

## **NU07 Iglulik 1961**

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Source: Damas, David (1963) Igluligmiut kinship and local groupings: A structural approach. Ottawa: *National Museum of Canada Bulletin 196*, plus unpublished data.

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Location: Melville Peninsula, Baffin Island and nearby small islands, N.W.T., Canada; 67-71 N, 78-87 W

Dates of census:

- Period to which data pertain: January - May 1961
- When collected: January - May 1961

Iglulik Eskimo population in 1961: 514 (Damas 1963:97). This figure pertains to the same region as that in the Iglulik 1949 data file, and part of the region covered in Iglulik 1921-22 file. See note under "Iglulik Eskimo population in 1949" in Iglulik 1949 data for further details.

Society codes: EA = Na22; OWC = ND5

File type: synchronic. The Iglulik 1961 data are the third of three sets that constitute a long interval diachronic sequence. The other two are Iglulik 1921-22 and Iglulik 1949.

Basis of genealogical diagrams: 11. ResGrp1 (1-16) Villages, January-May 1961. Working closely with David Damas, I have revised the diagrams for Iglulik 1961 that appear in Damas (1963), incorporating a great deal of information that was either omitted from that monograph or included in it only in the narrative. Wherever Iglulik 1961 diagrams in this data set disagree with those in Damas 1963, the newer version

supercedes the older. Note that squares ( □ ) in the genealogical diagrams denote people (almost always small children) of unknown sex, while a dark symbol without an "X" denotes a living person who resides outside these villages but serves as a genealogical link between villages.

Number of living people: 528

Number of data records: 645 (including deceased links and living links who resided outside the villages)

## KEY

1. ID number
2. Life status 1=alive, 0=dead
3. Sex: 1=male, 2=female
4. Age: not available
5. Current marital status: 0=not applicable, 1=never married, 2=married, 4=widowed
6. Father's ID
7. Mother's ID
8. 1st spouses' ID
9. 2nd spouses' ID
10. 3rd spouses' ID
11. ResGrp1 (1-16) Villages, January-May 1961
12. ResGrp2 (1-4) Neighborhoods in Villages 15 and 16, Winter 1961
13. ID code used in source document.

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|        | Male | Female | Unknown | Total |
|--------|------|--------|---------|-------|
| Living | 266  | 260    | 0       | 526   |
| Dead   | 60   | 59     | 0       | 119   |
| Total  | 326  | 319    | 0       | 645   |

Table 1. Life status by sex.

|               | Male | Female | Unknown | Total |
|---------------|------|--------|---------|-------|
| Never married | 148  | 138    | 0       | 286   |
| Married       | 112  | 111    | 0       | 223   |
| Divorced      | 0    | 0      | 0       | 0     |
| Widowed       | 6    | 11     | 0       | 17    |
| Total         | 266  | 260    | 0       | 526   |

Table 2. Marital status among living by sex.

| Variable number | Variable name and values | Number of people | Mean size of residential units |
|-----------------|--------------------------|------------------|--------------------------------|
|-----------------|--------------------------|------------------|--------------------------------|

|    |  |     |      |
|----|--|-----|------|
| 11 | Villages,<br>January-May 1961                      |     |      |
|    | V# 1   | 21  |      |
|    | V# 2   | 15  |      |
|    | V# 3   | 21  |      |
|    | V# 4   | 25  |      |
|    | V# 5   | 40  |      |
|    | V# 6   | 18  |      |
|    | V# 7   | 18  |      |
|    | V# 8   | 5   |      |
|    | V# 9   | 10  |      |
|    | V# 10  | 19  |      |
|    | V# 11  | 23  |      |
|    | V# 12  | 43  |      |
|    | V# 13  | 32  |      |
|    | V# 14  | 49  |      |
|    | V# 15  | 62  |      |
|    | V# 16  | 92  |      |
|    | Total 16   | 493 | 30.8 |
| 12 | Neighborhoods in Villages 15 and 16<br>Winter 1961 |     |      |
|    | N# 1   | 28  |      |
|    | N# 2   | 35  |      |
|    | N# 3   | 37  |      |
|    | N# 4   | 51  |      |
|    | Total 4  | 151 | 37.7 |

Table 3. Residential group sizes.