

# Consumer Price Index

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### CONSUMER PRICE INDEX (2002=100)

#### HIGHLIGHTS

B.C.'s Consumer Price Index (CPI) was unchanged in July compared to the same month of 2012, as downward pressure eased following three straight months of declines, which were partly due to the elimination of the HST on April 1st. A 5.0% spike in energy prices offset drops in five of the eight major components of CPI. Excluding energy, prices fell 0.3%.

Consumers paid less for food (-1.1%), with prices falling for the fourth straight month. The decline was primarily due to lower prices for food purchased from restaurants (-4.0%). The price of food purchased from stores (+0.3%) edged up at the lowest rate recorded in 2013, as increases to meat (+0.6%) and fresh fruit (+5.5%) and vegetable (+6.7%) prices moderated. Consumers paid less for non-alcoholic beverages (-5.7%), other food products (-3.1%), coffee & tea (-0.5%) and dairy products & eggs (-0.2%).

Shelter prices (-0.8%) continued to fall, as the costs associated with owning a home (-2.2%) dipped. The cost of water, fuel & electricity (+2.7%) increased modestly, as lower fuel oil & other fuel (-3.2%) prices dampened the effect of increases in piped gas (+6.4%), water (+6.1%), and electricity (+0.7%) prices. Household operations & furnishing prices were flat following a 0.3% dip in June.

Clothing & footwear costs were up 1.3% after registering no changes in the previous two months. Clothing prices increased 2.4% on the heels of nine straight months of decline, with men's (+3.5%), children's (+3.4%), and women's (+1.1%) clothing prices all on the rise. Footwear (-0.1%) prices dipped for the first time since December 2012 (-0.7%). Transportation costs were up 2.7%, as gasoline (+7.3%), public transit (+3.7%), and inter-city transportation prices (+4.0%) soared.

Health & personal care (-2.9%) costs fell for the eighth straight month. Medicinal & pharmaceutical prices (-6.9%) continued to register notable declines, alongside tumbling personal care (-4.6%) prices. Recreation, education & reading (-0.3%) prices dropped for the fifth month in a row, as recreation costs fell 1.5%. However, education prices continued to climb steadily (+2.0%). Alcoholic beverages & tobacco (+0.8%) prices rose, with consumers paying more for alcoholic beverage (+1.5%) as tobacco (+0.4%) product prices slipped for the fourth month in a row.

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Nationally, prices climbed 1.3% in July, slightly higher than the increase observed in June (+1.2%). Consumers in Manitoba (+3.0%) continued to see the largest jump in prices due to increases in the provincial tax rate, followed by P.E.I (+2.3%), Alberta (+2.2%), and Newfoundland & Labrador (+2.0%). British Columbia was the only province

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where prices did not increase.

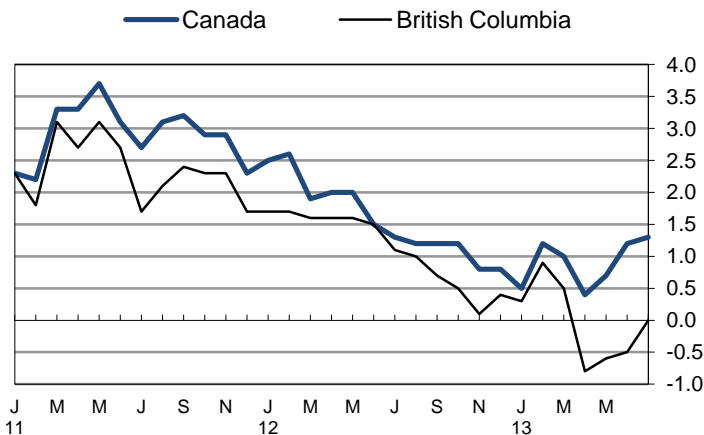
*Note: Statistics Canada will release the July Consumer Price Index on September 20, 2013.*

2002=100	All-Items Index July 2013	% Change from	
		June 2013	July 2012
Canada	123.1	0.1	1.3
BC	117.9	0.3	0.0
Vancouver	119.3	0.3	0.1
Victoria	116.4	0.2	-0.3
Core Canada <sup>1</sup>	121.0	0.0	1.4
BC (excluding energy)	114.6	0.1	-0.3

<sup>1</sup> The Core CPI for Canada: Defined by the Bank of Canada as the All-items index excluding the eight most volatile components (fruit, vegetables, gasoline, fuel oil, natural gas, mortgage interest, inter-city transportation and tobacco products). Also excluded is the effect of changes in indirect taxes on the remaining components.

## BC AND CANADA INFLATION TREND

(% change, same month of previous year)



2002=100	Latest 12-month Average Index (ending in July 2013)	Latest 12-month Average % Change	2012 Annual Average % Change
Canada	122.3	1.0	1.5
BC	117.8	0.2	1.1
Vancouver	119.1	0.4	1.3
Victoria	116.4	0.0	1.0

## TERMS AND DEFINITIONS

### BASE EFFECT

The 12-month variation in the CPI is calculated by comparing the current month's index with the index for the same month of the previous year. The 12-month change is represented by the difference in the indexes of the reference months. Thus, the 12-month variation can decrease from one month to the next merely because the base serving as the point of comparison increased.

*Source: Statistics Canada*

### TWELVE-MONTH PERCENT CHANGES

Also referred to as "year-over-year", twelve-month percent changes compare indexes for a given month to indexes for the same month of the previous year. As they compare two points in time, they are influenced by unusual or temporary events that can affect either of the two months. Their calculation does not include any of the intervening monthly indexes.

*Source: Statistics Canada*

### ANNUAL AVERAGE INDEX

Annual average indexes are calculated by averaging index levels over the 12 months of the calendar year. These data should not be confused with the 12-month change in the CPI. By the nature of the calculation, averaging indexes over the calendar year gives a better representation of price

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behaviour over the whole year and is closer to the concept of an average price. The use of annual averages is considered the preferred option for indexation purposes.

*Source: Statistics Canada*

### LATEST TWELVE-MONTH AVERAGE INDEX

The latest twelve-month average index (ending in the current month) is a 12-month moving average of the indexes of the most recent 12 months. It is calculated like the annual average index. Hence, in theory, the December twelve-month average index would be equal to the annual average index for the calendar year. However, in practice, when BC Stats makes these calculations from published data, the December 12-month average index may differ from Statistics Canada's published annual average index due to rounding.

*Source: Statistics Canada*

### HARMONIZED SALES TAX

On July 1, 2010, the Harmonized Sales Tax (HST) came into effect in British Columbia and Ontario. As well, Nova Scotia increased its HST by two percentage points.

On April 1, 2013, the Harmonized Sales Tax came into effect in Prince Edward Island, while British Columbia returned to the Provincial Sales Tax and the Goods and Services Tax.

*Source: Statistics Canada*

### **ADDITIONAL INFORMATION**

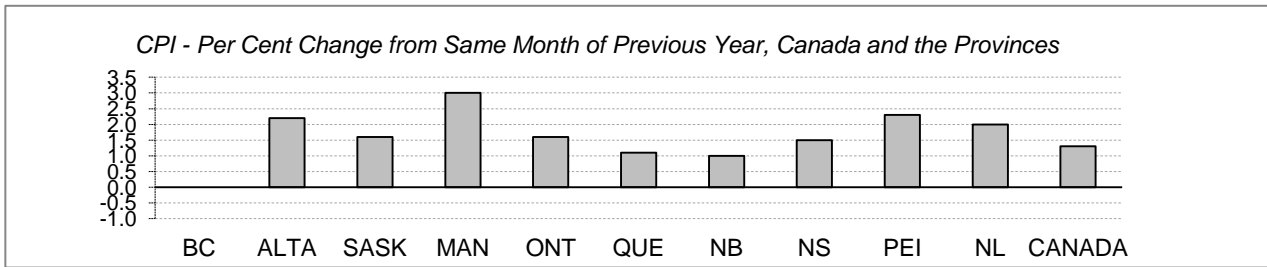
More information about the concepts and use of the CPI is available online in the Statistics Canada publication [Your Guide to the Consumer Price Index](#) (catalogue 62-557-XIB)

With the release of the May 2011 CPI, Statistics Canada has updated the basket of goods & services used in the calculation of the Index. [Learn more](#)

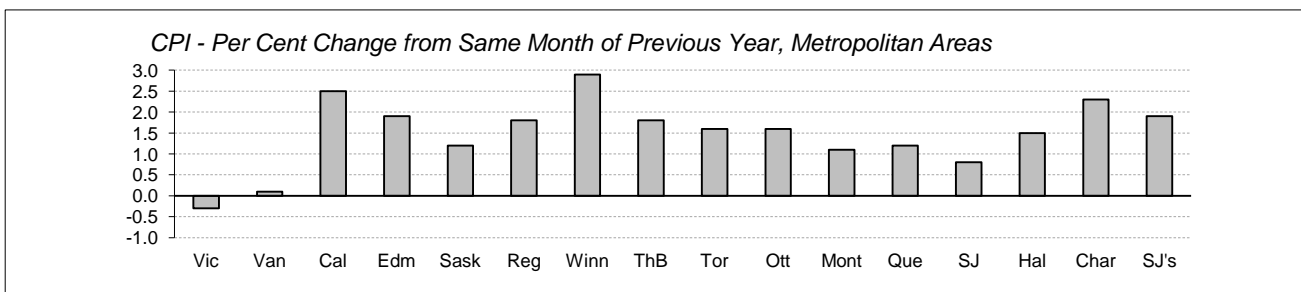
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	British Columbia			Canada		
	Index July 2013	% Change From		Index July 2013	% Change From	
		June 2013	July 2012		June 2013	July 2012
<b>All-Items Index (2002=100)</b>	<b>117.9</b>	<b>0.3</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>123.1</b>	<b>0.1</b>	<b>1.3</b>
<b>Food</b>	<b>126.9</b>	<b>0.6</b>	<b>-1.1</b>	<b>132.7</b>	<b>0.2</b>	<b>0.8</b>
Food Purchased From Stores	126.5	0.8	0.3	132.8	0.1	0.5
Meat	126.5	1.0	0.6	135.2	0.4	1.4
Fish & Other Seafood	113.8	1.0	0.8	115.9	0.7	2.7
Dairy Products & Eggs	130.0	-0.2	-0.2	135.6	-0.1	-0.6
Bakery & Other Cereal Products	138.5	1.2	1.3	152.2	0.0	1.3
Fruit, Fruit Preparations & Nuts	125.2	1.5	2.0	123.2	0.7	0.5
Fresh Fruit	123.5	1.4	5.5	118.1	1.0	1.5
Vegetables & Vegetable Preparations	119.4	0.3	4.6	119.6	-0.8	2.2
Fresh Vegetables	116.2	-0.1	6.7	115.0	-1.2	3.3
Other Food Products	123.1	1.2	-3.1	130.0	0.2	-1.2
Coffee & Tea	132.3	1.1	-0.5	138.7	-0.1	-2.2
Non-Alcoholic Beverages	111.8	0.7	-5.7	122.8	-0.2	0.2
Food Purchased From Restaurants	127.2	0.2	-4.0	132.5	0.3	1.5
<b>Shelter</b>	<b>113.2</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>-0.8</b>	<b>128.8</b>	<b>0.2</b>	<b>1.3</b>
Rented Accommodation	113.8	0.2	1.3	115.4	0.1	1.6
Owned Accommodation	108.6	-0.3	-2.2	130.5	-0.1	0.2
Property taxes	152.8	0.0	3.5	140.6	0.0	2.8
Water, Fuel & Electricity	139.4	1.5	2.7	144.6	1.2	4.8
Electricity	141.4	0.1	0.7	134.5	2.0	3.2
Piped Gas	112.2	4.8	6.4	108.7	0.0	12.3
Fuel Oil & Other Fuel	240.7	0.7	-3.2	232.3	1.2	-3.4
<b>Household Operations &amp; Furnishings</b>	<b>110.9</b>	<b>0.4</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>114.5</b>	<b>0.3</b>	<b>1.3</b>
Household Operations	120.4	0.5	0.2	126.6	0.6	2.0
Household Furnishings	94.1	0.1	-0.7	94.1	-0.1	-0.1
<b>Clothing &amp; Footwear</b>	<b>98.2</b>	<b>-0.7</b>	<b>1.3</b>	<b>90.4</b>	<b>-0.9</b>	<b>1.5</b>
Clothing	85.3	0.7	2.4	80.0	-0.7	1.0
Women's Clothing	81.8	-1.6	1.1	74.6	-3.0	1.8
Men's Clothing	94.2	3.9	3.5	90.6	2.7	0.8
Children's Clothing	76.1	1.2	3.4	74.2	-0.7	-1.2
Footwear	99.0	-5.4	-0.1	91.8	-1.8	0.3
<b>Transportation</b>	<b>128.0</b>	<b>-0.4</b>	<b>2.7</b>	<b>129.8</b>	<b>-0.3</b>	<b>2.7</b>
Private Transportation	127.1	-0.5	2.6	129.0	-0.5	2.5
Operation of Motor Vehicles	158.5	0.2	3.2	166.4	0.5	2.9
Gasoline	199.3	0.9	7.3	191.0	1.3	6.1
Public Transportation	135.1	0.4	3.7	136.7	0.5	4.8
Local & Commuter	141.2	0.7	2.7	145.7	0.9	2.2
Inter-City	132.8	0.3	4.0	131.3	0.3	6.1
<b>Health &amp; Personal Care</b>	<b>111.7</b>	<b>-1.2</b>	<b>-2.9</b>	<b>118.0</b>	<b>-0.3</b>	<b>-0.4</b>
Health Care	116.9	-0.4	-1.8	120.4	-0.1	0.2
Personal Care	105.3	-2.4	-4.6	115.8	-0.6	-1.1
<b>Recreation, Education &amp; Reading</b>	<b>115.1</b>	<b>1.7</b>	<b>-0.3</b>	<b>107.7</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>0.5</b>
Recreation	100.5	2.2	-1.5	97.6	1.3	-0.5
Education & Reading	162.7	0.1	2.0	140.3	0.0	2.9
Education	174.4	0.0	2.1	146.0	0.0	3.4
Reading Material & Other Printed Matter	124.5	0.7	1.1	118.6	0.4	0.0
<b>Alcoholic Beverages &amp; Tobacco Products</b>	<b>131.1</b>	<b>0.3</b>	<b>0.8</b>	<b>140.5</b>	<b>-0.3</b>	<b>2.1</b>
Alcoholic Beverages	117.6	0.4	1.5	118.7	-0.7	1.5
Alcoholic Beverages Purchased from Stores	116.8	0.4	1.4	113.1	-0.8	1.0
Beer Purchased from Stores	131.4	1.2	3.9	115.5	-2.1	0.3
Liquor Purchased from Stores	113.1	1.5	0.5	114.4	1.2	1.5
Tobacco Products & Smokers' Supplies	149.2	0.2	-0.4	162.8	0.2	3.0
Cigarettes	149.2	0.2	-0.3	162.6	0.1	3.0
All-Items Excluding Food	116.0	0.1	0.2	121.2	0.1	1.5
All-Items Excluding Alcohol & Tobacco	117.4	0.2	-0.1	122.4	0.1	1.3
All-Items Excluding Food & Energy	111.9	0.0	-0.2	117.1	-0.1	1.1

Provinces	Monthly Index			% Change From			Annual Index			% Change		
	July 2013	June 2013	July 2012	2012	2011	2011/12						
Canada	123.1	0.1	1.3	121.7	119.9	1.5						
Newfoundland & Labrador	126.1	0.1	2.0	123.9	121.4	2.1						
Prince Edward Island	128.1	0.2	2.3	125.5	123.0	2.0						
Nova Scotia	126.4	0.0	1.5	125.1	122.7	2.0						
New Brunswick	122.6	0.1	1.0	122.0	120.0	1.7						
Quebec	121.8	0.0	1.1	120.8	118.3	2.1						
Ontario	123.4	0.2	1.6	121.8	120.1	1.4						
Manitoba	123.9	0.2	3.0	120.3	118.4	1.6						
Saskatchewan	125.9	-0.2	1.6	123.9	122.0	1.6						
Alberta	129.6	-0.2	2.2	127.1	125.7	1.1						
<b>British Columbia</b>	<b>117.9</b>	<b>0.3</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>117.8</b>	<b>116.5</b>	<b>1.1</b>						
Whitehorse	124.0	-0.1	2.1	120.8	118.1	2.3						
Yellowknife	126.5	0.0	1.8	124.3	121.6	2.2						
Iqaluit (Dec. 2002=100)	117.5	0.0	1.2	115.3	113.4	1.7						



Metropolitan Areas	Monthly Index			% Change From			Annual Index			% Change		
	July 2013	June 2013	July 2012	2012	2011	2011/12						
St. John's	125.8	0.0	1.9	123.8	121.3	2.1						
Charlottetown	127.4	0.2	2.3	124.7	122.4	1.9						
Halifax	125.1	0.1	1.5	123.8	121.7	1.7						
Saint John	122.6	0.1	0.8	122.1	120.2	1.6						
Quebec City	122.0	0.0	1.2	120.8	118.2	2.2						
Montreal	121.5	0.1	1.1	120.4	118.0	2.0						
Ottawa	123.3	0.2	1.6	121.7	120.1	1.3						
Toronto	123.6	0.2	1.6	121.8	120.0	1.5						
Thunder Bay	118.7	0.2	1.6	117.4	116.3	0.9						
Winnipeg	123.4	0.2	2.9	119.9	118.1	1.5						
Regina	126.9	-0.2	1.8	124.6	122.4	1.8						
Saskatoon	125.9	-0.2	1.2	124.4	122.6	1.5						
Edmonton	129.5	-0.4	1.9	127.4	126.0	1.1						
Calgary	129.6	-0.1	2.5	126.7	125.4	1.0						
<b>Vancouver</b>	<b>119.3</b>	<b>0.3</b>	<b>0.1</b>	<b>119.0</b>	<b>117.5</b>	<b>1.3</b>						
<b>Victoria</b>	<b>116.4</b>	<b>0.2</b>	<b>-0.3</b>	<b>116.7</b>	<b>115.5</b>	<b>1.0</b>						



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### British Columbia

Year	All Items	% Change		Food	Shelter	Household Operation	Clothing & Footwear	Transportation	Health & Personal	Recreation & Education	Alcohol & Tobacco	
		Annual Average										
2009	112.3	0.0		117.7	112.3	105.7	99.4	113.6	111.5	111.0	123.8	
2010	113.8	1.3		119.6	113.1	106.5	98.3	117.1	113.9	112.0	126.3	
2011	116.5	2.4		124.6	114.3	108.4	97.6	122.7	115.2	113.2	129.6	
2012	117.8	1.1		127.3	114.2	110.9	100.5	125.2	115.5	113.1	130.6	
		Month	Year									
2012	Jan	116.8	0.3	1.7	126.5	114.4	110.3	97.5	123.2	116.0	109.8	130.6
	Feb	117.2	0.3	1.7	126.7	114.3	110.5	101.6	123.8	116.1	110.5	130.7
	Mar	117.9	0.6	1.6	126.5	114.3	110.7	102.9	126.7	115.3	111.8	131.0
	Apr	118.2	0.3	1.6	126.5	114.5	110.0	104.6	127.4	115.7	112.5	130.5
	May	118.6	0.3	1.3	127.3	114.3	110.1	102.3	128.0	115.2	114.9	130.7
	Jun	118.2	-0.3	1.5	127.5	114.1	110.8	98.9	126.7	115.7	114.6	130.9
	Jul	117.9	-0.3	1.1	128.3	114.1	110.9	96.9	124.6	115.0	115.5	130.0
	Aug	118.1	0.2	1.0	128.1	114.0	110.7	99.4	124.8	116.1	116.0	130.8
	Sep	118.1	0.0	0.7	127.0	113.9	111.8	102.8	124.8	115.1	115.3	130.4
	Oct	118.0	-0.1	0.5	127.6	114.1	111.2	101.7	125.7	115.2	113.1	130.6
	Nov	117.6	-0.3	0.1	127.9	114.1	111.7	100.9	123.7	115.5	112.0	131.0
	Dec	117.0	-0.5	0.4	128.2	113.7	111.5	97.0	122.6	115.1	111.7	129.8
2013	Jan	117.1	0.1	0.3	128.4	113.6	111.6	97.6	123.7	115.4	110.7	131.0
	Feb	118.3	1.0	0.9	129.6	113.6	113.5	100.0	126.5	115.5	111.4	131.0
	Mar	118.5	0.2	0.5	129.6	113.6	113.7	103.7	126.6	115.1	110.9	131.0
	Apr	117.2	-1.1	-0.8	126.1	113.2	111.1	103.7	125.9	113.3	110.0	130.7
	May	117.9	0.6	-0.6	126.8	113.3	110.8	102.3	128.1	113.1	112.8	131.5
	June	117.6	-0.3	-0.5	126.2	113.2	110.5	98.9	128.5	113.1	113.2	130.7
	July	117.9	0.3	0.0	126.9	113.2	110.9	98.2	128.0	111.7	115.1	131.1
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### Canada

Year	All Items	% Change		Food	Shelter	Household Operation	Clothing & Footwear	Transportation	Health & Personal	Recreation & Education	Alcohol & Tobacco	
		Annual Average										
2009	114.4	0.3		121.4	121.6	107.3	93.4	113.1	112.1	103.1	130.7	
2010	116.5	1.8		123.1	123.3	108.8	91.6	118.0	115.1	104.0	133.1	
2011	119.9	2.9		127.7	125.6	110.9	91.9	125.6	117.1	105.3	135.6	
2012	121.7	1.5		130.8	127.1	113.0	92.0	128.1	118.7	105.9	137.6	
		Month	Year									
2012	Jan	120.7	0.4	2.5	130.2	127.1	112.2	89.3	127.4	118.1	102.6	136.3
	Feb	121.2	0.4	2.6	130.4	126.9	112.8	91.9	127.8	118.4	103.7	136.6
	Mar	121.7	0.4	1.9	130.0	126.6	112.7	94.8	129.5	118.3	104.9	137.5
	Apr	122.2	0.4	2.0	130.1	126.6	112.6	95.3	131.3	118.9	105.4	137.7
	May	122.1	-0.1	1.2	130.9	126.7	112.8	93.4	129.9	118.8	106.7	137.7
	Jun	121.6	-0.4	1.5	130.9	127.0	113.1	90.5	127.6	118.9	106.7	137.5
	Jul	121.5	-0.1	1.3	131.7	127.2	113.0	89.1	126.4	118.5	107.2	137.6
	Aug	121.8	0.2	1.2	131.7	127.4	112.7	89.5	127.5	119.8	107.6	137.8
	Sep	122.0	0.2	1.2	130.3	127.2	113.2	93.3	128.3	118.5	107.7	137.7
	Oct	122.2	0.2	1.2	130.5	127.6	113.5	94.7	128.6	118.5	106.6	137.8
	Nov	121.9	-0.2	0.8	131.4	127.5	113.7	92.5	127.3	118.7	106.1	138.3
	Dec	121.2	-0.6	0.8	131.2	127.5	113.2	89.2	125.8	118.6	105.3	138.3
2013	Jan	121.3	0.1	0.5	131.6	127.8	113.5	87.9	126.7	118.5	103.7	138.9
	Feb	122.7	1.2	1.2	132.9	127.9	114.3	91.4	130.3	118.6	104.7	139.4
	Mar	122.9	0.2	1.0	132.4	128.0	114.7	95.3	129.5	118.3	105.2	139.8
	Apr	122.7	-0.2	0.4	132.1	128.2	114.3	94.7	128.6	118.6	105.2	140.1
	May	123.0	0.2	0.7	132.6	128.3	114.0	93.9	129.2	118.3	106.5	141.1
	June	123.0	0.0	1.2	132.5	128.5	114.2	91.2	130.2	118.4	106.6	140.9
	July	123.1	0.1	1.3	132.7	128.8	114.5	90.4	129.8	118.0	107.7	140.5
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		Consumer Price Index (2002=100)					Selected Items					
July 2013												
BRITISH COLUMBIA	Rented	Owned	Energy for Dwellings			Motor Gasoline	Energy*	All Items Excluding Food	All Items Excluding Alcohol & Tobacco	All Items Excluding Food & Energy		
	Accommodation	Accommodation	Fuel Oil/									
			Piped Gas	Other Fuel	Electricity							
	2009	107.9	113.1	115.4	161.8	110.4	143.9	127.6	111.2	111.9	109.6	
	2010	109.5	112.1	118.0	190.5	122.1	156.9	138.2	112.6	113.4	110.3	
	2011	110.9	112.6	112.0	232.0	129.0	180.3	151.7	114.9	116.0	111.5	
	2012	112.3	111.2	107.0	243.6	138.5	183.2	155.2	115.9	117.3	112.3	
2012	Jan	111.3	112.2	112.5	241.8	132.8	173.6	149.9	114.8	116.3	111.6	
	Feb	111.5	111.9	112.5	238.6	132.8	174.6	150.4	115.3	116.7	112.1	
	Mar	111.6	111.7	112.5	250.7	132.8	189.9	158.2	116.2	117.4	112.4	
	Apr	112.0	111.7	104.5	253.1	140.4	192.2	159.8	116.5	117.8	112.6	
	May	112.1	111.5	104.5	246.2	140.4	193.3	160.2	116.8	118.1	112.9	
	Jun	112.2	111.1	104.5	246.2	140.4	191.3	159.2	116.3	117.7	112.4	
	Jul	112.3	111.0	105.5	248.7	140.4	185.8	156.7	115.8	117.5	112.1	
	Aug	112.4	110.8	105.5	248.7	140.4	186.0	156.8	116.1	117.7	112.4	
	Sep	112.7	110.6	105.5	241.3	140.4	185.2	156.3	116.3	117.7	112.7	
	Oct	112.9	110.9	105.5	238.4	140.4	187.2	157.3	116.1	117.6	112.4	
	Nov	113.0	110.8	105.5	234.1	140.4	171.7	149.6	115.5	117.1	112.4	
	Dec	113.1	110.2	105.5	235.5	140.4	168.0	147.8	114.8	116.5	111.7	
2013	Jan	113.1	109.8	106.7	237.1	140.4	170.1	149.0	114.9	116.7	111.8	
	Feb	113.2	109.7	106.7	249.2	140.4	184.2	155.9	116.1	117.8	112.5	
	Mar	113.3	109.8	106.7	248.3	140.4	188.8	158.1	116.3	118.1	112.7	
	Apr	113.4	109.0	107.1	243.7	141.3	185.9	157.0	115.4	116.7	111.7	
	May	113.5	109.1	107.1	239.0	141.3	196.0	161.8	116.1	117.4	112.2	
	June	113.6	108.9	107.1	239.0	141.3	197.5	162.6	115.9	117.2	111.9	
	July	113.8	108.6	112.2	240.7	141.4	199.3	164.6	116.0	117.4	111.9	
	Aug											
	Sep											
	Oct											
	Nov											
	Dec											
CANADA		Rented	Owned	Energy for Dwellings			Motor Gasoline	Energy*	All Items Excluding Food	All Items Excluding Alcohol & Tobacco	All Items Excluding Food & Energy	
		Accommodation	Accommodation	Fuel Oil/								
				Piped Gas	Other Fuel	Electricity						
	2009	109.5	125.9	117.3	158.0	115.2	135.8	129.2	113.0	113.8	111.5	
	2010	110.8	126.8	115.2	183.4	120.7	148.2	137.8	115.1	115.8	112.9	
	2011	112.0	128.6	111.4	229.6	124.3	177.8	154.7	118.3	119.2	114.7	
	2012	113.6	130.1	99.9	239.9	129.4	182.3	157.3	119.9	121.0	116.2	
2012	Jan	112.7	129.6	108.0	242.2	131.8	174.7	155.5	118.8	120.1	115.2	
	Feb	112.9	129.6	105.1	244.3	130.5	179.2	156.9	119.4	120.6	115.6	
	Mar	113.0	129.6	105.0	248.5	125.6	187.0	159.5	120.0	121.1	116.1	
	Apr	113.2	130.2	96.4	245.8	125.4	192.9	161.0	120.6	121.6	116.6	
	May	113.3	130.3	93.6	240.2	127.8	186.1	157.7	120.4	121.5	116.7	
	Jun	113.5	130.2	97.7	240.2	129.0	180.2	155.7	119.7	120.9	116.2	
	Jul	113.6	130.3	96.8	240.4	130.3	180.1	156.0	119.4	120.8	115.8	
	Aug	113.9	130.1	97.8	240.4	132.6	184.9	159.2	119.9	121.2	116.0	
	Sep	114.0	130.0	96.4	234.4	131.9	188.8	160.6	120.3	121.4	116.4	
	Oct	114.2	130.6	99.1	233.7	130.9	186.6	159.5	120.5	121.6	116.7	
	Nov	114.4	130.5	102.3	233.0	128.3	175.9	153.8	120.0	121.2	116.7	
	Dec	114.5	130.4	100.9	235.8	129.2	171.7	151.9	119.2	120.5	116.0	
2013	Jan	114.6	130.2	104.9	240.3	130.0	171.6	152.8	119.2	120.6	115.9	
	Feb	114.8	130.3	105.7	254.4	129.0	186.1	160.1	120.7	122.0	116.9	
	Mar	114.9	130.4	104.9	250.4	128.8	186.5	159.9	121.0	122.2	117.2	
	Apr	115.1	130.4	106.3	242.3	130.7	181.3	158.0	120.8	122.0	117.2	
	May	115.1	130.4	108.0	229.3	131.7	183.3	159.3	121.1	122.3	117.3	
	June	115.3	130.6	108.7	229.5	131.9	188.5	162.1	121.1	122.3	117.2	
	July	115.4	130.5	108.7	232.3	134.5	191.0	164.2	121.2	122.4	117.1	
	Aug											
	Sep											
	Oct											
	Nov											
	Dec											

\* Energy includes Piped Gas, Fuel Oil/Other Fuel, Electricity, and Motor Gasoline

## July 2013 Consumer Price Index (2002=100)

Vancouver		% Change		Accommodation			Water, Fuel	
		Year	All Items	Annual Average	Shelter	Rented	Owned	Electricity
	2009	112.9	0.1		113.7	108.3	116.3	112.4
	2010	114.9	1.8		115.7	110.1	117.1	120.8
	2011	117.5	2.3		117.1	111.8	118.4	122.5
	2012	119.0	1.3		117.5	113.4	118.0	124.9
			Month	Year				
2012	Jan	117.9	0.2	1.8	117.6	112.4	118.7	124.5
	Feb	118.4	0.4	2.1	117.7	112.6	118.6	125.3
	Mar	119.1	0.6	1.8	117.7	112.9	118.3	125.4
	Apr	119.4	0.3	1.9	117.7	113.1	118.4	124.7
	May	119.8	0.3	1.5	117.5	113.1	118.1	124.7
	Jun	119.5	-0.3	1.7	117.4	113.3	117.9	124.7
	Jul	119.2	-0.3	1.4	117.4	113.4	117.7	125.1
	Aug	119.4	0.2	1.4	117.3	113.5	117.5	125.1
	Sep	119.3	-0.1	0.8	117.3	113.9	117.4	125.0
	Oct	119.3	0.0	0.7	117.8	114.1	118.0	124.9
	Nov	118.9	-0.3	0.2	117.7	114.4	117.9	124.9
	Dec	118.3	-0.5	0.5	117.4	114.4	117.4	125.0
2013	Jan	118.5	0.2	0.5	117.2	114.5	116.9	126.0
	Feb	119.8	1.1	1.2	117.2	114.6	116.8	126.1
	Mar	120.0	0.2	0.8	117.3	114.8	116.9	126.1
	Apr	118.5	-1.2	-0.8	116.8	114.9	115.8	127.1
	May	119.3	0.7	-0.4	116.8	114.9	115.8	127.0
	June	119.0	-0.3	-0.4	116.7	115.0	115.7	127.0
	July	119.3	0.3	0.1	116.8	115.2	115.3	129.9
	Aug							
	Sep							
	Oct							
	Nov							
	Dec							
Victoria		% Change		Accommodation			Water, Fuel	
	Year	All Items	Annual Average	Shelter	Rented	Owned	Electricity	
	2009	111.9	0.1	111.2	108.7	109.4	127.0	
	2010	113.1	1.1	110.9	111.0	106.2	140.5	
	2011	115.5	2.1	111.9	112.3	105.9	150.2	
	2012	116.7	1.0	111.0	113.2	103.5	158.4	
			Month	Year				
2012	Jan	115.7	0.3	1.5	111.7	112.5	105.2	153.6
	Feb	116.1	0.3	1.6	111.3	112.7	104.6	153.4
	Mar	116.9	0.7	1.5	111.3	112.8	104.5	154.4
	Apr	117.3	0.3	1.6	111.7	113.1	104.2	160.4
	May	117.6	0.3	1.2	111.5	113.3	104.0	160.2
	Jun	117.1	-0.4	1.4	111.1	113.3	103.4	160.2
	Jul	116.7	-0.3	1.0	111.1	113.4	103.3	160.6
	Aug	116.9	0.2	0.9	110.9	113.4	103.0	160.6
	Sep	116.8	-0.1	0.5	110.5	113.4	102.6	159.4
	Oct	116.8	0.0	0.3	110.6	113.5	102.7	159.4
	Nov	116.3	-0.4	-0.2	110.6	113.5	102.7	159.4
	Dec	115.6	-0.6	0.2	110.2	113.6	102.1	159.5
2013	Jan	115.8	0.2	0.1	110.1	113.5	101.7	161.9
	Feb	116.9	0.9	0.7	110.1	113.7	101.6	162.6
	Mar	117.1	0.2	0.2	110.2	113.8	101.6	162.8
	Apr	115.8	-1.1	-1.3	110.1	113.9	101.3	164.2
	May	116.5	0.6	-0.9	110.2	114.0	101.4	163.8
	June	116.2	-0.3	-0.8	110.1	114.2	101.3	164.1
	July	116.4	0.2	-0.3	109.8	114.1	100.8	164.0
	Aug							
	Sep							
	Oct							
	Nov							
	Dec							