



Retail Trade, April 2020 (*preliminary*)

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The preliminary estimate (seasonally unadjusted) for retail sales in Yukon for April 2020 was \$61.7 million, a decrease of \$8.2 million, or 11.7%, compared to April 2019. The April 2020 retail sales figure decreased by \$4.9 million, or 7.4%, compared to March 2020.

Nationally, preliminary retail sales (seasonally unadjusted) decreased 32.8% in April 2020 compared to April 2019, and decreased 21.4% compared to March 2020.

On a year-to-date basis (January through April), retail sales (seasonally unadjusted) in Yukon totalled \$246.3 million. This represents an increase of \$4.3 million, or 1.8%, compared to the same time period in 2019 (\$242.0 million). Canada's year-to-date retail sales decreased 9.6% over this time period.

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Seasonally unadjusted

	Apr '19	Mar '20 ^r	Apr '20 ^p	Jan-Apr '19	Jan-Apr '20	Mar '20 to Apr '20	Apr '19 to Apr '20	Jan-Apr '19 to Jan-Apr '20
	---- millions of dollars ----					----- % change -----		
Canada	50,994.1	43,590.4	34,276.4	182,115.6	164,662.5	-21.4	-32.8	-9.6
Yukon	69.8	66.6	61.7	242.0	246.3	-7.4	-11.7	1.8

Seasonally adjusted

	Apr '19	Mar '20 ^r	Apr '20 ^p	Apr '19 to Apr '20
	---- millions of dollars ----			% change
Canada	51,470.8	47,151.5	34,724.3	-32.5
Yukon	72.8	74.0	65.7	-9.7

^r = revised; ^p = preliminary data

Note: Differences and percent changes are derived from unrounded numbers.