

q6. Different community, academic, and political groups, point to a number of different community conditions as thin Canada's cities. For each of the following community conditions, please tell me if you believe they are a major factor, Canada's cities?

	Gangs	Racism	Inadequate handgun laws	Inadequate border controls that allow handguns to be smuggled from the US to Canada	A culture of violence within specific ethnic or racial groups	Drugs and drug trafficking	Judges that are too lenient with criminals convicted of gun crimes
Base: Valid respondents	8336	8336	8336	8336	8336	8336	8336
Weighted	8336	8336	8336	8336	8336	8336	8336
Major factor	7355 88%	2978 36%	4050 49%	4526 54%	4627 56%	7014 84%	6535 78%
Minor factor	845 10%	3227 39%	1955 24%	2485 30%	2517 30%	1105 13%	1295 16%
Not really a factor	102 1%	1642 20%	1446 17%	1038 13%	951 11%	179 2%	422 5%
Not a factor at all	34 0%	490 6%	885 11%	287 3%	241 3%	37 0%	83 1%

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gs they believe are responsible for causing the recent rash of gun violence in
a minor factor, not really a factor, or not a factor at all in causing gun violence in

Lack of Police presence	Poverty	Lack of adequate affordable housing	Glamourizati on of gang culture through popular media	A lack of employment and work training programs for young people	A lack of adequate funding for recreational facilities and youth programs	The Young offenders act
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3355 40%	4008 48%	2187 26%	4568 55%	3535 42%	3094 37%	5151 62%
3578 43%	2916 35%	3265 39%	2685 32%	3078 37%	3190 38%	2048 25%
1192 14%	1148 14%	2240 27%	916 11%	1351 16%	1626 20%	946 11%
212 3%	263 3%	644 8%	166 2%	373 5%	427 5%	191 2%