



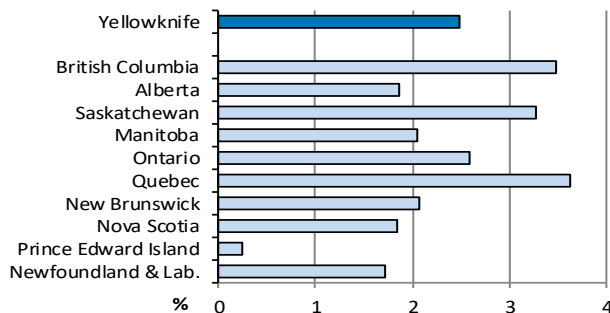
Consumer Price Index June 2023

Information released today by Statistics Canada indicates the Yellowknife All-Items Consumer Price Index in June rose by 2.5% compared to one year ago. By comparison, annual prices increased by 2.8% for Canada, 1.4% for Edmonton, 4.8% for Whitehorse and 2.6% for Iqaluit.

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

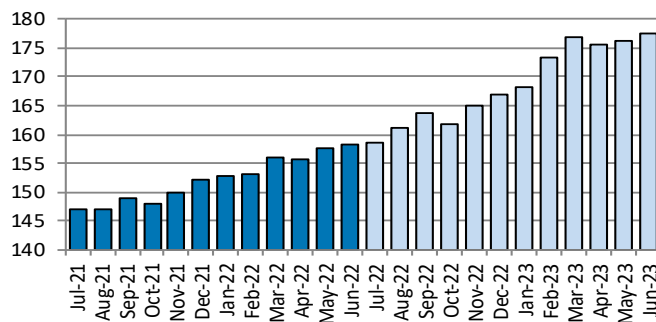
	23-June	23-May	22-June	% Change from		12-Month Average		
				23-May	22-June	22-Jul	21-Jul	%
				23-Jun	22-Jun	23-Jun	22-Jun	Change
Yellowknife	156.6	156.4	152.8	0.1	2.5	155.3	146.6	5.9
Canada	157.2	157.0	152.9	0.1	2.8	154.5	146.3	5.6
Edmonton	163.4	163.1	161.2	0.2	1.4	160.7	153.7	4.6
Whitehorse	156.4	154.9	149.2	1.0	4.8	152.7	142.9	6.9
Iqaluit	142.6	143.0	139.0	-0.3	2.6	140.5	135.4	3.8

Percentage Change in Prices - All Items June 2022 to June 2023



Consumer prices increased in all provinces between June 2022 and June 2023. Prince Edward Island had the lowest increase (0.2%), while Quebec had the highest (3.6%).

Monthly CPI - Food Yellowknife, July 2021 to June 2023



Food prices in Yellowknife have been trending upwards since July of 2021. Between June 2022 and June 2023, food prices increased by 12.3% with major increases in grocery store items such as bakery & cereal (24.2%), fruit & nuts (22.9%), dairy & eggs (16.6%) and vegetables (13.5%). Food from restaurants increased by 8.2% over the same period.

Although gasoline prices have been fairly consistent over the past few months, they remain lower than last year (-19.7%), somewhat offsetting the higher prices for food. Household operations & furnishings also declined by 5.1% between June 2022 and June 2023.

TABLE 2: CONSUMER PRICE INDEX, JUNE 2023
SELECTED INDEXES, YELLOWKNIFE (2002 = 100)

	23-Jun	23-May	22-Jun	% Change from	
				23-May	22-Jun
All Items	156.6	156.4	152.8	0.1	2.5
Food	177.7	176.2	158.2	0.9	12.3
Food from Stores	178.1	175.9	156.6	1.3	13.7
Food from Restaurants	175.9	176.3	162.5	-0.2	8.2
Shelter	180.6	181.2	178.2	-0.3	1.3
Water, Fuel & Electricity	248.2	251.2	262.8	-1.2	-5.6
Household Operations & Furnishings	112.5	112.5	118.5	-	-5.1
Household Operations	110.6	112.4	121.5	-1.6	-9.0
Household Furnishings	111.0	107.0	107.7	3.7	3.1
Clothing & Footwear	114.7	115.8	111.1	-0.9	3.2
Clothing	103.7	105.8	100.1	-2.0	3.6
Footwear	99.1	99.3	97.4	-0.2	1.7
Clothing Accessories & Jewellery	179.2	176.5	176.8	1.5	1.4
Clothing Material, Notions & Services	202.7	202.7	187.5	-	8.1
Transportation	169.3	165.5	169.3	2.3	-
Private Transportation	165.2	163.1	166.5	1.3	-0.8
Public Transportation	189.6	174.8	180.5	8.5	5.0
Health & Personal Care	140.2	137.9	131.8	1.7	6.4
Health Care	133.5	132.1	128.7	1.1	3.7
Personal Care	145.4	142.5	134.7	2.0	7.9
Recreation, Education & Reading	116.4	118.0	118.9	-1.4	-2.1
Recreation	111.5	113.2	114.5	-1.5	-2.6
Education & Reading	144.8	145.4	141.3	-0.4	2.5
Alcoholic Beverages & Tobacco Products	193.9	193.8	184.8	0.1	4.9
Alcoholic Beverages	152.7	152.7	147.8	-	3.3
Tobacco Products & Smokers' Supplies	301.2	300.6	264.2	0.2	14.0
ENERGY AND ITS COMPONENTS:					
Energy	234.7	237.0	260.9	-1.0	-10.0
Electricity	205.4	205.4	202.4	-	1.5
Fuel Oil and Other Fuels	334.6	346.4	396.5	-3.4	-15.6
Natural Gas	..	..	..	..	..
Gasoline	190.7	189.7	237.6	0.5	-19.7
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: August 15, 2023.