

# Table 1: Economic Indicators

May 15, 2012

	<u>2007</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2009</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2011</u>	<u>2012 (ytd)</u>	
	(\$ Millions)						
<b>Gross Domestic Product</b>							
Nominal (MBS)	48,902	51,676	51,554	54,275	56,947	59,168	a (annual)
Real (2002=100) (MBS)	41,098	42,728	42,516	43,498	44,469	45,492	a (annual)
<b>Investment</b>							
Total	8,903	10,008	9,694	11,218	11,385	11,920	b (annual)
Private	6,267	7,166	6,657	7,635	7,784	8,430	b (annual)
Public	2,635	2,842	3,037	3,582	3,601	3,490	b (annual)
Non-residential	6,803	7,698	7,448	8,567	8,578	8,969	b (annual)
Housing	2,099	2,310	2,246	2,651	2,807	2,951	b (annual)
<b>Sectors</b>							
Farm Cash Receipts	4,363	4,829	4,848	4,852	4,889		(annual)
Crops	2,198	2,763	2,805	2,743	2,502		(annual)
Livestock	1,752	1,716	1,657	1,760	1,877		(annual)
Direct Payments	413	350	386	349	509		(annual)
Manufacturing	16,179	16,373	14,653	14,422	15,316	2,324	(Feb)
Mineral Production	3,071	2,527	1,966	2,580	3,149		(annual)
Housing Starts All Areas (Units)	5,738	5,537	4,174	5,888	6,083	1,156	(Q1)
Retail Trade	14,016	14,980	14,915	15,766	16,448	2,291	(Feb)
<b>Foreign Merchandise Exports</b>							
Total	12,196	12,972	10,567	10,237	11,826	3,005	(Mar)
USA	8,348	8,905	7,138	6,544	7,245	1,884	(Mar)
<b>Labour Market</b>							
Labour Force (000s)	626.4	635.0	641.8	654.9	660.2	664.2	(Apr)
Employment (000s)	598.6	608.5	608.3	619.8	624.5	628.3	(Apr)
Participation Rate (%)	69.0	69.3	69.1	69.6	69.3	69.2	(Apr)
Unemployment Rate (%)	4.4	4.2	5.2	5.4	5.4	5.4	(Apr)
Youth Unemployment Rate (%)	9.2	9.0	10.3	11.1	11.6	11.5	(Apr)
Average Weekly Earnings (\$)	729.15	749.59	771.29	786.35	808.11	820.75	(Feb)
<b>Consumer Price Index</b>							
(2002=100)	110.9	113.4	114.1	115.0	118.4	119.1	(Mar)
<b>Population</b>							
July 1st estimates (in thousands)	1,193.6	1,205.5	1,219.2	1,234.5	1,250.6		(July)

(ytd) - year to date

(a) - 2007 to 2011 are from (MBS); 2012 are from the Survey of Economic Forecasts.

(b) - Based on Statistics Canada's Survey of Public & Private Investment intentions.

## Table 2: Economic Indicators

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	<u>2007</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2009</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2011</u>	<u>2012 (ytd)</u>	
	(% Change)						
<b>Gross Domestic Product</b>							
Nominal (MBS)	8.3	5.7	(0.2)	5.3	4.9	3.9	a (annual)
Real (2002=100) (MBS)	2.8	4.0	(0.5)	2.3	2.2	2.3	a (annual)
<b>Investment</b>							
Total	13.6	12.4	(3.1)	15.7	1.5	4.7	b (annual)
Private	7.9	14.3	(7.1)	14.7	1.9	8.3	b (annual)
Public	30.0	7.8	6.9	18.0	0.5	(3.1)	b (annual)
Non-residential	12.6	13.2	(3.2)	15.0	0.1	4.6	b (annual)
Housing	16.9	10.0	(2.8)	18.0	5.9	5.1	b (annual)
<b>Sectors</b>							
Farm Cash Receipts	17.8	10.7	0.4	0.1	0.8		(annual)
Crops	72.4	25.7	1.5	(2.2)	(8.8)		(annual)
Livestock	(2.7)	(2.1)	(3.5)	6.2	6.7		(annual)
Direct Payments	(34.1)	(15.1)	10.2	(9.6)	45.8		(annual)
Manufacturing	8.9	1.2	(10.5)	(1.6)	6.2	4.7	(Feb)
Mineral Production	17.6	(17.7)	(22.2)	31.2	22.0		(annual)
Housing Starts All Areas	14.1	(3.5)	(24.6)	41.1	3.3	57.9	(Q1)
Retail Trade	8.9	6.9	(0.4)	5.7	4.3	4.0	(Feb)
<b>Foreign Merchandise Exports</b>							
Total	19.6	6.4	(18.5)	(3.1)	15.5	12.6	(Mar)
USA	8.8	6.7	(19.8)	(8.3)	10.7	11.8	(Mar)
<b>Labour Market</b>							
Labour Force	1.8	1.4	1.1	2.0	0.8	0.7	(Apr)
Employment	1.7	1.7	0.0	1.9	0.8	0.5	(Apr)
Average Weekly Earnings	5.9	2.8	2.9	2.0	2.8	1.8	(Feb)
<b>Consumer Price Index</b>							
(2002=100)	2.0	2.3	0.6	0.8	3.0	1.7	(Mar)
<b>Population</b>							
July 1st estimates (in thousands)	0.8	1.0	1.1	1.3	1.3		(July)

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