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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 January 31, 2011.

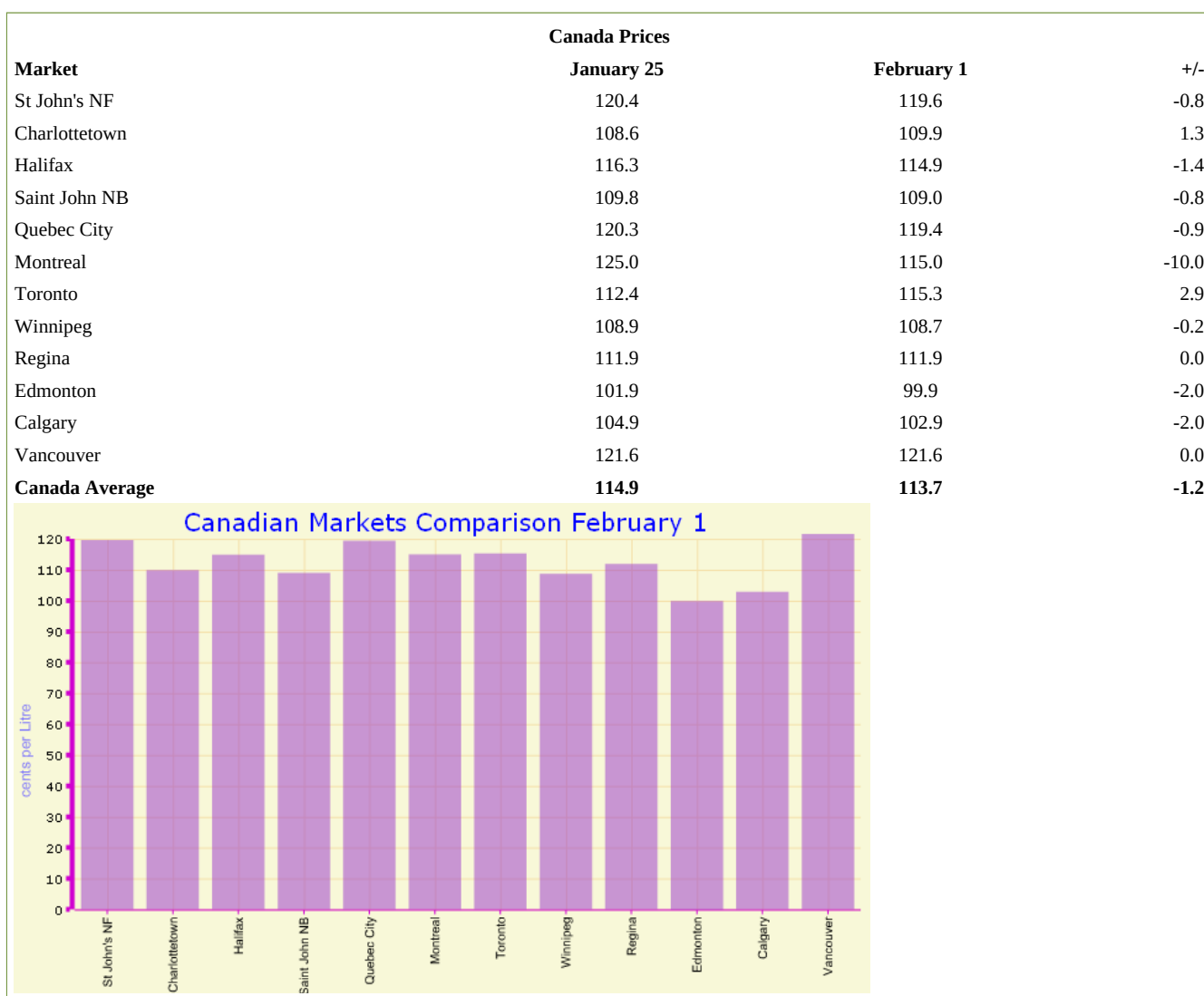
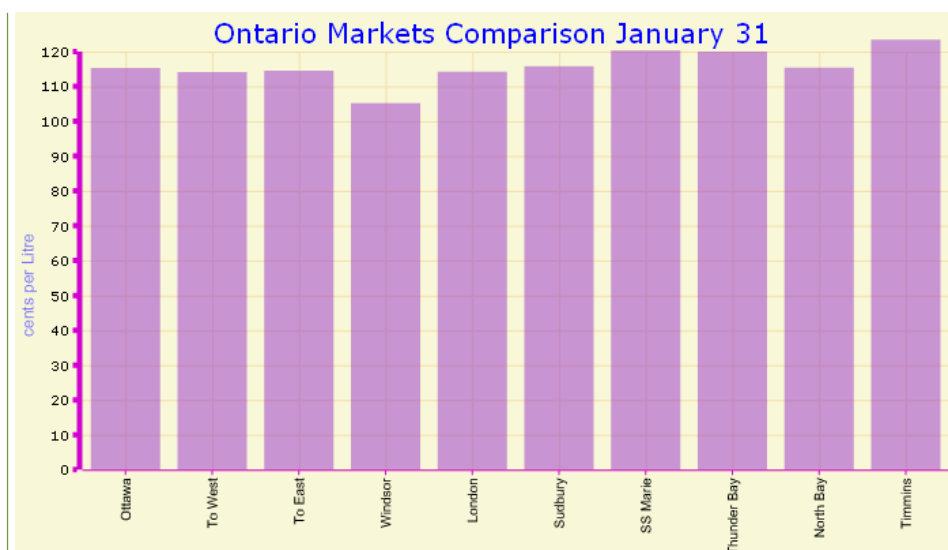
The Ontario average retail price of regular unleaded gasoline increased by 0.6 cents to 114.5 cents a litre as higher prices in the south outweighed lower prices in the north.

Prices rose by 1.0 cents in Toronto and less than a cent in London (to a 28-month high) and Ottawa. Prices fell by 2.7 cents in Windsor, 2.1 cents in Timmins (from a 28-month high), 1.3 cents in North Bay, 1.2 cents in Sault Ste. Marie, and 0.9 cents in Sudbury. Prices in Thunder Bay were unchanged for the fifth straight week, and Windsor had the lowest average price for the 30th straight week. The average price gap between northern and southern Ontario narrowed from 6.0 cents to 4.4 cents, a two-month low. The Ontario average retail diesel price increased for the eighth straight week, by 1.0 cents to 118.2 cents, its highest level since October 2008.

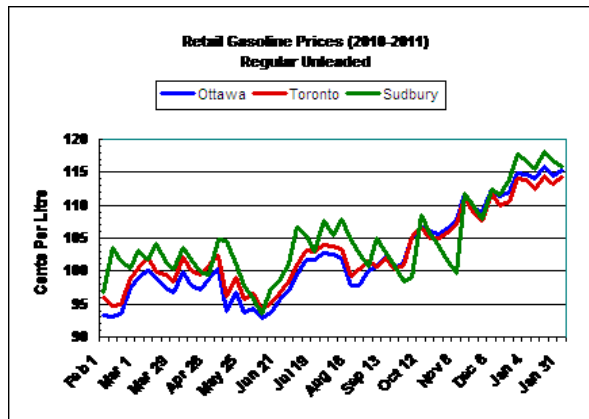
The Canadian average retail gasoline price declined for the second straight week, by 1.2 cents to 113.7 cents. Prices fell by 10.0 cents in Montreal, 2.0 cents in both Edmonton and Calgary, 1.4 cents in Halifax, and less than a cent in Quebec City (from a 28-month high), Saint John, St. John's, and Winnipeg (from a 27-month high). Prices rose by 2.9 cents in Toronto and 1.3 cents in Charlottetown (the latter to a 28-month high). The Canadian average retail diesel price increased for the ninth straight week, by 0.5 cents to 116.6 cents, its highest level since November 2008.

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

Market	Ontario Prices		
	January 24	January 31	+/-
Ottawa	114.5	115.3	0.8
Toronto West	113.0	114.1	1.1
Toronto East	113.6	114.5	0.9
Windsor	107.9	105.2	-2.7
London	113.3	114.2	0.9
Sudbury	116.7	115.8	-0.9
S. Ste. Marie	121.5	120.3	-1.2
Thunder Bay	120.0	120.0	0.0
North Bay	116.7	115.4	-1.3
Timmins	125.5	123.4	-2.1
Ontario Average	113.9	114.5	0.6



Source: Ontario Ministry of Energy; [Kent Marketing Services](#)



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