

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

	Apr'11	May	Jun	Jul	Aug
Alberta and British Columbia					
<i>PMI</i>	57.3	56.1	54.4	54.0	55.4
Output Index	55.4	54.5	53.6	52.7	54.2
Ontario					
<i>PMI</i>	55.0	52.7	51.6	51.7	53.2
Output Index	55.5	52.3	50.7	50.2	52.1
Quebec					
<i>PMI</i>	55.5	53.7	50.6	51.0	52.6
Output Index	54.5	50.9	48.7	49.4	52.7
Rest of Canada					
<i>PMI</i>	56.5	55.2	53.7	56.0	58.8
Output Index	58.8	55.7	53.4	54.9	57.6

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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