

**TABLE 5B-2**  
**BIRTH RATES<sup>1</sup> BY COUNTY OF RESIDENCE, ARIZONA AND UNITED STATES<sup>2</sup>, 1995-2005**

	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
<b>U.S.</b>	14.9	14.8	14.5	14.6	14.5	14.7	14.1	13.9	14.1	14.0	14.0
<b>ARIZONA</b>	17.3	16.8	16.4	16.5	16.3	16.6	16.1	16.0	16.1	16.0	15.8
<b>Apache</b>	20.8	19.9	20.3	19.5	16.5	18.6	15.7	15.9	17.7	18.7	17.4
<b>Cochise</b>	16.0	15.0	14.1	13.8	13.4	14.8	13.7	13.8	13.9	13.9	13.4
<b>Coconino</b>	16.1	16.4	15.5	14.8	14.7	16.0	15.9	14.9	14.9	15.6	15.9
<b>Gila</b>	15.4	14.8	14.4	15.1	13.4	13.2	12.6	13.1	12.9	12.4	11.9
<b>Graham</b>	12.7	15.1	15.2	14.7	13.3	13.7	13.3	14.3	12.6	12.5	12.7
<b>Greenlee</b>	18.5	19.0	19.0	16.0	15.3	12.6	11.4	11.3	10.1	12.2	11.9
<b>Maricopa</b>	18.2	17.7	17.3	17.6	17.7	17.7	17.4	17.2	17.4	17.2	17.1
<b>Mohave</b>	14.6	14.2	13.3	12.2	11.7	11.5	11.2	11.9	12.5	12.2	11.9
<b>Navajo</b>	20.0	20.2	19.4	20.4	18.7	17.3	15.7	16.1	16.5	16.7	17.3
<b>Pima</b>	15.0	14.5	14.2	14.0	14.0	14.8	14.1	14.0	14.1	14.0	13.6
<b>Pinal</b>	14.9	14.6	14.5	14.6	14.5	14.5	13.5	14.1	14.5	14.1	14.8
<b>Santa Cruz</b>	23.8	22.7	21.7	21.1	19.3	20.8	19.2	19.1	19.4	19.2	17.7
<b>Yavapai</b>	12.0	11.7	11.1	11.8	10.4	10.5	9.9	10.6	9.9	10.2	10.3
<b>Yuma</b>	24.7	23.6	22.3	21.4	20.3	18.8	18.2	18.1	18.2	18.3	17.4
<b>La Paz</b>	11.6	8.4	10.7	8.8	7.0	9.3	9.4	11.3	10.4	10.9	11.6

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

<sup>2</sup>U.S. data from the National Center for Health Statistics.