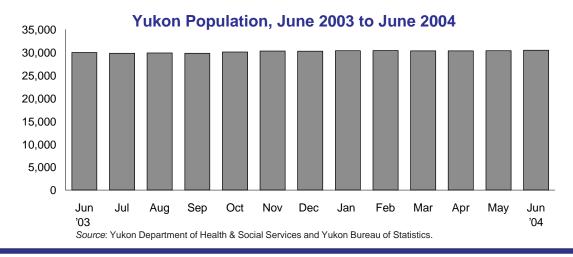
## POPULATION REPORT June 2004

### Monthly Yukon Population Estimates for 2003 & 2004

- Between June 2003 and June 2004, the population of the Yukon fluctuated from a low of 29,810 in September 2003 to a high of 30,469 in June 2004, a variation of 659 people.
- The average population of the Yukon over the last twelve months (July 2003 to June 2004) was 30,213. This is an increase of 249 persons, or 0.8%, from the 2002/'03 average of 29,964 for the same time period.
- Over the last twelve months, the Yukon's population has fluctuated, with a small increase from July to August 2003, followed by small decrease from August to September 2003. The population then increased until December, when it fell slightly. It increased again in January and February 2004, decreased in March and April, then increased again in May and June.

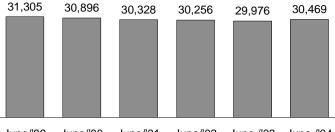
	2004	2003	% change
Dec		30,255	
Nov		30,302	
Oct		30,087	
Sept		29,810	
Aug		29,893	
July		29,834	
June	30,469	29,976	1.6
Мау	30,395	29,913	1.6
April	30,359	29,834	1.8
March	30,361	29,880	1.6
Feb	30,403	29,906	1.7
Jan	30,387	29,912	1.6
Year-to-date			
Average	30,396	29,967	1.4



As of June 2004, the population of the Yukon was **30,469**. A year ago, in June 2003, the population was 29,976. From June 2003 to June 2004, the population increased 493, or 1.6%.

Whitehorse experienced an increase of 432 people or 1.9% over this period. Of the larger communities, Carcross had the largest percentage change for this period, a 6.3% increase, or a gain of 25 people.

#### The Yukon's Population In June From 1999 to 2004



June/'99 June/'00 June/'01 June/'02 June /'03 June /'04

## 2 Yukon Population by Age Groups and Sex, June 2004

Change From Jun. '03 to Jun. '04 (in %)

	Bot	h Sexes	Male	Female	Both	Male	Female
TOTALS		30,469	15,184	15,285	1.6	1.9	1.4
Age	0-4	1,742	886	856	0.9	3.1	-1.3
Groups	5-9	1,907	953	954	-1.4	-3.0	0.1
	10-14	2,244	1,168	1,076	-3.1	-4.5	-1.5
	15-19	2,329	1,197	1,132	-1.9	-0.8	-3.0
	20-24	1,983	950	1,033	11.5	14.3	9.1
	25-29	1,750	766	984	-0.8	-0.5	-1.0
	30-34	2,142	974	1,168	0.8	1.8	-0.1
	35-39	2,305	1,073	1,232	-4.9	-4.7	-5.0
	40-44	3,025	1,434	1,591	0.3	1.8	-1.1
	45-49	3,031	1,504	1,527	1.2	1.1	1.2
	50-54	2,645	1,358	1,287	4.8	4.0	5.8
	55-59	2,042	1,109	933	7.5	6.1	9.1
	60-64	1,274	736	538	11.6	11.2	12.1
	65+	2,050	1,076	974	4.8	4.0	5.6
Source: Yukon Department of Health & Social Services and Yukon Bureau of Statistics.							

- In June 2004, the Yukon's population consisted of 15,184 males (49.8%) and 15,285 females (50.2%).
- There were 5,893 people (19.4%) under 15 years of age, 22,526 (73.9%) between 15 and 64 years of age, and 2,050 people (6.7%) who were 65 years of age or older.

# Community Populations by Age Groups, June 2004

							Age	Group	s						
	Total	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+
YUKON	30,469	1,742	1,907	2,244	2,329	1,983	1,750	2,142	2,305	3,025	3,031	2,645	2,042	1,274	2,050
BEAVER CREEK	109	6	6	5	3	3	13	9	8	8	6	15	10	5	12
BURWASH LANDING	78	6	4	4	1	2	7	6	5	5	5	4	10	7	12
CARCROSS	419	33	26	24	24	30	17	25	27	45	33	35	41	14	45
CARMACKS	391	35	31	34	28	29	23	29	27	40	32	30	16	14	23
DAWSON CITY	1,800	110	106	100	113	112	122	141	146	186	197	180	107	80	100
DESTRUCTION BAY	56	1	0	2	2	1	4	2	5	8	7	6	6	7	5
FARO	360	13	25	26	22	25	17	10	30	41	41	28	29	15	38
HAINES JUNCTION	772	40	42	52	65	50	34	37	48	70	80	73	58	45	78
MARSH LAKE	302	13	12	13	25	10	9	11	15	31	36	32	33	28	34
MAYO	388	22	22	34	32	24	17	18	32	33	48	24	22	15	45
OLD CROW	263	15	20	26	19	15	16	17	18	25	17	18	21	10	26
PELLY CROSSING	269	20	20	21	23	15	12	31	20	33	17	20	15	5	17
ROSS RIVER	327	24	24	29	22	25	15	25	36	29	23	17	18	11	29
TAGISH	183	10	5	5	12	5	5	8	7	20	13	21	21	15	36
TESLIN	411	26	39	31	20	16	23	32	28	36	34	39	22	14	51
WATSON LAKE	1,553	96	103	125	119	84	88	106	137	154	142	112	116	70	101
WHITEHORSE	22,673	1,271	1,418	1,709	1,795	1,530	1,324	1,633	1,710	2,251	2,288	1,976	1,483	909	1,376
OTHER	115	1	4	4	4	7	4	2	6	10	12	15	14	10	22

- The community with the highest proportion of its total population in the youngest age category (0-to-4) was Carmacks at 9.0%.
- The community with the highest proportion of its total population in the oldest age category (65+) was Tagish at 19.7%.

Source: Yukon Department of Health & Social Services and Yukon Bureau of Statistics.

Note: "Other" includes communities such as Elsa, Keno, Johnson's Crossing, Jake's Corner, Swift River, etc.

# 4 Community Populations by Month

- In the larger communities, Whitehorse's population increased by 1.9%, Dawson City increased 2.0%, Haines Junction decreased 3.6%, and in Watson Lake the population increased 0.5% from June 2003 to June 2004.
- As of January 2002, Marsh Lake is now being counted separately as a community. However, it should be noted that only residents whose mailing address is Marsh Lake are included in the community data for the purposes of this report. As of June 2004, there were 302 residents who received their mail at Marsh Lake, while the Census 2001 count for the area was 400 residents. Increases in Marsh Lake population figures are attributable in part to the changing of postal addresses from Whitehorse to Marsh Lake.

#### A. Communities with less than 400 people, June 2003 to June 2004

		Beaver Creek	Burwash Landing	Carmacks	Destruction Bay	Faro	Marsh Lake*	Mayo	Old Crow	Pelly Crossing	Ross River	Tagish
2004	June	109	78	391	56	360	302	388	263	269	327	183
	May	109	79	398	57	364	293	386	260	272	328	181
	April	107	75	389	56	356	287	393	261	274	331	181
	March	110	74	399	54	357	288	395	263	285	332	180
	Feb	109	74	394	54	353	283	393	262	291	331	176
	Jan	107	75	403	56	349	280	399	262	287	343	181
2003	Dec	109	75	409	57	345	279	395	265	285	344	186
	Nov	106	80	410	54	346	274	397	265	291	346	185
	Oct	109	79	405	53	347	268	395	269	288	338	180
	Sept	107	77	403	53	349	254	395	269	284	328	181
	Aug	106	78	406	50	355	250	413	278	279	330	179
	July	106	77	410	51	350	251	423	272	274	330	182
	June	111	78	407	51	363	248	417	262	269	329	181

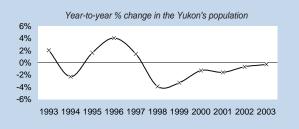
#### B. Communities with more than 400 people, June 2003 to June 2004

		Carcross	Dawson City	Haines Junction	Teslin	Watson Lake	Whitehorse
2004	June	419	1,800	772	411	1,553	22,673
	May	418	1,795	772	415	1,556	22,598
	April	423	1,793	773	410	1,557	22,581
	March	420	1,785	780	414	1,559	22,550
	Feb	414	1,786	785	416	1,562	22,602
	Jan	415	1,806	790	420	1,555	22,541
2003	Dec	414	1,788	790	417	1,551	22,425
	Nov	414	1,778	793	415	1,550	22,478
	Oct	410	1,756	786	406	1,541	22,338
	Sept	398	1,746	779	399	1,518	22,150
	Aug	396	1,766	783	400	1,530	22,174
	July	397	1,778	791	392	1,546	22,084
	June	394	1,765	801	396	1,545	22,241

Source: Yukon Department of Health & Social Services and Yukon Bureau of Statistics.

### 5 - Historical Population Estimates

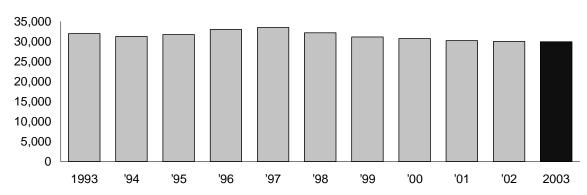
• From 1993 to 2003, the population of the Yukon decreased by 2,034 people (from 32,001 to 29,967). This represents an average annual growth rate of -0.6%. However, this growth has not occurred evenly from year to year. Rather, it has ranged from a high of 4.0% between '95 and '96 to a low of -3.9% between '97 and '98.



## Average Annual Yukon Population, 1993 to 2003

		% Change from
Year	<b>Population</b>	previous year
2003	29,967	-0.3
2002	30,063	-0.7
2001	30,273	-1.6
0000	00.770	4.0
2000	30,776	-1.3
1999	31,166	-3.3
1998	32,216	-3.9
1997	33,519	1.4
1996	33,051	4.0
1995	31,778	1.6
1994	31,276	-2.3
1993	32.001	2.0

#### **Average Annual Yukon Population, 1993 to 2003**



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These population estimates are statistically based on the Yukon Health Care Registration file. The figures are sorted by postal codes and community codes. Users of this information should be aware that the community population includes not only the legally defined city limits, but also the population that lives in the immediately surrounding area.



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