

Table 3-3
Wholesale merchants — Inventories, by NAICS, seasonally adjusted — Percentage change from previous year

	September ^p 2011	August ^r 2011	July ^r 2011	June ^r 2011
	percent			
NAICS - Canada				
Wholesale trade[41]	8.5	8.5	7.0	7.0
Farm product wholesaler-distributors[411]	15.5	17.2	16.5	11.2
Food, beverage and tobacco wholesaler-distributors[413]	6.2	7.9	8.3	9.9
Food[4131]	6.5	8.2	8.4	10.5
Beverage[4132]	9.0	15.4	13.9	14.0
Cigarette and tobacco product[4133]	-2.3	-5.6	-0.2	-5.6
Personal and household goods wholesaler-distributors[414]	7.8	8.4	5.7	5.4
Textile, clothing and footwear[4141]	20.5	23.5	18.1	16.0
Home entertainment equipment and household appliance[4142]	-5.2	-2.2	-0.9	-2.3
Home furnishings[4143]	1.8	7.0	6.8	5.7
Personal goods[4144]	-0.6	-2.7	-11.2	-9.2
Pharmaceuticals and pharmacy supplies[41451]	8.3	8.2	5.8	7.1
Toiletries, cosmetics and sundries[41452]	17.5	12.4	18.8	9.3
Motor vehicle and parts wholesaler-distributors[415]	10.5	7.5	3.9	-0.9
Motor vehicle[4151]	11.7	7.4	-1.6	-7.6
New motor vehicle parts and accessories[4152]	9.0	7.5	10.3	6.9
Used motor vehicle parts and accessories[4153]	21.5	12.6	10.7	12.0
Building material and supplies wholesaler-distributors[416]	8.6	9.9	7.7	9.6
Electrical, plumbing, heating and air-conditioning equipment and supplies[4161]	12.4	14.8	12.7	15.3
Metal service centres[4162]	17.3	18.5	13.7	17.0
Lumber, millwork, hardware and other building supplies[4163]	1.2	2.1	1.1	1.9
Machinery, equipment and supplies wholesaler-distributors[417]	7.7	6.3	5.7	5.1
Farm, lawn and garden machinery and equipment[4171]	2.9	4.0	3.6	2.2
Construction, forestry, mining, and industrial machinery, equipment and supplies[4172]	9.2	5.2	5.8	4.4
Computer and communications equipment and supplies[4173]	9.7	14.4	15.9	19.8
Other machinery, equipment and supplies[4179]	8.0	6.8	2.6	2.4
Miscellaneous wholesaler-distributors[418]	10.7	13.3	13.3	15.8
Recyclable material[4181]	55.1	81.5	68.2	58.0
Paper, paper product and disposable plastic product[4182]	12.2	12.0	11.7	9.2
Agricultural supplies[4183]	4.4	4.2	0.6	6.6
Chemical (except agricultural) and allied product[4184]	10.8	9.3	17.9	25.6
Other miscellaneous[4189]	9.0	15.2	19.1	18.6

Note(s): NAICS: North American Industry Classification System Canada