



RBC ROYAL BANK DECREASES RESIDENTIAL MORTGAGE RATES

TORONTO, **December 8**, **2009** — RBC Royal Bank announced today that it is decreasing its residential mortgage rates effective December 9, 2009.

The changes are as follows:

Fixed Rate Mortgages

One-year closed	3.40 per cent	(decreased by 0.20 per cent)
Two-year closed	3.75 per cent	(no change)
Three-year closed	4.25 per cent	(no change)
Four-year closed	5.14 per cent	(decreased by 0.05 per cent)
Five-year closed	5.49 per cent	(decreased by 0.10 per cent)
Seven-year closed	6.65 per cent	(no change)
Ten-year closed	6.80 per cent	(no change)

Special Fixed Rate Offers*

4.09 per cent	(decreased by 0.05 per cent)
4.19 per cent	(decreased by 0.10 per cent)
5.20 per cent	(no change)
5.35 per cent	(no change)
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Variable Rate Mortgages

Variable Closed RBC Prime + 0.00% (no change)

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Special Offers may be changed, withdrawn or extended at any time, without notice. Not available in combination with any other rate discounts, offers or promotions.

^{*} The rates indicated are special discounted rates and are not the posted rates of Royal Bank of Canada. To calculate a rate discount compare the Special Offer rate against the posted rate for the applicable term.