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### Yarmouth Harbor – Detailed Port Information

Most measurements in this document are Metric.

NOTE: 1 meter = 3.28 feet, 1 Tonne = 2,204.6 lb.

**All prices are in Canadian Funds and are subject to change!**  
**All information is subject to change without notice. This info has been gathered as a courtesy for prospective visitors and all facts should be confirmed by phone or letter.**

**Yarmouth Harbor** is located roughly 300 km (190 mi.) south-west of Halifax, VIA limited access highways: Routes 101 or 103, at the entrance of the Bay of Fundy. It is open to navigation year round.

**See Canadian Hydrographic Service chart #4245.**

The dredged channel of Yarmouth Harbor begins in the outer reaches at a width of 180m, (590') narrowing to a minimum width of 100m (308') at "Bug Light" and continuing (past tanker terminal) for 2500 m (1.55 statute miles) to the Port of Yarmouth's "Old Public Wharf". Depth is maintained at approximately 6.6m L.W.O.S.T. with some variance at times due to siltation.

Turning Basin: 335 x 250 meters

The public wharves (fully lit at night) are located on either side of the ferry terminal on the starboard side of the harbor for incoming vessels. A customs office is located at the International Ferry Terminal as well as in the federal (Post Office) building at 15 Willow St., only 3 blocks from the "Old Public Wharf."

**Vessels arriving from foreign ports must phone customs on arrival: 1-888-226-7277 (1-888-CANPASS)**

**Yarmouth office: 902-742-0880**

**Regional Office in Halifax: 902-426-2071**

The southwestern Port of Yarmouth Warf at **Latitude 43° 49.9' N, Longitude 66° 7.5' W** is nearest the mouth of the harbor. It is called the "Lobster Rock Marine Terminal" with an outer berth of 152.4 m (500'), and western and eastern inner berths of 109m and 31m respectively. Minimum depths close alongside are 5.8m to 6.4m at L.L.W. There is a float & stairway in place inside the northeastern end of the wharf, suitable only for small vessels.

Shore power available: 110,220VAC, 60Hz/1Ph. 30 & 50A & 208VAC/3Ph. 50A

The L shaped inner (northeastern) wharf is just beyond the ferry terminal on arrival at **Latitude 43° 50.1' N, Longitude 66° 7.4' W**. It is known as the "Old Public Wharf" and has an outer berth of 121.0m (397'). Parking, public telephones and an **ice plant** are located on the 35m wide stem. Minimum depths close alongside the outer berth are 5.1m to 5.8m at L.L.W. Minimum depth on the inside face is 2.1m at L.L.W. Shore power available: 110,220VAC, 60Hz/1Ph. 30A & 208VAC/3Ph. 50A

The 106.7m Marginal wharf, at waters' edge, inside the "L" of the "Old Public Wharf" has only from 1.2m to 1.9m of water at L.L.W. and as such is only suitable for deep keeled vessels over 12m as a temporary berth at half tide or more. Shore Power 120 VAC, 60 Hz.

**Warves** - in order of position for incoming vessels. (All on starboard side of harbor)

PRIVATE	Irving Oil Tanker Terminal	Company Vessels Only
<b>PORT of YARMOUTH</b>	<b>Lobster Rock Marine Terminal</b>	<b>152.4 meters - Min. Depth approx. 5.8m</b>
PRIVATE	International Ferry Terminal	120 meters – Min. Depth approx. 6.7m
<b>PORT of YARMOUTH</b>	<b>Old Public Wharf</b>	<b>121 meters – Min. Depth approx. 5.1m</b>
PRIVATE	Killam's Wharf (Town Marina)	Small Pleasure craft only.
PRIVATE	Parker Eakin's Wharf / Marina	Small Pleasure craft only.
PRIVATE	Yarmouth Sea Products Ltd.	275 meters – Min. Depth 3/4.5m

PRIVATE

Scotia Gardens Seafood Inc.

100 meters – Min. Depth 3/4.5m

**Lighting** – All above wharves are lit at night.

**CONTACT PERSON FOR PORT OF YARMOUTH WARVES: Harbor Master: G. Atkinson (see below)**

**Tidal ranges:** (All figures refer to chart datum.)

Greatest difference between any consecutive high and low tides: 5.1 meters

Smallest difference between any consecutive high and low tides: 2.2 meters

Smallest High Tide 3.7 meters

Highest High Tide 5.0 meters

Lowest Low Tide -0.1 meters

**Anchorage / mooring:**

For vessels larger than 150', there are no available anchorages in the harbor. (There is currently one mooring owned by the town. All others are privately owned.) For info on that mooring phone Mr. Loran Cushing at 902-742-3171 (08:00-12:00 & 13:00-16:00) weekdays.

(Town of Yarmouth, Dept. of Leisure Services) Mooring Rate: \$5.00 per day. 1<sup>st</sup> day free.

Canadian vessels are subject to 15% Sales Tax on all goods and services. No reservations - 1<sup>st</sup> come 1<sup>st</sup> served.

**Small Vessel Marinas:**

Killam's Wharf:

The Town of Yarmouth maintains a small marina at the Killam Wharf with floating berths for small (Approx. 10m) pleasure vessels. Rates: 1<sup>st</sup> day free. 50¢ per foot on subsequent days.

Power: 120V/60 Hz.AC - \$5.00 / day. These berths may be used by any vessel no more than 7 days in any 3 month period. No reservations - 1<sup>st</sup> come 1<sup>st</sup> served.

Parker Eakins Wharf / Marina: (Behind Rudder's Seafood Restaurant) Cap. 15 - 20 vessels.

Rates: \$20/day for vessels up to 30'; 30' - 40' = \$40/da.; 40' - 60' = \$60/da.

Water free. 120VAC Power \$5.00 per day. 15% sales tax.

Contact Persons: Laura Muise, 902-742-7050 or duty supervisor at Rudder's Seafood Restaurant, 902-742-7311, open 11AM - Midnight, daily. Fees to be paid there also.

**Harbor Dues:** Canadian: \$0.0249 / Gross Registered Tonne

Foreign: \$0.0503 / Gross Registered Tonne

Dues are charged per entry into this harbor up to 5 times in any month. NIL after that.

Fees are payable to the Government of Canada.

(Not charged for small private pleasure vessels.)

**Port of Yarmouth Facilities:**

**All facilities are available on a first come, first served basis, however, a reasonable effort will be made to provide requested space to vessels which contact the Harbor Master to reserve space for a guaranteed arrival time. (Depending on traffic volumes, there may be a charge for providing space reservations for vessels over 14 meters.)**

**Vessels must comply with instructions from Harbor Master regarding location and available berthing time at Port of Yarmouth facilities.**

**All daily charges are "per day or any part thereof" and calculated from Midnight to Midnight. Berthage & Shore Power fees for all foreign vessels must be guaranteed by valid credit card provided to Harbor Master on arrival.**

**All charges (to Canadian Vessels only) are subject to a 15% Harmonized Sales Tax.**

**Port of Yarmouth Small Vessel Haul-Out and Launching facilities:** Located in the sheltered basin between Lobster Rock Marine Terminal and the International Ferry Terminal. Use of the Haul-Out facility is restricted to vessels not more than 45 feet in length or 45 Gross Tonnes. Launching Ramp is available

for any trailer borne vessel which is highway legal.

Fee for Haul-Out use is \$25.00 / day payable to the Port of Yarmouth.

**Berthage at Port of Yarmouth Wharves** (*not including town owned & privately owned marinas*):

Foreign Pleasure Craft:	\$3.00 / meter / day
Canadian Fishing Vessels	\$0.43 / meter /day
Commercial Vessels:	\$1.53 / meter /day
Minimum Charge / invoice:	\$20.03

NOTE: Passenger vessels over 100 tonnes with more than 12 passengers must make advance arrangements and charges will depend on security and services required.

60 Hz.A/C Shore Power Available in 110V/15A, 220V/30A, 220V/50A (Single Phase), 208V/50Aconnections. (3 Phase)

**Electricity Rates:** \$6.25 per day for each 208/240V, 30A or 50A connection.  
\$3.13 per day for each 110V, 15 or 30A connection.

**Pilotage** - Optional but recommended for ships with masters unfamiliar with the harbor.  
Harbor Pilot: Gary Cunningham, 902-742-9580 (Home), 902-749-6482 (Cell. Phone)

**Tug** - Available through the harbor pilot. (see above)

Also, at times, especially winter, available from Beaver Marine Ltd. of Halifax (Dartmouth), NS which often has tugs stationed here.

Head office:	902-425-5356
Yarmouth-Based Tug Captain:	Cecil Watkins
Cellular:	902-749-6039
Home:	902-742-9872

**Tendering** – Tendering for goods and personnel available through the harbor pilot (see above). Not equipped for large numbers of passengers.

**Stevedoring & Refrigerated Storage:**

Scotia Garden Seafood Inc. 902-742-2411

**No Passenger charges.**

**No marine service fees.**

**Ship's Chandlery (Grocery Orders Delivered Dockside)**

"Needs" (Contact: Mike Arsenault)	902-742-9169
After Hours: (Mike Arsenault)	902-742-0097

**Bunkering:**

By tanker truck.

(Min 24 hours advance notice required, business days only, except in emergencies.)

Contact: Marine Field Sales, Irving Oil Ltd.

Switchboard:	506-632-2000
Direct Line:	506-632-5976
Fax:	506-632-4439
E-mail:	ccraft@irvingoil.ca

**Diesel Fuel:**

Gateway Fuels:

Office: 902-742-4976,  
After hours: 902-742-2793  
Fax: 902-742-3575.

Hubbard West Nova Fuels: 902-742-5450, 902-742-2739

Irving Oil: 902-310-1924

**Water:**

At the public wharves, water is available from the Yarmouth water dept. (Phone 902-742-7525, 24 hr./day) \$5 per 1000 Imp. Gal. (1200 U.S. Gal.) with minimum charge of \$25.00. Extra call-out charge of \$16.85 / hr., (Minimum: \$50.55) for service outside 8AM to 4PM, weekdays.)

**No tax on bulk water.**

Town Water Flow Capacity – 800 Imp. Gal / minute.

*Note: Yarmouth town water is biologically and chemically safe but often has a mildly unpleasant taste.*

*Spring water is available by tank truck from:*

Paul's Water Service, 24 hrs: 902-762-2785

Cel: 902-648-7825

2500 Imp. gal. load (3002 US gal.) = \$120. Partial loads may be less.

Clare Water 902-769-7778 -1250 Imp. Gal. load (1501 U.S. gal.) = \$150. 24 hr. service.

**Open &/or Enclosed Gangways:**

At International ferry terminal only.

(Not normally available to transient vessels. Contact Bay Ferries 902-742-6803)

**Divers:**

Boyd MacGillivray: 902-742-5557

Marcel LeBlanc (Res.): 902-663-2010

(Cell.): 902-749-7600

**Dockside Repairs for Metal Hulled Vessels:**

Haskel Steel Ltd. Contact: R. H. Pothier (Office): 902-742-7891

R. H. Pothier (Res.): 902-742-5230

Waterview Machine Works: 902-742-3320

West Nova Marine Ltd.: 902-742-1901

**Dockside Repairs for Wood & Fibreglass Vessels:**

Robert Fraser: 902-742-0400

**Marine Diesel Repair:**

Detroit - Volvo Penta – Nordic Marine Power: 902-742-6005

Caterpillar - Atlantic Tractors &amp; Equipment Ltd.: 902-742-7673

Ford - West Nova Marine: 902-742-8595

**Air Conditioning/Refrigeration Repair:**

George P. King Contracting Ltd.: 902-742-5874 (Res: 742-2187)

**Marine Electronics Repair:**

Canadian Marconi Co.: 902-742-3423  
Atlantic Electronics Ltd.: 902-742-2200  
Fundy Marine Electronics & Communications: 902-742-6400  
M I T Electronics Inc.: 902-742-5555

**Marine Equipment & Supplies:**

IMP Group Ltd.: 902-742-9283

**Marine Charts & Publications:**

R. H. Davis & Co. Ltd., 361 Main St.: 902-742-3557 Extension # 3

**Crane Rental:**

Yarmouth Crane Rentals (Up to 40 ton cap.): 902-749-1065

**ALL EMERGENCIES, AMBULANCE, POLICE, FIRE:  
PHONE 911 from any phone, including foreign cell phones.**

**Police**

Royal Canadian Mounted Police:  
24 hour service: 902-742-1323  
Town Detachment: 902-742-8777  
Rural Detachment: 902-742-9106  
Drug Section: 902-742-6565  
Yarmouth Subdivision: 902-742-9289

**Medical**

Western Regional Health Center: 902-742-3541

**Security**

Mackenzie Security: 902-742-8405  
Bourque Security: 902-648-7846

**Garbage Disposal – Domestic and/or International:**

Bill Duffus Remove-All Ltd.  
Office: 902-742-2512  
Fax: 902-742-7707  
Mgr's Cell. Phone: 902-749-6088  
Mgr's Residence: 902-742-0917

**Note:** Bill Duffus Remove-All Ltd. is equipped to deal with oily waste. (Filters/Rags etc.)  
Visiting vessels can dispose used of crankcase oil at the Marginal Wharf waste oil storage facility; there will be a modest charge for amounts greater than 5 gal.

**Dry Cleaning:**

C P H Dry Cleaners 600 Main St.: 902-742-2297

**Recycling – H & H Recovery Ltd.**

Refundable Containers: 902-742-9747 Substantial quantities of recyclables may  
be picked up at the Old Public Wharf.  
Clean Recyclables: 902-742-3494  
Head Office: 902-742-3490

**Compass Adjustment**

Jean Ellie Boudreau: 902-663-4333

**Transportation**

Taxis are available at: 902-742-8444  
902-749-8444  
902-742-7801  
902-742-7511  
902-742-4135  
902-742-8787  
902-742-2833

**Car Rentals**

AVIS Car & Truck Rental: 902-742-3323  
Budget Rent A Car: 902-742-9500  
Enterprise: 902-742-5559  
Hertz: 902-742-9573

**H/M Harbor Master and  
Port of Yarmouth Wharfinger**

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687 Main Street  
Yarmouth, N. S. B5A 1K7  
Home/Office: 902-742-4289  
Cell: 902-740-4191  
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Fax: 902-742-3107  
Email: [gb97@eastlink.ca](mailto:gb97@eastlink.ca)