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## Releases

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### Consulting Engineering Services Price Index, 2012

The Consulting Engineering Services Price Index (CESPI) increased 3.2% in 2012 compared with 2011.

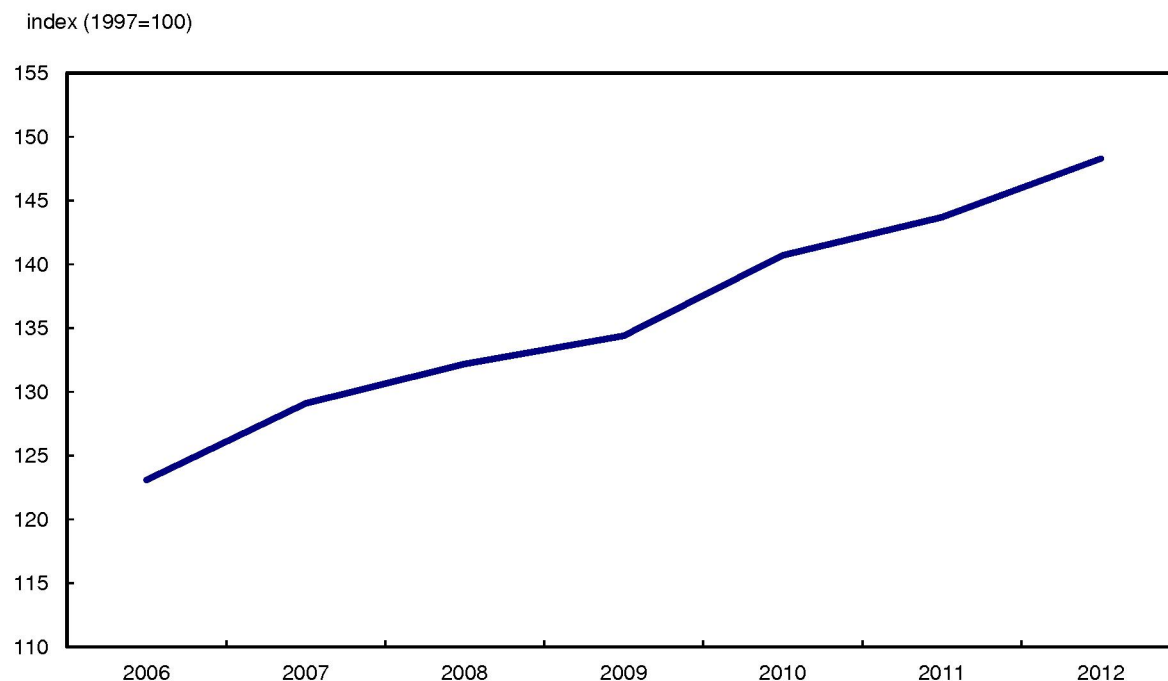
Prices rose for 10 of the 11 engineering specializations covered by CESPI, led by pulp and paper (+9.7%), mining, metallurgy and primary metals (+6.3%) and other engineering services (+6.2%).

Prices of engineering services in foreign specialization (+5.6%) also contributed to the overall CESPI price change.

In the infrastructure and buildings engineering specializations, prices of municipal engineering services rose by 3.9%, while prices of transportation engineering services fell by 0.3%. Buildings engineering services saw prices edge up 0.1%.

**Chart 1**  
**Services Producer Price Index: Consulting engineering services**

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**Note to readers**

*The Consulting Engineering Services Price Index series is an annual survey of consulting engineers in Canada, collecting financial and wage information that is used to produce price indexes measuring changes in prices for consulting engineer services.*

*With each release, data for the previous year may have been revised. The indexes are not seasonally adjusted.*

**Table 1**  
**Service Producer Price Index: Consulting engineering services – Not seasonally adjusted**

	Relative importance <sup>1</sup>	2011 <sup>r</sup>	2012 <sup>p</sup>	2011 to 2012
	%	(1997=100)		% change
<b>Geography and field of specialization<sup>2</sup></b>				
<b>Canada and foreign: Total engineering<sup>3</sup></b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>143.7</b>	<b>148.3</b>	<b>3.2</b>
Canada: Total engineering	84.82	147.3	151.4	2.8
Buildings	14.09	142.3	142.5	0.1
Transportation	6.60	147.3	146.9	-0.3
Municipal services	8.39	144.3	149.9	3.9
Environmental services	2.06	129.3	129.6	0.2
Mining, metallurgy and primary metals	11.90	144.6	153.7	6.3
Pulp and paper	1.39	132.4	145.3	9.7
Oil, petroleum and natural gas	23.64	151.4	154.6	2.1
Power generation and transmission	5.19	131.4	133.1	1.3
Other industrial services	2.60	147.0	149.7	1.8
Other engineering services	8.96	181.4	192.6	6.2
Foreign: Total engineering	15.18	127.1	134.2	5.6

<sup>r</sup> revised

<sup>p</sup> preliminary

1. The relative importance is based on the weight that each specialization contributes to the overall Consulting Engineering Services Price Index.

2. Fields of specialization are the types of project on which engineering firms work.

3. The category "foreign" includes all locations outside of Canada to which the Canadian offices of an engineering firm are providing services.

**Note(s):** Data may not add up to totals as a result of rounding.

**Available in CANSIM: table 327-0007.**

**Definitions, data sources and methods: survey number 2328.**

The second quarter 2013 issue of *Capital Expenditure Price Statistics*, Vol. 29, no. 2 (62-007-X), is available from the *Browse by key resource* module of our website under *Publications*. This is the last edition of the publication. In the future, all the information currently in the publication will be available free of charge on our website.

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## Sawmills, September 2013

Lumber production by sawmills rose 4.0% from August to 4 867.2 thousand cubic metres in September. Compared with September 2012, lumber production increased 4.3%.

Sawmills shipped 4 753.4 thousand cubic metres of lumber in September, up 2.5% from August.

**Available in CANSIM: tables 303-0064 and 303-0065.**

**Definitions, data sources and methods: survey number 2134.**

The September 2013 issue of *Sawmills*, Vol. 67, no. 9 (35-003-X), will soon be available.

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## Aircraft movement statistics: Major airports, September 2013

Aircraft take-offs and landings at the 93 Canadian airports with NAV CANADA air traffic control towers and flight service stations decreased 4.0% in September from September 2012. These airports reported 487,484 movements in September 2013.

### **Note to readers**

*Data for September 2012 have been revised.*

**Available in CANSIM: tables 401-0007 to 401-0020.**

**Definitions, data sources and methods: survey number 2715.**

A [data table](#) with summary information on airports with NAV CANADA air traffic control towers is available from the *Browse by key resource* module of our website under *Summary tables*.

The September 2013 issue of *Aircraft Movement Statistics: NAV CANADA Towers and Flight Service Stations (TP 141) (51-007-X)* is now available from the *Browse by key resource* module of our website under *Publications*. This report is a joint publication of Statistics Canada and Transport Canada.

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## Farm operating revenues and expenses, 2012

Data on farm operating revenues and expenses for 2012 are now available.

### **Note to readers**

*The Agriculture Taxation Data Program uses taxation records to produce data on operating revenues and expenses for the agriculture sector.*

**Available in CANSIM: tables 002-0044 to 002-0063.**

**Definitions, data sources and methods: survey number 3447.**

[Data tables](#) are also available from the *Browse by key resource* module of our website under *Summary tables*.

Final data on farm operating revenues and expenses for 2012 will be released on March 28, 2014.

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## Mineral wool including fibrous glass insulation, October 2013

Data on mineral wool, including fibrous glass insulation, are now available for October.

**Definitions, data sources and methods: survey number 2110.**

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