

Consumer Price Index



BCStats

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Consumer Price Index (2002=100)

Highlights

British Columbia's consumer price index (CPI) rose 2.0% (*unadjusted*) in August compared to the same month of the previous year. This marks a small increase in the year-over-year rate of inflation since July, when it was 1.9%.

According to Statistics Canada, the overall annual inflation rate of 2.0% climbs to 2.2% when food is excluded from the index, and declines to 1.7% when energy is excluded.

The overall cost of food climbed 0.9% since August of last year. The cost of groceries purchased from stores went up slightly (+0.3%), with the cost of meals purchased from restaurants also increasing (+2.1%) during the same time period. Within the food category, the highest rise in prices was for fresh fruit (+7.1%), fish and other seafood (+5.3%), and fresh vegetables (+3.1%). Prices fell in August for dairy products and eggs (-1.9%) and bakery and other cereal products (-1.5%).

The cost of shelter went up in August (+2.9%), with prices for both renters (+1.2%) and home owners (+3.3%) rising. Within the shelter category, the cost of piped gas (+9.1%), electricity (+3.4%), and fuel oil and other fuel (+2.8%) all increased since August 2016.

The transportation index rose 3.2% since August 2016, with the price of both private transportation (+2.9%) and public transportation (+4.7%) going up. There was

an increase in the price of gasoline (+10.9%) since August 2016, and travellers paid more for inter-city public transportation (+5.8%) compared to the previous year.

The overall cost of clothing and footwear went down slightly (-0.2%) in August, with a decrease in the price of clothing (-1.2%) offsetting an increase for footwear (+1.0%).

Compared to a year ago, consumers paid more for alcoholic beverages and tobacco products (+2.9%), health and personal care (+2.4%), recreation, education and reading (+2.1%), and household operations and furnishing (+0.3). Within these categories, some items with significant price increases include reading material and other printed matter (+7.1%), cigarettes (+4.5%), health care (+3.3%), and beer purchased from stores (+2.7%).

Consumer prices rose in both Vancouver (+2.4%) and Victoria (+1.8%) in August.

Canada's CPI rose 1.4% (*unadjusted*) in August. The rate of inflation in B.C. (+2.0%) ranks the second highest amongst the provinces. The inflation rates for the other provinces ranged from a high of 2.3% in Prince Edward Island to a low of 0.9% in Manitoba.

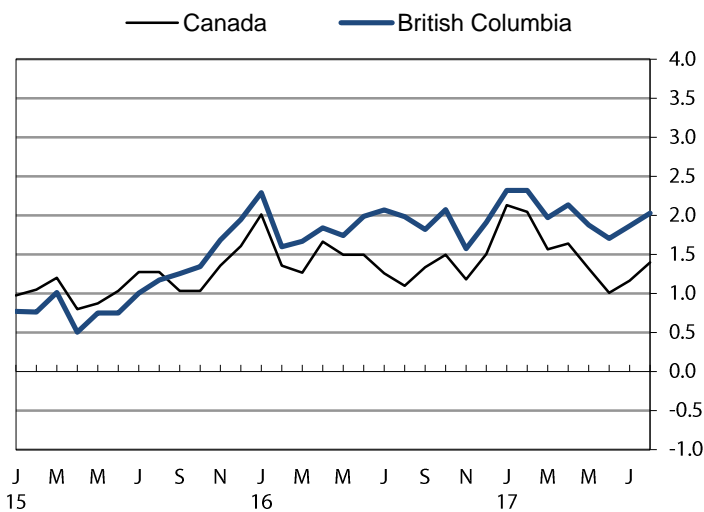
Note: Statistics Canada will release the September Consumer Price Index on October 20, 2017.

2002=100	All-Items Index August 2017	% Change from	
		July 2017	August 2016
Canada	130.5	0.1	1.4
BC	125.9	0.2	2.0
Vancouver	128.6	0.4	2.4
Victoria	124.0	0.1	1.8
Canada-X ¹	129.2	0.3	1.3
BC (excluding energy)	123.4	0.2	1.7

¹ 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 August 2017)	Latest 12-month Average % Change	2016 Annual Average % Change
Canada	129.7	1.5	1.4
BC	124.1	2.0	1.8
Vancouver	126.2	2.0	2.2
Victoria	122.4	2.0	1.8

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

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)

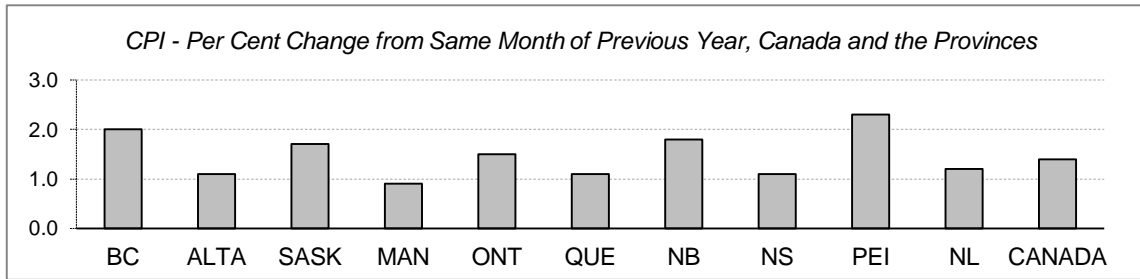
With the release of the May 2011 CPI, Statistics Canada has updated the basket of goods & services used in the calculation of the Index. [Learn more](#)

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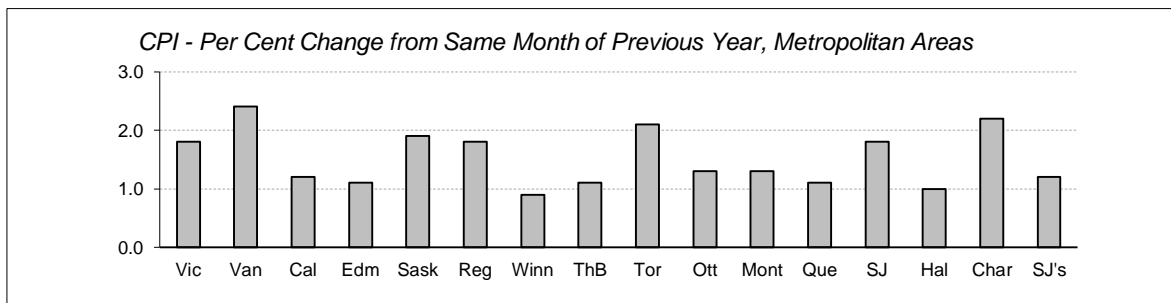
	British Columbia			Canada		
	Index	% Change From		Index	% Change From	
	August 2017	July 2017	August 2016	August 2017	July 2017	August 2016
All-Items Index (2002=100)	125.9	0.2	2.0	130.5	0.1	1.4
Food	138.7	-0.2	0.9	143.6	-0.3	0.9
Food Purchased From Stores	138.0	-0.5	0.3	142.4	-0.6	0.3
Meat	147.7	-0.4	1.4	159.3	0.6	1.1
Fish & Other Seafood	136.3	0.1	5.3	137.3	-0.4	3.4
Dairy Products & Eggs	132.2	0.0	-1.9	134.0	0.4	-2.0
Bakery & Other Cereal Products	144.4	0.7	-1.5	153.0	0.5	-1.5
Fruit, Fruit Preparations & Nuts	140.9	-1.5	3.8	135.6	-2.9	3.6
Fresh Fruit	147.0	-3.2	7.1	132.9	-4.3	5.6
Vegetables & Vegetable Preparations	138.7	-3.2	2.1	132.6	-3.8	2.5
Fresh Vegetables	139.2	-4.7	3.1	130.7	-5.0	3.6
Other Food Products	129.1	0.2	-1.7	134.6	0.2	-1.1
Coffee & Tea	128.5	-1.4	1.8	134.5	-0.8	-1.1
Non-Alcoholic Beverages	121.1	3.2	2.7	125.2	1.4	0.2
Food Purchased From Restaurants	139.3	0.2	2.1	146.6	0.1	2.6
Shelter	119.4	0.6	2.9	138.0	0.2	1.3
Rented Accommodation	118.7	0.1	1.2	120.1	0.1	0.6
Owned Accommodation	114.2	0.9	3.3	141.9	0.3	2.6
Property taxes	169.8	0.0	3.0	156.9	0.0	2.8
Water, Fuel & Electricity	151.4	0.1	4.3	152.5	0.5	-2.4
Electricity	174.6	0.0	3.4	139.4	0.2	-8.9
Piped Gas	93.2	0.0	9.1	116.3	1.0	8.6
Fuel Oil & Other Fuel	205.5	1.1	2.8	192.8	1.5	11.3
Household Operations & Furnishings	118.3	-0.2	0.3	121.9	-0.2	-0.2
Household Operations	129.7	-0.1	0.9	135.6	-0.6	0.2
Household Furnishings	97.9	-0.3	-1.3	98.4	0.5	-1.6
Clothing & Footwear	103.5	0.7	-0.2	93.2	0.8	-0.4
Clothing	89.5	0.6	-1.2	82.0	0.6	-1.3
Women's Clothing	85.5	-0.3	-2.6	77.4	0.4	-1.9
Men's Clothing	97.4	0.5	-0.6	91.6	0.9	-1.4
Children's Clothing	85.6	4.1	3.4	74.9	0.4	1.2
Footwear	104.5	0.4	1.0	93.6	0.4	1.0
Transportation	134.1	0.6	3.2	131.8	0.4	2.8
Private Transportation	132.4	0.8	2.9	129.8	0.4	2.6
Operation of Motor Vehicles	160.1	1.5	4.4	157.8	1.2	4.3
Gasoline	180.1	4.7	10.9	158.7	2.9	8.6
Public Transportation	146.8	-0.5	4.7	149.9	-0.5	4.6
Local & Commuter	145.7	0.0	1.5	156.7	0.0	1.4
Inter-City	146.7	-0.7	5.8	145.1	-0.8	6.1
Health & Personal Care	119.5	0.1	2.4	125.0	0.2	1.9
Health Care	123.7	0.1	3.3	127.6	-0.1	2.2
Personal Care	114.8	0.3	1.2	122.6	0.7	1.6
Recreation, Education & Reading	126.1	0.0	2.1	115.3	-0.4	2.1
Recreation	109.6	0.1	1.3	102.2	-0.5	1.8
Education & Reading	180.2	0.0	2.8	158.8	-0.1	2.6
Education	190.2	-0.1	2.4	163.0	-0.1	2.4
Reading Material & Other Printed Matter	159.0	0.0	7.1	149.0	0.0	4.0
Alcoholic Beverages & Tobacco Products	145.8	0.0	2.9	162.0	0.2	3.0
Alcoholic Beverages	122.8	-0.2	1.9	126.7	0.2	1.4
Alcoholic Beverages Purchased from Stores	122.6	-0.2	2.6	120.7	0.0	1.4
Beer Purchased from Stores	135.6	-1.2	2.7	129.3	0.1	3.3
Liquor Purchased from Stores	123.9	0.3	2.4	120.1	0.3	1.7
Tobacco Products & Smokers' Supplies	184.4	0.2	4.5	208.5	0.2	5.5
Cigarettes	184.3	0.2	4.5	208.3	0.2	5.4
All-Items Excluding Food	123.4	0.3	2.2	128.0	0.2	1.5
All-Items Excluding Alcohol & Tobacco	125.3	0.2	2.0	129.5	0.1	1.4
All-Items Excluding Food & Energy	120.0	0.2	1.8	125.6	0.0	1.5

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Provinces	Monthly Index % Change From			Annual Index % Change		
	August 2017	July 2017	August 2016	2016	2015	2016/15
Canada	130.5	0.1	1.4	128.4	126.6	1.4
Newfoundland & Labrador	135.5	0.0	1.2	132.5	129.0	2.7
Prince Edward Island	133.6	0.1	2.3	130.8	129.3	1.2
Nova Scotia	132.6	0.2	1.1	130.9	129.3	1.2
New Brunswick	131.3	0.1	1.8	128.2	125.4	2.2
Quebec	126.7	0.0	1.1	125.6	124.7	0.7
Ontario	131.8	-0.1	1.5	129.7	127.4	1.8
Manitoba	130.4	0.2	0.9	128.4	126.8	1.3
Saskatchewan	134.7	0.6	1.7	132.2	130.8	1.1
Alberta	137.4	0.3	1.1	135.2	133.7	1.1
British Columbia	125.9	0.2	2.0	122.4	120.2	1.8
Whitehorse	126.6	-0.5	0.2	125.4	124.1	1.0
Yellowknife	132.5	-0.3	0.3	131.9	130.4	1.2
Iqaluit (Dec. 2002=100)	125.7	-0.2	0.6	123.4	120.4	2.5



Metropolitan Areas	Monthly Index % Change From			Annual Index % Change		
	August 2017	July 2017	August 2016	2016	2015	2016/15
St. John's	135.1	-0.1	1.2	132.2	128.7	2.7
Charlottetown	133.0	0.2	2.2	130.3	128.8	1.2
Halifax	131.4	0.1	1.0	129.8	128.2	1.2
Saint John	131.2	0.1	1.8	128.0	125.3	2.2
Quebec City	126.7	-0.1	1.1	125.5	124.7	0.6
Montreal	127.4	0.1	1.3	125.9	124.9	0.8
Ottawa	129.9	-0.1	1.3	128.1	126.5	1.3
Toronto	133.8	-0.1	2.1	131.0	128.3	2.1
Thunder Bay	125.7	-0.2	1.1	124.3	122.3	1.6
Winnipeg	130.1	0.2	0.9	128.1	126.6	1.2
Regina	135.6	0.7	1.8	132.9	131.5	1.1
Saskatoon	135.4	0.7	1.9	132.6	131.0	1.2
Edmonton	137.1	0.2	1.1	134.9	133.4	1.1
Calgary	138.0	0.2	1.2	135.6	134.3	1.0
Vancouver	128.6	0.4	2.4	124.6	121.9	2.2
Victoria	124.0	0.1	1.8	120.7	118.6	1.8



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British Columbia

Year	All Items	% Change		Food	Shelter	Household Operation	Clothing & Footwear	Trans- portation	Health & Personal	Recreation & Education	Alcohol & Tobacco	
		Annual Average										
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	
2016	122.4	1.8		136.9	115.7	116.9	104.7	129.2	115.8	119.4	141.4	
2016		Month	Year									
	Jan	120.7	0.2	2.3	139.5	114.4	114.7	101.4	125.9	114.6	114.6	140.1
	Feb	120.8	0.1	1.6	137.9	114.4	115.8	103.4	125.0	115.1	116.0	140.2
	Mar	121.8	0.8	1.7	138.1	114.7	117.1	106.0	126.9	114.9	117.8	141.1
	Apr	121.8	0.0	1.8	137.3	115.0	117.2	105.3	127.7	115.9	116.7	141.2
	May	122.7	0.7	1.7	137.7	115.3	117.3	105.3	130.3	115.5	119.6	140.9
	Jun	123.1	0.3	2.0	137.0	115.8	117.3	103.6	131.7	116.4	120.9	141.1
	Jul	123.3	0.2	2.1	137.8	115.7	116.9	103.2	131.1	115.9	123.5	141.8
	Aug	123.4	0.1	2.0	137.5	116.0	117.9	103.7	130.0	116.7	123.5	141.7
	Sep	123.2	-0.2	1.8	135.4	115.9	117.0	106.9	130.5	115.9	123.0	141.9
	Oct	123.1	-0.1	2.1	134.1	116.8	117.5	107.3	131.3	116.7	120.0	142.4
	Nov	122.7	-0.3	1.6	135.0	117.1	117.3	106.1	129.3	116.3	118.4	142.7
Dec	122.7	0.0	1.9	135.7	117.1	116.8	104.3	130.2	116.1	118.2	141.7	
2017	Jan	123.5	0.7	2.3	136.1	117.1	117.1	102.2	133.3	117.4	119.3	143.2
	Feb	123.6	0.1	2.3	136.6	117.0	117.1	103.7	132.6	116.2	120.6	143.9
	Mar	124.2	0.5	2.0	136.6	117.2	116.9	106.5	133.4	116.5	123.0	144.3
	Apr	124.4	0.2	2.1	137.1	117.7	117.8	105.1	134.1	117.8	120.7	144.1
	May	125.0	0.5	1.9	138.1	117.8	118.4	105.9	133.6	118.2	123.5	144.5
	Jun	125.2	0.2	1.7	138.5	118.3	118.7	103.9	133.5	118.3	123.9	144.9
	Jul	125.6	0.3	1.9	139.0	118.7	118.5	102.8	133.3	119.4	126.1	145.8
	Aug	125.9	0.2	2.0	138.7	119.4	118.3	103.5	134.1	119.5	126.1	145.8
	Sep											
	Oct											
	Nov											
	Dec											

Canada

Year	All Items	% Change		Food	Shelter	Household Operation	Clothing & Footwear	Trans- portation	Health & Personal	Recreation & Education	Alcohol & Tobacco	
		Annual Average										
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	
2016	128.4	1.4		142.6	135.8	121.7	94.4	127.9	122.2	111.3	156.8	
2016		Month	Year									
	Jan	126.8	0.2	2.0	144.6	134.6	120.0	90.8	125.1	121.5	107.9	154.5
	Feb	127.1	0.2	1.4	145.0	134.7	121.0	92.1	123.7	121.5	109.6	155.2
	Mar	127.9	0.6	1.3	144.5	134.8	121.4	96.0	125.3	121.4	110.9	156.2
	Apr	128.3	0.3	1.7	143.8	134.9	121.6	96.0	127.8	122.2	110.3	156.5
	May	128.8	0.4	1.5	143.3	135.1	122.1	96.0	129.4	122.3	111.7	156.8
	Jun	129.1	0.2	1.5	142.8	135.6	122.4	94.1	131.0	122.2	112.0	156.7
	Jul	128.9	-0.2	1.3	143.2	136.0	122.3	92.6	128.9	122.0	113.3	157.1
	Aug	128.7	-0.2	1.1	142.3	136.2	122.2	93.6	128.2	122.7	112.9	157.3
	Sep	128.8	0.1	1.3	140.4	136.2	121.9	96.8	128.3	122.4	113.8	157.7
	Oct	129.1	0.2	1.5	139.9	136.9	122.1	97.5	129.6	122.8	112.4	158.1
	Nov	128.6	-0.4	1.2	140.6	137.2	121.6	95.5	128.1	122.9	111.1	158.0
Dec	128.4	-0.2	1.5	140.6	137.3	121.3	91.9	129.4	122.6	110.2	157.8	
2017	Jan	129.5	0.9	2.1	141.5	137.8	121.4	91.1	133.0	123.4	111.3	158.7
	Feb	129.7	0.2	2.0	141.7	137.6	121.7	92.9	131.9	123.3	113.2	159.2
	Mar	129.9	0.2	1.6	141.8	137.7	121.4	95.1	131.1	123.5	114.9	159.7
	Apr	130.4	0.4	1.6	142.2	137.9	122.2	94.1	133.2	124.2	113.9	160.1
	May	130.5	0.1	1.3	143.1	137.7	122.4	94.6	132.3	124.1	114.5	160.7
	Jun	130.4	-0.1	1.0	143.6	137.8	122.7	92.5	131.8	124.4	114.9	161.2
	Jul	130.4	0.0	1.2	144.1	137.7	122.2	92.5	131.3	124.7	115.8	161.7
	Aug	130.5	0.1	1.4	143.6	138.0	121.9	93.2	131.8	125.0	115.3	162.0
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Selected Items

BRITISH COLUMBIA	Rented Accom- modation	Owned Accom- modation	Energy for Dwellings			Motor Gasoline	Energy*	All Items	All Items	All Items
			Fuel Oil/					Excluding Food	Excluding Alcohol & Tobacco	Excluding Food & Energy
			Gas	Other Fuel	Electricity					
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
2016	117.1	110.1	88.7	195.3	167.3	159.4	147.3	119.6	121.8	116.9
2016										
Jan	116.4	108.6	90.5	173.8	162.8	148.0	140.6	117.1	120.1	114.6
Feb	116.5	108.7	90.5	172.1	162.8	140.3	137.0	117.6	120.2	115.3
Mar	116.7	109.1	90.5	180.3	162.8	150.8	142.1	118.7	121.2	116.2
Apr	116.8	109.3	85.4	179.7	168.8	153.8	144.1	118.9	121.2	116.2
May	116.9	109.6	85.4	192.0	168.8	161.4	147.9	119.8	122.1	117.0
Jun	117.0	110.3	85.4	202.8	168.8	166.9	150.6	120.4	122.5	117.5
Jul	117.1	110.2	85.4	206.0	168.8	166.4	150.4	120.5	122.7	117.6
Aug	117.3	110.5	85.4	199.9	168.8	162.4	148.5	120.7	122.8	117.9
Sep	117.4	110.3	85.4	200.9	168.8	167.9	151.1	120.7	122.5	117.8
Oct	117.6	111.2	93.6	214.7	168.8	171.5	154.8	120.9	122.5	117.7
Nov	117.7	111.5	93.6	207.8	168.8	160.9	149.7	120.2	122.1	117.3
Dec	117.8	111.4	93.6	214.1	168.8	162.9	150.7	120.1	122.1	117.2
2017										
Jan	117.8	111.4	93.2	217.8	169.2	174.6	156.4	121.0	122.8	117.7
Feb	118.0	111.2	93.2	216.3	169.2	168.0	153.2	121.0	122.9	118.0
Mar	118.1	111.5	93.2	214.3	169.2	176.6	157.3	121.8	123.6	118.5
Apr	118.2	111.7	93.2	216.0	174.6	183.1	162.0	121.9	123.8	118.4
May	118.4	111.9	93.2	207.5	174.6	177.8	159.3	122.4	124.4	119.1
Jun	118.5	112.6	93.2	208.4	174.6	172.7	156.8	122.6	124.5	119.3
Jul	118.6	113.2	93.2	203.3	174.6	172.0	156.4	123.0	125.0	119.8
Aug	118.7	114.2	93.2	205.5	174.6	180.1	160.4	123.4	125.3	120.0
Sep										
Oct										
Nov										
Dec										
CANADA										
CANADA	Rented Accom- modation	Owned Accom- modation	Energy for Dwellings			Motor Gasoline	Energy*	All Items	All Items	All Items
			Fuel Oil/					Excluding Food	Excluding Alcohol & Tobacco	Excluding Food & Energy
			Gas	Other Fuel	Electricity					
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
2016	119.3	138.1	104.4	178.5	151.1	144.2	145.0	125.6	127.4	123.5
2016										
Jan	118.9	136.7	102.1	176.9	149.5	134.1	139.0	123.4	125.8	121.6
Feb	119.0	136.8	104.6	170.9	149.1	124.9	134.6	123.7	126.1	122.3
Mar	119.1	136.9	102.6	172.0	149.8	132.0	138.1	124.8	126.9	123.1
Apr	119.1	137.2	99.7	171.1	149.8	143.7	143.4	125.3	127.3	123.3
May	119.1	137.3	99.6	173.9	151.4	149.6	146.9	126.1	127.9	123.8
Jun	119.2	137.9	101.2	179.9	151.6	156.1	150.6	126.5	128.2	123.9
Jul	119.2	138.0	104.9	179.0	153.1	147.4	147.4	126.1	127.9	123.8
Aug	119.4	138.3	107.1	173.3	153.1	146.1	147.0	126.1	127.7	123.8
Sep	119.4	138.4	107.1	174.7	152.1	147.3	147.3	126.5	127.8	124.3
Oct	119.5	139.4	107.8	183.6	151.8	152.7	150.2	127.0	128.1	124.5
Nov	119.6	139.9	109.0	189.1	150.6	146.1	146.8	126.2	127.6	124.0
Dec	119.6	140.0	107.1	198.0	150.9	150.6	149.1	126.0	127.4	123.5
2017										
Jan	119.6	140.2	118.0	209.2	148.4	161.7	155.8	127.1	128.5	124.3
Feb	119.7	140.1	115.0	206.5	147.9	153.7	151.1	127.3	128.7	124.8
Mar	119.8	140.4	113.4	205.6	147.4	152.0	149.8	127.6	128.9	125.2
Apr	119.8	140.6	114.9	204.9	147.9	166.5	157.2	128.1	129.4	125.2
May	119.9	141.0	113.2	198.8	143.0	159.8	151.8	128.0	129.4	125.5
Jun	119.9	141.3	111.3	193.9	143.5	153.9	148.7	127.9	129.4	125.6
Jul	120.0	141.5	115.1	189.9	139.1	154.2	147.8	127.8	129.4	125.6
Aug	120.1	141.9	116.3	192.8	139.4	158.7	150.4	128.0	129.5	125.6
Sep										
Oct										
Nov										
Dec										

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

August 2017 Consumer Price Index (2002=100)

Vancouver		% Change		Accommodation			Water, Fuel	
		Year	All Items	Annual Average	Shelter	Rented	Owned	Electricity
	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
	2016	124.6		2.2	120.1	119.0	118.0	135.1
			Month	Year				
2016	Jan	122.7	0.2	2.5	118.7	118.2	116.4	133.7
	Feb	122.8	0.1	1.8	118.9	118.3	116.6	133.7
	Mar	124.0	1.0	2.1	119.3	118.5	117.2	133.7
	Apr	124.0	0.0	2.2	119.7	118.7	117.6	134.2
	May	124.9	0.7	2.0	119.7	118.8	117.6	134.3
	Jun	125.3	0.3	2.4	120.2	118.9	118.4	134.4
	Jul	125.7	0.3	2.6	120.1	119.0	118.1	134.5
	Aug	125.6	-0.1	2.4	120.4	119.3	118.4	134.4
	Sep	125.4	-0.2	2.2	120.3	119.4	118.2	134.4
	Oct	125.4	0.0	2.5	121.4	119.6	119.3	138.1
	Nov	124.6	-0.6	1.5	121.5	119.6	119.5	138.1
	Dec	124.7	0.1	1.9	121.4	119.8	119.2	138.1
2017	Jan	125.3	0.5	2.1	121.5	119.8	119.2	139.6
	Feb	125.5	0.2	2.2	121.3	119.8	118.9	139.6
	Mar	126.1	0.5	1.7	121.3	119.9	118.8	139.6
	Apr	126.3	0.2	1.9	121.8	120.1	119.3	142.1
	May	127.1	0.6	1.8	122.1	120.2	119.6	141.9
	Jun	127.5	0.3	1.8	123.0	120.4	120.8	141.9
	Jul	128.1	0.5	1.9	123.8	120.5	122.0	141.9
	Aug	128.6	0.4	2.4	125.0	120.6	123.7	141.9
	Sep							
	Oct							
	Nov							
	Dec							
Victoria		% Change		Accommodation			Water, Fuel	
	Year	All Items	Annual Average	Shelter	Rented	Owned	Electricity	
	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
	2016	120.7		1.8	111.1	117.1	100.2	177.4
			Month	Year				
2016	Jan	118.9	0.2	1.9	109.9	116.4	99.0	173.9
	Feb	119.1	0.2	1.4	109.9	116.6	99.0	173.7
	Mar	120.0	0.8	1.5	110.0	116.7	99.1	173.8
	Apr	120.0	0.0	1.6	110.3	116.8	99.1	177.8
	May	121.0	0.8	1.7	110.9	116.9	99.8	177.8
	Jun	121.3	0.2	1.8	111.3	117.1	100.4	177.9
	Jul	121.7	0.3	2.0	111.3	117.1	100.4	178.1
	Aug	121.8	0.1	2.0	111.5	117.1	100.7	178.1
	Sep	121.5	-0.2	1.7	111.4	117.3	100.5	178.1
	Oct	121.3	-0.2	1.9	112.1	117.6	101.2	179.7
	Nov	120.9	-0.3	1.6	112.4	117.7	101.6	179.9
	Dec	121.0	0.1	1.9	112.6	117.8	101.8	180.1
2017	Jan	121.6	0.5	2.3	112.6	117.8	101.8	179.9
	Feb	121.9	0.2	2.4	112.9	118.5	101.8	179.9
	Mar	122.6	0.6	2.2	113.1	118.6	102.2	179.9
	Apr	122.7	0.1	2.2	113.6	118.8	102.3	183.6
	May	123.4	0.6	2.0	113.7	118.8	102.5	183.6
	Jun	123.5	0.1	1.8	113.8	119.1	102.5	183.6
	Jul	123.9	0.3	1.8	113.7	119.1	102.4	183.4
	Aug	124.0	0.1	1.8	113.8	119.2	102.5	183.3
	Sep							
	Oct							
	Nov							
	Dec							