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Birthweight and race of mother	Live Births	Infant	Total Neonatal	Early Neonatal	Late Neonatal	Post-Neonatal
All races						
Total (all birthweights)	4,021,825	27,970	18,791	15,020	3,771	9,179
Rate		7.0	4.7	3.7	0.9	2.3
Less than 2,500 grams	315,028	18,758	15,324	12,904	2,421	3,434
Rate		59.5	48.6	41.0	7.7	10.9
Less than 500 grams	6,780	5,844	5,688	5,538	151	156
Rate		862.0	839.0	816.7	22.3	23.0
500-749 grams	11,290	5,528	4,792	3,926	867	736
Rate		489.6	424.5	347.7	76.8	65.2
750-999 grams	11,803	1,831	1,374	949	424	458
Rate		155.1	116.4	80.4	36.0	38.8
1,000-1,249 grams	13,599	956	712	510	202	243
Rate		70.3	52.4	37.5	14.9	17.9
1,250-1,499 grams	15,889	726	512	382	130	214
Rate		45.7	32.2	24.0	8.2	13.5
1,500-1,999 grams	61,705	1,636	1,067	803	264	569
Rate		26.5	17.3	13.0	4.3	9.2
2,000-2,499 grams	193,962	2,237	1,180	797	383	1,057
Rate		11.5	6.1	4.1	2.0	5.4
2,500-2,999 grams	688,845	3,082	1,208	704	505	1,874
Rate		4.5	1.8	1.0	0.7	2.7
3,000-3,499 grams	1,522,223	3,435	1,107	604	503	2,328
Rate		2.3	0.7	0.4	0.3	1.5
3,500-3,999 grams	1,126,215	1,771	560	305	255	1,211
Rate		1.6	0.5	0.3	0.2	1.1
4,000-4,499 grams	314,255	427	164	102	62	264
Rate		1.4	0.5	0.3	0.2	0.8
4,500-4,999 grams	48,621	98	46	30	15	52
Rate		2.0	0.9	0.6	*	1.1
5,000 grams or more	5,397	27	18	15	3	9
Rate		5.1	*	*	*	*
Not stated	1,241	371	363	356	7	8
Rate		299.1	292.5	286.8	*	*

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Birthweight and race of mother	Live Births	Infant	Total Neonatal	Early Neonatal	Late Neonatal	Post-Neonatal
White						
Total (all birthweights)	3,174,807	18,395	12,352	9,804	2,548	6,044
Rate		5.8	3.9	3.1	0.8	1.9
Less than 2,500 grams	216,373	11,830	9,787	8,238	1,548	2,043
Rate		54.7	45.2	38.1	7.2	9.4
Less than 500 grams	3,873	3,368	3,277	3,193	83	91
Rate		869.7	846.1	824.5	21.5	23.6
500-749 grams	6,690	3,382	3,003	2,501	503	379
Rate		505.6	449.0	373.8	75.1	56.6
750-999 grams	7,370	1,201	936	650	286	265
Rate		163.0	127.0	88.2	38.8	36.0
1,000-1,249 grams	8,937	652	516	376	140	136
Rate		73.0	57.8	42.1	15.6	15.2
1,250-1,499 grams	10,699	492	371	288	84	121
Rate		46.0	34.7	26.9	7.8	11.3
1,500-1,999 grams	43,113	1,142	792	604	188	350
Rate		26.5	18.4	14.0	4.4	8.1
2,000-2,499 grams	135,691	1,591	890	626	265	701
Rate		11.7	6.6	4.6	1.9	5.2
2,500-2,999 grams	495,210	2,133	900	539	361	1,233
Rate		4.3	1.8	1.1	0.7	2.5
3,000-3,499 grams	1,191,645	2,463	848	474	374	1,615
Rate		2.1	0.7	0.4	0.3	1.4
3,500-3,999 grams	948,175	1,354	444	245	199	910
Rate		1.4	0.5	0.3	0.2	1.0
4,000-4,499 grams	275,107	321	129	81	48	191
Rate		1.2	0.5	0.3	0.2	0.7
4,500-4,999 grams	42,764	74	34	24	10	39
Rate		1.7	0.8	0.6	*	0.9
5,000 grams or more	4,631	21	13	10	3	8
Rate		4.6	*	*	*	*
Not stated	902	199	195	191	4	4
Rate		220.6	216.1	211.6	*	*

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Birthweight and race of mother	Live Births	Infant	Total Neonatal	Early Neonatal	Late Neonatal	Post-Neonatal
Black						
Total (all birthweights)	593,743	8,201	5,533	4,506	1,027	2,668
Rate		13.8	9.3	7.6	1.7	4.5
Less than 2,500 grams	79,137	6,056	4,830	4,079	752	1,226
Rate		76.5	61.0	51.5	9.5	15.5
Less than 500 grams	2,617	2,231	2,173	2,111	62	58
Rate		852.7	830.4	806.5	23.9	22.3
500-749 grams	4,095	1,907	1,584	1,248	336	323
Rate		465.6	386.7	304.8	82.0	78.9
750-999 grams	3,827	541	371	254	116	170
Rate		141.3	96.8	66.4	30.4	44.5
1,000-1,249 grams	3,970	258	160	108	52	98
Rate		65.0	40.4	27.3	13.2	24.6
1,250-1,499 grams	4,332	190	109	72	37	82
Rate		44.0	25.1	16.6	8.6	18.8
1,500-1,999 grams	15,156	409	216	159	56	193
Rate		27.0	14.2	10.5	3.7	12.7
2,000-2,499 grams	45,140	520	218	126	91	302
Rate		11.5	4.8	2.8	2.0	6.7
2,500-2,999 grams	140,541	798	239	126	113	558
Rate		5.7	1.7	0.9	0.8	4.0
3,000-3,499 grams	226,502	774	192	93	98	582
Rate		3.4	0.8	0.4	0.4	2.6
3,500-3,999 grams	117,810	322	88	39	48	234
Rate		2.7	0.7	0.3	0.4	2.0
4,000-4,499 grams	25,298	79	23	15	8	55
Rate		3.1	0.9	*	*	2.2
4,500-4,999 grams	3,741	16	7	3	4	9
Rate		*	*	*	*	*
5,000 grams or more	475	5	5	5	-	-
Rate		*	*	*	-	-
Not stated	239	152	149	146	3	3
Rate		636.2	623.5	610.8	*	*

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Birthweight and race of mother	Live Births	Infant	Total Neonatal	Early Neonatal	Late Neonatal	Post-Neonatal
American Indian ¹						
Total (all birthweights)	42,367	366	195	137	58	171
Rate		8.6	4.6	3.2	1.4	4.0
Less than 2,500 grams	3,072	197	146	115	31	51
Rate		64.2	47.5	37.3	10.1	16.7
Less than 500 grams	57	50	47	46	1	3
Rate		874.2	820.7	803.2	*	*
500-749 grams	103	42	37	31	6	5
Rate		412.4	363.7	305.2	*	*
750-999 grams	113	14	10	8	2	4
Rate		*	*	*	*	*
1,000-1,249 grams	124	14	9	6	3	5
Rate		*	*	*	*	*
1,250-1,499 grams	152	16	9	8	1	7
Rate		*	*	*	*	*
1,500-1,999 grams	591	19	15	8	7	4
Rate		*	*	*	*	*
2,000-2,499 grams	1,932	41	18	7	11	23
Rate		21.4	*	*	*	12.0
2,500-2,999 grams	6,746	45	17	9	8	28
Rate		6.7	*	*	*	4.2
3,000-3,499 grams	15,490	74	18	4	14	56
Rate		4.8	*	*	*	3.6
3,500-3,999 grams	12,304	33	9	6	3	24
Rate		2.7	*	*	*	2.0
4,000-4,499 grams	3,870	10	3	2	1	7
Rate		*	*	*	*	*
4,500-4,999 grams	769	4	2	1	1	2
Rate		*	*	*	*	*
5,000 grams or more	107	1	-	-	-	1
Rate		*	-	-	-	*
Not stated	9	1	-	-	-	1
Rate		100.0	-	-	-	100.0

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Asian or Pacific Islander						
Total (all birthweights)	210,908	1,006	710	573	138	296
Rate		4.8	3.4	2.7	0.7	1.4
Less than 2,500 grams	16,446	675	561	472	89	113
Rate		41.0	34.1	28.7	5.4	6.9
Less than 500 grams	233	195	192	188	4	3
Rate		835.2	822.3	805.0	*	*
500-749 grams	402	197	167	145	22	29
Rate		489.0	416.6	361.5	55.0	72.4
750-999 grams	493	75	57	37	20	18
Rate		151.7	115.0	74.3	40.7	*
1,000-1,249 grams	568	31	26	19	7	5
Rate		55.0	46.2	*	*	*
1,250-1,499 grams	706	27	22	14	8	5
Rate		38.7	31.6	*	*	*
1,500-1,999 grams	2,845	66	44	31	12	22
Rate		23.1	15.3	11.1	*	7.8
2,000-2,499 grams	11,199	85	54	37	16	31
Rate		7.6	4.8	3.3	*	2.8
2,500-2,999 grams	46,348	106	52	30	22	54
Rate		2.3	1.1	0.6	0.5	1.2
3,000-3,499 grams	88,586	123	49	33	16	74
Rate		1.4	0.6	0.4	*	0.8
3,500-3,999 grams	47,926	61	19	14	5	42
Rate		1.3	*	*	*	0.9
4,000-4,499 grams	9,980	18	8	3	5	10
Rate		*	*	*	*	*
4,500-4,999 grams	1,347	4	2	2	-	2
Rate		*	*	*	-	*
5,000 grams or more	184	-	-	-	-	-
Rate		-	-	-	-	-
Not stated	91	19	19	19	-	-
Rate		*	*	*	-	-

* Figure does not meet standard of reliability or precision; based on fewer than 20 deaths in the numerator

- Quantity zero.

¹ Includes Aleuts and Eskimos.