

## Table 105-04901

Sense of belonging to local community, by age group and sex, household population aged 12 and over, Canada, provinces, territories, health regions (June 2005 boundaries) and peer groups, every 2 years

## Survey or program details:

Canadian Community Health Survey - 3226

## Geography<sup>2,3</sup>=Nunavut [62]

| Age group                | Sex        | Sense of belonging to local community <sup>10</sup>                           | Characteristics 11,12,13,14 | 2005              |
|--------------------------|------------|---|-----------------------------|-------------------|
|                          | Both sexes | Total population for the variable sense of belonging to local community       | Number of persons           | 14,948            |
|                          |            | Total population for the variable sense of belonging to local community       | Percent                     | 100.0             |
|                          |            | Very strong or somewhat strong sense of belonging to local community          | Number of persons           | 12,087            |
|                          |            | Tery strong or somewhat strong sense or belonging to look community           | Percent                     | 80.9              |
|                          |            | Very strong sense of belonging to local community                             | Number of persons           | 5,697             |
|                          |            | very strong sense or belonging to local community                             | Percent                     | 38.1              |
|                          |            | Somewhat strong sense of belonging to local community                         | Number of persons           | 6,390             |
|                          |            | community sense of scionging to local community                               | Percent                     | 42.7              |
|                          |            | Somewhat weak sense of belonging to local community                           | Number of persons           | 1,898             |
|                          |            | oomewhat weak sense of belonging to local community                           | Percent                     | 12.7              |
|                          |            |   | Number of persons           | 618 <sup>E</sup>  |
|                          |            | Very weak sense of belonging to local community                               | Percent                     | 4.1 <sup>E</sup>  |
|                          |            | Sons of helenging to local community, not stated                              | Number of persons           | F                 |
|                          |            | Sense of belonging to local community, not stated                             | Percent                     | F                 |
|                          | Males      | T-1-1   | Number of persons           | 7,627             |
|                          |            | Total population for the variable sense of belonging to local community       | Percent                     | 100.0             |
|                          |            | Very strong or somewhat strong sense of belonging to local community          | Number of persons           | 6,053             |
|                          |            | Very strong or somewhat strong sense of belonging to local community          | Percent                     | 79.4              |
|                          |            | Very strong sense of belonging to local community                             | Number of persons           | 2,847             |
| Total, 12 years and over |            |   | Percent                     | 37.3              |
|                          |            | Somewhat strong sense of belonging to local community                         | Number of persons           | 3,206             |
| Total, 12 years and over |            |   | Percent                     | 42.0              |
|                          |            | Somewhat weak sense of belonging to local community                           | Number of persons           | 968               |
|                          |            |   | Percent                     | 12.7              |
|                          |            | Very weak sense of belonging to local community                               | Number of persons           | 393 <sup>E</sup>  |
|                          |            | very weak sense or belonging to local community                               | Percent                     | 5.1 <sup>E</sup>  |
|                          |            |   | Number of persons           | 214 <sup>E</sup>  |
|                          |            | Sense of belonging to local community, not stated                             | Percent                     | 2.8 <sup>E</sup>  |
|                          | Females    | T-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1                                       | Number of persons           | 7,321             |
|                          |            | Total population for the variable sense of belonging to local community       | Percent                     | 100.0             |
|                          |            |   | Number of persons           | 6,034             |
|                          |            | Very strong or somewhat strong sense of belonging to local community          | Percent                     | 82.4              |
|                          |            | Very strong sense of belonging to local community                             | Number of persons           | 2,850             |
|                          |            |   | Percent                     | 38.9              |
|                          |            | Somewhat strong sense of belonging to local community                         | Number of persons           | 3,184             |
|                          |            |   | Percent                     | 43.5              |
|                          |            | Ourselet week a see a file de metro de la | Number of persons           | 930 <sup>E</sup>  |
|                          |            | Somewhat weak sense of belonging to local community                           | Percent                     | 12.7 <sup>E</sup> |
|                          |            |   | Number of persons           | F                 |
|                          |            | Very weak sense of belonging to local community                               | Percent                     | F                 |
|                          |            |   | Number of persons           | F                 |

|             | I           | Sense of belonging to local community, not stated  | Percent                   | l f               |
|-------------|-------------|--|---------------------------|-------------------|
|             |             | Sense of belonging to local community, not stated  | Number of persons         | 3,321             |
|             |             | Total population for the variable sense of belonging to local community  | Percent                   | 100.0             |
|             |             |  |                           | _                 |
|             | Both sexes  | Very strong or somewhat strong sense of belonging to local community   | Number of persons Percent | 2,846             |
|             |             |  |                           | 85.7              |
|             |             | Very strong sense of belonging to local community  | Number of persons         | 1,424             |
|             |             |  | Percent                   | 42.9              |
|             |             | Somewhat strong sense of belonging to local community  | Number of persons         | 1,422             |
|             | 20111 00300 |  | Percent                   | 42.8              |
|             |             | Somewhat weak sense of belonging to local community  | Number of persons         | 300 <sup>E</sup>  |
|             |             | bollewhat weak sense of belonging to local community   | Percent                   | 9.0 <sup>E</sup>  |
|             |             |  | Number of persons         | F                 |
|             |             | Very weak sense of belonging to local community  | Percent                   | F                 |
|             |             |  | Number of persons         | F                 |
|             |             | Sense of belonging to local community, not stated  | Percent                   | F                 |
|             |             |  | Number of persons         | 1,683             |
|             |             | Total population for the variable sense of belonging to local community  | Percent                   | 100.0             |
|             |             |  | Number of persons         | _                 |
|             |             | Very strong or somewhat strong sense of belonging to local community   | Percent                   | 1,405             |
|             |             |  |                           | 83.5              |
|             |             | Very strong sense of belonging to local community  | Number of persons         | 737               |
|             |             |  | Percent                   | 43.8              |
| to 19 years | Males       | Somewhat strong sense of belonging to local community  | Number of persons         | 668 <sup>E</sup>  |
| •           |             | g constraint on one g control or more ingree to recommend or more ingreen  | Percent                   | 39.7 <sup>E</sup> |
|             |             | 0  | Number of persons         | F                 |
|             |             | Somewhat weak sense of belonging to local community  | Percent                   | F                 |
|             |             |  | Number of persons         | F                 |
|             |             | Very weak sense of belonging to local community  | Percent                   | F                 |
|             |             |  | Number of persons         | F                 |
|             |             | Sense of belonging to local community, not stated  | Percent                   | F                 |
|             |             |  | Number of persons         | 1,638             |
|             |             | Total population for the variable sense of belonging to local community  | Percent                   | 100.0             |
|             |             |  |                           | _                 |
|             | Females     | Very strong or somewhat strong sense of belonging to local community   | Number of persons         | 1,441             |
|             |             |  |                           | 88.0              |
|             |             | Very strong sense of belonging to local community  | Number of persons         | 687               |
|             |             |  | Percent                   | 41.9              |
|             |             | Somewhat strong sense of belonging to local community  | Number of persons         | 754               |
|             |             | ,  | Percent                   | 46.0              |
|             |             | Somewhat weak sense of belonging to local community  | Number of persons         | F                 |
|             |             |  | Percent                   | F                 |
|             |             | Very weak sense of belonging to local community  | Number of persons         | F                 |
|             |             | Tory weak series of belonging to local community   | Percent                   | F                 |
|             |             | Sense of belonging to local community, not stated  | Number of persons         | F                 |
|             |             | Sense of belonging to local community, not stated  | Percent                   | F                 |
|             |             | Total and other for the control of t | Number of persons         | 5,278             |
|             | Both sexes  | Total population for the variable sense of belonging to local community  | Percent                   | 100.0             |
|             |             |  | Number of persons         | 4,181             |
|             |             | Very strong or somewhat strong sense of belonging to local community   | Percent                   | 79.2              |
|             |             |  | Number of persons         | 1,966             |
|             |             | Very strong sense of belonging to local community  | Percent                   | 37.2              |
|             |             |  |                           | _                 |
|             |             | Somewhat strong sense of belonging to local community  | Number of persons         | 2,215             |
|             |             |  | Percent                   | 42.0              |
|             |             | Somewhat weak sense of belonging to local community  | Number of persons         | 765 <sup>E</sup>  |
|             |             |  |                           |                   |
|             |             | Somewhat weak series of belonging to local community   | Percent                   | 14.5 <sup>E</sup> |

|               | I          |  | Percent                               | F                  |
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|               |            |  | Number of persons                     | F                  |
|               | Males      | Sense of belonging to local community, not stated  | Percent                               | F                  |
|               |            |  | Number of persons                     | 2,730              |
|               |            | Total population for the variable sense of belonging to local community  | Percent                               | 100.0              |
|               |            |  | Number of persons                     | 2,203              |
|               |            | Very strong or somewhat strong sense of belonging to local community   | Percent                               | 80.7               |
|               |            | Very strong sense of belonging to local community  | Number of persons                     | 1,103              |
|               |            |  | Percent                               | _                  |
|               |            |  |                                       | 40.4               |
|               |            | Somewhat strong sense of belonging to local community  | Number of persons                     | 1,100              |
|               |            |  | Percent                               | 40.3               |
|               |            | Somewhat weak sense of belonging to local community  | Number of persons                     | 308 <sup>E</sup>   |
|               |            |  | Percent                               | 11.3 <sup>E</sup>  |
|               |            | New work conce of helenging to lead community  | Number of persons                     | F                  |
|               |            | Very weak sense of belonging to local community  | Percent                               | F                  |
| 0 to 34 years |            |  | Number of persons                     | F                  |
|               |            | Sense of belonging to local community, not stated  | Percent                               | F                  |
|               |            | Total population for the variable sense of belonging to local community  | Number of persons                     | 2,548              |
|               |            |  | Percent                               | 100.0              |
|               |            |  | Number of persons                     | 1,978              |
|               |            | Very strong or somewhat strong sense of belonging to local community   | Percent                               | 77.6               |
|               |            |  | Number of persons                     | 863                |
|               |            | Very strong sense of belonging to local community  | Percent                               | 33.9               |
|               |            |  | Number of persons                     | 1,114              |
|               | Females    | Somewhat strong sense of belonging to local community  | Percent                               | 43.7               |
|               |            |  |                                       | _                  |
|               |            | Somewhat weak sense of belonging to local community  | Number of persons                     | F                  |
|               |            |  | Percent                               | - F                |
|               |            | Very weak sense of belonging to local community  | Number of persons                     | F                  |
|               |            |  | Percent                               | F                  |
|               |            | Sense of belonging to local community, not stated  | Number of persons                     | F                  |
|               |            | Sense of belonging to local community, not stated  | Percent                               | F                  |
|               |            | Total population for the variable sense of belonging to local community  | Number of persons                     | 2,900              |
|               |            |  | Percent                               | 100.0              |
|               |            | Very strong or somewhat strong sense of belonging to local community   | Number of persons                     | 2,224              |
|               | Both sexes | very strong or somewhat strong sense or belonging to local community   | Percent                               | 76.7               |
|               |            | Very strong sense of belonging to local community  | Number of persons                     | 1,168              |
|               |            |  | Percent                               | 40.3               |
|               |            | Somewhat strong sense of belonging to local community  | Number of persons                     | 1,056 <sup>E</sup> |
|               |            |  | Percent                               | 36.4 <sup>E</sup>  |
|               |            | Somewhat weak sense of belonging to local community  | Number of persons                     | 510 <sup>E</sup>   |
|               |            |  |                                       | _                  |
|               |            |  | Percent                               | 17.6 <sup>E</sup>  |
|               |            | Very weak sense of belonging to local community  | Number of persons                     |                    |
| 5 to 44 years |            |  | Percent                               | F                  |
|               |            | Sense of belonging to local community, not stated  | Number of persons                     | F                  |
|               |            | ,,   | Percent                               | F                  |
|               | Males      | Total population for the variable sense of belonging to local community  | Number of persons                     | 1,433              |
|               |            | parameter and the second of th | Percent                               | 100.0              |
|               |            | Very strong or somewhat strong sense of helonging to local community   | Number of persons                     | 1,048              |
|               |            | Very strong or somewhat strong sense of belonging to local community   | Percent                               | 73.1               |
|               |            | Very strong sense of belonging to local community  | Number of persons                     | 583 <sup>E</sup>   |
|               |            |  | Percent                               | 40.7 <sup>E</sup>  |
|               |            | Somewhat strong sense of belonging to local community  | Number of persons                     | 465 <sup>E</sup>   |
|               |            |  | · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · | _                  |
|               |            |  | Percent                               | 32.4 <sup>E</sup>  |

|               | ı          | I  | I                         | 295 <sup>E</sup>  |
|---------------|------------|--|---------------------------|-------------------|
|               |            | Somewhat weak sense of belonging to local community  | Paragrat                  | _                 |
|               |            |  | Percent                   | 20.6 <sup>E</sup> |
|               |            | Very weak sense of belonging to local community  | Number of persons         | F                 |
|               |            | , , ,  | Percent                   | F                 |
|               |            | Sense of belonging to local community, not stated  | Number of persons         | F                 |
|               |            |  | Percent                   | F 4 407           |
|               |            | Total population for the variable sense of belonging to local community  Very strong or somewhat strong sense of belonging to local community  | Number of persons         | 1,467             |
|               |            |  | Percent Number of persons | 100.0             |
|               |            |  | Percent                   | 1,177             |
|               |            |  | Number of persons         |                   |
|               |            | Very strong sense of belonging to local community  | ·                         | 585 <sup>E</sup>  |
|               |            |  | Percent                   | 39.9 <sup>E</sup> |
|               | Females    | Somewhat strong sense of belonging to local community  | Number of persons         | 591 <sup>E</sup>  |
|               |            | community sense of belonging to local community  | Percent                   | 40.3 <sup>E</sup> |
|               |            | Somewhat weak sense of belonging to local community  | Number of persons         | F                 |
|               |            |  | Percent                   | F                 |
|               |            | Very weak sense of belonging to local community  | Number of persons         | F                 |
|               |            | Very weak sense of belonging to local community  | Percent                   | F                 |
|               |            | Sense of belonging to local community, not stated  | Number of persons         | F                 |
|               |            | ochise of belonging to local community, not stated   | Percent                   | F                 |
|               |            | Total population for the variable sense of belonging to local community  | Number of persons         | 2,931             |
|               |            | Total population for the variable sense of belonging to local community  | Percent                   | 100.0             |
|               |            | <br>  Very strong or somewhat strong sense of belonging to local community   | Number of persons         | 2,446             |
|               |            | tory changes community   | Percent                   | 83.4              |
|               |            | Very strong sense of belonging to local community  | Number of persons         | 879               |
|               |            | to ty change control of noting to room community   | Percent                   | 30.0              |
|               | Both sexes | Somewhat strong sense of belonging to local community  | Number of persons         | 1,566             |
|               | Both sexes |  | Percent                   | 53.4              |
|               |            | Somewhat weak sense of belonging to local community  | Number of persons         | 268 <sup>E</sup>  |
|               |            |  | Percent                   | 9.1 <sup>E</sup>  |
|               |            | Very week conce of belonging to local community  | Number of persons         | F                 |
|               |            | Very weak sense of belonging to local community  | Percent                   | F                 |
|               |            | Sonso of holonging to local community, not stated  | Number of persons         | F                 |
|               |            | Sense of belonging to local community, not stated  | Percent                   | F                 |
|               |            | Total population for the variable sense of belonging to local community  | Number of persons         | 1,466             |
|               |            |  | Percent                   | 100.0             |
| 5 to 64 years |            | Very strong or somewhat strong sense of belonging to local community   | Number of persons         | 1,192             |
| to 04 years   |            |  | Percent                   | 81.3              |
|               |            | Very strong sense of belonging to local community  | Number of persons         | 282 <sup>E</sup>  |
|               |            |  | Percent                   | 19.2 <sup>E</sup> |
|               | Males      | O  | Number of persons         | 910               |
|               | Maics      | Somewhat strong sense of belonging to local community  | Percent                   | 62.1              |
|               |            | Samoushat week same of belonging to local community  | Number of persons         | F                 |
|               |            | Somewhat weak sense of belonging to local community  | Percent                   | F                 |
|               |            | Vancturals conce of holonging to local community   | Number of persons         | F                 |
|               |            | Very weak sense of belonging to local community  | Percent                   | F                 |
|               |            | Songe of bolonging to local community, not stated  | Number of persons         | F                 |
|               |            | Sense of belonging to local community, not stated  | Percent                   | F                 |
|               |            | Total nonulation for the variable cases of belonging to local community.   | Number of persons         | 1,465             |
|               |            | Total population for the variable sense of belonging to local community  | Percent                   | 100.0             |
|               |            | Vary atrang or computate transport of halors in the land of halors | Number of persons         | 1,253             |
|               |            | Very strong or somewhat strong sense of belonging to local community   | Percent                   | 85.6              |
|               |            | V  | Number of persons         | 597 <sup>E</sup>  |
|               |            | Very strong sense of belonging to local community  |                           |                   |

| 1                 | 1           | 1   | Percent           | 40.8 <sup>E</sup> |
|-------------------|-------------|---|-------------------|-------------------|
|                   |             |   | Number of persons | 656 <sup>E</sup>  |
|                   |             | Somewhat strong sense of belonging to local community                   | Percent           | 44.8 <sup>E</sup> |
|                   |             |   | Number of persons | - 44.0<br>F       |
|                   | Females     | Somewhat weak sense of belonging to local community                     | Percent           | F                 |
|                   |             |   |                   | _                 |
|                   |             | Very weak sense of belonging to local community                         | Number of persons | _ F               |
|                   |             |   | Percent           | F                 |
|                   |             | Sense of belonging to local community, not stated                       | Number of persons | F                 |
|                   |             |   | Percent           | F 540             |
|                   |             | Total population for the variable sense of belonging to local community | Number of persons | 519               |
|                   |             |   | Percent           | 100.0             |
|                   |             | Very strong or somewhat strong sense of belonging to local community    | Number of persons | 391               |
|                   |             |   | Percent           | 75.3              |
|                   |             | Very strong sense of belonging to local community                       | Number of persons | 260 <sup>E</sup>  |
|                   |             |   | Percent           | 50.1 <sup>E</sup> |
|                   | Both sexes  | Samouthat attant ages of balancing to local community                   | Number of persons | F                 |
|                   | Doill sexes | Somewhat strong sense of belonging to local community                   | Percent           | F                 |
|                   |             | 0   | Number of persons | F                 |
|                   |             | Somewhat weak sense of belonging to local community                     | Percent           | F                 |
|                   |             | Very weak sense of belonging to local community                         | Number of persons | F                 |
|                   |             |   | Percent           | F                 |
|                   |             |   | Number of persons | F                 |
|                   |             | Sense of belonging to local community, not stated                       | Percent           | F                 |
|                   |             |   | Number of persons | 315               |
|                   |             | Total population for the variable sense of belonging to local community | Percent           | 100.0             |
|                   |             |   | Number of persons | 205               |
|                   | Males       | Very strong or somewhat strong sense of belonging to local community    | Percent           | 64.9              |
|                   |             | Very strong sense of belonging to local community                       | Number of persons | F                 |
|                   |             |   | Percent           | F                 |
|                   |             | Somewhat strong sense of belonging to local community                   | Number of persons | F                 |
| 65 years and over |             |   | Percent           | F                 |
|                   |             | Somewhat weak sense of belonging to local community                     | Number of persons | F                 |
|                   |             |   | Percent           | F                 |
|                   |             | Very weak sense of belonging to local community                         | Number of persons | F                 |
|                   |             |   | Percent           | F                 |
|                   |             | Sense of belonging to local community, not stated                       | Number of persons | F                 |
|                   |             |   | Percent           | F                 |
|                   |             | Total population for the variable sense of belonging to local community | Number of persons | 204               |
|                   |             |   | Percent           | 100.0             |
|                   |             |   | Number of persons | F                 |
|                   |             | Very strong or somewhat strong sense of belonging to local community    | Percent           | F                 |
|                   | Females     | Very strong sense of belonging to local community                       | Number of persons | F                 |
|                   |             |   | Percent           | F                 |
|                   |             | Somewhat strong sense of belonging to local community                   | <b></b>           | F                 |
|                   |             |   | Number of persons | F                 |
|                   |             | Somewhat weak sense of belonging to local community                     | Percent           |                   |
|                   |             |   | Number of persons | F                 |
|                   |             | Very weak sense of belonging to local community                         | Percent           | _ F               |
|                   |             |   | Number of persons | _ F               |
|                   |             | Sense of belonging to local community, not stated                       | Percent           | F                 |
|                   |             |   | Number of persons | F                 |
|                   |             |   | Percent           | F                 |

# Symbol legend:

#### Footnotes:

- 1. Source: Statistics Canada, Canadian Community Health Survey (CCHS 3.1), 2005.
- 2. Health regions are defined by the provincial ministries of health. These are legislated administrative areas in all provinces. The health regions presented in this table are based on boundaries and names in effect as of June 2005. For complete Canadian coverage, each of the northern territories also represents a health region.
- **3.** A "peer group" is a grouping of health regions that have similar social and economic characteristics. The nine peer groups are identified by the letters A through I, which are appended to the health region 4-digit code.
- **10.** Population aged 12 and over who describe their sense of belonging to their local community as very strong, somewhat strong, somewhat weak or very weak. Research shows a high correlation of sense of community-belonging with physical and mental health.
- **11.** When comparing estimates, it is important to use confidence intervals to determine if differences between values are statistically significant. Confidence intervals describe sampling variability and give an indication of the precision of a given estimate.
- 12. Bootstrapping techniques were used to produce the coefficient of variation (CV) and 95% confidence intervals (CIs).
- 13. Data with a coefficient of variation (CV) from 16.6% to 33.3% are identified as follows: (E) use with caution.
- **14.** Data with a coefficient of variation (CV) greater than 33.3% were suppressed due to extreme sampling variability and are identified as follows: (F) too unreliable to be published.

**Source:** Statistics Canada. *Table 105-0490 - Sense of belonging to local community, by age group and sex, household population aged 12 and over, Canada, provinces, territories, health regions (June 2005 boundaries) and peer groups, every 2 years, CANSIM (database). <a href="http://cansim2.statcan.ca/cgi-win/cnsmcgi.exe?">http://cansim2.statcan.ca/cgi-win/cnsmcgi.exe?</a>* 

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