

Table 4 Drinking status according to sociodemographic characteristics (%), population aged 16 years and over, Nunavik, 2017

	Monthly	Occasional	No drinking
Total	63.3	19.8	17.2
Sex			
Men	62.7	23.4 ¹	13.9 ¹
Women	63.3	16.3	20.5
Age group			
16-20 years	58.7	25.9	15.4 ^{*3}
21-30 years	70.5 ^{2,3}	18.5	10.9 ^{*3}
31-54 years	69.4 ^{2,3}	17.9 ²	12.7 ³
55 years and over	40.3 ²	20.4	39.3
Marital status			
Single	64.1	21.0	14.9
Married or common law	62.6	19.4	18.0
Separated, divorced or widowed	57.1	16.0 ^{**}	27.0 [*]



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	Monthly	Occasional	No drinking
Education			
Elementary school or less	47.2	23.6 [*]	29.2
Secondary school not completed	65.9 ⁴	18.3	15.7 ⁴
Secondary school or higher	65.3 ⁴	21.8	12.9 ⁴
Employment			
Employed	67.5 ¹	18.2	14.3 ¹
Not employed	53.5	23.4	23.1
Income			
Less than \$20 000	60.5 ¹	21.5	18.0
\$20 000 or more	67.9	17.6	14.6
Community size			
Large	66.9 ¹	18.1	15.0 ¹
Small	57.6	22.2	20.2
Coast			
Hudson	61.0	22.4 ¹	16.6
Ungava	65.5	16.5	18.0

NOTES

Monthly drinking: drank alcohol at least once a month in the year preceding the survey. **Occasional drinking:** drank alcohol in the year preceding the survey, but less than once a month. **No drinking:** reported not drinking alcohol in the year preceding the survey.

Coloured cells indicate statistically significant comparisons.

1. Statistically significant difference observed using the 5% threshold compared to the other group.
2. Statistically significant difference observed using the 5% threshold compared to the 16-20 age group.
3. Statistically significant difference observed using the 5% threshold compared to the 55 and over age group.
4. Statistically significant difference observed using the 5% threshold compared to Nunavimmiut who had completed elementary school or less.

* The coefficient of variation is greater than 15% and lower than or equal to 25%. The proportion should be interpreted carefully.

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