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Industrial Product Price Index (IPPI)	Goods	Manufacturing establishments by 762 NAPCS groupings, and NAICS	Transaction, unit value	Goods sold at factory gate	NAPCS and NAICS groupings	Canada	All NAPCS (6-digit) NAPCS) available, NAICS available (reaggregation of NAPCS)	1956. Going back to 1867 (with link to the Industrial Selling Price Index and the General Wholesale Index), some requires paper pubs available at libraries	Sep-13	Monthly	Monthly	6 months
Machinery and Equipment Price Index (MEPI)	Goods	Target population: all industries that purchase Machinery and Equipment	Transaction	Producer price at factory gate	Input-Output Final Demand Classification (IOFDC). Indices calculated for 56 commodities and 66 industries and separately for domestic/imported	Canada	None	1997	Jan-10	Quarterly	Quarterly	two quarters
Computer and peripherals (CPPI)	Goods	All vendors/distributors of computers, peripherals, smartphones	Transaction	Purchased data from the private sector (not a producer price concept but a final vendor concept)	7-8 digit NAPCS groupings	Canada	Further NAPCS detail and brand-level sub-indices	2010	May-12	Monthly	Monthly	6 months
Farm Input Price Index (FIPI)	Goods	Census of farms	Transaction	"Average farm concept" (intra-farm sector sales included) (index components taken from IPPI, CPI, LFS, FPPI) (not a producer price concept)	Identified input costs (capital equipment and operational)	Provincial and regional	Some product-related sub-indices	1961	Jan-12	Monthly (some input data)	Quarterly	8 quarters
Raw Material Price Index (RMPI)	Goods	Manufacturing establishments	Transaction	Raw materials purchased by industries and delivered to the establishment gate	NAPCS, 90 raw materials	Canada	None	1981; 1926.	Sep-13	Monthly	Monthly	6 months
Export-Import (EIPI)	Goods		Transaction	Producer Price concept (both export and import)	Harmonised System (HS), 60-80 codes	Canada	HS-based groupings	2010	May-10	Monthly	Unpublished	6 months
Passenger Air Services (PASPI)	Service	NAICS 4811101, 521511	Unit value	"Flight coupons" from the Fare Basis Survey (by city pair and service level)	Domestic/international	Canada	Provincial	2006	Jan-10	Annual	Annual	annual
Commercial Software (CSPI)	Goods	Software purchased by business and government	Transaction	"Street price" (average of reseller cost by product) (not a producer price concept)	Data purchased from private sector, all vendors/distributors of software (web scraping). Other classification: business/government	Canada	8 product groupings	2007	May-12	Monthly	Monthly	6 months
Electric Power Selling Price for non-res customers (EPSPI)	Goods	Target population: all major generating/distributing power utilities.	Model pricing	Kilowatt hours (kwh) (we capture all fees and derive the transaction price)	Under/over 5000 kw	Provincial and regional	None	1981	Jan-14	Monthly	Monthly	12 months
Consulting Services Price Index (CoSPI) (Management&Scientific)	Service	NAICS 541611, 541612, 541619 (management) AND a second component, 541620, 541690 (scientific)	Unit value	Hourly averaged transaction rates by various levels	Management/scientific	Canada	Respondent (firm)-level indices	2014	Oct-15	Quarterly	Quarterly	annual
Commercial Rents Services (CRSPI)	Service	NAICS 531120 (lessors of non-residential buildings)	Unit value	Average rent per square foot	Total for all commercial buildings only	Canada	Retail, industrial, office; each by province	2006 (CANSIM)	Dec-09	Monthly, quarterly	Quarterly	1 quarter, annual
Couriers and Messengers Service (CMSPI)	Service	NAICS 4921, 4922	Transaction/list	Type of parcel, service, geography	Couriers, local messengers	Canada	Canada/international, provincial	2003	Apr-11	Monthly	Monthly	6 months
Commercial and industrial Machinery and Equipment Rental (CIMERLSP)	Service	NAICS 5324 (three 5-digit NAICS groupings)	Transaction	Representative rental/leasing contracts. Contract prices charged (Transaction where possible)	Two industrial groupings: 53241 and other	Canada	None	2006	Mar-10	Monthly, quarterly	Quarterly	1 quarter, annual
Traveller Accommodation Services (TASPI)	Service	NAICS 7211 (72111, 72112, 72119)	Transaction	Specific room by client group	Two client groups: leisure/business	Provincial and regional	None	2000	Jan-13	Monthly	Quarterly	no revision
For Hire Motor Carrier Freight Service (FHMCFSPI)	Service	NAICS 484	Transaction	Typical representative service for the business	3-4-5 digit NAICS groupings	Canada	None	2007	Dec-09	Monthly, quarterly	Quarterly	1 quarter, annual
Accounting Services (ASPI)	Service	NAICS 541212,3,5	Transaction	Representative products for each of the four services	Four accounting products	Canada	None	1999	Jan-11	Annual	Annual	annual
Passenger Rail Services (PRSPI)	Service	NAICS 482114	Transaction	City pairs	3 service classes	None	Canadian city-pairs		May-11	Monthly, quarterly	Quarterly	6 months
Architecture and Engineering (AESPI)	Service	NAICS 541310, 541320, 541330, 541360, 541370	Model pricing	Monthly price quotes for a representative project (which stays fixed)	Four architecture/engineering services	Canada	NAICS 54131, 54132, 54133, 54136, 54137 separately available	2013	Jan-15	Quarterly	Quarterly	1 quarter, annual
Wholesale Services (WSPI)	Service	NAICS 41 (with exclusions)	Margin price	Representative products for a business (price: av. purchase price - av. selling price). (margin price unit value).	3-4-5-digit NAICS groupings	Canada	All 5-digit NAICS groupings available, domestic/import (10 countries), type of end customer	2008	Sep-09	Monthly, quarterly	Quarterly	1 quarter, annual
Retail Services (RSPI)	Service	NAICS 44-45 (excl. 4411, 4412, 454)	Margin price	Typical representative products	3-4-5 digit NAICS groupings	Canada	All 5-digit NAICS groupings available	2008	Mar-10	Monthly, quarterly	Quarterly	1 quarter, annual
New Lending Services (NLSP)	Service	NAICS 52211	Margin price	Bank of Canada data. The measured price is the interest spread with calculated implicit deflator.	Top aggregate only	Canada	6 product types for each of business/individual	2011	Jun-13	Monthly, quarterly	Quarterly, monthly	1 quarter, annual

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Investment Banking Services (IBSPI)	Service	NAICS 52311	Margin price	Average of percentage commissions of new issues of equity and debt	Top aggregate only	Canada	6 product types (corporate debt, equity, income trust, preferred shares, corporate structured fund)	2010	Jan-11	Annual	Annual	annual
New Housing Price Index (NHPI)	Construction	All new single, semi-detached and row houses listed for sale/sold	Transaction, list	Prices for sales of matched house models	New single, semi-detached and row houses	27 census metropolitan areas	None	1981 (CANSIM). Index available since 1969.	Dec-12	Monthly	Monthly	no revision
Construction Union Wage Rate Index (CUWRPI)	Construction	Hourly wage rate of unionised journeymen for all construction unions in industrial/commercial/institutional construction	Transaction	Hourly wage rate of unionised journeyman for construction	16 trades and aggregate(s)	22 census metropolitan areas	None	1971 (CANISM) for some cities/trades.	Apr-11	Monthly	Monthly	30 months
Non-Residential Building Construction (NRBCPI)	Construction	All work-in-place cost components included in selling prices for non-residential Buildings. (Not NAICS-based but most builders will be NAICS 23)	Model pricing	Representative construction projects chosen each decade. Bid pricing in the real market for sampled work-in-place cost components. Five products including office building, shopping centre, school, light factory and warehouse.	Office/warehouse/shopping centre/light factory/school/apartment and 4 trade groupings (structural/architectural/mechanical/electrical)	7 census metropolitan areas available	None	1981	Apr-14	Quarterly	Quarterly	1 quarter
Apartment Building Construction Price Index (ABCPPI)	Construction	All work-in-place cost components included in selling prices for apartment buildings. (Not NAICS-based but most builders will be NAICS 23)	Model pricing	Representative apartment building representing the median in its class with respect to price, size, design and methods.	Apartment building only	7 census metropolitan areas available	None	1988	Apr-14	Quarterly	Quarterly	1 quarter

* The shown classifications reflect what is currently available for each index. Classifications may have been different further into history.