MARKET SURVEY ST. JOHN'S NL OFFICES & WAREHOUSES JUNE 2022



Survey Scope: 86 office & 114 warehouse buildings 3,916,801 ft.² of rental office space 2,909,194 ft.² of rental warehouse space expert researchers



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JUNE 2022 MARKET SURVEY ST. JOHN'S NL OFFICES

Year at a Glance				
	2021	2022	Change	
Office Inventory (ft. ²)	3,938,552	3,916,801	1 21,751	
Net Absorption (ft. ²)	(112,116)	(17,891)	1 94,225	
Vacancy Rate	23.33%	23.37%	1 0.04 pp	
Avg. Net Rent/ft. ²	\$18.27	\$18.34	1 0.38%	
Avg. RTCAM/ft. ²	\$10.32	\$10.05	- 2.62%	
Avg. Gross Rent/ft. ²	\$28.53	\$28.48	. - 0.18%	

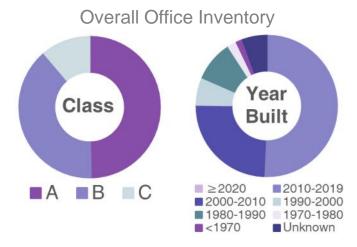
Supply & Demand Overview

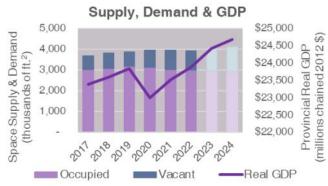
The total amount of rentable office space in St. John's decreased 0.55% over last year. The overall vacancy rate increased from 23.33% in 2021 to 23.37% in 2022. The key driver of space demand is the growth in the provincial real (deflated) Gross Domestic Product. Our analysis of GDP projections indicates that 2022 will see GDP increase 1.56%. However, the rental office market in St. John's is expected to experience continued declining demand in the year ahead, as the projected growth favours other sectors. With a forecast 2% decrease in office space demand, the vacancy rate is expected to increase to 27.13%.

Our survey measured vacancy and rental rates by class of building. Class A buildings command the highest rents in their community and have distinctive design and lobbies. Class B buildings offer "no frills" modern, air conditioned space. Class C buildings make up the remainder of the office rental market. The current vacancy rates by class are: Class A 30.44%; Class B 16.82%; Class C 14.84%; Overall 23.37%.

The vacancy rate and net rental rate are inversely correlated: empirical data indicates that generally a falling vacancy rate portends a rising net rental rate, while a rising vacancy rate indicates that net rental rate increases will moderate or even fall. Current average net absolute rental rates per square foot are: Class A \$22.96; Class B \$16.92; Class C \$16.26; Overall \$18.34.

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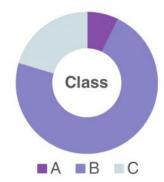


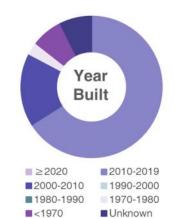




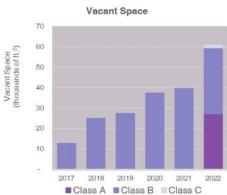
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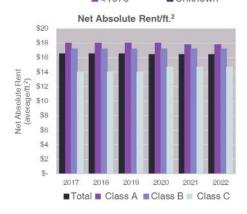
Year at a Glance				
	2021	2022	Change	
Office Inventory (ft.2)	375,255	373,260	1,995	
Net Absorption (ft. ²)	(2,200)	(23,356)	1 (21,156)	
Vacancy Rate	10.56%	16.34%	1 5.78	
Avg. Net Rent/ft. ²	\$16.42	\$16.42		
Avg. RTCAM/ft. ²	\$10.11	\$10.06	-0.49%	
Avg. Gross Rent/ft. ²	\$27.16	\$27.10	-0.22%	



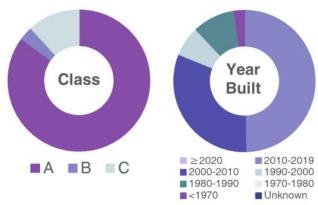




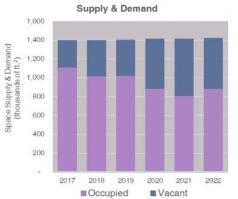




DOWNTOWN ST. JOHN'S NL



Year at a Glance				
	2021	2022	Change	
Office Inventory (ft. ²)	1,409,232	1,420,004	10,772	
Net Absorption (ft. ²)	(74,054)	74,310	148,364	
Vacancy Rate	42.44%	37.64%	■ 4.80 pp	
Avg. Net Rent/ft. ²	\$21.32	\$20.95	1.74%	
Avg. RTCAM/ft. ²	\$11.34	\$10.49	J 7.50%	
Avg. Gross Rent/ft. ²	\$33.50	\$32.70	1 2.39%	

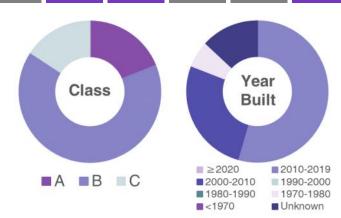






NORTH ST. JOHN'S NL

Year at a Glance				
	2021	2022	Change	
Office Inventory (ft. ²)	741,298	721,401	1 (19,897)	
Net Absorption (ft. ²)	(23,206)	(18,880)	1 4,236	
Vacancy Rate	15.91%	16.20%	1 0.29%	
Avg. Net Rent/ft. ²	\$17.87	\$17.78	-0.50%	
Avg. RTCAM/ft. ²	\$10.45	\$ 9.90	-5.26%	
Avg. Gross Rent/ft. ²	\$28.16	\$27.96	-0.71%	

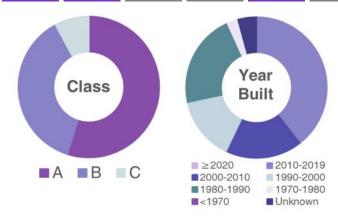








EAST & WEST ST. JOHN'S NL



Year at a Glance				
	2021	2022	Change	
Office Inventory (ft. ²)	1,058,332	1,047,701	1 (10,631)	
Net Absorption (ft. ²)	(6,324)	(26,344)	1 (20,020)	
Vacancy Rate	12.60%	14.23%	1.63 pp	
Avg. Net Rent/ft. ²	\$18.77	\$19.41	1 3.41%	
Avg. RTCAM/ft. ²	\$10.86	\$10.99	1.20%	
Avg. Gross Rent/ft. ²	\$29.24	\$30.16	1 3.15%	



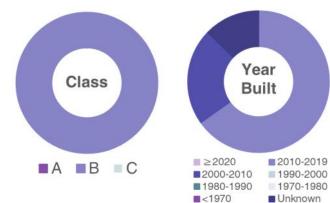


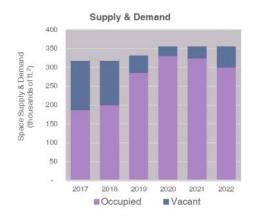


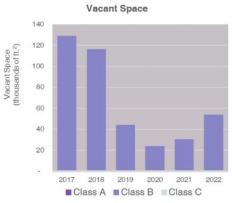
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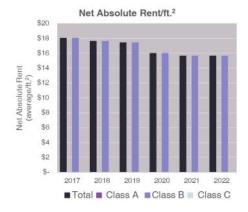
MOUNT PEARL/PARADISE

Year at a Glance				
	2021	2022	Change	
Office Inventory (ft. ²)	354,435	354,435		
Net Absorption (ft. ²)	(6,332)	(23,621)	1 (17,289)	
Vacancy Rate	8.49%	15.16%	1 6.66 pp	
Avg. Net Rent/ft. ²	\$15.59	\$15.59		
Avg. RTCAM/ft. ²	\$ 5.84	\$ 6.25	1 7.02%	
Avg. Gross Rent/ft. ²	\$21.63	\$21.50	-0.60%	









JUNE 2022 MARKET SURVEY ST. JOHN'S WAREHOUSES

Year at a Glance				
Warehouse	2021	2022	C	hange
Inventory (ft. ²)	2,840,744	2,909,194	1	68,450
Net Absorption (ft. ²)	28,218	166,012	1	137,794
Vacancy Rate	13.64%	9.96%	1	3.67 pp
Avg. Net Rent/ft. ²	\$11.73	\$11.90	1	1.45%
Avg. RTCAM/ft. ²	\$ 3.38	\$ 3.68	1	8.88%
Avg. Gross Rent/ft. ²	\$15.50	\$15.90	1	2.58%

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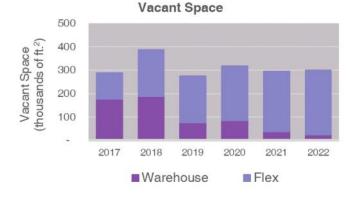
The total amount of rentable warehouse space in Greater St. John's increased 2.41% over last year. The overall vacancy rate decreased from 13.64% in 2021 to 9.96% in 2022. The key driver of space demand is the growth in the provincial real (deflated) Gross Domestic Product. Our analysis of GDP projections indicates that 2022 will see GDP growth of 1.56%; demand for rental warehouse space, strong throughout the pandemic, is expected to rise, with an overall increase in demand of 1.13%. The vacancy rate is expected to fall to 8.94%.

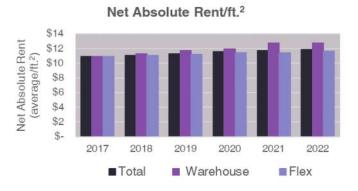
Our survey measured the vacancy rate by geographic node. The current vacancy rate in each of the following locations is: St. John's North 8.53%; Central and Downtown 0%; St. John's East 21.1%; St. John's West 0%; Mount Pearl/ Paradise 9.94%; Overall 9.96%.

Our survey also measured rental rates. Industrial properties in St. John's saw the overall net absolute rent per square foot increase by 1.45% year over year, to \$11.90 in 2022. The average overall net rental rates per square foot in each of the following locations are: St. John's North \$12.96; Central and Downtown \$11.50; St. John's East \$13.92; St. John's West \$10.50; Mount Pearl/Paradise \$11.28; Overall \$11.90.

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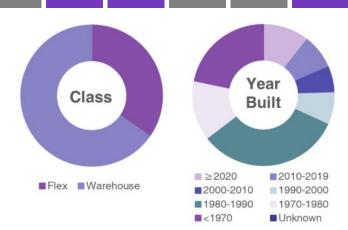




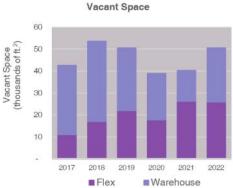


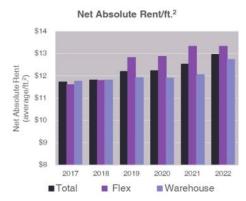
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Year at a Glance				
	2021	2022	Change	
Inventory (ft. ²)	592,721	592,721		
Net Absorption (ft. ²)	46,004	(10,136)	(56,140)	
Vacancy Rate	6.82%	8.53%	1.71 pp	
Avg. Net Rent/ft. ²	\$12.53	\$12.96	1 3.43%	
Avg. RTCAM/ft. ²	\$ 4.81	\$ 4.89	1.66%	
Avg. Gross Rent/ft. ²	\$17.67	\$18.02	1.98%	

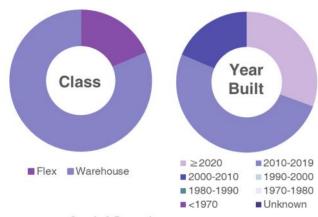






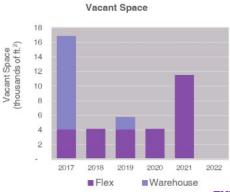


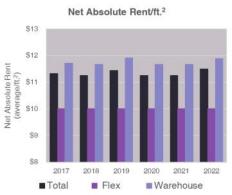
CENTRAL & DOWNTOWN



Year at a Glance				
	2021	2022	C	hange
Inventory (ft. ²)	133,396	163,396	1	30,000
Net Absorption (ft. ²)	(7,400)	41,500	1	48,900
Vacancy Rate	8.62%	0.00%	1	8.62 pp
Avg. Net Rent/ft. ²	\$11.25	\$11.50	1	2.22%
Avg. RTCAM/ft. ²	\$ 4.35	\$ 4.10	1	- 5.75%
Avg. Gross Rent/ft. ²	\$15.60	\$15.60	\rightleftharpoons	





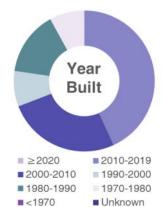


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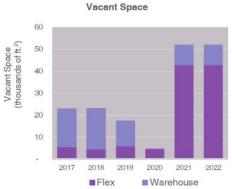
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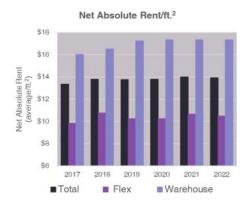
Year at a Glance			
	2021	2022	Change
Inventory (ft. ²)	245,717	245,717	
Net Absorption (ft. ²)	(47,284)		1 47,284
Vacancy Rate	21.10%	21.10%	(+)
Avg. Net Rent/ft. ²	\$14.00	\$13.92	- 0.57%
Avg. RTCAM/ft. ²	\$ 5.28	\$ 5.37	1.70%
Avg. Gross Rent/ft. ²	\$19.78	\$19.71	- 0.35%



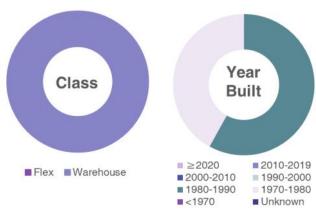






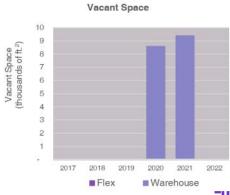


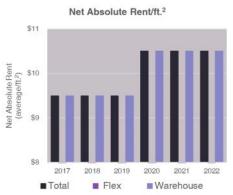
WEST ST. JOHN'S NL



Year at a Glance				
	2021	2022	Change	
Inventory (ft. ²)	22,400	22,400		
Net Absorption (ft. ²)	(800)	9,400	10,200	
Vacancy Rate	41.96%	0.00%	■ 41.96 pp	
Avg. Net Rent/ft. ²	\$10.50	\$10.50		
Avg. RTCAM/ft. ²	\$ 2.46	\$ 2.48	1 0.81%	
Avg. Gross Rent/ft. ²	\$13.75	\$13.75		







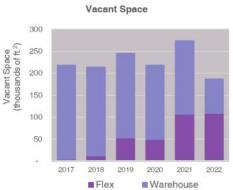
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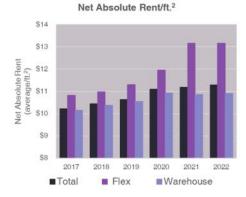
MOUNT PEARL/ PARADISE

Year at a Glance				
	2021	2022	Change	
Inventory (ft. ²)	1,846,510	1,884,960	1 38,450	
Net Absorption (ft. ²)	37,698	125,248	1 87,550	
Vacancy Rate	14.85%	9.94%	■ 4.91 pp	
Avg. Net Rent/ft. ²	\$11.19	\$11.28	1 0.80%	
Avg. RTCAM/ft. ²	\$ 2.56	\$ 3.01	17.58%	
Avg. Gross Rent/ft. ²	\$14.07	\$14.62	1 3.91%	









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Inventory/Supply: The total rentable area of office space in the rental market, occupied or vacant.

Vacancy Rate - The vacancy rate excludes any space available for sub-lease: it is the total amount of space which is vacant and not currently leased.

Absorption - This is the amount of additional space absorbed by the market during that period. It is the incremental market demand.

Building Class:

Office Class - This is the industry definition common to this particular marketplace.

Class A - These office buildings command the highest rents, have "presence" by virtue of their distinctive design and lobbies, are air-conditioned and sprinklered. They are regarded as "prestige" buildings in their marketplace and are usually the most modern buildings. They typically include the leading firms of lawyers and accountants, together with regional or head offices for banks, financial institutions and other major companies, as their tenants.

Class B - These are "second tier" office buildings in terms of rents. They are usually older than Class A buildings and lack "presence". They are air conditioned and are usually sprinklered. They are regarded as offering modern, but not "prestige" office accommodation in their marketplace. Typically they were built over 20 years ago. Tenants usually include second tier firms of lawyers and accountants, together with a wide selection of private sector companies, provincial and local government agencies.

Class C - These include all office buildings not classed as "A" or "B".

Class W - Distribution warehouse.

Class F - Flex space. This type of space may be used for retail or office use as an alternative to pure warehousing and is typically located at the entrance to a business park in an area with high traffic exposure.

Income & Expense Data:

Net Absolute Rent - This is often referred to as "AAA" or "Base" rent and does not include Realty or Business Occupancy Taxes, Common Area Maintenance (CAM), or any other services such as Electricity, Cleaning or Heating.

Current Realty Taxes - These are the Realty Taxes (not the Business Occupancy Taxes) currently paid by the Landlord and which are recovered from the Tenant usually as part of the Service Rent.

Current CAM - This is the additional amount recovered by the Landlord from the Tenant to cover the operating and maintenance costs of the building including the tenant suites. Common Area Maintenance (CAM) typically includes fire insurance, repairs and maintenance, cleaning (common areas plus often the tenant suites), electricity (common areas plus often the tenant suites), heating and air conditioning (common areas plus often the tenant suites), water, garbage removal, snow clearing, elevator maintenance, management, security, etc. It, together with the Realty Taxes, is recovered by the Landlord from the Tenant as "Service Rent", if the Tenant has a "net absolute" lease.

Total Realty Taxes + CAM (RTCAM) - This is the total of the Realty Taxes and CAM, and is often recovered from the tenant as "Service Rent".

Total Gross Rent - This is the total rent recovered from the Tenant by the Landlord and is the total of the Base (Net Absolute Rent) plus the Service Rent (Realty Taxes + CAM).

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