

Reasons Americans Are Fatter Than Canadians

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A recent study released by the U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention found that 34% of Americans were obese, while Canadians had a lower rate of 24%. The two countries have many things in common, so what's the explanation for the difference?

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—It's easier to freeze your ass off in Canada. (*Mike*)

—This is what happens when you switch to a gravy-based economy. (*Brandon*)

—Look at their bacon, now look at our bacon. See the difference? (*Sean*)

—Canada doesn't have a "the South." (*Joe*)

—In Canada, the term "breastfeeding" refers to human lactation. In America, it means eating sirloin and pie off a prostitute's chest. (*Tenessa*)

—We like to think of ourselves as the fatty white stuff in the middle of the North American Oreo. Also, we like to eat Oreos while making that analogy. (*Matt*)

—When you're not paying for your annual physical out of your own pocket, there's a better chance of hearing a doctor say, "Whoa, tubby... ease up there," at least once a year. (*Jameson*)

—It'll be a cold day in hell before we come in second to those Canuck bastards! USA! USA! USA! (*Brad*)

—In defiance of all scientific evidence and logical reasoning, it seems like poutine must be good for you. (*Joe*)

—Canadians don't misunderstand Slim Jims to be a diet food. (*Tenessa*)

—It's because they're weighed in kilograms, right? Right?? (*Matt*)

—Fat Canadian babies are almost immediately devoured by bears. (*Joe*)

—Stronger gravitational pull closer to the equator causes fat to settle in the lower latitudes. (*Jameson*)

—We've made far more scientific advances in the field of stuffing food inside of other food. (*Brandon*)

—We actually aren't any fatter; their maple leaf flag is

simply slimming, whereas our horizontal red-and-white stripes do us no favors. (*Joe*)

—Hmm... I'm gonna need another 2/3-pound Monster Thickburger from Hardee's before I can answer that question. (*Brad*)

—I blame the Minnesota State Fair. (*Tenessa*)

—Their beer is so shitty that no one could possibly get fat off of it. (*Joe*)

—After seeing how great the outdoor life is in Vancouver during the 2010 Olympic Games, most of the remaining skinny Americans left for British Columbia. (*Matt*)

—Until you've federally trademarked a term like "wyngz" for "chicken wings that aren't made from chicken wings," you haven't really committed to fattening up your populace. (*Jameson*)

—The average Canadian burns an extra 5,000 calories a week dodging hockey goons. (*Joe*)

—Wanting to be as American as apple pie, most Americans consume 3 to 4 apples, a couple sticks of butter, a fistful of sugar and a sack of flour every day in hopes of simply becoming an apple pie. (*Matt*)

—Our "healthy people" ranks got a tad thinned out back when we were busy saving everyone's ass during two World Wars. You're welcome. No, it's all right, Canada. Don't get up. We've got this. (*Joe*)

—I'm not saying it's Obama's fault, but... isn't everything? (*Jameson*)

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