

Consumer Price Index

A release from the Province of British Columbia's central statistical agency

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CONSUMER PRICE INDEX (2002=100)

HIGHLIGHTS

British Columbia's consumer price index (CPI) climbed 1.9% (*unadjusted*) in December, compared to the same month of the previous year. This marks an up-tick in the year-over-year rate of inflation since November, when it was 1.7%.

According to Statistics Canada, the overall annual inflation rate of 1.9% increases to 2.1% when energy is excluded from the index, and declines to 1.6% when food is excluded from the index.

The overall cost of food rose by 4.5% since December of last year, with the cost of both groceries purchased from stores (+5.7%) and meals purchased from restaurants (+2.3%) increasing. The rise in grocery prices was mainly due to significant increases in the cost of fresh vegetables (+16.9%), fresh fruit (+13.3%), and meat (+5.7%).

The cost of shelter (+0.4%) increased slightly in December, with costs for both renters (+0.7%) and home owners (+0.5%) going up. Within the shelter category, the cost of electricity increased (+5.9%) since December 2014, while the price of both piped gas (-13.3%) and fuel oil and other fuel (-18.2%) fell.

The transportation index (+2.4%) increased since December 2014, with the cost of private and public

transportation moving in opposite directions: the cost of private transportation (+3.0%) went up, while that for public (-1.3%) transportation went down. Within the transportation category, the cost of gasoline increased by 4.4%, the first year-over-year increase in the gasoline index since June 2014.

The overall cost of clothing and footwear increased (+3.5%) in December, with the cost of both clothing (+2.2%) and footwear (+6.0%) going up.

Compared to a year ago, consumers paid more for recreation, education & reading (+3.0%), alcoholic beverages and tobacco products (+1.8%), household operations and furnishings (+1.0%), and health & personal care (+0.7%).

Consumer prices rose in Vancouver (+2.3%), higher than the rate of inflation for British Columbia as a whole, while in Victoria the increase in prices (+1.7%) was lower than that for B.C.

Canada's CPI rose 1.6% (*unadjusted*) in December. Provincial inflation rates ranged from a high of 1.9% in British Columbia to a low of 0.9% in Prince Edward Island.

Note: Statistics Canada will release the January Consumer Price Index on February 19, 2016.

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 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

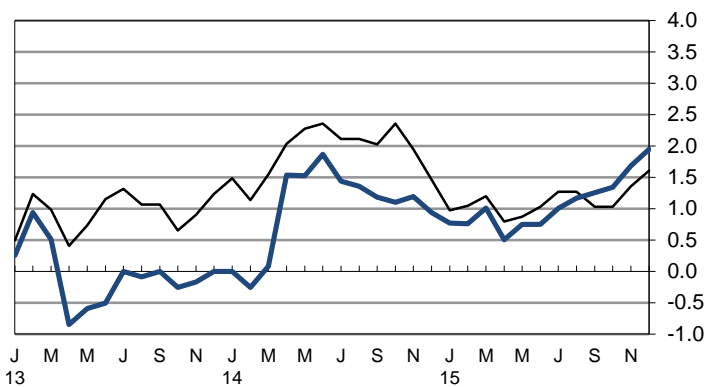
2002=100	All-Items Index	% Change from	
		November 2015	December 2014
	December 2015		
Canada	126.5	-0.5	1.6
BC	120.4	-0.3	1.9
Vancouver	122.4	-0.2	2.3
Victoria	118.7	-0.3	1.7
Core Canada ¹	126.1	-0.4	1.9
BC (excluding energy)	118.2	-0.2	2.1

¹ 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)

— Canada — British Columbia



2002=100	Latest 12-month Average Index (ending in December 2015)	Latest 12-month Average % Change	2015 Annual Average % Change
Canada	126.6	1.1	1.1
BC	120.2	1.1	1.1
Vancouver	121.9	1.2	1.2
Victoria	118.6	1.1	1.1

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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

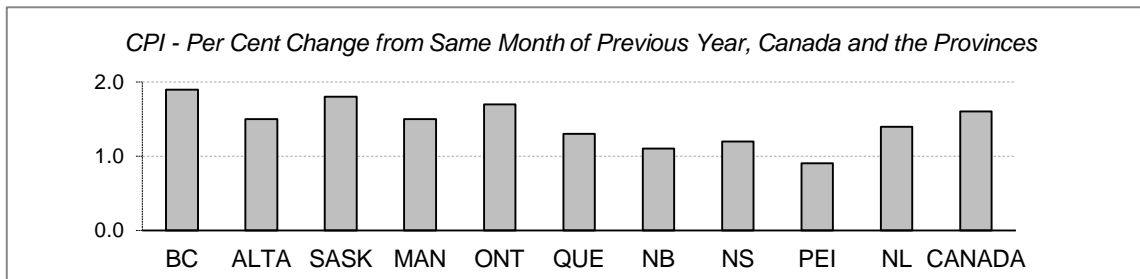
More information about the concepts and use of the CPI is available online in the Statistics Canada publication [Your Guide to the Consumer Price Index](#) (catalogue 62-557-XIB)

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](#)

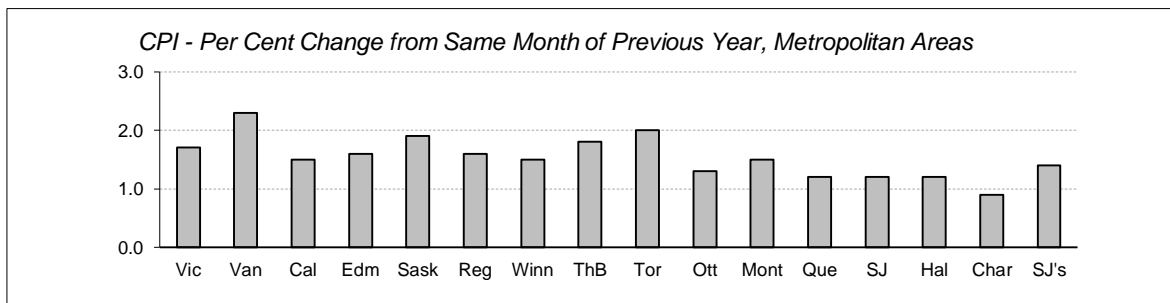
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	British Columbia			Canada		
	Index	% Change From		Index	% Change From	
	December 2015	November 2015	December 2014	December 2015	November 2015	December 2014
All-Items Index (2002=100)	120.4	-0.3	1.9	126.5	-0.5	1.6
Food	137.0	0.6	4.5	142.5	0.6	3.7
Food Purchased From Stores	138.2	0.7	5.7	143.2	0.7	4.1
Meat	147.0	-0.7	5.7	156.4	-1.1	2.4
Fish & Other Seafood	120.1	0.1	3.4	124.1	-1.2	1.8
Dairy Products & Eggs	134.0	-0.4	0.8	136.7	-0.1	0.5
Bakery & Other Cereal Products	144.1	2.2	3.1	156.1	0.8	2.0
Fruit, Fruit Preparations & Nuts	140.1	0.1	10.0	138.3	2.3	10.0
Fresh Fruit	146.0	0.4	13.3	137.6	3.4	13.2
Vegetables & Vegetable Preparations	146.9	3.8	14.5	139.7	5.0	10.5
Fresh Vegetables	149.1	4.3	16.9	139.6	6.2	13.3
Other Food Products	128.0	0.3	3.6	133.8	0.1	3.1
Coffee & Tea	130.8	0.8	3.5	136.9	-0.1	1.6
Non-Alcoholic Beverages	114.2	3.3	1.7	122.0	0.3	2.7
Food Purchased From Restaurants	133.8	0.3	2.3	140.7	0.3	2.8
Shelter	114.6	0.1	0.4	134.5	0.1	1.1
Rented Accommodation	116.3	0.0	0.7	118.9	0.0	0.8
Owned Accommodation	108.6	0.1	0.5	136.7	0.2	1.9
Property taxes	164.8	0.0	2.5	152.7	0.0	3.0
Water, Fuel & Electricity	146.0	-0.3	-0.7	151.8	-0.3	-1.4
Electricity	162.4	0.0	5.9	145.7	0.1	3.8
Piped Gas	98.5	0.0	-13.3	108.4	-0.7	-12.9
Fuel Oil & Other Fuel	190.5	-8.4	-18.2	190.0	-2.8	-16.8
Household Operations & Furnishings	114.1	0.4	1.0	119.6	-0.2	1.5
Household Operations	125.9	0.2	1.4	133.4	0.1	1.1
Household Furnishings	92.6	0.5	-0.3	95.9	-0.9	2.6
Clothing & Footwear	101.8	-4.4	3.5	91.7	-5.2	0.7
Clothing	87.5	-5.1	2.2	80.9	-6.4	0.0
Women's Clothing	85.2	-4.2	1.2	76.9	-6.6	-0.6
Men's Clothing	95.3	-5.5	4.4	89.6	-6.0	0.8
Children's Clothing	77.2	-8.4	2.1	73.7	-6.1	0.7
Footwear	102.9	-5.7	6.0	91.9	-4.8	-0.3
Transportation	126.6	-0.5	2.4	125.6	-0.6	0.6
Private Transportation	126.0	-0.2	3.0	124.7	-0.2	0.7
Operation of Motor Vehicles	149.6	-1.0	3.0	149.1	-1.5	-1.1
Gasoline	162.5	-2.9	4.4	142.7	-4.0	-4.8
Public Transportation	131.7	-2.5	-1.3	134.9	-2.2	-0.1
Local & Commuter	142.6	0.0	0.1	152.8	0.0	2.5
Inter-City	127.8	-3.3	-1.7	125.4	-3.5	-1.6
Health & Personal Care	113.9	-0.7	0.7	121.0	-0.5	1.2
Health Care	117.7	-0.1	0.5	123.5	0.0	1.1
Personal Care	109.6	-1.6	1.1	118.7	-1.0	1.3
Recreation, Education & Reading	115.1	-0.2	3.0	107.9	-0.8	1.7
Recreation	98.0	-0.2	3.3	94.3	-1.3	1.1
Education & Reading	174.3	-0.3	2.0	154.5	0.2	3.3
Education	186.8	0.0	2.1	159.5	0.1	3.0
Reading Material & Other Printed Matter	133.1	-2.8	0.9	138.3	1.8	6.1
Alcoholic Beverages & Tobacco Products	137.8	-0.9	1.8	153.5	-0.2	3.0
Alcoholic Beverages	116.3	-1.4	1.6	123.2	-0.4	1.8
Alcoholic Beverages Purchased from Stores	114.0	-2.0	2.2	117.3	-0.5	1.8
Beer Purchased from Stores	125.5	-1.3	3.9	124.2	-0.6	2.6
Liquor Purchased from Stores	116.5	0.0	2.8	116.0	-0.5	0.9
Tobacco Products & Smokers' Supplies	173.8	-0.1	2.1	190.2	0.1	4.6
Cigarettes	173.7	-0.1	2.1	190.0	0.1	4.6
All-Items Excluding Food	117.3	-0.4	1.6	123.5	-0.6	1.2
All-Items Excluding Alcohol & Tobacco	119.9	-0.2	2.0	125.6	-0.5	1.5
All-Items Excluding Food & Energy	114.2	-0.3	1.5	121.3	-0.5	1.7

Provinces	Monthly Index % Change From			Annual Index % Change		
	December	November	December	2015	2014	2015/14
	2015	2015	2014			
Canada	126.5	-0.5	1.6	126.6	125.2	1.1
Newfoundland & Labrador	128.6	-0.5	1.4	129.0	128.4	0.5
Prince Edward Island	129.2	-0.3	0.9	129.3	130.1	-0.6
Nova Scotia	128.9	-0.2	1.2	129.3	128.8	0.4
New Brunswick	125.5	-0.2	1.1	125.4	124.8	0.5
Quebec	124.4	-0.4	1.3	124.7	123.4	1.1
Ontario	127.5	-0.3	1.7	127.4	125.9	1.2
Manitoba	126.4	-1.0	1.5	126.8	125.3	1.2
Saskatchewan	130.6	-0.8	1.8	130.8	128.7	1.6
Alberta	133.5	-0.9	1.5	133.7	132.2	1.1
British Columbia	120.4	-0.3	1.9	120.2	118.9	1.1
Whitehorse	124.1	0.1	0.8	124.1	124.4	-0.2
Yellowknife	130.6	-0.3	1.5	130.4	128.4	1.6
Iqaluit (Dec. 2002=100)	120.8	-0.2	2.5	120.4	118.1	1.9



Metropolitan Areas	Monthly Index % Change From			Annual Index % Change		
	December	November	December	2015	2014	2015/14
	2015	2015	2014			
St. John's	128.4	-0.4	1.4	128.7	128.2	0.4
Charlottetown	128.7	-0.3	0.9	128.8	129.3	-0.4
Halifax	127.7	-0.3	1.2	128.2	127.5	0.5
Saint John	125.4	-0.2	1.2	125.3	124.7	0.5
Quebec City	124.4	-0.4	1.2	124.7	123.5	1.0
Montreal	124.7	-0.3	1.5	124.9	123.2	1.4
Ottawa	126.3	-0.4	1.3	126.5	125.3	1.0
Toronto	128.7	-0.3	2.0	128.3	126.4	1.5
Thunder Bay	122.5	-0.3	1.8	122.3	121.0	1.1
Winnipeg	126.2	-0.9	1.5	126.6	124.9	1.4
Regina	131.3	-0.8	1.6	131.5	129.7	1.4
Saskatoon	131.0	-0.8	1.9	131.0	128.6	1.9
Edmonton	133.2	-1.0	1.6	133.4	131.8	1.2
Calgary	134.1	-0.9	1.5	134.3	132.7	1.2
Vancouver	122.4	-0.2	2.3	121.9	120.5	1.2
Victoria	118.7	-0.3	1.7	118.6	117.3	1.1



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British Columbia

Year	All Items	% Change		Food	Shelter	Household Operation	Clothing & Footwear	Trans- portation	Health & Personal & Education	Recreation & Education	Alcohol & Tobacco	
		Annual Average	Year									
2012	117.8	1.1		127.3	114.2	110.9	100.5	125.2	115.5	113.1	130.6	
2013	117.7	-0.1		127.4	113.3	111.7	101.0	126.3	113.2	112.6	131.4	
2014	118.9	1.0		129.5	114.2	112.8	101.2	127.6	112.9	113.8	135.1	
2015	120.2	1.1		134.5	114.1	114.6	103.7	126.3	113.8	116.1	137.6	
2014			Month	Year								
	Jan	117.1	0.1	0.0	127.2	113.5	111.6	98.3	125.2	112.4	110.7	133.1
	Feb	118.0	0.8	-0.3	128.8	113.5	112.5	100.0	126.4	113.0	111.8	132.8
	Mar	118.6	0.5	0.1	128.8	113.5	112.8	102.4	128.2	112.8	112.7	134.2
	Apr	119.0	0.3	1.5	128.8	114.8	112.2	102.6	129.0	113.2	112.4	135.1
	May	119.7	0.6	1.5	129.5	114.6	112.5	102.5	130.2	112.8	115.1	135.6
	Jun	119.8	0.1	1.9	129.6	114.5	112.8	101.1	130.6	112.9	115.8	135.5
	Jul	119.6	-0.2	1.4	130.2	114.5	112.5	101.0	129.0	112.4	116.2	135.6
	Aug	119.6	0.0	1.4	129.9	114.4	113.4	99.5	128.5	112.8	117.0	135.6
	Sep	119.5	-0.1	1.2	129.7	114.5	113.6	102.9	127.8	112.8	115.6	136.3
	Oct	119.0	-0.4	1.1	129.8	114.1	113.2	103.9	126.9	112.3	113.7	135.8
	Nov	118.8	-0.2	1.2	130.6	114.2	113.5	102.2	126.0	113.9	112.2	136.3
Dec	118.1	-0.6	0.9	131.1	114.1	113.0	98.4	123.6	113.1	111.8	135.4	
2015	Jan	118.0	-0.1	0.8	132.2	114.0	113.3	99.6	121.8	113.6	111.2	137.0
	Feb	118.9	0.8	0.8	133.1	114.0	113.9	101.6	123.7	113.7	113.1	136.8
	Mar	119.8	0.8	1.0	133.5	114.0	114.5	105.6	126.2	113.0	114.0	136.9
	Apr	119.6	-0.2	0.5	132.7	113.7	114.8	106.5	126.1	113.0	113.3	137.1
	May	120.6	0.8	0.8	134.4	114.0	114.7	104.3	128.1	114.0	116.6	137.2
	Jun	120.7	0.1	0.8	134.7	113.9	114.9	101.0	128.7	113.9	118.4	137.4
	Jul	120.8	0.1	1.0	134.8	113.9	115.3	99.6	128.4	113.7	119.9	137.3
	Aug	121.0	0.2	1.2	134.6	114.1	115.1	102.2	127.8	113.8	120.6	137.9
	Sep	121.0	0.0	1.3	135.6	114.0	115.4	108.0	125.2	114.4	119.6	139.5
	Oct	120.6	-0.3	1.3	135.2	114.4	114.9	108.2	125.6	114.0	116.4	137.6
	Nov	120.8	0.2	1.7	136.2	114.5	113.7	106.5	127.2	114.7	115.3	139.0
	Dec	120.4	-0.3	1.9	137.0	114.6	114.1	101.8	126.6	113.9	115.1	137.8

Canada

Year	All Items	% Change		Food	Shelter	Household Operation	Clothing & Footwear	Trans- portation	Health & Personal & Education	Recreation & Education	Alcohol & Tobacco	
		Annual Average	Year									
2012	121.7	1.5		130.8	127.1	113.0	92.0	128.1	118.7	105.9	137.6	
2013	122.8	0.9		132.4	128.7	114.4	92.1	129.0	118.3	106.2	140.4	
2014	125.2	2.0		135.5	132.2	116.6	93.2	130.4	119.0	107.4	146.6	
2015	126.6	1.1		140.5	133.7	119.7	94.6	126.5	120.5	109.4	152.0	
2014			Month	Year								
	Jan	123.1	0.3	1.5	133.0	130.5	114.7	89.2	129.2	118.3	104.7	140.9
	Feb	124.1	0.8	1.1	134.3	130.7	115.3	91.0	130.8	118.4	106.4	142.9
	Mar	124.8	0.6	1.5	134.4	131.4	115.7	94.0	131.7	118.1	106.5	145.3
	Apr	125.2	0.3	2.0	134.6	132.4	115.5	95.0	132.2	118.9	106.2	145.1
	May	125.8	0.5	2.3	135.7	132.6	115.8	94.5	132.7	119.2	107.8	146.2
	Jun	125.9	0.1	2.4	136.4	132.2	116.4	92.7	133.1	119.0	108.2	146.7
	Jul	125.7	-0.2	2.1	136.5	132.6	116.3	91.8	131.5	118.9	108.9	147.1
	Aug	125.7	0.0	2.1	135.9	132.4	117.5	92.1	130.8	119.2	109.4	148.4
	Sep	125.8	0.1	2.0	135.5	132.5	117.6	95.6	130.0	119.3	109.6	148.5
	Oct	125.9	0.1	2.4	135.4	132.8	118.1	96.9	129.9	118.8	108.7	149.2
	Nov	125.4	-0.4	2.0	136.9	132.8	118.2	94.7	127.7	119.9	106.8	149.4
Dec	124.5	-0.7	1.5	137.4	133.0	117.8	91.1	124.9	119.6	106.1	149.1	
2015	Jan	124.3	-0.2	1.0	139.1	133.1	118.0	91.1	122.4	120.0	105.6	149.9
	Feb	125.4	0.9	1.0	139.5	133.1	118.9	93.3	124.3	120.1	107.9	150.3
	Mar	126.3	0.7	1.2	139.5	133.3	119.4	96.4	126.6	119.5	108.7	150.7
	Apr	126.2	-0.1	0.8	139.4	133.1	119.7	96.2	126.6	120.1	107.7	151.4
	May	126.9	0.6	0.9	140.8	133.2	119.7	95.0	128.0	120.7	109.9	151.9
	Jun	127.2	0.2	1.0	141.0	133.5	120.0	93.0	129.6	120.5	110.6	152.1
	Jul	127.3	0.1	1.3	140.9	133.8	120.1	93.0	129.2	120.6	111.2	152.2
	Aug	127.3	0.0	1.3	140.8	133.9	120.4	94.0	127.8	120.5	111.7	152.6
	Sep	127.1	-0.2	1.0	140.3	133.9	120.5	96.7	125.4	120.7	112.3	152.9
	Oct	127.2	0.1	1.0	140.9	134.3	120.6	97.7	125.8	120.7	110.8	152.9
	Nov	127.1	-0.1	1.4	141.6	134.4	119.8	96.7	126.3	121.6	108.8	153.8
	Dec	126.5	-0.5	1.6	142.5	134.5	119.6	91.7	125.6	121.0	107.9	153.5

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Selected Items

BRITISH COLUMBIA	Rented Accom- modation	Owned Accom- modation	Energy for Dwellings			Motor Gasoline	Energy*	All Items		All Items Excluding Alcohol & Tobacco	All Items Excluding Food & Energy
			Fuel Oil/					Food	Alcohol & Tobacco		
			Gas	Other Fuel	Electricity						
2012	112.3	111.2	107.0	243.6	138.5	183.2	155.2	115.9	117.3	112.3	
2013	113.7	109.0	108.3	245.0	141.1	186.4	157.5	115.8	117.2	112.1	
2014	114.8	108.5	115.9	252.1	150.4	186.3	161.9	116.8	118.4	112.9	
2015	116.0	108.0	101.4	208.7	160.2	166.7	151.6	117.4	119.6	114.2	
2014											
Jan	114.2	108.8	109.7	254.8	141.4	176.0	153.0	115.1	116.6	111.7	
Feb	114.2	108.7	109.7	265.2	141.4	179.0	154.6	115.8	117.5	112.3	
Mar	114.4	108.7	109.7	262.8	141.4	191.3	160.4	116.6	118.1	112.8	
Apr	114.5	108.9	120.2	258.2	153.4	196.9	168.9	117.1	118.5	112.7	
May	114.6	108.6	120.2	256.2	153.4	201.3	171.0	117.7	119.1	113.3	
Jun	114.7	108.5	120.2	254.6	153.4	204.5	172.5	117.8	119.2	113.3	
Jul	114.9	108.4	120.2	248.3	153.4	197.3	168.9	117.5	119.0	113.1	
Aug	115.0	108.2	120.2	249.8	153.4	192.7	166.8	117.5	119.0	113.3	
Sep	115.2	108.2	120.2	253.1	153.4	190.7	165.9	117.5	118.9	113.4	
Oct	115.4	108.1	113.6	245.6	153.4	178.8	158.6	116.9	118.5	113.2	
Nov	115.5	108.2	113.6	243.7	153.4	171.6	155.2	116.5	118.3	113.0	
Dec	115.5	108.1	113.6	233.0	153.4	155.6	147.4	115.5	117.5	112.5	
2015											
Jan	115.5	108.0	110.1	203.4	153.8	140.5	139.2	115.3	117.4	112.7	
Feb	115.6	108.0	110.1	213.3	153.8	154.9	146.1	116.1	118.3	113.2	
Mar	115.6	107.9	110.1	217.5	153.8	168.2	152.5	117.1	119.2	113.9	
Apr	115.8	107.5	98.4	209.9	162.2	165.8	151.1	117.0	119.0	113.9	
May	115.9	107.8	98.4	212.6	162.2	176.6	156.3	117.9	120.0	114.4	
Jun	115.9	107.7	98.4	213.1	162.2	180.8	158.3	118.0	120.2	114.5	
Jul	116.1	107.6	98.4	213.6	162.2	182.1	158.9	118.1	120.2	114.5	
Aug	116.2	107.9	98.5	206.7	162.4	178.9	157.4	118.3	120.4	114.8	
Sep	116.2	107.7	98.5	205.6	162.4	162.1	149.4	118.2	120.4	115.2	
Oct	116.3	108.3	98.5	210.5	162.4	160.0	148.5	117.8	120.1	114.9	
Nov	116.3	108.5	98.5	208.0	162.4	167.4	152.0	117.8	120.2	114.6	
Dec	116.3	108.6	98.5	190.5	162.4	162.5	149.4	117.3	119.9	114.2	
CANADA											
	Rented Accom- modation	Owned Accom- modation	Energy for Dwellings			Motor Gasoline	Energy*	All Items		All Items Excluding Alcohol & Tobacco	All Items Excluding Food & Energy
			Fuel Oil/					Food	Alcohol & Tobacco		
			Gas	Other Fuel	Electricity						
2012	113.6	130.1	99.9	239.9	129.4	182.3	157.3	119.9	121.0	116.2	
2013	115.4	130.8	106.8	240.4	132.3	183.4	159.6	120.9	122.1	117.2	
2014	117.1	133.1	124.7	252.6	138.4	183.8	165.3	123.1	124.4	119.0	
2015	118.5	135.2	116.7	203.9	142.9	153.4	149.5	123.9	125.7	121.2	
2014											
Jan	116.3	132.1	110.2	263.6	136.1	179.5	160.2	121.1	122.4	117.3	
Feb	116.5	132.2	111.5	276.6	135.1	183.7	162.6	122.1	123.4	118.2	
Mar	116.6	132.3	123.7	273.3	135.3	189.2	167.2	122.9	124.0	118.6	
Apr	116.8	132.9	133.9	264.9	136.7	193.2	171.2	123.4	124.5	118.8	
May	116.8	132.9	131.0	258.4	140.9	194.8	172.7	123.8	125.0	119.1	
Jun	117.0	133.0	129.8	252.3	137.4	198.7	173.0	123.8	125.1	119.1	
Jul	117.1	133.2	130.9	249.1	139.1	195.0	171.9	123.6	124.9	118.9	
Aug	117.3	133.2	126.3	246.1	139.8	188.8	168.3	123.7	124.9	119.4	
Sep	117.5	133.2	126.1	243.3	139.9	187.2	167.4	123.9	125.0	119.7	
Oct	117.6	133.7	125.3	238.6	140.2	179.7	163.6	124.1	125.1	120.2	
Nov	117.8	133.9	123.5	237.1	139.7	166.2	156.5	123.1	124.5	119.8	
Dec	117.9	134.1	124.4	228.3	140.3	149.9	148.7	122.0	123.7	119.3	
2015											
Jan	117.9	134.2	125.5	208.1	141.1	131.3	139.5	121.5	123.4	119.5	
Feb	118.0	134.4	123.5	211.8	140.3	143.7	145.1	122.7	124.5	120.3	
Mar	118.2	134.6	124.2	231.7	139.3	152.8	149.8	123.7	125.4	121.0	
Apr	118.3	134.8	114.3	212.0	140.7	152.6	148.1	123.6	125.3	121.0	
May	118.4	134.9	112.1	210.3	142.3	161.0	152.4	124.2	126.0	121.3	
Jun	118.4	135.1	115.7	207.3	141.8	170.6	157.5	124.6	126.4	121.3	
Jul	118.5	135.0	116.9	206.8	145.2	171.3	159.2	124.7	126.5	121.3	
Aug	118.7	135.1	118.9	196.5	145.0	165.1	156.1	124.7	126.4	121.5	
Sep	118.7	135.3	120.5	187.4	143.6	152.1	149.3	124.5	126.2	121.9	
Oct	118.8	136.3	111.6	190.0	144.2	149.0	146.6	124.6	126.3	122.2	
Nov	118.9	136.4	109.2	195.4	145.5	148.6	146.5	124.3	126.2	121.9	
Dec	118.9	136.7	108.4	190.0	145.7	142.7	143.4	123.5	125.6	121.3	

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

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Vancouver

Year	All Items	% Change		Shelter	Accommodation		Water, Fuel	
		Annual Average			Rented	Owned	Electricity	
2012	119.0	1.3		117.5	113.4	118.0	124.9	
2013	119.2	0.2		116.9	115.1	115.9	127.6	
2014	120.5	1.1		117.7	116.3	115.1	137.1	
2015	121.9	1.2		118.0	117.6	115.1	136.4	
		Month	Year					
2014	Jan	118.7	0.2	0.2	117.1	115.7	115.6	129.4
	Feb	119.5	0.7	-0.3	117.0	115.7	115.5	129.4
	Mar	120.3	0.7	0.2	117.1	115.8	115.6	129.4
	Apr	120.7	0.3	1.9	118.5	116.0	115.8	140.8
	May	121.2	0.4	1.6	118.1	116.1	115.2	140.8
	Jun	121.4	0.2	2.0	118.0	116.2	115.0	140.8
	Jul	121.2	-0.2	1.6	118.0	116.4	114.9	140.9
	Aug	121.2	0.0	1.4	117.9	116.6	114.7	140.9
	Sep	121.2	0.0	1.3	118.0	116.6	114.8	141.0
	Oct	120.6	-0.5	1.1	117.5	116.9	114.6	137.2
	Nov	120.5	-0.1	1.3	117.7	116.9	114.8	137.2
	Dec	119.6	-0.7	0.9	117.6	117.0	114.7	137.1
2015	Jan	119.7	0.1	0.8	117.6	116.9	114.6	137.5
	Feb	120.6	0.8	0.9	117.7	117.0	114.7	137.6
	Mar	121.5	0.7	1.0	117.7	117.1	114.7	137.6
	Apr	121.3	-0.2	0.5	117.4	117.4	114.4	136.1
	May	122.4	0.9	1.0	117.8	117.5	115.0	136.1
	Jun	122.4	0.0	0.8	117.8	117.5	114.9	136.1
	Jul	122.5	0.1	1.1	117.8	117.8	114.8	136.1
	Aug	122.7	0.2	1.2	118.1	117.9	115.3	136.0
	Sep	122.7	0.0	1.2	118.0	117.8	115.2	136.1
	Oct	122.4	-0.2	1.5	118.5	117.9	115.8	136.0
	Nov	122.7	0.2	1.8	118.6	118.0	116.0	136.1
	Dec	122.4	-0.2	2.3	118.8	118.0	116.3	135.9

Victoria

Year	All Items	% Change		Shelter	Accommodation		Water, Fuel	
		Annual Average			Rented	Owned	Electricity	
2012	116.7	1.0		111.0	113.2	103.5	158.4	
2013	116.3	-0.3		109.9	114.0	101.1	163.5	
2014	117.3	0.9		110.5	114.7	100.6	173.8	
2015	118.6	1.1		110.1	115.8	99.3	175.9	
		Month	Year					
2014	Jan	115.7	0.1	-0.1	109.9	114.2	100.7	166.3
	Feb	116.5	0.7	-0.3	109.9	114.2	100.6	167.2
	Mar	117.0	0.4	-0.1	109.9	114.3	100.6	167.4
	Apr	117.3	0.3	1.3	110.8	114.4	100.9	176.6
	May	118.0	0.6	1.3	110.8	114.4	100.8	176.7
	Jun	118.1	0.1	1.6	110.8	114.5	100.8	176.3
	Jul	118.0	-0.1	1.4	110.7	114.8	100.7	176.4
	Aug	118.0	0.0	1.3	110.7	114.9	100.5	176.6
	Sep	117.9	-0.1	1.2	110.6	114.9	100.4	176.2
	Oct	117.5	-0.3	1.1	110.6	115.3	100.4	175.7
	Nov	117.4	-0.1	1.2	110.6	115.3	100.4	175.3
	Dec	116.7	-0.6	1.0	110.5	115.3	100.3	175.2
2015	Jan	116.7	0.0	0.9	110.3	115.4	100.2	172.5
	Feb	117.4	0.6	0.8	110.1	115.1	100.0	172.1
	Mar	118.2	0.7	1.0	110.1	115.4	100.0	172.2
	Apr	118.1	-0.1	0.7	110.1	115.6	99.3	177.2
	May	119.0	0.8	0.8	110.1	115.6	99.2	177.3
	Jun	119.2	0.2	0.9	110.0	115.8	99.1	177.3
	Jul	119.3	0.1	1.1	109.9	115.8	98.9	177.3
	Aug	119.4	0.1	1.2	110.0	115.9	99.0	177.4
	Sep	119.5	0.1	1.4	109.7	116.0	98.6	177.0
	Oct	119.0	-0.4	1.3	110.1	116.2	99.0	176.9
	Nov	119.0	0.0	1.4	110.1	116.2	99.1	176.9
	Dec	118.7	-0.3	1.7	110.1	116.4	99.1	176.6