

## Consumer Price Index, March 2024

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Comparing March 2024 to March 2023, the Consumer Price Index (CPI) increased 2.4% in Whitehorse (data are not available for Yukon). Whitehorse's year-over-year CPI change for the month of March 2024 (2.4%) was 0.5 percentage points lower than that for Canada (2.9%).

The main contributors to the year-over-year increase in Whitehorse CPI for the month of March 2024 were mortgage interest cost; food purchased from restaurants; and rent. Some of these increases were offset by price decreases in telephone services; fuel oil and other fuels; and video and audio subscription services.

On a monthly basis, the CPI in Whitehorse increased by 0.1% in March 2024 compared to February 2024; while nationally, the CPI increased by 0.6%.

### Consumer Price Index, All-items

March 2024 (unadjusted), 2002 = 100

	Mar '23	Feb '24	Mar '24	Feb '24 to Mar '24	Mar '23 to Mar '24
	----- % change -----				
<b>Canada</b>	<b>155.3</b>	<b>158.8</b>	<b>159.8</b>	<b>0.6</b>	<b>2.9</b>
Newfoundland and Labrador	157.0	160.6	161.9	0.8	3.1
Prince Edward Island	160.7	163.8	164.8	0.6	2.6
Nova Scotia	158.4	162.8	163.7	0.6	3.3
New Brunswick	155.8	158.9	159.8	0.6	2.6
Quebec	151.3	155.5	156.7	0.8	3.6
Ontario	157.3	160.2	161.4	0.7	2.6
Manitoba	157.7	158.3	159.0	0.4	0.8
Saskatchewan	158.8	160.3	161.2	0.6	1.5
Alberta	161.7	166.8	167.3	0.3	3.5
British Columbia	149.7	153.0	153.8	0.5	2.7
<b>Whitehorse</b>	<b>152.9</b>	<b>156.3</b>	<b>156.5</b>	<b>0.1</b>	<b>2.4</b>
Yellowknife	156.5	158.5	159.9	0.9	2.2
Iqaluit	140.8	144.3	143.9	-0.3	2.2

**Note:** The basket weights of goods and services used in the calculation of CPI are derived primarily from the national Household Final Consumption Expenditure (HFCE) data supplemented by the data from the Survey of Household Spending and provincial/territorial HFCE series.