

# LOCATION AND ANNUAL COMPARISONS FOR COMMODITY GROUPS AND SUB-GROUPS - REGIONS

Following are summary tables that show the annual and location comparisons for all the regions for each of the commodity groups and sub-groups priced.

**TABLE 2: LOCATION COMPARISON FOR COMMODITY GROUPS AND SUB-GROUPS PERTH = 100.0**

November/December 2000

Group, sub-group	REGION										Great Southern	**GST	***WST
	Kimberley	Pilbara	Gascoyne	Goldfields- Esperance	Mid West	Wheatbelt	Peel	South West					
<b>Food</b>	<b>117.6</b>	<b>112.9</b>	<b>109.3</b>	<b>108.5</b>	<b>109.2</b>	<b>102.0</b>	<b>101.8</b>	<b>100.8</b>	<b>101.6</b>	<b>101.6</b>			
Dairy Products	104.3	102.9	103.7	101.4	99.2	98.2	98.0	97.8	99.1	99.1	0%	0%	0%
Cereal	107.4	102.6	107.6	107.4	101.4	100.9	101.8	97.2	96.9	96.9	0%-10%	0%-12%	0%
Soft Drinks, Ice Cream, Confectionery	109.2	108.0	110.9	108.1	106.6	104.7	100.8	99.1	102.1	102.1	10%	12%-22%	0%
Other Foods	115.2	105.5	109.0	107.5	103.7	103.3	106.1	101.0	101.3	101.3	0%	0%	0%
Meat and Seafoods	106.4	105.3	102.6	102.8	99.3	98.2	102.1	99.9	96.6	96.6	0%	0%	0%
Fresh Fruit and Vegetables	115.3	112.2	106.1	97.1	106.2	108.2	92.5	95.2	99.0	99.0	0%	0%	0%
Processed fruit and vegetables	113.3	105.2	111.1	107.9	104.7	104.6	101.2	100.0	103.1	103.1	0%	0%-12%	0%
Meals out and takeaway food	143.2	134.4	116.5	120.9	129.3	101.2	105.9	107.7	108.8	108.8	10%	10%	0%
<b>Clothing</b>	<b>115.6</b>	<b>120.3</b>	<b>119.2</b>	<b>114.6</b>	<b>114.6</b>	<b>113.6</b>	<b>106.6</b>	<b>113.9</b>	<b>110.7</b>	<b>110.7</b>			
Men's and boy's clothing	134.9	128.5	140.7	132.3	134.5	127.6	124.0	121.1	122.7	122.7	10%	10%	0%
Women's and girls clothing	99.8	114.6	105.8	104.7	99.2	106.1	98.1	110.7	104.0	104.0	10%	10%	0%
Fabrics and knitting wool	158.9	129.6	130.0	113.6	152.0	109.6	93.9	106.8	109.2	109.2	10%	10%	0%
<b>Housing</b>	<b>135.3</b>	<b>128.9</b>	<b>106.4</b>	<b>110.6</b>	<b>100.1</b>	<b>101.1</b>	<b>100.4</b>	<b>101.2</b>	<b>100.5</b>	<b>100.5</b>			
Rents	176.4	154.4	100.6	127.5	86.9	84.6	91.0	92.6	89.9	89.9	0%	0%	0%
Home ownership	123.0	121.3	108.2	105.5	104.1	106.0	103.2	103.7	103.7	103.7	0%-10%	0%	0%
<b>Household Equipment and Operation</b>	<b>101.9</b>	<b>102.9</b>	<b>101.8</b>	<b>100.2</b>	<b>98.4</b>	<b>98.7</b>	<b>98.7</b>	<b>95.1</b>	<b>101.3</b>	<b>101.3</b>			
Fuel and light	105.2	101.8	102.0	101.7	99.9	103.0	101.0	100.3	100.9	100.9	10%	10%	0%
Furniture	97.1	101.2	103.3	95.4	96.0	95.8	92.9	89.6	101.7	101.7	10%	12%	12%
Appliances	102.8	111.1	94.5	103.6	99.3	95.6	110.8	86.9	115.1	115.1	10%	10%	12%
Household Utensils and tools	98.7	90.5	89.5	99.4	91.3	101.7	106.4	99.6	87.0	87.0	10%	0%-22%	0%
Household supplies and services	109.3	107.6	107.1	105.3	100.6	100.1	97.4	98.3	99.0	99.0	10%	0%-12%	0%
Postal and telephone services	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	0%-10%	0%	0%
Consumer credit charges	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	0%	0%	0%
<b>Transportation</b>	<b>110.3</b>	<b>109.6</b>	<b>114.6</b>	<b>107.9</b>	<b>105.6</b>	<b>103.4</b>	<b>97.5</b>	<b>103.7</b>	<b>105.1</b>	<b>105.1</b>			
Private motoring	110.3	109.6	114.6	107.9	105.6	103.4	97.5	103.7	105.1	105.1	* 0%-10%	* 0%-22%	0%
<b>Tobacco and Alcohol</b>	<b>111.4</b>	<b>109.0</b>	<b>108.3</b>	<b>104.5</b>	<b>108.0</b>	<b>107.1</b>	<b>101.8</b>	<b>102.5</b>	<b>104.7</b>	<b>104.7</b>			
Cigarettes and Tobacco	103.8	105.5	103.1	107.5	107.3	106.2	102.2	101.4	103.0	103.0	* 10%	* 0%	0%
Alcoholic Drinks	115.7	111.0	111.2	102.9	108.3	107.5	101.6	103.1	105.7	105.7	* 0%-10%	* 37%-41%	0%
<b>Health and Personal Care</b>	<b>104.4</b>	<b>102.9</b>	<b>98.6</b>	<b>100.5</b>	<b>97.6</b>	<b>97.7</b>	<b>99.3</b>	<b>98.4</b>	<b>99.1</b>	<b>99.1</b>			
Health services	99.7	99.2	99.1	98.7	98.6	97.1	99.8	99.0	98.6	98.6	0%	0%	0%
Personal care products	111.7	108.8	105.1	104.0	100.7	100.2	99.2	98.2	100.1	100.1	0%-10%	0%-22%	0%
Hairdressing Services	108.5	105.9	81.0	100.5	86.0	94.2	97.5	96.3	99.3	99.3	10%	10%	0%
<b>Recreation and Education</b>	<b>111.2</b>	<b>108.4</b>	<b>115.6</b>	<b>108.7</b>	<b>103.9</b>	<b>110.1</b>	<b>102.8</b>	<b>109.7</b>	<b>105.4</b>	<b>105.4</b>			
Books, newspapers and magazines	118.9	120.2	103.4	100.2	100.2	100.3	99.1	100.5	100.2	100.2	10%	10%	0%
Recreation goods	131.9	118.0	144.6	124.2	118.2	122.6	111.8	122.6	123.6	123.6	10%	10%	22%
Recreation services	99.0	100.4	105.9	108.0	95.7	106.5	95.4	108.6	100.5	100.5	10%	10%	0%
Education fees	97.2	100.3	98.7	89.8	102.7	106.1	109.4	97.4	89.3	89.3	0%	0%	0%
<b>ALL GROUPS</b>	<b>113.3</b>	<b>111.3</b>	<b>108.5</b>	<b>106.4</b>	<b>104.1</b>	<b>103.0</b>	<b>100.5</b>	<b>101.7</b>	<b>102.9</b>	<b>102.9</b>			

\* items in the product sub-groups are subject to excise and/or other duties \*\* Goods and Services Tax Rate (after July 1 2000) \*\*\* Wholesale Sales Tax (pre July 1 2000)

**TABLE 3: ANNUAL COMPARISON FOR COMMODITY GROUPS AND SUB-GROUPS**

% Change, November/December 2000

Group, sub-group	REGION										Perth	**GST	***WST
	Kimberley	Pilbara	Gascoyne	Goldfields- Esperance	Mia West	Wheatbelt	Peel	South West	Great Southern				
<b>Food</b>	<b>+6.9</b>	<b>+3.8</b>	<b>+0.1</b>	<b>+2.5</b>	<b>+8.3</b>	<b>+1.7</b>	<b>+4.4</b>	<b>+6.1</b>	<b>-1.0</b>	<b>+5.5</b>			
Dairy Products	+0.9	+3.3	-0.3	-1.6	+4.1	-0.9	+1.6	+3.7	-0.1	+5.8	0%	0%	0%
Cereal	+2.0	-0.8	+5.3	+9.7	+5.7	+10.2	+6.9	-1.6	-0.1	+2.1	0%-10%	0%	0%-12%
Soft Drinks, Ice Cream, Confectionery	-3.9	+0.8	-6.7	+3.9	+1.0	-1.8	+1.3	-0.1	-7.4	+2.2	10%	12%-22%	0%
Other Foods	+3.6	-1.7	+2.1	+1.2	+0.6	-0.7	+2.0	-3.3	-4.7	+0.2	0%	0%	0%
Meat and Seafoods	+4.3	+1.9	-0.4	+1.7	+2.6	+4.5	+3.9	+8.9	-6.5	+3.9	0%	0%	0%
Fresh Fruit and Vegetables	+18.8	+0.2	+6.5	-6.6	+1.7	+11.8	+3.1	+1.6	+6.2	+6.2	0%	0%	0%
Processed fruit and vegetables	-1.5	-2.6	-7.4	+5.0	-2.6	-0.5	+0.4	-0.1	-3.8	+2.9	0%	0%	0%-12%
Meals out and takeaway food	+18.8	+14.2	+1.1	+4.1	+27.8	-3.5	+8.8	+19.2	+5.9	+12.5	10%	10%	0%
<b>Clothing</b>	<b>-1.5</b>	<b>+15.4</b>	<b>+12.4</b>	<b>+15.5</b>	<b>+2.9</b>	<b>+12.1</b>	<b>+8.7</b>	<b>+7.3</b>	<b>+8.7</b>	<b>+3.3</b>			
Men's and boy's clothing	+3.3	+10.9	+18.4	+18.5	+8.4	+11.7	+16.8	-1.1	+7.3	-7.0	10%	10%	0%
Women's and girls clothing	-7.2	+18.2	+11.0	+16.1	-1.0	+17.0	+5.1	+14.9	+14.2	+10.7	10%	10%	0%
Fabrics and knitting wool	+24.6	+12.6	-6.2	-5.1	+10.3	-29.9	-0.7	-18.1	-33.8	-11.3	10%	10%	0%
<b>Housing</b>	<b>+6.8</b>	<b>+2.5</b>	<b>+4.5</b>	<b>+1.1</b>	<b>+3.0</b>	<b>+3.5</b>	<b>+5.5</b>	<b>+3.8</b>	<b>+3.5</b>	<b>+5.3</b>			
Rents	+12.5	+0.1	-1.4	-6.3	-2.2	+3.1	+4.3	-0.6	+4.1	+11.9	0%	0%	0%
Home ownership	-5.0	+3.2	+6.2	+3.4	+4.5	+3.6	+5.9	+5.1	+3.4	+3.4	0%-10%	0%	0%
<b>Household Equipment and Operation</b>	<b>-0.1</b>	<b>+1.1</b>	<b>+1.6</b>	<b>-2.3</b>	<b>+1.1</b>	<b>+1.5</b>	<b>+1.5</b>	<b>-1.9</b>	<b>-2.0</b>	<b>+6.3</b>			
Fuel and light	+16.7	+13.3	+13.7	+14.4	+12.6	+16.0	+13.6	+12.0	+12.7	+12.6	10%	10%	0%
Furniture	+0.4	-4.0	+5.6	+2.9	-5.6	+6.5	-0.6	-2.9	-0.9	+14.3	10%	12%	12%
Appliances	-10.7	+17.0	-19.1	-6.8	-12.3	-9.2	+11.3	-25.0	-1.3	-2.7	10%	12%	12%
Household Utensils and tools	-1.6	-2.9	+11.2	+4.7	-5.7	-6.6	+13.4	+11.1	-23.4	+20.4	10%	0%-22%	0%
Household supplies and services	-2.7	-1.1	-2.6	-0.8	-0.6	-5.7	-5.6	-0.4	-7.1	+0.0	10%	10%	0%-12%
Postal and telephone services	-5.1	-5.1	-5.1	-5.1	-5.1	-5.1	-5.1	-5.1	-5.1	-5.1	0%-10%	0%	0%
Consumer credit charges	+0.0	+0.0	+0.0	+0.0	+0.0	+0.0	+0.0	+0.0	+0.0	+0.0	0%	0%	0%
<b>Transportation</b>	<b>+6.0</b>	<b>+7.1</b>	<b>+9.7</b>	<b>+8.4</b>	<b>+7.7</b>	<b>+8.5</b>	<b>+8.4</b>	<b>+8.2</b>	<b>+4.0</b>	<b>+9.8</b>			
Private motoring	+6.0	+7.1	+9.7	+8.4	+7.7	+8.5	+8.4	+8.2	+4.0	+9.8	* 0%-10%	* 0%-22%	0%
<b>Tobacco and Alcohol</b>	<b>+3.2</b>	<b>+7.0</b>	<b>+3.9</b>	<b>+6.9</b>	<b>+10.3</b>	<b>+7.1</b>	<b>+9.4</b>	<b>+7.7</b>	<b>+4.3</b>	<b>+6.1</b>			
Cigarettes and Tobacco	+9.1	+16.5	+12.8	+18.5	+19.0	+16.8	+16.9	+12.2	+12.5	+15.0	* 10%	* 0%	0%
Alcoholic Drinks	-0.2	+1.7	-1.1	+0.5	+5.4	+1.7	+5.3	+5.1	-0.3	+1.2	* 0%-10%	* 37%-41%	0%
<b>Health and Personal Care</b>	<b>+6.5</b>	<b>+3.8</b>	<b>+4.6</b>	<b>+2.3</b>	<b>+2.4</b>	<b>+3.7</b>	<b>+5.0</b>	<b>+1.5</b>	<b>+3.2</b>	<b>+5.0</b>			
Health services	+2.2	+0.3	+1.9	+0.6	+2.3	+1.7	+2.5	+1.2	+1.0	+4.9	0%	0%	0%
Personal care products	+5.7	+7.2	+1.6	+1.8	+1.4	-0.3	+1.0	+2.9	-4.3	+3.9	0%-10%	0%-22%	0%
Hairdressing Services	+27.3	+12.0	+23.6	+11.1	+5.2	+22.3	+25.9	-0.5	+30.8	+8.7	10%	10%	0%
<b>Recreation and Education</b>	<b>+3.3</b>	<b>+4.5</b>	<b>+9.3</b>	<b>+17.3</b>	<b>+1.6</b>	<b>+1.4</b>	<b>-3.0</b>	<b>+9.0</b>	<b>+6.5</b>	<b>+2.9</b>			
Books, newspapers and magazines	+10.2	+8.4	+11.4	+7.4	+13.0	+8.0	+10.0	+11.4	+11.2	+11.0	10%	10%	0%
Recreation goods	-11.5	-10.5	-0.2	-10.4	-7.8	-7.7	-5.1	-7.4	-6.3	-18.5	10%	22%	0%
Recreation services	+14.1	+14.0	+20.2	+47.0	+5.8	+3.8	-6.2	+24.4	+16.8	+13.5	10%	10%	0%
Education fees	-4.8	+3.5	-4.4	-1.5	-3.5	+6.1	-3.0	-4.5	-1.9	+6.2	0%	0%	0%
<b>ALL GROUPS</b>	<b>+4.2</b>	<b>+4.6</b>	<b>+4.6</b>	<b>+5.6</b>	<b>+4.2</b>	<b>+4.1</b>	<b>+4.6</b>	<b>+4.7</b>	<b>+2.3</b>	<b>+6.0</b>			

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