

	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	6,995	7,022	7,366
Net New Jobs (000's)	29.6	57.4	52.5	-145.7	27.0	183.9	157.2	12.7	-355.3	344.8
Per cent change	0.4	0.8	0.7	-1.9	0.4	2.5	2.1	0.2	-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)	221,840	206,360	186,230	NA	618,080	493,897	204,810	470,898	200,038	470,898
Per cent change	-47.0	-7.0	-9.8	NA	9.1	-20.1	-58.5	135.4	67.2	135.4
Consumers										
Retail Sales (\$ millions)	21,063	21,201	20,820	NA	57,296	62,031	63,084	242,693	222,261	242,693
Per cent change	2.4	0.7	-1.8	NA	-4.5	8.3	1.7	9.2	-3.9	9.2
New Motor Vehicle Sales (units), nsa	52,715	47,839	42,930	NA	189,000	182,312	143,484	663,486	651,648	663,486
per cent change	-19.1	-16.1	-11.4	NA	52.2	-13.3	-15.9	1.8	-23.2	1.8
Consumer Price Index (CPI), nsa	145.7	146.0	146.0	147.4	142.5	144.1	145.9	147.4	138.4	143.2
Per cent change	4.9	5.0	5.2	5.7	3.4	4.0	5.0	5.7	0.7	3.5
Housing										
Housing Starts (000's)	81.0	130.4	70.8	64.9	98.5	102.9	96.0	3.7	81.3	99.6
Per cent change	-19.5	60.9	-45.7	-8.3	-2.9	4.5	-6.8	-41.8	17.9	22.5
MLS Home Resales (units)	22,096	21,643	21,718	21,818	66,146	59,741	65,457	12,437	228,306	270,736
Per cent change	10.4	-2.1	0.3	0.5	-16.7	-9.7	9.6	-11.3	8.8	18.6
Business										
Manufacturing Sales (\$ millions)	27,369	27,628	27,934	NA	74,026	76,824	82,931	310,086	278,452	310,086
Per cent change	9.4	0.9	1.1	NA	-2.6	3.8	7.9	11.4	-12.6	11.4
International Merchandise Exports (\$ millions), nsa	16,837	17,883	17,612	NA	46,680	47,635	52,333	196,640	187,168	196,640
Per cent change	-5.9	-0.5	8.2	NA	29.4	-4.1	0.4	5.1	-10.8	5.1
International Merchandise Imports (\$ millions), nsa	32,635	33,767	34,283	NA	91,379	91,223	100,684	371,963	338,796	371,963
Per cent change	-0.3	9.3	14.0	NA	32.4	0.7	7.5	9.8	-7.3	9.8
Wholesale Trade (\$ millions)	37,520	38,371	38,872	NA	106,034	108,071	114,763	435,595	389,382	435,595
Per cent change	2.5	2.3	1.3	NA	-0.8	1.9	6.2	11.9	-1.2	11.9
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.