

Table 16

Reading Proficiency by Age and Sex
Number of Māori able to read Māori language at each proficiency level
 For Māori aged 15 years and over
 Number of people

Sex and Age	Reading Proficiency					Total
	Very Well	Well	Fairly Well	Not Very Well	No More than a Few Words or Phrases	
Male						
15-24 years	**	* 2,312	6,406	10,325	23,155	43,147
25-34 years	**	* 1,422	5,059	9,061	19,056	35,419
35-44 years	* 1,486	* 1,273	3,984	8,239	17,581	32,563
45-54 years	* 1,964	* 1,211	* 2,834	4,030	11,097	21,135
55+ years	4,940	1,622	2,509	3,066	7,592	19,729
Total	10,161	7,838	20,792	34,720	78,481	151,993
Female						
15-24 years	2,039	3,887	9,960	12,145	18,122	46,153
25-34 years	* 1,075	1,937	7,309	12,865	19,158	42,343
35-44 years	* 1,263	1,839	5,640	11,327	17,383	37,452
45-54 years	1,806	* 1,490	4,542	4,996	9,919	22,754
55+ years	5,718	1,671	3,250	3,168	8,435	22,242
Total	11,901	10,825	30,701	44,500	73,017	170,944
Total						
15-24 years	* 2,988	6,199	16,366	22,470	41,278	89,300
25-34 years	* 1,896	3,358	12,368	21,925	38,214	77,762
35-44 years	* 2,749	3,112	9,625	19,566	34,963	70,015
45-54 years	3,770	* 2,701	7,376	9,026	21,016	43,889
55+ years	10,658	3,293	5,759	6,234	16,026	41,971
Total	22,062	18,663	51,494	79,220	151,498	322,937

Note: These figures are provisional.

Table 18

Writing Proficiency by Age and Sex
Number of Māori able to write Māori language at each proficiency level
 For Māori aged 15 years and over
 Number of people

Sex and Age	Writing Proficiency					Total
	Very Well	Well	Fairly Well	Not Very Well	No More than a Few Words or Phrases	
Male						
15-24 years	* 1,032	* 1,958	5,370	9,182	25,605	43,147
25-34 years	**	**	4,722	7,389	21,963	35,419
35-44 years	* 1,161	* 1,418	* 2,199	6,305	21,480	32,563
45-54 years	* 1,841	* 1,164	* 1,660	3,439	13,031	21,135
55+ years	4,378	* 1,246	2,088	2,423	9,594	19,729
Total	8,888	6,656	16,040	28,737	91,672	151,993
Female						
15-24 years	* 2,301	3,499	8,708	10,416	21,230	46,153
25-34 years	**	* 1,401	5,569	10,856	23,533	42,343
35-44 years	* 1,025	* 1,922	4,070	8,912	21,523	37,452
45-54 years	* 1,639	* 1,208	3,381	4,355	12,172	22,754
55+ years	4,579	* 1,467	3,165	2,615	10,415	22,242
Total	10,529	9,497	24,892	37,154	88,873	170,944
Total						
15-24 years	3,333	5,457	14,078	19,598	46,834	89,300
25-34 years	* 1,461	* 2,270	10,291	18,245	45,496	77,762
35-44 years	* 2,186	3,340	6,269	15,218	43,002	70,015
45-54 years	3,480	* 2,372	5,041	7,793	25,203	43,889
55+ years	8,957	2,714	5,253	5,038	20,010	41,971
Total	19,417	16,152	40,932	65,891	180,545	322,937

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Table 20

Overall Proficiency by Age and Sex
*Attempted global proficiency rating, based on weighted combinations of speaking,
 reading and writing*
 For Māori aged 15 years and over
 Number of people

Sex and Age	Overall Proficiency					Total
	Very High	High	Medium	Low	None	
Male						
15-24 years	**	* 2,554	8,064	14,382	17,332	43,147
25-34 years	**	* 1,622	6,516	13,134	13,500	35,419
35-44 years	* 1,459	* 1,565	4,040	13,342	12,158	32,563
45-54 years	* 2,460	* 1,480	3,388	6,473	7,335	21,135
55+ years	5,333	2,285	2,382	4,495	5,234	19,729
Total	10,713	9,505	24,389	51,825	55,560	151,993
Female						
15-24 years	* 2,240	5,133	10,109	15,382	13,289	46,153
25-34 years	* 1,011	* 2,563	9,090	16,519	13,160	42,343
35-44 years	* 1,169	* 2,573	7,656	14,333	11,721	37,452
45-54 years	* 1,737	* 2,581	4,963	7,466	6,007	22,754
55+ years	5,749	3,122	3,212	4,970	5,189	22,242
Total	11,905	15,973	35,030	58,670	49,366	170,944
Total						
15-24 years	3,054	7,688	18,174	29,764	30,621	89,300
25-34 years	* 1,658	4,185	15,606	29,653	26,660	77,762
35-44 years	* 2,627	4,138	11,696	27,674	23,879	70,015
45-54 years	4,197	4,061	8,351	13,938	13,342	43,889
55+ years	11,082	5,407	5,594	9,465	10,423	41,971
Total	22,618	25,479	59,420	110,495	104,926	322,937

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Table 22

Overall Proficiency by Age and Satisfaction with Overall Proficiency
Satisfaction with existing Māori language skills
 For Māori aged 15 years and over
 Number of people

Satisfaction and Age	Overall Proficiency					Total
	Very High	High	Medium	Low	None	
Very Satisfied						
15-24 years	* 1,022	**	**	**	**	* 1,847
25-34 years	**	**	**	**	**	* 1,081
35-44 years	**	**	**	**	**	* 1,543
45-54 years	* 1,223	**	**	0	**	* 2,054
55+ years	6,392	* 614	**	**	**	7,286
Total	9,856	* 1,613	**	**	**	13,810
Satisfied						
15-24 years	* 1,567	3,276	3,319	* 1,658	* 1,292	11,111
25-34 years	**	* 1,149	* 1,143	* 1,196	**	5,120
35-44 years	**	**	* 1,539	* 1,398	* 1,397	6,158
45-54 years	* 2,111	* 1,386	* 1,200	* 1,100	* 1,085	6,881
55+ years	3,612	2,217	* 1,207	* 812	* 1,360	9,208
Total	8,840	8,954	8,406	6,164	6,114	38,478
Neither Satisfied nor Dissatisfied						
Dissatisfied						
15-24 years	**	* 1,517	3,935	4,550	6,414	16,761
25-34 years	**	**	* 2,954	3,612	5,654	13,343
35-44 years	**	**	* 1,897	3,111	4,215	10,605
45-54 years	**	**	* 1,339	* 1,420	* 2,536	6,559
55+ years	* 557	* 1,059	* 1,255	1,541	1,904	6,317
Total	* 2,324	4,924	11,380	14,234	20,723	53,586
Dissatisfied						
15-24 years	**	* 2,581	8,168	13,855	12,299	37,023
25-34 years	**	* 1,800	8,731	13,362	10,929	35,224
35-44 years	**	* 1,915	6,237	10,429	9,345	28,076
45-54 years	**	* 1,192	4,363	5,709	4,207	15,725
55+ years	**	* 1,332	2,071	3,521	3,997	11,308
Total	* 1,315	8,819	29,570	46,876	40,776	127,355
Very Dissatisfied						
15-24 years	0	**	* 2,569	9,599	10,342	22,559
25-34 years	0	**	* 2,566	11,023	8,958	22,855
35-44 years	0	**	* 1,817	12,581	8,851	23,632
45-54 years	**	**	* 1,315	5,631	4,959	12,225
55+ years	**	**	* 889	3,417	3,109	7,652
Total	**	* 1,066	9,157	42,250	36,220	88,923
Not Specified						
	**	**	**	**	**	**
Total						
15-24 years	3,054	7,688	18,174	29,764	30,621	89,300
25-34 years	* 1,658	4,185	15,606	29,653	26,660	77,762
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