

**TABLE 2C-25  
MORTALITY RATES<sup>a</sup> FOR THE FIVE LEADING CAUSES OF DEATH AMONG ELDERLY (65 YEARS AND OLDER)  
BY GENDER IN URBAN AND RURAL AREAS<sup>b</sup>, ARIZONA, 2011-2021**

Area/Gender	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	% change from 2011
<b>URBAN</b>												
Male	4107.6	3980.1	3898.2	3888.6	3944.3	3960.2	3799.2	3891.3	3816.2	4695.5	4733.8	15.2
Female	3705.0	3543.8	3470.8	3388.5	3405.1	3344.3	3306.7	3297.9	3214.4	3856.4	3792.2	2.4
TOTAL	3886.0	3740.3	3663.4	3615.6	3650.2	3624.7	3531.0	3568.4	3488.5	4238.3	4220.5	8.6
<b>RURAL</b>												
Male	3948.9	3952.6	3895.3	3826.7	4027.0	4133.9	4142.9	4043.4	3971.6	4952.7	5262.3	33.3
Female	3547.4	3256.0	3454.5	3309.8	3409.1	3435.2	3304.1	3253.6	3188.9	3956.9	3966.8	11.8
TOTAL	3741.1	3590.0	3665.4	3558.1	3706.3	3771.9	3708.2	3634.9	3566.0	4435.0	4588.6	22.7
<b>TOTAL</b>												
Male	4083.3	3987.4	3904.2	3883.3	3975.4	4019.0	3892.3	3932.5	3858.4	4761.0	4859.7	19.0
Female	3681.4	3489.9	3468.6	3378.3	3412.6	3371.1	3312.5	3293.6	3215.7	3881.4	3832.1	4.1
TOTAL	3864.8	3716.9	3667.5	3610.4	3671.5	3669.5	3579.6	3588.4	3511.9	4286.1	4304.7	11.4

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