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p	preliminary
r	revised
x	suppressed to meet the confidentiality requirements of the *Statistics Act*
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Highlights

- Consumer prices rose 3.3% in the 12 months to March, the largest year-over-year increase since September 2008. This advance follows a 2.2% increase in the 12 months to February. The overall increase in March was broad based. On a seasonally adjusted monthly basis, consumer prices rose 0.8% from February to March.

Briefing notes

Highlights:

- Consumer prices rose 3.3% in the 12 months to March following the 2.2% increase posted in February. On a non-seasonally adjusted monthly basis, consumer prices rose 1.1%, after increasing 0.3% in February.

All-items Consumer Price Index (CPI):

- Energy prices increased 12.8% during the 12 months to March, following a 10.6% increase in February. Gasoline prices increased 18.9% in March, following a 15.7% gain in the 12 months to February. Prices for fuel oil and other fuels increased 31.3%, while electricity prices rose 4.3%. Excluding energy, the CPI rose 2.4% in the 12 months to March, following a 1.4% increase in February.
- Prices for food purchased from stores rose 3.7% in March, the largest year-over-year advance since August 2009. This increase follows a 2.0% gain posted in February. Other items that contributed significantly to the pick-up in prices were travel services, clothing, and the purchase of passenger vehicles.
- On a seasonally adjusted monthly basis, consumer prices rose 0.8% from February to March, the largest increase since October 2010. The food index, which is up for the fourth consecutive month, rose 1.6% in March. The transportation index, which includes gasoline, advanced 0.6% in March, following a 0.2% increase in February and continuing its string of increases since July 2010.

Main contributors to the 12-month change in the CPI:

Main upward contributors:

- Gasoline (+18.9%)
- Fresh vegetables (+18.6%)
- Passenger vehicle insurance premiums (+4.7%)
- Food purchased from restaurants (+2.7%)
- Fuel oil and other fuels (+31.3%)

Main downward contributors:

- Mortgage interest cost (-2.2%)
- Computer equipment and supplies (-9.9%)
- Video equipment (-10.4%)
- Fresh fruit (-3.1%)
- Natural gas (-2.0%)

Main contributors to the monthly change in the CPI, not seasonally adjusted:

Main upward contributors:

- Gasoline (+6.6%)
- Women's clothing (+11.5%)
- Fresh vegetables (+14.1%)
- Travel tours (+9.7%)
- Non-alcoholic beverages (+7.1%)

Main downward contributors:

- Purchase of passenger vehicles (-0.5%)
- Traveller accommodation (-1.8%)
- Natural gas (-2.1%)
- Electricity (-0.7%)
- Mortgage interest cost (-0.2%)

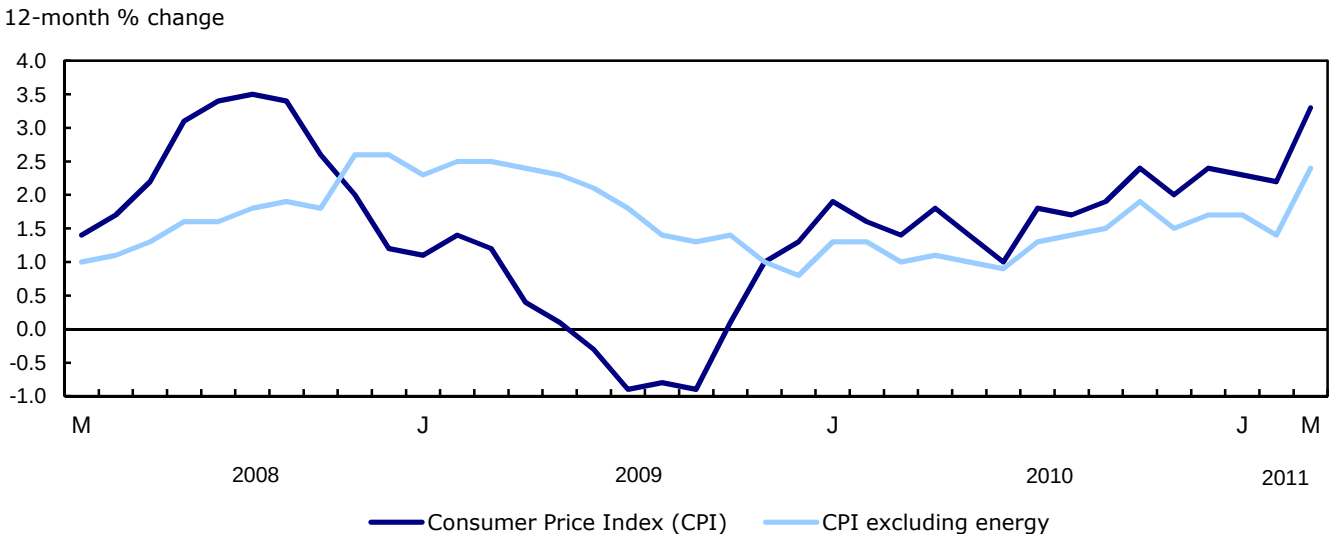
Twelve month and monthly percentage change in the most quoted indexes, not seasonally adjusted

	12-month percentage change		Monthly percentage change	
	February 2010 to February 2011	March 2010 to March 2011	January 2011 to February 2011	February 2011 to March 2011
	% change			
All-items	2.2	3.3	0.3	1.1
Core Consumer Price Index (CPI) (Bank of Canada definition)	0.9	1.7	0.2	0.7
All-items excluding energy	1.4	2.4	0.3	0.9
All-items excluding food and energy	1.2	2.1	0.3	0.6
Goods	2.1	3.7	0.3	2.0
Services	2.2	2.9	0.2	0.3

Analysis

Consumer prices rose 3.3% in the 12 months to March, the largest year-over-year increase since September 2008. This advance follows a 2.2% increase in the 12 months to February.

Chart 1
The 12-month change in the CPI and the CPI excluding energy



Energy prices increased 12.8% during the 12 months to March, following a 10.6% increase in February. Gasoline prices increased 18.9% in March, following a 15.7% gain in the 12 months to February. Prices for fuel oil and other fuels increased 31.3%, while electricity prices rose 4.3%.

Excluding energy, the Consumer Price Index (CPI) rose 2.4% in the 12 months to March, following a 1.4% increase in February.

Prices for food purchased from stores rose 3.7% in March, the largest year-over-year advance since August 2009. This increase follows a 2.0% gain posted in February.

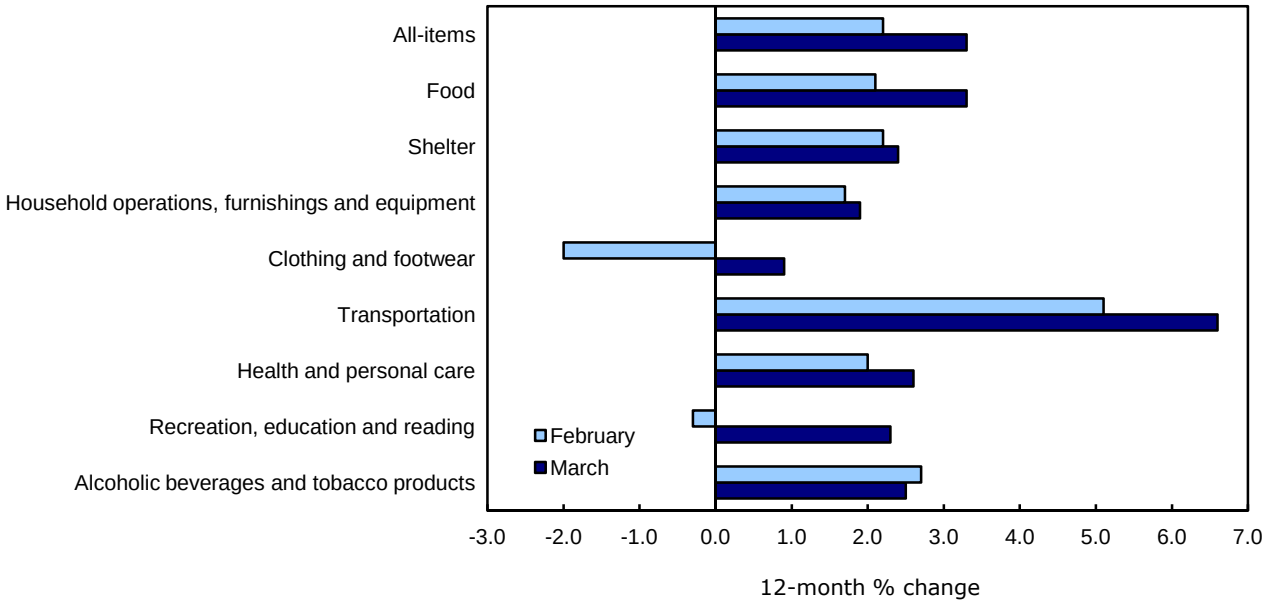
Other items that contributed significantly to the pickup in prices were travel services, clothing, and the purchase of passenger vehicles.

12-month change: Prices increase in all eight major components

On a year-over-year basis, prices increased in all major components of the CPI in March. Except for alcoholic beverages and tobacco products, prices rose at a faster rate in March than in February.

The largest increase occurred in the transportation component, where prices rose 6.6% in the 12 months to March, after advancing 5.1% in February.

Chart 2
Prices increase in all eight major components



In addition to higher gasoline prices, consumers paid more for passenger vehicle insurance premiums and for air transportation. Prices for the purchase of passenger vehicles rose 0.2% in the 12 months to March, following a 0.9% decrease the month before.

Food prices rose 3.3% in the 12 months to March, following a 2.1% rise in February. Prices for fresh vegetables rose 18.6%, as bad weather in Mexico and the southern U.S. reduced supply. The cost of meat rose 5.0% in March, as beef and pork prices increased. Higher prices were also recorded for bakery and cereal products as well as for dairy products.

Shelter costs rose 2.4% in March, after increasing 2.2% in February. In addition to higher prices for fuel oil and other fuels, as well as for electricity, homeowners' replacement cost increased 3.2% in the 12 months to March.

However, mortgage interest cost, which measures the change in the interest portion of payments on outstanding mortgage debt, and natural gas prices continued to decrease.

The recreation, education and reading price index increased 2.3% in the 12 months to March, after decreasing 0.3% in February. The difference can be mainly explained by traveller accommodation prices which increased 1.7% in March compared to the same month last year, after posting a 10.7% decline in February. The price decline in February was more the result of higher prices for hotel rooms in February 2010 during the Winter Olympics in Vancouver rather than recent price decreases.

Prices for household operations, furnishings and equipment advanced 1.9% between March 2010 and March 2011. Within this component, higher prices were recorded for child care and domestic services.

The health and personal care price index rose 2.6% in March, following a 2.0% increase in February. Consumers paid more for non-prescribed medicines, but less for prescribed medicines.

For alcoholic beverages and tobacco products, prices rose 2.5% in March with cigarette prices increasing 5.7%.

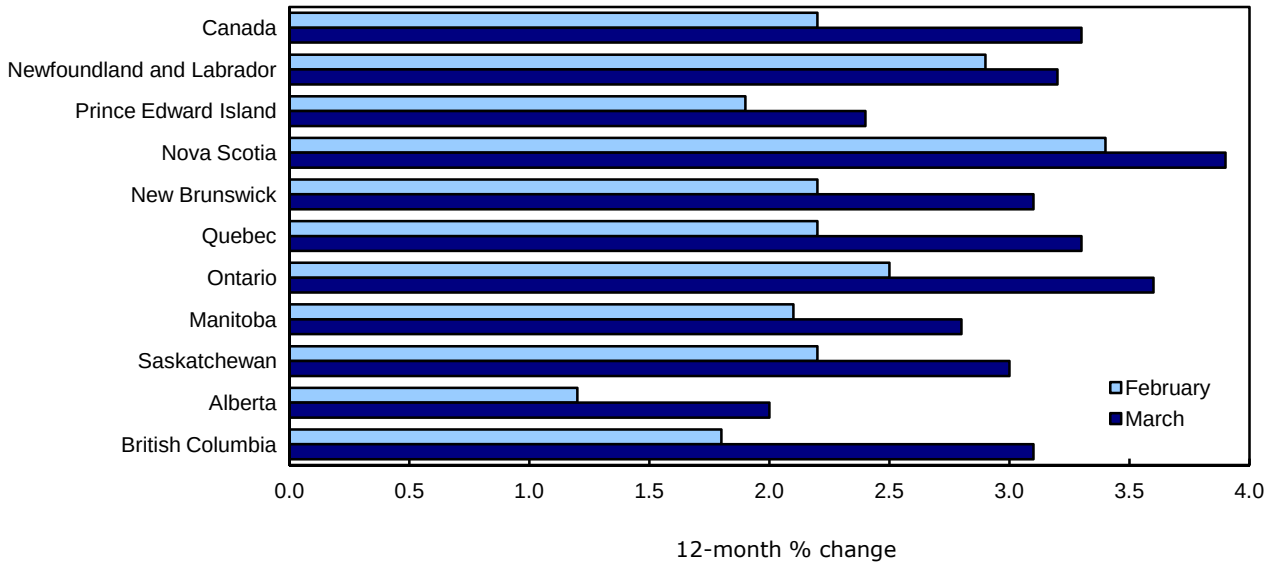
Prices for clothing and footwear rose 0.9% in the 12 months to March, the first year-over-year increase since November 2009. The advance follows a 2.0% decline posted in February. This year in March, fewer clothing items were on discount compared to the same month last year.

The provinces

Consumer prices rose at a faster rate in every province in March compared to February, year over year. Gasoline continued to be a major factor contributing to the increase in consumer prices in all provinces.

In the 12 months to March, Nova Scotia (+3.9%) posted the largest increase in consumer prices.

Chart 3
Consumer prices increase at a faster rate in all provinces, year over year



In Ontario, consumer prices rose 3.6% in the 12 months to March, after advancing 2.5% in February. Gasoline prices in Ontario rose 20.4% in March, following an 18.3% increase in February. Prices for food purchased from stores increased 3.6% in March, after advancing 1.8% in February. Higher prices were observed for fresh vegetables as well as for bakery products.

Consumer prices in Quebec increased 3.3% in the 12 months to March, following a 2.2% advance in February. Prices for gasoline rose 18.5% in March. Consumers paid 4.6% more for food purchased from stores in March, after paying 1.7% more in February. Prices rose for fresh vegetables, meat and dairy products.

Prices in British Columbia went up 3.1% in the 12 months to March, following a 1.8% increase in February. Much of the difference can be attributed to traveller accommodation, where prices decreased at a much slower rate in March (-3.1%) than they did in February (-38.1%), from a year earlier.

Drivers in British Columbia paid 16.3% more for gasoline in March compared with the same month in 2010. This rise follows a 12.6% increase in February. Consumers also paid more for food purchased from restaurants and electricity.

Non-seasonally adjusted monthly CPI continues to increase

Consumer prices, before seasonal adjustment, rose 1.1% in March, the largest monthly increase since January 1991. The March increase follows a 0.3% gain in February.

On a monthly basis, prices increased in seven of the eight major components in March. The only exception was for alcoholic beverages and tobacco products, where prices fell 0.1%.

Transportation costs increased 1.8% in March, after falling 0.2% in February. Gasoline prices advanced 6.6%, on the heels of a 0.6% increase in February. The cost of air transportation went up 2.5% in March, while prices for the purchase of passenger vehicles fell 0.5%.

Food prices increased 1.5% in March, after rising 0.3% in February. The March increase is the largest since November 2008. Price for food purchased from stores advanced 2.2%, after increasing 0.4% in February. Consumers paid more for fresh vegetables, non-alcoholic beverages, meat and dairy products.

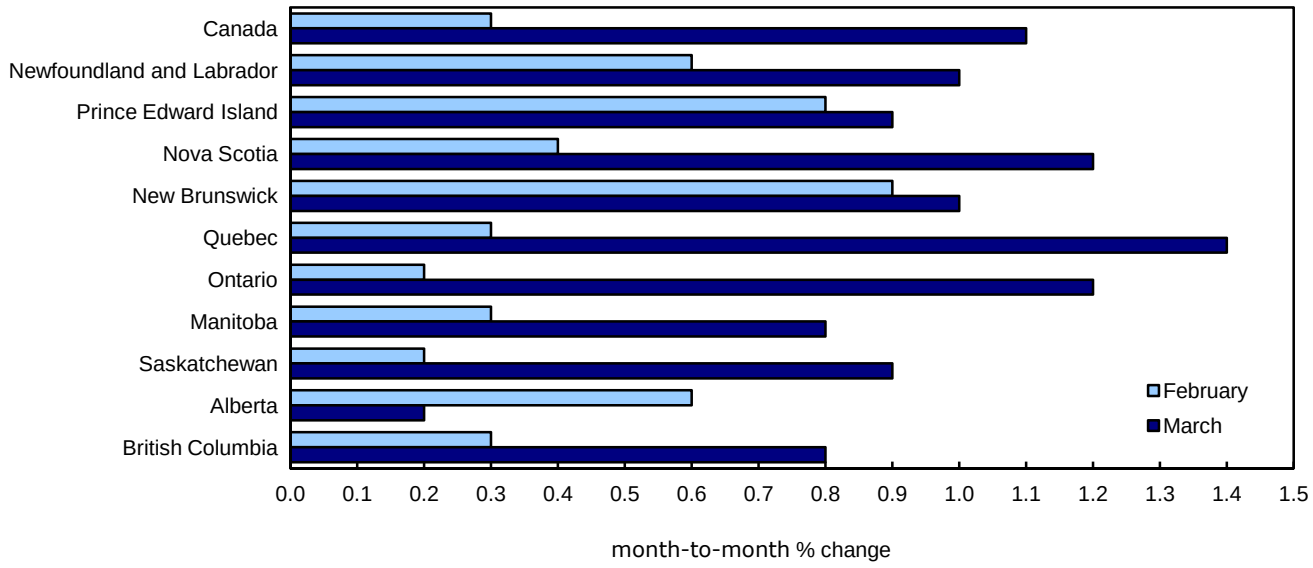
Prices for clothing and footwear increased 5.6% in March. Consumers paid 11.5% more for women's clothing. Prices also increased for men's clothing and children's clothing.

The recreation, education and reading price index rose 1.1% in March. Within the index, prices rose for travel tours and sporting equipment.

Prices for both household operations, furnishings and equipment as well as health and personal care rose 0.3% from February to March.

At the provincial level in March, consumer prices rose at a faster rate than in February in all provinces except Alberta. Quebec recorded the largest increase (+1.4%) and Alberta the smallest (+0.2%). Large monthly price increases were also observed in Ontario and Nova Scotia.

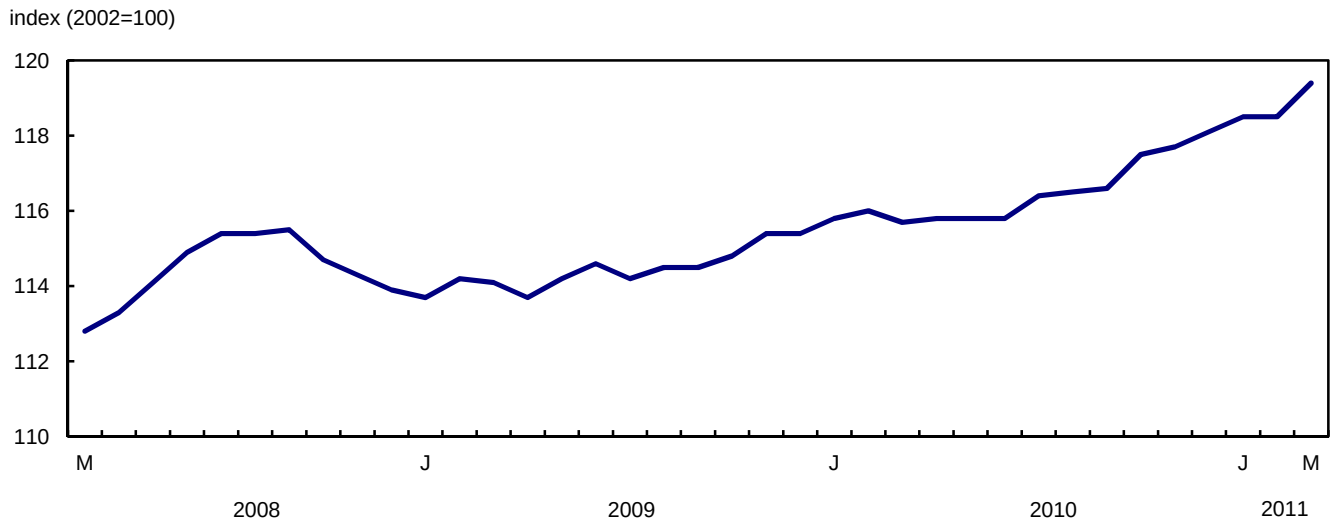
Chart 4
Consumer prices increase at a faster rate in all provinces except Alberta, month over month



Seasonally adjusted monthly CPI increases

On a seasonally adjusted monthly basis, consumer prices rose 0.8% from February to March, the largest increase since October 2010. The food index, which was up for the fourth consecutive month, rose 1.6% in March. The transportation index, which includes gasoline, advanced 0.6% in March, following a 0.3% increase in February and continuing its string of increases since July 2010.

Chart 5
Seasonally adjusted monthly CPI posts largest increase since October 2010



Seasonally adjusted, the clothing and footwear index posted a monthly increase of 2.1% in March, after remaining unchanged in February. The recreation, education and reading index, which includes travel services, increased 0.5% in March, following a 0.2% advance in February. This marks the seventh straight monthly increase for this index.

The Bank of Canada's core index

The Bank of Canada's core index advanced 1.7% in the 12 months to March, following a 0.9% rise in February. The higher increase in March was mainly a result of larger price increases for travel services, clothing, and the purchase of passenger vehicles.

Month-over-month, the core index, before seasonal adjustment, rose 0.7% in March, after increasing 0.2% in February.

The seasonally adjusted monthly core index increased 0.5% in March, the largest increase since November 2008. The March increase follows a 0.1% decline in February.

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Statistical tables

Table 1

The Consumer Price Index, major components and special aggregates, [1] Canada not seasonally adjusted

	CANSIM vector number	Relative importance[2]	Indexes			Percentage change	
			March 2010	February 2011	March 2011	February 2011 to March 2011	March 2010 to March 2011
		%	2002=100			%	
All-items	**(v41690973)**	**100.0**	**115.6**	**118.1**	**119.4**	**1.1**	**3.3**
Food	(v41690974)	17.0	123.1	125.3	127.2	1.5	3.3
Shelter	(v41691050)	26.6	121.7	124.5	124.6	0.1	2.4
Household operations, furnishings and equipment	(v41691067)	11.1	108.3	110.1	110.4	0.3	1.9
Clothing and footwear	(v41691108)	5.4	93.6	89.4	94.4	5.6	0.9
Transportation	(v41691128)	19.9	117.1	122.6	124.8	1.8	6.6
Health and personal care	(v41691153)	4.7	113.5	116.0	116.4	0.3	2.6
Recreation, education and reading	(v41691170)	12.2	102.5	103.8	104.9	1.1	2.3
Alcoholic beverages and tobacco products	(v41691206)	3.1	131.5	135.0	134.8	-0.1	2.5
All-items (1992=100)	**(v41713403)**	**.**	**137.7**	**140.6**	**142.1**	**1.1**	**3.2**
Special aggregates							
Goods	(v41691222)	48.8	109.0	110.8	113.0	2.0	3.7
Durable goods	(v41691223)	13.3	86.9	86.8	86.8	0.0	-0.1
Semi-durable goods	(v41691224)	7.2	95.1	91.7	95.4	4.0	0.3
Non-durable goods	(v41691225)	28.2	125.1	129.7	132.6	2.2	6.0
Services	(v41691230)	51.2	122.2	125.3	125.7	0.3	2.9
All-items excluding food	(v41691232)	83.0	114.1	116.7	117.8	0.9	3.2
All-items excluding food and energy	(v41691233)	73.6	112.1	113.7	114.4	0.6	2.1
All-items excluding energy	(v41691238)	90.6	114.1	115.8	116.8	0.9	2.4
All-items excluding gasoline	(v41693245)	95.1	114.4	116.3	117.2	0.8	2.4
All-items excluding shelter, insurance and financial services	(v41693246)	69.9	111.9	114.1	115.8	1.5	3.5
Energy	(v41691239)	9.4	134.5	146.3	151.7	3.7	12.8
All-items excluding alcoholic beverages, tobacco products and smokers' supplies	(v41691241)	96.9	115.0	117.5	118.7	1.0	3.2
Core Consumer Price Index (CPI) (Bank of Canada definition) [3]	(v41693242)	82.7	115.0	116.2	117.0	0.7	1.7

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

Table 2

The Consumer Price Index, major components and special aggregates, [1] Canada, seasonally adjusted

	CANSIM vector number	Relative importance[2]	Indexes			Percentage change	
			January 2011	February 2011	March 2011	January 2011 to February 2011	February 2011 to March 2011
		%	2002=100			%	
All-items	**(v41690914)**	**100.0**	**118.5**	**118.5**	**119.4**	**0.0**	**0.8**
Food	(v41690915)	17.0	124.6	124.9	126.9	0.2	1.6
Shelter	(v41690916)	26.6	124.5	124.5	124.6	0.0	0.1
Household operations, furnishings and equipment	(v41690917)	11.1	109.9	109.9	110.3	0.0	0.4
Clothing and footwear	(v41690918)	5.4	90.3	90.3	92.2	0.0	2.1
Transportation	(v41690919)	19.9	123.9	124.3	125.1	0.3	0.6
Health and personal care	(v41690920)	4.7	116.0	116.4	116.8	0.3	0.3
Recreation, education and reading	(v41690921)	12.2	105.0	105.2	105.7	0.2	0.5
Alcoholic beverages and tobacco products	(v41690922)	3.1	135.2	135.0	134.8	-0.1	-0.1
Special aggregates							
All-items excluding food	(v41690923)	83.0	117.2	117.3	117.8	0.1	0.4
All-items excluding food and energy	(v41690924)	73.6	113.9	114.1	114.4	0.2	0.3
All-items excluding eight of the most volatile components (Bank of Canada definition)	(v41690925)	82.7	115.8	115.8	116.3	0.0	0.4
Core Consumer Price Index (CPI) (Bank of Canada definition) [3]	(v41690926)	82.7	116.4	116.3	116.9	-0.1	0.5

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

Table 3
The Consumer Price Index, provinces, Whitehorse, Yellowknife and Iqaluit, [1] not seasonally adjusted

	CANSIM vector number	Indexes			Percentage change	
		March 2010	February 2011	March 2011	February 2011 to March 2011	March 2010 to March 2011
		2002=100			%	
Newfoundland and Labrador	(v41691244)	117.1	119.7	120.9	1.0	3.2
Prince Edward Island	(v41691379)	119.3	121.1	122.2	0.9	2.4
Nova Scotia	(v41691513)	117.7	120.9	122.3	1.2	3.9
New Brunswick	(v41691648)	115.8	118.2	119.4	1.0	3.1
Quebec	(v41691783)	114.5	116.7	118.3	1.4	3.3
Ontario	(v41691919)	115.3	118.0	119.4	1.2	3.6
Manitoba	(v41692055)	114.7	117.0	117.9	0.8	2.8
Saskatchewan	(v41692191)	117.9	120.3	121.4	0.9	3.0
Alberta	(v41692327)	122.1	124.2	124.5	0.2	2.0
British Columbia	(v41692462)	112.6	115.2	116.1	0.8	3.1
Whitehorse, Yukon	(v41692598)	113.4	115.9	117.0	0.9	3.2
Yellowknife, Northwest Territories	(v41692722)	116.9	119.2	120.5	1.1	3.1
Iqaluit, Nunavut (Dec. 2002=100)	(v41713432)	110.7	112.3	112.6	0.3	1.7

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

Table 4-1

The Consumer Price Index, major components and selected sub-groups, Canada, not seasonally adjusted — Food [1]

	CANSIM vector number	Indexes			Percentage change	
		March 2010	February 2011	March 2011	February 2011 to March 2011	March 2010 to March 2011
		2002=100			%	
All-items	**(v41690973)**	**115.6**	**118.1**	**119.4**	**1.1**	**3.3**
Food	**(v41690974)**	**123.1**	**125.3**	**127.2**	**1.5**	**3.3**
Food purchased from stores	**(v41690975)**	**123.1**	**124.9**	**127.6**	**2.2**	**3.7**
Meat	(v41690976)	117.4	121.7	123.3	1.3	5.0
Fresh or frozen meat (excluding poultry)	(v41690977)	113.3	117.9	121.1	2.7	6.9
Fresh or frozen beef	(v41690978)	116.1	119.6	123.6	3.3	6.5
Fresh or frozen pork	(v41690979)	102.3	109.8	111.8	1.8	9.3
Fresh or frozen poultry meat	(v41690981)	130.2	132.0	131.6	-0.3	1.1
Fresh or frozen chicken	(v41690982)	133.1	135.2	134.3	-0.7	0.9
Processed meat	(v41690984)	113.2	119.0	119.8	0.7	5.8
Ham and bacon	(v41690985)	104.4	111.1	111.7	0.5	7.0
Other processed meat	(v41690986)	117.9	123.3	124.2	0.7	5.3
Fish, seafood and other marine products	(v41690987)	108.4	107.6	108.2	0.6	-0.2
Fish	(v41690988)	114.0	113.1	112.9	-0.2	-1.0
Fresh or frozen fish (including portions and fish sticks)	(v41690989)	114.2	114.4	114.6	0.2	0.4
Canned and other preserved fish	(v41690990)	113.7	110.4	109.2	-1.1	-4.0
Dairy products and eggs	(v41690992)	130.3	132.9	134.2	1.0	3.0
Dairy products	(v41690993)	130.4	132.9	134.3	1.1	3.0
Fresh milk	(v41690994)	129.5	134.3	134.6	0.2	3.9
Butter	(v41690995)	128.4	128.2	129.2	0.8	0.6
Cheese	(v41690996)	130.0	131.0	133.4	1.8	2.6
Ice cream and related products	(v41690997)	130.2	134.6	136.4	1.3	4.8
Eggs	(v41690999)	128.7	131.5	131.5	0.0	2.2
Bakery and cereal products (excluding infant food)	(v41691000)	138.9	141.9	142.8	0.6	2.8
Bakery products	(v41691001)	145.3	149.1	150.6	1.0	3.6
Bread, unsweetened rolls and buns	(v41691002)	161.6	167.6	169.7	1.3	5.0
Biscuits	(v41691003)	123.8	125.9	126.1	0.2	1.9
Other bakery products	(v41691004)	136.3	137.9	139.7	1.3	2.5
Cereal products (excluding infant food)	(v41691005)	127.4	128.9	128.7	-0.2	1.0
Rice (including rice-based mixes)	(v41691006)	137.3	128.6	134.5	4.6	-2.0
Breakfast cereal and other grain products (excluding infant food)	(v41691007)	114.7	120.8	118.7	-1.7	3.5
Pasta products	(v41691008)	146.3	142.5	142.2	-0.2	-2.8
Flour and flour based mixes	(v41691009)	138.8	138.7	142.1	2.5	2.4
Fruit, fruit preparations and nuts	(v41691010)	112.2	112.1	110.7	-1.2	-1.3
Fresh fruit	(v41691011)	104.2	102.9	101.0	-1.8	-3.1
Apples	(v41691012)	112.0	106.8	106.6	-0.2	-4.8
Oranges	(v41691013)	94.6	93.2	90.3	-3.1	-4.5
Bananas and plantains	(v41691014)	139.6	141.2	143.1	1.3	2.5
Other fresh fruit	(v41691015)	97.6	97.0	93.9	-3.2	-3.8
Preserved fruit and fruit preparations	(v41691016)	124.5	125.7	124.4	-1.0	-0.1
Fruit juices	(v41691017)	126.4	129.1	127.4	-1.3	0.8
Other preserved fruit and fruit preparations	(v41691018)	119.6	117.1	116.7	-0.3	-2.4
Nuts	(v41691019)	119.6	124.6	127.9	2.6	6.9
Vegetables and vegetable preparations	(v41691020)	113.2	115.8	128.3	10.8	13.3
Fresh vegetables	(v41691021)	107.4	111.7	127.4	14.1	18.6
Potatoes	(v41691022)	81.0	94.3	97.8	3.7	20.7
Tomatoes	(v41691023)	124.6	107.4	138.7	29.1	11.3
Lettuce	(v41691024)	91.8	123.9	152.9	23.4	66.6
Other fresh vegetables	(v41691025)	116.5	119.2	132.7	11.3	13.9
Preserved vegetables and vegetable preparations	(v41691026)	134.1	130.5	131.8	1.0	-1.7
Frozen and dried vegetables (excluding canned)	(v41691027)	127.1	123.9	125.8	1.5	-1.0
Canned vegetables and other vegetable preparations	(v41691028)	138.7	134.9	135.8	0.7	-2.1
Other food products and non-alcoholic beverages	(v41691029)	125.2	124.8	128.1	2.6	2.3
Sugar and confectionery	(v41691030)	132.8	140.7	138.8	-1.4	4.5
Fats and oils	(v41691033)	140.5	141.6	143.7	1.5	2.3
Coffee and tea	(v41691036)	121.1	128.2	131.0	2.2	8.2
Condiments, spices and vinegars	(v41691039)	116.6	118.6	121.2	2.2	3.9
Other food preparations	(v41691040)	122.8	123.1	125.6	2.0	2.3
Non-alcoholic beverages	(v41691045)	124.2	115.2	123.4	7.1	-0.6
Food purchased from restaurants	**(v41691046)**	**123.1**	**126.2**	**126.4**	**0.2**	**2.7**
Food purchased from table-service restaurants	(v41691047)	123.8	127.1	127.2	0.1	2.7
Food purchased from fast food and take-out restaurants	(v41691048)	121.4	124.0	124.5	0.4	2.6

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

Table 4-2
The Consumer Price Index, major components and selected sub-groups, Canada, not seasonally adjusted — Shelter

	CANSIM vector number	Indexes			Percentage change	
		March 2010	February 2011	March 2011	February 2011 to March 2011	March 2010 to March 2011
		2002=100			%	
Shelter	**(v41691050)**	**121.7**	**124.5**	**124.6**	**0.1**	**2.4**
Rented accommodation	**(v41691051)**	**110.4**	**111.6**	**111.7**	**0.1**	**1.2**
Rent	(v41691052)	110.4	111.6	111.7	0.1	1.2
Owned accommodation	**(v41691055)**	**125.8**	**128.1**	**128.0**	**-0.1**	**1.7**
Mortgage interest cost [1]	(v41691056)	113.2	110.9	110.7	-0.2	-2.2
Replacement cost	(v41691057)	138.6	142.7	143.1	0.3	3.2
Property taxes (including special charges)	(v41691058)	129.4	133.9	133.9	0.0	3.5
Homeowners' home and mortgage insurance	(v41691059)	161.3	168.7	169.2	0.3	4.9
Homeowners' maintenance and repairs	(v41691060)	117.8	120.2	119.6	-0.5	1.5
Water, fuel and electricity	**(v41691062)**	**125.8**	**132.7**	**133.0**	**0.2**	**5.7**
Electricity [2]	(v41691063)	114.4	120.1	119.3	-0.7	4.3
Water	(v41691064)	164.6	171.3	175.0	2.2	6.3
Natural gas	(v41691065)	110.4	110.5	108.2	-2.1	-2.0
Fuel oil and other fuels	(v41691066)	178.2	219.2	234.0	6.8	31.3

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

Table 4-3
The Consumer Price Index, major components and selected sub-groups, Canada, not seasonally adjusted — Household operations, furnishings and equipment

	CANSIM vector number	Indexes			Percentage change	
		March 2010	February 2011	March 2011	February 2011 to March 2011	March 2010 to March 2011
		2002=100			%	
Household operations, furnishings and equipment	**(v41691067)**	**108.3**	**110.1**	**110.4**	**0.3**	**1.9**
Household operations	**(v41691068)**	**116.1**	**118.5**	**118.7**	**0.2**	**2.2**
Communications	(v41691069)	109.3	110.7	110.7	0.0	1.3
Telephone services	(v41691070)	111.0	111.4	111.4	0.0	0.4
Internet access services	(v41693216)	94.5	98.0	98.0	0.0	3.7
Postal services and other communication services	(v41691071)	132.3	142.9	142.9	0.0	8.0
Child care and domestic services	(v41691072)	129.2	135.8	135.9	0.1	5.2
Child care	(v41691073)	128.9	134.3	134.3	0.0	4.2
Domestic services	(v41691074)	130.8	139.9	139.9	0.0	7.0
Household chemical products	(v41691075)	106.6	105.9	105.8	-0.1	-0.8
Paper, plastic and foil supplies	(v41691078)	114.0	115.6	115.9	0.3	1.7
Other household goods and services	(v41691081)	122.4	125.4	126.2	0.6	3.1
Pet food and supplies	(v41691082)	120.7	124.4	124.9	0.4	3.5
Seeds, plants and cut flowers	(v41691083)	110.6	110.6	110.8	0.2	0.2
Other horticultural goods	(v41691084)	108.2	107.3	107.5	0.2	-0.6
Financial services	(v41693229)	120.1	121.3	122.4	0.9	1.9
Household furnishings and equipment	**(v41691087)**	**95.3**	**96.0**	**96.6**	**0.6**	**1.4**
Furniture and household textiles	(v41691088)	95.4	96.7	96.8	0.1	1.5
Furniture	(v41691089)	92.6	94.8	94.8	0.0	2.4
Household textiles	(v41691093)	105.7	103.2	103.8	0.6	-1.8
Household equipment	(v41691097)	87.5	86.9	87.0	0.1	-0.6
Household appliances	(v41691098)	85.6	85.2	85.1	-0.1	-0.6
Non-electric kitchen utensils and tableware	(v41691103)	87.0	80.4	80.7	0.4	-7.2
Services related to household furnishings and equipment	(v41691107)	148.6	154.4	163.6	6.0	10.1

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

Table 4-4

The Consumer Price Index, major components and selected sub-groups, Canada, not seasonally adjusted — Clothing and footwear

	CANSIM vector number	Indexes			Percentage change	
		March 2010	February 2011	March 2011	February 2011 to March 2011	March 2010 to March 2011
		2002=100			%	
Clothing and footwear	**(v41691108)**	**93.6**	**89.4**	**94.4**	**5.6**	**0.9**
Clothing	**(v41691109)**	**87.5**	**81.3**	**87.6**	**7.7**	**0.1**
Women's clothing	(v41691110)	86.4	77.3	86.2	11.5	-0.2
Men's clothing	(v41691111)	91.7	89.5	92.4	3.2	0.8
Children's clothing (including infants)	(v41691112)	81.1	75.8	80.3	5.9	-1.0
Footwear	**(v41691113)**	**94.0**	**89.0**	**93.2**	**4.7**	**-0.9**
Clothing accessories and jewellery	**(v41691118)**	**114.4**	**118.3**	**118.7**	**0.3**	**3.8**
Clothing material, notions and services	**(v41691123)**	**121.1**	**127.7**	**128.0**	**0.2**	**5.7**

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

Table 4-5

The Consumer Price Index, major components and selected sub-groups, Canada, not seasonally adjusted — Transportation

	CANSIM vector number	Indexes			Percentage change	
		March 2010	February 2011	March 2011	February 2011 to March 2011	March 2010 to March 2011
		2002=100			%	
Transportation	**(v41691128)**	**117.1**	**122.6**	**124.8**	**1.8**	**6.6**
Private transportation	**(v41691129)**	**117.1**	**122.4**	**124.5**	**1.7**	**6.3**
Purchase, leasing and rental of passenger vehicles	(v41691130)	90.5	91.2	90.7	-0.5	0.2
Purchase and leasing of passenger vehicles	(v41691131)	90.4	91.0	90.6	-0.4	0.2
Purchase of passenger vehicles	(v41691132)	91.1	91.8	91.3	-0.5	0.2
Rental of passenger vehicles	(v41691134)	99.8	100.6	103.9	3.3	4.1
Operation of passenger vehicles	(v41691135)	142.4	152.3	157.1	3.2	10.3
Gasoline	(v41691136)	147.6	164.6	175.5	6.6	18.9
Passenger vehicle parts, maintenance and repairs	(v41691137)	125.9	127.4	127.4	0.0	1.2
Other passenger vehicle operating expenses	(v41691140)	144.6	150.8	151.1	0.2	4.5
Passenger vehicle insurance premiums [1]	(v41691141)	148.0	154.5	154.9	0.3	4.7
Passenger vehicle registration fees	(v41691142)	107.6	107.9	107.9	0.0	0.3
Drivers' licences	(v41691143)	150.3	151.2	151.2	0.0	0.6
Parking fees	(v41691144)	144.0	155.8	155.8	0.0	8.2
Public transportation	**(v41691146)**	**117.2**	**125.0**	**126.6**	**1.3**	**8.0**
Local and commuter transportation	(v41691147)	134.5	138.7	138.7	0.0	3.1
City bus and subway transportation	(v41691148)	134.2	138.0	138.0	0.0	2.8
Taxi and other local and commuter transportation	(v41691149)	134.6	139.9	139.9	0.0	3.9
Inter-city transportation	(v41691150)	107.7	117.3	119.9	2.2	11.3
Air transportation	(v41691151)	104.5	114.4	117.3	2.5	12.2
Rail, highway bus and other inter-city transportation	(v41691152)	127.2	133.3	133.3	0.0	4.8

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

Table 4-6

The Consumer Price Index, major components and selected sub-groups, Canada, not seasonally adjusted — Health and personal care

	CANSIM vector number	Indexes			Percentage change	
		March 2010	February 2011	March 2011	February 2011 to March 2011	March 2010 to March 2011
		2002=100			%	
Health and personal care	**(v41691153)**	**113.5**	**116.0**	**116.4**	**0.3**	**2.6**
Health care	**(v41691154)**	**116.8**	**118.8**	**119.4**	**0.5**	**2.2**
Health care goods	(v41713463)	106.3	106.4	107.3	0.8	0.9
Medicinal and pharmaceutical products	(v41691156)	104.6	104.1	105.4	1.2	0.8
Prescribed medicines	(v41691157)	100.9	98.8	98.7	-0.1	-2.2
Non-prescribed medicines	(v41691158)	111.0	113.5	117.4	3.4	5.8
Optical goods	(v41713381)	111.4	111.3	111.0	-0.3	-0.4
Health care services	(v41713464)	131.2	136.1	136.2	0.1	3.8
Optical services	(v41693244)	108.2	110.3	111.5	1.1	3.0
Dental care	(v41691161)	127.6	132.7	132.7	0.0	4.0
Personal care	**(v41691163)**	**110.4**	**113.5**	**113.7**	**0.2**	**3.0**
Personal care supplies and equipment	(v41691164)	104.3	104.4	104.8	0.4	0.5
Personal care services	(v41691169)	119.0	126.4	126.4	0.0	6.2

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

Table 4-7

The Consumer Price Index, major components and selected sub-groups, Canada, not seasonally adjusted — Recreation, education and reading

	CANSIM vector number	Indexes			Percentage change	
		March 2010	February 2011	March 2011	February 2011 to March 2011	March 2010 to March 2011
		2002=100			%	
Recreation, education and reading	**(v41691170)**	**102.5**	**103.8**	**104.9**	**1.1**	**2.3**
Recreation	**(v41691171)**	**94.5**	**95.0**	**96.4**	**1.5**	**2.0**
Recreational equipment and services (excluding recreational vehicles)	(v41691172)	62.6	59.7	60.6	1.5	-3.2
Purchase and operation of recreational vehicles	(v41691179)	113.3	115.1	116.3	1.0	2.6
Home entertainment equipment, parts and services	(v41691184)	73.6	70.6	70.6	0.0	-4.1
Travel services	(v41691190)	89.8	88.7	91.5	3.2	1.9
Traveller accommodation [1]	(v41691191)	75.7	78.4	77.0	-1.8	1.7
Travel tours	(v41691192)	106.2	98.9	108.5	9.7	2.2
Other cultural and recreational services	(v41691193)	131.2	138.8	140.0	0.9	6.7
Spectator entertainment (excluding cablevision)	(v41691194)	124.4	130.5	130.5	0.0	4.9
Cablevision and satellite services (including pay television)	(v41691195)	140.0	147.3	149.9	1.8	7.1
Use of recreational facilities and services	(v41691196)	124.8	134.2	134.2	0.0	7.5
Education and reading	**(v41691197)**	**127.7**	**132.0**	**131.9**	**-0.1**	**3.3**
Education	(v41691198)	131.2	135.9	136.1	0.1	3.7
Tuition fees	(v41691199)	136.0	141.1	141.1	0.0	3.8
Reading material and other printed material (excluding textbooks)	(v41691202)	115.5	118.2	116.8	-1.2	1.1
Newspapers	(v41691203)	129.7	137.0	137.0	0.0	5.6
Magazines and periodicals	(v41691204)	122.7	126.7	126.7	0.0	3.3

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

Table 4-8

The Consumer Price Index, major components and selected sub-groups, Canada, not seasonally adjusted — Alcoholic beverages and tobacco products

	CANSIM vector number	Indexes			Percentage change	
		March 2010	February 2011	March 2011	February 2011 to March 2011	March 2010 to March 2011
		2002=100			%	
Alcoholic beverages and tobacco products	**(v41691206)**	**131.5**	**135.0**	**134.8**	**-0.1**	**2.5**
Alcoholic beverages	**(v41691207)**	**114.5**	**115.3**	**114.5**	**-0.7**	**0.0**
Alcoholic beverages served in licensed establishments	(v41691208)	121.7	123.4	123.5	0.1	1.5
Beer served in licensed establishments	(v41691209)	123.6	126.2	126.2	0.0	2.1
Liquor served in licensed establishments	(v41691211)	123.0	124.1	124.1	0.0	0.9
Alcoholic beverages purchased from stores	(v41691212)	111.0	111.4	110.1	-1.2	-0.8
Beer purchased from stores	(v41691213)	114.2	115.0	112.4	-2.3	-1.6
Wine purchased from stores	(v41691214)	104.9	104.2	103.9	-0.3	-1.0
Liquor purchased from stores	(v41691215)	110.0	111.2	111.5	0.3	1.4
Tobacco products and smokers' supplies	**(v41691216)**	**146.9**	**154.4**	**155.3**	**0.6**	**5.7**
Cigarettes	(v41691217)	146.8	154.3	155.2	0.6	5.7

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

Table 5
The Consumer Price Index for Canada, all-items, not seasonally adjusted, historical data

	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Annual average[1]
	2002=100												
Indexes (v41690973)													
1992	83.3	83.3	83.6	83.7	83.8	84.0	84.2	84.2	84.2	84.3	84.7	84.7	84.0
1993	85.0	85.3	85.2	85.2	85.4	85.4	85.6	85.7	85.7	85.9	86.3	86.1	85.6
1994	86.1	85.4	85.4	85.4	85.2	85.4	85.7	85.8	85.9	85.7	86.2	86.3	85.7
1995	86.6	87.0	87.2	87.5	87.7	87.7	87.9	87.7	87.8	87.7	88.0	87.8	87.6
1996	88.0	88.1	88.5	88.7	89.0	89.0	89.0	89.0	89.1	89.3	89.7	89.7	88.9
1997	89.9	90.1	90.2	90.2	90.3	90.5	90.5	90.6	90.6	90.6	90.5	90.4	90.4
1998	90.9	91.0	91.1	91.0	91.3	91.4	91.4	91.4	91.2	91.6	91.6	91.3	91.3
1999	91.5	91.6	92.0	92.5	92.7	92.9	93.1	93.3	93.6	93.7	93.6	93.7	92.9
2000	93.5	94.1	94.8	94.5	94.9	95.5	95.8	95.7	96.1	96.3	96.6	96.7	95.4
2001	96.3	96.8	97.1	97.8	98.6	98.7	98.4	98.4	98.6	98.1	97.2	97.4	97.8
2002	97.6	98.2	98.9	99.5	99.7	99.9	100.5	100.9	100.9	101.2	101.5	101.1	100.0
2003	102.0	102.8	103.1	102.4	102.5	102.5	102.6	102.9	103.1	102.8	103.1	103.2	102.8
2004	103.3	103.5	103.9	104.1	105.0	105.1	105.0	104.8	105.0	105.2	105.6	105.4	104.7
2005	105.3	105.7	106.3	106.6	106.7	106.9	107.1	107.5	108.4	107.9	107.7	107.6	107.0
2006	108.2	108.0	108.6	109.2	109.7	109.5	109.6	109.8	109.2	109.0	109.2	109.4	109.1
2007	109.4	110.2	111.1	111.6	112.1	111.9	112.0	111.7	111.9	111.6	111.9	112.0	111.5
2008	111.8	112.2	112.6	113.5	114.6	115.4	115.8	115.6	115.7	114.5	114.1	113.3	114.1
2009	113.0	113.8	114.0	113.9	114.7	115.1	114.7	114.7	114.7	114.6	115.2	114.8	114.4
2010	115.1	115.6	115.6	116.0	116.3	116.2	116.8	116.7	116.9	117.4	117.5	117.5	116.5
2011	117.8	118.1	119.4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Percentage change from the corresponding month of the previous year (v41690973)													
1992	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.7	1.3	1.1	1.2	1.1	1.3	1.6	1.7	2.2	1.4
1993	2.0	2.4	1.9	1.8	1.9	1.7	1.7	1.8	1.8	1.9	1.9	1.7	1.9
1994	1.3	0.1	0.2	0.2	-0.2	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.2	-0.2	-0.1	0.2	0.1
1995	0.6	1.9	2.1	2.5	2.9	2.7	2.6	2.2	2.2	2.3	2.1	1.7	2.2
1996	1.6	1.3	1.5	1.4	1.5	1.5	1.3	1.5	1.5	1.8	1.9	2.2	1.5
1997	2.2	2.3	1.9	1.7	1.5	1.7	1.7	1.8	1.7	1.5	0.9	0.8	1.7
1998	1.1	1.0	1.0	0.9	1.1	1.0	1.0	0.9	0.7	1.1	1.2	1.0	1.0
1999	0.7	0.7	1.0	1.6	1.5	1.6	1.9	2.1	2.6	2.3	2.2	2.6	1.8
2000	2.2	2.7	3.0	2.2	2.4	2.8	2.9	2.6	2.7	2.8	3.2	3.2	2.7
2001	3.0	2.9	2.4	3.5	3.9	3.4	2.7	2.8	2.6	1.9	0.6	0.7	2.5
2002	1.3	1.4	1.9	1.7	1.1	1.2	2.1	2.5	2.3	3.2	4.4	3.8	2.2
2003	4.5	4.7	4.2	2.9	2.8	2.6	2.1	2.0	2.2	1.6	1.6	2.1	2.8
2004	1.3	0.7	0.8	1.7	2.4	2.5	2.3	1.8	1.8	2.3	2.4	2.1	1.8
2005	1.9	2.1	2.3	2.4	1.6	1.7	2.0	2.6	3.2	2.6	2.0	2.1	2.2
2006	2.8	2.2	2.2	2.4	2.8	2.4	2.3	2.1	0.7	1.0	1.4	1.7	2.0
2007	1.1	2.0	2.3	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.2	1.7	2.5	2.4	2.5	2.4	2.2
2008	2.2	1.8	1.4	1.7	2.2	3.1	3.4	3.5	3.4	2.6	2.0	1.2	2.3
2009	1.1	1.4	1.2	0.4	0.1	-0.3	-0.9	-0.8	-0.9	0.1	1.0	1.3	0.3
2010	1.9	1.6	1.4	1.8	1.4	1.0	1.8	1.7	1.9	2.4	2.0	2.4	1.8
2011	2.3	2.2	3.3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..

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

Table 6
Core Consumer Price Index (CPI) (Bank of Canada definition) [1], not seasonally adjusted, historical data

	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Annual average[2]
	2002=100												
Indexes (v41693242)													
1992	82.7	83.0	83.2	83.3	83.5	83.4	83.5	83.6	83.7	84.0	84.4	84.3	83.6
1993	84.6	84.9	84.9	84.9	84.9	84.9	85.3	85.4	85.6	85.7	86.2	86.1	85.3
1994	86.2	86.6	86.6	86.7	86.5	86.6	86.7	86.8	87.2	87.2	87.5	87.6	86.9
1995	87.9	88.3	88.4	88.5	88.6	88.6	88.8	89.0	89.3	89.3	89.6	89.2	88.8
1996	89.4	89.8	89.8	89.9	90.1	90.1	90.3	90.5	90.8	90.8	91.3	91.1	90.3
1997	91.3	91.5	91.7	91.9	92.0	92.1	92.1	92.3	92.4	92.5	92.4	92.3	92.0
1998	92.6	92.9	93.0	93.0	93.2	93.2	93.3	93.4	93.4	93.7	93.7	93.5	93.2
1999	93.5	93.8	94.1	94.2	94.5	94.6	94.7	94.9	95.2	95.1	95.0	94.8	94.5
2000	94.6	95.0	95.3	95.3	95.5	95.8	95.8	96.0	96.2	96.3	96.4	96.4	95.7
2001	96.3	96.6	97.1	97.4	97.7	97.9	98.2	98.3	98.4	98.4	98.1	98.0	97.7
2002	98.1	98.8	99.2	99.6	99.8	100.0	100.2	100.7	100.9	100.9	101.2	100.7	100.0
2003	101.3	101.8	102.0	101.7	102.2	102.1	102.1	102.2	102.6	102.7	103.0	102.8	102.2
2004	102.8	103.0	103.3	103.5	103.7	103.8	104.0	103.8	104.1	104.1	104.7	104.6	103.8
2005	104.5	104.8	105.2	105.2	105.4	105.4	105.4	105.6	105.9	105.9	106.3	106.2	105.5
2006	106.2	106.6	107.0	106.9	107.5	107.2	107.5	107.7	108.3	108.4	108.6	108.4	107.5
2007	108.6	109.1	109.5	109.6	109.9	109.9	110.0	110.1	110.5	110.3	110.3	110.0	109.8
2008	110.1	110.7	110.9	111.2	111.5	111.6	111.7	112.0	112.4	112.2	113.0	112.6	111.7
2009	112.2	112.8	113.1	113.2	113.7	113.7	113.7	113.8	114.1	114.2	114.7	114.3	113.6
2010	114.4	115.2	115.0	115.3	115.7	115.6	115.5	115.6	115.8	116.3	116.3	116.0	115.6
2011	116.0	116.2	117.0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Percentage change from the corresponding month of the previous year (v41693242)													
1992	1.6	1.6	1.8	2.0	2.1	1.7	1.8	1.6	1.6	1.8	1.9	2.2	1.8
1993	2.3	2.3	2.0	1.9	1.7	1.8	2.2	2.2	2.3	2.0	2.1	2.1	2.0
1994	1.9	2.0	2.0	2.1	1.9	2.0	1.6	1.6	1.9	1.8	1.5	1.7	1.9
1995	2.0	2.0	2.1	2.1	2.4	2.3	2.4	2.5	2.4	2.4	2.4	1.8	2.2
1996	1.7	1.7	1.6	1.6	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.9	2.1	1.7
1997	2.1	1.9	2.1	2.2	2.1	2.2	2.0	2.0	1.8	1.9	1.2	1.3	1.9
1998	1.4	1.5	1.4	1.2	1.3	1.2	1.3	1.2	1.1	1.3	1.4	1.3	1.3
1999	1.0	1.0	1.2	1.3	1.4	1.5	1.5	1.6	1.9	1.5	1.4	1.4	1.4
2000	1.2	1.3	1.3	1.2	1.1	1.3	1.2	1.2	1.1	1.3	1.5	1.7	1.3
2001	1.8	1.7	1.9	2.2	2.3	2.2	2.5	2.4	2.3	2.2	1.8	1.7	2.1
2002	1.9	2.3	2.2	2.3	2.1	2.1	2.0	2.4	2.5	2.5	3.2	2.8	2.4
2003	3.3	3.0	2.8	2.1	2.4	2.1	1.9	1.5	1.7	1.8	1.8	2.1	2.2
2004	1.5	1.2	1.3	1.8	1.5	1.7	1.9	1.6	1.5	1.4	1.7	1.8	1.6
2005	1.7	1.7	1.8	1.6	1.6	1.5	1.3	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.5	1.5	1.6
2006	1.6	1.7	1.7	1.6	2.0	1.7	2.0	2.0	2.3	2.4	2.2	2.1	1.9
2007	2.3	2.3	2.3	2.5	2.2	2.5	2.3	2.2	2.0	1.8	1.6	1.5	2.1
2008	1.4	1.5	1.3	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.7	1.7	1.7	2.4	2.4	1.7
2009	1.9	1.9	2.0	1.8	2.0	1.9	1.8	1.6	1.5	1.8	1.5	1.5	1.7
2010	2.0	2.1	1.7	1.9	1.8	1.7	1.6	1.6	1.5	1.8	1.4	1.5	1.8
2011	1.4	0.9	1.7	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..

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

Table 7
The Consumer Price Index for Canada, major components and special aggregates, not seasonally adjusted, historical data

	Major components								Special aggregates			
	Food	Shelter	Household operations, furnishings and equipment	Clothing and footwear	Transportation	Health and personal care	Recreation, education and reading	Alcoholic beverages and tobacco products	Goods [1]	Services [2]	All-items excluding food and energy [3]	Energy [3]
CANSIM vector number	(v41690974)	(v41691050)	(v41691067)	(v41691108)	(v41691128)	(v41691153)	(v41691170)	(v41691206)	(v41691222)	(v41691230)	(v41691233)	(v41691239)
	2002=100											
Annual averages [4]												
1992	83.1	87.9	87.9	95.1	74.4	86.6	79.2	81.0	86.4	81.4	85.1	77.2
1993	84.5	89.1	88.7	96.0	76.8	88.9	81.1	82.2	87.8	83.1	86.8	78.1
1994	84.9	89.4	88.9	96.8	80.2	89.7	83.5	68.8	86.8	84.5	86.9	78.6
1995	86.9	90.4	90.6	96.7	84.3	89.6	86.7	68.7	88.4	86.7	88.8	79.6
1996	88.0	90.6	92.5	96.4	87.6	90.1	88.7	70.1	89.9	88.0	90.1	81.9
1997	89.4	90.8	93.7	97.7	90.3	91.7	91.0	72.3	91.2	89.5	91.5	83.9
1998	90.9	91.1	95.1	98.8	89.6	93.6	93.0	74.9	91.4	91.1	92.7	80.5
1999	92.0	92.3	95.8	100.1	92.6	95.4	94.7	76.5	93.1	92.6	94.0	85.0
2000	93.3	95.6	96.7	100.3	97.2	97.0	97.0	79.0	96.0	94.8	95.5	98.8
2001	97.4	99.1	98.6	100.7	97.3	98.9	98.4	85.0	98.4	97.1	97.3	102.0
2002	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
2003	101.7	103.2	100.7	98.2	105.2	101.4	100.8	110.1	101.9	103.6	102.5	107.9
2004	103.8	105.8	101.2	98.0	107.7	102.8	101.1	116.0	103.4	105.9	103.9	115.2
2005	106.4	109.2	101.7	97.6	112.0	104.6	100.8	119.1	105.8	108.2	105.3	126.3
2006	108.9	113.1	102.2	95.8	115.2	105.9	100.6	121.7	107.1	111.1	106.9	132.8
2007	111.8	116.9	103.2	95.7	117.1	107.3	101.8	125.5	108.0	114.8	109.0	135.9
2008	115.7	122.0	104.6	93.8	119.5	108.8	102.2	127.5	109.4	118.7	110.3	149.3
2009	121.4	121.6	107.3	93.4	113.1	112.1	103.1	130.7	107.6	121.2	111.5	129.2
2010	123.1	123.3	108.8	91.6	118.0	115.1	104.0	133.1	109.2	123.7	112.9	137.8
Monthly indexes												
2010												
January	122.3	121.8	107.9	90.1	117.2	113.8	101.1	131.1	108.4	121.8	111.6	133.9
February	122.7	121.8	108.3	91.2	116.7	113.7	104.1	131.4	108.5	122.6	112.4	132.3
March	123.1	121.7	108.3	93.6	117.1	113.5	102.5	131.5	109.0	122.2	112.1	134.5
April	122.8	122.4	108.5	94.1	117.4	114.8	102.9	131.8	109.4	122.6	112.5	136.0
May	122.9	123.0	108.6	92.7	118.1	114.6	103.6	132.1	109.4	123.2	112.8	137.4
June	123.0	123.3	108.6	89.7	117.3	114.7	104.2	132.2	108.7	123.6	112.7	135.7
July	123.7	124.3	109.2	88.8	117.4	115.6	105.1	134.5	109.1	124.5	113.0	139.8
August	123.5	124.0	109.0	90.1	117.1	116.4	105.0	134.4	109.1	124.3	113.0	139.2
September	122.9	123.9	109.4	92.8	117.1	116.1	105.6	134.4	109.2	124.5	113.4	138.7
October	122.7	124.6	109.3	94.9	118.6	116.0	105.2	134.5	109.7	124.9	113.9	140.5
November	123.3	124.4	109.5	92.1	120.7	116.1	104.3	134.6	110.1	125.0	113.9	141.3
December	123.9	124.6	109.3	88.8	121.2	115.8	103.9	134.6	110.0	124.9	113.5	144.0
2011												
January	124.9	124.5	109.6	87.9	122.8	115.8	102.7	135.2	110.5	125.0	113.4	146.0
February	125.3	124.5	110.1	89.4	122.6	116.0	103.8	135.0	110.8	125.3	113.7	146.3
March	127.2	124.6	110.4	94.4	124.8	116.4	104.9	134.8	113.0	125.7	114.4	151.7

Note(s): For information on the continuity of the series, see " Data quality, concepts and methodology — Data quality, concepts and methodology — Weights and Linking" at the end of this publication.
See "Data quality, concepts and methodology — Explanatory notes for tables" section.

Table 8-1

Annual average[1] percentage changes for the Consumer Price Index — Major components, not seasonally adjusted, Canada, 2007 to 2010

	CANSIM vector number	Annual average	Annual average percentage change			
		2010	2007	2008	2009	2010
		2002=100	%			
All-items	**(v41693271)**	**116.5**	**2.2**	**2.3**	**0.3**	**1.8**
Food	(v41693272)	123.1	2.7	3.5	4.9	1.4
Shelter	(v41693348)	123.3	3.4	4.4	-0.3	1.4
Household operations, furnishings and equipment	(v41693365)	108.8	1.0	1.4	2.6	1.4
Clothing and footwear	(v41693406)	91.6	-0.1	-2.0	-0.4	-1.9
Transportation	(v41693426)	118.0	1.6	2.0	-5.4	4.3
Health and personal care	(v41693451)	115.1	1.3	1.4	3.0	2.7
Recreation, education and reading	(v41693468)	104.0	1.2	0.4	0.9	0.9
Alcoholic beverages and tobacco products	(v41693504)	133.1	3.1	1.6	2.5	1.8
Goods	(v41693520)	109.2	0.8	1.3	-1.6	1.5
Durable goods	(v41693521)	87.0	-1.6	-5.3	-3.1	0.1
Semi-durable goods	(v41693522)	93.3	-0.2	-1.6	0.0	-1.3
Non-durable goods	(v41693523)	126.0	2.2	5.1	-1.4	2.8
Services	(v41693528)	123.7	3.3	3.4	2.1	2.1
All-items excluding food	(v41693530)	115.1	2.0	2.2	-0.7	1.9
All-items excluding food and energy	(v41693531)	112.9	2.0	1.2	1.1	1.3
All-items excluding energy	(v41693536)	114.8	2.1	1.6	1.8	1.3
Energy	(v41693537)	137.8	2.3	9.9	-13.5	6.7

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

Table 8-2
Annual average[1] percentage changes for the Consumer Price Index — All-items, not seasonally adjusted, Canada, provinces, urban centres, 2007 to 2010

	CANSIM vector number	Annual average	Annual average percentage change			
		2010	2007	2008	2009	2010
		2002=100	%			
Canada	**(v41693271)**	**116.5**	**2.2**	**2.3**	**0.3**	**1.8**
Newfoundland and Labrador	(v41693542)	117.4	1.5	2.9	0.3	2.4
Prince Edward Island	(v41693677)	119.5	1.8	3.4	-0.2	1.9
Nova Scotia	(v41693811)	118.2	1.9	3.0	-0.2	2.2
New Brunswick	(v41693946)	115.9	1.9	1.7	0.3	2.1
Quebec	(v41694081)	114.8	1.6	2.1	0.6	1.2
Ontario	(v41694217)	116.5	1.8	2.3	0.4	2.5
Manitoba	(v41694353)	115.0	2.0	2.3	0.6	0.8
Saskatchewan	(v41694489)	118.7	2.8	3.3	1.0	1.4
Alberta	(v41694625)	122.7	5.0	3.1	-0.1	1.0
British Columbia	(v41694760)	113.8	1.8	2.1	0.0	1.3
Whitehorse, Yukon	(v41694896)	114.7	2.5	3.6	0.4	0.8
Yellowknife, Northwest Territories	(v41695020)	117.9	2.9	4.0	0.6	1.7
Iqaluit, Nunavut	(v41713462)	111.8	3.2	2.3	2.0	-0.7
St. John's, Newfoundland and Labrador	(v41695144)	117.4	1.5	3.0	0.6	2.4
Charlottetown and Summerside, Prince Edward Island	(v41695150)	119.2	2.0	3.3	0.2	1.8
Halifax, Nova Scotia	(v41695156)	117.6	2.0	2.9	0.1	2.0
Saint John, New Brunswick	(v41695162)	116.3	1.8	1.8	0.4	2.3
Québec, Quebec	(v41695168)	114.8	1.3	2.1	0.7	1.4
Montréal, Quebec	(v41695174)	114.8	1.6	2.1	0.8	1.1
Ottawa-Gatineau, Ontario part, Ontario/Quebec	(v41695180)	116.6	1.9	2.2	0.5	2.6
Toronto, Ontario	(v41695186)	116.5	1.9	2.4	0.4	2.6
Thunder Bay, Ontario	(v41695192)	112.8	1.1	2.1	0.1	2.1
Winnipeg, Manitoba	(v41695198)	114.8	2.1	2.3	0.5	0.8
Regina, Saskatchewan	(v41695204)	118.9	2.6	3.1	1.7	1.5
Saskatoon, Saskatchewan	(v41695210)	119.6	3.4	3.9	0.9	1.2
Edmonton, Alberta	(v41695216)	122.9	4.8	3.4	0.2	1.1
Calgary, Alberta	(v41695222)	122.7	5.1	3.2	-0.1	0.8
Vancouver, British Columbia	(v41695228)	114.9	2.0	2.4	0.1	1.8
Victoria, British Columbia	(v41695234)	113.1	1.2	1.8	0.1	1.1

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Table 9-1

The Consumer Price Index, major components, selected sub-groups and special aggregates, provinces, Whitehorse and Yellowknife, not seasonally adjusted — Newfoundland and Labrador

	CANSIM vector number	Indexes			Percentage change	
		March 2010	February 2011	March 2011	February 2011 to March 2011	March 2010 to March 2011
		2002=100			%	
All-items	**(v41691244)**	**117.1**	**119.7**	**120.9**	**1.0**	**3.2**
Special aggregates						
All-items excluding food	(v41691368)	115.6	118.2	119.5	1.1	3.4
All-items excluding food and energy	(v41691369)	111.1	112.8	113.3	0.4	2.0
All-items excluding energy	(v41691374)	113.7	115.5	116.1	0.5	2.1
All-items excluding gasoline	(v41693247)	115.7	118.0	118.8	0.7	2.7
Energy [1]	(v41691375)	143.0	153.1	159.6	4.2	11.6
All-items (1992=100)	**(v41713404)**	**137.3**	**140.4**	**141.7**	**0.9**	**3.2**
Food	**(v41691245)**	**123.9**	**126.4**	**127.1**	**0.6**	**2.6**
Food purchased from stores	(v41691246)	123.5	125.7	126.5	0.6	2.4
Meat [2]	(v41691247)	115.8	120.9	120.5	-0.3	4.1
Dairy products [2]	(v41691257)	127.7	129.2	129.5	0.2	1.4
Bakery and cereal products (excluding infant food) [2]	(v41691262)	146.5	154.7	155.0	0.2	5.8
Fresh fruit [2]	(v41691266)	109.3	108.7	108.3	-0.4	-0.9
Fresh vegetables [2]	(v41691269)	101.1	102.9	106.6	3.6	5.4
Food purchased from restaurants	(v41691276)	126.3	130.1	130.3	0.2	3.2
Shelter	**(v41691277)**	**130.7**	**137.4**	**138.6**	**0.9**	**6.0**
Rented accommodation	(v41691278)	110.8	114.7	115.2	0.4	4.0
Owned accommodation	(v41691280)	129.4	135.0	135.0	0.0	4.3
Replacement cost	(v41691281)	171.4	180.6	180.6	0.0	5.4
Homeowners' home and mortgage insurance	(v41691283)	109.3	114.5	114.5	0.0	4.8
Homeowners' maintenance and repairs	(v41691284)	128.0	132.2	132.2	0.0	3.3
Water, fuel and electricity	(v41691285)	143.4	153.6	157.5	2.5	9.8
Electricity	(v41691286)	128.7	131.8	131.8	0.0	2.4
Natural gas	.	.	.	.	.	.
Fuel oil and other fuels	(v41691288)	171.8	205.1	223.0	8.7	29.8
Household operations, furnishings and equipment	**(v41691289)**	**108.2**	**107.7**	**108.0**	**0.3**	**-0.2**
Household operations	(v41691290)	115.1	116.0	116.8	0.7	1.5
Telephone services	(v41691292)	109.4	108.0	108.0	0.0	-1.3
Internet access services	(v41693217)	111.5	117.0	117.0	0.0	4.9
Household furnishings and equipment	(v41691297)	96.8	94.3	93.7	-0.6	-3.2
Clothing and footwear	**(v41691304)**	**96.1**	**94.3**	**96.1**	**1.9**	**0.0**
Women's clothing	(v41691306)	96.1	86.9	92.9	6.9	-3.3
Men's clothing	(v41691307)	95.3	100.6	96.8	-3.8	1.6
Footwear	(v41691309)	84.0	87.5	89.5	2.3	6.5
Transportation	**(v41691312)**	**115.2**	**119.6**	**121.3**	**1.4**	**5.3**
Private transportation	(v41691313)	115.4	119.6	121.3	1.4	5.1
Purchase and leasing of passenger vehicles	(v41691315)	90.2	91.9	91.3	-0.7	1.2
Gasoline	(v41691318)	144.4	154.7	164.2	6.1	13.7
Passenger vehicle insurance premiums [3]	(v41691321)	128.8	132.4	129.9	-1.9	0.9
Public transportation	(v41691323)	111.0	117.0	119.0	1.7	7.2
Health and personal care	**(v41691328)**	**111.1**	**113.6**	**112.8**	**-0.7**	**1.5**
Health care	(v41691329)	112.0	112.7	112.6	-0.1	0.5
Personal care	(v41691335)	110.6	114.9	113.5	-1.2	2.6
Recreation, education and reading	**(v41691338)**	**102.0**	**101.4**	**104.0**	**2.6**	**2.0**
Recreation	(v41691339)	100.6	100.1	103.1	3.0	2.5
Education and reading	(v41691347)	107.6	107.2	108.3	1.0	0.7
Alcoholic beverages and tobacco products	**(v41691351)**	**132.7**	**136.3**	**136.7**	**0.3**	**3.0**
Alcoholic beverages	(v41691352)	118.2	119.8	119.9	0.1	1.4
Tobacco products and smokers' supplies	(v41691358)	144.7	150.1	150.8	0.5	4.2

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Table 9-2

The Consumer Price Index, major components, selected sub-groups and special aggregates, provinces, Whitehorse and Yellowknife, not seasonally adjusted — Prince Edward Island

	CANSIM vector number	Indexes			Percentage change	
		March 2010	February 2011	March 2011	February 2011 to March 2011	March 2010 to March 2011
		2002=100			%	
All-items	**(v41691379)**	**119.3**	**121.1**	**122.2**	**0.9**	**2.4**
Special aggregates						
All-items excluding food	(v41691502)	117.8	119.2	120.3	0.9	2.1
All-items excluding food and energy	(v41691503)	111.8	111.4	112.1	0.6	0.3
All-items excluding energy	(v41691508)	114.8	115.0	115.9	0.8	1.0
All-items excluding gasoline	(v41693249)	117.7	118.9	119.6	0.6	1.6
Energy [1]	(v41691509)	158.3	172.9	176.9	2.3	11.7
All-items (1992=100)	**(v41713406)**	**140.5**	**142.5**	**143.9**	**1.0**	**2.4**
Food	**(v41691380)**	**126.8**	**130.0**	**131.4**	**1.1**	**3.6**
Food purchased from stores	(v41691381)	128.4	131.4	133.3	1.4	3.8
Meat [2]	(v41691382)	121.3	124.4	127.5	2.5	5.1
Dairy products [2]	(v41691392)	132.2	134.3	136.0	1.3	2.9
Bakery and cereal products (excluding infant food) [2]	(v41691397)	144.4	154.2	155.7	1.0	7.8
Fresh fruit [2]	(v41691401)	103.5	103.0	102.3	-0.7	-1.2
Fresh vegetables [2]	(v41691404)	129.8	126.6	143.1	13.0	10.2
Food purchased from restaurants	(v41691411)	121.3	124.9	125.1	0.2	3.1
Shelter	**(v41691412)**	**124.7**	**128.3**	**127.8**	**-0.4**	**2.5**
Rented accommodation	(v41691413)	110.8	111.7	111.8	0.1	0.9
Owned accommodation	(v41691415)	113.2	112.0	112.3	0.3	-0.8
Replacement cost	(v41691416)	111.8	109.9	111.7	1.6	-0.1
Homeowners' home and mortgage insurance	(v41691418)	116.5	123.2	123.2	0.0	5.8
Homeowners' maintenance and repairs	(v41691419)	122.2	123.8	124.7	0.7	2.0
Water, fuel and electricity	(v41691420)	162.6	180.1	177.1	-1.7	8.9
Electricity	(v41691421)	144.8	149.5	132.0	-11.7	-8.8
Natural gas	.	.	.	.	.	.
Fuel oil and other fuels	(v41691423)	180.6	213.1	225.9	6.0	25.1
Household operations, furnishings and equipment	**(v41691424)**	**114.2**	**113.8**	**114.5**	**0.6**	**0.3**
Household operations	(v41691425)	121.8	121.2	122.2	0.8	0.3
Telephone services	(v41691427)	108.7	106.2	106.2	0.0	-2.3
Internet access services	(v41693218)	107.9	112.7	112.7	0.0	4.4
Household furnishings and equipment	(v41691432)	98.9	99.0	99.1	0.1	0.2
Clothing and footwear	**(v41691439)**	**99.4**	**92.8**	**96.4**	**3.9**	**-3.0**
Women's clothing	(v41691441)	94.0	76.2	94.5	24.0	0.5
Men's clothing	(v41691442)	96.8	95.5	86.3	-9.6	-10.8
Footwear	(v41691444)	102.7	101.2	98.7	-2.5	-3.9
Transportation	**(v41691447)**	**117.7**	**121.7**	**124.7**	**2.5**	**5.9**
Private transportation	(v41691448)	117.9	121.8	124.8	2.5	5.9
Purchase and leasing of passenger vehicles	(v41691450)	91.0	90.6	90.0	-0.7	-1.1
Gasoline	(v41691453)	153.3	164.6	175.9	6.9	14.7
Passenger vehicle insurance premiums [3]	(v41691456)	132.7	138.8	138.8	0.0	4.6
Public transportation	(v41691458)	115.1	120.8	122.8	1.7	6.7
Health and personal care	**(v41691462)**	**113.4**	**112.4**	**112.9**	**0.4**	**-0.4**
Health care	(v41691463)	112.9	110.2	110.6	0.4	-2.0
Personal care	(v41691469)	113.9	115.0	115.5	0.4	1.4
Recreation, education and reading	**(v41691472)**	**105.2**	**106.1**	**106.8**	**0.7**	**1.5**
Recreation	(v41691473)	98.2	98.9	99.1	0.2	0.9
Education and reading	(v41691481)	124.0	125.7	127.5	1.4	2.8
Alcoholic beverages and tobacco products	**(v41691485)**	**151.1**	**151.4**	**152.3**	**0.6**	**0.8**
Alcoholic beverages	(v41691486)	119.2	121.0	120.9	-0.1	1.4
Tobacco products and smokers' supplies	(v41691492)	166.6	165.5	167.2	1.0	0.4

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Table 9-3

The Consumer Price Index, major components, selected sub-groups and special aggregates, provinces, Whitehorse and Yellowknife, not seasonally adjusted — Nova Scotia

	CANSIM vector number	Indexes			Percentage change	
		March 2010	February 2011	March 2011	February 2011 to March 2011	March 2010 to March 2011
		2002=100			%	
All-items	**(v41691513)**	**117.7**	**120.9**	**122.3**	**1.2**	**3.9**
Special aggregates						
All-items excluding food	(v41691637)	115.7	118.5	120.2	1.4	3.9
All-items excluding food and energy	(v41691638)	111.7	113.1	113.9	0.7	2.0
All-items excluding energy	(v41691643)	114.7	116.9	117.4	0.4	2.4
All-items excluding gasoline	(v41693251)	116.3	119.2	120.0	0.7	3.2
Energy [1]	(v41691644)	142.8	156.5	165.2	5.6	15.7
All-items (1992=100)	**(v41713408)**	**140.9**	**144.8**	**146.5**	**1.2**	**4.0**
Food	**(v41691514)**	**127.3**	**132.6**	**132.5**	**-0.1**	**4.1**
Food purchased from stores	(v41691515)	126.6	132.6	132.5	-0.1	4.7
Meat [2]	(v41691516)	113.7	122.7	125.3	2.1	10.2
Dairy products [2]	(v41691526)	127.8	129.6	129.7	0.1	1.5
Bakery and cereal products (excluding infant food) [2]	(v41691531)	142.0	152.0	150.5	-1.0	6.0
Fresh fruit [2]	(v41691535)	104.2	106.4	108.5	2.0	4.1
Fresh vegetables [2]	(v41691538)	122.2	119.2	124.3	4.3	1.7
Food purchased from restaurants	(v41691545)	129.2	132.9	132.9	0.0	2.9
Shelter	**(v41691546)**	**124.5**	**129.7**	**130.9**	**0.9**	**5.1**
Rented accommodation	(v41691547)	107.6	108.7	108.7	0.0	1.0
Owned accommodation	(v41691549)	123.1	126.1	126.0	-0.1	2.4
Replacement cost	(v41691550)	131.2	135.6	135.6	0.0	3.4
Homeowners' home and mortgage insurance	(v41691552)	149.2	164.4	164.4	0.0	10.2
Homeowners' maintenance and repairs	(v41691553)	118.8	126.4	126.2	-0.2	6.2
Water, fuel and electricity	(v41691554)	140.8	155.3	161.1	3.7	14.4
Electricity	(v41691555)	123.8	130.6	130.6	0.0	5.5
Natural gas	.	.	.	.	.	.
Fuel oil and other fuels	(v41691557)	162.5	191.2	208.0	8.8	28.0
Household operations, furnishings and equipment	**(v41691558)**	**109.8**	**111.6**	**111.4**	**-0.2**	**1.5**
Household operations	(v41691559)	117.7	120.6	120.9	0.2	2.7
Telephone services	(v41691561)	107.7	107.8	107.8	0.0	0.1
Internet access services	(v41693219)	103.3	108.8	108.8	0.0	5.3
Household furnishings and equipment	(v41691566)	94.2	93.8	92.6	-1.3	-1.7
Clothing and footwear	**(v41691573)**	**94.7**	**86.9**	**96.5**	**11.0**	**1.9**
Women's clothing	(v41691575)	92.9	81.6	98.8	21.1	6.4
Men's clothing	(v41691576)	90.9	88.8	98.8	11.3	8.7
Footwear	(v41691578)	95.2	84.5	87.3	3.3	-8.3
Transportation	**(v41691581)**	**113.5**	**118.8**	**121.3**	**2.1**	**6.9**
Private transportation	(v41691582)	113.5	118.8	121.4	2.2	7.0
Purchase and leasing of passenger vehicles	(v41691584)	90.2	92.9	92.4	-0.5	2.4
Gasoline	(v41691587)	145.2	157.5	169.2	7.4	16.5
Passenger vehicle insurance premiums [3]	(v41691590)	112.9	116.7	116.7	0.0	3.4
Public transportation	(v41691592)	113.2	119.2	121.0	1.5	6.9
Health and personal care	**(v41691597)**	**112.8**	**114.6**	**114.6**	**0.0**	**1.6**
Health care	(v41691598)	114.5	114.1	114.4	0.3	-0.1
Personal care	(v41691604)	111.4	115.6	115.2	-0.3	3.4
Recreation, education and reading	**(v41691607)**	**105.9**	**106.9**	**107.3**	**0.4**	**1.3**
Recreation	(v41691608)	100.5	102.3	102.9	0.6	2.4
Education and reading	(v41691616)	120.4	118.9	118.8	-0.1	-1.3
Alcoholic beverages and tobacco products	**(v41691620)**	**153.9**	**156.9**	**157.7**	**0.5**	**2.5**
Alcoholic beverages	(v41691621)	118.9	120.9	121.9	0.8	2.5
Tobacco products and smokers' supplies	(v41691627)	178.0	181.8	182.3	0.3	2.4

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

Table 9-4

The Consumer Price Index, major components, selected sub-groups and special aggregates, provinces, Whitehorse and Yellowknife, not seasonally adjusted — New Brunswick

	CANSIM vector number	Indexes			Percentage change	
		March 2010	February 2011	March 2011	February 2011 to March 2011	March 2010 to March 2011
		2002=100			%	
All-items	**(v41691648)**	**115.8**	**118.2**	**119.4**	**1.0**	**3.1**
Special aggregates						
All-items excluding food	(v41691772)	113.4	115.5	116.9	1.2	3.1
All-items excluding food and energy	(v41691773)	109.6	110.6	111.3	0.6	1.6
All-items excluding energy	(v41691778)	113.0	114.6	115.2	0.5	1.9
All-items excluding gasoline	(v41693253)	114.5	116.5	117.2	0.6	2.4
Energy [1]	(v41691779)	138.8	147.6	154.3	4.5	11.2
All-items (1992=100)	**(v41713410)**	**137.4**	**140.2**	**141.7**	**1.1**	**3.1**
Food	**(v41691649)**	**127.4**	**131.2**	**131.7**	**0.4**	**3.4**
Food purchased from stores	(v41691650)	128.5	132.3	132.8	0.4	3.3
Meat [2]	(v41691651)	118.7	123.2	126.7	2.8	6.7
Dairy products [2]	(v41691661)	128.0	128.3	128.7	0.3	0.5
Bakery and cereal products (excluding infant food) [2]	(v41691666)	143.0	152.1	152.3	0.1	6.5
Fresh fruit [2]	(v41691670)	104.8	105.4	104.8	-0.6	0.0
Fresh vegetables [2]	(v41691673)	121.8	125.9	131.6	4.5	8.0
Food purchased from restaurants	(v41691680)	125.1	128.8	129.2	0.3	3.3
Shelter	**(v41691681)**	**121.9**	**124.5**	**125.0**	**0.4**	**2.5**
Rented accommodation	(v41691682)	108.2	109.4	109.5	0.1	1.2
Owned accommodation	(v41691684)	117.7	118.4	118.2	-0.2	0.4
Replacement cost	(v41691685)	120.1	121.6	121.5	-0.1	1.2
Homeowners' home and mortgage insurance	(v41691687)	137.6	143.9	143.2	-0.5	4.1
Homeowners' maintenance and repairs	(v41691688)	123.7	121.5	122.4	0.7	-1.1
Water, fuel and electricity	(v41691689)	139.6	147.3	149.6	1.6	7.2
Electricity	(v41691690)	130.3	132.9	132.9	0.0	2.0
Natural gas	.	.	.	.	.	.
Fuel oil and other fuels	(v41691692)	168.4	200.7	215.0	7.1	27.7
Household operations, furnishings and equipment	**(v41691693)**	**109.8**	**110.2**	**110.4**	**0.2**	**0.5**
Household operations	(v41691694)	119.9	121.7	122.0	0.2	1.8
Telephone services	(v41691696)	111.6	109.8	109.8	0.0	-1.6
Internet access services	(v41693220)	108.9	114.4	114.4	0.0	5.1
Household furnishings and equipment	(v41691701)	91.7	89.8	89.8	0.0	-2.1
Clothing and footwear	**(v41691708)**	**96.2**	**94.6**	**97.8**	**3.4**	**1.7**
Women's clothing	(v41691710)	90.6	86.2	92.0	6.7	1.5
Men's clothing	(v41691711)	94.5	95.4	97.1	1.8	2.8
Footwear	(v41691713)	96.4	93.5	93.7	0.2	-2.8
Transportation	**(v41691716)**	**112.2**	**116.3**	**118.5**	**1.9**	**5.6**
Private transportation	(v41691717)	112.3	116.2	118.5	2.0	5.5
Purchase and leasing of passenger vehicles	(v41691719)	87.4	88.6	88.0	-0.7	0.7
Gasoline	(v41691722)	138.9	149.0	160.3	7.6	15.4
Passenger vehicle insurance premiums [3]	(v41691725)	119.0	122.3	120.2	-1.7	1.0
Public transportation	(v41691727)	113.6	118.7	120.2	1.3	5.8
Health and personal care	**(v41691732)**	**109.9**	**110.5**	**111.4**	**0.8**	**1.4**
Health care	(v41691733)	113.0	113.5	114.4	0.8	1.2
Personal care	(v41691739)	107.2	107.8	108.7	0.8	1.4
Recreation, education and reading	**(v41691742)**	**105.2**	**106.7**	**108.6**	**1.8**	**3.2**
Recreation	(v41691743)	98.2	99.9	102.2	2.3	4.1
Education and reading	(v41691751)	127.8	128.5	128.8	0.2	0.8
Alcoholic beverages and tobacco products	**(v41691755)**	**134.1**	**137.6**	**140.6**	**2.2**	**4.8**
Alcoholic beverages	(v41691756)	121.8	125.5	124.3	-1.0	2.1
Tobacco products and smokers' supplies	(v41691762)	139.9	143.1	149.8	4.7	7.1

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

Table 9-5

The Consumer Price Index, major components, selected sub-groups and special aggregates, provinces, Whitehorse and Yellowknife, not seasonally adjusted — Quebec

	CANSIM vector number	Indexes			Percentage change	
		March 2010	February 2011	March 2011	February 2011 to March 2011	March 2010 to March 2011
		2002=100			%	
All-items	**(v41691783)**	**114.5**	**116.7**	**118.3**	**1.4**	**3.3**
Special aggregates						
All-items excluding food	(v41691908)	112.2	114.4	115.7	1.1	3.1
All-items excluding food and energy	(v41691909)	109.5	110.8	111.6	0.7	1.9
All-items excluding energy	(v41691914)	112.6	114.0	115.2	1.1	2.3
All-items excluding gasoline	(v41693255)	113.1	114.7	115.9	1.0	2.5
Energy [1]	(v41691915)	136.0	146.6	153.1	4.4	12.6
All-items (1992=100)	**(v41713412)**	**132.3**	**134.8**	**136.7**	**1.4**	**3.3**
Food	**(v41691784)**	**124.4**	**126.7**	**129.4**	**2.1**	**4.0**
Food purchased from stores	(v41691785)	125.1	127.2	130.8	2.8	4.6
Meat [2]	(v41691786)	120.0	124.0	127.3	2.7	6.1
Dairy products [2]	(v41691796)	130.8	133.5	135.6	1.6	3.7
Bakery and cereal products (excluding infant food) [2]	(v41691801)	140.7	140.9	141.9	0.7	0.9
Fresh fruit [2]	(v41691805)	109.0	108.1	106.9	-1.1	-1.9
Fresh vegetables [2]	(v41691808)	115.6	122.9	139.3	13.3	20.5
Food purchased from restaurants	(v41691815)	122.5	125.4	125.5	0.1	2.4
Shelter	**(v41691816)**	**120.7**	**122.5**	**122.8**	**0.2**	**1.7**
Rented accommodation	(v41691817)	109.3	110.6	110.7	0.1	1.3
Owned accommodation	(v41691819)	125.6	126.7	126.9	0.2	1.0
Replacement cost	(v41691820)	141.5	142.7	143.1	0.3	1.1
Homeowners' home and mortgage insurance	(v41691822)	148.0	143.3	146.0	1.9	-1.4
Homeowners' maintenance and repairs	(v41691823)	119.8	120.6	120.8	0.2	0.8
Water, fuel and electricity	(v41691824)	122.4	127.8	129.0	0.9	5.4
Electricity	(v41691825)	113.4	114.7	114.7	0.0	1.1
Natural gas	(v41691827)	114.5	105.1	107.2	2.0	-6.4
Fuel oil and other fuels	(v41691828)	184.8	233.2	245.2	5.1	32.7
Household operations, furnishings and equipment	**(v41691829)**	**109.4**	**112.0**	**112.4**	**0.4**	**2.7**
Household operations	(v41691830)	117.2	119.1	119.3	0.2	1.8
Telephone services	(v41691832)	113.1	114.5	114.5	0.0	1.2
Internet access services	(v41693221)	98.0	89.5	89.5	0.0	-8.7
Household furnishings and equipment	(v41691837)	97.1	100.6	101.3	0.7	4.3
Clothing and footwear	**(v41691844)**	**89.3**	**82.4**	**89.8**	**9.0**	**0.6**
Women's clothing	(v41691846)	76.9	66.9	78.0	16.6	1.4
Men's clothing	(v41691847)	90.8	84.5	89.9	6.4	-1.0
Footwear	(v41691849)	97.0	85.0	92.9	9.3	-4.2
Transportation	**(v41691852)**	**116.4**	**122.3**	**124.8**	**2.0**	**7.2**
Private transportation	(v41691853)	115.9	121.7	124.3	2.1	7.2
Purchase and leasing of passenger vehicles	(v41691855)	91.2	92.5	92.0	-0.5	0.9
Gasoline	(v41691858)	149.1	164.9	176.7	7.2	18.5
Passenger vehicle insurance premiums [3]	(v41691861)	146.4	153.7	153.7	0.0	5.0
Public transportation	(v41691863)	124.0	131.9	133.2	1.0	7.4
Health and personal care	**(v41691868)**	**112.9**	**114.4**	**115.2**	**0.7**	**2.0**
Health care	(v41691869)	113.3	115.4	115.5	0.1	1.9
Personal care	(v41691875)	112.6	113.4	115.1	1.5	2.2
Recreation, education and reading	**(v41691878)**	**94.9**	**96.6**	**97.2**	**0.6**	**2.4**
Recreation	(v41691879)	88.9	89.5	90.2	0.8	1.5
Education and reading	(v41691887)	119.8	126.3	126.1	-0.2	5.3
Alcoholic beverages and tobacco products	**(v41691891)**	**127.3**	**130.1**	**128.2**	**-1.5**	**0.7**
Alcoholic beverages	(v41691892)	111.6	113.9	110.6	-2.9	-0.9
Tobacco products and smokers' supplies	(v41691898)	141.2	144.6	144.9	0.2	2.6

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Table 9-6

The Consumer Price Index, major components, selected sub-groups and special aggregates, provinces, Whitehorse and Yellowknife, not seasonally adjusted — Ontario

	CANSIM vector number	Indexes			Percentage change	
		March 2010	February 2011	March 2011	February 2011 to March 2011	March 2010 to March 2011
		2002=100			%	
All-items	**(v41691919)**	**115.3**	**118.0**	**119.4**	**1.2**	**3.6**
Special aggregates						
All-items excluding food	(v41692044)	113.7	116.6	117.9	1.1	3.7
All-items excluding food and energy	(v41692045)	112.4	114.4	115.3	0.8	2.6
All-items excluding energy	(v41692050)	114.3	116.2	117.3	0.9	2.6
All-items excluding gasoline	(v41693257)	114.1	116.1	117.3	1.0	2.8
Energy [1]	(v41692051)	131.8	145.0	150.9	4.1	14.5
All-items (1992=100)	**(v41713415)**	**138.5**	**141.7**	**143.5**	**1.3**	**3.6**
Food	**(v41691920)**	**123.8**	**125.2**	**127.4**	**1.8**	**2.9**
Food purchased from stores	(v41691921)	124.1	125.6	128.6	2.4	3.6
Meat [2]	(v41691922)	119.8	122.2	123.8	1.3	3.3
Dairy products [2]	(v41691932)	132.3	135.9	137.1	0.9	3.6
Bakery and cereal products (excluding infant food) [2]	(v41691937)	141.2	145.1	147.1	1.4	4.2
Fresh fruit [2]	(v41691941)	103.9	104.3	102.1	-2.1	-1.7
Fresh vegetables [2]	(v41691944)	101.5	108.6	124.4	14.5	22.6
Food purchased from restaurants	(v41691951)	123.2	124.5	124.9	0.3	1.4
Shelter	**(v41691952)**	**118.8**	**121.5**	**122.0**	**0.4**	**2.7**
Rented accommodation	(v41691953)	108.6	109.7	109.8	0.1	1.1
Owned accommodation	(v41691955)	123.7	126.2	126.2	0.0	2.0
Replacement cost	(v41691956)	135.8	141.8	142.4	0.4	4.9
Homeowners' home and mortgage insurance	(v41691958)	176.4	177.8	177.8	0.0	0.8
Homeowners' maintenance and repairs	(v41691959)	116.5	119.7	119.4	-0.3	2.5
Water, fuel and electricity	(v41691960)	123.9	130.0	133.0	2.3	7.3
Electricity [3]	(v41691961)	119.3	120.6	123.1	2.1	3.2
Natural gas	(v41691963)	88.6	95.7	95.7	0.0	8.0
Fuel oil and other fuels	(v41691964)	182.4	231.4	247.6	7.0	35.7
Household operations, furnishings and equipment	**(v41691965)**	**109.2**	**110.6**	**111.0**	**0.4**	**1.6**
Household operations	(v41691966)	117.5	120.4	120.5	0.1	2.6
Telephone services	(v41691968)	116.7	116.1	116.1	0.0	-0.5
Internet access services	(v41693222)	91.0	98.3	98.3	0.0	8.0
Household furnishings and equipment	(v41691973)	95.2	94.3	95.2	1.0	0.0
Clothing and footwear	**(v41691980)**	**91.9**	**89.0**	**93.7**	**5.3**	**2.0**
Women's clothing	(v41691982)	87.5	78.2	87.2	11.5	-0.3
Men's clothing	(v41691983)	90.1	88.5	91.7	3.6	1.8
Footwear	(v41691985)	88.7	87.1	90.9	4.4	2.5
Transportation	**(v41691988)**	**119.0**	**125.6**	**127.4**	**1.4**	**7.1**
Private transportation	(v41691989)	119.1	125.6	127.5	1.5	7.1
Purchase and leasing of passenger vehicles	(v41691991)	90.8	91.4	90.8	-0.7	0.0
Gasoline	(v41691994)	147.5	168.1	177.6	5.7	20.4
Passenger vehicle insurance premiums [4]	(v41691997)	160.3	171.4	172.4	0.6	7.5
Public transportation	(v41691999)	117.2	124.6	126.2	1.3	7.7
Health and personal care	**(v41692004)**	**113.5**	**117.1**	**117.2**	**0.1**	**3.3**
Health care	(v41692005)	117.2	119.1	119.9	0.7	2.3
Personal care	(v41692011)	110.5	115.5	115.2	-0.3	4.3
Recreation, education and reading	**(v41692014)**	**102.4**	**103.8**	**105.7**	**1.8**	**3.2**
Recreation	(v41692015)	93.8	93.9	96.5	2.8	2.9
Education and reading	(v41692023)	124.9	130.0	129.8	-0.2	3.9
Alcoholic beverages and tobacco products	**(v41692027)**	**133.5**	**138.3**	**138.8**	**0.4**	**4.0**
Alcoholic beverages	(v41692028)	112.1	111.5	111.7	0.2	-0.4
Tobacco products and smokers' supplies	(v41692034)	155.1	168.7	169.5	0.5	9.3

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Table 9-7

The Consumer Price Index, major components, selected sub-groups and special aggregates, provinces, Whitehorse and Yellowknife, not seasonally adjusted — Manitoba

	CANSIM vector number	Indexes			Percentage change	
		March 2010	February 2011	March 2011	February 2011 to March 2011	March 2010 to March 2011
		2002=100			%	
All-items	**(v41692055)**	**114.7**	**117.0**	**117.9**	**0.8**	**2.8**
Special aggregates						
All-items excluding food	(v41692180)	113.1	115.4	116.2	0.7	2.7
All-items excluding food and energy	(v41692181)	111.1	113.1	113.3	0.2	2.0
All-items excluding energy	(v41692186)	113.2	115.2	115.7	0.4	2.2
All-items excluding gasoline	(v41693259)	113.3	115.2	115.6	0.3	2.0
Energy [1]	(v41692187)	131.7	137.5	143.4	4.3	8.9
All-items (1992=100)	**(v41713419)**	**141.1**	**144.0**	**145.1**	**0.8**	**2.8**
Food	**(v41692056)**	**122.5**	**124.5**	**126.2**	**1.4**	**3.0**
Food purchased from stores	(v41692057)	121.1	122.9	125.1	1.8	3.3
Meat [2]	(v41692058)	112.1	121.5	120.5	-0.8	7.5
Dairy products [2]	(v41692068)	127.8	131.4	131.5	0.1	2.9
Bakery and cereal products (excluding infant food) [2]	(v41692073)	135.7	139.6	141.9	1.6	4.6
Fresh fruit [2]	(v41692077)	100.2	95.5	93.5	-2.1	-6.7
Fresh vegetables [2]	(v41692080)	107.5	103.3	125.5	21.5	16.7
Food purchased from restaurants	(v41692087)	125.1	127.6	127.9	0.2	2.2
Shelter	**(v41692088)**	**121.3**	**124.2**	**124.3**	**0.1**	**2.5**
Rented accommodation	(v41692089)	115.1	117.4	117.7	0.3	2.3
Owned accommodation	(v41692091)	124.6	128.9	129.0	0.1	3.5
Replacement cost	(v41692092)	151.3	158.8	160.3	0.9	5.9
Homeowners' home and mortgage insurance	(v41692094)	128.5	140.8	140.8	0.0	9.6
Homeowners' maintenance and repairs	(v41692095)	118.5	115.7	113.6	-1.8	-4.1
Water, fuel and electricity	(v41692096)	117.0	115.7	115.8	0.1	-1.0
Electricity	(v41692097)	115.0	117.1	117.1	0.0	1.8
Natural gas	(v41692099)	105.7	95.0	95.0	0.0	-10.1
Fuel oil and other fuels	(v41692100)	178.9	207.1	216.1	4.3	20.8
Household operations, furnishings and equipment	**(v41692101)**	**107.8**	**108.7**	**108.6**	**-0.1**	**0.7**
Household operations	(v41692102)	112.7	114.4	114.6	0.2	1.7
Telephone services	(v41692104)	101.7	103.7	103.7	0.0	2.0
Internet access services	(v41693223)	104.8	107.0	107.0	0.0	2.1
Household furnishings and equipment	(v41692109)	99.1	98.5	97.8	-0.7	-1.3
Clothing and footwear	**(v41692116)**	**95.3**	**93.0**	**94.7**	**1.8**	**-0.6**
Women's clothing	(v41692118)	85.6	84.0	85.0	1.2	-0.7
Men's clothing	(v41692119)	91.8	90.9	92.5	1.8	0.8
Footwear	(v41692121)	93.3	89.1	90.5	1.6	-3.0
Transportation	**(v41692124)**	**114.4**	**118.8**	**121.1**	**1.9**	**5.9**
Private transportation	(v41692125)	114.5	118.7	121.0	1.9	5.7
Purchase and leasing of passenger vehicles	(v41692127)	93.5	93.5	93.0	-0.5	-0.5
Gasoline	(v41692130)	148.5	162.5	174.3	7.3	17.4
Passenger vehicle insurance premiums [3]	(v41692133)	110.7	114.0	114.2	0.2	3.2
Public transportation	(v41692135)	113.4	119.5	121.4	1.6	7.1
Health and personal care	**(v41692140)**	**111.0**	**110.9**	**111.6**	**0.6**	**0.5**
Health care	(v41692141)	114.9	113.7	114.9	1.1	0.0
Personal care	(v41692147)	107.2	108.3	108.4	0.1	1.1
Recreation, education and reading	**(v41692150)**	**103.3**	**105.8**	**106.1**	**0.3**	**2.7**
Recreation	(v41692151)	99.0	101.0	101.3	0.3	2.3
Education and reading	(v41692159)	118.4	122.8	123.0	0.2	3.9
Alcoholic beverages and tobacco products	**(v41692163)**	**132.4**	**136.7**	**135.8**	**-0.7**	**2.6**
Alcoholic beverages	(v41692164)	120.2	122.2	121.1	-0.9	0.7
Tobacco products and smokers' supplies	(v41692170)	141.7	148.7	148.2	-0.3	4.6

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Table 9-8

The Consumer Price Index, major components, selected sub-groups and special aggregates, provinces, Whitehorse and Yellowknife, not seasonally adjusted — Saskatchewan

	CANSIM vector number	Indexes			Percentage change	
		March 2010	February 2011	March 2011	February 2011 to March 2011	March 2010 to March 2011
		2002=100			%	
All-items	**(v41692191)**	**117.9**	**120.3**	**121.4**	**0.9**	**3.0**
Special aggregates						
All-items excluding food	(v41692316)	116.9	119.2	120.1	0.8	2.7
All-items excluding food and energy	(v41692317)	115.3	116.9	117.4	0.4	1.8
All-items excluding energy	(v41692322)	116.6	118.6	119.2	0.5	2.2
All-items excluding gasoline	(v41693261)	116.8	118.7	119.3	0.5	2.1
Energy [1]	(v41692323)	129.5	136.7	141.5	3.5	9.3
All-items (1992=100)	**(v41713421)**	**145.8**	**148.8**	**150.1**	**0.9**	**2.9**
Food	**(v41692192)**	**122.7**	**125.9**	**127.5**	**1.3**	**3.9**
Food purchased from stores	(v41692193)	120.8	123.5	125.7	1.8	4.1
Meat [2]	(v41692194)	113.1	121.6	122.1	0.4	8.0
Dairy products [2]	(v41692204)	131.5	134.2	135.6	1.0	3.1
Bakery and cereal products (excluding infant food) [2]	(v41692209)	131.1	135.4	137.7	1.7	5.0
Fresh fruit [2]	(v41692213)	101.4	99.0	96.0	-3.0	-5.3
Fresh vegetables [2]	(v41692216)	111.9	113.6	135.7	19.5	21.3
Food purchased from restaurants	(v41692223)	126.6	130.8	131.0	0.2	3.5
Shelter	**(v41692224)**	**139.1**	**142.8**	**143.2**	**0.3**	**2.9**
Rented accommodation	(v41692225)	124.0	128.2	128.7	0.4	3.8
Owned accommodation	(v41692227)	149.8	154.3	154.7	0.3	3.3
Replacement cost	(v41692228)	205.3	212.1	213.5	0.7	4.0
Homeowners' home and mortgage insurance	(v41692230)	205.3	224.7	224.7	0.0	9.4
Homeowners' maintenance and repairs	(v41692231)	128.7	126.0	126.1	0.1	-2.0
Water, fuel and electricity	(v41692232)	126.7	128.7	128.9	0.2	1.7
Electricity	(v41692233)	126.9	133.8	133.8	0.0	5.4
Natural gas	(v41692235)	103.5	96.1	96.1	0.0	-7.1
Fuel oil and other fuels	(v41692236)	161.9	193.2	201.1	4.1	24.2
Household operations, furnishings and equipment	**(v41692237)**	**103.0**	**104.0**	**104.0**	**0.0**	**1.0**
Household operations	(v41692238)	109.7	111.4	111.3	-0.1	1.5
Telephone services	(v41692240)	94.7	95.7	95.7	0.0	1.1
Internet access services	(v41693224)	97.0	97.9	97.9	0.0	0.9
Household furnishings and equipment	(v41692245)	91.2	91.2	91.2	0.0	0.0
Clothing and footwear	**(v41692252)**	**97.0**	**95.8**	**98.2**	**2.5**	**1.2**
Women's clothing	(v41692254)	91.0	87.6	93.7	7.0	3.0
Men's clothing	(v41692255)	88.1	90.9	89.4	-1.7	1.5
Footwear	(v41692257)	97.3	98.5	97.0	-1.5	-0.3
Transportation	**(v41692260)**	**110.0**	**114.0**	**116.1**	**1.8**	**5.5**
Private transportation	(v41692261)	109.7	113.5	115.6	1.9	5.4
Purchase and leasing of passenger vehicles	(v41692263)	89.9	90.4	89.9	-0.6	0.0
Gasoline	(v41692266)	140.8	155.7	166.4	6.9	18.2
Passenger vehicle insurance premiums [3]	(v41692269)	117.6	115.8	115.8	0.0	-1.5
Public transportation	(v41692271)	113.6	120.3	122.3	1.7	7.7
Health and personal care	**(v41692276)**	**112.4**	**111.8**	**113.3**	**1.3**	**0.8**
Health care	(v41692277)	113.2	111.9	113.9	1.8	0.6
Personal care	(v41692283)	111.8	112.1	113.1	0.9	1.2
Recreation, education and reading	**(v41692286)**	**104.2**	**104.8**	**105.3**	**0.5**	**1.1**
Recreation	(v41692287)	98.5	98.3	98.9	0.6	0.4
Education and reading	(v41692295)	124.7	129.0	128.8	-0.2	3.3
Alcoholic beverages and tobacco products	**(v41692299)**	**135.6**	**140.5**	**140.8**	**0.2**	**3.8**
Alcoholic beverages	(v41692300)	126.9	129.8	130.0	0.2	2.4
Tobacco products and smokers' supplies	(v41692306)	139.9	146.6	147.0	0.3	5.1

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Table 9-9

The Consumer Price Index, major components, selected sub-groups and special aggregates, provinces, Whitehorse and Yellowknife, not seasonally adjusted — Alberta

	CANSIM vector number	Indexes			Percentage change	
		March 2010	February 2011	March 2011	February 2011 to March 2011	March 2010 to March 2011
		2002=100			%	
All-items	**(v41692327)**	**122.1**	**124.2**	**124.5**	**0.2**	**2.0**
Special aggregates						
All-items excluding food	(v41692451)	122.1	124.5	124.5	0.0	2.0
All-items excluding food and energy	(v41692452)	120.0	121.1	121.3	0.2	1.1
All-items excluding energy	(v41692457)	120.4	121.4	121.9	0.4	1.2
All-items excluding gasoline	(v41693263)	121.4	123.0	122.8	-0.2	1.2
Energy [1]	(v41692458)	141.5	158.1	156.4	-1.1	10.5
All-items (1992=100)	**(v41713424)**	**151.7**	**154.3**	**154.6**	**0.2**	**1.9**
Food	**(v41692328)**	**122.3**	**123.1**	**124.6**	**1.2**	**1.9**
Food purchased from stores	(v41692329)	121.4	121.8	123.9	1.7	2.1
Meat [2]	(v41692330)	111.3	118.2	118.3	0.1	6.3
Dairy products [2]	(v41692340)	132.9	133.9	135.8	1.4	2.2
Bakery and cereal products (excluding infant food) [2]	(v41692345)	137.8	140.9	140.3	-0.4	1.8
Fresh fruit [2]	(v41692349)	100.5	92.9	91.3	-1.7	-9.2
Fresh vegetables [2]	(v41692352)	105.0	101.6	117.5	15.6	11.9
Food purchased from restaurants	(v41692359)	124.2	125.7	125.8	0.1	1.3
Shelter	**(v41692360)**	**146.7**	**151.1**	**148.5**	**-1.7**	**1.2**
Rented accommodation	(v41692361)	122.3	122.0	122.0	0.0	-0.2
Owned accommodation	(v41692363)	154.8	157.8	157.6	-0.1	1.8
Replacement cost	(v41692364)	173.4	173.1	172.9	-0.1	-0.3
Homeowners' home and mortgage insurance	(v41692366)	192.4	230.3	229.4	-0.4	19.2
Homeowners' maintenance and repairs	(v41692367)	118.3	118.0	118.0	0.0	-0.3
Water, fuel and electricity	(v41692368)	143.6	158.0	143.9	-8.9	0.2
Electricity	(v41692369)	97.2	128.8	113.7	-11.7	17.0
Natural gas	(v41692371)	203.1	182.8	161.7	-11.5	-20.4
Fuel oil and other fuels	.	.	.	.	.	.
Household operations, furnishings and equipment	**(v41692372)**	**106.9**	**108.6**	**109.1**	**0.5**	**2.1**
Household operations	(v41692373)	115.9	117.3	117.7	0.3	1.6
Telephone services	(v41692375)	104.2	104.8	104.8	0.0	0.6
Internet access services	(v41693225)	93.3	100.5	100.5	0.0	7.7
Household furnishings and equipment	(v41692380)	93.1	95.2	95.8	0.6	2.9
Clothing and footwear	**(v41692387)**	**97.7**	**94.1**	**97.0**	**3.1**	**-0.7**
Women's clothing	(v41692389)	89.3	79.8	86.7	8.6	-2.9
Men's clothing	(v41692390)	93.8	93.3	92.1	-1.3	-1.8
Footwear	(v41692392)	96.4	95.3	98.1	2.9	1.8
Transportation	**(v41692395)**	**117.6**	**121.9**	**124.2**	**1.9**	**5.6**
Private transportation	(v41692396)	117.7	121.6	124.0	2.0	5.4
Purchase and leasing of passenger vehicles	(v41692398)	86.8	86.9	86.4	-0.6	-0.5
Gasoline	(v41692401)	142.2	159.4	172.5	8.2	21.3
Passenger vehicle insurance premiums [3]	(v41692404)	165.3	166.7	166.7	0.0	0.8
Public transportation	(v41692406)	116.0	123.3	125.3	1.6	8.0
Health and personal care	**(v41692411)**	**119.5**	**122.9**	**122.7**	**-0.2**	**2.7**
Health care	(v41692412)	128.4	133.1	133.2	0.1	3.7
Personal care	(v41692418)	110.9	113.1	112.6	-0.4	1.5
Recreation, education and reading	**(v41692421)**	**105.3**	**104.9**	**104.9**	**0.0**	**-0.4**
Recreation	(v41692422)	99.2	98.9	99.0	0.1	-0.2
Education and reading	(v41692430)	127.9	127.1	126.8	-0.2	-0.9
Alcoholic beverages and tobacco products	**(v41692434)**	**133.5**	**134.0**	**134.1**	**0.1**	**0.4**
Alcoholic beverages	(v41692435)	121.3	122.2	122.1	-0.1	0.7
Tobacco products and smokers' supplies	(v41692441)	143.1	143.0	143.2	0.1	0.1

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

Table 9-10

The Consumer Price Index, major components, selected sub-groups and special aggregates, provinces, Whitehorse and Yellowknife, not seasonally adjusted — British Columbia

	CANSIM vector number	Indexes			Percentage change	
		March 2010	February 2011	March 2011	February 2011 to March 2011	March 2010 to March 2011
		2002=100			%	
All-items	**(v41692462)**	**112.6**	**115.2**	**116.1**	**0.8**	**3.1**
Special aggregates						
All-items excluding food	(v41692587)	111.4	113.6	114.5	0.8	2.8
All-items excluding food and energy	(v41692588)	109.3	110.9	111.3	0.4	1.8
All-items excluding energy	(v41692593)	111.0	113.0	113.6	0.5	2.3
All-items excluding gasoline	(v41693265)	111.2	113.4	113.9	0.4	2.4
Energy [1]	(v41692594)	134.3	143.6	149.9	4.4	11.6
All-items (1992=100)	**(v41713427)**	**132.7**	**135.7**	**136.9**	**0.9**	**3.2**
Food	**(v41692463)**	**118.4**	**122.5**	**123.7**	**1.0**	**4.5**
Food purchased from stores	(v41692464)	117.6	119.4	121.3	1.6	3.1
Meat [2]	(v41692465)	113.1	118.5	117.9	-0.5	4.2
Dairy products [2]	(v41692475)	124.6	125.3	126.2	0.7	1.3
Bakery and cereal products (excluding infant food) [2]	(v41692480)	130.4	132.5	132.0	-0.4	1.2
Fresh fruit [2]	(v41692484)	103.1	100.9	98.1	-2.8	-4.8
Fresh vegetables [2]	(v41692487)	106.7	106.0	122.3	15.4	14.6
Food purchased from restaurants	(v41692494)	120.1	128.6	128.4	-0.2	6.9
Shelter	**(v41692495)**	**111.7**	**114.0**	**113.8**	**-0.2**	**1.9**
Rented accommodation	(v41692496)	108.8	110.5	110.6	0.1	1.7
Owned accommodation	(v41692498)	111.0	112.7	112.3	-0.4	1.2
Replacement cost	(v41692499)	114.3	118.0	118.2	0.2	3.4
Homeowners' home and mortgage insurance	(v41692501)	130.7	145.5	145.5	0.0	11.3
Homeowners' maintenance and repairs	(v41692502)	116.1	120.4	117.7	-2.2	1.4
Water, fuel and electricity	(v41692503)	121.5	127.7	128.3	0.5	5.6
Electricity	(v41692504)	114.6	124.8	124.8	0.0	8.9
Natural gas	(v41692506)	115.7	112.0	112.0	0.0	-3.2
Fuel oil and other fuels	(v41692507)	184.7	213.1	230.8	8.3	25.0
Household operations, furnishings and equipment	**(v41692508)**	**105.4**	**107.7**	**108.3**	**0.6**	**2.8**
Household operations	(v41692509)	111.6	114.7	115.2	0.4	3.2
Telephone services	(v41692511)	104.5	106.5	106.5	0.0	1.9
Internet access services	(v41693226)	92.9	99.7	99.7	0.0	7.3
Household furnishings and equipment	(v41692516)	94.4	95.4	96.1	0.7	1.8
Clothing and footwear	**(v41692523)**	**101.5**	**96.1**	**100.4**	**4.5**	**-1.1**
Women's clothing	(v41692525)	95.5	86.2	93.8	8.8	-1.8
Men's clothing	(v41692526)	95.5	94.2	96.4	2.3	0.9
Footwear	(v41692528)	102.8	94.0	97.7	3.9	-5.0
Transportation	**(v41692531)**	**116.0**	**119.9**	**122.1**	**1.8**	**5.3**
Private transportation	(v41692532)	116.3	119.4	121.7	1.9	4.6
Purchase and leasing of passenger vehicles	(v41692534)	90.6	90.7	90.3	-0.4	-0.3
Gasoline	(v41692537)	154.1	167.5	179.2	7.0	16.3
Passenger vehicle insurance premiums [3]	(v41692540)	128.1	127.4	127.4	0.0	-0.5
Public transportation	(v41692542)	114.6	124.0	125.9	1.5	9.9
Health and personal care	**(v41692547)**	**111.7**	**114.8**	**115.1**	**0.3**	**3.0**
Health care	(v41692548)	116.1	119.0	119.6	0.5	3.0
Personal care	(v41692554)	106.6	109.9	109.9	0.0	3.1
Recreation, education and reading	**(v41692557)**	**109.7**	**111.6**	**112.1**	**0.4**	**2.2**
Recreation	(v41692558)	96.8	98.0	98.5	0.5	1.8
Education and reading	(v41692566)	151.9	156.5	156.7	0.1	3.2
Alcoholic beverages and tobacco products	**(v41692570)**	**124.5**	**128.8**	**129.3**	**0.4**	**3.9**
Alcoholic beverages	(v41692571)	114.3	114.7	114.6	-0.1	0.3
Tobacco products and smokers' supplies	(v41692577)	136.8	148.7	150.6	1.3	10.1

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

Table 9-11

The Consumer Price Index, major components, selected sub-groups and special aggregates, provinces, Whitehorse and Yellowknife, not seasonally adjusted — Whitehorse*

	CANSIM vector number	Indexes			Percentage change	
		March 2010	February 2011	March 2011	February 2011 to March 2011	March 2010 to March 2011
		2002=100			%	
All-items	**(v41692598)**	**113.4**	**115.9**	**117.0**	**0.9**	**3.2**
Special aggregates						
All-items excluding food	(v41692711)	112.6	115.3	116.4	1.0	3.4
All-items excluding food and energy	(v41692712)	109.6	111.3	111.9	0.5	2.1
All-items excluding energy	(v41692717)	111.1	112.8	113.5	0.6	2.2
All-items excluding gasoline	(v41693267)	112.4	114.6	115.5	0.8	2.8
Energy [1]	(v41692718)	135.5	147.2	153.0	3.9	12.9
All-items (1992=100)	**(v41713430)**	**133.4**	**136.4**	**137.7**	**1.0**	**3.2**
Food	**(v41692599)**	**117.3**	**118.7**	**119.9**	**1.0**	**2.2**
Food purchased from stores	(v41692600)	115.8	117.7	119.4	1.4	3.1
Meat [2]	(v41692601)	107.3	111.4	111.5	0.1	3.9
Dairy products [2]	(v41692611)	121.5	120.4	123.7	2.7	1.8
Bakery and cereal products (excluding infant food) [2]	(v41692616)	122.3	125.7	126.9	1.0	3.8
Fresh fruit [2]	(v41692620)	104.5	106.1	102.3	-3.6	-2.1
Fresh vegetables [2]	(v41692623)	105.4	107.9	115.1	6.7	9.2
Food purchased from restaurants	(v41692630)	120.4	120.7	120.7	0.0	0.2
Shelter	**(v41692631)**	**127.0**	**132.3**	**133.0**	**0.5**	**4.7**
Rented accommodation	.	.	.	.	.	.
Owned accommodation	.	.	.	.	.	.
Replacement cost	.	.	.	.	.	.
Homeowners' home and mortgage insurance	.	.	.	.	.	.
Homeowners' maintenance and repairs	.	.	.	.	.	.
Water, fuel and electricity	(v41692632)	135.6	148.5	152.0	2.4	12.1
Electricity	(v41692633)	97.9	105.0	105.0	0.0	7.3
Natural gas	.	.	.	.	.	.
Fuel oil and other fuels	(v41692635)	179.8	207.8	218.8	5.3	21.7
Household operations, furnishings and equipment	**(v41692636)**	**99.5**	**102.5**	**102.8**	**0.3**	**3.3**
Household operations	(v41692637)	109.3	110.5	111.4	0.8	1.9
Telephone services	(v41692639)	99.1	99.1	99.1	0.0	0.0
Internet access services	(v41693227)	101.4	105.4	105.4	0.0	3.9
Household furnishings and equipment	(v41692644)	82.1	88.6	88.0	-0.7	7.2
Clothing and footwear	**(v41692651)**	**98.7**	**93.5**	**95.0**	**1.6**	**-3.7**
Women's clothing	(v41692653)	95.3	88.2	90.9	3.1	-4.6
Men's clothing	(v41692654)	96.5	97.2	96.1	-1.1	-0.4
Footwear	(v41692656)	95.6	86.5	85.0	-1.7	-11.1
Transportation	**(v41692659)**	**115.7**	**119.8**	**121.6**	**1.5**	**5.1**
Private transportation	(v41692660)	117.2	120.6	122.3	1.4	4.4
Purchase and leasing of passenger vehicles	(v41692662)	93.6	93.9	93.5	-0.4	-0.1
Gasoline	(v41692665)	137.6	146.4	154.7	5.7	12.4
Passenger vehicle insurance premiums [3]	(v41692668)	166.5	177.5	177.5	0.0	6.6
Public transportation	(v41692670)	108.5	115.7	118.1	2.1	8.8
Health and personal care	**(v41692675)**	**112.8**	**115.9**	**117.0**	**0.9**	**3.7**
Health care	(v41692676)	117.9	120.8	121.5	0.6	3.1
Personal care	(v41692682)	106.7	109.9	111.3	1.3	4.3
Recreation, education and reading	**(v41692685)**	**94.2**	**92.8**	**94.4**	**1.7**	**0.2**
Recreation	(v41692686)	90.1	88.3	90.0	1.9	-0.1
Education and reading	(v41692693)	115.1	116.8	117.2	0.3	1.8
Alcoholic beverages and tobacco products	**(v41692695)**	**133.5**	**136.9**	**137.3**	**0.3**	**2.8**
Alcoholic beverages	(v41692696)	108.6	112.3	112.3	0.0	3.4
Tobacco products and smokers' supplies	(v41692702)	162.2	165.4	166.1	0.4	2.4

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

Table 9-12

The Consumer Price Index, major components, selected sub-groups and special aggregates, provinces, Whitehorse and Yellowknife, not seasonally adjusted — Yellowknife*

	CANSIM vector number	Indexes			Percentage change	
		March 2010	February 2011	March 2011	February 2011 to March 2011	March 2010 to March 2011
		2002=100			%	
All-items	**(v41692722)**	**116.9**	**119.2**	**120.5**	**1.1**	**3.1**
Special aggregates						
All-items excluding food	(v41692835)	116.8	118.9	120.1	1.0	2.8
All-items excluding food and energy	(v41692836)	113.2	114.4	114.6	0.2	1.2
All-items excluding energy	(v41692841)	113.9	115.5	116.1	0.5	1.9
All-items excluding gasoline	(v41693269)	116.4	118.7	119.6	0.8	2.7
Energy [1]	(v41692842)	152.9	162.6	170.8	5.0	11.7
All-items (1992=100)	**(v41713431)**	**136.0**	**138.7**	**140.2**	**1.1**	**3.1**
Food	**(v41692723)**	**117.2**	**120.4**	**122.3**	**1.6**	**4.4**
Food purchased from stores	(v41692724)	115.7	118.4	120.8	2.0	4.4
Meat [2]	(v41692725)	117.7	126.3	126.7	0.3	7.6
Dairy products [2]	(v41692735)	115.6	118.4	120.8	2.0	4.5
Bakery and cereal products (excluding infant food) [2]	(v41692740)	114.9	119.4	117.6	-1.5	2.3
Fresh fruit [2]	(v41692744)	108.7	98.8	99.5	0.7	-8.5
Fresh vegetables [2]	(v41692747)	135.3	137.4	158.1	15.1	16.9
Food purchased from restaurants	(v41692754)	120.6	125.7	125.8	0.1	4.3
Shelter [3]	**(v41692755)**	**134.1**	**138.5**	**139.7**	**0.9**	**4.2**
Rented accommodation	.	.	.	.	.	.
Owned accommodation	.	.	.	.	.	.
Replacement cost	.	.	.	.	.	.
Homeowners' home and mortgage insurance	.	.	.	.	.	.
Homeowners' maintenance and repairs	.	.	.	.	.	.
Water, fuel and electricity	(v41692756)	158.5	170.8	176.1	3.1	11.1
Electricity	(v41692757)	155.1	150.4	150.4	0.0	-3.0
Natural gas	.	.	.	.	.	.
Fuel oil and other fuels	(v41692759)	195.8	237.0	252.4	6.5	28.9
Household operations, furnishings and equipment	**(v41692760)**	**107.1**	**107.9**	**108.5**	**0.6**	**1.3**
Household operations	(v41692761)	112.9	115.4	115.3	-0.1	2.1
Telephone services	(v41692763)	99.3	99.3	99.3	0.0	0.0
Internet access services	(v41693228)	73.6	76.5	76.5	0.0	3.9
Household furnishings and equipment	(v41692768)	94.2	91.5	93.6	2.3	-0.6
Clothing and footwear	**(v41692775)**	**96.8**	**97.0**	**96.4**	**-0.6**	**-0.4**
Women's clothing	(v41692777)	85.3	84.9	83.8	-1.3	-1.8
Men's clothing	(v41692778)	98.6	101.2	101.1	-0.1	2.5
Footwear	(v41692780)	90.8	89.8	90.0	0.2	-0.9
Transportation	**(v41692783)**	**106.2**	**109.0**	**111.8**	**2.6**	**5.3**
Private transportation	(v41692784)	105.9	107.7	110.6	2.7	4.4
Purchase and leasing of passenger vehicles	(v41692786)	84.7	85.4	85.0	-0.5	0.4
Gasoline	(v41692789)	133.9	136.2	147.1	8.0	9.9
Passenger vehicle insurance premiums [4]	(v41692792)	146.0	153.0	153.0	0.0	4.8
Public transportation	(v41692794)	109.6	116.4	118.8	2.1	8.4
Health and personal care	**(v41692799)**	**114.0**	**114.8**	**117.3**	**2.2**	**2.9**
Health care	(v41692800)	118.8	116.9	116.8	-0.1	-1.7
Personal care	(v41692806)	110.9	113.9	118.5	4.0	6.9
Recreation, education and reading	**(v41692809)**	**99.1**	**97.7**	**97.9**	**0.2**	**-1.2**
Recreation	(v41692810)	96.4	95.0	95.0	0.0	-1.5
Education and reading	(v41692817)	114.6	113.5	115.5	1.8	0.8
Alcoholic beverages and tobacco products	**(v41692819)**	**145.4**	**147.7**	**148.0**	**0.2**	**1.8**
Alcoholic beverages	(v41692820)	135.1	136.4	136.6	0.1	1.1
Tobacco products and smokers' supplies	(v41692826)	155.6	159.0	159.4	0.3	2.4

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

Table 10

The all-items Consumer Price Index, provinces, Whitehorse, Yellowknife and Iqaluit,[1] not seasonally adjusted, historical data

	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Annual average[2]
	2002=100												
Newfoundland and Labrador (v41691244)													
2006	108.4	108.4	108.7	109.6	110.6	110.4	110.5	110.9	109.7	108.9	109.1	109.3	109.5
2007	109.6	110.1	110.8	111.1	111.4	111.9	111.6	111.1	111.1	111.2	111.6	111.8	111.1
2008	111.9	112.4	112.9	113.6	114.5	115.4	116.3	115.8	116.2	115.1	114.3	113.1	114.3
2009	112.9	113.4	113.5	114.1	115.2	115.8	115.2	115.0	115.2	114.6	115.6	115.2	114.6
2010	116.5	116.3	117.1	117.0	117.2	117.2	117.6	117.8	117.8	118.0	118.1	118.1	117.4
2011	119.0	119.7	120.9	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Prince Edward Island (v41691379)													
2006	110.3	110.8	110.4	112.1	112.8	112.3	112.5	112.8	111.6	110.7	111.1	111.6	111.6
2007	111.5	111.9	113.3	113.7	114.2	114.1	114.0	113.8	114.0	114.1	114.3	114.7	113.6
2008	114.2	114.6	115.8	116.7	118.9	119.5	120.0	119.3	120.3	118.6	116.9	114.7	117.5
2009	114.1	115.7	115.6	116.4	117.6	118.5	118.4	118.3	118.6	117.7	119.1	118.1	117.3
2010	118.7	118.8	119.3	119.1	119.2	119.2	119.5	119.7	119.6	120.4	120.5	119.9	119.5
2011	120.1	121.1	122.2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Nova Scotia (v41691513)													
2006	109.3	109.0	109.6	111.0	111.2	111.0	111.3	111.4	110.6	110.1	110.4	110.2	110.4
2007	110.1	111.0	111.9	112.5	113.1	113.0	113.0	112.7	112.9	112.6	113.5	113.6	112.5
2008	113.5	113.9	114.5	115.5	117.1	117.8	117.8	117.7	117.6	116.4	115.0	113.4	115.9
2009	113.4	114.3	114.5	115.0	115.8	116.5	116.6	116.7	116.7	115.9	117.0	116.3	115.7
2010	116.9	116.9	117.7	117.9	117.8	117.3	118.6	118.7	118.8	119.3	119.6	119.4	118.2
2011	120.4	120.9	122.3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
New Brunswick (v41691648)													
2006	108.8	108.7	109.1	110.0	110.1	110.0	109.7	110.0	108.8	107.8	108.4	109.1	109.2
2007	109.2	109.6	110.7	111.2	111.6	112.1	112.1	111.4	112.0	111.4	111.9	111.9	111.3
2008	111.7	111.7	112.1	112.8	113.9	114.5	114.9	114.3	114.7	113.4	112.6	111.2	113.2
2009	111.1	112.0	112.3	112.5	113.7	114.5	114.4	114.1	114.2	114.0	115.1	114.5	113.5
2010	115.4	115.6	115.8	115.8	115.7	115.7	115.9	116.0	116.0	116.1	116.7	116.6	115.9
2011	117.2	118.2	119.4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Quebec (v41691783)													
2006	108.1	108.0	108.4	109.1	109.3	109.1	109.2	109.2	108.4	108.4	108.6	108.7	108.7
2007	108.8	109.6	110.4	110.6	111.1	110.7	110.6	110.1	110.5	110.5	110.8	111.1	110.4
2008	111.0	111.4	111.7	112.4	113.6	114.1	114.1	113.5	114.0	113.0	112.4	111.7	112.7
2009	111.5	112.3	112.6	112.7	113.7	114.3	113.8	113.9	113.7	113.6	114.3	114.0	113.4
2010	114.0	114.2	114.5	114.8	114.9	114.8	114.5	114.6	114.8	115.2	115.6	115.8	114.8
2011	116.4	116.7	118.3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Ontario (v41691919)													
2006	108.2	107.9	108.8	109.1	109.5	109.3	109.0	109.1	108.5	108.4	108.6	108.8	108.8
2007	108.6	109.7	110.8	111.1	111.6	111.1	111.1	110.9	111.0	110.9	111.2	111.1	110.8
2008	110.9	111.4	111.7	112.5	113.6	114.2	115.1	114.8	115.1	113.7	113.5	112.8	113.3
2009	112.4	113.1	113.7	113.2	114.0	114.2	113.7	113.7	113.8	113.9	114.6	114.1	113.7
2010	114.5	115.1	115.3	115.7	116.2	116.0	117.0	117.0	117.1	117.8	118.0	117.9	116.5
2011	117.8	118.0	119.4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Manitoba (v41692055)													
2006	107.4	107.2	107.6	108.5	109.2	109.3	109.7	109.7	108.8	108.9	109.0	108.7	108.7
2007	109.1	109.4	110.4	110.9	111.7	111.7	112.1	111.2	111.8	111.0	110.8	110.9	110.9
2008	110.8	111.2	111.8	112.7	113.5	114.4	115.0	115.0	115.2	114.3	113.8	113.0	113.4
2009	112.4	113.1	113.0	113.7	114.4	115.1	115.0	114.5	114.5	114.4	114.7	114.2	114.1
2010	114.3	114.6	114.7	114.8	115.0	114.9	114.7	114.8	115.1	115.8	116.0	115.6	115.0
2011	116.6	117.0	117.9	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Saskatchewan (v41692191)													
2006	107.9	107.9	108.2	109.2	109.6	109.6	109.8	110.4	109.3	109.1	108.8	108.9	109.1
2007	109.5	109.9	111.0	111.8	112.6	113.1	113.3	113.1	113.4	113.0	113.1	112.9	112.2
2008	113.0	113.6	114.5	115.4	116.2	117.0	116.9	117.0	117.3	116.9	116.7	115.8	115.9
2009	115.7	116.5	116.6	116.1	117.0	118.2	118.0	117.9	117.5	117.2	117.6	117.1	117.1
2010	117.5	117.7	117.9	118.5	118.6	118.6	118.5	118.8	118.9	119.7	119.9	119.4	118.7
2011	120.1	120.3	121.4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..

Table 10 – continued

The all-items Consumer Price Index, provinces, Whitehorse, Yellowknife and Iqaluit, [1] not seasonally adjusted, historical data

	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Annual average[2]
	2002=100												
Alberta (v41692327)													
2006	110.4	109.7	110.3	111.4	112.2	111.8	113.4	113.9	114.1	113.0	113.7	114.2	112.3
2007	114.7	115.0	116.4	117.5	117.8	118.8	119.1	119.3	119.4	118.6	119.1	118.9	117.9
2008	118.8	119.0	119.8	121.3	122.2	124.0	123.3	124.1	122.8	121.5	121.6	121.2	121.6
2009	120.2	121.5	120.9	120.4	121.4	122.0	121.5	122.0	121.5	121.6	122.6	121.9	121.5
2010	122.3	122.7	122.1	122.3	122.7	122.7	123.3	122.7	122.6	123.0	122.7	122.9	122.7
2011	123.5	124.2	124.5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
British Columbia (v41692462)													
2006	106.6	106.7	107.2	107.8	108.7	108.7	108.8	109.0	108.4	108.3	108.7	108.8	108.1
2007	109.0	109.1	109.5	109.9	110.5	110.3	110.5	110.4	110.5	110.0	110.1	110.1	110.0
2008	109.9	110.3	110.8	111.8	112.8	113.6	114.2	114.0	114.1	112.8	112.3	111.4	112.3
2009	111.4	111.9	112.0	112.1	112.9	112.8	112.4	112.8	112.7	112.1	112.4	111.9	112.3
2010	112.2	113.2	112.6	113.2	113.6	113.4	114.6	114.5	114.5	114.8	114.9	114.6	113.8
2011	114.8	115.2	116.1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Whitehorse, Yukon (v41692598)													
2006	106.4	105.9	105.9	106.9	107.5	107.9	107.5	107.7	107.2	106.3	106.3	106.3	106.8
2007	107.0	107.3	108.0	108.7	109.5	109.7	110.7	110.5	110.8	110.4	110.7	110.6	109.5
2008	110.4	110.1	111.0	111.8	113.6	114.6	115.3	115.4	114.8	114.9	114.6	113.9	113.4
2009	113.0	113.7	113.6	113.4	114.0	114.9	114.4	114.2	113.7	113.4	113.9	113.4	113.8
2010	113.9	114.4	113.4	113.6	114.3	115.1	115.1	115.1	115.1	115.5	115.7	115.6	114.7
2011	115.9	115.9	117.0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Yellowknife, Northwest Territories (v41692722)													
2006	107.4	107.3	107.0	107.9	108.0	107.7	107.8	108.0	107.8	107.1	107.6	108.4	107.7
2007	108.9	109.1	109.8	110.4	111.3	111.6	111.5	111.1	111.6	111.1	110.9	111.9	110.8
2008	111.3	112.3	113.3	114.9	115.7	116.6	116.6	116.9	117.2	116.3	116.1	115.4	115.2
2009	114.3	114.5	114.3	115.3	116.0	116.9	116.5	116.3	116.4	116.3	116.7	116.8	115.9
2010	116.8	117.4	116.9	117.2	117.8	118.4	118.0	118.0	118.1	118.4	119.1	119.2	117.9
2011	119.3	119.2	120.5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Iqaluit, Nunavut (Dec. 2002=100) (v41713432)													
2006	103.5	103.7	103.7	104.5	104.8	105.1	104.8	104.4	105.0	104.2	105.2	105.7	104.6
2007	106.4	106.5	106.7	107.7	108.0	108.0	108.9	108.9	109.1	108.1	108.2	108.7	107.9
2008	108.2	108.4	108.2	109.0	109.8	110.5	111.6	112.2	111.9	111.1	111.9	112.4	110.4
2009	111.8	111.8	112.4	113.5	113.6	113.8	113.3	114.0	113.2	111.7	111.2	111.3	112.6
2010	111.3	111.1	110.7	111.8	112.2	112.9	112.1	112.1	112.2	111.3	112.0	112.1	111.8
2011	112.5	112.3	112.6	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..

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Table 11

The Consumer Price Index and selected sub-groups, by urban centre, [1,2] not seasonally adjusted

	CANSIM vector number	Indexes			Percentage change	
		March 2010	February 2011	March 2011	February 2011 to March 2011	March 2010 to March 2011
		2002=100			%	
St. John's, Newfoundland and Labrador						
All-items	**(v41692846)**	**117.1**	**119.7**	**120.7**	**0.8**	**3.1**
Shelter	(v41692847)	128.7	134.9	135.6	0.5	5.4
Rented accommodation	(v41692848)	111.7	117.3	117.7	0.3	5.4
Owned accommodation	(v41692849)	128.6	133.9	133.9	0.0	4.1
Water, fuel and electricity	(v41692850)	142.6	152.0	154.9	1.9	8.6
All-items (1992=100)	**(v41713405)**	**137.4**	**140.5**	**141.7**	**0.9**	**3.1**
Charlottetown and Summerside, Prince Edward Island						
All-items	**(v41692852)**	**119.0**	**120.6**	**121.7**	**0.9**	**2.3**
Shelter	(v41692853)	122.3	125.5	125.0	-0.4	2.2
Rented accommodation	(v41692854)	112.1	112.9	113.1	0.2	0.9
Owned accommodation	(v41692855)	113.6	112.2	112.4	0.2	-1.1
Water, fuel and electricity	(v41692856)	161.5	178.5	175.6	-1.6	8.7
All-items (1992=100)	**(v41713407)**	**139.4**	**141.3**	**142.6**	**0.9**	**2.3**
Halifax, Nova Scotia						
All-items	**(v41692858)**	**117.0**	**120.0**	**121.3**	**1.1**	**3.7**
Shelter	(v41692859)	121.8	125.9	126.7	0.6	4.0
Rented accommodation	(v41692860)	108.5	110.0	110.0	0.0	1.4
Owned accommodation	(v41692861)	122.3	124.7	124.6	-0.1	1.9
Water, fuel and electricity	(v41692862)	137.0	151.0	155.9	3.2	13.8
All-items (1992=100)	**(v41713409)**	**139.3**	**142.9**	**144.4**	**1.0**	**3.7**
Saint John, New Brunswick						
All-items	**(v41692864)**	**116.1**	**118.5**	**119.8**	**1.1**	**3.2**
Shelter	(v41692865)	124.1	127.1	127.7	0.5	2.9
Rented accommodation	(v41692866)	111.7	113.2	113.7	0.4	1.8
Owned accommodation	(v41692867)	121.1	122.0	121.8	-0.2	0.6
Water, fuel and electricity	(v41692868)	144.4	154.1	156.8	1.8	8.6
All-items (1992=100)	**(v41713411)**	**137.2**	**140.1**	**141.6**	**1.1**	**3.2**
Québec, Quebec						
All-items	**(v41692870)**	**114.5**	**116.6**	**118.2**	**1.4**	**3.2**
Shelter	(v41692871)	121.0	122.4	122.7	0.2	1.4
Rented accommodation	(v41692872)	111.9	113.9	113.9	0.0	1.8
Owned accommodation	(v41692873)	125.6	125.9	126.2	0.2	0.5
Water, fuel and electricity	(v41692874)	120.5	124.3	125.2	0.7	3.9
All-items (1992=100)	**(v41713413)**	**133.0**	**135.4**	**137.3**	**1.4**	**3.2**
Montréal, Quebec						
All-items	**(v41692876)**	**114.5**	**116.5**	**118.1**	**1.4**	**3.1**
Shelter	(v41692877)	120.0	121.7	121.9	0.2	1.6
Rented accommodation	(v41692878)	110.3	111.5	111.6	0.1	1.2
Owned accommodation	(v41692879)	125.2	126.4	126.5	0.1	1.0
Water, fuel and electricity	(v41692880)	120.9	125.6	126.7	0.9	4.8
All-items (1992=100)	**(v41713414)**	**132.4**	**134.8**	**136.7**	**1.4**	**3.2**
Ottawa-Gatineau, Ontario part, Ontario/Quebec [3]						
All-items	**(v41692882)**	**115.3**	**118.2**	**119.5**	**1.1**	**3.6**
Shelter	(v41692883)	121.3	124.8	124.8	0.0	2.9
Rented accommodation	(v41692884)	108.5	110.6	111.0	0.4	2.3
Owned accommodation	(v41692885)	127.0	130.7	130.5	-0.2	2.8
Water, fuel and electricity	(v41692886)	127.3	132.1	132.3	0.2	3.9
All-items (1992=100)	**(v41713416)**	**140.5**	**144.0**	**145.6**	**1.1**	**3.6**
Toronto, Ontario						
All-items	**(v41692888)**	**115.3**	**117.9**	**119.4**	**1.3**	**3.6**
Shelter	(v41692889)	117.8	120.7	121.1	0.3	2.8
Rented accommodation	(v41692890)	109.6	110.7	110.8	0.1	1.1
Owned accommodation	(v41692891)	122.1	124.9	125.1	0.2	2.5
Water, fuel and electricity	(v41692892)	118.9	124.7	127.2	2.0	7.0
All-items (1992=100)	**(v41713417)**	**139.0**	**142.1**	**144.0**	**1.3**	**3.6**

Table 11 – continued

The Consumer Price Index and selected sub-groups, by urban centre, [1,2] not seasonally adjusted

	CANSIM vector number	Indexes			Percentage change	
		March 2010	February 2011	March 2011	February 2011 to March 2011	March 2010 to March 2011
		2002=100			%	
Thunder Bay, Ontario						
All-items	**(v41692894)**	**111.7**	**114.2**	**115.5**	**1.1**	**3.4**
Shelter	(v41692895)	103.8	106.2	106.2	0.0	2.3
Rented accommodation	(v41692896)	104.0	105.3	105.4	0.1	1.3
Owned accommodation	(v41692897)	103.6	103.3	103.2	-0.1	-0.4
Water, fuel and electricity	(v41692898)	117.4	128.8	129.4	0.5	10.2
All-items (1992=100)	**(v41713418)**	**133.2**	**136.2**	**137.8**	**1.2**	**3.5**
Winnipeg, Manitoba						
All-items	**(v41692900)**	**114.5**	**116.7**	**117.6**	**0.8**	**2.7**
Shelter	(v41692901)	120.6	123.1	123.2	0.1	2.2
Rented accommodation	(v41692902)	116.6	119.0	119.3	0.3	2.3
Owned accommodation	(v41692903)	123.4	127.6	127.6	0.0	3.4
Water, fuel and electricity	(v41692904)	114.8	112.1	112.2	0.1	-2.3
All-items (1992=100)	**(v41713420)**	**141.1**	**143.9**	**144.9**	**0.7**	**2.7**
Regina, Saskatchewan						
All-items	**(v41692906)**	**118.1**	**120.7**	**121.8**	**0.9**	**3.1**
Shelter	(v41692907)	138.6	142.9	143.3	0.3	3.4
Rented accommodation	(v41692908)	122.2	127.3	128.1	0.6	4.8
Owned accommodation	(v41692909)	150.6	155.4	156.0	0.4	3.6
Water, fuel and electricity	(v41692910)	122.5	124.8	124.8	0.0	1.9
All-items (1992=100)	**(v41713422)**	**147.2**	**150.4**	**151.7**	**0.9**	**3.1**
Saskatoon, Saskatchewan						
All-items	**(v41692912)**	**118.9**	**121.1**	**122.1**	**0.8**	**2.7**
Shelter	(v41692913)	141.0	143.9	144.0	0.1	2.1
Rented accommodation	(v41692914)	130.6	133.5	134.0	0.4	2.6
Owned accommodation	(v41692915)	146.8	150.2	150.3	0.1	2.4
Water, fuel and electricity	(v41692916)	132.6	133.6	133.6	0.0	0.8
All-items (1992=100)	**(v41713423)**	**146.4**	**149.1**	**150.2**	**0.7**	**2.6**
Edmonton, Alberta						
All-items	**(v41692918)**	**122.3**	**124.3**	**124.8**	**0.4**	**2.0**
Shelter	(v41692919)	147.2	151.5	149.5	-1.3	1.6
Rented accommodation	(v41692920)	128.1	128.4	128.5	0.1	0.3
Owned accommodation	(v41692921)	147.5	151.3	151.3	0.0	2.6
Water, fuel and electricity	(v41692922)	165.3	178.1	165.2	-7.2	-0.1
All-items (1992=100)	**(v41713425)**	**149.0**	**151.5**	**152.1**	**0.4**	**2.1**
Calgary, Alberta						
All-items	**(v41692924)**	**122.3**	**124.2**	**124.3**	**0.1**	**1.6**
Shelter	(v41692925)	145.3	148.9	146.0	-1.9	0.5
Rented accommodation	(v41692926)	118.1	116.1	116.1	0.0	-1.7
Owned accommodation	(v41692927)	159.1	161.2	160.8	-0.2	1.1
Water, fuel and electricity	(v41692928)	123.7	138.4	122.9	-11.2	-0.6
All-items (1992=100)	**(v41713426)**	**153.9**	**156.2**	**156.4**	**0.1**	**1.6**
Vancouver, British Columbia						
All-items	**(v41692930)**	**113.6**	**116.0**	**117.0**	**0.9**	**3.0**
Shelter	(v41692931)	114.0	116.6	116.4	-0.2	2.1
Rented accommodation	(v41692932)	109.2	111.3	111.5	0.2	2.1
Owned accommodation	(v41692933)	115.6	118.0	117.7	-0.3	1.8
Water, fuel and electricity	(v41692934)	116.3	120.8	120.9	0.1	4.0
All-items (1992=100)	**(v41713428)**	**134.8**	**137.7**	**138.8**	**0.8**	**3.0**
Victoria, British Columbia						
All-items	**(v41692936)**	**112.0**	**114.3**	**115.2**	**0.8**	**2.9**
Shelter	(v41692937)	109.9	111.6	111.5	-0.1	1.5
Rented accommodation	(v41692938)	110.3	112.0	112.0	0.0	1.5
Owned accommodation	(v41692939)	105.6	106.3	105.8	-0.5	0.2
Water, fuel and electricity	(v41692940)	135.1	144.9	146.8	1.3	8.7
All-items (1992=100)	**(v41713429)**	**131.5**	**134.2**	**135.3**	**0.8**	**2.9**

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Table 12
The all-items Consumer Price Index by urban centre, [1,2] not seasonally adjusted, historical data

	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Annual average[3]
	2002=100												
St. John's, Newfoundland and Labrador (v41692846)													
2006	108.0	108.0	108.2	109.2	110.1	109.9	110.0	110.4	109.3	108.5	108.7	108.8	109.1
2007	109.2	109.5	110.3	110.6	110.9	111.3	111.1	110.7	110.7	111.0	111.3	111.5	110.7
2008	111.6	112.1	112.5	113.2	114.0	114.8	115.8	115.3	115.8	114.9	114.2	113.3	114.0
2009	113.0	113.6	113.7	114.2	115.3	115.8	115.3	115.1	115.3	114.8	115.6	115.2	114.7
2010	116.4	116.3	117.1	117.0	117.3	117.2	117.7	117.9	117.9	118.1	118.1	118.1	117.4
2011	119.1	119.7	120.7	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Charlottetown and Summerside, Prince Edward Island (v41692852)													
2006	109.7	110.2	109.9	111.4	112.0	111.7	111.8	112.1	111.1	110.4	110.7	111.1	111.0
2007	111.0	111.5	112.8	113.1	113.6	113.5	113.4	113.3	113.7	113.8	114.0	114.3	113.2
2008	113.8	114.2	115.3	116.2	118.3	118.8	119.2	118.6	119.6	118.2	116.6	114.5	116.9
2009	114.0	115.6	115.5	116.3	117.4	118.2	118.2	118.0	118.3	117.4	118.8	117.8	117.1
2010	118.3	118.4	119.0	118.8	118.9	118.9	119.3	119.4	119.4	120.1	120.2	119.5	119.2
2011	119.7	120.6	121.7	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Halifax, Nova Scotia (v41692858)													
2006	108.6	108.3	108.9	110.2	110.5	110.3	110.5	110.7	110.0	109.7	110.0	109.7	109.8
2007	109.7	110.6	111.4	111.9	112.5	112.5	112.4	112.2	112.6	112.3	113.1	113.1	112.0
2008	112.9	113.4	113.9	114.8	116.2	116.9	116.9	116.9	116.8	115.8	114.5	113.0	115.2
2009	113.1	113.9	114.1	114.7	115.3	116.0	116.1	116.2	116.3	115.4	116.5	115.8	115.3
2010	116.3	116.3	117.0	117.3	117.1	116.7	118.0	118.1	118.3	118.6	118.9	118.6	117.6
2011	119.5	120.0	121.3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Saint John, New Brunswick (v41692864)													
2006	108.8	108.7	109.2	110.1	110.1	110.0	109.8	110.0	108.9	107.9	108.4	109.0	109.2
2007	109.2	109.6	110.6	111.2	111.4	112.1	112.1	111.4	112.0	111.4	111.9	111.9	111.2
2008	111.7	111.6	112.2	112.7	114.0	114.5	115.0	114.4	114.6	113.5	112.7	111.2	113.2
2009	111.4	112.1	112.5	112.7	113.9	114.6	114.5	114.2	114.3	114.4	115.4	114.8	113.7
2010	115.7	115.9	116.1	116.1	116.0	116.0	116.2	116.3	116.3	116.5	117.1	116.9	116.3
2011	117.5	118.5	119.8	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Québec, Quebec (v41692870)													
2006	108.2	108.0	108.4	109.1	109.3	109.1	109.2	109.2	108.4	108.2	108.4	108.4	108.7
2007	108.5	109.2	110.1	110.3	110.7	110.4	110.4	109.8	110.2	110.2	110.5	110.8	110.1
2008	110.6	111.1	111.3	112.0	113.2	113.7	113.7	113.1	113.6	112.7	112.1	111.3	112.4
2009	111.2	112.0	112.4	112.5	113.6	114.2	113.7	113.8	113.6	113.5	114.3	114.0	113.2
2010	114.0	114.2	114.5	114.7	114.8	114.8	114.5	114.6	114.8	115.2	115.5	115.8	114.8
2011	116.3	116.6	118.2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Montréal, Quebec (v41692876)													
2006	107.9	107.9	108.2	108.9	109.0	108.8	108.9	108.9	108.4	108.6	108.7	108.6	108.6
2007	108.7	109.5	110.3	110.5	110.8	110.5	110.5	110.0	110.4	110.4	110.7	111.0	110.3
2008	110.8	111.3	111.5	112.2	113.4	113.8	113.9	113.3	113.8	112.9	112.4	111.8	112.6
2009	111.7	112.4	112.7	112.9	113.9	114.3	113.8	114.0	113.8	113.7	114.4	114.0	113.5
2010	114.0	114.2	114.5	114.8	114.9	114.8	114.5	114.5	114.8	115.3	115.6	115.8	114.8
2011	116.3	116.5	118.1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Ottawa-Gatineau, Ontario part, Ontario/Quebec (v41692882) [4]													
2006	108.1	107.8	108.6	109.0	109.4	109.2	108.9	109.0	108.3	108.2	108.5	108.6	108.6
2007	108.5	109.6	110.7	111.1	111.5	111.1	111.1	110.9	110.9	110.7	110.9	110.8	110.7
2008	110.4	111.0	111.3	112.1	113.4	114.0	115.0	114.8	115.0	113.6	113.3	112.7	113.1
2009	112.3	113.0	113.6	113.1	114.0	114.2	113.8	113.8	113.9	114.1	114.6	114.1	113.7
2010	114.4	115.1	115.3	115.8	116.4	116.1	117.2	117.1	117.3	117.9	118.1	118.1	116.6
2011	117.9	118.2	119.5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Toronto, Ontario (v41692888)													
2006	107.9	107.6	108.5	108.7	109.0	108.9	108.5	108.5	108.1	108.0	108.3	108.5	108.4
2007	108.2	109.3	110.3	110.8	111.2	110.7	110.7	110.6	110.8	110.7	111.0	111.1	110.5
2008	110.7	111.3	111.5	112.2	113.3	113.8	114.9	114.7	114.9	113.7	113.5	113.0	113.1
2009	112.5	113.2	113.8	113.1	113.9	114.0	113.6	113.6	113.7	114.0	114.4	113.9	113.6
2010	114.5	115.1	115.3	115.8	116.3	116.1	117.1	117.1	117.3	117.7	117.8	117.6	116.5
2011	117.5	117.9	119.4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..

Table 12 – continued

The all-items Consumer Price Index by urban centre, [1,2] not seasonally adjusted, historical data

	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Annual average[3]
	2002=100												
Thunder Bay, Ontario (v41692894)													
2006	106.6	106.2	107.1	107.4	107.8	107.6	107.2	107.2	106.6	106.4	106.6	106.6	106.9
2007	106.2	107.3	108.3	108.4	108.8	108.3	108.6	108.3	108.3	107.9	108.2	108.1	108.1
2008	107.9	108.4	108.7	109.7	110.7	111.2	112.1	111.9	112.2	110.9	110.8	110.1	110.4
2009	109.5	110.3	110.8	110.4	111.0	111.2	110.3	110.2	110.4	110.2	110.9	110.4	110.5
2010	110.9	111.5	111.7	112.2	112.5	112.3	113.4	113.3	113.4	114.0	114.2	114.1	112.8
2011	114.2	114.2	115.5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Winnipeg, Manitoba (v41692900)													
2006	107.2	107.0	107.5	108.3	109.0	109.1	109.5	109.5	108.6	108.9	109.0	108.6	108.5
2007	109.0	109.4	110.3	110.8	111.4	111.3	111.9	111.1	111.6	110.9	110.7	110.7	110.8
2008	110.7	111.1	111.7	112.6	113.4	114.2	114.8	114.9	115.0	114.2	113.6	112.9	113.3
2009	112.3	113.0	112.9	113.5	114.2	114.9	114.8	114.3	114.3	114.2	114.5	114.0	113.9
2010	114.1	114.4	114.5	114.6	114.8	114.6	114.5	114.6	114.9	115.6	115.8	115.3	114.8
2011	116.3	116.7	117.6	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Regina, Saskatchewan (v41692906)													
2006	107.7	107.8	108.1	108.9	109.3	109.3	109.5	110.1	109.1	109.0	108.6	108.8	108.9
2007	109.3	109.7	111.0	111.5	112.0	112.3	112.5	112.2	112.7	112.3	112.4	112.2	111.7
2008	112.3	112.7	113.6	114.4	115.4	116.2	116.3	116.4	116.9	116.6	116.4	115.6	115.2
2009	115.6	116.4	116.6	116.2	117.1	118.3	118.0	118.0	117.6	117.4	117.8	117.3	117.2
2010	117.8	117.9	118.1	118.7	118.9	118.9	118.8	119.1	119.2	120.0	120.2	119.7	118.9
2011	120.5	120.7	121.8	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Saskatoon, Saskatchewan (v41692912)													
2006	107.9	107.8	108.1	109.2	109.6	109.5	109.8	110.4	109.3	109.1	108.7	108.7	109.0
2007	109.5	109.9	110.7	111.9	112.4	113.5	114.1	114.1	114.4	114.1	114.3	114.0	112.7
2008	114.2	115.0	116.0	116.9	117.6	118.3	118.1	118.1	118.3	118.0	117.8	116.9	117.1
2009	116.9	117.8	117.8	117.4	118.1	119.1	119.0	118.9	118.5	118.3	118.6	118.1	118.2
2010	118.5	118.7	118.9	119.5	119.6	119.5	119.6	119.8	119.8	120.6	120.8	120.2	119.6
2011	120.9	121.1	122.1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Edmonton, Alberta (v41692918)													
2006	110.6	110.1	110.6	111.4	112.1	111.6	112.8	113.0	113.2	112.2	113.0	113.5	112.0
2007	113.9	114.2	115.7	117.0	117.1	118.6	118.8	119.1	119.1	118.3	118.8	118.6	117.4
2008	118.5	118.7	119.5	121.2	121.9	123.7	123.6	123.6	122.3	121.3	121.4	121.0	121.4
2009	120.2	121.5	120.9	120.5	121.6	122.2	121.8	122.1	121.7	121.8	122.7	122.0	121.6
2010	122.4	122.9	122.3	122.6	122.8	122.7	123.5	122.9	122.8	123.3	123.0	123.1	122.9
2011	123.9	124.3	124.8	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Calgary, Alberta (v41692924)													
2006	109.9	108.9	109.5	110.9	112.0	111.7	113.6	114.4	114.7	113.5	114.2	114.7	112.3
2007	115.0	115.6	116.7	117.6	117.6	118.6	119.1	119.3	119.3	118.7	119.1	119.0	118.0
2008	118.9	119.1	120.0	121.2	122.3	123.9	123.0	124.4	123.1	121.8	122.0	121.8	121.8
2009	120.7	121.9	121.3	120.8	121.5	122.1	121.6	122.1	121.6	121.9	122.7	122.1	121.7
2010	122.4	122.8	122.3	122.4	122.8	122.9	123.3	122.7	122.6	122.9	122.7	122.8	122.7
2011	123.3	124.2	124.3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Vancouver, British Columbia (v41692930)													
2006	106.2	106.3	106.9	107.5	108.4	108.4	108.5	108.7	108.4	108.4	108.9	109.1	108.0
2007	109.0	109.3	109.6	110.0	110.6	110.5	110.7	110.6	110.7	110.4	110.4	110.5	110.2
2008	110.2	110.7	111.2	112.1	113.2	113.9	114.7	114.5	114.6	113.4	112.9	111.9	112.8
2009	112.0	112.5	112.6	112.6	113.3	113.3	112.9	113.6	113.5	112.7	113.1	112.7	112.9
2010	113.1	113.9	113.6	114.2	114.6	114.5	115.7	115.7	115.6	116.1	116.0	115.5	114.9
2011	115.8	116.0	117.0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Victoria, British Columbia (v41692936)													
2006	107.2	107.3	107.6	108.4	109.2	109.0	109.2	109.3	108.8	108.6	108.9	109.0	108.5
2007	109.1	109.3	109.7	109.9	110.2	109.9	110.1	110.0	110.1	109.5	109.6	109.7	109.8
2008	109.4	109.8	110.4	111.4	112.3	113.0	113.3	113.2	113.3	112.3	111.9	111.0	111.8
2009	111.0	111.4	111.6	111.9	112.6	112.5	112.1	112.3	112.2	111.7	111.9	111.5	111.9
2010	111.6	112.5	112.0	112.4	112.8	112.6	113.7	113.6	113.6	114.0	114.1	113.7	113.1
2011	114.0	114.3	115.2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..

Note(s): The all-items index for Whitehorse and Yellowknife are available from table 10.
See "Data quality, concepts and methodology — Explanatory notes for tables" section.

Table 13
Average retail prices for gasoline and fuel oil, by urban centre

	St. John's, N.L.	Charlottetown and Summerside, P.E.I.	Halifax, N.S.	Saint John, N.B.	Québec, Que.	Montréal, Que.	Ottawa, Ont.	Toronto, Ont.	Thunder Bay, Ont.	Winnipeg, Man.
	cents per litre									
Regular unleaded gasoline at full service filling stations										
March 2010	113.0	106.7	111.3	104.6	108.5	111.3	101.2	101.7	101.9	97.8
April 2010	113.7	107.6	110.5	104.7	105.8	111.8	101.4	101.4	107.1	98.8
May 2010	115.3	105.8	109.1	104.2	108.1	109.5	99.8	99.6	110.0	98.8
June 2010	110.0	102.8	104.3	99.1	102.0	106.8	98.1	96.7	107.3	95.8
July 2010	111.1	103.6	108.6	100.5	104.0	106.1	104.2	104.3	110.0	94.3
August 2010	111.8	103.2	109.0	100.8	105.5	106.0	102.6	102.6	109.5	97.5
September 2010	109.3	102.3	107.2	98.9	102.4	107.9	104.5	102.6	107.5	99.1
October 2010	113.1	105.5	112.9	103.0	108.0	113.7	109.1	106.8	108.8	96.1
November 2010	114.7	107.3	112.5	104.8	111.2	116.8	111.4	109.4	112.1	95.8
December 2010	119.4	110.8	118.5	109.5	115.2	119.3	113.7	111.1	121.7	99.0
January 2011	123.6	113.5	121.0	112.6	117.4	121.6	117.5	114.6	121.4	106.2
February 2011	122.8	115.4	119.7	112.4	118.3	122.0	116.9	115.7	121.3	108.3
March 2011	129.4	123.0	129.7	120.6	125.0	132.1	123.9	121.6	130.3	115.7
Regular unleaded gasoline at self service filling stations										
March 2010	112.9	103.8	107.3	101.8	108.4	109.7	98.3	100.6	100.3	98.7
April 2010	113.0	103.8	106.8	101.9	105.7	109.4	98.2	100.7	106.1	98.8
May 2010	112.0	102.2	105.4	101.1	107.0	106.6	96.0	98.2	109.2	98.8
June 2010	107.3	98.1	100.3	96.3	102.0	104.1	94.4	95.5	105.7	95.5
July 2010	108.6	99.2	104.2	97.8	104.0	103.7	101.4	103.3	108.7	93.9
August 2010	108.9	98.5	104.5	98.0	105.6	102.1	100.2	102.0	108.1	97.3
September 2010	107.1	97.5	102.1	96.1	101.7	106.1	101.1	101.0	105.9	98.9
October 2010	111.2	100.9	108.3	100.2	107.5	109.7	106.4	106.2	107.6	95.9
November 2010	113.4	102.6	108.7	101.9	111.6	115.5	108.7	108.5	110.8	95.6
December 2010	117.1	106.2	114.1	106.4	115.3	117.3	111.3	110.1	120.1	98.4
January 2011	120.4	108.9	116.5	109.6	116.9	120.8	114.3	113.6	119.1	106.1
February 2011	120.7	110.8	116.2	109.4	118.6	121.2	114.0	114.8	119.6	108.0
March 2011	127.9	118.8	125.3	117.7	125.1	130.4	121.0	121.0	128.3	114.3
Premium unleaded gasoline at full service filling stations										
March 2010	119.0	113.9	119.2	111.5	116.2	117.7	110.7	113.7	113.4	107.9
April 2010	120.3	114.8	117.4	111.6	113.8	119.2	110.8	113.3	118.6	109.5
May 2010	121.3	113.0	116.6	110.8	115.8	117.1	110.1	112.2	121.9	109.5
June 2010	116.0	109.8	111.6	106.2	109.6	114.1	108.5	110.0	118.4	107.4
July 2010	117.1	110.7	116.2	107.4	111.7	114.0	116.1	116.9	121.9	105.1
August 2010	117.8	110.4	116.6	106.6	113.1	113.2	113.7	115.8	121.8	109.3
September 2010	115.7	109.5	114.0	105.8	109.9	115.5	116.1	115.4	120.0	111.3
October 2010	119.1	112.8	120.2	109.9	115.4	121.5	119.7	119.6	121.4	108.3
November 2010	120.8	114.5	120.4	111.5	118.8	125.1	122.8	122.3	124.7	108.3
December 2010	125.4	118.0	126.1	116.1	122.8	126.7	124.3	123.7	134.4	110.6
January 2011	129.1	120.6	128.0	119.4	125.1	130.3	128.7	127.5	133.4	118.0
February 2011	128.8	122.7	126.8	119.3	126.4	131.4	127.6	128.8	133.4	120.6
March 2011	135.4	130.2	136.9	127.4	132.8	140.5	134.3	134.7	143.3	127.8
Premium unleaded gasoline at self service filling stations										
March 2010	119.0	111.0	115.1	109.0	115.9	117.6	111.2	113.5	112.3	109.3
April 2010	118.9	111.2	114.0	109.3	113.3	117.4	111.2	113.4	118.1	109.4
May 2010	117.8	109.4	113.5	108.4	114.7	114.9	109.0	111.1	120.7	109.6
June 2010	113.3	105.3	107.8	103.7	109.1	112.4	107.3	108.5	118.0	107.1
July 2010	114.6	106.5	112.2	105.3	111.7	112.2	114.7	116.6	120.8	104.7
August 2010	114.9	105.8	112.6	104.8	113.2	110.3	113.6	115.4	120.5	108.1
September 2010	113.0	104.8	110.0	103.6	109.5	113.8	114.2	114.6	118.5	109.8
October 2010	117.4	108.1	115.8	107.5	115.2	119.2	118.6	119.9	119.1	106.8
November 2010	119.2	110.1	116.9	109.4	119.5	123.8	121.6	122.0	123.3	106.5
December 2010	123.3	113.4	122.0	114.0	123.0	125.6	124.5	123.8	132.5	109.3
January 2011	126.2	116.1	124.6	116.9	124.8	129.0	127.4	127.0	131.7	116.9
February 2011	126.3	118.0	124.0	116.4	126.4	129.6	127.5	128.0	132.4	119.2
March 2011	133.7	126.0	133.5	125.2	133.4	138.9	134.8	134.9	141.0	125.5
Household heating fuel										
March 2010	86.7	82.2	83.2	89.8	91.0	85.8	93.0	89.9	93.3	92.2
April 2010	89.7	82.2	84.6	91.6	92.9	87.4	93.7	92.4	93.9	92.8
May 2010	89.2	83.3	84.6	92.8	90.7	86.8	90.9	91.6	93.7	93.3
June 2010	89.2	83.3	84.6	92.8	90.7	86.8	90.9	91.6	93.7	93.3
July 2010	89.2	83.3	84.6	92.8	90.7	86.8	97.9	98.6	100.8	93.3
August 2010	89.2	83.3	84.6	92.8	90.7	86.8	97.9	98.6	100.8	93.3
September 2010	85.2	79.1	84.6	88.4	86.2	82.5	92.6	97.6	95.6	91.1
October 2010	90.0	85.4	86.0	94.9	89.7	87.3	96.5	100.1	97.9	96.2
November 2010	91.1	85.9	87.0	93.9	94.2	92.9	99.3	102.6	100.4	99.3
December 2010	93.0	89.0	90.2	96.6	101.2	96.8	108.4	108.1	105.7	103.8
January 2011	97.5	91.7	95.4	101.1	103.1	99.9	112.9	113.0	111.0	104.7
February 2011	103.6	97.0	99.2	107.6	112.6	109.7	117.1	115.6	113.4	106.7
March 2011	111.0	102.8	107.7	115.7	118.9	115.1	125.0	125.3	121.6	111.6

Table 13 – continued

Average retail prices for gasoline and fuel oil, by urban centre

	Regina, Sask.	Saskatoon, Sask.	Edmonton, Alta.	Calgary, Alta.	Vancouver, B.C.	Victoria, B.C.	Whitehorse, Y.T.	Yellowknife, N.W.T.
	cents per litre							
Regular unleaded gasoline at full service filling stations								
March 2010	100.9	100.8	92.9	93.1	116.9	106.5	112.9	120.4
April 2010	103.0	102.4	92.8	93.8	118.2	106.9	112.7	120.4
May 2010	105.5	105.4	95.2	96.0	119.0	110.7	112.9	120.9
June 2010	101.0	99.5	89.5	89.4	117.8	112.1	112.9	120.9
July 2010	99.4	100.8	89.8	92.3	121.3	113.2	112.9	121.3
August 2010	99.0	99.4	91.1	94.6	122.5	113.2	112.9	121.4
September 2010	100.6	101.4	90.8	93.9	119.4	113.2	112.9	121.3
October 2010	103.7	101.7	93.4	95.2	120.1	111.1	112.9	121.4
November 2010	103.4	100.2	90.9	92.3	120.5	114.6	112.9	121.7
December 2010	104.4	104.6	97.2	97.5	122.8	114.4	112.9	122.3
January 2011	111.4	109.8	102.7	103.8	124.8	117.0	119.0	123.2
February 2011	111.7	111.4	103.0	103.3	126.3	119.0	119.9	124.7
March 2011	117.8	119.8	111.2	112.3	134.6	127.2	126.9	133.5
Regular unleaded gasoline at self service filling stations								
March 2010	101.1	101.0	90.5	92.2	113.7	105.4	112.5	116.9
April 2010	103.2	102.5	91.4	93.3	114.9	106.1	112.5	116.9
May 2010	105.6	105.1	92.8	94.9	115.6	109.7	112.5	116.9
June 2010	101.1	99.1	87.2	89.2	114.3	110.9	112.5	116.9
July 2010	99.7	100.8	88.2	92.3	118.1	112.0	112.5	116.9
August 2010	99.7	99.4	90.4	94.4	118.5	112.0	112.9	116.9
September 2010	100.7	101.7	89.4	93.4	116.0	112.0	112.9	116.9
October 2010	103.7	102.9	91.0	94.7	116.3	109.9	112.9	116.9
November 2010	103.7	100.1	88.9	92.3	116.8	112.7	112.9	117.1
December 2010	105.4	104.4	95.2	97.2	119.1	112.9	112.9	116.9
January 2011	111.7	111.7	99.8	104.5	121.1	114.7	118.5	116.9
February 2011	111.7	111.6	100.8	103.4	122.9	116.9	119.9	117.4
March 2011	119.1	119.6	109.5	112.0	130.6	125.1	126.7	128.2
Premium unleaded gasoline at full service filling stations								
March 2010	112.4	112.7	107.4	105.4	130.4	119.6	117.2	130.9
April 2010	114.4	114.3	108.1	105.8	131.4	120.6	118.7	132.4
May 2010	116.9	117.5	109.9	108.0	132.0	123.8	118.8	133.9
June 2010	112.9	112.2	104.9	102.0	130.8	125.2	118.9	134.9
July 2010	111.7	113.6	105.2	104.9	134.1	126.4	118.9	133.9
August 2010	112.1	111.4	106.3	107.1	135.1	126.4	118.9	133.9
September 2010	112.4	113.6	105.8	106.5	132.5	126.4	118.9	133.9
October 2010	115.7	113.3	107.8	107.9	132.6	124.4	118.7	133.9
November 2010	115.4	112.5	105.4	105.0	133.2	127.7	119.2	133.9
December 2010	116.4	117.1	110.7	110.2	135.5	127.4	119.2	133.9
January 2011	123.5	122.3	115.6	116.5	137.7	131.8	125.2	133.9
February 2011	123.9	123.3	115.8	116.0	139.5	134.2	125.5	133.9
March 2011	130.1	131.7	125.4	125.0	147.0	142.7	132.4	141.4
Premium unleaded gasoline at self service filling stations								
March 2010	112.7	113.0	102.5	104.2	127.3	118.7	120.0	128.7
April 2010	114.9	114.7	103.6	105.5	128.6	119.6	120.8	129.5
May 2010	117.2	117.4	105.1	107.1	129.2	123.2	120.4	130.3
June 2010	112.8	111.6	99.6	102.1	127.9	124.3	120.8	130.3
July 2010	111.6	112.8	101.0	105.0	131.5	125.6	120.4	129.3
August 2010	111.7	111.6	103.1	106.9	132.1	125.7	120.8	130.4
September 2010	112.8	113.8	102.9	106.2	129.7	125.8	121.2	130.4
October 2010	115.9	114.2	103.7	107.3	129.5	124.1	121.4	130.4
November 2010	115.9	112.7	101.8	104.8	129.8	126.6	121.4	130.2
December 2010	117.2	116.9	107.4	109.7	132.0	127.1	121.4	132.4
January 2011	122.7	124.5	112.5	117.2	134.1	128.5	127.9	130.4
February 2011	124.2	124.3	113.5	116.3	136.0	130.8	128.4	130.4
March 2011	131.8	132.3	122.7	125.0	143.9	139.0	133.4	138.6
Household heating fuel								
March 2010	87.4	87.7	.	.	96.5	107.8	103.3	93.1
April 2010	88.9	89.1	.	.	101.4	109.6	104.3	94.5
May 2010	88.4	94.4	.	.	99.7	108.1	105.4	94.5
June 2010	88.4	94.4	.	.	99.7	108.1	105.4	94.5
July 2010	88.4	94.4	.	.	100.6	109.1	105.4	94.5
August 2010	88.4	94.4	.	.	100.6	109.1	105.4	94.5
September 2010	87.9	94.4	.	.	102.9	107.7	102.9	92.8
October 2010	94.9	94.0	.	.	107.6	110.6	108.1	100.1
November 2010	99.0	94.7	.	.	102.6	112.9	110.1	105.6
December 2010	102.2	96.2	.	.	103.9	114.3	115.2	109.3
January 2011	107.8	103.1	.	.	104.6	114.3	118.3	112.7
February 2011	106.7	104.5	.	.	110.3	116.2	119.3	112.7
March 2011	114.1	106.2	.	.	121.1	127.3	125.7	120.1

Note(s): See Table A for complete list of vector numbers.

Table 14
Average retail prices, monthly, Canada

	CANSIM vector number	January 2011	February 2011	March 2011
		dollars [1]		
Round steak, 1 kilogram	(v735165)	12.77	13.06	13.20
Sirloin steak, 1 kilogram	(v735176)	15.42	15.56	15.54
Prime rib roast, 1 kilogram	(v735187)	22.11	21.04	21.54
Blade roast, 1 kilogram	(v735198)	9.96	9.95	10.16
Stewing beef, 1 kilogram	(v735209)	9.48	9.81	9.98
Ground beef, regular, 1 kilogram	(v735220)	7.67	7.61	7.99
Pork chops, 1 kilogram	(v735221)	9.73	9.83	9.98
Chicken, 1 kilogram	(v735223)	6.78	6.48	6.51
Bacon, 500 grams	(v735166)	4.78	4.84	4.85
Wieners, 450 grams	(v735167)	3.22	3.30	3.31
Canned sockeye salmon, 213 grams	(v735168)	3.13	3.01	3.10
Homogenized milk, 1 litre	(v735169)	2.21	2.30	2.31
Partly skimmed milk, 1 litre	(v735170)	2.13	2.22	2.23
Butter, 454 grams	(v735171)	4.22	4.29	4.37
Processed cheese food slices, 250 grams	(v735172)	2.68	2.77	2.80
Evaporated milk, 385 millilitres	(v735173)	1.94	1.96	1.94
Eggs, 1 dozen	(v735174)	2.67	2.76	2.74
Bread, 675 grams	(v735175)	2.63	2.65	2.66
Soda crackers, 450 grams	(v735177)	2.48	2.58	2.59
Macaroni, 500 grams	(v735178)	1.30	1.34	1.34
Flour, 2.5 kilograms	(v735179)	4.62	4.63	4.79
Corn flakes, 675 grams	(v735180)	4.20	4.30	4.15
Apples, 1 kilogram	(v735181)	3.16	3.14	3.15
Bananas, 1 kilogram	(v735182)	1.64	1.67	1.70
Grapefruits, 1 kilogram	(v735183)	2.47	2.44	2.30
Oranges, 1 kilogram	(v735184)	2.60	2.53	2.43
Apple juice, canned, 1.36 litres	(v735185)	2.01	2.01	2.06
Orange juice, tetra-brick, 1 litre	(v735186)	3.85	3.86	3.86
Carrots, 1 kilogram	(v735189)	1.44	1.60	1.82
Celery, 1 kilogram	(v735190)	2.35	2.65	3.04
Mushrooms, 1 kilogram	(v735191)	7.80	7.93	7.80
Onions, 1 kilogram	(v735192)	1.47	1.60	1.70
Potatoes, 4.54 kilograms	(v735193)	4.29	4.66	4.83
French fried potatoes, frozen, 1 kilogram	(v735194)	2.22	2.21	2.25
Baked beans, canned, 398 millilitres	(v735195)	1.11	1.06	1.08
Tomatoes, canned, 796 millilitres	(v735196)	1.58	1.56	1.55
Tomato juice, canned, 1.36 litres	(v735197)	2.09	2.10	2.14
Ketchup, 1 litre	(v735199)	3.20	3.18	3.21
Sugar, white, 2 kilograms	(v735200)	3.21	3.21	3.20
Coffee, roasted, 300 grams	(v735201)	5.17	5.32	5.44
Coffee, instant, 200 grams	(v735202)	5.90	5.90	6.11
Tea (72 bags)	(v735203)	4.23	4.29	4.26
Cooking or salad oil, 1 litre	(v735204)	4.01	3.97	4.01
Soup, canned, 284 millilitres	(v735205)	0.99	0.94	1.00
Baby food, 128 millilitres	(v735206)	0.79	0.81	0.80
Peanut butter, 500 grams	(v735207)	2.95	2.91	2.85
Fruit flavoured crystals, 2.25 litres	(v735208)	1.38	1.40	1.41
Soft drinks, cola type, 2 litres	(v735210)	1.56	1.56	1.71
Soft drinks, lemon-lime type, 2 litres	(v735211)	1.56	1.54	1.67
Paper towels (2 rolls)	(v735213)	2.37	2.37	2.37
Facial tissue (200 tissues)	(v735214)	2.14	2.16	2.14
Bathroom tissue (4 rolls)	(v735215)	2.30	2.26	2.28
Shampoo, 300 millilitres	(v735216)	3.35	3.35	3.42
Deodorant, 60 grams	(v735217)	3.83	3.93	4.02
Toothpaste, 100 millilitres	(v735218)	1.98	1.94	1.96
Cigarettes (200)	(v735219)	82.08	82.13	82.45
Regular, unleaded gasoline at self-service stations, cents per litre	(v41838376)	113.5	114.3	121.9

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

Table 15

Inter-city indexes of retail price differentials, as of October 2009, for selected groups of consumer goods and services

	Canada CPI weight[1]	St. John's, Newfoundland and Labrador	Charlottetown and Summerside, Prince Edward Island	Halifax, Nova Scotia	Saint John, New Brunswick	Montréal, Quebec
	%	combined city average=100				
All-items	**100.0**	**96**	**97**	**98**	**96**	**95**
Food	**17.0**	**105**	**103**	**101**	**100**	**102**
Food purchased from stores	.	104	103	101	101	101
Meat, poultry and fish	.	103	102	103	101	99
Dairy products and eggs	.	102	93	94	91	96
Bakery and other cereal products	.	103	98	99	99	103
Fruit and vegetables	.	113	107	106	107	105
Other food purchased from stores[2]	.	101	110	99	103	100
Food purchased from restaurants	.	107	103	101	100	103
Shelter	**26.6**	**85**	**86**	**90**	**81**	**89**
Rented accommodation	.	77	73	83	71	82
Owned accommodation	.	80	77	85	75	86
Water, fuel and electricity	.	120	146	126	122	111
Household operations and furnishings	**11.1**	**103**	**104**	**105**	**103**	**97**
Household operations	.	104	102	109	103	96
Household furnishings	.	101	106	96	104	100
Clothing and footwear	**5.4**	**102**	**96**	**98**	**106**	**100**
Transportation	**19.9**	**100**	**96**	**96**	**96**	**99**
Private transportation	.	99	94	97	95	99
Purchase of automotive vehicles	.	96	105	100	97	103
Gasoline	.	107	100	103	95	104
Other private transportation	.	96	79	89	92	91
Public transportation	.	104	108	93	104	101
Health and personal care	**4.7**	**103**	**103**	**103**	**104**	**101**
Health care	.	102	103	105	104	99
Personal care	.	103	104	100	105	103
Recreation, education and reading	**12.2**	**93**	**103**	**105**	**107**	**87**
Recreation	.	103	102	98	101	98
Education and reading	.	75	105	121	119	64
Alcoholic beverages and tobacco products	**3.1**	**111**	**110**	**116**	**101**	**96**
Alcoholic beverages	.	104	102	106	100	101
Tobacco products and smokers' supplies	.	122	123	131	103	88

Table 15 – continued

Inter-city indexes of retail price differentials, as of October 2009, for selected groups of consumer goods and services

	Canada CPI weight[1]	Ottawa, Ontario	Toronto, Ontario	Winnipeg, Manitoba	Regina, Saskatchewan	Edmonton, Alberta	Vancouver, British Columbia
	%	combined city average=100					
All-items	**100.0**	**103**	**107**	**94**	**97**	**102**	**101**
Food	**17.0**	**100**	**99**	**101**	**102**	**100**	**105**
Food purchased from stores	.	100	99	103	102	102	106
Meat, poultry and fish	.	100	99	96	98	103	108
Dairy products and eggs	.	107	107	97	97	103	109
Bakery and other cereal products	.	93	92	111	109	108	114
Fruit and vegetables	.	95	94	106	106	105	103
Other food purchased from stores [2]	.	104	101	103	102	96	101
Food purchased from restaurants	.	102	99	96	100	96	101
Shelter	**26.6**	**105**	**115**	**85**	**93**	**106**	**102**
Rented accommodation	.	107	121	82	86	108	107
Owned accommodation	.	103	113	84	88	103	102
Water, fuel and electricity	.	110	116	96	126	115	92
Household operations and furnishings	**11.1**	**105**	**105**	**100**	**99**	**100**	**103**
Household operations	.	107	107	99	99	103	104
Household furnishings	.	101	101	102	100	95	100
Clothing and footwear	**5.4**	**102**	**100**	**100**	**102**	**99**	**101**
Transportation	**19.9**	**98**	**109**	**94**	**91**	**93**	**95**
Private transportation	.	96	109	93	91	94	95
Purchase of automotive vehicles	.	101	101	99	94	93	101
Gasoline	.	96	98	96	98	90	106
Other private transportation	.	91	123	85	83	98	83
Public transportation	.	110	108	98	93	87	92
Health and personal care	**4.7**	**103**	**100**	**98**	**99**	**105**	**98**
Health care	.	106	101	96	99	113	97
Personal care	.	100	100	101	100	96	98
Recreation, education and reading	**12.2**	**108**	**108**	**95**	**102**	**105**	**105**
Recreation	.	103	101	100	99	98	102
Education and reading	.	118	121	85	109	118	109
Alcoholic beverages and tobacco products	**3.1**	**95**	**96**	**102**	**111**	**112**	**108**
Alcoholic beverages	.	98	97	92	105	107	106
Tobacco products and smokers' supplies	.	92	94	119	119	119	110

Note(s): See "Data quality, concepts and methodology — Explanatory notes for tables" section and Table B for complete list of vector numbers.

Data quality, concepts and methodology

Definition

The Consumer Price Index (CPI) is an indicator of the changes in consumer prices experienced by the target population. The CPI measures price change by comparing, through time, the cost of a fixed basket of commodities. This basket is based on the expenditures of the target population in a certain reference period, currently 2005. Since the basket contains commodities of unchanging or equivalent quantity and quality, the index reflects only pure price movements.

Separate CPIs are published for Canada, the ten provinces, Whitehorse, Yellowknife and Iqaluit. Some CPI information is also available for an additional sixteen urban centres. Since the CPI is a measure of price change from one time period to another, it cannot be used to indicate differences in price levels between provinces or urban centres.

Population coverage

The population targeted by the CPI consists of families and individuals living in urban and rural private households. For practical reasons, residents of the Territories outside Whitehorse, Yellowknife and Iqaluit are not represented by the index. Prior to February 1995, the target population consisted of private households in Canadian urban centres with a population of 30,000 or more.

Time reference

The CPI compares, in percentage terms, prices in any given time period to prices in the official base period which, at present, is 2002=100. The official time base was changed from 1992=100 to 2002=100 starting with the CPI for May 2007. The change is strictly an arithmetic conversion which alters the index levels but leaves the percentage changes between any two periods intact, except for differences in rounding.

Percent versus index point changes

The movements of the indexes from one month to another are expressed as percent changes rather than changes in index points. Index point changes are affected by the level of the index which, in turn, depends on the time base of the particular index. The percentage change between any two time periods can be readily calculated by dividing the index point difference between the two time periods by the index for the earlier period and multiplying the result by one hundred.

Price coverage

The prices used in the CPI calculation are final prices, inclusive of excise and other indirect taxes paid by consumers. In particular, they include the Goods and Services Tax (GST), as well as provincial retail sales taxes wherever applicable. In regions where the GST and provincial retail sales taxes have been combined, the Harmonized Sales Tax (HST) is included. It follows that the CPI can change as a result of modifications to any of these taxes.

The selection of commodities and the outlets from which prices are collected is judgmental, other than for rents and traveler accommodation. The number of prices required for a given commodity depends on the importance and the nature of the commodity. The samples are designed to represent volume selling commodities and outlets.

The principal objective of the sample design is to ensure an informative, reliable and impartial picture of consumer inflation at the national and provincial levels.

Price collection for a given month's index is carried out during the first three weeks of the month. Although prices for most CPI commodities are collected monthly, prices for commodities having less frequent price changes (e.g. property taxes and electricity rates) are collected at intervals longer than one month. Special pricings are carried out where there is evidence that significant price changes have occurred between scheduled pricing periods.

Weights and linking

The CPI maintains fixed quantitative proportions (weights) between commodities during the life of a given basket. The baskets are updated periodically to take into account changes in consumer expenditure patterns. In May 2007, the basket reflecting the 2005 expenditure patterns replaced the 2001 basket. The continuity of the CPI series is maintained by "linking" the corresponding indexes obtained from consecutive baskets.

The CPI is calculated as a weighted average of specified commodity price indexes. The weights are derived from Survey of Household Spending data. Text table 1 compares the expenditure shares of the two most recent CPI baskets, i.e. the 2005 basket as it was reflected in the CPI in May 2007 and the 2001 basket. Because both sets of weights are expressed in April 2007 or "link month" prices, the differences reflect the shifts in the relative quantities purchased between the two baskets.

When reconstructing or re-aggregating published CPI series, the changes in weights and the linking procedures must be taken into account. For a description of the methodology required to reconstruct or re-aggregate CPI series, see **The Consumer Price Index Reference Paper** catalogue no. 62-553-X (Occasional) or contact Consumer Prices Division.

Text table 1
Comparison of the 2005 and 2001 distribution[1] of expenditures used in the Consumer Price Index, by major component, for Canada

	2005 Expenditures		2001 Expenditures
	Expressed in 2005 prices	Expressed in April 2007 prices	Expressed in April 2007 prices
	percent		
Major Components			
All-Items	**100.0**	**100.0**	**100.0**
Food	16.9	17.0	17.1
Shelter	25.7	26.6	27.7
Household operations, furnishings and equipment	11.4	11.1	10.2
Clothing and footwear	5.6	5.4	5.1
Transportation	19.6	19.9	20.2
Health and personal care	4.8	4.7	4.4
Recreation, education and reading	13.0	12.2	11.2
Alcoholic beverages and tobacco products	3.1	3.1	4.2

1. Figures may not add to 100% due to rounding.

Starting with the October 2006 Consumer Price Index (CPI), Statistics Canada produces and disseminates the Core CPI as defined by the Bank of Canada.

The measure of Core CPI excludes from the all-items CPI the effect of changes in indirect taxes and eight of the most volatile components identified by the Bank of Canada: fruit, fruit preparations and nuts; vegetables and vegetable preparations; mortgage interest cost; natural gas; fuel oil and other fuels; gasoline; inter-city transportation; and tobacco products and smokers' supplies. For additional information on Core CPI, please consult the Bank of Canada Web site. *http://www.bankofcanada.ca/en/inflation/index.htm.*

Statistics Canada also calculates, on behalf of the Bank of Canada, a seasonally adjusted Core CPI. This series is available through *CANSIM*, Statistics Canada's official database, or by contacting us through the means mentioned on the inside cover of this publication.

Whitehorse, Yellowknife and Iqaluit indexes

The relatively small size of the housing market in these three cities makes it difficult to construct reliable price indexes for new houses. To compensate, the price movements of rental accommodation are used to approximate the price movements of new houses. The rent information itself is collected using different pricing frequencies and collection methods than in the rest of the country. Because of these problems, the indexes for Rented Accommodation and Owned Accommodation are not published for these three cities. Further, the all-items indexes published for these three cities are not strictly comparable with the same indexes for the provinces or the other sixteen cities.

Calculation of urban centre indexes

With the introduction of the 1992 basket, emphasis was shifted from urban centre data to provincial data. Urban Centre all-items series were continued since many users had come to rely on this service, but the method of calculation was changed. Shelter indexes are calculated for each urban centre. This recognizes the importance of Shelter in the basket, the significant and persistent differences in price movements between urban centres, and the availability of local data. For the other seven major components, the movement of the provincial counterpart (or, in the cases of Montréal, Toronto, and Vancouver, a sub-provincial counterpart) is used. The major components are aggregated using the urban centre's expenditure pattern to arrive at each urban centre's all-items index.

Seasonal adjustment

A seasonally adjusted series is one from which seasonal movements have been eliminated. Seasonal movements are defined as those which are caused by regular annual events such as variations in climate and regular institutional events such as vacations and statutory holidays. Seasonally adjusted series are calculated using Statistics Canada's X-12 ARIMA program. Time series with no detectable seasonal movements remain unchanged from the official series. The official unadjusted series for all-items index, core consumer price index, each of the eight major component indexes and three special aggregates (all-items excluding food, all-items excluding food and energy and all-items excluding 8 of the most volatile components (Bank of Canada definition)) are seasonally adjusted independently.

Each month, the previous month's seasonally adjusted index is subject to revision. On an annual basis, the seasonally adjusted values for the last three years are revised with the January data release. Since these revisions can lead to changes in both the levels and movements of the indexes, users employing the CPI for indexation purposes are advised to use the unadjusted indexes.

Explanatory notes for tables

Table 1 The Consumer Price Index, major components and special aggregates, Canada, not seasonally adjusted

and

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

1. 2005 Consumer Price Index (CPI) basket weights at April 2007 prices, Canada.

2. Figures may not add to 100% due to rounding.

3. The measure of core Consumer Price Index (CPI) excludes from the all-items CPI the effect of changes in indirect taxes and eight of the most volatile components identified by the Bank of Canada: fruit, fruit preparations and nuts; vegetables and vegetable preparations; mortgage interest cost; natural gas; fuel oil and other fuels; gasoline; inter-city transportation; and tobacco products and smokers' supplies. For additional information on core CPI, please consult the Bank of Canada Web site: http://www.bankofcanada.ca/en/inflation/index.htm.

Table 3 The Consumer Price Index, provinces, Whitehorse, Yellowknife and Iqaluit, not seasonally adjusted

1. Data for Iqaluit are on a December 2002=100 base (200212=100) and the Standard Geographical Classification (SGC) 2001. Previous to April 1, 1999, the town of Iqaluit formed part of the Northwest Territories. Subsequent to April 1, 1999, the town of Iqaluit formed part of the newly-created territory of Nunavut.

Table 4 The Consumer Price Index, major components and selected sub-groups, Canada, not seasonally adjusted

Table 4-1

1. Food expenditure information below the aggregate level of "food purchased from stores" was unavailable after 2001. To obtain 2005 basket weights for food categories under this aggregate, expenditures of 2001 for each food category were adjusted to reflect price movements to 2005. However data from the 2005 Survey of Household Spending were used to update the weight at the major component level of "food" compared to all other components.

Table 4-2

1. In July 2004, the 2001 basket weights introduced with the January 2003 data were adjusted; the weights for mortgage interest cost were re-evaluated.

2. Due to changes in the Ontario electricity market that became effective May 1, 2002, it was necessary to adjust the treatment of electricity prices in the Consumer Price Index (CPI) for that province. A question and answer fact sheet that explains those changes is now available. To obtain the fact sheet on the treatment of electricity prices in Ontario, please contact CPD Dissemination Unit, Consumer Prices Division, telephone: (613) 951-9606, toll-free: 1-866-230-2248, fax: (613) 951-2848, e-mail: *cpd-info-dpc@statcan.gc.ca*.

Table 4-5

1. Over the previous two years, Statistics Canada has updated, by province, the model year of passenger vehicles used in the calculation of the passenger vehicle insurance premiums index over a three month period. In 2008, this quality adjustment exercise will be reflected in the month of May for all provinces.

Table 4-7

1. From April 2006, Statistics Canada changed its implementation of the price index formula used for traveller accommodation. As a result, data from April 2006 are not strictly comparable to earlier time periods.

Table 5 The Consumer Price Index for Canada, all-items, not seasonally adjusted, historical data

1. The annual average index is calculated as the average of the published 12 individual monthly indexes, rounded to one decimal place. Percentage changes between the annual average indexes are calculated based on these published rounded numbers. Between May 2007 and September 2007, the annual average percentage changes in Table 5 were calculated based on annual average indexes that were not rounded. As a result, some percentage changes were different by +/- 0.1 from the official percentage change. This problem only affected the annual average column of Table 5.

Table 6 Core Consumer Price Index (CPI) (Bank of Canada definition), not seasonally adjusted, historical data

1. The measure of core Consumer Price Index (CPI) excludes from the all-items CPI the effect of changes in indirect taxes and eight of the most volatile components identified by the Bank of Canada: fruit, fruit preparations and nuts; vegetables and vegetable preparations; mortgage interest cost; natural gas; fuel oil and other fuels; gasoline; inter-city transportation; and tobacco products and smokers' supplies. For additional information on core CPI, please consult the Bank of Canada Web site: http://www.bankofcanada.ca/en/inflation/index.htm.

2. The annual average index is calculated as the average of the published 12 individual monthly indexes, rounded to one decimal place. Percentage changes between the annual average indexes are calculated based on these published rounded numbers.

Table 7 The Consumer Price Index for Canada, major components and special aggregates, not seasonally adjusted, historical data

1. Goods are physical or tangible commodities usually classified according to their life span into non-durable goods, semi-durable goods and durable goods. Non-durable goods are those goods that can be used up entirely in less than a year, assuming normal usage. For example, fresh food products, disposable cameras and gasoline are non-durable goods. Semi-durable goods are those goods that may last less than 12 months or greater than 12 months depending on the purpose to which they are put. For example, clothing, footwear and household textiles are semi-durable goods. Durable goods are those goods which may be used repeatedly or continuously over more than a year, assuming normal usage. For example, cars, audio and video equipment and furniture are durable goods.

2. A service in the Consumer Price Index (CPI) is characterized by valuable work performed by an individual or organization on behalf of a consumer, for example, car tune-ups, haircuts and city public transportation. Transactions classified as a service may include the cost of goods by their nature. Examples include food in restaurant food services and materials in clothing repair services.

3. The special aggregate "energy" includes: "electricity", "natural gas", "fuel oil and other fuels", "gasoline", and "fuel, parts and supplies for recreational vehicles".

4. The annual index level is the average of the 12 individual monthly indexes.

Table 8 Annual average percentage changes for the Consumer Price Index

Table 8-1 and 8-2

1. The annual index level is the average of the 12 individual monthly indexes. The percentage change for a given calendar year is calculated using the annual average indexes.

Table 9 The Consumer Price Index, major components, selected sub-groups and special aggregates, provinces, Whitehorse and Yellowknife, not seasonally adjusted

Tables 9-1, 9-2, 9-3, 9-4, 9-5, 9-7, 9-8, 9-9, 9-10 and 9-11

1. The special aggregate "energy" includes: "electricity", "natural gas", "fuel oil and other fuels", "gasoline", and "fuel, parts and supplies for recreational vehicles".

2. Food expenditure information below the aggregate level of "food purchased from stores" was unavailable after 2001. To obtain 2005 basket weights for food categories under this aggregate, expenditures of 2001 for each food category were adjusted to reflect price movements to 2005. However data from the 2005 Survey of Household Spending were used to update the weight at the major component level of "food" compared to all other components.

3. Over the previous two years, Statistics Canada has updated, by province, the model year of passenger vehicles used in the calculation of the passenger vehicle insurance premiums index over a three month period. In 2008, this quality adjustment exercise will be reflected in the month of May for all provinces.

Table 9-6

1. The special aggregate "energy" includes: "electricity", "natural gas", "fuel oil and other fuels", "gasoline", and "fuel, parts and supplies for recreational vehicles".

2. Food expenditure information below the aggregate level of "food purchased from stores" was unavailable after 2001. To obtain 2005 basket weights for food categories under this aggregate, expenditures of 2001 for each food category were adjusted to reflect price movements to 2005. However data from the 2005 Survey of Household Spending were used to update the weight at the major component level of "food" compared to all other components.

3. Due to changes in the Ontario electricity market that became effective May 1, 2002, it was necessary to adjust the treatment of electricity prices in the Consumer Price Index (CPI) for that province. A question and answer fact sheet that explains those changes is now available. To obtain the fact sheet on the treatment of electricity prices in Ontario, please contact CPD Dissemination Unit, Consumer Prices Division, telephone: (613) 951-9606, toll-free: 1-866-230-2248, fax: (613) 951-2848, e-mail: *cpd-info-dpc@statcan.gc.ca*.

4. Over the previous two years, Statistics Canada has updated, by province, the model year of passenger vehicles used in the calculation of the passenger vehicle insurance premiums index over a three month period. In 2008, this quality adjustment exercise will be reflected in the month of May for all provinces.

Table 9-12

1. The special aggregate "energy" includes: "electricity", "natural gas", "fuel oil and other fuels", "gasoline", and "fuel, parts and supplies for recreational vehicles".

2. Food expenditure information below the aggregate level of "food purchased from stores" was unavailable after 2001. To obtain 2005 basket weights for food categories under this aggregate, expenditures of 2001 for each food category were adjusted to reflect price movements to 2005. However data from the 2005 Survey of Household Spending were used to update the weight at the major component level of "food" compared to all other components.

3. Part of the increase first recorded in the shelter index for Yellowknife for December 2004 inadvertently reflected rent increases that actually occurred earlier. As a result, the change in the shelter index was overstated in December 2004, and was understated in the previous two years. The shelter index series for Yellowknife has been corrected from December 2002. In addition, the Yellowknife all-items Consumer Price Index (CPI) and some Yellowknife special aggregate index series have also changed. Data for Canada and all other provinces and territories were not affected.

4. Over the previous two years, Statistics Canada has updated, by province, the model year of passenger vehicles used in the calculation of the passenger vehicle insurance premiums index over a three month period. In 2008, this quality adjustment exercise will be reflected in the month of May for all provinces.

Table 10 The all-items Consumer Price Index, provinces, Whitehorse, Yellowknife and Iqaluit, not seasonally adjusted, historical data

1. Data for Iqaluit are on a December 2002=100 base (200212=100) and the Standard Geographical Classification (SGC) 2001. Previous to April 1, 1999, the town of Iqaluit formed part of the Northwest Territories. Subsequent to April 1, 1999, the town of Iqaluit formed part of the newly-created territory of Nunavut.

2. The annual index level is the average of the 12 individual monthly indexes.

Table 11 The Consumer Price Index and selected sub-groups, by urban centre, not seasonally adjusted

1. With the introduction of the 1992 basket in January 1995, emphasis was shifted from urban centre data to provincial data. Urban centre all-items series were continued since many users had come to rely on this service, but the method of calculation was changed. Shelter indexes are calculated for each urban centre. This recognizes the importance of shelter in the basket, the significant and persistent differences in price movements between urban centres, and the availability of local data. For the other seven major components, the movement of the provincial counterpart is used except in the cases of Montréal, Toronto, and Vancouver, where a sub-provincial counterpart is used. The major components are aggregated using the urban centre's expenditure pattern to arrive at each urban centre's all-items index.

2. Users of the urban centre indexes should note that, effective July 2007, Statistics Canada has corrected the weights of some urban centres that were in error in the Consumer Price Index 2005 basket update. The weights of St. John's, Charlottetown, Halifax, Saint John, Québec City, Montréal, Ottawa, Thunder Bay, Winnipeg, Regina, Saskatoon, Edmonton, Calgary and Victoria were adjusted, while those of Toronto, Vancouver, Whitehorse, Yellowknife and Iqaluit were not. With this correction, the July 2007 level of each urban centre index has been restored to reflect the correct movement for May 2007 and June 2007. The published urban centre indexes for May and June 2007 will remain unchanged. The calculation of urban centre indexes is separate from the calculation of the provincial and national indexes. Therefore, the correction made to the urban centre weights has no effect at all on the provincial or national indexes. Published weight documentation was also not affected.

3. Formerly Ottawa (Ottawa-Gatineau, Ontario part), represents Ottawa only.

Table 12 The all-items Consumer Price Index by urban centre, not seasonally adjusted, historical data

1. With the introduction of the 1992 basket in January 1995, emphasis was shifted from urban centre data to provincial data. Urban centre all-items series were continued since many users had come to rely on this service, but the method of calculation was changed. Shelter indexes are calculated for each urban centre. This recognizes the importance of shelter in the basket, the significant and persistent differences in price movements between urban centres, and the availability of local data. For the other seven major components, the movement of the provincial counterpart is used except in the cases of Montréal, Toronto, and Vancouver, where a sub-provincial counterpart is used. The major components are aggregated using the urban centre's expenditure pattern to arrive at each urban centre's all-items index.

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3. The annual index level is the average of the 12 individual monthly indexes.

4. Formerly Ottawa (Ottawa-Gatineau, Ontario part), represents Ottawa only.

Table 14 Average retail prices, monthly, Canada

1. Prices are expressed in dollars, except for the price of gasoline which is expressed in cents per litre.

Average retail prices for food, household supplies, personal care items, cigarettes and gasoline

Table 14 shows, for the current month and the two previous months, average prices for selected food, household supplies, personal care items, cigarettes and for gasoline.

Prices for these items are collected as part of the regular monthly CPI survey. Prices for the selected food, household supply and personal care items are observed in food supermarkets, while prices for cigarettes are collected in supermarkets, department stores, drug stores and tobacco shops. Average prices for each commodity are calculated as a weighted average of the average prices in the observed urban centres using the population of these urban centres as weights.

The commodities which are priced can vary in quality between outlets or between urban centres. This is the reason why average prices are not published for each of those urban centres. Brands and outlets can also vary from month to month. Therefore, average prices may not necessarily be fully comparable from one month to another and should not be used as an appropriate measure of pure price change through time. A matched commodity and outlet sample is used for the CPI to determine the pure price movement of commodities through time.

Table 15 Inter-city indexes of retail price differentials, as of October 2009, for selected groups of consumer goods and services

Purpose and Scope

Table 15 shows estimates of retail price differences between 11 Canadian cities in all 10 provinces, as of October 2009. These estimates are based on a selection of commodities (goods and services) purchased by consumers in each of the 11 cities.

These estimates should not be interpreted as a measure of differences in the cost-of-living between cities. The indexes provide price comparisons for a selection of commodities only, and are not meant to give an exhaustive comparison of all goods and services purchased by consumers. Additionally, the shelter price concept used for these indexes is not conducive to making cost-of-living type comparisons between cities (see below).

Methodology

In order to produce optimal Inter-city indexes, commodity comparisons were initially made by pairing cities that are in close geographic proximity. The resulting price level comparisons were then extended to include comparisons between all of the cities, using a chaining procedure. The following initial pairings were used:

St. John's	Halifax
Charlottetown-Summerside	Halifax
Saint John	Halifax
Halifax	Ottawa
Montréal	Toronto
Ottawa	Toronto
Toronto	Winnipeg
Regina	Winnipeg
Edmonton	Winnipeg
Vancouver	Edmonton

Reliable Inter-city price comparisons require that the selected commodities be very similar across cities. This ensures that the variation in index levels between cities is due to pure price differences and not to differences in the attributes of the commodities, such as size and/or quality.

Within each city pair, commodity price quotes were matched on the basis of detailed descriptions. Whenever possible, commodities were matched by brand, quantity and with some regard for the comparability of retail outlets from which they were selected.

Additionally, the target prices for this study are final retail prices and as such, include all sales taxes and levies applied to consumer commodities within a city. This can be an important source of variation when explaining differences in inter-city price levels.

It should be noted that price data for the Inter-city indexes is drawn from the sample of monthly price data collected for the Consumer Price Index (CPI). Given that the CPI sample is optimized to produce accurate price comparisons through time, and not across regions, the number of matched price quotes between cities can be small. It should also be noted that, especially in periods when prices are highly volatile, the timing of the commodity price comparison can significantly affect city-to-city retail price relationships.

The weights used for aggregating the city indexes into the all-items Inter-city index are based on the expenditures of consumers living in each of the 11 cities. The weights are currently based on 2005 consumer expenditure data.

The all-items Inter-city index for a particular city is compared to the average of all 11 cities, which is equal to 100. For example, an index value of 102 for a particular city means that prices for the measured commodities are 2% higher than the weighted, combined city average.

Additional Information on Shelter

Shelter prices were absent from the Inter-city index program prior to 1999 because of methodological and conceptual issues associated with their measurement. The diverse nature of shelter means that accurate matches between cities are often difficult to make.

To account for some of these difficulties, a rental equivalence approach is used to construct the Inter-city price indexes for owned accommodation. Such an approach uses market rents as an approximation to the cost of the shelter services consumed by homeowners in each city. It is important to note that this approach may not be suitable for the needs of all users. For instance, since the rental equivalence approach does not represent an out-of-pocket expenditure, the indexes should not be used for measuring differences in the purchasing power of homeowners across cities.

Footnotes for Table 15

1. The weights shown are rounded 2005 basket weights at April 2007 prices for Canada. They are provided for illustration only; the weights actually used are combined city weights with adjustments for price changes up until October 2009.

2. Includes the following subgroups: sugar and syrup, confectionery items, margarine, other edible fat and oil items, coffee, tea, condiments, spices and vinegar, soup, infant and junior foods, pre-cooked frozen food preparations, non-alcoholic beverages and all other food preparations.

Appendix I

Concordance tables

Table A
Vector numbers for the average retail prices for gasoline and fuel oil, by urban centre

	St. John's, N.L.	Charlottetown and Summerside, P.E.I.	Halifax, N.S.	Saint John, N.B.	Québec, Que.	Montréal, Que.	Ottawa, Ont.	Toronto, Ont.	Thunder Bay, Ont.	Winnipeg, Man.
Regular unleaded gasoline at full service filling stations	(v735046)	(v735056)	(v735057)	(v735058)	(v735059)	(v735060)	(v735061)	(v735062)	(v735063)	(v735047)
Regular unleaded gasoline at self service filling stations	(v735082)	(v735092)	(v735093)	(v735094)	(v735095)	(v735096)	(v735097)	(v735098)	(v735099)	(v735083)
Premium unleaded gasoline at full service filling stations	(v735064)	(v735074)	(v735075)	(v735076)	(v735077)	(v735078)	(v735079)	(v735080)	(v735081)	(v735065)
Premium unleaded gasoline at self service filling stations	(v735100)	(v735110)	(v735111)	(v735112)	(v735113)	(v735114)	(v735115)	(v735116)	(v735117)	(v735101)
Household heating fuel	(v735149)	(v735157)	(v735158)	(v735159)	(v735160)	(v735161)	(v735162)	(v735163)	(v735164)	(v735150)

	Regina, Sask.	Saskatoon, Sask.	Edmonton, Alta.	Calgary, Alta.	Vancouver, B.C.	Victoria, B.C.	Whitehorse, Y.T.	Yellowknife, N.W.T.
Regular unleaded gasoline at full service filling stations	(v735048)	(v735049)	(v735050)	(v735051)	(v735052)	(v735053)	(v735054)	(v735055)
Regular unleaded gasoline at self service filling stations	(v735084)	(v735085)	(v735086)	(v735087)	(v735088)	(v735089)	(v735090)	(v735091)
Premium unleaded gasoline at full service filling stations	(v735066)	(v735067)	(v735068)	(v735069)	(v735070)	(v735071)	(v735072)	(v735073)
Premium unleaded gasoline at self service filling stations	(v735102)	(v735103)	(v735104)	(v735105)	(v735106)	(v735107)	(v735108)	(v735109)
Household heating fuel	(v735151)	(v735152)	.	.	(v735153)	(v735154)	(v735155)	(v735156)

Table B

Vector numbers of the inter-city indexes of retail price differentials, as of October 2009, for selected groups of consumer goods and services, not seasonally adjusted

	St. John's, Newfoundland and Labrador	Charlottetown and Summerside, Prince Edward Island	Halifax, Nova Scotia	Saint John, New Brunswick	Montréal, Quebec
All-items	**(v15939841)**	**(v15939869)**	**(v15939897)**	**(v15939925)**	**(v15939953)**
Food	**(v15939842)**	**(v15939870)**	**(v15939898)**	**(v15939926)**	**(v15939954)**
Food purchased from stores	(v15939843)	(v15939871)	(v15939899)	(v15939927)	(v15939955)
Meat, poultry and fish	(v15939844)	(v15939872)	(v15939900)	(v15939928)	(v15939956)
Dairy products and eggs	(v15939845)	(v15939873)	(v15939901)	(v15939929)	(v15939957)
Bakery and other cereal products	(v15939846)	(v15939874)	(v15939902)	(v15939930)	(v15939958)
Fruit and vegetables	(v15939847)	(v15939875)	(v15939903)	(v15939931)	(v15939959)
Other food purchased from stores	(v15939848)	(v15939876)	(v15939904)	(v15939932)	(v15939960)
Food purchased from restaurants	(v15939849)	(v15939877)	(v15939905)	(v15939933)	(v15939961)
Shelter	**(v15939850)**	**(v15939878)**	**(v15939906)**	**(v15939934)**	**(v15939962)**
Rented accommodation	(v21580949)	(v21580952)	(v21580955)	(v21580958)	(v21580961)
Owned accommodation	(v21580950)	(v21580953)	(v21580956)	(v21580959)	(v21580962)
Water, fuel and electricity	(v21580951)	(v21580954)	(v21580957)	(v21580960)	(v21580963)
Household operations and furnishings	**(v15939851)**	**(v15939879)**	**(v15939907)**	**(v15939935)**	**(v15939963)**
Household operations	(v15939852)	(v15939880)	(v15939908)	(v15939936)	(v15939964)
Household furnishings	(v15939853)	(v15939881)	(v15939909)	(v15939937)	(v15939965)
Clothing and footwear	**(v15939854)**	**(v15939882)**	**(v15939910)**	**(v15939938)**	**(v15939966)**
Transportation	**(v15939855)**	**(v15939883)**	**(v15939911)**	**(v15939939)**	**(v15939967)**
Private transportation	(v15939856)	(v15939884)	(v15939912)	(v15939940)	(v15939968)
Purchase of automotive vehicles	(v15939857)	(v15939885)	(v15939913)	(v15939941)	(v15939969)
Gasoline	(v15939858)	(v15939886)	(v15939914)	(v15939942)	(v15939970)
Other private transportation	(v15939859)	(v15939887)	(v15939915)	(v15939943)	(v15939971)
Public transportation	(v15939860)	(v15939888)	(v15939916)	(v15939944)	(v15939972)
Health and personal care	**(v15939861)**	**(v15939889)**	**(v15939917)**	**(v15939945)**	**(v15939973)**
Health care	(v15939862)	(v15939890)	(v15939918)	(v15939946)	(v15939974)
Personal care	(v43975161)	(v43975162)	(v43975163)	(v43975164)	(v43975165)
Recreation, education and reading	**(v15939865)**	**(v15939893)**	**(v15939921)**	**(v15939949)**	**(v15939977)**
Recreation	(v43975172)	(v43975173)	(v43975174)	(v43975175)	(v43975176)
Education and reading	(v43975183)	(v43975184)	(v43975185)	(v43975186)	(v43975187)
Alcoholic beverages and tobacco products	**(v15939866)**	**(v15939894)**	**(v15939922)**	**(v15939950)**	**(v15939978)**
Alcoholic beverages	(v15939867)	(v15939895)	(v15939923)	(v15939951)	(v15939979)
Tobacco products and smokers' supplies	(v15939868)	(v15939896)	(v15939924)	(v15939952)	(v15939980)

Table B – continued

Vector numbers of the inter-city indexes of retail price differentials, as of October 2009, for selected groups of consumer goods and services, not seasonally adjusted

	Ottawa, Ontario	Toronto, Ontario	Winnipeg, Manitoba	Regina, Saskatchewan	Edmonton, Alberta	Vancouver, British Columbia
All-items	**(v15939981)**	**(v15940009)**	**(v15940037)**	**(v15940065)**	**(v15940093)**	**(v15940121)**
Food	**(v15939982)**	**(v15940010)**	**(v15940038)**	**(v15940066)**	**(v15940094)**	**(v15940122)**
Food purchased from stores	(v15939983)	(v15940011)	(v15940039)	(v15940067)	(v15940095)	(v15940123)
Meat, poultry and fish	(v15939984)	(v15940012)	(v15940040)	(v15940068)	(v15940096)	(v15940124)
Dairy products and eggs	(v15939985)	(v15940013)	(v15940041)	(v15940069)	(v15940097)	(v15940125)
Bakery and other cereal products	(v15939986)	(v15940014)	(v15940042)	(v15940070)	(v15940098)	(v15940126)
Fruit and vegetables	(v15939987)	(v15940015)	(v15940043)	(v15940071)	(v15940099)	(v15940127)
Other food purchased from stores	(v15939988)	(v15940016)	(v15940044)	(v15940072)	(v15940100)	(v15940128)
Food purchased from restaurants	(v15939989)	(v15940017)	(v15940045)	(v15940073)	(v15940101)	(v15940129)
Shelter	**(v15939990)**	**(v15940018)**	**(v15940046)**	**(v15940074)**	**(v15940102)**	**(v15940130)**
Rented accommodation	(v21580964)	(v21580967)	(v21580970)	(v21580973)	(v21580976)	(v21580979)
Owned accommodation	(v21580965)	(v21580968)	(v21580971)	(v21580974)	(v21580977)	(v21580980)
Water, fuel and electricity	(v21580966)	(v21580969)	(v21580972)	(v21580975)	(v21580978)	(v21580981)
Household operations and furnishings	**(v15939991)**	**(v15940019)**	**(v15940047)**	**(v15940075)**	**(v15940103)**	**(v15940131)**
Household operations	(v15939992)	(v15940020)	(v15940048)	(v15940076)	(v15940104)	(v15940132)
Household furnishings	(v15939993)	(v15940021)	(v15940049)	(v15940077)	(v15940105)	(v15940133)
Clothing and footwear	**(v15939994)**	**(v15940022)**	**(v15940050)**	**(v15940078)**	**(v15940106)**	**(v15940134)**
Transportation	**(v15939995)**	**(v15940023)**	**(v15940051)**	**(v15940079)**	**(v15940107)**	**(v15940135)**
Private transportation	(v15939996)	(v15940024)	(v15940052)	(v15940080)	(v15940108)	(v15940136)
Purchase of automotive vehicles	(v15939997)	(v15940025)	(v15940053)	(v15940081)	(v15940109)	(v15940137)
Gasoline	(v15939998)	(v15940026)	(v15940054)	(v15940082)	(v15940110)	(v15940138)
Other private transportation	(v15939999)	(v15940027)	(v15940055)	(v15940083)	(v15940111)	(v15940139)
Public transportation	(v15940000)	(v15940028)	(v15940056)	(v15940084)	(v15940112)	(v15940140)
Health and personal care	**(v15940001)**	**(v15940029)**	**(v15940057)**	**(v15940085)**	**(v15940113)**	**(v15940141)**
Health care	(v15940002)	(v15940030)	(v15940058)	(v15940086)	(v15940114)	(v15940142)
Personal care	(v43975166)	(v43975167)	(v43975168)	(v43975169)	(v43975170)	(v43975171)
Recreation, education and reading	**(v15940005)**	**(v15940033)**	**(v15940061)**	**(v15940089)**	**(v15940117)**	**(v15940145)**
Recreation	(v43975177)	(v43975178)	(v43975179)	(v43975180)	(v43975181)	(v43975182)
Education and reading	(v43975188)	(v43975189)	(v43975190)	(v43975191)	(v43975192)	(v43975193)
Alcoholic beverages and tobacco products	**(v15940006)**	**(v15940034)**	**(v15940062)**	**(v15940090)**	**(v15940118)**	**(v15940146)**
Alcoholic beverages	(v15940007)	(v15940035)	(v15940063)	(v15940091)	(v15940119)	(v15940147)
Tobacco products and smokers' supplies	(v15940008)	(v15940036)	(v15940064)	(v15940092)	(v15940120)	(v15940148)