

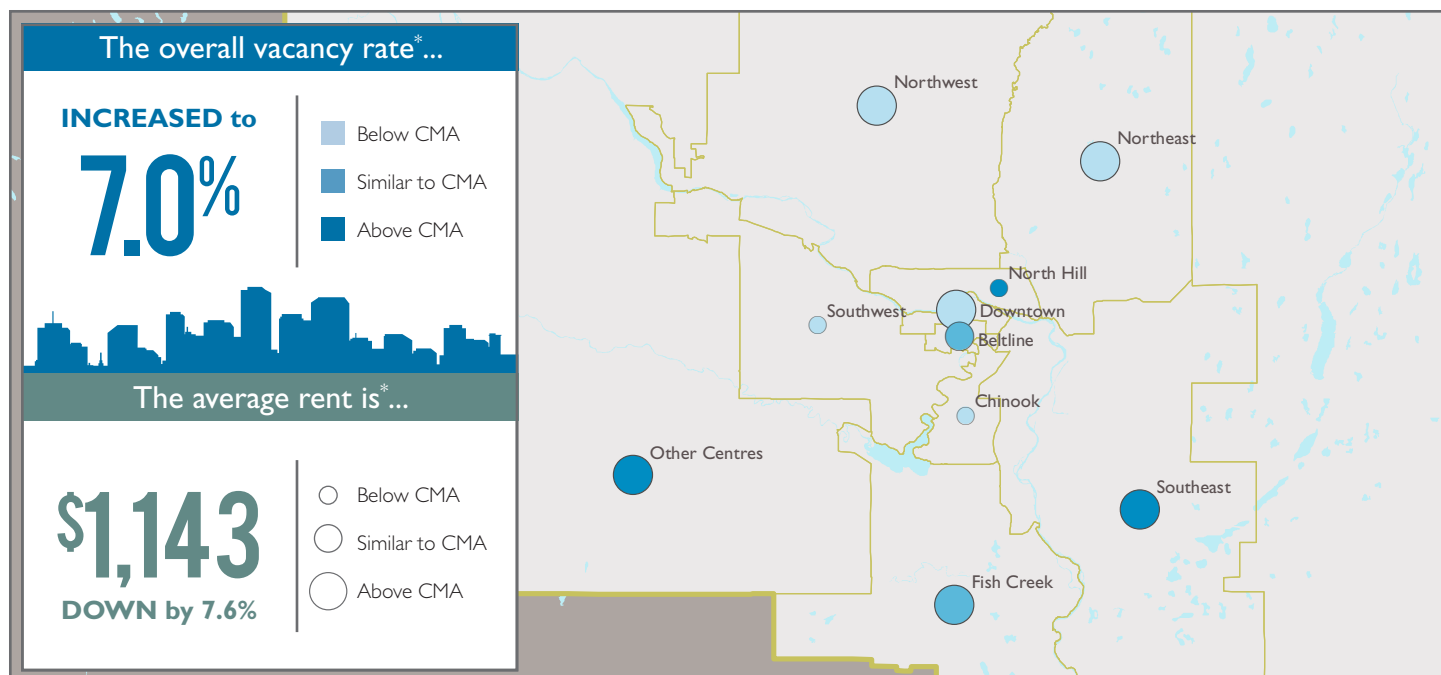
RENTAL MARKET REPORT

Calgary CMA



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| PRIMARY RENTAL MARKET (by bedroom type) | | | |
|---|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|
| Bachelor | One bedroom | Two bedroom | Three or more bedrooms |
| 5.3% | 6.2% | 7.9% | 8.7% |
| Vacancy Rate | Vacancy Rate | Vacancy Rate | Vacancy Rate |
| \$858 Avg. Rent | \$1,050 Avg. Rent | \$1,258 Avg. Rent | \$1,258 Avg. Rent |
| | | | |

“The vacancy rate has moved well above historical averages largely due to a rise in supply in both the primary and secondary rental markets.”

Richard Cho
Principal, Market Analysis (Calgary)

*CMHC collects data on the primary and secondary rental market annually, in the fall. These data refer to the primary rental market, which only includes rental units in privately-initiated apartment structures containing at least three rental units. The secondary rental market covers rental dwellings that were not originally purpose-built for the rental market, including rental condominiums. The primary vacancy rate and rent level is based on all surveyed structures, while the rent increase is based only on structures common to the survey sample in both the current and previous year.

Highlights

- The apartment vacancy rate in Calgary CMA rose for the third consecutive year, reaching seven per cent in October 2016.
- The average rent for a two-bedroom apartment in new and existing structures was \$1,258 per month in October 2016.
- Same-sample rents have declined across all bedroom types.

Rental apartment vacancy rate reaches its highest level in over 25 years

In the Calgary Census Metropolitan Area (CMA), the apartment vacancy rate¹ in the primary rental market increased to seven per cent in October 2016, up from 5.3 per cent in October 2015. This represents the third consecutive year where the vacancy rate increased and also its highest level in over 25 years. New additions to the purpose-built and secondary rental markets have outpaced demand, contributing to an increase in the vacancy rate.

Weaker labour market conditions have impacted rental demand

Economic conditions in Calgary have deteriorated in 2016 as the price for oil has remained relatively low, holding back some gains in rental demand. Job losses have spread beyond the energy sector and into other areas of the economy. To the end of September, total employment

was down 2.6 per cent from the same period a year earlier, representing a decline of over 21,000 jobs². With a pronounced decline in employment and an increase in the labour force, the unemployment rate in Calgary has not only increased above historical norms, but has also been well above the national average. As such, employment opportunities in Calgary have been less favourable compared to previous years and compared to other regions, compelling some job seekers to move to other provinces with stronger labour market conditions. While net migration from other provinces has been weak this year, the rental market is expected to still benefit from gains in international migration.

The purpose-built rental universe increased to 36,523 units in October 2016, up 1,296 units from 35,227 in October 2015. This was the strongest year-over-year gain

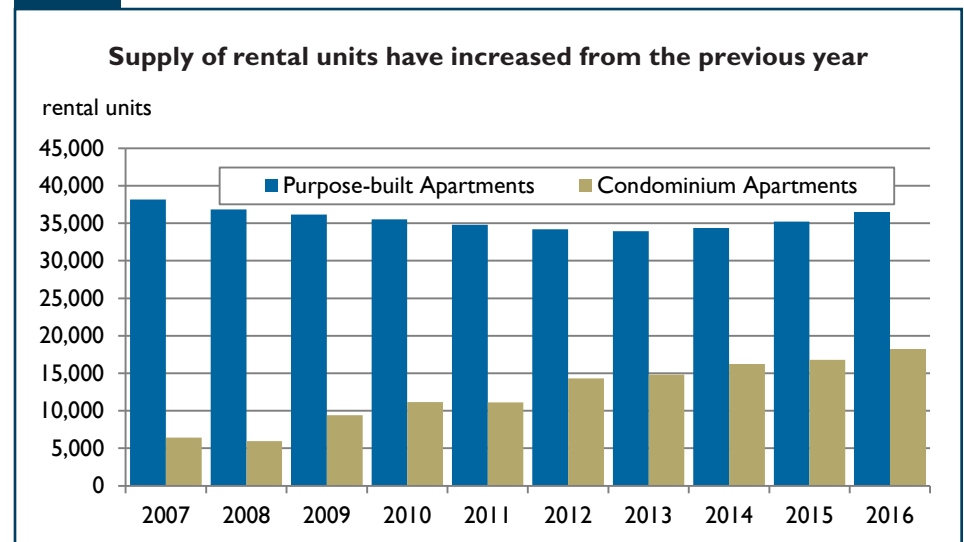
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since 1994 as well as the third consecutive year that the purpose-built rental market universe expanded. Supply in the competing secondary rental market also increased from the previous year contributing to a rise in the vacancy rate in the purpose-built rental market.

CMHC collected information on tenant turnover³ for the first time in the fall 2016 survey. The turnover rate was 39.7 per cent in October 2016 in the Calgary CMA. Tenant turnover

Figure 1



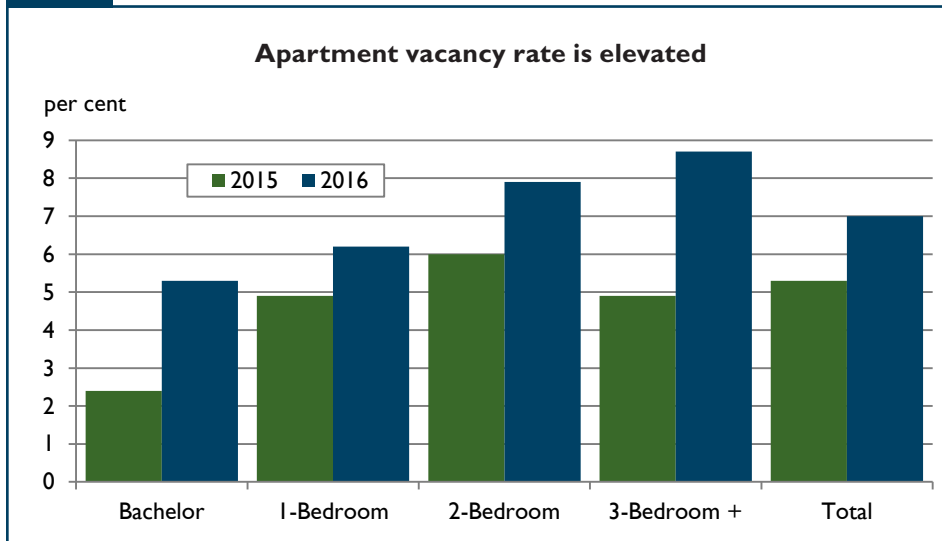
Source: CMHC, October Surveys

¹ Based on privately-initiated rental apartment structures of three or more units.

² Statistics Canada. No date. Table 282-0135 Labour force survey estimates (LFS), by census metropolitan area based on 2011 Census boundaries, 3-month moving average, seasonally adjusted and unadjusted, monthly (persons unless otherwise noted). CANSIM (database). Last updated October 7, 2016. <http://www5.statcan.gc.ca/cansim/a26?lang=eng&retrLang=eng&id=2820135&tabMode=dataTable&srchLan=-1&p1=-1&p2=9> (accessed October 28, 2016).

³ A unit is counted as being turned over if it was occupied by a new tenant in the past 12 months. A unit can be counted as being turned over more than once in a 12 month period. This includes tenants who move into a different unit in the same building during this time period.

Figure 2



Source: CMHC Rental Market Survey (October)

rates ranged from 20.4 per cent in the North Hill zone to 46.6 per cent in the Southeast zone.

Additions to supply push up the vacancy rate

The vacancy rate in the purpose-built rental market reached seven per cent in October 2016, due to a rise in supply as the number of occupied rental units rose by 606 units from October 2015. Some renters have delayed their move into homeownership as economic and labour market conditions have weakened. In addition, strong inflows of international migrants have also helped support rental demand. Despite the increase in the number of occupied rental units, the pronounced rise in the rental universe pushed the vacancy rate up and the number of vacant units increased to 2,557 in October 2016 from 1,867 in October 2015.

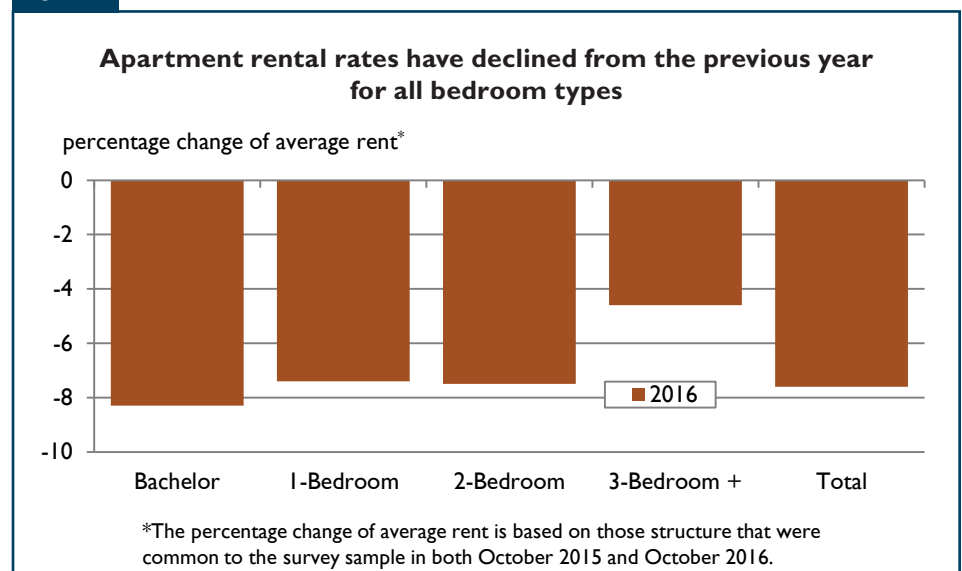
Furthermore, an increase in the number of investor owned rental condominium apartments have provided tenants additional options to the purpose-built rental market. Rental condominium apartments are typically newer, include higher

finishes, and provide other amenities such as heated underground parking, recreation rooms, and a fitness centre. With many investors also willing to negotiate lower rents for these units, some renters have been drawn away from purpose-built rental units.

Apartment rental rates have declined from the previous year

The rise in the vacancy rate has put downward pressure on rents. Same-sample rents⁴ for two-bedroom units declined 7.5 per cent from October 2015 to October 2016. In addition to lower rents, some property owners and landlords have also offered other incentives to help attract and retain tenants. Accounting for both new and existing structures, the average two-bedroom rent was \$1,258 per month in October 2016 compared to \$1,332 a year earlier.

Figure 3



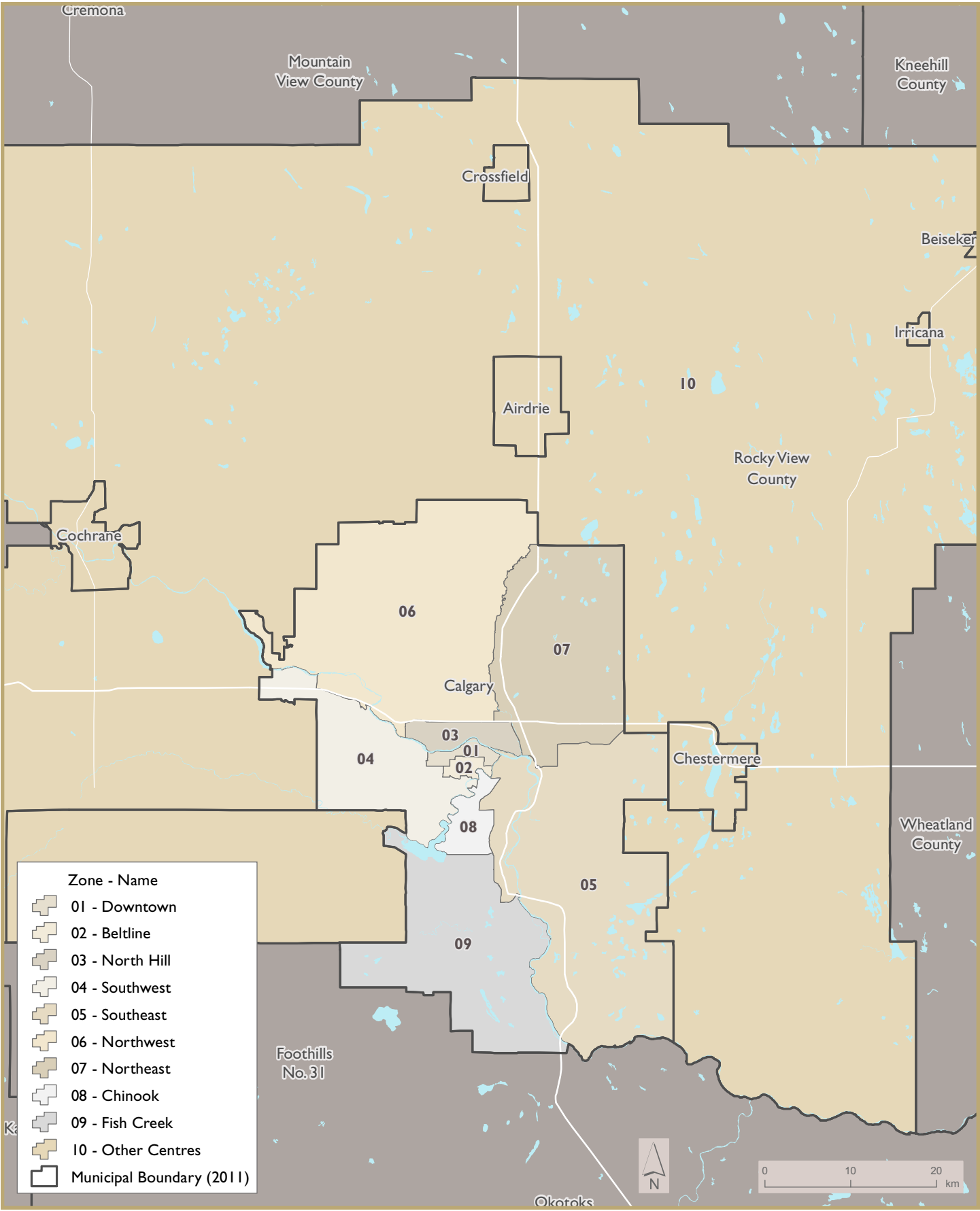
Source: CMHC Rental Market Survey (October)

⁴ When comparing year-over-year average rents, the age of the building needs to be taken into consideration because rents in newly-built structures tend to be higher than in existing buildings. By comparing rents for units that are common to both 2015 and 2016 October Rental Market Surveys, we can get a better indication of actual rent increases paid by most tenants.

Supply of rental condominium apartments increased in 2016

The secondary rental market, such as investor owned rental condominium apartments, continues to provide alternative housing options for renters. The number of rental condominium apartments increased to 18,172 units in October 2016 from 16,810 in October 2015. New apartment condominium construction had reached elevated levels in 2014 and 2015. There has been an elevated supply of condominium apartments in the last couple of years and a portion of these units have become available in the secondary rental market. As was the case in the last several years, over 30 per cent of condominium apartments in CMHC's 2016 Fall Rental Market Survey have been identified as rented units.

Although the number of rental condominium apartment units rose year-over-year in October 2016, the vacancy rate remained relatively unchanged at 4.4 per cent from October 2015. Demand for rental condominium apartment units have been partly supported by tenants looking for newer units which typically offer various amenities. In addition, with the slowdown in the economy, investors have attracted tenants by lowering rents for their condominium apartment units. The average rent for a two-bedroom condominium apartment was \$1,564 in October 2016, down from \$1,746 one year ago. This change not only reflects market conditions but also the change in the type of units being offered as condominium apartments enter and exit the secondary rental market.



| RMS ZONE DESCRIPTIONS - CALGARY CMA | |
|-------------------------------------|--|
| Zone 1 | Downtown - North: the Bow River; West: 24 Street SW; East: the Elbow River; South: 17 Avenue SW (from 24A Street SW to 14 Street SW), 12 Avenue SW (from 14 Street SW to 11 Street SW), 10 Avenue SW (from 11 Street SW to 2nd Street SE), and 17 Avenue SE (from 2nd Street SE to the Elbow River). |
| Zone 2 | Beltline/Lower Mount Royal - North: 17 Avenue SW (from 17 Street SW to 14 Street SW), 12 Avenue SW (from 14 Street SW to 11 Street SW), 10 Avenue SW (from 11 Street SW to 2nd Street SE), and 17th Avenue SE (from 2nd Street SE to the Elbow River); West: 17 Street SW; East: 2nd Street SE (from 10 Avenue SW to 17 Avenue SE), otherwise Elbow River; South: 26 Avenue SW (from 17 Street SW to 14 Street SW), Frontenac Avenue (from 14 Street SW to 8 Street SW), Hillcrest Avenue (from 8 Street SW to 4 Street SW), otherwise Elbow River. |
| Zone 3 | North Hill - North: 16 Avenue NW; West: 37 Street NW; East: Deerfoot Trail; South: Bow River. |
| Zone 4 | Southwest - North: Bow River; West: West City Limits; East: 24 Street SW (from Bow River to 17 Avenue SW), 17 Street SW (from 17 Avenue SW to 26 Avenue SW), otherwise Elbow River; South: Tsuu T'ina Nation 145 (from West City Limits to Sarcee Trail SW), Glenmore Trail (from Sarcee Trail SW), otherwise Glenmore Reservoir. |
| Zone 5 | Southeast - North: Bow River (from Elbow River to Barlow Trail SE), 17 Avenue SE (from Barlow Trail SE to 36 Street SE), Memorial Drive SE (from 36 Street SE to Eastern City Limits); West: Elbow River (from Bow River to 25 Avenue SW), Blackfoot Trail (from 26 Avenue SW to Anderson Road SE), otherwise Bow River; East: Eastern City Limits; South: Southern City Limits. |
| Zone 6 | Northwest - North: Northern City Limits; West: Western City Limits; East: Nose Creek; South: Bow River (from Western City Limits to 37 Street NW), otherwise 16th Avenue NW. |
| Zone 7 | Northeast - North: Northern City Limits; West: Nose Creek; East: Eastern City Limits; South: Bow River (from Nose Creek to Barlow Trail SE), 17 Avenue SE (from Barlow Trail SE to 36 Street SE), Memorial Drive SE (from 36 Street SE to Eastern City Limits). |
| Zone 8 | Chinook - North: Elbow River; West: Elbow River; East: Blackfoot Trail; South: Heritage Drive SW. |
| Zone 9 | Fish Creek - North: Glenmore Reservoir (from Western City Limits to 14 Street SW), otherwise Heritage Drive SW and SE; West: Western City Limits; East: Blackfoot Trail (from Heritage Drive SE Avenue SW to Anderson Road SE), otherwise Bow River; South: Southern City Limits. |
| Zones 1-9 | Calgary City |
| Zone 10 | Other Centres |
| Zones 1-10 | Calgary CMA |

| CONDOMINIUM SUB AREA DESCRIPTIONS - CALGARY CMA | |
|---|---|
| Sub Area 1 | Core includes RMS Zone 1 (Downtown); Zone 2 (Beltline/Lower Mount Royal); and Zone 3 (North Hill). |
| Sub Area 2 | West includes RMS Zone 4 (Southwest); Zone 6 (Northwest); Zone 8 (Chinook); and Zone 9 (Fish Creek). |
| Sub Area 3 | East includes RMS Zone 5 (Southeast); Zone 7 (Northeast); and Zone 10 (Other Centres). |
| Sub Areas 1-3 | Calgary CMA |

NOTE: Refer to RMS Zone Descriptions page for detailed zone descriptions.

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1.1.1 Private Apartment Vacancy Rates (%) by Zone and Bedroom Type Calgary CMA

| Zone | Bachelor | | 1 Bedroom | | 2 Bedroom | | 3 Bedroom + | | Total | |
|--------------------------|--------------|----------------|--------------|----------------|--------------|----------------|--------------|----------------|--------------|----------------|
| | Oct-15 | Oct-16 | Oct-15 | Oct-16 | Oct-15 | Oct-16 | Oct-15 | Oct-16 | Oct-15 | Oct-16 |
| Zone 1 - Downtown | 6.0 b | 8.5 c ↑ | 6.5 a | 6.1 a ↓ | 8.1 b | 6.5 a ↓ | ** | ** | 6.9 b | 6.3 a ↓ |
| Zone 2 - Beltline | 1.5 c | 5.6 c ↑ | 4.6 b | 6.0 b ↑ | 5.7 b | 8.7 b ↑ | ** | ** | 4.8 b | 7.0 b ↑ |
| Zone 3 - North Hill | ** | 3.0 d | 5.0 c | 8.7 a ↑ | 3.2 c | 6.0 b ↑ | ** | ** | 4.5 b | 7.6 a ↑ |
| Zone 4 - Southwest | ** | ** | 2.6 b | 5.1 b ↑ | 1.8 b | 6.0 b ↑ | ** | ** | 2.2 a | 5.4 a ↑ |
| Zone 5 - Southeast | 0.0 d | 7.3 c ↑ | 3.6 b | 10.8 d ↑ | 5.9 a | 17.0 a ↑ | 2.0 c | 9.8 c ↑ | 4.4 a | 13.8 c ↑ |
| Zone 6 - Northwest | 0.0 d | 5.0 d ↑ | 3.9 b | 5.2 b ↑ | 4.8 b | 7.5 b ↑ | ** | ** | 4.5 b | 6.6 b ↑ |
| Zone 7 - Northeast | ** | ** | 3.4 b | 4.6 b ↑ | 4.3 b | 7.2 b ↑ | 3.5 a | ** | 3.9 a | 6.4 b ↑ |
| Zone 8 - Chinook | 0.0 c | 2.5 c ↑ | 4.0 a | 5.7 c ↑ | 4.1 b | 3.5 b ↓ | 4.6 b | 12.0 a ↑ | 4.0 a | 4.9 b ↓ |
| Zone 9 - Fish Creek | 0.0 d | ** | 8.6 b | 5.9 b ↓ | 7.8 b | 7.7 c ↓ | 4.9 c | 5.0 d ↓ | 7.8 b | 6.9 c ↓ |
| Calgary City (Zones 1-9) | 2.4 b | 5.3 b ↑ | 4.9 a | 6.2 a ↑ | 5.3 a | 7.7 a ↑ | 4.7 c | 8.4 c ↑ | 4.9 a | 6.9 a ↑ |
| Zone 10 - Other Centres | ** | 4.5 a | 6.2 c | 10.1 c ↑ | 20.8 a | 12.0 a ↓ | ** | ** | 17.2 d | 11.8 a ↓ |
| Calgary CMA | 2.4 b | 5.3 b ↑ | 4.9 a | 6.2 a ↑ | 6.0 a | 7.9 a ↑ | 4.9 c | 8.7 b ↑ | 5.3 a | 7.0 a ↑ |

1.1.2 Private Apartment Average Rents (\$) by Zone and Bedroom Type Calgary CMA

| Zone | Bachelor | | 1 Bedroom | | 2 Bedroom | | 3 Bedroom + | | Total | |
|--------------------------|--------------|--------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|
| | Oct-15 | Oct-16 | Oct-15 | Oct-16 | Oct-15 | Oct-16 | Oct-15 | Oct-16 | Oct-15 | Oct-16 |
| Zone 1 - Downtown | 1,003 a | 878 a | 1,172 a | 1,073 a | 1,430 a | 1,362 a | 1,673 b | 1,397 b | 1,242 a | 1,165 a |
| Zone 2 - Beltline | 927 b | 872 a | 1,138 a | 1,059 a | 1,438 a | 1,329 a | 1,975 b | 1,864 b | 1,238 a | 1,144 a |
| Zone 3 - North Hill | 806 a | 811 a | 995 a | 918 a | 1,191 a | 1,124 a | 1,333 b | ** | 1,072 a | 1,020 a |
| Zone 4 - Southwest | 779 b | 841 b | 1,056 a | 1,016 a | 1,262 a | 1,212 a | 1,320 b | 1,237 b | 1,149 a | 1,112 a |
| Zone 5 - Southeast | 645 c | 903 d | 1,089 a | 1,076 a | 1,195 a | 1,253 a | 1,116 a | 1,029 a | 1,136 a | 1,155 a |
| Zone 6 - Northwest | 771 b | 765 a | 1,154 a | 1,113 a | 1,289 a | 1,250 a | 1,269 b | 1,196 b | 1,226 a | 1,176 a |
| Zone 7 - Northeast | ** | ** | 1,113 a | 1,060 a | 1,281 a | 1,216 a | 1,218 a | 1,265 a | 1,209 a | 1,168 a |
| Zone 8 - Chinook | 913 a | 865 a | 1,086 a | 979 a | 1,321 a | 1,196 a | 1,365 a | 1,345 a | 1,196 a | 1,084 a |
| Zone 9 - Fish Creek | 1,000 b | 921 a | 1,193 a | 1,109 a | 1,332 a | 1,242 a | 1,262 a | 1,232 a | 1,283 a | 1,199 a |
| Calgary City (Zones 1-9) | 903 a | 859 a | 1,122 a | 1,050 a | 1,329 a | 1,260 a | 1,288 a | 1,263 b | 1,210 a | 1,142 a |
| Zone 10 - Other Centres | ** | ** | 1,123 a | 1,053 a | 1,377 a | 1,222 a | 1,229 a | 1,045 b | 1,308 a | 1,180 a |
| Calgary CMA | 900 a | 858 a | 1,122 a | 1,050 a | 1,332 a | 1,258 a | 1,286 a | 1,258 b | 1,212 a | 1,143 a |

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I.1.3 Number of Private Apartment Units in the Universe by Zone and Bedroom Type Calgary CMA

| Zone | Bachelor | | 1 Bedroom | | 2 Bedroom | | 3 Bedroom + | | Total | |
|--------------------------|--------------|--------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|--------------|--------------|---------------|---------------|
| | Oct-15 | Oct-16 | Oct-15 | Oct-16 | Oct-15 | Oct-16 | Oct-15 | Oct-16 | Oct-15 | Oct-16 |
| Zone 1 - Downtown | 207 | 208 | 3,214 | 3,393 | 1,537 | 1,762 | 25 | 25 | 4,983 | 5,388 |
| Zone 2 - Beltline | 625 | 645 | 4,926 | 5,198 | 3,060 | 3,293 | 63 | 61 | 8,674 | 9,197 |
| Zone 3 - North Hill | 84 | 86 | 1,582 | 1,544 | 1,048 | 1,022 | 74 | 86 | 2,788 | 2,738 |
| Zone 4 - Southwest | 145 | 141 | 1,619 | 1,609 | 1,686 | 1,680 | 198 | 201 | 3,648 | 3,631 |
| Zone 5 - Southeast | 51 | 51 | 599 | 715 | 691 | 921 | 174 | 169 | 1,515 | 1,856 |
| Zone 6 - Northwest | 78 | 76 | 1,990 | 1,986 | 2,318 | 2,219 | 490 | 487 | 4,876 | 4,768 |
| Zone 7 - Northeast | 7 | 7 | 668 | 666 | 1,102 | 1,090 | 85 | 85 | 1,862 | 1,848 |
| Zone 8 - Chinook | 31 | 32 | 1,241 | 1,235 | 1,067 | 1,064 | 67 | 74 | 2,406 | 2,405 |
| Zone 9 - Fish Creek | 39 | 41 | 1,229 | 1,219 | 2,042 | 2,117 | 253 | 258 | 3,563 | 3,635 |
| Calgary City (Zones 1-9) | 1,267 | 1,287 | 17,068 | 17,565 | 14,551 | 15,168 | 1,429 | 1,446 | 34,315 | 35,466 |
| Zone 10 - Other Centres | 22 | 22 | 194 | 192 | 660 | 807 | 36 | 36 | 912 | 1,057 |
| Calgary CMA | 1,289 | 1,309 | 17,262 | 17,757 | 15,211 | 15,975 | 1,465 | 1,482 | 35,227 | 36,523 |

I.1.4 Private Apartment Availability Rates (%) by Zone and Bedroom Type Calgary CMA

| Zone | Bachelor | | 1 Bedroom | | 2 Bedroom | | 3 Bedroom + | | Total | |
|--------------------------|--------------|----------------|--------------|----------------|--------------|-----------------|--------------|-----------------|--------------|-----------------|
| | Oct-15 | Oct-16 | Oct-15 | Oct-16 | Oct-15 | Oct-16 | Oct-15 | Oct-16 | Oct-15 | Oct-16 |
| Zone 1 - Downtown | 7.4 b | 9.4 b ↑ | 9.7 a | 12.9 a ↑ | 10.4 c | 14.5 c ↑ | ** | ** | 9.7 a | 13.2 a ↑ |
| Zone 2 - Beltline | 3.6 d | 6.9 c ↑ | 7.5 b | 8.5 a - | 7.7 a | 12.0 c ↑ | ** | ** | 7.3 a | 9.7 a ↑ |
| Zone 3 - North Hill | ** | 4.1 d | 6.9 b | 11.5 a ↑ | 5.2 c | 7.9 b ↑ | ** | ** | 6.3 b | 10.0 a ↑ |
| Zone 4 - Southwest | 3.3 d | 4.1 d - | 4.8 b | 7.8 b ↑ | 4.4 b | 9.5 a ↑ | 5.6 d | ** | 4.6 b | 8.4 a ↑ |
| Zone 5 - Southeast | 0.0 d | 7.3 c ↑ | 6.2 a | 17.0 d ↑ | 7.9 a | 19.4 a ↑ | 2.0 c | 11.4 d ↑ | 6.4 a | 17.4 a ↑ |
| Zone 6 - Northwest | 0.0 d | ** | 6.0 b | 7.5 b ↑ | 6.8 b | 9.9 b ↑ | ** | ** | 6.5 a | 8.8 a ↑ |
| Zone 7 - Northeast | ** | ** | 4.6 a | 8.0 b ↑ | 5.5 b | 10.9 a ↑ | 4.7 a | ** | 5.1 a | 9.9 a ↑ |
| Zone 8 - Chinook | 0.0 c | 2.5 c ↑ | 9.7 b | 8.1 b - | 9.7 b | 6.6 b ↓ | 4.6 b | 12.0 a ↑ | 9.4 a | 7.5 b ↓ |
| Zone 9 - Fish Creek | 0.0 d | ** | 12.0 c | 8.0 b ↓ | 10.2 c | 11.8 c - | 6.1 c | 11.0 d ↑ | 10.4 a | 10.6 c - |
| Calgary City (Zones 1-9) | 4.2 c | 6.6 b ↑ | 7.7 a | 9.7 a ↑ | 7.6 a | 11.4 a ↑ | 5.7 c | 10.2 c ↑ | 7.5 a | 10.4 a ↑ |
| Zone 10 - Other Centres | ** | 18.2 a | 7.3 c | 11.8 a ↑ | 21.0 a | 13.7 a ↓ | ** | ** | 17.8 d | 13.7 a ↓ |
| Calgary CMA | 4.3 c | 6.8 b ↑ | 7.7 a | 9.7 a ↑ | 8.2 a | 11.5 a ↑ | 6.0 b | 10.5 c ↑ | 7.7 a | 10.5 a ↑ |

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1.1.5 Private Apartment Estimate of Percentage Change (%) of Average Rent¹ by Bedroom Type Calgary CMA

| Centre | Bachelor | | 1 Bedroom | | 2 Bedroom | | 3 Bedroom + | | Total | |
|--------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|
| | Oct-14 to Oct-15 | Oct-15 to Oct-16 | Oct-14 to Oct-15 | Oct-15 to Oct-16 | Oct-14 to Oct-15 | Oct-15 to Oct-16 | Oct-14 to Oct-15 | Oct-15 to Oct-16 | Oct-14 to Oct-15 | Oct-15 to Oct-16 |
| | Oct-15 | Oct-16 | Oct-15 | Oct-16 | Oct-15 | Oct-16 | Oct-15 | Oct-16 | Oct-15 | Oct-16 |
| Zone 1 - Downtown | ++ | -9.1 b | ++ | -9.4 c | -1.0 d | -9.6 b | ++ | ++ | ++ | -9.6 b |
| Zone 2 - Beltline | ++ | -8.8 c | ++ | -7.9 b | ++ | -7.5 b | ++ | ++ | ++ | -8.1 b |
| Zone 3 - North Hill | ++ | ** | 1.3 d | -7.9 b | ++ | -7.3 b | ++ | ++ | ++ | -7.6 b |
| Zone 4 - Southwest | 5.4 d | ** | ++ | -4.8 c | 0.9 d | -5.4 b | ++ | ** | ++ | -4.9 b |
| Zone 5 - Southeast | ++ | ++ | -1.9 c | -7.3 b | ** | -6.4 b | ++ | ** | ++ | -6.8 b |
| Zone 6 - Northwest | ++ | ++ | 1.2 a | -3.1 d | 0.8 a | -3.7 d | ** | ** | 0.9 a | -3.5 d |
| Zone 7 - Northeast | ** | ** | ++ | -6.2 b | ++ | -6.8 b | 2.4 a | ++ | ++ | -6.4 b |
| Zone 8 - Chinook | ++ | -12.6 a | -1.2 a | -8.9 b | -1.3 d | -8.8 c | ++ | -8.5 a | -1.4 a | -9.0 b |
| Zone 9 - Fish Creek | ++ | ** | 1.3 a | -9.9 b | 1.0 a | -10.1 a | 3.2 d | ** | 1.0 a | -9.6 b |
| Calgary City (Zones 1-9) | ++ | -8.3 b | ++ | -7.4 a | ++ | -7.4 a | ++ | -4.5 d | ++ | -7.5 a |
| Zone 10 - Other Centres | ** | ** | 3.1 d | -8.1 a | 4.5 d | -11.9 a | ** | -9.6 b | 4.5 d | -11.3 a |
| Calgary CMA | ++ | -8.3 b | ++ | -7.4 a | ++ | -7.5 a | ++ | -4.6 c | ++ | -7.6 a |

¹The Percentage Change of Average Rent is a measure of the market movement, and is based on those structures that were common to the survey sample for both years.

1.1.6 Private Apartment Turnover Rates (%) by Zone and Bedroom Type Calgary CMA

| Zone | Bachelor | | 1 Bedroom | | 2 Bedroom | | 3 Bedroom + | | Total | |
|--------------------------|------------|-----------|------------|---------------|------------|---------------|-------------|---------------|------------|---------------|
| | Oct-15 | Oct-16 | Oct-15 | Oct-16 | Oct-15 | Oct-16 | Oct-15 | Oct-16 | Oct-15 | Oct-16 |
| Zone 1 - Downtown | n/a | ** | n/a | ** | n/a | ** | n/a | ** | n/a | ** |
| Zone 2 - Beltline | n/a | ** | n/a | 43.8 a | n/a | ** | n/a | ** | n/a | 43.7 a |
| Zone 3 - North Hill | n/a | ** | n/a | 20.6 a | n/a | 20.8 a | n/a | ** | n/a | 20.4 a |
| Zone 4 - Southwest | n/a | ** | n/a | 31.9 a | n/a | 36.1 a | n/a | ** | n/a | 33.9 a |
| Zone 5 - Southeast | n/a | ** | n/a | 50.1 a | n/a | 45.4 a | n/a | ** | n/a | 46.6 a |
| Zone 6 - Northwest | n/a | 28.0 d | n/a | 41.9 a | n/a | 41.2 a | n/a | ** | n/a | 40.6 a |
| Zone 7 - Northeast | n/a | ** | n/a | 34.5 a | n/a | 43.7 a | n/a | ** | n/a | 40.3 a |
| Zone 8 - Chinook | n/a | ** | n/a | 36.4 a | n/a | 31.3 a | n/a | 35.1 a | n/a | 34.5 a |
| Zone 9 - Fish Creek | n/a | ** | n/a | 48.3 a | n/a | 42.0 a | n/a | ** | n/a | 44.2 a |
| Calgary City (Zones 1-9) | n/a | ** | n/a | 40.9 a | n/a | 39.6 a | n/a | 36.8 a | n/a | 40.0 a |
| Zone 10 - Other Centres | n/a | ** | n/a | ** | n/a | 21.5 d | n/a | ** | n/a | 27.8 d |
| Calgary CMA | n/a | ** | n/a | 41.0 a | n/a | 38.7 a | n/a | 37.1 a | n/a | 39.7 a |

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| 1.2.1 Private Apartment Vacancy Rates (%) by Year of Construction and Bedroom Type Calgary CMA | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|--|----------|---|--------|---|---|-----------|---|--------|---|-----------|--|--------|---|-------------|---|--------|--|--------|---|--------|---|---|
| Year of Construction | Bachelor | | | | | 1 Bedroom | | | | 2 Bedroom | | | | 3 Bedroom + | | | | Total | | | | |
| | Oct-15 | | Oct-16 | | | Oct-15 | | Oct-16 | | Oct-15 | | Oct-16 | | Oct-15 | | Oct-16 | | Oct-15 | | Oct-16 | | |
| Calgary CMA | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Pre 1960 | ** | | ** | | | 4.0 | c | 6.4 | c | ↑ | | 3.9 | d | 9.4 | c | ↑ | | ** | | ** | | |
| 1960 - 1974 | 1.7 | c | 4.1 | b | ↑ | 4.8 | a | 6.2 | a | ↑ | | 4.4 | a | 6.4 | a | ↑ | | 4.2 | c | 7.6 | c | ↑ |
| 1975 - 1989 | 2.5 | c | 3.5 | c | - | 4.5 | a | 5.6 | a | ↑ | | 4.8 | a | 6.8 | b | ↑ | | 5.7 | d | ** | | |
| 1990 - 2004 | - | | - | | | 7.9 | a | 2.5 | b | ↓ | | 8.1 | b | 4.6 | c | ↓ | | ** | | ** | | |
| 2005+ | ** | | ** | | | 9.3 | a | 9.9 | c | - | | 23.4 | a | 17.1 | d | ↓ | | ** | | ** | | |
| Total | 2.4 | b | 5.3 | b | ↑ | 4.9 | a | 6.2 | a | ↑ | | 6.0 | a | 7.9 | a | ↑ | | 4.9 | c | 8.7 | b | ↑ |

| 1.2.2 Private Apartment Average Rents (\$) by Year of Construction and Bedroom Type Calgary CMA | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|--|----------|---|--------|-----------|-------|--------|-----------|---|--------|-------------|-------|--------|--------|---|--------|-------|-------|-------|-------|---|
| Year of Construction | Bachelor | | | 1 Bedroom | | | 2 Bedroom | | | 3 Bedroom + | | | Total | | | | | | | |
| | Oct-15 | | Oct-16 | Oct-15 | | Oct-16 | Oct-15 | | Oct-16 | Oct-15 | | Oct-16 | Oct-15 | | Oct-16 | | | | | |
| Calgary CMA | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Pre 1960 | 866 | b | 877 | b | 1,018 | a | 973 | a | 1,262 | a | 1,209 | a | ** | | ** | 1,064 | a | 1,038 | a | |
| 1960 - 1974 | 927 | a | 866 | a | 1,116 | a | 1,016 | a | 1,309 | a | 1,204 | a | 1,333 | a | 1,258 | a | 1,189 | a | 1,091 | a |
| 1975 - 1989 | 849 | b | 812 | a | 1,114 | a | 1,056 | a | 1,281 | a | 1,224 | a | 1,206 | a | 1,147 | a | 1,199 | a | 1,143 | a |
| 1990 - 2004 | - | | - | | 1,305 | a | 1,069 | a | 1,510 | a | 1,314 | a | ** | | ** | | 1,439 | a | 1,217 | a |
| 2005+ | ** | | ** | | 1,397 | a | 1,342 | a | 1,742 | a | 1,557 | a | ** | | 2,454 | c | 1,586 | a | 1,477 | a |
| Total | 900 | a | 858 | a | 1,122 | a | 1,050 | a | 1,332 | a | 1,258 | a | 1,286 | a | 1,258 | b | 1,212 | a | 1,143 | a |

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1.2.3 Private Apartment Turnover Rates (%) by Year of Construction and Bedroom Type Calgary CMA

| Year of Construction | Bachelor | | 1 Bedroom | | 2 Bedroom | | 3 Bedroom + | | Total | |
|----------------------|----------|-------------------|-----------|-------------------|-----------|-------------------|-------------|-------------------|--------|-------------------|
| | Oct-15 | Oct-16 | Oct-15 | Oct-16 | Oct-15 | Oct-16 | Oct-15 | Oct-16 | Oct-15 | Oct-16 |
| Calgary CMA | | | | | | | | | | |
| Pre 1960 | n/a | ** | n/a | ** | n/a | ** | n/a | ** | n/a | ** |
| 1960 - 1974 | n/a | ** | n/a | 40.7 ^a | n/a | 38.2 ^a | n/a | 38.9 ^a | n/a | 39.7 ^a |
| 1975 - 1989 | n/a | 24.2 ^d | n/a | 41.6 ^a | n/a | 42.7 ^a | n/a | ** | n/a | 41.3 ^a |
| 1990 - 2004 | n/a | - | n/a | ** | n/a | ** | n/a | ** | n/a | ** |
| 2005+ | n/a | ** | n/a | ** | n/a | ** | n/a | ** | n/a | ** |
| Total | n/a | ** | n/a | 41.0 ^a | n/a | 38.7 ^a | n/a | 37.1 ^a | n/a | 39.7 ^a |

1.3.1 Private Apartment Vacancy Rates (%) by Structure Size and Bedroom Type Calgary CMA

| Size | Bachelor | | 1 Bedroom | | 2 Bedroom | | 3 Bedroom + | | Total | |
|--------------------|------------------|--------------------|------------------|--------------------|------------------|---------------------|------------------|---------------------|------------------|--------------------|
| | Oct-15 | Oct-16 | Oct-15 | Oct-16 | Oct-15 | Oct-16 | Oct-15 | Oct-16 | Oct-15 | Oct-16 |
| Calgary CMA | | | | | | | | | | |
| 3 to 5 Units | 0.0 ^d | ** | 5.7 ^d | 3.7 ^d - | 3.7 ^c | 8.6 ^b ↑ | 5.4 ^d | 9.3 ^c ↑ | 4.4 ^b | 8.2 ^b ↑ |
| 6 to 19 Units | ** | 4.3 ^d | 4.3 ^b | 7.9 ^b ↑ | 4.2 ^c | 8.4 ^b ↑ | ** | ** | 4.1 ^b | 7.8 ^b ↑ |
| 20 to 49 Units | 2.5 ^c | 6.3 ^c ↑ | 4.9 ^b | 4.6 ^a - | 4.6 ^a | 6.3 ^a ↑ | 4.1 ^c | 4.6 ^d - | 4.7 ^a | 5.5 ^a ↑ |
| 50 to 99 Units | 0.9 ^a | 6.1 ^a ↑ | 4.3 ^a | 4.9 ^a ↑ | 9.0 ^a | 10.6 ^c ↑ | ** | 10.6 ^c | 6.6 ^a | 8.0 ^a ↑ |
| 100 to 199 Units | 2.0 ^a | 3.9 ^a ↑ | 4.5 ^a | 9.9 ^a ↑ | 7.3 ^a | 7.5 ^b - | 2.8 ^a | 12.6 ^a ↑ | 5.8 ^a | 8.7 ^b ↑ |
| 200+ Units | 4.8 ^d | 5.8 ^a - | 6.2 ^a | 4.6 ^a ↓ | 6.8 ^b | 7.2 ^a - | 3.5 ^c | 3.2 ^a - | 6.4 ^b | 5.7 ^a - |
| Total | 2.4 ^b | 5.3 ^b ↑ | 4.9 ^a | 6.2 ^a ↑ | 6.0 ^a | 7.9 ^a ↑ | 4.9 ^c | 8.7 ^b ↑ | 5.3 ^a | 7.0 ^a ↑ |

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I.3.2 Private Apartment Average Rents (\$) by Structure Size and Bedroom Type Calgary CMA

| Size | Bachelor | | 1 Bedroom | | 2 Bedroom | | 3 Bedroom + | | Total | |
|--------------------|----------|--------|-----------|---------|-----------|---------|-------------|---------|---------|---------|
| | Oct-15 | Oct-16 | Oct-15 | Oct-16 | Oct-15 | Oct-16 | Oct-15 | Oct-16 | Oct-15 | Oct-16 |
| Calgary CMA | | | | | | | | | | |
| 3 to 5 Units | 702 c | 692 c | 948 a | 879 a | 1,075 a | 1,006 a | 1,167 a | 1,109 a | 1,082 a | 1,027 a |
| 6 to 19 Units | 793 a | 801 a | 975 a | 922 a | 1,152 a | 1,096 a | 1,312 c | ** | 1,022 a | 980 a |
| 20 to 49 Units | 873 b | 844 a | 1,088 a | 1,023 a | 1,271 a | 1,231 a | 1,349 a | 1,408 b | 1,171 a | 1,118 a |
| 50 to 99 Units | 1,008 a | 966 a | 1,188 a | 1,105 a | 1,396 a | 1,286 a | 1,603 a | 1,561 a | 1,296 a | 1,205 a |
| 100 to 199 Units | 995 a | 927 a | 1,236 a | 1,154 a | 1,500 a | 1,354 a | 1,481 a | 1,427 a | 1,368 a | 1,255 a |
| 200+ Units | 1,101 a | 916 a | 1,254 a | 1,141 a | 1,489 a | 1,435 a | ** | 1,375 a | 1,345 a | 1,256 a |
| Total | 900 a | 858 a | 1,122 a | 1,050 a | 1,332 a | 1,258 a | 1,286 a | 1,258 b | 1,212 a | 1,143 a |

I.3.3 Private Apartment Vacancy Rates (%) by Structure Size and Zone Calgary CMA

| Zone | 3-5 | | 6-19 | | 20-49 | | 50-99 | | 100-199 | | 200+ | |
|--------------------------|--------|---------|--------|----------|--------|---------|--------|----------|---------|---------|--------|---------|
| | Oct-15 | Oct-16 | Oct-15 | Oct-16 | Oct-15 | Oct-16 | Oct-15 | Oct-16 | Oct-15 | Oct-16 | Oct-15 | Oct-16 |
| Zone 1 - Downtown | ** | ** | 6.0 c | 13.0 d ↑ | 7.0 c | 6.8 b ↓ | ** | ** | 5.8 a | 6.3 b ↓ | 7.8 b | 5.5 a ↓ |
| Zone 2 - Beltline | ** | ** | 3.4 d | 8.9 c ↑ | 4.5 b | 4.6 b ↓ | 4.5 a | 4.7 c ↓ | 6.8 a | ** | ** | 8.9 a |
| Zone 3 - North Hill | 4.2 c | 6.6 c ↑ | 5.6 d | 6.4 c ↓ | 2.2 b | 5.3 a ↑ | ** | ** | ** | ** | - | - |
| Zone 4 - Southwest | 0.9 d | 5.6 d ↑ | 3.8 c | 6.3 c ↑ | 1.0 a | 4.5 a ↑ | 2.8 a | 5.2 b ↑ | ** | ** | - | - |
| Zone 5 - Southeast | 3.3 c | 9.9 b ↑ | 1.8 c | ** | 4.1 b | 6.5 a ↑ | ** | ** | ** | 19.2 a | - | - |
| Zone 6 - Northwest | ** | ** | 4.1 c | 8.2 c ↑ | 5.3 a | 5.3 b ↓ | 2.9 b | 3.7 a ↑ | 3.4 a | 4.5 a ↑ | ** | ** |
| Zone 7 - Northeast | 2.8 a | ** | ** | ** | 5.0 c | 7.6 c ↑ | 5.2 a | 6.2 a ↑ | ** | ** | ** | ** |
| Zone 8 - Chinook | ** | ** | 3.7 c | 6.1 c ↑ | 4.5 b | 4.4 c ↓ | 0.7 a | 4.0 a ↑ | 3.9 c | 7.4 a ↑ | ** | ** |
| Zone 9 - Fish Creek | 4.3 a | 6.0 b ↑ | ** | ** | 8.7 c | 6.0 c ↓ | 5.7 b | 10.5 a ↑ | ** | ** | 6.3 a | ** |
| Calgary City (Zones 1-9) | 4.3 b | 8.0 b ↑ | 4.1 b | 7.9 b ↑ | 4.7 a | 5.4 a ↑ | 4.3 a | 7.3 b ↑ | 5.8 a | 8.7 b ↑ | 6.4 b | 5.7 a ↓ |
| Zone 10 - Other Centres | 9.4 b | ** | 10.0 a | 4.0 a ↓ | 2.6 b | 8.3 c ↑ | 28.5 a | 13.6 a ↓ | - | - | - | - |
| Calgary CMA | 4.4 b | 8.2 b ↑ | 4.1 b | 7.8 b ↑ | 4.7 a | 5.5 a ↑ | 6.6 a | 8.0 a ↑ | 5.8 a | 8.7 b ↑ | 6.4 b | 5.7 a ↓ |

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1.3.4 Private Apartment Turnover Rates (%) by Structure Size and Bedroom Type Calgary CMA

| Size | Bachelor | | 1 Bedroom | | 2 Bedroom | | 3 Bedroom + | | Total | |
|--------------------|----------|-------------------|-----------|-------------------|-----------|-------------------|-------------|-------------------|--------|-------------------|
| | Oct-15 | Oct-16 | Oct-15 | Oct-16 | Oct-15 | Oct-16 | Oct-15 | Oct-16 | Oct-15 | Oct-16 |
| Calgary CMA | | | | | | | | | | |
| 3 to 5 Units | n/a | ** | n/a | ** | n/a | 30.0 ^d | n/a | ** | n/a | 31.3 ^a |
| 6 to 19 Units | n/a | ** | n/a | 34.8 ^a | n/a | 31.1 ^a | n/a | ** | n/a | 33.5 ^a |
| 20 to 49 Units | n/a | ** | n/a | 38.9 ^a | n/a | 42.1 ^a | n/a | ** | n/a | 40.3 ^a |
| 50 to 99 Units | n/a | 50.5 ^a | n/a | ** | n/a | 31.9 ^a | n/a | ** | n/a | 34.5 ^a |
| 100 to 199 Units | n/a | 42.5 ^a | n/a | 45.2 ^a | n/a | ** | n/a | 40.3 ^a | n/a | 43.0 ^a |
| 200+ Units | n/a | ** | n/a | ** | n/a | ** | n/a | ** | n/a | ** |
| Total | n/a | ** | n/a | 41.0 ^a | n/a | 38.7 ^a | n/a | 37.1 ^a | n/a | 39.7 ^a |

1.4 Private Apartment Vacancy Rates (%)¹ by Rent Range and Bedroom Type Calgary CMA

| Rent Range | Bachelor | | 1 Bedroom | | 2 Bedroom | | 3 Bedroom + | | Total | |
|--------------------|------------------|--------------------|------------------|--------------------|------------------|---------------------|------------------|--------------------|------------------|---------------------|
| | Oct-15 | Oct-16 | Oct-15 | Oct-16 | Oct-15 | Oct-16 | Oct-15 | Oct-16 | Oct-15 | Oct-16 |
| Calgary CMA | | | | | | | | | | |
| LT \$750 | ** | ** | 2.0 ^c | ** | ** | ** | ** | ** | 1.4 ^a | ** |
| \$750 - \$899 | 1.7 ^c | 4.8 ^c ↑ | 2.3 ^c | 9.1 ^b ↑ | 1.1 ^d | 12.9 ^d ↑ | ** | ** | 2.3 ^c | 9.0 ^b ↑ |
| \$900 - \$1049 | 4.2 ^d | 6.8 ^c - | 4.4 ^b | 4.4 ^b - | 2.3 ^c | 9.1 ^b ↑ | ** | ** | 4.1 ^b | 6.0 ^a ↑ |
| \$1050 - \$1199 | ** | 7.9 ^b | 5.9 ^a | 5.6 ^a - | 6.7 ^b | 5.3 ^b ↓ | 4.2 ^d | 4.2 ^d - | 6.0 ^a | 5.4 ^a - |
| \$1200 - \$1349 | ** | 13.9 ^d | 5.7 ^b | 7.3 ^a ↑ | 3.1 ^b | 7.9 ^b ↑ | 6.5 ^c | ** | 4.3 ^a | 7.8 ^a ↑ |
| \$1350+ | ** | ** | 5.8 ^a | 9.7 ^c ↑ | 8.7 ^a | 10.5 ^a ↑ | 4.6 ^c | 9.4 ^c ↑ | 7.8 ^a | 10.3 ^a ↑ |
| Total | 2.4 ^b | 5.3 ^b ↑ | 4.9 ^a | 6.2 ^a ↑ | 6.0 ^a | 7.9 ^a ↑ | 4.9 ^c | 8.7 ^b ↑ | 5.3 ^a | 7.0 ^a ↑ |

¹Vacancy rate by rent range when rents are known. For the Total, vacancy rates include all structures.

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2.1.1 Private Row (Townhouse) Vacancy Rates (%) by Zone and Bedroom Type Calgary CMA

| Zone | Bachelor | | 1 Bedroom | | 2 Bedroom | | 3 Bedroom + | | Total | |
|--------------------------|--------------|-----------|--------------|----------------|--------------|----------------|--------------|----------------|--------------|----------------|
| | Oct-15 | Oct-16 | Oct-15 | Oct-16 | Oct-15 | Oct-16 | Oct-15 | Oct-16 | Oct-15 | Oct-16 |
| Zone 1 - Downtown | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Zone 2 - Beltline | - | - | ** | - | ** | ** | ** | ** | ** | ** |
| Zone 3 - North Hill | - | - | ** | ** | 0.0 a | 20.0 a ↑ | ** | ** | 2.8 a | 12.5 a ↑ |
| Zone 4 - Southwest | ** | ** | ** | ** | ** | 4.2 c | ** | 8.1 b | 3.1 d | 6.0 b ↑ |
| Zone 5 - Southeast | - | - | ** | ** | 3.3 a | 8.8 a ↑ | 2.0 a | 6.3 a ↑ | 2.6 a | 7.5 a ↑ |
| Zone 6 - Northwest | ** | ** | 6.1 a | 8.6 b ↑ | 3.4 a | 6.5 b ↑ | 3.5 b | 7.0 b ↑ | 3.5 b | 6.7 a ↑ |
| Zone 7 - Northeast | - | - | - | - | 2.5 a | 9.5 a ↑ | 0.8 a | 5.7 d ↑ | 1.5 a | 7.6 c ↑ |
| Zone 8 - Chinook | - | - | - | - | ** | ** | ** | ** | ** | ** |
| Zone 9 - Fish Creek | ** | ** | ** | ** | 5.7 d | 8.8 b ↑ | 6.4 a | ** | 5.6 c | 7.2 c - |
| Calgary City (Zones 1-9) | 0.0 a | ** | 3.6 a | 5.3 c ↑ | 3.8 b | 8.0 a ↑ | 2.7 a | 6.1 b ↑ | 3.3 a | 7.1 a ↑ |
| Zone 10 - Other Centres | - | - | - | - | ** | ** | - | ** | ** | ** |
| Calgary CMA | 0.0 a | ** | 3.6 a | 5.3 c ↑ | 3.7 b | 7.9 a ↑ | 2.7 a | 5.9 b ↑ | 3.3 a | 7.0 a ↑ |

2.1.2 Private Row (Townhouse) Average Rents (\$) by Zone and Bedroom Type Calgary CMA

| Zone | Bachelor | | 1 Bedroom | | 2 Bedroom | | 3 Bedroom + | | Total | |
|--------------------------|-----------|-----------|----------------|--------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|
| | Oct-15 | Oct-16 | Oct-15 | Oct-16 | Oct-15 | Oct-16 | Oct-15 | Oct-16 | Oct-15 | Oct-16 |
| Zone 1 - Downtown | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Zone 2 - Beltline | - | - | ** | - | ** | ** | ** | ** | ** | ** |
| Zone 3 - North Hill | - | - | ** | ** | 1,205 a | 1,103 b | ** | ** | 1,091 a | 1,052 a |
| Zone 4 - Southwest | ** | ** | ** | ** | 1,245 c | 1,211 c | 1,285 a | 1,218 a | 1,235 b | 1,203 a |
| Zone 5 - Southeast | - | - | ** | ** | 1,285 a | 1,243 a | 1,303 a | 1,280 a | 1,293 a | 1,260 a |
| Zone 6 - Northwest | ** | ** | 889 b | 885 a | 1,196 a | 1,067 a | 1,412 a | 1,357 a | 1,272 a | 1,178 a |
| Zone 7 - Northeast | - | - | - | - | 1,256 a | 1,196 a | 1,398 a | 1,374 b | 1,338 a | 1,285 a |
| Zone 8 - Chinook | - | - | - | - | ** | ** | ** | ** | ** | ** |
| Zone 9 - Fish Creek | ** | ** | ** | ** | 1,218 b | 1,074 a | 1,279 a | 1,218 a | 1,235 a | 1,096 a |
| Calgary City (Zones 1-9) | ** | ** | 1,007 a | 904 a | 1,227 a | 1,126 a | 1,367 a | 1,328 a | 1,280 a | 1,203 a |
| Zone 10 - Other Centres | - | - | - | - | ** | ** | - | ** | ** | ** |
| Calgary CMA | ** | ** | 1,007 a | 904 a | 1,227 a | 1,126 a | 1,367 a | 1,329 a | 1,280 a | 1,206 a |

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2.1.3 Number of Private Row (Townhouse) Units in the Universe by Zone and Bedroom Type Calgary CMA

| Zone | Bachelor | | 1 Bedroom | | 2 Bedroom | | 3 Bedroom + | | Total | |
|--------------------------|----------|-----------|------------|------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| | Oct-15 | Oct-16 | Oct-15 | Oct-16 | Oct-15 | Oct-16 | Oct-15 | Oct-16 | Oct-15 | Oct-16 |
| Zone 1 - Downtown | n/a | n/a | n/a | n/a | n/a | n/a | n/a | n/a | n/a | n/a |
| Zone 2 - Beltline | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 8 | 5 | 6 | 6 | 15 | 11 |
| Zone 3 - North Hill | 0 | 0 | 14 | 14 | 15 | 15 | 7 | 11 | 36 | 40 |
| Zone 4 - Southwest | 1 | 1 | 13 | 13 | 106 | 103 | 108 | 104 | 228 | 221 |
| Zone 5 - Southeast | 0 | 0 | 3 | 3 | 273 | 272 | 302 | 300 | 578 | 575 |
| Zone 6 - Northwest | 1 | 8 | 66 | 59 | 770 | 777 | 612 | 605 | 1,449 | 1,449 |
| Zone 7 - Northeast | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 377 | 380 | 496 | 499 | 873 | 879 |
| Zone 8 - Chinook | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 27 | 27 | 27 | 27 | 54 | 54 |
| Zone 9 - Fish Creek | 2 | 2 | 35 | 32 | 508 | 505 | 172 | 171 | 717 | 710 |
| Calgary City (Zones 1-9) | 4 | 11 | 132 | 121 | 2,084 | 2,084 | 1,730 | 1,723 | 3,950 | 3,939 |
| Zone 10 - Other Centres | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 10 | 10 | 0 | 68 | 10 | 78 |
| Calgary CMA | 4 | 11 | 132 | 121 | 2,094 | 2,094 | 1,730 | 1,791 | 3,960 | 4,017 |

2.1.4 Private Row (Townhouse) Availability Rates (%) by Zone and Bedroom Type Calgary CMA

| Zone | Bachelor | | 1 Bedroom | | 2 Bedroom | | 3 Bedroom + | | Total | |
|--------------------------|--------------|-----------|--------------|----------------|--------------|-----------------|--------------|----------------|--------------|----------------|
| | Oct-15 | Oct-16 | Oct-15 | Oct-16 | Oct-15 | Oct-16 | Oct-15 | Oct-16 | Oct-15 | Oct-16 |
| Zone 1 - Downtown | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Zone 2 - Beltline | - | - | ** | - | ** | ** | ** | ** | ** | ** |
| Zone 3 - North Hill | - | - | ** | ** | 6.7 a | 26.7 a ↑ | ** | ** | 5.6 a | 22.5 a ↑ |
| Zone 4 - Southwest | ** | ** | ** | ** | ** | 8.3 b | ** | 11.1 c | 4.9 d | 9.5 b ↑ |
| Zone 5 - Southeast | - | - | ** | ** | 4.4 a | 10.7 a ↑ | 2.0 a | 6.3 a ↑ | 3.1 a | 8.3 a ↑ |
| Zone 6 - Northwest | ** | ** | 9.1 a | 8.6 b - | 5.1 a | 8.5 b ↑ | 4.7 b | 10.4 a ↑ | 5.1 a | 9.3 a ↑ |
| Zone 7 - Northeast | - | - | - | - | 3.9 a | 13.9 a ↑ | 1.4 a | ** | 2.4 a | 10.8 c ↑ |
| Zone 8 - Chinook | - | - | - | - | ** | ** | ** | ** | ** | ** |
| Zone 9 - Fish Creek | ** | ** | ** | ** | ** | 11.4 a | 6.4 a | ** | 6.4 c | 9.4 b ↑ |
| Calgary City (Zones 1-9) | 0.0 a | ** | 5.8 a | 6.2 c - | 5.3 a | 10.7 a ↑ | 3.4 a | 8.6 a ↑ | 4.5 a | 9.7 a ↑ |
| Zone 10 - Other Centres | - | - | - | - | ** | ** | - | ** | ** | ** |
| Calgary CMA | 0.0 a | ** | 5.8 a | 6.2 c - | 5.3 a | 10.7 a ↑ | 3.4 a | 8.4 a ↑ | 4.5 a | 9.5 a ↑ |

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2.1.5 Private Row (Townhouse) Estimate of Percentage Change (%) of Average Rent¹ by Bedroom Type Calgary CMA

| Centre | Bachelor | | 1 Bedroom | | 2 Bedroom | | 3 Bedroom + | | Total | |
|--------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|
| | Oct-14 to Oct-15 | Oct-15 to Oct-16 | Oct-14 to Oct-15 | Oct-15 to Oct-16 | Oct-14 to Oct-15 | Oct-15 to Oct-16 | Oct-14 to Oct-15 | Oct-15 to Oct-16 | Oct-14 to Oct-15 | Oct-15 to Oct-16 |
| | Oct-14 to Oct-15 | Oct-15 to Oct-16 | Oct-14 to Oct-15 | Oct-15 to Oct-16 | Oct-14 to Oct-15 | Oct-15 to Oct-16 | Oct-14 to Oct-15 | Oct-15 to Oct-16 | Oct-14 to Oct-15 | Oct-15 to Oct-16 |
| Zone 1 - Downtown | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Zone 2 - Beltline | - | - | ** | - | ** | ** | ** | ** | ** | ** |
| Zone 3 - North Hill | - | - | ** | ** | ++ | ** | ** | ** | ++ | ** |
| Zone 4 - Southwest | ** | ** | ** | ** | ++ | ++ | ++ | ++ | ++ | ++ |
| Zone 5 - Southeast | - | - | ** | ** | 2.9 c | ++ | 1.3 a | -1.5 d | 1.8 c | -2.3 c |
| Zone 6 - Northwest | ** | ** | ++ | -3.9 d | ++ | -5.8 d | 4.1 c | ** | ++ | ** |
| Zone 7 - Northeast | - | - | - | - | ++ | -4.7 d | 1.0 a | ++ | ++ | ** |
| Zone 8 - Chinook | - | - | - | - | ** | ** | ** | ** | ** | ** |
| Zone 9 - Fish Creek | ** | ** | ** | ** | 1.3 a | ** | ++ | ** | 1.5 a | ** |
| Calgary City (Zones 1-9) | ** | ** | ++ | ** | ++ | -6.0 c | 2.0 b | -3.9 d | 1.0 a | -5.7 c |
| Zone 10 - Other Centres | - | - | - | - | ** | ** | - | ** | ** | ** |
| Calgary CMA | ** | ** | ++ | ** | ++ | -6.0 c | 2.0 b | -3.9 d | 1.0 a | -5.7 c |

¹The Percentage Change of Average Rent is a measure of the market movement, and is based on those structures that were common to the survey sample for both years.

2.1.6 Private Row (Townhouse) Turnover Rates (%) by Zone and Bedroom Type Calgary CMA

| Zone | Bachelor | | 1 Bedroom | | 2 Bedroom | | 3 Bedroom + | | Total | |
|--------------------------|------------|-----------|------------|---------------|------------|---------------|-------------|-----------|------------|---------------|
| | Oct-15 | Oct-16 | Oct-15 | Oct-16 | Oct-15 | Oct-16 | Oct-15 | Oct-16 | Oct-15 | Oct-16 |
| | Oct-15 | Oct-16 | Oct-15 | Oct-16 | Oct-15 | Oct-16 | Oct-15 | Oct-16 | Oct-15 | Oct-16 |
| Zone 1 - Downtown | n/a | - | n/a | - | n/a | - | n/a | - | n/a | - |
| Zone 2 - Beltline | n/a | - | n/a | - | n/a | ** | n/a | ** | n/a | ** |
| Zone 3 - North Hill | n/a | - | n/a | ** | n/a | 26.7 a | n/a | ** | n/a | 25.0 a |
| Zone 4 - Southwest | n/a | ** | n/a | ** | n/a | ** | n/a | ** | n/a | ** |
| Zone 5 - Southeast | n/a | - | n/a | ** | n/a | ** | n/a | 38.6 a | n/a | 39.1 a |
| Zone 6 - Northwest | n/a | ** | n/a | 19.0 a | n/a | 28.2 d | n/a | ** | n/a | ** |
| Zone 7 - Northeast | n/a | - | n/a | - | n/a | 69.5 a | n/a | ** | n/a | 51.5 a |
| Zone 8 - Chinook | n/a | - | n/a | - | n/a | ** | n/a | ** | n/a | ** |
| Zone 9 - Fish Creek | n/a | ** | n/a | ** | n/a | 23.8 d | n/a | ** | n/a | 21.3 d |
| Calgary City (Zones 1-9) | n/a | ** | n/a | 27.5 d | n/a | 36.4 a | n/a | ** | n/a | 33.7 a |
| Zone 10 - Other Centres | n/a | - | n/a | - | n/a | ** | n/a | - | n/a | ** |
| Calgary CMA | n/a | ** | n/a | 27.5 d | n/a | 36.3 a | n/a | ** | n/a | 33.6 a |

For an explanation of the letters and symbols used in the Rental Market tables, please refer to our [Methodology](#) page.

3.1.1 Private Row (Townhouse) and Apartment Vacancy Rates (%) by Zone and Bedroom Type Calgary CMA

| Zone | Bachelor | | 1 Bedroom | | 2 Bedroom | | 3 Bedroom + | | Total | |
|--------------------------|--------------|----------------|--------------|----------------|--------------|----------------|--------------|----------------|--------------|----------------|
| | Oct-15 | Oct-16 | Oct-15 | Oct-16 | Oct-15 | Oct-16 | Oct-15 | Oct-16 | Oct-15 | Oct-16 |
| Zone 1 - Downtown | 6.0 b | 8.5 c ↑ | 6.5 a | 6.1 a - | 8.1 b | 6.5 a ↓ | ** | ** | 6.9 b | 6.3 a - |
| Zone 2 - Beltline | 1.5 c | 5.6 c ↑ | 4.6 b | 6.0 b ↑ | 5.7 b | 8.7 b ↑ | 3.5 d | ** | 4.8 b | 7.0 b ↑ |
| Zone 3 - North Hill | ** | 3.0 d | 5.1 c | 8.7 a ↑ | 3.2 c | 6.1 b ↑ | ** | ** | 4.4 b | 7.7 a ↑ |
| Zone 4 - Southwest | ** | ** | 2.6 a | 5.1 b ↑ | 1.9 b | 5.9 b ↑ | 2.7 c | ** | 2.3 a | 5.4 a ↑ |
| Zone 5 - Southeast | 0.0 d | 7.3 c ↑ | 3.6 b | 10.7 d ↑ | 5.2 a | 15.2 a ↑ | 2.0 a | 7.5 b ↑ | 3.9 a | 12.3 c ↑ |
| Zone 6 - Northwest | 0.0 d | 4.7 d ↑ | 3.9 b | 5.3 b ↑ | 4.4 b | 7.2 b ↑ | 4.8 c | 7.9 b ↑ | 4.3 b | 6.6 a ↑ |
| Zone 7 - Northeast | ** | ** | 3.4 b | 4.6 b ↑ | 3.8 b | 7.8 a ↑ | 1.2 a | 5.9 d ↑ | 3.1 a | 6.8 b ↑ |
| Zone 8 - Chinook | 0.0 c | 2.5 c ↑ | 4.0 a | 5.7 c ↑ | 3.9 b | 3.5 b - | 3.9 d | 7.3 c ↑ | 3.9 a | 4.7 c - |
| Zone 9 - Fish Creek | 0.0 d | ** | 8.3 b | 5.7 b ↓ | 7.4 b | 7.9 c - | 5.5 b | 4.2 d - | 7.4 b | 7.0 c - |
| Calgary City (Zones 1-9) | 2.4 b | 5.3 b ↑ | 4.8 a | 6.2 a ↑ | 5.1 a | 7.7 a ↑ | 3.6 b | 7.1 b ↑ | 4.8 a | 6.9 a ↑ |
| Zone 10 - Other Centres | ** | 4.5 a | 6.2 c | 10.1 c ↑ | 20.5 a | 11.8 a ↓ | ** | ** | 17.0 d | 11.2 a ↓ |
| Calgary CMA | 2.3 b | 5.3 b ↑ | 4.9 a | 6.2 a ↑ | 5.7 a | 7.9 a ↑ | 3.7 b | 7.2 b ↑ | 5.1 a | 7.0 a ↑ |

3.1.2 Private Row (Townhouse) and Apartment Average Rents (\$) by Zone and Bedroom Type Calgary CMA

| Zone | Bachelor | | 1 Bedroom | | 2 Bedroom | | 3 Bedroom + | | Total | |
|--------------------------|--------------|--------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|
| | Oct-15 | Oct-16 | Oct-15 | Oct-16 | Oct-15 | Oct-16 | Oct-15 | Oct-16 | Oct-15 | Oct-16 |
| Zone 1 - Downtown | 1,003 a | 878 a | 1,172 a | 1,073 a | 1,430 a | 1,362 a | 1,673 b | 1,397 b | 1,242 a | 1,165 a |
| Zone 2 - Beltline | 927 b | 872 a | 1,138 a | 1,059 a | 1,439 a | 1,330 a | 1,971 b | 1,870 a | 1,239 a | 1,145 a |
| Zone 3 - North Hill | 806 a | 811 a | 995 a | 918 a | 1,191 a | 1,124 a | 1,317 b | ** | 1,072 a | 1,021 a |
| Zone 4 - Southwest | 779 b | 841 b | 1,055 a | 1,016 a | 1,261 a | 1,212 a | 1,307 a | 1,231 a | 1,154 a | 1,118 a |
| Zone 5 - Southeast | 645 c | 903 d | 1,088 a | 1,074 a | 1,219 a | 1,251 a | 1,234 a | 1,188 a | 1,179 a | 1,180 a |
| Zone 6 - Northwest | 768 b | 760 a | 1,146 a | 1,106 a | 1,266 a | 1,202 a | 1,353 a | 1,284 a | 1,237 a | 1,177 a |
| Zone 7 - Northeast | ** | ** | 1,113 a | 1,060 a | 1,274 a | 1,211 a | 1,371 a | 1,357 a | 1,250 a | 1,206 a |
| Zone 8 - Chinook | 913 a | 865 a | 1,086 a | 979 a | 1,315 a | 1,196 a | 1,376 b | 1,347 a | 1,196 a | 1,090 a |
| Zone 9 - Fish Creek | 1,000 b | 921 a | 1,194 a | 1,104 a | 1,312 a | 1,211 a | 1,270 a | 1,226 a | 1,275 a | 1,182 a |
| Calgary City (Zones 1-9) | 903 a | 858 a | 1,121 a | 1,049 a | 1,317 a | 1,243 a | 1,332 a | 1,298 a | 1,217 a | 1,149 a |
| Zone 10 - Other Centres | ** | ** | 1,123 a | 1,053 a | 1,373 a | 1,221 a | 1,229 a | 1,246 b | 1,306 a | 1,190 a |
| Calgary CMA | 900 a | 857 a | 1,121 a | 1,049 a | 1,319 a | 1,242 a | 1,331 a | 1,296 a | 1,219 a | 1,150 a |

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3.1.3 Number of Private Row (Townhouse) and Apartment Units in the Universe by Zone and Bedroom Type Calgary CMA

| Zone | Bachelor | | 1 Bedroom | | 2 Bedroom | | 3 Bedroom + | | Total | |
|--------------------------|--------------|--------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|--------------|--------------|---------------|---------------|
| | Oct-15 | Oct-16 | Oct-15 | Oct-16 | Oct-15 | Oct-16 | Oct-15 | Oct-16 | Oct-15 | Oct-16 |
| Zone 1 - Downtown | 207 | 208 | 3,214 | 3,393 | 1,537 | 1,762 | 25 | 25 | 4,983 | 5,388 |
| Zone 2 - Beltline | 625 | 645 | 4,927 | 5,198 | 3,068 | 3,298 | 69 | 67 | 8,689 | 9,208 |
| Zone 3 - North Hill | 84 | 86 | 1,596 | 1,558 | 1,063 | 1,037 | 81 | 97 | 2,824 | 2,778 |
| Zone 4 - Southwest | 146 | 142 | 1,632 | 1,622 | 1,792 | 1,783 | 306 | 305 | 3,876 | 3,852 |
| Zone 5 - Southeast | 51 | 51 | 602 | 718 | 964 | 1,193 | 476 | 469 | 2,093 | 2,431 |
| Zone 6 - Northwest | 79 | 84 | 2,056 | 2,045 | 3,088 | 2,996 | 1,102 | 1,092 | 6,325 | 6,217 |
| Zone 7 - Northeast | 7 | 7 | 668 | 666 | 1,479 | 1,470 | 581 | 584 | 2,735 | 2,727 |
| Zone 8 - Chinook | 31 | 32 | 1,241 | 1,235 | 1,094 | 1,091 | 94 | 101 | 2,460 | 2,459 |
| Zone 9 - Fish Creek | 41 | 43 | 1,264 | 1,251 | 2,550 | 2,622 | 425 | 429 | 4,280 | 4,345 |
| Calgary City (Zones 1-9) | 1,271 | 1,298 | 17,200 | 17,686 | 16,635 | 17,252 | 3,159 | 3,169 | 38,265 | 39,405 |
| Zone 10 - Other Centres | 22 | 22 | 194 | 192 | 670 | 817 | 36 | 104 | 922 | 1,135 |
| Calgary CMA | 1,293 | 1,320 | 17,394 | 17,878 | 17,305 | 18,069 | 3,195 | 3,273 | 39,187 | 40,540 |

3.1.4 Private Row (Townhouse) and Apartment Availability Rates (%) by Zone and Bedroom Type Calgary CMA

| Zone | Bachelor | | 1 Bedroom | | 2 Bedroom | | 3 Bedroom + | | Total | |
|--------------------------|--------------|----------------|--------------|----------------|--------------|-----------------|--------------|----------------|--------------|-----------------|
| | Oct-15 | Oct-16 | Oct-15 | Oct-16 | Oct-15 | Oct-16 | Oct-15 | Oct-16 | Oct-15 | Oct-16 |
| Zone 1 - Downtown | 7.4 b | 9.4 b ↑ | 9.7 a | 12.9 a ↑ | 10.4 c | 14.5 c ↑ | ** | ** | 9.7 a | 13.2 a ↑ |
| Zone 2 - Beltline | 3.6 d | 6.9 c ↑ | 7.5 b | 8.5 a - | 7.8 a | 12.0 c ↑ | 3.5 d | ** | 7.3 a | 9.7 a ↑ |
| Zone 3 - North Hill | ** | 4.1 d | 6.9 b | 11.4 a ↑ | 5.2 c | 8.2 b ↑ | ** | ** | 6.3 b | 10.2 a ↑ |
| Zone 4 - Southwest | 3.3 d | 4.1 d - | 4.8 b | 7.8 b ↑ | 4.5 b | 9.4 a ↑ | 5.2 d | ** | 4.6 b | 8.4 a ↑ |
| Zone 5 - Southeast | 0.0 d | 7.3 c ↑ | 6.2 a | 16.9 d ↑ | 7.0 a | 17.4 a ↑ | 2.0 a | 8.0 b ↑ | 5.5 a | 15.3 a ↑ |
| Zone 6 - Northwest | 0.0 d | 6.0 d ↑ | 6.1 b | 7.5 b ↑ | 6.4 a | 9.6 b ↑ | 6.0 c | 10.0 b ↑ | 6.2 a | 8.9 a ↑ |
| Zone 7 - Northeast | ** | ** | 4.6 a | 8.0 b ↑ | 5.0 a | 11.7 a ↑ | 1.9 a | 8.0 c ↑ | 4.2 a | 10.2 a ↑ |
| Zone 8 - Chinook | 0.0 c | 2.5 c ↑ | 9.7 b | 8.1 b - | 9.5 b | 6.6 b ↓ | 3.9 d | 11.0 c ↑ | 9.2 a | 7.5 b ↓ |
| Zone 9 - Fish Creek | 0.0 d | ** | 11.7 c | 7.9 b ↓ | 9.6 b | 11.7 c ↑ | 6.2 b | 8.1 c - | 9.8 a | 10.4 c - |
| Calgary City (Zones 1-9) | 4.2 c | 6.6 b ↑ | 7.7 a | 9.7 a ↑ | 7.4 a | 11.3 a ↑ | 4.4 b | 9.3 a ↑ | 7.2 a | 10.3 a ↑ |
| Zone 10 - Other Centres | ** | 18.2 a | 7.3 c | 11.8 a ↑ | 20.7 a | 13.5 a ↓ | ** | ** | 17.6 d | 13.0 a ↓ |
| Calgary CMA | 4.3 c | 6.8 b ↑ | 7.7 a | 9.7 a ↑ | 7.9 a | 11.4 a ↑ | 4.6 b | 9.3 a ↑ | 7.4 a | 10.4 a ↑ |

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3.1.5 Private Row (Townhouse) and Apartment Estimate of Percentage Change (%) of Average Rent¹ by Bedroom Type Calgary CMA

| Centre | Bachelor | | 1 Bedroom | | 2 Bedroom | | 3 Bedroom + | | Total | |
|--------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|
| | Oct-14 to Oct-15 | Oct-15 to Oct-16 | Oct-14 to Oct-15 | Oct-15 to Oct-16 | Oct-14 to Oct-15 | Oct-15 to Oct-16 | Oct-14 to Oct-15 | Oct-15 to Oct-16 | Oct-14 to Oct-15 | Oct-15 to Oct-16 |
| | | | | | | | | | | |
| Zone 1 - Downtown | ++ | -9.1 b | ++ | -9.4 c | -1.0 d | -9.6 b | ++ | ++ | ++ | -9.6 b |
| Zone 2 - Beltline | ++ | -8.8 c | ++ | -7.9 b | ++ | -7.5 b | ++ | ++ | ++ | -8.0 b |
| Zone 3 - North Hill | ++ | ** | 1.3 d | -7.9 b | ++ | -7.4 b | ++ | ++ | 1.2 d | -7.5 b |
| Zone 4 - Southwest | 5.4 d | ** | ++ | -4.8 c | 1.0 d | -5.2 b | ++ | -3.8 d | ++ | -4.7 b |
| Zone 5 - Southeast | ++ | ++ | -1.8 c | -7.5 b | ++ | -5.0 c | 1.3 d | ** | ++ | -5.3 c |
| Zone 6 - Northwest | ++ | ++ | 0.7 b | -3.1 d | ++ | -4.4 d | 3.0 d | -4.8 d | 0.9 d | -4.4 d |
| Zone 7 - Northeast | ** | ** | ++ | -6.2 b | ++ | -6.1 c | 1.4 a | ++ | ++ | -5.4 c |
| Zone 8 - Chinook | ++ | -12.6 a | -1.2 a | -8.9 b | -1.3 d | -8.8 c | ++ | -8.5 b | -1.4 a | -9.0 b |
| Zone 9 - Fish Creek | ++ | ** | 1.3 a | -10.9 c | 1.0 a | -10.4 c | 2.3 c | ** | 1.1 a | -10.0 b |
| Calgary City (Zones 1-9) | ++ | -8.3 b | ++ | -7.4 a | ++ | -7.2 a | ++ | -4.3 c | ++ | -7.2 a |
| Zone 10 - Other Centres | ** | ** | 3.1 d | -8.1 a | 4.5 c | -11.8 a | ** | -9.6 c | 4.5 d | -11.2 a |
| Calgary CMA | ++ | -8.2 b | ++ | -7.5 a | ++ | -7.3 a | ++ | -4.3 c | 0.4 b | -7.3 a |

¹The Percentage Change of Average Rent is a measure of the market movement, and is based on those structures that were common to the survey sample for both years.

3.1.6 Private Row (Townhouse) and Apartment Turnover Rates (%) by Zone and Bedroom Type Calgary CMA

| Zone | Bachelor | | 1 Bedroom | | 2 Bedroom | | 3 Bedroom + | | Total | |
|--------------------------|------------|-----------|------------|---------------|------------|---------------|-------------|---------------|------------|---------------|
| | Oct-15 | Oct-16 | Oct-15 | Oct-16 | Oct-15 | Oct-16 | Oct-15 | Oct-16 | Oct-15 | Oct-16 |
| Zone 1 - Downtown | n/a | ** | n/a | ** | n/a | ** | n/a | ** | n/a | ** |
| Zone 2 - Beltline | n/a | ** | n/a | 43.8 a | n/a | ** | n/a | ** | n/a | 43.7 a |
| Zone 3 - North Hill | n/a | ** | n/a | 20.6 a | n/a | 20.9 a | n/a | ** | n/a | 20.5 a |
| Zone 4 - Southwest | n/a | ** | n/a | 32.1 a | n/a | 35.1 a | n/a | ** | n/a | 32.9 a |
| Zone 5 - Southeast | n/a | ** | n/a | 50.4 a | n/a | 43.6 a | n/a | ** | n/a | 44.5 a |
| Zone 6 - Northwest | n/a | 26.9 d | n/a | 41.2 a | n/a | ** | n/a | ** | n/a | 38.1 a |
| Zone 7 - Northeast | n/a | ** | n/a | 34.5 a | n/a | 50.7 a | n/a | ** | n/a | 43.9 a |
| Zone 8 - Chinook | n/a | ** | n/a | 36.4 a | n/a | 31.3 a | n/a | ** | n/a | 34.3 a |
| Zone 9 - Fish Creek | n/a | ** | n/a | 47.5 a | n/a | 38.6 a | n/a | ** | n/a | 40.4 a |
| Calgary City (Zones 1-9) | n/a | ** | n/a | 40.8 a | n/a | 39.2 a | n/a | 33.6 a | n/a | 39.3 a |
| Zone 10 - Other Centres | n/a | ** | n/a | ** | n/a | 21.3 d | n/a | ** | n/a | 27.6 d |
| Calgary CMA | n/a | ** | n/a | 40.9 a | n/a | 38.4 a | n/a | 33.8 a | n/a | 39.1 a |

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4.1.1 Rental Condominium Apartments and Private Apartments in the RMS¹ Vacancy Rates (%) Calgary CMA - October 2016

| Condo Sub Area | Rental Condominium Apartments | | Apartments in the RMS ¹ | |
|--------------------|-------------------------------|----------------|------------------------------------|----------------|
| | Oct-15 | Oct-16 | Oct-15 | Oct-16 |
| Core | 6.9 c | 5.3 c - | 5.4 a | 6.8 a ↑ |
| West | 2.9 c | 2.7 b - | 4.7 a | 6.1 a ↑ |
| East | ** | 5.5 d | 6.9 b | 10.5 c ↑ |
| Calgary CMA | 4.9 c | 4.4 b - | 5.3 a | 7.0 a ↑ |

¹Apartments surveyed in the Rental Market Survey (RMS) include only those units in purpose built rental buildings with at least three rental units.

4.1.2 Rental Condominium Apartments and Private Apartments in the RMS¹ Average Rents (\$) by Bedroom Type Calgary CMA - October 2016

| Condo Sub Area | Bachelor | | 1 Bedroom | | 2 Bedroom | | 3 Bedroom + | |
|--------------------|--------------------|-------------------------------|--------------------|-------------------------------|--------------------|-------------------------------|--------------------|-------------------------------|
| | Rental Condo Apts. | Apts. in the RMS ¹ | Rental Condo Apts. | Apts. in the RMS ¹ | Rental Condo Apts. | Apts. in the RMS ¹ | Rental Condo Apts. | Apts. in the RMS ¹ |
| Core | ** | 867 a | 1,389 b | 1,042 a Δ | 1,731 b | 1,303 a Δ | ** | 1,776 d |
| West | ** | 825 a | 1,251 b | 1,058 a Δ | 1,447 a | 1,231 a Δ | 1,570 b | 1,225 a Δ |
| East | ** | 877 c | 1,142 b | 1,066 a Δ | 1,362 a | 1,230 a Δ | ** | 1,095 a |
| Calgary CMA | ** | 858 a | 1,320 b | 1,050 a Δ | 1,564 a | 1,258 a Δ | 1,757 d | 1,258 b Δ |

¹Apartments surveyed in the Rental Market Survey (RMS) include only those units in purpose built rental buildings with at least three rental units.

For an explanation of the letters and symbols used in the Rental Market tables, please refer to our [Methodology](#) page.

4.1.3 Rental Condominium Apartments - Average Rents (\$) by Bedroom Type Calgary CMA - October 2016

| Condo Sub Area | Bachelor | | 1 Bedroom | | 2 Bedroom | | 3 Bedroom + | | Total | |
|--------------------|--------------|----------|--------------|----------|--------------|------------|--------------|----------|--------------|------------|
| | Oct-15 | Oct-16 | Oct-15 | Oct-16 | Oct-15 | Oct-16 | Oct-15 | Oct-16 | Oct-15 | Oct-16 |
| Core | 1,038 | ** | 1,528 | b | 1,389 | b - | 1,848 | b | 1,731 | b - |
| West | ** | ** | 1,416 | c | 1,251 | b ↓ | 1,730 | b | 1,447 | a ↓ |
| East | ** | ** | 1,322 | b | 1,142 | b ↓ | 1,481 | a | 1,362 | a ↓ |
| Calgary CMA | 1,030 | c | 1,471 | b | 1,320 | b ↓ | 1,746 | a | 1,564 | a ↓ |

4.2.1 Rental Condominium Apartments and Private Apartments in the RMS¹ Total Vacancy Rates (%) By Building Size Calgary CMA - October 2016

| Size | Rental Condominium Apartments | | | | | Apartments in the RMS ¹ | | | | |
|----------------|-------------------------------|---|--------|---|---|------------------------------------|---|--------|---|---|
| | Oct-15 | | Oct-16 | | | Oct-15 | | Oct-16 | | |
| Calgary CMA | | | | | | | | | | |
| 3 to 24 Units | 4.5 | c | 8.8 | b | ↑ | 4.2 | b | 7.5 | a | ↑ |
| 25 to 49 Units | 3.7 | d | ** | | | 4.9 | a | 5.4 | a | - |
| 50 to 74 Units | 1.8 | c | 3.9 | d | ↑ | 6.4 | a | 6.7 | a | - |
| 75 to 99 Units | ** | | 3.9 | d | | 6.9 | a | 10.4 | c | ↑ |
| 100+ Units | 5.8 | d | ** | | | 6.1 | a | 7.1 | a | ↑ |
| Total | 4.9 | c | 4.4 | b | - | 5.3 | a | 7.0 | a | ↑ |

¹ Apartments surveyed in the Rental Market Survey (RMS) include only those units in purpose built rental buildings with at least three rental units.

For an explanation of the letters and symbols used in the Rental Market tables, please refer to our [Methodology](#) page.

4.3.1 Condominium Universe, Rental Units, Percentage of Units in Rental and Vacancy Rate Condominium Apartments Calgary CMA - October 2016

| Condo Sub Area | Condominium Universe | | Rental Units ¹ | | Percentage of Units in Rental | | | Vacancy Rate | | |
|--------------------|----------------------|---------------|---------------------------|-----------------|-------------------------------|---------------|---|--------------|--------------|---|
| | Oct-15 | Oct-16 | Oct-15 | Oct-16 | Oct-15 | Oct-16 | | Oct-15 | Oct-16 | |
| Core | 20,691 | 22,117 | 7,056 a | 7,423 a | 34.1 a | 33.6 a | - | 6.9 c | 5.3 c | - |
| West | 24,464 | 25,391 | 7,157 a | 7,388 a | 29.3 a | 29.1 a | - | 2.9 c | 2.7 b | - |
| East | 9,253 | 10,996 | 2,572 d | 3,269 d | 27.8 d | 29.7 d | - | ** | 5.5 d | |
| Calgary CMA | 54,408 | 58,504 | 16,810 a | 18,172 a | 30.9 a | 31.1 a | - | 4.9 c | 4.4 b | - |

¹Columns may not add in the estimated number of Rental Units due to a) rounding or b) variability due to sampling.

4.3.2 Condominium Universe, Rental Units, Percentage of Units in Rental and Vacancy Rate Condominium Apartments By Project Size Calgary CMA - October 2016

| Condo Sub Area | Condominium Universe | | Rental Units ¹ | | Percentage of Units in Rental | | | Vacancy Rate | | |
|--------------------|----------------------|---------------|---------------------------|-----------------|-------------------------------|---------------|---|--------------|--------------|---|
| | Oct-15 | Oct-16 | Oct-15 | Oct-16 | Oct-15 | Oct-16 | | Oct-15 | Oct-16 | |
| Calgary CMA | | | | | | | | | | |
| 3 to 24 Units | 4,242 | 4,387 | 1,450 a | 1,630 a | 34.2 a | 37.2 a | - | 4.5 c | 8.8 b | ↑ |
| 25 to 49 Units | 6,695 | 7,101 | 1,869 a | 2,128 d | 27.9 a | 30.0 d | - | 3.7 d | ** | |
| 50 to 74 Units | 5,157 | 5,129 | 1,254 d | 1,093 d | 24.3 d | 21.3 d | - | 1.8 c | 3.9 d | ↑ |
| 75 to 99 Units | 3,272 | 3,268 | ** | ** | ** | ** | | ** | 3.9 d | |
| 100+ Units | 35,042 | 38,619 | 11,222 a | 12,185 a | 32.0 a | 31.6 a | - | 5.8 d | ** | |
| Total | 54,408 | 58,504 | 16,810 a | 18,172 a | 30.9 a | 31.1 a | - | 4.9 c | 4.4 b | - |

¹Columns may not add in the estimated number of Rental Units due to a) rounding or b) variability due to sampling.

For an explanation of the letters and symbols used in the Rental Market tables, please refer to our [Methodology](#) page.

5.1 Other Secondary Rented Unit¹ Average Rents (\$) by Dwelling Type Calgary CMA - October 2016

| | Bachelor | | | | 1 Bedroom | | | | 2 Bedroom | | | | 3 Bedroom + | | | | Total | | | | | |
|----------------------------------|----------|--|--------|--|-----------|---|--------|---|-----------|-------|--------|-------|-------------|---|--------|---|--------|-------|--------|-------|---|---|
| | Oct-15 | | Oct-16 | | Oct-15 | | Oct-16 | | Oct-15 | | Oct-16 | | Oct-15 | | Oct-16 | | Oct-15 | | Oct-16 | | | |
| Calgary CMA | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Single Detached | ** | | ** | | ** | | ** | | ** | | ** | | 1,635 | b | 1,562 | b | - | 1,598 | b | 1,558 | c | - |
| Semi detached, Row and Duplex | ** | | ** | | ** | | ** | | 1,202 | b | ** | | 1,393 | b | 1,302 | c | - | 1,343 | b | 1,317 | c | - |
| Other-Primarily Accessory Suites | ** | | ** | | 788 | c | 789 | d | - | 1,025 | c | 1,022 | c | - | ** | | ** | ** | | 925 | c | |
| Total | ** | | ** | | ** | | ** | | 1,214 | c | ** | | 1,534 | b | 1,452 | b | - | 1,398 | b | 1,377 | b | - |

¹Statistics for secondary rented units exclude apartments in purpose built rental structures with three rental units or more, condominium apartments, units in institutions, and any dwelling whose type could not be identified in the survey.

5.2 Estimated Number of Households in Other Secondary Rented Units¹ by Dwelling Type Calgary CMA - October 2016

| | Estimated Number of Households in Other Secondary Rented Units ¹ | | | |
|----------------------------------|--|---|--------|-----|
| | Oct-15 | | Oct-16 | |
| Calgary CMA | | | | |
| Single Detached | 31,156 | c | 31,209 | c |
| Semi detached, Row and Duplex | 28,688 | d | 30,529 | c - |
| Other-Primarily Accessory Suites | ** | | ** | |
| Total | 68,045 | | 69,119 | |

¹Statistics for secondary rented units exclude apartments in purpose built rental structures with three rental units or more, condominium apartments, units in institutions, and any dwelling whose type could not be identified in the survey.

For an explanation of the letters and symbols used in the Rental Market tables, please refer to our [Methodology](#) page.

TECHNICAL NOTE:

Difference between Percentage Change of Average Rents (Existing and New Structures) AND Percentage Change of Average Rents from Fixed Sample (Existing Structures Only):

Percentage Change of Average Rents (New and Existing Structures): The increase/decrease obtained from the calculation of percentage change of average rents between two years (example: \$500 in the previous year vs. \$550 in current survey represents an increase of 10 percent) is impacted by changes in the composition of the rental universe (e.g. the inclusion of newly built luxury rental buildings in the survey, rental units renovated/upgraded or changing tenants could put upward pressure on average rents in comparison to the previous year) as well as by the rent level movement (e.g. increase/decrease in the level of rents that landlords charge their tenants).

Percentage Change of Average Rents from Fixed Sample (Existing Structures Only): This is a measure that estimates the rent level movement. The estimate is based on structures that were common to the survey sample for both the previous year and the current Rental Market Surveys. However, some composition effects still remain e.g. rental units renovated/upgraded or changing tenants because the survey does not collect data to such level of details.

METHODOLOGY FOR RENTAL MARKET SURVEY

Canada Mortgage and Housing Corporation (CMHC) conducts the **Rental Market Survey (RMS)** every year in October to estimate the relative strengths in the rental market. The survey is conducted on a sample basis in all urban areas with populations of 10,000 and more. The survey targets only privately initiated structures with at least three rental units, which have been on the market for at least three months. The survey collects market rent levels, availability, turnover and vacancy unit data for all sampled structures.

The survey is conducted by a combination of telephone interviews and site visits, and information is obtained from the owner, manager, or building superintendent. The survey is conducted during the first two weeks of October, and the results reflect market conditions at that time.

CMHC is constantly reviewing the Universe of rental structures in the rental market Universe to ensure that it is as complete as possible. Every year, any newly completed rental structures with at least 3 rental units are added to the Universe. In addition to this, CMHC undertakes comprehensive reviews by comparing the Universe listing to other sources of data to ensure that the list of structures is as complete as possible.

CMHC's Rental Market Survey provides a snapshot of vacancy, availability, and turnover rates and average rents in both new and existing structures. There also exists a measure for the change in rent that is calculated based on existing structures only. The estimate is based on structures that were common to the survey sample for both the previous and the current Rental Market Surveys. The change in rent in existing structures is an estimate of the change in rent that the landlords charge and removes compositional effects on the rent level movement due to new buildings, conversions, and survey sample rotation. The estimate of percent change in rent is available in all Canada and Provincial Highlights publications, and also in the CMA reports. The rent levels in new and existing structures are also published. While the percent change in rents in existing structures published in the reports are statistically significant, changes in rents that one might calculate based on rent levels in new and existing structures may or may not be statistically significant.

METHODOLOGY FOR SECONDARY RENTAL MARKET SURVEY

Canada Mortgage and Housing Corporation (CMHC) conducts a survey of the **Secondary Rental Market (SRMS)** in late summer and early fall to estimate the relative strengths in the secondary rental market which is defined as those dwellings not covered by the regular RMS – rented single-detached homes, semi-detached (double) homes, rented freehold row/townhomes, rented duplex apartments (i.e., one-above-other), rented accessory apartments (separate dwelling units that are located within the structure of another dwelling type), rented condominiums (can be any dwelling type but are primarily apartments), and one or two apartments which are part of a commercial or other type of structure.

The SRMS has two components which are conducted in selected CMAs:

- A Household Rent Survey of all households to collect information about rents in the following CMAs: Abbotsford-Mission, Barrie, Calgary, Edmonton, Halifax, Hamilton, Kelowna, Montréal, Ottawa, Québec, Regina, Saskatoon, St. Catharines-Niagara, St. John's, Toronto, Vancouver, Victoria, Windsor and Winnipeg.
- A Condominium Apartment Survey to collect vacancy and rent information in the following CMAs: Calgary, Edmonton, Gatineau, Halifax, Hamilton, Kelowna, Kitchener-Cambridge-Waterloo, London, Montréal, Ottawa, Québec, Regina, Saskatoon, Toronto, Vancouver, Victoria and Winnipeg.

Both these surveys are conducted by telephone interviews. For the Condominium Apartment Survey, information is obtained from the property management company or condominium (strata) board, or building superintendent and can be supplemented by site visits if no telephone contact is made. For the Household Rent Survey, information is collected from an adult living in the household. Both surveys are conducted in late summer and early fall, and the results reflect market conditions at that time.

CMHC publishes the number of units rented and vacancy rates from the Condominium Apartment Survey. For the Household Rent Survey, the average rent is published. A letter code representing the statistical reliability (i.e., the coefficient of variation (CV)) for each estimate is provided to indicate the data reliability.

Every year CMHC reviews the method of estimation for Household Rent Survey, which may result in some changes to previously published estimates. All statistics in this report are reflective of the new method of estimation.

RENTAL MARKET SURVEY (RMS) AND SECONDARY RENTAL MARKET SURVEY (SRMS) DATA RELIABILITY

CMHC does not publish an estimate (e.g. Vacancy Rates and Average Rents) if the reliability of the estimate is too low or the confidentiality rules are violated. The ability to publish an estimate is generally determined by its statistical reliability, which is measured using the coefficient of variation (CV). CV of an estimate is defined as the ratio of the standard deviation to the estimate and CV is generally expressed a percentage. For example, let the average rent for one bedroom apartments in a given CMA be \bar{x} and its standard deviation be $\sigma_{\bar{x}}$. Then the Coefficient of Variation is given by $CV = \frac{\sigma_{\bar{x}}}{\bar{x}}$.

Reliability Codes for Proportions

CMHC uses CV, sampling fraction and universe size to determine the ability to publish proportions such as vacancy rates, availability rates and turnover rates. The following letter codes are used to indicate the level of reliability of proportions:

a – Excellent

b – Very good

c – Good

d – Fair (Use with Caution)

** – Poor – Suppressed

++ – Change in rent is not statistically significant. This means that the change in rent is not statistically different than zero (0).

-- No units exist in the universe for this category

n/a – Not applicable

The following two tables indicate the level of reliability of proportions:

If the proportion is Zero (0) and sampling fraction is less than 100% then the following levels are assigned:

Sampling Fraction (%) range

| Structures in Universe | (0,20]* | (20,40] | (40,60] | (60,80] | (80,100) |
|------------------------|---------|---------|---------|-----------|-----------|
| 3 – 10 | Poor | Poor | Poor | Poor | Poor |
| 11 – 20 | Poor | Fair | Fair | Fair | Good |
| 21 – 40 | Poor | Fair | Fair | Good | Very Good |
| 41 – 80 | Poor | Fair | Good | Good | Very Good |
| 81+ | Poor | Good | Good | Very Good | Very Good |

*(0, 20] means sampling fraction is greater than 0% but less than or equal to 20%; others are similar.

Otherwise, the following table is used to determine the reliability level of proportions:

Coefficient of Variation (CV) %

| Vacancy Rate | 0 | (0,5] | (5,10] | (10,16.5] | (16.5,33.3] | (33.3,50] | 50+ |
|--------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-------------|-----------|---------|
| (0,0.75] | Excellent | Excellent | Excellent | Excellent | Excellent | V. Good | V. Good |
| (0.75,1.5] | Excellent | Excellent | Excellent | Excellent | Excellent | Fair | Poor |
| (1.5,3] | Excellent | Excellent | Excellent | V. Good | Good | Poor | Poor |
| (3,6] | Excellent | Excellent | V. Good | Good | Fair | Poor | Poor |
| (6,10] | Excellent | Excellent | V. Good | Good | Poor | Poor | Poor |
| (10,15] | Excellent | Excellent | Good | Fair | Poor | Poor | Poor |
| (15,30] | Excellent | Excellent | Fair | Poor | Poor | Poor | Poor |
| (30,100] | Excellent | Excellent | Poor | Poor | Poor | Poor | Poor |

Reliability Codes for Averages and Totals

CMHC uses the CV to determine the reliability level of the estimates of average rents and a CV cut-off of 10% for publication of totals and averages. It is felt that this level of reliability best balances the need for high quality data and not publishing unreliable data. CMHC assigns a level of reliability as follows (CV's are given in percentages):

- a – If the CV is greater than 0 and less than or equal to 2.5 then the level of reliability is **Excellent**.
- b – If the CV is greater than 2.5 and less than or equal to 5 then the level of reliability is **Very Good**.
- c – If the CV is greater than 5 and less than or equal to 7.5 then the level of reliability is **Good**.
- d – If the CV is greater than 7.5 and less than or equal to 10 then the level of reliability is **Fair**.
- ** – If the CV is greater than 10 then the level of reliability is **Poor**. (Do Not Publish)

Arrows indicate Statistically Significant Changes

Use caution when comparing statistics from one year to the next. Even if there is a year over year change, it is not necessarily a statistically significant change. When applicable, tables in this report include indicators to help interpret changes:

- ↑ indicates the year-over-year change is a statistically significant increase.
- ↓ indicates the year-over-year change is a statistically significant decrease.
- indicates that the effective sample does not allow one to interpret any year-over-year change as being statistically significant.
- △ indicates that the change is statistically significant

DEFINITIONS

Availability: A rental unit is considered available if the existing tenant has given, or has received, notice to move, and a new tenant has not signed a lease; or the unit is vacant (see definition of vacancy below).

Rent: The rent refers to the actual amount tenants pay for their unit. No adjustments are made for the inclusion or exclusion of amenities and services such as heat, hydro, parking, and hot water. For available and vacant units, the rent is the amount the owner is asking for the unit.

It should be noted that the average rents reported in this publication provide a sound indication of the amounts paid by unit size and geographical sector. Utilities such as heating, electricity and hot water may or may not be included in the rent.

Rental Apartment Structure: Any building containing three or more rental units, of which at least one unit is not ground oriented. Owner-occupied units are not included in the rental building unit count.

Rental Row (Townhouse) Structure: Any building containing three or more rental units, all of which are ground oriented with vertical divisions. Owner-occupied units are not included in the rental building unit count. These row units in some centres are commonly referred to as townhouses.

Vacancy: A unit is considered vacant if, at the time of the survey, it is physically unoccupied and available for immediate rental.

Turnover: A unit is counted as being turned over if it was occupied by a new tenant moved in during the past 12 months. A unit can be counted as being turned over more than once in a 12 month period.

Definitions of Census Areas referred to in this publication are as follows:

A census metropolitan area (CMA) or a census agglomeration (CA) is formed by one or more adjacent municipalities centred on a large urban area (known as the urban core). The census population count of the urban core is at least 10,000 to form a census agglomeration and at least 100,000 to form a census metropolitan area. To be included in the CMA or CA, other adjacent municipalities must have a high degree of integration with the central urban area, as measured by commuting flows derived from census place of work data. CMAs and CAs contain whole municipalities or Census Subdivisions.

Data presented is based on Statistics Canada's 2011 Census area definitions.

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