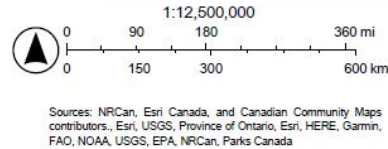


Change in the Number of Flights at Northern Ontario Airports, 2021 to 2023

Northern Ontario Airports - Percent Change in Number of Flights, 2021 to 2023



BRIEF SUMMARY

FURTHER INFORMATION

More information on the Northern Ontario Airports research initiative can be found at ruraldev.ca/northernairports/

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DATA SOURCE

Data retrieved from FlightAware (www.flightaware.com).

This Research Insight is part of a research initiative examining trends in air service to airports serving rural and Northern Ontario communities. This Research Insight provides an overview of flight data tracked by FlightAware between 2021 and 2023.

This data compares the number of weekly flights tracked by FlightAware arriving at and departing from airports in Northern Ontario in July 2021 and July 2023. The map indicates the percent of change in the number of flights, with dark red icons representing significant increases in the number of flights, and lighter icons indicating a small increase or even a decline. Flight connections (scheduled, charter and medical) recorded on July 28, 2023 are also shown, with solid lines indicating connections between airports in the study area, and dashed lines indicating connections beyond the study area. The reverse side of this page lists study area airports and the percent change in their number of flights. Based on this data, the following conclusions were drawn:

- ❑ Most airports in Northern Ontario saw an increase in flights between 2021 and 2023.
- ❑ The airports with the most significant increases in flights (>1000%) each serve First Nations communities in Northern Ontario.
- ❑ Larger airports tended to see moderate increases or slight decreases in flights.



Airport name	IATA Code	% Change in Flight Activity	Airport name	IATA Code	% Change in Flight Activity
Armstrong Airport	CYYW	0%	Marathon Airport	CYSP	30%
Atikokan Municipal Airport	CYIB	0%	Mattawa Airport	CMA2	-
Attawapiskat Airport	CYAT	112%	Moosonee Airport	CYMO	10%
Bancroft Community Airport	CNW3	-	Muskoka Airport	CYQA	39%
Bearskin Lake Airport	CNE3	20%	Muskrat Dam Airport	CZMD	200%
Big Trout Lake Airport	CYTL	224%	Nakina Airport	CYQN	-100%
Cat Lake Airport	CYAC	11%	North Bay / Jack Garland Airport	CYB	-9%
Chapleau Airport	CYLD	-43%	North Spirit Lake Airport	CKQ3	167%
Cochrane Airport	CYCN	-35%	Ogoki Post Airport	CYKP	0%
Deer Lake Airport	CYVZ	43%	Parry Sound Area Municipal Airport	CNK4	-51%
Dryden Regional Airport	CYHD	-48%	Peawanuck Airport	CYPO	67%
Earlton (Timiskaming Regional)	CYXR	14%	Pickle Lake Airport	CYPL	12%
Elliot Lake Municipal Airport	CYEL	-75%	Pikangikum Airport	CYPM	133%
Emsdale Airport	CNA4	-	Poplar Hill Airport	CYHP	1625%
Fort Albany Airport	CYFA	1350%	Red Lake Airport	CYRL	77%
Fort Frances Municipal Airport	CYAG	22%	Round Lake (Weagamow Lake) Airport	CZRJ	64%
Fort Hope Airport	CYFH	163%	Sachigo Lake Airport	CZPB	-27%
Fort Severn Airport	CYER	33%	Sandy Lake Airport	CZSJ	206%
Geraldton (Greenstone Regional) Airport	CYGQ	-36%	Sault Ste. Marie Airport	CYAM	15%
Gore Bay-Manitoulin Airport	CYZE	160%	Sioux Lookout Airport	CYXL	53%
Greater Sudbury Airport	CYSB	18%	Sioux Narrows Airport	CKM2	
Hearst (René Fontaine) Municipal Airport	CYHF	25%	Slate Falls	CKD9	100%
Iroquois Falls Airport	CNE4	50%	South River / Sundridge Airpark	CPE6	100%
Kapuskasing Airport	CYYU	64%	Summer Beaver Airport	CJV7	31%
Kasabonika Airport	CYAQ	50%	Thessalon Municipal Airport	CPL5	
Kashechewan Airport	CZKE	1075%	Thunder Bay International Airport	CYQT	41%
Keewaywin Airport	CPV8	1133%	Timmins / Victor M. Power Airport	CYTS	33%
Kenora Airport	CYQK	21%	Vermilion Bay Airport	CKQ7	-100%
Killarney Airport	CPT2	75%	Victor Mine Aerodrome	CVM2	100%
Kingfisher Lake Airport	CNM5	344%	Wapekeka/Angling Lake Airport	CKB6	171%
Kirkland Lake Airport	CYKX	22%	Wawa Municipal Airport	CYXZ	9%
Lansdowne House Airport	CYLH	0%	Webequie Airport	CYWP	-7%
Manitouwadge Municipal Airport	CYMG	-	Wunnumin Lake	CKL3	65%
Manitowaning / Manitoulin East Municipal Airport	CYEM	214%			