>  |                            |                                     |              |              |              |                          |                           |
| All-items CPI excluding food   | (v41690923)                | 84.0                                | 118.4        | 117.9        | 117.8        | -0.4                     | -0.1                      |
| All-items CPI excluding food and energy  | (v41690924)                | 73.9                                | 114.7        | 114.3        | 114.3        | -0.3                     | 0.0                       |
| All-items CPI excluding eight of the most volatile<br>components (Bank of Canada definition) | (v41690925)                | 82.2                                | 116.8        | 116.6        | 116.8        | -0.2                     | 0.2                       |
| Core Consumer Price Index (CPI) (Bank of Canada<br>definition) <sup>3</sup>                  | (v41690926)                | 82.2                                | 117.4        | 117.1        | 117.4        | -0.3                     | 0.3                       |

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