

TABLE 1B-10
LIVE BIRTHS ACCORDING TO SELECTED MATERNAL, PRENATAL CARE AND DELIVERY
CHARACTERISTICS, BIRTHWEIGHT, PLURALITY, CHILD'S SEX, BIRTH ORDER,
AND BIRTH COMPLICATIONS^a, ARIZONA, 2010-2020
(BLACK OR AFRICAN AMERICAN MOTHERS)

Characteristic	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
Number of births	4,328	4,366	4,715	4,726	4,522	4,361	4,388	4,595	4,655	4,865	4,766
Age of mother											
≤19 years	13.0	12.8	11.5	10.7	8.7	7.2	7.2	7.2	5.8	5.8	5.4
≥30 years	28.3	30.3	30.2	30.6	34.1	36.0	35.0	37.1	39.0	41.4	41.8
Marital status											
Unmarried	63.1	63.6	64.8	63.7	62.5	63.2	61.3	60.6	60.6	62.7	62.9
Mother's education											
<9 years	5.2	4.3	4.3	3.7	3.3	4.1	4.3	4.7	3.7	4.4	3.6
Prenatal care began											
1st Trimester	81.6	80.4	79.9	78.2	61.4	62.2	62.8	61.4	62.4	59.8	60.3
3rd Trimester	3.3	3.0	3.4	4.5	7.7	6.9	7.9	6.5	7.6	8.3	8.1
No Care	1.7	1.6	1.1	1.3	2.8	2.5	2.2	3.3	3.0	3.0	2.7
Prenatal visits											
1-4	4.1	4.0	4.5	4.7	6.2	6.4	6.3	5.6	6.4	7.2	7.3
≥5	94.0	93.4	94.1	93.8	89.7	89.9	89.6	88.2	88.8	87.7	87.5
≥9	78.4	79.1	78.5	79.1	72.1	71.5	70.2	69.2	68.2	64.5	65.0
≥13	30.4	33.6	32.7	31.0	24.7	25.4	25.7	26.3	28.3	25.8	27.3
Medical risks											
Complications^b	56.0	52.0	56.6	57.2	36.0	44.3	44.3	45.8	49.6	53.6	54.1
Gestational age^c											
Preterm (<37 weeks)	12.3	12.7	11.9	11.8	12.1	12.2	12.4	12.4	12.4	13.2	13.1
Birth weight											
<2,500 grams	11.4	12.5	11.7	11.1	11.9	12.3	12.0	12.4	12.3	12.3	12.8
<1,500 grams	2.6	2.5	2.3	2.0	2.5	2.3	2.4	2.3	2.1	2.4	2.6
Child's sex											
Male	50.8	50.5	50.5	51.8	51.9	51.5	50.7	51.8	49.0	51.7	50.7
Female	49.2	49.5	49.5	48.2	48.1	48.5	49.3	48.2	51.0	48.3	49.3
Plurality											
Multiple births	3.3	3.6	4.1	3.7	4.7	3.9	3.3	4.0	4.7	4.4	4.2
Caesarean delivery	30.7	31.1	31.9	31.4	33.0	32.8	32.4	30.8	33.7	34.1	34.6
Place of delivery											
Hospital ^d	99.5	99.3	99.6	99.3	99.5	99.6	99.1	99.0	99.1	98.8	98.0
Attendant at birth											
Midwife ^e	3.4	2.7	3.5	3.9	8.8	11.7	12.0	13.2	12.0	12.1	12.0
Previous live births											
1 or more	62.8	63.0	63.8	64.6	66.9	66.2	66.2	67.1	67.4	68.4	67.4

Notes: ^a Rates per 100 births.

^b Reported medical risks for this pregnancy and/or complications of labor and delivery; data for years 2014 and 2015 in bold were updated due to correction.

^c Physician's estimate.

^d Hospital, clinic, medical center or maternity home.

^e Licensed Midwife or Certified Nurse Midwife.