

Private media ownership in Canada in 2011

THE CABLE+ GUYS

BCE Inc. (CTV)
 BCE
 ~ **TV** - Conventional: CTV, A-Channel
 - Specialty: 30 channels (eg. TSN, MuchMusic, Bravo, CP24, Comedy).
 ~ **Newspaper**: 15% owner of Globe and Mail
 ~ **Satellite**: Bell ExpressVu
 ~ **Radio**: 34 stations
 ~ **Internet, phone and wireless service**

Shaw Communications
 Shaw Family
 ~ **TV** - Conventional: Global network
 Specialty: 20 channels (eg. HGTV, Showcase, Slice, History)
 ~ **Cable**: biggest cable system in Western Canada
 ~ **Satellite**: Shaw Direct
 ~ **Internet and phone service**

Quebecor
 Péladeau Family
 ~ **Newspapers**: 38 dailies, inc. Sun chain and Ontario's Osprey chain; 3 free dailies (24 hours); 86 weeklies and 15 magazines
 ~ **TV** - Conventional: TVA, Sun TV
 - Specialty: 9 channels
 ~ **Cable**: Videotron
 ~ **Internet and wireless service**

Rogers Communications
 Rogers Family
 ~ **TV** - Conventional: citytv; OMNI TV
 - Specialty: 6 channels
 ~ **Radio**: 45 stations
 ~ **Magazines**: dozens, inc. Macleans, Chatelaine
 ~ **Cable**
 ~ **Internet, phone and wireless service**

CANADA'S "LARGEST RADIO NETWORK"

Astral Media Inc
 ~ **TV** -Specialty: 10 channels
 - Pay: 9 channels
 ~ **Radio**: 83 stations across Canada

The rest...

Woodbridge (Thomson Family)
 ~ **Globe and Mail**
 ~ **Thomson Reuters** (financial wire service and trade publishing)

Cogeco (Audet Family)
 ~ **Radio**: 16 stations in Quebec
 ~ **Cable**
 ~ **Internet and phone**

Corus (also Shaw Family)
 ~ **TV** - 3 CBC affiliate stations
 - 17 specialty & pay channels
 ~ **Radio**: 38 stations

Torstar (five families, descendants of founder J. Atkinson)
 ~ **Newspapers**: 5 dailies & 95 community papers (Ont.)
 ~ **Internet**: Toronto.com

Post Media
 ~ **Newspapers**: 13 dailies (inc. Ottawa Citizen, National Post); 2 free dailies (Metro in Ottawa and Vancouver)
 ~ **Internet**: canada.com, FPinfomart.ca

Transcontinental
 ~ **Newspapers**: 12 dailies, 125 weeklies/community; 40 magazines

Gesca Ltd. (Desmarais Family)
 ~ **Newspapers**: 7 French-language dailies (La Presse)

Brunswick News (Irving Family)
 ~ **Newspapers**: all of the English-language daily newspapers in New Brunswick (3) and a handful of weeklies.

Black Press (D. Black Family)
 ~ **Newspapers**: Red Deer Advocate (daily) and dozens of community papers in BC and Alberta.

NewCap Radio
 ~ **Radio**: 88 stations, mostly small markets (inc. 12 bought in Central and Northern Ontario in July '08).

Maritime Broadcasting
 ~ **Radio**: 25 stations in NS, NB and PEI

Note: This chart does not include public and public-service media, including CBC/Radio-Canada, TVO, TFO, Knowledge Network, Télé-Québec, APTN, and Canadian Press, or independents.

Sources: L'actualité, cbc.ca, Canadian Newspaper Association, CARTT