

21.25 Highway construction price indexes, 1956-76 (1971=100) (concluded)

Province and item	Year ¹	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Canada											
Total ²	1950	...	...	...	...	...	...	87.1	80.9	73.0	73.2
	1960	72.1	65.0	67.6	72.2	76.2	83.0	89.4	86.0	84.8	88.7
	1970	92.7	100.0	105.1	118.3	158.7	177.5	185.1	...	...	...
Grading											
	1950	...	...	...	...	...	...	85.5	74.8	69.8	68.7
	1960	68.4	60.4	65.7	72.6	75.7	81.1	88.6	84.8	84.1	87.7
	1970	71.4	100.0	107.3	120.1	162.2	181.7	193.2	...	...	...
Contract work											
Supplies	1970	...	100.0	107.3	120.0	162.3	181.9	193.3	...	...	...
Granular base course	1970	...	100.0	108.0	126.1	152.3	166.2	181.6	...	...	...
Paving											
	1950	...	...	...	...	...	...	92.7	92.7	83.5	82.3
	1960	83.7	72.5	76.0	77.0	79.2	83.7	88.7	88.0	87.1	88.3
	1970	94.7	100.0	104.2	117.0	156.6	174.7	179.4	...	...	...
Contract work											
Supplies	1970	...	100.0	104.3	116.9	145.9	164.8	164.6	...	...	...
	1970	...	100.0	103.8	117.2	190.1	205.6	225.3	...	...	...
Total contract work	1970	...	100.0	105.2	118.3	156.4	175.4	182.1	...	...	...
Total supplies	1970	...	100.0	104.1	117.9	187.2	202.6	222.0	...	...	...

¹Within decade.²The Canada index includes seven provinces from 1956 to 1964, when Quebec was added. Alberta was included from 1971. Prince Edward Island was excluded throughout.

21.26 Price indexes of electrical utility distribution systems, transmission lines, transformer stations, hydroelectric generating stations and steam electric generating stations, 1972-77 (1971=100)

Year	Distribution systems			Transmission lines	Transformer stations			Generating stations	
	Total direct costs	Equipment	Total		Support structures and fixtures	Equipment	Total	Hydro-electric	Steam electric
1972	103.3	99.7	104.2	106.1	108.1	101.2	104.1	106.3	106.1
1973	113.4	100.7	113.8	115.3	120.5	107.3	111.2	116.1	115.9
1974	138.6	125.7	137.5	137.7	148.8	134.9	136.3	137.9	139.6
1975	153.6	136.7	153.2	161.2	165.2	162.5	159.1	157.6	158.4
1976 ^f	162.4	126.5	163.0	173.7	182.1	176.6	171.8	171.6	174.1
1977	172.9	130.1	173.9	188.4	192.5	179.7	176.9	183.4	187.7

21.27 Price indexes of machinery and equipment, 1968-77 (1968=100)

Year	Construction		Forestry (east of the Rockies)	Year	Construction		Forestry (east of the Rockies)
	Construction	Forestry (east of the Rockies)			Construction	Forestry (east of the Rockies)	
1968	100.0	100.0	100.0	1973	114.9	117.0	117.0
1969	104.4	102.9	102.9	1974	130.0	133.4	133.4
1970	106.4	106.4	106.4	1975	161.0	155.8	155.8
1971	108.4	109.3	109.3	1976	168.0	162.8	162.8
1972	110.8	112.3	112.3	1977 ^p	191.3	176.4	176.4

21.28 Farm input price index total, 1968-77 (1961=100)

Year	East			Canada	Year	East			Canada
	East	West	Canada			East	West	Canada	
1968	124.3	125.6	124.9	124.9	1973	170.1	162.9	166.7	166.7
1969	128.1	130.2	129.1	129.1	1974	199.1	190.7	195.2	195.2
1970	131.4	131.0	131.2	131.2	1975 ^f	214.2	224.6	219.0	219.0
1971	135.8	135.9	135.9	135.9	1976	226.4	238.4	231.9	231.9
1972	141.7	145.2	143.3	143.3	1977 ^p	241.3	251.0	245.8	245.8

21.29 Summary of the Canadian balance of international payments between Canada and all non-residents, 1971-77 (million dollars)

Year	Current account balances			Capital account flows			Allocation of SDRs	Net official monetary movements
	Merchandise	Non-merchandise	Balance	Long-term	Short-term	Net		
1971	+2,563	-2,132	+431	+664	-318	+346	+119	+896
1972	+1,857	-2,243	-386	+1,588	-983	+605	+117	+336
1973 ^f	+2,735	-2,627	+108	+385	-960	-575	-	-467
1974 ^f	+1,689	-3,202	-1,513	+871	+666	+1,537	-	+24
1975 ^f	-534	-4,245	-4,779	+3,848	+526	+4,374	-	-405
1976	+1,089	-5,276	-4,187	+7,874	-3,165	+4,709	-	+522
1977	+2,907	-7,145	-4,238	+4,346	-1,529	+2,817	-	-1,421