

## Consumer Price Index November 2017

Information released today by Statistics Canada indicates that the Yellowknife All-Items Consumer Price Index in November rose by 1.4% compared to one year ago. By comparison, the annual price increase was 2.1% for Canada, 2.7% for Edmonton, 2.3% for Whitehorse and 1.6% for Iqaluit.

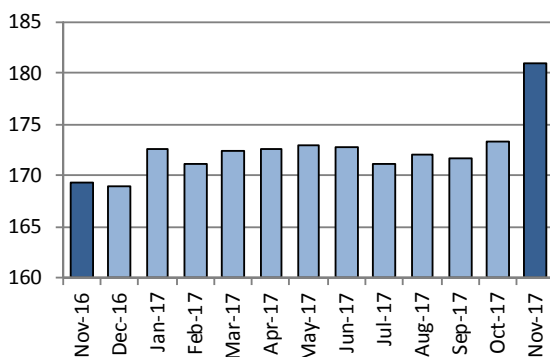
### ALL-ITEMS CONSUMER PRICE INDEX (2002=100)

	17-Nov	17-Oct	16-Nov	% Change from		12-Month Average		
				17-Oct	16-Nov	16-Dec 17-Nov	15-Dec 16-Nov	% Change
Yellowknife	134.4	133.4	132.5	0.7	1.4	133.3	131.8	1.1
Canada	131.3	130.9	128.6	0.3	2.1	130.2	128.2	1.6
Edmonton	138.5	137.5	134.8	0.7	2.7	136.9	134.8	1.6
Whitehorse	129.0	127.3	126.1	1.3	2.3	127.3	125.3	1.6
Iqaluit	126.0	126.5	124.0	-0.4	1.6	125.3	123.1	1.8

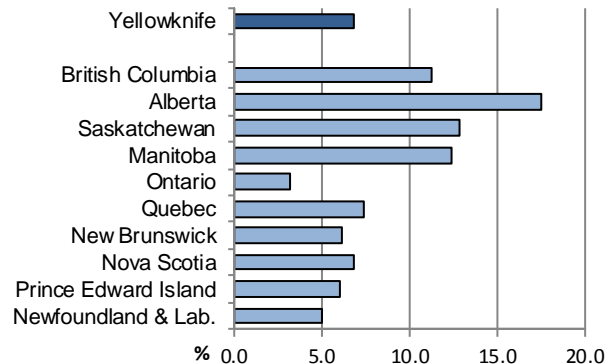
Between November 2016 and November 2017, Yellowknife consumer prices increased for most major components with the exception of household operations & furnishings. Transportation contributed to the increase, rising by 4.2% while energy products rose by 6.9%.

The annual rise in energy prices was a result of an increase in electricity (2.7%), fuel oil and other fuels (12.1%) and gasoline (7.4%), with much of the overall increase occurring the last month. While every jurisdiction in Canada has experienced an increase in energy prices over last twelve months, the rise has been more pronounced in the Western provinces.

Yellowknife CPI - Energy  
November 2016 to November 2017



Percentage Change in Prices - Energy  
November 2016 to November 2017



**CONSUMER PRICE INDEX, NOVEMBER 2017**  
**SELECTED INDEXES, YELLOWKNIFE (2002 = 100)**

	17-Nov	17-Oct	16-Nov	% Change from	
				17-Oct	16-Nov
All Items	134.4	133.4	132.5	0.7	1.4
Food	143.7	143.9	141.8	-0.1	1.3
Food from Stores	142.6	142.8	141.0	-0.1	1.1
Food from Restaurants	146.3	146.3	142.8	-	2.5
Shelter	152.0	150.9	151.2	0.7	0.5
Water, Fuel & Electricity	199.4	194.1	187.8	2.7	6.2
Household Operations & Furnishings	113.6	114.8	116.2	-1.0	-2.2
Household Operations	122.7	122.1	122.3	0.5	0.3
Household Furnishings	93.5	98.8	102.7	-5.4	-9.0
Clothing & Footwear	108.1	107.6	106.7	0.5	1.3
Clothing	101.9	101.5	100.0	0.4	1.9
Footwear	96.9	95.9	96.6	1.0	0.3
Clothing Accessories & Jewellery	152.1	152.1	150.7	-	0.9
Clothing Material, Notions & Services	120.5	120.5	123.0	-	-2.0
Transportation	131.9	128.6	126.6	2.6	4.2
Private Transportation	130.6	126.1	126.7	3.6	3.1
Public Transportation	140.6	142.9	129.7	-1.6	8.4
Health & Personal Care	125.3	123.0	118.9	1.9	5.4
Health Care	123.8	122.4	117.8	1.1	5.1
Personal Care	126.4	123.0	120.9	2.8	4.5
Recreation, Education & Reading	105.9	105.0	103.9	0.9	1.9
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Education & Reading	134.6	134.6	131.8	-	2.1
Alcoholic Beverages & Tobacco Products	175.7	175.8	169.2	-0.1	3.8
Alcoholic Beverages	146.4	146.0	144.8	0.3	1.1
Tobacco Products & Smokers' Supplies	217.8	218.8	202.3	-0.5	7.7
<b>SPECIAL AGGREGATES:</b>					
<b>ALL-ITEMS EXCLUDING:</b>					
Food	132.7	131.6	130.8	0.8	1.5
Energy	130.1	129.5	128.7	0.5	1.1
Shelter	126.8	125.8	124.5	0.8	1.8
Alcoholic Beverages	134.1	133.1	132.1	0.8	1.5
Tobacco Products	133.1	132.0	131.2	0.8	1.4
<b>ENERGY AND ITS COMPONENTS</b>					
Energy	180.9	173.3	169.3	4.4	6.9
Electricity	196.0	196.0	190.9	-	2.7
Fuel Oil And Other Fuels	232.6	217.5	207.5	6.9	12.1
Natural Gas	..	..	..	..	..
Gasoline	141.0	130.8	131.3	7.8	7.4
Fuel, Parts and Supplies for Rect'l Vehicles	..	..	..	..	..

Notes:

1. Source: Statistics Canada, CANSIM Table 326-0020
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: January 26, 2018.