

**TABLE 5B-1
RATES OF NATURAL INCREASE FROM BIRTHS PER 1,000 POPULATION
BY COUNTY OF RESIDENCE, ARIZONA AND UNITED STATES, 1997-2007**

	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007
U.S.	5.9	5.8	6.0	5.7	5.8	5.5	5.7	5.9	5.8	5.8	6.2
ARIZONA	8.3	8.4	8.6	8.8	8.4	8.3	8.5	8.7	8.4	9.1	9.0
Apache	14.3	13.2	10.1	12.1	8.7	9.5	10.5	11.4	10.6	9.8	8.3
Cochise	5.7	5.1	5.6	5.7	4.6	5.1	5.0	5.5	5.0	5.0	5.6
Coconino	11.5	10.2	11.1	11.6	11.3	10.2	10.1	11.1	11.0	10.9	11.2
Gila	1.8	1.8	0.8	1.9	0.2	0.7	1.0	0.4	-0.8	0.7	0.5
Graham	7.9	6.6	5.6	6.4	5.6	6.6	4.9	4.9	4.8	6.8	8.3
Greenlee	12.2	8.4	8.4	4.1	6.0	4.0	3.7	6.7	10.6	5.4	9.1
Maricopa	9.8	10.1	10.4	10.3	10.3	10.1	10.4	10.5	10.2	10.9	10.7
Mohave	0.9	-0.9	-0.1	-0.9	-0.6	-0.4	-0.1	-0.3	-0.6	0.6	1.4
Navajo	11.7	13.3	12.3	10.6	8.9	9.3	8.7	9.4	10.0	9.0	9.7
Pima	5.4	5.4	5.7	6.1	5.5	5.4	5.6	5.8	5.3	6.2	5.9
Pinal	5.5	5.1	6.4	5.9	5.5	5.4	6.1	6.4	7.1	9.3	11.1
Santa Cruz	15.8	15.2	15.2	15.5	14.1	13.2	14.1	13.9	11.9	11.4	10.8
Yavapai	-1.8	-1.2	-1.9	-0.8	-1.1	-0.7	-1.6	-0.5	-0.7	0.0	0.3
Yuma	15.2	14.4	14.6	12.9	12.1	11.5	11.7	12.0	10.8	11.2	10.3
La Paz	1.6	-1.9	-1.6	-0.1	0.8	0.6	1.6	0.2	3.0	1.3	1.2

* The difference between the birth rate per 1,000 population and the death rate per 1,000 population.

NOTE: The U.S. rates for 2006 and 2007 are provisional.