This report looks at the following areas:

As retail has evolved in recent years – including grocery stores, big box stores and e-commerce – it is worthwhile to review where convenience stores stand in the overall landscape and what the future might hold for these stores if the current trends continue.

- Price and selection are the biggest barriers facing convenience stores
- Potential for foodservice sales in convenience stores is limited
- The convenience store model makes it difficult to upsell customers

"Convenience stores are a fixture in the Canadian retail market. With easily accessible locations and long business hours, they offer consumers a shopping option that is quick and easy."

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