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This report presents the childbearing experience and fertility expectations of American women based on data collected in the June, 1976, Current Population Survey. Survey findings include the birth expectations of young single women who, as they marry, will contribute a major portion of the births in the United States within a few years. An introductory section summarizes significant trends. Of the 13.5 million future births expected by 18 to 24 year old white women reporting in the survey, over one-half are expected to be contributed by currently single women, and 43% by currently married women. The fertility rate has dropped in women 18 to 24 years of age from 3.1 in the early 1960 to 2.1 in 1976. This may be due to temporary postponement of childbearing on the part of young wives. For married women of all races 14 to 34 years old in 1971, fertility rates for the five years ending in 1976 are about 88% of the rates expected for that period in 1971. For comparable age groups, single black women have significantly higher levels of childbearing than do single white women. Data indicate an inverse relationship between fertility and educational attainment. The bulk of the report consists of tables of data. Two appendices define terms such as "birth cohort" and "parity" and review the source and reliability of data presented in the report. (Author/AV)

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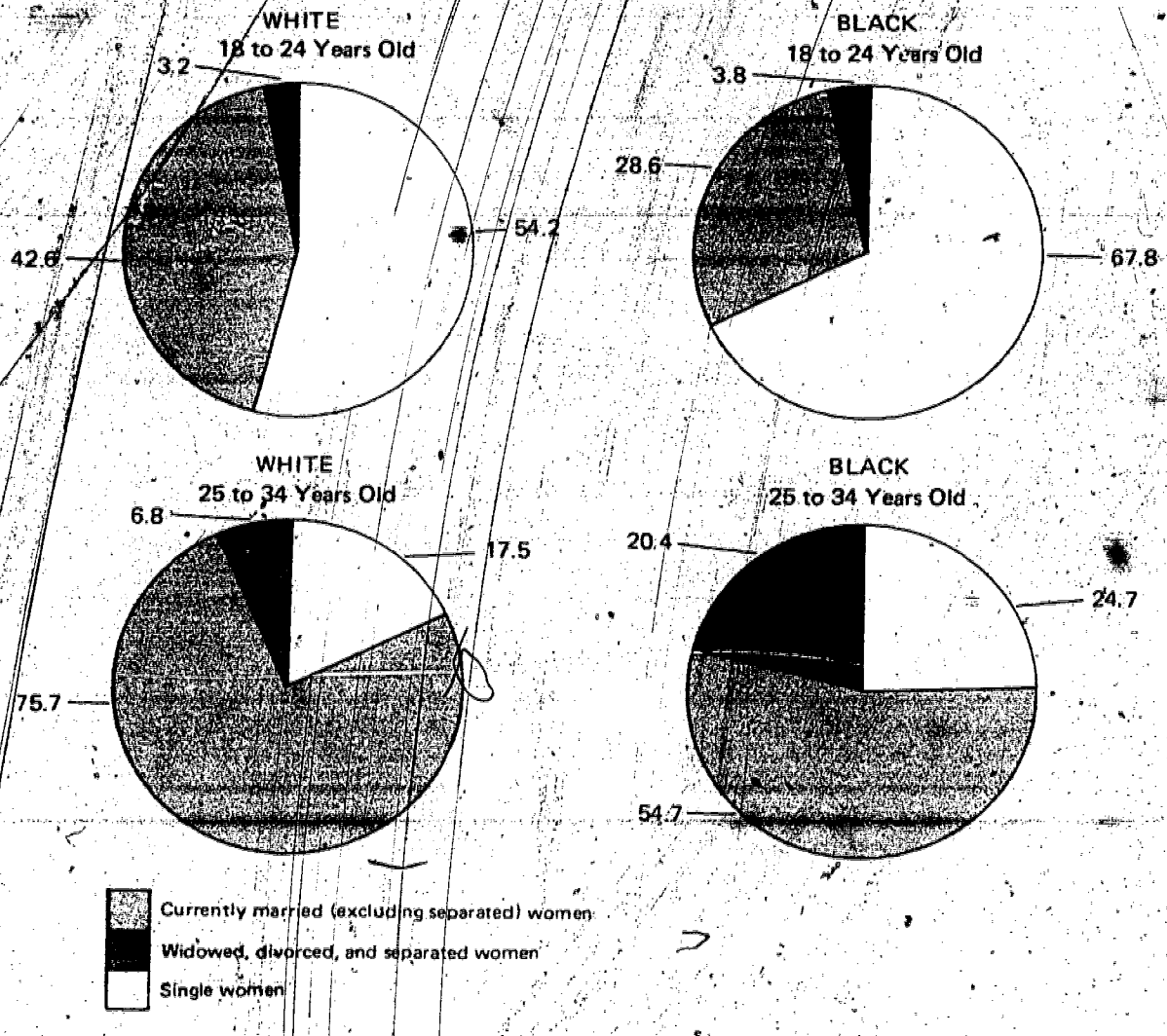

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—	Represents zero or rounds to zero.
<	Denotes "less than".
B	Base is too small to show derived measure.
NA	Not available.
S	Does not meet publication standards because bases not comparable to CPS estimates.
X	Not applicable.

FERTILITY OF AMERICAN WOMEN: JUNE 1976

INTRODUCTION

This report presents the childbearing experience and fertility expectations of American women based on data collected in the June 1976 Current Population Survey. An advance report based on this survey (**Current Population Reports**, Series P-20, No. 300) has previously described the decline in birth expectations among currently married women 18 to 39 years of age between the first Census Bureau study of birth expectations in 1967 and the present 1976 survey (see also table 6 in this report).

Survey findings in the text of this final report include the birth expectations of young single (never-married) women who, as they marry, will be contributing a major portion of the births in the United States within a few years. The consistency between the birth expectations of married women in 1971 and actual fertility for the 5-year period 1971 to 1976 will also be examined. Finally, there will be a brief review of some new data on the fertility of single women which are available for the first time from the June 1976 Current Population Survey.

BIRTH EXPECTATIONS

Birth expectations of single women. One criticism of the usefulness of the data collected in previous birth expectations surveys for fertility projections and analysis has centered on the omission of young single women in the sample universe.[1] Since women currently single will contribute substantially to the number of births in future years, an examination of the fertility prospects for these women should aid in the evaluation of future fertility trends.

Figure 1 on the cover illustrates the relativ importance of the contribution of currently single women to the number of future expected births. Of the 13.5 million future births expected by 18 to 24 year old White women reporting in the survey (table 1), over one-half (54 percent) are expected to be contributed by currently single women; 43 percent of these births are expected to be contributed by currently married women (excluding separated); and the remaining 3 percent are expected to be contributed by women currently widowed, divorced, and separated. Among Black women 18 to 24 years old, approximately two-thirds of the future births to be born to that cohort of women are expected to be contributed by women who have not as yet been married.

Of course, the expectations of these single women are closely related to the probability that they will eventually marry in future years. Since the probability of eventual marriage declines with age for single women beyond their early twenties,[2] the number of children expected by single women 25 years old and over is substantially smaller than that expected by single women 18 to 24 years old. Table 1 shows that single women 18 to 24 years old in 1976 expect to complete their fertility with approximately 1.9 children per woman; however, those 30 to 34 years old in 1976 who were still single anticipate a final average of only 0.9 children per woman.

Current fertility trends and prospects. An overview of fertility trends in the United States for the period 1960 to 1976 is presented in table A. The two fertility measures shown in this table are the total fertility rate and the average number of lifetime births expected per currently married woman 18 to 24 years old. The latter measure is based on privately conducted fertility surveys in

[1] For a discussion of these shortcomings, see Norman B. Ryder and Charles F. Westoff, **Reproduction in the United States 1965** (Princeton: Princeton University Press, 1971); and Jacob S. Siegel and Donald S. Akers, "Some Aspects of the Use of Birth Expectations Data from Sample Surveys for Population Projections," **Demography**, Vol. 6, No. 2 (May 1969), pp. 101-115.

[2] For estimates of marriage probabilities, see Robert Schoen and Verne E. Nelson, "Marriage, Divorce, and Mortality: A Life Table Analysis," **Demography**, Vol. 11, No. 2 (May 1974), pp. 267-290.

1960 and 1962 to 1965, on the Survey of Economic Opportunity conducted in 1967, and on June Current Population Surveys conducted from 1971 to 1976.

The total fertility rate for a given year is based on annual birth registrations compiled by the National Center for Health Statistics and indicates the current rate of childbearing. The rate for a given year may be interpreted as the number of births a woman would have by the end of her childbearing period, if, during each year of her reproductive life, she were to experience the age-specific fertility rates that occur in that given year.

On the other hand, the average number of lifetime births expected in a given year are composed of all births to date, and all additional births expected in future years. Unlike the total fertility rate, the average number of lifetime births expected used in this section refers only to currently married women between 18 and 24 years old. Since the data

Table A. Annual Total Fertility Rate, and Lifetime Births Expected by Wives 18 to 24 Years Old, for Selected Years, 1960 to 1976

(For meaning of symbols, see text)

Year	Total fertility rate[1]	Lifetime births expected	
		Number of wives (thousands)	Average number per wife
1976	1,760	4,680	2.141
1975	1,799	4,743	2.172
1974	1,857	5,053	2.165
1973	1.863	5,018	2.261
1972	1.994	5,119	2.255
1971	2.245	4,987	2.375
1970	2.432	(NA)	(NA)
1969	2.423	(NA)	(NA)
1968	2.431	(NA)	(NA)
1967	2.526	4,161	2.852
1966	2.670	(NA)	(NA)
1965	2.882	(S)	3.1
1964	3.171		
1963	3.298	(S)	[2]3.1
1962	3.423		
1961	3.564	(NA)	(NA)
1960	3.606	(S)	3.1

[1]The numbers of births a women would have in her lifetime if, at each year of age, she experienced the age-specific fertility rates occurring in the specified calendar year. This rate is derived from births registered as occurring to women 10 to 49 years old.

[2]Average for the period 1962 to 1964.

Source: Total fertility rates for 1960 to 1973 (which are adjusted for population undercounts) are from Robert L. Heuser, Fertility Tables for Birth Cohorts by Color: United States, 1917-1973, (Washington: U.S. Government Printing Office, 1976), p. 4; the rates for 1974 and 1975 are from National Center for Health Statistics, Monthly Vital Statistics Report, "Advance Report, Final Natality Statistics, 1975," Vol. 25, No. 10 (December 1976), p. 10; the rate for 1976 is an estimate provided by Census Bureau statisticians.

Lifetime expected births for 1960 are from Pascal K Whelpton, Arthur A. Campbell, and John Patterson, Fertility and Family Planning in the United States, (Princeton: Princeton University Press, 1966); the rate for the 1962-64 period is from Ronald Freedman and Larry Bumpass, "Fertility Expectations in the United States: 1962-1964," Population Index, Vol. 32, No. 2 (April, 1966), table 3; the rate for 1965 is from unpublished data from the 1965 National Fertility Study; the rate for 1967 is from the Survey of Economic Opportunity analyzed in Current Population Reports, Series P-20, No. 211; data for 1971 to 1976 are from Current Population Reports, Series P-20, No. 300.

are not for all women 18 to 24 years old, the lifetime expectations analyzed in this section slightly overstate expectations for all women of that age.[3] Women 18 to 24 years old were chosen since they have most of their reproductive lifespan ahead of them and are currently making very large contributions to the annual number of births. Currently married women in this age group in 1976 have borne only 38 percent of their total number of expected children (table 6). In addition, children born to all women 18 to 24 years old accounted for 46 percent of all births in 1975.[4]

Although the total fertility rate and birth expectations data are not strictly comparable because of the conceptual differences between the two fertility measures, both the total fertility rate and the average number of lifetime births expected were quite high in the early 1960's. During this period at the end of the baby boom, women were bearing sufficient numbers of children to produce annual total fertility rates in excess of 3.0. At the same time, young wives 18 to 24 years old were expecting approximately 3.1 lifetime births. In more recent years, childbearing has declined to such an extent that the total fertility rate has been below 2.0 since 1972, with the average number of lifetime births expected per currently married woman 18 to 24 years old in 1976 around 2.1.

This decline in the total fertility rate to its current level of about 1.8 is not necessarily inconsistent with the realization of current lifetime expectations of over 2.0 births per woman, at least in the short run. Although it is true that women 18 to 24 years old contribute a large proportion of births during any given year, what may be happening is that there is some temporary postponement of childbearing on the part of young wives. If, in the coming years, wives continue to expect an average of more than two children and actually live up to their expectations, the annual total fertility rate is not likely to persist very long at its current low levels.

Reliability of short term birth expectations. Considering that various demographers have predicted a coming rise in fertility within the next few years,[5] it is especially interesting to assess the reliability of birth expectations data as predictive statistics. To test the ability of married women in 1971 to predict the number of births they expected in the next 5 years, information was used from the June 1976 Current Population Survey for women who had been married at the time of the 1971 survey to discover how many children they had borne in the last 5 years. Table B shows the comparison of expected births with actual births for the same cohort of women at two points in time—in 1971 when the first sample of women reported on how many children they expected to have in the next 5 years and again in 1976 when the second sample reported on the number of children that they had actually borne in the preceding 5 years.[6]

The last column in table B shows the rates of children actually born since 1971 as a percentage of the number of additional births expected in 1971. For married women of all races 14 to 34 years old in 1971, the fertility rates for the 5 years ending in 1976 are about 88 percent of the rates expected for that period in 1971. White women between the ages of 20 and 29 years in 1971 recorded fertility rates which were significantly lower than the corresponding expectations. This finding reflects the observed fertility decline that has occurred since 1971 for these women.[7] However, for married women age 14 to 17 and 18 and 19 years old in 1971, no statistically significant differences emerged between expected and actual fertility.

Regarding the fertility patterns among Black women, the sampling errors for the various rates are so large that none of the differences shown in table B between expected and actual fertility during the 5 years qualify as being statistically significant.

To judge from the results in table B, expectations of births in the next 5 years are not a very precise analytical tool for short term fertility projections. Short term birth expectations may be especially

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[3] Currently married women 18 to 24 years old in 1976 expected 2.1 births per woman, whereas all women 18 to 24 years old regardless of marital status expected 2.0 births per woman (table 1).

[4] National Center for Health Statistics, **Monthly Vital Statistics Report**, Vol. 25, No. 10, "Advance Report, Final Natality Statistics, 1975."

[5] The recent opinions of certain demographers are summarized in Linda Wolfe, "The Coming Baby Boom," **New York**, January 10, 1977, pp. 38-42.

[6] Since the 1971 data on birth expectations were based on reports from 81 percent of the wives in the sample, the 1976 data on children ever born between 1971 and 1976 were also restricted to the 86 percent of the wives in the sample reporting on birth expectations. The purpose of this was to make the two sample universes as comparable as possible, although it is uncertain that any biases due to nonreporting were the same in both surveys.

[7] National Center for Health Statistics, op. cit.

Table B. Birth Expectations in 1971 for the 5-Year Period 1971 to 1976 Compared With Children Ever Born Between 1971 and 1976

(For wives reporting birth expectations in 1971 and for wives reporting birth expectations in 1976 and first married 5 or more years ago)

1971 Current Population Survey			1976 Current Population Survey			
Age in 1971 (1)	Number of wives[1] (thousands) (2)	Number of children expected to be born between 1971 and 1976 per 1,000 wives (3)	Age in 1976 (4)	Number of wives first married 5 or more years ago[1] (thousands) (5)	Children ever born between 1971 and 1976 per 1,000 currently married women (6)	Column (6) as a percent of column (3) (7)
ALL RACES						
14 to 34 years.....	13,647	629	19 to 39 years....	13,598	551	87.6
14 to 17 years...	165	1,297	19 to 22 years..	198	1,223	94.3
18 and 19 years..	687	1,173	23 and 24 years.	669	1,088	92.8
20 and 21 years..	1,342	1,126	25 and 26 years.	1,230	965	85.7
22 to 24 years...	2,957	962	27 to 29 years..	2,793	789	82.0
25 to 29 years...	4,544	561	30 to 34 years..	4,563	504	89.8
30 to 34 years...	3,982	169	35 to 39 years..	4,145	201	118.9
WHITE						
14 to 34 years.....	12,459	631	19 to 39 years....	12,452	551	87.3
14 to 17 years...	143	1,322	19 to 22 years..	184	1,191	90.1
18 and 19 years..	630	1,198	23 and 24 years.	616	1,082	90.3
20 and 21 years..	1,219	1,148	25 and 26 years.	1,137	970	84.5
22 to 24 years...	2,676	974	27 to 29 years..	2,581	784	80.5
25 to 29 years...	4,139	561	30 to 34 years..	4,200	503	89.7
30 to 34 years...	3,652	163	35 to 39 years..	3,734	197	120.9
BLACK						
14 to 34 years.....	1,053	589	19 to 39 years....	919	541	91.9
14 to 19 years...	76	987	19 to 24 years..	63	1,244	126.0
20 and 21 years..	117	872	25 and 26 years.	86	881	101.0
22 to 24 years...	254	846	27 to 29 years..	173	817	96.6
25 to 29 years...	330	512	30 to 34 years..	275	442	86.3
30 to 34 years...	276	214	35 to 39 years..	322	250	116.8

[1]For explanation of bases used in this table, see text footnote 6.

Source: 1971 from Current Population Reports, Series P-20, No. 263, table 64; 1976 from the June 1976 Current Population Survey.

subject to revision due to changing social and economic conditions. The value of lifetime birth expectations as predictors of completed cohort fertility, however, still awaits an adequate assessment.

CHILDREN EVER BORN TO SINGLE WOMEN

Data in table C on the number of children ever born to single women indicate that for comparable age groups, single Black women have significantly higher levels of childbearing than do single White women. Single Black women 30 to 44 years old in 1976 had an average of 2.0 children per woman with approximately one-third of the women in this age group having borne three or more children to date. The corresponding statistics for single White women in the same age group were 0.2 births per woman and only 2 percent reporting having borne three or more children. Overall, the data show that 44 percent of single Black women 18 to 44 years old have had at least one child as compared to 5 percent for single White women of the same age.

These large fertility differentials by race are consistent with data collected from annual birth registrations and published in annual reports on vital statistics in the United States. The latest available data for 1975 from this source indicate that 49

Table C. Number of Children Ever Born to Single Women: June 1976

Race and age	Number of women (thousands)	Number of children ever born (percent distribution)					Children ever born per 1,000 women
		Total	None	1	2	3 or more	
ALL RACES							
18 to 44 years	9,925	100.0	88.1	6.9	2.7	2.2	212
18 to 24 years	7,472	100.0	91.0	6.3	2.0	0.6	126
18 and 19 years	3,286	100.0	94.2	4.8	0.8	0.2	69
20 and 21 years	2,266	100.0	91.0	6.0	2.3	0.6	129
22 to 24 years	1,920	100.0	85.5	9.3	3.6	1.6	219
25 to 29 years	1,351	100.0	80.9	9.8	4.6	4.7	358
30 to 44 years	1,102	100.0	77.3	7.6	5.1	10.2	618
45 to 59 years	769	100.0	92.6	3.1	1.6	2.7	218
WHITE							
18 to 44 years	7,979	100.0	95.1	3.5	1.0	0.4	73
18 to 24 years	6,128	100.0	96.2	3.0	0.7	0.1	48
18 and 19 years	2,742	100.0	97.4	2.5	0.1	-	27
20 and 21 years	1,847	100.0	96.6	2.4	0.9	0.1	48
22 to 24 years	1,539	100.0	93.8	4.7	1.2	0.3	84
25 to 29 years	1,030	100.0	92.7	5.2	1.1	1.0	109
30 to 44 years	822	100.0	89.7	4.9	3.2	2.4	212
45 to 59 years	667	100.0	96.1	1.3	1.3	1.2	91
BLACK							
18 to 44 years	1,731	100.0	55.9	23.0	10.7	10.4	854
18 to 24 years	1,196	100.0	64.8	23.2	8.9	3.2	518
18 and 19 years	494	100.0	77.5	17.2	4.5	1.0	294
20 and 21 years	363	100.0	62.8	24.2	9.9	2.8	537
22 to 24 years	339	100.0	48.4	30.7	14.2	6.8	826
25 to 29 years	280	100.0	36.1	27.9	17.5	18.9	1,296
30 to 44 years	255	100.0	36.5	16.9	11.4	35.3	1,953
45 to 59 years	93	100.0	66.7	15.1	3.2	15.1	1,151

Source: Tables 18 and 20 of this report and the June 1976 Current Population Survey.

percent of all Black children were born out of wedlock, as compared with 7 percent of White children.[8]

Socioeconomic differentials. Differentials in average numbers of children ever born to single women by selected characteristics are shown in table D. The socially disadvantageous aspects of premarital childbearing are evident when comparing levels of fertility among single women by years of school completed and labor force status. Regardless of race or age, in the statistics shown in table D an inverse relationship is observed between fertility and educational attainment. This differential is in part produced by the fact that a childless single woman has fewer obstacles to surmount in furthering her educational career than does an unwed mother.[9] Having a child at an early age often results in a permanent educational handicap that a single woman must bear for her entire life. Another factor

[8] Ibid.

[9] Harriet Presser discusses the obstacles faced by unwed mothers regarding socioeconomic advancement in "Social Consequences of Teenage Childbearing," in W. Petersen and L. Day, eds., **Social Demography: The State of the Art** (Cambridge, Massachusetts: Harvard University Press, 1977).

Table D. Children Ever Born Per 1,000 Single Women, by Selected Socioeconomic Characteristics: June 1976

(For meaning of symbols, see text)

Subject	18 to 24 years		25 to 34 years		35 to 44 years	
	Number of women	Children ever born per 1,000 women	Number of women	Children ever born per 1,000 women	Number of women	Children ever born per 1,000 women
WHITE						
Total	6,128	48	1,420	120	432	266
Years of School Completed						
Not a high school graduate	889	157	155	548	102	843
High school, 4 years	2,707	47	434	143	149	175
College, 1 year or more	2,532	10	831	30	183	16
Labor Force Status						
In labor force	4,791	27	1,233	67	353	178
Not in labor force	1,337	123	187	476	89	658
BLACK						
Total	1,196	518	405	1,390	130	2,292
Years of School Completed						
Not a high school graduate	359	925	129	2,465	77	2,429
High school, 4 years	544	436	184	1,125	35	(B)
College, 1 year or more	294	173	92	424	17	(B)
Labor Force Status						
In labor force	681	395	266	1,177	79	2,013
Not in labor force	516	680	139	1,799	51	(B)

Source: Tables 22 and 23 in this report.

contributing to differences in fertility according to educational level is that women with lower educational attainment often have a more limited knowledge of contraceptive practices than women with higher attainment; consequently, those with lower levels of schooling may be subject to higher pregnancy risks.[10]

Regarding the higher levels of children ever born to women not in the labor force (table D), this differential may be attributed in part to the difficulty encountered by the unwed mother in finding a job or in locating adequate child care facilities in order to look for work. Even if a job can be located, the burden of caring for her child probably influences not only the type of work a single mother can accept, but also the amount of time she has available to support herself and her child.

RELATED REPORTS

Advance data on birth expectations and fertility as of June 1976 were presented in **Current Population Reports**, Series P-20, No. 300. Data from the June 1972, June 1973, June 1974, and June 1975 surveys appeared in Series P-20, Nos. 248, 265, 277, and 301. The report on the June 1971 survey, which includes data on childspacing and on cumulative fertility by age for birth cohorts and by interval since first marriage for marriage cohorts, is No. 263. Data on fertility by ethnic origin as of November

[10] See Farida Shah, Melvin Zelnick, and John F. Kanter, "Unprotected Intercourse Among Unwed Teenagers," **Family Planning Perspectives**, Vol. 7, No. 1 (January/February 1975), pp. 39-44.

1969 were presented in report No. 226. January 1969 survey data on fertility appeared in report No. 203. Birth expectations and fertility data from the 1967 Survey of Economic Opportunity were published in report No. 211. Detailed information on childspacing collected in June 1965 appeared in report No. 186.

Statistics on fertility by social and economic characteristics from the 1970 census were published in Final Report PC(2)-3A, Women by Number of Children Ever Born, and PC(2)-3B, Childspacing and Current Fertility, and from the 1960 census in Final Report PC(2)-3A, Women by Number of Children Ever Born and PC(2)-3B, Childspacing. A special study entitled "Premarital Fertility," based on the data from the 1970 census, was published in **Current Population Reports**, Series P-23, No. 63.

For references to census and survey data on fertility for earlier years, see the publications cited in the Bureau of the Census catalogues.

Table 1. BIRTHS TO DATE, ADDITIONAL BIRTHS EXPECTED, AND LIFETIME BIRTHS EXPECTED, BY MARITAL STATUS, FOR WOMEN 18 TO 34 YEARS OLD: JUNE 1976

[Numbers in thousands. Civilian noninstitutional population. Data limited to women reporting on birth expectations. For meaning of symbols, see text]

Subject	All races			White			Black		
	All women	Currently married	Widowed, divorced, and separated	All women	Currently married	Widowed, divorced, and separated, single	All women	Currently married	Widowed, divorced, and separated	Single
WOMEN EXPECTING NO MORE BIRTHS										
Total, 18 to 34 years	23,125	14,880	2,700	2,745	20,054	13,524	1,738	1,356	2,233	1,680	416	1,021
18 to 24 years	14,054	4,380	601	1,056	12,453	4,054	1,601	1,860	1,217	520	300	397
18 and 19 years	5,378	435	44	136	4,943	414	435	324	29	91	3	288
20 and 21 years	5,343	1,900	167	1,486	4,662	1,886	139	1,429	356	95	48	214
22 to 24 years	8,183	2,744	391	1,434	6,848	2,754	327	998	832	318	69	395
25 to 29 years	5,143	4,394	641	1,013	4,512	4,054	457	482	766	513	104	180
30 to 34 years	3,928	4,106	643	676	3,089	3,816	273	290	661	310	9	78
BIRTHS TO DATE												
Total, 18 to 34 years	23,125	21,041	2,084	1,113	20,013	20,121	1,004	984	2,021	1,127	1,322	616
18 to 24 years	14,054	12,828	1,226	718	13,336	12,110	1,226	1,180	1,046	476	1,170	700
18 and 19 years	5,378	4,943	435	136	5,242	4,807	435	324	111	91	3	288
20 and 21 years	5,343	5,048	295	172	5,171	4,876	295	139	156	100	44	148
22 to 24 years	8,183	7,780	403	410	7,773	7,427	346	316	779	285	123	264
25 to 29 years	5,143	5,213	70	395	4,748	4,811	63	310	103	651	152	282
30 to 34 years	3,928	3,999	71	1,000	2,928	2,999	71	1,001	872	1,000	1,000	1,000
ADDITIONAL BIRTHS EXPECTED												
Total, 18 to 34 years	23,125	14,880	2,700	2,745	20,054	13,524	1,738	1,356	2,233	1,680	416	1,021
18 to 24 years	14,054	4,380	601	1,056	12,453	4,054	1,601	1,860	1,217	520	300	397
18 and 19 years	5,378	435	44	136	4,943	414	435	324	29	91	3	288
20 and 21 years	5,343	1,900	167	1,486	4,662	1,886	139	1,429	356	95	48	214
22 to 24 years	8,183	2,744	391	1,434	6,848	2,754	327	998	832	318	69	395
25 to 29 years	5,143	4,394	641	1,013	4,512	4,054	457	482	766	513	104	180
30 to 34 years	3,928	4,106	643	676	3,089	3,816	273	290	661	310	9	78
LIFETIME BIRTHS EXPECTED												
Total, 18 to 34 years	46,250	35,921	4,784	3,858	41,067	33,645	2,742	2,340	4,254	2,807	1,738	1,637
18 to 24 years	28,108	17,208	1,827	1,774	25,789	16,164	2,827	3,040	2,263	996	1,470	1,097
18 and 19 years	10,756	5,377	479	272	10,185	5,221	570	648	140	182	6	576
20 and 21 years	10,686	6,948	462	1,658	9,833	6,762	434	1,568	512	195	92	362
22 to 24 years	16,366	10,524	794	1,844	15,621	10,181	673	1,314	1,611	603	192	659
25 to 29 years	10,286	9,607	711	1,408	9,260	8,865	520	792	869	1,164	256	462
30 to 34 years	7,856	8,105	714	1,676	6,017	6,815	344	1,291	1,533	1,310	1,009	1,078
MEAN NUMBER OF BIRTHS EXPECTED PER 1,000 WOMEN												
Total, 18 to 34 years	2,000	2,414	1,771	1,405	2,048	2,488	1,579	1,725	1,906	1,671	4,178	1,604
18 to 24 years	2,000	3,929	3,040	1,680	2,070	3,990	1,766	1,634	1,860	1,915	4,900	1,391
18 and 19 years	2,000	12,356	10,886	2,000	2,000	12,356	2,000	2,000	2,000	2,000	2,000	2,000
20 and 21 years	2,000	3,789	2,824	1,116	2,000	3,789	1,116	1,029	1,464	1,053	917	1,438
22 to 24 years	2,000	3,835	2,030	1,286	2,000	3,835	1,286	1,317	1,937	1,896	2,783	1,669
25 to 29 years	2,000	2,186	1,109	1,390	2,000	2,186	1,139	1,643	1,134	2,269	2,462	2,567
30 to 34 years	2,000	1,913	1,110	2,480	2,000	1,913	1,260	4,450	2,318	4,226	112,111	13,846
ADDITIONAL BIRTHS EXPECTED PER 1,000 WOMEN												
Total, 18 to 34 years	1,000	1,414	1,771	1,405	1,048	1,488	1,579	1,725	1,906	1,671	4,178	1,604
18 to 24 years	1,000	1,929	3,040	1,680	1,070	1,990	1,766	1,634	1,860	1,915	4,900	1,391
18 and 19 years	1,000	2,356	10,886	2,000	1,000	2,356	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000
20 and 21 years	1,000	1,789	2,824	1,116	1,000	1,789	1,116	1,029	1,464	1,053	917	1,438
22 to 24 years	1,000	1,835	2,030	1,286	1,000	1,835	1,286	1,317	1,937	1,896	2,783	1,669
25 to 29 years	1,000	1,186	1,109	1,390	1,000	1,186	1,139	1,643	1,134	2,269	2,462	2,567
30 to 34 years	1,000	913	1,110	2,480	1,000	913	1,260	4,450	2,318	4,226	112,111	13,846
PERCENT OF WOMEN EXPECTING NO MORE BIRTHS												
Total, 18 to 34 years	100.0	64.3	11.7	11.9	100.0	67.4	8.7	6.8	11.1	8.4	2.1	5.1
18 to 24 years	100.0	31.2	4.3	7.5	100.0	32.5	12.8	14.9	9.8	4.2	2.4	3.2
18 and 19 years	100.0	8.1	0.8	2.5	100.0	8.4	8.8	6.6	0.6	1.8	0.1	5.8
20 and 21 years	100.0	35.6	3.1	27.8	100.0	40.5	2.9	30.7	7.6	2.0	1.0	4.6
22 to 24 years	100.0	33.5	4.8	17.5	100.0	39.5	4.7	14.3	11.9	4.6	1.0	5.7
25 to 29 years	100.0	85.4	12.5	19.7	100.0	89.8	10.2	15.4	14.9	10.2	2.1	3.5
30 to 34 years	100.0	83.9	13.1	13.8	100.0	83.9	7.0	8.2	13.5	6.3	0.2	1.6

Table 2. BIRTHS TO DATE, ADDITIONAL BIRTHS EXPECTED, AND LIFETIME BIRTHS EXPECTED, BY REGION, METROPOLITAN-NONMETROPOLITAN RESIDENCE, FARM-NONFARM RESIDENCE, AND YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED, FOR WOMEN 18 TO 34 YEARS OLD: JUNE 1976

Civilian noninstitutional population. Data limited to women reporting on birth expectations

	Number of women, thousands	Rate per 1,000 women				
		Births to date	Additional births expected	Lifetime births expected	Percent of expected fertility completed	Percent of women expecting no more births
[illegible]						
[illegible]						
[illegible]	[illegible]	1,563	887	2,450	58.3	54.0
[illegible]	[illegible]	1,221	933	2,158	56.6	52.6
[illegible]	[illegible]	1,267	966	2,213	56.3	49.2
[illegible]	[illegible]	1,328	798	2,126	62.5	56.2
[illegible]	[illegible]	1,218	924	2,142	56.9	52.8
[illegible]	[illegible]	328	1,702	2,030	26.0	27.4
[illegible]	[illegible]	629	1,396	2,025	31.2	33.9
[illegible]	[illegible]	671	1,389	2,062	32.9	29.3
[illegible]	[illegible]	616	1,362	1,981	31.2	31.0
[illegible]	[illegible]	1,218	1,050	2,069	36.8	34.1
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	1,062	936	2,098	68.2	59.1
[illegible]	[illegible]	1,353	756	2,109	64.1	57.2
[illegible]	[illegible]	1,053	652	2,167	68.1	55.4
[illegible]	[illegible]	1,024	550	2,026	74.3	65.0
[illegible]	[illegible]	1,160	986	2,146	66.1	58.5
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	2,260	179	2,269	92.1	85.3
[illegible]	[illegible]	2,196	204	2,400	91.1	89.8
[illegible]	[illegible]	2,317	130	2,447	93.4	85.6
[illegible]	[illegible]	2,280	142	2,422	90.1	88.8
[illegible]	[illegible]	2,273	228	2,501	90.3	86.3
[illegible]						
[illegible]	[illegible]	1,114	925	2,118	[illegible]	92.0
[illegible]	[illegible]	1,150	971	2,155	80.3	80.8
[illegible]	[illegible]	1,213	998	2,211	84.9	68.7
[illegible]	[illegible]	1,243	816	2,059	82.9	73.9
[illegible]	[illegible]	1,200	930	2,130	86.1	82.8
[illegible]						
[illegible]	[illegible]	1,080	682	2,148	71.0	61.8
[illegible]	[illegible]	1,088	646	2,134	73.5	63.8
[illegible]	[illegible]	1,090	590	2,290	74.2	62.8
[illegible]	[illegible]	1,084	714	2,390	70.2	60.7
[illegible]	[illegible]	1,061	577	2,618	68.1	58.7
[illegible]						
[illegible]	[illegible]	1,260	1,014	890	2,304	68.9	53.4
[illegible]	[illegible]	1,410	1,010	887	2,303	61.5	55.1
[illegible]	[illegible]	1,165	1,010	888	2,053	66.3	53.1
[illegible]	[illegible]	1,162	1,010	888	2,051	66.5	54.4
[illegible]	[illegible]	1,094	1,010	901	2,097	63.8	52.2
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[illegible]							
[illegible]	[illegible]	1,126	1,261	890	2,160	68.9	53.0
[illegible]	[illegible]	10,041	1,186	943	2,121	65.9	51.8
[illegible]	[illegible]	1,066	1,215	911	2,266	64.8	55.8
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	9,966	1,202	2,030	26.0	27.6
[illegible]	[illegible]	1,130	1,402	2,034	31.3	29.5
[illegible]	[illegible]	1,129	1,378	2,029	32.0	30.0
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	1,141	1,402	2,096	98.8	94.7
[illegible]	[illegible]	1,191	1,391	2,096	86.0	58.0
[illegible]	[illegible]	1,061	1,401	2,220	97.8	93.8
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	1,130	1,206	2,101	92.1	93.3
[illegible]	[illegible]	1,165	1,201	2,061	91.1	89.3
[illegible]	[illegible]	1,101	1,190	2,130	94.1	90.5
[illegible]						
[illegible]	[illegible]	10,041	1,213	923	2,136	66.7	52.0
[illegible]	[illegible]	1,066	1,150	943	2,090	64.6	50.4
[illegible]	[illegible]	1,066	1,396	821	2,220	67.0	53.3
[illegible]							
[illegible]	[illegible]	2,623	1,066	892	2,168	71.0	61.8
[illegible]	[illegible]	2,044	1,019	883	2,302	70.8	63.9
[illegible]	[illegible]	629	1,845	679	2,513	73.0	61.1
[illegible]							
[illegible]	[illegible]	1,260	1,014	890	2,304	68.9	53.4
[illegible]	[illegible]	1,056	1,010	885	2,427	61.5	55.2
[illegible]	[illegible]	204	1,960	907	2,853	68.6	65.0

Table 2. BIRTHS TO DATE, ADDITIONAL BIRTHS EXPECTED, AND LIFETIME BIRTHS EXPECTED, BY REGION, METROPOLITAN-NONMETROPOLITAN RESIDENCE, FARM-NONFARM RESIDENCE, AND YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED, FOR WOMEN 18 TO 34 YEARS OLD: JUNE 1976—Continued

Civilian noninstitutional population. Data limited to women reporting on birth expectations

Subject	Number of women (thousands)[1]	Rate per 1,000 women: Births to date	Additional births expected	Lifetime births expected	Percent of expected fertility completed	Percent of women expecting no more births
FARM-NONFARM RESIDENCE						
All Races						
Total, 18 to 34 years old	23,125	1,263	897	2,160	58.5	51.0
Nonfarm	22,617	1,261	895	2,156	58.5	51.1
Farm	509	1,324	971	2,295	57.7	52.1
YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED						
All Races						
Total 18 to 34 years old	23,125	1,263	897	2,160	58.5	51.0
Not a high school graduate	4,593	1,471	593	2,064	76.9	66.9
High school, 4 years	11,074	1,274	869	2,143	59.4	53.8
College, 1 year or more	7,460	810	1,125	1,935	41.9	43.4
18 to 24 years old	9,965	528	1,502	2,030	26.0	27.6
Not a high school graduate	2,114	1,053	1,053	2,106	50.0	46.0
High school, 4 years	4,936	516	1,509	2,025	25.5	26.0
College, 1 year or more	2,916	169	1,816	1,985	8.5	18.4
18 and 19 years old	2,768	219	1,868	2,087	10.5	18.3
Not a high school graduate	881	460	1,539	1,999	23.0	26.4
High school, 4 years, or some college	1,888	107	2,020	2,127	5.0	16.5
20 and 21 years old	2,847	494	1,535	1,989	22.8	29.1
Not a high school graduate	525	1,141	907	2,048	55.7	47.6
High school, 4 years	1,419	439	1,548	1,987	22.1	23.0
College, 1 year or more	903	78	1,880	1,958	4.0	16.9
22 to 24 years old	4,350	774	1,248	2,022	38.3	39.2
Not high school graduate	708	1,725	556	2,281	75.6	63.4
High school, 4 years	2,047	845	1,156	2,001	42.2	36.1
College, 1 year or more	1,595	261	1,673	1,934	13.5	21.6
25 to 29 years old	7,153	1,442	656	2,098	68.7	59.7
Not a high school graduate	1,204	2,372	309	2,681	88.5	79.5
High school, 4 years	3,388	1,571	535	2,106	74.6	66.4
College, 1 year or more	2,562	836	979	1,815	46.1	44.1
30 to 34 years old	6,007	2,266	179	2,445	92.7	87.3
Not a high school graduate	1,275	3,115	100	3,215	96.8	92.9
High school, 4 years	2,750	2,267	132	2,399	94.5	90.5
College, 1 year or more	1,982	1,719	297	2,016	85.3	79.2
White						
Total, 18 to 34 years old	20,055	1,213	925	2,138	56.7	52.0
Not a high school graduate	3,686	1,885	634	2,519	74.8	64.9
High school, 4 years	9,669	1,246	884	2,130	58.5	53.5
College, 1 year or more	6,699	794	1,144	1,938	41.0	42.7
Black						
Total, 18 to 34 years old	2,623	1,666	682	2,348	71.0	61.8
Not a high school graduate	828	2,365	400	2,765	85.5	76.6
High school, 4 years	1,233	1,499	731	2,230	67.2	58.0
College, 1 year or more	561	1,009	993	2,002	50.4	48.3
Spanish Origin[1]						
Total, 18 to 34 years old	1,250	1,614	890	2,504	64.5	53.4
Not a high school graduate	583	2,165	642	2,807	77.1	63.8
High school, 4 years	452	1,274	1,058	2,332	54.6	45.4
College, 1 year or more	216	829	1,208	2,037	40.7	41.7

[1] May be of any race.

Table 3. NUMBER OF ADDITIONAL BIRTHS EXPECTED, BY NUMBER OF BIRTHS TO DATE, FOR WOMEN 18 TO 34 YEARS OLD: JUNE 1976

(Percent distribution. Civilian noninstitutional population. Data limited to women reporting on birth expectations. For meaning of symbols, see text)

Subject	Number of women (thousands)	Number of additional births expected					
		Total	None	1	2	3	4 or more
ALL RACES							
Total, 18 to 34 Years							
All parities	23,125	100.0	53.0	16.5	22.3	5.4	2.8
Childless to date	9,136	100.0	25.5	8.4	47.6	12.4	6.1
1 birth to date	4,982	100.0	41.8	42.5	12.7	2.0	1.0
2 births to date	5,192	100.0	83.5	13.2	2.6	0.4	0.4
3 births to date	2,338	100.0	91.6	6.6	1.2	0.3	0.3
4 or more births to date	1,477	100.0	92.8	5.4	1.2	0.2	0.4
18 to 24 years							
All parities	9,965	100.0	27.6	18.3	38.3	10.4	5.4
Childless to date	6,423	100.0	16.5	8.2	52.4	15.1	7.6
1 birth to date	2,206	100.0	31.6	46.8	17.1	2.8	1.6
2 births to date	1,032	100.0	72.9	19.7	5.6	0.9	0.9
3 or more births to date	303	100.0	76.4	19.3	3.6	-	0.7
18 and 19 years							
All parities	2,768	100.0	18.3	13.3	45.6	13.5	9.4
Childless to date	2,273	100.0	14.2	7.6	51.6	15.8	10.9
1 or more births to date	495	100.0	37.2	39.5	18.0	3.0	2.4
20 and 21 years							
All parities	7,847	100.0	25.1	18.3	41.7	10.0	4.9
Childless to date	1,915	100.0	16.3	8.1	54.7	14.2	6.7
1 birth to date	644	100.0	30.8	47.6	18.0	2.0	1.6
2 or more births to date	288	100.0	69.7	20.8	8.6	0.7	0.7
22 to 24 years							
All parities	4,350	100.0	35.2	21.4	31.4	8.8	3.1
Childless to date	2,235	100.0	19.1	8.9	51.5	15.3	5.2
1 birth to date	1,162	100.0	33.0	47.4	15.1	2.9	1.5
2 births to date	719	100.0	75.0	19.0	4.7	1.0	0.3
3 or more births to date	233	100.0	76.5	19.7	3.0	-	0.9
25 to 29 years							
All parities	7,153	100.0	59.7	20.6	15.7	2.7	1.3
Childless to date	1,968	100.0	37.0	10.0	42.3	7.6	3.0
1 birth to date	1,829	100.0	40.1	46.1	11.6	1.6	0.6
2 births to date	2,137	100.0	80.3	15.8	2.9	0.5	0.4
3 births to date	832	100.0	89.7	7.9	1.3	0.5	0.6
4 or more births to date	387	100.0	88.9	8.8	1.3	-	1.0
30 to 34 years							
All parities	6,007	100.0	87.3	8.4	3.6	0.4	0.2
Childless to date	745	100.0	72.6	5.9	19.2	1.5	0.8
1 birth to date	947	100.0	69.0	25.7	4.5	0.6	0.3
2 births to date	2,023	100.0	92.2	7.0	0.6	-	0.1
3 births to date	1,261	100.0	95.8	3.1	0.8	0.3	-
4 or more births to date	1,032	100.0	95.1	3.6	0.9	0.3	0.2
WHITE							
Total, 18 to 34 Years							
All parities	20,055	100.0	52.0	16.2	23.3	5.7	2.8
Childless to date	8,257	100.0	25.0	8.0	48.3	12.6	6.1
1 birth to date	4,139	100.0	40.1	44.3	12.7	1.9	1.0
2 births to date	4,569	100.0	84.2	12.2	2.6	0.5	0.5
3 births to date	1,953	100.0	92.0	6.1	1.3	0.4	0.4
4 or more births to date	1,136	100.0	93.0	5.2	1.1	0.2	0.4
All parities:							
18 to 24 years	8,587	100.0	25.2	17.8	40.3	11.1	5.7
25 to 29 years	6,212	100.0	58.9	20.7	16.3	2.8	1.2
30 to 34 years	5,256	100.0	87.5	8.4	3.6	0.3	0.1

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 3. NUMBER OF ADDITIONAL BIRTHS EXPECTED, BY NUMBER OF BIRTHS TO DATE, FOR WOMEN 18 TO 34 YEARS OLD: JUNE 1976—Continued

(Percent distribution. Civilian noninstitutional population. Data limited to women reporting on birth expectations. For meaning of symbols, see text)

Subject	Number of women (thousands)	Number of additional births expected					
		Total	None	1	2	3	4 or more
BLACK							
Total, 18 to 34 Years							
All parities	2,623	100.0	61.8	13.4	15.1	1.5	2.2
Childless to date	694	100.0	29.9	13.7	39.2	10.5	6.6
1 birth to date	733	100.0	53.2	31.1	12.8	2.3	0.7
2 births to date	524	100.0	78.5	16.0	4.2	0.4	1.0
3 births to date	351	100.0	89.5	9.1	1.4	–	–
4 or more births to date	320	100.0	91.6	5.9	1.2	0.6	0.6
All parities:							
18 to 24 years	1,216	100.0	44.8	21.9	23.8	5.9	3.5
25 to 29 years	790	100.0	67.9	18.3	10.6	1.9	1.3
30 to 34 years	617	100.0	87.4	7.3	3.4	1.0	1.0
SPANISH ORIGIN[1]							
Total, 18 to 34 Years							
All parities	1,250	100.0	53.4	19.6	17.3	5.4	4.2
Childless to date	414	100.0	26.4	10.4	37.8	14.3	11.1
1 birth to date	257	100.0	34.2	44.7	16.0	2.7	2.3
2 births to date	261	100.0	72.1	20.6	6.5	–	0.8
3 births to date	176	100.0	86.9	9.7	1.7	1.7	–
4 or more births to date	145	100.0	89.0	11.0	–	–	–
All parities:							
18 to 24 years	541	100.0	38.1	20.9	27.2	10.0	8.9
25 to 29 years	387	100.0	57.8	24.9	12.7	3.4	1.3
30 to 34 years	322	100.0	82.4	11.1	6.2	0.3	–

[1] May be of any race.

Table 4. NUMBER OF LIFETIME BIRTHS EXPECTED, FOR WOMEN 18 TO 34 YEARS OLD: JUNE 1976

(Percent distribution. Civilian noninstitutional population. Data limited to women reporting on birth expectations. For meaning of symbols, see text)

Subject	Number of women (thousands)	Number of lifetime births expected							
		Total	None	1	2	3	4	5 or 6	7 or more
ALL RACES									
Total, 18 to 34 years	23,129	100.0	10.1	12.3	46.7	19.8	7.1	3.3	0.6
18 to 24 years	9,969	100.0	10.7	12.3	51.8	17.3	5.4	2.2	0.2
18 and 19 years	2,708	100.0	11.6	10.5	50.8	16.9	6.9	3.2	0.1
20 and 21 years	5,857	100.0	11.0	12.5	53.0	16.6	5.0	1.8	0.1
22 to 24 years	4,350	100.0	9.8	13.4	51.6	18.4	4.8	1.8	0.2
25 to 29 years	7,133	100.0	10.2	13.0	47.4	20.2	6.4	2.4	0.4
30 to 34 years	6,007	100.0	9.0	11.6	37.5	23.4	10.8	6.3	1.4
WHITE									
Total, 18 to 34 years	20,050	100.0	10.3	11.9	48.2	19.7	6.8	3.0	0.5
18 to 24 years	8,388	100.0	10.7	11.2	53.2	17.4	5.3	2.2	0.2
18 and 19 years	2,394	100.0	11.0	8.6	52.4	17.3	7.0	3.5	0.1
20 and 21 years	5,022	100.0	10.9	11.2	54.6	16.9	5.0	1.8	-
22 to 24 years	3,741	100.0	10.3	13.0	52.7	17.6	4.5	1.7	0.3
25 to 29 years	6,214	100.0	10.6	12.4	49.1	19.9	5.8	1.9	0.4
30 to 34 years	5,236	100.0	9.2	11.1	39.1	23.5	10.4	5.5	1.1
BLACK									
Total, 18 to 34 years	2,623	100.0	7.9	18.5	34.8	21.6	10.0	5.9	1.3
18 to 24 years	1,216	100.0	10.5	20.6	41.8	18.7	6.1	2.2	0.2
18 and 19 years	340	100.0	15.5	24.3	39.5	14.0	5.2	1.5	-
20 and 21 years	585	100.0	10.7	22.6	41.9	17.2	4.9	2.2	0.5
22 to 24 years	532	100.0	7.2	16.8	43.3	22.5	7.4	2.8	-
25 to 29 years	790	100.0	6.8	17.4	34.3	24.6	11.4	5.7	0.8
30 to 34 years	617	100.0	5.5	15.8	21.6	23.5	16.0	13.3	4.3
SPANISH ORIGIN[1]									
Total, 18 to 34 years	1,230	100.0	8.7	10.5	36.8	24.6	11.8	5.8	1.9
18 to 24 years	541	100.0	10.4	12.0	42.0	21.4	10.2	3.5	0.4
18 and 19 years	160	100.0	18.7	12.0	37.3	18.0	10.7	3.3	-
20 and 21 years	166	100.0	8.4	13.9	39.8	20.5	15.7	1.8	-
22 to 24 years	225	100.0	6.2	10.7	46.7	24.9	5.8	4.9	0.9
25 to 29 years	387	100.0	10.3	10.8	36.6	28.4	9.8	3.4	0.8
30 to 34 years	322	100.0	4.0	7.4	28.2	25.1	17.0	12.4	5.9

[1] May be of any race.

Table 5. NUMBER OF LIFETIME BIRTHS EXPECTED, BY YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED, FOR WOMEN 18 TO 34 YEARS OLD: JUNE 1976

(Percent distribution. Civilian noninstitutional population. Data limited to women reporting on birth expectations. For meaning of symbols, see text)

Subject	Number of women (thousands)	Number of lifetime births expected							
		Total	None	1	2	3	4	5 or 6	7 or more
ALL RACES									
Total, 18 to 34 years old	23,125	100.0	10.1	12.3	49.7	19.8	7.1	3.3	0.6
Not a high school graduate	4,593	100.0	9.9	12.5	36.2	22.6	12.3	7.6	1.7
High school, 4 years	11,074	100.0	8.5	12.8	48.9	20.3	6.7	2.4	0.4
College, 1 year or more	7,460	100.0	14.4	11.5	49.9	17.4	4.7	2.0	0.1
18 to 34 years old	9,965	100.0	10.7	12.3	51.8	17.6	5.4	2.2	0.2
Not a high school graduate	2,114	100.0	8.9	15.6	46.5	18.6	7.4	2.7	0.3
High school, 4 years	4,936	100.0	9.6	12.8	53.7	16.9	4.9	2.0	0.2
College, 1 year or more	2,916	100.0	13.8	9.0	52.3	17.0	5.0	2.2	-
18 and 19 years old	2,768	100.0	11.6	10.5	50.8	16.9	6.9	3.2	0.1
Not a high school graduate	881	100.0	11.4	14.9	49.0	16.3	5.6	2.8	0.2
High school, 4 years, or some college	1,888	100.0	11.8	8.4	51.6	17.1	7.5	3.5	0.1
20 and 21 years old	2,847	100.0	11.0	12.5	53.0	16.6	5.0	1.8	0.1
Not a high school graduate	525	100.0	8.2	19.4	45.1	17.3	8.5	1.3	0.3
High school, 4 years	1,419	100.0	9.3	12.3	56.3	16.7	3.8	1.5	-
College, 1 year or more	903	100.0	15.3	8.6	52.6	16.1	4.7	2.7	-
22 to 24 years old	4,350	100.0	9.8	13.4	51.6	18.4	4.8	1.8	0.2
Not a high school graduate	708	100.0	6.4	13.7	44.5	22.4	8.6	3.8	0.5
High school, 4 years	2,047	100.0	7.7	10.0	53.4	17.2	4.2	1.2	0.3
College, 1 year or more	1,595	100.0	14.2	9.7	52.4	18.1	4.0	1.6	-
25 to 29 years old	7,153	100.0	10.2	13.0	47.4	20.2	6.4	2.4	0.4
Not a high school graduate	1,204	100.0	5.3	11.3	30.9	30.3	13.1	7.8	1.4
High school, 4 years	3,388	100.0	7.6	13.9	50.2	20.2	6.2	1.6	0.3
College, 1 year or more	2,562	100.0	15.9	12.6	51.5	15.4	3.6	0.9	0.1
30 to 34 years old	6,007	100.0	9.0	11.6	37.5	23.4	10.8	6.3	1.4
Not a high school graduate	1,275	100.0	5.1	8.6	24.3	22.0	19.9	15.7	4.4
High school, 4 years	2,750	100.0	7.7	11.5	38.5	26.6	10.4	5.2	1.0
College, 1 year or more	1,982	100.0	13.3	13.6	44.4	19.8	5.5	3.2	0.1
WHITE									
Total, 18 to 34 years old	20,055	100.0	10.3	11.6	48.2	19.7	6.8	3.0	0.5
Not a high school graduate	3,686	100.0	6.9	11.9	38.6	22.6	11.8	6.6	1.6
High school, 4 years	9,669	100.0	8.7	12.0	50.3	19.9	6.4	2.3	0.3
College, 1 year or more	6,699	100.0	14.4	10.9	50.5	17.7	4.6	2.0	-
BLACK									
Total, 18 to 34 years old	2,623	100.0	7.9	18.5	34.8	21.6	10.0	5.9	1.3
Not a high school graduate	828	100.0	7.6	15.0	25.2	23.1	14.5	12.1	2.4
High school, 4 years	1,233	100.0	6.6	20.3	37.8	22.8	8.4	3.0	1.1
College, 1 year or more	561	100.0	11.4	19.6	42.2	16.5	6.9	3.0	0.4

Table 6. BIRTHS TO DATE, ADDITIONAL BIRTHS EXPECTED, AND LIFETIME BIRTHS EXPECTED, FOR WIVES 14 TO 39 YEARS OLD: JUNE 1976, JUNE 1971, AND FEBRUARY-MARCH 1967

Source: Ref. [illegible]. Civilian noninstitutional population. Data limited to currently married women reporting on birth expectations. For meaning of symbols, see text.

Subject	All races			White[1]		Black		Spanish origin[2]
	1976	1971	1967	1976	1971	1976	1971	1976
WIVES RESPONDING ON BIRTH EXPECTATIONS								
Total, 14 to 39 years	19,267	17,615	15,984	17,537	16,093	1,429	1,426	1,070
14 to 17 years	181	169	97	174	149	8	20	16
18 to 24 years	4,650	5,987	4,761	4,249	5,323	359	627	288
18 and 19 years	670	687	588	610	629	49	56	42
20 and 21 years	1,296	1,343	1,087	1,188	1,219	92	117	90
22 to 24 years	2,714	2,957	2,486	2,491	2,675	218	234	156
25 to 29 years	5,394	4,514	3,773	4,880	4,139	417	330	282
30 to 34 years	4,806	3,982	3,742	4,395	3,652	330	276	242
35 to 39 years	4,206	3,967	4,211	3,778	3,645	315	273	242
BIRTHS TO DATE								
Total, 14 to 39 years	36,144	37,306	38,596	32,184	34,360	3,321	3,912	2,378
14 to 17 years	99	83	83	86	69	3	10	5
18 to 24 years	3,828	4,750	4,880	3,296	4,115	470	585	324
18 and 19 years	388	492	480	327	437	51	55	41
20 and 21 years	883	1,033	1,056	771	907	100	123	84
22 to 24 years	2,557	3,423	3,396	2,198	2,871	319	407	199
25 to 29 years	8,001	8,798	8,723	7,514	7,902	821	832	510
30 to 34 years	11,350	11,136	11,412	10,315	10,062	836	957	729
35 to 39 years	12,444	12,715	13,339	10,993	11,446	1,191	1,128	810
ADDITIONAL BIRTHS EXPECTED IN NEXT FIVE YEARS								
Total, 14 to 39 years	8,475	8,756	8,021	7,590	8,000	513	643	521
14 to 17 years	202	214	136	196	188	6	24	23
18 to 24 years	4,498	5,161	4,645	4,121	4,763	261	368	254
18 and 19 years	731	806	720	673	755	39	51	39
20 and 21 years	1,309	1,511	1,329	1,233	1,401	66	102	94
22 to 24 years	2,418	2,864	2,596	2,215	2,607	156	215	121
25 to 29 years	2,917	2,534	2,185	2,669	2,320	182	170	157
30 to 34 years	756	671	746	672	593	56	59	61
35 to 39 years	142	174	309	132	136	8	22	26
ADDITIONAL BIRTHS EXPECTED IN ALL FUTURE YEARS								
Total, 14 to 39 years	10,898	11,396	11,190	10,008	10,390	672	869	652
14 to 17 years	299	344	213	287	293	12	33	23
18 to 24 years	6,192	7,096	6,989	5,740	6,528	357	534	354
18 and 19 years	1,061	1,158	1,169	993	1,087	45	71	52
20 and 21 years	1,867	2,152	2,116	1,742	1,979	105	163	125
22 to 24 years	3,264	3,786	3,704	3,005	3,462	207	301	177
25 to 29 years	3,414	3,022	2,736	3,102	2,764	225	195	180
30 to 34 years	835	748	893	732	660	70	68	66
35 to 39 years	158	186	360	147	145	8	25	29
LIFETIME BIRTHS EXPECTED								
Total, 14 to 39 years	47,042	48,902	49,784	42,192	43,970	3,993	4,381	3,030
14 to 17 years	368	411	256	353	348	15	56	28
18 to 24 years	10,020	11,846	11,869	9,036	10,643	827	1,120	678
18 and 19 years	1,449	1,550	1,599	1,320	1,424	96	126	93
20 and 21 years	2,750	3,187	3,170	2,513	2,886	205	286	209
22 to 24 years	5,821	7,109	7,100	5,203	6,333	526	708	376
25 to 29 years	11,877	11,820	11,459	10,616	10,666	1,046	1,027	690
30 to 34 years	12,185	11,904	12,303	11,047	10,722	906	1,025	795
35 to 39 years	12,592	12,921	13,895	11,140	11,591	1,199	1,153	839
BIRTHS TO DATE PER 1,000 WIVES								
Total, 14 to 39 years	1,876	2,129	2,415	1,842	2,087	2,324	2,649	2,222
14 to 17 years	381	406	(B)	379	382	(B)	(B)	(B)
18 to 24 years	818	952	1,173	776	910	1,309	1,370	1,125
18 and 19 years	579	571	731	536	536	(B)	(B)	(B)
20 and 21 years	681	771	970	649	744	1,087	1,051	933
22 to 24 years	942	1,124	1,366	897	1,073	1,463	1,802	1,276
25 to 29 years	1,569	1,949	2,312	1,540	1,909	1,969	2,521	1,809
30 to 34 years	2,362	2,802	3,050	2,347	2,755	2,697	3,467	3,012
35 to 39 years	2,956	3,210	3,214	2,910	3,149	3,555	4,132	3,347

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 6. BIRTHS TO DATE, ADDITIONAL BIRTHS EXPECTED, AND LIFETIME BIRTHS EXPECTED, FOR WIVES 14 TO 39 YEARS OLD: JUNE 1976, JUNE 1971, AND FEBRUARY-MARCH 1967—Continued

Numbers in thousands. Civilian noninstitutional population. Data limited to currently married women reporting on birth expectations. For meaning of symbols, see text)

Subject	All races			White		Black		Spanish origin[1]
	1976	1971	1967	1976	1971	1976	1971	1976
ADDITIONAL BIRTHS EXPECTED IN NEXT FIVE YEARS PER 1,000 WIVES								
Total, 14 to 39 years	440	497	502	446	497	359	485	487
14 to 17 years	1,116	1,297	B	1,126	1,306	B	B	B
18 to 24 years	953	1,035	1,116	970	1,053	727	863	882
18 and 19 years	1,091	1,173	1,276	1,103	1,200	B	B	B
20 and 21 years	1,010	1,125	1,223	1,038	1,149	717	872	1,044
22 to 24 years	891	962	1,032	904	975	716	846	776
25 to 29 years	541	561	579	547	561	436	517	557
30 to 34 years	157	169	199	153	162	181	214	252
35 to 39 years	34	44	73	35	37	24	81	107
ADDITIONAL BIRTHS EXPECTED IN ALL FUTURE YEARS PER 1,000 WIVES								
Total, 14 to 39 years	566	647	700	573	646	470	655	609
14 to 17 years	1,652	2,085	B	1,649	2,035	B	B	B
18 to 24 years	1,323	1,423	1,680	1,351	1,443	994	1,253	1,229
18 and 19 years	1,584	1,686	1,988	1,628	1,728	B	B	B
20 and 21 years	1,441	1,602	1,947	1,466	1,623	1,141	1,393	1,389
22 to 24 years	1,203	1,280	1,490	1,226	1,294	950	1,185	1,135
25 to 29 years	633	669	725	636	668	539	591	638
30 to 34 years	174	188	239	167	181	226	246	273
35 to 39 years	38	47	85	39	40	24	92	120
LIFETIME BIRTHS EXPECTED PER 1,000 WIVES								
Total, 14 to 39 years	2,442	2,776	3,115	2,415	2,732	2,794	3,304	2,831
14 to 17 years	2,033	2,491	B	2,028	2,417	B	B	B
18 to 24 years	2,141	2,375	2,852	2,127	2,353	2,303	2,623	2,354
18 and 19 years	2,163	2,256	2,719	2,164	2,264	B	B	B
20 and 21 years	2,122	2,373	2,916	2,115	2,368	2,228	2,444	2,322
22 to 24 years	2,145	2,404	2,856	2,123	2,367	2,413	2,787	2,411
25 to 29 years	2,202	2,619	3,037	2,176	2,577	2,508	3,112	2,447
30 to 34 years	2,536	2,989	3,288	2,514	2,936	2,923	3,714	3,285
35 to 39 years	2,996	3,257	3,300	2,949	3,189	3,579	4,223	3,467
PERCENT OF EXPECTED BIRTHS ALREADY BORN								
Total, 14 to 39 years	76.8	76.7	77.5	76.3	76.4	83.2	80.2	78.5
14 to 17 years	18.7	16.3	B	18.7	15.8	B	B	B
18 to 24 years	38.2	40.1	41.1	36.5	38.7	56.8	52.2	47.8
18 and 19 years	26.8	25.3	26.9	24.8	23.7	B	B	B
20 and 21 years	32.1	32.5	33.2	30.7	31.4	48.8	43.0	40.2
22 to 24 years	43.9	46.7	47.8	42.3	45.3	60.6	57.5	52.9
25 to 29 years	71.3	74.4	76.1	70.8	74.1	78.5	81.0	73.9
30 to 34 years	93.1	93.7	92.7	93.4	93.8	92.3	93.4	91.7
35 to 39 years	98.7	98.6	97.4	98.7	98.7	99.3	97.8	96.5

[1]May be of any race.

Table 7. BIRTHS TO DATE, ADDITIONAL BIRTHS EXPECTED, AND LIFETIME BIRTHS EXPECTED, BY METROPOLITAN-NONMETROPOLITAN AND FARM-NONFARM RESIDENCE, FOR WIVES 14 TO 39 YEARS OLD: JUNE 1976

(Civilian noninstitutional population. Data limited to currently married women reporting on birth expectations. For meaning of symbols, see text.)

Subject	Number of wives (thousands)	Rate per 1,000 wives				Percent of expected fertility completed	Percent of wives expecting no more births
		Births to date	Additional births expected		Lifetime births expected		
			In next 5 years	In all future years			
METROPOLITAN-NONMETROPOLITAN RESIDENCE							
All Races							
Total, 14 to 39 years	19,267	1,876	440	566	2,442	76.8	66.4
Metropolitan	12,733	1,823	451	581	2,404	75.8	65.8
Nonmetropolitan	6,534	1,978	418	536	2,514	78.7	67.5
14 to 17 years	181	381	1,116	1,652	2,033	18.7	16.0
18 to 24 years	4,680	818	953	1,323	2,141	38.2	27.9
Metropolitan	2,895	770	984	1,385	2,155	35.7	26.0
Nonmetropolitan	1,785	896	902	1,222	2,118	42.3	31.0
25 to 29 years	5,394	1,569	541	633	2,202	71.3	59.2
Metropolitan	3,678	1,495	572	672	2,167	69.0	57.2
Nonmetropolitan	1,716	1,727	474	548	2,275	75.9	63.3
30 to 34 years	4,806	2,362	157	174	2,536	93.1	87.0
Metropolitan	3,177	2,274	178	194	2,468	92.1	85.6
Nonmetropolitan	1,629	2,533	117	135	2,668	94.9	89.8
35 to 39 years	4,206	2,956	34	38	2,994	98.7	97.2
Metropolitan	2,885	2,855	38	42	2,897	98.6	96.8
Nonmetropolitan	1,322	3,175	26	29	3,204	99.1	97.9
White							
Total, 14 to 39 years	17,476	1,842	446	573	2,415	76.3	66.2
Metropolitan	11,359	1,785	458	590	2,375	75.2	65.6
Nonmetropolitan	6,118	1,946	423	540	2,486	78.3	67.4
Black							
Total, 14 to 39 years	1,429	2,324	359	470	2,794	83.2	70.4
Metropolitan	1,077	2,244	370	474	2,718	82.6	70.4
Nonmetropolitan	352	2,571	330	463	3,034	84.7	70.5
Spanish Origin[1]							
Total, 14 to 39 years	1,070	2,222	487	609	2,831	78.5	62.2
Metropolitan	889	2,172	475	600	2,772	78.4	63.2
Nonmetropolitan	181	2,470	558	663	3,133	78.8	58.0
FARM-NONFARM RESIDENCE							
All Races							
Total, 14 to 39 years	19,267	1,876	440	566	2,442	76.8	66.4
Nonfarm	18,742	1,859	442	569	2,428	76.6	66.2
Farm	524	2,500	347	447	2,947	84.8	73.9
White							
Total, 14 to 39 years	17,476	1,842	446	573	2,415	76.3	66.2
Nonfarm	16,975	1,823	449	577	2,400	76.0	66.0
Farm	500	2,472	346	442	2,914	84.8	74.2
Black							
Total, 14 to 39 years	1,429	2,324	359	470	2,794	83.2	70.4
Nonfarm	1,418	2,303	362	474	2,777	82.9	70.1
Farm	13	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
Spanish Origin[1]							
Total, 14 to 39 years	1,070	2,222	487	609	2,831	78.5	62.2
Nonfarm	1,062	2,216	488	610	2,826	78.4	62.3
Farm	7	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)

[1]May be of any race.

Table 8. BIRTHS TO DATE, ADDITIONAL BIRTHS EXPECTED, AND LIFETIME BIRTHS EXPECTED, BY YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED, FOR WIVES 14 TO 39 YEARS OLD: JUNE 1976

(Civilian noninstitutional population. Data limited to currently married women reporting on birth expectations. For meaning of symbols, see text)

Subject	Number of wives (thousands)	Rate per 1,000 wives				Percent of expected fertility completed	Percent of wives expecting no more births
		Births to date	Additional births expected		Lifetime births expected		
			In next 5 years	In all future years			
ALL RACES							
Total, 14 to 39 years old	19,267	1,830	640	966	2,442	76.8	66.4
Not a high school graduate	4,109	2,532	301	390	2,922	86.7	75.3
High school, 4 years	9,590	1,868	429	551	2,399	77.0	67.2
College, 1 year or more	5,567	1,440	562	721	2,161	66.6	58.6
14 to 17 years old	181	381	1,116	1,652	2,033	18.7	16.0
Not a high school graduate	167	383	1,102	1,593	1,976	19.4	16.2
High school, 4 years, or some college	15	B	B	B	B	B	B
18 to 24 years old	4,680	818	953	1,323	2,141	38.2	27.9
Not a high school graduate	1,093	1,371	660	866	2,237	61.3	46.0
High school, 4 years	2,528	768	1,002	1,373	2,141	35.9	24.9
College, 1 year or more	1,059	366	1,138	1,678	2,044	17.9	16.5
18 and 19 years old	670	579	1,091	1,584	2,163	26.8	17.5
Not a high school graduate	307	873	883	1,208	2,081	42.0	28.7
High school, 4 years, or some college	363	311	1,266	1,898	2,229	13.8	8.3
20 and 21 years old	1,296	681	1,010	1,441	2,122	32.1	21.9
Not a high school graduate	305	1,170	758	970	2,140	54.7	40.7
High school, 4 years	815	579	1,104	1,537	2,116	27.4	16.6
College, 1 year or more	172	302	1,035	1,826	2,128	14.2	10.5
22 to 24 years old	2,714	962	891	1,203	2,165	44.4	34.6
Not a high school graduate	481	1,814	564	582	2,396	75.7	60.5
High school, 4 years	1,383	976	876	1,156	2,130	45.7	33.6
College, 1 year or more	847	496	1,159	1,633	2,027	24.4	18.2
25 to 29 years old	3,395	1,369	561	633	2,202	61.3	59.2
Not a high school graduate	860	2,533	253	301	2,736	89.0	78.7
High school, 4 years	2,690	1,666	460	528	2,194	75.9	64.0
College, 1 year or more	1,845	1,025	792	941	1,965	52.1	43.0
30 to 34 years old	4,806	2,362	137	126	2,636	93.1	87.0
Not a high school graduate	953	3,161	89	104	3,267	96.8	92.2
High school, 4 years	2,278	2,350	113	126	2,476	94.9	90.3
College, 1 year or more	1,575	1,893	261	286	2,179	87.0	79.2
35 to 39 years old	4,206	2,956	34	38	2,994	98.7	97.2
Not a high school graduate	1,014	3,609	26	28	3,637	99.2	97.5
High school, 4 years	2,079	2,860	31	34	2,894	98.8	97.7
College, 1 year or more	1,093	2,922	27	26	2,976	97.9	96.0
WHITE							
Total, 14 to 39 years old	17,470	1,842	646	873	2,415	76.3	66.8
Not a high school graduate	3,590	2,665	313	401	2,866	86.0	74.5
High school, 4 years	8,753	1,811	428	571	2,382	76.0	67.3
College, 1 year or more	5,126	1,423	569	730	2,153	66.1	58.4
BLACK							
Total, 14 to 39 years old	1,429	2,324	359	670	3,296	83.2	70.4
Not a high school graduate	402	3,150	186	257	3,407	92.6	83.8
High school, 4 years	686	2,038	305	532	2,570	79.3	66.8
College, 1 year or more	296	1,707	514	660	2,367	72.1	58.2
SPANISH ORIGIN[1]							
Total, 14 to 39 years old	1,070	2,222	487	609	2,831	78.5	62.2
Not a high school graduate	408	2,708	365	456	3,164	85.6	70.3
High school, 4 years	366	1,781	624	780	2,561	69.8	53.6
College, 1 year or more	155	1,361	606	781	2,142	66.7	59.5

[1] May be of any race.

Table 9. BIRTHS TO DATE, ADDITIONAL BIRTHS EXPECTED, AND LIFETIME BIRTHS EXPECTED, BY SELECTED SOCIOECONOMIC CHARACTERISTICS, FOR WIVES 18 TO 39 YEARS OLD: JUNE 1976

(Civilian noninstitutional population. Data limited to currently married women reporting on birth expectations. For meaning of symbols, see text)

Characteristic	Wives 18 to 24 years old			Wives 25 to 29 years old			Wives 30 to 39 years old			
	Number of wives (thousands)	Rate per 1,000 wives: Births to date	Additional births expected	Lifetime births expected	Number of wives (thousands)	Rate per 1,000 wives: Births to date	Additional births expected	Lifetime births expected	Number of wives (thousands)	Rate per 1,000 wives: Births to date	Additional births expected	Lifetime births expected
AGE OF WIFE AT BIRTH												
Total	4,[illegible]	[illegible]	1,323	2,141	5,396	1,569	633	2,202	9,012	2,639	110	2,749
15 to 17 years	1,[illegible]	[illegible]	1,[illegible]	[illegible]	2,[illegible]	2,[illegible]	314	2,417	2,290	3,099	38	3,137
18 to 19 years	1,[illegible]	[illegible]	1,[illegible]	[illegible]	1,489	1,669	646	2,315	1,070	2,587	71	2,659
20 to 24 years	[illegible]	[illegible]	1,[illegible]	[illegible]	1,719	938	1,072	2,010	1,636	2,142	179	2,322
25 years and over	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	361	581	1,206	1,787	1,016	1,603	384	1,987
BIRTHS BY DATE												
All births	[illegible]	518	1,323	1,841	5,396	1,569	633	2,202	9,012	2,639	110	2,749
Childless to date	[illegible]	(X)	1,956	1,956	1,108	(X)	1,430	1,430	610	(X)	441	441
1 birth to date	1,[illegible]	1,[illegible]	1,101	2,101	1,665	1,000	829	1,829	1,126	1,000	321	1,321
2 births to date	[illegible]	[illegible]	366	2,448	1,862	2,000	248	2,248	3,002	2,000	62	2,062
3 births to date	1,[illegible]	3,[illegible]	461	3,493	660	3,000	149	3,149	2,146	3,000	37	3,037
4 or more births to date	4[illegible]	(B)	(B)	(B)	280	4,414	175	4,589	2,129	4,799	45	4,844
FAMILY INCOME IN 1975 OF WIFE IN HUSBAND-WIFE PRIMARY FAMILIES												
Wife in labor force	[illegible]	934	1,486	2,420	2,669	1,265	731	1,996	4,307	2,420	115	2,535
Under $3,000	53	658	1,491	2,149	25	(B)	(B)	(B)	54	(B)	(B)	(B)
$3,000 to $4,999	154	822	1,351	2,173	65	(B)	(B)	(B)	84	3,190	95	3,286
$5,000 to $7,499	458	780	1,271	2,052	219	1,475	681	2,156	179	2,711	73	2,785
$7,500 to $9,999	486	751	1,232	1,983	243	1,567	506	2,064	311	2,844	99	2,943
$10,000 to $14,999	542	678	1,533	2,211	815	1,437	637	2,073	1,091	2,505	107	2,612
$15,000 to $24,999	[illegible]	272	1,756	2,028	1,028	1,069	810	1,879	1,700	2,363	120	2,483
$25,000 and over	30	(B)	(B)	(B)	122	570	1,069	1,640	686	2,016	151	2,167
Income not reported	[illegible]	244	1,089	1,332	77	1,132	847	1,980	208	2,335	46	2,381
Wife not in labor force	1,[illegible]	1,[illegible]	1,[illegible]	2,[illegible]	2,[illegible]	1,878	535	2,413	4,466	2,827	106	2,933
Under $3,000	112	1,233	1,040	2,273	50	(B)	(B)	(B)	61	(B)	(B)	(B)
$3,000 to $4,999	140	1,500	828	2,328	93	2,430	473	2,892	151	3,609	79	3,682
$5,000 to $7,499	394	1,166	1,086	2,250	247	2,178	438	2,616	320	3,564	81	3,645
$7,500 to $9,999	382	1,099	1,302	2,402	332	1,963	506	2,469	362	3,110	102	3,212
$10,000 to $14,999	382	1,176	1,163	2,339	964	1,384	940	2,324	1,271	2,775	90	2,864
$15,000 to $24,999	458	1,142	1,111	2,253	716	1,787	937	2,725	1,450	2,660	102	2,762
$25,000 and over	13	(B)	(B)	(B)	129	1,764	625	2,389	583	2,502	166	2,668
Income not reported	39	1,080	1,287	2,367	101	1,771	622	2,393	267	2,737	117	2,854
YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED BY CIVILIAN HUSBAND[1]												
Total	[illegible]	812	1,339	2,150	5,097	1,568	637	2,205	8,563	2,630	110	2,739
Elementary 0 to 8 years	701	1,597	746	2,343	314	2,312	360	2,672	873	3,384	60	3,443
High School 1 to 3 years	693	1,128	953	2,081	558	2,073	368	2,442	1,162	2,976	73	3,049
4 years	1,869	833	1,365	2,198	1,890	1,719	496	2,214	3,173	2,655	78	2,733
College 1 to 3 years	927	651	1,458	2,109	1,020	1,444	672	2,116	1,379	2,439	123	2,562
4 years or more	722	361	1,753	2,114	1,315	1,057	993	2,050	1,976	2,185	195	2,380
MAJOR OCCUPATION GROUP OF EMPLOYED CIVILIAN HUSBAND[1]												
Total[2]	3,786	812	1,356	2,169	4,780	1,564	635	2,199	8,069	2,607	112	2,719
Prof., tech., and kindred workers	505	519	1,545	2,064	899	1,148	890	2,038	1,456	2,241	174	2,415
Managers and administrators, exc. farm	296	561	1,588	2,149	634	1,314	751	2,065	1,485	2,412	103	2,515
Sales workers	191	527	1,607	2,134	295	1,299	828	2,128	460	2,303	175	2,478
Clerical and kindred workers	228	689	1,336	2,025	312	1,421	619	2,040	406	2,339	140	2,480
Craft and kindred workers	980	859	1,317	2,176	1,071	1,778	447	2,220	1,870	2,838	66	2,904
Operatives, excluding transport	952	919	1,283	2,202	932	1,905	484	2,389	1,353	2,818	96	2,914
Service workers, incl. private household	250	741	1,337	2,078	248	1,537	674	2,211	453	2,589	84	2,673
Laborers, excluding farm	360	1,017	1,392	2,409	271	1,784	528	2,312	314	3,139	78	3,217
Farm workers	135	1,150	1,278	2,428	117	2,040	730	2,770	272	3,327	154	3,481

[1] For wives in husband-wife primary families.
[2] Excludes wives for whom husband's record was not located.

Table 10. NUMBER OF ADDITIONAL BIRTHS EXPECTED, BY NUMBER OF BIRTHS TO DATE, FOR WIVES 14 TO 39 YEARS OLD: JUNE 1976

(Percent distribution. Civilian noninstitutional population. Data limited to currently married women reporting on birth expectations. For meaning of symbols, see text)

Subject	Number of wives (thousands)	Number of additional births expected										
		In next 5 years					In all future years					
		Total	None	1	2	3 or more	Total	None	1	2	3	4 or more
ALL RACES												
Total, 14 to 39 Years												
All parities	10,266	100.0	68.1	20.7	10.5	0.8	100.0	66.4	16.1	13.5	2.9	1.1
Childless to date	3,934	100.0	32.0	27.8	37.5	2.8	100.0	26.4	9.8	48.8	11.2	3.8
1 birth to date	4,231	100.0	41.6	48.3	9.4	0.7	100.0	40.1	44.5	12.5	2.0	0.9
2 births to date	5,664	100.0	87.2	10.9	1.7	0.1	100.0	86.8	10.8	1.9	0.3	0.2
3 births to date	2,997	100.0	94.4	4.5	0.9	0.2	100.0	94.2	4.5	0.8	0.3	0.2
4 or more births to date	2,441	100.0	95.4	3.7	0.7	0.1	100.0	95.2	3.7	0.7	0.2	0.1
14 to 17 Years												
All parities	181	100.0	26.5	37.6	34.3	1.7	100.0	15.9	27.5	40.1	11.0	5.5
18 to 24 Years												
All parities	4,680	100.0	32.9	43.6	24.7	1.7	100.0	27.9	27.0	34.1	8.1	2.9
Childless to date	2,095	100.0	18.9	35.0	42.9	3.2	100.0	10.5	9.9	59.5	15.3	4.8
1 birth to date	1,987	100.0	24.9	60.6	13.8	0.7	100.0	22.4	53.5	19.2	3.2	1.8
2 births to date	796	100.0	75.7	19.7	4.1	0.5	100.0	73.4	20.1	4.9	0.9	0.8
3 or more births to date	201	100.0	72.8	21.8	4.5	1.0	100.0	72.3	22.3	4.5	-	1.0
18 and 19 years												
All parities	670	100.0	24.4	44.4	29.1	2.1	100.0	17.5	28.2	40.0	9.7	4.5
Childless to date	356	100.0	16.6	34.6	45.2	3.7	100.0	7.0	10.6	59.1	16.0	7.3
1 or more births to date	313	100.0	32.8	55.4	11.1	0.6	100.0	29.2	48.4	18.3	2.6	1.6
20 and 21 years												
All parities	1,298	100.0	28.6	42.9	27.2	1.2	100.0	21.5	27.9	39.5	8.1	3.1
Childless to date	635	100.0	19.2	34.9	44.0	1.9	100.0	8.2	9.3	63.1	14.5	5.0
1 birth to date	470	100.0	23.2	62.3	14.0	0.6	100.0	19.1	55.7	21.3	2.3	1.5
2 or more births to date	191	100.0	73.8	21.5	3.7	1.0	100.0	71.2	20.9	5.8	1.0	1.0
22 to 24 years												
All parities	2,714	100.0	37.1	38.5	22.5	1.9	100.0	33.6	26.3	30.1	7.7	2.4
Childless to date	1,104	100.0	19.5	35.2	41.5	3.8	100.0	13.0	10.1	57.5	15.5	3.9
1 birth to date	869	100.0	26.6	58.5	14.3	0.7	100.0	25.3	51.8	17.3	3.6	2.1
2 births to date	578	100.0	76.3	19.3	4.0	0.3	100.0	74.2	19.9	4.7	0.9	0.3
3 births to date	133	100.0	72.9	21.8	3.8	1.5	100.0	72.2	22.6	3.8	-	1.5
4 or more births to date	30	100.0	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	100.0	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
25 to 29 Years												
All parities	5,394	100.0	60.1	26.8	12.2	1.0		59.2	23.1	14.2	2.5	1.0
Childless to date	1,108	100.0	33.5	23.5	39.8	3.		31.3	9.7	47.1	8.8	3.2
1 birth to date	1,465	100.0	34.9	54.5	9.9	0.		33.9	52.2	11.9	1.6	0.4
2 births to date	1,862	100.0	80.6	16.2	2.9	0.3	100.0	80.2	15.8	3.1	0.6	0.3
3 births to date	680	100.0	90.3	7.7	1.8	0.2	100.0	89.7	7.8	1.2	0.6	0.7
4 or more births to date	280	100.0	87.5	10.4	2.2	-	100.0	87.5	10.4	1.1	-	1.1
30 to 34 Years												
All parities	4,806	100.0	87.3	9.9	2.6	0.2	100.0	87.0	9.3	3.1	0.3	0.2
Childless to date	390	100.0	67.4	12.8	19.0	0.8	100.0	67.4	8.5	21.5	1.0	1.5
1 birth to date	729	100.0	64.2	31.1	3.7	1.0		63.2	30.0	5.5	0.8	0.4
2 births to date	1,785	100.0	92.0	7.4	0.6	-		91.9	7.3	0.7	-	-
3 births to date	1,072	100.0	96.4	3.0	0.5	0.1		96.2	2.8	0.7	0.4	-
4 or more births to date	830	100.0	94.8	4.2	1.0	-		94.3	4.5	1.0	0.2	-
35 to 39 Years												
All parities	4,206	100.0	97.2	2.3	0.3	0.1	100.0	97.2	2.2	0.4	0.1	0.1
Childless to date	220	100.0	89.5	8.2	1.4	0.9	100.0	89.5	8.2	1.4	0.9	-
1 birth to date	397	100.0	94.2	4.8	0.5	0.5	100.0	94.2	4.8	0.5	-	0.5
2 births to date	1,217	100.0	97.8	2.1	0.1	-	100.0	97.8	2.1	-	-	0.1
3 births to date	1,074	100.0	98.2	1.3	0.5	-	100.0	98.2	1.1	0.5	0.2	-
4 or more births to date	1,299	100.0	98.0	1.5	0.2	0.2	100.0	97.9	1.4	0.5	0.2	-

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 10. NUMBER OF ADDITIONAL BIRTHS EXPECTED, BY NUMBER OF BIRTHS TO DATE, FOR WIVES 14 TO 39 YEARS OLD: JUNE 1976—Continued

(Percent distribution. Civilian noninstitutional population. Data limited to currently married women reporting on birth expectations. For meaning of symbols, see text)

Subject	Number of wives (thousands)	Number of additional births expected										
		In next 5 years					In all future years					
		Total	None	1	2	3 or more	Total	None	1	2	3	4 or more
WHITE												
Total, 14 to 39 Years												
All parities	17,477	100.0	67.8	20.6	10.8	0.8	100.0	66.2	16.0	13.7	2.9	1.1
Childless to date	3,686	100.0	32.0	27.6	37.7	2.7	100.0	26.4	9.6	49.0	11.2	3.8
1 birth to date	3,777	100.0	41.1	48.7	9.6	0.6	100.0	39.8	45.2	12.1	1.9	1.0
2 births to date	5,183	100.0	87.5	10.6	1.8	0.2	100.0	87.1	10.5	1.9	0.3	0.2
3 births to date	2,731	100.0	94.5	4.4	1.0	0.2	100.0	94.4	4.2	0.9	0.3	0.2
4 or more births to date	2,100	100.0	95.5	3.6	0.8	0.1	100.0	95.2	3.6	0.8	0.2	0.1
All parities:												
14 to 17 years	174	100.0	25.4	38.2	34.7	1.7	100.0	14.9	28.7	40.3	10.3	5.7
18 and 19 years	610	100.0	23.4	45.0	29.5	2.1	100.0	16.4	27.7	41.0	10.0	4.9
20 and 21 years	1,188	100.0	27.4	42.7	28.7	1.2	100.0	20.5	27.6	40.4	8.5	3.0
22 to 24 years	2,451	100.0	36.8	38.1	23.1	2.0	100.0	33.3	25.4	30.9	7.9	2.6
25 to 29 years	4,880	100.0	59.8	26.7	12.6	0.9	100.0	59.0	23.2	14.3	2.5	1.0
30 to 34 years	4,395	100.0	87.6	9.7	2.6	0.2	100.0	87.3	9.3	3.0	0.3	0.1
35 to 39 years	3,778	100.0	97.2	2.4	0.3	0.2	100.0	97.1	2.3	0.4	0.2	0.1
BLACK												
Total, 14 to 39 Years												
All parities	1,428	100.0	72.5	20.0	6.5	1.0	100.0	70.4	16.2	10.2	2.3	0.8
Childless to date	185	100.0	33.5	31.4	31.4	3.8	100.0	28.8	13.6	39.7	12.5	5.4
1 birth to date	353	100.0	47.7	42.1	8.2	2.0	100.0	44.6	34.7	17.2	2.8	0.6
2 births to date	368	100.0	84.8	13.8	1.4	-	100.0	82.9	14.4	2.7	-	-
3 births to date	221	100.0	92.3	6.8	0.9	-	100.0	91.0	8.1	0.9	-	-
4 or more births to date	302	100.0	95.7	4.3	-	-	100.0	95.7	4.3	-	-	-
All parities:												
14 to 17 years	8	100.0	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	100.0	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
18 and 19 years	49	100.0	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	100.0	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
20 and 21 years	92	100.0	42.4	46.7	8.7	2.2	100.0	34.8	30.4	25.0	4.3	5.4
22 to 24 years	218	100.0	44.7	39.3	15.1	0.9	100.0	40.8	31.2	21.6	5.5	0.9
25 to 29 years	417	100.0	67.3	23.6	7.7	1.4	100.0	65.0	20.6	11.0	2.2	1.2
30 to 34 years	310	100.0	86.5	10.3	1.9	1.3	100.0	85.8	8.4	4.2	1.3	0.3
35 to 39 years	335	100.0	97.9	1.8	0.3	-	100.0	97.9	1.8	0.3	-	-
SPANISH ORIGIN[1]												
Total, 14 to 39 Years												
All parities	1,070	100.0	63.8	24.5	11.0	0.7	100.0	62.2	21.2	12.0	3.1	1.6
Childless to date	172	100.0	24.4	29.1	43.6	2.9	100.0	22.0	12.7	44.5	13.9	6.9
1 birth to date	251	100.0	42.0	46.4	11.6	-	100.0	38.5	43.7	14.3	2.0	1.6
2 births to date	249	100.0	73.6	21.6	4.0	0.8	100.0	71.9	22.9	4.4	-	0.8
3 births to date	191	100.0	86.9	9.9	2.6	0.5	100.0	86.5	8.3	2.6	2.6	-
4 or more births to date	207	100.0	89.4	10.6	-	-	100.0	89.4	10.6	-	-	-
All parities:												
14 to 17 years	16	100.0	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	100.0	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
18 and 19 years	42	100.0	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	100.0	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
20 and 21 years	90	100.0	28.9	38.9	32.2	-	100.0	22.2	34.4	31.1	6.7	5.6
22 to 24 years	156	100.0	44.9	34.0	19.2	1.9	100.0	40.8	25.5	19.7	8.3	5.7
25 to 29 years	282	100.0	56.7	30.9	12.4	-	100.0	55.7	28.0	12.8	3.5	-
30 to 34 years	242	100.0	79.7	16.6	3.3	0.4	100.0	79.3	14.9	5.4	0.4	-
35 to 39 years	242	100.0	89.7	9.5	0.8	-	100.0	89.7	8.7	0.8	0.8	-

[1] May be of any race.

Table 11. NUMBER OF ADDITIONAL BIRTHS EXPECTED, BY INTERVAL SINCE FIRST MARRIAGE BEGAN FOR CHILDLESS WOMEN AND INTERVAL SINCE LATEST BIRTH FOR MOTHERS, FOR WIVES 18 TO 39 YEARS OLD: JUNE 1976

(Percent distribution. Civilian noninstitutional population. Data limited to currently married women reporting on birth expectations. For meaning of symbols, see text)

Subject	Number of wives (thousands)	Number of additional births expected										
		In next 5 years					In all future years					
		Total	None	1	2	3 or more	Total	None	1	2	3	4 or more
ALL RACES												
Childless to Date												
Total, 18 to 39 years	1,813	100.0	32.2	27.9	37.1	2.8	100.0	27.0	9.6	48.6	11.1	3.7
18 to 25 years	2,095	100.0	18.9	35.0	42.6	3.2	100.0	10.5	9.9	59.5	15.3	4.8
18 and 19 years	356	100.0	10.6	34.6	45.2	3.7	100.0	7.0	10.6	59.1	16.0	7.3
20 and 21 years	635	100.0	19.2	34.9	44.0	1.9	100.0	8.2	9.3	63.1	14.5	5.0
22 to 24 years	1,104	100.0	19.5	35.2	41.5	3.8	100.0	13.0	10.1	57.5	15.5	3.9
25 to 29 years	1,108	100.0	33.5	23.5	39.8	3.3	100.0	31.3	9.7	47.1	8.8	3.2
30 to 34 years	390	100.0	67.4	12.8	19.0	0.8	100.0	67.4	8.5	21.5	1.0	1.5
35 to 39 years	220	100.0	89.5	8.2	1.4	0.9	100.0	89.5	8.2	1.4	0.9	-
First married less than 2 years ago												
Total, 18 to 39 years	1,459	100.0	19.5	35.8	41.0	3.7	100.0	11.0	8.6	59.2	15.2	6.0
18 to 24 years	1,215	100.0	17.5	38.0	40.7	3.7	100.0	7.9	8.7	60.3	16.5	6.7
18 and 19 years	321	100.0	16.2	34.3	45.5	4.0	100.0	7.5	10.2	59.0	15.2	7.5
20 and 21 years	441	100.0	20.4	37.0	40.4	2.3	100.0	8.2	7.5	61.7	14.7	5.9
22 to 24 years	453	100.0	15.7	41.8	37.6	4.9	100.0	7.9	8.8	57.4	19.0	6.8
25 to 29 years	200	100.0	29.0	26.5	40.5	4.0	100.0	25.6	8.0	53.8	11.1	1.5
30 to 39 years	44	100.0	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	100.0	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
First married 2 to 4 years ago												
Total, 18 to 39 years	1,321	100.0	23.0	29.2	44.6	3.2	100.0	18.2	10.6	55.4	12.9	2.8
18 to 24 years	573	100.0	19.4	31.6	46.5	2.5	100.0	12.3	10.6	59.8	15.1	2.3
18 and 19 years	15	100.0	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	100.0	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
20 and 21 years	187	100.0	17.1	30.5	51.3	1.1	100.0	8.6	13.4	60.2	14.5	3.2
22 to 24 years	561	100.0	20.2	31.6	45.1	3.1	100.0	14.1	9.5	59.8	15.9	1.8
25 to 29 years	669	100.0	23.7	26.4	45.4	4.5	100.0	22.0	10.4	52.5	11.1	4.1
30 to 39 years	79	100.0	53.2	22.8	21.5	2.5	100.0	52.5	11.3	33.8	2.5	-
First married 5 to 9 years ago												
Total, 18 to 39 years	691	100.0	48.5	18.5	31.4	1.6	100.0	46.8	11.0	35.0	4.2	2.6
First married 10 or more years ago												
Total, 18 to 39 years	342	100.0	89.2	7.3	1.5	-	100.0	88.9	6.9	3.1	0.3	0.9
Ever Had Births to Date												
Total, 18 to 39 years	15,271	100.0	17.5	18.7	3.5	0.3	100.0	76.9	17.6	4.4	0.7	0.4
18 to 24 years	2,584	100.0	44.3	45.0	10.1	0.6	100.0	52.0	40.8	13.6	2.2	1.3
18 and 19 years	316	100.0	33.1	55.1	11.1	0.6	100.0	29.4	48.2	18.2	2.9	1.6
20 and 21 years	660	100.0	37.8	50.5	10.9	0.8	100.0	34.2	45.8	16.8	2.0	1.2
22 to 24 years	1,610	100.0	49.2	40.7	9.5	0.6	100.0	47.6	37.4	11.4	2.2	1.3
25 to 29 years	4,286	100.0	66.9	27.6	5.1	0.4	100.0	66.4	26.6	5.7	0.9	0.5
30 to 34 years	4,415	100.0	89.1	9.6	1.1	0.2	100.0	88.8	9.4	1.5	0.2	0.1
35 to 39 years	3,986	100.0	97.6	2.0	0.3	0.1	100.0	97.6	1.9	0.3	0.1	0.1
Latest child born less than 2 years ago												
Total, 18 to 39 years	1,975	100.0	53.6	34.3	7.5	0.6	100.0	56.1	31.5	9.5	2.0	0.9
18 to 24 years	1,576	100.0	42.0	45.2	12.1	0.7	100.0	39.1	40.0	15.8	3.1	1.9
18 and 19 years	254	100.0	31.9	55.9	11.4	0.8	100.0	28.1	48.0	18.9	2.4	2.0
20 and 21 years	479	100.0	38.7	48.2	12.4	0.6	100.0	34.8	42.0	19.2	2.3	1.7
22 to 24 years	843	100.0	46.8	40.3	12.1	0.7	100.0	43.9	36.3	13.0	3.8	2.0
25 to 29 years	1,494	100.0	60.5	32.9	6.1	0.6	100.0	59.8	31.3	7.0	1.5	0.5
30 to 34 years	691	100.0	77.6	20.0	2.2	0.1	100.0	77.2	19.7	2.9	0.1	-
35 to 39 years	216	100.0	86.9	10.3	1.4	1.4	100.0	86.9	9.3	1.4	2.3	-
Latest child born 2 to 4 years ago												
Total, 18 to 39 years	3,457	100.0	71.6	24.1	4.1	0.3	100.0	70.9	24.2	4.9	0.6	0.4
18 to 24 years	881	100.0	48.4	44.2	6.8	0.6	100.0	46.6	43.7	9.6	0.8	0.3
18 and 19 years	60	100.0	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	100.0	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
20 and 21 years	178	100.0	36.9	55.1	6.7	1.1	100.0	34.3	54.5	10.1	1.1	-
22 to 24 years	643	100.0	52.6	40.4	6.5	0.5	100.0	51.0	38.9	8.9	0.6	0.5
25 to 29 years	1,702	100.0	66.0	28.3	5.5	0.2	100.0	65.5	27.6	5.6	0.8	0.5
30 to 34 years	1,251	100.0	85.2	12.9	1.7	0.2	100.0	84.8	12.3	2.3	0.5	0.1
35 to 39 years	324	100.0	96.2	2.9	0.6	0.3	100.0	95.2	2.9	0.8	-	0.6
Latest child born 5 to 9 years ago												
Total, 18 to 39 years	2,350	100.0	89.4	9.1	1.3	0.2	100.0	89.2	8.8	1.7	0.1	0.1
Latest child born 10 or more years ago												
Total, 18 to 39 years	2,589	100.0	98.2	1.6	0.2	-	100.0	98.2	1.5	0.4	-	-

Table 11. NUMBER OF ADDITIONAL BIRTHS EXPECTED, BY INTERVAL SINCE FIRST MARRIAGE BEGAN FOR CHILDLESS WOMEN AND INTERVAL SINCE LATEST BIRTH FOR MOTHERS, FOR WIVES 18 TO 39 YEARS OLD: JUNE 1976—Continued

(Percent distribution. Civilian noninstitutional population. Data limited to currently married women reporting on birth expectations. For meaning of symbols, see text)

Subject	Number of wives (thousands)	Number of additional births expected										
		In next 5 years					In all future years					
		Total	None	1	2	3 or more	Total	None	1	2	3	4 or more
WHITE												
Childless to Date												
Total, 18 to 39 years	3,570	100.0	32.3	27.6	37.4	2.7	100.0	27.0	9.4	48.8	11.2	3.7
First Married:												
Less than 2 years ago	1,358	100.0	19.7	35.6	40.9	3.7	100.0	11.2	8.1	59.4	15.2	6.1
2 to 4 years ago	1,237	100.0	22.6	29.0	45.2	3.2	100.0	17.8	10.8	55.4	13.0	3.0
5 to 9 years ago	859	100.0	48.7	17.9	32.0	1.4	100.0	47.0	10.6	36.1	4.4	2.0
10 or more years ago	116	100.0	89.6	7.6	2.8	-	100.0	89.2	7.0	3.5	0.3	-
1 or More Births to Date												
Total, 18 to 39 years	13,723	100.0	77.6	18.6	3.6	0.3	100.0	77.1	17.5	4.3	0.7	0.4
Latest child born:												
Less than 2 years ago	3,576	100.0	56.4	35.3	7.8	0.6	100.0	55.1	32.4	9.4	2.0	1.0
2 to 4 years ago	4,906	100.0	71.8	23.8	4.2	0.3	100.0	71.2	22.9	4.9	0.6	0.4
5 to 9 years ago	3,916	100.0	90.3	8.3	1.2	0.2	100.0	90.1	8.1	1.5	0.1	0.2
10 or more years ago	2,335	100.0	98.5	1.4	0.1	-	100.0	98.4	1.5	0.1	-	-
BLACK												
Childless to Date												
Total, 18 to 39 years	180	100.0	32.8	32.2	31.1	3.9	100.0	28.5	14.0	40.2	11.7	5.6
1 or More Births to Date												
Total, 18 to 39 years	1,241	100.0	78.4	18.2	2.8	0.6	100.0	76.7	16.6	5.6	0.8	0.2
Latest child born:												
Less than 2 years ago	315	100.0	73.2	20.4	5.4	1.0	100.0	69.5	17.5	10.8	1.6	0.6
2 to 4 years ago	357	100.0	70.3	26.6	2.5	0.6	100.0	68.6	26.9	3.9	0.6	-
5 to 9 years ago	352	100.0	80.4	17.0	2.0	0.6	100.0	79.5	15.1	4.5	0.9	-
10 or more years ago	217	100.0	95.9	3.2	0.9	-	100.0	95.9	0.9	3.2	-	-
SPANISH ORIGIN[1]												
Childless to Date												
Total, 18 to 39 years	181	100.0	25.0	28.8	43.1	3.1	100.0	22.4	11.2	44.1	14.9	7.5
1 or More Births to Date												
Total, 18 to 39 years	893	100.0	71.7	23.4	4.6	0.3	100.0	70.2	22.6	5.6	1.0	0.6
Latest child born:												
Less than 2 years ago	291	100.0	55.5	37.6	6.6	0.3	100.0	52.8	35.9	9.3	2.1	-
2 to 4 years ago	266	100.0	67.3	27.4	4.5	0.8	100.0	65.7	26.8	5.3	1.1	1.1
5 to 9 years ago	205	100.0	85.8	11.3	2.9	-	100.0	85.4	11.2	2.4	-	1.0
10 or more years ago	131	100.0	95.4	2.3	2.3	-	100.0	95.4	2.3	2.3	-	-

[1] May be of any race.

Table 12. NUMBER OF LIFETIME BIRTHS EXPECTED, FOR WIVES 14 TO 39 YEARS OLD: JUNE 1976

(Percent distribution. Civilian noninstitutional population. Data limited to currently married women reporting on birth expectations. For meaning of symbols, see text)

Subject	Number of wives (thousands)	Number of lifetime births expected							
		Total	None	1	2	3	4	5 or 6	7 or more
ALL RACES									
Total, 14 to 39 years	19,267	100.0	5.4	10.8	45.2	22.8	9.5	5.0	1.2
14 to 17 years	181	100.0	6.1	16.0	57.5	13.3	4.4	2.8	-
18 to 24 years	4,680	100.0	4.7	12.0	57.2	19.4	4.8	1.5	0.3
18 and 19 years	670	100.0	3.7	12.4	58.2	19.0	4.8	1.5	0.4
20 and 21 years	1,296	100.0	4.0	11.4	59.9	19.2	4.2	1.2	-
22 to 24 years	2,714	100.0	5.3	12.2	55.8	19.6	5.0	1.7	0.4
25 to 29 years	5,394	100.0	6.4	11.2	51.5	21.8	6.5	2.2	0.4
30 to 34 years	4,806	100.0	5.5	10.3	40.4	25.1	11.4	6.1	1.1
35 to 39 years	4,206	100.0	4.7	9.3	28.8	25.8	16.5	11.3	3.5
WHITE									
Total, 14 to 39 years	17,476	100.0	5.6	10.6	45.9	22.8	9.3	4.6	1.1
14 to 17 years	174	100.0	5.2	16.1	59.2	12.1	4.6	2.9	-
18 to 24 years	4,249	100.0	5.0	11.9	58.1	18.7	4.6	1.5	0.3
18 and 19 years	610	100.0	3.9	12.1	59.0	18.0	4.9	1.6	0.5
20 and 21 years	1,188	100.0	4.3	11.0	60.6	18.7	4.2	1.2	-
22 to 24 years	2,451	100.0	5.6	12.2	56.6	18.8	4.8	1.6	0.4
25 to 29 years	4,880	100.0	6.7	11.0	52.3	21.7	6.2	1.8	0.3
30 to 34 years	4,395	100.0	5.8	9.9	41.0	25.3	11.2	5.8	1.1
35 to 39 years	3,778	100.0	4.6	9.3	29.2	26.7	16.6	10.6	3.0
BLACK									
Total, 14 to 39 years	1,429	100.0	3.8	12.8	35.1	23.7	12.0	9.6	3.1
14 to 17 years	8	100.0	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
18 to 24 years	359	100.0	2.8	13.6	47.2	26.9	6.7	2.8	-
18 and 19 years	49	100.0	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
20 and 21 years	92	100.0	2.2	16.1	49.5	24.7	5.4	2.2	-
22 to 24 years	218	100.0	2.8	11.5	45.0	28.4	8.7	3.7	-
25 to 29 years	417	100.0	3.6	12.7	40.8	25.9	10.3	6.0	0.7
30 to 34 years	310	100.0	1.9	15.2	28.4	24.2	16.1	11.9	2.3
35 to 39 years	335	100.0	6.3	9.9	21.5	16.2	16.2	19.5	10.5
SPANISH ORIGIN[1]									
Total, 14 to 39 years	1,070	100.0	3.7	11.1	34.0	26.4	13.2	7.5	4.0
14 to 17 years	16	100.0	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
18 to 24 years	288	100.0	3.5	12.2	46.9	25.0	9.0	2.8	0.7
18 and 19 years	42	100.0	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
20 and 21 years	90	100.0	2.2	14.4	44.4	26.7	12.2	-	-
22 to 24 years	156	100.0	3.9	9.0	47.7	27.7	6.5	3.9	1.3
25 to 29 years	282	100.0	6.4	11.0	37.6	30.9	9.9	3.2	1.1
30 to 34 years	242	100.0	2.1	6.6	25.6	29.3	18.6	12.0	5.8
35 to 39 years	242	100.0	2.1	13.6	21.5	21.1	17.8	14.0	9.9

[1] May be of any race.

Table 13. NUMBER OF LIFETIME BIRTHS EXPECTED, BY YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED, FOR WIVES 14 TO 39 YEARS OLD: JUNE 1976

(Percent distribution. Civilian noninstitutional population. Data limited to currently married women reporting on birth expectations. For meaning of symbols, see text)

Subject	Number of wives (thousands)	Number of lifetime births expected							
		Total	None	1	2	3	4	5 or 6	7 or more
ALL RACES									
Total, 14 to 39 years old	19,267	100.0	5.4	10.8	45.2	22.8	9.5	5.0	1.2
Not a high school graduate	4,109	100.0	3.6	10.4	33.9	23.4	14.6	10.8	3.4
High school, 4 years	9,590	100.0	4.5	11.0	46.9	23.6	9.2	4.0	0.8
College, 1 year or more	5,567	100.0	8.3	10.7	50.9	21.1	6.3	2.5	0.3
14 to 17 years old	181	100.0	6.1	16.0	57.5	13.3	4.4	2.8	-
Not a high school graduate	167	100.0	6.6	15.6	60.5	11.4	3.0	3.0	-
High school, 4 years, or some college	15	100.0	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
18 to 24 years old	4,680	100.0	4.7	12.0	57.2	19.4	4.8	1.5	0.3
Not a high school graduate	1,095	100.0	3.9	13.6	51.3	21.6	7.0	2.1	0.5
High school, 4 years	2,528	100.0	3.6	12.5	59.1	18.8	4.3	1.4	0.4
College, 1 year or more	1,055	100.0	8.2	9.2	59.1	18.8	3.6	1.1	-
18 and 19 years old	670	100.0	3.7	12.4	58.2	19.0	4.8	1.5	0.4
Not a high school graduate	307	100.0	5.6	16.3	52.6	18.6	5.2	1.0	0.7
High school, 4 years, or some college	363	100.0	2.2	9.1	62.8	19.0	4.4	1.9	0.6
20 and 21 years old	1,296	100.0	4.0	11.4	59.9	19.2	4.2	1.2	-
Not a high school graduate	305	100.0	2.6	14.8	56.7	19.7	5.2	1.0	-
High school, 4 years	818	100.0	3.9	10.9	61.4	18.8	3.8	1.2	-
College, 1 year or more	172	100.0	7.0	8.2	58.5	20.5	4.1	1.8	-
22 to 24 years old	2,714	100.0	5.3	12.2	55.8	19.6	5.0	1.7	0.4
Not a high school graduate	483	100.0	3.7	11.2	47.2	24.6	9.3	3.5	0.6
High school, 4 years	1,383	100.0	3.9	14.2	57.0	18.7	4.4	1.4	0.5
College, 1 year or more	847	100.0	8.5	9.6	58.8	18.4	3.7	1.1	-
25 to 29 years old	5,394	100.0	6.4	11.2	51.5	21.8	6.5	2.2	0.4
Not a high school graduate	860	100.0	9.6	10.6	33.4	32.3	12.9	7.1	1.2
High school, 4 years	2,690	100.0	5.2	11.2	54.0	21.5	6.2	1.6	0.3
College, 1 year or more	1,844	100.0	10.0	11.5	56.3	17.3	4.1	0.7	0.1
30 to 34 years old	4,806	100.0	5.5	10.3	40.4	25.1	11.4	6.1	1.1
Not a high school graduate	953	100.0	3.1	7.5	26.1	22.7	21.5	15.0	4.1
High school, 4 years	2,278	100.0	4.8	10.5	40.6	28.3	10.8	4.4	0.6
College, 1 year or more	1,575	100.0	7.9	11.6	49.0	22.0	6.2	3.2	0.1
35 to 39 years old	4,206	100.0	4.7	9.3	28.8	25.8	16.5	11.3	3.5
Not a high school graduate	1,034	100.0	4.2	8.8	18.7	20.4	19.3	20.3	8.4
High school, 4 years	2,079	100.0	4.2	9.5	29.9	26.9	17.1	9.9	2.4
College, 1 year or more	1,093	100.0	6.0	9.5	36.3	28.7	12.8	5.6	1.1
WHITE									
Total, 14 to 39 years old	17,476	100.0	5.6	10.6	45.9	22.8	9.3	4.6	1.1
Not a high school graduate	3,590	100.0	3.4	10.5	35.3	23.7	14.2	9.8	3.0
High school, 4 years	8,753	100.0	4.6	10.9	47.5	23.4	9.1	3.8	0.8
College, 1 year or more	5,134	100.0	8.7	10.3	50.7	21.4	6.2	2.5	0.2
BLACK									
Total, 14 to 39 years old	1,429	100.0	3.8	12.8	35.1	23.7	12.0	9.6	3.1
Not a high school graduate	452	100.0	4.9	9.5	21.5	21.9	16.8	18.6	6.9
High school, 4 years	684	100.0	3.2	13.7	38.9	26.1	10.1	6.4	1.6
College, 1 year or more	294	100.0	3.1	16.0	46.3	21.1	8.8	3.1	1.7
SPANISH ORIGIN[1]									
Total, 14 to 39 years old	1,070	100.0	3.7	11.1	34.0	26.4	13.2	7.5	4.0
Not a high school graduate	548	100.0	3.1	11.2	27.5	25.7	16.3	9.4	6.9
High school, 4 years	366	100.0	4.7	9.3	39.2	28.8	10.4	7.1	0.5
College, 1 year or more	155	100.0	3.3	16.3	45.1	23.5	7.8	2.0	2.0

[1] May be of any race.

Table 14. LIFETIME BIRTHS EXPECTED, BY REGION AND METROPOLITAN-NONMETROPOLITAN RESIDENCE, FOR SINGLE WOMEN 18 TO 34 YEARS OLD: JUNE 1976

(Percent distribution. Civilian noninstitutional population. Data limited to single women reporting on birth expectations. For meaning of symbols, see text)

Subject	Number of women (thousands)	Number of lifetime births expected						Lifetime births expected	
		Total	None	1	2	3	4 or more	Number (thousands)	Per 1,000 women
ALL RACES									
Total, 18 to 34 years	5,952	100.0	22.2	11.4	43.9	14.1	8.4	10,677	1,794
Northeast	1,474	100.0	22.5	10.8	44.5	14.2	7.9	2,615	1,774
North Central	1,656	100.0	19.0	11.8	46.5	13.9	8.7	3,091	1,867
South	1,666	100.0	22.0	13.1	41.7	15.2	7.9	2,958	1,776
West	1,156	100.0	26.5	9.0	42.5	12.7	9.3	2,012	1,740
Metropolitan	4,593	100.0	22.5	11.1	43.7	14.3	8.4	8,239	1,794
Nonmetropolitan	1,359	100.0	21.0	12.4	44.8	13.5	8.3	2,437	1,793
18 to 24 years	4,686	100.0	17.1	10.8	47.6	15.4	9.1	9,048	1,931
Northeast	1,114	100.0	16.4	10.1	49.4	15.2	9.0	2,162	1,941
North Central	1,365	100.0	15.1	11.3	49.2	15.1	9.3	2,693	1,973
South	1,336	100.0	16.8	13.0	45.3	17.0	8.0	2,536	1,898
West	871	100.0	21.6	7.2	46.5	13.9	10.9	1,657	1,902
Metropolitan	3,534	100.0	16.9	10.3	47.8	15.7	9.3	6,872	1,945
Nonmetropolitan	1,152	100.0	17.4	12.2	47.0	14.6	8.8	2,176	1,889
18 and 19 years	2,036	100.0	14.2	9.2	48.9	16.1	11.7	4,220	2,073
Northeast	478	100.0	12.5	9.6	50.5	16.4	11.1	1,004	2,100
North Central	615	100.0	11.0	8.9	51.0	15.7	13.3	1,346	2,189
South	594	100.0	15.3	10.1	47.7	17.6	9.3	1,175	1,978
West	349	100.0	20.3	7.6	44.9	13.8	13.4	695	1,991
Metropolitan	1,485	100.0	13.6	8.9	48.6	16.8	12.1	3,126	2,105
Nonmetropolitan	551	100.0	15.9	10.0	49.7	14.3	10.1	1,094	1,985
20 and 21 years	1,384	100.0	17.9	11.9	48.4	13.7	8.0	2,573	1,859
Northeast	343	100.0	21.1	9.3	48.9	13.4	7.2	615	1,793
North Central	410	100.0	14.8	12.8	49.7	14.9	7.8	788	1,922
South	391	100.0	16.2	17.1	46.4	13.7	6.6	708	1,811
West	240	100.0	21.7	5.4	49.0	12.1	11.8	462	1,925
Metropolitan	1,039	100.0	17.9	10.8	50.1	13.6	7.6	1,941	1,868
Nonmetropolitan	345	100.0	18.1	15.1	43.5	14.0	9.4	632	1,832
22 to 24 years	1,266	100.0	20.7	12.1	44.6	16.2	6.3	2,255	1,781
Northeast	293	100.0	17.1	12.0	48.1	15.4	7.4	543	1,853
North Central	340	100.0	22.7	13.8	45.5	14.2	3.7	559	1,644
South	351	100.0	19.9	13.4	39.8	19.4	7.6	653	1,860
West	282	100.0	23.2	8.6	46.1	15.6	6.6	500	1,773
Metropolitan	1,010	100.0	20.9	11.9	44.3	16.2	6.7	1,805	1,787
Nonmetropolitan	256	100.0	20.2	13.2	45.8	16.1	4.8	450	1,758
25 to 29 years	907	100.0	34.1	15.0	34.0	11.0	5.9	1,292	1,424
Northeast	233	100.0	35.5	14.3	30.2	14.0	6.1	334	1,433
North Central	211	100.0	29.6	16.5	40.7	9.4	3.9	301	1,427
South	234	100.0	35.1	14.7	31.9	10.5	7.8	338	1,444
West	229	100.0	35.8	14.8	34.0	9.8	5.6	318	1,389
Metropolitan	762	100.0	34.1	14.8	34.0	11.4	5.7	1,086	1,425
Nonmetropolitan	145	100.0	33.9	16.3	34.2	8.6	7.0	205	1,414
30 to 34 years	359	100.0	58.7	9.1	20.9	5.3	4.9	337	939
Northeast	127	100.0	53.0	10.1	28.8	6.1	2.1	119	937
North Central	80	100.0	58.5	8.1	15.8	6.0	11.6	97	1,213
South	96	100.0	62.8	11.0	17.1	3.2	5.9	84	875
West	56	100.0	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	37	(B)
Metropolitan	297	100.0	59.3	10.7	19.3	5.4	5.4	281	946
Nonmetropolitan	62	100.0	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	56	(B)
WHITE									
Total, 18 to 34 years	4,799	100.0	23.2	9.0	45.8	14.0	8.1	8,575	1,787
Northeast	1,247	100.0	22.1	9.1	47.0	14.1	7.7	2,236	1,793
North Central	1,423	100.0	19.6	9.3	47.0	14.9	8.6	2,679	1,883
South	1,131	100.0	25.1	8.4	44.8	14.2	7.5	1,965	1,737
West	998	100.0	27.3	9.2	42.9	12.2	8.3	1,694	1,697
Metropolitan	3,671	100.0	23.4	8.5	45.7	14.5	7.9	6,576	1,791
Nonmetropolitan	1,128	100.0	22.3	10.6	46.4	12.3	8.4	2,002	1,775
BLACK									
Total, 18 to 34 years	1,021	100.0	15.7	23.4	36.1	14.9	9.8	1,897	1,858
Northeast	205	100.0	19.8	21.4	34.3	15.9	8.6	359	1,751
North Central	214	100.0	14.0	29.9	37.1	8.6	10.3	385	1,799
South	527	100.0	15.6	23.2	34.7	17.7	8.9	979	1,858
West	77	100.0	10.9	11.7	48.4	11.1	17.9	173	2,247
Metropolitan	805	100.0	16.0	23.7	36.0	13.9	10.5	1,496	1,858
Nonmetropolitan	217	100.0	15.0	22.3	36.6	18.7	7.4	402	1,853

Table 15. LIFETIME BIRTHS EXPECTED, BY YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED AND LABOR FORCE STATUS, FOR SINGLE WOMEN 18 TO 34 YEARS OLD: JUNE 1976

(Percent distribution. Civilian noninstitutional population. Data limited to single women reporting on birth expectations. For meaning of symbols, see text)

Subject	Number of women (thousands)	Number of lifetime births expected						Lifetime births expected	
		Total	None	1	2	3	4 or more	Number (thousands)	Per 1,000 women
YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED									
All Races									
Total, 18 to 34 years old	5,952	100.0	22.2	11.4	43.9	14.1	8.4	10,677	1,794
Not a high school graduate	996	100.0	19.9	15.8	38.3	14.2	11.9	1,884	1,892
High school, 4 years	2,521	100.0	21.2	12.4	44.6	13.7	8.2	4,516	1,791
College, 1 year or more	2,434	100.0	24.2	8.5	45.5	14.6	7.2	4,276	1,757
18 to 24 years old	4,686	100.0	17.1	10.8	47.6	15.4	9.1	9,048	1,931
Not a high school graduate	808	100.0	16.8	16.3	42.3	13.8	10.8	1,543	1,910
High school, 4 years	2,103	100.0	17.2	10.8	48.7	14.4	8.8	4,020	1,912
College, 1 year or more	1,774	100.0	17.1	8.2	48.7	17.3	8.7	3,484	1,964
25 to 29 years old	907	100.0	34.1	15.0	34.0	11.0	5.9	1,292	1,424
Not a high school graduate	109	100.0	28.9	15.2	18.1	20.6	17.3	210	1,927
High school, 4 years	292	100.0	30.7	24.6	28.2	11.9	4.6	400	1,370
College, 1 year or more	505	100.0	37.2	9.5	40.9	8.3	4.2	683	1,352
30 to 34 years old	359	100.0	58.7	10.1	20.9	5.3	4.9	337	939
Not a high school graduate	79	100.0	39.6	11.8	24.9	7.8	15.9	131	1,658
High school, 4 years	126	100.0	66.3	10.1	14.4	5.1	4.1	96	762
College, 1 year or more	155	100.0	62.6	9.0	23.9	4.5	-	109	703
White									
Total, 18 to 34 years old	4,799	100.0	23.2	9.0	45.8	14.0	8.1	8,575	1,787
Not a high school graduate	653	100.0	23.9	11.7	40.4	13.4	10.5	1,180	1,807
High school, 4 years	2,021	100.0	22.5	9.1	46.9	13.5	7.9	3,623	1,793
College, 1 year or more	2,125	100.0	23.5	8.1	46.4	14.6	7.4	3,772	1,775
Black									
Total, 18 to 34 years old	1,021	100.0	15.7	23.4	36.1	14.9	9.8	1,897	1,858
Not a high school graduate	330	100.0	12.5	23.7	33.7	15.9	14.2	673	2,039
High school, 4 years	456	100.0	14.5	27.8	35.2	14.8	7.7	810	1,776
College, 1 year or more	235	100.0	22.8	14.8	40.9	13.9	7.6	413	1,757
LABOR FORCE STATUS									
All Races									
Total, 18 to 34 years old	5,952	100.0	22.2	11.4	43.9	14.1	8.4	10,677	1,794
In labor force	4,713	100.0	22.9	10.0	44.8	14.3	7.9	8,400	1,782
Not in labor force	1,239	100.0	19.4	16.7	40.5	13.3	10.0	2,273	1,835
18 to 24 years old	4,686	100.0	17.1	10.8	47.6	15.4	9.1	9,048	1,931
In labor force	3,672	100.0	17.3	9.2	48.5	16.0	9.0	7,135	1,943
Not in labor force	1,014	100.0	16.0	16.7	44.3	13.5	9.6	1,911	1,885
25 to 29 years old	907	100.0	34.1	15.0	34.0	11.0	5.9	1,292	1,424
In labor force	757	100.0	34.7	14.3	36.2	9.9	4.9	1,046	1,382
Not in labor force	149	100.0	31.2	18.9	23.0	16.2	10.7	245	1,644
30 to 34 years old	359	100.0	58.7	10.1	20.9	5.3	4.9	337	939
In labor force	284	100.0	63.1	8.9	20.5	5.1	2.4	219	771
Not in labor force	76	100.0	42.3	14.4	22.5	6.1	14.7	117	1,539
White									
Total, 18 to 34 years old	4,799	100.0	23.2	9.0	45.8	14.0	8.1	8,575	1,787
In labor force	3,981	100.0	23.3	8.2	46.1	14.5	7.9	7,128	1,791
Not in labor force	818	100.0	22.3	12.7	44.5	11.6	8.8	1,446	1,768
Black									
Total, 18 to 34 years old	1,021	100.0	15.7	23.4	36.1	14.9	9.8	1,897	1,858
In labor force	628	100.0	17.5	21.9	37.8	14.1	8.6	1,120	1,783
Not in labor force	394	100.0	12.9	25.6	33.5	16.0	11.9	776	1,970

Table 16. LIFETIME BIRTHS EXPECTED, BY REGION AND METROPOLITAN-NONMETROPOLITAN RESIDENCE, FOR WIDOWED, DIVORCED, AND SEPARATED WOMEN 18 TO 34 YEARS OLD: JUNE 1976

(Percent distribution. Civilian noninstitutional population. Data limited to widowed, divorced, and separated women reporting on birth expectations. For meaning of symbols, see text)

Subject	Number of women (thousands)	Number of lifetime births expected						Lifetime births expected	
		Total	None	1	2	3	4 or more	Number (thousands)	Per 1,000 women
ALL RACES									
Total, 18 to 34 years	2,296	100.0	8.0	22.4	34.1	19.9	15.6	5,178	2,255
Northeast	437	100.0	6.5	23.2	30.9	22.4	17.0	1,023	2,341
North Central	540	100.0	5.8	20.6	36.6	21.4	15.6	1,261	2,335
South	792	100.0	8.1	24.4	33.7	18.1	15.7	1,750	2,210
West	525	100.0	11.1	20.9	35.0	18.9	14.1	1,143	2,177
Metropolitan	1,689	100.0	10.0	22.1	33.8	19.0	15.2	3,718	2,201
Nonmetropolitan	606	100.0	2.3	23.5	35.0	22.3	16.8	1,458	2,406
18 to 24 years	601	100.0	7.2	26.4	41.4	18.0	7.0	1,167	1,942
Northeast	87	100.0	8.1	26.7	41.9	14.0	9.3	169	1,943
North Central	142	100.0	2.8	28.7	39.9	21.7	7.0	292	2,056
South	232	100.0	7.4	26.8	41.1	20.3	4.3	441	1,901
West	139	100.0	11.5	23.7	42.4	12.9	9.4	263	1,892
Metropolitan	407	100.0	9.6	24.6	41.5	15.5	8.8	785	1,929
Nonmetropolitan	193	100.0	2.1	30.1	40.9	23.8	3.1	381	1,974
25 to 29 years	853	100.0	8.6	22.3	35.7	19.8	13.6	1,843	2,161
Northeast	159	100.0	7.0	25.4	30.8	24.9	11.8	357	2,245
North Central	211	100.0	8.3	16.6	37.7	20.8	16.6	490	2,322
South	284	100.0	8.3	27.3	32.7	19.0	12.7	584	2,056
West	198	100.0	10.8	18.7	41.5	15.8	13.2	413	2,086
Metropolitan	640	100.0	10.5	22.2	35.6	19.6	12.2	1,336	2,088
Nonmetropolitan	213	100.0	2.9	22.7	35.9	20.3	18.1	507	2,380
30 to 34 years	842	100.0	7.9	19.7	27.4	21.1	23.9	2,168	2,575
Northeast	191	100.0	5.8	19.5	25.9	24.0	24.8	497	2,602
North Central	187	100.0	5.8	18.4	32.6	21.9	21.4	479	2,561
South	276	100.0	8.5	19.8	28.2	15.2	28.3	725	2,627
West	188	100.0	11.2	21.1	22.8	26.2	18.6	467	2,484
Metropolitan	642	100.0	9.6	20.3	27.2	20.6	22.3	1,597	2,488
Nonmetropolitan	200	100.0	2.4	17.9	28.3	22.9	28.4	570	2,850
WHITE									
Total, 18 to 34 years	1,731	100.0	9.2	23.6	37.6	18.0	11.6	3,594	2,076
Northeast	353	100.0	7.6	22.6	33.8	21.1	14.8	798	2,261
North Central	421	100.0	6.8	23.3	40.6	17.9	11.3	900	2,138
South	527	100.0	10.2	26.7	39.1	15.2	8.8	1,006	1,909
West	431	100.0	11.7	20.7	35.9	19.2	12.5	892	2,070
Metropolitan	1,218	100.0	11.9	22.0	38.0	16.5	10.7	2,428	1,993
Nonmetropolitan	513	100.0	2.8	25.1	36.7	21.7	13.6	1,166	2,273
BLACK									
Total, 18 to 34 years	516	100.0	3.3	18.8	22.2	25.9	29.8	1,486	2,880
Northeast	82	100.0	2.0	23.4	19.3	28.8	26.5	223	2,720
North Central	122	100.0	2.4	10.9	22.5	33.3	30.8	360	2,951
South	257	100.0	4.2	20.3	22.3	23.0	30.2	726	2,825
West	58	100.0	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	176	(B)
Metropolitan	438	100.0	3.9	19.5	22.4	25.7	28.4	1,234	2,817
Nonmetropolitan	79	100.0	-	14.8	20.7	27.4	37.0	249	3,152

Table 17. LIFETIME BIRTHS EXPECTED, BY YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED AND LABOR FORCE STATUS, FOR WIDOWED, DIVORCED, AND SEPARATED WOMEN 18 TO 34 YEARS OLD: JUNE 1976

(Percent distribution. Civilian noninstitutional population, data limited to widowed, divorced, and separated women reporting on birth expectations)

Subject	Number of women (thousands)	Number of lifetime births expected						Lifetime births expected	
		Total	None	1	2	3	4 or more	Number (thousands)	Per 1,000 women
YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED									
All Races									
Total, 18 to 34 years old	2,296	100.0	8.0	22.4	34.1	19.9	15.6	5,178	2,255
Not a high school graduate	688	100.0	3.7	15.7	26.9	24.2	29.4	1,981	2,879
High school, 4 years	1,057	100.0	6.0	23.9	39.6	19.5	10.9	2,254	2,132
College, 1 year or more	550	100.0	17.0	28.1	32.8	15.0	7.1	943	1,715
18 to 24 years old	601	100.0	7.2	26.4	41.4	18.0	7.0	1,167	1,942
Not a high school graduate	209	100.0	4.8	24.0	37.0	21.2	13.0	458	2,191
High school, 4 years	305	100.0	5.6	29.3	43.8	18.1	3.3	563	1,846
College, 1 year or more	86	100.0	17.0	22.7	43.2	11.4	5.7	146	1,698
25 to 29 years old	853	100.0	8.6	22.3	35.7	19.8	13.6	1,843	2,161
Not a high school graduate	235	100.0	4.7	12.0	27.6	27.3	28.4	668	2,843
High school, 4 years	406	100.0	6.4	24.5	41.2	17.7	10.2	832	2,049
College, 1 year or more	212	100.0	17.5	29.2	34.0	15.6	3.8	343	1,618
30 to 34 years old	842	100.0	7.9	19.7	27.4	21.1	23.9	2,168	2,575
Not a high school graduate	244	100.0	1.8	12.1	17.4	23.8	44.9	855	3,504
High school, 4 years	346	100.0	5.7	18.6	34.0	23.0	18.8	859	2,483
College, 1 year or more	252	100.0	16.6	28.5	28.1	16.2	10.7	454	1,802
White									
Total, 18 to 34 years old	1,731	100.0	9.2	23.6	37.6	18.0	11.6	3,594	2,076
Not a high school graduate	487	100.0	3.0	17.8	33.5	22.9	22.9	1,280	2,628
High school, 4 years	809	100.0	7.4	25.7	41.9	16.8	8.2	1,601	1,979
College, 1 year or more	438	100.0	19.5	26.1	34.4	14.9	5.0	713	1,628
Black									
Total, 18 to 34 years old	516	100.0	3.3	18.8	22.2	25.9	29.8	1,486	2,880
Not a high school graduate	191	100.0	5.8	8.4	10.5	28.4	46.8	666	3,487
High school, 4 years	228	100.0	0.6	19.2	31.1	27.5	21.5	610	2,675
College, 1 year or more	98	100.0	5.1	36.7	23.5	18.4	16.3	205	2,092
LABOR FORCE STATUS									
All Races									
Total, 18 to 34 years old	2,296	100.0	8.0	22.4	34.1	19.9	15.6	5,178	2,255
In labor force	1,587	100.0	9.6	26.5	38.4	16.5	9.1	3,112	1,961
Not in labor force	708	100.0	4.3	13.4	24.6	27.5	30.2	2,066	2,918
18 to 24 years old	601	100.0	7.2	26.4	41.4	18.0	7.0	1,167	1,942
In labor force	393	100.0	8.9	27.7	45.2	14.5	3.8	696	1,771
Not in labor force	208	100.0	4.3	24.3	33.8	24.8	12.9	470	2,260
25 to 29 years old	853	100.0	8.6	22.3	35.7	19.8	13.6	1,843	2,161
In labor force	583	100.0	11.2	28.4	40.3	14.2	5.9	1,045	1,792
Not in labor force	269	100.0	3.0	9.0	25.6	31.9	30.4	798	2,967
30 to 34 years old	842	100.0	7.9	19.7	27.4	21.1	23.9	2,168	2,575
In labor force	611	100.0	8.5	23.9	32.2	19.9	15.5	1,371	2,244
Not in labor force	231	100.0	6.3	8.7	14.9	24.3	45.8	798	3,455
White									
Total, 18 to 34 years old	1,731	100.0	9.2	23.6	37.6	18.0	11.6	3,594	2,076
In labor force	1,251	100.0	11.2	26.6	41.4	14.8	6.0	2,287	1,828
Not in labor force	478	100.0	3.9	15.6	27.8	26.6	26.2	1,309	2,738
Black									
Total, 18 to 34 years old	516	100.0	3.3	18.8	22.2	25.9	29.8	1,486	2,880
In labor force	307	100.0	2.6	25.9	26.7	23.4	21.4	767	2,498
Not in labor force	210	100.0	4.4	8.4	15.6	29.7	41.9	718	3,419

CHILDREN EVER BORN

Table 18. CHILDREN EVER BORN PER 1,000 WOMEN, BY MARITAL STATUS, FOR WOMEN 15 TO 49 YEARS OLD: JUNE 1976, APRIL 1970, AND APRIL 1960

(Numbers in thousands. Data are for resident population in 1960 and 1970 and for civilian noninstitutional population in 1976. For meaning of symbols, see text)

Subject	All races			White			Black			Spanish origin[1]	
	1976	1970	1960	1976	1970	1960	1976	1970	1960	1976	1970
TOTAL WOMEN											
15 to 44 years	47,829	42,379	36,093	41,023	36,814	31,822	5,857	4,941	3,914	2,736	2,102
15 to 19 years	10,404	9,485	6,589	8,793	8,138	5,772	1,450	1,224	756	611	471
15 to 17 years	6,219	5,839	4,174	5,237	4,983	3,659	884	768	[2]515	373	(NA)
18 and 19 years	4,184	3,642	2,415	3,555	3,155	2,112	568	457	[2]303	238	(NA)
20 to 24 years	9,656	8,355	5,520	8,235	7,281	4,822	1,227	956	636	556	410
25 to 29 years	8,861	6,810	5,537	7,650	5,942	4,840	1,025	760	637	481	350
30 to 34 years	7,158	5,869	6,111	6,184	5,083	5,380	797	689	661	407	320
35 to 39 years	6,062	5,711	6,419	5,240	4,965	5,709	689	653	647	390	289
40 to 44 years	5,684	6,150	5,918	4,922	5,404	5,298	670	659	577	290	262
45 to 49 years	5,955	6,255	5,554	5,235	5,389	4,988	621	598	533	258	215
WOMEN EVER MARRIED											
15 to 44 years	31,907	29,054	27,243	28,010	25,561	24,175	3,265	3,075	2,810	1,853	1,455
15 to 19 years	1,125	1,127	1,060	1,017	974	927	95	140	125	88	72
15 to 17 years	226	272	284	204	230	244	22	38	[2]40	19	(NA)
18 and 19 years	899	856	777	813	744	684	73	102	[2]93	68	(NA)
20 to 24 years	5,470	5,324	3,952	4,850	4,723	3,502	525	539	413	355	273
25 to 29 years	7,510	5,982	4,955	6,620	5,296	4,367	745	598	536	394	302
30 to 34 years	6,626	5,433	5,689	5,794	4,745	5,027	672	601	597	374	293
35 to 39 years	5,720	5,373	6,029	4,976	4,698	5,373	618	589	599	366	269
40 to 44 years	5,555	5,815	5,559	4,753	5,125	4,979	611	608	540	277	246
45 to 49 years	5,701	5,921	5,191	5,025	5,300	4,659	580	557	502	246	202
SINGLE WOMEN											
15 to 44 years	9,925	7,772	(NA)	7,979	6,499	(NA)	1,731	1,136	(NA)	531	373
15 to 19 years	3,280	2,805	(NA)	2,742	2,411	(NA)	494	355	(NA)	170	124
20 to 24 years	3,186	2,031	1,568	1,385	2,558	1,321	702	416	222	201	137
25 to 29 years	1,324	828	582	1,030	646	473	280	162	102	88	48
30 to 34 years	632	436	423	390	338	353	125	88	64	33	27
35 to 39 years	342	337	390	263	267	336	71	64	48	25	20
40 to 44 years	228	335	359	169	279	320	59	51	37	14	17
45 to 49 years	255	335	363	210	289	330	41	41	30	12	13
CHILDREN EVER BORN TO WOMEN EVER MARRIED											
15 to 44 years	66,430	68,467	63,029	56,485	58,309	54,476	8,737	9,147	7,890	4,587	4,034
15 to 19 years	617	713	839	509	559	676	97	144	157	71	56
15 to 17 years	88	154	199	74	122	156	14	33	[2]43	6	(NA)
18 and 19 years	529	564	640	435	437	517	83	111	[2]123	66	(NA)
20 to 24 years	4,904	5,666	5,697	4,052	4,715	4,799	758	877	839	452	386
25 to 29 years	11,558	11,833	11,106	9,920	10,156	9,480	1,450	1,517	1,519	718	713
30 to 34 years	15,183	15,236	14,942	13,025	12,968	12,866	1,850	2,036	1,904	1,117	936
35 to 39 years	17,201	17,017	16,192	14,198	14,498	14,127	2,225	2,252	1,879	1,240	998
40 to 44 years	16,842	18,002	14,253	14,782	15,613	12,527	2,357	2,320	1,592	988	944
45 to 49 years	15,496	16,813	12,468	15,751	14,715	10,965	2,169	1,891	1,387	969	762
CHILDREN EVER BORN TO SINGLE WOMEN											
15 to 44 years	3,102	1,837	(NA)	579	633	(NA)	1,481	965	(NA)	189	107
15 to 19 years	228	208	(NA)	75	76	(NA)	146	107	(NA)	8	11
20 to 24 years	718	482	(NA)	218	196	(NA)	474	274	(NA)	68	27
25 to 29 years	681	352	(NA)	112	135	(NA)	363	211	(NA)	36	25
30 to 34 years	568	299	(NA)	59	89	(NA)	200	165	(NA)	21	18
35 to 39 years	484	200	(NA)	67	72	(NA)	181	123	(NA)	38	12
40 to 44 years	197	164	(NA)	48	66	(NA)	117	85	(NA)	18	14
45 to 49 years	226	118	(NA)	29	59	(NA)	63	56	(NA)	6	9
CHILDREN EVER BORN PER 1,000 TOTAL WOMEN (including children of single women)											
15 to 44 years	1,665	1,918	(NA)	1,593	1,868	(NA)	2,051	2,415	(NA)	2,021	(NA)
15 to 19 years	181	206	(NA)	143	163	(NA)	401	477	(NA)	315	(NA)
20 to 24 years	582	736	(NA)	519	674	(NA)	1,005	1,205	(NA)	935	1,007
25 to 29 years	1,359	1,790	(NA)	1,311	1,752	(NA)	1,769	2,274	(NA)	1,568	2,109
30 to 34 years	2,158	2,640	(NA)	2,116	2,569	(NA)	[2]2,572	3,196	(NA)	2,799	2,981
35 to 39 years	2,840	3,015	(NA)	2,722	2,936	(NA)	3,492	3,636	(NA)	3,277	3,495
40 to 44 years	3,091	2,952	(NA)	3,013	2,864	(NA)	3,694	3,649	(NA)	3,472	3,656
45 to 49 years	3,085	2,707	(NA)	3,014	2,643	(NA)	3,596	3,256	(NA)	3,779	3,586

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 18. CHILDREN EVER BORN PER 1,000 WOMEN, BY MARITAL STATUS, FOR WOMEN 15 TO 49 YEARS OLD: JUNE 1976, APRIL 1970, AND APRIL 1960—Continued

(Numbers in thousands. Data are for resident population in 1960 and 1970 and for civilian noninstitutional population in 1976. For meaning of symbols, see text)

Subject	All races			White			Black			Spanish origin[1]	
	1976	1970	1960	1976	1970	1960	1976	1970	1960	1976	1970
CHILDREN EVER BORN PER 1,000 TOTAL WOMEN (excluding children of single women)											
15 to 44 years	1,389	1,616	1,746	1,377	1,584	1,712	1,492	1,851	2,016	1,677	1,919
15 to 19 years	59	75	127	58	69	117	67	118	208	118	119
15 to 17 years	21	26	47	14	24	43	16	43	[2]83	16	(NA)
18 and 19 years	126	155	265	122	139	245	146	242	[2]406	282	(NA)
20 to 24 years	508	678	1,030	492	648	993	618	918	1,320	813	943
25 to 29 years	1,304	1,738	2,007	1,297	1,709	1,960	1,415	1,996	2,383	1,493	2,034
30 to 34 years	2,121	2,596	2,452	2,106	2,551	2,398	2,321	2,956	2,882	2,747	2,925
35 to 39 years	2,766	2,980	2,518	2,710	2,920	2,471	3,229	3,450	2,905	3,179	3,453
40 to 44 years	3,062	2,927	2,407	3,003	2,852	2,362	3,518	3,520	2,758	3,410	3,599
45 to 49 years	3,069	2,688	2,247	3,009	2,633	2,200	3,493	3,162	2,603	3,756	3,552
CHILDREN EVER BORN PER 1,000 WOMEN EVER MARRIED											
15 to 44 years	2,082	2,357	2,314	2,017	2,281	2,253	2,676	2,974	2,808	2,475	2,772
15 to 19 years	548	633	792	500	574	729	1,021	1,029	1,258	807	778
15 to 17 years	389	566	701	363	530	637	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(NA)
18 and 19 years	588	659	824	535	587	757	(B)	1,088	[2]1,320	(B)	(NA)
20 to 24 years	897	1,064	1,441	835	998	1,370	1,444	1,627	2,030	1,273	1,416
25 to 29 years	1,539	1,978	2,241	1,498	1,918	2,171	1,946	2,536	2,835	1,822	2,358
30 to 34 years	2,291	2,804	2,627	2,248	2,733	2,559	2,753	3,390	3,190	2,987	3,193
35 to 39 years	2,931	3,167	2,686	2,853	3,086	2,629	3,600	3,822	3,139	3,388	3,709
40 to 44 years	3,190	3,096	2,564	3,110	3,077	2,516	3,858	3,817	2,949	3,567	3,843
45 to 49 years	3,206	2,840	2,402	3,135	2,777	2,354	3,740	3,393	2,761	3,939	3,778
CHILDREN EVER BORN PER 1,000 SINGLE WOMEN											
18 to 44 years	212	211	(NA)	73	98	(NA)	856	850	(NA)	356	287
18 and 19 years	69	67	(NA)	27	32	(NA)	296	302	(NA)	47	89
20 to 24 years	171	159	(NA)	64	77	(NA)	675	658	(NA)	338	197
25 to 29 years	358	428	(NA)	109	208	(NA)	1,296	1,306	(NA)	409	518
30 to 34 years	504	595	(NA)	151	263	(NA)	1,600	1,871	(NA)	(B)	663
35 to 39 years	725	593	(NA)	255	271	(NA)	(B)	1,939	(NA)	(B)	625
40 to 44 years	724	460	(NA)	284	236	(NA)	(B)	1,659	(NA)	(B)	845
45 to 49 years	361	352	(NA)	138	203	(NA)	(B)	1,379	(NA)	(B)	662

[1] May be of any race.
[2] Data are for Black and other races.

Table 19. NUMBER OF CHILDREN EVER BORN TO WOMEN EVER MARRIED 15 TO 49 YEARS OLD: JUNE 1976, APRIL 1970, AND APRIL 1960

(Percent distribution. For bases, see table 18. Data are for resident population in 1960 and 1970 and for civilian noninstitutional population in 1976)

Subject	All races			White			Black			Spanish origin[1]	
	1976	1970	1960	1976	1970	1960	1976	1970	1960	1976	1970
15 to 44 years	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Childless	18.8	16.4	15.0	19.7	16.8	14.6	11.6	13.7	18.7	13.8	12.8
1 child	20.8	18.8	19.8	20.5	18.6	19.8	22.8	19.8	19.2	20.3	18.6
2 children	27.1	24.6	26.7	27.7	25.3	27.8	21.3	19.0	17.5	24.3	22.5
3 children	16.5	18.0	18.4	16.5	18.5	19.0	16.8	14.3	13.2	18.3	16.5
4 children	8.7	10.7	9.9	8.5	10.7	9.9	10.7	10.5	9.7	10.5	11.4
5 or 6 children	6.0	8.2	7.2	5.5	7.7	6.6	10.6	12.8	12.1	7.9	11.3
7 or more children	2.4	3.3	3.0	1.6	2.4	2.2	6.2	9.9	9.6	4.9	6.8
15 to 19 years	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Childless	55.1	50.7	43.6	57.8	53.7	46.0	26.6	31.0	25.3	40.9	42.5
1 child	36.2	38.5	39.8	34.8	37.6	39.7	51.1	44.5	40.6	43.2	41.7
2 children	7.7	8.5	12.8	7.2	7.1	11.4	14.9	18.0	23.2	12.5	12.4
3 or more children	1.0	2.3	3.9	0.2	1.6	3.0	7.4	6.5	10.9	3.4	3.4
20 to 24 years	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Childless	41.7	35.9	24.2	44.2	37.7	25.0	19.8	20.8	17.0	27.9	24.3
1 child	33.9	34.8	32.8	33.6	35.0	33.7	37.1	33.2	25.0	33.0	35.0
2 children	18.7	20.5	26.2	17.7	20.0	26.4	26.7	24.0	24.7	26.5	24.9
3 children	4.6	6.1	11.2	3.8	5.4	10.5	13.0	12.7	16.5	9.9	9.9
4 children	0.7	1.9	3.9	0.6	1.4	3.2	2.1	5.7	9.5	2.0	3.9
5 or more children	0.3	0.9	1.8	0.2	0.6	1.1	1.3	3.6	7.3	0.8	2.0
25 to 29 years	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Childless	21.7	15.8	12.6	22.4	16.1	12.3	15.2	[illegible]	[illegible]	15.3	11.3
1 child	28.1	21.7	19.4	27.9	21.8	19.6	27.9	[illegible]	[illegible]	27.5	19.2
2 children	32.4	31.9	29.9	33.3	32.9	31.3	26.2	[illegible]	[illegible]	27.7	29.0
3 children	12.4	18.0	20.5	12.0	18.2	21.1	17.0	[illegible]	[illegible]	22.1	19.9
4 children	3.8	7.7	10.1	3.2	7.3	9.8	8.5	12.0	12.7	5.3	11.0
5 or 6 children	1.4	4.1	6.2	1.0	3.3	5.1	4.6	11.0	15.4	1.3	7.9
7 or more children	0.2	0.7	1.3	0.1	0.4	0.7	0.7	3.5	6.0	0.8	1.6
30 to 34 years	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Childless	10.5	8.3	10.4	10.8	8.1	9.7	6.5	9.1	15.8	7.2	7.0
1 child	16.9	11.9	14.7	16.2	11.6	14.5	21.1	14.3	15.8	11.7	11.7
2 children	34.5	26.6	27.4	36.0	27.7	28.9	21.3	18.0	16.2	27.2	22.4
3 children	21.1	24.3	22.3	21.2	25.4	23.4	22.0	16.3	13.5	19.5	21.3
4 children	10.2	14.9	12.7	9.9	15.1	12.8	13.8	13.3	11.2	18.1	15.7
5 or 6 children	5.6	10.8	9.2	4.9	9.9	8.5	11.8	18.2	15.5	10.7	15.2
7 or more children	1.2	3.2	3.3	0.9	2.2	2.2	3.4	10.8	12.2	5.6	6.7
35 to 39 years	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Childless	6.6	7.4	11.1	6.4	7.0	10.2	7.1	9.8	20.0	4.4	6.0
1 child	10.7	9.9	15.1	10.6	9.6	14.9	10.8	12.7	17.1	12.6	10.0
2 children	27.8	22.8	26.7	29.0	23.7	28.0	18.0	15.6	14.8	23.0	19.1
3 children	24.1	23.2	20.7	25.1	24.3	21.7	17.6	14.6	11.7	22.5	18.5
4 children	15.5	16.5	12.2	15.3	17.0	12.5	16.2	12.3	9.1	13.7	15.6
5 or 6 children	11.4	14.2	9.6	10.6	13.8	9.2	18.6	17.9	13.1	13.2	18.2
7 or more children	3.9	6.0	4.5	3.0	4.6	3.4	11.7	17.0	14.2	10.7	12.5
40 to 44 years	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Childless	7.5	8.6	14.1	7.2	8.1	13.0	8.0	13.0	24.7	6.2	7.8
1 child	9.6	11.8	17.3	9.1	11.5	17.2	13.6	14.2	18.2	8.3	10.7
2 children	22.4	23.8	26.2	23.3	24.9	27.5	15.4	14.6	14.3	18.5	18.8
3 children	23.4	21.5	18.2	24.6	22.5	19.0	14.6	12.6	10.3	21.7	16.0
4 children	16.4	14.6	10.5	16.8	15.1	10.8	13.3	10.9	7.9	16.7	13.6
5 or 6 children	14.4	12.9	8.7	13.9	12.6	8.4	18.2	15.8	10.9	18.8	16.9
7 or more children	6.3	6.8	5.1	5.0	5.4	4.0	17.0	18.9	13.7	9.8	16.1
45 to 49 years	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Childless	7.8	10.8	18.1	7.4	10.1	17.1	11.4	17.5	27.9	6.9	8.3
1 child	10.0	14.3	19.4	9.3	14.0	19.5	16.0	16.9	19.3	8.5	12.5
2 children	24.2	25.8	34.7	25.7	27.0	25.9	12.9	14.9	13.8	17.9	18.9
3 children	21.8	20.1	15.8	22.4	21.0	16.4	17.6	12.1	9.6	16.7	16.2
4 children	13.9	12.4	8.9	14.4	12.8	9.1	9.0	9.1	7.3	13.4	12.3
5 or 6 children	14.8	10.7	7.8	14.9	10.4	7.6	13.6	13.3	8.9	21.1	15.9
7 or more children	7.4	5.9	5.3	5.9	4.8	4.4	19.5	16.1	13.1	15.4	16.0

[1] May be of any race.

Table 20. NUMBER OF CHILDREN EVER BORN TO SINGLE WOMEN 18 TO 49 YEARS OLD: JUNE 1976 AND APRIL 1970

(Percent distribution. For bases, see table 18. Data are for resident population in 1960 and 1970 and for civilian noninstitutional population in 1976. For meaning of symbols, see text)

Subject	All races		White		Black		Spanish origin[1]	
	1976	1970	1976	1970	1976	1970	1976	1970
18 to 44 years	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Childless	88.1	89.7	95.1	94.9	56.0	60.5	83.9	86.4
1 child	6.9		3.5	3.3	22.7	19.6	6.5	
2 children	2.7	10.3	1.0	0.8	10.5	9.2	5.8	13.6
3 or more children	2.2		0.5	1.0	10.8	10.6	3.9	
18 and 19 years	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Childless	94.2	95.0	97.4	97.7	77.2	76.9	95.3	93.8
1 or more children	5.8	5.0	2.6	2.3	22.8	23.1	4.7	6.2
20 to 24 years	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Childless	88.5	90.3	95.3	95.2	55.8	60.7	83.5	88.0
1 child	7.5	6.3	3.4	3.5	27.4	22.8	7.0	7.8
2 children	2.9	2.0	1.1	0.7	12.0	10.2	6.5	1.6
3 or more children	1.0	1.4	0.2	0.6	4.8	6.2	3.0	2.6
25 to 29 years	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Childless	80.9	81.1	92.7	90.2	35.9	45.1	81.4	(B)
1 child	9.8	8.7	5.2	5.7	27.8	20.6	7.0	(B)
2 children	4.6	4.3	1.1	1.8	17.4	14.4	7.0	(B)
3 or more children	4.7	5.8	1.0	2.3	18.9	19.8	4.7	(B)
30 to 34 years	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Childless	79.3	79.0	91.0	89.0	41.6	50.7	(B)	(B)
1 child	7.3	7.8	4.4	5.4	17.6	17.2	(B)	(B)
2 children	6.0	4.3	3.8	2.3	13.6	11.7	(B)	(B)
3 or more children	7.3	8.9	0.8	3.3	27.2	30.5	(B)	(B)
35 to 39 years	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Childless	79.1	80.7	89.7	89.7	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
1 child	7.3	6.8	4.2	4.8	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
2 children	6.1	3.9	2.3	2.0	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
3 or more children	13.5	8.7	3.8	3.5	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
40 to 44 years	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Childless	75.5	84.5	85.9	91.0	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
1 child	8.7	6.2	7.1	4.3	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
2 children	4.4	2.7	2.9	1.6	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
3 or more children	11.4	6.6	4.1	3.0	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
45 to 49 years	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Childless	89.0	87.3	93.8	92.4	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
1 child	5.1	5.1	1.4	3.5	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
2 children	[illegible]	2.6	2.9	1.6	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
3 or more children	[illegible]	4.9	1.9	2.5	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)

[1] May be of any race.

Table 21. CHILDREN EVER BORN PER 1,000 WOMEN, FOR WOMEN 15 TO 44 YEARS OLD, BY SELECTED DEMOGRAPHIC AND SOCIAL CHARACTERISTICS—ALL RACES: JUNE 1976

(Numbers in thousands. Civilian noninstitutional population. For meaning of symbols, see text)

Subject	Total women								
	15 to 24 years		15 to 24 years		25 to 34 years			35 to 44 years	
		Children ever born per 1,000 women		Children ever born per 1,000 women,		Children ever born per 1,000 women			Children ever born per 1,000 women
	Number of women	Excluding children of single women	Number of women	Including children of single women	Number of women	Including children of single women	Excluding children of single women	Number of women	Including children of single women	Excluding children of single women
Total	17,013	278	13,240	411	16,014	1,716	1,669	11,746	2,964	2,909
REGION OF RESIDENCE										
Northeast	4,282	190	2,994	447	3,969	1,638	1,584	2,709	2,850	2,801
North Central	4,915	268	3,852	412	4,249	1,774	1,732	3,119	3,099	1,075
South	4,832	327	4,086	459	5,058	1,781	1,724	3,838	2,947	2,897
West	3,983	244	2,308	480	3,152	1,624	1,595	2,079	2,858	2,828
METROPOLITAN-NONMETROPOLITAN										
Metropolitan	14,836	237	9,650	410	14,121	1,622	1,566	8,203	2,830	2,794
In central cities	6,116	253	3,369	480	4,873	1,577	1,529	3,206	2,798	2,726
Outside central cities	8,720	215	6,281	351	9,191	1,652	1,632	4,997	2,850	2,838
Nonmetropolitan	2,251	365	3,590	527	1,699	1,946	1,917	3,542	3,209	3,175
FARM-NONFARM										
Nonfarm	16,202	279	11,505	401	15,072	1,710	1,662	11,265	2,922	2,886
Farm	815	261	1,736	451	968	1,983	1,927	482	3,146	3,134
YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED										
Elementary: 0 to 7 years	645	526	255	1,189	506	2,714	2,611	667	3,612	3,498
8 years	1,264	241	556	1,217	503	2,525	2,435	576	3,548	3,450
High school: 1 to 3 years	3,961	225	2,410	889	2,111	2,592	2,496	2,036	3,509	3,432
4 years	7,996	203	6,671	654	7,319	1,794	1,757	5,511	2,870	2,836
College: 1 to 3 years	3,254	194	2,235	161	2,742	1,392	1,371	1,547	2,621	2,620
4 years or more	1,013	65	1,016	76	2,933	809	804	1,406	2,218	2,217
HOUSEHOLD RELATIONSHIP										
Wife in husband-wife primary family	14,152	280	9,220	418	13,715	1,883	1,883	9,264	3,051	3,051
Female head, no husband present	1,064	191	1,063	680	2,759	1,579	1,373	2,007	2,886	2,706
Other primary family member	1,355	95	1,192	140	1,190	731	614	478	1,323	1,204
Not a member of primary family	442	118	765	232	355	571	448	119	1,511	1,471
MARITAL STATUS										
Single	13,466	(X)	7,472	126	1,882	600	(X)	570	723	(X)
Married	6,181	800	5,962	(X)	12,759	(X)	1,905	9,895	(X)	3,071
Husband present	5,501	796	5,497	(X)	11,942	(X)	1,878	9,342	(X)	3,040
Husband absent	680	1,222	465	(X)	817	(X)	2,274	553	(X)	3,597
Widowed or divorced	371	947	309	(X)	1,377	(X)	1,779	1,280	(X)	2,954
LABOR FORCE STATUS										
In labor force	11,908	182	9,215	274	8,968	1,346	1,301	6,665	2,731	2,698
Employed	9,741	132	7,880	251	8,197	1,306	1,268	6,279	2,701	2,673
Unemployed	2,167	206	1,335	507	769	1,792	1,670	386	3,225	3,111
Not in labor force	5,222	409	4,026	835	7,072	2,189	2,135	5,080	3,223	3,186

Table 21. CHILDREN EVER BORN PER 1,000 WOMEN, FOR WOMEN 15 TO 44 YEARS OLD, BY SELECTED DEMOGRAPHIC AND SOCIAL CHARACTERISTICS—ALL RACES: JUNE 1976—Continued

(Numbers in thousands. Civilian noninstitutional population. For meaning of symbols, see text)

Subject	Women ever married						Single women					
	15 to 24 years		25 to 34 years		35 to 44 years		18 to 24 years		25 to 34 years		35 to 44 years	
	Number of women	Children ever born per 1,000 women	Number of women	Children ever born per 1,000 women	Number of women	Children ever born per 1,000 women	Number of women	Children ever born per 1,000 women	Number of women	Children ever born per 1,000 women	Number of women	Children ever born per 1,000 women
Total	6,595	837	14,136	1,892	11,175	3,058	7,472	126	1,883	399	570	725
REGION OF RESIDENCE												
Northeast	1,020	799	3,035	1,863	2,544	2,983	1,902	106	534	361	166	795
North Central	1,877	793	3,792	1,936	2,988	3,210	2,060	104	448	400	131	557
South	2,383	877	4,550	1,916	3,652	3,042	2,110	169	508	569	186	882
West	1,315	856	2,759	1,822	1,992	2,951	1,400	122	393	232	87	494
METROPOLITAN-NONMETROPOLITAN												
Metropolitan	5,141	798	9,778	1,813	7,768	2,951	5,632	125	1,541	398	436	672
In central cities	1,937	842	3,973	1,813	2,959	2,954	2,497	195	896	530	248	938
Outside central cities	3,203	759	5,805	1,814	4,809	2,949	3,137	69	646	314	188	320
Nonmetropolitan	1,454	904	4,357	2,067	3,408	3,300	1,839	131	342	404	135	889
FARM-NONFARM												
Nonfarm	6,485	836	13,812	1,886	10,705	3,037	7,242	128	1,859	402	560	727
Farm	110	909	324	2,123	471	3,514	229	79	24	(B)	10	(B)
YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED												
Elementary 0 to 7 years	140	1,577	422	1,130	547	3,908	180	562	123	867	105	1,310
8 years	230	1,326	368	2,715	561	3,653						
High school 1 to 3 years	1,478	1,223	1,945	2,658	1,961	3,563	1,092	356	168	1,831	74	(B)
4 years	3,379	786	6,692	1,922	5,330	2,944	3,311	112	628	434	181	726
College 1 to 3 years	968	466	2,381	1,582	1,464	2,768	2,267	31	362	150	81	58
4 years or more	393	168	2,129	1,126	1,282	2,431	621	18	603	22	124	15
HOUSEHOLD RELATIONSHIP												
Wife in husband-wife primary family	5,475	806	11,715	1,883	9,242	3,041	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Female head, no husband present	507	1,298	1,800	2,104	1,673	3,246	1,142	408	959	592	334	1,088
Other primary family member	582	712	485	1,508	181	2,514	5,673	70	706	197	197	233
Not a member of primary family	130	785	136	1,169	79	2,215	659	124	219	202	39	(B)
MARITAL STATUS												
Single	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	7,472	126	1,883	399	570	725
Married	6,181	830	12,759	1,904	9,895	3,071	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Husband present	5,701	796	11,932	1,878	9,342	3,040	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Husband absent	480	1,227	827	2,274	553	3,597	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Widowed or divorced	415	947	1,377	1,779	1,280	2,956	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
LABOR FORCE STATUS												
In labor force	3,740	577	7,403	1,573	6,227	2,888	5,569	72	1,544	259	540	505
Employed	3,220	536	6,774	1,534	5,866	2,862	4,716	58	1,424	217	415	426
Unemployed	520	831	629	1,989	361	3,109	855	153	121	756	24	(B)
Not in labor force	2,855	1,178	6,732	2,243	4,949	3,270	1,903	283	339	1,032	131	1,458

Table 22. CHILDREN EVER BORN PER 1,000 WOMEN, FOR WOMEN 15 TO 44 YEARS OLD, BY SELECTED DEMOGRAPHIC AND SOCIAL CHARACTERISTICS—WHITE: JUNE 1976

(Numbers in thousands. Civilian noninstitutional population. For meaning of symbols, see text)

Subject	Total women								
	15 to 24 years		18 to 24 years		25 to 34 years			35 to 44 years	
		Children ever born per 1,000 women, excluding children of single women		Children ever born per 1,000 women, including children of single women		Children ever born per 1,000 women			Children ever born per 1,000 women
	Number of women		Number of women		Number of women	Including children of single women	Excluding children of single women	Number of women	Including children of single women	Excluding children of single women
Total	17,028	265	11,291	405	13,834	1,671	1,659	10,162	2,863	2,852
REGION OF RESIDENCE										
Northeast	3,801	189	2,513	303	3,135	1,606	1,585	2,389	2,834	2,812
North Central	4,483	259	3,166	396	3,815	1,749	1,738	2,785	3,041	3,034
South	4,626	318	3,427	461	4,084	1,692	1,689	3,172	2,760	2,754
West	4,209	295	2,320	455	2,800	1,607	1,588	1,816	2,808	2,795
METROPOLITAN-NONMETROPOLITAN										
Metropolitan	11,513	229	8,088	347	9,528	1,564	1,548	6,925	2,744	2,732
In central cities	4,351	268	3,232	390	3,583	1,424	1,395	2,282	2,599	2,572
Outside central cities	7,162	205	4,859	318	5,944	1,668	1,641	4,643	2,815	2,810
Nonmetropolitan	5,515	349	3,202	533	4,306	1,908	1,902	3,237	3,119	3,108
FARM-NONFARM										
Nonfarm	16,463	272	11,183	409	13,503	1,664	1,651	9,700	2,835	2,823
Farm	566	145	108	282	331	1,973	1,967	461	3,466	3,466
YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED										
Elementary 0 to 7 years	346	529	196	1,168	405	2,814	2,733	537	3,497	3,432
8 years	1,022	359	212	1,182	328	2,451	2,433	471	3,372	3,331
High school 1 to 3 years	5,880	248	1,892	791	1,653	2,698	2,669	1,585	3,330	3,309
4 years	6,001	172	5,719	412	6,365	1,777	1,767	4,932	2,836	2,830
College 1 to 4 years	2,858	112	2,844	140	2,408	1,393	1,386	1,385	2,584	2,582
5 years or more	922	49	933	55	2,676	891	887	1,251	2,226	2,226
HOUSEHOLD RELATIONSHIP										
Wife in husband-wife primary family	9,878	761	6,727	773	10,622	1,869	1,869	8,761	2,999	2,999
Female head, no husband present	1,296	398	1,285	481	2,002	1,290	1,225	1,406	2,507	2,437
Other primary family member	10,121	30	5,122	79	907	578	552	301	1,137	1,083
Not a member of primary family	731	101	660	160	304	518	461	91	1,595	1,571
MARITAL STATUS										
Single	11,161	(X)	6,128	48	1,420	120	(X)	432	266	(X)
Married	5,506	772	5,307	(X)	11,286	(X)	1,868	8,766	(X)	3,006
Husband present	5,166	751	4,968	(X)	10,795	(X)	1,862	8,446	(X)	2,999
Husband absent	340	1,072	339	(X)	491	(X)	2,002	320	(X)	3,188
Widowed or divorced	361	867	358	(X)	1,128	(X)	1,648	961	(X)	2,736
LABOR FORCE STATUS										
In labor force	10,135	159	8,029	218	7,560	1,273	1,262	5,666	2,642	2,631
Employed	8,765	137	7,006	208	7,002	1,239	1,230	5,360	2,620	2,608
Unemployed	1,369	174	1,023	292	559	1,996	1,667	305	3,043	3,043
Not in labor force	6,893	435	3,262	805	6,273	2,151	2,137	4,496	3,142	3,130

Table 22. CHILDREN EVER BORN PER 1,000 WOMEN, FOR WOMEN 15 TO 44 YEARS OLD, BY SELECTED DEMOGRAPHIC AND SOCIAL CHARACTERISTICS—WHITE: JUNE 1976—Continued

(Numbers in thousands. Civilian noninstitutional population. For meaning of symbols, see text)

	Women ever married						Single women					
	15 to 24 years		25 to 34 years		35 to 44 years		15 to 24 years		25 to 34 years		35 to 44 years	
Subject	Number of women	Children ever born per 1,000 women	Number of women	Children ever born per 1,000 women	Number of women	Children ever born per 1,000 women	Number of women	Children ever born per 1,000 women	Number of women	Children ever born per 1,000 women	Number of women	Children ever born per 1,000 women
Total	7,967	777	12,414	1,848	9,727	2,974	6,128	48	1,420	124	441	266
DURATION OF MARRIAGE												
Less than 1 year	438	341	2,711	1,812	2,258	2,975	1,054	44	424	124	139	200
1 to 2 years	1,741	750	1,854	1,920	2,064	3,139	1,886	40	362	110	147	186
3 to 4 years	2,311	975	1,783	1,823	1,951	3,266	1,512	35	301	97	121	157
5 or more years	3,477	926	5,065	1,601	3,449	2,923	1,676	32	335	139	34	301
CHILDREN IN HOUSEHOLD												
No children	3,605	701	3,171	1,262	1,509	2,989	4,587	46	1,134	127	130	242
1 or more children	4,362	1,431	9,243	2,029	8,218	2,977	1,541	55	286	134	311	369
1 child	2,041	1,000	2,189	1,810	1,477	3,015	1,230	44	265	96	160	139
2 children	1,854	1,444	4,139	2,028	4,114	3,213	1,041	55	201	44	102	133
RACE OF WIFE												
White	6,744		12,191	1,842	9,628	2,962	4,915	47	1,413	121	431	272
Black	1,181	1,412	1,183	2,100	1,053	3,528	1,210	49	29	101	10	100
YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED												
Elementary	1,133	1,525	3,611	2,181	3,581	3,702	1,124	105	81	181	32	600
1 to 3 years	1,161	1,161	1,365	2,010	1,993	3,482	1,124	105	81	181	32	600
4 years	1,233	1,135	1,238	2,387	1,588	3,151	766	113	74	160	29	600
High school	3,823	738	5,041	1,496	4,285	2,914	3,703	47	1,161	141	149	173
1 to 3 years	1,911	923	2,111	1,670	1,414	3,271	1,092	59	295	53	49	601
4 years	1,912	654	2,930	1,440	2,871	2,697	2,611	50	866	174	114	93
College	1,111	471	3,198	1,110	1,148	2,443	360	41	186	84	41	100
NEGRO AND OTHER RACES												
Wife or husband of head	3,203	761	1,962	1,500	1,361	2,999	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Female head, no husband present	443	1,160	1,412	2,800	1,171	3,429	986	14	601	189	235	615
Other primary family member	284	946	466	1,116	114	2,333	1,686	34	242	84	147	94
Not a family member	114	711	114	1,207	61	610	57	53	188	74	41	100
RACIAL MIX												
Both white	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	6,128	48	1,420	124	442	266
Interracial	4,106	761	11,288	1,468	8,266	1,906	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Husband present	4,143	761	11,288	1,468	8,266	1,906	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Husband absent	146	1,422	491	2,002	154	4,188	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Husband absent, by divorce	91	967	1,128	1,658	61	2,706	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
LABOR FORCE STATUS												
In labor force	4,744	611	9,429	1,508	5,112	2,806	4,741	27	1,233	62	139	178
Employed	4,519	625	9,246	1,479	4,981	2,785	4,102	23	1,166	56	131	195
Unemployed	226	822	183	1,804	131	4,167	639	50	67	80	12	100
Not in labor force	3,207	1,134	2,985	2,202	4,615	3,186	1,387	124	187	276	311	696

Table 23. CHILDREN EVER BORN PER 1,000 WOMEN, FOR WOMEN 15 TO 44 YEARS OLD, BY SELECTED DEMOGRAPHIC AND SOCIAL CHARACTERISTICS—BLACK: JUNE 1976

(Numbers in thousands. Civilian noninstitutional population. For meaning of symbols, see text)

Subject	Total women									
	15 to 24 years		18 to 24 years		25 to 34 years			35 to 44 years		
						Children ever born per 1,000 women			Children ever born per 1,000 women	
	Number of women	Children ever born per 1,000 women, excluding children of single women	Number of women	Children ever born per 1,000 women, including children of single women	Number of women	Including children of single women	Excluding children of single women	Number of women	Including children of single women	Excluding children of single women
Total	2,677	319	1,795	814	1,822	2,120	1,811	1,359	3,590	3,372
REGION OF RESIDENCE										
Outside of South	1,264	264	859	752	896	2,076	1,756	714	3,388	3,171
South	1,412	369	934	873	925	2,165	1,868	644	3,821	3,599
METROPOLITAN-NONMETROPOLITAN										
Metropolitan	2,022	296	1,369	780	1,485	2,055	1,750	1,082	3,430	3,235
In central cities	1,541	280	1,034	765	1,098	2,133	1,811	827	3,416	3,203
Outside central cities	481	345	336	824	386	1,828	1,580	256	3,478	3,324
Nonmetropolitan	656	393	424	929	336	2,422	2,086	277	4,216	3,906
YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED										
Elementary 0 to 8 years	306	271	88	1,409	133	3,008	2,496	198	4,439	4,010
High school 1 to 3 years	1,104	294	476	1,268	430	2,963	2,381	424	4,119	3,877
4 years	877	418	842	716	842	1,956	1,711	490	3,259	3,035
College 1 year or more	391	205	389	339	416	1,303	1,226	247	2,676	2,660
HOUSEHOLD RELATIONSHIP										
Wife in husband-wife primary family	417	1,326	412	1,335	851	2,149	2,148	694	3,638	3,643
Female head, no husband present	343	528	335	1,437	691	2,430	1,813	570	3,818	3,347
Other member of household	1,918	63	1,047	415	279	1,272	781	95	1,874	1,526
MARITAL STATUS										
Single	2,058	(X)	1,196	518	405	1,390	(X)	130	2,292	(X)
Married	572	1,381	553	(X)	1,198	(X)	2,315	936	(X)	3,752
Husband present	450	1,296	439	(X)	884	(X)	2,149	710	(X)	3,614
Husband absent	122	1,692	114	(X)	314	(X)	2,780	226	(X)	4,186
Widowed or divorced	47	(X)	44	(X)	218	(X)	2,417	293	(X)	3,655
LABOR FORCE STATUS										
In labor force	1,308	348	1,044	685	1,193	1,837	1,574	861	3,356	3,173
Not in labor force	1,369	293	751	994	629	2,658	2,259	496	3,998	3,718

Table 23. CHILDREN EVER BORN PER 1,000 WOMEN, FOR WOMEN 15 TO 44 YEARS OLD, BY SELECTED DEMOGRAPHIC AND SOCIAL CHARACTERISTICS—BLACK: JUNE 1976—Continued

(Numbers in thousands. Civilian noninstitutional population. For meaning of symbols, see text)

Subject	Women ever married						Single women					
	15 to 24 years		25 to 34 years		35 to 44 years		18 to 24 years		25 to 34 years		35 to 44 years	
	Number of women	Children ever born per 1,000 women	Number of women	Children ever born per 1,000 women	Number of women	Children ever born per 1,000 women	Number of women	Children ever born per 1,000 women	Number of women	Children ever born per 1,000 women	Number of women	Children ever born per 1,000 women
Total	620	1,179	1,517	2,329	1,229	3,729	1,196	518	405	1,390	143	2,797
REGION OF RESIDENCE												
Outside of South	262	1,275	699	2,250	646	3,595	610	521	179	1,662	69	(B)
South	359	1,451	818	2,407	583	3,978	587	515	207	1,429	61	(B)
METROPOLITAN-NONMETROPOLITAN												
Metropolitan	457	1,309	1,154	2,252	981	3,557	930	514	332	1,458	93	2,163
In central cities	329	1,310	869	2,343	747	3,566	717	510	250	1,418	79	2,192
Outside central cities	128	1,297	285	2,000	237	3,591	213	527	82	1,183	14	(B)
Nonmetropolitan	161	1,583	363	2,665	265	4,416	266	535	73	(B)	33	(B)
YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED												
Elementary 0 to 8 years	43	(B)	93	3,570	166	4,783	52	(B)	39	(B)	32	(B)
High school 1 to 3 years	181	1,776	341	3,003	379	4,338	306	934	89	2,798	45	(B)
4 years	300	1,223	658	2,190	455	3,268	544	436	184	1,325	35	(B)
College 1 year or more	95	842	324	1,556	229	2,869	294	171	92	424	17	(B)
HOUSEHOLD RELATIONSHIP												
Wife in husband-wife primary family	417	1,326	851	2,148	694	3,643	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Female head, no husband present	101	1,792	458	2,797	474	4,025	237	1,276	244	1,749	96	2,777
Other member of household	102	1,186	118	1,848	60	(B)	960	331	161	851	34	(B)
MARITAL STATUS												
Single	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	1,196	518	405	1,390	110	2,292
Married	572	1,381	1,198	2,315	936	3,752	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Husband present	450	1,296	884	2,149	710	3,614	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Husband absent	122	1,697	314	2,780	226	4,186	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Widowed or divorced	47	(B)	318	2,417	293	3,655	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
LABOR FORCE STATUS												
In labor force	375	1,213	927	2,026	784	3,492	681	395	266	1,177	74	2,013
Not in labor force	243	1,650	489	2,906	444	4,153	516	680	139	1,799	51	(B)

Table 24. CHILDREN EVER BORN PER 1,000 WOMEN, FOR WOMEN 15 TO 44 YEARS OLD, BY SELECTED DEMOGRAPHIC AND SOCIAL CHARACTERISTICS—SPANISH ORIGIN: JUNE 1976

(Numbers in thousands. Civilian noninstitutional population. For meaning of symbols, see text)

Subject	Total women									
	15 to 24 years		18 to 24 years		25 to 34 years			35 to 44 years		
		Children ever born per 1,000 women		Children ever born per 1,000 women, including children of single women		Children ever born per 1,000 women			Children ever born per 1,000 women	
	Number of women	excluding children of single women	Number of women		Number of women	Including children of single women	Excluding children of single women	Number of women	Including children of single women	Excluding children of single women
Total	1,167	448	794	751	888	2,132	2,066	680	3,360	3,276
METROPOLITAN-NONMETROPOLITAN										
Metropolitan	977	435	661	732	755	2,080	1,987	594	3,265	3,185
In central cities	590	416	(NA)	(NA)	490	(NA)	1,927	369	(NA)	3,027
Outside central cities	388	413	(NA)	(NA)	266	(NA)	2,086	225	(NA)	3,431
Nonmetropolitan	190	521	133	835	133	2,534	2,519	87	4,011	3,908
YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED										
Elementary 0 to 8 years	267	652	171	1,142	294	2,766	2,736	316	3,735	3,717
High school 1 to 3 years	465	419			174		2,517	110		3,209
4 years	305	441	293	498	100	1,730	1,730	181	2,779	2,779
College 1 year or more	130	162	128	172	160	1,188	1,164	74	(B)	(B)
HOUSEHOLD RELATIONSHIP										
Wife in husband-wife primary family	356	1,153	(NA)	(NA)	609	(NA)	2,291	489	(NA)	3,462
Female head, no husband present	84	679	(NA)	(NA)	169	(NA)	2,325	155	(NA)	3,135
Other member of household	727	78	(NA)	(NA)	111	(NA)	405	37	(NA)	(B)
MARITAL STATUS										
Single	736	(X)	371	208	121	471	(X)	39	(B)	(X)
Married	424	1,177	405	(X)	698	(X)	2,371	571	(X)	3,518
Widowed or divorced	18	610	17	(X)	69	(X)	(B)	70	(X)	(B)
LABOR FORCE STATUS										
In labor force	501	269	448	388	481	1,767	1,723	327	3,018	2,942
Not in labor force	665	625	347	1,216	408	2,556	2,466	353	3,677	3,592

Table 24. CHILDREN EVER BORN PER 1,000 WOMEN, FOR WOMEN 15 TO 44 YEARS OLD, BY SELECTED DEMOGRAPHIC AND SOCIAL CHARACTERISTICS—SPANISH ORIGIN: JUNE 1976—Continued

(Numbers in thousands. Civilian noninstitutional population. For meaning of symbols, see text)

Subject	Women ever married						Single women					
	15 to 24 years		25 to 34 years		35 to 44 years		18 to 24 years		25 to 34 years		35 to 44 years	
	Number of women	Children ever born per 1,000 women	Number of women	Children ever born per 1,000 women	Number of women	Children ever born per 1,000 women	Number of women	Children ever born per 1,000 women	Number of women	Children ever born per 1,000 women	Number of women	Children ever born per 1,000 women
Total	443	1,236	768	2,389	643	3,465	371	208	121	471	39	(B)
METROPOLITAN-NONMETROPOLITAN												
Metropolitan	355	1,197	645	2,326	565	3,343	319	196	110	509	29	(B)
In central cities	231	1,113	403	2,342	345	3,236	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Outside central cities	124	1,359	242	2,293	220	3,509	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Nonmetropolitan	88	1,125	122	2,746	77	4,416	51	(B)	10	(B)	9	(B)
YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED												
Elementary 0 to 8 years	103	1,689	221	3,145	299	3,950	135	467	47	(B)	24	(B)
High school 1 to 3 years	153	1,275	161	2,720	103	3,427						
4 years	151	987	260	1,996	173	2,908	143	86	40	(B)	8	(B)
College 1 year or more	37	(B)	126	1,452	67	(B)	92	22	14	(B)	6	(B)
HOUSEHOLD RELATIONSHIP												
Wife in husband-wife primary family	356	1,152	609	2,291	489	3,462	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Female head, no husband present	32	(B)	121	3,258	132	3,682	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Other members of household	55	(B)	38	(B)	22	(B)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
MARITAL STATUS												
Single	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	371	208	121	471	39	(B)
Married	424	1,177	698	2,371	571	3,516	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Widowed or divorced	18	(B)	69	(B)	70	(B)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
LABOR FORCE STATUS												
In labor force	185	816	388	2,137	303	3,175	264	91	92	228	24	(B)
Not in labor force	258	1,442	379	2,654	340	3,729	107	495	28	(B)	14	(B)

Table 25. PERCENT CHILDLESS AMONG WOMEN EVER MARRIED 15 TO 44 YEARS OLD, BY SELECTED DEMOGRAPHIC AND SOCIAL CHARACTERISTICS—ALL RACES: JUNE 1976

(Numbers in thousands. Civilian noninstitutional population)

Subject	15 to 24 years		25 to 34 years		35 to 44 years	
	Number of women	Percent childless	Number of women	Percent childless	Number of women	Percent childless
Total	6,595	44.0	14,136	16.5	11,175	7.0
REGION OF RESIDENCE						
Northeast	1,020	46.2	3,035	15.8	2,564	7.8
North Central	1,877	46.0	3,792	16.4	2,988	6.5
South	2,383	42.0	4,550	15.3	3,652	6.8
West	1,315	43.0	2,759	19.2	1,992	7.2
METROPOLITAN-NONMETROPOLITAN						
Metropolitan	4,141	46.1	9,778	17.9	7,768	7.7
In central cities	1,937	44.1	3,973	19.2	2,959	9.7
Outside central cities	2,203	47.8	5,805	17.1	4,809	6.4
Nonmetropolitan	2,454	40.5	4,357	13.1	3,408	5.5
FARM-NONFARM						
Nonfarm	6,485	44.0	13,812	16.6	10,705	7.1
Farm	110	42.7	324	12.7	471	5.9
YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED						
Elementary 0 to 7 years	149	21.5	422	8.1	597	7.5
8 years	230	24.8	368	7.1	541	7.9
High school 1 to 3 years	1,478	26.6	1,945	6.3	1,961	6.1
4 years	3,379	43.4	6,692	12.5	5,330	6.2
College 1 to 3 years	968	63.5	2,381	20.8	1,464	7.0
4 years or more	393	86.3	2,329	34.9	1,282	11.2
HOUSEHOLD RELATIONSHIP						
Wife in husband-wife primary family	5,375	45.6	11,715	16.1	9,242	6.5
Female head, no husband present	507	23.5	1,800	13.9	1,673	8.5
Other primary family member	582	46.4	484	26.0	181	16.6
Not a member of primary family	130	46.2	136	45.6	79	17.7
MARITAL STATUS						
Married	6,181	44.6	12,759	16.2	9,895	6.6
Husband present	5,701	46.2	11,932	16.3	9,342	6.6
Husband absent	480	26.0	827	13.8	553	7.1
Widowed or divorced	415	34.9	1,377	19.3	1,280	10.4
LABOR FORCE STATUS						
In labor force	3,740	58.5	7,403	24.6	6,227	8.1
Employed	3,220	60.8	6,774	25.6	5,864	8.4
Unemployed	520	44.6	629	14.6	363	4.1
Not in labor force	2,855	25.0	6,732	7.5	4,949	5.6

Table 26. PERCENT CHILDLESS AMONG WOMEN EVER MARRIED 15 TO 44 YEARS OLD, BY SELECTED DEMOGRAPHIC AND SOCIAL CHARACTERISTICS—WHITE: JUNE 1976

(Numbers in thousands. Civilian noninstitutional population. For meaning of symbols, see text)

Subject	15 to 24 years		25 to 34 years		35 to 44 years	
	Number of women	Percent childless	Number of women	Percent childless	Number of women	Percent childless
Total	5,867	46.6	12,414	17.0	9,729	6.8
REGION OF RESIDENCE						
Northeast	938	48.2	2,713	16.1	2,258	7.7
North Central	1,741	47.1	3,454	17.0	2,683	6.3
South	2,011	46.5	3,783	15.9	3,051	6.9
West	1,177	44.5	2,465	19.8	1,736	6.3
METROPOLITAN-NONMETROPOLITAN						
Metropolitan	3,608	49.0	8,374	18.9	6,595	7.3
In central cities	1,567	48.6	2,985	21.9	2,118	9.4
Outside central cities	2,041	49.3	5,389	17.2	4,477	6.4
Nonmetropolitan	2,259	42.7	4,039	13.1	3,136	5.7
U.S. FARM-NONFARM						
Nonfarm	5,766	46.6	12,103	17.1	9,276	6.9
Farm	101	43.6	310	12.6	453	5.5
YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED						
Elementary: 0 to 7 years	120	20.8	448	5.5	486	6.4
8 years	203	24.6	805	5.9	449	6.5
High school: 1 to 3 years	1,273	29.0	1,578	5.9	1,556	5.9
4 years	3,027	45.9	5,931	12.8	4,784	6.0
College: 1 to 3 years	877	65.2	2,114	21.4	1,316	7.5
4 years or more	367	89.1	2,138	36.2	1,138	10.9
HOUSEHOLD RELATIONSHIP						
Wife in husband-wife primary family	4,878	47.6	10,622	16.4	8,263	6.4
Female head, no husband present	400	28.0	1,312	16.6	1,171	8.8
Other primary family member	484	50.6	364	27.7	114	17.2
Not a member of primary family	104	50.0	116	44.8	61	(D)
MARITAL STATUS						
Married	5,506	47.2	11,286	16.6	8,766	6.4
Husband present	5,160	48.2	10,795	16.6	8,446	6.4
Husband absent	346	11.2	491	17.1	320	5.6
Widowed or divorced	361	37.4	1,128	20.7	961	10.9
LABOR FORCE STATUS						
In labor force	4,299	62.8	6,328	26.4	5,312	8.1
Employed	3,893	64.2	5,836	27.4	5,019	8.3
Unemployed	406	53.0	492	15.4	293	3.8
Not in labor force	2,568	25.7	6,086	7.2	4,417	5.4

Table 27. PERCENT CHILDLESS AMONG WOMEN EVER MARRIED 15 TO 44 YEARS OLD, BY SELECTED DEMOGRAPHIC AND SOCIAL CHARACTERISTICS—BLACK: JUNE 1976

(Numbers in thousands. Civilian noninstitutional population. For meaning of symbols, see text)

Subject	15 to 24 years		25 to 34 years		35 to 44 years	
	Number of women	Percent childless	Number of women	Percent childless	Number of women	Percent childless
Total	620	20.8	1,417	11.1	1,229	7.6
REGION OF RESIDENCE						
Northeast	71	(B)	275	12.0	251	8.0
North Central	117	26.5	296	8.8	279	7.5
South	359	16.7	718	12.3	583	6.7
West	74	(B)	128	7.8	116	11.2
METROPOLITAN-NONMETROPOLITAN						
Metropolitan	457	24.3	1,154	10.7	984	8.5
In central cities	329	23.1	849	9.8	747	8.7
Outside central cities	128	28.1	305	12.8	237	7.6
Nonmetropolitan	163	11.9	263	12.9	245	4.1
YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED						
Elementary: 0 to 8 years	43	(B)	93	10.8	166	12.0
High school: 1 to 3 years	183	10.9	341	8.5	379	6.3
4 years	300	20.0	658	9.3	455	7.0
College: 1 year or more	95	44.2	324	17.9	229	7.9
RELATIONSHIP						
Wife of husband-wife primary family	417	23.0	851	12.5	694	7.2
Female head, no husband present	101	6.9	448	5.6	474	7.0
Other member of household	102	27.5	118	21.2	60	(B)
MARITAL STATUS						
Married	572	21.0	1,198	11.0	936	7.6
Husband present	450	23.8	884	12.4	710	7.0
Husband absent	122	10.7	314	7.0	226	9.3
Widowed or divorced	47	(B)	218	11.5	293	7.5
LABOR FORCE STATUS						
In labor force	175	23.7	927	12.4	784	7.8
Employed	269	27.1	810	12.7	724	8.0
Unemployed	107	15.9	117	10.3	60	(B)
Not in labor force	243	16.5	489	8.6	444	7.2

Table 28. PERCENT CHILDLESS AMONG WOMEN EVER-MARRIED 15 TO 44 YEARS OLD, BY SELECTED DEMOGRAPHIC AND SOCIAL CHARACTERISTICS—SPANISH ORIGIN: JUNE 1976

(Numbers in thousands. Civilian noninstitutional population. For meaning of symbols, see text)

Subject	15 to 24 years		25 to 34 years		35 to 44 years	
	Number of women	Percent childless	Number of women	Percent childless	Number of women	Percent childless
Total	443	30.5	768	11.3	643	5.1
REGION OF RESIDENCE						
Northeast	104	36.5	159	16.4	178	7.3
North Central	29	(B)	69	(B)	43	(B)
South	144	29.2	202	6.9	176	2.8
West	166	27.1	337	12.2	245	4.5
METROPOLITAN-NONMETROPOLITAN						
Metropolitan	355	30.4	645	11.9	565	5.8
In central cities	231	32.9	403	11.7	345	7.0
Outside central cities	124	27.4	242	12.4	220	3.6
Nonmetropolitan	88	29.5	122	9.0	77	-
YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED						
Elementary 0 to 8 years	101	16.5	221	6.3	299	3.7
High school 1 to 3 years	153	24.8	161	5.6	103	3.9
4 years	151	41.1	260	14.2	173	6.9
College 1 year or more	37	(B)	126	21.4	67	(B)
HOUSEHOLD RELATIONSHIP						
Wife in husband-wife primary family	356	32.0	609	12.2	489	3.9
Female head, no husband present	32	(B)	121	1.7	132	6.8
Other member of household	55	(B)	38	(B)	22	(B)
MARITAL STATUS						
Married	424	31.8	698	12.3	571	4.2
Widowed or divorced	18	(B)	69	(B)	70	(B)
LABOR FORCE STATUS						
In labor force	185	46.9	388	15.2	303	6.6
Employed	162	46.9	332	16.6	280	7.1
Unemployed	22	(B)	56	(B)	23	(B)
Not in labor force	258	20.5	379	7.4	340	3.8

Table 29. CHILDREN EVER BORN PER 1,000 WOMEN [illegible] MARRIED 15 TO 44 YEARS OLD, BY INTERVAL SINCE FIRST MARRIAGE BEGAN AND SELECTED SOCIOE[illegible]C CHARACTERISTICS—ALL RACES: JUNE 1976

(Numbers in thousands. Civilian noninstitutional population. For meaning of symbols, see text)

Subject	Women					Children ever born per 1,000 women				
		Years since first marriage					Years since first marriage			
	Total	Less than 2	2 to 4	5 to 9	10 or more	Total	Less than 2	2 to 4	5 to 9	10 or more
WOMEN EVER MARRIED, 15 TO 44 YEARS OLD										
Residence										
Total	31,907	2,759	4,791	7,804	16,552	2,082	370	883	1,648	2,919
Metropolitan	21,687	1,853	3,210	5,429	11,195	2,027	357	853	1,624	2,835
Nonmetropolitan	10,219	906	1,582	2,375	5,357	2,199	395	943	1,703	3,095
Years of School Completed										
Total	31,907	2,759	4,791	7,804	16,552	2,082	370	883	1,648	2,919
Elementary 0 to 7 years	1,187	63	119	188	798	3,331	(B)	1,599	2,403	3,956
8 years	1,137	85	104	196	752	2,896	626	1,421	2,192	3,539
High school 1 to 3 years	3,384	491	727	1,074	1,092	2,594	555	1,336	2,153	3,367
4 years	15,400	1,305	2,264	3,795	8,037	2,026	360	911	1,641	2,793
College 1 to 3 years	4,814	492	813	1,317	2,191	1,718	223	643	1,445	2,617
4 years or more	4,005	323	764	1,233	1,684	1,430	92	447	1,245	2,325
Age at First Marriage										
Total	31,907	2,759	4,791	7,804	16,552	2,082	370	883	1,648	2,919
Under 18 years	6,716	435	790	1,250	4,241	2,633	462	1,139	1,861	3,361
18 and 19 years	9,861	756	1,356	2,227	5,522	2,155	332	921	1,654	2,910
20 and 21 years	7,417	697	1,126	2,030	3,603	1,911	269	707	1,573	2,779
22 to 24 years	3,298	361	925	1,460	2,352	1,727	325	767	1,535	2,559
25 years and over	2,615	150	595	847	843	1,595	596	968	1,698	2,359
WIVES 15 TO 44 YEARS OLD IN HUSBAND-WIFE PRIMARY FAMILIES										
Family Income										
Total	26,112	2,380	4,007	6,396	11,549	2,070	361	870	1,667	2,915
Under $3,000	557	173	117	105	162	2,035	502	1,359	2,401	3,919
$3,000 to $4,999	1,013	192	216	213	391	2,291	583	1,319	2,131	3,770
$5,000 to $7,499	2,217	621	472	545	779	2,033	409	1,214	1,944	3,469
$7,500 to $9,999	2,691	531	621	686	1,052	2,027	469	1,031	1,856	3,217
$10,000 to $14,999	9,389	624	1,259	2,025	3,477	1,986	295	830	1,674	2,890
$15,000 to $24,999	8,069	441	961	2,029	4,627	2,074	194	553	1,528	2,805
$25,000 and over	2,694	66	175	585	1,968	2,247	(B)	497	1,119	2,705
Income not reported	1,725	140	185	307	1,093	2,128	438	888	1,598	2,704
Years of School Completed by Civilian Husband										
Total	25,960	2,253	3,879	6,327	13,502	2,082	362	867	1,663	2,920
Elementary 0 to 7 years	1,356	61	104	185	893	3,409	(B)	1,653	2,261	3,858
8 years	1,180	67	99	198	816	2,887	(B)	1,555	2,023	3,370
High school 1 to 3 years	3,919	420	692	682	2,025	2,386	477	1,117	1,984	3,127
4 years	9,680	905	1,511	2,258	5,007	2,064	410	945	1,703	2,864
College 1 to 3 years	4,279	308	781	1,243	1,956	1,765	232	742	1,598	2,679
4 years or more	5,568	502	850	1,669	2,547	1,724	141	617	1,415	2,572
Major Occupation Group of Employed Civilian Husband										
Total	21,699	1,996	3,303	5,408	12,363	2,067	355	864	1,657	2,879
Professional and kindred workers	3,938	296	577	1,156	1,906	1,779	194	613	1,472	2,563
Managers and administrators, except farm	3,566	189	378	780	2,198	2,082	222	616	1,535	2,686
Sales workers	1,408	119	195	403	682	1,855	186	601	1,519	2,687
Clerical and kindred workers	1,356	141	241	459	635	1,899	141	700	1,570	2,847
Craft and kindred workers	5,506	505	766	1,307	3,027	2,191	313	959	1,742	2,949
Operatives, including transport	4,668	497	718	1,101	2,136	2,128	550	1,064	1,782	3,040
Service workers, including private household	1,357	127	241	386	703	2,079	905	838	1,686	2,984
Laborers, except farm	1,351	125	369	599	600	2,179	413	1,117	1,887	3,419
Farm workers	849	64	119	171	477	2,651	(B)	1,260	2,012	3,471

B Base (number of women for whom husband's record was not located) less than 75,000.

Table 30. CHILDREN EVER BORN PER 1,000 WOMEN EVER MARRIED 15 TO 44 YEARS OLD, BY INTERVAL SINCE FIRST MARRIAGE BEGAN AND SELECTED SOCIOECONOMIC CHARACTERISTICS—WHITE: JUNE 1976

(Numbers in thousands. Civilian noninstitutional population. For meaning of symbols, see text)

Subject	Women					Children ever born per 1,000 women				
		Years since first marriage					Years since first marriage			
	Total	Less than 2	2 to 4	5 to 9	10 or more	Total	Less than 2	2 to 4	5 to 9	10 or more
WOMEN EVER MARRIED, 15 TO 44 YEARS OLD										
Residence										
Total	28,010	2,435	4,147	6,892	14,535	2,017	308	805	1,600	2,846
Metropolitan	18,576	1,607	2,716	4,685	9,569	1,954	293	766	1,573	2,758
Nonmetropolitan	9,433	828	1,431	2,207	4,966	2,139	339	879	1,659	3,016
Years of School Completed										
Total	28,010	2,435	4,147	6,892	14,535	2,017	308	805	1,600	2,846
Elementary: 0 to 7 years	955	43	96	161	655	3,282	(B)	1,633	2,286	3,883
8 years	956	73	81	174	629	2,754	(B)	1,340	2,085	3,372
High school: 1 to 3 years	4,407	429	589	869	2,521	2,447	458	1,198	2,045	3,216
4 years	13,742	1,142	1,965	3,384	7,251	1,997	302	839	1,616	2,755
College: 1 to 3 years	4,306	444	708	1,183	1,972	1,693	195	601	1,428	2,582
4 years or more	3,643	304	708	1,123	1,508	1,428	50	414	1,219	2,339
Age at First Marriage										
Total	28,010	2,435	4,147	6,892	14,535	2,017	308	805	1,600	2,846
14 to 17 years	5,804	404	699	1,079	3,622	2,512	453	1,091	1,785	3,232
18 and 19 years	8,813	676	1,209	1,986	4,942	2,099	287	840	1,629	2,844
20 and 21 years	6,714	583	1,004	1,859	3,268	1,881	235	650	1,547	2,743
22 to 24 years	4,593	486	774	1,283	2,049	1,686	223	692	1,482	2,535
25 years and over	2,086	285	461	686	654	1,457	450	808	1,594	2,209
WIVES 15 TO 44 YEARS OLD IN HUSBAND-WIFE PRIMARY FAMILIES										
Family Income										
Total	23,863	2,116	3,549	5,805	12,393	2,039	294	810	1,636	2,877
Under $3,000	453	137	98	86	133	1,948	280	1,362	2,355	3,840
$3,000 to $4,999	834	168	164	182	319	2,168	530	1,238	1,989	3,614
$5,000 to $7,499	1,889	367	402	470	650	1,947	372	1,164	1,921	3,340
$7,500 to $9,999	2,357	297	546	607	907	1,959	420	961	1,844	3,140
$10,000 to $14,999	6,764	568	1,136	1,866	3,193	1,957	251	780	1,644	2,863
$15,000 to $24,999	7,482	396	875	1,875	4,335	2,062	143	509	1,505	2,792
$25,000 and over	2,541	63	160	454	1,864	2,267	(B)	452	1,325	2,727
Income not reported	1,542	119	166	266	991	2,098	253	861	1,578	2,665
Years of School Completed by Civilian Husband										
Total[1]	23,210	2,010	3,402	5,664	12,134	2,047	296	808	1,630	2,881
Elementary: 0 to 7 years	1,021	48	82	162	729	3,171	(B)	1,587	2,355	3,670
8 years	1,052	41	93	175	743	2,813	(B)	1,461	2,007	3,284
High school: 1 to 3 years	3,095	265	427	586	1,816	2,340	378	1,094	1,859	3,075
4 years	8,808	813	1,313	2,054	4,628	2,046	337	864	1,669	2,850
College: 1 to 3 years	4,112	460	703	1,132	1,818	1,760	192	700	1,593	2,671
4 years or more	5,122	383	784	1,555	2,400	1,720	129	496	1,403	2,579
Major Occupation Group of Employed Civilian Husband										
Total[1]	21,631	1,796	3,132	5,340	11,364	2,040	290	808	1,626	2,850
Prof., tech., and kindred workers	3,684	286	528	1,088	1,782	1,775	152	578	1,461	2,582
Managers and administrators, exc. farm	3,409	183	362	746	2,119	2,089	194	629	1,544	2,693
Sales workers	1,307	114	183	348	662	1,856	179	576	1,515	2,677
Clerical and kindred workers	1,185	98	198	324	565	1,874	239	653	1,529	2,784
Craft and kindred workers	5,102	370	688	1,208	2,837	2,162	237	877	1,688	2,926
Operatives, including transport	3,912	421	640	974	1,876	2,100	457	1,008	1,775	3,011
Service workers, including private household	1,134	111	201	242	580	1,979	237	731	1,654	2,883
Laborers, except farm	1,131	157	229	255	491	2,055	392	1,077	1,798	3,173
Farm workers	766	56	103	155	452	2,610	(B)	1,187	1,889	3,439

[1]Total excludes wives for whom husband's record was not located.

Table 31. CHILDREN EVER BORN PER 1,000 WOMEN EVER MARRIED 15 TO 44 YEARS OLD, BY INTERVAL SINCE FIRST MARRIAGE BEGAN AND SELECTED SOCIOECONOMIC CHARACTERISTICS—BLACK: JUNE 1976

(Numbers in thousands. Civilian noninstitutional population. For meaning of symbols, see text)

Subject	Women					Children ever born per 1,000 women				
		Years since first marriage					Years since first marriage			
	Total	Less than 2	2 to 4	5 to 9	10 or more	Total	Less than 2	2 to 4	5 to 9	10 or more
WOMEN EVER MARRIED, 15 TO 44 YEARS OLD										
Residence										
Total	3,365	271	512	730	1,753	2,676	927	1,474	2,063	3,553
Metropolitan	2,695	206	384	600	1,405	2,581	845	1,441	1,994	3,397
Nonmetropolitan	670	65	128	130	348	3,046	(B)	1,571	2,381	4,183
Years of School Completed										
Total	3,265	271	512	730	1,753	2,676	927	1,474	2,063	3,553
Not a high school graduate	1,204	80	154	212	759	3,489	1,388	1,916	2,759	4,229
High school, 4 years, or some college	2,060	190	358	519	994	2,202	732	1,279	1,775	3,036
Age at First Marriage										
Total	3,265	271	512	730	1,753	2,676	927	1,474	2,063	3,553
15 to 17 years	847	27	84	155	581	3,440	(B)	1,500	2,397	4,132
18 and 19 years	920	68	121	217	514	2,683	(B)	1,639	1,897	3,509
20 and 21 years	595	62	103	136	293	2,276	(B)	1,278	1,833	3,189
22 to 24 years	525	55	115	121	234	2,089	(B)	1,230	2,022	2,766
25 years and over	376	58	87	101	130	2,392	(B)	1,773	2,266	3,370
WIVES 15 TO 44 YEARS OLD IN HUSBAND-WIFE PRIMARY FAMILIES										
Family Income										
Total	1,903	216	354	453	941	2,501	1,011	1,407	2,029	3,481
Under $5,000	259	56	65	47	88	2,776	(B)	(B)	(B)	4,614
$5,000 to $9,999	541	71	104	124	242	2,706	(B)	1,567	2,056	4,050
$10,000 and over	1,044	74	172	259	541	2,330	(B)	1,238	1,892	3,083
Income not reported	121	15	14	23	70	2,519	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
Years of School Completed by Civilian Husband										
Total[1]	1,894	196	335	441	924	2,540	1,041	1,412	2,039	3,500
Not a high school graduate	707	65	88	126	428	3,274	(B)	1,557	2,508	4,166
High school, 4 years, or some college	1,187	131	247	315	496	2,103	954	1,364	1,851	2,925
Major Occupation Group of Employed Civilian Husband										
Total[1]	1,653	167	285	382	820	2,479	1,090	1,430	2,044	3,328
White-collar workers	379	47	58	81	193	2,061	(B)	(B)	1,617	2,819
Blue-collar and service workers	1,230	114	219	287	609	2,574	1,132	1,493	2,108	3,459
Farm workers	44	3	7	13	19	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)

[1] Total excludes wives for whom husband's record was not located.

Table 32. CHILDREN EVER BORN PER 1,000 WOMEN EVER MARRIED 15 TO 44 YEARS OLD, BY INTERVAL SINCE FIRST MARRIAGE BEGAN AND SELECTED SOCIOECONOMIC CHARACTERISTICS—SPANISH ORIGIN: JUNE 1976

(Numbers in thousands. Civilian noninstitutional population. For meaning of symbols, see text)

Subject	Women				Children ever born per 1,000 women			
		Years since first marriage				Years since first marriage		
	Total	Less than 4	5 to 9	10 or more	Total	Less than 4	5 to 9	10 or more
WOMEN EVER MARRIED, 15 TO 44 YEARS OLD								
Residence								
Total	1,853	494	459	900	2,475	1,038	1,992	3,512
Metropolitan	1,565	415	386	764	2,436	1,058	2,023	3,394
Nonmetropolitan	288	79	73	135	2,690	949	(B)	4,181
Years of School Completed								
Total	1,853	494	459	900	2,475	1,038	1,992	3,512
Not a high school graduate	1,040	246	229	565	2,919	1,317	2,288	3,871
High school, 4 years, or some college	812	249	230	334	1,909	759	1,696	2,910
Age at First Marriage								
Total	1,853	494	459	900	2,475	1,038	1,992	3,512
14 to 17 years	473	113	94	266	2,992	1,115	1,984	4,144
18 and 19 years	506	135	104	267	2,586	956	1,752	3,733
20 and 21 years	348	79	97	172	2,282	987	2,063	2,999
22 to 24 years	285	97	83	106	1,920	928	2,114	2,661
25 years and over	242	72	82	88	2,166	(B)	2,100	2,965
WIVES 15 TO 44 YEARS OLD IN HUSBAND-WIFE PRIMARY FAMILIES								
Family Income								
Total	1,454	416	359	679	2,405	1,043	1,960	3,476
Under $10,000	660	253	158	248	2,455	1,111	2,348	3,907
$10,000 and over	708	138	178	393	2,366	819	1,618	3,242
Income not reported	85	24	22	39	2,388	(B)	(B)	(B)
Years of School Completed by Civilian Husband								
Total[1]	1,425	403	354	666	2,396	1,042	1,768	3,452
Not a high school graduate	716	193	150	370	2,774	1,218	2,320	3,789
High school, 4 years, or some college	709	210	204	296	2,017	881	1,706	3,030
Major Occupation Group of Employed Civilian Husband								
Total[2]	1,255	347	318	591	2,424	1,049	1,953	3,485
White-collar workers	329	79	99	151	1,918	747	1,545	2,768
Blue-collar and service workers	869	249	204	417	2,541	1,084	2,137	3,607

[1] Total excludes wives for whom husband's record was not located.
[2] Total excludes wives for whom husband's record was not located and includes farm workers not shown separately.

Table 33. CHILDREN EVER BORN PER 1,000 WIVES IN HUSBAND-WIFE PRIMARY FAMILIES, FOR WIVES 15 TO 44 YEARS OLD, BY SELECTED SOCIOECONOMIC CHARACTERISTICS—ALL RACES: JUNE 1976

(Numbers in thousands. Civilian noninstitutional population. For meaning of symbols, see text)

Subject	15 to 24 years		25 to 34 years		35 to 44 years	
	Number of wives	Children ever born per 1,000 wives	Number of wives	Children ever born per 1,000 wives	Number of wives	Children ever born per 1,000 wives
YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED BY CIVILIAN HUSBAND						
Total[1]	5,375	806	11,715	1,883	9,242	3,041
Elementary: 0 to 7 years	140	1,514	412	2,796	692	3,977
8 years	139	1,360	408	2,495	633	3,474
High school: 1 to 3 years	838	1,062	1,326	2,336	1,354	3,250
4 years	2,265	841	4,161	2,005	3,254	2,992
College: 1 to 3 years	1,077	643	2,141	1,702	1,262	2,828
4 years or more	639	374	2,953	1,420	1,866	2,664
LABOR FORCE STATUS OF HUSBAND						
Total[1]	5,375	806	11,715	1,883	9,242	3,041
In civilian labor force	4,915	812	11,122	1,881	8,651	3,018
Employed	4,598	806	10,740	1,880	8,361	3,002
Unemployed	316	893	382	1,920	289	3,472
In Armed Forces	261	771	296	1,948	163	2,626
Not in labor force	182	752	280	1,885	411	3,703
MAJOR OCCUPATION GROUP OF EMPLOYED CIVILIAN HUSBAND						
Total	4,598	806	10,740	1,880	8,361	3,002
Prof., tech., and kindred workers	478	508	2,105	1,497	1,350	2,668
Managers and administrators, exc. farm	357	568	1,650	1,732	1,540	2,807
Sales workers	226	543	657	1,622	475	2,803
Clerical and kindred workers	270	673	611	1,639	475	2,931
Craft and kindred workers	1,173	866	2,388	2,085	1,944	3,122
Operatives, including transport	1,174	908	1,935	2,176	1,359	3,116
Service workers, including private household	300	730	560	1,875	497	3,123
Laborers, except farm	456	1,027	515	2,121	383	3,630
Farm workers	164	1,139	320	2,454	339	3,567
FAMILY INCOME						
Wives in labor force	3,079	531	5,751	1,560	4,870	2,903
Under $7,500	721	764	528	1,915	352	3,651
Under $3,000	116	637	62	(B)	44	(B)
$3,000 to $4,999	183	820	130	2,208	101	3,881
$5,000 to $7,499	422	775	336	1,723	207	3,346
$7,500 to $9,999	471	692	485	1,893	303	3,276
$10,000 to $14,999	999	481	1,665	1,672	1,060	2,958
$15,000 to $24,999	663	284	2,152	1,446	1,912	2,820
$25,000 and over	44	(B)	620	1,098	865	2,685
Income not reported	121	365	301	1,548	379	2,679
Wives not in labor force	2,356	1,159	5,964	2,196	4,371	3,195
Under $7,500	873	1,208	785	2,589	528	3,845
Under $3,000	162	1,069	110	2,772	64	(B)
$3,000 to $4,999	238	1,420	195	2,723	165	3,782
$5,000 to $7,499	473	1,149	480	2,492	299	3,908
$7,500 to $9,999	444	1,113	636	2,280	352	3,621
$10,000 to $14,999	657	1,184	1,939	2,156	1,065	3,108
$15,000 to $24,999	248	1,072	1,768	2,113	1,307	3,063
$25,000 and over	18	(B)	477	2,063	671	3,031
Income not reported	117	1,012	359	1,984	449	2,928

[1] Total includes wives for whom husband's record was not located.

Table 34. CHILDREN EVER BORN PER 1,000 WIVES IN HUSBAND-WIFE PRIMARY FAMILIES, FOR WIVES 15 TO 44 YEARS OLD, BY SELECTED SOCIOECONOMIC CHARACTERISTICS—WHITE: JUNE 1976

(Numbers in thousands. Civilian noninstitutional population. For meaning of symbols, see text)

Subject	15 to 24 years		25 to 34 years		35 to 44 years	
	Number of wives	Children ever born per 1,000 wives	Number of wives	Children ever born per 1,000 wives	Number of wives	Children ever born per 1,000 wives
YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED BY CIVILIAN HUSBAND						
Total[1]	4,878	761	10,621	1,869	8,364	2,999
Elementary: 0 to 7 years	121	1,504	347	2,795	552	3,777
8 years	127	1,378	366	2,434	559	3,386
High school: 1 to 3 years	744	993	1,162	2,293	1,189	3,228
4 years	2,075	795	3,730	1,999	3,003	2,970
College: 1 to 3 years	973	607	1,976	1,707	1,163	2,815
4 years or more	605	354	2,773	1,420	1,743	2,672
LABOR FORCE STATUS OF HUSBAND						
Total[1]	4,878	761	10,621	1,869	8,364	2,999
In civilian labor force	4,496	770	10,104	1,863	7,868	2,981
Employed	4,210	766	9,797	1,862	7,624	2,972
Unemployed	286	824	307	1,890	244	3,275
In Armed Forces	219	737	255	2,061	140	2,623
Not in labor force	149	586	251	1,890	342	3,535
MAJOR OCCUPATION GROUP OF EMPLOYED CIVILIAN HUSBAND						
Total	4,210	766	9,797	1,862	7,624	2,972
Prof., tech., and kindred workers	458	485	1,974	1,491	1,253	2,692
Managers and administrators, exc. farm	348	557	1,577	1,746	1,484	2,813
Sales workers	215	523	627	1,619	465	2,794
Clerical and kindred workers	234	636	534	1,647	417	2,859
Craft and kindred workers	1,095	822	2,209	2,066	1,799	3,095
Operatives, including transport	1,054	879	1,680	2,171	1,177	3,093
Service workers, including private household	261	674	475	1,834	398	3,009
Laborers, except farm	402	999	416	2,010	313	3,468
Farm workers	145	1,001	304	2,402	317	3,545
FAMILY INCOME						
Wives in labor force	2,711	467	5,047	1,524	4,315	2,856
Under $7,500	608	669	416	1,899	253	3,395
Under $3,000	98	540	44	(B)	26	(B)
$3,000 to $4,999	149	685	103	2,136	71	(B)
$5,000 to $7,499	361	697	269	1,759	156	3,091
$7,500 to $9,999	419	636	398	1,874	239	3,204
$10,000 to $14,999	915	430	1,455	1,632	947	2,954
$15,000 to $24,999	618	249	1,944	1,420	1,740	2,787
$25,000 and over	40	(B)	563	1,073	803	2,712
Income not reported	111	321	271	1,527	333	2,628
Wives not in labor force	2,167	1,130	5,574	2,182	4,048	3,151
Under $7,500	772	1,175	684	2,544	443	3,756
Under $3,000	138	1,009	89	2,794	58	(B)
$3,000 to $4,999	206	1,335	168	2,679	138	3,645
$5,000 to $7,499	428	1,150	427	2,440	247	3,786
$7,500 to $9,999	413	1,070	579	2,268	308	3,511
$10,000 to $14,999	627	1,155	1,842	2,149	978	3,056
$15,000 to $24,999	236	1,088	1,689	2,112	1,255	3,060
$25,000 and over	18	(B)	459	2,076	658	3,036
Income not reported	100	977	322	1,959	406	2,917

[1]Total includes wives for whom husband's record was not located.

Table 35. CHILDREN EVER BORN PER 1,000 WIVES IN HUSBAND-WIFE PRIMARY FAMILIES, FOR WIVES 15 TO 44 YEARS OLD, BY SELECTED SOCIOECONOMIC CHARACTERISTICS—BLACK: JUNE 1976

(Numbers in thousands. Civilian noninstitutional population. For meaning of symbols, see text)

Subject	15 to 24 years		25 to 34 years		35 to 44 years	
	Number of wives	Children ever born per 1,000 wives	Number of wives	Children ever born per 1,000 wives	Number of wives	Children ever born per 1,000 wives
YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED BY CIVILIAN HUSBAND						
Total[1]	417	1,326	851	2,149	695	3,638
Elementary: 0 to 8 years	23	(B)	95	2,926	197	4,695
High school: 1 to 3 years	83	1,651	152	2,645	157	3,420
4 years	164	1,384	381	2,113	191	3,157
College: 1 year or more	115	1,052	203	1,571	133	3,165
LABOR FORCE STATUS OF HUSBAND						
Total[1]	417	1,326	851	2,149	695	3,638
In civilian labor force	357	1,363	807	2,174	628	3,540
Employed	329	1,352	738	2,189	587	3,477
Unemployed	28	(B)	69	(B)	42	(B)
In Armed Forces	30	(B)	19	(B)	12	(B)
Not in labor force	27	(B)	25	(B)	50	(B)
MAJOR OCCUPATION GROUP OF EMPLOYED CIVILIAN HUSBAND						
Total	329	1,352	738	2,189	587	3,477
White-collar workers	66	(B)	177	1,688	136	3,103
Blue-collar and service workers	249	1,349	548	2,436	434	3,571
Farm workers	15	(B)	12	(B)	17	(B)
FAMILY INCOME						
Wives in labor force	265	1,167	589	1,902	444	3,414
Under $7,500	100	1,320	100	1,970	91	4,495
$7,500 and over	158	1,070	467	1,878	321	3,153
Income not reported	7	(B)	24	(B)	32	(B)
Wives not in labor force	153	1,603	262	2,703	251	4,033
Under $7,500	82	1,598	80	3,125	80	4,338
$7,500 and over	60	(B)	163	2,485	141	4,050
Income not reported	11	(B)	18	(B)	29	(B)

[1] Total includes wives for whom husband's record was not located.

Table 36. CHILDREN EVER BORN PER 1,000 WIVES IN HUSBAND-WIFE PRIMARY FAMILIES, FOR WIVES 15 TO 44 YEARS OLD, BY SELECTED SOCIOECONOMIC CHARACTERISTICS—SPANISH ORIGIN: JUNE 1976

(Numbers in thousands. Civilian noninstitutional population. For meaning of symbols, see text)

Subject	15 to 24 years		25 to 34 years		35 to 44 years	
	Number of wives	Children ever born per 1,000 wives	Number of wives	Children ever born per 1,000 wives	Number of wives	Children ever born per 1,000 wives
YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED BY CIVILIAN HUSBAND						
Total[1]	357	1,150	609	2,293	489	3,459
Elementary: 0 to 8 years	96	1,427	179	2,911	193	3,917
High school: 1 to 3 years	82	1,195	86	2,523	79	3,241
4 years	104	923	174	1,914	123	3,195
College: 1 year or more	66	(B)	162	1,914	80	2,900
LABOR FORCE STATUS OF HUSBAND						
Total[1]	357	1,150	609	2,293	489	3,459
In civilian labor force	324	1,152	572	2,310	441	3,424
Employed	297	1,161	541	2,326	418	3,448
Unemployed	27	(B)	32	(B)	23	(B)
In Armed Forces	9	(B)	7	(B)	11	(B)
Not in labor force	23	(B)	29	(B)	34	(B)
MAJOR OCCUPATION GROUP OF EMPLOYED CIVILIAN HUSBAND						
Total	297	1,161	541	2,326	418	3,448
White-collar workers	54	(B)	172	1,663	105	2,848
Blue-collar and service workers	229	1,214	343	2,534	299	3,548
Farm workers	15	(B)	27	(B)	14	(B)
FAMILY INCOME						
Wives in labor force	157	835	310	2,019	225	3,255
Under $7,500	93	(B)	51	(B)	30	(B)
$7,500 and over	87	678	242	1,963	184	3,201
Income not reported	8	(B)	17	(B)	13	(B)
Wives not in labor force	199	1,397	299	2,578	264	3,632
Under $7,500	113	1,381	118	2,949	65	(B)
$7,500 and over	79	1,456	160	2,369	180	3,511
Income not reported	7	(B)	22	(B)	18	(B)

[1] Total includes wives for whom husband's record was not located.

Table 37. NUMBER OF CHILDREN EVER BORN TO WIVES IN HUSBAND-WIFE PRIMARY FAMILIES, FOR WIVES 35 TO 44 YEARS OLD, BY SELECTED SOCIOECONOMIC CHARACTERISTICS—ALL RACES: JUNE 1976

(Percent distribution. Civilian noninstitutional population)

Subject	Wives 35 to 44 years old					Children ever born	
		Percent with specified number of children ever born					
	Number (thousands)	Total	0 or 1	2 to 4	5 or more	Number (thousands)	Per 1,000 wives
REGION OF RESIDENCE							
Total	9,242	100.0	16.2	66.8	17.0	28,108	3,041
Northeast	2,105	100.0	16.1	67.5	16.4	6,309	2,997
North Central	2,564	100.0	13.7	64.4	20.0	8,186	3,192
South	2,988	100.0	18.0	65.6	16.5	8,999	3,011
West	1,584	100.0	16.9	69.3	13.8	4,613	2,912
METROPOLITAN-NONMETROPOLITAN							
Total	9,242	100.0	16.2	66.8	17.0	28,108	3,041
Metropolitan	6,325	100.0	17.0	67.8	15.2	18,549	2,933
In central cities	2,131	100.0	21.4	62.6	16.0	6,137	2,880
Outside central cities	4,194	100.0	14.7	70.5	14.8	12,412	2,959
Nonmetropolitan	2,917	100.0	14.4	64.8	20.9	9,559	3,277
FARM-NONFARM							
Total	9,242	100.0	16.2	66.8	17.0	28,108	3,041
Nonfarm	8,792	100.0	16.4	67.0	16.6	26,514	3,016
Farm	450	100.0	11.1	64.3	24.6	1,594	3,539
YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED BY WIFE							
Total	9,242	100.0	16.2	66.8	17.0	28,108	3,041
Elementary: 0 to 7 years	457	100.0	12.5	53.6	33.9	1,819	3,981
8 years	428	100.0	14.8	57.1	28.1	1,576	3,684
High school: 1 to 3 years	1,479	100.0	15.6	58.6	25.9	5,099	3,447
4 years	4,561	100.0	18.0	69.1	14.9	13,427	2,944
College: 1 to 3 years	1,220	100.0	15.9	72.8	11.3	3,443	2,822
4 years or more	1,097	100.0	19.9	71.5	8.7	2,745	2,502
LABOR FORCE STATUS OF WIFE							
Total	9,242	100.0	16.2	66.8	17.0	28,108	3,041
In labor force	4,870	100.0	17.9	66.8	15.3	14,140	2,903
Not in labor force	4,371	100.0	14.2	66.9	18.9	13,968	3,195
LABOR FORCE STATUS OF CIVILIAN HUSBAND							
Total[1]	9,079	100.0	16.1	66.9	17.1	27,769	3,056
In labor force	8,651	100.0	16.0	67.5	16.5	26,106	3,018
Employed	8,362	100.0	15.9	68.0	16.1	25,101	3,002
Unemployed	289	100.0	17.3	54.7	28.0	1,005	3,472
Not in labor force	411	100.0	16.7	53.6	29.6	1,522	3,703
MAJOR OCCUPATION GROUP OF EMPLOYED CIVILIAN HUSBAND							
Total	8,362	100.0	15.9	68.0	16.1	25,101	3,002
Prof., tech., and kindred workers	1,350	100.0	17.3	74.4	8.4	3,603	2,668
Managers and administrators, exc. farm	1,540	100.0	15.1	73.7	11.2	4,323	2,807
Sales workers	475	100.0	17.9	70.1	12.0	1,330	2,803
Clerical and kindred workers	475	100.0	18.7	61.5	19.8	1,392	2,931
Craft and kindred workers	1,944	100.0	14.4	68.0	17.6	6,068	3,122
Operatives, including transport	1,359	100.0	18.2	62.7	19.1	4,235	3,116
Services workers, incl. private household	497	100.0	15.1	63.8	21.1	1,552	3,123
Laborers, except farm	383	100.0	14.4	57.1	28.5	1,389	3,630
Farm workers	339	100.0	10.3	62.8	26.8	1,209	3,567
FAMILY INCOME							
Total	9,242	100.0	16.2	66.8	17.0	28,108	3,041
Under $4,000	231	100.0	14.3	47.6	38.1	928	4,017
$4,000 to $7,499	649	100.0	15.7	53.6	30.8	2,386	3,676
$7,500 to $9,999	655	100.0	14.2	59.8	26.0	2,267	3,462
$10,000 to $14,999	2,125	100.0	17.9	64.6	17.6	6,445	3,033
$15,000 and over	4,755	100.0	15.0	71.8	13.2	13,750	2,892
Income not reported	828	100.0	21.0	65.4	13.5	2,330	2,814

[1]Total includes wives for whom husband's record was not located.

Table 38. NUMBER OF CHILDREN EVER BORN TO WIVES IN HUSBAND-WIFE PRIMARY FAMILIES, FOR WIVES 35 TO 44 YEARS OLD, BY SELECTED SOCIOECONOMIC CHARACTERISTICS—WHITE: JUNE 1976

(Percent distribution. Civilian noninstitutional population)

Subject	Wives 35 to 44 years old					Children ever born	
		Percent with specified number of children ever born					
	Number (thousands)	Total	0 or 1	2 to 4	5 or more	Number (thousands)	Per 1,000 wives
REGION OF RESIDENCE							
Total	8,364	100.0	15.7	68.4	15.9	25,083	2,999
Northeast	1,921	100.0	15.8	68.0	16.3	5,754	2,995
North Central	2,404	100.0	13.5	67.1	19.4	7,621	3,170
South	2,633	100.0	17.5	69.0	13.5	7,591	2,883
West	1,405	100.0	16.0	70.2	13.8	4,117	2,929
METROPOLITAN-NONMETROPOLITAN							
Total	8,364	100.0	15.7	68.4	15.9	25,083	2,999
Metropolitan	5,614	100.0	16.3	69.8	14.0	16,231	2,891
In central cities	1,660	100.0	20.1	66.3	13.6	4,636	2,793
Outside central cities	3,954	100.0	14.7	71.2	14.1	11,595	2,933
Nonmetropolitan	2,750	100.0	14.5	65.7	19.8	8,852	3,219
FARM-NONFARM							
Total	8,364	100.0	15.7	68.4	15.9	25,083	2,999
Nonfarm	7,926	100.0	16.0	68.6	15.4	23,538	2,970
Farm	438	100.0	11.0	64.6	24.4	1,545	3,529
YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED BY WIFE							
Total	8,364	100.0	15.7	68.4	15.9	25,083	2,999
Elementary: 0 to 7 years	385	100.0	12.5	55.6	31.9	1,467	3,811
8 years	381	100.0	14.4	58.8	26.8	1,373	3,601
High school: 1 to 3 years	1,278	100.0	15.1	61.7	23.2	4,276	3,345
4 years	4,198	100.0	15.3	70.4	14.3	12,330	2,937
College: 1 to 3 years	1,126	100.0	16.3	73.1	10.7	3,136	2,784
4 years or more	994	100.0	19.1	72.4	8.5	2,501	2,515
LABOR FORCE STATUS OF WIFE							
Total	8,364	100.0	15.7	68.4	15.9	25,083	2,999
In labor force	4,315	100.0	17.3	68.7	14.0	12,325	2,856
Not in labor force	4,048	100.0	14.0	68.1	17.9	12,758	3,151
LABOR FORCE STATUS OF CIVILIAN HUSBAND							
Total[1]	8,224	100.0	15.6	68.5	15.9	24,715	3,005
In labor force	7,868	100.0	15.5	69.1	15.4	23,456	2,981
Employed	7,624	100.0	15.4	69.5	15.1	22,657	2,972
Unemployed	244	100.0	18.4	57.4	24.2	800	3,275
Not in labor force	342	100.0	17.8	54.1	28.1	1,209	3,535
MAJOR OCCUPATION GROUP OF EMPLOYED CIVILIAN HUSBAND							
Total	7,625	100.0	15.4	69.5	15.1	22,657	2,972
Prof., techn., and kindred workers	1,253	100.0	16.8	74.6	8.5	3,373	2,692
Managers and administrators, except farm	1,484	100.0	14.4	74.8	10.8	4,174	2,813
Sales workers	465	100.0	17.8	70.1	11.8	1,298	2,794
Clerical and kindred workers	417	100.0	18.9	63.1	18.0	1,192	2,859
Craft and kindred workers	1,799	100.0	14.0	69.2	16.7	5,568	3,095
Operatives, including transport	1,177	100.0	17.0	65.4	17.6	3,642	3,093
Service workers, incl. private household	398	100.0	15.8	63.8	20.4	1,197	3,009
Laborers, except farm	313	100.0	12.5	61.7	25.9	1,087	3,468
Farm workers	317	100.0	10.4	63.8	25.8	1,123	3,545
FAMILY INCOME							
Total	8,364	100.0	15.7	68.4	15.9	25,083	2,999
Under $4,000	179	100.0	14.0	52.0	34.1	701	3,916
$4,000 to $7,499	518	100.0	15.1	56.8	28.2	1,822	3,517
$7,500 to $9,999	547	100.0	13.0	63.6	23.4	1,849	3,377
$10,000 to $14,999	1,926	100.0	17.5	65.5	17.0	5,788	3,006
$15,000 and over	4,456	100.0	14.7	72.6	12.7	12,864	2,887
Income not reported	738	100.0	20.1	66.7	13.3	2,057	2,786

[1] Total includes wives for whom husband's record was not located.

Table 39. NUMBER OF CHILDREN EVER BORN TO WIVES IN HUSBAND-WIFE PRIMARY FAMILIES, FOR WIVES 35 TO 44 YEARS OLD, BY SELECTED SOCIOECONOMIC CHARACTERISTICS—BLACK: JUNE 1976

(Percent distribution. Civilian noninstitutional population. For meaning of symbols, see text)

Subject	Wives 35 to 44 years old					Children ever born	
		Percent with specified number of children ever born					
	Number (thousands)	Total	0 or 1	2 to 4	5 or more	Number (thousands)	Per 1,000 wives
REGION OF RESIDENCE							
Total	695	100.0	20.3	48.6	31.1	2,528	3,638
Northeast	156	100.0	19.4	62.6	18.1	483	3,103
North Central	137	100.0	16.1	52.6	31.4	497	3,629
South	340	100.0	21.5	38.5	40.0	1,371	4,034
West	62	100.0	(B)	(B)	(B)	176	(B)
METROPOLITAN-NONMETROPOLITAN							
Total	695	100.0	20.3	48.6	31.1	2,528	3,638
Metropolitan	547	100.0	22.9	49.2	28.0	1,878	3,435
In central cities	393	100.0	25.1	48.5	26.4	1,318	3,353
Outside central cities	154	100.0	17.0	51.0	32.0	560	3,645
Nonmetropolitan	148	100.0	10.8	46.6	42.6	650	4,385
YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED BY WIFE							
Total	695	100.0	20.3	48.6	31.1	2,528	3,638
Elementary: 0 to 8 years	92	100.0	10.9	42.4	46.7	473	5,141
High school: 1 to 3 years	184	100.0	17.9	37.5	44.6	773	4,210
4 years	279	100.0	24.8	50.4	24.8	876	3,139
College: 1 year or more	141	100.0	20.4	64.1	15.5	405	2,872
LABOR FORCE STATUS OF WIFE							
Total	695	100.0	20.3	48.6	31.1	2,528	3,638
In labor force	444	100.0	22.5	49.0	28.4	1,515	3,414
Not in labor force	251	100.0	16.0	48.4	35.6	1,012	4,033
LABOR FORCE STATUS OF CIVILIAN HUSBAND							
Total[1]	683	100.0	20.7	47.9	31.4	2,487	3,641
In labor force	629	100.0	20.7	49.2	30.1	2,224	3,540
Employed	587	100.0	21.3	49.9	28.8	2,039	3,477
Unemployed	42	100.0	(B)	(B)	(B)	184	(B)
Not in labor force	50	100.0	(B)	(B)	(B)	261	(B)
MAJOR OCCUPATION GROUP OF EMPLOYED CIVILIAN HUSBAND							
Total	587	100.0	21.3	49.9	28.8	2,039	3,477
White-collar workers	136	100.0	24.8	49.6	25.5	422	3,103
Blue-collar and service workers	434	100.0	20.3	50.6	29.1	1,550	3,571
Farm workers	17	100.0	(B)	(B)	(B)	68	(B)
FAMILY INCOME							
Total	695	100.0	20.3	48.6	31.1	2,528	3,638
Under $4,000	47	100.0	(B)	(B)	(B)	214	(B)
$4,000 to $7,499	124	100.0	17.5	40.5	42.1	544	4,387
$7,500 to $9,999	78	100.0	19.2	33.3	47.4	341	4,353
$10,000 to $14,999	162	100.0	21.0	54.9	24.1	552	3,396
$15,000 and over	222	100.0	18.5	58.6	23.0	692	3,117
Income not reported	61	100.0	(B)	(B)	(B)	187	(B)

[1]Total includes wives for whom husband's record was not located.

Table 40. NUMBER OF CHILDREN EVER BORN TO WIVES IN HUSBAND-WIFE PRIMARY FAMILIES, FOR WIVES 35 TO 44 YEARS OLD, BY SELECTED SOCIOECONOMIC CHARACTERISTICS—SPANISH ORIGIN: JUNE 1976

(Percent distribution. Civilian noninstitutional population. For meaning of symbols, see text)

Subject	Wives 35 to 44 years old					Children ever born	
		Percent with specified number of children ever born					
	Number (thousands)	Total	0 or 1	2 to 4	5 or more	Number (thousands)	Per 1,000 wives
REGION OF RESIDENCE							
Total	489	100.0	15.1	60.7	24.1	1,693	3,459
Northeast	113	100.0	22.1	64.6	13.3	327	2,901
North Central	35	100.0	(B)	(B)	(B)	125	(B)
South	149	100.0	12.8	58.1	29.1	565	3,798
West	193	100.0	13.0	60.1	26.9	676	3,504
METROPOLITAN-NONMETROPOLITAN							
Total	489	100.0	15.1	60.7	24.1	1,693	3,459
Metropolitan	418	100.0	17.0	61.2	21.8	1,382	3,305
In central cities	245	100.0	18.4	59.6	22.0	799	3,264
Outside central cities	173	100.0	15.0	63.6	21.4	583	3,364
Nonmetropolitan	71	100.0	(B)	(B)	(B)	311	(B)
YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED BY WIFE							
Total	489	100.0	15.1	60.7	24.1	1,693	3,459
Elementary: 0 to 8 years	219	100.0	11.1	58.1	30.9	866	3,956
High school: 1 to 3 years	72	100.0	(B)	(B)	(B)	238	(B)
4 years	141	100.0	18.1	68.1	13.9	416	2,915
College: 1 year or more	56	100.0	(B)	(B)	(B)	172	(B)
LABOR FORCE STATUS OF WIFE							
Total	489	100.0	15.1	60.7	24.1	1,693	3,459
In labor force	225	100.0	18.7	58.2	23.1	734	3,255
Not in labor force	264	100.0	12.1	62.9	25.0	959	3,632
LABOR FORCE STATUS OF CIVILIAN HUSBAND							
Total[1]	478	100.0	15.1	60.8	24.1	1,657	3,474
In labor force	441	100.0	15.4	61.0	23.6	1,509	3,424
Employed	418	100.0	15.0	61.1	23.9	1,440	3,448
Unemployed	23	100.0	(B)	(B)	(B)	68	(B)
Not in labor force	34	100.0	(B)	(B)	(B)	127	(B)
MAJOR OCCUPATION GROUP OF EMPLOYED CIVILIAN HUSBAND							
Total	418	100.0	15.0	61.2	23.9	1,440	3,448
White-collar workers	105	100.0	15.2	73.3	11.4	299	2,848
Blue-collar and service workers	299	100.0	15.4	58.2	26.4	1,061	3,548
Farm workers	14	100.0	(B)	(B)	(B)	81	(B)
FAMILY INCOME							
Total	489	100.0	15.1	60.7	24.1	1,693	3,459
Under $4,000	22	100.0	(B)	(B)	(B)	111	(B)
$4,000 to $7,499	73	100.0	(B)	(B)	(B)	253	(B)
$7,500 to $9,999	79	100.0	15.0	53.8	31.3	288	3,654
$10,000 to $14,999	150	100.0	12.7	63.3	24.0	532	3,542
$15,000 and over	135	100.0	14.0	72.8	13.2	401	2,970
Income not reported	31	100.0	(B)	(B)	(B)	108	(B)

[1] Total includes wives for whom husband's record was not located.

Table 41. CHILDREN EVER BORN PER 1,000 WOMEN EVER MARRIED, FOR WOMEN 15 TO 59 YEARS OLD, BY AGE AT FIRST MARRIAGE: JUNE 1976

(Numbers in thousands. Civilian noninstitutional population. For meaning of symbols, see text)

Subject	Age of woman at survey date								
	15 to 19 years	20 to 24 years	25 to 29 years	30 to 34 years	35 to 39 years	40 to 44 years	45 to 49 years	50 to 54 years	55 to 59 years
ALL RACES									
Number of Women by Age at First Marriage									
Total	1,125	5,472	7,513	6,628	5,722	5,457	5,702	5,944	5,299
14 to 17 years	767	1,289	1,179	1,158	1,182	1,143	909	947	704
18 and 19 years	358	2,252	2,208	1,841	1,727	1,478	1,470	1,273	945
20 and 21 years	(X)	1,459	2,043	1,563	1,175	1,179	1,310	1,277	1,081
22 to 24 years	(X)	472	1,633	1,275	947	972	1,080	1,303	1,191
25 to 29 years	(X)	(X)	450	694	503	478	615	742	885
30 to 34 years	(X)	(X)	(X)	96	168	127	208	249	300
35 to 59 years	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	20	80	111	152	193
Children Ever Born Per 1,000 Women by Age at First Marriage									
Total	548	897	1,539	2,292	2,931	3,190	3,206	2,919	2,718
14 to 17 years	693	1,579	2,361	3,126	3,739	3,761	3,887	3,579	3,488
18 and 19 years	237	917	1,847	2,520	3,136	3,367	3,423	3,128	3,085
20 and 21 years	(X)	464	1,414	2,240	2,846	3,196	3,212	2,884	2,811
22 to 24 years	(X)	275	930	1,865	2,394	2,943	3,080	2,883	2,588
25 to 29 years	(X)	(X)	654	1,395	2,128	2,468	2,708	2,501	2,377
30 to 34 years	(X)	(X)	(X)	839	1,419	1,682	1,692	2,112	1,970
35 to 59 years	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(B)	1,392	1,506	1,030	1,109
WHITE									
Number of Women by Age at First Marriage									
Total	1,017	4,852	6,622	5,795	4,978	4,754	5,026	5,296	4,774
14 to 17 years	688	1,144	1,019	982	995	977	765	798	594
18 and 19 years	330	1,989	1,983	1,669	1,534	1,312	1,335	1,170	861
20 and 21 years	(X)	1,305	1,855	1,409	1,071	1,077	1,170	1,173	1,022
22 to 24 years	(X)	414	1,394	1,113	828	845	972	1,179	1,096
25 to 29 years	(X)	(X)	371	552	402	386	528	653	797
30 to 34 years	(X)	(X)	(X)	70	135	99	167	210	240
35 to 59 years	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	13	57	89	113	163
Children Ever Born Per 1,000 Women by Age at First Marriage									
Total	500	835	1,499	2,248	2,853	3,110	3,135	2,874	2,658
14 to 17 years	641	1,518	2,312	3,051	3,576	3,573	3,612	3,480	3,292
18 and 19 years	207	849	1,809	2,490	3,048	3,303	3,337	3,053	2,962
20 and 21 years	(X)	418	1,388	2,199	2,829	3,143	3,199	2,857	2,784
22 to 24 years	(X)	199	872	1,817	2,346	2,936	3,035	2,901	2,600
25 to 29 years	(X)	(X)	515	1,282	2,007	2,308	2,738	2,449	2,326
30 to 34 years	(X)	(X)	(X)	(B)	1,350	1,451	1,615	1,915	1,925
35 to 59 years	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(B)	(B)	1,431	876	1,042
BLACK									
Number of Women by Age at First Marriage									
Total	95	525	745	672	618	611	580	566	478
14 to 19 years	95	348	350	329	335	309	256	227	178
20 to 24 years	(X)	176	334	238	176	196	209	202	147
25 years and over	(X)	(X)	61	103	106	105	115	137	152
Children Ever Born Per 1,000 Women by Age at First Marriage									
Total	1,021	1,446	1,947	2,753	3,602	3,859	3,743	3,310	3,202
14 to 19 years	1,021	1,718	2,411	3,170	4,301	4,414	4,762	4,101	4,528
20 to 24 years	(X)	915	1,539	2,517	2,960	3,352	3,325	2,881	2,694
25 years and over	(X)	(X)	(B)	2,010	2,491	3,200	2,217	2,642	2,158

Table 42. AGE AT BIRTH OF LATEST CHILD, FOR MOTHERS EVER MARRIED 15 TO 59 YEARS OLD, BY NUMBER OF CHILDREN EVER BORN: JUNE 1976

(Percent distribution. Civilian noninstitutional population. For meaning of symbols, see text)

Parity and age of women	Number of women (thousands)	Age at birth of latest child									Median age (years)
		Total	14 to 17 years	18 and 19 years	20 and 21 years	22 to 24 years	25 to 29 years	30 to 34 years	35 to 39 years	40 years and over	
ALL PARITIES											
15 to 19 years	505	100.0	55.2	44.8	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	<18
20 to 24 years	3,188	100.0	7.7	26.5	39.3	26.5	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	20.8
25 to 29 years	5,878	100.0	2.0	6.0	13.9	38.6	39.5	(X)	(X)	(X)	24.2
30 to 34 years	5,931	100.0	1.0	3.6	8.3	21.2	48.4	17.4	(X)	(X)	26.6
35 to 39 years	5,344	100.0	1.0	2.0	6.5	18.8	38.5	26.6	6.7	(X)	27.8
40 to 44 years	5,047	100.0	0.9	2.0	4.1	12.2	34.7	31.3	12.8	2.1	29.4
45 to 49 years	5,256	100.0	0.8	2.2	3.4	10.9	29.0	30.8	17.7	5.2	30.6
50 to 54 years	5,349	100.0	1.0	2.2	3.1	9.8	24.6	29.3	21.9	8.1	31.6
55 to 59 years	4,614	100.0	1.5	2.4	3.9	8.8	22.8	27.6	23.0	10.1	31.9
1 CHILD EVER BORN											
15 to 19 years	407	100.0	60.0	40.0	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	<18
20 to 24 years	1,856	100.0	10.5	33.4	35.2	20.9	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	20.3
25 to 29 years	2,114	100.0	3.7	9.5	17.8	36.6	32.5	(X)	(X)	(X)	23.6
30 to 34 years	1,118	100.0	3.1	8.9	13.9	22.2	38.0	13.8	(X)	(X)	25.3
35 to 39 years	611	100.0	5.1	6.6	14.3	20.3	25.4	23.8	4.6	(X)	25.7
40 to 44 years	523	100.0	5.9	7.6	13.6	19.7	26.2	18.2	7.5	1.3	25.6
45 to 49 years	570	100.0	4.7	11.2	9.6	18.4	25.0	21.9	7.5	1.6	26.2
50 to 54 years	846	100.0	5.3	7.4	10.0	22.7	20.7	17.3	10.9	5.7	26.1
55 to 59 years	819	100.0	5.7	6.8	11.1	16.7	27.6	16.8	10.9	4.3	26.8
2 CHILDREN EVER BORN											
15 to 19 years	87	100.0	32.6	67.4	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	18.5
20 to 24 years	1,024	100.0	4.0	17.6	46.9	31.5	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	21.2
25 to 29 years	2,431	100.0	1.1	4.6	13.5	42.0	38.8	(X)	(X)	(X)	24.2
30 to 34 years	2,289	100.0	0.5	3.1	8.6	25.3	48.4	14.2	(X)	(X)	26.3
35 to 39 years	1,591	100.0	0.9	3.0	9.4	25.2	39.0	19.5	3.1	(X)	26.5
40 to 44 years	1,222	100.0	0.7	2.9	7.0	20.0	40.5	22.3	6.1	0.5	27.4
45 to 49 years	1,381	100.0	0.8	2.8	5.7	18.8	37.5	24.2	7.2	3.0	27.9
50 to 54 years	1,451	100.0	0.6	2.8	3.0	13.5	37.5	27.7	12.0	2.8	29.0
55 to 59 years	1,345	100.0	1.0	2.5	4.8	11.0	29.4	30.4	16.4	4.5	30.2
3 CHILDREN EVER BORN											
15 to 24 years	264	100.0	5.7	16.3	38.4	39.5	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	21.5
25 to 29 years	933	100.0	1.0	3.5	9.9	37.0	48.6	(X)	(X)	(X)	24.9
30 to 34 years	1,400	100.0	0.7	2.7	6.9	18.9	53.1	17.6	(X)	(X)	27.0
35 to 39 years	1,379	100.0	0.4	1.0	5.6	20.3	41.5	26.6	4.6	(X)	27.7
40 to 44 years	1,274	100.0	0.1	1.3	2.4	13.8	39.8	31.7	9.0	1.8	29.1
45 to 49 years	1,245	100.0	0.4	0.9	2.2	10.4	36.3	32.3	14.9	2.7	30.0
50 to 54 years	1,231	100.0	0.2	0.4	2.0	7.8	28.0	37.6	20.2	3.7	31.5
55 to 59 years	978	100.0	0.3	1.3	0.7	6.7	23.7	36.2	24.1	7.1	32.4
4 CHILDREN EVER BORN											
15 to 29 years	323	100.0	0.9	4.3	11.1	35.0	48.6	(X)	(X)	(X)	24.9
30 to 34 years	676	100.0	0.3	1.0	5.2	15.8	53.8	23.9	(X)	(X)	27.6
35 to 39 years	884	100.0	-	0.3	2.0	14.1	42.5	33.4	7.6	(X)	29.0
40 to 44 years	896	100.0	0.2	1.2	1.6	7.2	38.5	35.0	14.6	1.7	30.2
45 to 49 years	795	100.0	-	0.3	1.3	6.4	26.3	40.3	20.9	4.6	31.9
50 to 54 years	709	100.0	-	1.0	0.7	3.7	17.6	35.1	32.7	9.2	33.8
55 to 59 years	621	100.0	0.5	-	2.3	5.5	15.7	33.1	31.0	12.0	33.9
5 OR MORE CHILDREN EVER BORN											
15 to 29 years	133	100.0	-	1.5	3.0	36.4	59.1	(X)	(X)	(X)	25.8
30 to 34 years	448	100.0	-	-	2.2	13.6	51.2	32.9	(X)	(X)	28.3
35 to 39 years	879	100.0	-	0.2	1.7	8.2	37.7	34.9	17.3	(X)	30.3
40 to 44 years	1,132	100.0	-	-	0.6	2.4	23.5	43.5	25.3	4.8	32.7
45 to 49 years	1,265	100.0	-	0.1	0.6	2.3	16.0	34.4	34.5	12.1	34.5
50 to 54 years	1,112	100.0	-	-	0.5	1.3	11.3	27.7	38.1	21.0	36.2
55 to 59 years	851	100.0	-	0.7	0.6	2.6	11.8	19.8	38.0	26.6	36.9

Table 43. INTERVAL SINCE FIRST MARRIAGE BEGAN FOR CHILDLESS WOMEN AND INTERVAL SINCE BIRTH OF LATEST CHILD FOR MOTHERS, BY NUMBER OF CHILDREN EVER BORN, FOR WOMEN EVER MARRIED 15 TO 44 YEARS OLD: JUNE 1976

(Percent distribution. Civilian noninstitutional population. For meaning of symbols, see text)

Subject	Number of women (thousands)	Interval							Average interval (months)
		Total	Less than 12 months	12 to 23 months	24 to 35 months	36 to 47 months	48 to 59 months	60 months or more	
15 TO 44 YEARS									
Total	31,907	100.0	11.4	11.4	9.5	8.2	7.3	52.2	80.4
Childless	6,013	100.0	17.3	15.3	12.4	10.3	7.9	36.9	64.6
1 child ever born	6,629	100.0	14.8	16.3	12.6	9.7	7.3	39.3	66.1
2 children ever born	8,644	100.0	10.1	10.1	9.3	8.1	7.5	54.8	84.1
3 children ever born	5,249	100.0	8.4	7.4	6.5	6.0	6.8	64.9	95.3
4 children ever born	2,781	100.0	6.1	6.1	5.4	6.3	7.0	69.1	97.8
5 or more children ever born	2,591	100.0	5.3	7.6	6.4	6.2	6.8	67.7	92.3
15 TO 19 YEARS									
Total	1,125	100.0	54.9	29.1	10.4	4.8	0.8	-	13.2
Childless	620	100.0	58.5	27.9	9.4	3.4	0.8	-	12.4
1 child ever born	407	100.0	45.2	32.4	13.3	8.1	1.0	-	15.4
2 or more children ever born	98	100.0	72.4	22.4	5.1	-	-	-	9.2
20 TO 24 YEARS									
Total	5,470	100.0	25.9	26.1	18.9	13.4	8.4	7.4	26.7
Childless	2,282	100.0	23.6	24.8	20.1	15.3	8.5	7.6	27.9
1 child ever born	1,856	100.0	22.5	26.9	19.0	12.2	9.9	9.5	28.5
2 children ever born	1,024	100.0	30.4	28.8	16.9	12.6	6.3	4.9	23.6
3 children ever born	234	100.0	49.0	19.2	15.3	8.6	5.5	2.0	18.1
4 or more children ever born	55	100.0	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
25 TO 29 YEARS									
Total	7,510	100.0	13.4	15.3	14.2	12.8	11.7	32.6	46.7
Childless	1,632	100.0	6.6	8.3	11.6	13.0	13.4	47.2	58.9
1 child ever born	2,114	100.0	14.0	16.0	14.7	12.2	9.4	33.6	47.4
2 children ever born	2,431	100.0	13.9	15.4	16.2	13.4	13.0	28.1	43.4
3 children ever born	933	100.0	19.2	22.5	11.9	12.3	11.0	23.2	37.8
4 children ever born	282	100.0	21.9	20.5	17.0	9.5	10.6	20.5	35.1
5 or more children ever born	118	100.0	19.7	30.8	11.1	18.8	12.8	6.8	29.2
30 TO 34 YEARS									
Total	6,626	100.0	6.3	7.7	8.6	8.7	8.5	60.2	76.6
Childless	695	100.0	3.3	4.6	3.9	4.0	5.6	78.6	106.4
1 child ever born	1,118	100.0	6.1	8.2	8.1	8.5	5.2	63.8	85.9
2 children ever born	2,289	100.0	6.0	6.6	8.9	8.6	8.9	60.9	74.6
3 children ever born	1,400	100.0	7.0	6.5	9.5	7.8	10.7	58.6	71.2
4 children ever born	676	100.0	8.1	10.2	8.0	13.9	8.7	51.2	63.1
5 or more children ever born	448	100.0	7.6	16.8	13.4	11.9	12.3	38.0	54.4
35 TO 39 YEARS									
Total	5,720	100.0	2.4	3.0	3.2	3.6	5.5	82.2	117.7
Childless	376	100.0	1.3	1.9	1.9	1.6	2.4	90.9	157.8
1 child ever born	611	100.0	1.8	2.8	3.1	3.8	6.4	82.2	133.3
2 children ever born	1,591	100.0	1.4	1.5	1.9	2.5	3.5	89.1	128.9
3 children ever born	1,379	100.0	1.5	2.3	3.2	3.5	5.4	84.1	115.5
4 children ever born	884	100.0	2.9	3.4	2.8	4.1	8.6	78.3	102.3
5 or more children ever born	879	100.0	6.1	7.1	6.4	6.1	7.2	67.1	88.6
40 TO 44 YEARS									
Total	5,455	100.0	0.7	0.8	1.4	1.5	2.0	93.6	159.9
Childless	408	100.0	0.5	1.2	2.0	0.5	1.7	94.1	214.4
1 child ever born	523	100.0	0.4	-	1.3	1.7	0.4	96.4	194.3
2 children ever born	1,222	100.0	0.3	0.4	0.2	0.6	0.9	97.7	180.2
3 children ever born	1,274	100.0	0.6	0.5	0.9	1.7	1.3	94.9	158.0
4 children ever born	896	100.0	0.8	0.3	1.6	1.6	3.6	92.2	143.2
5 or more children ever born	1,132	100.0	1.5	1.9	3.1	2.4	3.8	87.2	117.7

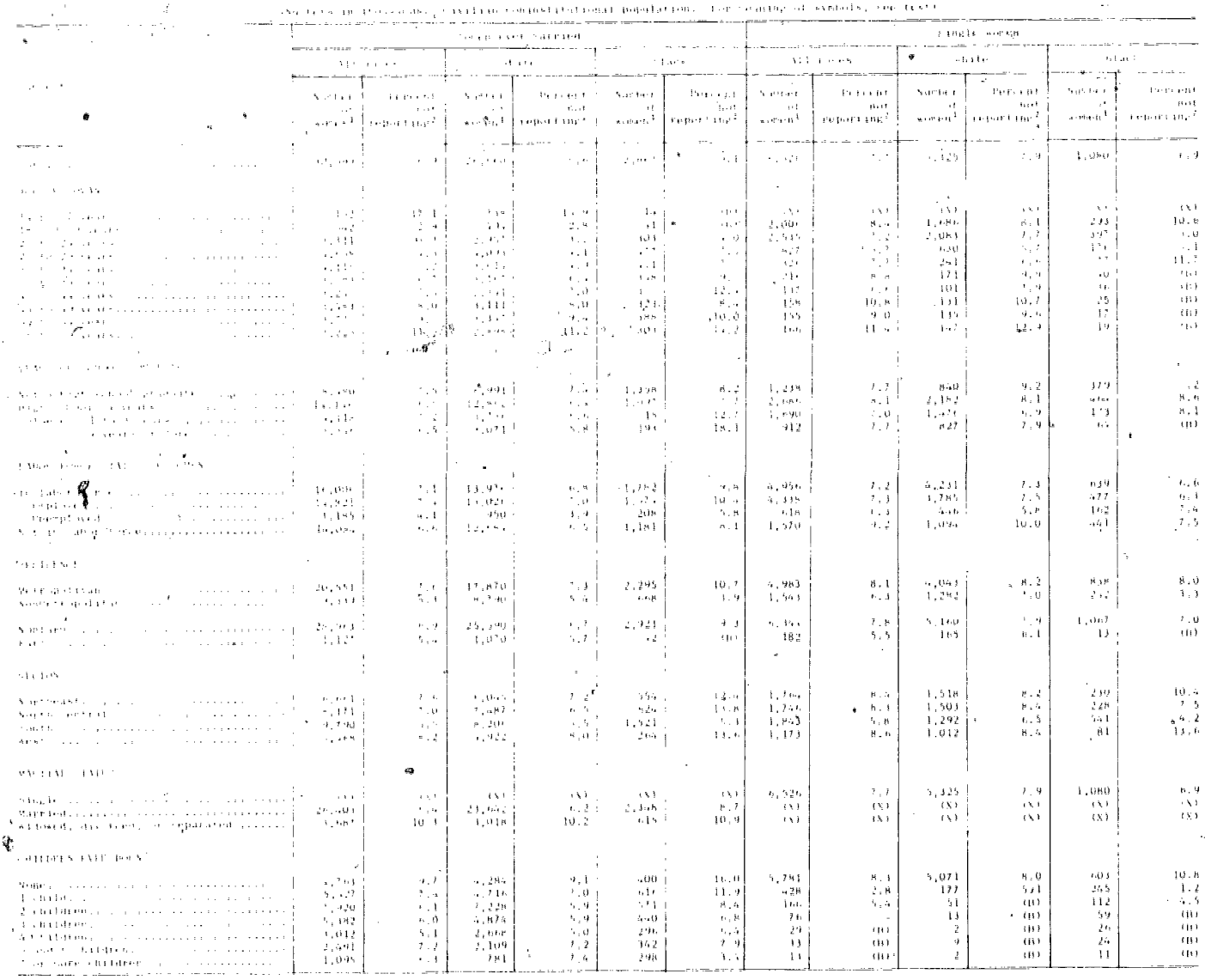
Table A-1. PERCENTAGE OF WOMEN NOT REPORTING ON BIRTH EXPECTATIONS, BY SELECTED DEMOGRAPHIC AND SOCIAL CHARACTERISTICS: JUNE 1976

(Numbers in thousands. Civilian noninstitutional population. For meaning of symbols, see text)

Subject	Women ever married						Single women					
	All races		White		Black		All races		White		Black	
	Number of women[1]	Percent not reporting[2]	Number of women[1]	Percent not reporting[2]	Number of women[1]	Percent not reporting[2]	Number of women[1]	Percent not reporting[2]	Number of women[1]	Percent not reporting[2]	Number of women[1]	Percent not reporting[2]
Total	15,802	10.7	14,058	10.2	1,465	19.7	5,604	16.5	4,660	16.6	654	16.1
Age of women												
15 to 17 years	144	21.5	114	19.4	15	(B)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
18 to 19 years	1,351	17.1	1,161	16.6	165	23.1	1,561	37.5	1,269	37.6	200	36.7
20 to 24 years	4,658	18.9	4,093	18.0	437	28.7	827	12.6	610	12.5	174	11.5
25 to 29 years	4,116	14.4	3,686	14.8	411	19.7	320	12.2	241	11.5	57	16.4
30 to 34 years	3,971	11.4	3,776	11.0	221	19.2	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Years of school completed												
Not a high school graduate	5,111	17.0	4,005	16.0	991	20.5	958	16.0	656	17.1	287	11.7
High school graduate	5,750	14.4	4,914	14.0	775	26.6	2,196	16.2	1,835	16.0	342	17.3
College	4,945	13.8	4,439	13.5	435	17.9	1,598	17.1	1,188	17.5	365	18.2
1 to 3 years	2,966	10.2	1,851	10.0	106	23.9	956	16.1	671	15.5	80	(B)
4 years or more	1,979	14.2	1,588	13.9	329	17.0	642	17.4	517	17.6	125	16.8
Labor force status												
In labor force	5,445	11.6	4,705	10.1	661	19.3	3,341	16.0	3,706	16.2	587	14.6
Employed	4,859	11.1	4,279	10.1	567	19.6	3,250	16.6	3,279	16.9	503	15.9
Unemployed	586	14.2	426	13.5	104	17.8	491	10.1	427	10.3	154	11.2
Not in labor force	10,356	10.1	9,353	10.1	804	20.4	2,263	16.1	954	15.8	780	19.6
Family income												
Under $5,000	1,971	16.4	1,606	15.6	1,153	21.2	1,458	16.1	1,527	16.1	738	16.2
$5,000 to $9,999	3,154	13.4	2,679	12.2	415	24.4	1,186	17.8	1,114	18.0	205	15.6
$10,000 to $14,999	3,612	11.2	3,267	10.1	268	21.3	1,031	16.2	1,002	16.3	112	15.8
$15,000 and over	7,065	10.2	6,506	10.2	150	(B)	1,929	16.4	1,668	17.2	111	(B)
Region												
Northeast	3,731	10.1	3,239	10.1	358	24.8	1,488	19.4	1,378	19.7	106	18.1
North Central	4,754	10.6	4,213	10.4	498	27.1	1,769	16.1	1,561	15.9	200	17.0
South	5,680	10.9	4,440	11.0	1,062	15.5	1,643	16.6	1,119	17.0	471	14.8
West	1,637	10.2	1,166	10.0	147	16.8	1,306	15.8	1,012	15.0	76	17.1
Size of place												
Rural	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	1,046	16.5	1,660	16.6	94	16.1
Urban	14,165	10.1	12,760	10.0	1,075	20.5	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Metropolitan, central city	7,637	10.9	6,428	10.1	1,009	19.7	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Children ever born												
None	3,111	11.1	2,649	10.6	390	29.0	5,070	16.2	4,233	17.1	550	16.1
1 child	2,609	12.4	2,305	12.0	264	23.7	486	24.3	357	24.6	104	21.8
2 children	4,609	12.5	4,013	12.0	525	18.2	144	20.8	98	(B)	39	22.1
3 children	3,112	11.9	2,906	11.7	168	19.9	56	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
4 children or more	1,911	11.1	1,585	10.8	112	12.0	60	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)

[1] Data refer to women in the sample population and as not inflated to estimates of the national population.
[2] For definition of reporting, see section in text entitled, Reporting on birth expectations.

Table A-2. PERCENTAGE OF WOMEN NOT REPORTING ON CHILDREN EVER BORN, BY SELECTED DEMOGRAPHIC AND SOCIAL CHARACTERISTICS: JUNE 1976



[Numbers in thousands. Civilian noninstitutional population. For meaning of symbols, see text]

	Women ever married						Single women					
	All races		White		Black		All races		White		Black	
	Number of women[1]	Percent not reporting[2]	Number of women[1]	Percent not reporting[2]	Number of women[1]	Percent not reporting[2]	Number of women[1]	Percent not reporting[2]	Number of women[1]	Percent not reporting[2]	Number of women[1]	Percent not reporting[2]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	5,325	7.9	1,080	6.9
[illegible]												
[illegible]	[illegible]	17.1	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	(D)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	2.8	[illegible]	(D)	2,000	8.4	1,686	8.1	293	10.8
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	403	[illegible]	2,545	[illegible]	2,083	7.7	397	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	427	[illegible]	630	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	241	[illegible]	[illegible]	11.7
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	171	9.9	[illegible]	(D)
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	12.4	[illegible]	[illegible]	101	[illegible]	[illegible]	(D)
[illegible]	[illegible]	8.0	3,111	8.0	[illegible]	8.4	158	10.8	131	10.7	25	(D)
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	9.4	[illegible]	10.0	155	9.0	135	9.6	17	(D)
[illegible]	[illegible]	11.2	[illegible]	11.2	[illegible]	[illegible]	166	11.4	147	12.4	19	(D)
[illegible]												
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	1,398	8.2	1,238	7.7	840	9.2	379	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	2,686	8.1	2,182	8.1	[illegible]	8.6
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	18	12.7	1,690	[illegible]	1,476	6.9	173	8.1
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	5.8	194	18.1	912	7.7	827	7.9	[illegible]	(D)
[illegible]												
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	6.8	[illegible]	[illegible]	4,956	7.2	4,231	7.3	639	6.6
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	10.4	4,338	7.3	3,785	7.5	477	6.1
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	950	[illegible]	208	5.8	618	[illegible]	446	5.8	162	7.4
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	1,181	8.1	1,570	9.2	1,094	10.0	441	7.5
[illegible]												
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	17,870	[illegible]	2,295	10.7	4,983	8.1	4,043	8.2	838	8.0
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	8,790	[illegible]	668	3.9	1,563	6.3	1,282	[illegible]	[illegible]	3.3
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	25,390	[illegible]	2,921	[illegible]	[illegible]	7.8	5,160	[illegible]	1,067	7.0
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	1,070	[illegible]	[illegible]	(D)	182	5.5	165	8.1	13	(D)
[illegible]												
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	554	12.4	1,764	8.4	1,518	8.2	230	10.4
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	7,487	[illegible]	824	13.8	1,746	8.3	1,503	8.4	228	7.5
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	8,200	[illegible]	1,521	[illegible]	1,843	5.8	1,292	6.5	541	4.2
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	8.0	264	13.6	1,173	8.6	1,012	8.4	81	13.6
[illegible]												
[illegible]	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	6,526	7.7	5,325	7.9	1,080	6.9
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	21,642	6.2	2,348	8.7	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
[illegible]	[illegible]	10.3	1,018	10.2	618	10.9	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
[illegible]												
[illegible]	[illegible]	9.7	4,284	9.1	400	16.0	5,781	8.3	5,071	8.0	603	10.8
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	4,716	[illegible]	616	11.9	428	2.8	177	5.1	265	1.2
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	7,228	5.9	[illegible]	8.4	166	5.4	51	(D)	112	4.5
[illegible]	[illegible]	6.0	4,874	5.9	440	6.8	76	-	13	(D)	59	(D)
[illegible]	[illegible]	5.1	2,668	5.0	296	6.4	29	(D)	2	(D)	26	(D)
[illegible]	[illegible]	7.2	2,109	7.2	342	7.9	13	(D)	9	(D)	24	(D)
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	781	7.6	298	[illegible]	11	(D)	2	(D)	11	(D)

[1]Numbers refer to women in the sample population and are not inflated estimates of the national population.

[2]Percentage not reporting includes any woman under 24 years old who reported a number of children ever born which would imply an average of more than one birth a year since age [illegible], a woman 15 years old who reports a or more children ever born.

[3]For a woman not reporting the number of children ever born, a number was imputed by matching her on the basis of similarity in selected characteristics with a woman who did report.

APPENDIX B

DEFINITIONS AND EXPLANATIONS

Population coverage. The data from the Current Population Surveys and from the Survey of Economic Opportunity (1967) are for the civilian noninstitutional population of the United States. Because only a small proportion of women are inmates of institutions, (less than 1 percent of women 15 to 44 years old being institutionalized), the data for the civilian noninstitutional population have a high degree of comparability with data for the total population. The censuses of 1970, 1960, 1950, and 1940 show data for the total population; Alaska and Hawaii are included beginning with 1960.

Birth expectations. Women 14 to 39 years old who were currently married (spouse present or spouse absent excluding separated) and women 18 to 34 years old who were not currently married (including women widowed, divorced, separated, and never married) who were asked the following questions:

1. Looking ahead, do you expect to have any (more) children?
   Answer: Yes, No, Uncertain.

If the answer to the first question was "Yes," the second and third questions were asked.

2. How many (more) do you expect to have?
3. How many (more) do you expect to have in the next 5 years?

These questions were asked only of the women to whom they pertained, i.e., responses were not accepted from another household member on behalf of a woman if she was not available.

Reporting on birth expectations. A woman was counted as "reporting" with respect to birth expectations under the following conditions:

1. If currently married, either she both answered "Yes" to question 1 and provided numerical answers to questions 2 and 3, or she answered "No" to question 1.
2. If widowed, divorced, separated, or never married, the conditions were the same as currently married, except that a "Yes" response to question 1 required a positive response only to question 2.

If the conditions were not met, a woman was counted as "not reporting." Data on birth expectations were not allocated for nonreporting women.

Births to date. In some tables showing the birth expectations of wives, the number of "births to date" is also shown. This term has the same meaning as the number of children ever born.

Additional births expected. Information on additional births is derived from the questions on birth expectations (see above). These births are called "additional births" when the women in question are ever married, since information on births to date is available for these women. In this case, births expected in the future are additions to those known to have been born to date, although some ever-married women are childless at the time of the survey.

Lifetime births expected. This term is used with respect to ever-married women to refer to the sum of births to date and additional births expected. The sum represents the total number of births a woman expects during her lifetime.

Children ever born. The question "Has. . .ever had any babies (Do not count stillbirths)?" was asked of all women 14 to 59 years old who were reported as married (including separated), widowed, or divorced, and all women 18 to 59 years old who were reported single (never married). If the answer for the woman in question was "yes," the further question "how many" was also asked. When asking about children ever born, interviewers were instructed to include children born to the woman before her present marriage, children no longer living, and children away from home as well as children who were still living in the home. It is possible that some never-married mothers living with one or more of their natural children reported themselves as having been married. In addition, many mothers who first

married after the birth of one or more children counted those children, as they were expected to do. Nevertheless, data are probably less complete for births out of wedlock than for births within wedlock.

In filling out the interview schedule, the interviewer entered the number of children ever born from 0 to a terminal category of "10 or more." For purposes of computing the total number of children ever born, the terminal category was counted as 10.

Parity. Parity is the number of children ever born to a woman. In some cases, use of the term "parity" provides a less cumbersome expression, e.g., "two-parity women" as opposed to "women with two children ever born."

Birth cohort. A birth cohort is a group of persons who were born in a specified calendar period.

Marital status. Data refer to present marital status. All women may be categorized as either single (never-married) or ever married, the latter consisting of women who are married, widowed, or divorced. In this report reference is made to various subgroups among married women. In the section on birth expectations, "currently married" refers to all married women except those who are separated; separated women are classified along with the widowed and divorced. In the section on children ever born, two categories of married women are shown, "husband present" or "husband absent" (including separated), in order to show whether or not the husband is a member of the household.

Household. A household consists of all the persons who occupy a housing unit. A house, an apartment or other group of rooms, or a single room, is regarded as a housing unit when it is occupied or intended for occupancy as separate living quarters; that is, when the occupants do not live and eat with any other persons in the structure and there is either (1) direct access from the outside or through a common hall or (2) a kitchen or cooking equipment for the exclusive use of the occupants.

A household includes the related family members and all the unrelated persons, if any, such as lodgers, foster children, wards, or employees who share the housing unit. A person living alone in a housing unit, or a group of unrelated persons sharing a housing unit as partners, is also counted as a household. The count of households excludes group quarters.

Family. A family is defined as a group of two or more persons residing together who are related by blood, marriage, or adoption. A lodger and his wife who are not related to the head of the household, or an employee and his wife both residing in the household, are considered as separate families and not as part of the head's family. On the other hand, a household head living alone or a household head and one or more unrelated persons is regarded as a household but not as a family. Thus, some households contain more than one family and some do not contain any families.

Primary family. A family that includes among its members the person reported as the head of the household.

Household Relationship

1. **Female head, no husband present,** is a woman reported as head of a household in which no one is listed as her husband. Such a woman may be single, married, widowed, or divorced. She may live alone, with relatives, and/or with nonrelatives.

2. **Wife in husband-wife primary family** is a woman living with her husband in a primary family. This category includes women in common-law marriages as well as women in formal marriages.

3. **Other primary family member** is a person living in the household who is related by blood, marriage, or adoption to the person reported as the head of the household and who is not included specifically in another category.

4. **Not a member of primary family** is a person living in the household who is not related by blood, marriage, or adoption to the person reported as the head of the household.

Geographic regions. The four major regions of the United States, for which data are presented in this report, represent groups of States, as follows:

Northeast: Connecticut, Maine, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, New Jersey, New York, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, and Vermont.

North Central: Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Michigan, Minnesota, Missouri, Nebraska, North Dakota, Ohio, South Dakota, and Wisconsin.

South: Alabama, Arkansas, Delaware, District of Columbia, Florida, Georgia, Kentucky, Louisiana, Maryland, Mississippi, North Carolina, Oklahoma, South Carolina, Tennessee, Texas, Virginia, and West Virginia.

West: Alaska, Arizona, California, Colorado, Hawaii, Idaho, Montana, Nevada, New Mexico, Oregon, Utah, Washington, and Wyoming.

Metropolitan-nonmetropolitan residence. The population residing in standard metropolitan statistical areas (SMSA's) constitutes the metropolitan population. Except in New England, an SMSA is a county or group of contiguous counties which contains at least one city of 50,000 inhabitants or more, or "twin cities" with a combined population of at least 50,000. In addition to the county or counties, containing such a city or cities, contiguous counties are included in an SMSA if, according to certain criteria, they are essentially metropolitan in character and are socially and economically integrated with the central county. In New England, SMSA's consist of towns and cities, rather than counties. The metropolitan population in this report is based on SMSA's as defined in the 1970 census and does not include any subsequent additions or changes.

Central cities. Each SMSA must include at least one central city, and the complete title of an SMSA identifies the central city or cities. If only one central city is designated, then it must have 50,000 inhabitants or more. The area title may include, in addition to the largest city, up to two city names on the basis and in the order of the following criteria: (1) The additional city has at least 250,000 inhabitants or (2) the additional city has a population of one-third or more of that of the largest city and minimum population of 25,000. An exception occurs where two cities have contiguous boundaries and constitute, for economic and social purposes, a single community of at least 50,000, the smaller of which must have a population of at least 15,000.

Farm population. In the Current Population Survey and the 1960 and 1970 Censuses of Population the farm population consists of all persons living in rural territory on places of 10 or more acres if as much as $50 worth of agricultural products were sold from the place in the reporting year. It also includes those living on places of under 10 acres if as much as $250 worth of agricultural products were sold from the place in the reporting year. Persons in institutions, summer camps, motels, and tourist camps, and those living on rented places where no land is used for farming are classified as nonfarm.

Age. The age classification is based on the age of a woman at her last birthday. Age of woman at first marriage was determined by subtracting the date of birth of the woman from the date of first marriage. Likewise, age of a woman at birth of a child was determined by subtracting the date of birth of the woman from the date of birth of the child.

Race. The population is implicity divided in this report into three groups on the basis of race: White, Black, and "other races." The last category includes Indians, Japanese, Chinese, and any other race except White and Black. The tables in this report show data for all races, Whites, and Blacks.

Spanish origin. Persons of Spanish origin in this report are those persons who indicated that their origin was Mexican, Puerto Rican, Cuban, Central or South American, or some other Spanish origin. The latter category includes persons from Spain as well as persons with combinations of types of Spanish origins. Persons who reported that they were of one of the specific Spanish origin categories and a non-Spanish category were included in the specific Spanish category. Persons of Spanish origin may be of any race.

Years of school completed. Data on years of school completed in this report were derived from the combination of answers to questions concerning the highest grade of school attended by the persons and whether or not that grade was finished. The questions on educational attainment apply only to progress in "regular" schools. Such schools include graded public, private, and parochial elementary and high schools (both junior and senior high), colleges, universities, and professional schools, whether day schools or night schools. Thus, regular schooling is that which may advance a person toward an elementary school certificate or high school diploma, or a college, university, or professional school degree. Schooling in other than regular schools was counted only if the credits obtained were regarded as transferable to a school in the regular school system.

Labor force and employment status. The definitions of labor force and employment status in this report relate to the population 14 years old and over.

Employed. Employed persons comprise (1) all civilians who, during the specified week, did any work at all as paid employees or in their own business or profession, or on their own farm, or who worked 15 hours or more as unpaid workers on a farm or in a business operated by a member of the

family, and (2) all those who were not working but who had jobs or businesses from which they were temporarily absent because of illness, bad weather, vacation, or labor-management dispute, or because they were taking time off for personal reasons, whether or not they were paid by their employers for time off, and whether or not they were seeking other jobs. Excluded from the employed group are persons whose only activity consisted of work around the house (such as own home housework, painting or repairing own home, etc.) or volunteer work for religious, charitable, and similar organizations.

Unemployed. Unemployed persons are those civilians who, during the survey week, had no employment but were available for work and (1) had engaged in any specific jobseeking activity within the past 4 weeks, such as registering at a public or private employment office, meeting with prospective employers, checking with friends or relatives, placing or answering advertisements, writing letters of application, or being on a union or professional register; (2) were waiting to be called back to a job from which they had been laid off; or (3) were waiting to report to a new wage or salary job within 30 days.

In labor force. Persons are classified as in the labor force if they were employed as civilians, unemployed, or in the Armed Forces during the survey week. The "civilian labor force" includes all civilians classified as employed or unemployed.

Not in labor force. All civilians who are not classified as employed or unemployed are defined as "not in labor force." This group who are neither employed nor seeking work includes persons engaged only in own home housework, attending school, or unable to work because of long-term physical or mental illness; persons who are retired or too old to work, seasonal workers for whom the survey week fell in off season, and the voluntarily idle. Persons doing only unpaid family work (less than 15 hours during the reference week) are also classified as not in labor force.

Occupation. Data on occupation are shown for the employed and relate to the job held during the survey week. Persons employed at two or more jobs were reported in the job at which they worked the greatest number of hours during the week. The major groups used here are generally the major groups used in the 1970 Census of Population. The composition of the groups is shown in 1970 Census of Population, Vol.1, Characteristics of the Population, chapter C, General Social and Economic Characteristics, U.S. Summary.

Some of the major occupation groups are sometimes combined as follows:

White collar. Professional, technical, and kindred workers; managers and administrators, except farm; sales workers; and clerical and kindred workers.

Blue collar. Craft and kindred workers; operatives, including transport equipment operatives; and laborers, except farm.

Family income. Family income represents the total income of all members of the family. Income, as defined in this report, represents total money income, or the sum of money from wages or salary before deductions for personal taxes and other purposes, net income from self-employment, and income from other sources received by all family members.

In the June 1976 [illegible] family income was transcribed from information first obtained at the time a household entered the Current Population Survey and updated when it reentered the survey. For about one-fourth of the sample the data are for the year ending in March 1976, and for other fourths the data are for years ending in April, May, and June 1976, respectively.

Income data in this report are based on the respondent's estimate of total family money income in broad, fixed income levels. Previous research has shown that the use of broad income intervals to record money income tends to reduce the rate of nonreporting while increasing the likelihood that the amounts reported will be significantly understated as compared with results from more detailed questions.

Median. The median is the value which divides a distribution into two equal parts; one-half of the cases falling below this value and one-half of the cases exceeding this value.

Symbols. A dash "–" represents zero or a number which rounds to zero. The symbol "<" means less than. "B" means that the base is too small to show the derived measure; "NA" means not available; and "X" means not applicable. "S" means that the base for a derived number does not meet publication standards because the base is not comparable to CPS estimates.

Rounding of estimates. Individual numbers are rounded to the nearest thousand without being adjusted to group totals, which are independently rounded. Derived measures are based on unrounded numbers when possible; otherwise, they are based on the rounded numbers.

SOURCE AND RELIABILITY OF THE ESTIMATES

Source of data. Most of the estimates in this report are based on data obtained from the Bureau of the Census collected in the Current Population Survey (CPS), the Survey of Economic Opportunity (SEO), and the Decennial Censuses of Population. Other data are from privately conducted in-depth surveys of fertility and related phenomena, such as the National Fertility Study, or from books and journal articles by noted demographers and sociologists. The sources of data in each text table and for each figure can be found at the bottom of that table or figure. The sources of non-Census Bureau data appearing in the text of the report are presented in accompanying footnotes. Brief descriptions of the sources from and procedures by which data of the Bureau of the Census were obtained are presented below. Further information for the data from private sources can be obtained from the individual publications referenced in the report.

Current population survey (CPS). The CPS estimates in this report are based on data obtained in June of 1971 and 1976. The monthly CPS deals mainly with labor force data for the civilian noninstitutional population. Questions relating to labor force participation are asked about each member 14 years old and older in each sample household. In addition, supplementary questions are asked each June about fertility and birth expectations of American women.

The present CPS samples was initially selected from the 1970 census file and is updated continuously to reflect new construction where possible (see section "Nonsampling Variability" below). Samples for previous sample designs were selected from files from the census most recently completed at the time.

The following table provides a description of some aspects of the CPS sample designs in use during the referenced data-collection periods.

Description of the Current Population Survey

Time period	Number of sample areas[1]	Households eligible		Households visited, not eligible[2]
		Interviewed	Not interviewed	
August 1972 to present	461	45,000	2,000	8,000
August 1971 to July 1972	449	45,000	2,000	8,000
January 1967 to July 1971	449	48,000	2,000	8,500

[1]These areas were chosen to provide coverage in each State and the District of Columbia.
[2]These are households which were visited, but were found to be vacant or otherwise not eligible for interview.

The estimation procedure used for the monthly CPS data involves the inflation of the weighted sample results to independent estimates of the civilian noninstitutional population of the United States by age, race, and sex. These independent estimates were based on statistics from decennial censuses; statistics on births, deaths, immigration, and emigration; and statistics on the strength of the Armed Forces. For data collected in the Current Population Surveys between March 1962 and September 1971, the independent estimates used were based on statistics from the 1960 Census of Population. Beginning in October 1971, the independent estimates were based on the 1970 Census of Population.

1967 Survey of Economic Opportunity. The 1967 Survey of Economic Opportunity (SEO) sample was spread over 357 areas comprising 701 counties and independent cities. These areas were chosen to provide coverage in each State and the District of Columbia. Approximately 29,000 occupied households were eligible for interview. Of this number about 2,500 of the occupied units were visited but interviews were not obtained because the occupants were not found at home after repeated calls or were unavailable for some reason. In addition to the 29,000 occupied households, there were also 7,700 sample units which were visited but were found to be vacant or otherwise not to be interviewed.

The SEO sample was selected so that there was a disproportionately large sample from the Black and other races population. The weights applied to each sample case were adjusted to reflect this. This sampling procedure was used to provide more reliable

estimates for Black and other races population although it was known that reliability of estimates not broken down by race and of estimates for Whites would be reduced.

Decennial census of population. Decennial census data in this report are based on complete counts or on the samples associated with the census. The 1960 and 1970 census data are based on 5 percent samples. Descriptions of the samples can be found in the appropriate census publications.

Reliability of the estimates. Since the SEO and CPS estimates in these tables were based on samples, they may differ somewhat from the figures that would have been obtained if a complete census had been taken using the same schedules, instructions, and enumerators. There are two types of errors possible in an estimate based on a sample survey—sampling and nonsampling. For estimates in this report, indications of the magnitude of sampling error are provided, but the extent of the nonsampling error is unknown. Consequently, particular care should be exercised in the interpretation of figures based on a relatively small number of cases or on small differences between estimates.

Nonsampling variability. As in any survey work, the results are subject to errors of response and nonreporting in addition to sampling variability. Nonsampling errors can be attributed to many sources, e.g., inability to obtain information about all cases in the sample, definitional difficulties, differences in the interpretation of questions, inability or unwillingness to provide correct information on the part of respondents, inability to recall information, mistakes made in collection such as in recording or coding the data, mistakes made in processing the data, mistakes made in estimating values for missing data, and failure to represent all units with the sample (undercoverage). The approximate magnitude of two sources of undercoverage in CPS is known and is described next.

Approximately 600,000 conventional new construction units were issued building permits prior to the 1970 census but building was not completed by the time of the census (i.e., April 1970); these units have no representation in the CPS sample. Conventional new construction, for which building permits were issued after the census, is represented. In addition to undercoverage of conventional new construction, CPS misses at least 200,000 new mobile homes. These are missed because there is no systematic sampling procedure to provide representation of mobile homes constructed since the 1970 census. Note that these estimates of missed units are relevant to the present sample only and not to earlier designs where the extent of undercoverage was generally less.

In addition to the above mentioned sources of undercoverage in CPS, several sources of response error with respect to fertility of American women have been identified. Regarding birth expectations, 16 percent of ever-married women and 37 percent of never-married women were counted as "not reporting" (table A-1) in the June 1976 CPS supplement. These percentages include women who were uncertain about additional births expected and did not provide a numerical response as well as women who either were not contacted by the interviewer or who refused to answer the questions. The tables in this report showing birth expectations are restricted to women who supplied a numerical answer. What bias, if any, is introduced by this restriction is not currently known.

Regarding the question on children ever born, 7 percent of the ever-married women and 8 percent of the single women were counted as "not reporting." In these instances, a number of children ever born was imputed, based on a match of these women with other women of similar characteristics who did report children ever born. Tables presenting rates of children ever born are based on all women in the sample, including women with an imputed value for number of children ever born.

The June 1976 CPS included single women 18 to 59 years old among those asked about previous childbearing. Consequently, there is the likelihood of some deliberate misreporting of the facts, especially among women who perceive out-of-wedlock childbearing as bearing a social, moral, or legal stigma. It is also quite possible that the level of misreporting may differ systematically according to various demographic and social characteristics.[1]

Sampling variability. The standard errors given in the following tables are primarily measures of sampling variability, that is, of the variations that occurred by chance because a sample rather than the whole of the population was surveyed. As calculated, the standard error also partially measures the effect of certain response and enumeration errors, but it does not measure any systematic biases in the data. The chances are about 68 out of 100 that an

[1] For an assessment of the reliability of these data see Maurice J. Moore, "Asking Single Women About Their Children: The Census Bureau's Experience," Proceedings of the Social Statistics Section 1976, American Statistical Association (Washington, D.C., 1976): 618-23.

estimate from the survey differs from a complete census figure by less than the standard error. The chances are about 90 out of 100 that this difference would be less than 1.6 times the standard error and about 95 out of 100 that the difference would be less than twice the standard error.

All the statements of comparison appearing in the text are significant at a 1.6 standard error level or better, and most are significant at a level of more than 2.0 standard errors. This means that for most differences cited in the text, the estimated difference is greater than twice the standard error of the difference. Statements of comparison qualified in some way (e.g., by use of the phrase, "some evidence") have a level of significance between 1.6 and 2.0 standard errors. Comparisons involving data or statements from journal articles or publications not written at the Bureau of the Census do not necessarily meet these statistical standards.

Note when using small estimates. Percent distributions are shown in this report only when the base of the percentage is greater than 75,000 for any data collected in the June 1976 or June 1971 CPS and for data on Black women collected in the February-March 1967 SEO, or when the base of the percentage is greater than 125,000 for data on all races and on White women collected in the February-March 1967 SEO. Because of the large standard errors involved, there is little chance that percentages would reveal useful information when computed on smaller bases. Estimated numbers are shown, however, even though the relative standard errors of these numbers are larger than those for the corresponding percentages. These smaller estimates are provided primarily to permit such combinations of the categories as serve each user's needs. Similarly, estimated numbers of children ever born per 1,000 women and birth expectation data are shown in the report only when the associated number of women is greater than 75,000 or 125,000 as specified above.

Comparability with other data. Data from sources other than the Census Bureau may be subject to both higher sampling and nonsampling variability. In addition, data obtained from the CPS are not entirely comparable with data obtained from SEO or other sources. This is due in large part to differences in interviewer training and experience and in differing survey processes. This is an additional component of error not reflected in the standard error tables. Therefore, caution should be used in comparing results between these different sources.

Standard errors for data based on the decennial censuses. Sampling errors of all data from 5 percent samples of the 1960 and 1970 decennial censuses shown in this report are small enough to be disregarded. However, the standard errors may be found in the appropriate census volumes.

Standard errors for data based on the CPS or SEO. Standard error tables, formulas and their use. Instead of providing individual standard errors for each characteristic of interest, generalized standard errors are provided for each set of characteristics which have nearly equal standard errors. As a result, an indication of the order of magnitude of the standard errors is provided rather than the precise standard error for any specific item.

The figures presented in tables B-1 and B-2 are approximations to standard errors of estimated numbers and estimated percentages. The figures presented in table B-3 are approximations to standard errors of estimated fertility ratios. Estimated standard errors for specific characteristics cannot be obtained from tables B-1, B-2, and B-3 without the use of the factors in table B-4. These factors must be applied to the standard errors in order to adjust for the combined effect of sample design and estimating procedure on the value of the characteristic. Standard errors for intermediate values not shown in the tables may be approximated by interpolation.

If one chooses, instead of using the standard error and factors tables, standard errors can be computed directly using the formulas that follow and the parameters from table B-5. Direct computation of the standard errors will give more accurate results. Methods for direct computation are given in the following sections.

Standard errors of estimated numbers. The approximate standard error, σ_x, of an estimated number shown in this report can be obtained in two ways. It may be obtained by use of the formula

$$\sigma_x = f\sigma \qquad (1)$$

where f is the appropriate factor from table B-4 and σ is the standard error on the estimate obtained by interpolation from table B-1. Alternately, standard errors may be approximated by the following formula, (2), from which the standard errors were calculated in table B-1. Use of this formula will provide more accurate results than the use of formula (1) above.

$$\sigma_x = \sqrt{ax^2 + bx} \qquad (2)$$

Here x is the size of the estimate and a and b are the parameters in table B-5 associated with the particular type of characteristic.

Table B-1. Standard Errors of Estimated Numbers

(68 chances out of 100. Numbers in thousands)

Size of estimate	Standard error	Size of estimate	Standard error
20	6	2,500	61
50	9	5,000	82
100	12	10,000	115
250	20	25,000	160
500	28	50,000	189
1,000	39		

Table B-2. Standard Errors of Estimated Percentages

(68 chances out of 100)

Base of estimated percentage (thousands)	Estimated percentage					
	1 or 99	2 or 98	5 or 95	10 or 90	25 or 75	50
100	1.2	1.7	2.7	3.7	5.4	6.2
250	0.8	1.1	1.7	2.4	3.4	3.9
500	0.6	0.8	1.2	1.7	2.4	2.8
1,000	0.4	0.6	0.9	1.2	1.7	2.0
2,500	0.2	0.3	0.5	0.7	1.1	1.2
5,000	0.2	0.3	0.4	0.5	0.8	0.9
10,000	0.1	0.2	0.3	0.4	0.5	0.6
25,000	0.06	0.12	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.4
50,000	0.03	0.06	0.15	0.2	0.2	0.3

Table B-3. Standard Errors of Estimated Fertility Ratios

(68 chances out of 100)

Number of women thousands	Children ever born or expected per 1,000 women							
	500	1,000	1,500	2,000	2,500	3,000	3,500	4,000
250	51	93	129	164	198	234	274	315
500	36	66	92	116	140	166	194	222
750	30	54	74	95	114	135	158	181
1,000	26	47	65	82	99	117	137	158
2,000	18	33	45	58	70	83	97	112
5,000	11	20	29	37	44	52	61	70
10,000	9	15	20	26	31	38	44	50
15,000	7	12	16	21	26	29	35	41
20,000	6	11	15	19	23	27	31	35
25,000	5	9	12	16	20	24	28	32

Table B-4. "f" Factors to be Applied to Generalized Standard Errors in Tables B-1, B-2, and B-3

Type of characteristic	"f" factors for persons
CPS, total, White or Black women[1]	1.00
CPS, Spanish origin women[1]	1.24
SEO, total or White women	1.44
SEO, Black women	1.35
CPS, Farm women	1.38

[1]Apply a factor of 1.41 to these factors for metropolitan only-nonmetropolitan only characteristics.

Table B-5. "a" and "b" Parameters for Estimated Numbers and Percentages of Women

Characteristic	Parameter	
	a	b
CPS, number of women[1]	-0.000018	1567.0337
CPS, Spanish origin women[1]	-0.000033	2396.7828
SEO, total or White women	-0.000036	3229.6219
SEO, Black women	-0.000041	2861.4979
CPS, Farm women	0.000322	2993.0344

[1]Apply a factor of 2 to these parameters for metropolitan only-nonmetropolitan only characteristics.

Standard errors of estimated percentages. The reliability of an estimated percentage, computed using sample data for both numerator and denominator, depends on both the size of the percentage and the size of the total upon which this percentage is based. Estimated percentages are relatively more reliable than the corresponding estimates of the numerators of the percentages, particularly if the percentages are 50 percent or more. When the numerator and denominator of the percentage are in different categories, use the factor or parameters indicated by the numerator. The approximate standard error, $\sigma_{(x,p)}$, of an estimated percentage, p, on a base of size x can be obtained by use of the formula

$$\sigma_{(x,p)} = f\sigma \qquad (3)$$

In this formula f is the appropriate factor from table B-4 and σ is the standard error on the percentage from table B-2. Alternately, the standard errors may be approximated by the following formula, (4), from which the standard errors in table B-2 were calculated; direct computation will give more accurate results than use of the standard error table and the factors.

$$\sigma_{(x,p)} = \sqrt{\frac{b}{x}(p)(100-p)} \qquad (4)$$

Here x is the size of the subclass of the number of women which is the base of the percentage, p is the percentage ($0 \leq p \leq 100$), and b is the parameter in table B-5 associated with the particular type of characteristic in the numerator of the percentage.

Illustration of use of standard error tables. Table 11 of this report shows that in 1976 there were 893,000 wives reporting on birth expectations who had one or more births to date and who were of Spanish origin. Table B-1 shows the standard error on an estimate of this size to be approximately 37,000. Applying the appropriate factor from table B-4 and using formula (1) the approximate standard error is 1.24 x 37,000 = 46,000.[2] The chances are 68 out of 100 that the estimate would have been a figure differing from a complete census figure by less than 46,000. The chances are 95 out of 100 that the estimate would have differed from a complete census figure by less than 92,000 (twice the standard error).

Of these 893,000 wives of Spanish origin with one or more children born to date 291,000, or 32.6 percent, gave birth to a child less than 2 years ago.

[2]Formula (2) gives a standard error of 46,000.

Since the numerator of this percentage is the number of Spanish origin women given birth to a child less than 2 years ago, the b parameter from table B-5 is 2396.7828. Using formula (4) the standard error on an estimate of 32.6 percent is approximately

$$2.4 = \sqrt{\frac{2396.7828}{893{,}000}}\ (32.6)\ (67.4)\ .$$

Consequently, chances are 68 out of 100 that the estimated 32.6 percent would be within 2.4 percentage points of a complete census figure. Chances are 95 out of 100 that the estimate would be within 4.8 percentage points of a complete census figure, i.e., the 95 percent confidence interval would be from 27.8 to 37.4 percent.

Standard error of a difference. For a difference between two sample estimates, the standard error is approximately equal to

$$\sigma_{(x-y)} = \sqrt{\sigma_x^2 + \sigma_y^2} \qquad (5)$$

where σ_x and σ_y are the standard errors of the estimates x and y; the estimates can be of numbers, percents, ratios, etc. This will represent the actual standard error quite accurately for the difference between two estimates of the same characteristic in two different areas, or for the difference between separate and uncorrelated characteristics in the same area. If, however, there is a high positive correlation between the two characteristics, the formula will overestimate the true standard error.

Illustration of the computation of the standard error of a difference between estimated percentages. Table 11 also shows that of the 893,000 wives of Spanish origin who reported on birth expectations and had one or more births to date 205,000, or 23.0 percent, last gave birth to a child 5 to 9 years ago while, as shown above, 32.6 of these wives last gave birth less than 2 years ago. The standard error (σ_x) on 32.6 percent is 2.4 percentage points, as shown above. Using formula (4) and the b parameter for Spanish origin women from table B-5, the standard error (σ_y) on 23.0 percent is approximately 2.2 percent. Therefore, using formula (5), the standard error of the estimated difference of 9.6 percent is about

$$3.3 = \sqrt{(2.4)^2 + (2.2)^2}\ .$$

This means the chances are 68 out of 100 that the estimated differences based on the sample estimates would vary from the difference derived using complete census figures by less than 3.3 percent. The 68 percent confidence interval about the 9.6 percent difference is from 6.3 to 12.9, i.e., 9.6 ± 3.3. A conclusion that the average estimate of the difference derived from all possible samples of the same size and design lies within a range computed in this way would be correct for roughly 68 percent of all possible samples. The 95 percent confidence interval of the difference is 3.0 to 16.2. Since this confidence interval does not include a difference of 0.0, we can conclude with 95 percent confidence that there is a difference between the 1976 percentage of Spanish women who last gave birth less than 2 years ago and the percentage who last gave birth 5 to 9 years ago.

Standard error of a fertility ratio. A separate standard error table, table B-3, provides standard errors for both number of children ever born and number of expected lifetime births per 1,000 women. The sampling variability on the ratio of children born per 1,000 women depends on the shape of the distribution on which the ratio is based, the size of the sample, the sample design and the use of ratio estimates. Table B-3 was formed by using the following equation:

$$\sigma_{(1{,}000\bar{x})} = \frac{FR}{N}\sqrt{\Sigma n^2 x_n - \frac{(\Sigma n x_n)^2}{N}}$$

where $\sigma_{(1,000\bar{x})}$ is the standard error of a fertility ratio per 1,000 women $(1{,}000\bar{x})$,

R is a constant which depends upon the size of the sample.

For 1976

$$R = 1{,}000\sqrt{1{,}170} = 34{,}200,$$

n is the specific number of children ever born or expected ($n = 0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7+$),

x_n is the estimated number of women who have n children ever born or expected,

N is the total number of women = $\sum_{n=0}^{7+} x_n$, and

F is dependent on the particular sample design used for this survey and is also a function of the magnitude of the ratio of children ever born or expected per 1,000 women. The values of F used in compiling table B-3 are follows:

F for Children Ever Born or Expected Per 1,000 Women

Number of Children per 1,000 Women	F
500	[illegible]5
1,000	1.14
1,500	1.18
2,000	1.22
2,500	1.26
3,000	1.30
3,500	1.34
4,000	1.38

It should be noted that for data involving only one kind of event per woman, e.g., one additional birth expected, table B-2, the table of standard errors of percentages, should be used (with the ratio adjusted to a per-100 basis when ratios are on a per-1,000 basis). For data involving two or more possible events per woman, table B-3, the table of standard errors of estimated fertility ratios, should be used.

Illustration of the computation of the standard error of a fertility ratio. Table 6 of this report shows that in 1967 wives 25 to 29 years old expected 3,037 lifetime births per 1,000 wives. Table 6 also shows that there were 3,773,000 wives in this group.[3] Table B-3 shows the standard error of a ratio of 3,037 births on a base of 3,773,000 women to be approximately[4] 66. Multiplying the standard error of 66 by 1.44 (the factor for total or White population data based on the 1967 Survey of Economic Opportunity), the standard error becomes 95 per 1,000. Consequently, the chances are 68 out of 100 that the estimate would have been a fertility ratio differing from a complete census figure by less than 95 per 1,000. The chances are 95 out of 100 that the estimate would have been a fertility ratio differing from a complete census figure by less than 190 per 1,000 (twice the standard error), i.e., this 95 percent confidence interval would be between 2,847 and 3,227 lifetime births expected per 1,000 wives 25 to 29 years old in 1967.

[3] Some tables in this report do not show the basis of the fertility ratios. The bases may be obtained by referring to the source of the data indicated at the bottom of each table.

[4] Determined by interpolation and rounding to the same accuracy as in the table.

The standard errors of estimated numbers as calculated for this report are not applicable to estimates of total women by age or race. As estimates by age, sex, and race are independently derived totals, they are not subject to any sampling error. Because of the use of ratio estimation, any published number which is a large subset of a given age-sex-race group (i.e., 50 percent or more) will have a sampling error smaller than shown in table B-1. For such items, a closer approximation to the standard errors can be obtained by using the population of the age-sex-race group (1976 figures are available in table 18) as the base of the percentage and converting the standard errors in table B-2 from percentages to numbers by multiplying them by the bases. For example, table 1 of this report shows that in June 1976 there were 4,880,000 currently married White women 25 to 29 years old reporting on birth expectations. If this figure were a subset of a considerably larger independent age-race group, the standard error on this estimate should be taken from table B-1. However, since the figure of 4,880,000 currently married White women reporting on birth expectations represents approximately 63.8 percent of the 7,650,000 White women in the 25 to 29 year age group, a closer approximation to the sampling error of the figure can be obtained using table B-2. The standard error of 63.8 percent on a base of 7,650,000 is approximately 0.7 percent. Thus, the standard error of 4,880,000 would be 7,650,000 multiplied by 0.007, or about 54,000. Consequently, the chances are 68 out of 100 that the estimate would have been a figure differing from a complete census figure by less than 54,000. The chances are 95 out of 100 that the estimate would have been a figure differing from a complete census figure by less than 108,000 (twice the standard error).

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