

# YUKON BUREAU OF STATISTICS



## Population Report December 2015

### Highlights:

- The estimated population of Yukon in December 2015 was 37,566; an increase of 405, or 1.1%, compared to the figure for December 2014 (37,161).
- Comparing December 2015 to December 2005, Yukon's estimated population increased by 5,979, or 18.9%. The population of the Whitehorse area increased by 5,546, or 23.6%; Dawson City increased by 260, or 14.2%; and Watson Lake decreased by 89, or 5.8%.

**Notes on methodological changes:** Prior to 2012, the Yukon Bureau of Statistics produced population figures twice a year. Effective 2012, figures are produced quarterly.

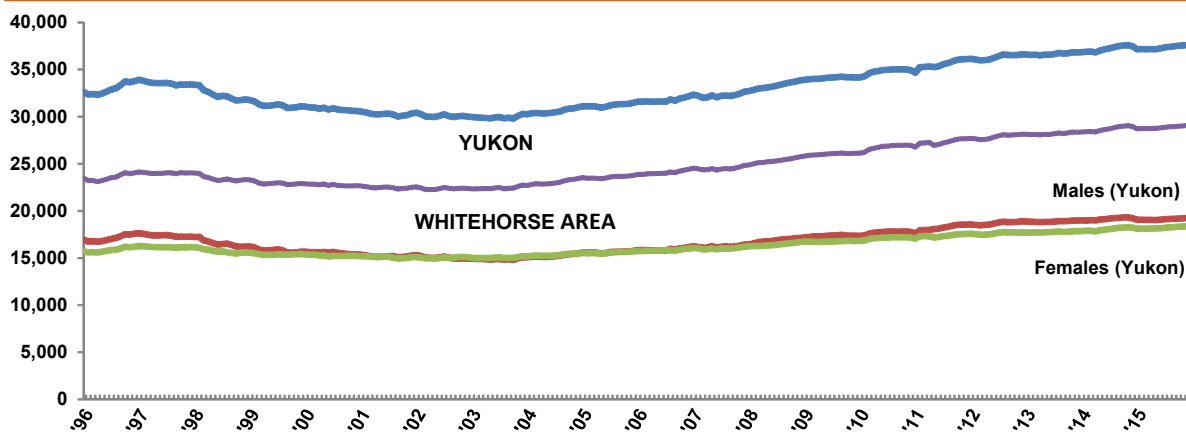
Official population counts prior to June 2010 were based on information in Yukon Health Care Insurance Plan (YHCIP) files and a semi-annual health care update survey that estimated the number of plan members who were no longer Yukon residents. In 2010, the estimation model was revised and the population counts for June 2010 through December 2014 were derived by tracking changes in YHCIP files and other administrative data files. In 2015, the model was further revised to make the approach more comprehensive and to improve accuracy based on information in all available and applicable administrative data files of the Yukon government. In addition, the total population count of April 2011 was calibrated to a census-based estimate adjusted for net undercoverage.

The new model assigns residents of unorganized areas to their nearest communities. Estimates for Whitehorse now include population in surrounding areas *as well as in Marsh Lake* to remain comparable with the geographical area defined by Statistics Canada as the Whitehorse Census Agglomeration.

All monthly estimates are as of the last day of the month. The June estimates represent annual figures.

Due to the change in methodology in 2015, figures presented in this publication for the period from April 2011 to December 2014 are not strictly comparable to figures prior to the period.

### Monthly Population, December 1995 to December 2015



- Yukon's population declined steadily from 1997 to 2001, and then fluctuated around 30,000 from 2001 to 2003.
- From 2004 through 2014, the population increased almost steadily with successive record highs<sup>1</sup> in most quarters. However, during the last quarter of 2014, the population decreased by almost 400.
- The December 2015 population for Yukon was 37,566, an increase of 40 people compared to the September 2015 figure of 37,526. Compared to the December 2014 figure (37,161), the December 2015 population increased by 405 people, or 1.1%.

<sup>1</sup> Accurate population counts during the Gold Rush are not available. However, the first Census population figure for Yukon was 27,219 in 1901.

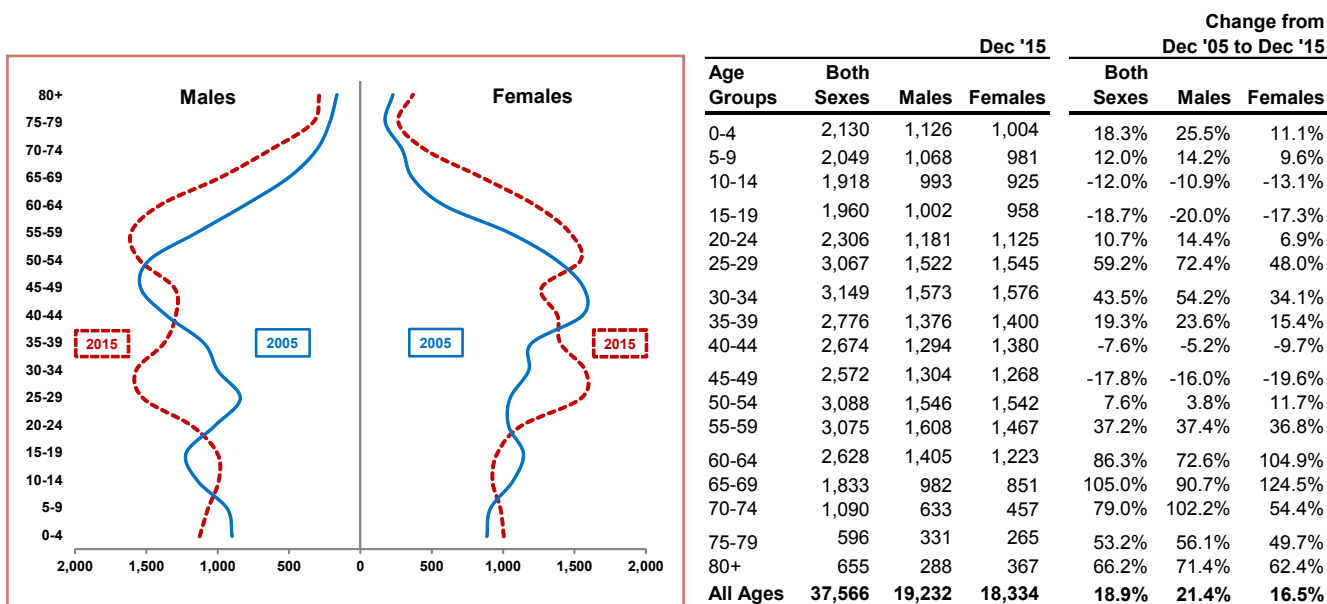
## Monthly Population, Yukon, January 2005 to December 2015

	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
Jan	31,084	31,585	32,212	32,831	33,969	34,286	35,251	36,067	36,558	36,878	37,176
Feb	31,113	31,612	31,994	32,992	34,013	34,610	35,278	35,969	36,567	36,905	37,157
Mar	31,074	31,594	32,044	33,034	34,016	34,789	35,338	35,992	36,511	36,828	37,178
Apr	30,960	31,603	32,278	33,111	34,055	34,862	35,256	36,055	36,568	37,028	37,149
May	31,036	31,630	32,049	33,181	34,132	34,950	35,344	36,240	36,569	37,154	37,237
Jun <sup>1</sup>	<b>31,222</b>	<b>31,608</b>	<b>32,212</b>	<b>33,294</b>	<b>34,157</b>	<b>34,984</b>	<b>35,563</b>	<b>36,422</b>	<b>36,634</b>	<b>37,251</b>	<b>37,343</b>
Jul	31,296	31,832	32,253	33,421	34,175	35,022	35,673	36,593	36,770	37,379	37,414
Aug	31,324	31,704	32,196	33,537	34,264	35,011	35,868	36,543	36,692	37,484	37,458
Sep	31,334	31,931	32,299	33,627	34,192	35,012	36,028	36,529	36,719	37,555	37,526
Oct	31,361	32,039	32,423	33,738	34,188	35,023	36,087	36,534	36,843	37,581	37,570
Nov	31,485	32,165	32,639	33,839	34,170	34,949	36,106	36,619	36,817	37,487	37,611
Dec	31,587	32,335	32,714	33,928	34,157	34,667	36,157	36,608	36,842	37,161	37,566

<sup>1</sup> June figures are referred to as 'annual' throughout this publication.

- During the fourth quarter of 2015, Yukon's population remained virtually unchanged from 37,570 in October to 37,566 in December.
- Comparing the months of October through December of 2015 to their respective 2014 months, population remained essentially the same in October, increased 0.3% in November and increased 1.1% in December.

## Population by Age Group and Sex, Yukon, December 2005 and December 2015



Comparing December 2015 to December 2005, growth occurred as follows (15-year age groupings):

- 0 to 14 years = 286 people, or 4.9%;
- 15 to 29 years = 910 people, or 14.2%;
- 30 to 44 years = 1,184 people, or 16.0%;
- 45 to 59 years = 494 people, 6.0%;
- 60 to 74 years = 2,637 people, or 90.5%;
- 75 years and over = 468 people, or 59.8%.

## Population by Community<sup>1</sup> and Age Group, December 2015

	Age Group																	All Ages
	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	75-79	80+	
Beaver Creek	8	7	2	4	7	11	10	8	5	6	10	8	12	6	3	2	4	113
Burwash Landing	3	7	5	4	4	4	6	13	10	9	8	12	7	5	4	4	2	107
Carcross	35	24	23	27	32	32	45	26	35	30	45	44	37	31	22	9	9	506
Carmacks	33	41	47	32	35	38	34	40	39	34	38	47	38	22	13	8	9	548
Dawson City	97	102	97	82	117	184	199	177	143	130	182	186	179	96	62	33	21	2,087
Destruction Bay	2	2	0	0	5	3	1	5	3	4	4	9	2	4	4	2	0	50
Faro	14	28	15	15	17	13	25	31	19	12	36	52	45	25	14	17	10	388
Haines Junction	51	40	54	37	43	57	46	63	59	73	81	85	75	57	36	19	20	896
Mayo	35	15	18	26	27	39	44	31	26	29	42	50	39	24	20	10	14	489
Old Crow	15	14	14	15	22	19	29	10	15	13	26	18	18	15	7	2	7	259
Pelly Crossing	30	24	16	20	27	37	35	19	25	26	39	20	20	14	12	4	10	378
Ross River	26	14	24	33	28	25	37	27	29	40	36	30	29	14	10	5	4	411
Tagish	1	7	3	14	8	11	11	17	7	15	34	35	38	29	18	10	7	265
Teslin	23	22	23	20	30	27	22	35	47	45	41	45	44	31	21	8	15	499
Watson Lake	68	81	71	65	92	116	87	74	84	113	145	133	107	82	71	32	34	1,455
Whitehorse Area <sup>2</sup>	1,689	1,621	1,506	1,566	1,810	2,447	2,516	2,197	2,126	1,989	2,311	2,289	1,926	1,373	773	429	489	29,057
Other <sup>3</sup>	0	0	0	0	2	4	2	3	2	4	10	12	12	5	0	2	0	58
<b>Yukon</b>	<b>2,130</b>	<b>2,049</b>	<b>1,918</b>	<b>1,960</b>	<b>2,306</b>	<b>3,067</b>	<b>3,149</b>	<b>2,776</b>	<b>2,674</b>	<b>2,572</b>	<b>3,088</b>	<b>3,075</b>	<b>2,628</b>	<b>1,833</b>	<b>1,090</b>	<b>596</b>	<b>655</b>	<b>37,566</b>

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<sup>2</sup> Whitehorse Area includes City of Whitehorse and surrounding area as well as the community of Marsh Lake.

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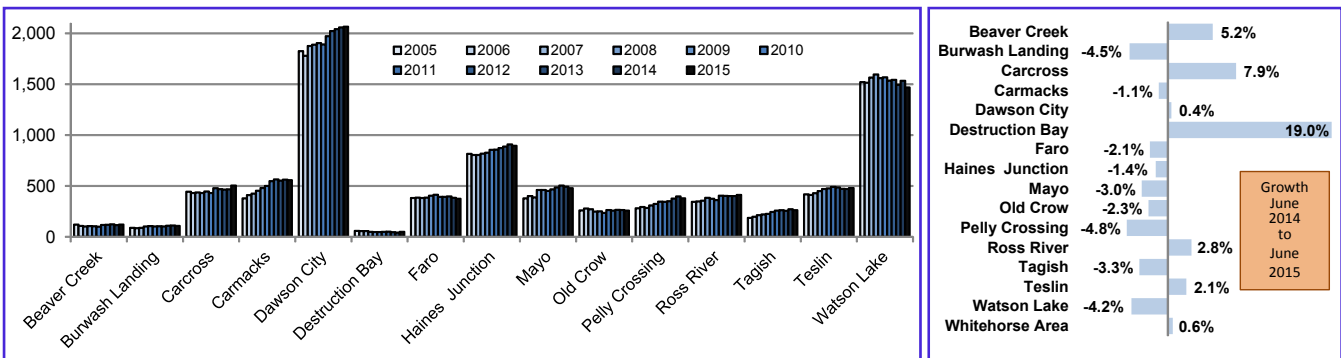
## Annual (June) Population by Community<sup>1</sup>, 2005 to 2015

	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	Growth	
												to Jun '14	% Change
Beaver Creek	120	108	101	106	104	99	117	119	122	115	121	6	5.2%
Burwash Landing	89	85	88	101	106	101	104	102	110	112	107	-5	-4.5%
Carcross	444	430	437	431	446	430	477	469	465	467	504	37	7.9%
Carmacks	378	410	426	453	480	500	547	564	553	563	557	-6	-1.1%
Dawson City	1,826	1,781	1,876	1,889	1,904	1,891	1,973	2,023	2,041	2,059	2,067	8	0.4%
Destruction Bay	59	56	56	49	48	48	50	51	46	42	50	8	19.0%
Faro	381	386	382	385	404	413	394	394	397	383	375	-8	-2.1%
Haines Junction	817	805	804	818	828	856	857	873	888	908	895	-13	-1.4%
Mayo	378	401	388	460	461	452	467	486	504	492	477	-15	-3.0%
Old Crow	259	279	271	248	250	235	263	257	265	264	258	-6	-2.3%
Pelly Crossing	281	294	284	308	324	346	344	350	377	397	378	-19	-4.8%
Ross River	345	348	355	383	375	361	404	403	400	400	411	11	2.8%
Tagish	187	198	212	220	225	245	258	261	256	271	262	-9	-3.3%
Teslin	417	411	428	449	470	475	491	485	472	470	480	10	2.1%
Watson Lake	1,522	1,515	1,567	1,596	1,561	1,569	1,537	1,543	1,495	1,534	1,469	-65	-4.2%
Whitehorse Area <sup>2</sup>	23,608	24,005	24,446	25,300	26,078	26,872	27,212	27,976	28,179	28,713	28,872	159	0.6%
Other <sup>3</sup>	111	96	91	98	93	91	68	66	64	61	60	-1	-1.6%
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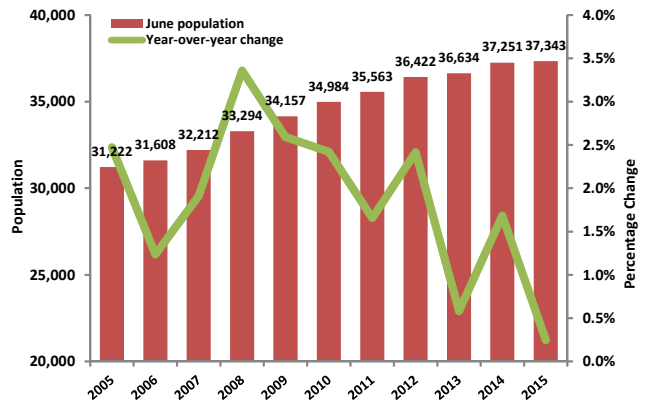
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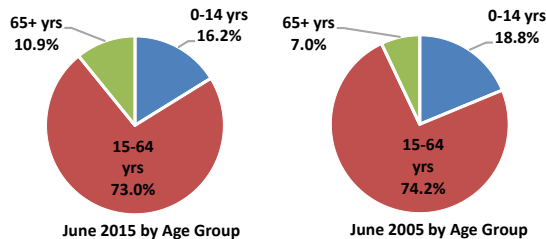


## Annual (June) Population and Growth, Yukon, 2005 to 2015

Yukon's annual (June) population increased by 6,121 from June 2005 (31,222) to June 2015 (37,343). This represents a compound annual growth rate of 1.8%. However, this growth has not occurred evenly from year to year. It ranged from a high of 3.4% from 2007 to 2008 to a low of 0.2% from 2014 to 2015.

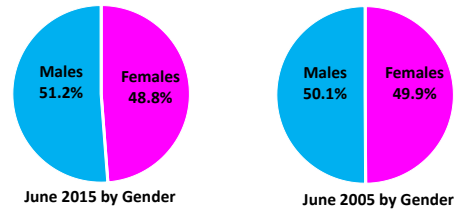


Yukon's population has grown and aged since 2005 – particularly as the baby-boom (current age 50-69) and echo-boom populations (current age 23-43) have aged.

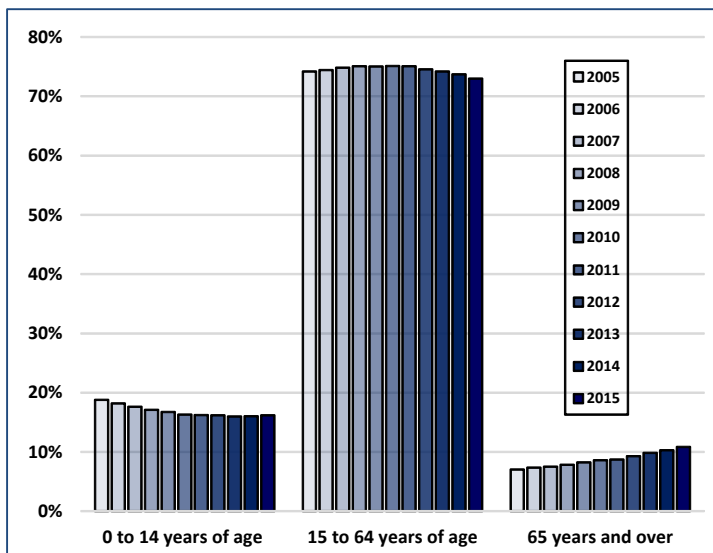


- In June 2015, 16.2% of Yukon's population was under 15 years of age, 73.0% was between 15 and 64 years, and 10.9% was 65 years of age or older.
- In June 2005, 18.8% of Yukon's population was under 15 years of age, 74.2% was between 15 and 64 years, and 7.0% was 65 years and over.

- In June 2015, Yukon's population consisted of 19,121 males (51.2%) and 18,222 females (48.8%).
- In June 2005, the gender gap was almost non-existent: there were 15,639 males (50.1%) and 15,583 females (49.9%).



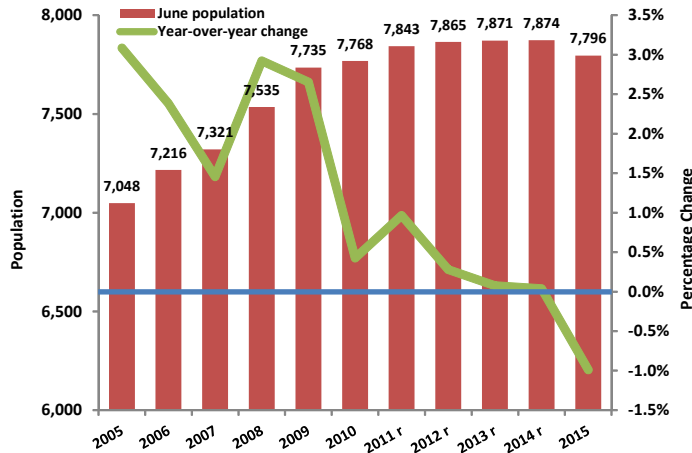
## Annual (June) Population by Broad Age Groups, Yukon, 2005 to 2015



From 2005 to 2015, broad age groups, as a percentage of Yukon's annual (June) population, showed:

- the 0-14 age group steadily decreased each year (with the exception of 2015) from an 18.8% share in 2005 to a 16.2% share in 2015; a decrease of 2.6 percentage points.
- in contrast, the 65+ age group has steadily increased from 7.0% of the total population in 2005 to 10.9% in 2015; an increase of 3.9 percentage points.

## Annual (June) First Nations Population and Growth, 2005 to 2015



The self-reported First Nations population increased by 748, from 7,048 in June 2005 to 7,796 in June 2015. This represents a compound annual growth rate of 1.0%. The annual growth rate ranged from a low of -1.0% between 2014 and 2015 to a high of 3.1% between 2004 and 2005.

## Annual (June) First Nations<sup>1</sup> Population by Community, 2015

	Age Group																	Total	% First Nations
	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	75-79	80+		
Beaver Creek	2	1	1	2	6	3	4	2	1	5	2	2	6	3	0	1	0	<b>41</b>	33.9%
Burwash Landing	4	5	5	4	3	1	3	11	7	4	6	9	5	3	2	4	2	<b>78</b>	72.9%
Carcross	22	12	19	17	23	17	34	15	16	18	26	14	15	13	3	6	4	<b>274</b>	54.4%
Carmacks	23	26	34	33	37	26	23	27	23	19	31	20	22	4	4	5	6	<b>363</b>	65.2%
Dawson City	14	26	34	24	40	34	41	20	23	19	43	27	20	14	9	7	3	<b>398</b>	19.3%
Destruction Bay	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	1	0	1	2	0	0	1	1	0	<b>8</b>	16.0%
Faro	3	4	3	3	5	3	3	0	2	2	3	2	1	1	0	1	0	<b>36</b>	9.6%
Haines Junction	10	20	25	20	24	27	19	20	24	22	24	19	17	15	18	9	8	<b>321</b>	35.9%
Mayo	16	11	17	15	19	27	19	16	17	24	24	24	10	9	6	8	9	<b>271</b>	56.8%
Old Crow	12	12	12	16	21	19	18	11	13	11	22	13	18	12	7	3	6	<b>226</b>	87.6%
Pelly Crossing	24	23	15	20	30	31	25	19	26	18	28	20	11	15	11	3	9	<b>328</b>	86.8%
Ross River	22	11	21	27	27	17	28	21	25	30	30	15	18	14	8	3	4	<b>321</b>	78.1%
Tagish	1	3	1	5	2	4	5	3	3	1	6	5	5	1	0	3	4	<b>52</b>	19.8%
Teslin	7	17	18	16	24	19	12	22	20	30	27	20	18	8	9	4	5	<b>276</b>	57.5%
Watson Lake	31	45	45	48	65	42	36	31	42	55	51	39	23	25	14	4	9	<b>605</b>	41.2%
Whitehorse Area	182	316	379	439	454	406	334	256	247	241	303	222	138	90	67	45	62	<b>4,181</b>	14.5%
Other <sup>1</sup>	0	0	0	0	1	4	0	0	1	1	6	3	0	1	0	0	0	<b>17</b>	28.3%
<b>Yukon</b>	<b>373</b>	<b>532</b>	<b>629</b>	<b>689</b>	<b>782</b>	<b>681</b>	<b>604</b>	<b>474</b>	<b>491</b>	<b>500</b>	<b>633</b>	<b>456</b>	<b>327</b>	<b>228</b>	<b>159</b>	<b>107</b>	<b>131</b>	<b>7,796</b>	20.9%

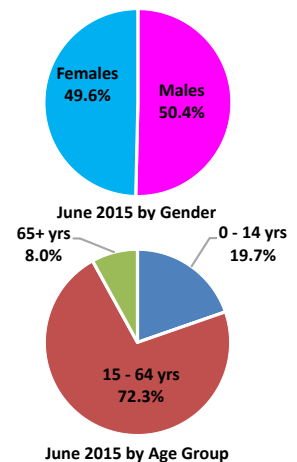
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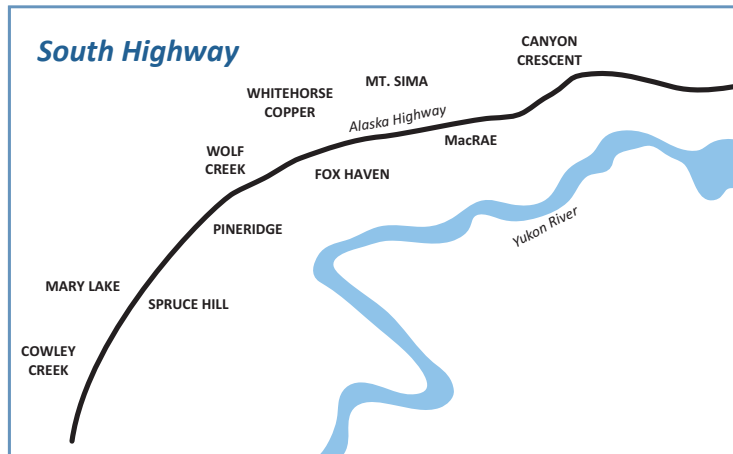
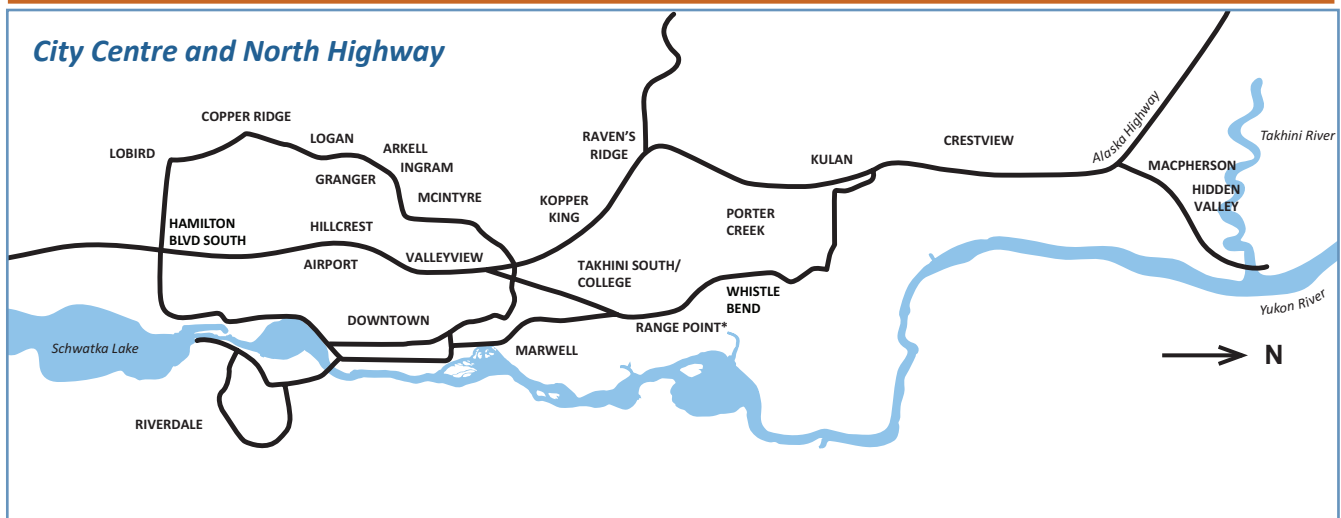
In June 2015, the First Nations population (self-reported) in Yukon was estimated at 7,796. Of this total:

- 3,926 (50.4%) were male; 3,869 were female (49.6%)
- 19.7% were under 15 years of age, 72.3% were between 15 and 64 years, and 8.0% were 65 years of age or older.
- 4,181 (53.6%) resided in Whitehorse area, while 3,615 (46.4%) resided in rural communities.

First Nations population (7,796) represented 20.9% of the June 2015 Yukon population (37,343). The median age for First Nations was 31 years; for non-First Nations, it was 40.



## Population by Subdivision in Whitehorse Area



**Note:** Residents of Whitehorse area are assigned to subdivisions based on their addresses in various administrative files. Some addresses in these files appear inconsistent or incomplete. Efforts have been made to resolve any apparent inconsistency or incompleteness of information by validating the information against multiple sources.

Changes in subdivision populations from one time period to another are not only due to natural population change and migrations, but may also be due to reassignments of previously inaccurate addresses on file.

Subdivision	Dec '14	Sep '15	Dec '15	Subdivision	Dec '14	Sep '15	Dec '15
Copper Ridge	3,397	3,391	3,406	Range Point*	1,132	1,139	1,145
Cowley Creek	246	242	246	Takhini South/College	1,300	1,349	1,352
Crestview	778	812	819	Valleyview	176	172	171
Downtown (including Marwell)	3,051	3,049	2,999	Whse Copper/MacRae/ Mt. Sima/Canyon Cres.	428	456	449
Granger	1,037	1,021	1,011	Whistle Bend	123	251	313
Hidden Valley/MacPherson	417	413	407	Wolf Creek	405	413	422
Hillcrest/Airport	651	622	626	<i>Undefined Neighbourhood Within City Limits</i>	512	522	525
Ingram/Arkell	866	955	938	<i>Post Office Box</i> <sup>1</sup>	684	664	653
Kopper King/Raven's Ridge	260	258	260	<i>Inconsistent Information</i> <sup>2</sup>	142	155	161
Lobird/Hamilton Blvd South	237	234	233	<b>Whitehorse-Municipal Boundaries</b>	<b>25,935</b>	<b>26,159</b>	<b>26,211</b>
Logan	383	384	384	Marsh Lake	673	676	674
McIntyre	560	523	519	Outside City Limits-North <sup>3</sup>	1,114	1,144	1,139
Mary Lake/Spruce Hill	472	460	457	Outside City Limits-South <sup>4</sup>	624	652	658
Pine Ridge/Fox Haven	326	339	340	Outside City Limits-West <sup>5</sup>	366	372	375
Porter Creek/Kulan	3,642	3,663	3,667	<b>Whitehorse Area Total</b>	<b>28,712</b>	<b>29,003</b>	<b>29,057</b>
Riverdale	4,710	4,672	4,708				

\* Range Point replaces previous subdivision name of 'Takhini North'.

<sup>1</sup> Post Office Box refers to cases where the mailing address is only identified as a Whitehorse post office box and information on address is not available in administrative sources. Post Office Box includes General Delivery and Bag Services.

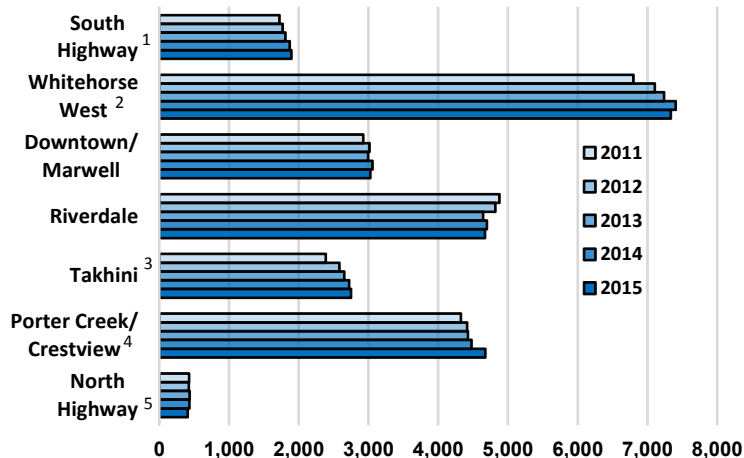
<sup>2</sup> Inconsistent Information includes residents who identified their city of residence as Whitehorse but their addresses recorded in administrative files show inconsistencies. Therefore, there is a possibility that some of these residents may in fact reside outside the Whitehorse area.

<sup>3</sup> Outside City Limits-North includes those residents living from Takhini River Bridge up to and including Fox Lake.

<sup>4</sup> Outside City Limits-South includes those residents living from Carcross Cut-off up to and including Annie Lake Road.

<sup>5</sup> Outside City Limits-West includes those residents living from the Mayo Road Cut-off up to and including Mendenhall.

## Annual (June) Population by Aggregated Whitehorse Subdivisions, 2011 to 2015 (within municipal boundaries)



<sup>1</sup> South Highway includes Whitehorse Copper, MacRae, Mt. Sima, Canyon Crescent, Pine Ridge, Fox Haven, Wolf Creek, Mary Lake, Spruce Hill and Cowley Creek.

<sup>2</sup> Whitehorse West includes Copper Ridge, Granger, Ingram, Arkell, McIntyre, Logan, Lobird, Hamilton Boulevard South, Hillcrest, Airport and Valleyview.

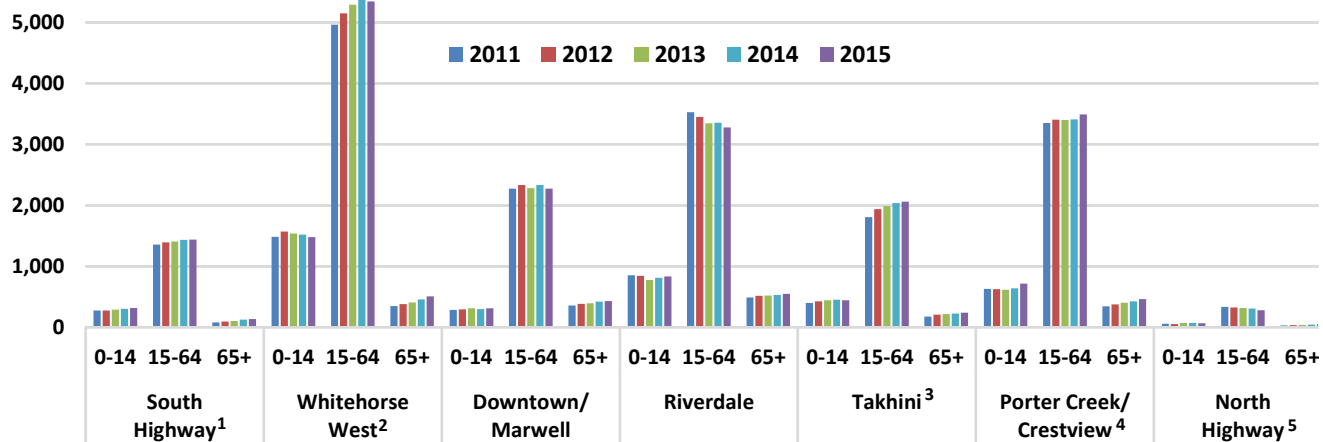
<sup>3</sup> Takhini includes Takhini North and South, Yukon College, Kopper King and Raven's Ridge.

<sup>4</sup> Porter Creek/Crestview includes Porter Creek, Kulan, Crestview and Whistle Bend.

<sup>5</sup> North Highway includes Hidden Valley and MacPherson.

Comparing June 2015 to June 2011, the aggregated subdivision area of Whitehorse West<sup>2</sup> collectively experienced the largest increase in number of residents (535 or 7.9%), followed by the Takhini<sup>3</sup> aggregate area (361 residents; or 15.1% increase). The population of Riverdale, however, decreased by 206 residents, or 4.2%, over the same time period.

## Annual (June) Population by Aggregated Whitehorse Subdivisions, by Broad Age Group, 2011 to 2015 (within municipal boundaries)



### Population Change in Aggregated Whitehorse Subdivisions by Broad Age Group, June 2011 to June 2015

Aggregated Subdivision	Total	0-14 yrs	15-64 yrs	65 yrs and over
South Highway	173	41	79	53
Whitehorse West	535	-6	383	158
Downtown/Marwell	102	28	1	73
Riverdale	-206	-16	-249	59
Takhini	361	46	254	61
Porter Creek/Crestview	351	90	142	119
North Highway	-19	12	-53	22

The following tables are based on Statistics Canada data.

International Migration To and From Yukon, October 1, 2015 to December 31, 2015

	Immigrants	Net Non-permanent Residents	Emigrants	Net Temporary Emigrants	Returning Emigrants	Net International Migration
Oct 1 '15 to Dec 31 '15	45	-36	8	4	0	-3

Source: Statistics Canada. Table 051-0037, CANSIM. (accessed: 2016-04-05)

Origin and Destination of Interprovincial Migrants, October 1, 2015 to December 31, 2015

Origin	Destination												
	NFLD	PEI	NS	NB	QC	ON	MB	SK	AB	BC	YT	NWT	NU
NFLD	n/a	7	209	70	42	298	6	39	386	72	0	5	19
PEI	10	n/a	90	20	11	199	5	25	143	143	0	0	0
NS	164	57	n/a	433	87	780	71	17	565	205	0	25	0
NB	55	53	431	n/a	222	458	41	25	404	189	5	19	0
QC	26	19	138	220	n/a	3,180	79	23	935	672	16	0	65
ON	310	202	762	443	1,836	n/a	684	551	2,843	2,916	31	42	77
MB	20	9	34	11	60	768	n/a	454	735	774	0	5	10
SK	12	0	50	35	97	575	216	n/a	1,699	793	17	15	0
AB	396	87	599	438	539	3,170	540	1,373	n/a	4,954	40	111	0
BC	126	36	216	126	338	2,001	347	522	3,314	n/a	16	86	20
YT	0	0	11	20	6	63	0	0	30	129	n/a	13	0
NWT	0	0	25	25	11	60	6	52	202	47	23	n/a	0
NU	6	0	26	0	34	96	3	0	14	16	9	25	n/a
<b>In</b>	1,125	470	2,591	1,841	3,283	11,648	1,998	3,081	11,270	10,910	157	346	191
<b>Out</b>	1,153	646	2,404	1,902	5,373	10,697	2,880	3,509	12,247	7,148	272	451	229
<b>Net</b>	-28	-176	187	-61	-2,090	951	-882	-428	-977	3,762	-115	-105	-38

Source: Statistics Canada. Table 051-0045, CANSIM. (accessed: 2016-04-05)

Population and Dependency Ratio, Canada, Provinces and Territories, 2005 and 2015

	Population <sup>1</sup>			% Youth <sup>2</sup>			% Seniors <sup>3</sup>			Dependency Ratio <sup>4</sup>		
	2005		Change '05-'15	2005		Change '05-'15	2005		Change '05-'15	2005		Change '05-'15
	2005	2015		2005	2015		2005	2015		2005	2015	
CAN	32,242,364	35,851,774	11.2%	24.4	21.9	-2.5	13.0	16.1	3.1	59.9	61.3	1.4
NFLD	514,315	527,756	2.6%	22.4	19.6	-2.9	13.2	18.4	5.2	55.4	61.3	5.9
PEI	138,064	146,447	6.1%	25.1	22.0	-3.0	14.2	18.6	4.3	64.7	68.3	3.6
NS	937,899	943,002	0.5%	23.0	19.7	-3.3	14.3	18.9	4.6	59.4	62.8	3.4
NB	748,044	753,871	0.8%	22.9	20.0	-2.9	14.1	19.0	4.9	58.5	63.9	5.4
QC	7,581,192	8,263,600	9.0%	22.9	20.7	-2.1	13.6	17.6	4.0	57.4	62.1	4.7
ON	12,527,990	13,792,052	10.1%	25.0	22.0	-2.9	12.9	16.0	3.2	60.9	61.5	0.6
MB	1,178,296	1,293,378	9.8%	26.9	25.3	-1.6	13.5	14.8	1.3	67.9	67.0	-0.9
SK	993,523	1,133,637	14.1%	27.3	25.3	-2.0	14.8	14.6	-0.2	72.9	66.5	-6.4
AB	3,321,638	4,196,457	26.3%	26.5	24.2	-2.3	10.3	11.6	1.3	58.4	55.8	-2.6
BC	4,195,764	4,683,139	11.6%	23.2	20.5	-2.7	13.9	17.5	3.6	58.8	61.2	2.4
YT	31,899	37,428	17.3%	26.1	22.8	-3.3	6.9	10.9	4.0	49.2	50.9	1.7
NWT	43,401	44,088	1.6%	32.1	27.8	-4.3	4.5	6.8	2.4	57.7	53.0	-4.7
NU	30,339	36,919	21.7%	44.1	39.6	-4.4	2.6	3.7	1.1	87.6	76.4	-11.2

<sup>1</sup> July 1st population. 2005 population estimates are final intercensal; 2015 population estimates are preliminary postcensal. Population estimates are calculated using natural growth, international migration and interprovincial migration.

<sup>2</sup> Population aged between 0 to 19 years old.

<sup>3</sup> Population aged 65 years and over.

<sup>4</sup> The ratio of the combined population aged between 0 to 19 years old and the population aged of 65 years and over to the population aged between 20 to 64 years old. This ratio is presented as the number of dependents for every 100 people in the working age population.

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