TABLE 1B-1
BIRTH RATE<sup>a</sup>, GENERAL FERTILITY RATE<sup>b</sup>, TOTAL FERTILITY RATE<sup>c</sup>,
GROSS REPRODUCTION RATE<sup>d</sup>, AND AGE-SPECIFIC BIRTH RATES<sup>c</sup> BY YEAR,
ARIZONA AND UNITED STATES<sup>c</sup>, 2011-2021

Year	Area	Birth rate	General fertility rate	Total fertility rate	Gross reproduction rate	Age specific birth rates:							
						Under 15 years	15-19 years	20-24 years	25-29 years	30-34 years	35-39 years	40-44 years	45-49 years
2011	AZ	13.2	67.0	2,001	976	0.5	36.9	101.4	112.3	94.0	44.2	10.3	0.2
	U.S.	12.7	63.2	1,895	NA	0.4	31.3	85.3	107.2	96.5	47.2	10.3	0.7
2012	AZ	13.2	67.2	2,018	984	0.3	35.4	100.1	116.4	94.6	459.0	10.3	0.6
	U.S.	12.6	63.0	1,881	NA	0.4	29.4	83.1	106.5	97.3	48.3	10.4	0.7
2013	AZ	12.9	66.0	1,981	963	0.3	31.3	96.7	118.4	93.0	46.4	9.8	0.1
	U.S.	12.4	62.5	1,858	NA	0.3	26.5	80.7	105.5	98.0	49.3	10.4	0.8
2014	AZ	13.0	66.7	1,986	968	0.2	29.9	90.7	117.6	98.1	49.7	10.1	0.9
	U.S.	12.5	62.9	1,863	NA	0.3	24.2	79.0	105.8	100.8	51.0	10.6	0.8
2015	AZ	12.6	64.8	1,924	938	0.2	26.3	86.6	115.4	95.9	48.9	10.5	0.9
	U.S.	12.4	62.5	1,844	NA	0.2	22.3	76.8	104.3	101.5	51.8	11.0	0.8
2016	AZ	12.3	63.9	1,895	930	0.2	23.7	84.2	112.9	98.2	48.7	10.2	0.8
	U.S.	12.2	62.0	1,821	NA	0.2	20.3	73.8	102.1	102.7	52.7	11.4	0.9
2017	AZ	11.7	61.1	1,805	888	0.2	21.9	78.9	105.6	94.9	47.8	10.6	1.1
	U.S.	11.8	60.3	1,766	NA	0.2	18.8	71.0	98.0	100.3	52.3	11.6	0.9
2018	AZ	11.4	59.4	1,750	854	0.1	20.1	76.0	100.3	93.6	48.0	11.1	0.9
	U.S.	11.6	59.1	1,730	NA	0.2	17.4	68.0	95.3	99.7	52.6	11.8	0.9
2019	AZ	11.0	57.4	1,688	823	0.2	18.5	71.2	97.5	92.3	46.4	10.7	0.7
	U.S.	11.4	58.3	1,706	NA	0.2	16.7	66.6	93.7	98.3	52.8	12.0	0.9
2020	AZ	10.7	55.6	1,634	802	0.1	17.0	67.9	92.9	91.6	45.9	10.7	0.6
	U.S.	10.9	55.7	1,642	NA	0.2	15.0	63.3	90.9	94.9	51.3	11.8	0.9
2021	AZ	10.7	55.6	1629	795	0.2	15.3	65.2	94.6	91.9	47.0	10.8	0.8
	U.S.	11.0	56.3	1664	NA	0.2	13.9	61.5	93.0	97.6	53.7	12.0	0.9

Notes: <sup>a</sup> The number of births per 1,000 population.

https://www.cdc.gov/nchs/nvss/vsrr/natality-dashboard.htm#

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>b</sup> The number of births per 1,000 women of childbearing age (15-44 years old).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>c</sup> The total fertility rate (TFR) is the sum of age group specific birth rates multiplied by the number of years in the age group (five years in this case). This rate estimates the number of children a hypothetical cohort of 1,000 women would bear if they all went through their childbearing years experiencing the same age-specific birth rates for a specified time period. For example, the Arizona 2021 TFR of 1,629 can be interpreted at the individual level as the average number of children a female resident would have by age 50 (1,629/1000 = 2 live births) if she were subjected throughout her life to the age-specific birth rates observed in 2021.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>d</sup> The sums of birth rates by 5-year age groups multiplied by the proportion of births that were female. The gross reproduction rate represents the average number of daughters born to a hypothetical cohort of 1,000 women if they experienced the age-specific birth rates observed in a given year throughout their childbearing years, and if none of the cohort was to die during her childbearing years. See Table 1B-2 for the annual proportions of births that were female in 2011-2021.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>e</sup> The number of births per 1,000 women in specified age group. For females under 15, the rate is calculated using the female population 10-14 years of age. For women over 44, the rate is calculated using the female population 45-49 years of age.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>f</sup> The U.S. rates are from the National Center for Health Statistics: