

Weekly Gasoline Report



The Gasoline Report is a roundup of consumer gasoline prices from across Ontario and Canada. The graph shows price trends for three

Ontario cities for the previous 12 month period. The report and graph are updated weekly.

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This week's Gasoline Report is for the week ending October 17, 2005

Lower wholesale prices were largely responsible for causing the Ontario average retail price of regular unleaded gasoline to decline for the second straight week, by 5.0 cents to 95.6 cents a litre, a two-month low.

Prices fell by 9.0 cents in Sudbury, 8.7 cents in North Bay, 6.9 cents in Timmins, 6.5 cents in Sault Ste. Marie, 5.9 cents in Toronto East, 5.2 cents in Windsor and London, 4.8 cents in Toronto West, 4.5 cents in Thunder Bay, and 2.8 cents in Ottawa. Prices in these markets were all at two-month lows with the exception of London's, which were at a three-month low, and Sault Ste. Marie's. London was the lowest-priced market for the third straight week. The average price gap between southern and northern Ontario narrowed by 2.0 cents to 10.1 cents. The Ontario average retail diesel price declined for the second straight week, by 0.2 cents to 102.0 cents.

The Canadian average retail gasoline price declined for the second straight week, by 5.4 cents to 97.6 cents, a two-month low. Prices fell by 11.6 cents in St. John's, 10.7 cents in Charlottetown, 8.9 cents in Quebec City, 8.2 cents in Montreal, 8.1 cents in Calgary, 6.8 cents in Winnipeg, 6.6 cents in Regina, 6.3 cents in Vancouver, 6.1 cents in Halifax, 5.0 cents in Saint John and Edmonton, and 2.1 cents in Toronto. Prices in these markets were all at two-month lows with the exception of Montreal's and Edmonton's, which were at three-month lows. The Canadian average retail diesel price, after increasing three straight weeks, declined by 0.8 cents from a record high to 106.2 cents.

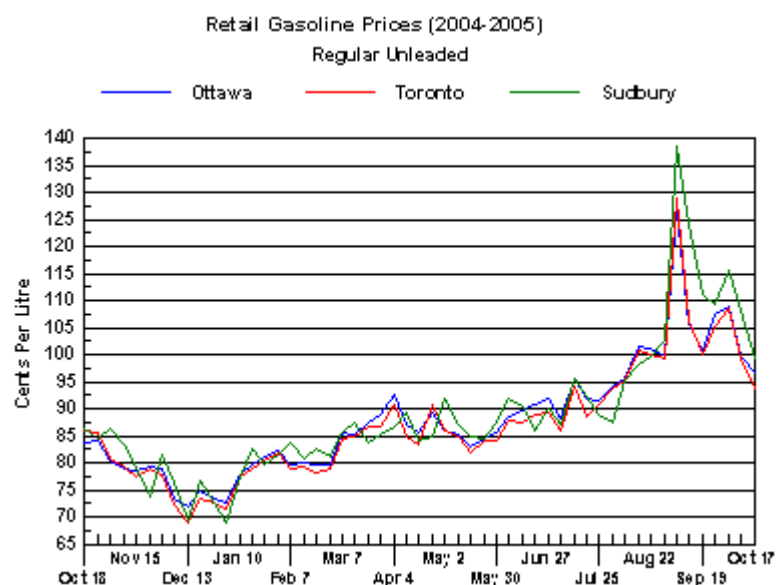
The table and graphic below show this week's gasoline price trends.

Market	October 11	October 17	+ / -
Ottawa	99.5	96.7	-2.8
Toronto West	98.4	93.6	-4.8
Toronto East	100.1	94.2	-5.9
Windsor	103.3	98.1	-5.2
London	97.3	92.1	-5.2
Sudbury	108.3	99.3	-9.0
S. Ste. Marie	109.1	102.6	-6.5
Thunder Bay	112.8	108.3	-4.5
North Bay	113.4	104.7	-8.7
Timmins	116.8	109.9	-6.9
Ontario Average	100.6	95.6	-5.0

Market	October 11	October 18	+ / -
St John's NF	122.9	111.3	-11.6
Charlottetown	120.5	109.8	-10.7
Halifax	111.0	104.9	-6.1
Saint John NB	109.9	104.9	-5.0

Quebec City	112.4	103.5	-8.9
Montreal	107.2	99.0	-8.2
Toronto	98.5	96.4	-2.1
Winnipeg	104.5	97.7	-6.8
Regina	107.5	100.9	-6.6
Edmonton	92.9	87.9	-5.0
Calgary	99.3	91.2	-8.1
Vancouver	106.2	99.9	-6.3
Canada Average	103.0	97.6	-5.4

Source: Ontario Ministry of Energy; [MJ Ervin & Associates](#)



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