

Wholesale Trade, March 2020 (preliminary)

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The preliminary estimate (seasonally unadjusted) of wholesale sales in Yukon for March 2020 was \$14.4 million. This represents a decrease of \$5.4 million, or 27.2%, compared to March 2019, and an increase of \$5.3 million, or 57.4%, compared to February 2020.

Nationally, preliminary wholesale sales (seasonally unadjusted) in March 2020 increased 1.2% compared to March 2019, and increased 15.0% compared to February 2020.

On a year-to-date basis (January to March), wholesale sales (seasonally unadjusted) in Yukon totalled \$31.8 million. This represents a decrease of \$2.9 million, or 8.3%, compared to the same time period in 2019 (\$34.7 million). Canada's year-to-date wholesale sales increased 3.1% over this time period.

Wholesale merchants' sales, March 2020 (preliminary)

Seasonally unadjusted

| | Mar '19 | Feb '20 ^r | Mar '20 ^p | Jan-Mar '19 | Jan-Mar '20 | Feb '20 to Mar '20 | Mar '19 to Mar '20 | Jan-Mar '19 to Jan-Mar '20 |
|--------------|---------------------------------|----------------------|----------------------|-------------|-------------|----------------------|--------------------|----------------------------|
| | ----- millions of dollars ----- | | | | | ----- % change ----- | | |
| Canada | 65,312.6 | 57,472.4 | 66,069.7 | 176,627.1 | 182,081.2 | 15.0 | 1.2 | 3.1 |
| Yukon | 19.8 | 9.2 | 14.4 | 34.7 | 31.8 | 57.4 | -27.2 | -8.3 |

Seasonally adjusted

| | Mar '19 | Feb '20 ^r | Mar '20 ^p | Mar '19 to Mar '20 |
|--------------|-------------------------------|----------------------|----------------------|--------------------|
| | ---- millions of dollars ---- | | | % change |
| Canada | 64,014.1 | 65,267.0 | 63,853.0 | -0.3 |
| Yukon | 16.8 | 12.3 | 12.8 | -24.2 |

^r = revised; ^p = preliminary data

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