

Monthly Business Barometer®



Average price increase plans 2.7

Average wage increase plans

2.1



Business Barometer[®]: Future price and wage increase plans



Survey questions:

In the next year, how much do you expect average prices to change? In the next year, how much do you expect average wages to change? Source: CFIB, Your business outlook survey, February 2009 - July 2025

Historical averages







Business Barometer[®]: Future price increase plans, last 7 years



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Business Barometer[®]: Price increase plans

July 2025	4%	21%	30%	16%		30%
Last 3 months	3%	21%	28%	16%		30%
Last 12 months	3%	21%	29%	17%		30%
2009 - 2019						
	6%	31%	3	2%	13%	17%

● Price decrease ● No change ● Increase up to 2.5% ● Increase 3%-4.5% ● Increase 5% or more

Survey question: In the next year, how much do you expect average prices to change? Note: Values are automatically rounded, so totals may not always equal 100%. Source: CFIB, Your business outlook survey, February 2009 - July 2025





Business Barometer[®]: Future wage increase plans, last 7 years



Survey question: In the next year, how much do you expect average wages to change? Source: CFIB, Your business outlook survey, February 2009 - July 2025

Business Barometer[®]: Wage increase plans



● Wage decrease ● No change ● Increase up to 2.5% ● Increase 3%-4.5% ● Increase 5% or more

Survey question: In the next year, how much do you expect average prices to change? Note: Values are automatically rounded, so totals may not always equal 100%. Source: CFIB, Your business outlook survey, February 2009 - July 2025

34%	24%		14%
36%	22%		15%
36%	22%		17%
42%		13%	11%



