

Summary of RBC Canadian Manufacturing *PMI*TM regional data:

	Oct'11	Nov	Dec	Jan'12	Feb
Alberta and British Columbia					
<i>PMI</i>	55.8	56.3	57.0	54.0	53.4
Output Index	55.6	55.5	58.3	55.6	54.6
Ontario					
<i>PMI</i>	54.1	54.0	55.4	50.2	51.9
Output Index	56.9	56.5	59.2	51.8	52.6
Quebec					
<i>PMI</i>	50.8	50.7	50.0	46.9	48.6
Output Index	52.3	52.4	51.7	46.4	46.7
Rest of Canada					
<i>PMI</i>	52.5	50.1	51.0	48.8	52.2
Output Index	51.1	47.5	49.5	47.0	52.6

Unless otherwise indicated, any reading above 50.0 signals an increase or growth on the previous month, below 50.0 indicates a decrease or contraction. The greater the divergence from 50.0, the greater the rate of change signalled by the index.

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