Table 1.4 Victims of self-reported spousal violence within the past 5 years, by province, 1999, 2004 and 2009

Province	1999		2004		2009 1	
	number (thousands)	percent	number (thousands)	percent	number (thousands)	percent
Newfoundland and Labrador	14	4.7	16	5.1	13 E	4.1 E
Prince Edward Island	7	9.6	4 E	5.1 ^E	6 E	7.0 E
Nova Scotia	38	7.2	41	7.5	31	5.5
New Brunswick	34	7.9	29	6.5	25	5.5
Quebec	312	7.4 *	238	5.4	242	5.3
Ontario	366	6.0	442	6.4	453	6.2
Manitoba	46	7.7	46	7.3	48	7.4
Saskatchewan	51	9.5	46	8.4	47	8.2
Alberta	158	9.9 *	156	8.7	153	7.6
British Columbia	214	9.4 *	183	7.5	167	6.5
Total	1,239	7.4 *	1,200	6.6	1,186	6.2

* significant difference from reference group (p < 0.05)

1. Reference group.

Note(s): Includes legally married, common-law, same-sex, separated and divorced spouses.

Source(s): Statistics Canada, General Social Survey, 1999, 2004 and 2009.