

## Consumer Price Index, April 2021

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Comparing April 2021 to April 2020, the Consumer Price Index (CPI) increased 3.1% in Whitehorse (data are not available for Yukon). Whitehorse's year-over-year CPI change for the month of April 2021 was 0.3 percentage points lower than that for Canada (3.4%).

The year-over-year increase in Whitehorse CPI for the month of April 2021 was mainly attributable to price increases in: gasoline, fuel oil and other fuels, and purchase and leasing of passenger vehicles. Some of these increases were offset by price decreases in: telephone services, mortgage interest cost, and women's clothing.

On a monthly basis, the CPI in Whitehorse increased 0.9% in April 2021 compared to March 2021; nationally, the CPI increased 0.5%.

### Consumer Price Index, All-items

April 2021 (unadjusted), 2002 = 100

	Apr 2020	Mar 2021	Apr 2021	Mar '21 to Apr '21	Apr '20 to Apr '21
	----- % change -----				
<b>Canada</b>	<b>135.7</b>	<b>139.6</b>	<b>140.3</b>	<b>0.5</b>	<b>3.4</b>
Newfoundland and Labrador	137.6	142.9	143.5	0.4	4.3
Prince Edward Island	136.0	142.1	143.2	0.8	5.3
Nova Scotia	136.6	141.8	142.3	0.4	4.2
New Brunswick	134.6	139.2	140.3	0.8	4.2
Quebec	131.7	135.4	136.2	0.6	3.4
Ontario	137.3	141.0	141.8	0.6	3.3
Manitoba	136.3	139.6	140.6	0.7	3.2
Saskatchewan	138.7	143.3	143.9	0.4	3.7
Alberta	143.0	146.9	147.7	0.5	3.3
British Columbia	131.2	134.9	135.2	0.2	3.0
<b>Whitehorse</b>	<b>133.6</b>	<b>136.6</b>	<b>137.8</b>	<b>0.9</b>	<b>3.1</b>
Yellowknife	137.8	139.9	140.5	0.4	2.0
Iqaluit (Dec. 2002=100)	132.4	132.0	133.2	0.9	0.6

Note: Statistics Canada collects information on consumer prices and household spending patterns (Survey of Household Spending) to calculate the Consumer Price Index. The data collection covers urban and rural areas of provinces, and the capital cities of the territories.