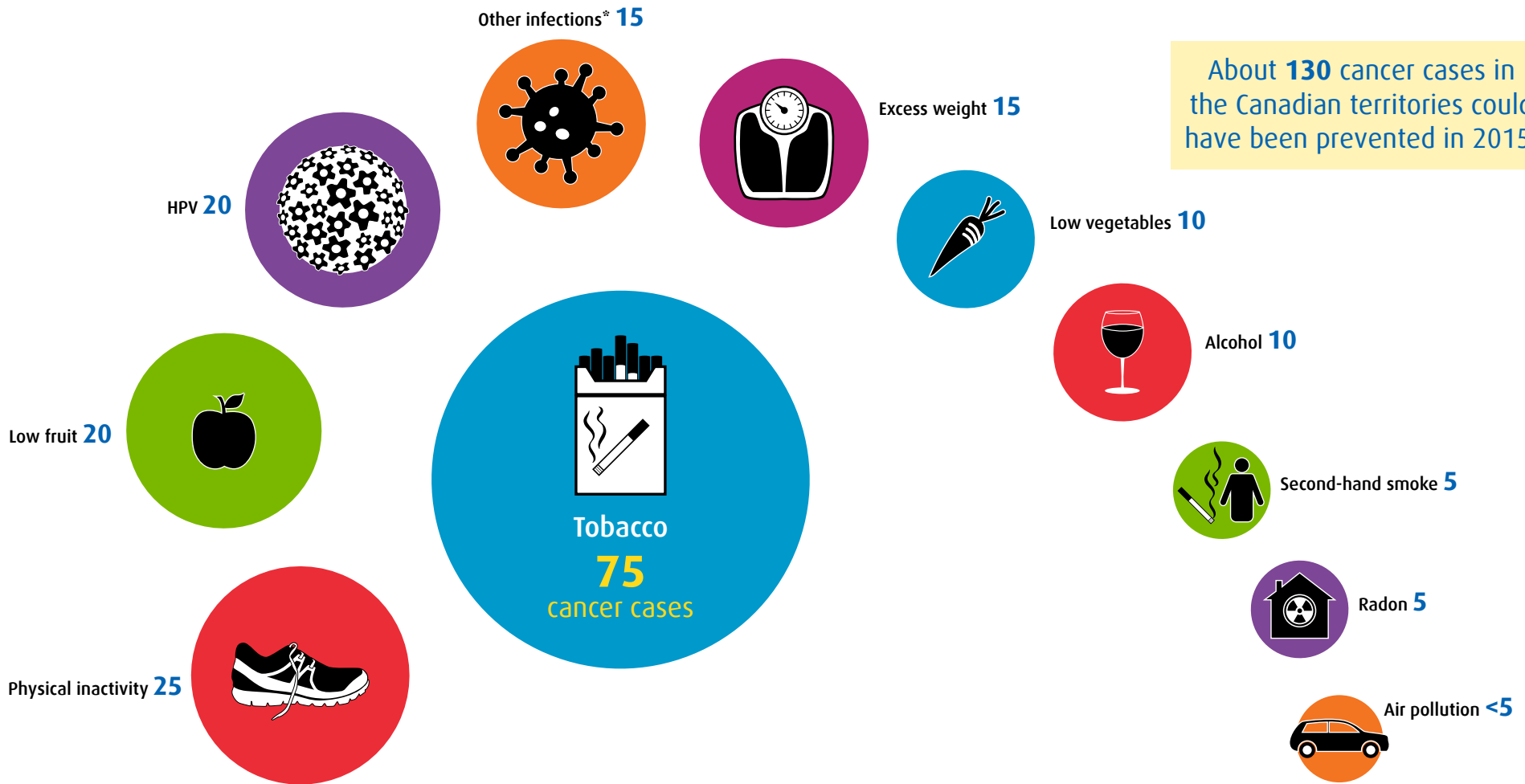


# Number of cancer cases that could be prevented in the Canadian territories

About 4 in 10 cancer cases can be prevented through healthy living and policies that protect the health of people living in the territories.



Not all risk factors have the same impact on cancer risk. Due to data availability, territory-specific data were not available for all risk factors.

**This image shows the number of cancer cases diagnosed in 2015 in Yukon, Northwest Territories and Nunavut that are due to key modifiable risk factors.\*\***

\*Other infections category includes Epstein-Barr virus (EBV), hepatitis B virus (HBV), hepatitis C virus (HCV), *Helicobacter pylori* bacteria (*H. pylori*), human herpesvirus type 8 (HHV-8) and human T-cell leukemia/lymphoma virus type 1 (HTLV-1).

\*\*See website for details on data and risk factor definitions.