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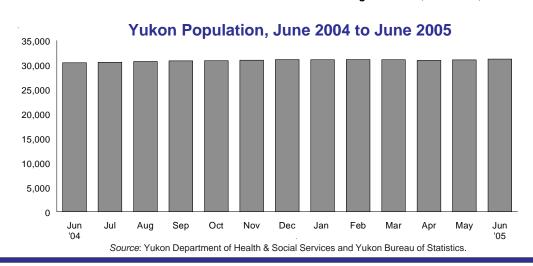
#### **Statistics**

# POPULATION REPORT June 2005

## Monthly Yukon Population Estimates for 2004 & 2005

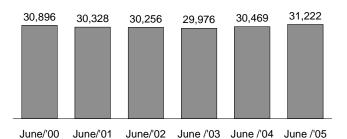
- Between June 2004 and June 2005, the monthly population of the Yukon increased from a low of 30,469 in June 2004 to a high of 31,222 in June 2005, a variation of 753 people.
- The average population of the Yukon over the last twelve months (July 2004 to June 2005) was 30,970. This is an increase of 757 persons, or 2.5%, from the 2003/04 average of 30,213 for the same time period.
- Over the last twelve months, the Yukon's population has increased steadily in the latter half of 2004, followed by small decreases in the first part of 2005. The population then steadily increased in May and June.

	2005	2004	% change
Dec		31,127	
Nov		30,994	
Oct		30,888	
Sept		30,848	
Aug		30,740	
July		30,553	
June	31,222	30,469	2.5
May	31,036	30,395	2.1
April	30,960	30,359	2.0
March	31,074	30,361	2.3
Feb	31,113	30,403	2.3
Jan	31,084	30,387	2.3
Year-to-date			
Average	31,082	30,627	1.5



#### The Yukon's Population In June, 2000 to 2005

As of June 2005, the population of the Yukon was **31,222**. This is the highest population for any June in the last six years. This is also the second consecutive June population increase after six consecutive decreases in the June population after the Faro mine closure in in 1997.



# 2 - Yukon Population by Age Groups and Sex, June 2005

<b>Change From</b>	June '04
to June '05	(in %)

	Во	oth Sexes	Male	Female	Both	Male	Female			
TOTALS		31,222	15,639	15,583	2.5	3.0	1.9			
Age	0-4	1,801	904	897	3.4	2.0	4.8			
Groups	5-9	1,825	911	914	-4.3	-4.4	-4.2			
	10-14	2,235	1,163	1,072	-0.4	-0.4	-0.4			
	15-19	2,340	1,207	1,133	0.5	0.8	0.1			
	20-24	2,077	1,015	1,062	4.7	6.8	2.8			
	25-29	1,855	831	1,024	6.0	8.5	4.1			
	30-34	2,200	1,006	1,194	2.7	3.3	2.2			
	35-39	2,260	1,092	1,168	-2.0	1.8	-5.2			
	40-44	2,976	1,383	1,593	-1.6	-3.6	0.1			
	45-49	3,086	1,550	1,536	1.8	3.1	0.6			
	50-54	2,831	1,470	1,361	7.0	8.2	5.7			
	55-59	2,151	1,130	1,021	5.3	1.9	9.4			
	60-64	1,387	816	571	8.9	10.9	6.1			
	65-69	843	479	364	8.8	9.9	7.4			
	70-74	594	310	284	2.9	-0.3	6.8			
	75+	761	372	389	9.0	13.1	5.4			

- In June 2005, the Yukon's population consisted of 15,639 males (50.1%) and 15,583 females (49.9%).
- There were 5,861 people (18.8%) under 15 years of age, 23,163 (74.2%) between 15 and 64 years of age, and 2,198 people (7.0%) who were 65 years of age or older.

Please note this table has been corrected since the original release in June '05.

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

### **3** – Community Populations by Age Groups, June 2005

		_							Age Gr	oups							
	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	65-69	70-74	75
YUKON	31,222	1,801	1,825	2,235	2,340	2,077	1,855	2,200	2,260	2,976	3,086	2,831	2,151	1,387	843	594	76
BEAVER CREEK	120	7	6	5	4	4	11	11	11	11	7	11	13	6	3	4	
BURWASH LANDING	89	6	6	4	2	1	9	7	6	6	6	7	9	8	5	4	
CARCROSS	444	31	29	30	23	33	21	32	23	51	34	33	45	15	13	12	1
CARMACKS	378	35	29	30	26	22	30	20	28	35	30	29	22	14	13	5	1
DAWSON CITY	1,826	111	103	102	98	109	142	152	138	181	193	191	112	84	48	32	3
DESTRUCTION BAY	59	1	0	2	1	2	5	2	7	7	7	5	6	9	3	2	
ARO	381	13	20	30	21	27	23	11	24	39	48	39	25	16	29	11	
IAINES JUNCTION	817	42	49	52	68	51	42	50	47	59	85	78	64	49	19	29	3
MARSH LAKE	336	13	14	14	20	20	14	20	14	27	37	35	39	31	13	15	1
MAYO	378	18	18	33	29	25	10	24	26	34	38	31	27	17	17	12	1
OLD CROW	259	15	21	26	19	14	16	18	15	28	21	17	13	8	6	7	1
PELLY CROSSING	281	20	18	25	19	21	15	21	22	31	16	24	16	12	8	6	
ROSS RIVER	345	29	24	32	19	28	14	28	39	34	22	20	18	11	6	6	1
TAGISH	187	8	7	6	7	11	7	9	6	18	10	24	23	12	15	15	
TESLIN	417	22	32	31	19	19	25	31	32	25	38	46	24	19	17	16	2
WATSON LAKE	1,522	87	88	112	116	89	79	101	123	160	144	125	107	89	36	24	4
WHITEHORSE	23,272	1,342	1,357	1,698	1,844	1,595	1,389	1,659	1,697	2,214	2,338	2,105	1,577	975	586	387	50
OTHER	111	1	4	3	5	6	3	4	2	16	12	11	11	12	6	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 2.6%, Dawson City increased 1.4%, Watson Lake's population decreased 2.0%, and in Haines Junction the population increased 5.8% from June 2004 to June 2005.
- 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 2005, there were 336 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 2004 to June 2005

		Beaver Creek	Burwash Landing	Carmacks	Destruction Bay	Faro	Marsh Lake*	Mayo	Old Crow	Pelly Crossing	Ross River	Tagish
2005	June	120	89	378	59	381	336	378	259	281	345	187
	May	117	86	377	58	379	329	375	257	281	338	184
	April	120	87	378	56	373	328	377	258	283	337	184
	March	124	84	384	56	371	334	389	264	291	344	183
	Feb	124	83	389	56	368	335	389	262	292	347	185
	Jan	124	82	386	54	366	330	387	267	285	346	183
2004	Dec	125	80	392	56	363	326	386	264	279	345	184
	Nov	124	82	380	56	358	319	385	269	280	343	183
	Oct	118	82	385	56	353	315	383	266	274	340	187
	Sept	119	82	392	58	366	303	382	257	280	344	185
	Aug	116	82	393	57	374	302	391	259	271	336	182
	July	114	81	392	57	366	300	387	256	270	334	184
	June	109	78	391	56	360	302	388	263	269	327	183

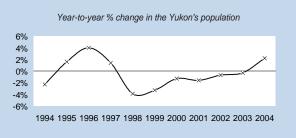
#### B. Communities with more than 400 people, June 2004 to June 2005

•		Carcross	Dawson City	Haines Junction	Teslin	Watson Lake	Whitehorse
2005	June	444	1,826	817	417	1,522	23,272
	May	448	1,811	800	415	1,514	23,157
	April	447	1,806	788	421	1,516	23,090
	March	447	1,811	793	418	1,529	23,134
	Feb	448	1,807	799	415	1,548	23,148
	Jan	445	1,811	797	416	1,549	23,142
2004	Dec	442	1,811	789	419	1,547	23,205
	Nov	437	1,798	782	413	1,548	23,125
	Oct	434	1,801	784	416	1,552	23,027
	Sept	423	1,806	777	417	1,550	22,992
	Aug	422	1,818	773	418	1,540	22,895
	July	419	1,801	772	410	1,552	22,745
	June	419	1,800	772	411	1,553	22,673

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

# **Historical Population Estimates**

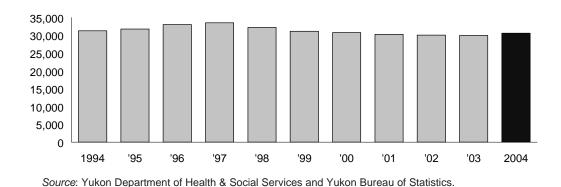
From 1994 to 2004, the population of the Yukon decreased by 649 people (from 31,276 to 30,627). This represents an average annual growth rate of -0.2%. However, this growth has not occurred evenly from year to year. Rather, it has ranged from a high of 4.0% between '95 and '96 to a low of -3.9% between '97 and '98.



#### **Average Annual Yukon Population,** 1994 to 2004

Year	Population	% Change from previous year
2004	30,627	2.2
2003	29,967	-0.3
2002	30,063	-0.7
2001	30,273	-1.6
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	

#### Average Annual Yukon Population, 1994 to 2004



Population estimates are used by the public sector, private sector and the general public. The Yukon Bureau of Statistics produces population estimates twice a year. Figures for the months of January to June are released in July of the same year while population estimates for the months of July to December are released in January of the next year.

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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