

Alberta Official Statistics

Prevalence of Current Daily Smokers by Sex, Alberta

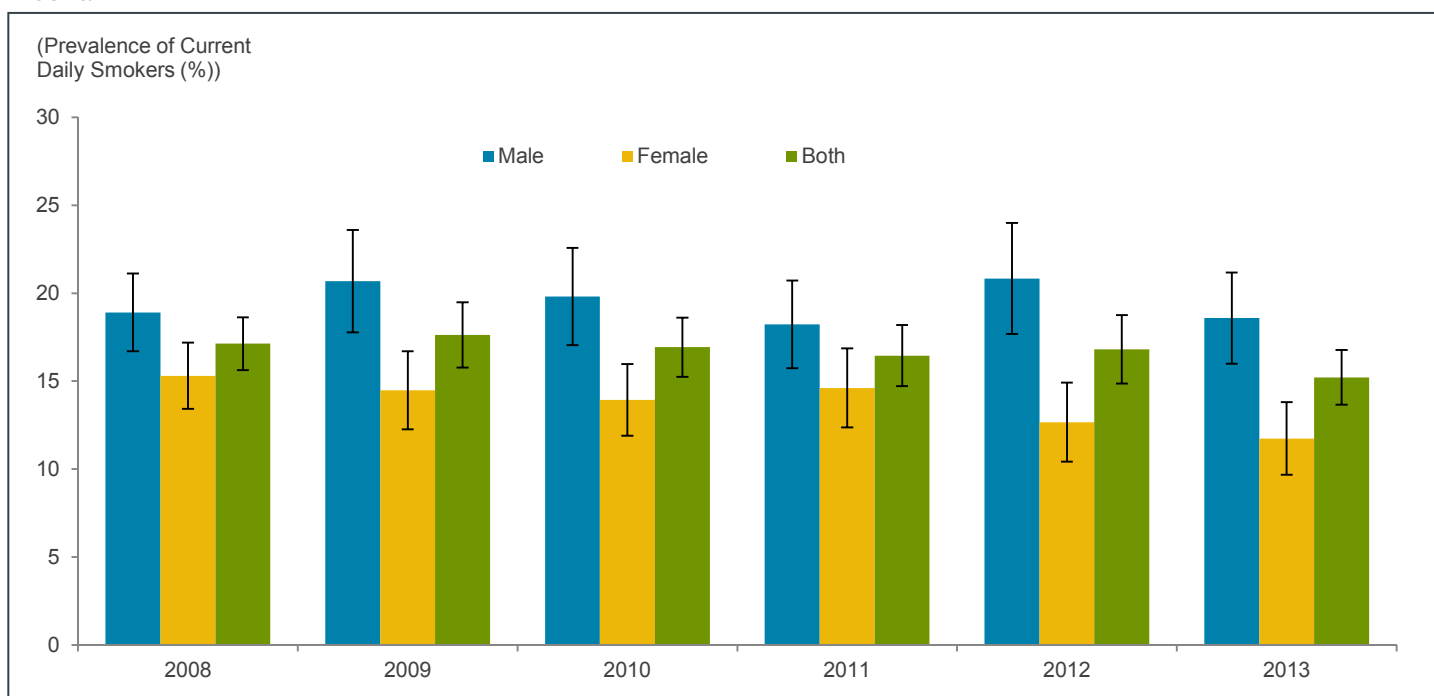
- The prevalence of current daily smokers¹ is an estimate of the percentage of the population (12 years and over) who currently smoke on a daily basis.
- The percentage of current daily smokers in Alberta has been relatively stable from 2008 to 2013.
- Males are more likely to be current daily smokers than females. In 2013, 18.6% of males were current daily smokers compared to 11.7% for females.

Note: Survey respondents may indicate if they do not want their data shared with provincial health ministries. In that case, these individuals would not be included in the files shared with the provinces. Therefore, readers are cautioned that the proportions obtained for this Alberta Official Statistic (from the provincial share files) may vary slightly from those reported by Statistics Canada (CCHS Master File).

¹ The bars are estimates of the true value of the prevalence of current daily smokers. The vertical black lines in the graph represent the range in which the true value is expected to occur 95 per cent of the time (95% confidence intervals).

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Sources: Canadian Community Health Survey (CCHS) - Provincial Share Files