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Consumer Price Index April 2025

Information released today by Statistics Canada indicates the Yellowknife All-Items Consumer Price Index in April rose by 2.7% compared to one year ago. By comparison, annual prices increased by 1.7% for Canada, 1.5% for Edmonton, 3.6% for Whitehorse, and 1.0% for Iqaluit.

Table 1: All-Items Consumer Price Index (2002 = 100)

	25-Apr	25-Mar	24-Apr	% Change from		12-Month Average		
				25-Mar	24-Apr	24-May 25-Apr	23-May 24-Apr	% Change
Yellowknife	163.5	163.5	159.2	-	2.7	161.2	157.9	2.1
Canada	163.4	163.5	160.6	-0.1	1.7	162.0	158.6	2.1
Edmonton	169.5	170.4	167.0	-0.5	1.5	168.7	164.7	2.4
Whitehorse	162.6	162.0	156.9	0.4	3.6	160.3	156.7	2.3
Iqaluit	145.1	145.1	143.6	-	1.0	144.3	142.9	1.0

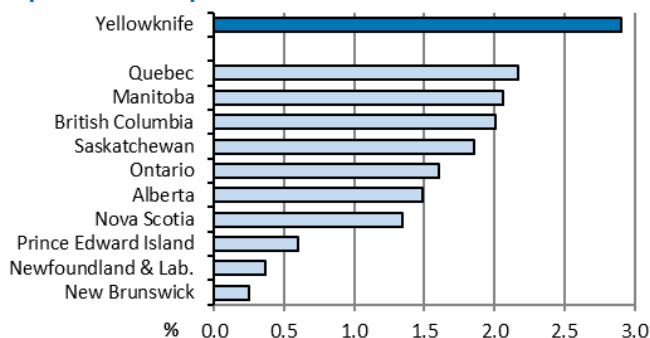
Consumer prices increased for all provinces in April 2025 compared to a year ago. New Brunswick had the lowest increase (0.2%) while Quebec had the highest (2.2%).

In Yellowknife, year-over-year consumer prices rose in five of the eight major components including food (5.7%), and shelter (5.4%).

Prices for numerous grocery store items increased year-over-year, including meat and fruit & nuts. Food from restaurants increased by 8.2% between April 2024 and April 2025.

Looking at energy and its components, both gasoline and fuel oil & other fuels decreased by 10.3% and 5.4% respectively over the last 12 months. In contrast, electricity increased by 17.8% over the same period.

**Percentage Change in Prices - All Items
April 2024 to April 2025**



**Percentage Change in Food by Subcomponent
Yellowknife, April 2024 to April 2025**

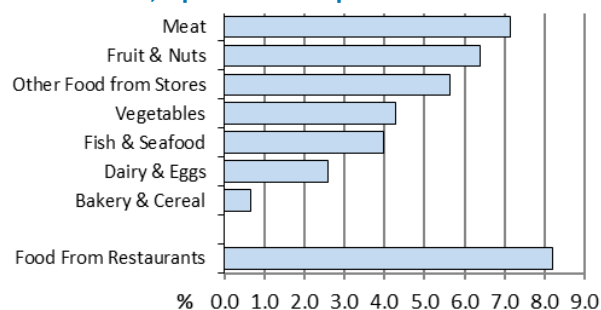


TABLE 2: CONSUMER PRICE INDEX, APRIL 2025
SELECTED INDEXES, YELLOWKNIFE (2002 = 100)

	25-Apr	25-Mar	24-Apr	% Change from	
				25-Mar	24-Apr
All Items	163.5	163.5	159.2	-	2.7
Food	190.1	187.9	179.9	1.2	5.7
Food from Stores	187.7	184.7	179.3	1.6	4.7
Food from Restaurants	195.4	195.4	180.6	-	8.2
Shelter	199.6	200.2	189.4	-0.3	5.4
Water, Fuel & Electricity	265.6	271.0	253.4	-2.0	4.8
Household Operations & Furnishings	108.2	108.3	108.9	-0.1	-0.6
Household Operations	101.6	101.4	104.9	0.2	-3.1
Household Furnishings	118.0	118.7	111.9	-0.6	5.5
Clothing & Footwear	114.7	113.0	113.4	1.5	1.1
Clothing	101.8	100.2	102.6	1.6	-0.8
Footwear	100.1	95.8	94.2	4.5	6.3
Clothing Accessories & Jewellery	191.9	193.8	181.3	-1.0	5.8
Clothing Material, Notions & Services	209.4	209.4	207.7	-	0.8
Transportation	164.4	165.6	166.9	-0.7	-1.5
Private Transportation	164.6	166.7	164.2	-1.3	0.2
Public Transportation	164.5	162.1	177.9	1.5	-7.5
Health & Personal Care	140.7	139.6	144.4	0.8	-2.6
Health Care	140.2	138.9	139.1	0.9	0.8
Personal Care	140.9	139.9	148.8	0.7	-5.3
Recreation, Education & Reading	119.9	122.2	119.3	-1.9	0.5
Recreation	114.9	117.3	114.2	-2.0	0.6
Education & Reading	149.3	149.5	149.3	-0.1	-
Alcoholic Beverages & Tobacco Products	206.0	204.4	198.4	0.8	3.8
Alcoholic Beverages	160.0	158.5	154.4	0.9	3.6
Tobacco Products & Smokers' Supplies	331.7	329.5	315.3	0.7	5.2
ENERGY AND ITS COMPONENTS:					
Energy	236.9	249.8	236.3	-5.2	0.3
Electricity	247.0	247.0	209.6	-	17.8
Fuel Oil And Other Fuels	322.6	336.9	340.9	-4.2	-5.4
Natural Gas	..	..	..	..	..
Gasoline	165.7	186.2	184.7	-11.0	-10.3
Fuel, Parts and Supplies for Rect'l Vehicles	..	..	..	..	..

Notes:

1. Source: Statistics Canada, Table 18-10-0004-01 Consumer Price Index, monthly, not seasonally adjusted.
2. CPI values for Yellowknife and Whitehorse include estimates of price changes for owned accommodation based on the price of rental accommodation. As a result, the all-items indexes published for these centres are not strictly comparable to those for Canada and Edmonton.

Next release of CPI: June 24, 2025.