

StatsUpdate

Topic: **Police-Reported Violent Crimes, 2016**
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Background: In 2016, the number of police-reported victims of violent crime in Nunavut was **2,707**. As is the case with violent crime overall, the territories have consistently recorded the highest rates of police-reported violence against women. The rate of violent crime against women in Nunavut (**9,496** per 100,000 females) was nearly **10** times higher than the rate for Canada.

Detail:

Police-Reported Victims of Violent Crime, by Sex of Victims and Province/Territory, 2016						
	Total		Male Victims		Female Victims	
	number	rate ¹	number	rate ¹	number	rate ¹
Nunavut	2,707	7,300	956	4,987	1,701	9,496
Canada	343,870	951	163,796	914	178,808	981
Newfoundland and Labrador	5,462	1,067	2,638	1,046	2,821	1,087
Prince Edward Island	1,071	720	495	683	573	752
Nova Scotia	8,654	911	3,983	856	4,618	954
New Brunswick	8,030	1,061	3,636	972	4,352	1,136
Quebec	76,871	928	37,891	920	38,979	936
Ontario	101,260	727	48,501	708	52,531	741
Manitoba	23,630	1,832	10,360	1,613	13,139	2,028
Saskatchewan	20,904	1,840	9,132	1,594	11,676	2,073
Alberta	47,797	1,121	22,441	1,037	24,754	1,179
British Columbia	43,091	907	21,937	931	21,137	883
Yukon	1,327	3,539	580	3,045	727	3,942
Northwest Territories	3,066	6,895	1,246	5,503	1,800	8,247

Notes:

1. Rates are calculated per 100,000 population aged 15 years and older.
2. Populations based upon July 1 estimates from Statistics Canada, Demography Division.
3. Numbers and rates exclude incidents where the sex and/or age of victim was unknown.

For more statistical information, visit our website at <http://www.gov.nu.ca/eia/stats/index.html>.