

	Monthly				Quarterly			Year to Date*	Annual	
	2021			2022	2021				2020	2021
	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Q2	Q3	Q4			
Economy										
Real Gross Domestic Product (\$2012 millions)	-	-	-	-	784,951	796,234	NA	791,971	762,164	NA
Per cent change					-1.2	1.4	NA	5.0	-5.1	NA
Current Dollar Gross Domestic Product (\$ millions)	-	-	-	-	953,441	975,862	NA	959,638	866,940	NA
Per cent change					0.4	2.4	NA	12.9	-2.8	NA
Employment										
Employment (000's)	7,529	7,587	7,639	7,494	7,244	7,428	7,585	7,387	7,022	7,366
Net New Jobs (000's)	29.6	57.4	52.5	-145.7	27.0	183.9	157.2	405.2	-355.3	344.8
Per cent change	0.4	0.8	0.7	-1.9	0.4	2.5	2.1	5.8	-4.8	4.9
Unemployment Rate (per cent)	7.2	6.5	6.1	7.3	8.7	7.8	6.6	7.4	9.6	8.0
Average Weekly Wage Rate (\$), nsa	1,128	1,140	1,145	1,184	1,134	1,129	1,138	1,184	1,114	1,134
Per cent change	1.1	3.5	3.1	3.1	-2.0	0.6	2.6	3.1	7.8	1.8
Employment Insurance Beneficiaries (regular)	218,150	206,380	NA	NA	618,080	493,897	NA	497,161	200,038	NA
Per cent change	-47.8	-5.4	NA	NA	9.1	-20.1	NA	184.0	67.2	NA
Consumers										
Retail Sales (\$ millions)	21,088	21,198	NA	NA	57,296	62,051	NA	220,008	222,261	NA
Per cent change	2.4	0.5	NA	NA	-4.5	8.3	NA	9.1	-3.9	NA
New Motor Vehicle Sales (units), nsa	52,715	47,500	NA	NA	189,000	182,312	NA	620,217	651,648	NA
per cent change	-19.1	-16.7	NA	NA	52.2	-13.3	NA	2.8	-23.2	NA
Consumer Price Index (CPI), nsa	145.7	146.0	146.0	NA	142.5	144.1	145.9	143.2	138.4	143.2
Per cent change	4.9	5.0	5.2	NA	3.4	4.0	5.0	3.5	0.7	3.5
Housing										
Housing Starts (000's)	80.8	129.4	70.0	NA	98.5	102.9	96.0	92.3	81.3	99.6
Per cent change	-19.8	60.3	-46.0	NA	-2.9	4.5	-6.8	16.9	17.9	22.5
MLS Home Resales (units)	21,758	21,397	21,629	NA	67,040	58,704	64,784	270,834	228,342	270,834
Per cent change	10.3	-1.7	1.1	NA	-16.5	-12.4	10.4	18.6	8.8	18.6
Business										
Manufacturing Sales (\$ millions)	27,251	27,499	NA	NA	74,026	76,838	NA	282,870	278,452	NA
Per cent change	8.9	0.9	NA	NA	-2.6	3.8	NA	11.1	-12.6	NA
International Merchandise Exports (\$ millions), nsa	16,836	17,914	NA	NA	46,714	47,634	NA	179,088	187,102	NA
Per cent change	-6.0	-0.1	NA	NA	29.5	-4.2	NA	4.8	-10.6	NA
International Merchandise Imports (\$ millions), nsa	32,546	33,686	NA	NA	91,292	91,134	NA	337,310	338,238	NA
Per cent change	-0.3	9.3	NA	NA	32.4	0.8	NA	9.5	-7.5	NA
Wholesale Trade (\$ millions)	37,412	38,229	NA	NA	106,034	108,012	NA	397,404	389,382	NA
Per cent change	2.4	2.2	NA	NA	-0.8	1.9	NA	11.9	-1.2	NA
Non-residential Building Permits (\$ millions)	1,469	1,335	1,467	NA	3,695	3,907	4,272	15,897	14,716	15,897
Per cent change	24.5	-9.1	9.9	NA	-3.7	5.7	9.4	8.0	-6.9	8.0
Private and Public Investment (\$ millions)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	76,907	83,886
Per cent change	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-8.2	9.1

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Notes: All data are seasonally adjusted unless otherwise specified with "nsa".

Per cent change for seasonally unadjusted (nsa) data is calculated on a year-to-year basis.

Year-to-date averages are generally calculated using unadjusted monthly data. Year-to-date per cent change is calculated on a year-to-year basis.

International merchandise trade is reported on a customs basis.

GDP levels are expressed at annual rates.

Monthly and quarterly housing starts are expressed at seasonally adjusted annual rates. Year-to-date housing starts are based on actual unadjusted urban-area data.

Sources: Statistics Canada, Ontario Ministry of Finance, Canada Mortgage and Housing Corporation and Canadian Real Estate Association.