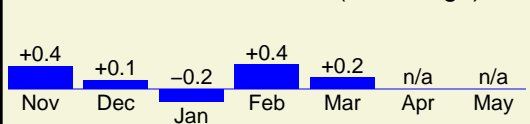
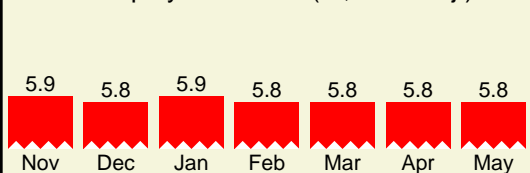


CANADA'S ECONOMIC PERFORMANCE

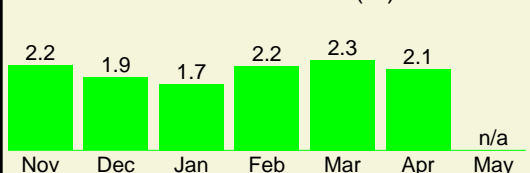
Real GDP Growth Rate (%-change)



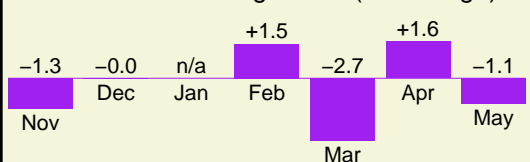
Unemployment Rate (% , seas.adj.)



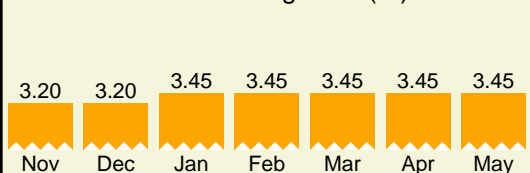
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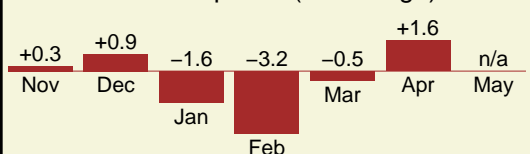
USD/CAD Exchange Rate (%-change)



Prime Lending Rate (%)



TSX-composite (%-change)



Housing Starts (thousands)

