

TABLE 1B-14
LIVE BIRTHS ACCORDING TO SELECTED MATERNAL, PRENATAL CARE AND DELIVERY
CHARACTERISTICS, BIRTHWEIGHT, PLURALITY, CHILD'S SEX, BIRTH ORDER,
AND BIRTH COMPLICATIONS, ARIZONA, 2001-2011
(ASIAN OR OTHER PACIFIC ISLANDER MOTHERS)

Characteristic	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011
Number of births	2,104	2,281	2,524	2,614	2,805	3,136	3,412	3,425	3,396	3,293	3,505
Age of mother											
≤19 years	4.9	4.2	4.2	3.5	3.4	2.9	3.0	3.3	2.6	3.1	3.2
≥30 years	48.3	49.5	51.6	52.8	52.7	53.7	53.9	55.9	55.6	55.9	57.4
Marital status											
Unmarried	17.0	15.5	16.3	15.8	17.0	16.2	17.6	17.4	15.8	17.4	17.3
Mother's education											
<9 years	2.6	1.5	2.2	2.4	1.8	2.4	1.6	2.3	2.2	3.3	3.1
Prenatal care began											
1st Trimester	82.7	84.3	84.2	84.7	86.3	86.1	86.5	86.4	88.1	88.1	86.5
3rd Trimester	2.4	2.0	2.6	3.1	1.9	2.1	2.1	3.1	1.9	2.3	2.3
No Care	1.1	1.1	1.6	1.5	1.0	1.2	1.5	1.3	1.3	1.2	1.0
Prenatal visits											
1-4	2.4	2.2	2.9	2.9	2.5	2.0	1.8	2.4	2.1	1.9	2.3
≥5	94.6	94.4	92.5	94.9	96.4	96.5	96.6	96.2	96.4	96.7	96.2
≥9	82.1	81.9	80.5	82.3	84.1	82.7	83.9	83.2	85.6	86.7	84.2
≥13	29.6	27.8	26.2	24.6	25.8	30.3	35.3	33.5	35.6	36.0	37.9
Medical risks/ Complications¹	45.0	44.7	44.8	47.1	45.0	43.5	45.4	46.4	48.1	51.5	47.4
Gestational age²											
Preterm (<37 weeks)	9.8	11.0	10.8	11.0	10.2	10.4	9.6	10.0	10.0	9.9	9.0
Birth weight											
<2,500 grams	7.7	8.6	8.5	8.0	8.0	8.5	8.0	9.1	8.8	8.5	8.3
<1,500 grams	0.9	1.2	1.5	1.1	1.2	1.1	1.0	1.5	1.5	1.4	1.1
Child's sex											
Male	49.9	50.4	50.8	52.5	50.7	52.2	53.2	51.3	51.7	50.7	52.4
Female	50.1	49.6	49.2	47.5	49.3	47.8	46.8	48.7	48.3	49.3	47.6
Plurality											
Multiple births	1.7	3.9	3.2	2.4	2.0	2.7	2.3	3.6	2.9	2.5	3.3
Caesarean delivery	23.8	16.2	25.6	26.5	28.1	30.5	30.0	32.0	32.6	32.8	33.0
Place of delivery											
Hospital ³	99.4	99.1	99.2	99.3	99.5	99.4	99.5	99.4	99.4	99.6	99.3
Attendant at birth											
Midwife ⁴	4.0	2.8	2.9	2.8	2.3	2.1	1.7	2.7	3.0	2.8	3.1
Previous live births											
1 or more	53.0	52.4	53.0	53.8	54.4	53.3	54.5	52.9	54.8	55.5	54.6

¹Reported medical risks for this pregnancy and/or complications of labor and delivery.

²Physician's estimate.

³Hospital, clinic, medical center, or maternity home.

⁴Licensed Midwife or Certified Nurse Midwife.