

# Using FitchConnect for Country Risk and Industry Research Reports

**Description:** Use the following instructions to locate Country Risk and Industry Reports in FitchConnect and to download historical and forecast data through FitchConnect's Data Tool.

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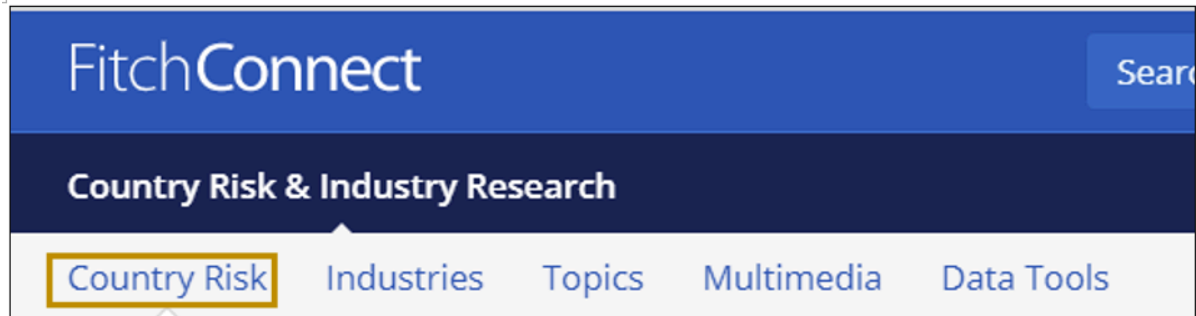
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# Part 1: Searching for Country Risk Reports

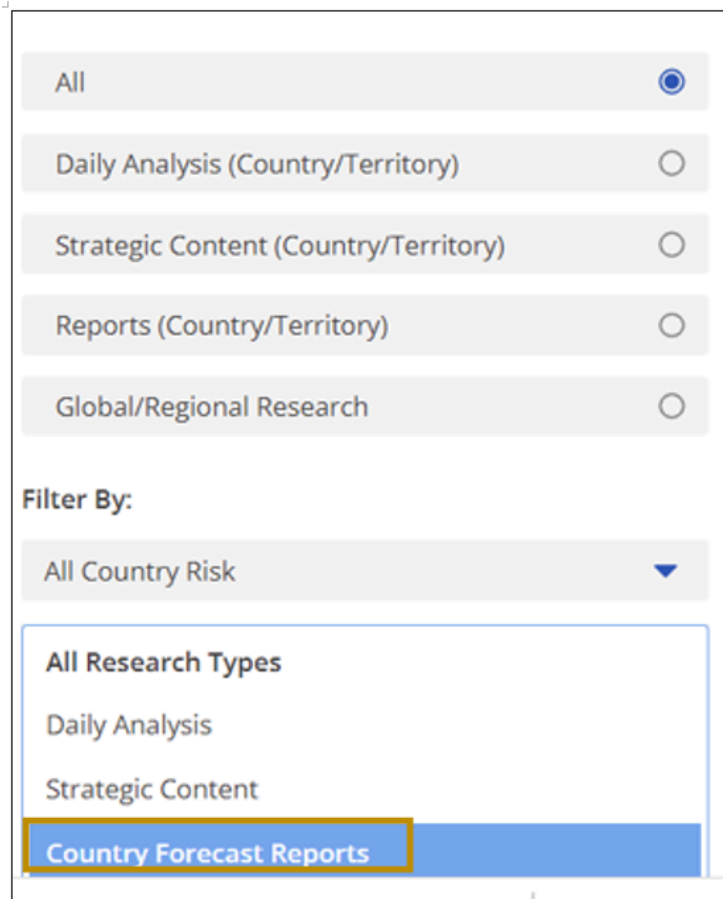
**Step 1.** Go to FitchConnect (formerly BMI Research): <https://bit.ly/2JIEUXT>

**Step 2.** Once in the database, close any promotional pop-up window.

**Step 3.** Click on the **Country Risk** tab



**Step 4.** In the left column of the Country Risk page, under the **Filter By** section: click on **All Research Types** > select **Country Forecast Reports**



**Step 5.** In the middle column of the Country Risk page > insert **Canada** > hit the **Enter** key > click on the link of the most current **Canada Country Risk Report** in the search results.

The screenshot shows the FitchConnect website interface. At the top, there's a blue header with 'FitchConnect' and a search bar. Below the header, a dark blue bar reads 'Country Risk & Industry Research'. A navigation menu includes 'Country Risk', 'Industries', 'Topics', 'Multimedia', and 'Data Tools'. The main content area is titled 'Country Risk > Country Risk: All (1-25 of 2629)'. On the left, there's a sidebar with filters: 'All' (selected), 'Daily Analysis (Country/Territory)', 'Strategic Content (Country/Territory)', 'Reports (Country/Territory)', and 'Global/Regional Research'. Below these are 'Filter By' options: 'All Country Risk', 'Country Forecast Reports', and 'All Dates'. The search results on the right show a list of reports for 'Canada'. The first result, 'Canada Country Risk Report', dated '11 AUG 2021', is highlighted with a yellow box. Other results are dated '19 MAY 2021', '17 FEB 2021', and '11 NOV 2020'.

**Step 6.** In the report page > You can read the report online or click on the **Download** button to download the report.

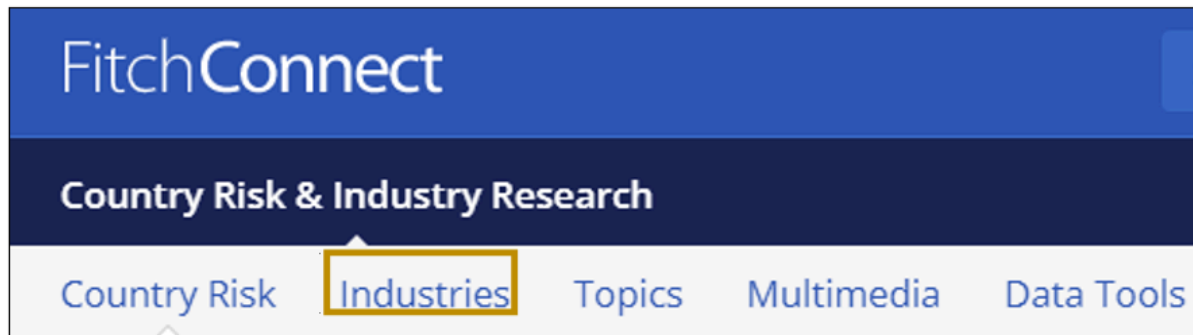
The screenshot shows a document viewer interface for the 'Canada Country Risk Report'. At the top, there's a blue toolbar with buttons for 'Copy Link', 'Print', 'Download' (highlighted with a yellow box), and 'Bookmark'. Below the toolbar is a search bar and navigation controls. The main content area displays the FitchSolutions logo, the text 'Q4 2021' and 'www.fitchsolutions.com', and the title 'Canada Country Risk Report' in large blue font.

## Part 2: Searching for Industry Reports

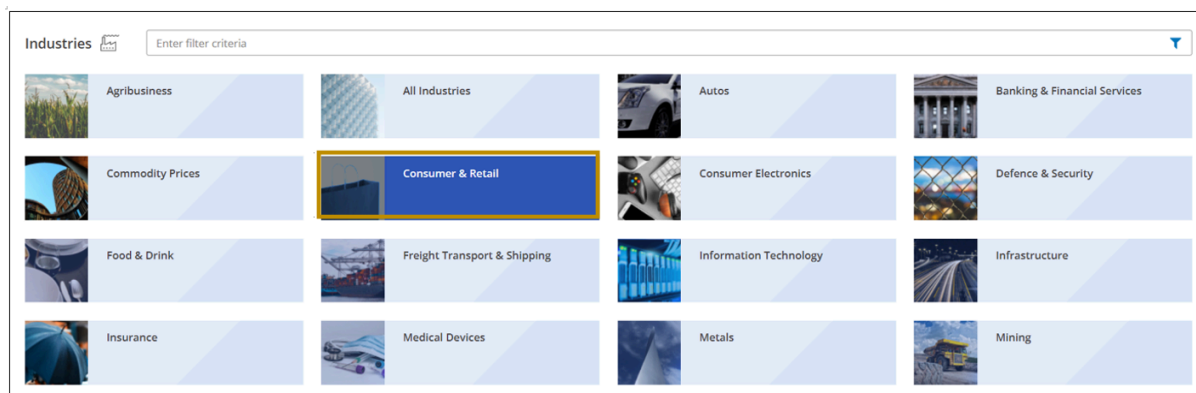
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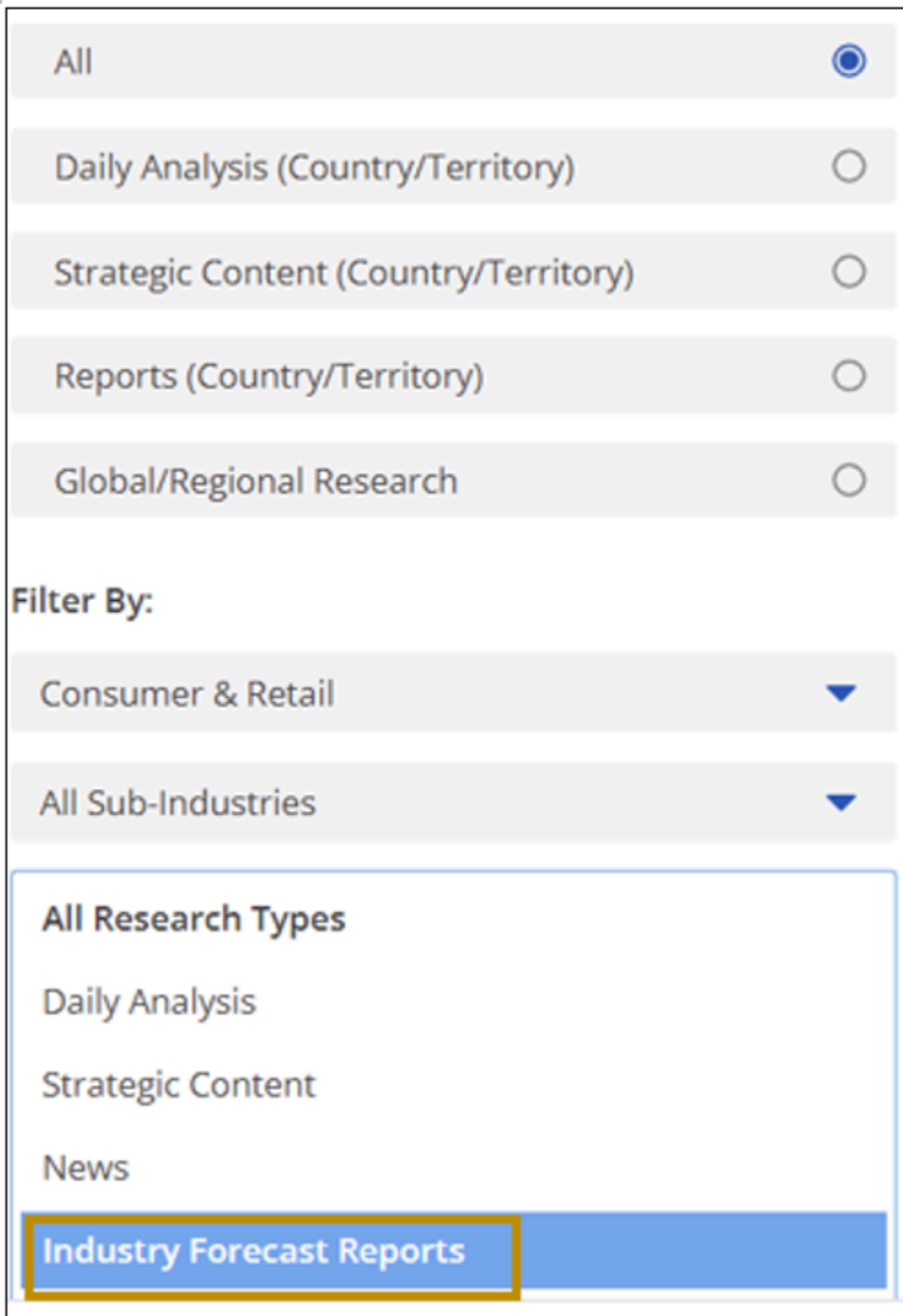
**Step 3.** Click on **Industries** tab



**Step 4.** In the subsequent Industries page > select **Consumer & Retail**



**Step 5.** In the left column of the Consumer & Retail page, under the **Filter By** section, click on **All Research Types** > select **Industry Forecast Reports**.



All ☒

Daily Analysis (Country/Territory) ☐

Strategic Content (Country/Territory) ☐

Reports (Country/Territory) ☐

Global/Regional Research ☐

**Filter By:**

Consumer & Retail ▼

All Sub-Industries ▼

**All Research Types**

Daily Analysis

Strategic Content

News

**Industry Forecast Reports**

**Step 6.** In the middle column of the Consumer & Retail page > insert **Canada** in the search box  
> hit the **Enter** key > click on the link of the most current **Canada Consumer & Retail Report**.


The screenshot displays the Fitch Solutions website interface. At the top, the breadcrumb navigation reads "Industries > Consumer & Retail: All (1-25 of 368)". Below this, a search bar contains the text "canada". To the left of the search results is a sidebar with filter options: "All" (selected), "Daily Analysis (Country/Territory)", "Strategic Content (Country/Territory)", "Reports (Country/Territory)", and "Global/Regional Research". Below these are "Filter By:" dropdowns for "Consumer & Retail", "All Sub-Industries", "Industry Forecast Reports", and "All Dates". The main content area shows a list of search results, all titled "Canada Consumer & Retail Report". The first result is dated "06 SEP 2021" and is highlighted with a yellow box. Subsequent results are dated "01 JUN 2021", "25 FEB 2021", "18 NOV 2020", and "18 AUG 2020". Each result includes a checkbox, the report title, and the date, followed by the text "FITCH SOLUTIONS | INDUSTRY FORECAST REPORTS".

**Step 7.** In the report page > You can read the report online or click on the **Download** button to download the report.

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Consumer & Retail Report

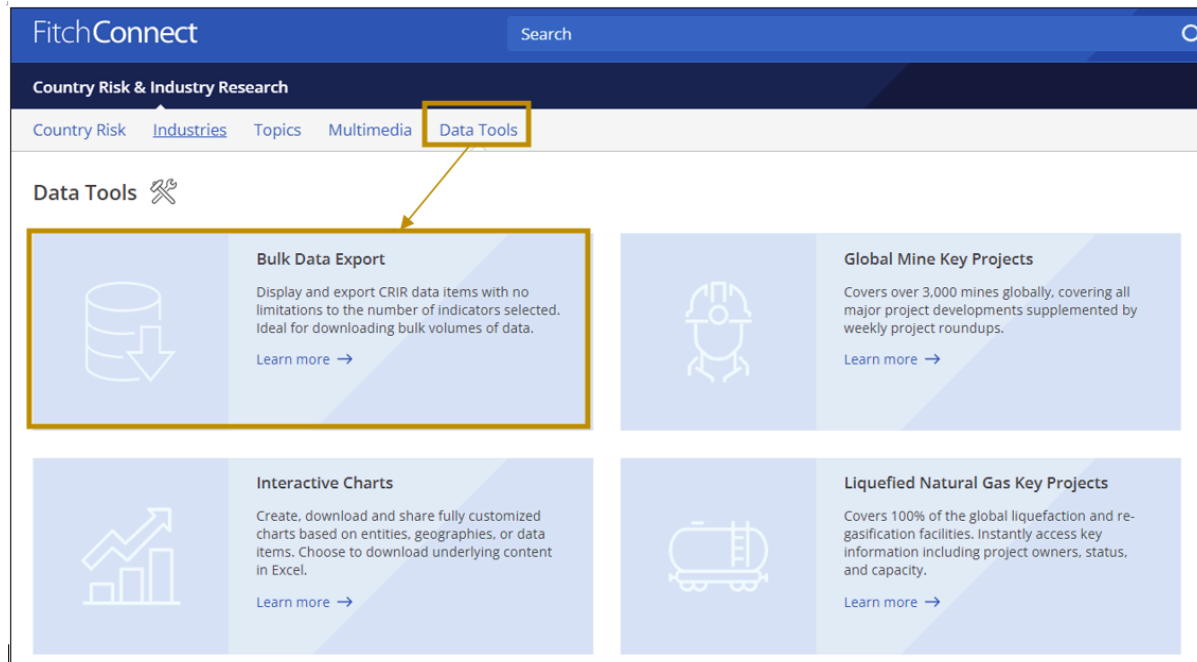
Includes 5-Year forecasts to 2025

## Part 3: Locating and download data through the Data Tool

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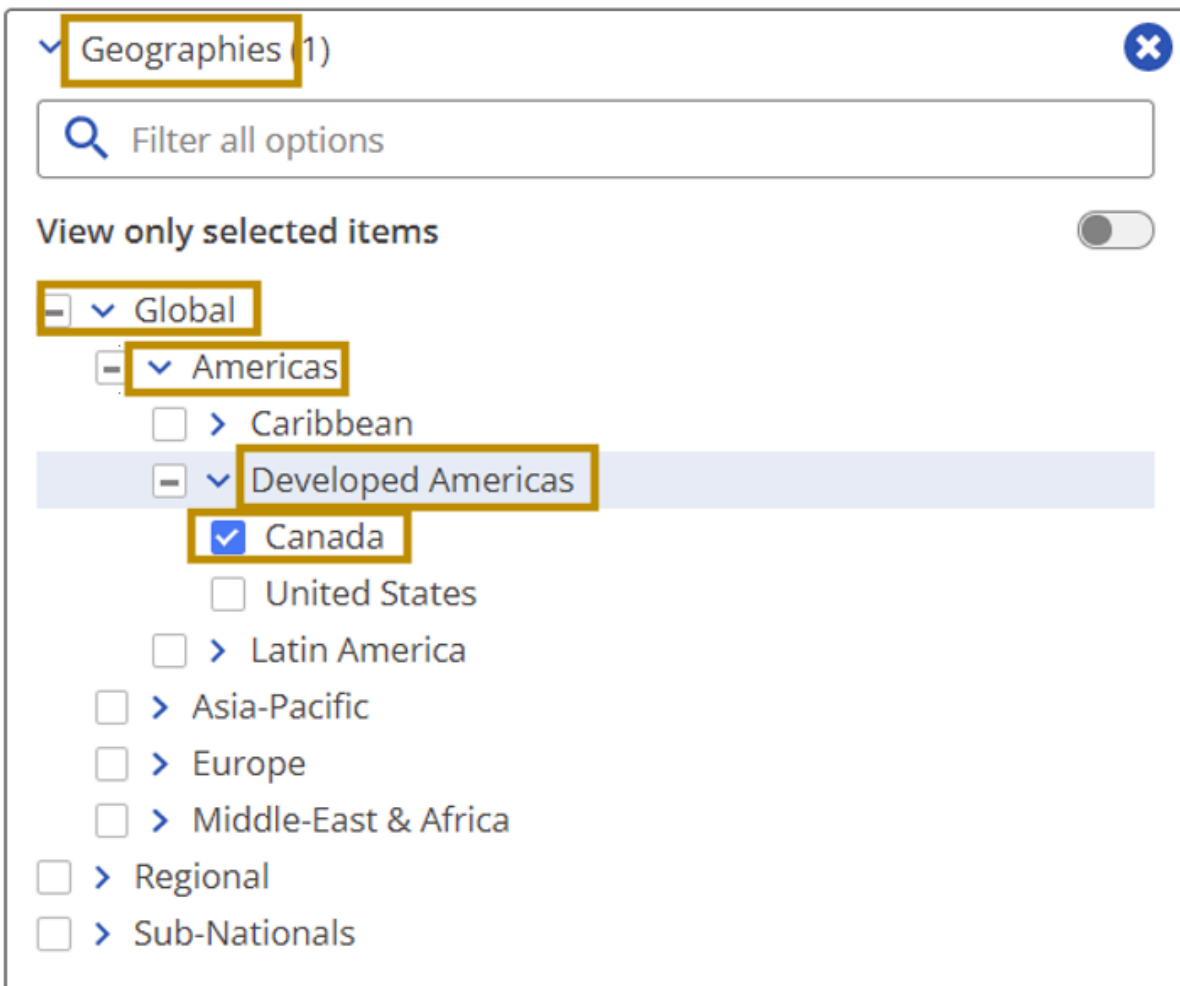
**Step 2.** Once in the database, close any promotional popup window.

**Step 3.** Select the **Data Tools** tab > then select **Bulk Data Export**.

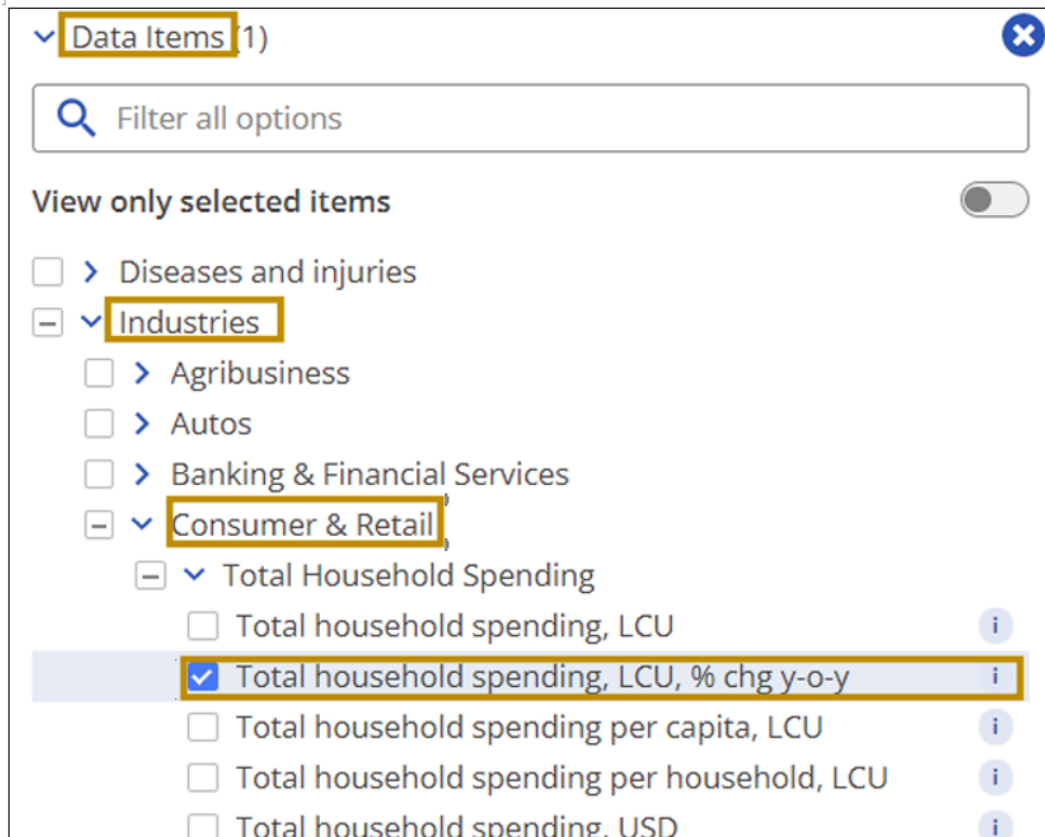




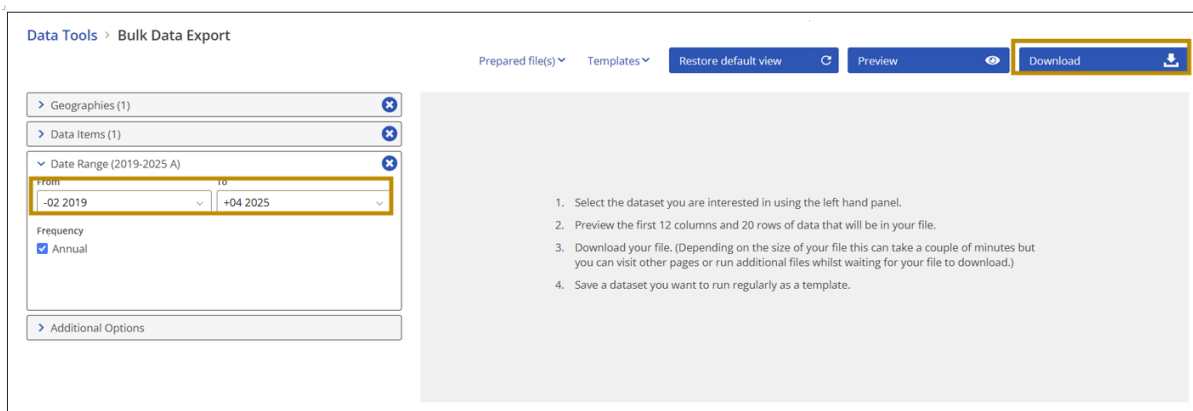
**Step 4.** In the left column, click on **Geographies > Global > Americas > Developed Americas**  
> select **Canada**



**Step 5.** Then select **Data Items > Industries > Consumer & Retails > e.g. select Total Household Spending, LCU, % chg y-o-y** (hover over the **i** icon to the right of the variable to view its definition).



**Step 6.** Select **Date Range > set the date range > click the Download button** to download the datasets.



The Excel file is organized horizontally. Tips to transpose data from rows to columns: Please select the range of data > right click on the selected cells > select **Copy** > open a new worksheet and select the first cell you want to transpose the datasets > from the Excel **Home** select **Paste** > **Paste Special** > **Transpose** > click **OK**.