

Target Group Profile for the Inuit Identity Population and Non-Aboriginal Identity Population in Private Households by Aboriginal Identity for Inuit Nunangat Area, 2011 National Household Survey (NHS)

Aboriginal identity 2011 NHS	Note	Inuit Identity Population (single identity)	Non-Aboriginal Identity Population
Total population in private households by Aboriginal identity	56	43455	7115
Aboriginal identity	57	43460	0
First Nations (North American Indian) single identity		0	0
Métis single identity		0	0
Inuk (Inuit) single identity	58	43460	0
Multiple Aboriginal identities	59	0	0
Aboriginal identities not included elsewhere		0	0
Non-Aboriginal identity		0	7115
Males in private households by Aboriginal identity	56	21995	3875
Aboriginal identity	57	21995	0
First Nations (North American Indian) single identity		0	0
Métis single identity		0	0
Inuk (Inuit) single identity	58	22000	0
Multiple Aboriginal identities	59	0	0
Aboriginal identities not included elsewhere		0	0
Non-Aboriginal identity		0	3880
Females in private households by Aboriginal identity	56	21460	3240
Aboriginal identity	57	21465	0
First Nations (North American Indian) single identity		0	0
Métis single identity		0	0
Inuk (Inuit) single identity	58	21465	0
Multiple Aboriginal identities	59	0	0
Aboriginal identities not included elsewhere		0	0
Non-Aboriginal identity	57	0	3240
Total population in private households by Registered or Treaty Indian status	60	43460	7115
Registered or Treaty Indian		35	0
Not a Registered or Treaty Indian	57	43425	7115
Males in private households by Registered or Treaty Indian status	60	21995	3880
Registered or Treaty Indian		15	0
Not a Registered or Treaty Indian	57	21980	3880
Females in private households by Registered or Treaty Indian status	60	21465	3240
Registered or Treaty Indian		20	0
Not a Registered or Treaty Indian	61	21445	3240
Total population in private households by Aboriginal ancestry	62	43460	7120
Aboriginal ancestry	57	43245	440
First Nations (North American Indian) Aboriginal ancestry		845	220
Métis ancestry		160	40
Inuit ancestry	63	43145	190
Non-Aboriginal ancestry only	61	210	6675
Males in private households by Aboriginal ancestry	62	22000	3880
Aboriginal ancestry	57	21890	230
First Nations (North American Indian) Aboriginal ancestry		395	125
Métis ancestry		80	25
Inuit ancestry	63	21840	90
Non-Aboriginal ancestry only	61	105	3645
Females in private households by Aboriginal ancestry	62	21465	3235
Aboriginal ancestry	57	21360	210
First Nations (North American Indian) Aboriginal ancestry		440	90
Métis ancestry		80	20
Inuit ancestry	63	21305	100
Non-Aboriginal ancestry only		100	3030

Notes

56 'Aboriginal identity' includes persons who reported being an Aboriginal person that is First Nations (North American Indian) Métis or Inuk (Inuit) and/or those who reported Registered or Treaty Indian status that is registered under the Indian Act of Canada and/or those who reported membership in a First Nation or Indian band. Aboriginal peoples of Canada are defined in the Constitution Act 1982 section 35 (2) as including the Indian Inuit and Métis peoples of Canada.

57 Users should be aware that the estimates associated with this variable are more affected than most by the incomplete enumeration of certain Indian reserves and Indian settlements in the National Household Survey (NHS). In 2011 there were a total of 36 Indian reserves and Indian settlements that were 'incompletely enumerated' in the NHS. For these reserves or settlements NHS enumeration was either not permitted or was interrupted before it could be completed or was not possible because of natural events (specifically forest fires in Northern Ontario). For additional information please refer to the Aboriginal Peoples Reference Guide National Household Survey (NHS) 2011.

58 'Multiple Aboriginal identities' includes persons who reported being any two or all three of the following: First Nations (North American Indian) Métis or Inuk (Inuit).

59 'Aboriginal identities not included elsewhere' includes persons who did not report being First Nations (North American Indian) Métis or Inuk (Inuit) but who did report Registered or Treaty Indian status and/or membership in a First Nation or Indian band.

60 Registered or Treaty Indian status refers to whether or not a person reported being a Registered or Treaty Indian.' Registered or Treaty Indian' includes persons who reported being a Registered or Treaty Indian in Question 20. Registered Indians are persons who are registered under the Indian Act of Canada. Treaty Indians are persons who belong to a First Nation or Indian band that signed a treaty with the Crown. Registered or Treaty Indians are sometimes also called Status Indians.

61 This is a total population estimate. The sum of the ancestries in this table is greater than the total population estimate because a person may report more than one ancestry (ethnic origin) in the National Household Survey.

62 'Aboriginal ancestry' includes persons who reported one or more than one of First Nations (North American Indian) Métis or Inuit ancestry in Question 17 either with or without also reporting a non-Aboriginal ancestry. The sum of the categories 'First Nations (North American Indian) ancestry' 'Métis ancestry' and 'Inuit ancestry' is thus greater than the sum of the total for 'Aboriginal ancestry' because persons who reported more than one Aboriginal ancestry are included in the response category for each Aboriginal ancestry they reported. All respondents with Aboriginal ancestry are counted in at least one of the categories 'First Nations (North American Indian) ancestry' 'Métis ancestry' and 'Inuit ancestry' and also in the category 'Aboriginal ancestry.' Aboriginal peoples of Canada are defined in the Constitution Act 1982 section 35 (2) as including the Indian Inuit and Métis peoples of Canada. Ancestry refers to the ethnic or cultural origins of the respondent's ancestors an ancestor being usually more distant than a grandparent. A person can have more than one ethnic or cultural origin.

63 'Non-Aboriginal ancestry only' includes persons who did not report First Nations (North American Indian) Métis or Inuit ancestry in Question 17.