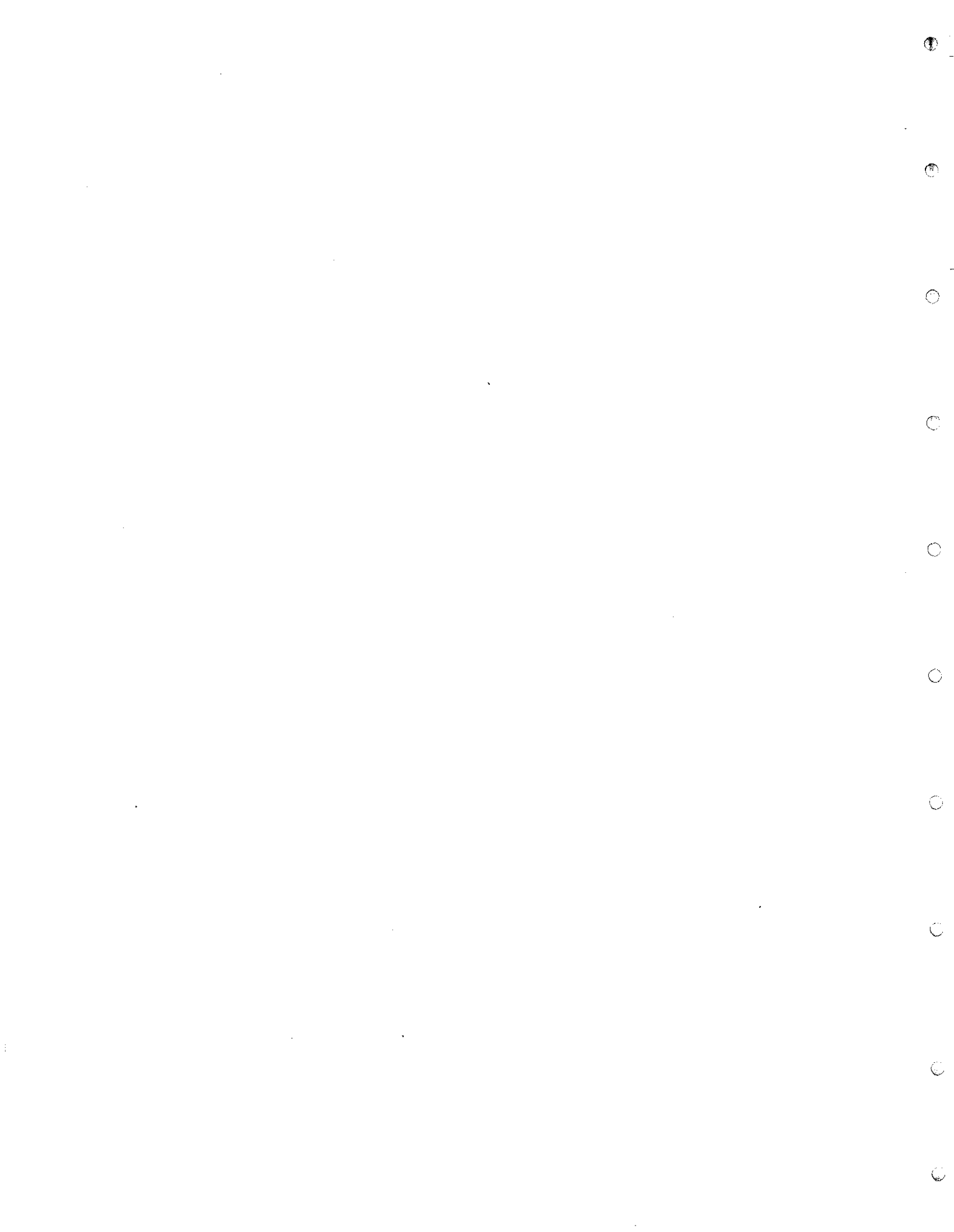


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INTRODUCTION

This Pregnancy Statistics publication is Volume I of four volumes of Alabama Vital Events. An annual publication, it contains the same information as was presented in the "Natality" section and the Fetal Mortality sub-section of the "Mortality" section of the Alabama Vital Events publication for the years 1986 through 1993. An additional sub-section containing Pregnancy Statistics has been included in this volume.

For years 1972 through 1993, the Alabama Vital Events publication consisted of approximately 275 pages of tables, graphs, and charts. Beginning in 1994, this publication has been divided into four volumes: Volume I, Pregnancy Statistics (the former "Natality" plus fetal deaths); Volume II, Mortality Statistics (the former "Mortality" section); Volume III, Marriage and Divorce Statistics (the former "Marriage" and Divorce" sections); and Volume IV, County Profiles (the former "Area Profile" section).

Live birth, abortion (spontaneous or induced) and miscarriage (fetal death) are all possible outcomes of pregnancy, and data pertaining to these outcomes are included in this volume. Fetal death may appear to be more related to mortality, but fetal deaths are considered to have occurred during the condition of pregnancy. If a fetus is born alive and then dies, the death is considered to have occurred after the condition of pregnancy and is a mortality statistic. In addition to the birth and fetal death statistics, this volume also includes data pertaining to estimated pregnancies.

Alabama statutes require that all births occurring within the state be properly registered. Evidence indicates that the registration of live births is close to 100 percent. Possible limitations in the reporting of abortions and fetal deaths are discussed in the Pregnancy Statistics Section on page 59.



LIVE BIRTH STATISTICS

1994 LIVE BIRTH HIGHLIGHTS

- In Alabama and the U.S. both the number of births and the birth rates have dropped every year since 1990. In 1994 Alabama's birth rate was 14.8 per 1,000 population while the U.S. rate was 15.3.
- Alabama's birth rate has been below the U.S. rate since 1981.
- Teenagers accounted for 11,333 or 18.6 % of the 60,836 births during 1994. This is the highest percent of total births since 1983 when it was 19.1 %.
- Births to the 15-17 age group (4,596) was the highest number since 1981 when 4,598 were recorded.
- In Alabama the total population of whites (3,019,613) as compared to black and all other races (1,079,690) is a 3:1 ratio. The total number of white births (39,579) as compared to black and all other races (21,257) is a 2:1 ratio.
- In Alabama the total population of teenage whites (192,489) as compared to black and all other races (101,430) is a 2:1 ratio. The total number of teenage white births ((5,563) as compared to teenage black and other races (5,770) is a 1:1 ratio.
- Median age of white mothers increased by 1.0 years since 1984 (from 25.2 to 26.2 years) while the median age black and other mothers decreased 0.3 years since 1984 (from 23.6 to 23.3 years).
- There were four sets of quadruplets born in Alabama during 1994. Assuming normal pregnancies without influences which alter fertility, approximately 2,048,000 pregnancies should occur before four sets of quadruplets are born. All 16 members of these sets were born alive.
- The number of births weighing less than 500 grams (1 pound 2 ounces) has increased every year since 1989. These extremely low weight births numbered 81 in 1989 and 136 in 1994.
- Prenatal care has improved through early and adequate service. Births for which prenatal care was initiated in the first trimester went from 73% in 1984 to 81% in 1994 and median number of prenatal visits went from 11.5 in 1984 to 12.0 1994.
- The decline in births where the mother opted for no prenatal care during her pregnancy continued during 1994. In 1990 there were 1,090 births where the mother received no prenatal care. This total was 662 during 1994.
- The percentage of low weight births in 1994 (9.1%) was the highest percentage during the 1960-1994 period. The percent of low weight births to black and other race mothers remained almost twice that for whites (13.2 % compared to 6.9 %).
- The 5,533 low weight births in 1994 was the highest total since 1971 when there were 5,841.
- There were 20,989 births to unmarried women in 1994. The percent of live births to unmarried women was the highest ever recorded (34.5%) and marked the eighteenth consecutive year that this percent has increased.
- The percent of births to unmarried white women in Alabama went from 1.7 percent in 1960 to 15.7 percent in 1994. For the same time period the percentage for black and other women went from 28.2 percent to 69.5 percent.
- The 1994 birth rate for women 30-34 years of age (68.6 births per 1,000 women of that age) was the highest during the 1970-1994 period. The birth rate for women 35-39 years of age (22.8) was the highest since 1973. Both of these increases primarily involved births to white women.
- Perry County had the highest birth rate at 19.4 per 1,000 population and Cleburne County had the lowest at 10.8.

TABLE 1
LIVE BIRTHS AND LIVE BIRTHS RATES¹
BY RACE OF MOTHER
ALABAMA AND UNITED STATES, 1940-1994

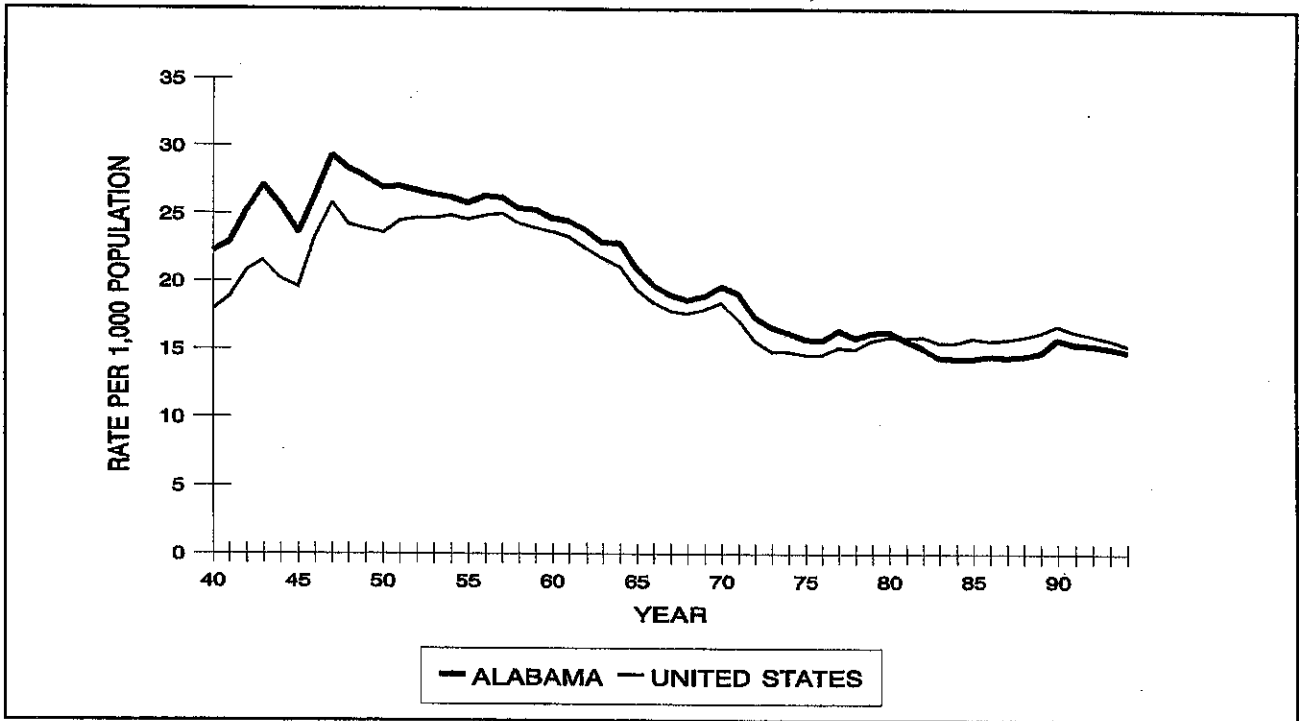
YEAR	TOTAL			WHITE			BLACK AND OTHER		
	ALABAMA		U.S. RATE	ALABAMA		U.S. RATE	ALABAMA		U.S. RATE
	NUMBER	RATE		NUMBER	RATE		NUMBER	RATE	
1940	63,005	22.2	17.9	39,001	21.0	17.5	24,004	24.4	21.7
1941	65,301	22.9	18.8	40,536	21.7	18.4	24,765	25.0	22.6
1942	73,183	25.3	20.8	46,430	24.5	20.6	26,753	26.8	23.2
1943	78,350	27.1	21.5	50,317	26.5	21.2	28,033	28.1	24.1
1944	74,182	25.6	20.2	47,190	24.9	19.8	26,992	27.0	23.6
1945	70,144	23.6	19.5	43,884	22.4	19.1	26,260	25.9	23.2
1946	78,966	26.3	23.3	50,978	25.8	23.0	27,988	27.4	25.3
1947	87,882	29.3	25.8	57,694	28.6	25.5	30,188	30.7	28.3
1948	85,461	28.3	24.2	53,742	26.4	23.5	31,719	32.2	29.8
1949	84,301	27.7	23.9	52,027	25.2	23.2	32,274	32.8	30.6
1950	82,566	26.9	23.6	49,640	23.8	22.7	32,926	33.4	31.1
1951	83,878	27.0	24.5	51,133	24.3	23.6	32,745	32.9	31.8
1952	82,876	26.7	24.7	51,055	24.0	23.9	31,821	32.4	31.8
1953	82,525	26.4	24.7	50,711	23.6	23.7	31,814	32.4	32.3
1954	82,518	26.2	24.9	50,842	23.5	23.9	31,676	32.2	33.2
1955	81,867	25.8	24.6	49,810	22.8	23.6	32,067	32.6	33.1
1956	84,026	26.3	24.9	51,399	23.3	23.8	32,627	33.2	33.9
1957	83,991	26.2	25.0	51,883	23.3	23.9	32,108	32.7	33.9
1958	82,228	25.4	24.3	51,416	22.9	23.2	30,812	31.3	33.0
1959	82,364	25.3	24.0	51,104	22.5	22.9	31,260	31.8	32.9
1960	80,955	24.7	23.7	50,849	22.2	22.7	30,106	30.6	32.1
1961	80,732	24.5	23.3	50,647	21.9	22.2	30,085	30.9	31.6
1962	78,639	23.8	22.4	49,360	21.1	21.4	29,279	30.3	30.5
1963	76,027	22.9	21.7	47,793	20.2	20.7	28,234	29.4	29.7
1964	76,480	22.9	21.1	48,402	20.3	20.0	28,078	29.5	29.2
1965	70,589	21.0	19.4	44,689	18.5	18.3	25,900	27.4	27.6
1966	66,455	19.7	18.4	42,900	17.6	17.4	23,555	25.1	26.1
1967	64,652	18.0	17.8	41,771	16.9	16.8	22,881	24.6	25.0
1968	63,583	18.6	17.6	42,091	16.9	16.6	21,492	22.3	24.2
1969	64,705	18.9	17.9	43,495	17.3	16.9	21,210	23.2	24.5
1970	67,570	19.6	18.4	45,479	17.9	17.4	22,091	24.3	25.1
1971	66,750	19.1	17.2	44,209	17.2	16.1	22,541	24.4	24.6
1972	61,765	17.4	15.6	40,134	15.4	14.5	21,631	23.1	22.8
1973	59,442	16.6	14.8	38,778	14.7	13.8	20,664	21.8	21.7
1974	59,342	16.2	14.8	38,642	14.4	13.9	20,700	21.6	21.2
1975	57,922	15.7	14.6	37,565	13.9	13.6	20,357	21.0	21.0
1976	57,895	15.6	14.6	37,415	13.6	13.6	20,480	20.9	20.8
1977	61,927	16.4	15.1	40,286	14.5	14.1	21,641	21.9	21.6
1978	60,108	15.8	15.0	38,646	13.7	14.0	21,462	21.4	21.6
1979	62,494	16.2	15.6	39,805	14.0	14.5	22,689	22.4	22.2
1980	63,405	16.3	15.9	40,624	14.1	14.9	22,781	22.3	22.5
1981	61,497	15.6	15.8	39,667	13.6	14.8	21,830	21.1	22.0
1982	60,296	15.1	15.9	38,895	13.2	14.9	21,401	20.5	21.9
1983	59,057	14.4	15.5	38,464	12.7	14.6	20,593	19.4	21.3
1984	59,104	14.3	15.6	38,255	12.5	14.5	20,849	19.5	21.2
1985	59,663	14.3	15.8	39,042	12.6	14.8	20,621	19.2	21.4
1986	59,441	14.5	15.6	38,632	12.8	14.5	20,809	19.3	21.4
1987	59,558	14.4	15.7	38,826	12.7	14.5	20,732	19.0	21.7
1988	60,718	14.5	15.9	39,155	12.7	14.7	21,563	19.5	22.5
1989	62,530	14.7	16.3	40,100	12.8	15.0	22,430	20.0	23.1
1990	63,420	15.7	16.7	41,072	13.8	15.8	22,348	21.0	21.7
1991	62,798	15.4	16.3	40,660	13.6	15.4	22,138	20.5	21.1
1992	62,226	15.3	15.9	40,144	13.4	15.0	22,082	20.6	20.5
1993	61,588	15.1	15.5	39,848	13.2	14.7	21,740	20.2	19.8
1994	60,836	14.8	15.3 ²	39,579	13.1	— ³	21,257	19.7	— ³

¹ Rate is per 1,000 population for specified group. See formula in Appendix B. Rates for 1940-1989 are by race of the child.

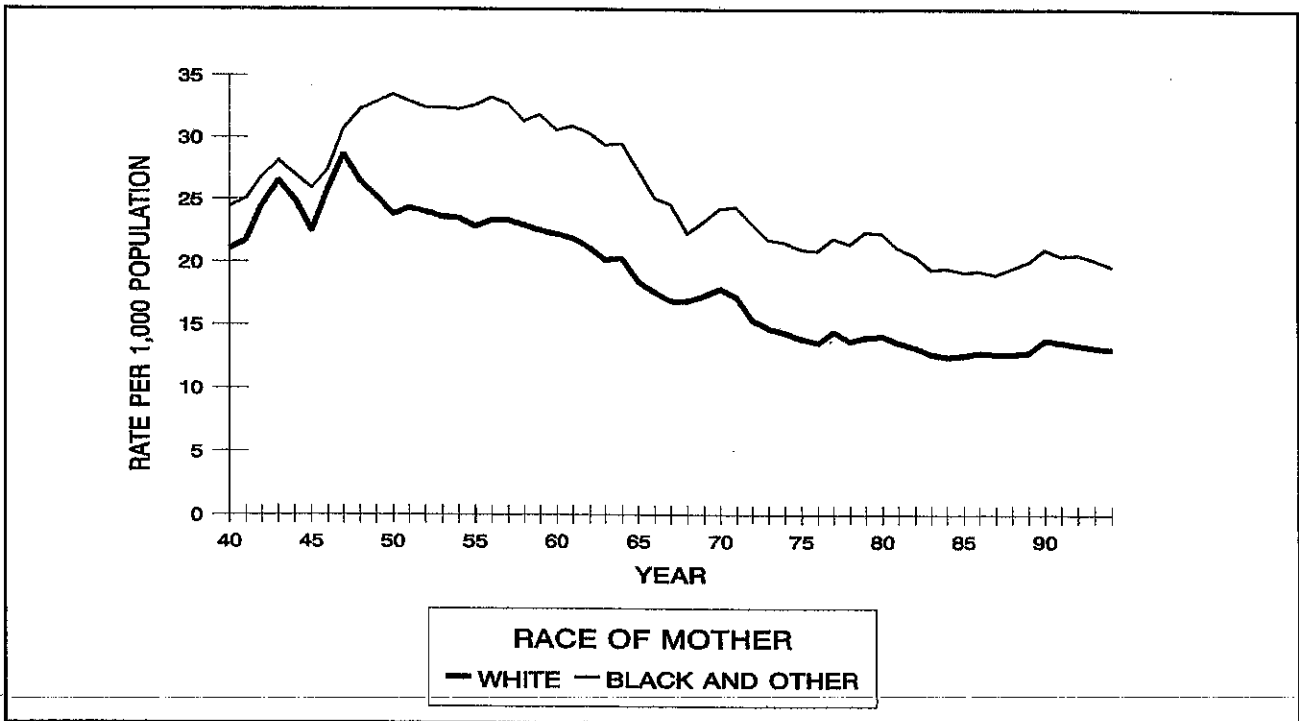
² Provisional data.

³ Not available.

**FIGURE 1
LIVE BIRTH RATES
ALABAMA AND UNITED STATES, 1940-1994**



**FIGURE 2
LIVE BIRTH RATES BY RACE OF MOTHER
ALABAMA, 1940-1994**



NOTE: Rates for 1940-1989 are by race of the child.

TABLE 2
RESIDENT BIRTHS AND BIRTH RATES¹
BY RACE OF MOTHER AND COUNTY OF RESIDENCE
ALABAMA, 1994

COUNTY	TOTAL		WHITE		BLACK & OTHER	
	NUMBER	RATE	NUMBER	RATE	NUMBER	RATE
TOTAL	60,836	14.8	39,579	13.1	21,257	19.7
Autauga	678	16.5	427	15.1	151	21.9
Baldwin	1,467	13.8	1,206	13.1	281	18.8
Barbour	408	16.0	180	12.7	228	20.1
Bibb	248	14.6	178	13.2	70	20.2
Blount	593	14.7	585	14.8	8	11.3*
Bullock	171	15.4	28	9.8	143	17.3
Butler	275	12.7	143	11.2	132	14.8
Calhoun	1,612	14.0	1,166	12.7	446	19.2
Chambers	540	15.0	283	12.3	257	19.6
Cherokee	242	12.2	216	11.7	26	19.8
Chilton	471	14.2	396	13.5	75	19.6
Choctaw	212	13.5	99	11.4	113	16.1
Clarke	433	16.0	166	10.7	267	22.9
Clay	175	13.4	134	12.3	41	18.9
Cleburne	138	10.8	129	10.6	9	14.6*
Coffee	580	14.2	424	12.8	156	20.2
Colbert	676	13.4	554	13.2	122	14.1
Conecuh	205	15.2	76	9.9	129	22.0
Coosa	122	11.1	67	9.4	55	14.4
Covington	487	13.5	375	12.0	112	22.9
Crenshaw	167	12.4	116	11.7	51	14.5
Cullman	865	12.4	859	12.5	6	7.1*
Dale	797	15.9	591	14.9	206	20.0
Dallas	772	16.8	185	9.9	587	21.5
DeKalb	807	14.6	768	14.4	39	21.6
Elmore	801	15.6	586	14.7	215	18.5
Escambia	462	13.4	286	12.1	178	16.4
Etowah	1,330	13.5	1,029	12.3	301	20.5
Fayette	216	12.2	180	11.6	36	16.5
Franklin	392	14.2	374	14.3	18	13.2
Geneva	321	13.7	265	12.9	56	19.3
Greene	191	19.3	16	8.7	175	21.8
Hale	253	16.4	66	10.3	187	20.7
Henry	223	14.5	126	12.5	97	18.3
Houston	1,200	14.3	801	12.7	399	19.2
Jackson	635	13.6	585	13.5	50	14.8
Jefferson	9,346	14.5	4,891	12.0	4,455	18.9
Lamar	200	13.0	160	11.8	40	21.2
Lauderdale	1,073	13.6	932	13.1	141	17.5
Lawrence	472	14.6	391	15.9	81	10.5
Lee	1,385	15.3	922	13.7	463	20.0
Limestone	827	14.5	725	14.6	102	13.7
Lowndes	208	16.7	33	10.5	175	18.8
Macon	353	14.6	43	13.1	310	14.9
Madison	3,925	15.3	2,799	14.1	1,126	19.1
Marango	364	16.2	142	12.7	222	19.8
Marion	369	12.5	355	12.5	14	12.2
Marshall	1,097	15.1	1,074	15.1	23	15.0
Mobile	6,643	17.3	3,666	14.2	2,977	23.7
Monroe	393	16.1	183	12.3	210	21.9
Montgomery	3,515	16.4	1,518	12.8	1,997	21.2
Morgan	1,460	14.0	1,228	13.3	232	19.9
Perry	231	19.4	40	10.1	191	24.1
Pickens	281	13.8	116	9.8	165	19.2
Pike	457	16.8	232	13.2	225	23.4
Randolph	301	15.2	176	11.6	125	26.7
Russell	728	15.7	408	14.4	320	17.8
St. Clair	777	14.6	688	14.2	89	18.1
Shelby	1,730	15.2	1,564	15.0	166	18.1
Sumter	232	14.7	46	10.2	186	16.5
Talladega	1,026	13.9	636	12.5	390	16.8
Tallapoosa	572	14.6	356	12.4	216	20.9
Tuscaloosa	2,128	13.7	1,297	11.5	831	19.7
Walker	889	13.2	815	13.0	74	16.5
Washington	288	17.3	171	15.7	117	20.2
Wilcox	231	17.7	43	10.7	188	20.9
Winston	270	12.2	264	12.0	6	42.3*

¹Rate is per 1,000 population. See formula in Appendix B. Caution should be exercised in using rates derived from small numbers. Caution should also be exercised in using rates which are based on small populations. Rates which apply to populations of less than 1,000 are denoted by an "*".

TABLE 3
AGE-SEX-ADJUSTED BIRTH RATES¹
BY RACE OF MOTHER
ALABAMA AND UNITED STATES, 1950-1994

YEAR	TOTAL		WHITE		BLACK AND OTHER	
	ALABAMA	U.S.	ALABAMA	U.S.	ALABAMA	U.S.
1950	28.5	26.3	25.2	25.3	35.4	33.7
1951	29.2	27.9	26.1	26.9	35.9	35.0
1952	29.1	28.6	26.2	27.7	35.7	35.4
1953	29.3	29.2	26.1	28.2	36.4	36.6
1954	29.6	30.1	26.4	29.1	36.9	38.0
1955	29.7	30.4	26.0	29.4	38.2	38.7
1956	30.7	31.4	27.1	30.3	39.6	40.2
1957	31.1	32.1	27.4	30.9	40.0	40.9
1958	30.7	31.5	27.4	30.4	39.0	40.1
1959	31.1	31.6	27.4	30.5	40.4	40.5
1960	30.9	31.2	27.4	30.2	39.8	38.8
1961	30.4	30.9	26.7	29.9	39.9	38.5
1962	29.1	29.6	25.5	28.5	38.9	37.2
1963	27.8	28.3	24.2	27.3	37.5	36.0
1964	27.5	27.2	24.0	26.1	37.1	34.9
1965	25.0	24.8	21.7	23.7	34.2	32.6
1966	23.0	23.3	20.4	22.2	30.8	30.3
1967	22.2	21.9	19.5	20.9	29.7	28.4
1968	21.5	21.1	19.3	20.2	27.5	26.8
1969	21.6	21.1	19.6	20.2	27.2	26.4
1970	22.2	21.3	20.1	20.5	28.1	26.5
1971	21.2	19.5	19.1	18.5	27.3	25.2
1972	19.1	17.3	16.9	16.4	24.8	22.7
1973	17.9	16.2	16.0	15.3	22.6	21.2
1974	17.4	15.8	15.6	15.0	21.9	20.3
1975	16.6	15.3	14.9	14.5	20.8	19.7
1976	16.2	15.0	14.5	14.2	20.4	19.3
1977	16.9	15.4	15.3	14.6	20.9	19.7
1978	16.1	15.1	14.4	14.3	20.1	19.6
1979	16.4	15.5	14.6	14.7	20.8	20.0
1980	16.2	15.8	14.6	15.0	20.4	20.1
1981	15.7	15.6	14.3	14.8	19.4	19.6
1982	15.4	15.7	14.0	14.9	18.9	19.6
1983	15.1	15.5	13.8	14.7	18.0	19.2
1984	15.0	15.5	13.8	14.7	18.1	19.2
1985	15.2	15.8	14.1	15.0	17.7	19.5
1986	15.1	15.7	13.9	14.8	17.8	19.7
1987	15.1	16.0	14.0	15.0	17.6	20.2
1988	15.3	16.5	14.1	15.4	18.1	21.2
1989	15.7	17.2	14.4	16.0	18.7	22.3
1990	17.2	17.7	15.7	17.0	20.4	20.7
1991	17.1	17.7	15.6	17.0	20.1	20.5
1992	17.2	17.6	15.6	16.9	20.4	20.4
1993	17.1	— ²	15.7	— ²	20.1	— ²
1994	17.1	— ²	15.8	— ²	19.7	— ²

¹ Rate is per 1,000 standard population for specified group. See formula in Appendix B.

² Not available.

NOTE: Rates for 1950-1989 are by race of the child.

The age-sex-adjusted birth rates presented in Table 3 are essentially crude birth rates with one variation; a standard population that never changes is used in rate calculation. In calculating crude birth rates, changes in the proportion of females of childbearing age in the population can produce rate variations even when the level of fertility among these females has not changed. The calculation

of age-sex-adjusted birth rates removes the possibility of such variations.

These rates should be considered only as indicators of trends in levels of fertility. The actual numeric value has little meaning since a standard population is used in rate calculation.

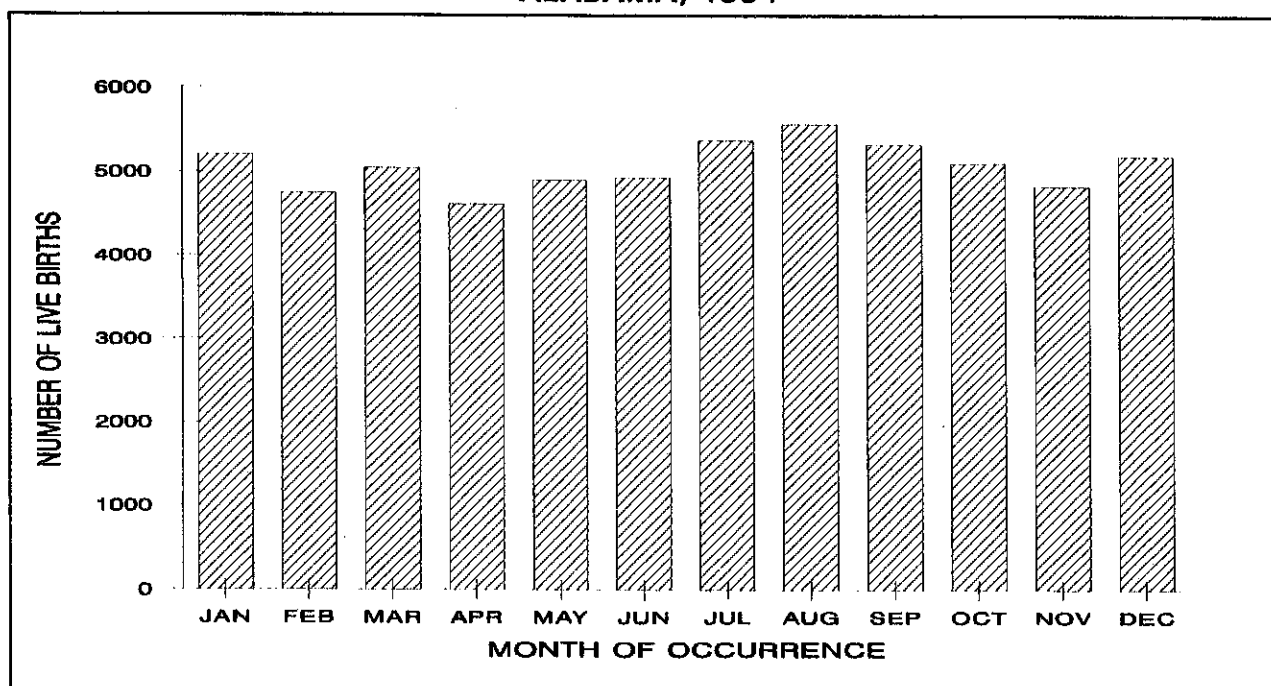
For technical information on age-sex-adjusted birth rates, refer to the formula in Appendix B.

**TABLE 4
LIVE BIRTHS AND BIRTH RATES¹
BY RACE OF MOTHER AND MONTH OF OCCURRENCE
ALABAMA, 1994**

MONTH	TOTAL		WHITE		BLACK AND OTHER	
	NUMBER	MONTHLY BIRTH RATE	NUMBER	MONTHLY BIRTH RATE	NUMBER	MONTHLY BIRTH RATE
TOTAL	60,836	14.8	39,579	13.1	21,257	19.7
JANUARY	5,210	15.0	3,260	12.7	1,950	21.3
FEBRUARY	4,739	15.1	3,057	13.2	1,682	20.3
MARCH	5,046	14.5	3,345	13.0	1,701	18.5
APRIL	4,612	13.7	3,097	12.5	1,515	17.1
MAY	4,900	14.1	3,280	12.8	1,620	17.7
JUNE	4,930	14.6	3,273	13.2	1,657	18.7
JULY	5,378	15.4	3,507	13.7	1,871	20.4
AUGUST	5,571	16.0	3,607	14.1	1,964	21.4
SEPTEMBER	5,327	15.8	3,479	14.0	1,848	20.8
OCTOBER	5,108	14.7	3,271	12.8	1,837	20.0
NOVEMBER	4,828	14.3	3,100	12.5	1,728	19.5
DECEMBER	5,187	14.9	3,303	12.9	1,884	20.5

¹ Rate is per 1,000 population. See formula in Appendix B.

**FIGURE 4
LIVE BIRTHS BY MONTH OF OCCURRENCE
ALABAMA, 1994**



**TABLE 5
BIRTHS TO TEENAGE MOTHERS AND PERCENT OF TOTAL BIRTHS
BY COUNTY OF RESIDENCE AND RACE OF MOTHER
ALABAMA, 1994**

COUNTY/AREA	TOTAL		WHITE		BLACK AND OTHER	
	NUMBER	PERCENT	NUMBER	PERCENT	NUMBER	PERCENT
STATE	11,333	18.6	5,563	14.1	5,770	27.1
Autauga	90	15.6	43	10.1	47	31.1
Baldwin	232	15.8	165	13.7	67	25.7
Barbour	80	19.6	20	11.1	60	26.3
Bibb	57	23.0	30	16.9	27	38.6
Blount	97	16.4	96	16.4	1	12.5*
Bullock	52	30.4	1	3.6*	51	35.7
Butler	65	23.6	25	17.5	40	30.3
Calhoun	326	20.2	196	16.8	130	29.1
Chambers	149	27.6	54	19.1	95	37.0
Cherokee	50	20.7	46	21.3	4	15.4*
Chilton	93	19.7	79	19.9	14	18.7
Choctaw	50	23.6	21	21.2	29	25.7
Clarke	92	21.2	27	16.3	65	24.3
Clay	42	24.0	29	21.6	13	31.7*
Cleburne	23	16.7	21	16.3	2	22.2*
Coffee	96	16.6	57	13.4	39	25.0
Colbert	114	16.9	82	14.8	32	26.2
Conecuh	40	19.5	9	11.8	31	24.0
Coosa	20	16.4	11	16.4	9	16.4
Covington	123	25.3	82	21.9	41	36.6
Crenshaw	36	21.6	18	15.5	18	35.3
Cullman	154	17.8	153	17.8	1	16.7*
Dale	129	16.2	78	13.2	51	24.8
Dallas	214	27.7	27	14.6	187	31.9
DeKalb	153	19.0	141	18.4	12	30.8*
Elmore	142	17.7	93	15.9	49	22.8
Escambia	101	21.9	49	17.1	52	29.5
Etowah	300	22.6	202	19.6	98	32.6
Fayette	51	23.6	39	21.7	12	33.3*
Franklin	73	18.6	70	18.7	3	16.7*
Geneva	70	21.8	52	19.6	18	32.1
Greene	57	29.8	1	6.3*	56	32.0
Hale	66	26.1	12	18.2	54	28.9
Henry	45	20.2	19	15.1	26	26.8
Houston	246	20.5	111	13.9	135	33.8
Jackson	123	19.4	113	19.3	10	20.0
Jefferson	1,626	17.4	504	10.3	1,122	25.2
Lamar	36	18.0	26	16.3	10	25.0*
Lauderdale	177	16.5	140	15.0	37	26.2
Lawrence	78	16.5	65	16.6	13	16.0
Lee	203	14.7	109	11.8	94	20.3
Limestone	128	15.5	93	12.8	35	34.3
Lowndes	40	19.2	1	3.0*	39	22.3
Macon	84	23.8	5	11.6*	79	25.5
Madison	486	12.4	226	8.1	260	23.1
Marengo	91	25.0	19	13.4	72	32.4
Marion	68	18.4	66	18.6	2	14.3*
Marshall	221	20.1	214	19.9	7	30.4*
Mobile	1,340	20.2	520	14.2	820	27.5
Monroe	95	24.2	38	20.8	57	27.1
Montgomery	634	18.0	116	7.6	518	25.9
Morgan	233	16.0	178	14.5	55	23.7
Perry	68	29.4	7	17.5*	61	31.9
Pickens	68	24.2	12	10.3	56	33.9
Pike	100	21.9	29	12.5	71	31.6
Randolph	76	25.2	30	17.0	46	36.8
Russell	138	19.0	62	15.2	76	23.8
St. Clair	135	17.4	108	15.7	27	30.3
Shelby	157	9.1	123	7.9	34	20.5
Sumter	54	23.3	6	13.0*	48	25.8
Talladega	269	26.2	146	23.0	123	31.5
Tallapoosa	135	23.6	56	15.7	79	36.6
Tuscaloosa	391	18.4	158	12.2	233	28.0
Walker	192	21.6	162	19.9	30	40.5
Washington	51	17.7	24	14.0	27	23.1
Wilcox	64	27.7	4	9.3*	60	31.9
Winston	44	16.3	44	16.7	—	—

NOTE: All mothers under 20 years of age are included as teenagers. Caution should be exercised in using percentages derived from small numbers. Caution should also be exercised in using percentages which are based on small live birth totals. Percentages which apply to populations with fewer than 50 live births are denoted by an "*".

**TABLE 6
LIVE BIRTHS BY AGE AND RACE OF MOTHER
BY SEX OF CHILD
ALABAMA, 1994**

RACE AND SEX	AGE OF MOTHER										
	TOTAL	< 15	15-17	18-18	20-24	25-29	30-34	35-39	40-44	45+	N.S.
TOTAL	60,836	339	4,596	6,398	18,823	15,766	10,546	3,800	540	22	6
MALE	31,080	188	2,346	3,241	9,652	8,043	5,393	1,926	281	6	4
FEMALE	29,756	151	2,250	3,157	9,171	7,723	5,153	1,874	259	16	2
WHITE	39,579	60	2,080	3,423	11,523	11,525	7,893	2,704	351	17	3
MALE	20,398	38	1,087	1,748	5,952	5,920	4,062	1,396	189	6	2
FEMALE	19,181	22	993	1,677	5,571	5,605	3,831	1,308	162	11	1
BLACK & OTHER	21,257	279	2,516	2,975	7,300	4,241	2,653	1,096	189	5	3
MALE	10,682	150	1,259	1,495	3,700	2,123	1,331	530	92	—	2
FEMALE	10,575	129	1,257	1,480	3,600	2,118	1,322	566	97	5	1

Alabama has one of the highest percentages of births to teenagers in the nation. Teenagers accounted for 11,333 or 18.6 percent of the 60,836 births in Alabama during 1994. This percentage was higher than 1993 when it was 17.9 percent. It represents an increase in comparison to 1984 when 18.2 percent of births were to teens.

There were 5,563 births to white teenagers during 1994 which represented 14.1 percent of white births, more than the 13.6 percent of 1993. This was a decrease from 1984 when 14.4

percent of white births were to teenage women.

Of the 21,257 black and other births during 1994, 5,770 or 27.1 percent were born to teenagers, an increase compared to the 25.7 percent of 1993. This represents an increase since 1984 when 25.1 percent of black and other births were to teenagers.

Nationally 12.8 percent of births, 11.0 percent of white births, and 19.5 percent of black and other births were to teenagers during 1993, the most current year for which national data are available.

**TABLE 7
LIVE BIRTHS BY AREA OF RESIDENCE, RACE AND AGE OF MOTHER
ALABAMA, 1994**

AREA OF RESIDENCE AND RACE	AGE OF MOTHER										
	TOTAL	< 15	15-17	18-19	20-24	25-29	30-34	35-39	40-44	45+	N.S.
TOTAL	60,836	339	4,596	6,398	18,823	15,766	10,546	3,800	540	22	6
WHITE	39,579	60	2,080	3,423	11,523	11,525	7,893	2,704	351	17	3
BLACK & OTHER	21,257	279	2,516	2,975	7,300	4,241	2,653	1,096	189	5	3
RURAL	22,062	82	1,416	2,183	7,050	6,045	3,769	1,295	208	11	3
WHITE	17,799	25	956	1,576	5,593	5,206	3,220	1,054	157	11	1
BLACK & OTHER	4,263	57	460	607	1,457	839	549	241	51	—	2
URBAN	38,774	257	3,180	4,215	11,773	9,721	6,777	2,505	332	11	3
WHITE	21,780	35	1,124	1,847	5,930	6,319	4,673	1,650	194	6	2
BLACK & OTHER	16,994	222	2,056	2,368	5,843	3,402	2,104	855	138	5	1

**TABLE 8
LIVE BIRTHS BY LIVE BIRTH ORDER,
RACE AND AGE OF MOTHER
ALABAMA, 1994**

LIVE BIRTH ORDER AND RACE	AGE OF MOTHER								
	TOTAL	UNDER 15	15-19	20-24	25-29	30-34	35-39	40+	NOT STATED
TOTAL	60,836	339	10,994	18,823	15,766	10,546	3,800	562	6
WHITE	39,579	60	5,503	11,523	11,525	7,893	2,704	368	3
BLACK AND OTHER	21,257	279	5,491	7,300	4,241	2,653	1,096	194	3
FIRST	26,848	332	8,489	8,834	6,758	2,638	713	81	3
WHITE	17,880	59	4,540	5,976	4,590	2,098	553	63	1
BLACK AND OTHER	8,968	273	3,949	2,858	1,168	540	160	18	2
SECOND	20,690	6	2,042	6,587	6,227	4,328	1,344	156	—
WHITE	14,180	1	851	4,093	4,696	3,420	1,001	118	—
BLACK AND OTHER	6,510	5	1,191	2,494	1,531	908	343	38	—
THIRD	8,941	1	392	2,472	2,616	2,362	977	121	—
WHITE	5,502	—	99	1,194	1,711	1,702	721	75	—
BLACK AND OTHER	3,439	1	293	1,278	905	660	256	46	—
FOURTH	2,856	—	56	703	808	782	409	98	—
WHITE	1,434	—	10	218	403	497	248	58	—
BLACK AND OTHER	1,422	—	46	485	405	285	161	40	—
FIFTH	886	—	9	177	239	237	182	41	1
WHITE	375	—	1	33	98	115	105	23	—
BLACK AND OTHER	511	—	8	144	141	122	77	18	1
SIXTH	346	—	1	36	77	105	93	34	—
WHITE	121	—	—	3	19	38	46	15	—
BLACK AND OTHER	225	—	1	33	58	67	47	19	—
SEVENTH	148	—	1	7	26	55	44	15	—
WHITE	43	—	—	2	4	14	15	8	—
BLACK AND OTHER	105	—	1	5	22	41	29	7	—
EIGHTH	48	—	—	1	7	23	16	1	—
WHITE	14	—	—	—	1	6	6	1	—
BLACK AND OTHER	34	—	—	1	6	17	10	—	—
NINTH	29	—	—	—	5	7	11	6	—
WHITE	13	—	—	—	—	2	7	4	—
BLACK AND OTHER	16	—	—	—	5	5	4	2	—
TENTH AND ABOVE	28	—	—	—	—	8	11	9	—
WHITE	5	—	—	—	—	—	2	3	—
BLACK AND OTHER	23	—	—	—	—	8	9	6	—
NOT STATED	16	—	4	6	3	1	—	—	2
WHITE	12	—	2	4	3	1	—	—	2
BLACK AND OTHER	4	—	2	2	—	—	—	—	—

Alabama women continued to opt for delaying pregnancy until later in their potential reproductive lives. For all 1994 births, the mother's median age was 25.1 years. This is an increase of 0.5 years over the 24.6 median age recorded during 1984.

The median age of white mothers during 1994 was 26.2 compared to 23.3 for black and other mothers. These median ages were 25.2 and 23.6, respectively, during 1984.

First born children accounted for 44.1 percent of all 1994 births. There has been little change in this percentage since 1984 when 42.7 percent of all births involved first-born children.

The mother's median age for first-born children was 22.6 during 1994 which was an increase of 0.3 years over the 1984 median age of 22.3 years. The median age for mothers experiencing births other than their first also increased from 26.6 in 1984 to 27.2 in 1994.

**TABLE 9
LIVE BIRTHS BY PLURALITY BY COUNTY OF RESIDENCE
ALABAMA, 1994**

COUNTY	PLURALITY				
	TOTAL	SINGLE BIRTHS	TWINS	TRIPLETS	QUADRUPLETS OR GREATER
TOTAL	60,836	59,215	1,573	32	16
Autauga	578	567	11	—	—
Baldwin	1,467	1,420	47	—	—
Barbour	408	387	18	3	—
Bibb	248	240	8	—	—
Blount	593	581	12	—	—
Bullock	171	163	8	—	—
Butler	275	270	5	—	—
Calhoun	1,612	1,573	39	—	—
Chambers	540	527	10	3	—
Cherokee	242	238	4	—	—
Chilton	471	453	15	3	—
Choctaw	212	209	3	—	—
Clarke	433	417	16	—	—
Clay	175	173	2	—	—
Cleburne	138	137	1	—	—
Coffee	580	561	16	3	—
Colbert	676	656	20	—	—
Conecuh	205	195	10	—	—
Coosa	122	116	6	—	—
Covington	487	477	10	—	—
Crenshaw	167	163	4	—	—
Cullman	865	851	14	—	—
Dale	797	776	21	—	—
Dallas	772	745	27	—	—
DeKalb	807	797	10	—	—
Elmore	801	777	24	—	—
Escambia	462	446	16	—	—
Etowah	1,330	1,299	31	—	—
Fayette	216	214	2	—	—
Franklin	392	386	6	—	—
Geneva	321	310	11	—	—
Greene	191	183	8	—	—
Hale	253	244	9	—	—
Henry	223	217	6	—	—
Houston	1,200	1,176	24	—	—
Jackson	635	621	14	—	—
Jefferson	9,346	9,097	242	3	4
Lamar	200	192	8	—	—
Lauderdale	1,073	1,056	14	3	—
Lawrence	472	468	4	—	—
Lee	1,385	1,347	38	—	—
Limestone	827	801	26	—	—
Lowndes	208	204	4	—	—
Macon	353	345	8	—	—
Madison	3,925	3,785	136	—	4
Marengo	364	352	12	—	—
Marion	369	354	15	—	—
Marshall	1,097	1,062	35	—	—
Mobile	6,643	6,474	165	—	4
Monroe	393	375	18	—	—
Montgomery	3,515	3,427	82	6	—
Morgan	1,460	1,419	37	—	4
Perry	231	229	2	—	—
Pickens	281	268	10	3	—
Pike	457	449	8	—	—
Randolph	301	293	8	—	—
Russell	728	708	20	—	—
St. Clair	777	755	22	—	—
Shelby	1,730	1,682	48	—	—
Sumter	232	226	6	—	—
Talladega	1,026	1,009	17	—	—
Tallapoosa	572	560	12	—	—
Tuscaloosa	2,128	2,073	50	5	—
Walker	889	871	18	—	—
Washington	288	280	8	—	—
Wilcox	231	225	6	—	—
Winston	270	264	6	—	—

NOTE: Births are considered plural even when all members are not born alive. Only live births are included in this table.

**TABLE 10
LIVE BIRTHS BY BIRTH WEIGHT, RACE AND AGE OF MOTHER
ALABAMA, 1994**

BIRTH WEIGHT AND RACE	AGE OF MOTHER										NOT STATED
	TOTAL	UNDER 15	15-17	18-19	20-24	25-29	30-34	35-39	40-44	45+	
TOTAL	60,836	339	4,596	6,398	18,823	16,788	10,546	3,800	540	22	6
WHITE	39,579	60	2,080	3,423	11,523	11,525	7,893	2,704	351	17	3
BLACK & OTHER	21,257	279	2,516	2,975	7,300	4,241	2,653	1,096	189	5	3
LESS THAN 500 GRAMS	136	—	16	21	37	33	18	10	1	—	—
WHITE	30	—	3	3	5	11	5	3	—	—	—
BLACK & OTHER	106	—	13	18	32	22	13	7	1	—	—
500-749 GRAMS	205	5	23	30	67	48	31	8	3	—	—
WHITE	77	—	8	14	14	20	16	4	1	—	—
BLACK & OTHER	128	5	15	16	43	28	15	4	2	—	—
750-999 GRAMS	211	1	22	22	82	33	35	13	3	—	—
WHITE	87	—	7	10	34	15	15	4	2	—	—
BLACK & OTHER	124	1	15	12	48	18	20	9	1	—	—
1,000-1,499 GRAMS	565	6	65	75	180	117	77	36	9	—	—
WHITE	243	—	12	21	77	63	45	21	4	—	—
BLACK & OTHER	322	6	53	54	103	54	32	15	5	—	—
1,500-1,999 GRAMS	1,097	8	98	133	328	258	172	80	16	2	2
WHITE	556	1	30	58	147	161	94	53	9	1	2
BLACK & OTHER	541	7	68	75	181	97	78	27	7	1	—
2,000-2,499 GRAMS	3,319	26	341	391	1,068	750	494	215	33	1	—
WHITE	1,745	2	117	175	537	463	306	126	18	1	—
BLACK & OTHER	1,574	24	224	216	531	287	188	89	15	—	—
2,500-2,999 GRAMS	11,099	108	1,085	1,454	3,683	2,542	1,591	550	82	4	—
WHITE	5,901	14	400	628	1,941	1,565	991	319	40	3	—
BLACK & OTHER	5,198	94	685	826	1,742	977	600	231	42	1	—
3,000-3,499 GRAMS	21,951	118	1,763	2,480	7,073	5,508	3,584	1,292	174	7	2
WHITE	13,953	21	795	1,310	4,201	3,995	2,644	870	109	7	1
BLACK & OTHER	7,998	97	968	1,150	2,872	1,513	940	392	65	—	1
3,500-3,999 GRAMS	16,385	60	934	1,440	4,663	4,773	3,228	1,123	159	4	1
WHITE	12,236	18	550	928	3,275	3,810	2,640	893	119	3	—
BLACK & OTHER	4,149	42	384	512	1,388	963	588	230	40	1	1
4,000-4,249 GRAMS	3,247	3	153	216	948	928	719	247	30	3	—
WHITE	2,625	2	89	162	731	777	630	208	25	1	—
BLACK & OTHER	622	1	64	54	217	151	89	39	5	2	—
4,250-4,499 GRAMS	1,854	—	69	104	461	488	362	148	21	—	1
WHITE	1,346	—	52	79	371	405	307	116	16	—	—
BLACK & OTHER	308	—	17	25	90	83	55	32	5	—	1
4,500-4,999 GRAMS	831	4	24	43	210	245	206	92	6	1	—
WHITE	670	2	16	28	166	206	173	72	6	1	—
BLACK & OTHER	161	2	8	15	44	39	33	20	—	—	—
5,000 GRAMS AND OVER	117	—	2	6	28	37	26	15	3	—	—
WHITE	100	—	1	5	22	32	24	14	2	—	—
BLACK & OTHER	17	—	1	1	6	5	2	1	1	—	—
NOT STATED	19	—	1	3	5	6	3	1	—	—	—
WHITE	10	—	—	2	2	2	3	1	—	—	—
BLACK & OTHER	9	—	1	1	3	4	—	—	—	—	—

Infants born to teenage mothers have tended to be lower in birth weight. The median birth weight for teenage mothers during 1994 was 3,200 grams as compared to 3,342 grams for women 20 or more years of age. The median birth weight of all 1994 births was 3,314 grams. This was slightly less than for 1993 when the median birth weight was 3,324 and was less than

the 1984 median weight of 3,332 grams.

White women recorded a median birth weight of 3,400 grams compared to 3,165 for black and other women. A major factor contributing to this difference could be that one of every four births to black and other women during 1994 was to teenagers. Among white women, one of every seven births was to teenagers.

TABLE 11
LIVE BIRTHS BY BIRTH WEIGHT AND PERIOD OF GESTATION
ALABAMA, 1994

BIRTH WEIGHT	WEEKS OF GESTATION										
	TOTAL	UNDER 28	28-31	32-35	36	37-39	40	41	42-43	44+	NOT STATED
TOTAL	60,836	844	1,116	4,204	2,870	26,221	12,101	7,067	4,425	1,947	41
2 lb. 3 oz. AND Under	552	406	95	22	4	7	5	4	3	3	3
2 lb. 4 oz. TO 3 lb. 4 oz.	565	87	267	140	10	29	12	7	6	5	2
3 lb. 5 oz. TO 4 lb. 6 oz.	1,097	41	221	523	90	160	21	20	7	11	3
4 lb. 7 oz. TO 5 lb. 8 oz.	3,319	47	117	1,080	498	1,113	196	113	100	54	1
5 lb. 9 oz. TO 6 lb. 9 oz.	11,099	82	160	1,100	997	5,571	1,545	785	594	259	6
6 lb. 10 oz. TO 7 lb. 11 oz.	21,951	121	156	832	845	10,639	4,487	2,494	1,608	753	16
7 lb. 12 oz. TO 8 lb. 13 oz.	16,385	38	75	398	351	6,718	4,221	2,471	1,502	604	7
8 lb. 14 oz. TO 9 lb. 14 oz.	4,901	14	20	94	59	1,686	1,371	951	513	193	—
9 lb. 15 oz. TO 11 lb. 0 oz.	831	2	5	13	14	247	212	198	80	60	—
Over 11 lb.	117	2	—	—	2	46	29	23	10	5	—
NOT STATED	19	4	—	2	—	5	2	1	2	—	3

TABLE 12
LIVE BIRTHS BY APGAR SCORE, RACE OF MOTHER AND SEX
ALABAMA, 1994

APGAR SCORE	TOTAL	WHITE			BLACK AND OTHER		
		TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE
ONE MINUTE	60,836	39,579	20,398	19,181	21,257	10,682	10,575
UNDER 6	2,799	1,423	807	616	1,376	750	626
6	1,494	848	472	376	646	333	313
7	3,903	2,350	1,212	1,138	1,553	822	731
8	25,446	17,236	8,894	8,342	8,210	4,052	4,158
9	26,155	17,055	8,665	8,390	9,100	4,540	4,560
10	754	552	290	262	202	95	107
NOT STATED	285	115	58	57	170	90	80
FIVE MINUTES	60,836	39,579	20,398	19,181	21,257	10,682	10,575
UNDER 6	544	243	136	107	301	158	143
6	329	161	92	69	168	93	75
7	809	419	246	173	390	223	167
8	3,728	2,227	1,218	1,009	1,501	789	712
9	46,193	30,034	15,345	14,689	16,159	8,032	8,127
10	8,954	6,382	3,304	3,078	2,572	1,299	1,273
NOT STATED	279	113	57	56	166	88	78

TABLE 13
LIVE BIRTHS BY APGAR SCORE AT ONE MINUTE AND FIVE MINUTES
ALABAMA, 1994

APGAR SCORE AT ONE MINUTE	TOTAL	APGAR SCORE AT FIVE MINUTES						
		UNDER 6	6	7	8	9	10	NOT STATED
TOTAL	60,836	544	329	809	3,728	46,193	8,954	279
UNDER 6	2,799	505	287	514	739	720	30	4
6	1,494	8	36	182	570	668	27	3
7	3,903	7	—	87	1,242	2,490	76	1
8	25,446	9	1	20	1,147	23,493	774	2
9	26,155	13	3	5	29	18,812	7,291	2
10	754	—	—	—	—	2	752	—
NOT STATED	285	2	2	1	1	8	4	267

TABLE 14
LIVE BIRTHS BY APGAR SCORE AT ONE MINUTE AND AGE OF MOTHER
ALABAMA, 1994

AGE OF MOTHER	TOTAL	APGAR SCORE AT ONE MINUTE						
		UNDER 6	6	7	8	9	10	NOT STATED
TOTAL	60,836	2,799	1,494	3,903	25,446	26,155	754	285
UNDER 15	339	21	18	25	122	140	6	7
15-19	10,994	603	312	763	4,328	4,780	141	67
20-24	18,823	827	456	1,251	7,529	8,461	219	80
25-29	15,766	657	334	965	6,819	6,720	218	53
30-34	10,546	463	255	612	4,665	4,381	127	43
35-39	3,800	190	96	239	1,752	1,456	40	27
40-44	540	36	23	45	222	206	2	6
45 +	22	2	—	2	9	8	1	—
NOT STATED	6	—	—	1	—	3	—	2

TABLE 15
LIVE BIRTHS BY APGAR SCORE AT FIVE MINUTES AND AGE OF MOTHER
ALABAMA, 1994

AGE OF MOTHER	TOTAL	APGAR SCORE AT FIVE MINUTES						
		UNDER 6	6	7	8	9	10	NOT STATED
TOTAL	60,836	544	329	809	3,728	46,193	8,954	279
UNDER 15	339	—	4	8	25	242	54	6
15-19	10,994	146	74	181	715	8,133	1,682	63
20-24	18,823	164	97	234	1,186	14,091	2,969	82
25-29	15,766	114	75	204	927	12,073	2,321	52
30-34	10,546	84	56	120	589	8,219	1,435	43
35-39	3,800	32	17	51	237	2,996	442	25
40-44	540	4	6	11	45	425	43	6
45 +	22	—	—	—	3	13	6	—
NOT STATED	6	—	—	—	1	1	2	2

TABLE 16
LIVE BIRTHS BY EDUCATION, RACE AND MARITAL STATUS OF MOTHER
ALABAMA, 1994

MOTHER'S EDUCATION	TOTAL				WHITE				BLACK AND OTHER			
	TOTAL	MARITAL STATUS			TOTAL	MARITAL STATUS			TOTAL	MARITAL STATUS		
		MARRIED	UNMARRIED	UNKNOWN		MARRIED	UNMARRIED	UNKNOWN		MARRIED	UNMARRIED	UNKNOWN
TOTAL	60,836	39,836	20,989	11	39,579	33,356	6,218	5	21,257	6,480	14,771	6
UNDER 9 YRS	2,528	1,027	1,501	—	1,600	947	653	—	928	80	848	—
0-5 YEARS	142	86	56	—	88	67	21	—	54	19	35	—
6 YEARS	170	83	87	—	108	75	33	—	62	8	54	—
7 YEARS	620	220	400	—	388	207	181	—	232	13	219	—
8 YEARS	1,596	638	958	—	1,016	598	418	—	580	40	540	—
9-11 YEARS	12,634	5,079	7,553	2	7,007	4,475	2,531	1	5,627	604	5,022	1
12 YEARS	21,293	13,367	7,923	3	12,999	10,942	2,057	—	8,294	2,425	5,866	3
13-15 YEARS	14,033	10,667	3,366	—	9,350	8,530	820	—	4,683	2,137	2,546	—
16+ YEARS	10,084	9,592	492	—	8,498	8,383	115	—	1,586	1,209	377	—
NOT STATED	264	104	154	6	125	79	42	4	139	25	112	2

TABLE 17
LIVE BIRTHS BY RACE AND EDUCATION OF MOTHER
BY TOTAL BIRTH ORDER
ALABAMA, 1994

RACE AND BIRTH ORDER	MOTHER'S EDUCATION IN YEARS							
	TOTAL	0-5	6-8	9-11	12	13-15	16+	NOT STATED
TOTAL	60,836	142	2,386	12,634	21,293	14,033	10,084	264
FIRST	22,598	40	1,179	5,275	7,238	4,990	3,760	116
SECOND	19,061	37	547	3,327	7,006	4,700	3,384	60
THIRD	10,864	25	328	2,039	4,028	2,562	1,835	47
FOURTH	4,839	12	184	1,102	1,804	1,052	667	18
FIFTH	1,972	11	79	481	718	417	257	9
SIXTH-EIGHTH	1,337	12	57	362	457	283	161	5
NINTH-ELEVENTH	127	5	7	42	32	23	17	1
TWELFTH & OVER	22	—	5	5	5	6	1	—
NOT STATED	16	—	—	1	5	—	2	8
WHITE	39,579	88	1,512	7,007	12,999	9,350	8,498	125
FIRST	14,954	19	605	2,871	4,755	3,451	3,201	52
SECOND	12,849	23	413	1,978	4,401	3,169	2,834	31
THIRD	7,029	17	259	1,214	2,324	1,648	1,551	16
FOURTH	2,853	10	132	567	939	640	555	10
FIFTH	1,103	8	55	208	354	261	212	5
SIXTH-EIGHTH	706	8	42	150	210	165	128	3
NINTH-ELEVENTH	64	3	3	18	13	13	14	—
TWELFTH & OVER	9	—	3	1	1	3	1	—
NOT STATED	12	—	—	—	2	—	2	8
BLACK AND OTHER	21,257	54	874	5,627	8,294	4,683	1,586	139
FIRST	7,644	21	574	2,404	2,483	1,539	559	64
SECOND	6,212	14	134	1,349	2,605	1,531	550	29
THIRD	3,835	8	69	825	1,704	914	264	31
FOURTH	1,986	2	52	535	865	412	112	8
FIFTH	869	3	24	273	364	156	45	4
SIXTH-EIGHTH	631	4	15	212	247	118	33	2
NINTH-ELEVENTH	63	2	4	24	19	10	3	1
TWELFTH & OVER	13	—	2	4	4	3	—	—
NOT STATED	4	—	—	1	3	—	—	—

TABLE 18
LIVE BIRTHS BY RACE AND EDUCATION OF MOTHER,
AND MONTH PRENATAL CARE BEGAN
ALABAMA, 1994

RACE AND EDUCATION OF MOTHER	TOTAL	NO PRENATAL CARE	MONTH PRENATAL CARE BEGAN				
			1st-2nd	3rd	4th-6th	7th-9th	NOT STATED
TOTAL	60,836	662	37,382	11,782	8,912	1,709	389
UNDER 9 YEARS	2,528	47	1,015	582	692	162	30
0-5 YEARS	142	4	58	24	36	11	9
6 YEARS	170	3	61	32	49	21	4
7 YEARS	620	10	228	145	185	45	7
8 YEARS	1,596	30	668	381	422	85	10
9-11 YEARS	12,634	244	5,685	2,967	3,015	610	113
12 YEARS	21,293	217	12,635	4,345	3,359	617	120
13-15 YEARS	14,033	112	9,662	2,506	1,436	247	70
16+ YEARS	10,084	31	8,285	1,333	360	49	26
NOT STATED	264	11	100	49	50	24	30
WHITE	39,579	202	27,483	7,031	3,978	709	176
UNDER 9 YEARS	1,600	17	728	379	365	94	17
0-5 YEARS	88	1	38	15	21	7	6
6 YEARS	108	1	41	24	28	12	2
7 YEARS	388	4	155	94	101	29	5
8 YEARS	1,016	11	494	246	215	46	4
9-11 YEARS	7,007	60	3,677	1,646	1,325	254	45
12 YEARS	12,999	63	8,822	2,447	1,404	216	47
13-15 YEARS	9,350	38	7,032	1,482	659	104	35
16+ YEARS	8,498	20	7,171	1,055	206	31	15
NOT STATED	125	4	53	22	19	10	17
BLACK AND OTHER	21,257	460	9,899	4,751	4,934	1,000	213
UNDER 9 YEARS	928	30	287	203	327	68	13
0-5 YEARS	54	3	20	9	15	4	3
6 YEARS	62	2	20	8	21	9	2
7 YEARS	232	6	73	51	84	16	2
8 YEARS	580	19	174	136	207	39	6
9-11 YEARS	5,627	184	2,008	1,321	1,690	356	68
12 YEARS	8,294	154	3,813	1,898	1,955	401	73
13-15 YEARS	4,683	74	2,630	1,024	777	143	35
16+ YEARS	1,586	11	1,114	278	154	18	11
NOT STATED	139	7	47	27	31	14	13

TABLE 19
LIVE BIRTHS BY RACE, AGE OF MOTHER
AND NUMBER OF PRENATAL VISITS
ALABAMA, 1994

RACE AND AGE OF MOTHER	TOTAL	NUMBER OF PRENATAL VISITS								
		NONE	1-2	3-5	6-7	8-10	11-13	14-16	17+	NOT STATED
TOTAL	80,836	662	699	2,465	3,780	15,963	19,267	13,241	4,051	708
UNDER 15	339	12	13	35	44	116	64	30	14	11
15-19	10,994	174	199	800	1,076	3,279	3,082	1,697	527	160
20-24	18,823	235	271	887	1,336	4,968	5,760	3,893	1,214	259
25-29	15,766	105	119	405	697	3,908	5,288	3,965	1,128	151
30-34	10,546	84	63	234	425	2,643	3,616	2,594	805	82
35-39	3,800	43	29	86	175	906	1,281	923	319	38
40-44	540	9	5	14	27	136	170	132	43	4
45+	22	—	—	2	—	6	6	7	1	—
NOT STATED	6	—	—	2	—	1	—	—	—	3
WHITE	39,579	202	222	829	1,778	9,735	13,555	9,833	3,066	359
UNDER 15	60	1	—	2	5	16	18	12	5	1
15-19	5,503	44	65	232	427	1,548	1,719	1,053	360	55
20-24	11,523	61	75	315	610	2,774	3,879	2,782	889	138
25-29	11,525	37	51	144	378	2,751	4,061	3,137	876	90
30-34	7,893	35	19	98	258	1,925	2,816	2,028	664	50
35-39	2,704	20	10	33	86	633	944	720	238	20
40-44	351	4	2	4	14	84	114	94	33	2
45+	17	—	—	1	—	4	4	7	1	—
NOT STATED	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3
BLACK AND OTHER	21,257	460	477	1,636	2,002	6,228	5,712	3,408	985	349
UNDER 15	279	11	13	33	39	100	46	18	9	10
15-19	5,491	130	134	568	649	1,731	1,363	644	167	105
20-24	7,300	174	196	572	726	2,194	1,881	1,111	325	121
25-29	4,241	68	68	261	319	1,157	1,227	828	252	61
30-34	2,653	49	44	136	167	718	800	566	141	32
35-39	1,096	23	19	53	89	273	337	203	81	18
40-44	189	5	3	10	13	52	56	38	10	2
45+	5	—	—	1	—	2	2	—	—	—
NOT STATED	3	—	—	2	—	1	—	—	—	—

TABLE 20
LIVE BIRTHS OCCURRING IN AND OUT OF HOSPITALS
BY ATTENDANT AND RACE OF MOTHER, ALABAMA, 1994

ATTENDANT	TOTAL	WHITE	BLACK AND OTHER
TOTAL	60,836	39,579	21,257
PHYSICIAN	58,118	38,516	19,602
MIDWIFE	2,457	942	1,515
OTHER	210	109	101
NONE	49	10	39
UNKNOWN	2	2	—
IN HOSPITAL	60,627	39,475	21,152
PHYSICIAN	58,107	38,513	19,594
MIDWIFE	2,457	942	1,515
OTHER	57	19	38
NONE	6	1	5
UNKNOWN	—	—	—
NOT IN HOSPITAL	209	104	105
PHYSICIAN	11	3	8
MIDWIFE	—	—	—
OTHER	153	90	63
NONE	43	9	34
UNKNOWN	2	2	—

TABLE 21
RESIDENT LIVE BIRTHS WITH CONGENITAL ANOMALIES
BY RACE AND AGE OF MOTHER
ALABAMA, 1994

AGE OF MOTHER	TOTAL	WHITE	BLACK AND OTHER
TOTAL	263	185	78
UNDER 15	—	—	—
15-17	16	11	5
18-19	21	14	7
20-24	86	61	25
25-29	66	46	20
30-34	51	39	12
35-39	19	14	5
40-44	4	—	4
45+	—	—	—
NOT STATED	—	—	—

NOTE: Congenital anomalies is seriously underreported on birth certificates..

TABLE 22
LOW WEIGHT BIRTHS AND PERCENT OF LOW WEIGHT BIRTHS
BY RACE OF MOTHER
ALABAMA, 1960-1994

YEAR	TOTAL		WHITE		BLACK AND OTHER	
	NUMBER	PERCENT	NUMBER	PERCENT	NUMBER	PERCENT
1960	6,840	8.5	3,462	6.8	3,378	11.2
1961	6,874	8.5	3,358	6.6	3,516	11.7
1962	6,822	8.7	3,484	7.1	3,338	11.4
1963	6,720	8.8	3,201	6.7	3,519	12.5
1964	6,794	8.9	3,379	7.0	3,415	12.2
1965	6,276	8.9	3,124	7.0	3,152	12.2
1966	5,967	9.0	3,076	7.2	2,891	12.3
1967	5,354	8.3	2,871	6.9	2,483	10.9
1968	5,676	8.9	3,027	7.2	2,649	12.3
1969	5,796	9.0	3,058	7.0	2,738	12.9
1970	6,045	9.0	3,119	6.9	2,926	13.3
1971	5,841	8.8	3,011	6.8	2,830	12.6
1972	5,373	8.7	2,590	6.5	2,783	12.9
1973	5,122	8.6	2,558	6.6	2,564	12.4
1974	5,031	8.5	2,423	6.3	2,608	12.6
1975	4,886	8.4	2,414	6.4	2,472	12.1
1976	4,753	8.2	2,366	6.3	2,387	11.7
1977	4,912	7.9	2,351	6.8	2,561	11.8
1978	5,042	8.4	2,405	6.2	2,637	12.3
1979	4,968	8.0	2,298	5.8	2,670	11.8
1980	4,985	7.9	2,273	5.6	2,712	11.9
1981	4,885	7.9	2,326	5.9	2,559	11.7
1982	4,755	7.9	2,228	5.7	2,527	11.8
1983	4,679	7.9	2,294	6.0	2,385	11.6
1984	4,687	7.9	2,176	5.7	2,511	12.0
1985	4,785	8.0	2,323	6.0	2,462	11.9
1986	4,767	8.0	2,317	6.0	2,450	11.8
1987	4,790	8.0	2,301	5.9	2,489	12.0
1988	4,880	8.0	2,330	6.0	2,550	11.8
1989	5,171	8.3	2,462	6.1	2,709	12.1
1990	5,331	8.4	2,546	6.2	2,785	12.5
1991	5,470	8.7	2,622	6.5	2,848	12.9
1992	5,275	8.5	2,476	6.2	2,799	12.7
1993	5,376	8.7	2,663	6.7	2,713	12.5
1994	5,533	9.1	2,738	6.9	2,795	13.1

NOTE: Data for 1960-1989 is by race of the child.

Live births with a weight at birth of less than 2,500 grams, or five pounds and eight ounces, are considered as being of low birth weight. Weight at birth and the ratio of low weight births to all live births are important indicators since mortality is closely related to weight at birth.

Historically, women other than white have recorded low weight birth percentages that approximately double those for white women. The low weight birth percent for women other than white was 13.2 compared to 6.9 for white women in Alabama during 1994.

TABLE 23
LOW WEIGHT BIRTHS
AND PERCENT OF LOW WEIGHT BIRTHS
BY COUNTY OF RESIDENCE AND RACE OF MOTHER
ALABAMA, 1994

COUNTY	TOTAL		WHITE		BLACK AND OTHER	
	NUMBER	PERCENT	NUMBER	PERCENT	NUMBER	PERCENT
TOTAL	5,533	9.1	2,738	6.9	2,795	13.1
Autauga	48	8.3	30	7.0	18	11.9
Baldwin	104	7.1	76	6.3	28	10.7
Barbour	58	14.2	18	10.0	40	17.5
Bibb	24	9.7	17	9.6	7	10.0
Blount	45	7.6	45	7.7	—	—
Bullock	36	21.1	2	7.1*	34	23.8
Butler	24	8.7	9	6.3	15	11.4
Calhoun	116	7.2	65	5.6	51	11.4
Chambers	69	12.8	32	11.3	37	14.4
Cherokee	26	10.7	18	8.3	8	30.8*
Chilton	41	8.7	30	7.6	11	14.7
Choctaw	25	11.8	12	12.1	13	11.5
Clarke	47	10.9	11	6.6	36	13.5
Clay	19	10.9	14	10.4	5	12.2*
Cleburne	8	5.8	7	5.4	1	11.1*
Coffee	45	7.8	28	6.6	17	10.9
Colbert	65	9.6	56	10.1	9	7.4
Conecuh	27	13.2	6	7.9	21	16.3
Coosa	14	11.5	4	6.0	10	18.2
Covington	37	7.6	25	6.7	12	10.7
Crenshaw	17	10.2	6	5.2	11	21.6
Cullman	66	7.6	66	7.7	—	—
Dale	59	7.4	34	5.8	25	12.1
Dallas	67	8.7	8	4.3	59	10.1
DeKalb	60	7.4	54	7.0	6	15.4*
Elmore	76	9.5	46	7.8	30	14.0
Escambia	45	9.7	23	8.0	22	12.5
Etawah	119	8.9	71	6.9	48	15.9
Fayette	14	6.5	10	5.6	4	11.1*
Franklin	33	8.4	31	8.3	2	11.1*
Geneva	19	5.9	12	4.5	7	12.5
Greene	26	13.6	1	6.3*	25	14.3
Hale	33	13.0	5	7.6	28	15.0
Henry	26	11.7	11	8.7	15	15.5
Houston	73	6.1	47	5.9	26	6.5
Jackson	56	8.8	47	8.0	9	18.0
Jefferson	913	9.8	331	6.8	582	13.1
Lamar	17	8.5	10	6.3	7	17.5*
Lauderdale	97	9.0	81	8.7	16	11.3
Lawrence	42	8.9	31	7.9	11	13.6
Lee	112	8.1	57	6.2	55	11.9
Limestone	67	8.1	51	7.0	16	15.7
Lowndes	24	11.5	1	3.0*	23	13.1
Macon	38	10.8	4	9.3*	34	11.0
Madison	318	8.1	173	6.2	145	12.9
Marengo	47	12.9	17	12.0	30	13.5
Marion	40	10.8	36	10.1	4	28.6*
Marshall	100	9.1	95	8.8	5	21.7*
Mobile	645	9.7	243	6.6	402	13.5
Monroe	46	11.7	15	8.2	31	14.8
Montgomery	349	9.9	89	5.9	260	13.0
Morgan	102	7.0	72	5.9	30	12.9
Perry	24	10.4	1	2.5*	23	12.0
Pickens	37	13.2	10	8.6	27	16.4
Pike	48	10.5	17	7.3	31	13.8
Randolph	27	9.0	13	7.4	14	11.2
Russell	64	8.8	24	5.9	40	12.5
St. Clair	74	9.5	61	8.9	13	14.6
Shelby	108	6.2	85	5.4	23	13.9
Sumter	29	12.5	2	4.3*	27	14.5
Talladega	100	9.7	45	7.1	55	14.1
Tallapoosa	63	11.0	32	9.0	31	14.4
Tuscaloosa	202	9.5	80	6.2	122	14.7
Walker	69	7.8	58	7.1	11	14.9
Washington	26	9.0	8	4.7	18	15.4
Wilcox	20	8.7	1	2.3*	19	10.1
Winston	18	6.7	18	6.8	—	—

Caution should be exercised in using ratios derived from small numbers. Caution should also be exercised in using percentages which are based on small live birth totals. Percentages which apply to populations with fewer than 50 live births are denoted by an "*".

TABLE 24
LOW WEIGHT BIRTHS AND PERCENT OF LOW WEIGHT BIRTHS
BY RACE AND AGE OF MOTHER
ALABAMA, 1994

RACE AND AGE OF MOTHER	TOTAL BIRTHS	LOW WEIGHT BIRTHS	PERCENT
TOTAL	60,836	5,533	9.1
UNDER 15	339	46	13.6
15-17	4,596	565	12.3
18-19	6,398	672	10.5
20-24	18,823	1,752	9.3
25-29	15,766	1,239	7.9
30-34	10,546	827	7.8
35-39	3,800	362	9.5
40-44	540	65	12.0
45 +	22	3	— ¹
NOT STATED	6	2	— ¹
WHITE	39,579	2,738	6.9
UNDER 15	60	3	5.0
15-17	2,080	177	8.5
18-19	3,423	281	8.2
20-24	11,523	814	7.1
25-29	11,525	733	6.4
30-34	7,893	481	6.1
35-39	2,704	211	7.8
40-44	351	34	9.7
45 +	17	2	— ¹
NOT STATED	3	2	— ¹
BLACK AND OTHER	21,257	2,795	13.1
UNDER 15	279	43	15.4
15-17	2,516	388	15.4
18-19	2,975	391	13.1
20-24	7,300	938	12.8
25-29	4,241	506	11.9
30-34	2,653	346	13.0
35-39	1,096	151	13.8
40-44	189	31	16.4
45 +	5	1	— ¹
NOT STATED	3	—	— ¹

¹Statewide percentages are not calculated in instances where there were fewer than 50 live births in a specified population.

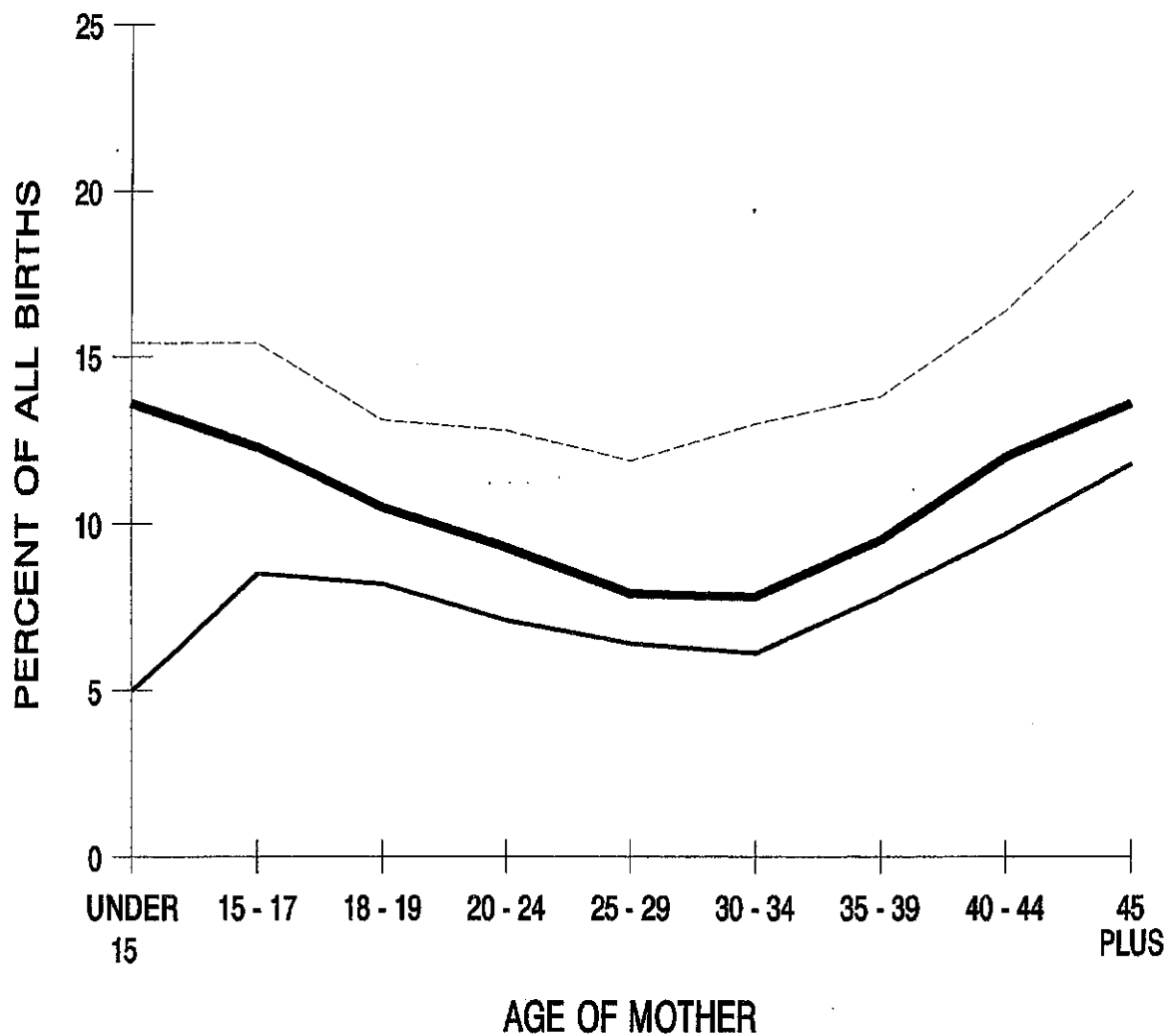
During 1994 teenage mothers in Alabama had a low weight birth percent of 11.3. This percent was 8.6 for women 20 or more years of age. Among teenage mothers, the younger the mother the greater the likelihood of a low weight infant.

The low weight birth percent for teenagers other than white was 14.2 during 1994. This was over one and a half times the 8.3 percent for white

teenagers.

Mothers aged 30-34 had the lowest low weight birth percentage during 1994. The greatest changes over the year occurred in the 40-44 age group where the low weight birth percent of 12.9 in 1993 decreased to 12.0 in 1994 and the under 15 age group which decreased from 16.6 percent in 1993 to 13.6 percent in 1994.

**FIGURE 5
 PERCENT OF LOW WEIGHT BIRTHS
 BY RACE AND AGE OF MOTHER
 ALABAMA, 1994**



RACE OF MOTHER
 — ALL RACES — WHITE -- BLACK AND OTHER

TABLE 25
BIRTHS AND PERCENT OF BIRTHS TO UNMARRIED WOMEN
BY RACE OF MOTHER
ALABAMA, 1960-1994

YEAR	TOTAL		WHITE		BLACK AND OTHER	
	NUMBER	PERCENT	NUMBER	PERCENT	NUMBER	PERCENT
1960	9,271	11.6	859	1.7	8,412	28.2
1961	9,433	11.8	868	1.7	8,565	28.8
1962	9,295	11.9	941	1.9	8,354	28.8
1963	9,298	12.3	1,012	2.1	8,286	30.0
1964	9,690	12.7	1,055	2.2	8,635	31.1
1965	9,145	13.1	1,070	2.4	8,075	31.6
1966	8,746	13.3	1,195	2.8	7,551	32.5
1967	9,002	14.1	1,257	3.1	7,745	34.2
1968	8,861	14.0	1,245	3.0	7,616	35.8
1969	8,927	13.9	1,400	3.3	7,527	35.8
1970	9,794	14.6	1,546	3.4	8,248	37.6
1971	10,498	15.7	1,492	3.4	9,006	40.0
1972	10,735	17.4	1,547	3.9	9,188	42.5
1973	10,725	18.0	1,570	4.1	9,155	44.3
1974	10,826	18.2	1,569	4.1	9,257	44.7
1975	11,476	19.8	1,811	4.8	9,665	47.5
1976	11,170	19.3	1,627	4.4	9,543	46.6
1977	12,212	19.7	1,882	4.7	10,330	47.7
1978	12,867	21.4	2,036	5.3	10,831	50.5
1979	13,674	21.9	2,196	5.5	11,478	50.6
1980	14,033	22.1	2,401	5.9	11,632	51.1
1981	13,848	22.5	2,555	6.4	11,293	51.7
1982	13,929	23.1	2,553	6.6	11,376	53.2
1983	14,026	23.8	2,716	7.1	11,314	54.9
1984	14,469	24.5	2,776	7.3	11,693	56.1
1985	14,876	24.9	3,133	8.0	11,743	57.0
1986	15,381	25.9	3,340	8.7	12,041	57.9
1987	15,946	26.8	3,655	9.4	12,291	59.3
1988	16,930	27.9	4,146	10.6	12,784	59.3
1989	18,632	29.8	4,652	11.6	13,980	62.3
1990	19,099	30.1	4,902	11.9	14,197	63.5
1991	20,008	31.9	5,202	12.8	14,806	66.9
1992	20,263	32.6	5,518	13.8	14,745	66.8
1993	20,649	33.5	5,933	14.9	14,716	67.7
1994	20,989	34.5	6,218	15.7	14,771	69.5

NOTE: Data for the years 1960-1970 are by occurrence. Data for 1971-1994 are by residence. Data for 1960-1989 are by race of the child.

Nearly three and one half of every ten live births to Alabama residents during 1994 was to an unmarried mother. The number of births to unmarried mothers during 1994 was a record high for the eleventh consecutive year. The percentage of births to unmarried mothers during 1994 was the highest ever recorded in Alabama and marked the eighteenth consecutive year that this percentage has increased.

Of the 20,989 births to unmarried mothers during 1994, 7,930 or over 37 percent were to teenagers. More than 69 percent of all births to teenagers were out of wedlock. Over 43 percent of all births to white teenagers and over 95 percent of all births to teenagers other than white were to unmarried mothers.

White women recorded a percent of births to

unmarried mothers of 15.7 during 1994. This means that over one out of every 7 white births was born out of wedlock. This percentage has more than doubled since 1984.

Women other than white recorded a percent of births to unmarried mothers of 69.5 during 1994. This means that nearly seven out of every 10 births to women other than white were out of wedlock.

The highest percent of births to unmarried women during 1994 was 73.8 in Greene County. Other counties which had high percents were Wilcox (65.8), Bullock (69.6), and Perry (68.8).

Cleburne County's percent of births to unmarried mothers of 13.8 was the lowest in Alabama during 1994. Shelby (13.9) and Cullman (14.8) counties also recorded low percents.

FIGURE 6
RATIOS OF BIRTHS TO UNMARRIED WOMEN
BY RACE OF MOTHER
ALABAMA, 1960-1994

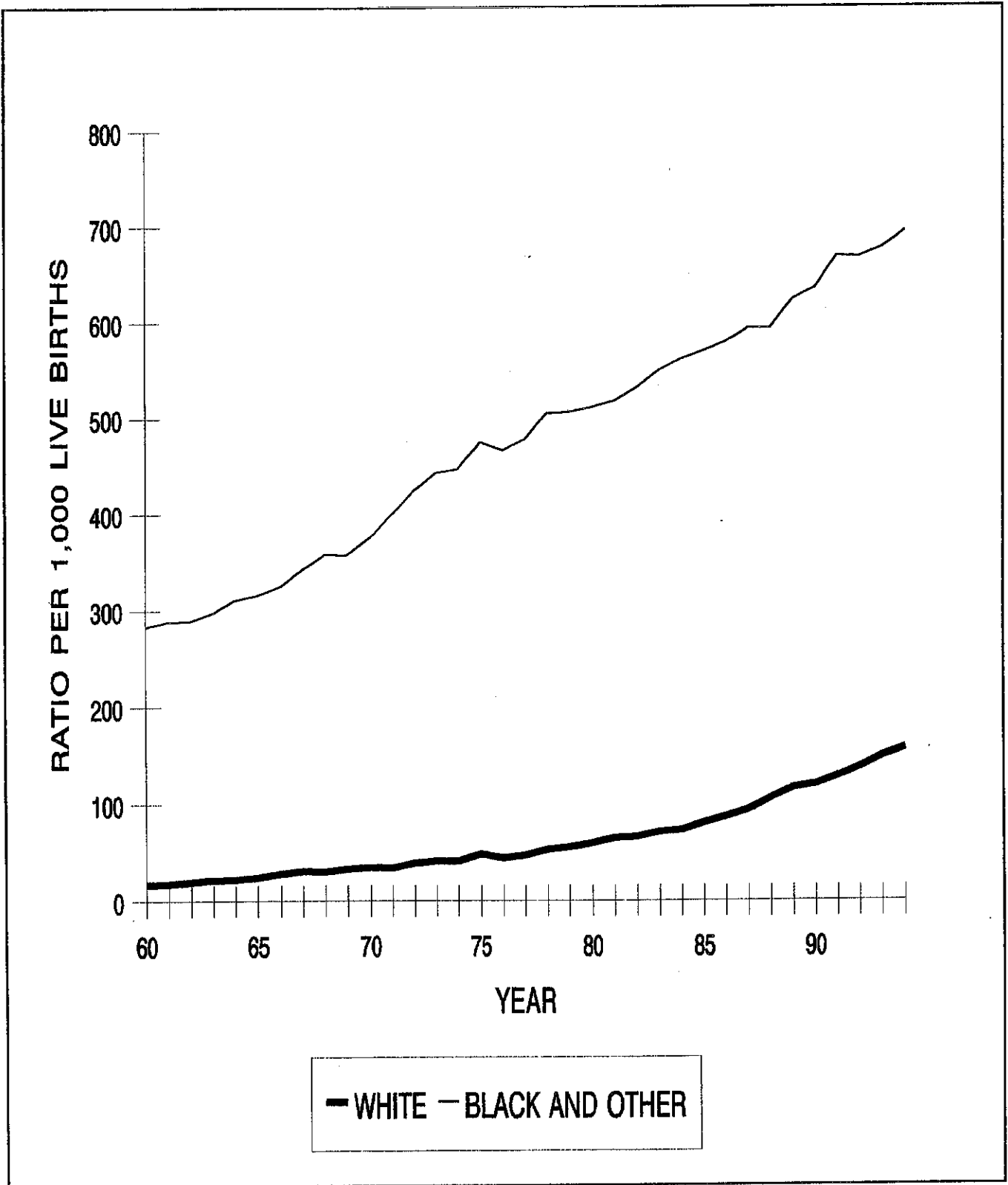


TABLE 26
BIRTHS AND PERCENT OF BIRTHS TO UNMARRIED WOMEN
BY COUNTY OF RESIDENCE AND RACE OF MOTHER
ALABAMA, 1994

COUNTY	TOTAL		WHITE		BLACK & OTHER	
	NUMBER	PERCENT	NUMBER	PERCENT	NUMBER	PERCENT
TOTAL	20,989	34.5	6,218	15.7	14,771	69.5
Autauga	173	29.9	66	15.5	107	70.9
Baldwin	364	24.8	174	14.4	190	72.8
Barbour	183	44.9	27	15.0	156	68.4
Bibb	75	30.2	25	14.0	50	71.4
Blount	91	15.3	86	14.7	5	62.5*
Bullock	119	69.6	1	3.6*	118	82.5
Butler	121	44.0	26	18.2	95	72.0
Calhoun	448	27.8	180	15.4	268	60.1
Chambers	266	49.3	64	22.6	202	78.6
Cherokee	48	19.8	32	14.8	16	61.5*
Chilton	124	26.3	80	20.2	44	58.7
Choctaw	89	42.0	16	16.2	73	64.6
Clarke	224	51.7	24	14.5	200	74.9
Clay	51	29.1	23	17.2	28	68.3*
Cleburne	19	13.8	16	12.4	3	33.3*
Coffee	166	28.6	71	16.7	95	60.9
Colbert	161	23.8	81	14.6	80	65.6
Conecuh	103	50.2	12	15.8	91	70.5
Coosa	41	33.6	9	13.4	32	58.2
Covington	165	33.9	77	20.5	88	78.6
Crenshaw	60	35.9	19	16.4	41	80.4
Cullman	128	14.8	124	14.4	4	66.7*
Dale	207	26.0	102	17.3	105	51.0
Dallas	477	61.8	28	15.1	449	76.5
DeKalb	157	19.5	131	17.1	26	66.7*
Elmore	258	32.2	100	17.1	158	73.5
Escambia	196	42.4	68	23.8	128	72.7
Etowah	44.3	33.3	22.3	21.7	22.0	73.1
Fayette	61	28.2	37	20.6	24	66.7*
Franklin	78	19.9	69	18.4	9	50.0*
Geneva	80	24.9	38	14.3	42	75.0
Greene	141	73.8	—	—	141	80.6
Hale	136	53.8	4	6.1	132	70.6
Henry	91	40.8	21	16.7	70	72.2
Houston	413	34.4	140	17.5	273	68.4
Jackson	142	22.4	119	20.3	23	46.0
Jefferson	3,600	38.5	621	12.7	2,979	66.9
Lamar	46	23.0	22	13.8	24	60.0*
Lauderdale	265	24.7	173	18.6	92	65.2
Lawrence	118	25.0	60	15.3	58	71.6
Lee	443	32.0	135	14.6	308	66.5
Limestone	168	20.3	106	14.6	62	60.8
Lowndes	128	61.5	1	3.0*	127	72.6
Macon	238	67.4	5	11.6*	233	75.2
Madison	1,020	26.0	352	12.6	668	59.3
Marengo	182	50.0	13	9.2	169	76.1
Marion	76	20.3	65	18.3	10	71.4*
Marshall	252	23.0	236	22.0	16	69.6*
Mobile	2,828	42.6	668	18.2	2,160	72.6
Monroe	175	44.5	33	18.0	142	67.6
Montgomery	1,576	44.8	182	12.0	1,394	69.8
Morgan	365	25.0	201	16.4	164	70.7
Perry	159	68.8	2	5.0*	157	82.2
Pickens	138	49.1	16	13.8	122	73.9
Pike	204	44.6	32	13.8	172	76.4
Randolph	120	39.9	26	14.8	94	75.2
Russell	307	42.2	95	23.3	212	66.3
St. Clair	197	25.4	135	19.6	62	69.7
Shelby	240	13.9	155	9.9	85	51.2
Sumter	141	60.8	7	15.2*	134	72.0
Talladega	430	41.9	134	21.1	296	75.9
Tallapoosa	235	41.1	55	15.4	180	83.3
Tuscaloosa	747	35.1	162	12.5	585	70.4
Walker	201	22.6	144	17.7	57	77.0
Washington	99	34.4	28	16.4	71	60.7
Wilcox	152	65.8	1	2.3*	151	80.3
Winston	41	15.2	40	15.2	1	16.7*

Caution should be exercised in using percentages derived from small numbers. Caution should also be exercised in using percentages which are based on small live birth totals. Percentages based on populations with fewer than 50 live births are denoted by an "*".

TABLE 27
LIVE BIRTHS, BIRTHS AND PERCENTAGES OF BIRTHS TO
UNMARRIED WOMEN BY RACE AND AGE OF MOTHER
ALABAMA, 1994

AGE OF MOTHER	TOTAL BIRTHS			BIRTHS TO UNMARRIED WOMEN			PERCENT OF BIRTHS TO UNMARRIED WOMEN		
	TOTAL	WHITE	BLACK & OTHER	TOTAL	WHITE	BLACK & OTHER	TOTAL	WHITE	BLACK & OTHER
TOTAL	60,836	39,579	21,257	20,989	6,218	14,771	34.5	15.7	69.5
UNDER 15	339	60	279	329	50	279	97.1	83.3	100.0
15-17	4,596	2,080	2,516	3,639	1,167	2,472	79.2	56.1	98.3
18-19	6,398	3,423	2,975	3,962	1,213	2,749	61.9	35.4	92.4
20-24	18,823	11,523	7,300	7,795	2,232	5,563	41.4	19.4	76.2
25-29	15,766	11,525	4,241	3,062	934	2,128	19.4	8.1	50.2
30-34	10,546	7,893	2,653	1,536	444	1,092	14.6	5.6	41.2
35-39	3,800	2,704	1,096	571	152	419	15.0	5.6	38.2
40-44	540	351	189	88	24	64	16.3	6.8	33.9
45+	22	17	5	4	2	2	— ¹	— ¹	— ¹
NOT STATED	6	3	3	3	—	3	— ¹	— ¹	— ¹

¹ Statewide percents are not calculated in instances where there were fewer than 50 live births in specified population.

TABLE 28
PERCENT OF BIRTHS TO UNMARRIED WOMEN
BY RACE AND AGE OF MOTHER
ALABAMA, 1987-1994

RACE & AGE OF MOTHER	1994	1993	1992	1991	1990	1989	1988	1980
TOTAL	34.5	33.5	32.6	31.9	30.1	29.8	27.9	26.8
UNDER 15	97.1	95.8	96.8	94.5	97.1	95.4	93.7	95.9
15-17	79.2	78.0	76.7	74.4	73.0	74.3	71.4	71.0
18-19	61.9	61.2	59.1	57.9	55.7	56.4	52.6	51.3
20-24	41.4	39.8	37.8	36.7	34.5	33.3	31.6	29.2
25-29	19.4	19.3	18.7	18.0	17.1	16.3	15.3	14.1
30-34	14.6	14.1	14.3	13.8	13.2	13.6	12.3	12.3
35-39	15.0	15.4	17.4	16.9	15.2	14.0	13.6	14.0
40-44	16.3	18.8	17.1	21.7	16.0	18.6	18.9	18.5
45+	— ¹	— ¹	— ¹	— ¹	— ¹	— ¹	— ¹	— ¹
WHITE	15.7	14.9	13.8	12.8	11.9	11.6	10.6	9.4
UNDER 15	83.3	83.2	87.8	81.5	85.9	72.2	71.7	82.6
15-17	56.1	54.1	51.1	45.4	45.2	45.0	42.4	42.0
18-19	35.4	34.6	30.8	29.9	28.2	29.0	25.2	23.7
20-24	19.4	18.2	16.3	15.2	13.5	12.9	11.8	9.6
25-29	8.1	7.3	7.0	6.2	5.8	5.3	5.1	4.2
30-34	5.6	5.1	4.8	4.7	4.4	4.5	3.8	3.2
35-39	5.6	5.9	6.9	5.8	5.5	4.9	4.6	4.4
40-44	6.8	9.2	6.5	6.8	5.4	8.7	9.3	6.9
45+	— ¹	— ¹	— ¹	— ¹	— ¹	— ¹	— ¹	— ¹
BLACK AND OTHER	69.5	67.7	66.8	66.9	63.5	62.3	59.3	59.3
UNDER 15	100.0	100.0	100.0	98.8	100.0	100.0	99.6	99.0
15-17	98.3	97.5	97.3	97.2	97.1	97.2	96.2	96.5
18-19	92.4	92.1	91.6	91.1	89.7	88.8	87.0	86.3
20-24	76.2	74.7	72.9	72.6	69.7	67.6	64.7	63.5
25-29	50.2	50.8	48.6	49.1	45.5	44.1	40.4	39.5
30-34	41.2	38.5	39.1	37.5	35.6	34.9	32.7	34.6
35-39	38.2	36.2	39.4	41.3	34.7	31.3	31.3	32.8
40-44	33.9	34.5	36.4	44.6	33.0	34.4	32.9	37.2
45+	— ¹	— ¹	— ¹	— ¹	— ¹	— ¹	— ¹	— ¹

¹ Statewide percents are not calculated in instances where there were fewer than 50 live births in specified population.

TABLE 29
BIRTHS TO RESIDENTS OF SELECTED CITIES
BY RACE AND AGE OF MOTHER
ALABAMA, 1994

CITY	TOTAL	AGE OF MOTHER								NOT STATED
		UNDER 15	15-19	20-24	25-29	30-34	35-39	40-44	45+	
ALABASTER	278	—	28	45	97	82	22	4	—	—
WHITE	238	—	19	33	85	76	21	4	—	—
BLACK & OTHER	40	—	9	12	12	6	1	—	—	—
ALBERTVILLE	273	—	61	101	71	31	9	—	—	—
WHITE	269	—	59	100	71	30	9	—	—	—
BLACK & OTHER	4	—	2	1	—	1	—	—	—	—
ALEXANDER CITY	218	1	55	73	50	27	11	1	—	—
WHITE	115	—	15	31	38	24	7	—	—	—
BLACK & OTHER	103	1	40	42	12	3	4	1	—	—
ANDALUSIA	127	1	37	43	31	8	6	1	—	—
WHITE	81	1	17	28	24	7	3	1	—	—
BLACK & OTHER	46	—	20	15	7	1	3	—	—	—
ANNISTON	593	8	144	197	123	90	24	7	—	—
WHITE	278	1	55	89	68	49	10	6	—	—
BLACK & OTHER	315	7	89	108	55	41	14	1	—	—
ATHENS	258	—	57	66	72	47	15	1	—	—
WHITE	200	—	35	48	65	40	11	1	—	—
BLACK & OTHER	58	—	22	18	7	7	4	—	—	—
AUBURN	430	1	48	126	135	83	33	4	—	—
WHITE	259	—	15	83	92	57	29	3	—	—
BLACK & OTHER	171	1	33	63	43	26	4	1	—	—
BESSEMER	526	4	138	172	122	70	16	4	—	—
WHITE	138	—	27	50	37	20	3	1	—	—
BLACK & OTHER	388	4	111	122	85	50	13	3	—	—
BIRMINGHAM	4,178	44	913	1,298	944	663	277	35	2	2
WHITE	867	3	87	224	261	203	80	8	—	1
BLACK & OTHER	3,311	41	826	1,074	683	460	197	27	2	1
CULLMAN	164	—	37	49	51	22	5	—	—	—
WHITE	163	—	37	49	50	22	5	—	—	—
BLACK & OTHER	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—
DAPHNE	175	—	11	30	61	50	21	2	—	—
WHITE	152	—	5	26	54	45	21	1	—	—
BLACK & OTHER	23	—	6	4	7	5	—	1	—	—
DECATUR	792	1	122	219	225	169	50	6	—	—
WHITE	583	1	72	147	169	143	46	5	—	—
BLACK & OTHER	209	—	50	72	56	26	4	1	—	—
DOTHAN	811	5	175	212	215	150	51	2	1	—
WHITE	499	—	71	115	153	113	44	2	1	—
BLACK & OTHER	312	5	104	97	62	37	7	—	—	—
ENTERPRISE	356	—	56	112	107	59	20	2	—	—
WHITE	234	—	27	59	86	47	13	2	—	—
BLACK & OTHER	122	—	29	53	21	12	7	—	—	—
EUFULA	231	2	41	73	61	40	14	—	—	—
WHITE	110	1	9	34	30	25	11	—	—	—
BLACK & OTHER	121	1	32	39	31	15	3	—	—	—
FAIRFIELD	168	1	31	46	45	25	15	5	—	—
WHITE	12	—	2	5	2	3	—	—	—	—
BLACK & OTHER	156	1	29	41	43	22	15	5	—	—

TABLE 29—continued
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CITY	TOTAL	AGE OF MOTHER								NOT STATED
		UNDER 15	15-19	20-24	25-29	30-34	35-39	40-44	45+	
FLORENCE	500	3	92	165	131	78	28	2	1	—
WHITE	381	—	63	127	98	70	23	—	—	—
BLACK & OTHER	119	3	29	38	33	8	5	2	1	—
FORT PAYNE	182	—	34	65	51	22	8	2	—	—
WHITE	167	—	29	58	49	21	8	2	—	—
BLACK & OTHER	15	—	5	7	2	1	—	—	—	—
GADSDEN	665	4	174	250	136	66	31	4	—	—
WHITE	389	1	86	137	94	47	21	3	—	—
BLACK & OTHER	276	3	88	113	42	19	10	1	—	—
HARTSELLE	166	1	31	42	58	29	4	1	—	—
WHITE	149	1	27	33	56	27	4	1	—	—
BLACK & OTHER	17	—	4	9	2	2	—	—	—	—
HOMEWOOD	359	—	18	44	121	123	49	4	—	—
WHITE	297	—	10	28	100	111	44	4	—	—
BLACK & OTHER	62	—	8	16	21	12	5	—	—	—
HOOVER	542	—	23	61	182	200	66	10	—	—
WHITE	498	—	22	53	167	186	60	10	—	—
BLACK & OTHER	44	—	1	8	15	14	6	—	—	—
HUEYTOWN	194	1	24	51	71	33	13	1	—	—
WHITE	168	1	18	46	66	28	9	—	—	—
BLACK & OTHER	26	—	6	5	5	5	4	1	—	—
HUNTSVILLE	2,342	13	318	622	604	566	189	30	—	—
WHITE	1,431	1	111	308	416	428	147	20	—	—
BLACK & OTHER	911	12	207	314	188	138	42	10	—	—
JACKSONVILLE	107	—	24	32	21	23	7	—	—	—
WHITE	90	—	20	26	19	21	4	—	—	—
BLACK & OTHER	17	—	4	6	2	2	3	—	—	—
JASPER	182	—	43	66	32	26	13	2	—	—
WHITE	146	—	27	54	29	22	12	2	—	—
BLACK & OTHER	36	—	16	12	3	4	1	—	—	—
LEEDS	160	—	34	50	43	24	9	—	—	—
WHITE	137	—	26	45	40	19	7	—	—	—
BLACK & OTHER	23	—	8	5	3	5	2	—	—	—
MADISON	455	—	35	66	145	154	52	3	—	—
WHITE	358	—	18	42	120	131	44	3	—	—
BLACK & OTHER	97	—	17	24	25	23	8	—	—	—
MOBILE	3,719	24	683	1,067	935	690	282	37	1	—
WHITE	1,678	1	177	390	504	415	171	19	1	—
BLACK & OTHER	2,041	23	506	677	431	275	111	18	—	—
MONTGOMERY	3,255	38	558	987	777	626	237	31	1	—
WHITE	1,365	2	102	310	410	373	142	15	1	—
BLACK & OTHER	1,900	36	456	677	367	253	95	16	—	—
MOUNTAIN BROOK	224	—	3	7	47	97	63	7	—	—
WHITE	222	—	3	7	47	96	62	7	—	—
BLACK & OTHER	2	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	—
NORTHPORT	288	2	49	83	84	44	24	2	—	—
WHITE	196	2	24	52	63	37	16	2	—	—
BLACK & OTHER	92	—	25	31	21	7	8	—	—	—

TABLE 29—continued
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BY RACE AND AGE OF MOTHER
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CITY	TOTAL	AGE OF MOTHER								NOT STATED
		UNDER 15	15-19	20-24	25-29	30-34	35-39	40-44	45+	
OPELIKA	432	—	66	167	109	67	20	2	—	1
WHITE	236	—	30	81	70	41	12	1	—	1
BLACK & OTHER	196	—	36	86	39	26	8	1	—	—
OZARK	220	—	52	70	51	34	12	1	—	—
WHITE	145	—	29	45	39	24	7	1	—	—
BLACK & OTHER	75	—	23	25	12	10	5	—	—	—
PHENIX CITY	529	5	83	197	140	79	23	2	—	—
WHITE	315	1	38	121	87	55	12	1	—	—
BLACK & OTHER	214	4	45	76	53	24	11	1	—	—
PRATTVILLE	365	2	56	124	85	63	31	4	—	—
WHITE	283	—	27	97	76	58	22	3	—	—
BLACK & OTHER	82	2	29	27	9	5	9	1	—	—
PRICHARD	587	6	189	187	104	58	33	10	—	—
WHITE	49	—	13	16	13	7	—	—	—	—
BLACK & OTHER	538	6	176	171	91	51	33	10	—	—
SARALAND	169	—	25	45	60	31	8	—	—	—
WHITE	150	—	19	41	54	29	7	—	—	—
BLACK & OTHER	19	—	6	4	6	2	1	—	—	—
SCOTTSBORO	186	—	42	64	52	21	7	—	—	—
WHITE	165	—	37	58	46	19	5	—	—	—
BLACK & OTHER	21	—	5	6	6	2	2	—	—	—
SELMA	434	7	128	136	75	65	21	2	—	—
WHITE	78	—	9	21	28	13	7	—	—	—
BLACK & OTHER	356	7	119	115	47	52	14	2	—	—
SHEFFIELD	146	—	27	56	33	19	8	3	—	—
WHITE	104	—	14	44	26	13	5	2	—	—
BLACK & OTHER	42	—	13	12	7	6	3	1	—	—
SYLACAUGA	180	2	35	70	38	28	6	1	—	—
WHITE	103	—	19	38	21	22	3	—	—	—
BLACK & OTHER	77	2	16	32	17	6	3	1	—	—
TALLADEGA	242	3	74	81	47	33	4	—	—	—
WHITE	119	1	34	35	25	21	3	—	—	—
BLACK & OTHER	123	2	40	46	22	12	1	—	—	—
TROY	206	2	42	67	55	28	12	—	—	—
WHITE	86	—	10	19	34	18	5	—	—	—
BLACK & OTHER	120	2	32	48	21	10	7	—	—	—
TUSCALOOSA	1,060	8	210	347	244	165	76	9	1	—
WHITE	429	—	37	108	131	101	46	6	—	—
BLACK & OTHER	631	8	173	239	113	64	30	3	1	—
TUSKEGEE	186	3	47	70	33	18	12	3	—	—
WHITE	5	—	1	2	1	1	—	—	—	—
BLACK & OTHER	181	3	46	68	32	17	12	3	—	—
VESTAVIA HILLS	202	—	2	10	57	90	37	6	—	—
WHITE	193	—	2	9	53	88	35	6	—	—
BLACK & OTHER	9	—	—	1	4	2	2	—	—	—

TABLE 30
LIVE BIRTHS BY COUNTY OF RESIDENCE,
NUMBER OF PRENATAL VISITS AND RACE OF MOTHER
ALABAMA, 1994

COUNTY AND RACE OF MOTHER	TOTAL BIRTHS	PRENATAL VISITS					
		NONE	1-5	6-10	11-16	17+	NOT STATED
TOTAL	60,836	662	3,164	19,743	32,508	4,051	708
WHITE	39,579	202	1,051	11,513	23,388	3,066	359
BLACK & OTHER	21,257	460	2,113	8,230	9,120	985	349
AUTAUGA	578	5	26	147	339	38	23
WHITE	427	3	10	100	262	32	20
BLACK & OTHER	151	2	16	47	77	6	3
BALDWIN	1,467	8	36	237	818	365	3
WHITE	1,206	1	14	166	707	316	2
BLACK & OTHER	261	7	22	71	111	49	1
BARBOUR	408	6	23	147	185	36	11
WHITE	180	1	5	75	79	16	4
BLACK & OTHER	228	5	18	72	106	20	7
BIBB	248	—	10	100	126	6	6
WHITE	178	—	3	65	102	6	2
BLACK & OTHER	70	—	7	35	24	—	4
BLOUNT	593	2	13	108	419	46	5
WHITE	585	2	13	106	413	46	5
BLACK & OTHER	8	—	—	2	6	—	—
BULLOCK	171	2	18	41	103	3	4
WHITE	28	—	1	4	21	2	—
BLACK & OTHER	143	2	17	37	82	1	4
BUTLER	275	3	23	90	135	19	5
WHITE	143	3	6	33	82	14	5
BLACK & OTHER	132	—	17	57	53	5	—
CALHOUN	1,612	14	37	354	1,034	167	6
WHITE	1,166	4	12	203	801	140	6
BLACK & OTHER	446	10	25	151	233	27	—
CHAMBERS	540	7	39	218	251	23	2
WHITE	283	3	7	93	161	18	1
BLACK & OTHER	257	4	32	125	90	5	1
CHEROKEE	242	1	7	66	161	5	2
WHITE	216	—	5	60	145	5	1
BLACK & OTHER	26	1	2	6	16	—	1
CHILTON	471	2	25	172	252	18	2
WHITE	396	2	16	135	225	16	2
BLACK & OTHER	75	—	9	37	27	2	—
CHOCTAW	212	—	12	80	105	9	6
WHITE	99	—	4	34	52	8	1
BLACK & OTHER	113	—	8	46	53	1	5
CLARKE	433	4	35	133	230	30	1
WHITE	166	—	4	37	108	17	—
BLACK & OTHER	267	4	31	96	122	13	1
CLAY	175	1	8	30	99	37	—
WHITE	134	—	4	22	77	31	—
BLACK & OTHER	41	1	4	8	22	6	—
CLEBURNE	138	—	2	27	93	14	2
WHITE	129	—	2	27	84	14	2
BLACK & OTHER	9	—	—	—	9	—	—
COFFEE	580	1	23	221	309	16	10
WHITE	424	—	15	159	232	13	5
BLACK & OTHER	156	1	8	62	77	3	5

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NUMBER OF PRENATAL VISITS AND RACE OF MOTHER
ALABAMA, 1994

COUNTY AND RACE OF MOTHER	TOTAL BIRTHS	PRENATAL VISITS					NOT STATED
		NONE	1-5	6-10	11-16	17+	
COLBERT	676	6	19	170	453	22	6
WHITE	554	1	10	129	390	19	5
BLACK & OTHER	122	5	9	41	63	3	1
CONECUH	205	1	52	67	62	19	4
WHITE	76	—	12	21	28	15	—
BLACK & OTHER	129	1	40	46	34	4	4
COOSA	122	1	2	33	80	6	—
WHITE	67	—	1	17	44	5	—
BLACK & OTHER	55	1	1	16	36	1	—
COVINGTON	487	9	10	96	250	120	2
WHITE	375	5	5	70	191	102	2
BLACK & OTHER	112	4	5	26	59	18	—
CRENSHAW	167	1	15	50	90	10	1
WHITE	116	—	5	27	73	10	1
BLACK & OTHER	51	1	10	23	17	—	—
CULLMAN	865	7	50	401	366	37	4
WHITE	859	7	50	396	365	37	4
BLACK & OTHER	6	—	—	5	1	—	—
DALE	797	10	27	269	427	51	13
WHITE	591	6	19	205	326	29	6
BLACK & OTHER	206	4	8	64	101	22	7
DALLAS	772	4	57	336	341	29	5
WHITE	185	1	2	62	110	8	2
BLACK & OTHER	587	3	55	274	231	21	3
DEKALB	807	6	41	214	504	22	20
WHITE	768	4	35	197	494	22	16
BLACK & OTHER	39	2	6	17	10	—	4
ELMORE	801	13	33	231	456	49	19
WHITE	586	5	9	155	356	44	17
BLACK & OTHER	215	8	24	76	100	5	2
ESCAMBIA	462	6	65	193	167	20	11
WHITE	286	3	26	112	122	19	4
BLACK & OTHER	176	3	39	81	45	1	7
ETOWAH	1,330	12	40	280	957	33	8
WHITE	1,029	3	19	184	790	27	6
BLACK & OTHER	301	9	21	96	167	6	2
FAYETTE	216	3	6	48	124	33	2
WHITE	180	2	3	42	104	27	2
BLACK & OTHER	36	1	3	6	20	6	—
FRANKLIN	392	2	14	130	226	16	4
WHITE	374	2	13	120	219	16	4
BLACK & OTHER	18	—	1	10	7	—	—
GENEVA	321	1	12	137	153	7	11
WHITE	265	—	5	116	131	7	6
BLACK & OTHER	56	1	7	21	22	—	5
GREENE	191	4	18	105	56	4	4
WHITE	16	—	—	9	4	2	1
BLACK & OTHER	175	4	18	96	52	2	3
HALE	253	5	25	114	93	5	11
WHITE	66	—	2	30	27	4	3
BLACK & OTHER	187	5	23	84	66	1	8

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COUNTY AND RACE OF MOTHER	TOTAL BIRTHS	PRENATAL VISITS					
		NONE	1-5	6-10	11-16	17+	NOT STATED
HENRY	223	3	11	97	109	1	2
WHITE	126	—	4	52	69	1	—
BLACK & OTHER	97	3	7	45	40	—	2
HOUSTON	1,200	7	48	480	643	17	5
WHITE	801	2	22	292	469	13	3
BLACK & OTHER	399	5	26	188	174	4	2
JACKSON	635	4	22	310	265	16	18
WHITE	585	3	20	282	249	16	15
BLACK & OTHER	50	1	2	28	16	—	3
JEFFERSON	9,346	100	360	1,993	5,996	874	23
WHITE	4,891	22	84	864	3,406	506	9
BLACK & OTHER	4,455	78	276	1,129	2,590	368	14
LAMAR	200	5	4	47	128	13	3
WHITE	160	2	2	34	108	12	2
BLACK & OTHER	40	3	2	13	20	1	1
LAUDERDALE	1,073	6	27	252	685	97	6
WHITE	932	4	15	200	618	90	5
BLACK & OTHER	141	2	12	52	67	7	1
LAWRENCE	472	3	22	145	262	35	5
WHITE	391	—	10	121	224	32	4
BLACK & OTHER	81	3	12	24	38	3	1
LEE	1,385	17	45	340	888	92	3
WHITE	922	9	20	195	623	73	2
BLACK & OTHER	463	8	25	145	265	19	1
LIMESTONE	827	10	21	286	409	100	1
WHITE	725	3	12	250	369	91	—
BLACK & OTHER	102	7	9	36	40	9	1
LOWNDES	208	4	12	83	93	9	7
WHITE	33	—	0	8	20	3	2
BLACK & OTHER	175	4	12	75	73	6	5
MACON	353	8	26	93	212	7	7
WHITE	43	—	1	5	33	3	1
BLACK & OTHER	310	8	25	88	179	4	6
MADISON	3,925	55	133	2,974	691	56	16
WHITE	2,799	20	56	2,041	619	52	11
BLACK & OTHER	1,126	35	77	933	72	4	5
MARENGO	364	1	21	195	141	3	3
WHITE	142	—	7	58	73	3	1
BLACK & OTHER	222	1	14	137	68	—	2
MARION	369	—	14	95	218	41	1
WHITE	355	—	11	91	213	39	1
BLACK & OTHER	14	—	3	4	5	2	—
MARSHALL	1,097	10	44	254	746	32	11
WHITE	1,074	10	41	247	734	32	10
BLACK & OTHER	23	—	3	7	12	—	1
MOBILE	6,643	106	669	2,304	3,217	337	10
WHITE	3,666	17	151	987	2,254	252	5
BLACK & OTHER	2,977	89	518	1,317	963	85	5
MONROE	393	5	47	127	182	32	—
WHITE	183	—	10	47	106	20	—
BLACK & OTHER	210	5	37	80	76	12	—

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COUNTY AND RACE OF MOTHER	TOTAL BIRTHS	PRENATAL VISITS					
		NONE	1-5	6-10	11-16	17+	NOT STATED
MONTGOMERY	3,515	49	241	968	1,808	249	200
WHITE	1,518	7	40	315	926	155	75
BLACK & OTHER	1,997	42	201	653	882	94	125
MORGAN	1,460	17	88	657	658	28	12
WHITE	1,228	11	50	536	595	27	9
BLACK & OTHER	232	6	38	121	63	1	3
PERRY	231	2	22	122	78	6	1
WHITE	40	—	1	21	15	3	—
BLACK & OTHER	191	2	21	101	63	3	1
PICKENS	281	2	11	111	149	5	3
WHITE	116	—	1	36	74	5	—
BLACK & OTHER	165	2	10	75	75	—	3
PIKE	457	4	36	149	236	21	11
WHITE	232	1	10	63	142	12	4
BLACK & OTHER	225	3	26	86	94	9	7
RANDOLPH	301	6	33	117	122	20	3
WHITE	176	—	4	62	89	18	3
BLACK & OTHER	125	6	29	55	33	2	—
RUSSELL	728	14	71	327	269	40	7
WHITE	408	5	31	179	170	22	1
BLACK & OTHER	320	9	40	148	99	18	6
ST. CLAIR	777	4	21	208	502	40	2
WHITE	688	4	15	171	457	39	2
BLACK & OTHER	89	—	6	37	45	1	—
SHELBY	1,730	10	27	371	1,178	143	1
WHITE	1,564	6	20	316	1,084	137	1
BLACK & OTHER	166	4	7	55	94	6	—
SUMTER	292	4	20	116	74	9	9
WHITE	46	2	—	18	19	5	2
BLACK & OTHER	186	2	20	98	55	4	7
TALLADEGA	1,026	7	34	234	592	148	11
WHITE	636	1	11	126	398	95	5
BLACK & OTHER	390	6	23	108	194	53	6
TALLAPOOSA	572	12	37	166	324	29	4
WHITE	356	5	6	72	245	25	3
BLACK & OTHER	216	7	31	94	79	4	1
TUSCALOOSA	2,128	31	116	721	1,043	111	106
WHITE	1,297	5	36	393	732	86	45
BLACK & OTHER	831	26	80	328	311	25	61
WALKER	889	2	20	118	677	72	—
WHITE	815	2	13	103	626	71	—
BLACK & OTHER	74	—	7	15	51	1	—
WASHINGTON	288	3	13	66	167	38	1
WHITE	171	—	5	42	96	27	1
BLACK & OTHER	117	3	8	24	71	11	—
WILCOX	231	1	19	112	95	3	1
WHITE	43	—	—	16	25	2	—
BLACK & OTHER	188	1	19	96	70	1	1
WINSTON	270	3	6	60	187	12	2
WHITE	264	3	5	59	183	12	2
BLACK & OTHER	6	—	1	1	4	—	—

TABLE 31
LIVE BIRTHS BY HOSPITAL OF OCCURRENCE,
RACE OF MOTHER AND SEX
ALABAMA, 1994

COUNTY AND HOSPITAL	TOTAL	WHITE		BLACK AND OTHER	
		MALE	FEMALE	MALE	FEMALE
TOTAL	60,199	20,125	18,976	10,586	10,512
AUTAUGA	8	2	2	2	2
Autauga Medical Center	4	1	1	1	1
Out of Hospital	4	1	1	1	1
BALDWIN	1,070	435	411	119	105
North Baldwin Hospital	248	74	69	50	55
South Baldwin Hospital	359	150	134	47	28
Thomas Hospital	460	209	207	22	22
Out of Hospital	3	2	1	—	—
BARBOUR	6	—	2	2	2
Lakeview Comm. Hospital of Eufaula	4	—	1	1	2
Out of Hospital	2	—	1	1	—
BIBB	2	—	—	1	1
Bibb Medical Center Hospital	1	—	—	—	1
Out of Hospital	1	—	—	1	—
BLOUNT	6	2	4	—	—
Blount Memorial Hospital	5	2	3	—	—
Out of Hospital	1	—	1	—	—
BULLOCK	421	14	9	197	201
Bullock County Hospital	419	14	9	196	200
Out of Hospital	2	—	—	1	1
BUTLER	3	1	—	1	1
L.V. Stabler Memorial Hospital	1	1	—	—	—
Out of Hospital	2	—	—	1	1
CALHOUN	1,767	643	639	228	257
Northeast AL Regional Med. Center	1,425	503	478	211	233
Jacksonville Hospital	339	140	160	17	22
Out of Hospital	3	—	1	—	2
CHAMBERS	400	83	94	103	120
George H. Lanier Memorial Hospital	399	83	94	102	120
Out of Hospital	1	—	—	1	—
CHEROKEE	1	—	1	—	—
Out of Hospital	1	—	1	—	—
CHILTON	1	—	1	—	—
Vaughn Chilton Medical Center	1	—	1	—	—
CHOCTAW	2	—	—	—	2
Out of Hospital	2	—	—	—	2
CLARKE	474	82	72	181	159
Grove Hill Memorial Hospital	176	34	23	60	59
Riverside Medical Center	297	48	49	100	100
Thomasville Hospital	1	—	—	1	—
CLAY	136	46	47	19	24
Clay County Hospital	136	46	47	19	24
CLEBURNE	—	—	—	—	—
COFFEE	955	359	301	150	145
Medical Center Enterprise	954	359	300	150	145
Out of Hospital	1	—	1	—	—
COLBERT	690	303	266	48	73
Helen Keller Memorial Hospital	687	302	266	47	72
Out of Hospital	3	1	—	1	1
CONECUH	2	2	—	—	—
Out of Hospital	2	2	—	—	—
COOSA	—	—	—	—	—
COVINGTON	523	188	187	67	81
Mizell Memorial Hospital	106	30	43	18	15
Floral Memorial Hospital	1	—	1	—	—
Andalusia Hospital	415	158	142	49	66
Out of Hospital	1	—	1	—	—

TABLE 31—continued
LIVE BIRTHS BY HOSPITAL OF OCCURRENCE,
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ALABAMA, 1994

COUNTY AND HOSPITAL	TOTAL	WHITE		BLACK AND OTHER	
		MALE	FEMALE	MALE	FEMALE
CRENSHAW	148	32	14	45	57
Crenshaw County Hospital	148	32	14	45	57
CULLMAN	569	294	271	3	1
Cullman Medical Center	562	289	269	3	1
Out of Hospital	7	5	2	—	—
DALE	317	75	73	92	77
Dale Medical Center	315	74	72	92	77
Lyster Army Hospital, Ft. Rucker	1	1	—	—	—
Out of Hospital	1	—	1	—	—
DALLAS	1,344	141	147	522	534
Selma Medical Center Hospital	13	2	3	6	2
Vaughan Regional Medical Center	1,328	139	143	515	531
Out of Hospital	3	—	1	1	1
DEKALB	555	283	233	21	18
Baptist Medical Center-DeKalb	554	283	233	20	18
Out of Hospital	1	—	—	1	—
ELMORE	4	1	—	1	2
Community Hospital	2	—	—	1	1
Out of Hospital	2	1	—	—	1
ESCAMBIA	476	124	112	104	136
Atmore Community Hospital	178	49	43	39	47
D.W. McMillan Memorial Hospital	295	73	69	65	88
Out of Hospital	3	2	—	—	1
ETOWAH	1,681	680	690	151	160
Gadsden Regional Medical Center	1,435	560	577	145	153
Riverview Regional Hospital	245	119	113	6	7
Out of Hospital	1	1	—	—	—
FAYETTE	2	1	—	1	—
Fayette County Hospital	1	—	—	1	—
Out of Hospital	1	1	—	—	—
FRANKLIN	365	173	171	9	12
Northwest Medical Center	364	173	170	9	12
Out of Hospital	1	—	1	—	—
GENEVA	2	—	—	1	1
Wiregrass Hospital	2	—	—	1	1
GREENE	207	6	3	100	98
Greene County Hospital	205	6	3	98	98
Out of Hospital	2	—	—	2	—
HALE	4	—	—	2	2
Hale County Hospital	4	—	—	2	2
HENRY	1	—	—	—	1
Out of Hospital	1	—	—	—	1
HOUSTON	2,350	932	840	309	269
Flowers Hospital	1,149	513	456	95	85
Southeast Alabama Medical Center	1,196	418	383	212	183
Out of Hospital	5	1	1	2	1
JACKSON	418	168	206	19	25
Jackson County Hospital	417	168	205	19	25
Out of Hospital	1	—	1	—	—
JEFFERSON	13,914	4,631	4,382	2,476	2,425
Baptist Medical Center, Princeton	644	168	173	146	157
Carraway Methodist Medical Center	512	222	214	46	30
Medical Center East	810	377	364	36	33
University of Alabama Hospital	3,180	616	560	997	1,007
St. Vincent's Hospital	2,248	993	960	146	149
The Lloyd Nolan Hospital	3	1	1	1	—
Bessemer Carraway Medical Center	279	96	97	40	46
Baptist Medical Center, Montclair	963	436	396	61	70
Cooper Green Hospital	1,844	268	257	708	611
AMI Brookwood Medical Center	3,389	1,447	1,349	288	305
Out of Hospital	42	7	11	7	17

TABLE 31—continued
LIVE BIRTHS BY HOSPITAL OF OCCURRENCE,
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COUNTY AND HOSPITAL	TOTAL	WHITE		BLACK AND OTHER	
		MALE	FEMALE	MALE	FEMALE
LAMAR	1	—	—	—	1
Out of Hospital	1	—	—	—	1
LAUDERDALE	1,286	613	528	63	82
Eliza Coffee Memorial Hospital	1,285	613	528	63	81
Out of Hospital	1	—	—	—	1
LAWRENCE	1	—	—	1	—
Out of Hospital	1	—	—	1	—
LEE	1,451	464	465	245	277
East Alabama Medical Center	1,444	462	461	244	277
Out of Hospital	7	2	4	1	—
LIMESTONE	396	177	155	32	32
Athens/Limestone Hospital	395	177	155	32	31
Out of Hospital	1	—	—	—	1
LOWNDES	1	—	—	—	1
Out of Hospital	1	—	—	—	1
MACON	4	—	1	—	3
Out of Hospital	4	—	1	—	3
MADISON	4,790	1,858	1,756	593	583
Huntsville Hospital	3,799	1,392	1,322	545	540
Medical Center Hospital	977	461	429	44	43
Out of Hospital	14	5	5	4	—
MARENGO	508	62	61	199	186
Bryan W. Whitfield Memorial Hospital	506	62	61	199	184
Out of Hospital	2	—	—	—	2
MARION	386	170	146	45	25
Marion County Medical Center	1	—	—	1	—
Carraway Northwest Medical Center	385	170	146	44	25
MARSHALL	849	442	389	8	10
Boaz-Alberville Medical Center	192	89	97	2	4
Guntersville-Arab Medical Center	654	350	292	6	6
Out of Hospital	3	3	—	—	—
MOBILE	7,664	2,329	2,163	1,617	1,555
Unv. of So. Al. Medical Center	4,248	870	782	1,322	1,274
Mobile Infirmary	997	433	411	74	79
Providence Hospital	1,016	467	454	54	41
Springhill Memorial Hospital	1,375	557	508	159	151
Unv. of So. Al. Knollwood Park Hospital	1	—	—	1	—
Out of Hospital	27	2	8	7	10
MONROE	262	47	25	118	72
Monroe County Hospital	260	47	25	117	71
Out of Hospital	2	—	—	1	1
MONTGOMERY	5,618	1,530	1,469	1,300	1,319
Jackson Hospital	770	233	228	167	142
Montgomery Regional Medical Center	1,307	119	98	572	518
Baptist Medical Center	2,337	749	685	418	485
U.S. Air Force Hospital, Maxwell	255	86	79	38	52
East Montgomery Medical Center	935	341	375	98	121
Out of Hospital	14	2	4	7	1
MORGAN	1,923	825	787	139	172
Decatur General Hospital	1,917	822	784	139	172
Out of Hospital	6	3	3	—	—
PERRY	—	—	—	—	—
PICKENS	180	26	23	67	64
Pickens County Medical Center	180	26	23	67	64
PIKE	338	66	68	112	92
Edge Regional Medical Center	338	66	68	112	92
RANDOLPH	151	34	21	47	49
Randolph County Hospital	147	34	21	45	47
Out of Hospital	4	—	—	2	2

TABLE 31—continued
LIVE BIRTHS BY HOSPITAL OF OCCURRENCE,
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ALABAMA, 1994

COUNTY AND HOSPITAL	TOTAL	WHITE		BLACK AND OTHER	
		MALE	FEMALE	MALE	FEMALE
RUSSELL	447	101	116	127	103
Phenix Medical Park Hospital	446	101	115	127	103
Out of Hospital	1	—	1	—	—
ST. CLAIR	269	111	94	30	34
St. Clair Regional Hospital	268	110	94	30	34
Out of Hospital	1	1	—	—	—
SHELBY	97	33	42	12	10
Shelby Medical Center	92	31	40	11	10
Out of Hospital	5	2	2	1	—
SUMTER	2	—	1	—	1
Hill Hospital of Sumter County	1	—	—	—	1
Out of Hospital	1	—	1	—	—
TALLADEGA	975	288	286	198	203
Citizen's Baptist Medical Center	476	119	137	105	115
Coosa Valley Medical Center	496	169	149	91	87
Out of Hospital	3	—	—	2	1
TALLAPOOSA	373	112	104	85	72
Russell Hospital	368	111	103	82	72
Lakeshore Community Hospital	1	—	—	1	—
Out of Hospital	4	1	1	2	—
TUSCALOOSA	2,682	806	777	569	530
DCH Regional Medical Center	2,092	558	527	524	483
Northport Hospital DCH	583	245	249	44	45
Out of Hospital	7	3	1	1	2
WALKER	717	329	321	23	44
Walker Regional Medical Center	716	328	321	23	44
Out of Hospital	1	1	—	—	—
WASHINGTON	1	—	—	1	—
Out of Hospital	1	—	—	1	—
WILCOX	2	—	—	1	1
J. Paul Jones Hospital	2	—	—	1	1
WINSTON	1	1	—	—	—
Out of Hospital	1	1	—	—	—

**TABLE 32
BIRTHS BY COUNTY OF RESIDENCE, RACE OF MOTHER
AND OTHER SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS
ALABAMA, 1994**

COUNTY	TOTAL BIRTHS	UNDER 3 PRENATAL VISITS ¹	BIRTH MALFORMATIONS ²	LOW WEIGHT BIRTHS	MATERNAL AGE UNDER 20	BIRTHS TO UNMARRIED WOMEN
TOTAL	60,836	1,361	263	5,533	11,333	20,989
WHITE	39,579	424	185	2,738	5,563	6,218
BLACK & OTHER	21,257	937	78	2,795	5,770	14,771
AUTAUGA	578	9	2	48	90	173
WHITE	427	4	1	30	43	66
BLACK & OTHER	151	5	1	18	47	107
BALDWIN	1,467	12	11	104	232	364
WHITE	1,206	3	11	76	165	174
BLACK & OTHER	261	9	—	28	67	190
BARBOUR	408	15	—	58	80	183
WHITE	180	2	—	18	20	27
BLACK & OTHER	228	13	—	40	60	156
BIBB	248	1	1	24	57	75
WHITE	178	—	1	17	30	25
BLACK & OTHER	70	1	—	7	27	50
BLOUNT	593	5	2	45	97	91
WHITE	585	5	2	45	96	86
BLACK & OTHER	8	—	—	—	1	5
BULLOCK	171	8	2	36	52	119
WHITE	28	—	1	2	1	1
BLACK & OTHER	143	8	1	34	51	118
BUTLER	275	6	3	24	65	121
WHITE	143	4	2	9	25	26
BLACK & OTHER	132	2	1	15	40	95
CALHOUN	1,612	18	22	116	328	448
WHITE	1,166	6	14	65	196	180
BLACK & OTHER	446	12	8	51	130	268
CHAMBERS	540	13	3	69	149	266
WHITE	283	3	2	32	54	64
BLACK & OTHER	257	10	1	37	95	202
CHEROKEE	242	3	2	26	50	48
WHITE	216	2	1	18	46	32
BLACK & OTHER	26	1	1	8	4	16
CHILTON	471	6	4	41	93	124
WHITE	396	4	4	30	79	80
BLACK & OTHER	75	2	—	11	14	44
CHOCTAW	212	3	—	25	50	89
WHITE	99	1	—	12	21	16
BLACK & OTHER	113	2	—	13	29	73
CLARKE	433	11	2	47	92	224
WHITE	166	—	—	11	27	24
BLACK & OTHER	267	11	2	36	65	200
CLAY	175	1	—	19	42	51
WHITE	134	—	—	14	29	23
BLACK & OTHER	41	1	—	5	13	28
CLEBURNE	138	—	4	8	23	19
WHITE	129	—	4	7	21	16
BLACK & OTHER	9	—	—	1	2	3
COFFEE	580	6	3	45	96	166
WHITE	424	3	3	28	57	71
BLACK & OTHER	156	3	—	17	39	95

¹Includes births for which no prenatal care was received.

²Births malformations are seriously underreported on birth certificates.

TABLE 32—continued
BIRTHS BY COUNTY OF RESIDENCE, RACE OF MOTHER
AND OTHER SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS
ALABAMA, 1994

COUNTY	TOTAL BIRTHS	UNDER 3 PRENATAL VISITS ¹	BIRTH MALFORMATIONS ²	LOW WEIGHT BIRTHS	MATERNAL AGE UNDER 20	BIRTHS TO UNMARRIED WOMEN
COLBERT	676	12	3	65	114	161
WHITE	654	4	2	56	82	81
BLACK & OTHER	122	8	1	9	32	80
CONECUH	205	17	2	27	40	103
WHITE	76	2	—	6	9	12
BLACK & OTHER	129	15	2	21	31	91
COOSA	122	1	—	14	20	41
WHITE	67	—	—	4	11	9
BLACK & OTHER	55	1	—	10	9	32
COVINGTON	487	11	2	37	123	165
WHITE	375	6	1	25	82	77
BLACK & OTHER	112	5	1	12	41	88
CRENSHAW	167	6	1	17	36	60
WHITE	116	1	—	6	18	19
BLACK & OTHER	51	5	1	11	18	41
CULLMAN	865	8	2	66	154	128
WHITE	859	8	2	66	153	124
BLACK & OTHER	6	—	—	—	1	4
DALE	797	20	1	59	129	207
WHITE	591	14	—	34	78	102
BLACK & OTHER	206	6	1	25	51	105
DALLAS	772 ¹	18	2	67	214	477
WHITE	185	2	—	8	27	28
BLACK & OTHER	587	16	2	59	187	449
DEKALB	807	12	4	60	153	157
WHITE	768	9	4	54	141	131
BLACK & OTHER	39	3	—	6	12	26
ELMORE	801	18	10	76	142	258
WHITE	586	7	6	46	93	100
BLACK & OTHER	215	11	4	30	49	158
ESCAMBIA	462	32	6	45	101	196
WHITE	286	14	5	23	49	68
BLACK & OTHER	176	18	1	22	52	128
ETOWAH	1,330	27	2	119	300	443
WHITE	1,029	11	2	71	202	223
BLACK & OTHER	301	16	—	48	98	220
FAYETTE	216	4	2	14	51	61
WHITE	180	2	2	10	39	37
BLACK & OTHER	36	2	—	4	12	24
FRANKLIN	392	3	1	33	73	78
WHITE	374	3	1	31	70	69
BLACK & OTHER	18	—	—	2	3	9
GENEVA	321	5	1	19	70	80
WHITE	265	1	1	12	52	38
BLACK & OTHER	56	4	—	7	18	42
GREENE	191	9	2	26	57	141
WHITE	16	—	—	1	1	—
BLACK & OTHER	175	9	2	25	56	141
HALE	253	10	—	33	66	136
WHITE	66	—	—	5	12	4
BLACK & OTHER	187	10	—	28	54	132

¹Includes births for which no prenatal care was received.

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TABLE 32—continued
BIRTHS BY COUNTY OF RESIDENCE, RACE OF MOTHER
AND OTHER SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS
ALABAMA, 1994

COUNTY	TOTAL BIRTHS	UNDER 3 PRENATAL VISITS ¹	BIRTH MALFORMATIONS ²	LOW WEIGHT BIRTHS	MATERNAL AGE UNDER 20	BIRTHS TO UNMARRIED WOMEN
HENRY	223	5	1	26	45	91
WHITE	126	—	1	11	19	21
BLACK & OTHER	97	5	—	15	26	70
HOUSTON	1,200	16	5	73	246	413
WHITE	801	10	4	47	111	140
BLACK & OTHER	399	6	1	26	135	273
JACKSON	635	13	7	56	123	142
WHITE	585	11	6	47	113	119
BLACK & OTHER	50	2	1	9	10	23
JEFFERSON	9,346	173	30	913	1,626	3,600
WHITE	4,891	35	23	331	504	621
BLACK & OTHER	4,455	138	7	582	1,122	2,979
LAMAR	200	7	1	17	36	46
WHITE	160	2	1	10	26	22
BLACK & OTHER	40	5	—	7	10	24
LAUDERDALE	1,073	10	7	97	177	265
WHITE	932	6	5	81	140	173
BLACK & OTHER	141	4	2	16	37	92
LAWRENCE	472	7	—	42	78	118
WHITE	391	2	—	31	65	60
BLACK & OTHER	81	5	—	11	13	58
LEE	1,385	28	6	112	203	443
WHITE	922	13	4	57	109	135
BLACK & OTHER	463	15	2	55	94	308
LIMESTONE	827	15	3	67	128	168
WHITE	725	6	3	51	93	106
BLACK & OTHER	102	9	—	16	35	62
LOWNDES	208	6	—	24	40	128
WHITE	33	—	—	1	1	1
BLACK & OTHER	175	6	—	23	39	127
MACON	353	21	4	38	84	238
WHITE	43	—	1	4	5	5
BLACK & OTHER	310	21	3	34	79	233
MADISON	3,925	114	2	318	486	1,020
WHITE	2,799	44	2	173	226	352
BLACK & OTHER	1,126	70	—	145	260	668
MARENGO	364	2	1	47	91	182
WHITE	142	—	—	17	19	13
BLACK & OTHER	222	2	1	30	72	169
MARION	369	1	4	40	68	75
WHITE	355	1	4	36	66	65
BLACK & OTHER	14	—	—	4	2	10
MARSHALL	1,097	16	1	100	221	252
WHITE	1,074	16	1	95	214	236
BLACK & OTHER	23	—	—	5	7	16
MOBILE	6,643	246	32	645	1,340	2,828
WHITE	3,666	53	17	243	520	668
BLACK & OTHER	2,977	193	15	402	820	2,160
MONROE	393	17	2	46	95	175
WHITE	183	2	—	15	38	33
BLACK & OTHER	210	15	2	31	57	142

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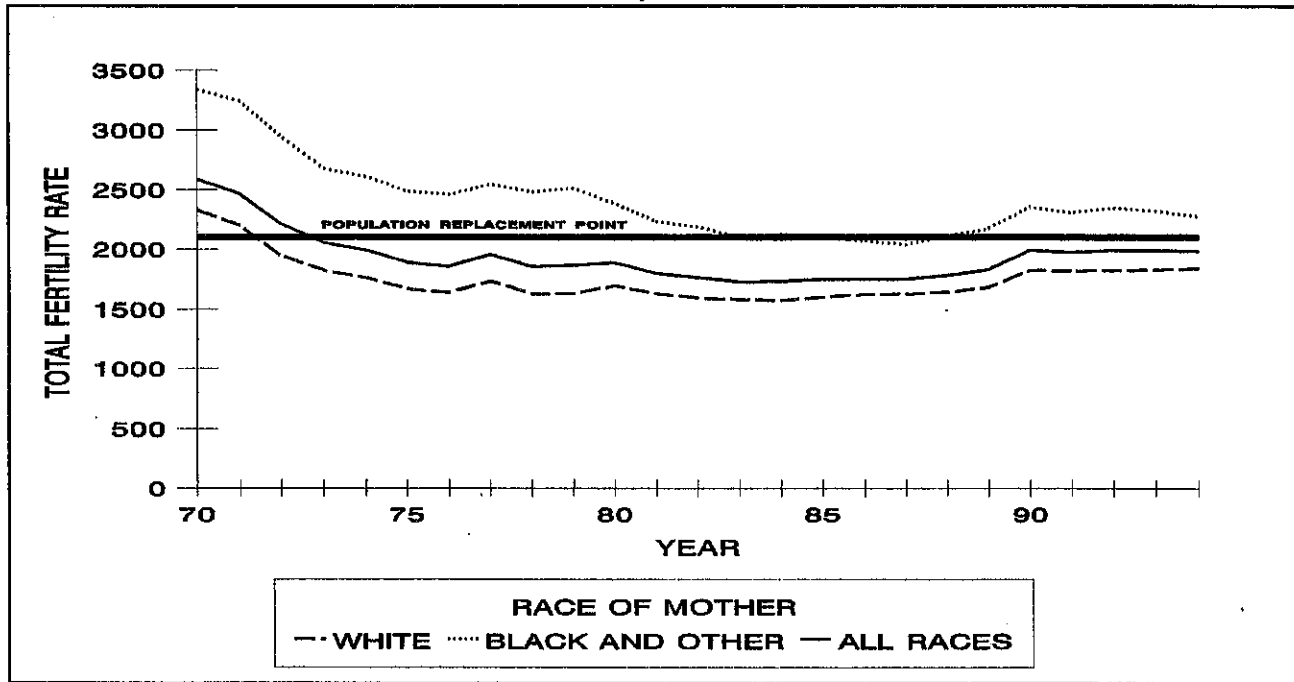
TABLE 32—continued
BIRTHS BY COUNTY OF RESIDENCE, RACE OF MOTHER
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ALABAMA, 1994

COUNTY	TOTAL BIRTHS	UNDER 3 PRENATAL VISITS ¹	BIRTH MALFORMATIONS ²	LOW WEIGHT BIRTHS	MATERNAL AGE UNDER 20	BIRTHS TO UNMARRIED WOMEN
MONTGOMERY	3,515	99	11	349	634	1,576
WHITE	1,518	11	6	89	116	182
BLACK & OTHER	1,997	88	5	260	518	1,394
MORGAN	1,460	45	3	102	233	365
WHITE	1,228	28	3	72	178	201
BLACK & OTHER	232	17	—	30	55	164
PERRY	231	3	—	24	68	159
WHITE	40	—	—	1	7	2
BLACK & OTHER	191	3	—	23	61	157
PICKENS	281	3	—	37	68	138
WHITE	116	—	—	10	12	16
BLACK & OTHER	165	3	—	27	56	122
PIKE	457	12	3	48	100	204
WHITE	232	2	1	17	29	32
BLACK & OTHER	225	10	2	31	71	172
RANDOLPH	301	14	2	27	76	120
WHITE	176	—	2	13	30	26
BLACK & OTHER	125	14	—	14	46	94
RUSSELL	728	30	3	64	138	307
WHITE	408	9	3	24	62	95
BLACK & OTHER	320	21	—	40	76	212
ST. CLAIR	777	6	3	74	135	197
WHITE	688	6	3	61	108	135
BLACK & OTHER	89	—	—	13	27	62
SHELBY	1,730	17	3	108	157	240
WHITE	1,564	12	3	85	123	155
BLACK & OTHER	166	5	—	23	34	85
SUMTER	232	5	—	29	54	141
WHITE	46	2	—	2	6	7
BLACK & OTHER	186	3	—	27	48	134
TALLADEGA	1,026	9	7	100	269	430
WHITE	636	2	5	45	146	134
BLACK & OTHER	390	7	2	55	123	296
TALLAPOOSA	572	21	6	63	135	235
WHITE	356	7	6	32	56	55
BLACK & OTHER	216	14	—	31	79	180
TUSCALOOSA	2,128	53	9	202	391	747
WHITE	1,297	14	4	80	158	162
BLACK & OTHER	831	39	5	122	233	585
WALKER	889	5	4	69	192	201
WHITE	815	4	4	58	162	144
BLACK & OTHER	74	1	—	11	30	57
WASHINGTON	288	4	1	26	51	99
WHITE	171	1	1	8	24	28
BLACK & OTHER	117	3	—	18	27	71
WILCOX	231	4	—	20	64	152
WHITE	43	—	—	1	4	1
BLACK & OTHER	188	4	—	19	60	151
WINSTON	270	4	—	18	44	41
WHITE	264	4	—	18	44	40
BLACK & OTHER	6	—	—	—	—	1

¹Includes births for which no prenatal care was received.

²Births malformations are seriously underreported on birth certificates.

**FIGURE 8
TOTAL FERTILITY RATES BY RACE OF MOTHER
ALABAMA, 1970-1994**



NOTE: Rates for 1970-1989 are by race of child.

Fertility analysis measures reproductive capacity and trends for that portion of the female population which is generally considered as being more likely to participate in childbearing. Fertility rates may be preferred over crude birth rates when changes have occurred in the proportion of the population comprised by females of childbearing age. It should be noted that rates contained in this section changed considerably between 1989, when an estimated population was used, and 1990, when the Census population was used.

The total fertility rate is the summation of age-specific birth rates multiplied by the age intervals. In order to maintain a level of population replacement, a total fertility rate of 2,100 births per 1,000 females 10-49 years of age should be maintained.

Alabama's total fertility rate fell below replacement level during 1973 when a rate of 2,051.0 was recorded and has remained below that point since then. For 1994 the state's total fertility rate was 1,983.2.

The total fertility rate for white women has been continuously below replacement level since 1972. However, this rate increased slightly in 1994 to 1,836.5.

The total fertility rate for women other than white first fell below the replacement level in 1983 and has been above that point seven years since that time including the past four years. The total fertility rate for women other than white was 2,267.8 in 1994.

Although fertility has fallen below the level needed for population replacement, zero population growth has not been reached since population growth is dependent upon two factors other than fertility. Specifically, these are migration and mortality. Zero population growth is eventually possible only when the net effect of migration, mortality and fertility is zero.

The total fertility rate, when divided by 1,000, may be used to determine the number of children that a woman might expect to bear during her reproductive years if observed age-specific birth rates of a given year are experienced. Thus, in 1960 each female entering the childbearing years could expect to bear 3.6 children. However, following 1960, fertility began to decrease, and by 1970 the number had reduced to 2.6 children—a decrease of one birth per woman in the 10-49 age group. Females entering the childbearing ages during 1994 could expect to bear 2.0 children during their reproductive years.

TABLE 33
FERTILITY RATES AND AGE-SPECIFIC BIRTH RATES
ALABAMA, SELECTED YEARS, 1940-1994

YEAR	TOTAL FERTILITY RATE	GENERAL FERTILITY RATE	AGE-SPECIFIC BIRTH RATES							
			10-14	15-19	20-24	25-29	30-34	35-39	40-44	45-49
1940	2,511.5	89.2	1.3	77.3	143.2	116.9	85.9	54.4	20.8	2.5
1950	3,334.5	115.2	1.8	110.6	206.1	159.1	103.7	62.1	21.2	2.3
1955	3,482.5	121.4	1.6	103.7	218.2	176.7	112.9	60.8	20.9	1.7
1960	3,624.5	120.1	1.7	109.6	249.7	179.0	107.7	57.9	18.0	1.3
1965	2,931.5	100.4	1.8	96.3	190.8	149.4	84.4	48.0	14.5	1.1
1970	2,587.0	92.5	1.8	91.1	181.5	134.4	66.7	32.4	8.8	0.7
1971	2,463.5	90.0	2.0	90.4	174.3	124.3	63.8	29.1	8.2	0.6
1972	2,205.0	81.4	2.1	88.5	147.0	113.9	55.4	25.8	7.6	0.7
1973	2,051.0	76.7	2.4	86.8	133.7	106.5	51.8	22.8	5.8	0.4
1974	1,985.5	74.9	2.3	83.7	131.1	105.1	48.6	19.8	5.9	0.4
1975	1,884.5	71.6	2.3	79.0	124.4	101.2	45.3	19.2	5.2	0.3
1976	1,852.5	70.3	2.4	75.9	122.5	101.2	46.2	17.6	4.4	0.3
1977	1,948.5	73.8	2.5	77.4	130.2	107.2	49.1	18.1	4.9	0.3
1978	1,853.5	70.0	2.5	72.5	123.8	101.1	49.6	16.7	4.3	0.2
1979	1,864.5	70.4	2.3	72.1	124.1	103.6	49.9	16.6	4.2	0.1
1980	1,884.0	70.6	2.2	68.0	125.1	107.9	52.6	16.9	3.8	0.3
1981	1,795.0	66.3	1.7	62.5	119.5	105.1	50.7	16.1	3.1	0.3
1982	1,762.0	64.4	1.7	60.0	117.3	103.8	50.1	16.2	3.1	0.2
1983	1,727.5	62.4	1.7	60.2	113.0	102.0	48.8	16.7	2.9	0.2
1984	1,729.0	61.8	1.7	58.2	114.8	100.6	50.6	17.2	2.6	0.2
1985	1,746.0	61.8	1.9	58.5	115.7	101.9	51.4	17.0	2.6	0.2
1986	1,748.0	62.7	1.6	59.5	106.0	103.3	58.0	18.0	3.0	0.2
1987	1,748.0	62.1	2.0	57.9	104.6	103.7	60.2	18.2	2.9	0.1
1988	1,779.5	62.6	1.6	58.5	107.4	103.0	62.6	19.8	2.9	0.1
1989	1,827.0	63.7	1.8	61.7	109.9	104.6	63.4	20.5	3.4	0.1
1990	1,987.0	67.2	2.1	71.2	126.8	111.5	60.7	21.6	3.4	0.1
1991	1,973.0	66.2	2.2	75.3	122.9	109.6	60.5	20.9	3.1	0.1
1992	1,988.5	66.3	2.4	71.3	124.9	110.9	63.7	20.9	3.5	0.1
1993	1,987.9	65.9	2.6	70.2	124.0	109.1	65.6	22.3	3.6	0.2
1994	1,983.2	65.3	2.4	73.4	120.2	107.7	66.5	22.8	3.5	0.2

NOTE: General Fertility Rate is per 1,000 females aged 15-44. Age-Specific Birth Rate is per 1,000 females in specified age group. See formulas in Appendix B.

The general fertility rate indicates the number of live births experienced per 1,000 females 15-44 years of age during the specified year. This rate has decreased by approximately half over the past 30 years, though slight increases have been experienced during the past few years.

After having increased for the previous two decades, age-specific birth rates for females 15-34 years of age began to decrease during the 1960 decade. By 1973 age-specific rates for the 20-24 and 25-29 age groups were below the 1940 reproductive level for those ages.

Decrease in fertility became evident much earlier for females 35 years of age and over than for their younger counterparts. As early as 1950, fertility levels began to decrease for females in

the latter reproductive years. By 1965 age-specific rates for the 35-49 age group were below 1940 levels when fertility levels were comparable to those existing during the Great Depression. In later years fertility levels for the late childbearing years (35-49) were significantly below 1940 levels.

Age-specific birth rates for three age groups were of special interest during 1994. The increase in births among women aged 15-17 prompted the increase in the 15-19 age group rate from 70.2 in 1993 to 73.4 during 1994. In additions, the rate of 66.5 for the 30-34 age group was the highest since 1970 and rate of 22.8 for the 35-39 age group was the highest since 1973.

TABLE 34
FERTILITY RATES AND AGE-SPECIFIC BIRTH RATES
FOR WHITE FEMALES, ALABAMA, 1970-1994

YEAR	TOTAL FERTILITY RATE	GENERAL FERTILITY RATE	AGE-SPECIFIC BIRTH RATES							
			10-14	15-19	20-24	25-29	30-34	35-39	40-44	45-49
1970	2,321.5	83.4	0.7	74.8	170.8	129.5	58.3	24.1	5.7	0.4
1971	2,196.0	79.8	0.8	72.3	164.7	119.7	54.5	21.6	5.3	0.3
1972	1,940.5	70.8	0.9	68.4	135.8	109.8	49.0	19.2	4.7	0.3
1973	1,821.5	67.0	0.9	67.7	122.4	105.2	46.7	17.4	3.8	0.2
1974	1,760.0	65.3	0.9	64.7	122.7	102.0	43.3	14.7	3.4	0.2
1975	1,668.5	62.2	0.9	60.7	115.6	97.6	41.5	14.1	3.1	0.2
1976	1,634.0	60.8	1.0	57.0	113.5	98.0	41.0	13.4	2.7	0.2
1977	1,730.0	64.2	1.1	58.7	119.4	104.7	45.2	13.6	3.1	0.2
1978	1,625.0	60.1	0.9	54.5	111.4	97.0	45.3	13.1	2.7	0.1
1979	1,627.0	60.1	0.8	53.1	112.3	99.0	45.0	12.8	2.4	*
1980	1,691.5	61.9	0.8	52.4	116.5	105.5	47.5	13.1	2.3	0.2
1981	1,622.0	58.6	0.6	48.3	111.2	102.2	47.0	12.8	2.1	0.2
1982	1,592.0	56.9	0.6	46.2	108.7	101.1	46.3	13.5	1.9	0.1
1983	1,575.5	55.8	0.6	46.0	105.4	101.2	45.6	14.2	2.0	0.1
1984	1,568.0	55.0	0.6	44.5	105.2	98.4	47.7	15.2	1.9	0.1
1985	1,598.5	55.6	0.7	45.8	106.7	100.6	49.6	14.2	2.0	0.1
1986	1,616.0	56.4	0.6	45.1	100.7	104.6	54.2	15.5	2.4	0.1
1987	1,625.5	56.1	0.6	44.3	97.6	106.8	57.7	15.7	2.3	0.1
1988	1,639.5	56.1	0.5	44.7	98.2	105.3	59.8	17.2	2.2	*
1989	1,679.5	56.9	0.5	45.7	100.5	108.2	60.5	17.7	2.7	0.1
1990	1,820.5	61.0	0.7	55.6	112.7	111.2	61.1	20.0	2.7	0.1
1991	1,814.5	60.4	0.8	57.6	109.8	111.1	61.1	19.9	2.5	0.1
1992	1,820.5	60.3	0.9	54.3	112.0	109.9	64.0	19.8	3.1	0.1
1993	1,827.6	60.2	1.0	53.7	111.5	108.6	66.2	21.3	3.0	0.1
1994	1,836.5	60.2	0.6	56.2	107.7	108.3	68.6	22.6	3.1	0.2

* Less than 0.05 percent.

NOTE: General Fertility Rate is per 1,000 females aged 15-44. Age-Specific Birth Rate is per 1,000 females in specified age group. See formulas in Appendix B.

TABLE 35
FERTILITY RATES AND AGE-SPECIFIC BIRTH RATES
FOR BLACK AND OTHER FEMALES, ALABAMA, 1970-1994

YEAR	TOTAL FERTILITY RATE	GENERAL FERTILITY RATE	AGE-SPECIFIC BIRTH RATES							
			10-14	15-19	20-24	25-29	30-34	35-39	40-44	45-49
1970	3,329.5	118.6	3.9	123.9	210.1	151.3	96.8	60.0	18.5	1.4
1971	3,233.5	120.0	4.4	128.6	202.5	140.9	96.8	54.6	17.3	1.6
1972	2,944.5	112.6	4.7	131.0	178.4	128.7	78.6	48.6	17.0	1.9
1973	2,675.0	105.3	5.4	127.7	164.4	111.1	70.8	42.1	12.6	0.9
1974	2,606.0	103.2	5.3	124.6	153.4	116.2	68.4	38.1	14.0	1.2
1975	2,481.5	99.4	5.3	119.0	146.7	113.9	60.1	38.4	12.1	0.8
1976	2,454.0	98.2	5.5	117.4	145.1	111.8	66.1	33.5	10.5	0.9
1977	2,543.5	102.1	5.4	118.9	157.6	115.2	63.8	35.8	11.2	0.8
1978	2,477.0	99.5	5.9	113.1	155.4	113.2	66.1	31.0	10.3	0.4
1979	2,508.5	100.7	5.5	114.7	153.5	116.8	67.7	32.1	10.9	0.5
1980	2,379.5	94.3	5.3	101.3	145.1	114.1	69.4	31.0	9.2	0.5
1981	2,228.0	87.3	3.9	92.7	139.1	112.7	62.3	27.6	6.8	0.5
1982	2,183.0	84.4	4.0	89.6	137.4	111.0	61.8	25.2	7.2	0.4
1983	2,095.5	80.2	4.0	90.6	130.7	103.9	58.4	25.0	6.1	0.4
1984	2,118.0	80.1	4.0	87.8	137.6	106.3	59.0	23.4	5.2	0.3
1985	2,098.5	78.3	4.4	85.8	137.0	105.4	56.5	25.6	4.5	0.5
1986	2,065.0	79.3	3.8	90.5	117.4	100.0	69.0	26.5	5.2	0.6
1987	2,034.5	77.5	4.9	86.7	119.7	96.4	67.4	26.5	5.1	0.2
1988	2,101.5	79.2	3.7	87.8	127.1	97.8	70.3	28.0	5.4	0.2
1989	2,167.5	81.0	4.4	95.3	130.4	96.2	71.5	29.4	5.9	0.4
1990	2,352.5	82.6	4.8	102.1	160.3	112.1	59.6	25.9	5.5	0.2
1991	2,304.0	80.6	4.8	109.5	153.4	105.8	59.0	23.2	5.0	0.1
1992	2,345.5	81.1	5.1	104.2	154.0	113.7	63.1	23.9	4.9	0.2
1993	2,317.6	79.6	5.7	101.5	151.6	110.5	64.0	24.6	5.2	0.4
1994	2,267.8	77.7	5.6	105.6	147.2	106.3	60.9	23.2	4.6	0.2

NOTE: General Fertility Rate is per 1,000 females aged 15-44. Age-Specific Birth Rate is per 1,000 females in specified age group. See formulas in Appendix B.

TABLE 36
LIVE BIRTHS, GENERAL FERTILITY RATES AND
AGE-SPECIFIC BIRTH RATES BY COUNTY, RACE AND AGE OF MOTHER
ALABAMA, 1994

COUNTY OF RESIDENCE AND RACE	LIVE BIRTHS/ GENERAL FERTILITY RATE ¹	LIVE BIRTHS AND AGE-SPECIFIC BIRTH RATES ²									AGE NOT STATED
		BY AGE OF MOTHER									
		UNDER 15	15-17	18-19	20-24	25-29	30-34	35-39	40-44	45+	
TOTAL	60,836	339	4,596	6,398	18,823	15,766	10,546	3,800	540	22	6
	65.3	2.4	51.1	106.7	120.2	107.7	66.5	22.8	3.5	0.2	
WHITE	39,579	60	2,080	3,423	11,523	11,525	7,893	2,704	351	17	3
	60.2	0.6	35.4	87.4	107.7	108.3	68.6	22.6	3.1	0.2	
BLACK & OTHER	21,257	279	2,516	2,975	7,300	4,241	2,653	1,096	189	5	3
	77.7	5.6	80.6	143.0	147.2	106.3	60.9	23.2	4.6	0.2	
AUTAUGA	578	3	30	57	194	141	103	43	7	—	—
	72.2	2.2	36.9	105.1	160.5	140.4	70.0	27.1	5.1	—	—
WHITE	427	—	12	31	145	112	91	31	5	—	—
	67.8	—	20.0	77.4	162.4	142.1	74.7	24.3	4.5	—	—
BLACK & OTHER	151	3	18	26	49	29	12	12	2	—	—
	88.5	8.5	84.5	183.1	155.1	134.3	47.4	38.5	7.9	—	—
BALDWIN	1,467	3	89	140	429	377	282	122	24	1	—
	66.4	0.8	40.6	95.8	134.6	132.1	68.7	28.3	6.0	0.3	—
WHITE	1,206	2	63	100	335	318	253	113	21	1	—
	64.6	0.7	35.6	84.8	130.5	132.0	72.0	30.4	6.0	0.3	—
BLACK & OTHER	261	1	26	40	94	59	29	9	3	—	—
	76.1	1.5	61.5	141.8	151.6	132.9	49.1	15.2	6.3	—	—
BARBOUR	408	3	35	42	131	109	62	23	3	—	—
	74.9	2.7	58.6	105.4	149.9	144.0	85.1	25.0	3.2	—	—
WHITE	180	1	8	11	59	55	32	14	—	—	—
	63.1	2.0	29.6	61.1	141.8	131.6	61.1	27.1	—	—	—
BLACK & OTHER	228	2	27	31	72	54	30	9	3	—	—
	87.9	3.3	82.4	141.9	157.2	159.3	69.9	22.2	7.2	—	—
BIBB	248	3	27	27	88	56	37	8	2	—	—
	66.4	4.8	64.0	96.0	134.1	101.4	61.3	12.8	3.4	—	—
WHITE	178	2	13	15	66	49	26	6	1	—	—
	61.2	4.4	43.5	75.3	129.7	108.9	53.8	12.0	2.1	—	—
BLACK & OTHER	70	1	14	12	22	7	11	2	1	—	—
	84.5	5.8	113.8	146.3	149.7	68.6	90.9	15.6	8.0	—	—
BLOUNT	593	1	34	62	195	165	91	42	3	—	—
	68.0	0.7	39.8	108.8	139.1	128.0	58.9	26.7	2.0	—	—
WHITE	585	1	33	62	192	164	89	41	3	—	—
	68.4	0.7	39.4	111.0	139.8	129.6	58.8	26.6	2.1	—	—
BLACK & OTHER	8	—	1	—	3	1	2	1	—	—	—
	46.2	—	59.5'	—	103.4'	41.7'	60.6'	32.3'	—	—	—
BULLOCK	171	3	24	25	54	32	18	13	2	—	—
	75.9	6.4	87.9	137.4	142.1	110.0	46.2	33.0	5.8	—	—
WHITE	28	—	—	1	8	11	7	1	—	—	—
	67.1	—	—	42.4'	137.9	215.7	102.9	10.6	—	—	—
BLACK & OTHER	143	3	24	24	46	21	11	12	2	—	—
	77.9	7.0	101.0	151.5	142.9	87.5	34.2	40.0	7.8	—	—

¹ General Fertility Rate is per 1,000 females aged 15-44.

² Age-Specific Birth Rate is per 1,000 females in specified age group.

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TABLE 36—continued
LIVE BIRTHS, GENERAL FERTILITY RATES AND
AGE-SPECIFIC BIRTH RATES BY COUNTY, RACE AND AGE OF MOTHER
ALABAMA, 1994

COUNTY OF RESIDENCE AND RACE	LIVE BIRTHS/ GENERAL FERTILITY RATE ¹	LIVE BIRTHS AND AGE-SPECIFIC BIRTH RATES ²									AGE NOT STATED
		BY AGE OF MOTHER									
		UNDER 15	15-17	18-19	20-24	25-29	30-34	35-39	40-44	45+	
BUTLER	275	1	39	25	81	62	47	15	5	—	—
	60.1	1.1	72.3	69.5	114.4	109.2	59.4	17.8	6.5	—	—
	WHITE	143	—	17	8	35	38	36	8	1	—
	BLACK & OTHER	59.4	—	73.2	51.7	102.9	127.5	77.3	16.1	2.4	—
CALHOUN	132	1	22	17	46	24	11	7	4	—	—
	60.8	2.0	71.6	83.0	125.0	88.9	33.8	20.2	11.5	—	—
	1,812	10	135	181	543	403	260	69	11	—	—
	60.8	2.6	48.0	96.5	114.6	100.6	60.5	15.1	2.6	—	—
CHAMBERS	1,166	1	70	125	393	324	198	46	9	—	—
	57.4	0.3	34.0	90.9	113.3	103.6	59.8	12.9	2.7	—	—
	BLACK & OTHER	446	9	65	56	150	79	62	23	2	—
	71.6	9.5	86.5	111.7	118.3	90.0	63.1	23.0	2.4	—	—
CHEROKEE	540	8	50	91	199	119	47	24	2	—	—
	71.6	6.2	64.2	175.1	149.3	109.5	37.2	18.1	1.6	—	—
	WHITE	283	2	19	33	111	68	32	16	2	—
	64.5	2.9	48.4	126.1	150.4	102.3	41.4	19.9	2.7	—	—
CHILTON	257	6	31	58	88	51	15	8	—	—	—
	81.4	9.9	80.1	224.8	147.9	120.9	30.5	15.3	—	—	—
	242	—	20	30	82	58	35	12	5	—	—
	59.4	—	48.5	109.2	121.1	95.7	52.5	16.6	7.0	—	—
CHOCTAW	216	—	18	28	71	52	32	10	5	—	—
	57.5	—	47.5	110.9	115.1	92.4	51.6	15.0	7.6	—	—
	BLACK & OTHER	26	—	2	2	11	6	3	2	—	—
	82.8	—	59.5*	89.3*	183.3	139.5*	63.8*	36.4	—	—	—
CLARKE	471	—	35	58	152	135	63	23	3	2	—
	65.5	—	44.8	111.3	136.3	131.1	49.9	17.5	2.6	1.8	—
	WHITE	396	—	31	48	131	114	49	18	3	2
	62.6	—	46.0	106.9	134.9	122.8	44.1	15.5	2.9	2.0	—
CLARKE	75	—	4	10	21	21	14	5	—	—	—
	86.4	—	37.0	138.9	145.8	205.9	92.7	32.3	—	—	—
	212	—	19	31	81	48	27	5	1	—	—
	61.8	—	46.8	114.5	136.4	109.6	48.5	8.2	1.8	—	—
CLARKE	99	—	8	13	41	21	16	—	—	—	—
	57.7	—	43.1	105.2	141.9	90.5	56.1	—	—	—	—
	BLACK & OTHER	113	—	11	18	40	27	11	5	1	—
	66.0	—	49.8	122.3	131.1	131.1	40.4	16.6	3.8	—	—
CLARKE	433	2	39	51	153	107	57	22	2	—	—
	72.1	1.8	54.9	107.6	146.3	129.9	55.1	21.9	2.2	—	—
	WHITE	166	—	10	17	56	49	27	6	1	—
	52.3	—	30.3	77.3	110.5	105.2	49.3	11.4	1.7	—	—
CLARKE	267	2	29	34	97	58	30	16	1	—	—
	94.2	3.2	76.1	133.9	180.0	162.0	61.6	33.7	2.9	—	—

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TABLE 36—continued
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ALABAMA, 1994

COUNTY OF RESIDENCE AND RACE	LIVE BIRTHS/ GENERAL FERTILITY RATE ¹	LIVE BIRTHS AND AGE-SPECIFIC BIRTH RATES ²									AGE NOT STATED
		BY AGE OF MOTHER									
		UNDER 15	15-17	18-19	20-24	25-29	30-34	35-39	40-44	45+	
CLAY	175 66.8	2 4.7	11 39.0	29 154.3	55 123.0	52 140.2	21 46.0	5 11.1	— —	— —	— —
WHITE	134 63.5	— —	8 35.7	21 140.4'	41 116.8	41 139.5	19 51.8	4 10.8	— —	— —	— —
BLACK & OTHER	41 80.9	2 20.0	3 52.1	8 208.3'	14 145.8	11 142.9	2 22.2	1 12.3	— —	— —	— —
CLEBURNE	138 51.7	— —	10 38.6	13 75.2	57 128.4	43 103.4	13 27.0	2 4.2	— —	— —	— —
WHITE	129 50.5	— —	9 36.4	12 72.8	55 131.3	39 97.0	13 28.3	1 2.2	— —	— —	— —
BLACK & OTHER	9 76.9	— —	1 83.3'	1 125.0'	2 80.0'	4 285.7'	— —	1 50.0'	— —	— —	— —
COFFEE	580 65.1	1 0.7	30 34.7	65 112.8	195 136.4	181 141.7	78 48.9	27 16.3	3 2.0	— —	— —
WHITE	424 61.3	1 1.0	18 28.0	38 88.6	128 118.3	154 149.5	63 49.9	19 15.0	3 2.5	— —	— —
BLACK & OTHER	156 78.4	— —	12 54.2	27 182.9	67 192.5	27 109.3	15 45.3	8 20.2	— —	— —	— —
COLBERT	676 64.6	1 0.6	51 52.0	62 94.9	215 137.9	195 127.0	106 54.1	39 20.2	7 3.8	— —	— —
WHITE	554 65.9	— —	36 47.5	46 91.1	176 141.9	169 136.5	93 58.5	29 18.3	5 3.4	— —	— —
BLACK & OTHER	122 59.3	1 2.8	15 67.4	16 107.8	39 122.3	26 87.5	13 35.2	10 28.7	2 5.7	— —	— —
CONECUH	205 73.4	2 3.8	21 62.3	17 75.6	73 176.8	53 149.3	28 59.1	8 15.4	3 6.4	— —	— —
WHITE	76 54.3	1 4.2	4 27.4	4 41.2	19 105.0	27 158.8	16 59.3	5 18.5	— —	— —	— —
BLACK & OTHER	129 92.5	1 3.4	17 88.8	13 101.9	54 232.8	26 140.5	12 58.8	3 12.1	3 14.6	— —	— —
COOSA	122 54.0	— —	6 27.2	14 95.1	47 118.7	30 82.9	21 52.4	3 7.8	1 2.9	— —	— —
WHITE	67 48.4	— —	3 23.1	8 92.6	25 114.2	17 79.8	11 44.5	3 11.3	— —	— —	— —
BLACK & OTHER	55 62.8	— —	3 32.9	6 98.7	22 124.3	13 87.2	10 64.9	— 8.0	1 —	— —	— —
COVINGTON	487 66.3	5 3.8	43 54.3	75 142.0	178 155.1	112 108.7	52 41.2	21 15.6	1 0.8	— —	— —
WHITE	375 61.0	2 1.9	29 45.7	51 120.6	134 140.8	95 107.7	48 44.7	15 13.3	1 0.9	— —	— —
BLACK & OTHER	112 93.3	3 11.4	14 88.7	24 228.1	44 224.5	17 114.9	4 21.2	6 27.4	— —	— —	— —

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		BY AGE OF MOTHER									
		UNDER 15	15-17	18-19	20-24	25-29	30-34	35-39	40-44	45+	
CRENSHAW	167	2	12	22	66	42	16	6	1	—	—
	61.3	4.0	39.4	108.3	143.8	112.6	35.2	12.9	2.1	—	—
	WHITE	116	1	6	11	47	34	12	4	1	—
	BLACK & OTHER	61.7	3.0	30.4	83.6	157.7	124.5	36.1	12.9	3.0	—
	60.4	6.2	55.9	153.6	118.0	80.0	32.8	13.1	—	—	—
CULLMAN	865	—	47	107	322	222	115	47	5	—	—
	58.5	—	32.2	110.1	133.9	102.4	43.3	17.7	2.0	—	—
	WHITE	859	—	46	107	318	221	115	47	5	—
	BLACK & OTHER	58.9	—	32.1	112.2	134.5	102.8	43.8	17.9	2.1	—
	6	—	1	—	4	1	—	—	—	—	—
	29.9	—	37.0 ^a	—	100.0 ^a	50.0 ^a	—	—	—	—	—
DALE	797	2	50	77	282	222	112	46	4	2	—
	68.9	1.2	50.3	116.1	139.5	97.6	54.6	24.0	2.4	1.4	—
	WHITE	591	—	28	50	206	180	91	33	1	2
	BLACK & OTHER	67.6	—	40.0	107.0	135.4	103.7	57.3	22.5	0.8	1.7
	206	2	22	27	76	42	21	13	3	—	—
	73.0	4.1	74.8	137.8	152.0	77.8	45.3	28.8	8.0	—	—
DALLAS	772	13	94	107	260	147	109	38	3	1	—
	75.6	6.3	76.8	131.2	148.1	111.4	62.5	21.3	1.9	0.7	—
	WHITE	185	—	10	17	52	64	29	12	—	1
	BLACK & OTHER	52.8	—	30.4	77.4	99.6	132.8	46.6	18.0	—	1.5
	587	13	84	90	208	83	80	26	3	—	—
	87.4	9.0	94.0	151.0	168.7	99.2	71.3	23.2	3.3	—	—
DEKALB	807	—	58	95	310	209	98	30	7	—	—
	68.7	—	47.7	117.2	171.8	121.7	47.7	13.8	3.5	—	—
	WHITE	768	—	51	90	291	204	95	30	7	—
	BLACK & OTHER	68.1	—	44.6	118.1	167.0	122.5	47.7	14.3	3.7	—
	39	—	7	5	19	5	3	—	—	—	—
	82.6	—	96.4	103.3 ^a	306.5	96.2	46.2	—	—	—	—
ELMORE	801	1	58	83	261	206	150	35	7	—	—
	71.5	0.5	54.1	116.1	154.5	125.5	72.2	16.4	3.7	—	—
	WHITE	586	—	39	54	179	163	117	28	6	—
	BLACK & OTHER	69.3	—	49.7	103.2	148.7	136.3	74.0	16.8	4.0	—
	215	1	19	29	82	43	33	7	1	—	—
	78.0	2.1	66.1	151.4	169.1	96.6	66.5	15.0	2.6	—	—
ESCAMBIA	462	3	43	55	173	105	54	24	5	—	—
	65.1	2.5	54.4	104.3	145.9	119.3	44.3	19.0	4.1	—	—
	WHITE	286	—	14	35	114	69	36	16	2	—
	BLACK & OTHER	60.9	—	28.9	108.4	147.3	119.6	44.4	18.4	2.3	—
	176	3	29	20	59	36	18	8	3	—	—
	73.5	6.8	94.6	97.8	143.2	118.8	44.0	20.3	8.2	—	—

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		BY AGE OF MOTHER									
		UNDER 15	15-17	18-19	20-24	25-29	30-34	35-39	40-44	45+	
ETOWAH	1,330	5	103	192	486	307	163	63	11	—	—
	63.7	1.5	47.7	133.3	141.5	103.7	48.2	16.7	3.0	—	—
WHITE	1,029	2	59	141	361	261	142	53	10	—	—
	60.0	0.7	34.0	121.7	130.5	109.2	50.7	16.9	3.2	—	—
BLACK & OTHER	301	3	44	51	125	46	21	10	1	—	—
	81.2	5.0	104.0	180.9	187.4	80.7	36.5	15.7	1.8	—	—
FAYETTE	216	2	21	28	81	46	29	9	—	—	—
	58.3	3.2	51.6	103.2	128.6	94.7	47.5	13.4	—	—	—
WHITE	180	2	16	21	64	43	27	7	—	—	—
	56.1	3.8	45.9	80.4	114.1	105.1	51.7	12.0	—	—	—
BLACK & OTHER	36	—	5	7	17	3	2	2	—	—	—
	72.7	—	95.9	180.4*	248.4	39.0	22.7	22.5	—	—	—
FRANKLIN	392	—	26	47	148	97	54	15	5	—	—
	67.8	—	45.4	123.0	166.7	110.7	51.6	14.7	5.0	—	—
WHITE	374	—	24	46	140	94	51	14	5	—	—
	68.5	—	44.0	126.5	168.1	114.1	51.4	14.4	5.4	—	—
BLACK & OTHER	18	—	2	1	8	3	3	1	—	—	—
	56.1	—	72.5*	54.3*	145.5	57.7	55.6	20.4*	—	—	—
GENEVA	321	3	31	36	98	96	43	13	—	—	1
	68.9	3.9	64.4	112.2	130.8	147.0	53.8	15.4	—	—	1
WHITE	265	1	22	29	79	81	39	13	—	—	1
	66.8	1.6	56.5	111.7	128.0	143.9	57.4	17.9	—	—	1
BLACK & OTHER	56	2	9	7	19	15	4	—	—	—	—
	81.4	16.0	98.0	114.4	155.7	166.7	33.3	—	—	—	—
GREENE	191	4	18	35	56	34	33	9	2	—	—
	87.8	8.0	64.0	186.6	178.9	132.8	88.7	22.2	5.6	—	—
WHITE	16	—	—	1	6	4	5	—	—	—	—
	56.1	—	—	80.6*	171.4*	95.2*	86.2	—	—	—	—
BLACK & OTHER	175	4	18	34	50	30	28	9	2	—	—
	92.6	8.6	68.5	194.1	179.9	140.2	89.2	26.0	6.7	—	—
HALE	253	4	31	31	74	55	44	12	2	—	—
	73.7	5.8	72.0	107.9	135.0	131.6	72.6	19.4	3.8	—	—
WHITE	66	—	3	9	17	20	13	3	1	—	—
	52.7	—	22.3	100.4	88.1	120.5	52.8	13.4	5.0	—	—
BLACK & OTHER	187	4	28	22	57	35	31	9	1	—	—
	85.7	8.5	94.5	111.3	160.6	138.9	86.1	22.7	3.1	—	—
HENRY	223	—	10	35	83	43	35	15	2	—	—
	70.1	—	28.2	147.8	156.0	100.0	70.3	28.5	3.3	—	—
WHITE	126	—	5	14	45	28	21	13	—	—	—
	64.7	—	25.6	107.7	147.1	104.9	65.2	37.8	—	—	—
BLACK & OTHER	97	—	5	21	38	15	14	2	2	—	—
	78.5	—	31.2	196.6	168.1	92.0	79.5	10.9	9.1	—	—

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		BY AGE OF MOTHER									
		UNDER 15	15-17	18-19	20-24	25-29	30-34	35-39	40-44	45+	
HOUSTON	1,200	7	86	153	347	311	224	64	6	2	—
	62.8	2.3	45.6	121.7	119.2	110.8	64.1	18.2	1.9	0.7	—
WHITE	801	—	39	78	215	239	176	54	5	1	—
BLACK & OTHER	58.1	—	26.6	94.2	106.8	117.0	67.5	20.7	2.0	0.4	—
	399	7	53	75	132	72	48	10	1	1	—
	75.1	6.6	82.2	174.6	147.2	94.4	54.1	11.1	1.3	1.7	—
JACKSON	635	—	43	80	241	167	78	25	1	—	—
	63.1	—	41.4	115.5	149.2	114.5	44.8	14.2	0.6	—	—
WHITE	585	—	40	73	223	151	75	22	1	—	—
BLACK & OTHER	63.9	—	43.8	119.8	151.4	111.7	46.4	13.7	0.6	—	—
	50	—	3	7	18	16	3	3	—	—	—
	55.2	—	24.0	84.1	126.8	150.9	23.8	19.6	—	—	—
JEFFERSON	9,346	59	706	861	2,439	2,473	1,925	775	104	2	2
	62.7	2.7	53.7	98.2	109.0	102.9	72.2	27.9	4.0	0.1	—
WHITE	4,891	9	193	302	1,027	1,510	1,287	499	63	—	1
BLACK & OTHER	55.0	0.8	27.4	64.2	77.8	99.2	78.7	30.6	3.9	—	—
	4,455	50	513	559	1,412	963	638	276	41	2	1
	74.1	4.9	84.1	137.5	154.0	109.5	61.8	24.0	4.0	0.3	—
LAMAR	200	—	15	21	77	55	23	6	3	—	—
	61.5	—	44.2	92.9	138.2	110.0	40.6	10.7	6.0	—	—
WHITE	160	—	12	14	63	43	20	5	3	—	—
BLACK & OTHER	57.1	—	41.1	71.9	131.8	99.8	40.9	10.4	6.9	—	—
	40	—	3	7	14	12	3	1	—	—	—
	89.1	—	64.1*	224.4*	177.2	173.9	39.0	12.3	—	—	—
LAUDERDALE	1,073	4	72	101	346	298	183	63	5	1	—
	62.3	1.5	44.1	92.8	111.2	111.4	65.8	20.3	1.8	0.4	—
WHITE	932	1	58	81	299	260	172	58	3	—	—
BLACK & OTHER	61.3	0.4	41.1	86.2	110.6	110.2	69.4	21.0	1.2	—	—
	141	3	14	20	47	38	11	5	2	1	—
	70.2	8.5	62.9	134.8	115.5	120.6	36.2	15.0	7.2	4.3	—
LAWRENCE	472	1	34	43	184	122	66	19	3	—	—
	65.0	0.9	46.3	87.9	159.3	102.3	49.4	15.4	2.7	—	—
WHITE	391	1	28	36	147	108	55	14	2	—	—
BLACK & OTHER	76.1	1.5	64.4	124.1	178.0	114.3	54.0	16.6	2.5	—	—
	81	—	6	7	37	14	11	5	1	—	—
	38.3	—	20.1	35.1	112.5	56.7	34.8	12.7	3.0	—	—
LEE	1,385	4	81	118	448	393	240	88	11	1	1
	55.7	1.5	28.8	62.8	58.8	119.8	74.7	27.8	3.8	0.4	—
WHITE	922	—	38	71	272	285	172	73	9	1	1
BLACK & OTHER	48.9	—	17.0	47.8	42.5	125.6	75.8	33.9	4.4	0.5	—
	463	4	43	47	176	108	68	15	2	—	—
	77.1	4.4	73.3	120.1	143.1	106.8	72.2	14.9	2.4	—	—

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		BY AGE OF MOTHER									
		UNDER 15	15-17	18-19	20-24	25-29	30-34	35-39	40-44	45+	
LIMESTONE	827	1	60	67	247	269	148	31	4	—	—
	64.8	0.5	52.7	88.3	129.2	127.8	59.6	13.1	2.0	—	—
WHITE	725	—	45	48	215	252	135	26	4	—	—
	65.3	—	46.5	74.3	132.3	135.8	62.2	12.5	2.3	—	—
BLACK & OTHER	102	1	15	19	32	17	13	5	—	—	—
	61.4	3.8	88.3	167.8	111.5	68.0	41.8	17.5	—	—	—
LOWNDES	208	—	19	21	68	44	35	19	2	—	—
	73.0	—	51.5	85.4	138.2	116.4	73.1	42.3	4.6	—	—
WHITE	33	—	1	—	3	11	9	8	1	—	—
	56.4	—	23.1*	—	42.3	115.8	64.3	72.7	10.3	—	—
BLACK & OTHER	175	—	18	21	65	33	26	11	1	—	—
	77.3	—	55.2	96.7	154.4	116.6	76.7	32.4	2.9	—	—
MACON	353	7	35	42	129	69	43	21	7	—	—
	59.3	7.9	37.3	67.2	90.5	99.7	61.2	28.1	8.6	—	—
WHITE	43	1	1	3	14	15	7	2	—	—	—
	66.2	12.5	19.6	88.2*	132.1	130.4	54.7	19.2	—	—	—
BLACK & OTHER	310	6	34	39	115	54	36	19	7	—	—
	58.5	7.5	38.3	66.0	87.1	93.6	62.6	29.5	9.9	—	—
MADISON	3,925	14	204	268	939	1,129	1,010	319	41	1	—
	63.9	1.7	42.6	83.9	101.8	105.4	79.5	27.8	4.4	0.1	—
WHITE	2,799	1	83	142	572	885	827	258	30	1	—
	62.9	0.2	26.1	67.0	101.5	116.8	81.6	29.5	4.2	0.2	—
BLACK & OTHER	1,126	13	121	126	367	244	183	61	11	—	—
	66.5	5.4	75.1	117.3	102.3	77.8	71.4	22.3	5.0	—	—
MARENGO	364	6	33	52	110	90	58	15	—	—	—
	77.3	6.5	60.0	141.8	144.5	142.6	74.6	17.7	—	—	—
WHITE	142	—	6	13	43	47	29	4	—	—	—
	65.3	—	28.0	91.0	136.1	144.2	72.0	10.2	—	—	—
BLACK & OTHER	222	6	27	39	67	43	29	11	—	—	—
	87.5	10.8	80.4	174.1	150.6	141.0	77.3	24.2	—	—	—
MARION	369	1	22	45	134	105	50	10	2	—	—
	61.7	1.0	36.4	111.7	131.0	118.0	50.0	9.4	2.0	—	—
WHITE	355	1	22	43	126	103	48	10	2	—	—
	61.9	1.1	37.7	110.5	129.0	122.0	50.2	9.8	2.1	—	—
BLACK & OTHER	14	—	—	2	8	2	2	—	—	—	—
	57.6	—	—	147.1*	173.9*	43.5*	46.5*	—	—	—	—
MARSHALL	1,097	4	82	135	382	286	168	33	6	1	—
	70.3	1.6	56.2	138.7	157.3	124.1	58.8	11.5	2.2	0.4	—
WHITE	1,074	2	80	132	374	282	167	32	4	1	—
	70.6	0.8	56.3	139.4	158.6	125.5	59.6	11.4	1.5	0.4	—
BLACK & OTHER	23	2	2	3	8	4	1	1	2	—	—
	58.2	28.2	51.3*	115.4*	114.3	69.0	18.2	15.4	24.4	—	—

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		BY AGE OF MOTHER									
		UNDER 15	15-17	18-19	20-24	25-29	30-34	35-39	40-44	45+	
MOBILE	6,643	43	551	746	1,955	1,658	1,150	467	70	2	1
	74.5	2.9	61.7	125.3	136.7	120.1	74.6	28.8	4.8	0.2	
WHITE	3,666	5	205	310	976	1,063	770	298	37	2	—
	63.4	0.6	39.3	89.0	105.9	111.7	75.8	28.2	3.8	0.2	
BLACK & OTHER	2,977	38	346	436	979	595	380	169	33	—	1
	95.1	6.2	93.3	176.4	192.6	138.7	72.1	29.7	6.9	—	
MONROE	393	5	39	51	122	103	54	17	1	—	1
	72.9	5.0	62.9	123.3	134.1	148.6	59.5	18.1	1.1	—	
WHITE	183	—	16	22	47	59	35	4	—	—	—
	59.0	—	50.0	103.2	95.1	143.2	63.9	7.2	—	—	
BLACK & OTHER	210	5	23	29	75	44	19	13	1	—	1
	91.9	10.5	76.5	144.7	180.3	156.6	52.9	33.9	2.9	—	
MONTGOMERY	3,515	39	253	342	1,058	847	682	259	34	1	—
	68.3	5.0	53.3	108.1	119.7	103.1	77.8	27.8	4.0	0.1	
WHITE	1,518	2	38	76	348	460	418	158	17	1	—
	58.1	0.6	18.7	56.1	90.5	109.8	86.2	31.2	3.5	0.2	
BLACK & OTHER	1,997	37	215	266	710	387	264	101	17	—	—
	78.8	8.7	79.2	147.0	142.3	96.2	67.4	23.8	4.7	—	
MORGAN	1,460	4	103	126	422	430	285	81	9	—	—
	62.4	1.1	48.2	88.5	130.7	122.0	63.2	18.1	2.2	—	
WHITE	1,228	4	74	100	339	370	257	76	8	—	—
	60.2	1.3	40.6	82.3	121.5	120.7	65.0	19.4	2.2	—	
BLACK & OTHER	232	—	29	26	83	60	28	5	1	—	—
	77.9	—	92.4	124.3	188.6	131.0	50.0	9.2	2.2	—	
PERRY	231	3	32	33	88	40	22	9	4	—	—
	88.9	6.0	77.9	120.4	180.7	137.5	64.7	22.7	10.1	—	
WHITE	40	—	1	6	12	15	4	2	—	—	—
	51.5	—	8.1	73.2	64.5	166.7	59.7	17.5	—	—	
BLACK & OTHER	191	3	31	27	76	25	18	7	4	—	—
	104.9	7.1	107.6	140.6	252.5	124.4	65.9	24.8	14.1	—	
PICKENS	281	1	33	34	104	57	40	10	2	—	—
	68.3	1.2	67.5	104.3	163.5	106.3	54.1	13.2	3.2	—	
WHITE	116	—	7	5	37	34	26	7	—	—	—
	54.7	—	34.4	36.9	114.6	112.2	64.8	17.1	—	—	
BLACK & OTHER	165	1	26	29	67	23	14	3	2	—	—
	82.7	2.0	91.0	152.3	214.1	98.7	41.4	8.5	7.0	—	
PIKE	457	8	33	59	158	125	50	24	—	—	—
	69.1	8.8	37.4	100.3	94.0	155.1	59.5	25.3	—	—	
WHITE	232	3	10	16	74	83	34	12	—	—	—
	56.8	6.4	18.4	44.1	66.0	169.4	67.9	22.2	—	—	
BLACK & OTHER	225	5	23	43	84	42	16	12	—	—	—
	89.1	11.2	68.2	191.3	150.0	132.9	47.2	29.5	—	—	

¹ General Fertility Rate is per 1,000 females aged 15-44.

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TABLE 36—continued
LIVE BIRTHS, GENERAL FERTILITY RATES AND
AGE-SPECIFIC BIRTH RATES BY COUNTY, RACE AND AGE OF MOTHER
ALABAMA, 1994

COUNTY OF RESIDENCE AND RACE	LIVE BIRTHS/ GENERAL FERTILITY RATE ¹	LIVE BIRTHS AND AGE-SPECIFIC BIRTH RATES ²									AGE NOT STATED
		BY AGE OF MOTHER									
		UNDER 15	15-17	18-19	20-24	25-29	30-34	35-39	40-44	45+	
RANDOLPH	301	1	28	47	125	55	28	16	1	—	—
WHITE	74.8	1.5	66.6	167.8	196.9	92.1	39.8	23.0	1.4	—	—
BLACK & OTHER	176	—	10	20	73	42	20	10	1	—	—
	60.3	—	34.7	104.0	163.7	97.7	38.6	19.0	1.9	—	—
	125	1	18	27	52	13	8	6	—	—	—
	113.3	4.5	136.4	306.8	275.1	77.8	43.2	35.3	—	—	—
RUSSELL	728	5	51	82	278	181	95	34	2	—	—
WHITE	71.3	3.2	53.9	130.0	162.9	108.7	52.0	19.2	1.2	—	—
BLACK & OTHER	408	1	17	44	165	109	56	15	1	—	—
	69.1	1.2	34.7	134.6	169.6	103.0	51.9	15.0	1.0	—	—
	320	4	34	38	113	72	39	19	1	—	—
	74.3	5.4	74.6	125.0	154.0	118.6	52.1	24.5	1.5	—	—
ST. CLAIR	777	4	57	74	263	218	117	35	8	1	—
WHITE	68.2	2.2	50.3	98.0	148.2	128.0	57.4	17.1	4.1	0.5	—
BLACK & OTHER	688	—	51	57	231	205	106	31	6	1	—
	66.3	—	50.3	84.3	144.4	131.3	57.0	16.5	3.3	0.6	—
	89	4	6	17	32	13	11	4	2	—	—
	88.5	21.1	50.5	214.6	182.9	91.5	62.1	24.0	13.6	—	—
SHELBY	1,730	1	69	87	349	536	488	175	23	2	—
WHITE	59.3	0.3	30.2	57.2	86.4	116.6	86.3	29.2	4.5	0.5	—
BLACK & OTHER	1,564	—	52	71	301	493	460	164	21	2	—
	58.5	—	25.6	52.5	83.5	117.0	87.4	29.6	4.4	0.5	—
	166	1	17	16	48	43	28	11	2	—	—
	67.7	2.5	66.8	94.3	109.8	111.4	72.0	25.1	5.3	—	—
SUMTER	232	2	24	28	79	61	23	12	3	—	—
WHITE	61.0	3.0	45.7	80.0	102.5	129.8	44.3	18.8	5.7	—	—
BLACK & OTHER	46	—	2	4	12	21	6	1	—	—	—
	45.8	—	19.4	58.1	42.3	145.8	53.1	7.4	—	—	—
	186	2	22	24	67	40	17	11	3	—	—
	66.4	3.7	52.2	85.3	137.6	122.7	41.9	21.9	8.0	—	—
TALLADEGA	1,026	7	105	157	359	233	131	27	7	—	—
WHITE	62.9	2.5	58.4	130.9	126.6	102.5	50.9	9.1	2.6	—	—
BLACK & OTHER	636	3	52	91	216	161	93	17	3	—	—
	60.3	1.8	49.2	129.1	132.6	105.1	52.7	8.5	1.6	—	—
	390	4	53	66	143	72	38	10	4	—	—
	67.6	3.6	71.5	133.5	118.6	97.2	46.9	10.4	5.0	—	—
TALLAPOOSA	572	5	57	73	192	139	75	26	5	—	—
WHITE	68.7	3.8	65.6	125.9	137.7	117.2	52.7	17.9	3.5	—	—
BLACK & OTHER	356	1	21	34	116	103	59	18	4	—	—
	62.4	1.2	38.0	92.4	127.3	127.0	58.6	17.4	3.9	—	—
	216	4	36	39	76	36	16	8	1	—	—
	82.3	8.5	113.4	184.3	157.3	96.0	38.5	19.2	2.5	—	—

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TABLE 36—continued
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AGE-SPECIFIC BIRTH RATES BY COUNTY, RACE AND AGE OF MOTHER
ALABAMA, 1994

COUNTY OF RESIDENCE AND RACE	LIVE BIRTHS/ GENERAL FERTILITY RATE ¹	LIVE BIRTHS AND AGE-SPECIFIC BIRTH RATES ²									AGE NOT STATED
		BY AGE OF MOTHER									
		UNDER 15	15-17	18-19	20-24	25-29	30-34	35-39	40-44	45+	
TUSCALOOSA	2,128	15	160	216	666	563	336	151	20	1	—
	53.4	3.1	37.9	76.7	70.2	103.7	58.1	24.2	3.4	0.2	—
WHITE	1,297	5	55	98	355	410	252	106	16	—	—
	46.0	1.6	19.2	51.3	51.0	104.9	61.2	24.6	3.9	—	—
BLACK & OTHER	831	10	105	118	311	153	84	45	4	1	—
	71.3	5.7	77.3	130.3	122.8	100.7	50.3	23.2	2.3	0.9	—
WALKER	889	1	88	103	353	188	107	40	8	1	—
	61.2	0.4	58.3	102.4	151.3	92.2	43.2	15.0	3.2	0.4	—
WHITE	815	1	71	90	329	179	99	37	8	1	—
	60.7	0.5	52.0	98.9	152.3	93.6	43.2	15.1	3.4	0.4	—
BLACK & OTHER	74	—	17	13	24	9	8	3	—	—	—
	66.2	—	118.1	135.4	138.7	70.9	42.6	13.8	—	—	—
WASHINGTON	288	—	22	29	99	64	49	22	3	—	—
	80.2	—	55.2	109.2	175.2	127.0	76.4	35.2	5.1	—	—
WHITE	171	—	8	16	57	43	32	14	1	—	—
	76.7	—	34.4	103.1	169.6	133.1	81.2	35.4	2.5	—	—
BLACK & OTHER	117	—	14	13	42	21	17	8	2	—	—
	85.9	—	84.5	117.8	183.4	116.0	68.8	34.9	10.0	—	—
WILCOX	231	—	32	32	63	67	23	10	4	—	—
	84.4	—	77.2	115.8	140.3	208.7	52.8	23.3	9.7	—	—
WHITE	43	—	1	3	9	21	7	1	1	—	—
	64.3	—	13.8	62.0*	94.7	216.5	58.8	8.6	8.3	—	—
BLACK & OTHER	188	—	31	29	54	46	16	9	3	—	—
	90.9	—	90.6	127.2	152.5	205.4	50.5	28.8	10.3	—	—
WINSTON	270	—	17	27	97	81	37	9	2	—	—
	59.3	—	38.0	90.6	129.7	113.6	45.8	12.0	2.5	—	—
WHITE	264	—	17	27	93	80	36	9	2	—	—
	58.4	—	38.2	91.1	125.8	113.0	44.9	12.0	2.5	—	—
BLACK & OTHER	6	—	—	—	4	1	1	—	—	—	—
	176.5 ¹	—	—	—	444.4 ¹	200.0 ¹	166.7 ¹	—	—	—	—

¹ General Fertility Rate is per 1,000 females aged 15-44.

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PREGNANCY STATISTICS

A pregnancy can result in a live birth, abortion (also called induced termination of pregnancy), or a fetal death (also called spontaneous abortion). Thus, in determining the number of pregnancies or calculating a rate of pregnancy for a specific population, these three possible outcomes must be considered.

Alabama statutes require that all live births occurring within the state be registered with the Center for Health Statistics. Center staff members conduct several projects including the linkage of birth and death certificates on all infant deaths and a survey of high risk births to assure more complete and accurate reporting of births. Evidence indicates that live births are very close to being 100 percent registered in Alabama. In addition, information on births to Alabama residents which occur in other states or territories of the United States and Canada is provided to the Center to allow for the calculation of data on births to Alabama residents. It is felt that data on the live birth component of pregnancy are quite adequate.

As used in this publication, abortion is synonymous with "induced abortion" or "induced termination of pregnancy." The universal reporting of abortions in Alabama was first required by statute in 1993. Prior to 1993, only abortions involving women under age 18 were required to be reported. This reporting was required by the Parental Consent Act. No study of the completeness of abortion reporting has been conducted in Alabama. However, a comparison of Alabama abortions reported to the Centers for Disease Control and those reported to the Center for Health Statistics was made in 1988. This comparison failed to reveal any major reporting problems. There is one noteworthy void

in the reporting of abortions involving Alabama residents. Florida does not have a system of reporting which identifies those abortions performed in that state to residents of other states. Thus, abortions to Alabama residents which were performed in Florida are not included in abortion or pregnancy totals presented in this section. The reporting of the abortion component of pregnancy is believed to be adequate except for this limitation.

There is no direct way to count all fetal deaths. Simply defined, a fetal death is the spontaneous delivery of a non-living fetus of any gestational age. The fetal death component used in determining the number of pregnancies must include all fetal deaths regardless of the gestational age and must be estimated. The indirect method of estimating these events was developed by The Alan Guttmacher Institute. This method estimates fetal deaths of all gestational ages as being equal to the sum of 20 percent of the live births and 10 percent of the abortions. This indirect method is used in estimating the fetal death component of pregnancy in this section and is referred to as "estimated total fetal losses" for clarification purposes. The National Center for Health Statistics also uses this method for estimating the fetal death component in pregnancy calculation.

Alabama's legal definition of fetal death, used in the "Fetal Death" sub-section, is rather lengthy and is presented on page 84 of this publication. It is important to note that only fetal deaths 20 or more weeks in gestation are required to be reported in Alabama. These fetal deaths of 20 or more weeks in gestation are presented in the "Fetal Death" sub-section starting on page 68 of this publication.

1994 PREGNANCY HIGHLIGHTS:

- Adult women aged 20-49 had a higher pregnancy rate (77.5 pregnancies per 1,000 females) than teens (58.7).
- The pregnancy rate for white adults (70.8) is 58 percent higher than the rate for white teens (44.8). The rate for black and other adult women (95.2) is only 12 percent greater than the rate for black and other teens (85.0).
- The pregnancy rate for teenagers 15-17 years of age increased from 70.7 pregnancies per 1,000 females in 1993 to 75.7 in 1994.
- Among counties, Bullock County had the highest 1994 teenage pregnancy rate (85.7) and Shelby County had the lowest rate (33.3).
- Of all 1994 pregnancies, nearly 69 percent resulted in live births, nearly 16 percent resulted in abortions and over 16 percent resulted in fetal losses.

TABLE 37
ESTIMATED PREGNANCIES AND PREGNANCY RATES WITH FEMALE POPULATION
AND PREGNANCY OUTCOMES BY RACE AND AGE OF WOMEN
ALABAMA, 1994

SELECTED PREGNANCY COMPONENTS AND RACE	AGE OF WOMEN					
	TOTAL	10-14	15-17	18-19	20-49	10-19
ESTIMATED PREGNANCIES	88,434	641	6,807	9,795	71,138	17,243
WHITE	55,740	152	3,196	5,276	47,087	8,624
BLACK AND OTHERS	32,694	489	3,611	4,519	24,051	8,619
ESTIMATED PREGNANCY RATE ¹	95.0	4.5	75.7	163.4	77.5	58.7
WHITE	84.8	1.6	54.4	134.8	70.8	44.8
BLACK AND OTHERS	119.4	9.9	115.7	217.2	95.2	85.0
FEMALE POPULATION ²	931,007	144,039	89,928	59,952	917,377	293,919
WHITE	657,299	94,611	58,727	39,151	664,866	192,489
BLACK AND OTHERS	273,708	49,428	31,201	20,801	252,511	101,430
LIVE BIRTHS	60,836 ³	339	4,596	6,398	49,497	11,333
WHITE	39,579	60	2,080	3,423	34,013	5,563
BLACK AND OTHERS	21,257	279	2,516	2,975	15,484	5,770
ABORTIONS	14,028	213	1,174	1,925	10,674	3,312
WHITE	7,496	73	636	1,062	5,701	1,771
BLACK AND OTHERS	6,532	140	538	863	4,973	1,541
ESTIMATED TOTAL FETAL LOSSES	13,570	89	1,037	1,472	10,967	2,598
WHITE	8,665	19	480	791	7,373	1,290
BLACK AND OTHERS	4,905	70	557	681	3,594	1,308

¹Estimated pregnancy rates are per 1,000 females 15-44 years of age or in the specified age group. Estimated pregnancies are the sum of abortions, live births and estimated total fetal losses. Estimated total fetal losses are equal to two-tenths of the live births plus one-tenth of the abortions. Estimated total fetal losses should not be confused with fetal deaths. See pregnancy rate formula in Appendix B.

²Female population presented in "TOTAL" column is for age 15-44, only.

³The age of the mother was not known for 6 births and 42 abortions. These events are included in the total, but are not included in any specific age group.

FIGURE 9
ESTIMATED PREGNANCY RATES BY AGE AND RACE OF WOMEN
ALABAMA, 1994

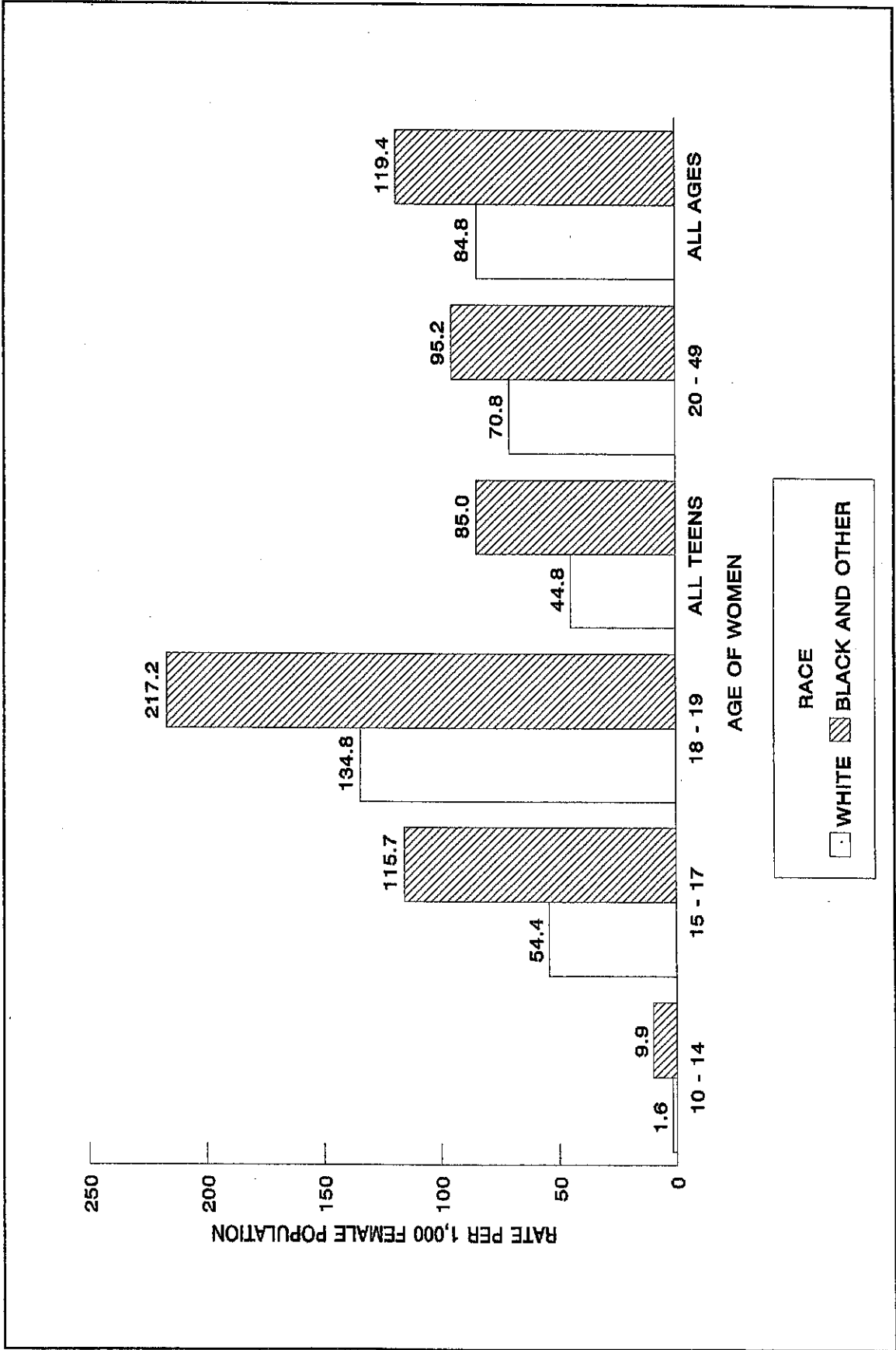


TABLE 38
PREGNANCY RATES¹ BY RACE AND AGE GROUP
ALABAMA, 1993-1994

RACE AND AGE GROUP	YEAR	
	1994	1993
ALL RACES		
TOTAL	95.0	95.5
10-19	58.7	56.8
10-14	4.5	4.7
15-17	75.7	70.7
18-19	163.4	160.3
20-49	77.5	79.1
WHITE		
TOTAL	84.8	85.0
10-19	44.8	43.9
10-14	1.6	2.0
15-17	54.4	50.4
18-19	134.8	134.0
20-49	70.8	71.8
BLACK AND OTHER		
TOTAL	119.4	120.8
10-19	85.0	81.3
10-14	9.9	9.7
15-17	115.7	109.2
18-19	217.2	210.3
20-49	95.2	98.7

Estimated pregnancy rates are per 1,000 females aged 15-44. See pregnancy rate formula in Appendix B.

TABLE 39
ESTIMATED PREGNANCIES AND PREGNANCY RATES¹ FOR ALL WOMEN
ALABAMA, 1994

COUNTY	TOTAL						WHITE						BLACK AND OTHER								
	TOTAL	RATES	LIVE BIRTHS	ABORTIONS	EST. TOTAL FETAL LOSSES	TOTAL	RATES	LIVE BIRTHS	ABORTIONS	EST. TOTAL FETAL LOSSES	TOTAL	RATES	LIVE BIRTHS	ABORTIONS	EST. TOTAL FETAL LOSSES	TOTAL	RATES	LIVE BIRTHS	ABORTIONS	EST. TOTAL FETAL LOSSES	
Total	88,434	95.0	60,836	14,028	13,570	55,740	84.8	39,579	7,496	8,695	32,694	119.4	21,257	6,532	4,905						
Autauga	820	102.5	578	115	127	593	94.2	427	73	93	227	133.1	151	42	34						
Baldwin	1,935	87.5	1,467	159	309	1,577	84.4	1,206	118	253	358	104.4	261	41	56						
Barbour	589	108.2	408	90	91	249	87.3	180	30	39	340	131.1	228	60	52						
Bibb	329	88.0	248	29	52	231	79.4	178	16	37	98	118.4	70	13	15						
Blount	785	90.0	593	67	125	772	90.3	585	64	123	13	75.1	8	3	2						
Bullock	246	109.2	171	37	38	35	83.9	28	1	6	211	115.0	143	36	32						
Butler	390	85.2	275	54	61	205	85.1	143	30	32	185	85.3	132	24	29						
Calhoun	2,399	90.4	1,612	423	364	1,698	83.6	1,166	272	260	701	112.6	446	151	104						
Chambers	764	101.3	540	105	119	397	90.5	283	52	62	367	116.2	257	53	57						
Cherokee	328	80.6	242	34	52	291	77.4	216	29	46	37	117.8	26	5	6						
Chilton	626	87.1	471	55	100	524	82.9	396	44	84	102	117.5	75	11	16						
Choctaw	292	85.1	212	34	46	131	76.3	99	11	21	161	94.0	113	23	25						
Clarke	586	97.6	433	60	93	227	71.6	166	25	36	359	126.6	267	35	57						
Clay	227	86.7	175	16	36	166	78.6	134	5	27	61	120.3	41	11	9						
Cleburne	184	68.9	138	17	29	170	66.6	129	14	27	14	119.7	9	3	2						
Coffee	785	98.1	580	81	124	566	81.8	424	52	90	219	110.1	156	29	34						
Colbert	896	85.7	676	77	143	721	85.8	554	51	116	175	85.1	122	26	27						
Conecuh	272	97.4	205	24	43	101	72.2	76	9	16	171	122.7	129	15	27						
Coosa	186	82.3	122	36	28	102	73.8	67	20	15	84	95.9	55	16	13						
Covington	640	87.1	487	51	102	495	80.5	375	41	79	145	120.8	112	10	23						
Crenshaw	234	85.9	167	31	36	160	85.1	116	19	25	74	87.7	51	12	11						
Cullman	1,136	76.9	865	89	182	1,127	77.3	859	87	181	9	44.8	6	2	1						
Dale	1,110	96.0	797	140	173	808	92.4	591	90	127	302	107.1	206	50	46						
Dallas	1,071	104.8	772	132	167	269	76.8	185	43	41	802	119.5	587	89	126						
DeKalb	1,077	91.6	807	99	171	1,027	91.0	768	96	163	50	105.9	39	3	8						
Elmore	1,166	104.0	801	186	179	828	98.0	586	113	129	338	122.6	215	73	50						
Escambia	591	83.3	462	34	95	367	78.1	286	22	59	224	93.5	176	12	36						
Etowah	1,928	92.4	1,330	302	296	1,482	86.4	1,029	225	228	446	120.4	301	77	68						
Fayette	296	79.9	216	33	47	247	76.9	180	28	39	49	99.0	36	5	8						
Franklin	522	90.3	392	47	83	498	91.2	374	45	79	24	74.8	18	2	4						
Geneva	427	91.7	321	38	68	351	88.4	265	30	56	76	110.5	56	8	12						
Greene	262	120.5	191	29	42	23	80.7	16	3	4	239	126.5	175	25	38						
Hale	342	99.6	253	35	54	91	72.7	66	11	14	251	115.1	187	24	40						
Henry	322	101.2	223	50	49	175	89.9	126	22	27	147	119.0	97	28	22						

¹Estimated pregnancy rates are per 1,000 females aged 15-44. Estimated pregnancies are the sum of abortions, live births and estimated total fetal losses. Estimated total fetal losses are equal to two-tenths of the live births plus one-tenth of the abortions. Estimated total fetal losses should not be confused with fetal deaths. See pregnancy rate formula in Appendix B.

TABLE 39-continued
**ESTIMATED PREGNANCIES AND PREGNANCY RATES¹ FOR ALL WOMEN
 ALABAMA, 1994**

COUNTY	TOTAL				WHITE				BLACK AND OTHER						
	TOTAL	RATES	LIVE BIRTHS	ABORTIONS	EST. TOTAL FETAL LOSSES	TOTAL	RATES	LIVE BIRTHS	ABORTIONS	EST. TOTAL FETAL LOSSES	TOTAL	RATES	LIVE BIRTHS	ABORTIONS	EST. TOTAL FETAL LOSSES
Houston	1,694	88.6	1,200	230	264	1,130	81.9	801	153	176	564	106.1	399	77	88
Jackson	857	85.2	635	86	136	789	86.2	585	79	125	68	75.1	50	7	11
Jefferson	14,740	98.9	9,346	3,204	2,190	7,451	83.8	4,891	1,438	1,122	7,289	121.2	4,455	1,766	1,068
Lamar	261	80.3	200	19	42	205	73.2	160	12	33	56	124.7	40	7	9
Lauderdale	1,495	86.9	1,073	189	233	1,281	84.3	932	148	201	214	106.6	141	41	32
Lawrence	626	86.3	472	54	100	514	100.0	391	41	82	112	52.9	81	13	18
Lee	2,222	89.4	1,385	509	328	1,456	77.3	922	318	216	766	127.5	463	191	112
Limestone	1,105	86.6	827	102	176	943	84.9	725	66	152	162	97.5	102	36	24
Lowndes	321	112.7	208	65	48	53	90.6	33	12	8	268	118.4	175	53	40
Macon	657	110.5	353	212	92	66	101.5	43	13	10	591	111.6	310	199	82
Madison	5,825	94.9	3,925	1,013	887	3,896	87.6	2,799	488	609	1,929	113.9	1,126	525	278
Marengo	496	105.3	364	54	78	198	91.1	142	25	31	298	117.5	222	29	47
Marion	492	82.3	369	44	79	467	81.4	355	37	75	25	102.9	14	7	4
Marshall	1,511	96.8	1,097	177	237	1,470	96.6	1,074	165	231	41	103.8	23	12	6
Mobile	9,443	105.9	6,643	1,338	1,462	5,212	90.1	3,666	739	807	4,231	135.2	2,977	599	655
Monroe	518	96.1	393	42	83	237	76.4	183	16	38	281	122.9	210	26	45
Montgomery	5,794	112.6	3,515	1,433	846	2,325	89.0	1,518	458	349	3,469	136.9	1,997	975	497
Morgan	2,006	85.8	1,460	231	315	1,668	81.7	1,228	177	263	338	113.5	232	54	52
Parry	322	124.0	231	40	51	56	72.1	40	7	9	266	146.2	191	33	42
Pickens	395	96.0	281	52	62	169	79.7	116	27	26	226	113.3	165	25	36
Pike	701	106.0	457	139	105	354	86.7	232	69	53	347	137.4	225	70	52
Randolph	403	100.2	301	38	64	239	81.8	176	25	38	164	148.7	125	13	26
Russell	1,056	103.4	728	166	162	591	100.1	408	92	91	465	108.0	320	74	71
Saint Clair	1,074	94.3	777	129	168	944	90.9	688	108	148	130	129.2	89	21	20
Shelby	2,327	79.7	1,730	228	369	2,088	78.1	1,564	192	332	239	97.5	166	36	37
Sumter	339	89.1	232	55	52	76	75.7	46	19	11	263	93.9	186	36	41
Talladega	1,450	88.9	1,026	199	225	884	83.8	636	110	138	566	98.1	390	89	87
Tallapoosa	813	97.7	572	115	126	497	87.2	356	63	78	316	120.5	216	52	48
Tuscaloosa	3,456	86.8	2,128	820	508	2,035	72.2	1,297	435	303	1,421	121.9	831	385	205
Walker	1,226	84.3	889	145	192	1,110	82.7	815	120	175	116	103.8	74	25	17
Washington	380	105.8	288	31	61	223	100.0	171	16	36	157	115.3	117	15	25
Wilcox	303	110.7	231	23	49	55	82.2	43	3	9	248	119.9	188	20	40
Winston	354	77.7	270	27	57	347	76.8	264	27	56	7	205.9	6	—	1

¹Estimated pregnancy rates are per 1,000 females aged 15-44. Estimated pregnancies are the sum of abortions, live births and estimated total fetal losses. Estimated total fetal losses are equal to two-tenths of the live births plus one-tenth of the abortions. Estimated total fetal losses should not be confused with fetal deaths. See pregnancy rate formula in Appendix B.

FIGURE 10
ESTIMATED PREGNANCY RATES FOR ALL WOMEN
BY COUNTY OF RESIDENCE, ALABAMA, 1994

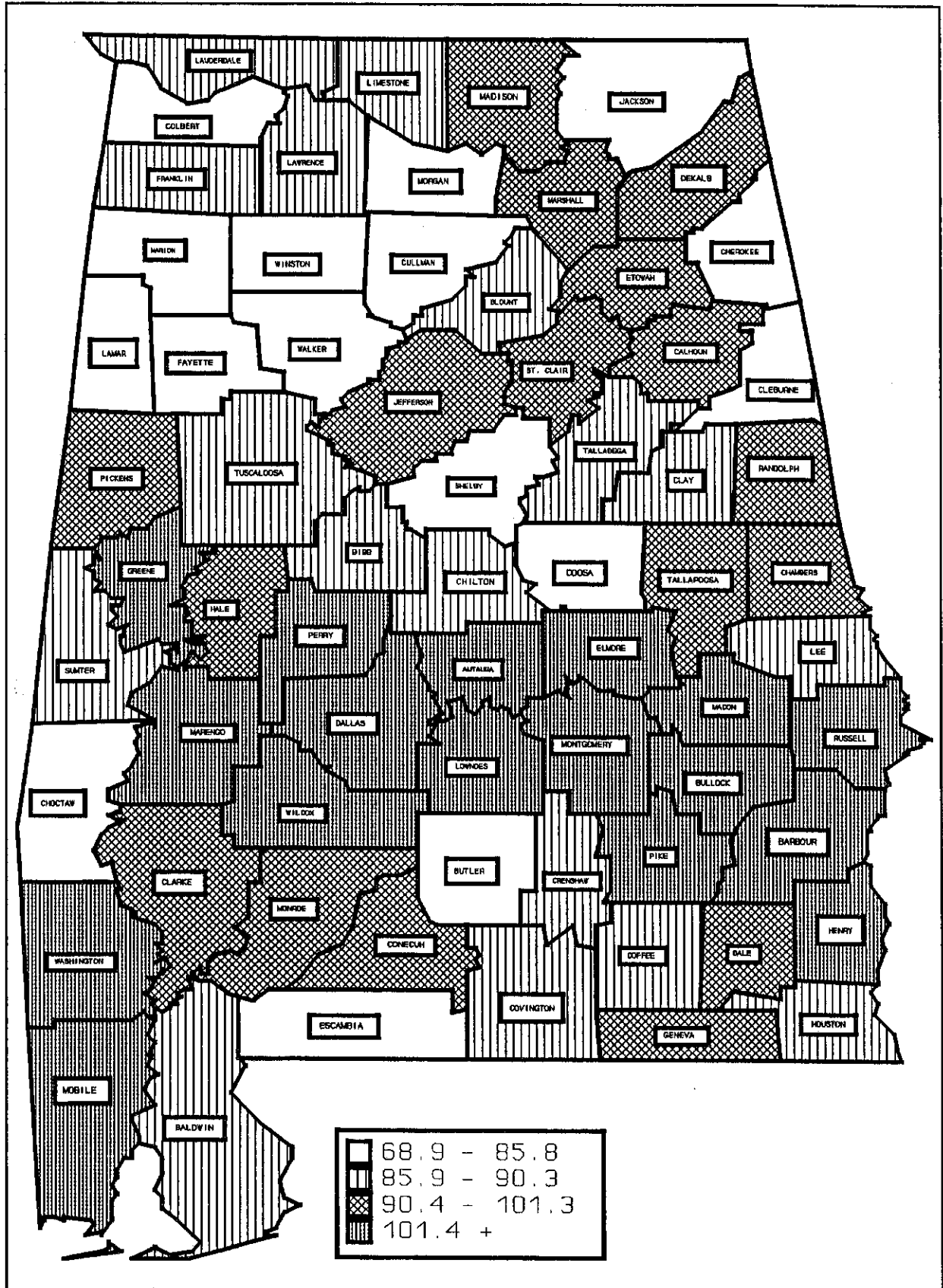


TABLE 40
ESTIMATED TEEN PREGNANCIES AND TEEN PREGNANCY RATES¹ WITH PREGNANCY OUTCOMES
BY COUNTY OF RESIDENCE AND RACE OF WOMEN, ALABAMA, 1994

COUNTY	TOTAL					WHITE					BLACK AND OTHER				
	TOTAL	RATES	LIVE BIRTHS	ABORTIONS	EST. TOTAL FETAL LOSSES	TOTAL	RATES	LIVE BIRTHS	ABORTIONS	EST. TOTAL FETAL LOSSES	TOTAL	RATES	LIVE BIRTHS	ABORTIONS	EST. TOTAL FETAL LOSSES
Total	17,243	58.7	11,333	3,312	2,598	8,624	44.8	5,563	1,771	1,290	8,919	85.0	5,770	1,541	1,308
Autauga	148	53.8	90	36	22	75	36.6	43	21	11	73	103.1	47	15	11
Baldwin	311	43.1	232	30	49	223	38.2	165	23	35	88	63.8	67	7	14
Barbour	118	56.2	80	20	18	31	32.3	20	6	5	87	75.7	60	14	13
Bibb	73	54.8	57	4	12	38	40.1	30	2	6	35	92.0	27	2	6
Blount	136	48.1	97	18	21	135	48.6	96	18	21	1	21.4	1	—	—
Bullock	79	85.7	52	15	12	1	12.1	1	—	—	78	94.5	51	15	12
Butler	97	52.2	65	17	15	42	49.5	25	11	6	55	54.6	40	6	9
Calhoun	490	57.3	326	90	74	302	47.6	196	61	45	188	85.4	130	29	29
Chambers	213	82.2	149	31	33	80	59.9	54	14	12	133	106.2	95	17	21
Cherokee	71	53.7	50	10	11	64	52.7	46	8	10	7	64.8	4	2	1
Chilton	131	52.7	93	18	20	112	52.5	79	16	17	19	53.7	14	2	3
Choctaw	70	54.0	50	9	11	27	46.8	21	2	4	43	59.9	29	7	7
Clarke	128	55.1	92	16	20	42	39.9	27	9	6	86	67.7	65	7	14
Clay	57	63.3	42	6	9	36	51.0	29	1	6	21	107.7	13	5	3
Cleburne	33	37.7	23	5	5	29	34.1	21	3	5	5	109.5	2	2	1
Coffee	132	47.0	96	15	21	78	37.3	57	9	12	53	76.0	39	6	8
Colbert	156	48.2	114	17	25	112	44.6	82	12	18	44	60.4	32	5	7
Conecuh	52	47.9	40	4	8	13	27.0	9	2	2	39	64.5	31	2	6
Coosa	41	53.7	20	15	6	22	51.2	11	8	3	19	57.1	9	7	3
Covington	166	63.2	123	17	26	112	53.0	82	12	18	55	104.0	41	5	9
Crenshaw	53	53.0	36	9	8	30	46.0	18	8	4	23	66.6	18	1	4
Cullman	210	43.7	154	23	33	209	44.2	153	23	33	1	15.0	1	—	—
Dale	197	57.9	129	38	30	117	48.4	78	21	18	80	81.3	51	17	12
Dallas	299	73.0	214	38	47	49	42.5	27	15	7	250	85.0	187	23	40
DeKalb	210	53.1	153	24	33	196	52.3	141	24	31	14	65.2	12	—	2
Elmore	227	62.8	142	51	34	147	55.5	93	32	22	80	82.8	49	19	12
Escambia	133	52.6	101	11	21	67	42.1	49	7	11	67	70.2	52	4	11
Etowah	443	64.4	300	75	68	304	54.6	202	56	46	139	106.3	98	19	22
Fayette	73	56.5	51	11	11	58	52.0	39	10	9	16	83.3	12	1	3
Franklin	99	52.3	73	10	16	95	53.3	70	10	15	4	34.6	3	—	1
Geneva	99	63.3	70	14	15	73	56.8	52	10	11	26	93.5	18	4	4
Greene	83	85.5	57	13	13	2	36.5	1	1	—	80	88.9	56	12	12
Hale	91	65.1	66	11	14	17	38.0	12	2	3	75	77.4	54	9	12
Henry	71	62.7	45	15	11	29	47.5	19	6	4	41	81.2	26	9	6

¹Estimated pregnancy rates are per 1,000 females aged 10-19 years. Estimated pregnancies are the sum of abortions, live births and estimated total fetal losses. Estimated total fetal losses are equal to two-tenths of the live births plus one-tenth of the abortions. Estimated total fetal losses should not be confused with fetal deaths. See pregnancy rate formula in Appendix B.

TABLE 40-continued
ESTIMATED TEEN PREGNANCIES AND TEEN PREGNANCY RATES¹ WITH PREGNANCY OUTCOMES
BY COUNTY OF RESIDENCE AND RACE OF WOMEN, ALABAMA, 1994

COUNTY	TOTAL					WHITE					BLACK AND OTHER				
	TOTAL	RATES	LIVE BIRTHS	ABORTIONS	EST. TOTAL FETAL LOSSES	TOTAL	RATES	LIVE BIRTHS	ABORTIONS	EST. TOTAL FETAL LOSSES	TOTAL	RATES	LIVE BIRTHS	ABORTIONS	EST. TOTAL FETAL LOSSES
Houston	363	58.1	246	62	55	173	42.1	111	36	26	191	88.7	135	26	30
Jackson	172	51.2	123	22	27	157	52.8	113	19	25	15	39.4	10	3	2
Jefferson	2,661	60.6	1,626	645	390	895	38.1	504	264	127	1,766	86.4	1,122	381	263
Lamar	48	44.2	36	4	8	33	36.2	26	2	5	14	91.0	10	2	2
Lauderdale	259	48.5	177	42	40	201	43.6	140	30	31	58	79.8	37	12	9
Lawrence	106	44.6	78	11	17	86	61.4	65	7	14	20	20.5	13	4	3
Lee	394	54.0	203	137	54	230	42.4	109	90	31	165	87.4	94	47	24
Limestone	184	49.3	128	28	28	134	41.8	93	20	21	51	93.0	35	8	8
Lowndes	63	52.8	40	14	9	3	20.9	1	2	—	60	57.9	39	12	9
Macon	159	65.0	84	53	22	7	43.0	5	1	1	152	66.6	79	52	21
Madison	830	50.9	486	224	120	390	34.8	226	108	56	440	86.3	260	116	64
Marango	124	66.9	91	13	20	31	41.7	19	7	5	93	83.5	72	6	15
Marion	92	45.8	68	9	15	87	45.2	66	7	14	5	61.3	2	2	1
Marshall	326	66.7	221	55	50	316	66.6	214	54	48	10	69.9	7	1	2
Mobile	1,924	65.0	1,340	287	297	795	46.1	520	155	120	1,129	91.4	820	132	177
Monroe	125	61.3	95	10	20	49	46.1	38	3	8	76	77.8	57	7	12
Montgomery	1,082	68.6	634	292	156	249	35.7	116	100	33	833	94.8	518	192	123
Morgan	350	49.1	233	64	53	268	43.9	178	49	41	83	79.8	55	15	13
Perry	96	81.1	68	13	15	11	37.6	7	2	2	85	94.7	61	11	13
Pickens	104	63.6	68	20	16	25	39.0	12	10	3	78	80.1	56	10	12
Pike	163	68.4	100	39	24	58	42.1	29	21	8	105	104.3	71	18	16
Randolph	100	72.0	76	8	16	42	43.9	30	5	7	59	132.1	46	3	10
Russell	214	68.4	138	44	32	98	59.7	62	21	15	117	77.9	76	23	18
Saint Clair	201	54.3	135	35	31	162	48.9	108	29	25	39	100.5	27	6	6
Shelby	260	33.3	157	65	38	205	29.4	123	52	30	55	66.6	34	13	8
Sumter	78	50.8	54	12	12	13	44.7	6	5	2	65	52.2	48	7	10
Talladega	397	68.1	269	67	61	214	61.7	146	35	33	183	77.5	123	32	28
Talapoosa	204	73.4	135	38	31	89	50.2	56	20	13	115	114.6	79	18	18
Tuscaloosa	686	58.0	391	197	98	310	39.6	158	109	43	376	93.4	233	88	55
Walker	272	56.8	192	38	42	225	51.9	162	28	35	47	102.8	30	10	7
Washington	70	50.1	51	8	11	35	43.9	24	6	5	35	58.4	27	2	6
Wilcox	85	65.9	64	7	14	5	21.0	4	—	1	80	75.7	60	7	13
Winston	62	42.6	44	8	10	62	42.8	44	8	10	—	—	—	—	—

¹Estimated pregnancy rates are per 1,000 females aged 10-19 years. Estimated pregnancies are the sum of abortions, live births and estimated total fetal losses. Estimated total fetal losses are equal to two-tenths of the live births plus one-tenth of the abortions. Estimated total fetal losses should not be confused with fetal deaths. See pregnancy rate formula in Appendix B.

FETAL DEATH STATISTICS

Expressed simply, a fetal death is a product of conception which shows no sign of life at the time of delivery. Alabama law requires the reporting of fetal deaths only when the gestation of the fetus is at least 20 weeks.

The 1994 fetal death total to Alabama residents was the second lowest on record, totaling 585, only one fetal death above the existing record low recording of 584 in 1991.

Fetal deaths to white women in 1994 decreased by 32 to 268, a new record low total. This decrease was not experienced by black and other race women. Fetal deaths involving black and other race women increased by 12 over the year to total 317 which was still the fifth lowest total on record for black and other race women.

Nearly one-fourth (22 percent) of all fetal deaths were to teenagers. This varied by race with over 12 percent of all white fetal deaths and over 30 percent of all black and other race fetal deaths involving teenage women.

Complications of the Placenta was the leading cause of fetal death. Other leading causes include Complications of the Umbilical Cord, Immaturity, and Congenital Anomalies. These four causes accounted for nearly 37 percent of all fetal deaths and nearly 62 percent of all fetal deaths for which the cause of death was known.

Fetal death data presented in this publication are by the race of the mother starting with 1990. Data for years prior to 1990 are by the race of the fetus.

**FIGURE 11
FETAL DEATH RATIOS
ALABAMA AND UNITED STATES, 1940-1994**

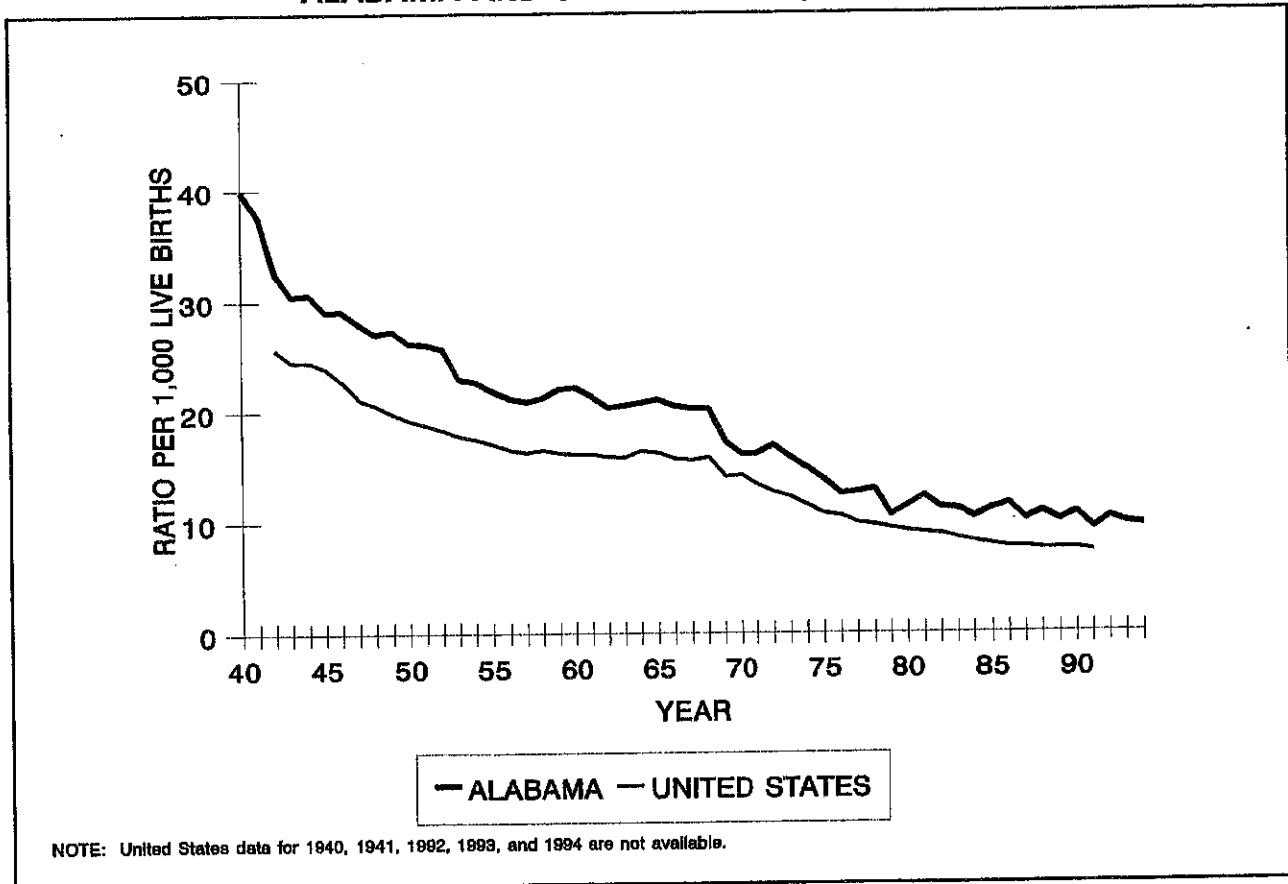


TABLE 41
FETAL DEATHS AND FETAL DEATH RATIOS¹ BY RACE OF MOTHER
ALABAMA AND UNITED STATES, 1940-1994

YEAR	TOTAL			WHITE		BLACK AND OTHER	
	ALABAMA		U.S. RATIO	ALABAMA		ALABAMA	
	NUMBER	RATIO		NUMBER	RATIO	NUMBER	RATIO
1940	2,516	39.9	— ²	1,123	28.8	1,393	58.0
1941	2,458	37.6	— ²	1,119	27.6	1,339	54.1
1942	2,376	32.5	25.6	1,114	24.0	1,262	47.2
1943	2,390	30.5	24.5	1,145	22.8	1,245	44.4
1944	2,267	30.6	24.5	1,051	22.3	1,216	45.1
1945	2,032	29.0	23.9	958	21.8	1,074	40.9
1946	2,295	29.1	22.8	1,142	22.4	1,153	41.2
1947	2,454	27.9	21.1	1,197	20.7	1,257	41.6
1948	2,310	27.0	20.6	1,085	20.2	1,225	38.6
1949	2,296	27.2	19.8	1,053	20.2	1,243	38.5
1950	2,153	26.1	19.2	943	19.0	1,210	36.7
1951	2,182	26.0	18.8	980	19.2	1,202	36.7
1952	2,118	25.6	18.3	918	18.0	1,200	37.7
1953	1,887	22.9	17.8	864	17.0	1,023	32.2
1954	1,863	22.6	17.5	819	16.1	1,044	33.0
1955	1,788	21.8	17.1	803	16.1	985	30.7
1956	1,777	21.1	16.5	760	14.8	1,017	31.2
1957	1,748	20.8	16.3	802	15.5	946	29.5
1958	1,740	21.2	16.5	758	14.7	982	31.9
1959	1,810	22.0	16.2	784	15.3	1,026	32.8
1960	1,793	22.1	16.1	780	15.3	1,013	33.6
1961	1,716	21.3	16.1	754	14.9	962	32.0
1962	1,596	20.3	15.9	694	14.1	902	30.8
1963	1,560	20.5	15.8	707	14.8	853	30.2
1964	1,581	20.7	16.4	718	14.8	863	30.7
1965	1,480	21.0	16.2	607	13.6	873	33.7
1966	1,357	20.4	15.7	597	13.9	760	32.3
1967	1,304	20.2	15.6	585	14.0	719	31.4
1968	1,286	20.2	15.8	584	13.9	702	32.7
1969	1,122	17.3	14.1	561	12.9	561	26.4
1970	1,091	16.1	14.2	559	12.3	532	24.1
1971	1,073	16.1	13.4	551	12.5	522	23.2
1972	1,042	16.9	12.7	523	13.0	519	24.0
1973	938	15.8	12.2	463	11.9	475	23.0
1974	886	14.9	11.5	441	11.4	445	21.5
1975	798	13.8	10.7	393	10.5	405	19.9
1976	723	12.5	10.5	345	9.2	378	18.5
1977	780	12.6	9.9	390	9.7	390	18.0
1978	775	12.9	9.7	382	9.9	393	18.3
1979	659	10.5	9.4	339	8.5	320	14.1
1980	723	11.4	9.2	368	9.1	355	15.6
1981	754	12.3	9.0	366	9.2	388	17.8
1982	675	11.2	8.9	352	9.1	323	15.1
1983	658	11.1	8.5	338	8.8	320	15.5
1984	608	10.3	8.2	316	8.3	292	14.0
1985	660	11.1	7.9	317	8.1	343	16.6
1986	690	11.6	7.7	347	9.0	343	16.5
1987	600	10.1	7.7	306	7.9	294	14.2
1988	656	10.8	7.5	330	8.4	326	15.1
1989	628	10.0	7.5	294	7.3	334	14.9
1990	680	10.7	7.5	333	8.1	347	15.5
1991	584	9.3	7.3	282	6.9	302	13.6
1992	639	10.3	— ²	294	7.3	345	15.6
1993	605	9.8	— ²	300	7.5	305	14.0
1994	585	9.6	— ²	268	6.8	317	14.9

¹ Ratio is per 1,000 live births in specified group. Fetal deaths are by race of the fetus and live births are by race of the child before 1990. Fetal deaths and live births are by the race of the mother since 1990. See formula in Appendix B.

² Not available.

TABLE 42
FETAL DEATHS AND FETAL DEATH RATIOS¹
BY RACE OF MOTHER AND COUNTY OF RESIDENCE
ALABAMA, 1994

COUNTY	TOTAL		WHITE		BLACK AND OTHER	
	NUMBER	RATIO	NUMBER	RATIO	NUMBER	RATIO
TOTAL	585	9.6	268	6.8	317	14.9
Autauga	5	8.7	2	4.7	3	19.9
Baldwin	17	11.6	10	8.3	7	26.8
Barbour	7	17.2	1	6.6	6	26.3
Bibb	3	12.1	2	11.2	1	14.3
Blount	6	10.1	6	10.3	—	—
Bullock	6	35.1	—	—	6	42.0
Butler	4	14.5	—	—	4	30.3
Calhoun	17	10.5	10	8.6	7	15.7
Chambers	6	11.1	1	3.5	5	19.5
Cherokee	1	4.1	1	4.6	—	—
Chilton	10	21.2	8	20.2	2	26.7
Choctaw	4	18.9	1	10.1	3	26.5
Clarke	8	18.5	1	6.0	7	26.2
Clay	5	28.6	3	22.4	2	48.8*
Cleburne	3	21.7	3	23.3	—	—
Coffee	2	3.4	1	2.4	1	6.4
Colbert	5	7.4	2	3.6	3	24.6
Conecuh	2	9.8	1	13.2	1	7.8
Coosa	—	—	—	—	—	—
Covington	5	10.3	3	8.0	2	17.9
Crenshaw	2	12.0	2	17.2	—	—
Cullman	2	2.3	2	2.3	—	—
Dale	5	6.3	4	6.8	1	4.9
Dallas	14	18.1	2	10.8	12	20.4
DeKalb	4	5.0	4	5.2	—	—
Elmore	16	20.0	9	15.4	7	32.6
Escambia	9	19.5	6	21.0	3	17.0
Etowah	10	7.5	3	2.9	7	23.3
Fayette	2	9.3	2	11.1	—	—
Franklin	3	7.7	3	8.0	—	—
Geneva	1	3.1	—	—	1	17.9
Greene	2	10.5	—	—	2	11.4
Hale	6	23.7	—	—	6	32.1
Henry	1	4.5	1	7.9	—	—
Houston	7	5.8	4	5.0	3	7.5
Jackson	4	6.3	4	6.8	—	—
Jefferson	91	9.7	36	7.4	55	12.3
Lamar	1	5.0	—	—	1	25.0*
Lauderdale	9	8.4	7	7.5	2	14.2
Lawrence	2	4.2	1	2.6	1	12.3
Lee	13	9.4	7	7.6	6	13.0
Limestone	2	2.4	—	—	2	19.6
Lowndes	—	—	—	—	—	—
Macon	9	25.5	—	—	9	29.0
Madison	25	6.4	17	6.1	8	7.1
Marengo	2	5.5	1	7.0	1	4.5
Marion	1	2.7	1	2.8	—	—
Marshall	6	5.5	6	5.6	—	—
Mobile	58	8.7	18	4.9	40	13.4
Monroe	7	17.8	1	5.5	6	28.6
Montgomery	44	12.5	10	6.6	34	17.0
Morgan	14	9.6	11	9.0	3	12.9
Perry	11	47.6	1	25.0*	10	52.4
Pickens	1	3.6	—	—	1	6.1
Pike	3	6.6	1	4.3	2	8.9
Randolph	4	13.3	4	22.7	—	—
Russell	7	9.6	4	9.8	3	9.4
St. Clair	7	9.0	6	8.7	1	11.2
Shelby	9	5.2	9	5.8	—	—
Sumter	2	8.6	1	21.7*	1	5.4
Talladega	13	12.7	5	7.9	8	20.5
Tallapoosa	5	8.7	2	5.6	3	13.9
Tuscaloosa	18	8.5	11	8.5	7	8.4
Walker	6	6.7	4	4.9	2	27.0
Washington	—	—	—	—	—	—
Wilcox	9	39.0	—	—	9	47.9
Winston	2	7.4	2	7.6	—	—

¹Ratio is per 1,000 live births in specified group. See formula in Appendix B. Caution should be exercised in using ratios derived from small figures. Caution should also be exercised in using ratios which are based on small live birth totals. Ratios which apply to populations with fewer than 50 live births are denoted by an "1".

TABLE 43
FETAL DEATHS AND FETAL DEATH RATIOS¹
BY RACE OF MOTHER AND CAUSE OF DEATH
ALABAMA, 1994

CAUSE OF DEATH (ICDA CODE)	TOTAL		WHITE		BLACK AND OTHER	
	NUMBER	RATIO	NUMBER	RATIO	NUMBER	RATIO
TOTAL	585	961.6	268	677.1	317	1,491.3
Congenital Anomalies (740-759)	42	69.0	31	78.3	11	51.7
Maternal Conditions Unrelated to Pregnancy (760)	27	44.4	4	10.1	23	108.2
Complications of Placenta (762.0-762.3)	73	120.0	37	93.5	36	169.4
Complications of Umbilical Cord (762.4-762.6)	59	97.0	30	75.8	29	136.4
Immaturity (765)	42	69.0	13	32.8	29	136.4
Intrauterine Hypoxia and Birth Asphyxia (768.0-768.1)	2	3.3	1	2.5	1	4.7
Fetal and Neonatal Hemorrhagia (772)	2	3.3	1	2.5	1	4.7
Endocrine and Metabolic Disturbances (775)	5	8.2	5	12.6	—	—
Unknown or Undetermined Cause (7799)	236	387.9	106	267.8	130	611.6
All Other Causes	97	159.4	40	101.1	57	268.1

¹Ratio is per 100,000 live births in specified group. See formula in Appendix B. Caution should be exercised in using ratios derived from small figures.

TABLE 44
FETAL DEATHS BY CAUSE OF DEATH
AND AGE OF MOTHER
ALABAMA, 1994

CAUSE OF DEATH (ICDA CODE)	TOTAL	AGE OF MOTHER							NOT STATED
		UNDER 15	15-19	20-24	25-29	30-34	35-44	45+	
TOTAL	585	9	119	161	120	106	68	—	2
Congenital Anomalies (740-759)	42	—	5	14	8	9	6	—	—
Maternal Conditions Unrelated to Pregnancy (760)	27	1	3	4	6	8	5	—	—
Complications of Placenta (762.0-762.3)	73	2	11	22	14	15	9	—	—
Complications of Umbilical Cord (762.4-762.6)	59	—	8	20	15	10	6	—	—
Immaturity (765)	42	1	10	11	6	9	5	—	—
Intrauterine Hypoxia and Birth Asphyxia (768.0-768.1)	2	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	—
Fetal and Neonatal Hemorrhagia (772)	2	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—
Endocrine and Metabolic Disturbances (775)	5	—	1	1	—	3	—	—	—
Unknown or Undetermined Cause (7799)	236	4	57	66	47	41	20	—	1
All Other Causes	97	1	24	23	21	10	17	—	1

**TABLE 45
FETAL DEATHS BY RACE AND AGE OF MOTHER
BY SEX OF FETUS
ALABAMA, 1994**

AGE OF MOTHER	TOTAL	WHITE		BLACK AND OTHER	
		MALE	FEMALE	MALE	FEMALE
TOTAL	585	143	125	179	138
UNDER 15	9	1	—	5	3
15-19	119	16	16	56	31
20-24	161	38	43	43	37
25-29	120	36	24	31	29
30-34	106	36	30	20	20
35-44	68	16	12	22	18
45+	—	—	—	—	—
NOT STATED	2	—	—	2	—

**TABLE 46
FETAL DEATHS BY AGE OF MOTHER
AND NUMBER OF PREVIOUS DELIVERIES
ALABAMA, 1994**

NUMBER OF PREVIOUS DELIVERIES	TOTAL	UNDER 15	15-19	20-24	25-29	30-34	35-39	40-44	45+	NOT STATED
TOTAL	585	9	119	161	120	106	52	16	—	2
NONE	237	8	86	70	27	32	9	5	—	—
1	151	1	23	55	33	29	10	—	—	—
2	85	—	5	20	33	15	9	3	—	—
3	39	—	3	9	9	10	7	1	—	—
4	29	—	1	1	7	9	10	1	—	—
5	16	—	—	2	3	7	3	1	—	—
6	9	—	—	2	3	1	1	2	—	—
7	3	—	—	—	1	1	1	—	—	—
8	3	—	—	—	1	1	—	1	—	—
9	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—
10+	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—
NOT STATED	10	—	1	2	3	1	1	—	—	2

NOTE: Previous deliveries include previous live births, abortions, and fetal deaths.

**TABLE 47
FETAL DEATHS AND FETAL DEATH RATIOS¹
BY RACE AND AGE OF MOTHER
ALABAMA, 1994**

AGE OF MOTHER	TOTAL		WHITE		BLACK AND OTHER	
	NUMBER	RATIO	NUMBER	RATIO	NUMBER	RATIO
TOTAL	585	9.6	268	6.8	317	14.9
UNDER 15	9	26.5	1	16.7	8	28.7
15-19	119	10.8	32	5.8	87	15.8
20-24	161	8.6	81	7.0	80	11.0
25-29	120	7.6	60	5.2	60	14.1
30-34	106	10.1	66	8.4	40	15.1
35-39	52	13.7	24	8.9	28	25.5
40+	16	28.5	4	10.9	12	61.9
NOT STATED	2	—	—	—	2	—

¹Ratio is per 1,000 live births in specified group. See formula in Appendix B. Caution should be exercised in using ratios derived from small figures.

**TABLE 48
FETAL DEATHS BY RACE OF MOTHER
AND NUMBER OF PREVIOUS DELIVERIES
ALABAMA, 1994**

NUMBER OF PREVIOUS DELIVERIES	TOTAL	WHITE	BLACK AND OTHER
TOTAL	585	268	317
NONE	237	114	123
1	151	69	82
2	85	40	45
3	39	17	22
4	29	15	14
5	16	5	11
6	9	3	6
7	3	2	1
8	3	1	2
9	1	—	1
10+	2	1	1
NOT STATED	10	1	9

NOTE: Previous deliveries include previous live births, abortions, and fetal deaths.

**TABLE 49
FETAL DEATHS BY WEIGHT
AND GESTATIONAL AGE OF FETUS
ALABAMA, 1994**

WEIGHT IN GRAMS	TOTAL	GESTATIONAL AGE							
		BELOW 28 WEEKS	28-31 WEEKS	32-35 WEEKS	36 WEEKS	37-39 WEEKS	40 WEEKS	OVER 40 WEEKS	NOT STATED
TOTAL	585	279	74	82	31	71	21	25	2
UNDER 1,000	311	253	37	11	3	3	2	2	—
1,000-1499	53	11	20	17	1	3	1	—	—
1,500-1,999	46	1	9	23	3	7	1	1	1
2,000-2,499	59	2	2	18	12	17	3	4	1
2,500-2,999	40	—	2	8	5	17	6	2	—
3,000-3,499	27	—	—	3	3	11	5	5	—
3,500-3,999	21	3	—	—	1	9	1	7	—
4,000 & OVER	6	—	—	—	—	2	2	2	—
NOT STATED	22	9	4	2	3	2	—	2	—

**TABLE 50
FETAL DEATHS BY ATTENDANT,
RACE OF MOTHER AND SEX
ALABAMA, 1994**

RACE AND SEX	TOTAL	TYPE OF ATTENDANT			
		PHYSICIAN	MIDWIFE	OTHER OR NO ATTENDANT	NOT STATED
TOTAL	585	575	5	5	—
MALE	322	316	3	3	—
FEMALE	263	259	2	2	—
WHITE	268	265	1	2	—
MALE	143	141	1	1	—
FEMALE	125	124	—	1	—
BLACK & OTHER	317	310	4	3	—
MALE	179	175	2	2	—
FEMALE	138	135	2	1	—



APPENDIX A

DENOMINATOR POPULATION

The estimated populations used in this volume were produced using data from Population Projections for Alabama Counties published by the Alabama State Data Center, Center for Business and Economic Research, University of Alabama. They were derived by using the cohort-survival method.

**ESTIMATED POPULATION BY COUNTY AND RACE
ALABAMA, 1994**

COUNTY/AREA	TOTAL	WHITE	BLACK AND OTHER
STATE	4,099,303	3,019,613	1,079,690
Autauga	35,099	28,194	6,905
Baldwin	106,258	92,370	13,888
Barbour	25,567	14,198	11,369
Bibb	16,930	13,458	3,472
Blount	40,335	39,630	705
Bullock	11,099	2,847	8,252
Butler	21,722	12,819	8,903
Calhoun	115,227	92,013	23,214
Chambers	36,108	22,999	13,109
Cherokee	19,788	18,476	1,312
Chilton	33,264	29,437	3,827
Choctaw	15,703	8,705	6,998
Clarke	27,122	15,461	11,661
Clay	13,090	10,925	2,165
Cleburne	12,789	12,172	617
Coffee	40,973	33,252	7,721
Colbert	50,570	41,916	8,654
Conecuh	13,513	7,651	5,862
Coosa	10,959	7,149	3,810
Covington	36,200	31,311	4,889
Crenshaw	13,421	9,906	3,515
Cullman	69,792	68,942	850
Dale	49,970	39,693	10,277
Dallas	45,989	18,669	27,320
DeKalb	55,178	53,373	1,805
Elmore	51,361	39,741	11,620
Escambia	34,467	23,731	10,736
Etowah	98,275	83,568	14,707
Fayette	17,633	15,455	2,178
Franklin	27,565	26,205	1,360
Geneva	23,387	20,482	2,905
Greene	9,873	1,836	8,037
Hale	15,416	6,384	9,032
Henry	15,422	10,111	5,311
Houston	83,940	63,185	20,755
Jackson	46,565	43,191	3,374
Jefferson	643,471	407,399	236,072
Lamar	15,397	13,512	1,885
Lauderdale	79,034	70,981	8,053
Lawrence	32,294	24,566	7,728
Lee	90,539	67,344	23,195
Limestone	57,205	49,770	7,435
Lowndes	12,459	3,154	9,305
Macon	24,127	3,272	20,855
Madison	257,106	198,031	59,075
Marengo	22,412	11,184	11,228
Marion	29,629	28,477	1,152
Marshall	72,780	71,250	1,530
Mobile	383,188	257,703	125,485
Monroe	24,467	14,896	9,571
Montgomery	214,411	120,156	94,255
Morgan	104,185	92,513	11,672
Perry	11,886	3,974	7,912
Pickens	20,431	11,859	8,572
Pike	27,260	17,641	9,619
Randolph	19,819	15,143	4,676
Russell	46,399	28,406	17,993
St. Clair	53,308	48,401	4,907
Shelby	113,674	104,487	9,187
Sumter	15,764	4,501	11,263
Talladega	74,050	50,872	23,178
Tallapoosa	39,061	28,740	10,321
Tuscaloosa	155,289	113,098	42,191
Walker	67,226	62,736	4,490
Washington	16,690	10,884	5,806
Wilcox	13,040	4,037	9,003
Winston	22,075	21,933	142

NOTE: The midyear population estimates were prepared by the Center for Business and Economic Research, University of Alabama. They were derived using the cohort-survival method.

**ESTIMATED POPULATION
BY RACE, SEX AND AGE GROUP
ALABAMA, 1994**

AGE GROUP	TOTAL POPULATION (ESTIMATED)	WHITE			BLACK AND OTHER		
		TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE
TOTAL	4,099,303	3,019,613	1,468,048	1,551,565	1,079,690	496,020	583,670
0-4	304,383	198,249	102,179	96,070	106,134	53,678	52,456
5-9	286,772	193,909	100,106	93,803	92,863	46,972	45,891
10-14	295,230	195,393	100,782	94,611	99,837	50,409	49,428
15-19	304,177	200,569	102,691	97,878	103,608	51,606	52,002
20-24	311,319	217,118	110,133	106,985	94,201	44,621	49,580
25-29	285,234	214,344	107,898	106,446	70,890	31,007	39,883
30-34	309,988	231,434	116,425	115,009	78,554	34,983	43,571
35-39	322,668	238,203	118,730	119,473	84,465	37,124	47,341
40-44	296,756	221,967	110,459	111,508	74,789	33,458	41,331
45-49	265,419	208,875	103,430	105,445	56,544	25,739	30,805
50-54	211,847	171,338	83,708	87,630	40,509	17,969	22,540
55-59	185,523	149,927	71,808	78,119	35,596	15,039	20,557
60-64	173,815	140,818	66,241	74,577	32,997	13,522	19,475
65-69	167,776	135,227	60,933	74,294	32,549	12,752	19,797
70-74	143,847	115,955	48,994	66,961	27,892	10,791	17,101
75-79	105,058	84,470	32,504	51,966	20,588	7,494	13,094
80-84	73,667	58,345	19,425	38,920	15,322	5,216	10,106
85 +	55,824	43,472	11,602	31,870	12,352	3,640	8,712

NOTE: The midyear population estimates were prepared by the Center for Business and Economic Research, University of Alabama. They were derived using the cohort-survival method.



APPENDIX B

TECHNICAL NOTES

FORMULAS

TIPS ON USING VITAL STATISTICS

CONTRIBUTING SOURCES

ALABAMA'S CERTIFICATE OF LIVE BIRTH

ALABAMA'S REPORT OF FETAL DEATH

ALABAMA'S REPORT OF

INDUCED TERMINATION OF PREGNANCY

TECHNICAL NOTES

COMPLETENESS OF DATA

At the present time birth registration in Alabama is believed to be close to 100 percent complete. The completeness of birth registration was last tested in 1950, at which time it was found to be 95.9 percent complete. For births occurring in hospitals, registration completeness was found to be 99.6 percent.

Registration of fetal deaths is required by Alabama law only when the gestation period was 20 weeks or more. Since not all fetal deaths are medically attended, some may not be recognized as fetal deaths. Consequently, there may be some underregistration of these deaths. Evidence tends to indicate that fetal deaths are reported better in metropolitan countries.

The first abortion reporting required in Alabama was through the Parental Consent Act and applied only to women under age 18. This reporting was initiated in September 1987. It was not until January 1, 1993 that the reporting of all abortions was first required by Alabama law. No test of reporting completeness has been conducted. However, a comparison of institutions reporting was made in 1988 with the Division of Reproductive Health in the Centers for Disease Control which also collects abortion data. Institutions which were not aware of reporting requirements were contacted and reporting was initiated at that time.

It should be noted that all States do not have the same abortion reporting requirements. All abortions occurring in other States and involving women who are Alabama residents are not being reported to the Center for Health Statistics. However, the only major non-reporting concern involves the fact that Florida does not have a procedure for reporting abortions to Alabama residents.

It is recognized that some certificates were filed too late to be included in the final tabulations; however, the number is too small to be of significant statistical value.

QUALITY OF DATA

Every precaution is taken to minimize errors in the raw data during its preparation and receipt.

Documents filed with the Center for Health Statistics are visually checked for completeness and returned if found to be incomplete or improperly completed.

Prior to coding, each document is edited for consistency and completeness. Selected data items are verified before computer entry. Following computer entry, data items are subjected to numerous validity and consistency edits.

During the coding process hospitals are queried concerning questionable entries for selected birth certificate or fetal death report items.

CAUSE OF DEATH

All causes of death are coded in accordance with the *International Classification of Diseases, Ninth Revision, Adapted (ICDA)*. This revised manual was first used for cause of death classification on January 1, 1979.

The cause of death coded for tabulating fetal death data is the "underlying cause" as determined from information provided on the fetal death certificates. The "underlying cause" is defined as that cause deemed responsible for the sequence of morbid events leading directly to death.

CLASSIFICATION OF DATA BY PLACE

Vital events may be classified by "place of occurrence" or by "place of residence." Data classified by "place of occurrence" are statistically counted according to the geographic location where the event occurred regardless of residence.

Data classified according to "place of residence" are statistically counted according to the usual residence of the mother or patient in the case of a birth, fetal death or abortion, without regard to the geographic location where the event occurred. Thus, if an Alabama resident gives birth in another state, the event is counted as a "resident birth" in Alabama, but an "occurrence birth" in the state where the event occurred.

While it is recognized that occurrence data have administrative value, especially for planning hospital and clinic facilities, resident statistics are more useful tools in determining health indexes for planning and evaluation purposes. Therefore, data presented in this report are by place of residence except where otherwise noted.

RACE

Certificates which include race classifications are generally coded using nine racial categories. However, for reporting purposes, two categories are utilized. White includes Mexicans, Puerto Ricans, Cajuns, Creoles and other Caucasians. The "Black and Other" racial group includes Blacks, American Indians, Chinese, Japanese, Hawaiian, Filipino, other Asian or Pacific Islander or mixtures of white and other races.

According to the 1990 Census of Population for Alabama, the "black and other" racial group as presented in this publication can be assumed to consist of 95.9 percent Black, 1.5 percent American Indian, 0.4 percent Asian Indian, 0.3 percent Korean, 0.4 percent Chinese, 0.2 percent Japanese, 0.2 percent Vietnamese, 0.2 percent Filipino, and 0.9 percent all other non-white races.

HANDLING OF UNKNOWN

Items which are reported as "unknown" or for which no response was provided are not statistically distributed into the frequency distribution. Rather, these items are shown as "not stated" in the tables and graphs throughout this publication.

The only exceptions to this rule are for race and sex. There are very few instances in which a race cannot be determined. However, when this does occur the race is considered "white" for reporting purposes. When sex cannot be determined, for a live birth or fetal death the sex is considered male if the day of birth is odd and female if the day of birth is even.

STATISTICAL RATE LIMITATIONS

All statistics are subject to chance variation. Such random variation in a large universe of data

has little effect on the quality or usefulness of the data. However, such variation occurring where there is a limited number of events or where the population base on which the rate is predicated is small may produce rates which are correct but of limited value for application purposes.

In this report rates are given even where there was only a small number of occurrences of a particular vital event. Warnings are issued in table footnotes when the possibility exists that the table may contain rates which are unstable due to the small numbers involved.

A second limitation involves rates calculated using small population bases. In this report such rates are published, but are denoted by an "*" and population base limitations are noted in the table footnotes.

Rates which are subject to these limitations are accurate in describing the time and occurrences for which they apply, but would not be stable for use in certain statistical procedures, especially time analysis.

DEFINITIONS

ABORTION — The purposeful interruption of an intrauterine pregnancy with the intention other than to produce a liveborn infant and which does not result in a live birth. This definition excludes management of prolonged retention of products of conception following fetal death. In this publication, the terms *abortion* and *induced termination of pregnancy* are used synonymously.

APGAR SCORE — A summary evaluation of an infant's condition reflecting heart rate, respiration, muscle tone, reflex activity and skin coloration. A score of 0, 1 or 2 is assigned to each of these five objective signs. The Apgar Score may range from a low of 0 to a high of 10. This score is named after American anesthesiologist, Virginia Apgar.

CONGENITAL ANOMALY — In this publication, congenital anomalies describe conditions indicated on the birth certificate as being present at the time that document was completed. Conditions included as congenital anomalies are codes 740-759 in the *International Classification of Diseases, 9th revision*.

ESTIMATED TOTAL FETAL LOSSES — This term, which is a component used in determining the number of pregnancies presented in the "Pregnancy Statistics" sub-section, is used in describing the estimated number of fetal deaths, regardless of gestational age. "Estimated

total fetal losses" is considered to be equal to the sum of 20 percent of live births and 10 percent of abortions. This formula was developed by The Alan Guttmacher Institute and is widely accepted and used. "Estimated total fetal losses" should be distinguished from the term "fetal deaths" which describes events of at least 20 weeks in gestation which are reported as required by Alabama law (see Alabama's legal definition of fetal death below).

ESTIMATED POPULATION — Estimated population as of April 1 of the year for which the estimate is made.

ESTIMATED PREGNANCIES — The sum of births, abortions, and estimated total fetal losses.

FETAL DEATH — Death prior to the complete expulsion or extraction from the mother of a product of human conception, irrespective of the duration of pregnancy and which is not an induced termination of pregnancy. The death is indicated by the fact that after the expulsion or extraction the fetus does not breathe or show any other evidence of life, such a beating of the heart, pulsation of the umbilical cord, or definite movement of voluntary muscles. Heartbeats are to be distinguished from transient cardiac contractions; respirations are to be distinguished from fleeting respiratory efforts or gasps.

Fetal deaths are required to be reported under Alabama law only if the fetus has advanced to or beyond, the twentieth week of uterogestation.

GESTATION — The period of development from the time of fertilization of the ovum to birth. In this publication, the terms gestation and

uterogestation are used synonymously.

LIVE BIRTH — The complete expulsion or extraction from the mother of a product of human conception, irrespective of the duration of the pregnancy, which, after such expulsion or extraction, breathes, or shows any other evidence of life such as beating of the heart, pulsation of the umbilical cord, or definite movement of voluntary muscles, whether or not the umbilical cord has been cut or the placenta is attached. Heartbeats are to be distinguished from transient cardiac contractions; respirations are to be distinguished from fleeting respiratory efforts or gasps.

In this publication, the terms "live birth" and "birth" are used synonymously.

LIVE BIRTH ORDER — An expression of numeric relationship of a child to others liveborn to that mother.

LOW BIRTH WEIGHT — A weight at birth of under 2,500 grams or 5 pounds and 8 ounces.

MIDWIFE — An individual educated in the discipline of nursing and the practice of assisting in childbirth; who possesses evidence of certification according to the requirements of the American College of Nurse-Midwives. "Granny" or non-certified midwives are not recognized for purposes of assisting in childbirth in Alabama.

PREGNANCY — The condition of having a developing embryo of fetus in the body, after union of an ovum and spermatozoon.

TOTAL BIRTH ORDER — An expression of the numeric relationship of the birth of a child to all deliveries to that mother regardless of the outcome of a pregnancy.

PREGNANCY FORMULAS

$$\text{BIRTH RATE or CRUDE BIRTH RATE} = \frac{\text{Number of Live Births}}{\text{Estimated Midyear Population}} \times 1,000$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{AGE-SEX ADJUSTED BIRTH RATE} = & \left(\frac{\text{Live Births to Females Aged 10-14}}{\text{Ala. Midyear Population for Females Aged 10-14}} \times \frac{1940 \text{ U.S. Population for Females Aged 10-14}}{1940 \text{ U.S. Population for Females Aged 10-14}} \right) + \\ & \left(\frac{\text{Live Births to Females Aged 15-19}}{\text{Ala. Midyear Population for Females Aged 15-19}} \times \frac{1940 \text{ U.S. Population for Females Aged 15-19}}{1940 \text{ U.S. Population for Females Aged 15-19}} \right) + \\ & \left(\frac{\text{Live Births to Females Aged 20-24}}{\text{Ala. Midyear Population for Females Aged 20-24}} \times \frac{1940 \text{ U.S. Population for Females Aged 20-24}}{1940 \text{ U.S. Population for Females Aged 20-24}} \right) + \\ & \left(\frac{\text{Live Births to Females Aged 25-29}}{\text{Ala. Midyear Population for Females Aged 25-29}} \times \frac{1940 \text{ U.S. Population for Females Aged 25-29}}{1940 \text{ U.S. Population for Females Aged 25-29}} \right) + \\ & \left(\frac{\text{Live Births to Females Aged 30-34}}{\text{Ala. Midyear Population for Females Aged 30-34}} \times \frac{1940 \text{ U.S. Population for Females Aged 30-34}}{1940 \text{ U.S. Population for Females Aged 30-34}} \right) + \\ & \left(\frac{\text{Live Births to Females Aged 35-39}}{\text{Ala. Midyear Population for Females Aged 35-39}} \times \frac{1940 \text{ U.S. Population for Females Aged 35-39}}{1940 \text{ U.S. Population for Females Aged 35-39}} \right) + \\ & \left(\frac{\text{Live Births to Females Aged 40-44}}{\text{Ala. Midyear Population for Females Aged 40-44}} \times \frac{1940 \text{ U.S. Population for Females Aged 40-44}}{1940 \text{ U.S. Population for Females Aged 40-44}} \right) + \\ & \left(\frac{\text{Live Births to Females Aged 45-49}}{\text{Ala. Midyear Population for Females Aged 45-49}} \times \frac{1940 \text{ U.S. Population for Females Aged 45-49}}{1940 \text{ U.S. Population for Females Aged 45-49}} \right) \times 1,000 \\ & \qquad \qquad \qquad \frac{\text{1940 Total U.S. Population}}{\text{1940 Total U.S. Population}} \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{MONTHLY BIRTH RATE} = \frac{\text{Number of Births During Month}}{\frac{\text{Number of Days in Month}}{\text{Number of Days in Year}} \times \text{Estimated Midyear Population}} \times 1,000$$

$$\text{AGE-SPECIFIC BIRTH RATE} = \frac{\text{Number of Live Births To Women In Specific Age Group}}{\text{Estimated Female Population In That Age Group}} \times 1,000$$

$$\text{GENERAL FERTILITY RATE} = \frac{\text{Number of Live Births}}{\text{Estimated Female Population 15-44 Years Of Age}} \times 1,000$$

TOTAL FERTILITY RATE =

$$\begin{aligned} & \left(\begin{array}{l} \text{Age-Specific Birth Rate} \\ \text{For Females Aged 10-14} \end{array} \times \begin{array}{l} \text{Age Interval} \\ \text{In Age Group} \end{array} \right) + \\ & \left(\begin{array}{l} \text{Age-Specific Birth Rate} \\ \text{For Females Aged 15-19} \end{array} \times \begin{array}{l} \text{Age Interval} \\ \text{In Age Group} \end{array} \right) + \\ & \left(\begin{array}{l} \text{Age-Specific Birth Rate} \\ \text{For Females Aged 20-24} \end{array} \times \begin{array}{l} \text{Age Interval} \\ \text{In Age Group} \end{array} \right) + \\ & \left(\begin{array}{l} \text{Age-Specific Birth Rate} \\ \text{For Females Aged 25-29} \end{array} \times \begin{array}{l} \text{Age Interval} \\ \text{In Age Group} \end{array} \right) + \\ & \left(\begin{array}{l} \text{Age-Specific Birth Rate} \\ \text{For Females Aged 30-34} \end{array} \times \begin{array}{l} \text{Age Interval} \\ \text{In Age Group} \end{array} \right) + \\ & \left(\begin{array}{l} \text{Age-Specific Birth Rate} \\ \text{For Females Aged 35-39} \end{array} \times \begin{array}{l} \text{Age Interval} \\ \text{In Age Group} \end{array} \right) + \\ & \left(\begin{array}{l} \text{Age-Specific Birth Rate} \\ \text{For Females Aged 40-44} \end{array} \times \begin{array}{l} \text{Age Interval} \\ \text{In Age Group} \end{array} \right) + \\ & \left(\begin{array}{l} \text{Age-Specific Birth Rate} \\ \text{For Females Aged 45-49} \end{array} \times \begin{array}{l} \text{Age Interval} \\ \text{In Age Group} \end{array} \right) \end{aligned}$$

(Some states do not consider age groups 10-14 and 45-49 in this computation. Caution should be exercised in comparing TOTAL FERTILITY RATES between states.)

FETAL DEATH RATIO = $\frac{\text{Number of Fetal Deaths 20 or More Weeks in Gestation}}{\text{Number of Live Births}} \times 1,000$

(The definition of a fetal death varies from state to state. Caution should be exercised in comparing this ratio between states.)

CAUSE-SPECIFIC FETAL DEATH RATIO = $\frac{\text{Number of Fetal Deaths 20 or More Weeks in Gestation for Specific Cause}}{\text{Number of Live Births}} \times 100,000$

AGE-SPECIFIC FETAL DEATH RATIO = $\frac{\text{Number of Fetal Deaths 20 or More Weeks in Gestation in Specific Age Group}}{\text{Number of Live Births to Women in Specific Age Group}} \times 1,000$

ESTIMATED TOTAL FETAL LOSSES = 20 Percent of Live Births + 10 Percent of Abortions

PREGNANCY RATE = $\frac{\text{Number of Live Births} + \text{Number of Abortions} + \text{Estimated Total Fetal Losses}}{\text{Estimated Female Population 15-44 Years of Age}} \times 1,000$

AGE-SPECIFIC PREGNANCY RATE = $\frac{\text{Live Births to Women in Specific Age Group} + \text{Abortions to Women in That Age Group} + \text{Estimated Total Fetal Losses to Women in That Age Group}}{\text{Estimated Female Population in That Age Group}} \times 1,000$

TIPS ON USING VITAL STATISTICS

This publication serves as a historical recording of the most requested statistics relating to vital events and is a source of information which can be used in further analysis. While many users of vital statistics have a good working knowledge of this subject, others may not fully understand this application and the data limitations. This section discusses special concerns when working with vital statistics.

INFORMATION IS AVAILABLE BY RESIDENCE OR OCCURRENCE

Information on vital events can be produced by the place where the event occurred or by the residence of individuals involved in these events. Most studies require information by residence. All data contained in this publication are by residence except where indicated.

Caution should be exercised in determining whether to use data by residence or occurrence because rather large differences can result.

USING TOTALS OR RATES/RATIOS

Vital events can be reported as totals, rates or ratios. Totals will suffice as long as the user needs to know how many times a certain event occurred and no relationship or comparison is to be made with other areas or different time periods.

When different areas or time periods are being studied it may be best to use rates or ratios. Populations vary between areas or over time in the same area. It may be that variations in the occurrence of vital events result from changes in the population and do not indicate a new trend in vital statistics.

Rates or ratios express the occurrence of selected vital events in relation to a set standard. For example, the crude birth rate is expressed per 1,000 total population. This comparison removes differences between sizes of areas being compared or changes in population over time and allows for analysis of changes in vital event patterns.

VITAL EVENT REPORTING LIMITATIONS

Studies on birth are restricted by the reporting of vital events. All variables required for some studies are not required to be reported by Alabama statute. Studies must include only

those vital events which are reported.

Teenage pregnancy is one such subject. Pregnancies can result in live births, abortions, or fetal losses. Live births are required to be reported and abortions are required to be reported starting on January 1, 1993; however, only fetal deaths with an estimated gestation of 20 or more weeks are required to be reported. A formula is used to estimate the number of "fetal losses" which is the term used in this publication for fetal deaths of all gestational ages.

VARIATIONS IN DEFINITIONS

Differences in definitions may pose concern when a comparison is being made between Alabama and other states or the nation. While most definitions are consistent nationwide, there are some vital events such as fetal deaths and some methods of analysis such as the total fertility rate which vary in definition. To assure consistency, a user should compare definitions when studying different states or the nation.

SMALL NUMBER LIMITATIONS

There are two limitations involving small numbers. One involves a small number of occurrences for a particular vital event and the other limitation is when rates or ratios are calculated for a small population even though the number of occurrences of that event may not be considered small. Since this publication serves as a historical recording of the occurrences of vital events in Alabama, small numbers and rates or ratios derived by using small numbers or small populations are published. However, caution should be exercised concerning the use of such data in a study. Statistical stability cannot be assured when small numbers are used in some formulas.

If a simple quote is needed with no analysis over time or comparison to other areas being made, then small numbers should pose no threat to a study. However, if small numbers are being used for more than simple quote it may be necessary to calculate a rate or ratio for a period of years which tends to smooth out annual variations or to perform a more detailed statistical analysis to determine whether differences between rates are statistically significant.

Determination of what constitutes a small number must be made by the individual user in

consideration of the study being conducted. However, numbers smaller than 16 are generally considered unstable for use in most statistical computations.

INFLUENCES ON VITAL STATISTICS

Every study involving vital statistics should be analyzed for possible influences upon the finding

that are independent of the variables included in the study. For example, a study of the relationship between marital status and birth weight would show that unwed mothers tend to have smaller babies. However, the age of the mother may have more to do with this weight differential than marital status since younger women tend to have smaller babies and are more likely to be unmarried than are older women.

CONTRIBUTING SOURCES

SOURCE OF DATA

Certificates and reports of 1994 births, fetal deaths, and abortions which were filed with the state registrar of vital statistics were the primary source of data for this report. Records of vital events occurring outside the state to residents of Alabama were obtained from transcripts of certificates made available through a system of interchange among all states, territories and provinces. United States data, historical data and data from other states were taken from publications of the National Center for Health Statistics.

Population data for census years were obtained from United States Bureau of Census publications. Population estimates for years other than census years were made available by the Center for Business and Economic Research, University of Alabama.

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ALABAMA CERTIFICATE OF LIVE BIRTH

101

County File Number		State File Number	
1. NAME - First Middle Last (Type last name of capital)		2. DATE OF BIRTH (Month, Day, Year)	
3. TIME OF BIRTH (Specify am or pm)		7. COUNTY OF BIRTH	
4. SEX		5. THIS BIRTH—(Specify Single, Twin, Triplet, etc.)	
6. IF NOT SINGLE BIRTH—(Specify if this child born first, second, etc.)		9. FACILITY NAME (If not institution, give street, street number and indicate INSIDE or OUTSIDE city limits)	
8. CITY, TOWN OR LOCATION OF BIRTH		10. SIGNATURE OF ATTENDANT OR CERTIFIER (I hereby certify that child was born alive on the date and place stated above)	
11. DATE SIGNED—(Month, Day, Year)		12. ATTENDANT'S NAME	
13. ATTENDANT'S ADDRESS		16. CERTIFIER'S NAME (If other than attendant)	
14. TYPE OF ATTENDANT (Specify M.D., D.O., C.M.B., O.N.M., Other (Specify))		15. ATTENDANT'S LICENSE NUMBER	
17. CERTIFIER'S TITLE		18. CERTIFIER'S SIGNATURE	
19. SIGNATURE OF EITHER PARENT—(Certify that the parental information provided on this certificate is correct)		20. DATE SIGNED—(Month, Day, Year)	
21. PARENT'S SIGNATURE		22. DATE FILED (Month, Day, Year)	
23. MOTHER'S MARRIED LAST NAME		24. MOTHER'S LEGAL NAME - First Middle Last	
25. MOTHER'S DATE OF BIRTH		26. MOTHER'S STATE OF BIRTH (If not in U.S.A., name country)	
27. MOTHER'S USUAL RESIDENCE—STATE		28. MOTHER'S RESIDENCE—COUNTY	
29. MOTHER'S RESIDENCE—CITY OR TOWN AND ZIP CODE		30. MOTHER'S RESIDENCE—STREET ADDRESS (If rural, give location)	
31. MOTHER'S RESIDENCE—Inn/City/Low (Specify Yes or No)		32. MOTHER'S RESIDENCE—Inn/City/Low (Specify Yes or No)	
33. FATHER'S—NAME - First Middle Last		34. FATHER'S DATE OF BIRTH	
35. FATHER'S STATE OF BIRTH (If not in U.S.A., name country)		36. FATHER'S RESIDENCE—STATE	

ALL ITEMS MUST BE COMPLETE AND ACCURATE.

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FATHER

MOTHER

DISCLOSURE OF SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER IS REQUIRED BY FEDERAL LAW.

37. FATHER'S OCCUPATION		38. FATHER'S INDUSTRY		39. FATHER'S SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER	
40. FATHER'S EDUCATION (Specify ONLY highest grade completed) ELEMENTARY OR HIGH SCHOOL (9-12) COLLEGE (1-4 or 5+)		41. FATHER'S EDUCATION (Specify ONLY highest grade completed) ELEMENTARY OR HIGH SCHOOL (9-12) COLLEGE (1-4 or 5+)		42. MOTHER'S SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER	
43. MOTHER'S OCCUPATION		44. MOTHER'S INDUSTRY		45. MOTHER'S SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER	
46. MOTHER'S EDUCATION (Specify ONLY highest grade completed) ELEMENTARY OR HIGH SCHOOL (9-12) COLLEGE (1-4 or 5+)		47. MOTHER'S EDUCATION (Specify ONLY highest grade completed) ELEMENTARY OR HIGH SCHOOL (9-12) COLLEGE (1-4 or 5+)		48. MOTHER MARRIED—(Specify Yes or No)	
49. DATE LAST NORMAL MENSES BEGAN (Month, Day, Year)		50. MONTH OF PREGNANCY/PRENATAL CARE BEGAN—First, Second, etc.		51. PROVIDERS OF PRENATAL CARE (Check all that apply) PRIVATE PHYSICIAN <input type="checkbox"/> HOSPITAL <input type="checkbox"/> HEALTH DEPARTMENT <input type="checkbox"/> COMMUNITY HEALTH CENTER <input type="checkbox"/> HOME <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER (Specify)	
52. MAIN SOURCE OF PAYMENT FOR THIS BIRTH <input type="checkbox"/> MEDICAID <input type="checkbox"/> PRIVATE INSURANCE <input type="checkbox"/> SELF PAY <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER (Specify)		53. DID INFANT RECEIVE NEONATAL INTENSIVE CARE (Specify Yes or No)		54. AT TIME OF THIS REPORT INFANT WAS—(Specify Alive or Dead)	
55. PREGNANCY HISTORY—(Exclude this child) (Complete each item) a. NUMBER BORN ALIVE—NOW LIVING		56. LIVE BIRTHS b. NUMBER BORN ALIVE—NOW DEAD		57. OTHER TERMINATIONS (Spontaneous and Induced) c. NUMBER BEFORE 20 WEEKS	
58. DATE OF LAST LIVE BIRTH (Month, Day, Year) (Exclude this child)		59. DATE OF LAST OTHER TERMINATION (Month, Day, Year)		60. APGAR SCORE a. At 1 minute	
61. CLINICAL ESTIMATE OF GESTATION—Weeks		62. MOTHER TRANSFERRED PRIOR TO DELIVERY (Specify Yes or No) If yes, enter name of facility transferred from:		63. INFANT TRANSFERRED (Specify Yes or No) If yes, enter name of facility transferred to:	
64. MEDICAL RISK FACTORS FOR THIS PREGNANCY (Check all that apply) Anemia (Hct. <30, Hgb. <10) 01 <input type="checkbox"/> Cardiac disease 02 <input type="checkbox"/> Acute or chronic lung disease 03 <input type="checkbox"/> Diabetes 04 <input type="checkbox"/> Genital herpes 05 <input type="checkbox"/> Hypertension/Glycosylated hemoglobin 06 <input type="checkbox"/> Hemoglobinopathy 07 <input type="checkbox"/> Hypertension, chronic 08 <input type="checkbox"/> Hypertension, pregnancy-associated 09 <input type="checkbox"/> Eclampsia 10 <input type="checkbox"/> Incompetent cervix 11 <input type="checkbox"/> Previous infant 4000+ grams 12 <input type="checkbox"/> Previous pregnancy or small-for-gestational-age infant 13 <input type="checkbox"/> Renal disease 14 <input type="checkbox"/> Rh sensitization 15 <input type="checkbox"/> Uterine bleeding 16 <input type="checkbox"/> None 00 <input type="checkbox"/> Other (Specify) 17 <input type="checkbox"/>		67. COMPLICATIONS OF LABOR AND/OR DELIVERY (Check all that apply) Fetus (>100°F or 38°C) 01 <input type="checkbox"/> Meconium, moderately heavy 02 <input type="checkbox"/> Premature rupture of membrane (>12 hours) 03 <input type="checkbox"/> Abruptio placentae 04 <input type="checkbox"/> Placenta previa 05 <input type="checkbox"/> Other excessive bleeding 06 <input type="checkbox"/> Seizures during labor 07 <input type="checkbox"/> Precipitous labor (<3 hours) 08 <input type="checkbox"/> Prolonged labor (>20 hours) 09 <input type="checkbox"/> Dysfunctional labor 10 <input type="checkbox"/> Breech/Malpresentation 11 <input type="checkbox"/> Cephalopelvic disproportion 12 <input type="checkbox"/> Cord prolapse 13 <input type="checkbox"/> Anesthetic complications 14 <input type="checkbox"/> Fetal distress 15 <input type="checkbox"/> None 00 <input type="checkbox"/> Other (Specify) 16 <input type="checkbox"/>		71. CONGENITAL ANOMALIES OF CHILD (Check all that apply) Anencephalus 01 <input type="checkbox"/> Spina bifida, meningocele 02 <input type="checkbox"/> Hydrocephalus 03 <input type="checkbox"/> Microcephalus 04 <input type="checkbox"/> Other central nervous system anomalies 05 <input type="checkbox"/> Heart malformations 06 <input type="checkbox"/> Other circulatory or respiratory anomalies 07 <input type="checkbox"/> Rectal atresia/stenosis 08 <input type="checkbox"/> Tracheo-esophageal fistula, esophageal atresia 09 <input type="checkbox"/> Omphalocele/gastrochisis 10 <input type="checkbox"/> Other gastrointestinal anomalies 11 <input type="checkbox"/> Malformed genitalia 12 <input type="checkbox"/> Ranal Agnesis 13 <input type="checkbox"/> Other urogenital anomalies 14 <input type="checkbox"/> Cleft lip/palate 15 <input type="checkbox"/> Polydactyly, syndactyly, adactyly 16 <input type="checkbox"/> Club foot 17 <input type="checkbox"/> Dyspragmatic hernia 18 <input type="checkbox"/> Other musculoskeletal/integument anomalies 19 <input type="checkbox"/> Down's syndrome 20 <input type="checkbox"/> Other chromosomal anomalies 21 <input type="checkbox"/> None 00 <input type="checkbox"/> Other (Specify) 22 <input type="checkbox"/>	
65. OTHER RISK FACTORS FOR THIS PREGNANCY (Complete all items) Tobacco use during pregnancy Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Average number cigarettes per day Alcohol use during pregnancy Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Average number drinks per week Weight gained during pregnancy lbs Cocaine, Heroin, Marijuana, Methamphetamines or street drugs used during pregnancy Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>		68. METHOD OF DELIVERY—(Check all that apply) Vaginal 01 <input type="checkbox"/> Vaginal birth after previous C-section 02 <input type="checkbox"/> Primary C-section 03 <input type="checkbox"/> Repeat C-section 04 <input type="checkbox"/> Forceps 05 <input type="checkbox"/> Vacuum 06 <input type="checkbox"/>		69. ABNORMAL CONDITIONS OF THE NEWBORN (Check all that apply) Anemia (Hct. <35, Hgb. <13) 01 <input type="checkbox"/> Birth injury 02 <input type="checkbox"/> Fetal alcohol syndrome 03 <input type="checkbox"/> Hyaline membrane disease/RDS 04 <input type="checkbox"/> Mecconium aspiration syndrome 05 <input type="checkbox"/> Assisted ventilation <30 min 06 <input type="checkbox"/> Assisted ventilation >30 min 07 <input type="checkbox"/> Seizures 08 <input type="checkbox"/> None 00 <input type="checkbox"/> Other (Specify) 09 <input type="checkbox"/>	
66. OBSTETRIC PROCEDURES (Check all that apply) Amniocentesis 01 <input type="checkbox"/> Electronic fetal monitoring 02 <input type="checkbox"/> Induction of labor 03 <input type="checkbox"/> Stimulation of labor 04 <input type="checkbox"/> Tocolysis 05 <input type="checkbox"/> Ultrasound 06 <input type="checkbox"/> None 00 <input type="checkbox"/> Other (Specify) 07 <input type="checkbox"/>		70. FAMILY HISTORY OF HEARING LOSS/DEAFNESS AT AN EARLY AGE <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown <input type="checkbox"/>			

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ALABAMA REPORT OF FETAL DEATH

State File Number **101**

FETUS
TYPE IN PERMANENT BLACK INK. DO NOT USE GREEN, RED, OR BLUE INK.

1. NAME OF FETUS (if given) First Middle Last (Type last name all capitals)			2. DATE OF DELIVERY (Month, Day, Year)		3. TIME OF DELIVERY (Specify am or pm)
4. SEX OF FETUS	5. THIS DELIVERY—(Specify Single, Twin, Triplet, etc.)	6. IF NOT SINGLE DELIVERY—Specify if this child born first, second, etc.		7. COUNTY OF DELIVERY	
8. CITY, TOWN OR LOCATION OF DELIVERY			9. FACILITY NAME (If not mentioned, give street, street number, and indicate INSIDE or OUTSIDE city limits)		
10. FATHER'S—NAME First Middle Last		11. FATHER'S DATE OF BIRTH		12. FATHER'S STATE OF BIRTH (If not in U.S.A., name country)	

FATHER

13. FATHER—OF HISPANIC ORIGIN—(Specify Yes or No.) If Yes, Specify Cuban, Mexican, Puerto Rican, etc.		14. FATHER'S RACE—(Specify American Indian, Black, White, etc.)		15. FATHER'S SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER	
16. FATHER'S OCCUPATION		17. FATHER'S INDUSTRY		18. FATHER'S EDUCATION (Specify ONLY highest grade completed) ELEMENTARY OR HIGH SCHOOL (0-12) COLLEGE (1-4 or 5-)	

MOTHER

19. MOTHER'S MARRIED LAST NAME		20. MOTHER'S LEGAL NAME First Middle Last		21. MOTHER'S DATE OF BIRTH	
22. MOTHER MARRIED—(Specify Yes or No)	23. MOTHER'S STATE OF BIRTH (If not in U.S.A., name country)	24. MOTHER'S USUAL RESIDENCE—STATE	25. MOTHER'S RESIDENCE—COUNTY		
26. MOTHER'S RESIDENCE—CITY OR TOWN AND ZIP CODE		27. MOTHER'S RESIDENCE—STREET ADDRESS (If rural, give address)		28. MOTHER'S RESIDENCE—Inside City Limits (Specify Yes or No)	
29. MOTHER—OF HISPANIC ORIGIN—(Specify Yes or No.) If Yes, Specify Cuban, Mexican, Puerto Rican, etc.		30. MOTHER'S RACE—(Specify American Indian, Black, White, etc.)		31. MOTHER'S SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER	
32. MOTHER'S OCCUPATION		33. MOTHER'S INDUSTRY		34. MOTHER'S EDUCATION (Specify ONLY highest grade completed) ELEMENTARY OR HIGH SCHOOL (0-12) COLLEGE (1-4 or 5-)	

ALL ITEMS MUST BE COMPLETE AND ACCURATE.

35. MAIN SOURCE OF PAYMENT FOR THIS DELIVERY		36. PROVIDERS OF PRENATAL CARE (Check all that apply)			
<input type="checkbox"/> MEDICAID <input type="checkbox"/> PRIVATE INSURANCE <input type="checkbox"/> SELF-PAY <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER		<input type="checkbox"/> PRIVATE PHYSICIAN <input type="checkbox"/> HOSPITAL <input type="checkbox"/> HEALTH DEPARTMENT <input type="checkbox"/> COMMUNITY HEALTH CENTER <input type="checkbox"/> NONE <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER (Specify)			
37. DATE LAST NORMAL MENSTRUATION BEGAN (Month, Day, Year)	38. MONTH OF PREGNANCY PRENATAL CARE BEGAN—First, Second, etc.	39. TOTAL NUMBER OF VISITS TO ALL PROVIDERS		40. WEIGHT OF FETUS Grams	

MEDICAL CERTIFICATION

41. PREGNANCY HISTORY—(Exclude the Child. Complete each item)				
a. NUMBER BORN ALIVE—NOW LIVING		b. NUMBER BORN ALIVE—NOW DEAD		
42. DATE OF LAST LIVE BIRTH (Month, Day, Year) (Exclude this child)		43. DATE OF LAST OTHER TERMINATION (Month, Day, Year) (Exclude this child)		
44. PART I IMMEDIATE CAUSE Fetal or maternal condition directly causing fetal death		Specify Fetal or Maternal		
a. DUE TO (OR AS A CONSEQUENCE OF):		Specify Fetal or Maternal		
b. DUE TO (OR AS A CONSEQUENCE OF):		Specify Fetal or Maternal		
c. DUE TO (OR AS A CONSEQUENCE OF):		Specify Fetal or Maternal		
d. DUE TO (OR AS A CONSEQUENCE OF):		Specify Fetal or Maternal		
45. PART II Other significant conditions of Fetus or Mother—contributing to fetal death but not resulting in the underlying cause given in Part I		46. FETUS INED—Specify before Labor, During Labor or Delivery, Unknown	47. AUTOPSY (Specify Yes or No)	48. ATTENDANT'S ESTIMATE OF GESTATION

CERTIFIER

I certify that this delivery occurred on the date and time stated and that the fetal death was due to the causes stated.	49. ATTENDANT—SIGNATURE	50. TYPE OF ATTENDANT (Specify M.D., D.O., C.M., O.R.M., Other (Specify))	
	51. TYPED NAME AND ADDRESS	52. LICENSE NUMBER	53. DATE SIGNED

BURIAL

54. DISPOSITION OF BODY (Specify Burial, Cremation, Medical Donation, Hospital Disposal, Other)	55. CEMETERY OR CREMATORY—Name	56. LOCATION—City or Town	State	57. DATE OF DISPOSITION
58. SIGNATURE OF OFFICIAL IN CHARGE OF DISPOSITION OF FETUS		59. REGISTRAR'S SIGNATURE		60. DATE FILED (Month, Day, Year)

61. MEDICAL RISK FACTORS FOR THIS PREGNANCY (Check all that apply)	63. OBSTETRIC PROCEDURES (Check all that apply)	66. CONGENITAL ANOMALIES OF CHILD (Check all that apply)
Anemia (Hct <30, Hgb <10) 01 <input type="checkbox"/> Cardiac disease 02 <input type="checkbox"/> Acute or chronic lung disease 03 <input type="checkbox"/> Diabetes 04 <input type="checkbox"/> Genital herpes 05 <input type="checkbox"/> Hydranmios/Oligohydramnios 06 <input type="checkbox"/> Hemoglobinopathy 07 <input type="checkbox"/> Hypertension, chronic 08 <input type="checkbox"/> Hypertension, pregnancy-associated 09 <input type="checkbox"/> Eclampsia 10 <input type="checkbox"/> Incompetent cervix 11 <input type="checkbox"/> Previous infant 4000+ grams 12 <input type="checkbox"/> Previous preterm or small-for-gestational-age infant 13 <input type="checkbox"/> Renal disease 14 <input type="checkbox"/> Rh sensitization 15 <input type="checkbox"/> Uterine bleeding 16 <input type="checkbox"/> None 00 <input type="checkbox"/> Other (Specify) 17 <input type="checkbox"/>	Amniocentesis 01 <input type="checkbox"/> Elective fetal monitoring 02 <input type="checkbox"/> Induction of labor 03 <input type="checkbox"/> Stimulation of labor 04 <input type="checkbox"/> Tocolytic 05 <input type="checkbox"/> Ultrasound 06 <input type="checkbox"/> None 00 <input type="checkbox"/> Other (Specify) 07 <input type="checkbox"/>	Anencephaly 01 <input type="checkbox"/> Spina bifida, meningocele 02 <input type="checkbox"/> Hydrocephalus 03 <input type="checkbox"/> Microcephalus 04 <input type="checkbox"/> Other central nervous system anomalies (Specify) 05 <input type="checkbox"/> Heart malformations 06 <input type="checkbox"/> Other circulatory or respiratory anomalies (Specify) 07 <input type="checkbox"/> Bristle stress/menosis 08 <input type="checkbox"/> Tracheo-esophageal fistula, esophageal atresia 09 <input type="checkbox"/> Omphalocele/gastroschisis 10 <input type="checkbox"/> Other gastrointestinal anomalies 11 <input type="checkbox"/> (Specify) Malformed genitalia 12 <input type="checkbox"/> Renal Agenesis 13 <input type="checkbox"/> Other urogenital anomalies 14 <input type="checkbox"/> (Specify) Club lip/palate 15 <input type="checkbox"/> Polydactyly, syndactyly, adactyly 16 <input type="checkbox"/> Club foot 17 <input type="checkbox"/> Diaphragmatic hernia 18 <input type="checkbox"/> Other musculoskeletal/integument anomalies (Specify) 19 <input type="checkbox"/> Down's syndrome 20 <input type="checkbox"/> Other chromosomal anomalies (Specify) 21 <input type="checkbox"/> None 00 <input type="checkbox"/> Other 22 <input type="checkbox"/> (Specify)
62. OTHER RISK FACTORS FOR THIS PREGNANCY (Complete all items)	64. COMPLICATIONS OF LABOR AND/OR DELIVERY (Check all that apply)	65. METHOD OF DELIVERY—(Check all that apply)
Tobacco use during pregnancy Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Average number cigarettes per day Alcohol use during pregnancy Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Average number drinks per week Weight gained during pregnancy lbs. Cocaine, Heroin, Marijuana, Methamphetamines or street drugs used during pregnancy Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	Fetal distress (>100 F, or 38 °C) 01 <input type="checkbox"/> Meconium, moderate/heavy 02 <input type="checkbox"/> Premature rupture of membrane (>12 hours) 03 <input type="checkbox"/> Abruptio placentae 04 <input type="checkbox"/> Placenta previa 05 <input type="checkbox"/> Other excessive bleeding 06 <input type="checkbox"/> Seizures during labor 07 <input type="checkbox"/> Precipitous labor (<3 hours) 08 <input type="checkbox"/> Prolonged labor (>20 hours) 09 <input type="checkbox"/> Dysfunctional labor 10 <input type="checkbox"/> Breech/Malpresentation 11 <input type="checkbox"/> Cephalopelvic disproportion 12 <input type="checkbox"/> Cord prolapse 13 <input type="checkbox"/> Anesthetic complications 14 <input type="checkbox"/> Fetal distress 15 <input type="checkbox"/> None 00 <input type="checkbox"/> Other 16 <input type="checkbox"/> (Specify)	Vaginal 01 <input type="checkbox"/> Vaginal birth after previous C-section 02 <input type="checkbox"/> Primary C-section 03 <input type="checkbox"/> Repeat C-section 04 <input type="checkbox"/> Forceps 05 <input type="checkbox"/> Vacuum 06 <input type="checkbox"/> Hysterotomy/Hysterectomy 07 <input type="checkbox"/>



STATE OF ALABAMA
**REPORT OF INDUCED
 TERMINATION OF PREGNANCY**

State File Number **101**

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 OR BLUE INK.

1. Patient's I.D. Number		2. Age Last Birthday		3. Date of Pregnancy Termination (Month, Day, Year)																	
4. Facility Name (If not clinic or hospital, give street address)			5. City, Town, or Location of Pregnancy Termination		6. County of Pregnancy Termination																
7. Residence—State		8. Residence—County	9. Residence—City, Town, or Location		10. Inside City Limits (Specify Yes or No)																
11. Residence—Zip Code		14. Education (Specify only highest grade completed) Elementary/Secondary _____ College _____																			
12. Of Hispanic Origin—(Specify Yes or No. If Yes, Specify Cuban, Mexican, Puerto Rican, etc.)		13. Race (Specify American Indian, Black, White, Etc.)		14. Education (Specify only highest grade completed)																	
15. Is Patient Married? (Specify Yes or No)	16. Date Last Normal Menses began (Month, Day, Year)	17. Clinical Estimate of Gestation Weeks _____	18. Previous Pregnancies—(Complete each section below)																		
			<table border="1" style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr> <th colspan="2">Live Births</th> <th colspan="2">Other Terminations</th> </tr> <tr> <td>a. Now Living</td> <td>b. Now Dead</td> <td>c. Spontaneous</td> <td>d. Induced (Do not include this termination)</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Number _____</td> <td>Number _____</td> <td>Number _____</td> <td>Number _____</td> </tr> <tr> <td>None <input type="checkbox"/></td> <td>None <input type="checkbox"/></td> <td>None <input type="checkbox"/></td> <td>None <input type="checkbox"/></td> </tr> </table>		Live Births		Other Terminations		a. Now Living	b. Now Dead	c. Spontaneous	d. Induced (Do not include this termination)	Number _____	Number _____	Number _____	Number _____	None <input type="checkbox"/>	None <input type="checkbox"/>	None <input type="checkbox"/>	None <input type="checkbox"/>	
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19. Complete this section only if patient is under 18 years of age.																					
<p>A. Is Patient Emancipated? (A patient who is or has been married or has by court order otherwise been legally freed from the care, custody and control of her parents is considered "emancipated.")</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No</p> <p>B. If unemancipated, this pregnancy termination was authorized. (Check one)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> by written consent of parent or legal guardian.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> by determination of court order.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> due to determination of existing medical emergency.</p>																					
TERMINATION PROCEDURES																					
TYPE OF PROCEDURES																					
20a. Procedure That Terminated Pregnancy (Check Only One)			20b. Additional Procedures Used for this Termination, if any. (Check All That Apply)																		
<p>1 <input type="checkbox"/> Suction Curettage</p> <p>2 <input type="checkbox"/> Sharp Curettage</p> <p>3 <input type="checkbox"/> Dilatation And Evacuation (D&E)</p> <p>4 <input type="checkbox"/> Intra-Uterine Saline Instillation</p> <p>5 <input type="checkbox"/> Intra-Uterine Prostaglandin Instillation</p> <p>6 <input type="checkbox"/> Hysterotomy</p> <p>7 <input type="checkbox"/> Hysterectomy</p> <p>8 <input type="checkbox"/> Other (Specify) _____</p>			<p>No Additional Procedures Used <input type="checkbox"/> 0</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> 1</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> 2</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> 3</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> 4</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> 5</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> 6</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> 7</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> 8</p>																		
21. Name of Attending Physician (Typed)		22. Signature of Person Completing this Form		23. Date Signed (Mo,Dy,Yr)																	

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	<p>This publication will contain tables on life expectancy by race, sex, and age group for residents of Alabama. This volume of the <u>Alabama Vital Events</u> publication will be published starting with the data year 1995 and quinquennially thereafter.</p>	
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DMS	Detailed Mortality Statistics	Cost \$10.00
	<p>This annual publication is available for each year--1978 through 1994--and consists of a listing of causes of death at the four-digit International Classification of Disease Code level with the numbers of Alabama residents dying during the year from each cause by race, sex, and age grouping. This publication contains approximately 150 pages.</p> <p style="margin-left: 40px;">NOTE: Hard copies are available for all years except 1982, which is available only on microfiche.</p>	
ABR	Alabama Births by Residence and Occurrence	Cost \$10.00
	<p>This annual publication is available for each year--1979 through 1994--and consists of tables referencing births by the mother's county of residence and the county where the birth occurred and vice versa. The format of this publication was changed in 1989, but all years contain the same information. This publication contains approximately 26 pages.</p> <p style="margin-left: 40px;">NOTE: Hard copies are available for all years.</p>	
TBS	Teenage Birth Statistics	Cost \$10.00
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