

YEAR-ON-YEAR PERCENT CHANGE ON RPI OF SELECTED CONSTRUCTION MATERIALS IN THE NATIONAL CAPITAL REGION

(1978 = 100)

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|  | Nov        | Dec        | Jan        | Feb        | Mar        | Apr        | May        | Jun        | Jul        | Aug        | Sep        | Oct        | Nov        |
| <b>All items</b>                               | <b>3.9</b> | <b>4.4</b> | <b>4.4</b> | <b>4.2</b> | <b>4.5</b> | <b>4.1</b> | <b>4.3</b> | <b>4.3</b> | <b>4.0</b> | <b>3.5</b> | <b>3.5</b> | <b>3.6</b> | <b>3.5</b> |
| A. Carpentry Materials                         | 2.2        | 2.3        | 2.6        | 2.6        | 2.5        | 2.1        | 2.2        | 2.2        | 0.9        | 1.1        | 0.4        | 0.8        | 1.0        |
| B. Electrical Materials                        | 15.4       | 16.5r      | 14.5       | 13.5       | 13.5       | 13.0       | 10.7       | 8.8        | 8.2        | 6.2        | 4.9        | 4.8        | 4.4        |
| C. Masonry Materials                           | 5.3        | 5.7        | 4.8        | 4.6        | 4.4        | 4.4        | 4.7        | 4.9        | 4.4        | 4.1        | 4.0        | 3.8        | 3.7        |
| D. Painting Materials<br>and Related Compounds | 10.2       | 9.7        | 9.4        | 9.2        | 9.1        | 9.2        | 8.7        | 8.9        | 9.4        | 4.9        | 3.0        | 2.5        | 2.5        |
| E. Plumbing Materials                          | -0.4       | -0.5       | -1.0       | -0.9       | -0.9       | -1.1       | -0.9       | -1.1       | -1.1       | -0.5       | 0.1        | 1.5        | 1.4        |
| F. Tinsmithry Materials                        | 4.6        | 3.8        | 3.9        | 3.5        | 3.3        | 3.3        | 4.8        | 4.5        | 5.1        | 4.5        | 3.1        | 0.9        | 0.1        |
| G. Miscellaneous Construction<br>Materials     | 4.7        | 7.5        | 8.3        | 7.8        | 9.7        | 9.0        | 8.9        | 9.3        | 10.7       | 9.2        | 12.4       | 12.2       | 11.8       |

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