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Note: the tables are based on the public accounts of provincial and federal governments. Due to differences in accounting and reporting practices, figures are not strictly comparable between provinces. Moreover, a province's accounting and reporting practices may have changed over time, limiting the extent to which historical comparisons can be made.



Provincial budget balances¹ Million \$

	B.C.	ALTA ²	SASK	MAN ⁴	ONT	QUE	N.B.	N.S.	P.E.I.	N.&L.	Federal
Last updated	26-Nov-18	28-Jun-18	29-Nov-18	12-Mar-18	15-Nov-18	03-Dec-18	21-Aug-18	26-Jul-18	23-Nov-18	11-Oct-18	21-Nov-18
1981-82	-141	2,133	140	-251	-1,780	-2,621	-160	-382	1	-148	-15,674
1982-83	-1,241	-796	-227	-435	-3,189	-2,463	-392	-371	-25	-191	-29,049
1983-84	-963	129	-332	-429	-3,153	-2,163	-276	-316	4	-326	-32,363
1984-85	-822	1,245	-380	-483	-2,559	-3,873	-279	-368	-4	-252	-37,167
1985-86	-857	-761	-579	-528	-2,614	-3,473	-213	-353	-20	-253	-33,389
1986-87	-635	-4,033	-1,232	-559	-2,634	-2,972	-368	-277	-13	-231	-29,842
1987-88	71	-1,365	-542	-300	-2,489	-2,396	-335	-227	-17	-197	-29,017
1988-89	930	-2,007	-324	-141	-1,479	-1,704	-79	-242	-11	-226	-27,947
1989-90	496	-2,116	-378	-142	90	-1,764	-24	-267	-8	-175	-29,143
1990-91	-667	-1,832	-361	-292	-3,029	-2,975	-182	-257	-20	-347	-33,899
1991-92	-2,339	-2,629	-843	-334	-10,930	-4,301	-354	-406	-50	-276	-32,319
1992-93	-1,476	-3,324	-592	-566	-12,428	-5,030	-264	-617	-82	-261	-39,019
1993-94	-899	-1,371	-272	-431	-11,202	-4,923	-266	-546	-71	-205	-38,530
1994-95	-228	938	128	-196	-10,129	-5,821	-79	-233	-1	-374	-36,632
1995-96	-317	1,151	19	157	-8,800	-3,947	41	-201	4	-190	-30,006
1996-97	-753	2,489	407	91	-6,905	-3,212	66	-116	-4	-107	-8,719
1997-98	-167	2,659	35	76	-3,966	-2,157	0	-443	-7	133	2,959
1998-99	-961	1,094	28	31	-2,002	126	-204	-262	6	-187	5,779
1999-00	-13	2,791	83	11	668	7	-30	-797	-5	-269	14,258
2000-01	1,198	6,571	58	40	1,902	427	43	147	-12	-350	19,891
2001-02	-1,035	1,081	-483	63	375	22	79	113	-17	-468	8,048
2002-03	-2,621	2,133	-654	4	117	-728	1	28	-55	-644	6,621
2003-04	-1,342	4,136	-100	-579	-5,483	-358	-197	37	-125	-914	9,145
2004-05	2,689	5,175	844	562	-1,555	-664	221	170	-34	-489	1,463
2005-06	2,963	8,551	679	394	298	37	225	196	1	199	13,218
2006-07	3,973	8,510	574	485	2,269	109	277	183	24	154	13,752
2007-08	2,746	4,581	1,873	558	600	0	241	419	-4	1,421	9,597
2008-09	73	-931	2,968	449	-6,409	110	-152	27	-31	2,350	-9,116
2009-10	-1,812	-476	-409	-185	-19,262	-3,607	-695	-269	-74	-33	-56,368
2010-11	-247	-2,262	-13	-181	-14,011	-3,150	-617	585	-63	598	-34,953
2011-12	-1,850	-114	-105	-1,001	-15,408	-2,628	-244	-259	-84	974	-28,033
2012-13	-1,168	-3,099	37	-560	-10,662	-1,600	-533	-302	-80	-195	-21,293
2013-14	327	-302	589	-522	-11,530	-2,824	-600	-677	-46	-389	-8,050
2014-15	1,692	1,115	62	-430	-10,315	-750	-361	-144	-20	-1,006	-550
2015-16	811	-6,442	-1,519	-839	-5,346	2,191	-261	-13	-13	-2,206	-2,861
2016-17	2,727	-10,784	-1,218	-764	-2,435	2361	-117	151	-1	-1,148	-18,957
2017-18	301	-8,023	-303	-726	-3,672	2622*	67	230	75	-911	-18,961
2018-19	1,350	-8,802	-348	-521	-14,544	1650*	-187	29	4	-683	-18,100
2019-20	810	-7,912	6	-388	-6,600	0*	-124	39	3	-507	-19,600
2020-21	184	-6,970	108	-280	-6,500	150*	-79	61	4	-654	-18,100
2021-22			212	-142	-5,600	400*	69	75		-243	-15,100
2022-23					-4,000	650*				56	-12,600
2023-24					-2,500						-11,400
2024-25					0						
2025-26					2,600						

Actual (no adjustments made with respect to accounting or other changes)

Projected

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Actual (no adjustments made with respect to accounting or other changes)	1981-82	-0.3	3.9	0.9	-1.8	-1.3	-3.2	-2.4	-4.7	0.1	-2.8	-4.3
	1982-83	-2.7	-1.4	-1.5	-3.0	-2.3	-2.8	-5.4	-4.0	-2.2	-3.4	-7.5
	1983-84	-2.0	0.2	-2.0	-2.8	-2.0	-2.3	-3.3	-3.0	0.3	-5.4	-7.7
	1984-85	-1.6	1.9	-2.2	-2.8	-1.5	-3.8	-3.0	-3.1	-0.3	-3.9	-8.1
	1985-86	-1.6	-1.1	-3.2	-2.8	-1.4	-3.2	-2.2	-2.7	-1.4	-3.7	-6.7
	1986-87	-1.1	-6.8	-6.9	-2.9	-1.2	-2.5	-3.4	-2.0	-0.8	-3.1	-5.7
	1987-88	0.1	-2.2	-2.9	-1.4	-1.1	-1.8	-2.8	-1.5	-1.0	-2.5	-5.1
	1988-89	1.3	-3.1	-1.7	-0.6	-0.6	-1.2	-0.6	-1.5	-0.6	-2.6	-4.5
	1989-90	0.6	-3.1	-1.9	-0.6	0.0	-1.2	-0.2	-1.6	-0.4	-1.9	-4.4
	1990-91	-0.8	-2.4	-1.7	-1.2	-1.1	-1.9	-1.3	-1.5	-0.9	-3.7	-4.9
	1991-92	-2.8	-3.5	-3.9	-1.4	-3.8	-2.7	-2.5	-2.2	-2.2	-2.8	-4.6
	1992-93	-1.7	-4.3	-2.7	-2.3	-4.2	-3.1	-1.8	-3.3	-3.6	-2.7	-5.4
	1993-94	-0.9	-1.7	-1.2	-1.7	-3.7	-3.0	-1.8	-2.9	-2.9	-2.1	-5.2
	1994-95	-0.2	1.0	0.5	-0.7	-3.2	-3.3	-0.5	-1.2	0.0	-3.6	-4.6
	1995-96	-0.3	1.2	0.1	0.6	-2.6	-2.2	0.2	-1.0	0.1	-1.8	-3.6
	1996-97	-0.7	2.5	1.4	0.3	-2.0	-1.7	0.4	-0.6	-0.1	-1.0	-1.0
	1997-98	-0.1	2.4	0.1	0.3	-1.1	-1.1	0.0	-2.1	-0.2	1.2	0.3
	1998-99	-0.8	1.0	0.1	0.1	-0.5	0.1	-1.1	-1.2	0.2	-1.7	0.6
	1999-00	0.0	2.3	0.3	0.0	0.2	0.0	-0.2	-3.4	-0.2	-2.2	1.4
	2000-01	0.9	4.5	0.2	0.1	0.4	0.2	0.2	0.6	-0.4	-2.5	1.8
	2001-02	-0.8	0.7	-1.4	0.2	0.1	0.0	0.4	0.4	-0.5	-3.2	0.7
	2002-03	-1.8	1.4	-1.9	0.0	0.0	-0.3	0.0	0.1	-1.5	-3.9	0.6
	2003-04	-0.9	2.4	-0.3	-1.5	-1.1	-0.1	-0.9	0.1	-3.3	-5.0	0.7
	2004-05	1.7	2.7	2.0	1.4	-0.3	-0.2	0.9	0.6	-0.8	-2.5	0.1
	2005-06	1.7	3.8	1.5	0.9	0.1	0.0	0.9	0.6	0.0	0.9	0.9
	2006-07	2.1	3.5	1.2	1.0	0.4	0.0	1.0	0.6	0.5	0.6	0.9
	2007-08	1.4	1.8	3.6	1.1	0.1	0.0	0.9	1.2	-0.1	5.0	0.6
	2008-09	0.0	-0.3	4.4	0.9	-1.1	0.0	-0.5	0.1	-0.6	7.4	-0.6
	2009-10	-0.9	-0.2	-0.7	-0.4	-3.2	-1.1	-2.4	-0.8	-1.5	-0.1	-3.6
	2010-11	-0.1	-0.8	0.0	-0.3	-2.2	-1.0	-2.0	1.6	-1.2	2.0	-2.1
	2011-12	-0.9	0.0	-0.1	-1.8	-2.3	-0.8	-0.8	-0.7	-1.6	2.9	-1.6
	2012-13	-0.5	-1.0	0.0	-0.9	-1.6	-0.5	-1.7	-0.8	-1.4	-0.6	-1.2
	2013-14	0.1	-0.1	0.7	-0.8	-1.7	-0.8	-1.9	-1.8	-0.8	-1.1	-0.4
2014-15	0.7	0.3	0.1	-0.7	-1.4	-0.2	-1.1	-0.4	-0.3	-2.9	0.0	
2015-16	0.3	-2.0	-1.9	-1.3	-0.7	0.6	-0.8	0.0	-0.2	-7.1	0.0	
2016-17	1.1	-3.6	-1.6	-1.1	-0.3	0.6	-0.3	0.4	0.0	-3.6	-0.9	
2017-18	0.1	-2.4	-0.4	-1.0	-0.4	0.6*	0.2	0.5	1.1	-2.8	-0.9	
2018-19	0.5	-2.5	-0.4	-0.7	-1.7	0.4*	-0.5	0.5	0.1	-2.1	-0.8	
2019-20	0.3	-2.2		-0.5	-0.7	0.0*	-0.3	0.1	0.0	-1.5	-0.8	
2020-21	0.1	-1.8			-0.7	0.0*	-0.2	0.1	0.1	-1.9	-0.8	
2021-22						0.1*	0.2	0.1		-0.7	-0.6	
2022-23						0.1*				0.2	-0.5	
2023-24											-0.4	

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Revenues¹, % Change

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1981-82	19.3	21.8	10.7	10.8	14.9	22.4	14.3	12.3	13.0	10.5	26.5
1982-83	7.6	0.8	1.0	10.5	8.8	10.8	10.3	9.8	7.1	10.6	0.2
1983-84	8.6	9.0	1.6	16.1	11.4	10.5	14.3	11.3	10.5	6.6	-3.2
1984-85	5.7	11.1	6.7	4.6	11.6	2.1	8.6	8.0	3.7	6.4	10.3
1985-86	4.0	0.1	4.6	6.6	10.2	8.4	12.0	5.6	7.2	9.8	8.0
1986-87	9.1	-27.7	-8.1	8.7	13.3	4.5	2.8	7.0	7.3	6.8	11.6
1987-88	11.4	23.8	17.7	19.3	10.1	10.9	9.9	8.5	8.4	11.5	12.1
1988-89	14.7	0.0	12.1	12.5	15.0	5.8	10.9	10.6	12.4	4.6	9.4
1989-90	7.3	7.9	12.5	1.4	11.4	4.3	4.1	6.4	7.5	10.0	9.0
1990-91	4.7	10.5	12.0	1.6	4.0	6.5	3.5	8.4	5.1	1.2	3.3
1991-92	2.9	-3.2	-13.1	6.2	-5.0	4.3	0.2	-0.4	1.1	4.8	5.3
1992-93	11.0	3.9	8.1	-5.4	2.6	2.5	5.4	0.1	-0.6	2.8	-1.3
1993-94	9.5	8.0	6.9	3.8	23.0	1.7	0.3	2.5	3.9	-1.1	-0.5
1994-95	10.0	4.9	11.6	6.7	5.0	1.1	6.8	7.1	9.9	13.9	5.6
1995-96	0.1	-4.0	-1.8	8.8	7.3	5.0	3.0	2.8	-2.8	1.4	7.2
1996-97	-0.1	7.3	7.2	2.8	0.3	-2.4	1.0	0.7	1.4	1.8	6.9
1997-98	1.3	6.6	-6.2	-0.3	5.7	-3.1	-0.7	2.8	-1.5	7.8	7.3
1998-99	27.1	-5.3	8.5	2.6	2.7	13.0	0.2	5.6	8.1	-5.1	2.9
1999-00	5.7	19.5	4.5	7.6	12.6	1.8	8.0	4.8	5.6	-1.1	6.6
2000-01	10.8	27.0	15.3	6.6	1.8	9.3	1.3	4.6	5.8	3.9	10.2
2001-02	-5.1	-14.1	2.8	0.0	4.3	-1.8	8.0	4.4	2.3	0.0	-5.4
2002-03	-1.4	3.4	7.7	4.0	3.3	3.8	0.2	0.9	-0.5	1.3	3.6
2003-04	5.0	14.2	2.8	19.5	-0.5	4.2	4.8	8.1	5.4	6.2	5.4
2004-05	14.4	13.3	20.0	19.4	12.9	4.4	9.6	7.5	9.3	2.8	6.7
2005-06	8.8	21.2	2.7	6.3	7.8	4.1	5.7	7.6	4.8	24.7	4.7
2006-07	7.0	7.0	4.2	6.1	7.0	9.3	5.8	5.1	5.2	-0.7	6.3
2007-08	3.5	0.4	18.9	9.3	7.2	4.0	6.4	11.6	5.8	30.0	3.0
2008-09	-3.3	3.0	21.7	0.9	-6.3	-0.6	0.6	-0.3	6.7	21.4	-3.4
2009-10	-1.9	0.5	-15.4	-0.9	5.1	0.2	-1.5	0.8	8.5	-15.7	-6.4
2010-11	7.1	-1.4	10.1	4.5	10.8	5.7	5.9	7.6	1.7	11.6	8.4
2011-12	2.7	11.3	2.3	4.7	2.5	4.5	3.5	-2.5	3.6	7.8	3.4
2012-13	0.6	-2.0	5.3	0.9	3.4	3.2	-0.2	2.7	0.6	-15.0	3.0
2013-14	4.0	16.2	0.7	4.4	2.2	3.3	-0.1	-1.0	5.9	3.1	5.9
2014-15	5.5	0.1	-2.5	3.8	2.6	2.5	8.5	2.7	2.1	-7.6	3.9
2015-16	3.2	-13.9	-3.0	0.6	7.9	4.0	-0.6	1.7	1.8	-13.6	4.7
2016-17	8.1	-0.8	-0.1	4.4	3.4	5.0	6.0	6.9	4.5	19.7	-0.7
2017-18	1.1	11.8	2.9	2.6	7.0	5.0*	4.9	7.5	8.2	1.7	6.9
2018-19	10.0	1.2	2.6	4.1	-1.6	2.9*	1.8	-1.5	1.4	5.4	4.9
2019-20	2.6	5.7	2.6	1.8	6.3	3.1*	1.9	0.4	1.0	1.1	3.1
2020-21	1.0	6.4	2.4	0.9	3.9	3.2*	2.2	3.8	2.6	-3.0	3.8
2021-22			2.7	2.0	3.5	3.0*	2.2	3.1		4.1	4.5
2022-23					3.2	3.2*				2.8	3.9
2023-24					3.1						3.8
2024-25					3.4						
2025-26					3.4						

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³ Revenue numbers for 2015-16 and 2016-17 include net income from government business enterprises.

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⁵ Revenue numbers for years starting from 1997-98 include net income from government business enterprises and are not comparable to prior years.

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1983-84	17.2	19.8	16.8	18.2	13.4	23.3	27.9	22.8	32.3	30.2	15.5
1984-85	17.3	20.6	16.8	16.9	13.3	21.7	27.4	22.0	32.5	30.0	15.6
1985-86	16.7	19.3	16.8	16.5	13.3	22.0	28.8	21.4	33.3	31.4	15.6
1986-87	17.2	16.1	15.6	17.5	13.7	21.2	26.4	21.0	30.7	30.9	16.5
1987-88	17.4	19.3	17.8	19.4	13.7	21.4	26.4	21.3	31.5	31.9	17.0
1988-89	18.0	18.2	19.3	20.3	14.2	20.8	27.5	22.3	32.2	31.1	17.0
1989-90	17.7	18.6	20.7	19.3	14.6	20.6	27.3	22.2	32.2	32.3	17.3
1990-91	17.7	18.8	21.5	18.9	14.9	21.2	27.6	23.2	32.4	31.9	17.3
1991-92	17.6	18.3	18.6	20.2	14.1	21.9	27.4	22.3	31.7	32.0	18.0
1992-93	18.3	18.6	20.1	18.7	14.3	22.0	27.9	21.8	30.9	33.0	17.4
1993-94	18.7	18.6	20.3	19.4	17.0	21.8	26.7	22.1	29.7	32.0	16.6
1994-95	19.3	18.0	21.2	19.5	16.9	20.9	27.3	23.3	31.9	34.6	16.6
1995-96	18.3	16.6	19.3	20.5	17.2	21.0	26.0	23.2	29.5	33.6	16.9
1996-97	17.7	16.6	18.9	20.0	16.7	20.2	25.9	23.1	28.3	35.0	17.5
1997-98	17.0	16.3	17.7	19.2	16.6	18.7	25.5	22.7	27.8	37.3	17.8
1998-99	21.5	15.4	18.8	18.8	16.2	20.3	24.5	22.9	28.6	33.7	17.7
1999-00	21.6	16.9	18.8	19.5	17.0	19.3	24.4	22.2	28.5	30.4	17.6
2000-01	22.1	17.4	19.7	19.6	16.0	19.7	23.4	21.7	28.1	27.6	17.6
2001-02	20.6	14.2	20.6	18.9	15.5	18.7	24.5	21.5	28.2	27.0	16.1
2002-03	19.6	14.7	21.3	18.9	15.1	18.5	23.9	20.8	26.2	23.6	16.0
2003-04	19.5	14.9	20.5	22.0	14.6	18.6	23.9	21.1	26.9	22.8	16.1
2004-05	20.6	15.1	22.2	24.7	15.8	18.5	24.8	21.9	27.7	21.9	16.1
2005-06	20.8	15.8	21.1	25.0	16.3	18.7	25.0	22.6	27.5	24.2	15.8
2006-07	20.8	15.5	21.4	24.5	16.8	19.7	25.3	23.3	27.8	21.7	16.0
2007-08	20.2	14.6	22.4	25.1	17.3	19.4	25.4	25.1	28.1	23.9	15.6
2008-09	18.9	13.3	21.1	24.2	16.0	18.8	25.1	24.0	29.2	26.7	14.4
2009-10	19.4	16.1	20.1	24.6	17.2	18.8	24.7	24.5	30.6	28.4	14.2
2010-11	19.8	14.4	21.0	24.5	18.0	19.1	25.0	25.0	29.3	27.3	14.5
2011-12	19.3	14.5	18.2	24.4	17.6	19.0	24.8	23.9	29.3	25.5	14.1
2012-13	19.0	13.6	18.4	23.1	17.7	19.1	24.6	24.4	28.7	22.7	14.1
2013-14	19.1	14.4	17.3	23.1	17.7	19.2	24.5	23.7	29.4	21.7	14.3
2014-15	19.1	13.1	17.0	23.3	17.4	19.1	26.1	23.6	29.5	20.2	14.2
2015-16	19.1	13.2	17.1	22.9	17.9	19.3	25.2	23.5	28.9	19.2	14.8
2016-17	19.5	14.0	18.0	23.3	17.7	19.7	25.7	24.6	28.9	22.6	14.4
2017-18	18.4	14.2	17.6	22.7	18.2	19.7*	25.9	25.7	29.9	22.0	14.6
2018-19	19.5	13.6	18.0	22.8	17.3	19.4*	25.7	24.4	29.4	23.4	14.7
2019-20	19.3	13.8		22.4	17.7	19.3*	25.6	23.8	28.7	23.2	14.6
2020-21	18.7	13.9			17.7	19.3*	25.7	23.9	28.6	22.2	14.6
2021-22						19.3*	25.8	24.0		22.3	14.8
2022-23						19.4*				22.3	14.7
2023-24											14.7

Actual (no adjustments made with respect to accounting or other changes)

Projected

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³ Revenue numbers for 2015-16 and 2016-17 include net income from government business enterprises.

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⁵ Revenue numbers for years starting from 1997-98 include net income from government business enterprises and are not comparable to prior years.

⁶ Numbers for years prior to 2010-11 in Manitoba are not comparable to other years.

Source: Fiscal reference tables (Department of Finance Canada), various provincial budgets, budget updates and public accounts.

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Total expenses¹, % Change

	B.C.	ALTA ²	SASK ³	MAN ⁴	ONT	QUE	N.B.	N.S.	P.E.I.	N.&L.	Federal
Last updated	26-Nov-18	28-Jun-18	29-Nov-18	12-Mar-18	15-Nov-18	03-Dec-18	21-Aug-18	26-Jul-18	23-Nov-18	11-Oct-18	21-Nov-18
1981-82	17.4	16.2	16.2	18.2	16.7	13.3	16.0	24.0	8.0	14.0	22.5
1982-83	18.3	34.6	15.6	16.9	15.4	8.7	21.1	8.2	14.3	12.2	16.3
1983-84	7.9	0.6	5.0	13.4	9.6	8.0	7.2	7.5	2.9	13.0	1.2
1984-85	4.9	1.8	7.5	5.6	7.6	9.0	7.8	9.1	5.6	2.0	11.8
1985-86	3.3	16.8	10.1	7.0	9.5	5.6	8.5	4.7	10.6	8.7	1.8
1986-87	4.9	-2.9	11.2	8.3	12.1	2.1	7.8	4.1	5.6	5.2	4.9
1987-88	4.1	-2.8	-4.8	9.9	8.8	7.7	7.8	6.2	8.9	9.1	8.3
1988-89	7.0	4.8	4.7	3.4	11.0	3.1	2.6	10.3	11.0	5.4	6.4
1989-90	11.5	7.5	12.8	5.9	6.9	4.3	2.5	6.8	6.9	7.5	8.0
1990-91	13.7	7.1	10.6	6.1	11.6	9.8	7.7	4.2	6.8	6.7	5.9
1991-92	13.9	2.2	-2.5	4.6	12.5	7.6	4.5	3.1	5.2	2.1	3.1
1992-93	4.4	7.5	1.6	3.7	4.9	4.1	2.7	4.8	3.7	2.1	3.2
1993-94	5.5	-4.6	-0.3	-2.3	15.4	1.2	0.4	0.7	2.1	-2.6	-0.7
1994-95	6.0	-9.2	2.9	1.2	2.4	3.1	2.0	-0.3	1.4	20.2	3.1
1995-96	.5	-5.7	0.3	1.9	4.1	-0.1	0.2	2.0	-3.9	-2.7	1.7
1996-97	2.0	-1.4	-0.3	-0.7	-2.6	-3.9	0.4	-3.7	2.7	-0.7	-6.8
1997-98	-1.6	6.6	0.6	5.2	0.6	-1.6	0.8	5.6	-0.7	2.2	-0.4
1998-99	30.8	4.2	8.7	3.6	-0.4	5.6	4.8	10.9	6.0	3.6	1.2
1999-00	1.8	10.1	3.6	9.2	8.1	1.9	3.8	2.8	6.6	0.7	1.5
2000-01	6.0	9.5	2.6	2.9	0.1	5.9	-2.3	-0.3	6.1	5.1	7.6
2001-02	6.6	10.0	25.4	1.9	2.6	3.7	7.5	3.0	2.0	3.0	0.8
2002-03	-3	-1.5	9.5	3.0	3.7	3.5	5.9	1.2	1.6	5.1	4.6
2003-04	.5	6.0	-4.2	29.1	7.0	3.2	6.3	7.9	9.7	8.2	4.2
2004-05	1.0	11.0	7.6	6.2	7.1	4.4	2.0	6.4	3.7	-3.1	11.0
2005-06	6.2	11.8	4.9	7.3	5.5	2.7	5.8	7.1	2.9	7.7	-0.8
2006-07	6.1	9.3	5.7	5.9	4.9	4.6	5.1	5.7	3.3	0.2	6.4
2007-08	6.6	13.8	6.1	9.0	9.1	4.9	7.3	8.3	8.2	6.6	5.0
2008-09	5.0	19.9	14.7	1.9	0.4	4.6	6.3	4.7	8.7	9.8	4.4
2009-10	2.9	-0.7	10.4	4.3	17.2	4.2	5.9	4.2	11.3	16.7	13.0
2010-11	2.9	3.1	6.6	4.4	7.4	4.0	4.4	-1.4	0.9	2.9	-1.0
2011-12	6.6	5.5	3.0	10.9	0.7	2.7	-1.3	5.6	4.7	4.0	0.5
2012-13	-1.0	4.9	4.2	-2.2	-0.6	1.7	3.4	3.9	0.3	-1.7	0.3
2013-14	.5	9.0	-3.2	4.1	2.7	3.9	0.7	2.5	3.6	2.3	0.6
2014-15	2.4	-2.8	1.2	2.9	2.2	1.0	5.1	0.7	0.5	0.6	1.1
2015-16	5.3	1.4	8.3	3.3	3.0	0.1	-1.7	0.4	1.4	3.2	5.5
2016-17	4.1	8.2	-2.0	3.7	1.2	4.5	4.2	1.4	3.8	1.5	4.7
2017-18	6.2	4.2	-3.5	2.2	7.8	3.5*	2.8	7.1	4.0	-1.4	6.4
2018-19	6.1	1.6	2.8	3.4	4.9	4.8*	4.5	0.6	5.2	2.0	3.5
2019-20	4.5	2.9	0.2	1.0	1.1	3.7*	1.2	-0.1	1.1	-1.4	3.4
2020-21	1.9	3.4	1.7	0.2	3.7	3.0*	1.8	3.6	2.6	-1.2	3.2
2021-22			2.0	1.2	2.8	2.8*	0.7	2.9		-1.7	3.5
2022-23					2.2	2.9*				-1.2	3.1
2023-24					2.2						3.4
2024-25					2.0						
2025-26					2.0						

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Source: Fiscal reference tables (Department of Finance Canada), various provincial budgets, budget updates and public accounts.

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Total expenses relative to GDP¹, %

	B.C.	ALTA ²	SASK ³	MAN ⁴	ONT	QUE	N.B.	N.S.	P.E.I.	N.&L.	Federal
Last updated	26-Nov-18	28-Jun-18	29-Nov-18	12-Mar-18	15-Nov-18	03-Dec-18	21-Aug-18	26-Jul-18	23-Nov-18	11-Oct-18	21-Nov-18
1981-82	15.9	16.0	16.7	17.6	14.4	24.9	30.1	29.9	33.9	32.4	22.6
1982-83	18.9	20.2	19.1	19.8	15.7	25.6	33.3	27.8	36.1	33.8	24.9
1983-84	19.3	19.6	18.9	21.0	15.4	25.6	31.2	26.4	32.0	35.6	23.3
1984-85	19.2	18.6	19.0	19.7	14.8	25.5	30.4	25.7	32.8	33.9	23.7
1985-86	18.5	20.4	19.9	19.3	14.7	25.2	31.0	24.8	34.7	35.1	22.3
1986-87	18.3	22.9	22.5	20.3	15.0	23.6	29.8	23.7	31.5	34.1	22.2
1987-88	17.3	21.6	20.8	20.9	14.7	23.2	29.2	23.5	32.4	34.4	22.1
1988-89	16.7	21.3	21.0	20.0	14.8	22.0	28.1	24.6	32.8	33.7	21.5
1989-90	17.1	21.6	22.5	19.9	14.5	21.8	27.5	24.5	32.6	34.3	21.7
1990-91	18.5	21.3	23.2	20.3	16.0	23.1	28.9	24.7	33.3	35.6	22.2
1991-92	20.4	21.8	22.5	21.4	17.9	24.6	29.9	24.5	33.9	34.9	22.7
1992-93	20.0	23.0	22.9	21.8	18.5	25.1	29.7	25.0	34.4	35.7	22.8
1993-94	19.6	20.2	21.4	21.2	20.7	24.8	28.4	25.0	32.6	34.1	21.8
1994-95	19.5	16.9	20.7	20.3	20.0	24.2	27.8	24.5	32.3	38.9	21.2
1995-96	18.6	15.3	19.2	19.9	19.8	23.2	25.8	24.3	29.5	36.3	20.5
1996-97	18.4	14.1	17.5	18.8	18.7	21.9	25.5	23.1	28.7	36.9	18.5
1997-98	17.2	13.8	17.6	19.1	17.7	20.6	25.5	23.3	28.3	37.3	17.5
1998-99	22.3	14.4	18.7	18.8	16.7	21.0	25.6	24.7	28.6	36.7	17.0
1999-00	21.6	14.5	18.6	19.9	16.8	19.9	24.5	23.4	28.7	33.8	16.1
2000-01	21.1	12.9	17.3	19.2	15.6	19.7	22.7	21.8	28.4	31.0	15.8
2001-02	22.2	13.5	22.0	18.9	15.4	19.7	23.7	21.4	28.5	31.3	15.4
2002-03	21.3	13.3	23.2	18.7	15.1	19.5	24.4	20.6	26.9	28.4	15.5
2003-04	20.3	12.5	20.7	23.5	15.7	19.4	24.7	20.9	28.8	27.9	15.3
2004-05	18.9	12.4	20.2	23.5	16.1	19.3	23.8	21.5	28.2	25.3	16.0
2005-06	18.6	12.0	19.6	24.0	16.2	19.2	24.1	22.1	27.5	24.1	14.9
2006-07	18.4	12.0	20.1	23.5	16.4	19.4	24.2	23.0	27.3	21.8	15.1
2007-08	18.6	12.9	18.8	24.0	17.2	19.3	24.6	24.0	28.2	19.7	15.0
2008-09	18.9	13.6	16.7	23.3	17.1	19.7	25.7	24.0	29.9	19.9	14.9
2009-10	20.3	16.3	20.8	25.0	20.4	20.5	27.1	25.4	32.1	29.3	17.8
2010-11	20.0	15.3	21.0	24.9	20.7	20.4	27.0	23.7	30.6	25.9	16.6
2011-12	20.1	14.5	18.3	26.1	20.0	20.0	25.6	24.5	30.8	23.4	15.7
2012-13	19.5	14.6	18.3	24.0	19.3	19.8	26.3	25.4	30.1	24.0	15.2
2013-14	19.0	14.5	16.6	24.0	19.3	20.0	26.4	25.5	30.2	22.9	14.7
2014-15	18.4	12.8	16.9	24.0	18.9	19.6	27.2	24.9	29.9	23.1	14.2
2015-16	19.3	15.1	19.0	24.1	18.6	19.0	25.9	24.5	29.2	26.3	15.0
2016-17	19.6	17.6	19.6	24.5	18.1	19.4	26.1	24.3	29.0	26.2	15.4
2017-18	19.6	16.7	18.0	23.7	18.7	19.1*	25.7	25.3	28.8	24.8	15.5
2018-19	19.5	16.0	18.4	23.6	18.9	19.1*	26.2	24.5	29.3	25.4	15.4
2019-20	19.6	15.7		23.1	18.4	19.2*	25.9	23.8	28.6	24.6	15.3
2020-21	19.2	15.4			18.3	19.1*	25.9	23.8	28.5	24.1	15.3
2021-22						19.1*	25.6	23.9		22.8	15.2
2022-23						19.1*				21.9	15.1
2023-24											15.0

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1981-82	17.5	15.4	15.3	17.1	16.8	11.0	15.3	23.2	5.6	13.7	18.9
1982-83	18.2	35.4	15.9	15.7	14.5	7.7	20.0	3.9	14.1	11.7	17.3
1983-84	6.9	-0.4	4.6	11.3	7.8	7.8	4.1	6.3	2.2	13.1	-3.0
1984-85	3.2	1.3	6.2	5.8	6.8	7.7	6.0	8.0	5.1	-0.3	9.2
1985-86	2.7	17.5	7.7	5.5	8.8	4.9	7.9	2.9	11.8	7.4	-1.0
1986-87	4.6	-3.7	11.7	6.1	11.8	1.6	9.1	4.2	5.3	4.8	5.3
1987-88	2.8	-4.9	-7.4	8.9	8.8	8.3	8.2	7.2	9.3	10.0	8.1
1988-89	7.4	3.2	4.0	5.1	11.3	3.1	2.5	12.4	10.5	6.6	4.0
1989-90	12.7	5.6	8.5	5.3	7.5	4.1	2.5	7.6	6.8	8.7	5.1
1990-91	14.0	6.5	13.2	6.5	12.9	9.7	7.6	2.1	6.4	6.7	4.6
1991-92	13.6	2.2	-3.4	5.4	12.7	8.0	5.1	3.3	4.7	2.3	5.5
1992-93	3.7	7.5	-3.7	2.6	3.1	4.4	1.4	3.1	4.5	2.7	6.7
1993-94	5.1	-6.5	-3.5	-3.1	13.4	-0.2	-0.9	-1.4	1.0	-3.5	0.1
1994-95	5.7	-10.9	3.3	1.1	1.4	2.0	0.7	-1.6	0.7	6.2	0.8
1995-96	0.8	-5.9	1.2	2.3	3.5	-0.6	1.6	2.8	-5.0	2.4	-1.9
1996-97	2.2	0.2	0.9	0.3	-3.2	-4.0	1.3	-2.4	3.4	-0.7	-7.9
1997-98	-1.5	8.4	1.6	6.1	0.4	-4.5	0.7	5.4	1.4	1.3	3.1
1998-99	20.6	4.2	10.5	4.0	-1.0	7.3	4.4	9.9	6.8	0.0	1.4
1999-00	2.6	14.0	5.1	11.0	5.8	1.8	4.6	2.1	7.5	4.9	2.0
2000-01	6.6	9.9	3.5	2.3	0.3	6.4	-3.2	-1.6	6.1	4.4	9.9
2001-02	8.3	11.7	24.3	3.6	4.3	5.2	8.3	2.7	2.5	4.1	4.3
2002-03	0.4	-0.1	10.8	4.7	5.3	4.3	6.5	4.0	2.2	5.4	7.7
2003-04	0.9	7.1	-5.2	23.4	8.1	3.5	8.0	9.7	10.4	10.3	6.3
2004-05	1.6	11.0	9.0	6.6	8.4	4.6	2.3	7.9	4.4	-2.9	14.6
2005-06	7.0	12.1	6.3	7.5	6.6	3.0	6.3	9.2	2.7	9.4	-0.7
2006-07	6.3	9.5	6.6	7.2	5.6	4.9	6.4	7.5	2.5	4.1	7.5
2007-08	7.2	13.9	6.7	9.0	9.3	5.7	7.6	9.6	9.3	8.3	6.2
2008-09	5.5	9.2	16.2	2.3	1.4	6.0	6.4	6.1	10.5	11.4	7.7
2009-10	3.0	9.1	11.5	5.3	12.0	5.5	6.1	5.2	12.6	16.3	15.5
2010-11	2.9	2.5	7.6	4.6	4.1	3.0	5.4	-1.9	-2.4	4.1	-1.9
2011-12	6.7	-4.5	3.4	11.2	1.3	2.5	-2.0	6.3	4.5	5.2	0.4
2012-13	-1.1	15.8	4.7	-2.5	7.1	1.2	3.3	3.7	-0.6	-1.8	1.7
2013-14	0.3	8.9	-2.9	2.8	3.2	3.3	1.1	3.2	4.0	1.5	1.0
2014-15	2.5	-3.0	1.7	4.6	2.3	1.6	5.3	0.5	-0.4	1.8	1.4
2015-16	4.9	1.3	8.7	3.4	2.5	0.3	-1.9	0.7	-3.9	1.8	6.9
2016-17	4.8	7.8	-2.4	3.4	1.2	5.8	4.7	1.9	4.4	0.9	5.3
2017-18	6.5	3.5	-3.8	2.1	8.2	4.4*	3.1	7.6	9.3	-2.1	6.7
2018-19	6.3	0.7	2.4	3.1	4.9	5.6*	4.9	0.1	4.8	2.2	3.1
2019-20	4.6	2.1			0.8	4.2*		0.2	2.6		2.5
2020-21	1.8	2.7			3.6	3.3*		4.5	2.7		2.7
2021-22					2.4	3.2*		3.4			3.2
2022-23					2.0	3.1*					3.1
2023-24					2.0						3.3
2024-25					2.0						
2025-26					2.0						

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Program expenses relative to GDP¹, %

	B.C.	ALTA ²	SASK ³	MAN ⁴	ONT	QUE	N.B.	N.S.	P.E.I.	N.&L.	Federal
Last updated	26-Nov-18	28-Jun-18	29-Nov-18	12-Mar-18	15-Nov-18	03-Dec-18	21-Aug-18	26-Jul-18	23-Nov-18	11-Oct-18	21-Nov-18
1981-82	15.9	15.9	16.4	16.7	13.5	22.6	27.7	26.9	29.8	27.9	18.5
1982-83	18.8	20.1	18.8	18.7	14.6	22.9	30.4	24.0	31.6	29.0	20.6
1983-84	19.0	19.3	18.5	19.4	14.1	22.9	27.7	22.5	27.9	30.6	18.4
1984-85	18.7	18.3	18.4	18.3	13.4	22.6	26.5	21.8	28.4	28.4	18.3
1985-86	17.8	20.1	18.9	17.7	13.2	22.1	26.9	20.7	30.4	29.1	16.8
1986-87	17.7	22.4	21.4	18.2	13.5	20.7	26.2	19.8	27.5	28.2	16.8
1987-88	16.4	20.6	19.2	18.5	13.2	20.4	25.7	19.8	28.4	28.7	16.6
1988-89	15.9	20.1	19.4	18.0	13.3	19.3	24.8	21.0	28.6	28.4	15.8
1989-90	16.5	20.0	19.9	17.9	13.2	19.1	24.3	21.1	28.4	29.2	15.5
1990-91	17.9	19.6	21.0	18.3	14.7	20.3	25.5	20.9	29.0	30.4	15.7
1991-92	19.7	20.1	20.2	19.4	16.5	21.7	26.5	20.8	29.3	29.8	16.4
1992-93	19.2	21.1	19.5	19.5	16.7	22.1	26.0	20.9	30.0	30.7	17.1
1993-94	18.7	18.2	17.7	18.9	18.4	21.6	24.5	20.4	28.1	29.0	16.4
1994-95	18.6	15.0	17.1	18.0	17.6	20.8	23.7	19.7	27.7	29.2	15.6
1995-96	17.8	13.5	16.0	17.8	17.3	19.9	22.3	19.7	25.0	28.7	14.6
1996-97	17.6	12.6	14.8	17.0	16.2	18.8	22.3	19.0	24.5	29.1	13.0
1997-98	16.5	12.6	15.0	17.3	15.3	17.1	22.2	19.2	24.7	29.2	12.7
1998-99	19.7	13.1	16.2	17.2	14.4	17.7	22.2	20.1	25.2	27.8	12.4
1999-00	19.3	13.7	16.3	18.4	14.2	16.7	21.4	19.0	25.5	26.6	11.8
2000-01	18.9	12.2	15.3	17.7	13.2	16.7	19.6	17.4	25.3	24.2	11.8
2001-02	20.1	13.0	19.4	17.8	13.2	16.9	20.6	17.0	25.4	24.7	11.9
2002-03	19.5	13.0	20.6	17.8	13.2	16.9	21.4	16.9	24.2	22.5	12.3
2003-04	18.6	12.3	18.3	21.5	13.8	16.8	22.0	17.4	26.0	22.6	12.5
2004-05	17.5	12.3	18.0	21.5	14.3	16.8	21.3	18.2	25.6	20.5	13.4
2005-06	17.4	11.9	17.7	22.0	14.6	16.8	21.6	19.0	24.9	19.8	12.5
2006-07	17.1	11.9	18.4	21.8	14.9	17.0	22.0	20.1	24.5	18.7	12.8
2007-08	17.4	12.8	17.3	22.3	15.6	17.0	22.4	21.2	25.6	17.1	12.9
2008-09	17.9	12.3	15.5	21.7	15.7	17.6	23.4	21.6	27.6	17.5	13.2
2009-10	19.2	16.2	19.5	23.5	17.9	18.5	24.8	23.0	30.0	25.8	16.1
2010-11	18.9	15.1	19.9	23.4	17.6	18.3	24.9	21.4	27.6	23.0	14.9
2011-12	19.0	13.0	17.4	24.7	17.1	17.8	23.5	22.3	27.8	21.0	14.0
2012-13	18.4	14.4	17.5	22.6	17.7	17.6	24.1	23.0	26.9	21.6	13.8
2013-14	17.9	14.3	15.9	22.3	17.8	17.6	24.3	23.3	27.1	20.4	13.4
2014-15	17.3	12.7	16.3	22.7	17.5	17.4	25.1	22.7	26.5	20.9	13.0
2015-16	18.2	14.9	18.4	22.8	17.1	17.0	23.9	22.4	24.5	23.4	13.9
2016-17	18.5	17.3	18.9	23.1	16.6	17.5	24.1	22.3	24.5	23.2	14.3
2017-18	18.6	16.2	17.3	22.4	17.2	17.4*	23.8	23.3	25.5	21.7	14.5
2018-19	18.5	15.4	17.6	22.2	17.4	17.6*	24.4	22.5	26.0	22.4	14.4*
2019-20	18.6	15.1			16.9	17.7*		21.9	25.7		14.2*
2020-21	18.2	14.7			16.8	17.7*		22.1	25.7		14.1*
2021-22						17.7*		22.3			14.0
2022-23						17.7*					13.9*
2023-24											13.8

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Program expenses per capita¹, \$

	B.C.	ALTA ²	SASK ³	MAN ⁴	ONT	QUE	N.B.	N.S.	P.E.I.	N.&L.	Federal
Last updated	26-Nov-18	28-Jun-18	29-Nov-18	12-Mar-18	15-Nov-18	03-Dec-18	21-Aug-18	26-Jul-18	23-Nov-18	11-Oct-18	21-Nov-18
1981-82	2,585	3,774	2,543	2,238	2,027	2,840	2,602	2,536	2,582	2,548	2,734
1982-83	3,002	4,939	2,915	2,566	2,292	3,043	3,117	2,623	2,945	2,855	3,168
1983-84	3,176	4,868	3,004	2,818	2,437	3,270	3,210	2,759	2,974	3,198	3,043
1984-85	3,232	4,933	3,147	2,947	2,567	3,507	3,377	2,949	3,089	3,182	3,291
1985-86	3,289	5,770	3,354	3,078	2,755	3,658	3,631	3,007	3,424	3,423	3,230
1986-87	3,409	5,488	3,733	3,239	3,035	3,692	3,953	3,123	3,582	3,606	3,367
1987-88	3,454	5,202	3,443	3,503	3,234	3,956	4,260	3,331	3,910	3,974	3,592
1988-89	3,629	5,337	3,598	3,670	3,527	4,045	4,353	3,730	4,300	4,237	3,686
1989-90	3,986	5,540	3,936	3,860	3,694	4,156	4,435	3,985	4,564	4,591	3,805
1990-91	4,414	5,783	4,509	4,103	4,093	4,514	4,738	4,038	4,846	4,891	3,920
1991-92	4,894	5,806	4,378	4,307	4,552	4,825	4,944	4,152	5,078	4,982	4,085
1992-93	4,936	6,144	4,211	4,408	4,629	5,007	4,995	4,259	5,289	5,115	4,306
1993-94	5,042	5,190	4,051	4,252	5,190	4,965	4,948	4,179	5,288	4,938	4,264
1994-95	5,175	4,991	4,175	4,277	5,200	5,040	4,975	4,099	5,276	5,294	4,249
1995-96	5,074	4,637	4,204	4,351	5,317	4,992	5,048	4,210	4,977	5,490	4,124
1996-97	5,058	4,577	4,222	4,346	5,085	4,772	5,105	4,094	5,098	5,524	3,760
1997-98	4,888	4,867	4,295	4,605	5,041	4,541	5,136	4,309	5,158	5,683	3,838
1998-99	5,846	4,948	4,748	4,784	4,930	4,857	5,375	4,737	5,523	5,800	3,861
1999-00	5,954	5,539	5,004	5,289	5,153	4,926	5,621	4,828	5,914	6,159	3,907
2000-01	6,303	5,984	5,218	5,388	5,091	5,219	5,439	4,748	6,265	6,497	4,255
2001-02	6,763	6,563	6,531	5,563	5,198	5,459	5,896	4,885	6,410	6,842	4,392
2002-03	6,753	6,410	7,258	5,797	5,385	5,659	6,285	5,065	6,539	7,248	4,677
2003-04	6,772	6,749	6,881	7,109	5,752	5,824	6,786	5,541	7,200	8,007	4,926
2004-05	6,825	7,365	7,493	7,512	6,165	6,054	6,943	5,964	7,488	7,793	5,594
2005-06	7,235	8,051	7,998	8,040	6,499	6,199	7,393	6,523	7,670	8,573	5,501
2006-07	7,608	8,562	8,539	8,580	6,794	6,459	7,890	7,015	7,877	8,990	5,855
2007-08	8,062	9,497	9,021	9,311	7,369	6,770	8,496	7,709	8,619	9,762	6,160
2008-09	8,394	10,138	10,323	9,461	7,403	7,112	9,025	8,172	9,453	10,824	6,561
2009-10	8,523	10,811	11,318	9,872	8,221	7,422	9,539	8,577	10,559	12,461	7,491
2010-11	8,660	10,921	11,985	10,219	8,466	7,564	10,009	8,383	10,174	12,840	7,269
2011-12	9,171	10,275	12,218	11,246	8,494	7,681	9,780	8,885	10,459	13,424	7,224
2012-13	8,977	11,625	12,562	10,824	8,997	7,698	10,089	9,207	10,320	13,146	7,263
2013-14	8,915	12,290	11,990	10,995	9,139	7,891	10,209	9,522	10,722	13,320	7,253
2014-15	9,026	11,597	12,022	11,361	9,268	7,958	10,764	9,579	10,622	13,541	7,280
2015-16	9,373	11,558	12,951	11,614	9,421	7,943	10,569	9,655	10,149	13,769	7,716
2016-17	9,697	12,289	12,451	11,802	9,406	8,337	11,019	9,763	10,403	13,858	8,030
2017-18	10,201	12,575	12,044	11,875	10,026	8,629*	11,328	10,445	11,415	13,602	8,463
2018-19	10,739	12,479		12,103	10,332	9,043*	11,861	10,416	11,874	13,981	8,633
2019-20	11,103	12,552			10,277	9,350*			12,105		8,762
2020-21	11,165	12,694			10,516				12,350		8,911
2021-22					10,647						9,107
2022-23					10,741						9,294
2023-24					10,832						
2024-25					10,934						
2025-26					11,033						

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Net debt¹, Million \$

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Last updated	26-Nov-18	28-Jun-18	29-Nov-18	12-Mar-18	15-Nov-18	03-Dec-18	21-Aug-18	26-Jul-18	23-Nov-18	11-Oct-18	21-Nov-18
1981-82	-1,404	-8,252	-1,092	1,436	13,755	12,569	1,056	1,356	103	2,042	107,622
1982-83	-420	-7,463	-712	1,857	16,942	15,038	1,444	1,875	129	2,144	136,671
1983-84	592	-7,229	-346	2,512	20,182	17,297	1,709	2,285	125	2,421	157,252
1984-85	1,586	-7,219	65	3,144	22,848	21,454	1,967	2,749	129	2,718	194,419
1985-86	2,553	-11,817	666	3,861	28,919	25,734	2,147	3,235	149	3,023	227,808
1986-87	3,714	-7,784	1,965	3,767	31,531	28,716	2,588	3,504	163	3,150	257,650
1987-88	3,762	-6,419	2,517	4,415	34,020	31,115	2,919	3,756	179	3,289	286,667
1988-89	3,533	-4,412	2,885	4,332	35,499	32,819	2,993	3,947	191	3,195	314,614
1989-90	5,538	-2,296	3,316	4,449	35,409	34,583	3,013	4,454	199	3,369	343,757
1990-91	6,312	-464	3,688	4,773	38,438	37,558	3,236	4,731	219	3,550	377,656
1991-92	8,843	2,165	5,999	5,216	49,368	41,885	3,603	5,426	269	3,918	409,975
1992-93	10,529	7,054	6,587	6,378	61,796	46,914	5,297	7,288	351	4,270	448,994
1993-94	11,507	8,313	7,769	6,806	80,599	51,837	5,810	8,120	772	6,453	487,524
1994-95	11,954	7,355	7,641	6,901	90,728	57,677	5,889	8,514	990	6,831	524,156
1995-96	12,162	6,255	7,622	6,854	101,864	61,624	5,850	8,715	986	7,121	554,162
1996-97	12,338	3,728	7,215	6,474	108,769	64,833	5,783	9,139	990	7,254	562,881
1997-98	12,515	1,089	7,180	9,719	112,735	88,597	5,788	9,290	997	7,301	559,922
1998-99	21,914	63	7,152	9,926	114,737	88,810	5,992	10,298	990	7,851	554,143
1999-00	22,966	-2,654	7,069	10,046	134,398	89,162	7,056	11,231	1,024	8,087	539,885
2000-01	23,136	-9,042	7,011	9,888	132,496	88,208	6,915	11,370	1,036	8,437	519,994
2001-02	24,797	-9,814	8,708	10,001	132,121	92,772	6,759	12,144	1,053	8,932	511,946
2002-03	27,691	-11,696	9,284	10,341	132,647	95,601	6,865	12,226	1,178	10,616	505,325
2003-04	28,876	-15,607	9,318	11,052	138,816	97,025	7,067	12,328	1,313	11,487	496,180
2004-05	27,152	-20,398	8,600	11,101	140,921	99,042	6,943	12,305	1,330	11,888	494,717
2005-06	27,040	-28,318	7,870	10,952	152,702	104,683	6,901	12,239	1,323	11,684	481,499
2006-07	24,513	-36,047	7,430	10,800	153,742	124,297	6,714	12,357	1,312	11,558	467,268
2007-08	23,811	-39,410	5,873	10,561	156,616	124,681	7,069	12,115	1,347	10,188	457,637
2008-09	26,160	-31,701	3,524	11,413	169,585	134,237	7,533	12,318	1,415	7,968	467,946
2009-10	29,372	-27,317	3,560	11,643	193,589	151,608	8,538	13,045	1,581	8,220	524,103
2010-11	32,279	-21,653	3,783	12,490	217,754	159,289	9,615	12,827	1,709	8,129	556,914
2011-12	36,024	-18,991	4,543	14,478	241,912	167,111	10,063	13,383	1,908	7,837	591,917
2012-13	37,966	-14,455	5,109	15,766	259,947	180,037	11,033	13,942	2,040	8,348	620,610
2013-14	38,697	-13,032	4,615	17,217	276,169	183,415	11,657	14,762	2,099	9,085	626,000
2014-15	38,579	-13,054	5,552	19,446	294,557	185,687	13,106	15,007	2,134	10,330	628,910
2015-16	39,560	-3,881	7,899	21,371	306,357	185,025	13,651	15,072	2,170	12,504	634,440
2016-17	37,769	8,901	10,192	22,693	314,077	181,755	13,820	14,949	2,172	13,598	651,540
2017-18	41,869	19,344	11,288	23,952	323,834	176,543*	13,926	14,959	2,135	14,674	671,254
2018-19	42,884	30,510		25,044	347,055	175,228*	14,485	15,171	2,264	15,528	687,700
2019-20	46,319	39,776			342,800	175,860*	14,819	15,272	2,294		707,300
2020-21	49,276	48,159			360,100	176,015*	15,106	15,491	2,309		725,500
2021-22						175,434*	15,206	15,527			740,600
2022-23						173,976*					753,200
2023-24											764,700

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² Accumulated deficit

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Net debt to GDP ratio¹, %

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Last updated	26-Nov-18	28-Jun-18	29-Nov-18	12-Mar-18	15-Nov-18	03-Dec-18	21-Aug-18	26-Jul-18	23-Nov-18	11-Oct-18	21-Nov-18
1981-82	-3.1	-15.1	-7.2	10.4	10.4	15.2	15.9	16.8	9.6	38.9	29.3
1982-83	-0.9	-12.8	-4.7	12.9	12.1	17.2	19.9	20.0	11.2	38.0	35.3
1983-84	1.2	-12.0	-2.1	16.3	12.9	18.4	20.6	21.5	9.4	40.0	37.5
1984-85	3.1	-11.2	0.4	18.2	13.0	20.8	21.4	23.1	9.4	41.9	42.2
1985-86	4.7	-17.1	3.7	20.5	14.9	23.4	22.0	25.1	10.4	44.4	45.7
1986-87	6.4	-13.1	10.9	19.4	14.8	24.0	23.6	24.9	9.7	42.7	49.1
1987-88	5.9	-10.4	13.6	21.3	14.4	23.7	24.2	24.9	10.1	41.2	50.1
1988-89	5.0	-6.7	15.1	19.3	13.6	22.9	23.3	24.8	9.8	37.3	50.4
1989-90	7.2	-3.3	16.5	18.7	12.5	23.0	22.4	26.2	9.5	37.2	51.4
1990-91	7.8	-0.6	17.1	19.3	13.4	24.1	23.5	26.9	10.0	38.2	54.5
1991-92	10.6	2.9	27.5	21.2	17.1	26.6	25.9	29.7	11.9	40.4	58.6
1992-93	11.8	9.2	30.3	25.4	21.2	29.2	36.9	38.9	15.2	44.1	62.7
1993-94	12.0	10.0	33.6	27.1	26.9	31.4	38.5	43.0	31.0	65.3	65.5
1994-95	11.7	8.2	31.0	25.9	28.6	33.1	37.4	44.2	38.9	65.7	66.4
1995-96	11.3	6.7	28.7	24.8	30.3	34.0	34.4	44.0	36.9	65.6	66.8
1996-97	11.1	3.7	24.8	22.3	31.5	35.2	33.5	45.6	35.0	68.4	65.7
1997-98	10.7	1.0	24.6	32.2	30.7	45.9	33.3	44.3	35.1	68.1	61.9
1998-99	18.5	0.1	24.0	31.3	29.7	44.3	33.0	46.9	33.2	69.6	59.1
1999-00	18.5	-2.2	22.7	30.6	32.3	41.4	35.8	47.2	32.4	65.5	53.7
2000-01	17.2	-6.2	20.4	28.3	29.5	38.3	33.2	44.6	30.6	59.6	47.2
2001-02	18.1	-6.4	25.8	27.7	28.4	38.9	31.5	45.4	30.5	61.9	44.9
2002-03	19.5	-7.6	26.5	27.5	27.1	38.3	31.2	43.7	31.8	63.5	42.5
2003-04	19.3	-9.0	24.8	28.7	27.5	37.4	30.6	41.4	34.5	62.4	39.7
2004-05	16.7	-10.5	20.7	27.1	26.6	36.4	28.4	39.9	33.0	60.5	37.2
2005-06	15.5	-12.6	17.5	25.4	27.6	37.4	27.0	38.1	31.1	52.5	34.0
2006-07	13.1	-14.7	16.1	23.2	26.8	42.8	25.1	37.8	29.6	47.9	31.3
2007-08	12.0	-15.1	11.2	21.2	26.0	40.7	25.0	35.7	29.1	36.0	29.1
2008-09	12.8	-10.7	5.2	21.9	27.9	42.7	26.2	36.2	29.8	25.2	28.3
2009-10	15.0	-11.1	5.9	22.9	32.4	48.2	29.6	37.3	32.1	32.9	33.4
2010-11	15.7	-8.0	6.0	23.4	34.5	48.5	31.8	34.8	32.7	27.9	33.5
2011-12	16.6	-6.3	6.1	25.8	36.7	48.5	31.9	35.5	35.2	23.4	33.4
2012-13	17.1	-4.6	6.6	26.4	38.2	50.9	34.8	36.8	36.6	26.1	34.0
2013-14	16.9	-3.8	5.6	27.6	39.7	50.3	36.6	38.2	36.5	26.4	33.0
2014-15	15.9	-3.5	6.7	30.3	40.6	49.4	40.5	37.8	36.5	30.1	31.6
2015-16	15.9	-1.2	9.9	32.4	40.3	47.9	40.9	37.1	35.7	40.2	31.8
2016-17	14.3	3.0	13.4	33.6	39.6	45.7	40.0	36.0	34.2	42.9	32.0
2017-18	14.8	5.8	14.2	34.0	39.2	42.3*	38.6	35.0	32.1	44.4	31.4
2018-19	14.6	8.7		34.3	40.5	40.2*	39.2	34.2	33.0	47.3	30.9
2019-20	15.2	10.8			38.5	39.0*	39.2	33.5	32.3		30.5
2020-21	15.6	12.4			38.9	37.8*	39.2	32.8	31.6		30.3
2021-22						36.6*	38.7	32.1			29.8
2022-23						35.2*					29.2
2023-24											28.5

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Net debt per capita¹, \$

	B.C.	ALTA ³	SASK ⁴	MAN ⁵	ONT	QUE	N.B.	N.S.	P.E.I.	N.&L.	Federal ²
Last updated	26-Nov-18	28-Jun-18	29-Nov-18	12-Mar-18	15-Nov-18	03-Dec-18	21-Aug-18	26-Jul-18	23-Nov-18	11-Oct-18	21-Nov-18
1981-82	-497	-3,602	-1,119	1,387	1,561	1,920	1,495	1,586	834	3,549	4,336
1982-83	-146	-3,149	-722	1,777	1,899	2,285	2,041	2,183	1,044	3,737	5,441
1983-84	204	-3,020	-346	2,370	2,233	2,620	2,391	2,632	999	4,180	6,199
1984-85	538	-3,016	64	2,933	2,492	3,235	2,730	3,133	1,019	4,686	7,592
1985-86	858	-4,915	650	3,567	3,111	3,861	2,968	3,652	1,168	5,219	8,815
1986-87	1,237	-3,199	1,910	3,451	3,341	4,281	3,570	3,941	1,269	5,466	9,872
1987-88	1,234	-2,630	2,437	4,020	3,530	4,588	4,011	4,203	1,391	5,718	10,839
1988-89	1,134	-1,796	2,806	3,930	3,608	4,800	4,098	4,399	1,477	5,557	11,743
1989-90	1,732	-919	3,253	4,031	3,505	4,994	4,099	4,928	1,529	5,843	12,603
1990-91	1,917	-182	3,660	4,318	3,733	5,368	4,372	5,196	1,679	6,149	13,638
1991-92	2,621	835	5,983	4,701	4,733	5,927	4,833	5,930	2,063	6,759	14,622
1992-93	3,035	2,679	6,561	5,732	5,845	6,598	7,080	7,926	2,683	7,361	15,826
1993-94	3,225	3,117	7,716	6,090	7,540	7,243	7,759	8,789	5,841	11,126	16,996
1994-95	3,252	2,723	7,569	6,144	8,386	8,019	7,850	9,186	7,419	11,891	18,074
1995-96	3,220	2,287	7,515	6,070	9,303	8,536	7,790	9,390	7,335	12,550	18,912
1996-97	3,185	1,343	7,081	5,708	9,814	8,946	7,687	9,813	7,294	12,961	19,010
1997-98	3,169	385	7,054	8,554	10,041	12,179	7,692	9,964	7,326	13,253	18,723
1998-99	5,502	22	7,030	8,726	10,095	12,173	7,984	11,051	7,290	14,543	18,376
1999-00	5,725	-899	6,968	8,793	11,682	12,175	9,400	12,027	7,514	15,163	17,759
2000-01	5,728	-3,010	6,958	8,618	11,341	11,990	9,214	12,176	7,591	15,980	16,946
2001-02	6,082	-3,209	8,706	8,686	11,105	12,543	9,014	13,023	7,705	17,110	16,503
2002-03	6,754	-3,739	9,314	8,941	10,969	12,847	9,161	13,074	8,606	20,436	16,114
2003-04	7,002	-4,903	9,351	9,499	11,338	12,962	9,430	13,147	9,569	22,157	15,681
2004-05	6,535	-6,299	8,623	9,462	11,374	13,144	9,265	13,096	9,660	22,976	15,490
2005-06	6,445	-8,525	7,921	9,295	12,189	13,808	9,225	13,049	9,583	22,718	14,934
2006-07	5,779	-10,536	7,488	9,125	12,142	16,287	9,005	13,176	9,517	22,637	14,346
2007-08	5,549	-11,215	5,861	8,880	12,270	16,208	9,483	12,956	9,781	20,014	13,915
2008-09	6,015	-8,816	3,464	9,521	13,164	17,295	10,086	13,162	10,199	15,421	14,075
2009-10	6,659	-7,425	3,440	9,634	14,894	19,329	11,384	13,905	11,297	15,748	15,585
2010-11	7,228	-5,801	3,598	10,230	16,331	20,088	12,769	13,616	12,062	15,723	16,377
2011-12	8,007	-5,011	4,261	11,735	17,626	20,869	13,319	14,170	13,247	14,875*	17,236
2012-13	8,351	-3,725	4,705	12,610	18,793	22,266	14,579	14,755	14,058	15,849*	17,859
2013-14	8,431	-3,260	4,177	13,604	19,710	22,501	15,423	15,653	14,458	17,226	17,807
2014-15	8,303	-3,177	4,954	15,181	20,795	22,616	17,366	15,928	14,626	19,551	17,698
2015-16	8,427	-929	6,983	16,497	21,350	22,494	18,107	16,007	14,780	23,645	17,706
2016-17	7,939	2,101	8,874	17,216	22,472	22,234	18,247	15,759	14,530	25,641	17,966
2017-18	8,692	4,513	9,879	17,900	22,816	21,653*	18,332	15,683	14,341	27,748	18,286
2018-19	8,813	7,017		18,494	24,028	20,872*	19,030	15,851	15,097	29,541	18,541
2019-20	9,413	9,013			23,424	20,562*	19,430		15,194		18,877
2020-21	9,895	10,747			24,307		19,786		15,191		19,168
2021-22							19,897				19,369
2022-23											19,500
2023-24											

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