



Facts at a Glance

Builders Owners and Managers

The CN Tower was built by Canadian National Railways in 1976.

In 1995 the CN Tower became a public company and continues to be federally owned and managed by Canada Lands Company (CLC) Limited, a crown corporation.

Height

At 553.33 m (1,815 ft, 5 inches), it is the world's tallest Tower

* World's Tallest Tower is defined by both Guinness World Records and the Council on Tall Buildings and Urban Habitat as "a building in which less than 50% of the construction is usable floor space".

Height of Observation Levels::

- Glass Floor	342 m (1,122 ft)	112 building stories
- Look Out Level	346 m (1,136 ft)	113 building stories
- Sky Pod	447 m (1,465 ft)	147 building stories
- 360 Restaurant	351 m (1,151 ft)	114 building stories

Cost to build

\$63 million

Construction time

Approximately 40 months

Construction start

February 6 1973

Tower Sphere construction start (middle portion)

August 1974

Antenna construction

March 1975

Completion date

The Tower was completed on February 22, 1974, and the antenna was completed on April 2, 1975.

Workers

1,537 courageous workers toiled around the clock, five days a week, 24 hours a day to build the CN Tower.

Weight

117,910 metric tonnes or 130,000 tons

Construction required:

- 40,524 m³ or 53,000 cubic yards volume of concrete
- 128.7 km or 80 miles of post tensioned steel
- 4,535 metric tonnes or 5,000 tons of reinforcing steel
- 544.2 metric tonnes or 600 tons of structural steel

Official opening ceremony

October 1, 1976

Annual visitors

Approximately 2 million international visitors

Staff

400 regular staff members (550 in peak tourist season)

360 Restaurant capacity

400 people

Time for 360 Restaurant to revolve once

72 minutes

Opening of the Glass Floor

June 26, 1994

Opening of 360 Restaurant

April 25, 1995



*Opening of 360's Wine Cellar
in the Sky*

May 13, 1997

Horizons Restaurant capacity

300 people

Addition of two new elevators

March 13, 1997

*Opening of \$26 million entertainment
expansion*

June 26, 1998 (completed in nine months)

Broadcasting facilities

Providing transmission for UHF, VHF television, FM Radio, microwave transmissions, fixed mobile systems

Current users

All major Broadcast, AM, FM and DAB Radio stations as well as wireless service providers use the CN Tower for transmission.

Event Facilities

A leading event venue, the CN Tower, 360 and its variety of unique venues hosts over 500 memorable events annually for 2 to 2000 for meetings, receptions, dinners, themed events, product and press launches.

360 The Restaurant at the CN Tower is a sought after location for celebrations such as birthdays, anniversaries and marriage proposals.