

Department of Finance Yukon Bureau of Statistics



Wholesale Trade, December 2020 (preliminary)

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The preliminary estimate (seasonally unadjusted) of wholesale sales in Yukon for December 2020 was \$12.9 million. This represents an increase of \$3.8 million, or 42.3%, compared to December 2019, and an increase of \$3.0 million, or 30.3%, compared to November 2020.

Nationally, preliminary wholesale sales (seasonally unadjusted) in December 2020 increased 7.1% compared to December 2019, and decreased 4.2% compared to November 2020.

On a year-to-date basis (January to December), wholesale sales (seasonally unadjusted) in Yukon totalled \$160.7 million. This represents an increase of \$7.0 million, or 4.6%, compared to the same time period in 2019 (\$153.7 million). Canada's year-to-date wholesale sales decreased 1.0% over this time period.

Wholesale merchants' sales, December 2020 (preliminary)

Seasonally unadjusted

| | Dec '19 | Nov '20 ^r | Dec '20 ^p | Jan-Dec '19 | Jan-Dec '20 | Nov '20 to Dec '20 | to | Jan-Dec '19 to Jan-Dec '20 |
|--------|------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|----------------|----------------|--------------------------|---------|----------------------------------|
| | | m | illions of do | llars | | | % chang | e |
| Canada | 59,826.8 | 66,827.9 | 64,045.6 | 761,811.6 | 754,335.1 | -4.2 | 7.1 | -1.0 |
| Yukon | 9.0 | 9.9 | 12.9 | 153.7 | 160.7 | 30.3 | 42.3 | 4.6 |

Seasonally adjusted

| | Dec '19 | Nov '20 ^r | Dec '20 ^p | to Dec '20 |
|--------|------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|------------|
| | mill | % change | | |
| Canada | 63,442.2 | 67,351.1 | 66,502.4 | 4.8 |
| Yukon | 12.2 | 13.9 | 16.3 | 32.9 |

^r = revised; ^p = preliminary data

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

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