



Population Report Fourth Quarter, 2022

Highlights:

- The estimated population of Yukon on December 31, 2022 was 44,535; an increase of 947, or 2.2%, compared to the figure for December 31, 2021 (43,588).
- Comparing December 31, 2022 to December 31, 2012, Yukon's population increased by 8,090, or 22.2%. The population of the Whitehorse area increased by 7,086, or 25.2%; Dawson City increased by 365, or 18.3%; Watson Lake increased by 27, or 1.8%; and Haines Junction increased by 164, or 18.8%.

Notes on methodological changes:

Official population counts prior to June 2010 were based on information in Yukon Health Care Insurance Plan (YHCIP) files and a semi-annual health care update survey that estimated the number of plan members who were no longer Yukon residents. In 2010, the estimation model was revised and the population counts for June 2010 through December 2014 were derived by tracking changes in YHCIP files and other administrative data files. In 2015, the model was further revised to make the approach more comprehensive and to improve accuracy based on information in all available and applicable administrative data files of the Yukon government. In addition, the total population count of April 2011 was calibrated to a census-based estimate adjusted for net undercoverage.

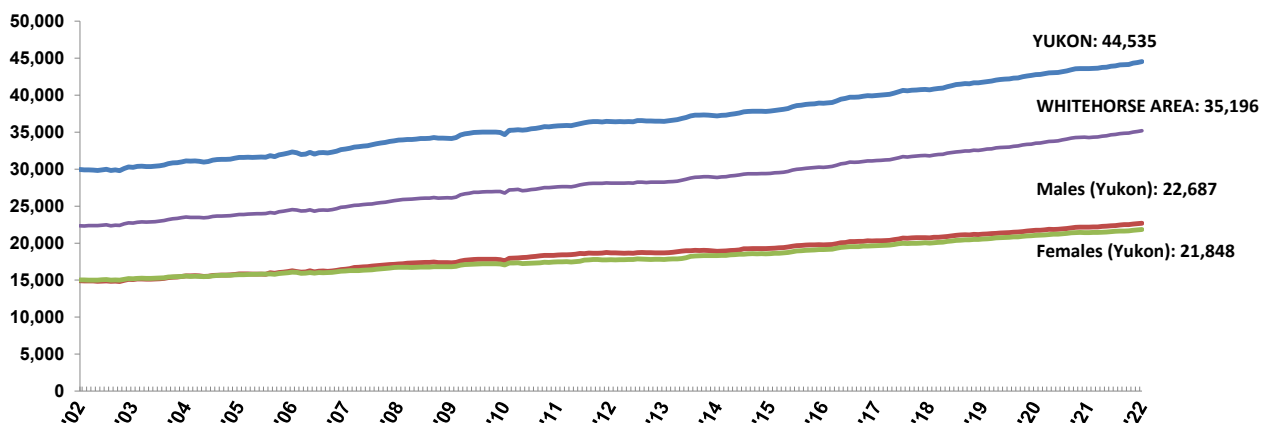
In 2020, the model was updated by prioritizing residential addresses over mailing addresses in the assignment of communities. This update allowed for separate reporting of population estimates for Johnson's Crossing and Mendenhall, and changes in the organization of Whitehorse subdivisions. The changes have been applied to all population estimates from June 2019 onwards.

Changes in community and subdivision populations from one time period to another are not only due to natural population change and migrations, but may also be due to the reassignment of residential addresses as additional administrative data became available.

All monthly estimates are as of the last day of the month. The June estimates represent annual figures.

Given that the number of non-binary individuals in Yukon's administrative files is very small, non-binary individuals are distributed between males and females to protect confidentiality.

Monthly Population, December 31, 2002 to December 31, 2022



- From 2004 through 2014, Yukon's population increased almost steadily in most quarters of every year, except in 2013. Positive growth rates—often very high—have been recorded in each quarter, from 2015 onwards. The December 31, 2022 population at 44,535 was a new record high¹ for Yukon.
- On December 31, 2022, Yukon's population (44,575), increased by 375 people, or 0.8%, from the figure for September 30, 2022 (44,160), and increased by 947 people, or 2.2%, from December 31, 2021 (43,588).

¹ Accurate population counts during the Gold Rush are not available. However, the population figure in the first Census for Yukon (1901) was 27,219.

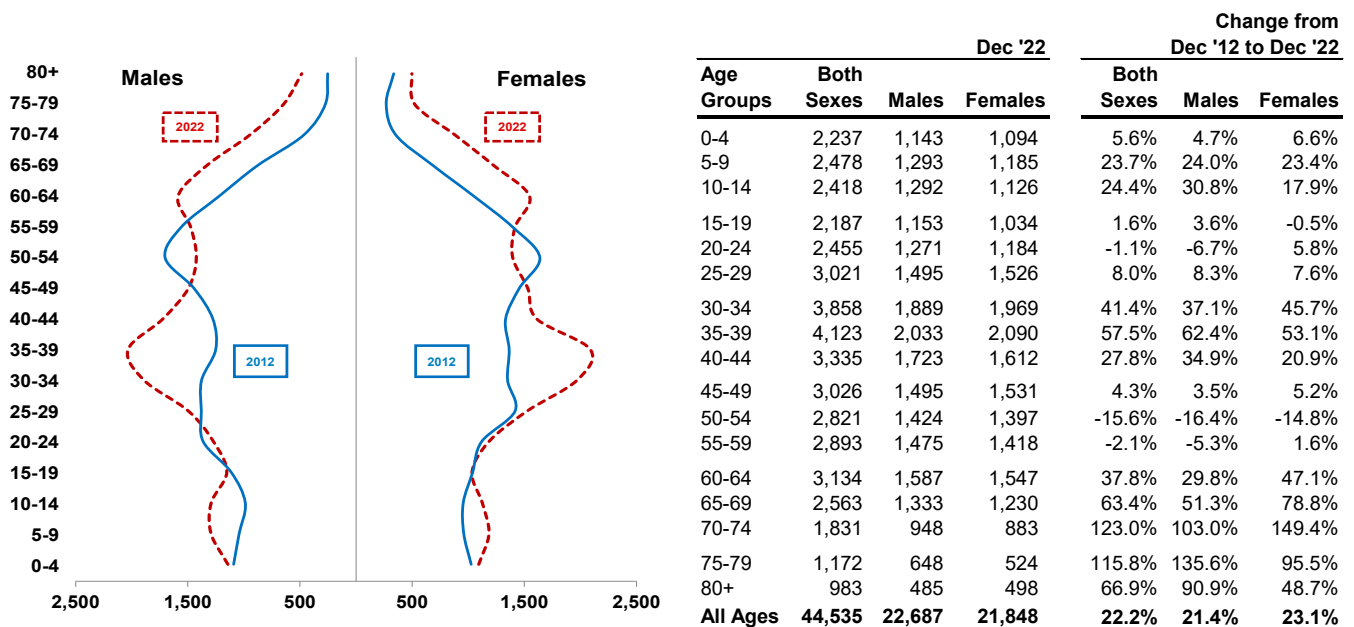
Monthly Population, Yukon, January 31, 2012 to December 31, 2022

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
Jan	35,895	36,420	36,552	37,269	37,943	38,958	40,006	40,844	41,839	42,818	43,623
Feb	35,910	36,432	36,622	37,309	38,004	39,012	40,077	40,907	41,924	42,901	43,641
Mar	35,888	36,407	36,707	37,422	38,088	39,231	40,119	40,962	42,032	43,031	43,748
Apr	36,001	36,438	36,851	37,490	38,207	39,472	40,289	41,154	42,118	43,053	43,789
May	36,158	36,414	36,997	37,583	38,440	39,567	40,457	41,279	42,169	43,080	43,905
Jun ¹	36,283	36,571	37,190	37,745	38,594	39,737	40,643	41,441	42,209	43,190	43,964
Jul	36,383	36,570	37,294	37,800	38,643	39,740	40,594	41,504	42,307	43,290	44,087
Aug	36,427	36,512	37,293	37,834	38,761	39,761	40,670	41,567	42,347	43,432	44,133
Sep	36,431	36,505	37,340	37,820	38,797	39,847	40,710	41,555	42,497	43,567	44,160
Oct	36,375	36,492	37,311	37,832	38,843	39,928	40,746	41,665	42,605	43,611	44,339
Nov	36,467	36,488	37,252	37,817	38,926	39,922	40,788	41,670	42,688	43,592	44,414
Dec	36,445	36,473	37,210	37,868	38,900	39,968	40,717	41,743	42,774	43,588	44,535

¹ June figures are referred to as 'annual'

- During the fourth quarter of 2022, Yukon's population increased by 375 people, or 0.8%, from 44,160 on September 30, 2022 to 44,535 on December 31, 2022.
- Comparing the months of September through December of 2022 to their respective months of 2021, population increased: 1.7% in October; 1.9% in November; and 2.2% in December.

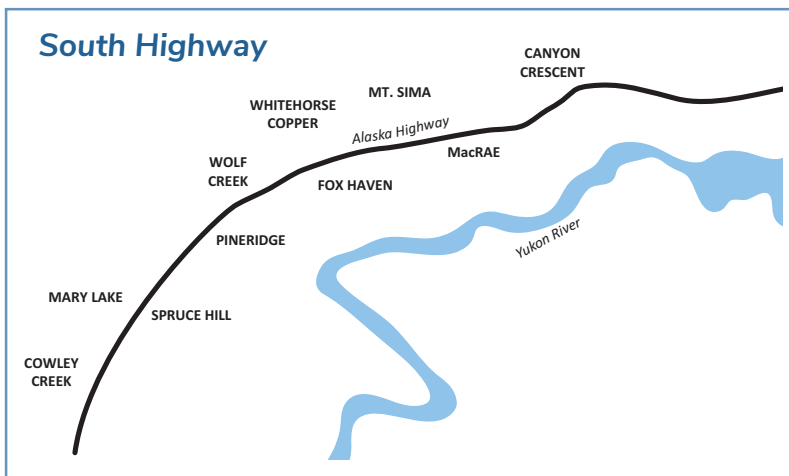
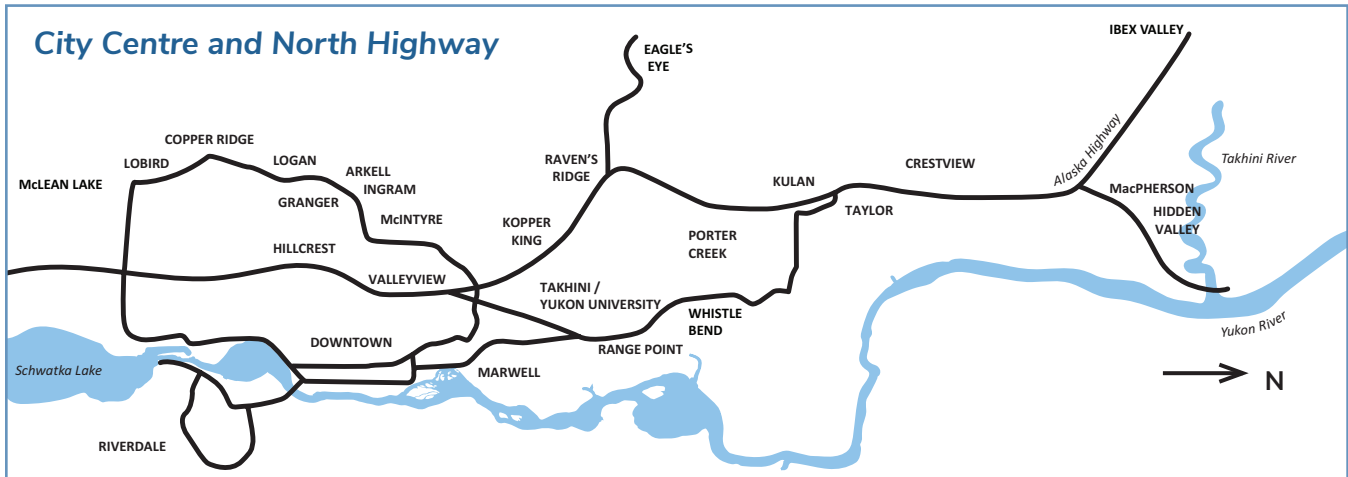
Population by Age Group and Sex, Yukon, December 31, 2012 and December 31, 2022



Comparing December 31, 2022 to December 31, 2012, growth occurred as follows (15-year age groupings):

- 0 to 14 years = increased 1,096 people, (17.6%);
- 15 to 29 years = increased 231 people, (3.1%);
- 30 to 44 years = increased 3,360 people, (42.2%);
- 45 to 59 years = decreased 456 people, (-5.0%);
- 60 to 74 years = increased 2,863 people, (61.4%); and
- 75 years and over = increased 1,023 people, (90.4%).

Population by Subdivision in Whitehorse Area



Note:
Subdivisions are assigned based on boundaries provided by the City of Whitehorse. Areas outside of the City of Whitehorse boundaries are assigned using Statistics Canada's Census Subdivision (CSD) boundaries within the Census Agglomeration of Whitehorse.
Changes in subdivision (City and CSD subdivision) populations from one time period to another are not only due to natural population change and migrations, but may also be due to the reassignment of residential addresses as additional administrative data become available.

Subdivision	Dec '21	Sep '22	Dec '22	Subdivision	Dec '21	Sep '22	Dec '22
Arkell/Ingram	1,116	1,132	1,151	Range Point	1,230	1,238	1,257
Copper Ridge	3,326	3,359	3,363	Raven's Ridge/Eagle's Eye	153	159	163
Cowley Creek	262	242	253	Riverdale	5,311	5,287	5,346
Crestview	1,026	1,042	1,051	Takhini/Yukon University	1,493	1,482	1,504
Downtown	3,014	3,048	3,103	Valleyview	155	174	169
Granger	1,329	1,285	1,280	Whistle Bend	2,357	2,841	2,989
Hidden Valley/MacPherson	441	459	453	Wolf Creek	433	431	427
Hillcrest	731	720	700	Not in Defined Neighbourhood Within City Limits	139	143	139
Kopper King	204	198	203	Whitehorse-Municipal Boundaries	30,417	30,964	31,271
Lobird	222	228	233	Ibx Valley ¹	506	529	534
Logan	614	633	626	Marsh Lake ²	723	737	724
MacRae/Whse Copper/McLean Lake/Mt. Sima/Canyon Cres.	631	656	653	Mount Lorne ³	459	474	475
Marwell	140	137	131	Outside City Limits-North ⁴	1,569	1,561	1,571
Mary Lake/Spruce Hill	467	474	469	Outside City Limits-South ⁵	584	596	602
McIntyre	494	495	493	Not applicable ⁶	17	20	19
Pineridge/Fox Haven	381	372	370	Whitehorse Area Total	34,275	34,881	35,196
Porter Creek/Kulan/Taylor	4,748	4,729	4,745				

¹ Previously included in Outside City Limits-West. Includes KM 1441 to KM 1485 Alaska Highway.
² Includes Alaska Highway KM 1355 to KM 1393 (Lewes River Bridge).
³ Previously included in Outside City Limits-South. Includes KM 137 to KM 154 South Klondike Highway, including Annie Lake Road.
⁴ Outside City Limits-North includes Takhini River Bridge north to KM 247 North Klondike Highway, including Takhini Hotsprings Road.
⁵ Outside City Limits-South includes Golden Horn, Carcross Cut-off, south to Lewes River Bridge, as well as KM 114 to KM 137 South Klondike Highway.
⁶ 'Not applicable' includes Kusawa Lake Road, and past KM 247 North Klondike Highway to Braeburn.

Population by Community¹ and Age Group, December 31, 2022

	Age Group															All Ages		
	0-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25-29	30-34	35-39	40-44	45-49	50-54	55-59	60-64	65-69	70-74		75-79	80+
Beaver Creek	1	1	5	1	4	13	16	5	10	6	8	6	11	6	6	0	4	103
Burwash Landing	4	5	4	3	4	4	11	5	9	9	7	9	12	2	2	3	102	
Carcross	20	23	27	20	24	29	31	32	28	32	37	40	32	40	27	18	12	472
Carmacks	31	41	41	28	38	36	33	35	36	37	35	34	60	40	28	12	9	574
Dawson City	101	107	100	103	107	129	242	258	192	160	160	173	188	160	90	56	37	2,363
Destruction Bay	0	2	2	3	3	2	5	3	4	5	7	5	9	2	4	0	3	59
Faro	20	28	30	24	16	21	23	35	33	24	16	33	61	49	30	22	13	478
Haines Junction	65	46	57	60	33	53	65	76	74	75	71	67	91	81	59	39	23	1,035
Johnson's Crossing	1	0	5	3	1	1	1	0	4	2	5	6	5	4	5	1	7	51
Mayo	15	23	19	15	24	25	38	39	34	26	24	39	46	40	27	13	13	460
Mendenhall	6	8	7	9	4	11	6	6	19	21	10	8	14	8	11	6	0	154
Old Crow	18	13	17	12	11	21	17	31	14	15	13	16	14	12	19	5	4	252
Pelly Crossing	13	23	28	18	24	21	36	36	20	24	26	35	25	22	5	11	4	371
Ross River	20	22	19	22	29	25	29	25	26	23	46	37	28	20	14	8	5	398
Tagish	8	12	8	10	13	16	13	15	17	19	26	37	56	52	32	31	19	384
Teslin	17	25	25	25	18	34	34	32	27	40	37	42	38	39	26	21	14	494
Watson Lake	63	76	88	72	80	89	109	117	75	81	118	143	119	94	60	59	53	1,496
Whitehorse Area ²	1,834	2,023	1,934	1,759	2,022	2,489	3,147	3,368	2,705	2,424	2,170	2,148	2,313	1,867	1,375	863	755	35,196
Other ³	0	0	2	0	0	2	2	5	8	3	5	15	15	15	11	5	5	93
Yukon	2,237	2,478	2,418	2,187	2,455	3,021	3,858	4,123	3,335	3,026	2,821	2,893	3,134	2,563	1,831	1,172	983	44,535

¹ Community-level estimates include populations within the municipalities and surrounding area up to halfway to the next municipal boundary along the relevant highway or road, with the exceptions of: Braeburn, Champagne, Swift River and City of Whitehorse.

² Whitehorse Area includes City of Whitehorse and surrounding areas as defined on page 3.

³ Other includes Braeburn, Champagne, Swift River, Keno and Stewart Crossing.

Note: The following tables are sourced from Statistics Canada (SC). SC derives their estimates using a model and revises them after twelve months. The SC estimates are finalized during postcensal revisions every five years. SC estimates will not align with YBS estimates in the preceding tables which are based on administrative data.

International Migration To and From Yukon, September 30 2022 to December 31, 2022^(P)

	Immigrants	Emigrants	Returning Emigrants	Net Temporary Emigrants	Net Non-permanent Residents	Net International Migration
Sep 30, 2022 to Dec 31, 2022	37	5	3	7	212	240

Source: Statistics Canada. Table 17-10-0040-01 (accessed: 2023-04-20)

Origin and Destination of Interprovincial Migrants, September 30 2022 to December 31, 2022^(P)

Origin	Destination												
	NFLD	PEI	NS	NB	QC	ON	MB	SK	AB	BC	YT	NWT	NU
NFLD	..	37	71	64	51	511	9	13	386	73	0	0	0
PEI	7	..	96	137	35	314	9	0	150	42	0	0	0
NS	277	87	..	426	113	1,001	13	42	642	281	0	0	18
NB	84	51	338	..	368	760	18	16	382	77	0	0	0
QC	40	34	187	324	..	3,514	92	130	1,067	566	0	23	7
ON	741	909	2,228	1,785	2,810	..	716	774	7,244	3,684	131	18	84
MB	0	4	54	53	169	1,293	..	388	1,357	974	0	9	0
SK	15	11	61	25	56	1,022	232	..	1,835	748	9	7	15
AB	299	112	390	177	426	2,413	432	1,006	..	3,543	40	69	73
BC	86	78	483	111	346	2,685	394	543	7,134	..	86	49	0
YT	8	0	10	0	12	37	10	9	108	70	..	8	0
NWT	30	0	4	13	12	107	9	3	195	99	3	..	21
NU	10	0	3	0	15	156	15	0	14	8	4	7	..
In	1,597	1,323	3,925	3,115	4,413	13,813	1,949	2,924	20,514	10,165	273	190	218
Out	1,215	790	2,900	2,094	5,984	21,124	4,301	4,036	8,980	11,995	272	496	232
Net	382	533	1,025	1,021	-1,571	-7,311	-2,352	-1,112	11,534	-1,830	1	-306	-14

Source: Statistics Canada. Table 17-10-0045-01 (accessed: 2023-04-20)

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