

Consumer Price Index, February 2022

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Comparing February 2022 to February 2021, the Consumer Price Index (CPI) increased 4.5% in Whitehorse (data are not available for Yukon). Whitehorse's year-over-year CPI change for the month of February 2022 was 1.2 percentage points lower than that for Canada (5.7%).

The year-over-year increase in Whitehorse CPI for the month of February 2021 was mainly attributable to price increases in gasoline, fuel oil and other fuels and rent. Some of these increases were offset by price decreases in mortgage interest cost, telephone services and fresh vegetables.

On a monthly basis, the CPI in Whitehorse increased 1.0% in February 2022 compared to January 2022; nationally, the CPI also increased 1.0%.

Consumer Price Index, All-items

February 2022 (unadjusted), 2002 = 100

	Feb 2021	Jan 2022	Feb 2022	Jan '22 to Feb '22	Feb '21 to Feb '22
	----- % change -----				
Canada	138.9	145.3	146.8	1.0	5.7
Newfoundland and Labrador	142.0	147.8	149.3	1.0	5.1
Prince Edward Island	140.8	149.6	151.2	1.1	7.4
Nova Scotia	140.8	147.2	148.8	1.1	5.7
New Brunswick	138.7	145.5	147.0	1.0	6.0
Quebec	135.3	141.1	142.6	1.1	5.4
Ontario	140.2	147.4	148.8	0.9	6.1
Manitoba	138.9	146.1	147.4	0.9	6.1
Saskatchewan	142.4	147.8	149.1	0.9	4.7
Alberta	146.4	152.8	154.5	1.1	5.5
British Columbia	134.1	139.4	140.4	0.7	4.7
Whitehorse	136.4	141.1	142.5	1.0	4.5
Yellowknife	139.6	145.3	147.2	1.3	5.4
Iqaluit	132.0	134.8	135.8	0.7	2.9

Note: The basket weight of goods and services used in Statistics Canada's calculation of the Consumer Price Index (CPI) is based on the national household final consumption expenditure (HFCE) data, in addition to data from the Survey of Household Spending and provincial HFCE series.