

## **Prevalence of Smoking in New Zealand by District Health Board (Census 2006)**

Tables reporting prevalence estimates broken down by District Health Board (DHB) in the New Zealand Tobacco Use Survey (NZTUS) 2006 report have been removed and replaced with estimates from the 2006 Census (Statistics New Zealand). Estimates from the 2006 Census by DHB are more accurate and representative of the New Zealand population therefore these are the rates that should be used for reference.

PHI is currently looking into statistical modelling techniques to provide estimates of prevalence for indicators not measured by the Census.

### **Notes on definitions**

Two questions were asked in the Census (1996, 2001) to determine smoking status:

1. Do you smoke cigarettes regularly? yes, no
2. Have you ever been a regular smoker of one or more cigarettes a day? yes, no

The definition of a *regular smoker* used for the census is someone who smokes cigarettes regularly ie. one or more cigarettes a day. An *ex-smoker* is defined as someone who used to smoke regularly, but no longer does and the definition for *never smoked regularly* are people who have never been regular smokers. Smoking of pipes, cigars and cigarillos, other smoked substances such as marijuana and tobacco used for chewing are not included in these definitions.

The NZTUS 2006 uses different definitions. A *current smoker* is defined as someone who currently smokes tobacco products; the definition includes daily and non-daily smokers. An *ex-smoker* is someone who used to smoke tobacco products daily, but no longer does so and a *never smoker* is someone who has never been a daily smoker, nor have they smoked greater than 100 cigarettes in their lifetime. Smoking of marijuana is not included in these definitions.

Differences in the definition of smoking status between the Census and NZTUS should be noted. The way smoking status is defined largely accounts for variations in reported smoking prevalence rates.

### **Non-response rates**

The 2006 Census reported a non-response rate of 5.2%; the 1996 Census reported a non-response rate of 7.2%.

### **Prevalence of Smoking (Census 1996)**

The prevalence of smoking reported in the 1996 Census, is as follows: Regular smokers, 23.7%; ex-smokers, 22.0%; never smoked regularly, 54.2%.

### Prevalence of Smoking (Census 2006)

The prevalence of smoking reported in the 2006 Census, is as follows: Regular smokers, 20.7%; ex-smokers, 22.1%; never smoked regularly, 57.2%. Further breakdowns of the 2006 Census are presented below.

**Table 1: Prevalence of regular smokers, by gender and DHB**

<b>DHB</b>	<b>Females</b>	<b>Males</b>	<b>Total</b>
Auckland	13.7%	19.5%	16.5%
Bay of Plenty	22.4%	22.3%	22.3%
Canterbury	17.4%	20.2%	18.8%
Capital and Coast	16.2%	18.6%	17.3%
Counties Manukau	20.4%	24.0%	22.1%
Hawke's Bay	24.6%	25.0%	24.8%
Hutt	22.5%	23.4%	22.9%
Lakes	28.0%	26.4%	27.2%
Midcentral	22.2%	23.2%	22.7%
Nelson Marlborough	17.9%	20.9%	19.3%
Northland	25.6%	25.7%	25.7%
Otago	18.2%	20.8%	19.4%
South Canterbury	20.4%	22.0%	21.2%
Southland	22.9%	24.6%	23.8%
Tairāwhiti	30.4%	28.9%	29.7%
Taranaki	21.9%	22.9%	22.4%
Waikato	22.1%	23.3%	22.6%
Wairarapa	23.0%	24.0%	23.5%
Waitemata	15.7%	19.3%	17.4%
West Coast	25.2%	26.2%	25.7%
Whanganui	25.9%	26.7%	26.3%
New Zealand	19.5%	21.9%	20.7%

Source: Statistics New Zealand

**Table 2: Prevalence of ex-smokers, by gender and DHB**

<b>DHB</b>	<b>Females</b>	<b>Males</b>	<b>Total</b>
Auckland	17.1%	19.8%	18.4%
Bay of Plenty	23.3%	27.7%	25.4%
Canterbury	20.7%	25.0%	22.8%
Capital and Coast	21.1%	23.4%	22.2%
Counties Manukau	15.3%	18.9%	17.0%
Hawke's Bay	22.4%	26.2%	24.2%
Hutt	21.2%	23.5%	22.4%
Lakes	22.5%	25.1%	23.8%
Midcentral	20.5%	24.0%	22.2%
Nelson Marlborough	24.4%	28.3%	26.3%
Northland	23.7%	27.6%	25.6%
Otago	21.2%	25.8%	23.4%
South Canterbury	21.8%	28.0%	24.8%
Southland	21.7%	25.1%	23.4%
Tairāwhiti	21.4%	23.3%	22.3%
Taranaki	21.7%	25.4%	23.5%
Waikato	20.4%	23.9%	22.1%
Wairarapa	24.2%	28.8%	26.4%
Waitemata	19.8%	23.9%	21.8%
West Coast	22.5%	26.0%	24.3%
Whanganui	21.4%	25.4%	23.3%
New Zealand	20.3%	23.9%	22.1%

Source: Statistics New Zealand

**Table 3: Prevalence of never smokers, by gender and DHB**

<b>DHB</b>	<b>Females</b>	<b>Males</b>	<b>Total</b>
Auckland	69.3%	60.7%	65.1%
Bay of Plenty	54.4%	50.0%	52.3%
Canterbury	61.8%	54.8%	58.4%
Capital and Coast	62.7%	58.0%	60.5%
Counties Manukau	64.4%	57.0%	60.8%
Hawke's Bay	53.0%	48.8%	51.0%
Hutt	56.2%	53.1%	54.7%
Lakes	49.5%	48.5%	49.0%
Midcentral	57.4%	52.7%	55.2%
Nelson Marlborough	57.7%	50.9%	54.4%
Northland	50.6%	46.7%	48.7%
Otago	60.6%	53.5%	57.2%
South Canterbury	57.8%	50.0%	54.0%
Southland	55.4%	50.3%	52.8%
Tairāwhiti	48.2%	47.8%	48.0%
Taranaki	56.3%	51.7%	54.1%
Waikato	57.6%	52.8%	55.3%
Wairarapa	52.8%	47.2%	50.1%
Waitemata	64.5%	56.8%	60.8%
West Coast	52.2%	47.9%	50.0%
Whanganui	52.7%	47.9%	50.4%
New Zealand	60.1%	54.1%	57.2%

Source: Statistics New Zealand

**Table 4: Prevalence of regular smokers, by gender, age group and DHB**

<b>DHB</b>	<b>Age group</b>	<b>Females</b>	<b>Males</b>	<b>Total</b>
Auckland	15-19 years	12.3%	12.3%	12.3%
	20-24 years	18.2%	26.3%	22.1%
	25-29 years	17.4%	25.4%	21.3%
	30-39 years	14.2%	21.8%	17.9%
	40-49 years	14.5%	20.8%	17.6%
	50-59 years	13.1%	18.2%	15.6%
	60-64 years	11.5%	14.8%	13.1%
	65+ years	6.4%	9.3%	7.7%
Bay of Plenty	15-19 years	25.5%	20.5%	23.0%
	20-24 years	39.5%	38.2%	38.9%
	25-29 years	35.1%	36.1%	35.6%
	30-39 years	30.1%	31.0%	30.5%
	40-49 years	26.6%	26.3%	26.5%
	50-59 years	19.8%	19.7%	19.7%
	60-64 years	14.9%	15.1%	15.0%
	65+ years	6.6%	7.7%	7.1%
Canterbury	15-19 years	18.4%	17.1%	17.7%
	20-24 years	25.5%	29.5%	27.5%
	25-29 years	24.4%	30.3%	27.3%
	30-39 years	21.6%	25.4%	23.4%
	40-49 years	19.6%	21.8%	20.6%
	50-59 years	15.8%	17.8%	16.8%
	60-64 years	13.0%	15.1%	14.1%
	65+ years	6.7%	8.0%	7.3%
Capital and Coast	15-19 years	15.6%	14.4%	15.0%
	20-24 years	21.9%	26.4%	24.0%
	25-29 years	20.2%	25.1%	22.6%
	30-39 years	18.5%	21.1%	19.7%
	40-49 years	17.4%	19.4%	18.4%
	50-59 years	15.2%	17.1%	16.2%
	60-64 years	11.9%	13.6%	12.8%
	65+ years	6.9%	8.1%	7.4%
Counties Manukau	15-19 years	18.8%	17.6%	18.2%
	20-24 years	29.5%	33.4%	31.4%
	25-29 years	27.9%	32.5%	30.0%
	30-39 years	24.6%	29.6%	26.9%
	40-49 years	21.8%	26.4%	24.0%
	50-59 years	17.4%	21.2%	19.3%
	60-64 years	13.8%	17.9%	15.8%
	65+ years	7.0%	9.9%	8.3%
Hawke's Bay	15-19 years	26.5%	22.0%	24.2%
	20-24 years	42.3%	41.6%	41.9%
	25-29 years	38.6%	36.1%	37.4%

<b>DHB</b>	<b>Age group</b>	<b>Females</b>	<b>Males</b>	<b>Total</b>
	30-39 years	32.0%	33.6%	32.7%
	40-49 years	28.4%	28.1%	28.3%
	50-59 years	22.1%	22.2%	22.2%
	60-64 years	16.9%	18.1%	17.5%
	65+ years	7.6%	9.4%	8.4%
<b>Hutt</b>	15-19 years	23.0%	18.9%	20.9%
	20-24 years	36.8%	36.0%	36.4%
	25-29 years	33.2%	34.2%	33.7%
	30-39 years	26.3%	27.8%	27.0%
	40-49 years	24.3%	25.6%	24.9%
	50-59 years	20.2%	21.0%	20.6%
	60-64 years	15.5%	16.7%	16.1%
	65+ years	7.7%	9.5%	8.6%
<b>Lakes</b>	15-19 years	32.7%	25.0%	28.7%
	20-24 years	45.3%	41.9%	43.7%
	25-29 years	38.6%	38.0%	38.3%
	30-39 years	33.9%	33.2%	33.6%
	40-49 years	31.3%	28.9%	30.1%
	50-59 years	23.9%	23.2%	23.6%
	60-64 years	18.3%	17.5%	17.8%
	65+ years	9.2%	10.3%	9.8%
<b>Midcentral</b>	15-19 years	22.8%	20.4%	21.7%
	20-24 years	30.7%	31.2%	30.9%
	25-29 years	29.6%	32.5%	31.1%
	30-39 years	29.5%	30.6%	30.0%
	40-49 years	26.9%	26.7%	26.8%
	50-59 years	19.9%	20.6%	20.3%
	60-64 years	16.3%	17.4%	16.8%
	65+ years	7.4%	10.0%	8.6%
<b>Nelson Marlborough</b>	15-19 years	20.7%	18.7%	19.7%
	20-24 years	34.0%	36.0%	35.2%
	25-29 years	29.3%	34.1%	31.6%
	30-39 years	24.0%	29.4%	26.6%
	40-49 years	20.6%	23.7%	22.1%
	50-59 years	14.5%	16.8%	15.6%
	60-64 years	11.3%	14.7%	12.9%
	65+ years	5.8%	7.3%	6.5%
<b>Northland</b>	15-19 years	27.9%	21.8%	24.8%
	20-24 years	39.9%	40.2%	40.1%
	25-29 years	37.5%	37.1%	37.3%
	30-39 years	33.9%	36.0%	34.9%
	40-49 years	31.6%	31.7%	31.6%
	50-59 years	22.8%	23.1%	22.9%
	60-64 years	17.2%	18.1%	17.6%
	65+ years	9.2%	10.9%	9.9%

<b>DHB</b>	<b>Age group</b>	<b>Females</b>	<b>Males</b>	<b>Total</b>
Otago	15-19 years	14.8%	15.9%	15.3%
	20-24 years	22.0%	26.5%	24.2%
	25-29 years	26.5%	30.1%	28.3%
	30-39 years	24.6%	27.8%	26.1%
	40-49 years	22.3%	23.4%	22.8%
	50-59 years	17.8%	19.3%	18.6%
	60-64 years	14.9%	17.3%	16.1%
	65+ years	7.1%	9.2%	8.1%
South Canterbury	15-19 years	23.0%	21.4%	22.2%
	20-24 years	40.3%	38.9%	39.6%
	25-29 years	30.4%	37.9%	34.1%
	30-39 years	28.9%	32.5%	30.6%
	40-49 years	24.4%	24.4%	24.4%
	50-59 years	18.9%	18.6%	18.8%
	60-64 years	14.6%	16.3%	15.4%
	65+ years	7.1%	8.8%	7.9%
Southland	15-19 years	26.4%	25.8%	26.2%
	20-24 years	39.2%	39.3%	39.2%
	25-29 years	30.8%	36.8%	33.9%
	30-39 years	27.3%	29.1%	28.2%
	40-49 years	24.6%	24.6%	24.6%
	50-59 years	21.0%	20.8%	21.0%
	60-64 years	16.6%	19.2%	18.0%
	65+ years	7.5%	10.0%	8.6%
Tairāwhiti	15-19 years	31.6%	25.9%	29.0%
	20-24 years	47.8%	42.4%	45.6%
	25-29 years	41.5%	39.2%	40.5%
	30-39 years	38.5%	38.5%	38.5%
	40-49 years	35.4%	32.0%	33.7%
	50-59 years	28.6%	26.6%	27.8%
	60-64 years	17.3%	21.3%	19.4%
	65+ years	9.7%	10.8%	9.8%
Taranaki	15-19 years	21.7%	20.5%	21.1%
	20-24 years	35.8%	35.0%	35.3%
	25-29 years	32.5%	32.7%	32.7%
	30-39 years	29.1%	30.8%	29.9%
	40-49 years	26.6%	26.1%	26.3%
	50-59 years	19.5%	20.1%	19.8%
	60-64 years	15.6%	17.8%	16.8%
	65+ years	7.0%	8.9%	8.0%
Waikato	15-19 years	22.9%	19.6%	21.2%
	20-24 years	31.5%	33.6%	32.5%
	25-29 years	30.2%	33.0%	31.6%
	30-39 years	28.0%	29.7%	28.8%
	40-49 years	25.7%	26.0%	25.8%

<b>DHB</b>	<b>Age group</b>	<b>Females</b>	<b>Males</b>	<b>Total</b>
	50-59 years	20.0%	20.4%	20.2%
	60-64 years	14.7%	17.6%	16.2%
	65+ years	7.5%	9.6%	8.4%
<b>Wairarapa</b>	15-19 years	25.4%	22.7%	23.8%
	20-24 years	40.3%	38.0%	39.1%
	25-29 years	36.1%	36.9%	36.2%
	30-39 years	32.0%	33.2%	32.6%
	40-49 years	28.2%	29.2%	28.9%
	50-59 years	20.9%	21.6%	21.3%
	60-64 years	14.7%	16.9%	15.9%
	65+ years	8.3%	9.9%	9.0%
<b>Waitemata</b>	15-19 years	13.9%	13.6%	13.8%
	20-24 years	22.8%	28.0%	25.4%
	25-29 years	20.8%	27.8%	24.2%
	30-39 years	18.6%	24.1%	21.2%
	40-49 years	17.5%	21.3%	19.3%
	50-59 years	14.5%	17.0%	15.7%
	60-64 years	12.0%	13.6%	12.7%
	65+ years	6.4%	7.8%	7.0%
<b>West Coast</b>	15-19 years	25.2%	19.8%	22.2%
	20-24 years	40.9%	41.2%	40.9%
	25-29 years	30.2%	31.7%	31.1%
	30-39 years	31.0%	35.0%	33.0%
	40-49 years	30.2%	30.0%	30.1%
	50-59 years	22.7%	24.7%	23.8%
	60-64 years	22.3%	22.3%	22.3%
	65+ years	9.8%	12.4%	11.2%
<b>Whanganui</b>	15-19 years	29.2%	23.7%	26.3%
	20-24 years	43.0%	41.2%	42.3%
	25-29 years	37.9%	36.8%	37.3%
	30-39 years	35.2%	35.6%	35.6%
	40-49 years	30.9%	31.0%	30.9%
	50-59 years	23.7%	24.9%	24.4%
	60-64 years	18.2%	22.5%	20.1%
	65+ years	8.7%	10.5%	9.5%
<b>New Zealand</b>	15-19 years	19.7%	17.8%	18.8%
	20-24 years	28.1%	31.6%	29.8%
	25-29 years	26.6%	30.9%	28.6%
	30-39 years	23.9%	27.5%	25.6%
	40-49 years	22.3%	24.3%	23.3%
	50-59 years	17.8%	19.6%	18.7%
	60-64 years	14.2%	16.3%	15.2%
	65+ years	7.1%	9.0%	8.0%

Source: Statistics New Zealand



**Table 5: Prevalence of ex-smokers, by gender, age group and DHB**

<b>DHB</b>	<b>Age group</b>	<b>Females</b>	<b>Males</b>	<b>Total</b>
Auckland	15-19 years	4.1%	3.3%	3.7%
	20-24 years	10.5%	9.8%	10.1%
	25-29 years	16.0%	15.2%	15.6%
	30-39 years	17.4%	16.5%	17.0%
	40-49 years	18.5%	20.0%	19.2%
	50-59 years	22.2%	26.9%	24.5%
	60-64 years	24.6%	33.1%	28.8%
	65+ years	22.0%	40.3%	30.0%
Bay of Plenty	15-19 years	5.7%	3.6%	4.6%
	20-24 years	15.0%	11.5%	13.3%
	25-29 years	20.6%	14.5%	17.7%
	30-39 years	23.5%	18.5%	21.3%
	40-49 years	25.0%	24.8%	24.9%
	50-59 years	26.9%	32.8%	29.8%
	60-64 years	28.7%	40.4%	34.4%
	65+ years	26.9%	49.8%	37.6%
Canterbury	15-19 years	5.4%	4.4%	4.9%
	20-24 years	12.6%	11.8%	12.2%
	25-29 years	19.1%	15.6%	17.4%
	30-39 years	22.1%	18.4%	20.3%
	40-49 years	21.9%	22.8%	22.4%
	50-59 years	24.1%	30.6%	27.3%
	60-64 years	28.5%	40.9%	34.6%
	65+ years	24.4%	49.5%	35.4%
Capital and Coast	15-19 years	5.9%	3.7%	4.9%
	20-24 years	12.9%	11.2%	12.2%
	25-29 years	19.2%	16.6%	17.9%
	30-39 years	21.4%	18.7%	20.1%
	40-49 years	24.3%	23.0%	23.7%
	50-59 years	25.9%	31.1%	28.5%
	60-64 years	27.9%	38.1%	32.8%
	65+ years	26.7%	47.2%	35.8%
Counties Manukau	15-19 years	4.2%	2.8%	3.5%
	20-24 years	9.9%	8.2%	9.1%
	25-29 years	13.3%	10.6%	12.0%
	30-39 years	14.7%	13.9%	14.3%
	40-49 years	16.5%	18.9%	17.7%
	50-59 years	19.7%	27.0%	23.3%
	60-64 years	21.8%	33.2%	27.4%
	65+ years	21.2%	41.6%	30.4%
Hawke's Bay	15-19 years	6.2%	4.1%	5.2%
	20-24 years	13.6%	9.1%	11.4%
	25-29 years	17.7%	13.3%	15.5%

<b>DHB</b>	<b>Age group</b>	<b>Females</b>	<b>Males</b>	<b>Total</b>
	30-39 years	23.0%	18.3%	20.8%
	40-49 years	24.1%	24.4%	24.3%
	50-59 years	25.9%	32.8%	29.3%
	60-64 years	29.1%	39.5%	34.2%
	65+ years	26.9%	48.5%	36.4%
<b>Hutt</b>	15-19 years	5.3%	3.4%	4.4%
	20-24 years	13.4%	9.6%	11.5%
	25-29 years	16.8%	12.9%	15.0%
	30-39 years	21.2%	17.1%	19.2%
	40-49 years	24.2%	22.8%	23.6%
	50-59 years	25.3%	31.1%	28.2%
	60-64 years	28.5%	39.3%	33.8%
	65+ years	26.8%	47.6%	35.9%
<b>Lakes</b>	15-19 years	6.8%	3.7%	5.3%
	20-24 years	14.8%	10.4%	12.5%
	25-29 years	18.5%	13.7%	16.3%
	30-39 years	22.2%	17.3%	19.9%
	40-49 years	23.9%	22.7%	23.4%
	50-59 years	26.1%	33.2%	29.5%
	60-64 years	29.5%	39.7%	34.6%
	65+ years	29.0%	49.5%	38.5%
<b>Midcentral</b>	15-19 years	6.2%	4.2%	5.2%
	20-24 years	12.0%	10.4%	11.2%
	25-29 years	18.5%	12.7%	15.6%
	30-39 years	20.8%	15.8%	18.5%
	40-49 years	22.2%	22.4%	22.2%
	50-59 years	24.1%	30.3%	27.1%
	60-64 years	27.8%	37.3%	32.4%
	65+ years	25.6%	48.1%	35.8%
<b>Nelson Marlborough</b>	15-19 years	6.1%	4.3%	5.2%
	20-24 years	16.9%	11.8%	14.3%
	25-29 years	21.7%	17.4%	19.7%
	30-39 years	25.6%	20.8%	23.3%
	40-49 years	25.8%	25.5%	25.6%
	50-59 years	27.4%	33.5%	30.4%
	60-64 years	32.4%	40.1%	36.3%
	65+ years	27.0%	50.2%	37.6%
<b>Northland</b>	15-19 years	6.7%	3.7%	5.2%
	20-24 years	14.7%	9.7%	12.2%
	25-29 years	18.4%	14.8%	16.8%
	30-39 years	23.2%	18.0%	20.8%
	40-49 years	25.4%	25.2%	25.3%
	50-59 years	28.5%	34.2%	31.3%
	60-64 years	30.7%	40.6%	35.5%
	65+ years	27.2%	48.3%	37.3%

<b>DHB</b>	<b>Age group</b>	<b>Females</b>	<b>Males</b>	<b>Total</b>
Otago	15-19 years	5.5%	4.7%	5.1%
	20-24 years	11.0%	10.7%	10.8%
	25-29 years	18.6%	16.0%	17.3%
	30-39 years	22.1%	18.6%	20.4%
	40-49 years	24.0%	23.5%	23.8%
	50-59 years	26.0%	32.1%	29.1%
	60-64 years	31.3%	41.1%	36.2%
	65+ years	26.9%	52.0%	38.0%
South Canterbury	15-19 years	5.9%	3.5%	5.0%
	20-24 years	13.5%	11.5%	12.6%
	25-29 years	18.6%	12.6%	15.5%
	30-39 years	22.2%	18.0%	20.3%
	40-49 years	22.6%	22.2%	22.5%
	50-59 years	25.2%	32.7%	28.9%
	60-64 years	30.8%	40.0%	35.0%
	65+ years	23.8%	51.2%	36.0%
Southland	15-19 years	5.7%	3.9%	4.7%
	20-24 years	14.9%	11.5%	13.1%
	25-29 years	22.0%	16.0%	19.0%
	30-39 years	23.1%	18.7%	20.9%
	40-49 years	23.3%	23.4%	23.4%
	50-59 years	23.7%	29.6%	26.8%
	60-64 years	28.7%	39.2%	34.1%
	65+ years	24.7%	49.8%	36.0%
Tairāwhiti	15-19 years	6.5%	3.7%	5.0%
	20-24 years	12.5%	8.7%	10.8%
	25-29 years	17.0%	11.5%	14.6%
	30-39 years	22.0%	16.7%	19.5%
	40-49 years	23.3%	24.1%	23.7%
	50-59 years	27.5%	30.2%	28.6%
	60-64 years	26.1%	34.0%	30.1%
	65+ years	24.9%	43.9%	33.3%
Taranaki	15-19 years	5.0%	3.8%	4.4%
	20-24 years	13.1%	9.0%	11.1%
	25-29 years	18.5%	13.9%	16.1%
	30-39 years	22.4%	18.0%	20.3%
	40-49 years	24.3%	23.7%	23.9%
	50-59 years	25.5%	31.5%	28.6%
	60-64 years	28.2%	38.3%	33.2%
	65+ years	25.2%	47.3%	35.1%
Waikato	15-19 years	6.1%	4.1%	5.1%
	20-24 years	13.2%	10.0%	11.6%
	25-29 years	18.7%	14.1%	16.4%
	30-39 years	21.0%	17.6%	19.4%
	40-49 years	21.7%	22.9%	22.3%

<b>DHB</b>	<b>Age group</b>	<b>Females</b>	<b>Males</b>	<b>Total</b>
	50-59 years	24.4%	30.6%	27.5%
	60-64 years	27.0%	37.6%	32.1%
	65+ years	24.6%	46.2%	34.5%
<b>Wairarapa</b>	15-19 years	5.7%	4.3%	5.1%
	20-24 years	17.7%	12.5%	14.8%
	25-29 years	18.4%	15.7%	17.2%
	30-39 years	23.7%	18.5%	21.3%
	40-49 years	25.6%	26.1%	25.8%
	50-59 years	27.3%	34.6%	31.0%
	60-64 years	30.5%	41.7%	35.9%
	65+ years	28.8%	48.7%	37.6%
<b>Waitemata</b>	15-19 years	4.7%	3.4%	4.1%
	20-24 years	12.2%	10.3%	11.3%
	25-29 years	18.0%	14.6%	16.4%
	30-39 years	20.1%	18.2%	19.2%
	40-49 years	20.9%	23.5%	22.2%
	50-59 years	24.2%	32.1%	28.1%
	60-64 years	26.6%	40.0%	33.1%
	65+ years	25.3%	46.8%	35.0%
<b>West Coast</b>	15-19 years	5.9%	3.5%	4.8%
	20-24 years	14.6%	10.2%	12.4%
	25-29 years	19.8%	15.9%	17.6%
	30-39 years	23.4%	16.8%	20.3%
	40-49 years	21.8%	23.6%	22.7%
	50-59 years	26.7%	29.6%	28.2%
	60-64 years	32.7%	41.9%	37.2%
	65+ years	26.0%	47.4%	36.3%
<b>Whanganui</b>	15-19 years	6.1%	4.9%	5.4%
	20-24 years	12.9%	8.8%	10.7%
	25-29 years	17.9%	14.3%	16.4%
	30-39 years	22.1%	17.8%	20.1%
	40-49 years	22.3%	22.1%	22.3%
	50-59 years	24.9%	29.9%	27.4%
	60-64 years	28.2%	35.4%	31.9%
	65+ years	25.2%	48.6%	35.7%
<b>New Zealand</b>	15-19 years	5.4%	3.8%	4.6%
	20-24 years	12.3%	10.3%	11.3%
	25-29 years	17.8%	14.4%	16.2%
	30-39 years	20.6%	17.5%	19.1%
	40-49 years	21.9%	22.7%	22.3%
	50-59 years	24.5%	30.8%	27.6%
	60-64 years	27.6%	38.4%	32.9%
	65+ years	25.2%	47.3%	35.1%

Source: Statistics New Zealand

**Table 6: Prevalence of never smokers, by gender, age group and DHB**

<b>DHB</b>	<b>Age group</b>	<b>Females</b>	<b>Males</b>	<b>Total</b>
Auckland	15-19 years	83.6%	84.4%	84.0%
	20-24 years	71.3%	63.9%	67.7%
	25-29 years	66.6%	59.4%	63.1%
	30-39 years	68.4%	61.7%	65.2%
	40-49 years	67.0%	59.2%	63.2%
	50-59 years	64.7%	55.0%	59.9%
	60-64 years	63.9%	52.2%	58.1%
	65+ years	71.6%	50.4%	62.3%
Bay of Plenty	15-19 years	68.8%	75.9%	72.4%
	20-24 years	45.5%	50.3%	47.9%
	25-29 years	44.3%	49.4%	46.7%
	30-39 years	46.3%	50.5%	48.3%
	40-49 years	48.4%	48.9%	48.6%
	50-59 years	53.3%	47.5%	50.5%
	60-64 years	56.4%	44.6%	50.6%
	65+ years	66.5%	42.5%	55.3%
Canterbury	15-19 years	76.2%	78.5%	77.4%
	20-24 years	62.0%	58.8%	60.3%
	25-29 years	56.6%	54.1%	55.4%
	30-39 years	56.2%	56.2%	56.2%
	40-49 years	58.5%	55.4%	57.0%
	50-59 years	60.2%	51.6%	56.0%
	60-64 years	58.5%	44.0%	51.3%
	65+ years	68.9%	42.5%	57.3%
Capital and Coast	15-19 years	78.5%	81.9%	80.1%
	20-24 years	65.2%	62.4%	63.8%
	25-29 years	60.7%	58.3%	59.5%
	30-39 years	60.1%	60.2%	60.1%
	40-49 years	58.3%	57.6%	57.9%
	50-59 years	58.8%	51.8%	55.4%
	60-64 years	60.2%	48.3%	54.3%
	65+ years	66.4%	44.7%	56.8%
Counties Manukau	15-19 years	76.9%	79.7%	78.3%
	20-24 years	60.6%	58.4%	59.5%
	25-29 years	58.8%	56.9%	58.0%
	30-39 years	60.7%	56.5%	58.8%
	40-49 years	61.8%	54.6%	58.3%
	50-59 years	62.9%	51.8%	57.4%
	60-64 years	64.4%	48.8%	56.8%
	65+ years	71.8%	48.6%	61.3%
Hawke's Bay	15-19 years	67.4%	73.9%	70.6%
	20-24 years	44.0%	49.3%	46.7%
	25-29 years	43.7%	50.6%	47.0%
	30-39 years	45.0%	48.1%	46.5%
	40-49 years	47.5%	47.5%	47.5%

<b>DHB</b>	<b>Age group</b>	<b>Females</b>	<b>Males</b>	<b>Total</b>
	50-59 years	52.1%	44.9%	48.5%
	60-64 years	54.0%	42.4%	48.2%
	65+ years	65.6%	42.1%	55.2%
<b>Hutt</b>	15-19 years	71.6%	77.7%	74.7%
	20-24 years	49.8%	54.4%	52.1%
	25-29 years	50.0%	52.9%	51.3%
	30-39 years	52.5%	55.0%	53.7%
	40-49 years	51.5%	51.6%	51.5%
	50-59 years	54.5%	48.0%	51.2%
	60-64 years	56.0%	44.0%	50.1%
	65+ years	65.5%	42.9%	55.5%
<b>Lakes</b>	15-19 years	60.6%	71.3%	66.0%
	20-24 years	40.0%	47.7%	43.7%
	25-29 years	42.9%	48.3%	45.5%
	30-39 years	43.8%	49.5%	46.5%
	40-49 years	44.8%	48.4%	46.5%
	50-59 years	50.1%	43.7%	46.9%
	60-64 years	52.1%	42.8%	47.6%
	65+ years	61.7%	40.2%	51.7%
<b>Midcentral</b>	15-19 years	71.0%	75.4%	73.1%
	20-24 years	57.4%	58.4%	57.9%
	25-29 years	51.9%	54.8%	53.3%
	30-39 years	49.8%	53.6%	51.5%
	40-49 years	50.9%	50.9%	50.9%
	50-59 years	56.1%	49.1%	52.7%
	60-64 years	56.0%	45.3%	50.9%
	65+ years	67.0%	41.9%	55.6%
<b>Nelson Marlborough</b>	15-19 years	73.2%	77.0%	75.1%
	20-24 years	49.1%	52.1%	50.5%
	25-29 years	48.9%	48.5%	48.7%
	30-39 years	50.4%	49.8%	50.1%
	40-49 years	53.7%	50.8%	52.3%
	50-59 years	58.1%	49.8%	53.9%
	60-64 years	56.3%	45.2%	50.8%
	65+ years	67.2%	42.5%	55.9%
<b>Northland</b>	15-19 years	65.4%	74.4%	70.0%
	20-24 years	45.4%	50.1%	47.7%
	25-29 years	44.1%	48.2%	46.0%
	30-39 years	42.9%	46.0%	44.4%
	40-49 years	43.0%	43.1%	43.1%
	50-59 years	48.7%	42.7%	45.7%
	60-64 years	52.1%	41.3%	46.9%
	65+ years	63.6%	40.8%	52.8%
<b>Otago</b>	15-19 years	79.7%	79.4%	79.6%
	20-24 years	67.1%	62.8%	65.0%
	25-29 years	54.9%	53.8%	54.3%

<b>DHB</b>	<b>Age group</b>	<b>Females</b>	<b>Males</b>	<b>Total</b>
	30-39 years	53.3%	53.5%	53.5%
	40-49 years	53.7%	53.1%	53.4%
	50-59 years	56.2%	48.5%	52.3%
	60-64 years	53.9%	41.6%	47.8%
	65+ years	66.0%	38.8%	53.9%
<b>South Canterbury</b>	15-19 years	71.0%	75.1%	72.8%
	20-24 years	46.2%	49.6%	47.9%
	25-29 years	51.0%	49.4%	50.3%
	30-39 years	48.9%	49.5%	49.1%
	40-49 years	52.9%	53.4%	53.2%
	50-59 years	55.9%	48.8%	52.4%
	60-64 years	54.6%	43.7%	49.6%
	65+ years	69.1%	40.0%	56.2%
<b>Southland</b>	15-19 years	68.0%	70.2%	69.1%
	20-24 years	45.9%	49.2%	47.7%
	25-29 years	47.1%	47.1%	47.1%
	30-39 years	49.6%	52.2%	50.9%
	40-49 years	52.1%	52.0%	52.0%
	50-59 years	55.3%	49.6%	52.3%
	60-64 years	54.7%	41.6%	48.0%
	65+ years	67.8%	40.2%	55.4%
<b>Tairāwhiti</b>	15-19 years	61.9%	70.4%	66.0%
	20-24 years	39.7%	48.9%	43.5%
	25-29 years	41.5%	49.4%	44.9%
	30-39 years	39.5%	44.7%	42.0%
	40-49 years	41.3%	44.0%	42.5%
	50-59 years	43.8%	43.2%	43.6%
	60-64 years	56.5%	44.7%	50.5%
	65+ years	65.3%	45.3%	56.9%
<b>Taranaki</b>	15-19 years	73.3%	75.6%	74.5%
	20-24 years	51.2%	56.0%	53.6%
	25-29 years	49.0%	53.4%	51.3%
	30-39 years	48.5%	51.3%	49.8%
	40-49 years	49.2%	50.2%	49.7%
	50-59 years	55.0%	48.4%	51.6%
	60-64 years	56.2%	43.9%	50.0%
	65+ years	67.8%	43.8%	56.9%
<b>Waikato</b>	15-19 years	71.0%	76.3%	73.7%
	20-24 years	55.3%	56.4%	55.9%
	25-29 years	51.0%	52.9%	51.9%
	30-39 years	51.0%	52.8%	51.8%
	40-49 years	52.6%	51.1%	51.9%
	50-59 years	55.5%	49.1%	52.3%
	60-64 years	58.3%	44.8%	51.7%
	65+ years	67.9%	44.2%	57.1%
<b>Wairarapa</b>	15-19 years	68.9%	72.9%	71.1%

<b>DHB</b>	<b>Age group</b>	<b>Females</b>	<b>Males</b>	<b>Total</b>
	20-24 years	42.0%	49.4%	46.1%
	25-29 years	45.5%	47.5%	46.6%
	30-39 years	44.4%	48.3%	46.2%
	40-49 years	46.2%	44.8%	45.3%
	50-59 years	51.8%	43.8%	47.8%
	60-64 years	54.9%	41.4%	48.3%
	65+ years	62.9%	41.4%	53.3%
<b>Waitemata</b>	15-19 years	81.4%	82.9%	82.2%
	20-24 years	65.0%	61.8%	63.4%
	25-29 years	61.3%	57.6%	59.5%
	30-39 years	61.3%	57.7%	59.7%
	40-49 years	61.6%	55.2%	58.5%
	50-59 years	61.3%	50.9%	56.2%
	60-64 years	61.4%	46.4%	54.2%
	65+ years	68.3%	45.4%	58.1%
<b>West Coast</b>	15-19 years	68.9%	76.7%	72.9%
	20-24 years	44.4%	48.7%	46.7%
	25-29 years	50.0%	52.4%	51.3%
	30-39 years	45.6%	48.2%	46.8%
	40-49 years	48.0%	46.4%	47.2%
	50-59 years	50.6%	45.7%	48.0%
	60-64 years	45.0%	35.8%	40.5%
	65+ years	64.1%	40.2%	52.5%
<b>Whanganui</b>	15-19 years	64.7%	71.4%	68.3%
	20-24 years	44.1%	50.0%	46.9%
	25-29 years	44.2%	48.9%	46.4%
	30-39 years	42.7%	46.6%	44.4%
	40-49 years	46.9%	46.9%	46.8%
	50-59 years	51.5%	45.1%	48.3%
	60-64 years	53.7%	42.1%	48.0%
	65+ years	66.1%	40.9%	54.8%
<b>New Zealand</b>	15-19 years	74.9%	78.4%	76.7%
	20-24 years	59.5%	58.1%	58.8%
	25-29 years	55.6%	54.7%	55.2%
	30-39 years	55.5%	55.1%	55.3%
	40-49 years	55.8%	53.0%	54.5%
	50-59 years	57.7%	49.6%	53.7%
	60-64 years	58.2%	45.3%	51.8%
	65+ years	67.7%	43.7%	56.9%

Source: Statistics New Zealand



**Table 7: Prevalence of regular smokers, by gender age group, ethnicity and DHB**

DHB	European		Maori		Pacific Peoples		Asian		MELAA		Other Ethnicity		Total		Total
	Females	Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	
Auckland	14.3%	17.3%	38.7%	35.0%	24.6%	33.8%	4.7%	18.1%	8.9%	19.1%	12.5%	14.7%	13.7%	19.5%	16.5%
Bay of Plenty	18.5%	19.6%	46.7%	38.9%	36.2%	33.2%	7.2%	15.0%	17.9%	23.3%	14.8%	16.3%	22.4%	22.3%	22.3%
Canterbury	17.7%	19.5%	42.6%	37.7%	27.7%	32.4%	6.0%	21.2%	9.9%	19.5%	15.4%	17.1%	17.4%	20.2%	18.8%
Capital and Coast	15.5%	16.8%	38.9%	31.8%	30.2%	33.8%	5.8%	17.0%	8.5%	24.8%	14.0%	15.1%	16.2%	18.6%	17.3%
Counties Manukau	19.3%	20.8%	50.3%	42.5%	26.7%	34.3%	3.4%	16.3%	8.9%	22.0%	15.4%	16.6%	20.4%	24.0%	22.1%
Hawke's Bay	21.3%	22.5%	48.7%	40.9%	28.8%	30.8%	6.3%	20.4%	9.4%	26.9%	17.2%	18.9%	24.6%	25.0%	24.8%
Hutt	21.2%	21.7%	49.0%	38.6%	29.8%	35.3%	6.0%	15.5%	6.1%	16.9%	18.4%	19.2%	22.5%	23.4%	22.9%
Lakes	23.0%	22.8%	49.3%	39.9%	37.4%	33.3%	9.9%	23.3%	16.2%	22.6%	18.1%	18.7%	28.0%	26.4%	27.2%
Midcentral	20.9%	21.9%	45.9%	38.5%	31.0%	34.6%	6.0%	20.3%	13.4%	17.3%	17.7%	19.4%	22.2%	23.2%	22.7%
Nelson Marlborough	17.4%	20.4%	41.8%	37.4%	32.6%	35.7%	8.2%	25.8%	11.9%	23.4%	14.3%	16.6%	17.9%	20.9%	19.3%
Northland	20.9%	22.2%	46.1%	40.4%	38.5%	40.1%	9.4%	21.7%	12.5%	24.2%	16.9%	18.3%	25.6%	25.7%	25.7%
Otago	18.5%	20.6%	38.3%	35.0%	28.1%	28.8%	5.6%	15.6%	8.6%	17.9%	15.8%	18.6%	18.2%	20.8%	19.4%
South Canterbury	20.4%	22.0%	43.2%	38.8%	35.0%	34.8%	7.3%	23.2%	20.0%	36.4%	16.9%	18.2%	20.4%	22.0%	21.2%
Southland	22.6%	24.2%	45.8%	38.4%	39.3%	41.6%	11.1%	28.8%	23.6%	15.4%	17.6%	20.0%	22.9%	24.6%	23.8%
Tairāwhiti	22.1%	23.4%	47.1%	39.5%	31.1%	40.7%	8.4%	25.3%	0.0%	25.0%	17.2%	19.3%	30.4%	28.9%	29.7%
Taranaki	20.5%	21.6%	46.8%	38.4%	31.8%	36.8%	7.4%	22.9%	9.1%	20.8%	17.5%	19.3%	21.9%	22.9%	22.4%
Waikato	19.7%	21.4%	46.0%	38.8%	30.7%	29.8%	5.0%	17.8%	7.4%	16.7%	16.6%	18.1%	22.1%	23.3%	22.6%
Wairarapa	22.0%	23.5%	47.4%	38.4%	30.0%	34.6%	10.5%	22.2%	0.0%	22.2%	17.4%	17.6%	23.0%	24.0%	23.5%
Waitemata	16.4%	18.1%	40.0%	34.5%	24.6%	30.6%	4.1%	18.6%	9.2%	18.8%	14.3%	15.0%	15.7%	19.3%	17.4%
West Coast	25.8%	26.4%	43.3%	39.6%	30.4%	41.4%	8.3%	17.9%	37.5%	28.6%	19.3%	22.3%	25.2%	26.2%	25.7%
Whanganui	22.1%	24.3%	51.0%	41.4%	33.9%	34.1%	8.8%	19.7%	8.3%	18.8%	20.2%	22.4%	25.9%	26.7%	26.3%
New Zealand	18.6%	20.3%	45.5%	38.5%	27.3%	33.5%	4.8%	18.1%	9.6%	20.3%	15.8%	17.4%	19.5%	21.9%	20.7%

Note: MELAA stands for Middle Eastern, Latin American and African  
Source: Statistics New Zealand

**Table 8: Prevalence of ex-smokers, by gender age group, ethnicity and DHB**

DHB	European		Māori		Pacific Peoples		Asian		MELAA		Other Ethnicity		Total		Total
	Females	Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	
Auckland	23.5%	24.8%	20.6%	18.3%	9.8%	10.8%	3.6%	10.2%	10.7%	15.5%	24.1%	25.1%	17.1%	19.8%	18.4%
Bay of Plenty	24.3%	29.6%	20.0%	18.7%	15.1%	15.6%	5.8%	9.5%	17.9%	21.7%	27.1%	31.1%	23.3%	27.7%	25.4%
Canterbury	21.8%	26.1%	20.5%	19.5%	12.7%	13.7%	5.3%	12.4%	10.2%	16.6%	23.6%	26.8%	20.7%	25.0%	22.8%
Capital and Coast	23.7%	25.5%	22.1%	19.1%	12.0%	12.0%	5.2%	12.2%	9.9%	15.0%	25.4%	27.0%	21.1%	23.4%	22.2%
Counties Manukau	21.6%	25.1%	17.2%	15.9%	8.0%	9.1%	2.4%	9.6%	6.6%	12.9%	23.4%	27.2%	15.3%	18.9%	17.0%
Hawke's Bay	23.4%	28.1%	18.6%	17.6%	11.0%	12.8%	6.0%	10.6%	15.1%	13.4%	26.7%	29.8%	22.4%	26.2%	24.2%
Hutt	23.7%	25.6%	20.1%	18.3%	11.1%	11.4%	4.2%	11.5%	7.6%	14.5%	26.5%	28.3%	21.2%	23.5%	22.4%
Lakes	24.2%	27.6%	19.1%	17.5%	16.5%	16.2%	6.7%	12.7%	18.9%	16.1%	26.5%	29.0%	22.5%	25.1%	23.8%
Midcentral	21.3%	25.2%	19.3%	18.1%	11.1%	12.1%	4.9%	11.3%	10.3%	15.5%	23.6%	26.7%	20.5%	24.0%	22.2%
Nelson Marlborough	24.7%	28.6%	22.9%	21.2%	13.8%	18.7%	6.8%	12.7%	14.3%	23.4%	26.6%	30.6%	24.4%	28.3%	26.3%
Northland	24.8%	29.5%	20.7%	19.1%	16.4%	17.1%	6.8%	14.5%	15.0%	27.3%	27.9%	31.8%	23.7%	27.6%	25.6%
Otago	21.8%	26.5%	19.7%	19.4%	13.2%	15.0%	4.9%	9.6%	8.6%	15.0%	24.6%	28.0%	21.2%	25.8%	23.4%
South Canterbury	21.5%	28.0%	23.4%	22.0%	15.0%	13.0%	6.3%	13.0%	20.0%	18.2%	25.4%	30.2%	21.8%	28.0%	24.8%
Southland	21.8%	25.5%	21.0%	21.0%	15.7%	14.9%	8.5%	15.1%	18.2%	18.5%	24.3%	26.6%	21.7%	25.1%	23.4%
Tairāwhiti	23.1%	26.2%	19.1%	18.2%	17.9%	15.0%	6.0%	12.0%	16.7%	16.7%	25.9%	27.8%	21.4%	23.3%	22.3%
Taranaki	22.0%	26.2%	19.9%	19.1%	17.8%	16.0%	6.3%	13.0%	9.1%	16.7%	24.4%	26.4%	21.7%	25.4%	23.5%
Waikato	21.8%	25.6%	18.8%	17.2%	13.3%	14.8%	4.0%	10.3%	7.0%	14.6%	23.9%	27.5%	20.4%	23.9%	22.1%
Wairarapa	24.6%	28.9%	21.5%	22.3%	12.9%	16.7%	7.9%	13.0%	0.0%	33.3%	27.0%	33.3%	24.2%	28.8%	26.4%
Waitemata	23.5%	26.9%	21.5%	18.7%	11.6%	11.7%	3.7%	12.5%	9.5%	16.3%	25.0%	28.1%	19.8%	23.9%	21.8%
West Coast	22.0%	25.8%	20.6%	22.0%	13.0%	13.8%	6.3%	21.4%	12.5%	28.6%	26.6%	27.7%	22.5%	26.0%	24.3%
Whanganui	22.0%	26.7%	19.2%	17.9%	13.0%	17.1%	8.1%	12.6%	8.3%	18.8%	23.9%	27.4%	21.4%	25.4%	23.3%
New Zealand	22.8%	26.5%	19.7%	18.3%	10.4%	11.3%	3.9%	11.0%	9.8%	15.6%	24.9%	27.9%	20.3%	23.9%	22.1%

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Source: Statistics New Zealand

**Table 9: Prevalence of never smokers, by gender, age group, ethnicity and DHB**

DHB	European		Māori		Pacific Peoples		Asian		MELAA		Other Ethnicity		Total		Total
	Females	Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	
Auckland	62.2%	57.9%	40.7%	46.7%	65.6%	55.4%	91.7%	71.7%	80.4%	65.5%	63.4%	60.2%	69.3%	60.7%	57.25%
Bay of Plenty	57.2%	50.7%	33.3%	42.3%	48.7%	51.2%	87.0%	75.5%	64.3%	55.0%	58.1%	52.5%	54.4%	50.0%	48.73%
Canterbury	60.6%	54.4%	36.9%	42.7%	59.6%	53.9%	88.8%	66.4%	79.9%	63.9%	61.0%	56.1%	61.8%	54.8%	50.99%
Capital and Coast	60.8%	57.6%	39.0%	49.1%	57.8%	54.2%	89.0%	70.8%	81.6%	60.3%	60.7%	58.0%	62.7%	58.0%	50.41%
Counties Manukau	59.0%	54.1%	32.5%	41.6%	65.2%	56.7%	94.3%	74.1%	84.5%	65.1%	61.2%	56.2%	64.4%	57.0%	55.15%
Hawke's Bay	55.3%	49.4%	32.7%	41.5%	60.2%	56.4%	87.8%	69.0%	75.5%	59.7%	56.0%	51.3%	53.0%	48.8%	54.70%
Hutt	55.1%	52.8%	30.9%	43.1%	59.1%	53.3%	89.8%	73.1%	86.3%	68.5%	55.1%	52.6%	56.2%	53.1%	60.47%
Lakes	52.8%	49.5%	31.6%	42.5%	46.1%	50.5%	83.4%	64.0%	64.9%	61.3%	55.4%	52.2%	49.5%	48.5%	50.12%
Midcentral	57.8%	52.9%	34.7%	43.4%	57.9%	53.3%	89.2%	68.4%	76.3%	67.3%	58.7%	53.9%	57.4%	52.7%	54.36%
Nelson Marlborough	58.0%	51.0%	35.3%	41.4%	53.6%	45.6%	85.0%	61.5%	73.8%	53.2%	59.1%	52.8%	57.7%	50.9%	50.04%
Northland	54.3%	48.3%	33.2%	40.5%	45.1%	42.8%	83.8%	63.8%	72.5%	48.5%	55.2%	49.9%	50.6%	46.7%	58.44%
Otago	59.8%	52.9%	42.0%	45.7%	58.6%	56.3%	89.6%	74.8%	82.8%	67.1%	59.6%	53.4%	60.6%	53.5%	54.03%
South Canterbury	58.1%	50.0%	33.4%	39.1%	50.0%	52.2%	86.5%	63.8%	60.0%	45.5%	57.7%	51.6%	57.8%	50.0%	60.82%
Southland	55.6%	50.3%	33.2%	40.7%	45.0%	43.5%	80.4%	56.1%	58.2%	66.2%	58.1%	53.4%	55.4%	50.3%	57.15%
Tairāwhiti	54.8%	50.4%	33.8%	42.3%	50.9%	44.2%	85.5%	62.7%	83.3%	58.3%	56.9%	52.9%	48.2%	47.8%	52.84%
Taranaki	57.5%	52.3%	33.3%	42.5%	50.5%	47.2%	86.3%	64.1%	81.8%	62.5%	58.1%	54.3%	56.3%	51.7%	65.14%
Waikato	58.5%	52.9%	35.2%	44.0%	56.0%	55.4%	91.0%	71.9%	85.6%	68.7%	59.5%	54.4%	57.6%	52.8%	60.84%
Wairarapa	53.4%	47.7%	31.1%	39.2%	57.1%	48.7%	81.6%	64.8%	100.0%	44.4%	55.7%	49.0%	52.8%	47.2%	55.28%
Waitemata	60.1%	55.0%	38.6%	46.8%	63.9%	57.8%	92.3%	68.9%	81.3%	64.9%	60.7%	56.9%	64.5%	56.8%	49.01%
West Coast	52.2%	47.8%	36.1%	38.5%	56.5%	44.8%	85.4%	60.7%	50.0%	42.9%	54.1%	49.9%	52.2%	47.9%	52.29%
Whanganui	55.9%	49.0%	29.8%	40.7%	53.0%	48.8%	83.1%	67.7%	83.3%	62.5%	55.9%	50.1%	52.7%	47.9%	48.04%
New Zealand	58.6%	53.3%	34.7%	43.2%	62.4%	55.3%	91.2%	70.9%	80.6%	64.1%	59.3%	54.7%	60.1%	54.1%	54.09%

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