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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.

This week's Gasoline Report is for the week ending March 31, 2008

The Ontario average retail price of regular unleaded gasoline, after declining two straight weeks, increased by 1.6 cents to 108.9 cents a litre, a ten-month high, reflecting higher world crude oil and North American wholesale prices.

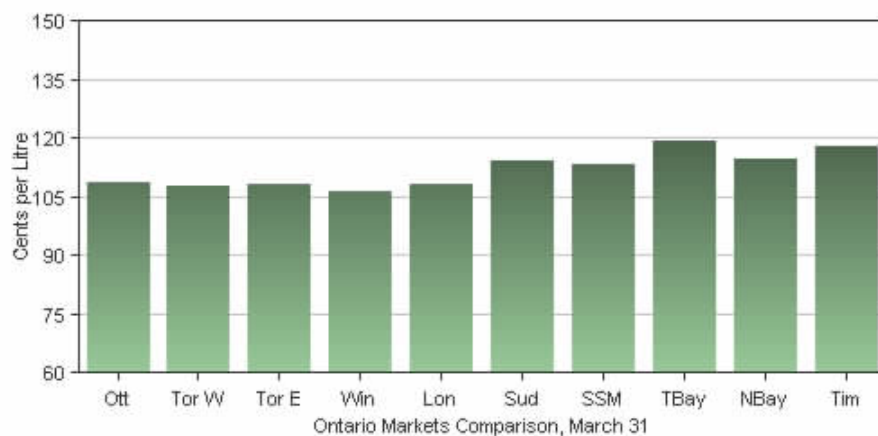
Prices rose by 3.2 cents in Thunder Bay (to an eight-month high), 3.1 cents in North Bay (to a 31-month high), 3.0 cents in Sudbury, 1.9 cents in London (to a ten-month high), 1.7 cents in Toronto (to a ten-month high), 1.5 cents in Ottawa (from a six-week low), and 0.9 cents in Windsor (to a three-month high). Prices fell by 0.9 cents in Sault Ste. Marie. Windsor had the lowest average price for the ninth straight week. The average price gap between northern and southern Ontario widened from 7.6 cents to 7.9 cents, a two-month high. The Ontario average retail diesel price increased by 0.4 cents to 123.0 cents. In the first three months of 2008, the Ontario regular gasoline price averaged 105.1 cents, up 14.2 cents from the same period in 2007, and the Ontario diesel price averaged 113.2 cents, up 21.7 cents.

The Canadian average retail gasoline price increased for the second straight week, by 3.2 cents to 114.1 cents, a ten-month high. Prices rose by 9.7 cents in Montreal (to a 31-month high), 6.0 cents in Edmonton (to a ten-month high), 5.9 cents in Calgary (to an eight-month high), 3.9 cents in Winnipeg (to a ten-month high), 3.5 cents in Halifax (from a five-week low), 3.0 cents in Regina (to an eight-month high), 2.5 cents in Vancouver (to a ten-month high), and 0.8 cents in Saint John. Prices fell by less than a cent in Toronto and St. John's (the latter to a five-week low). The Canadian average retail diesel price, after increasing six straight weeks, declined by 0.1 cents from a record high to 127.1 cents. In the first three months of 2008, the Canadian regular gasoline price averaged 107.6 cents, up 14.4 cents from the same period in 2007, and the Canadian diesel price averaged 115.0 cents, up 19.1 cents.

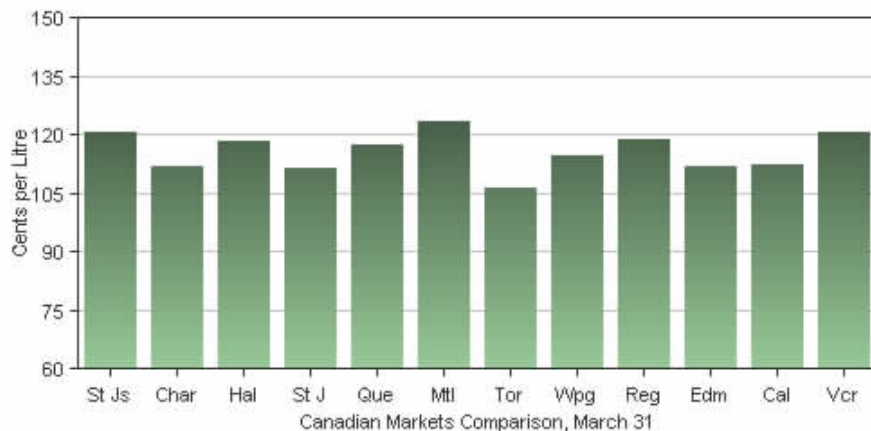
The table and graphic below show this week's gasoline price trends.

Ontario Prices			
Market	March 24	March 31	+/-
Ottawa	107.3	108.8	1.5
Toronto West	106.3	107.9	1.6
Toronto East	106.3	108.0	1.7

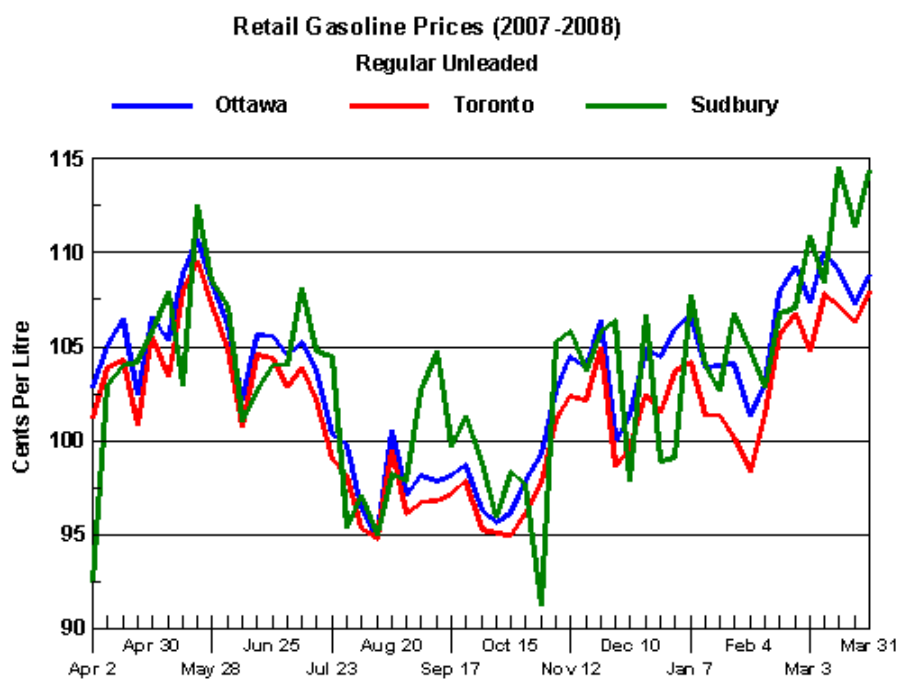
Windsor	105.6	106.5	0.9
London	106.4	108.3	1.9
Sudbury	111.4	114.4	3.0
S. Ste. Marie	114.0	113.1	-0.9
Thunder Bay	116.0	119.2	3.2
North Bay	111.7	114.8	3.1
Timmins	117.9	117.9	0.0
Ontario Average	107.3	108.9	1.6



Canada Prices			
Market	March 25	April 1	+/-
St John's NF	120.8	120.6	-0.2
Charlottetown	111.9	111.9	0.0
Halifax	114.7	118.2	3.5
Saint John NB	110.6	111.4	0.8
Quebec City	117.4	117.4	0.0
Montreal	113.7	123.4	9.7
Toronto	107.3	106.5	-0.8
Winnipeg	110.7	114.6	3.9
Regina	115.9	118.9	3.0
Edmonton	105.9	111.9	6.0
Calgary	106.5	112.4	5.9
Vancouver	118.2	120.7	2.5
Canada Average	110.9	114.1	3.2



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



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