

**TABLE 2C-25
MORTALITY RATES^a FOR THE FIVE LEADING CAUSES OF DEATH AMONG ELDERLY (65 YEARS AND OLDER)
BY GENDER IN URBAN AND RURAL AREAS^b, ARIZONA, 2005-2015**

Area/Gender	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	% change from 2005
URBAN												
Male	4359.2	4283.2	3986.1	4053.2	4013.8	3976.9	4107.6	3980.1	3898.2	3888.6	3944.3	-9.5
Female	3866.8	3871.5	3638.1	3534.9	3567.5	3543.8	3705.0	3543.8	3470.8	3388.5	3405.1	-11.9
TOTAL	4083.4	4053.0	3792.4	3765.0	3765.4	3738.3	3886.0	3740.3	3663.4	3615.6	3650.2	-10.6
RURAL												
Male	4561.0	4279.7	4058.9	4216.1	4021.7	3917.1	3948.9	3952.6	3895.3	3826.7	4027.0	-11.7
Female	3811.3	3658.6	3432.7	3555.8	3286.5	3418.2	3547.4	3256.0	3454.5	3309.8	3409.1	-10.6
TOTAL	4164.3	3949.5	3723.8	3863.1	3628.5	3657.5	3741.1	3590.0	3665.4	3558.1	3706.3	-11.0
TOTAL												
Male	4401.4	4282.4	4002.8	4095.0	4025.9	3974.9	4083.3	3987.4	3904.2	3883.3	3975.4	-9.7
Female	3856.6	3828.7	3597.1	3544.8	3515.6	3521.7	3681.4	3489.9	3468.6	3378.3	3412.6	-11.5
TOTAL	4099.3	4031.3	3778.8	3791.3	3744.2	3728.2	3864.8	3716.9	3667.5	3610.4	3671.5	-10.4

Notes: ^a Rates are presented per 100,000 persons 65 years and older; ^b Urban = Maricopa, Pima, Pinal, and Yuma counties; the remaining counties comprise Arizona's rural areas; see **Technical Notes** for more information.