

NHL ticket revenue

Nearly one-third of the NHL's ticket revenue comes from the six Canadian teams:

Ticket revenue per game (U.S.)			
	'06-'07	'07-'08	% change
Toronto	\$1.5 m	\$1.9 m	26.7
Montreal	1.3 m	1.7 m	30.8
Vancouver	1.1 m	1.4 m	27.2
Calgary	1 m	1.3 m	30
N.Y. Rangers	1.1 m	1.3 m	18.2
Ottawa	950,000	1.2 m	26.3
Edmonton	1 m	1.2 m	20
Minnesota	1 m	1.1 m	10
Colorado	1.05 m	1 m	-4.8
Detroit	1.1 m	1 m	-10
Philadelphia	1 m	1 m	0
Dallas	1 m	950,000	-0.5
San Jose	850,000	950,000	11.8
Anaheim	800,000	900,000	12.5
New Jersey	600,000	850,000	41.6
Columbus	850,000	800,000	-5.9
Pittsburgh	600,000	800,000	33.3
Tampa Bay	800,000	800,000	0
Boston	800,000	800,000	0
Buffalo	650,000	750,000	15.4
Carolina	700,000	700,000	0
Los Angeles	700,000	650,000	-7.1
St. Louis	450,000	600,000	33.3
Nashville	550,000	600,000	9
Washington	500,000	550,000	10
Atlanta	500,000	550,000	10
N.Y. Islanders	500,000	550,000	10
Chicago	350,000	500,000	42.8
Florida	500,000	500,000	0
Phoenix	550,000	450,000	-18.2
	\$24.8 m	\$27.3 m	9.9%

The Stars had just 12,500 season ticket holders, down from 16,500 in 2000-01. The Stars generated some \$2 million in additional revenue from each of their nine playoff home games. The team has announced it will lower prices next season for most upper-bowl tickets.

The Sharks have announced they will raise ticket prices next season by 7 or 8 per cent. The team has said it lost \$5M in each of the past two seasons.

The Devils played their first season this year in the new Prudential Center in Newark.

Capitals owner Ted Leonsis said during the playoffs his team has already sold 2,500 new season tickets for next season.