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Deaths and Death Rates

During 1975 there were 1,892,879 resident deaths reported in the United States, 41,509 fewer than in 1974 (table 1). The rate for 1975 was 8.9 deaths per 1,000 population—the lowest level ever recorded for the United States.

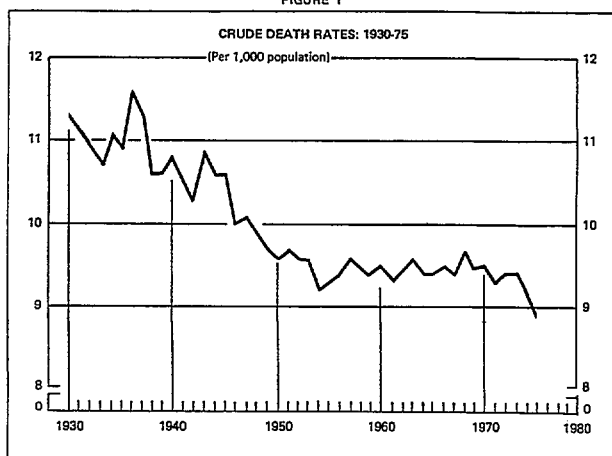
This drop of 3.3 percent from the death rate for 1974 occurred despite the outbreak of influenza during January and February 1975. The death rate for Influenza and pneumonia increased from 25.9 for 1974 to 26.1 deaths per 100,000 for 1975, and the rate for influenza alone doubled—increasing from 1.0 to 2.0 deaths per 100,000. The death rates for only two other causes among the 15 leading causes of death increased between 1974 and 1975: The rate for Malignant neoplasms increased from 170.5 to 171.7 per 100,000, and the rate for Suicide increased from 12.1 to 12.7 per 100,000.

The death rates declined for all major age groups. The percent decreases between 1974 and 1975 are shown below:

Age	Percent decrease
All ages.....	3.3
Under 1 year	6.5
1-4 years.....	4.2
5-9 years.....	5.3
10-14 years.....	7.8
15-24 years.....	2.3
25-44 years.....	4.1
45-64 years.....	3.2
65 years and over	4.4

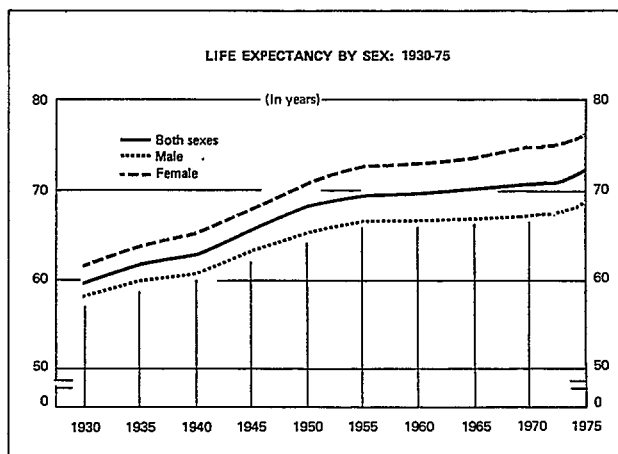
Increases in the number of persons in the three highest risk age groups between 1974 and 1975 (under 1, 45-64, and 65 years and over) partly

FIGURE 1



offset the downward effect of these decreases on the overall crude death rate (deaths per 1,000 total population). If there had been no changes in the age composition of the population between 1974 and 1975, there would have been a decline of 4.3 percent in the crude rate instead of the actually observed 3.3 percent.

FIGURE 2



The age-adjusted rate for 1975, 6.4 per 1,000, was also the lowest on record. This rate was computed by the direct method, that is by applying the 1975 age-specific death rates for all causes to the selected standard population (total U.S. population in 1940) distributed by age. The decrease of 4.5 percent between 1974 and 1975 in the age-adjusted death rate for the total population (from 6.7 to 6.4 per 1,000) reflects the following decreases in the age-adjusted death rates for the four color-sex groups: white males, 3.6 percent; white females, 4.5 percent; all other males, 4.5 percent; and all other females, 6.5 percent.

For 1975, as for 1974 and for 1973, the age-adjusted death rate for the male population was 1.8 times the rate for the female population. Similarly, in each of the 3 years the age-adjusted rate for persons of races other than white was 1.4 times the rate for the white population.

Causes of Death

The record low death rate for 1975 reflects primarily the continuing downturn for the following three causes of death: Diseases of heart (particularly for Ischemic heart disease), Cerebrovascular diseases, and Accidents. For the first two of these causes, mortality rises steeply with advance in age. The 1975 age-adjusted death rate for Diseases of heart was 5.2 percent lower than the corresponding rate for 1974; again for 1975 as for 1974, because of the magnitude of the rate for this top ranking cause of death, it accounted for about 44 percent of the drop in the age-adjusted death rate for all causes.

The 642,719 deaths in 1975 from Ischemic heart disease accounted for about 90 percent of all deaths attributed to Diseases of heart. Between 1974 and 1975 the age-adjusted rate for this major component dropped 5.6 percent. The greatest relative decrease (8.2 percent) occurred in the rate for the age group 25-34 years; and the greatest absolute decrease (159.7 per 100,000) occurred for the age group 75-84 years.

The decline in the age-adjusted rate for Cerebrovascular diseases that began in the 1920's also continued through 1975. This rate was 9.0 percent lower for 1975 than for 1974.

For Accidents the age-adjusted rate was only 2.6 percent lower for 1975 than for 1974. The drop in the rate for this cause between 1973 and

1974 was 11 percent. This unprecedented decrease reflects primarily the fact that the age-adjusted death rate for Motor vehicle accidents dropped 17.4 percent between 1973 and 1974. This decrease in the age-adjusted rate for Motor vehicle accidents was associated with the serious gasoline shortage in 1974 and with the new legislation that went into effect establishing a maximum speed limit of 55 miles per hour on the Nation's highways. The drop in the age-adjusted death rate for Motor vehicle accidents between 1974 and 1975 was 2.3 percent.

There were also appreciable decreases between 1974 and 1975 in the age-adjusted death rates for a number of other causes, including the following (listed in the order of the magnitude of their age-adjusted death rates for 1975): Cirrhosis of liver, 6.8 percent; Certain causes of mortality in early infancy, 9.5 percent; Diabetes mellitus, 7.2 percent; Bronchitis, emphysema, and asthma, 6.5 percent; Arteriosclerosis, 13.2 percent; and Congenital anomalies, 3.0 percent.

For 1975 the age-adjusted death rate for Bronchitis, emphysema, and asthma was down to 8.6 deaths per 100,000, from the corresponding rate of 9.2 for 1974. However, as stated in an earlier report,¹ medical certifiers with increasing frequency are entering the generalized term "Chronic obstructive lung disease" on death certificates instead of a more specific diagnosis of "Emphysema," "Bronchitis," or "Asthma." Consequently, data for Bronchitis, emphysema, and asthma (ICDA Nos. 490-493) and Chronic obstructive lung disease without mention of asthma, bronchitis, or emphysema (*519.3) should be combined to obtain a measure of mortality from this complex of diseases. The age-adjusted death rate for this combination for 1975 (14.3 deaths per 100,000) was 2.1 percent higher than the corresponding rate for 1974 (14.0 deaths per 100,000).

Life Expectancy

The expectation of life at birth was at a record high of 72.5 years for the total population in 1975. This represents the average number of years at the time of birth that the members of the life-table cohort may expect to live. Based

¹ *Monthly Vital Statistics Report (Provisional Statistics)*, Annual Summary for the United States, 1974, Vol. 23, No. 13.

on mortality experience during 1975, the life expectancy at birth was 68.7 for males and 76.5 for females. These life expectancy values for the male and female populations increased in 1975 over 1974 by 0.7 percent and 0.8 percent, respectively. Life expectancy for the white population was 73.2 years and for all others it was 67.9 years, an increase of 0.7 and 1.3 percent, respectively.

Infant Mortality

The infant mortality rate was 16.1 per 1,000 live births in 1975, a reduction of 3.6 percent from the level of 16.7 in 1974. This continued the decrease in infant mortality that has been evidenced over the last decade. Among white infants the mortality rate dropped from 14.8 in 1974 to 14.2 in 1975 (a 4.1-percent decrease), while among all other infants it declined from 24.9 to 24.2 (a 2.8-percent decrease).

The infant mortality rates for most major causes of death were lower in 1975 than in 1974 (table 10). Among the States, Mississippi recorded the highest resident infant mortality rate for 1975 (22.3 deaths per 1,000 live births) and Hawaii recorded the lowest (12.9 deaths per 1,000). The resident infant mortality rate for the District of Columbia was 29.0 deaths per 1,000 live births.

Maternal Mortality

In 1975, 403 women died of maternal causes. As in previous years, this number does not include all deaths occurring to pregnant women but only deaths assigned to Complications of pregnancy, childbirth, and the puerperium (ICDA Nos. 630-678). The number of maternal deaths and the maternal mortality rates per 100,000 live births by color for 1975 were as follows:

Color	Number	Rate
Total.....	403	12.8
White.....	231	9.1
All other.....	172	29.0

The overall rate in 1975 was 12.3 percent below the rate for 1974. The rate for white wom-

en declined 9.0 percent, and the rate for all other women decreased 17.4 percent. The rate for all other women was 3.2 times that for white women.

Report of Autopsy

For 1975 all States requested information on the death certificate as to whether autopsies were performed. However, autopsies were reported for only 333,068, or 17.6 percent of the deaths occurring during the year (table 13). Autopsies were reported as performed for 50 percent or more of the deaths for only 2 of the 15 leading causes: Homicide (89.0 per 100 deaths) and Congenital anomalies (50.5 per 100 deaths). There were five other leading causes for which autopsies were reported on 30 percent or more of the death certificates: Suicide (43.7 percent); Accidents (41.1 percent); Peptic ulcer (39.6 percent); Certain causes of mortality in early infancy (34.4 percent); and Cirrhosis of liver (33.2 percent).

Mortality by Month and Day of Death

The year 1975 is the fourth consecutive year for which both month of death and day of death have been tabulated. The average number of deaths per day of week are shown for 1975 for all causes combined and for the following three causes: Motor vehicle accidents, Suicide, and Homicide (table 14). The average number of motor vehicle fatalities on Saturday (177 deaths) is 75 percent higher than the average number on Tuesday—the day of the week with the lowest average number of these fatalities. The average number of homicides on Saturday (82 deaths) is 71 percent higher than the average number on Tuesday—the day of the week with the lowest number of homicides (48 deaths). For Suicide, variation by day of death is less pronounced than for Motor vehicle accidents or Homicide.

SOURCES OF DATA

Data shown in this report are based on information from all death certificates for the 50 States and the District of Columbia. Mortality

statistics are based on information obtained directly from copies of the original certificates received from the registration offices except for data provided to the National Center for Health Statistics through the Cooperative Health Statistics System.

For the latter, mortality data for 1975 except data for cause of death and fetal deaths were coded from the original certificates and provided on computer tape through the Cooper-

ative Health Statistics System by the 16 following States: Colorado, Florida, Illinois, Kansas, Maine, Maryland, Missouri, Montana, New Hampshire, New York (except New York City), Oklahoma, Oregon, Rhode Island, South Carolina, Tennessee, and Vermont. The seven States of Iowa, Louisiana, Michigan, Nebraska, North Carolina, Virginia, and Wisconsin also submitted mortality data which included data on cause of death through this System.

This report presents summary tabulations from the final mortality statistics for 1975. More detailed tabulations for 1975 will be published in *Vital Statistics of the United States, 1975, Volume II—Mortality*. Prior to the publication of that volume, the National Center for Health Statistics will respond to requests for unpublished data whenever possible.

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Table 1. TOTAL, INFANT, AND NEONATAL DEATHS AND RATES, FOR THE UNITED STATES, EACH REGION, DIVISION, AND STATE; AND BY COLOR AND SEX FOR THE UNITED STATES: 1975

[By place of residence. Refers only to resident deaths occurring within the United States]

Color, sex, and area	Total deaths		Infant deaths (under 1 year)		Neonatal deaths (under 28 days)	
	Number	Rate ¹	Number	Rate ²	Number	Rate ²
United States-----	1,892,879	8.9	50,525	16.1	36,416	11.6
Male----	1,050,819	10.1	28,812	17.9	20,827	12.9
Female----	842,060	7.7	21,713	14.2	15,589	10.2
White-----	1,680,366	9.0	36,173	14.2	26,478	10.4
Male----	917,804	10.2	20,919	15.9	15,350	11.7
Female----	742,562	7.8	15,254	12.3	11,128	9.0
All other----	232,513	8.3	14,352	24.2	9,938	16.8
Male----	133,015	10.0	7,893	26.2	5,477	18.2
Female----	99,498	6.8	6,459	22.2	4,461	15.3
Regions:						
Northeast-----	466,123	9.4	9,674	15.5	7,236	11.6
North Central---	513,350	9.0	13,496	15.8	9,770	11.4
South-----	610,301	9.0	18,870	17.8	13,622	12.8
West-----	297,105	7.8	8,485	14.1	5,788	9.6
NORTHEAST						
New England-----	110,428	9.1	2,073	14.0	1,562	10.6
Maine-----	10,273	9.7	202	13.2	137	9.0
New Hampshire---	7,220	8.8	148	13.4	112	10.1
Vermont-----	4,262	9.1	90	13.3	68	10.1
Massachusetts---	54,015	9.3	920	13.5	693	10.1
Rhode Island-----	8,898	9.6	156	14.5	107	10.0
Connecticut-----	25,740	8.3	557	15.5	445	12.4
Middle Atlantic---	355,695	9.5	7,601	15.9	5,674	11.9
New York-----	169,618	9.4	3,782	16.0	2,803	11.9
New Jersey-----	65,498	9.0	1,377	15.0	997	10.9
Pennsylvania-----	120,579	10.2	2,442	16.4	1,874	12.6
NORTH CENTRAL						
East North Central---	361,141	8.8	9,910	16.3	7,117	11.7
Ohio-----	96,385	9.0	2,508	15.8	1,838	11.6
Indiana-----	46,723	8.8	1,217	14.8	876	10.6
Illinois-----	103,552	9.3	3,116	18.4	2,230	13.2
Michigan-----	74,596	8.1	2,179	16.3	1,535	11.5
Wisconsin-----	39,885	8.7	888	13.6	638	9.8
West North Central---	158,209	9.5	3,586	14.6	2,653	10.8
Minnesota-----	32,689	8.3	764	13.5	567	10.0
Iowa-----	28,097	9.8	557	13.5	435	10.5
Missouri-----	49,059	10.3	1,124	16.4	816	11.9
North Dakota-----	5,496	8.7	157	14.8	119	11.2
South Dakota-----	6,484	9.5	181	16.1	124	11.0
Nebraska-----	14,603	9.4	329	13.9	244	10.3
Kansas-----	21,781	9.6	474	14.0	348	10.3
SOUTH						
South Atlantic-----	301,041	8.9	8,775	18.2	6,344	13.2
Delaware-----	4,682	8.1	119	14.4	91	11.0
Maryland-----	32,055	7.8	908	17.2	688	13.0
District of Columbia---	7,481	10.4	283	29.0	227	23.3
Virginia-----	39,553	8.0	1,223	17.4	921	13.1
West Virginia-----	19,559	10.8	516	18.4	387	13.8
North Carolina-----	45,777	8.4	1,485	18.4	1,059	13.1
South Carolina-----	23,497	8.3	907	19.4	644	13.8
Georgia-----	41,363	8.4	1,465	18.3	1,005	12.6
Florida-----	87,074	10.4	1,869	17.7	1,322	12.5
East South Central---	128,195	9.5	3,970	18.1	2,865	13.1
Kentucky-----	33,187	9.8	854	15.6	634	11.6
Tennessee-----	38,564	9.2	1,008	16.2	734	11.6
Alabama-----	33,658	9.3	1,131	19.5	818	14.1
Mississippi-----	22,786	9.7	977	22.3	679	15.5
West South Central---	181,065	8.7	6,125	17.0	4,413	12.2
Arkansas-----	21,700	10.3	625	18.1	446	12.9
Louisiana-----	33,700	8.9	1,238	18.2	926	13.6
Oklahoma-----	27,194	10.0	690	16.2	487	11.4
Texas-----	98,471	8.0	3,572	16.6	2,554	11.8
WEST						
Mountain-----	70,530	7.3	2,611	14.8	1,762	10.0
Montana-----	8,538	8.7	186	15.4	128	10.6
Idaho-----	6,514	7.9	214	13.2	152	9.4
Wyoming-----	3,078	8.2	121	17.4	89	12.8
Colorado-----	17,434	6.9	572	14.2	383	9.5
New Mexico-----	7,977	7.0	358	17.0	229	10.9
Arizona-----	16,980	7.6	586	14.8	380	9.6
Utah-----	7,530	6.2	416	13.1	296	9.3
Nevada-----	4,479	7.6	158	17.4	105	11.6
Pacific-----	228,575	8.0	5,874	13.8	4,026	9.5
Washington-----	28,833	8.4	801	15.8	553	10.8
Oregon-----	20,176	8.8	502	15.0	330	9.9
California-----	170,687	8.1	4,260	13.4	2,923	9.2
Alaska-----	1,529	4.3	108	14.5	70	9.4
Hawaii-----	4,350	5.0	203	12.9	150	9.5

¹Per 1,000 population in specified group.²Per 1,000 live births.

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Table 2. ABRIDGED LIFE TABLES BY COLOR AND SEX: UNITED STATES, 1975

[For explanation of the columns of the Life Table, see Section 5 of Vital Statistics of the United States, 1972, Volume II]

AGE INTERVAL	PROPORTION DYING	OF 100,000 BORN ALIVE		STATIONARY POPULATION		AVERAGE REMAINING LIFETIME
PERIOD OF LIFE BETWEEN TWO EXACT AGES STATED IN YEARS	PROPORTION OF PERSONS ALIVE AT BEGINNING OF AGE INTERVAL DYING DURING INTERVAL	NUMBER LIVING AT BEGINNING OF AGE INTERVAL	NUMBER DYING DURING AGE INTERVAL	IN THE AGE INTERVAL	IN THIS AND ALL SUBSEQUENT AGE INTERVALS	AVERAGE NUMBER OF YEARS OF LIFE REMAINING AT BEGINNING OF AGE INTERVAL
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
x to $x+n$	q_x	l_x	$n^d l_x$	$n^e L_x$	T_x	e_x
TOTAL						
0-1	0.0161	100,000	1,606	98,576	7,251,607	72.5
1-5	.0028	98,394	275	392,937	7,153,031	72.7
5-10	.0018	98,119	175	490,125	6,760,094	68.9
10-15	.0018	97,944	176	489,349	6,269,969	64.0
15-20	.0051	97,768	498	487,711	5,780,620	59.1
20-25	.0069	97,270	671	484,694	5,292,909	54.4
25-30	.0068	96,595	658	481,350	4,808,215	49.8
30-35	.0075	95,941	724	477,974	4,326,865	45.1
35-40	.0104	95,217	991	473,756	3,848,891	40.4
40-45	.0162	94,226	1,522	467,575	3,371,125	35.8
45-50	.0253	92,704	2,348	458,017	2,907,550	31.4
50-55	.0386	90,356	3,488	443,602	2,449,533	27.1
55-60	.0584	86,868	5,077	422,332	2,005,931	23.1
60-65	.0880	81,791	7,198	391,790	1,583,599	19.4
65-70	.1215	74,593	9,064	351,188	1,191,809	16.0
70-75	.1849	65,529	12,113	298,322	840,621	12.8
75-80	.2697	53,416	14,408	231,564	542,299	10.2
80-85	.3708	39,008	14,465	158,291	310,735	8.0
85 AND OVER	1.0000	24,542	24,543	152,444	152,444	6.2
MALE						
0-1	0.0179	100,000	1,785	98,414	6,867,205	68.7
1-5	.0031	98,215	301	392,168	6,768,791	68.9
5-10	.0021	97,914	207	489,019	6,376,623	65.1
10-15	.0023	97,707	222	488,087	5,887,604	60.3
15-20	.0074	97,485	722	485,808	5,399,517	55.4
20-25	.0104	96,763	1,010	481,321	4,913,709	50.8
25-30	.0099	95,753	952	476,347	4,432,388	46.3
30-35	.0103	94,801	974	471,654	3,956,041	41.7
35-40	.0137	93,827	1,288	466,112	3,484,387	37.1
40-45	.0207	92,539	1,918	458,218	3,018,275	32.6
45-50	.0329	90,621	2,979	446,139	2,560,057	28.3
50-55	.0511	87,642	4,475	427,747	2,113,918	24.1
55-60	.0779	83,167	6,479	400,510	1,686,171	20.3
60-65	.1192	76,688	9,142	361,524	1,285,661	16.8
65-70	.1674	67,546	11,306	310,247	924,137	13.7
70-75	.2446	56,240	13,757	247,250	613,890	10.9
75-80	.3418	42,483	14,520	175,737	366,630	8.6
80-85	.4459	27,963	12,470	107,312	190,893	6.8
85 AND OVER	1.0000	15,493	15,493	83,581	83,581	5.4
FEMALE						
0-1	0.0142	100,000	1,418	98,747	7,648,562	76.5
1-5	.0025	98,582	248	393,745	7,549,815	76.6
5-10	.0015	98,334	143	491,283	7,156,070	72.8
10-15	.0013	98,191	126	490,672	6,664,787	67.9
15-20	.0027	98,065	267	489,703	6,174,115	63.0
20-25	.0034	97,798	330	488,179	5,684,412	58.1
25-30	.0037	97,468	364	486,460	5,196,233	53.3
30-35	.0049	97,104	475	484,406	4,709,773	48.5
35-40	.0073	96,629	703	481,508	4,225,367	43.7
40-45	.0118	95,926	1,129	476,989	3,743,859	39.0
45-50	.0182	94,797	1,722	469,933	3,266,870	34.5
50-55	.0269	93,075	2,506	459,465	2,796,937	30.1
55-60	.0404	90,569	3,656	444,185	2,337,472	25.8
60-65	.0598	86,913	5,195	422,286	1,893,287	21.8
65-70	.0834	81,718	6,816	392,513	1,471,001	18.0
70-75	.1381	74,902	10,346	350,032	1,078,488	14.4
75-80	.2192	64,556	14,149	288,739	728,456	11.3
80-85	.3241	50,407	16,335	211,408	439,717	8.7
85 AND OVER	1.0000	34,072	34,072	228,309	228,309	6.7

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AGE INTERVAL PERIOD OF LIFE BETWEEN TWO EXACT AGES STATED IN YEARS (1)	PROPORTION DYING	OF 100,000 BORN ALIVE		STATIONARY POPULATION		AVERAGE REMAINING LIFETIME
	PROPORTION OF PERSONS ALIVE AT BEGINNING OF AGE INTERVAL DYING DURING INTERVAL (2)	NUMBER LIVING AT BEGINNING OF AGE INTERVAL (3)	NUMBER DYING DURING AGE INTERVAL (4)	IN THE AGE INTERVAL (5)	IN THIS AND ALL SUBSEQUENT AGE INTERVALS (6)	AVERAGE NUMBER OF YEARS OF LIFE REMAINING AT BEGINNING OF AGE INTERVAL (7)
x to $x+n$	nq_x	l_x	n^d_x	n^L_x	T_x	e_x
WHITE						
0-1	0.0142	100,000	1,416	98,740	7,323,121	73.2
1-5	.0025	98,584	251	393,759	7,224,381	73.3
5-10	.0017	98,323	166	491,221	6,830,622	69.5
10-15	.0017	98,167	167	490,482	6,339,401	64.6
15-20	.0050	98,000	488	488,884	5,848,919	59.7
20-25	.0062	97,512	608	486,045	5,360,035	55.0
25-30	.0058	96,904	563	483,103	4,873,990	50.3
30-35	.0063	96,341	609	480,248	4,390,887	45.6
35-40	.0088	95,732	838	476,714	3,910,639	40.8
40-45	.0141	94,894	1,336	471,377	3,433,925	36.2
45-50	.0229	93,558	2,143	462,797	2,962,548	31.7
50-55	.0358	91,415	3,277	449,431	2,499,751	27.3
55-60	.0552	88,138	4,865	429,226	2,050,320	23.3
60-65	.0845	83,273	7,034	399,630	1,621,094	19.5
65-70	.1190	76,239	9,070	359,471	1,221,464	16.0
70-75	.1793	67,165	12,044	306,792	861,993	12.8
75-80	.2676	55,125	14,752	239,370	555,201	10.1
80-85	.3760	40,373	15,180	163,344	315,831	7.8
85 AND OVER	1.0000	25,193	25,193	152,487	152,487	6.1
WHITE, MALE						
0-1	0.0159	100,000	1,593	98,580	6,943,305	69.4
1-5	.0028	98,407	278	392,995	6,844,725	69.6
5-10	.0020	98,129	194	490,130	6,451,730	65.7
10-15	.0022	97,935	212	489,247	5,961,600	60.9
15-20	.0072	97,723	708	487,019	5,472,353	56.0
20-25	.0094	97,015	916	482,795	4,985,334	51.4
25-30	.0084	96,099	806	478,433	4,502,539	46.9
30-35	.0085	95,293	806	474,519	4,024,106	42.2
35-40	.0114	94,487	1,080	469,922	3,549,587	37.6
40-45	.0180	93,407	1,679	463,150	3,079,665	33.0
45-50	.0299	91,728	2,742	452,268	2,616,515	28.5
50-55	.0476	88,986	4,234	435,085	2,164,247	24.3
55-60	.0742	84,752	6,287	408,952	1,729,162	20.4
60-65	.1157	78,465	9,079	370,619	1,320,210	16.8
65-70	.1655	69,386	11,485	319,072	949,591	13.7
70-75	.2410	57,901	13,952	255,155	630,519	10.9
75-80	.3419	43,949	15,024	181,871	375,364	8.5
80-85	.4530	28,925	13,103	110,492	193,493	6.7
85 AND OVER	1.0000	15,822	15,822	83,001	83,001	5.2
WHITE, FEMALE						
0-1	0.0123	100,000	1,230	98,908	7,716,571	77.2
1-5	.0023	98,770	223	394,562	7,617,663	77.1
5-10	.0014	98,547	136	492,368	7,223,101	75.3
10-15	.0012	98,411	120	491,782	6,730,733	68.4
15-20	.0026	98,291	258	490,851	6,238,951	63.5
20-25	.0030	98,033	294	489,437	5,748,100	58.6
25-30	.0032	97,739	313	487,935	5,258,663	53.8
30-35	.0042	97,426	410	486,166	4,770,728	49.0
35-40	.0062	97,016	597	483,697	4,284,562	44.2
40-45	.0102	96,419	988	479,804	3,800,865	39.4
45-50	.0162	95,431	1,545	473,538	3,321,061	34.8
50-55	.0247	93,886	2,319	463,984	2,847,523	30.3
55-60	.0374	91,567	3,426	449,743	2,383,539	26.0
60-65	.0560	88,141	4,937	429,062	1,933,796	21.9
65-70	.0801	83,204	6,666	400,381	1,504,734	18.1
70-75	.1315	76,538	10,063	359,023	1,104,353	14.4
75-80	.2158	66,475	14,345	297,997	745,330	11.2
80-85	.3281	52,130	17,105	218,166	447,333	8.6
85 AND OVER	1.0000	35,025	35,025	229,167	229,167	6.5

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Table 2. ABRIDGED LIFE TABLES BY COLOR AND SEX: UNITED STATES, 1975—Con.

[For explanation of the columns of the Life Table, see Section 5 of Vital Statistics of the United States, 1972, Volume II]

AGE INTERVAL	PROPORTION DYING	OF 100,000 BORN ALIVE		STATIONARY POPULATION		AVERAGE REMAINING LIFETIME
PERIOD OF LIFE BETWEEN TWO EXACT AGES STATED IN YEARS	PROPORTION OF PERSONS ALIVE AT BEGINNING OF AGE INTERVAL DYING DURING INTERVAL	NUMBER LIVING AT BEGINNING OF AGE INTERVAL	NUMBER DYING DURING AGE INTERVAL	IN THE AGE INTERVAL	IN THIS AND ALL SUBSEQUENT AGE INTERVALS	AVERAGE NUMBER OF YEARS OF LIFE REMAINING AT BEGINNING OF AGE INTERVAL
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
x to $x+n$	nq_x	l_x	n^d_x	nL_x	T_x	e_x
ALL OTHER						
0-1	0.0243	100,000	2,429	97,868	6,793,042	67.9
1-5	.0039	97,571	383	389,368	6,695,174	68.6
5-10	.0023	97,188	226	485,319	6,305,806	64.9
10-15	.0022	96,562	217	484,351	5,820,487	60.0
15-20	.0058	96,745	559	482,499	5,336,136	55.2
20-25	.0110	96,186	1,060	478,409	4,853,637	50.5
25-30	.0138	95,126	1,312	472,417	4,375,228	46.0
30-35	.0158	93,814	1,482	465,529	3,902,811	41.6
35-40	.0219	92,332	2,022	456,862	3,437,282	37.2
40-45	.0306	90,310	2,764	444,963	2,980,420	33.0
45-50	.0439	87,546	3,837	428,558	2,535,457	29.0
50-55	.0621	83,709	5,194	406,077	2,106,899	25.2
55-60	.0884	78,515	6,940	375,807	1,700,822	21.7
60-65	.1203	71,575	8,612	326,950	1,325,015	18.5
65-70	.1435	62,963	9,036	252,651	988,065	15.7
70-75	.2434	53,927	13,128	237,046	695,414	12.9
75-80	.2934	40,799	11,972	173,424	458,368	11.2
80-85	.3100	28,827	8,937	120,982	284,944	9.9
85 AND OVER	1.0000	19,890	19,890	163,962	163,962	8.2
ALL OTHER, MALE						
0-1	0.0263	100,000	2,629	97,684	6,364,149	63.6
1-5	.0042	97,371	411	388,512	6,266,465	64.4
5-10	.0028	96,960	271	484,064	5,877,953	60.6
10-15	.0029	96,685	279	482,879	5,393,889	55.8
15-20	.0083	96,410	799	480,326	4,911,010	50.9
20-25	.0170	95,611	1,627	474,200	4,430,684	46.3
25-30	.0216	93,984	2,029	464,882	3,956,484	42.1
30-35	.0236	91,555	2,172	454,525	3,491,602	38.0
35-40	.0311	89,783	2,790	442,249	3,037,077	33.8
40-45	.0414	86,993	3,600	426,337	2,594,828	29.8
45-50	.0568	83,393	4,736	405,593	2,163,491	26.0
50-55	.0813	78,657	6,396	377,883	1,762,898	22.4
55-60	.1132	72,261	8,177	341,419	1,385,015	19.2
60-65	.1519	64,084	9,735	296,551	1,043,596	16.3
65-70	.1838	54,349	9,987	247,035	747,045	13.7
70-75	.2818	44,362	12,503	190,458	500,010	11.3
75-80	.3407	31,859	10,855	131,175	309,552	9.7
80-85	.3599	21,004	7,768	84,541	178,377	8.5
85 AND OVER	1.0000	13,236	13,236	93,836	93,836	7.1
ALL OTHER, FEMALE						
0-1	0.0222	100,000	2,222	98,060	7,234,282	72.3
1-5	.0036	97,778	353	390,256	7,136,222	73.0
5-10	.0018	97,425	180	486,624	6,745,966	69.2
10-15	.0016	97,245	154	485,882	6,259,342	64.4
15-20	.0033	97,091	319	484,739	5,773,460	59.5
20-25	.0056	96,772	537	482,586	5,288,721	54.7
25-30	.0071	96,235	682	479,593	4,806,135	49.9
30-35	.0092	95,593	874	475,722	4,326,582	45.3
35-40	.0144	94,679	1,359	470,205	3,850,860	40.7
40-45	.0215	93,320	2,009	461,839	3,380,655	36.2
45-50	.0325	91,311	2,963	449,498	2,918,816	32.0
50-55	.0448	88,348	3,960	432,256	2,469,318	27.9
55-60	.0663	84,388	5,598	408,503	2,037,062	24.1
60-65	.0927	78,790	7,306	376,399	1,628,559	20.7
65-70	.1105	71,484	7,901	338,218	1,252,160	17.5
70-75	.2107	63,583	13,395	284,973	913,942	14.4
75-80	.2553	50,188	12,811	218,681	628,969	12.5
80-85	.2679	37,377	10,012	161,361	410,288	11.0
85 AND OVER	1.0000	27,365	27,365	248,927	248,927	9.1

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Table 3. DEATHS AND DEATH RATES BY AGE, COLOR, AND SEX: UNITED STATES, 1975

[Refers only to resident deaths occurring within the United States. Rates per 100,000 estimated population in specified age group]

Age	Total			White			All other		
	Both sexes	Male	Female	Both sexes	Male	Female	Both sexes	Male	Female
NUMBER									
All ages-----	1,892,879	1,050,819	842,060	1,660,366	917,804	742,562	232,513	133,015	99,498
Under 1 year-----	50,525	28,812	21,713	36,173	20,919	15,254	14,352	7,893	6,459
1-4 years-----	9,060	5,096	3,974	6,812	3,864	2,948	2,248	1,222	1,026
5-9 years-----	6,185	3,717	2,468	4,864	2,918	1,946	1,321	799	522
10-14 years-----	7,294	4,734	2,560	5,855	3,802	2,053	1,439	932	507
15-19 years-----	21,267	15,637	5,630	17,636	13,043	4,593	3,631	2,594	1,037
20-24 years-----	28,278	19,871	6,407	20,446	15,575	4,871	5,832	4,296	1,536
25-29 years-----	23,010	16,678	6,332	17,153	12,458	4,715	5,857	4,240	1,617
30-34 years-----	21,030	14,118	6,912	15,395	10,244	5,151	5,835	3,874	1,761
35-39 years-----	24,265	15,567	8,698	17,832	11,448	6,384	6,433	4,119	2,314
40-44 years-----	36,427	22,869	13,558	27,776	17,522	10,254	8,651	5,347	3,304
45-49 years-----	60,361	38,166	22,195	48,315	30,878	17,439	12,046	7,250	4,756
50-54 years-----	93,981	60,151	33,830	78,048	50,315	27,733	15,933	9,836	6,097
55-59 years-----	128,404	81,142	45,262	107,709	69,872	37,837	18,695	11,270	7,425
60-64 years-----	169,320	108,960	60,360	146,490	95,476	51,014	22,830	13,484	9,346
65-69 years-----	208,501	130,361	78,140	182,951	115,627	67,324	25,550	14,734	10,816
70-74 years-----	233,995	139,835	94,160	207,568	121,589	85,979	26,427	14,246	12,181
75-79 years-----	248,330	129,830	118,500	226,383	118,439	107,944	21,947	11,391	10,556
80-84 years-----	241,128	111,296	129,832	225,147	103,412	121,735	15,961	7,884	8,097
85 years and over-----	285,077	107,720	177,357	267,499	100,236	167,262	17,579	7,484	10,095
Not stated-----	441	269	172	315	189	126	126	80	46
RATES PER 100,000 POPULATION									
All ages ¹ -----	898.5	1,013.2	770.3	896.8	1,015.3	763.8	833.6	999.1	662.5
Under 1 year-----	1,641.0	1,829.3	1,443.7	1,413.0	1,594.4	1,222.3	2,765.3	3,001.1	2,523.0
1-4 years-----	70.8	77.8	63.5	64.4	71.3	57.1	101.0	108.8	93.0
5-9 years-----	35.7	42.1	29.1	33.6	39.4	27.5	46.3	55.9	36.8
10-14 years-----	35.7	45.5	25.6	34.1	43.3	24.4	44.6	57.4	31.6
15-19 years-----	101.5	147.4	54.4	99.1	144.5	52.4	114.8	164.3	65.4
20-24 years-----	138.2	209.6	67.2	124.9	189.5	59.8	220.2	340.7	110.7
25-29 years-----	136.7	200.0	74.5	116.5	169.9	64.1	277.2	435.8	141.7
30-34 years-----	151.0	205.9	97.8	126.7	169.5	84.3	318.0	477.1	183.4
35-39 years-----	209.6	276.7	145.2	176.2	230.2	124.0	442.4	630.8	288.9
40-44 years-----	326.1	419.4	237.2	254.1	363.5	206.9	621.0	844.7	434.7
45-49 years-----	512.4	667.2	366.1	463.1	606.0	326.6	893.6	1,166.4	637.8
50-54 years-----	784.6	1,044.1	544.2	727.4	971.3	499.7	1,276.7	1,690.0	914.1
55-59 years-----	1,199.8	1,615.1	821.3	1,131.3	1,534.6	761.6	1,845.7	2,392.8	1,367.4
60-64 years-----	1,832.7	2,522.8	1,226.8	1,755.4	2,443.7	1,149.5	2,553.7	3,280.8	1,939.0
65-69 years-----	2,574.7	3,636.3	1,731.4	2,516.5	3,590.9	1,662.7	3,082.0	4,036.7	2,331.0
70-74 years-----	4,050.5	5,555.8	2,945.1	3,917.9	5,462.2	2,798.8	5,505.6	6,534.9	4,687.0
75-79 years-----	6,205.1	8,253.7	4,878.6	6,146.7	8,253.6	4,801.8	6,879.9	8,254.3	5,832.0
80-84 years-----	9,102.6	11,593.3	7,886.9	8,257.7	11,832.0	7,813.5	7,364.5	9,167.4	6,180.9
85 years and over-----	15,187.9	17,572.6	14,031.4	15,707.5	18,257.9	14,494.1	10,102.9	11,693.8	9,177.3

¹Figures for age not stated included in "All ages" but not distributed among groups.

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Table 4. DEATH RATES BY AGE, COLOR, AND SEX: UNITED STATES, 1960-75

[Rates per 1,000 population in specified group]

Color, sex, and year	All ages ^a	Under 1 year	1-4 years	5-14 years	15-24 years	25-34 years	35-44 years	45-54 years	55-64 years	65-74 years	75-84 years	85 years and over
TOTAL												
1975 ^c	8.9	16.4	0.7	0.4	1.2	1.4	2.7	6.5	15.0	31.9	73.6	151.9
1974 ^c	9.2	17.6	0.7	0.4	1.2	1.5	2.8	6.8	15.5	33.3	76.5	165.3
1973 ^c	9.4	18.1	0.8	0.4	1.3	1.5	3.0	7.0	16.1	34.4	79.3	174.3
1972 ^{c, s}	9.4	18.3	0.8	0.4	1.3	1.5	3.0	7.1	16.3	35.3	79.7	175.5
1971 ^c	9.3	19.0	0.8	0.4	1.3	1.6	3.1	7.1	16.2	34.9	78.7	174.3
1970 ^c	9.5	21.4	0.8	0.4	1.3	1.6	3.1	7.3	16.6	35.8	80.0	183.4
1969	9.5	21.5	0.9	0.4	1.3	1.6	3.2	7.3	16.8	37.4	79.0	180.8
1968	9.7	22.3	0.9	0.4	1.2	1.6	3.2	7.5	17.2	33.5	80.8	186.1
1967	9.4	22.3	0.9	0.4	1.2	1.5	3.1	7.3	16.7	37.5	78.0	184.2
1966	9.5	23.3	0.9	0.4	1.2	1.5	3.1	7.4	17.0	33.4	81.7	200.5
1965	9.4	24.1	0.9	0.4	1.1	1.5	3.1	7.4	16.9	37.9	81.9	202.0
1964	9.4	24.6	1.0	0.4	1.1	1.5	3.1	7.4	17.0	37.8	81.8	200.2
1963	9.6	25.3	1.0	0.4	1.1	1.5	3.0	7.5	17.3	38.9	85.2	210.1
1962	9.5	25.3	1.0	0.4	1.0	1.5	3.0	7.4	16.9	38.0	84.3	204.7
1961	9.3	25.4	1.0	0.4	1.0	1.4	2.9	7.3	16.7	37.2	83.6	195.9
1960	9.5	27.0	1.1	0.5	1.1	1.5	3.0	7.6	17.4	38.2	87.5	198.6
MALE												
1975 ^c	10.1	18.3	0.8	0.4	1.8	2.0	3.5	8.6	20.3	44.1	95.2	175.7
1974 ^c	10.4	19.7	0.8	0.5	1.8	2.1	3.6	8.9	21.1	45.8	97.9	188.8
1973 ^c	10.7	20.3	0.9	0.5	1.9	2.1	3.8	9.2	22.1	47.3	101.1	199.1
1972 ^{c, s}	10.8	20.6	0.9	0.5	1.9	2.1	3.9	9.4	22.5	48.2	101.2	196.0
1971 ^c	10.7	21.4	0.9	0.5	1.9	2.1	3.9	9.3	22.3	47.6	99.2	197.5
1970 ^c	10.9	24.1	0.9	0.5	1.9	2.2	4.0	9.6	22.8	49.7	100.1	178.2
1969	11.0	24.9	0.9	0.5	1.9	2.2	4.1	9.6	23.1	50.3	97.6	195.5
1968	11.1	25.2	0.9	0.5	1.8	2.1	4.1	9.8	23.7	51.9	98.8	203.9
1967	10.8	25.2	1.0	0.5	1.7	2.0	3.9	9.6	23.0	50.2	96.2	203.8
1966	11.0	26.3	1.0	0.5	1.7	2.0	3.9	9.8	23.3	51.2	98.5	209.3
1965	10.9	27.1	1.0	0.5	1.6	2.0	3.9	9.7	23.1	50.5	98.2	212.8
1964	10.8	27.7	1.0	0.5	1.5	2.0	3.8	9.7	23.0	49.9	97.1	210.4
1963	11.1	28.6	1.1	0.5	1.5	1.9	3.8	9.8	23.2	51.1	100.7	224.6
1962	10.9	28.7	1.0	0.5	1.5	1.9	3.7	9.7	22.6	49.4	98.7	219.0
1961	10.7	28.6	1.1	0.5	1.5	1.8	3.7	9.6	22.4	48.1	97.8	209.1
1960	11.0	30.6	1.2	0.6	1.5	1.9	3.7	9.9	23.1	49.1	101.8	211.9
FEMALE												
1975 ^c	7.7	14.4	0.6	0.3	0.6	0.9	1.9	4.6	10.1	22.5	60.3	140.3
1974 ^c	8.0	15.3	0.7	0.3	0.6	0.9	2.0	4.7	10.5	23.6	63.3	153.9
1973 ^c	8.1	15.7	0.7	0.3	0.7	0.9	2.2	4.9	10.8	24.5	65.6	162.3
1972 ^{c, s}	8.1	15.9	0.7	0.3	0.7	1.0	2.2	5.0	10.9	25.3	65.8	162.0
1971 ^c	8.0	16.6	0.7	0.3	0.7	1.0	2.3	5.0	10.9	25.0	65.3	162.2
1970 ^c	8.1	18.6	0.8	0.3	0.7	1.0	2.3	5.2	11.0	25.8	66.8	155.2
1969	8.1	18.6	0.8	0.3	0.7	1.0	2.4	5.1	11.1	27.1	66.3	188.0
1968	8.2	19.2	0.8	0.3	0.7	1.0	2.4	5.3	11.4	27.8	69.3	191.7
1967	8.0	19.4	0.8	0.3	0.6	1.0	2.3	5.1	11.1	27.3	66.9	188.6
1966	8.1	20.3	0.8	0.3	0.6	1.1	2.3	5.2	11.2	28.1	69.6	195.1
1965	8.0	20.9	0.8	0.3	0.6	1.1	2.3	5.2	11.3	27.7	70.0	195.3
1964	8.0	21.4	0.9	0.3	0.6	1.1	2.3	5.2	11.4	27.8	70.4	193.8
1963	8.2	21.8	0.9	0.4	0.6	1.1	2.3	5.2	11.8	28.6	73.5	201.4
1962	8.1	21.9	0.9	0.4	0.6	1.1	2.3	5.2	11.6	28.3	73.3	196.0
1961	7.9	22.0	0.9	0.4	0.6	1.0	2.2	5.1	11.5	27.9	72.8	187.8
1960	8.1	23.2	1.0	0.4	0.6	1.1	2.3	5.3	12.0	28.7	76.3	190.1
WHITE												
1975 ^c	9.0	14.1	0.6	0.3	1.1	1.2	2.3	6.0	14.2	31.0	73.8	157.1
1974 ^c	9.2	15.2	0.7	0.4	1.1	1.2	2.4	6.2	14.7	32.3	77.0	170.6
1973 ^c	9.4	15.7	0.7	0.4	1.2	1.3	2.5	6.3	15.3	33.4	79.8	179.3
1972 ^{c, s}	9.5	15.8	0.7	0.4	1.2	1.3	2.6	6.5	15.5	34.3	80.2	178.6
1971 ^c	9.4	16.6	0.7	0.4	1.1	1.3	2.6	6.5	15.4	33.9	79.1	179.1
1970 ^c	9.5	18.7	0.8	0.4	1.2	1.3	2.7	6.7	15.8	34.9	80.4	168.9
1969	9.5	19.2	0.8	0.4	1.2	1.3	2.7	6.6	15.8	35.8	79.8	202.2
1968	9.6	19.8	0.8	0.4	1.1	1.3	2.7	6.8	16.2	36.9	81.6	205.9
1967	9.4	19.6	0.9	0.4	1.1	1.3	2.7	6.7	15.9	36.1	80.0	203.8
1966	9.5	20.2	0.9	0.4	1.1	1.3	2.7	6.8	16.1	37.0	82.6	208.9
1965	9.4	20.9	0.9	0.4	1.0	1.3	2.6	6.8	16.0	36.7	82.9	209.8
1964	9.4	21.5	1.0	0.4	1.0	1.3	2.6	6.8	16.0	36.7	82.7	207.0
1963	9.5	22.2	1.0	0.4	1.0	1.3	2.6	6.8	16.2	37.5	85.8	215.5
1962	9.4	22.4	1.0	0.4	1.0	1.2	2.6	6.8	15.9	36.8	85.0	209.2
1961	9.3	22.5	1.0	0.4	1.0	1.2	2.5	6.7	15.8	36.4	84.7	200.3
1960	9.5	23.6	1.1	0.5	1.0	1.2	2.6	6.9	16.3	37.4	89.3	203.5
WHITE, MALE												
1975 ^c	10.2	15.9	0.7	0.4	1.7	1.7	3.0	7.9	19.5	43.6	96.1	182.6
1974 ^c	10.4	17.3	0.8	0.5	1.7	1.7	3.1	8.2	20.3	45.1	99.0	195.4
1973 ^c	10.7	17.8	0.8	0.5	1.8	1.8	3.2	8.4	21.2	46.5	102.1	204.4
1972 ^{c, s}	10.8	18.0	0.8	0.5	1.7	1.7	3.3	8.6	21.6	47.5	102.3	202.7
1971 ^c	10.7	18.8	0.8	0.5	1.7	1.7	3.3	8.6	21.5	47.0	100.3	204.2
1970 ^c	10.9	21.1	0.8	0.5	1.7	1.8	3.4	8.8	22.0	48.1	101.0	185.5
1969	10.9	21.9	0.8	0.5	1.8	1.8	3.5	8.9	22.2	48.3	98.8	209.9
1968	11.1	22.7	0.8	0.5	1.7	1.7	3.5	9.1	22.7	50.3	100.0	215.6
1967	10.8	22.4	1.0	0.5	1.6	1.7	3.4	9.0	22.2	48.9	97.6	215.1
1966	10.9	23.0	1.0	0.5	1.6	1.7	3.4	9.1	22.5	49.8	99.9	218.6
1965	10.8	23.7	1.0	0.5	1.5	1.7	3.4	9.0	22.2	49.3	99.7	222.4
1964	10.8	24.4	1.0	0.5	1.5	1.7	3.4	9.0	22.1	48.9	98.6	218.2
1963	11.0	25.2	1.1	0.5	1.4	1.7	3.3	9.2	22.3	49.8	101.8	230.0
1962	10.8	25.5	1.0	0.5	1.4	1.6	3.3	9.1	21.8	48.4	100.0	223.9
1961	10.7	25.6	1.1	0.5	1.4	1.6	3.3	9.0	21.6	47.4	99.4	213.9
1960	11.0	26.9	1.2	0.5	1.4	1.6	3.3	9.3	22.3	48.5	103.0	217.8

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Table 4. DEATH RATES BY AGE, COLOR, AND SEX: UNITED STATES, 1960-75—Con.

[Rates per 1,000 population in specified group]

Color, sex, and year	All ages ¹	Under 1 year	1-4 years	5-14 years	15-24 years	25-34 years	35-44 years	45-54 years	55-64 years	65-74 years	75-84 years	85 years and over
WHITE, FEMALE												
1975 ²	7.8	12.2	0.6	0.3	0.6	0.7	1.6	4.1	9.4	21.5	80.3	144.9
1974 ²	8.1	13.1	0.6	0.3	0.6	0.8	1.7	4.3	9.7	22.5	83.5	159.5
1973 ²	8.2	13.4	0.6	0.3	0.6	0.8	1.8	4.4	10.0	23.2	85.8	166.9
1972 ^{2,3}	8.2	13.4	0.6	0.3	0.6	0.8	1.9	4.4	10.0	24.2	86.2	166.6
1971 ²	8.1	13.2	0.7	0.3	0.6	0.8	1.9	4.5	10.0	23.9	85.6	166.3
1970 ²	8.1	16.1	0.8	0.3	0.6	0.8	1.9	4.6	10.1	24.7	87.0	159.8
1969	8.2	16.4	0.8	0.3	0.6	0.8	2.0	4.5	10.1	25.5	86.9	198.0
1968	8.2	16.8	0.8	0.3	0.6	0.8	2.0	4.7	10.4	26.2	88.9	200.1
1967	8.0	16.7	0.8	0.3	0.6	0.8	1.9	4.6	10.1	25.9	87.6	197.0
1966	8.1	17.3	0.8	0.3	0.6	0.9	1.9	4.6	10.2	26.7	70.2	202.7
1965	8.0	17.9	0.8	0.3	0.6	0.9	1.9	4.6	10.2	26.4	70.6	202.1
1964	8.0	18.5	0.9	0.3	0.6	0.9	1.9	4.6	10.3	26.7	71.1	200.0
1963 ⁴	8.1	19.0	0.9	0.3	0.6	0.9	1.9	4.6	10.5	27.3	73.9	206.6
1962 ⁴	8.0	19.1	0.9	0.3	0.5	0.9	1.9	4.6	10.4	27.1	73.8	199.7
1961	7.8	19.3	0.9	0.3	0.5	0.8	1.9	4.5	10.3	27.0	73.4	192.0
1960	8.0	20.1	1.0	0.3	0.5	0.9	1.9	4.6	10.8	27.8	77.0	194.8
ALL OTHER												
1975 ²	8.3	27.7	1.0	0.5	1.6	3.0	5.3	10.8	21.8	39.7	70.8	101.0
1974 ²	8.7	29.2	1.1	0.5	1.7	3.1	5.7	11.5	22.9	42.7	70.8	112.5
1973 ²	9.1	30.2	1.2	0.5	1.9	3.3	6.1	12.4	24.0	44.7	74.2	121.4
1972 ^{2,3}	9.2	31.3	1.2	0.5	2.0	3.5	6.4	12.6	24.1	44.9	73.4	118.5
1971 ²	9.2	32.5	1.3	0.5	2.1	3.6	6.5	12.4	23.8	44.1	72.7	119.9
1970 ²	9.4	36.0	1.3	0.5	2.0	3.5	6.6	12.9	24.3	44.9	75.1	107.5
1969	9.6	32.0	1.3	0.6	2.1	3.7	7.1	13.2	26.2	55.6	69.3	99.6
1968	9.9	33.6	1.4	0.6	1.9	3.8	7.2	13.5	27.3	57.7	71.2	111.5
1967	9.4	35.4	1.4	0.6	1.7	3.5	6.7	12.9	25.5	53.7	67.3	108.5
1966	9.7	38.8	1.5	0.6	1.7	3.5	6.8	13.2	26.4	55.2	71.2	120.0
1965	9.7	40.2	1.5	0.6	1.6	3.4	6.6	13.0	26.6	52.6	70.2	123.5
1964	9.7	40.6	1.6	0.6	1.6	3.3	6.6	13.2	27.1	50.6	69.8	128.0
1963 ⁴	10.1	41.3	1.7	0.6	1.6	3.2	6.5	13.2	27.9	53.0	74.4	145.7
1962 ⁴	9.8	41.2	1.7	0.6	1.6	3.1	6.3	12.9	27.0	49.7	72.0	144.0
1961	9.6	40.8	1.7	0.6	1.5	3.1	6.2	12.7	26.6	47.1	70.1	142.3
1960	10.1	46.3	1.9	0.6	1.6	3.2	6.3	13.4	27.7	47.8	76.3	139.1
ALL OTHER, MALE												
1975 ²	10.0	30.0	1.1	0.6	2.4	4.5	7.4	14.2	28.1	49.7	86.0	116.9
1974 ²	10.4	32.1	1.2	0.6	2.6	4.7	7.7	15.0	29.4	52.9	85.6	127.8
1973 ²	10.8	33.4	1.4	0.7	2.8	5.0	8.2	15.9	30.7	54.6	89.7	136.1
1972 ^{2,3}	11.0	34.4	1.3	0.6	3.0	5.1	8.7	16.4	30.7	54.9	89.4	133.3
1971 ²	10.9	36.1	1.4	0.7	3.1	5.2	8.5	15.7	30.1	53.8	87.5	133.5
1970 ²	11.2	40.2	1.4	0.7	3.0	5.0	8.7	16.5	30.5	54.7	89.8	114.1
1969	11.3	35.4	1.4	0.7	3.0	5.2	9.4	16.9	32.5	66.5	84.1	101.7
1968	11.6	36.9	1.5	0.7	2.8	5.2	9.2	17.0	33.8	69.8	85.1	115.6
1967	10.9	38.8	1.5	0.7	2.5	4.8	8.5	16.1	30.9	65.0	79.1	114.3
1966	11.3	42.6	1.6	0.7	2.4	4.6	8.5	16.3	31.8	66.9	82.1	127.0
1965	11.1	44.5	1.6	0.7	2.2	4.4	8.1	15.9	31.3	63.8	81.3	130.7
1964	11.1	45.1	1.7	0.7	2.1	4.3	8.1	15.7	31.5	61.4	79.2	134.3
1963 ⁴	11.5	46.0	1.9	0.7	2.2	4.0	7.6	15.7	31.8	64.4	85.0	161.6
1962 ⁴	11.2	45.6	1.8	0.7	2.1	3.9	7.4	15.3	30.5	59.5	80.5	161.0
1961	10.9	45.2	1.8	0.7	2.1	3.8	7.2	14.7	30.0	56.2	78.2	155.9
1960	11.5	51.9	2.1	0.8	2.1	3.9	7.3	15.5	31.5	56.6	86.6	152.4
ALL OTHER, FEMALE												
1975 ²	6.8	25.2	0.9	0.3	0.9	1.6	3.6	7.8	16.4	31.7	59.8	91.6
1974 ²	7.2	26.1	1.0	0.4	0.9	1.8	4.0	8.5	17.2	34.4	60.2	103.4
1973 ²	7.6	27.0	1.1	0.4	1.0	1.9	4.4	9.3	18.2	36.6	62.9	111.2
1972 ^{2,3}	7.6	28.2	1.1	0.4	1.0	2.1	4.6	9.3	18.3	36.8	61.8	109.4
1971 ²	7.6	29.0	1.1	0.4	1.1	2.2	4.8	9.5	18.3	36.3	62.0	112.7
1970 ²	7.8	31.7	1.2	0.4	1.1	2.2	4.9	9.8	18.9	36.8	63.9	102.9
1969	8.0	28.6	1.2	0.4	1.1	2.4	5.2	10.0	20.6	46.1	58.5	98.1
1968	8.3	30.2	1.2	0.4	1.1	2.5	5.5	10.3	21.5	47.6	60.9	109.9
1967	7.9	32.0	1.2	0.4	1.0	2.5	5.1	10.1	20.6	44.1	57.4	104.1
1966	8.3	35.0	1.4	0.5	1.0	2.5	5.3	10.4	21.4	45.2	62.2	114.6
1965	8.2	36.0	1.4	0.5	1.0	2.5	5.4	10.4	22.2	42.9	60.9	117.9
1964	8.3	36.1	1.5	0.5	1.0	2.5	5.3	10.9	23.0	41.4	61.3	123.3
1963 ⁴	8.7	36.5	1.6	0.5	1.0	2.6	5.5	11.0	24.2	43.1	65.4	137.1
1962 ⁴	8.5	36.6	1.5	0.5	1.1	2.5	5.4	10.7	23.7	41.2	64.4	134.8
1961	8.4	36.4	1.6	0.5	1.1	2.5	5.3	10.8	23.4	38.9	62.9	132.0
1960	8.7	40.7	1.7	0.5	1.1	2.6	5.5	11.4	24.1	39.8	67.1	128.7

¹Figures for age not stated included in "All ages" but not distributed among age groups.²Excludes deaths of nonresidents of the United States.³Based on a 50-percent sample of deaths.⁴Figures by color exclude residents of New Jersey.

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Table 5. DEATHS AND DEATH RATES FOR MAJOR CAUSES OF DEATH FOR THE UNITED STATES, EACH REGION, DIVISION, AND STATE; AND BY COLOR AND SEX FOR THE UNITED STATES: 1975

[By place of residence. Refers only to resident deaths occurring within the United States. Excludes fetal deaths. Rates per 100,000 estimated population in each color-sex group and area. Numbers after causes of death are category numbers of the Eighth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Adapted, 1965]

Color, sex, and area	Diseases of heart (390-398, 402, 404, 410-429)		Malignant neoplasms, including neoplasms of lymphatic and hematopoietic tissues (140-209)		Cerebrovascular diseases (430-439)		All accidents (E800-E949)		Motor vehicle accidents (E810-E823)	
	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate
United States-----	716,215	336.2	365,693	171.7	194,039	91.1	103,050	48.4	45,653	21.5
Male-----	399,501	395.2	199,443	192.3	84,286	81.3	72,376	69.8	33,597	32.4
Female-----	316,714	289.7	166,250	152.1	109,752	100.4	30,674	28.0	12,056	11.2
White-----	643,037	350.0	325,519	175.8	170,689	92.2	87,760	47.4	39,883	21.5
Male-----	392,616	401.1	176,108	194.8	73,318	81.1	61,186	67.7	29,092	32.2
Female-----	250,421	301.3	149,411	157.7	97,371	102.8	26,574	28.0	10,791	11.4
All other-----	63,178	244.4	40,174	144.0	23,349	85.7	15,270	54.7	5,970	21.4
Male-----	36,885	277.1	23,335	175.3	10,969	82.4	11,190	84.1	4,505	33.8
Female-----	31,293	214.7	16,839	115.5	12,381	84.9	4,080	28.0	1,465	10.0
Regions:										
Northeast-----	189,274	392.7	96,947	196.0	41,633	84.2	18,240	36.9	7,634	15.4
North Central-----	203,505	352.9	99,090	171.8	54,859	95.1	26,172	45.4	11,533	20.0
South-----	219,275	321.9	112,071	164.4	66,896	98.2	38,079	55.9	17,612	25.9
West-----	104,161	275.0	57,655	152.2	30,650	80.9	20,539	54.2	9,074	24.0
NORTHEAST										
New England-----	43,297	354.9	23,716	194.4	10,578	86.7	4,816	39.5	1,995	16.4
Maine-----	4,127	393.7	1,959	185.0	1,044	93.6	524	49.0	225	21.2
New Hampshire-----	2,538	310.3	1,494	182.6	782	95.6	358	43.8	159	19.4
Vermont-----	1,671	354.8	819	173.9	587	62.2	235	49.9	106	22.5
Massachusetts-----	21,243	364.5	11,564	198.4	5,113	87.7	2,400	41.2	929	15.9
Rhode Island-----	3,806	410.6	2,022	216.0	761	82.1	310	33.4	135	14.6
Connecticut-----	9,902	319.9	5,878	189.9	2,491	80.5	989	32.0	441	14.2
Middle Atlantic-----	145,987	391.8	73,231	196.5	31,055	83.3	13,424	36.0	5,639	15.1
New York-----	69,391	392.9	35,530	196.1	13,945	77.0	5,656	32.3	2,379	13.1
New Jersey-----	27,346	373.8	14,335	195.3	5,652	80.0	2,546	34.8	1,107	15.1
Pennsylvania-----	49,260	416.5	23,416	198.0	11,258	95.2	5,022	42.5	2,153	18.2
NORTH CENTRAL										
East North Central-----	142,908	349.7	69,460	169.5	36,940	90.1	17,558	42.8	7,632	18.6
Ohio-----	37,818	351.5	18,826	175.0	9,960	92.6	4,339	40.3	1,733	16.1
Indiana-----	17,666	332.6	8,591	161.8	5,466	103.3	2,570	48.4	1,157	21.8
Illinois-----	43,148	397.2	19,871	178.3	9,854	88.4	4,636	41.6	1,941	17.4
Michigan-----	28,346	309.6	14,482	158.2	7,286	79.6	3,991	43.6	1,849	20.2
Wisconsin-----	15,930	345.8	7,690	166.9	4,354	94.5	2,022	43.9	952	20.7
West North Central-----	60,597	363.1	29,630	177.5	17,919	107.4	8,614	51.6	3,901	23.4
Minnesota-----	12,411	316.1	6,352	161.8	3,694	99.2	1,665	47.5	789	20.1
Iowa-----	11,046	394.9	5,359	186.7	3,226	112.4	1,454	50.7	696	24.3
Missouri-----	18,593	390.4	9,113	191.3	5,325	111.8	2,429	51.0	1,106	23.2
North Dakota-----	2,159	340.0	922	145.2	579	91.2	410	64.6	176	27.7
South Dakota-----	2,534	371.0	1,118	163.7	716	104.8	431	63.1	214	31.3
Nebraska-----	5,510	356.4	2,767	179.0	1,715	110.9	864	55.9	387	25.0
Kansas-----	8,344	368.1	3,999	176.4	2,464	108.7	1,161	51.2	533	23.5
SOUTH										
South Atlantic-----	110,016	326.3	56,918	169.8	31,237	92.7	17,768	52.7	8,094	24.0
Delaware-----	1,955	337.7	935	161.5	348	60.1	238	41.1	128	22.1
Maryland-----	12,417	303.0	6,902	169.4	2,395	58.4	1,563	39.1	701	17.1
District of Columbia-----	2,173	305.5	1,563	218.3	564	78.8	313	43.7	94	13.1
Virginia-----	14,597	293.9	7,463	153.5	3,919	78.9	2,529	50.9	1,037	20.9
West Virginia-----	7,760	430.4	3,303	183.2	1,851	101.6	1,049	58.2	453	25.1
North Carolina-----	16,616	304.8	7,844	143.9	5,247	96.3	3,263	59.9	1,229	28.0
South Carolina-----	8,191	290.7	3,830	135.9	2,726	96.7	1,662	59.0	821	29.1
Georgia-----	14,401	292.3	6,831	138.7	5,136	104.3	2,905	59.0	1,404	28.5
Florida-----	31,906	381.8	18,247	218.3	9,071	103.5	4,247	50.8	1,927	23.1
East South Central-----	45,399	335.2	22,355	165.1	15,717	116.0	8,168	60.3	3,751	27.7
Kentucky-----	12,751	375.5	5,967	175.7	3,841	113.1	1,984	58.4	899	26.4
Tennessee-----	14,144	337.7	6,857	163.7	4,895	116.9	2,332	55.7	1,130	27.0
Alabama-----	10,948	302.9	5,827	161.2	4,150	115.9	2,264	62.6	1,077	29.8
Mississippi-----	7,556	322.1	3,704	157.9	2,791	119.0	1,589	67.7	646	27.5
West South Central-----	63,860	306.2	32,728	156.9	19,942	95.6	12,143	58.2	5,767	27.7
Arkansas-----	7,933	374.9	3,795	179.3	2,723	128.7	1,329	62.8	600	28.4
Louisiana-----	12,444	328.3	6,161	162.5	3,461	91.3	2,275	60.0	969	25.6
Oklahoma-----	10,253	378.1	4,864	179.4	3,034	111.9	1,607	59.3	781	28.8
Texas-----	33,230	271.6	17,908	146.3	10,724	87.6	6,932	56.6	3,417	27.9
WEST										
Mountain-----	22,773	236.1	12,321	127.7	6,559	68.0	5,910	61.3	2,931	30.4
Montana-----	2,177	291.0	1,099	146.8	664	89.8	582	77.8	268	35.8
Idaho-----	2,234	272.4	1,113	135.7	701	85.5	558	69.0	286	34.9
Wyoming-----	1,026	274.3	496	129.9	307	82.1	313	83.7	164	43.9
Colorado-----	5,931	234.1	3,073	121.3	1,574	62.1	1,326	52.3	600	23.7
New Mexico-----	2,015	175.7	1,316	114.7	663	57.8	853	77.0	477	41.6
Arizona-----	5,555	249.8	3,215	144.6	1,456	65.5	1,287	57.9	679	30.5
Utah-----	2,456	203.6	1,146	95.0	710	58.9	606	50.2	274	22.7
Nevada-----	1,379	232.9	874	147.6	484	81.8	355	60.0	183	30.9
Pacific-----	81,398	288.3	45,334	160.6	24,091	85.3	14,629	51.8	6,143	21.8
Washington-----	11,012	310.7	5,829	164.5	3,169	89.4	1,783	50.3	803	22.7
Oregon-----	7,335	320.6	3,844	168.0	2,337	102.1	1,255	54.9	570	24.9
California-----	61,380	289.7	34,521	163.0	18,112	85.5	10,822	51.6	4,520	21.3
Alaska-----	260	73.9	213	60.5	78	22.2	416	118.2	120	34.1
Hawaii-----	1,401	162.0	927	107.2	396	45.8	253	29.2	130	15.0

Table 6. DEATHS FROM 69 SELECTED

[Refers only to resident deaths occurring within

Cause of death (Eighth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Adapted, 1965)		Total	Under 1 year
1	All causes-----	1,892,879	50,525
2	Bacillary dysentery and amebiasis-----004,006	62	6
3	Enteritis and other diarrheal diseases-----008,009	2,010	713
4	Tuberculosis, all forms-----010-019	3,333	6
5	Tuberculosis of respiratory system-----010-012	2,576	2
6	Tuberculosis, other forms-----013-019	757	4
7	Whooping cough-----033	8	8
8	Streptococcal sore throat and scarlet fever-----034	15	-
9	Meningococcal infections-----056	308	74
10	Septicemia-----058	5,584	972
11	Acute poliomyelitis-----040-043	9	-
12	Measles-----055	20	6
13	Syphilis and its sequelae-----080-087	272	4
14	Other infective and parasitic diseases-----Remainder of 000-136	4,309	280
15	Malignant neoplasms, including neoplasms of lymphatic and hematopoietic tissues-----140-209	365,693	129
16	Malignant neoplasms of buccal cavity and pharynx-----140-149	6,135	-
17	Malignant neoplasms of digestive organs and peritoneum-----150-159	99,629	11
18	Malignant neoplasms of respiratory system-----160-163	86,675	5
19	Malignant neoplasm of breast-----174	32,435	2
20	Malignant neoplasms of genital organs-----180-187	42,984	-
21	Malignant neoplasms of urinary organs-----188,189	16,533	12
22	Malignant neoplasms of all other and unspecified sites-----170-173,190-199	44,585	52
23	Leukemia-----204-207	14,754	41
24	Other neoplasms of lymphatic and hematopoietic tissues-----200-203,208,209	19,953	6
25	Benign neoplasms and neoplasms of unspecified nature-----210-239	4,947	55
26	Diabetes mellitus-----250	35,230	7
27	Avitaminoses and other nutritional deficiencies-----260-269	2,615	106
28	Anemias-----280-285	3,185	46
29	Meningitis-----320	1,630	584
30	Major cardiovascular diseases-----390-448	971,047	814
31	Diseases of heart-----390-398,402,404,410-429	716,215	626
32	Active rheumatic fever and chronic rheumatic heart disease-----390-398	12,930	2
33	Hypertensive heart disease-----402	6,683	3
34	Hypertensive heart and renal disease-----404	4,334	-
35	Ischemic heart disease-----410-413	642,719	11
36	Acute myocardial infarction-----410	324,652	9
37	Other acute and subacute forms of ischemic heart disease-----411	4,069	-
38	Chronic ischemic heart disease-----412	313,847	2
39	Angina pectoris-----413	151	-
40	Chronic disease of endocardium and other myocardial insufficiency-----424,428	4,411	19
41	All other forms of heart disease-----420-423,425-427,429	45,128	591
42	Hypertension-----400,401,403	6,300	-
43	Cerebrovascular diseases-----430-438	194,038	157
44	Cerebral hemorrhage-----431	26,962	66
45	Cerebral thrombosis-----433	48,457	9
46	Cerebral embolism-----434	811	-
47	All other cerebrovascular diseases-----430,432,435-438	117,908	82
48	Arteriosclerosis-----440	28,887	-
49	Other diseases of arteries, arterioles, and capillaries-----441-448	25,607	31
50	Acute bronchitis and bronchiolitis-----466	737	104
51	Influenza and pneumonia-----470-474,480-486	55,664	2,201
52	Influenza-----470-474	4,277	30
53	Pneumonia-----480-486	51,387	2,171
54	Bronchitis, emphysema, and asthma-----490-493	25,468	97
55	Chronic and unqualified bronchitis-----490,491	4,712	75
56	Emphysema-----492	18,795	15
57	Asthma-----493	1,961	7
58	Peptic ulcer-----531-533	6,743	29
59	Appendicitis-----540-543	822	11
60	Hernia and intestinal obstruction-----550-553,560	6,178	446
61	Cirrhosis of liver-----571	31,623	36
62	Cholelithiasis, cholecystitis and cholangitis-----574,575	3,004	2
63	Nephritis and nephrosis-----580-584	8,072	20
64	Acute nephritis and nephrotic syndrome-----580,581	1,585	17
65	Chronic and unqualified nephritis and renal sclerosis-----582-584	6,487	3
66	Infections of kidney-----590	4,502	5
67	Hyperplasia of prostate-----600	1,221	-
68	Complications of pregnancy, childbirth, and the puerperium-----630-678	403	-
69	Abortions-----640-645	27	-
70	Other complications of pregnancy, childbirth, and the puerperium-----630-639,650-678	376	-
71	Congenital anomalies-----740-759	13,245	8,582
72	Certain causes of mortality in early infancy-----760-769,2,769,4-772,774-778	26,616	26,585
73	Birth injury, difficult labor, and other anoxic and hypoxic conditions-----764-768,772,776	14,593	14,572
74	Other causes of mortality in early infancy-----Remainder of 760-778	12,023	12,013
75	Symptoms and ill-defined conditions-----780-796	31,768	5,121
76	All other diseases-----Residual	120,263	1,867
77	Accidents-----E800-E949	103,030	1,337
78	Motor vehicle accidents-----E810-E823	45,853	255
79	All other accidents-----E800-E807,E825-E949	57,177	1,082
80	Suicide-----E950-E959	27,063	...
81	Homicide-----E960-E978	21,310	178
82	Other external causes-----E980-E999	4,860	94

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1-4 years	5-14 years	15-24 years	25-34 years	35-44 years	45-54 years	55-64 years	65-74 years	75-84 years	85 years and over	Not stated	
9,060	13,479	47,545	44,040	60,692	154,342	295,724	442,496	499,459	285,077	441	1
5	7	3	-	3	11	9	6	10	2	-	2
91	23	43	43	31	85	113	243	363	277	-	3
15	7	28	99	211	438	721	830	701	276	-	4
5	3	13	66	166	356	561	650	538	218	-	5
10	4	15	33	45	82	160	180	165	58	-	6
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7
1	2	2	1	-	4	1	2	2	-	-	8
82	39	30	14	16	10	21	11	9	2	-	9
44	45	77	106	154	394	708	1,093	1,316	668	-	10
-	-	-	-	6	-	3	-	-	-	-	11
4	9	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12
1	1	2	1	7	16	59	98	65	18	-	13
134	171	241	265	301	464	712	758	665	317	-	14
711	1,807	2,701	4,583	12,062	43,196	85,175	107,604	81,267	26,443	-	15
3	10	31	50	220	1,310	2,467	2,337	1,243	464	-	16
17	25	150	552	2,033	8,791	20,611	30,703	27,065	9,467	-	17
8	8	49	284	2,507	12,426	26,084	24,493	14,129	2,691	-	18
-	1	24	518	2,172	6,210	8,330	7,691	5,439	2,043	-	19
7	20	283	621	1,332	4,047	7,704	12,432	12,137	4,428	-	20
38	43	41	66	296	1,335	3,268	5,144	4,589	1,711	-	21
303	698	926	1,211	2,053	5,631	9,915	11,795	8,734	3,215	-	22
301	811	638	580	627	1,219	2,290	3,363	3,522	1,312	-	23
34	191	509	701	822	2,177	4,316	5,651	4,403	1,137	-	24
41	130	135	173	278	603	1,021	1,180	923	403	-	25
9	46	178	510	945	2,448	5,790	10,432	10,646	4,215	-	26
15	14	23	42	42	104	187	415	764	901	-	27
67	110	146	144	103	164	329	637	840	603	-	28
216	78	56	51	69	110	151	143	123	44	-	29
338	576	1,741	4,027	15,549	53,417	135,341	233,149	310,637	205,339	-	30
228	339	1,045	2,659	12,263	49,724	111,660	183,687	218,204	136,693	-	31
5	51	154	301	716	1,533	3,110	3,897	2,443	753	-	32
-	2	6	52	146	480	1,032	1,739	2,033	1,228	-	33
-	4	2	6	46	118	359	826	1,581	1,390	-	34
8	14	170	1,373	9,720	42,259	89,172	165,879	199,376	124,632	-	35
5	7	112	890	6,563	23,441	64,185	95,941	89,691	29,571	-	36
1	1	6	25	118	430	923	1,031	929	494	-	37
2	6	52	459	3,054	13,327	34,756	63,815	108,503	85,545	-	38
-	-	-	-	5	11	23	42	33	22	-	39
13	21	87	94	139	302	538	882	1,243	1,090	-	40
202	247	626	833	1,496	3,981	7,449	10,554	11,553	7,590	-	41
-	3	19	63	166	428	723	1,387	2,048	1,493	-	42
106	203	548	1,079	2,665	7,661	18,128	42,056	71,583	49,830	-	43
25	49	159	283	827	2,361	4,417	6,799	7,793	4,077	-	44
4	10	33	53	153	847	3,340	10,091	19,741	14,170	-	45
-	1	-	1	16	33	128	290	162	162	-	46
77	143	356	737	1,669	4,420	10,243	24,986	43,759	31,421	-	47
-	-	2	8	42	254	1,020	3,689	10,601	13,266	-	48
4	31	127	218	413	1,350	3,810	7,370	8,171	4,076	-	49
53	17	20	18	26	52	81	123	150	88	-	50
527	362	689	767	1,214	2,644	5,343	9,737	17,596	14,597	-	51
16	34	46	37	70	175	382	822	1,527	1,136	-	52
509	328	643	730	1,144	2,469	4,961	8,915	16,059	13,451	-	53
70	68	120	177	356	1,528	5,018	9,067	7,062	1,901	-	54
49	27	20	28	57	248	883	1,497	1,325	501	-	55
2	5	19	29	159	1,006	3,711	7,127	5,409	1,311	-	56
19	36	81	120	140	274	424	445	328	89	-	57
8	16	38	81	205	604	1,225	1,779	1,829	927	-	58
9	39	33	21	36	71	148	177	182	95	-	59
25	41	69	72	97	340	656	1,280	1,901	1,250	-	60
13	18	148	1,169	3,808	8,547	9,688	5,942	1,930	318	-	61
-	1	6	27	51	130	341	720	1,056	669	-	62
14	59	123	197	355	718	1,387	2,085	2,046	1,058	-	63
4	10	22	41	49	115	240	452	414	221	-	64
10	49	101	156	306	603	1,147	1,633	1,632	847	-	65
4	3	16	25	79	179	455	1,010	1,612	1,111	-	66
-	-	-	1	7	2	59	261	517	376	-	67
-	3	151	174	73	7	-	-	-	-	-	68
-	-	13	8	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	69
-	3	158	166	67	2	-	-	-	-	-	70
1,141	742	646	437	326	402	404	306	192	52	-	71
10	8	1	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	72
6	4	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	73
4	4	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	74
348	251	1,512	1,496	1,608	2,983	4,464	5,417	4,877	3,624	-	75
991	1,282	3,217	3,832	5,402	11,411	20,401	29,852	28,908	13,075	-	76
3,611	6,816	24,121	13,823	9,054	9,993	9,650	9,220	9,381	5,948	-	77
1,321	3,286	15,672	7,680	4,289	4,089	3,574	3,047	2,161	454	-	78
2,290	3,532	8,449	6,143	4,765	5,904	6,076	6,173	7,220	5,494	-	79
...	170	4,736	5,041	3,950	4,766	3,963	2,729	1,368	339	-	80
317	385	5,493	5,666	3,594	2,784	1,585	829	379	87	-	81
145	131	1,018	956	680	721	515	346	176	50	-	82

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Table 7. DEATH RATES FOR 69 SELECTED

[Refers only to resident deaths occurring within the United States. Excludes

Cause of death (Eighth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Adapted, 1965)		Total	Under 1 year
1	All causes-----	888.5	1,641.0
2	Bacillary dysentery and amebiasis-----004,006	0.0	0.2
3	Enteritis and other diarrheal diseases-----008,009	0.9	25.2
4	Tuberculosis, all forms-----010-019	1.6	0.2
5	Tuberculosis of respiratory system-----010-012	1.2	0.1
6	Tuberculosis, other forms-----013-019	0.4	0.1
7	Whooping cough-----035	0.0	0.3
8	Streptococcal sore throat and scarlet fever-----034	0.0	-
9	Meningococcal infections-----036	0.1	2.4
10	Septicemia-----038	2.6	31.6
11	Acute poliomyelitis-----040-043	0.0	-
12	Measles-----055	0.0	0.2
13	Syphilis and its sequelae-----080-097	0.1	0.1
14	Other infective and parasitic diseases-----Remainder of 000-136	2.0	9.1
15	Malignant neoplasms, including neoplasms of lymphatic and hematopoietic tissues-----140-209	171.7	4.2
16	Malignant neoplasms of buccal cavity and pharynx-----140-149	3.8	-
17	Malignant neoplasms of digestive organs and peritoneum-----150-159	48.8	0.4
18	Malignant neoplasms of respiratory system-----160-163	40.7	0.2
19	Malignant neoplasm of breast-----174	15.2	0.1
20	Malignant neoplasms of genital organs-----180-187	20.2	-
21	Malignant neoplasms of urinary organs-----188,189	7.8	0.4
22	Malignant neoplasms of all other and unspecified sites-----170-173,190-199	20.9	1.7
23	Leukemia-----204-207	6.9	1.3
24	Other neoplasms of lymphatic and hematopoietic tissues-----200-203,208,209	9.4	0.2
25	Benign neoplasms and neoplasms of unspecified nature-----210-239	2.3	1.8
26	Diabetes mellitus-----250	16.5	0.2
27	Avitaminoses and other nutritional deficiencies-----260-269	1.2	3.4
28	Anemias-----280-285	1.5	1.5
29	Meningitis-----320	0.8	19.0
30	Major cardiovascular diseases-----390-448	455.8	26.4
31	Diseases of heart-----390-398,402,404,410-429	336.2	20.3
32	Active rheumatic fever and chronic rheumatic heart disease-----390-398	6.1	0.1
33	Hypertensive heart disease-----402	3.1	0.1
34	Hypertensive heart and renal disease-----404	2.0	-
35	Ischemic heart disease-----410-413	301.7	0.4
36	Acute myocardial infarction-----410	152.4	0.3
37	Other acute and subacute forms of ischemic heart disease-----411	1.9	-
38	Chronic ischemic heart disease-----412	147.3	0.1
39	Angina pectoris-----413	0.1	-
40	Chronic disease of endocardium and other myocardial insufficiency-----424,428	2.1	0.6
41	All other forms of heart disease-----420-423,425-427,429	21.2	19.2
42	Hypertension-----400,401,403	3.0	-
43	Cerebrovascular diseases-----430-439	91.1	5.1
44	Cerebral hemorrhage-----431	12.6	2.1
45	Cerebral thrombosis-----433	22.7	0.3
46	Cerebral embolism-----434	0.4	-
47	All other cerebrovascular diseases-----430,432,435-438	55.3	2.7
48	Arteriosclerosis-----440	13.6	-
49	Other diseases of arteries, arterioles, and capillaries-----441-448	12.0	1.0
50	Acute bronchitis and bronchiolitis-----486	0.3	3.4
51	Influenza and pneumonia-----470-474,480-486	26.1	71.5
52	Influenza-----470-474	2.0	1.0
53	Pneumonia-----480-486	24.1	70.5
54	Bronchitis, emphysema, and asthma-----490-493	12.0	3.2
55	Chronic and unqualified bronchitis-----490,491	2.2	2.4
56	Emphysema-----492	8.8	0.5
57	Asthma-----493	0.9	0.2
58	Peptic ulcer-----531-533	3.2	0.9
59	Appendicitis-----540-543	0.4	0.4
60	Hernia and intestinal obstruction-----550-553,560	2.9	14.5
61	Cirrhosis of liver-----571	14.8	1.2
62	Cholelithiasis, cholecystitis and cholangitis-----574,575	1.4	0.1
63	Nephritis and nephrosis-----580-584	3.8	0.6
64	Acute nephritis and nephrotic syndrome-----580,581	0.7	0.6
65	Chronic and unqualified nephritis and renal sclerosis-----582-584	3.0	0.1
66	Infections of kidney-----590	2.1	0.2
67	Hyperplasia of prostate-----600	0.6	-
68	Complications of pregnancy, childbirth, and the puerperium-----630-678	0.2	-
69	Abortions-----640-645	0.0	-
70	Other complications of pregnancy, childbirth, and the puerperium-----630-639,650-678	0.2	-
71	Congenital anomalies-----740-759	6.2	278.7
72	Certain causes of mortality in early infancy-----760-769,2,769.4-772,774-778	12.5	863.4
73	Birth injury, difficult labor, and other anoxic and hypoxic conditions-----764-768,772,776	6.9	473.3
74	Other causes of mortality in early infancy-----Remainder of 760-778	5.6	390.2
75	Symptoms and ill-defined conditions-----780-796	14.9	186.3
76	All other diseases-----Residual	56.5	60.6
77	Accidents-----E800-E949	48.4	43.4
78	Motor vehicle accidents-----E810-E823	21.5	8.3
79	All other accidents-----E800-E807,E825-E949	26.8	35.1
80	Suicide-----E950-E959	12.7	...
81	Homicide-----E960-E978	10.0	5.8
82	Other external causes-----E980-E999	2.3	3.1

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fetal deaths- Rates per 100,000 estimated population in specified group]

1-4 years	5-14 years	15-24 years	25-34 years	35-44 years	45-54 years	55-64 years	65-74 years	75-84 years	85 years and over	
70.8	35.7	118.9	143.2	266.8	649.6	1,495.5	3,189.2	7,359.2	15,187.9	1
0.0	0.0	0.0	-	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.1	2
0.7	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.4	0.6	1.8	5.5	14.8	3
0.1	0.0	0.1	0.3	0.9	1.8	3.6	6.9	10.5	14.7	4
0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.7	1.5	2.8	4.7	8.1	11.6	5
0.1	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.2	0.3	0.8	1.3	2.5	3.1	6
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7
0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	8
0.6	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	9
0.3	0.1	0.2	0.3	0.7	1.7	3.6	7.9	19.8	35.6	10
-	-	-	-	0.0	-	0.0	-	-	-	11
0.0	0.0	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12
0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.3	0.7	1.0	1.0	13
1.0	0.5	0.6	0.9	1.3	2.0	3.6	5.5	10.0	16.9	14
5.6	4.8	6.9	14.9	53.0	181.8	430.7	775.5	1,221.9	1,408.8	15
0.0	0.0	0.1	0.2	1.0	5.5	12.5	16.8	18.7	24.7	16
0.1	0.1	0.4	1.3	8.9	37.0	105.2	221.3	406.9	504.4	17
0.1	0.0	0.1	0.9	11.0	52.3	131.9	205.3	212.4	142.8	18
-	0.0	0.1	1.7	9.5	26.1	42.1	55.4	61.8	109.1	19
0.1	0.1	0.7	2.0	5.9	17.0	39.0	69.6	122.5	234.8	20
0.3	0.1	0.1	0.2	1.3	5.6	16.5	37.1	69.0	91.2	21
2.4	1.8	2.3	3.9	9.0	23.9	50.1	85.0	131.3	171.3	22
2.4	1.7	1.7	1.9	2.8	5.1	11.6	24.2	53.0	69.9	23
0.3	0.5	1.3	2.3	3.6	9.2	21.8	40.7	66.3	60.6	24
0.3	0.3	0.3	0.6	1.2	2.6	5.2	8.5	13.9	21.5	25
0.1	0.1	0.4	1.7	4.2	10.3	29.3	75.2	160.1	224.6	26
0.1	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.4	0.9	3.0	11.5	49.0	27
0.5	0.3	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.7	1.7	4.6	12.6	32.4	28
1.7	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.3	0.5	0.8	1.0	1.9	2.3	29
2.6	1.5	4.4	13.1	68.4	245.9	694.4	1,716.4	4,670.4	10,939.7	30
1.8	0.9	2.6	8.6	55.9	205.1	564.7	1,325.7	3,290.8	9,282.0	31
0.0	0.1	0.4	1.0	5.1	6.7	15.7	27.4	36.8	40.1	32
-	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.6	2.0	5.2	12.5	30.1	65.4	33
-	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.5	1.3	6.0	23.8	74.1	34
0.1	0.0	0.4	4.5	42.7	177.9	501.3	1,195.5	2,997.7	6,640.0	35
0.0	0.0	0.3	2.9	28.9	119.7	324.6	691.5	1,351.5	2,054.9	36
0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.5	2.0	4.7	7.8	14.1	25.8	37
0.0	0.0	0.1	1.5	13.3	56.1	172.1	496.0	1,631.5	4,557.5	38
-	-	-	-	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.3	0.6	1.7	39
0.1	0.1	0.2	0.3	0.6	1.3	2.7	6.2	19.7	59.1	40
1.6	0.7	1.6	2.7	6.6	16.8	37.7	76.1	173.7	404.4	41
-	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.7	1.8	3.7	9.9	30.8	79.0	42
0.8	0.5	1.4	3.5	11.7	32.2	91.7	305.1	1,076.3	2,654.8	43
0.2	0.1	0.4	0.9	3.6	9.9	22.3	49.0	117.2	217.2	44
0.0	0.0	0.1	0.2	0.7	3.6	16.9	72.7	296.8	754.9	45
-	0.0	-	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.6	1.3	4.4	8.6	46
0.6	0.4	0.9	2.4	7.3	18.6	51.8	180.1	657.9	1,674.0	47
-	-	0.0	0.0	0.2	1.1	5.2	26.6	159.4	705.8	48
0.0	0.1	0.3	0.7	1.8	5.7	19.3	122.9	217.2	217.2	49
0.4	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.4	0.9	2.3	4.7	50
4.1	1.0	1.7	2.5	5.3	11.1	27.0	70.2	264.4	777.1	51
0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.3	0.7	1.9	5.9	25.0	65.5	52
4.0	0.9	1.6	2.4	5.0	10.4	25.1	64.3	241.5	716.6	53
0.5	0.2	0.3	0.6	1.6	6.4	25.4	65.3	106.2	101.3	54
0.4	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.3	1.0	4.5	10.8	19.9	26.7	55
0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.7	4.2	18.8	51.4	81.3	69.8	56
0.1	0.1	0.2	0.4	0.6	1.2	2.1	3.2	4.9	4.7	57
0.1	0.0	0.1	0.3	0.9	2.5	6.2	12.8	27.5	49.4	58
0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.3	0.7	1.3	2.7	5.1	59
0.2	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.4	1.4	3.3	9.2	28.6	66.6	60
0.1	0.0	0.4	3.8	16.7	36.0	49.0	42.8	29.0	16.9	61
-	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.2	0.5	1.7	5.2	15.9	35.6	62
0.1	0.2	0.3	0.6	1.6	3.0	7.0	15.0	30.8	56.9	63
0.0	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.5	1.2	3.3	6.2	11.8	64
0.1	0.1	0.3	0.5	1.3	2.5	5.8	11.8	24.5	45.1	65
0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.3	0.8	2.3	7.3	24.2	59.2	66
-	-	-	0.0	-	0.0	0.3	1.9	7.8	20.0	67
-	0.0	0.4	0.6	0.3	0.0	-	-	-	-	68
-	-	0.0	0.0	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	69
-	0.0	0.3	0.5	0.3	0.0	-	-	-	-	70
8.9	2.0	1.6	1.4	1.4	1.7	2.0	2.2	2.9	2.8	71
0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	-	-	-	-	72
0.0	0.0	-	-	0.0	0.0	-	-	-	-	73
0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	74
2.7	0.7	3.8	4.9	7.1	12.6	22.6	39.0	75.3	193.1	75
7.7	3.4	8.0	12.5	25.7	48.0	103.2	215.1	454.6	696.6	76
28.2	18.1	60.3	44.9	39.8	42.1	48.8	66.5	141.0	316.9	77
10.3	8.7	39.2	25.0	18.9	17.2	18.1	22.0	32.5	24.2	78
17.9	9.4	21.1	20.0	20.9	24.8	30.7	44.5	108.6	292.7	79
...	0.5	11.8	16.4	17.4	20.1	20.0	19.7	20.6	18.1	80
2.5	1.0	13.7	18.4	15.8	11.6	8.0	6.0	5.7	4.6	81
1.1	0.3	2.5	3.1	3.0	3.0	2.6	2.5	2.6	2.7	82

Table 8. DEATHS AND DEATH RATES FOR 69 SELECTED

[Refers only to resident deaths occurring within the United States. Excludes

Cause of death (Eighth Revision, International Classification of diseases, Adapted, 1965)	Total					
	Both sexes		Male		Female	
	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate
1 All causes-----	1,892,879	888.5	1,050,819	1,013.2	842,060	770.3
2 Bacillary dysentery and amebiasis-----004-006	62	0.0	41	0.0	21	0.0
3 Enteritis and other diarrheal diseases-----008-009	2,010	0.9	954	0.9	1,056	1.0
4 Tuberculosis, all forms-----010-019	3,333	1.6	2,265	2.2	1,068	1.0
5 Tuberculosis of respiratory system-----010-012	2,576	1.2	1,803	1.7	773	0.7
6 Tuberculosis, other forms-----013-019	757	0.4	462	0.4	295	0.3
7 Whooping cough-----033	8	0.0	2	0.0	6	0.0
8 Streptococcal sore throat and scarlet fever-----034	15	0.0	7	0.0	8	0.0
9 Meningococcal infections-----036	308	0.1	176	0.2	132	0.1
10 Septicemia-----038	5,584	2.6	2,991	2.9	2,593	2.4
11 Acute poliomyelitis-----040-043	9	0.0	7	0.0	2	0.0
12 Measles-----055	20	0.0	7	0.0	13	0.0
13 Syphilis and its sequelae-----090-097	272	0.1	192	0.2	80	0.1
14 Other infective and parasitic diseases-----Remainder of 000-136	4,309	2.0	2,146	2.1	2,163	2.0
15 Malignant neoplasms, including neoplasms of lymphatic and hematopoietic tissues-----140-209	365,693	171.7	199,443	192.3	166,250	152.1
16 Malignant neoplasms of buccal cavity and pharynx-----140-149	8,135	3.8	5,689	5.5	2,446	2.2
17 Malignant neoplasms of digestive organs and peritoneum-----150-159	99,829	46.8	52,749	50.9	46,880	42.9
18 Malignant neoplasms of respiratory system-----160-163	86,675	40.7	67,067	64.7	19,608	17.9
19 Malignant neoplasm of breast-----174	32,435	15.2	277	0.3	32,158	29.4
20 Malignant neoplasms of genital organs-----180-187	42,994	20.2	20,417	19.7	22,577	20.7
21 Malignant neoplasms of urinary organs-----188,189	16,533	7.8	11,014	10.6	5,519	5.0
22 Malignant neoplasms of all other and unspecified sites-----170-173,190-199	44,585	20.9	23,087	22.3	21,498	19.7
23 Leukemia-----204-207	14,754	6.9	8,382	8.1	6,372	5.8
24 Other neoplasms of lymphatic and hematopoietic tissues-----200-203,208,209	19,953	9.4	10,761	10.4	9,192	8.4
25 Benign neoplasms and neoplasms of unspecified nature-----210-239	4,947	2.3	2,444	2.4	2,503	2.3
26 Diabetes mellitus-----250	35,230	16.5	14,414	13.9	20,816	19.0
27 Avitaminoses and other nutritional deficiencies-----260-269	2,615	1.2	1,147	1.1	1,468	1.3
28 Anemias-----280-285	3,195	1.5	1,488	1.4	1,707	1.6
29 Meningitis-----320	1,630	0.8	906	0.9	724	0.7
30 Major cardiovascular diseases-----390-448	971,047	455.8	514,095	495.7	456,952	418.0
31 Diseases of heart-----390-398,402,404,410-429	716,215	336.2	399,501	385.2	316,714	289.7
32 Active rheumatic fever and chronic rheumatic heart disease-----390-398	12,930	6.1	5,763	5.6	7,167	6.6
33 Hypertensive heart disease-----402	6,693	3.1	2,692	2.6	4,001	3.7
34 Hypertensive heart and renal disease-----404	4,354	2.0	1,898	1.8	2,456	2.2
35 Ischemic heart disease-----410-413	642,719	301.7	361,755	348.8	280,964	257.0
36 Acute myocardial infarction-----410	324,652	152.4	202,158	194.9	122,494	112.1
37 Other acute and subacute forms of ischemic heart disease-----411	4,069	1.9	2,679	2.6	1,390	1.3
38 Chronic ischemic heart disease-----412	313,847	147.3	156,844	151.2	157,003	143.6
39 Angina pectoris-----413	151	0.1	74	0.1	77	0.1
40 Chronic disease of endocardium and other myocardial insufficiency-----424,428	4,411	2.1	2,151	2.1	2,260	2.1
41 All other forms of heart disease-----420-423,425-427,429	45,128	21.2	25,252	24.3	19,876	18.2
42 Hypertension-----400,401,403	6,300	3.0	3,057	2.9	3,243	3.0
43 Cerebrovascular diseases-----430-438	184,038	81.1	84,286	81.3	109,752	100.4
44 Cerebral hemorrhage-----431	26,862	12.6	12,123	11.7	14,739	13.5
45 Cerebral thrombosis-----433	49,457	22.7	20,615	20.1	27,842	25.3
46 Cerebral embolism-----434	811	0.4	362	0.3	449	0.4
47 All other cerebrovascular diseases-----430,432,435-438	117,908	55.3	50,986	49.2	66,922	61.2
48 Arteriosclerosis-----440	28,887	13.6	11,822	11.4	17,065	15.6
49 Other diseases of arteries, arterioles, and capillaries-----441-448	25,607	12.0	15,429	14.9	10,178	9.3
50 Acute bronchitis and bronchiolitis-----466	737	0.3	411	0.4	326	0.3
51 Influenza and pneumonia-----470-474,480-486	55,664	26.1	30,437	29.3	25,227	23.1
52 Influenza-----470-474	4,277	2.0	1,923	1.9	2,354	2.2
53 Pneumonia-----480-486	51,387	24.1	28,514	27.5	22,873	20.9
54 Bronchitis, emphysema, and asthma-----490-493	25,468	12.0	18,952	18.3	6,516	6.0
55 Chronic and unqualified bronchitis-----490,491	4,712	2.2	3,260	3.1	1,452	1.3
56 Emphysema-----492	18,795	8.8	14,849	14.3	3,946	3.6
57 Asthma-----493	1,961	0.9	843	0.8	1,118	1.0
58 Peptic ulcer-----531-533	6,743	3.2	4,219	4.1	2,524	2.3
59 Appendicitis-----540-543	822	0.4	480	0.5	342	0.3
60 Hernia and intestinal obstruction-----550-553,560	6,178	2.9	2,618	2.5	3,560	3.3
61 Cirrhosis of liver-----571	31,623	14.8	20,830	20.1	10,793	9.9
62 Cholelithiasis, cholecystitis and cholangitis-----574,575	3,004	1.4	1,305	1.3	1,699	1.6
63 Nephritis and nephrosis-----580-584	8,072	3.8	4,328	4.2	3,744	3.4
64 Acute nephritis and nephrotic syndrome-----580,581	1,585	0.7	857	0.8	728	0.7
65 Chronic and unqualified nephritis and renal sclerosis-----582-584	6,487	3.0	3,471	3.3	3,016	2.8
66 Infections of kidney-----590	4,502	2.1	1,852	1.8	2,650	2.4
67 Hyperplasia of prostate-----600	1,221	0.6	1,221	1.2	...	...
68 Complications of pregnancy, childbirth, and the puerperium-----630-678	403	0.2	...	...	403	0.4
69 Abortions-----640-645	27	0.0	...	...	27	0.0
70 Other complications of pregnancy, childbirth, and the puerperium-----630-639,650-678	376	0.2	...	...	376	0.3
71 Congenital anomalies-----740-759	13,245	6.2	7,111	6.9	6,134	5.6
72 Certain causes of mortality in early infancy-----760-769,2,769.4-772,774-778	26,616	12.5	15,337	14.8	11,279	10.3
73 Birth injury, difficult labor, and other anoxic and hypoxic conditions-----764-768,772,776	14,593	6.9	8,630	8.3	5,963	5.5
74 Other causes of mortality in early infancy-----Remainder of 760-778	12,023	5.6	6,707	6.5	5,316	4.9
75 Symptoms and ill-defined conditions-----780-796	31,768	14.9	18,748	18.1	13,020	11.9
76 All other diseases-----Residual	120,263	56.5	68,400	66.0	51,863	47.4
77 Accidents-----E800-E949	103,030	48.4	72,376	69.8	30,654	28.0
78 Motor vehicle accidents-----E810-E823	45,853	21.5	33,597	32.4	12,256	11.2
79 All other accidents-----E800-E807,E825-E849	57,177	26.8	38,779	37.4	18,398	16.8
80 Suicide-----E950-E959	27,063	12.7	19,622	18.9	7,441	6.8
81 Homicide-----E960-E978	21,310	10.0	16,553	16.0	4,757	4.4
82 Other external causes-----E980-E999	4,660	2.3	3,314	3.2	1,346	1.4

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Fetal deaths. Rates per 100,000 estimated population in specified group]

White						All other					
Both sexes		Male		Female		Both sexes		Male		Female	
Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate
1,660,366	896.8	917,804	1,015.3	742,562	783.8	232,513	833.6	133,015	999.1	99,493	682.5
47	0.0	29	0.0	18	0.0	15	0.1	12	0.1	3	0.0
1,528	0.8	686	0.8	842	0.9	482	1.7	269	2.0	214	1.5
2,322	1.3	1,579	1.7	743	0.8	1,011	3.6	686	5.2	325	2.2
1,795	1.0	1,250	1.4	545	0.6	781	2.8	553	4.2	228	1.6
527	0.3	329	0.4	198	0.2	230	0.8	133	1.0	97	0.7
5	0.0	1	0.0	4	0.0	3	0.0	1	0.0	2	0.0
15	0.0	7	0.0	8	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-
243	0.1	143	0.2	100	0.1	65	0.2	33	0.2	32	0.2
4,343	2.3	2,315	2.6	2,028	2.1	1,241	4.4	676	5.1	565	3.9
9	0.0	7	0.0	2	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-
17	0.0	6	0.0	11	0.0	3	0.0	1	0.0	2	0.0
161	0.1	112	0.1	49	0.1	111	0.4	60	0.6	31	0.2
3,400	1.8	1,729	1.9	1,671	1.8	909	3.3	417	3.1	492	3.4
325,519	175.8	176,108	194.8	149,411	157.7	40,174	144.0	23,335	175.3	16,939	115.5
7,060	3.8	4,875	5.4	2,185	2.3	1,075	3.9	614	6.1	261	1.8
88,045	47.6	46,009	50.9	42,037	44.4	11,594	41.5	6,741	50.6	4,843	33.2
77,297	41.8	59,518	65.8	17,779	18.8	9,378	33.6	7,549	56.7	1,829	12.5
29,561	16.0	246	0.3	29,313	30.9	2,974	10.3	29	0.2	2,845	19.5
36,923	19.9	17,249	19.1	19,674	20.8	6,071	21.8	3,168	23.8	2,903	19.9
15,208	8.2	10,219	11.3	4,989	5.3	1,325	4.8	795	6.0	503	3.6
39,805	21.5	20,570	22.8	19,235	20.3	4,760	17.1	2,617	19.9	2,263	15.5
13,527	7.3	7,691	8.5	5,836	6.2	1,227	4.4	691	5.2	536	3.7
18,093	9.8	9,720	10.8	8,363	8.8	1,860	6.7	1,031	7.7	829	5.7
4,347	2.3	2,173	2.4	2,174	2.3	600	2.2	271	2.0	329	2.3
29,476	15.9	12,321	13.6	17,155	18.1	5,754	20.6	2,093	15.7	3,661	25.1
2,174	1.2	932	1.0	1,242	1.3	441	1.6	215	1.6	226	1.6
2,536	1.4	1,159	1.3	1,377	1.5	659	2.4	329	2.5	330	2.3
1,153	0.6	635	0.7	518	0.5	477	1.7	271	2.0	206	1.4
873,874	472.0	463,405	512.6	410,469	433.2	97,173	348.4	50,690	380.8	46,483	318.9
648,037	350.0	362,616	401.1	285,421	301.3	69,178	244.4	36,895	277.1	31,293	214.7
11,743	6.3	5,189	5.7	6,575	6.9	1,187	4.3	595	4.5	592	4.1
5,185	2.8	2,002	2.2	3,183	3.4	1,503	5.4	690	5.2	618	5.6
3,660	2.0	1,576	1.7	2,094	2.2	674	2.4	312	2.3	362	2.5
586,207	316.6	331,185	366.3	255,052	269.2	58,512	202.6	30,600	229.9	25,912	177.7
300,920	162.5	188,591	208.6	112,329	118.6	23,732	85.1	13,567	101.9	10,165	69.7
3,469	1.9	2,295	2.5	1,174	1.2	600	2.2	384	2.9	216	1.5
281,675	152.1	140,200	155.1	141,475	149.3	32,172	115.3	16,644	125.0	15,528	106.5
143	0.1	69	0.1	74	0.1	8	0.0	5	0.0	3	0.0
3,935	2.1	1,884	2.1	2,051	2.2	476	1.7	267	2.0	209	1.4
37,307	20.2	20,831	23.0	16,476	17.4	7,821	28.0	4,421	33.2	3,400	23.3
4,962	2.7	2,381	2.6	2,581	2.7	1,339	4.8	676	5.1	662	4.5
170,669	92.2	75,318	81.1	97,371	102.8	22,249	83.7	10,968	82.4	12,361	84.9
22,779	12.3	10,111	11.2	12,668	13.4	4,083	14.6	2,012	15.1	2,071	14.2
43,733	23.6	18,597	20.6	25,136	26.5	4,724	16.9	2,218	16.7	2,506	17.2
759	0.4	324	0.4	425	0.4	52	0.2	28	0.2	24	0.2
103,418	55.9	44,276	49.0	59,142	62.4	14,490	52.0	6,710	50.4	7,780	53.4
26,810	14.5	10,841	12.0	15,969	16.9	2,077	7.4	981	7.4	1,096	7.5
23,376	12.6	14,249	15.8	9,127	9.6	2,231	8.0	1,180	8.9	1,051	7.2
639	0.3	356	0.4	283	0.3	98	0.4	55	0.4	43	0.3
48,797	26.4	26,201	29.0	22,596	23.9	6,867	24.6	4,236	31.8	2,631	18.0
4,000	2.2	1,783	2.0	2,217	2.3	277	1.0	140	1.1	137	0.9
44,797	24.2	24,418	27.0	20,379	21.5	6,590	23.6	4,096	30.8	2,494	17.1
23,831	12.9	17,801	19.7	6,030	6.4	1,637	5.9	1,151	8.6	486	3.3
4,449	2.4	3,070	3.4	1,379	1.5	263	0.9	190	1.4	73	0.5
17,867	9.7	14,092	15.6	3,775	4.0	928	3.3	757	5.7	171	1.2
1,515	0.8	639	0.7	876	0.9	446	1.6	204	1.5	242	1.7
6,068	3.3	3,774	4.2	2,294	2.4	675	2.4	445	3.3	230	1.6
662	0.4	388	0.4	274	0.3	160	0.6	92	0.7	69	0.5
5,398	2.9	2,226	2.5	3,162	3.3	790	2.8	392	2.9	399	2.7
26,329	14.2	17,458	19.3	8,871	9.4	5,294	19.0	3,372	25.3	1,922	13.2
2,775	1.5	1,219	1.3	1,556	1.6	229	0.8	86	0.6	143	1.0
5,996	3.2	3,241	3.6	2,755	2.9	2,076	7.4	1,087	8.2	989	6.8
1,261	0.7	697	0.8	564	0.6	324	1.2	160	1.2	164	1.1
4,735	2.6	2,544	2.8	2,191	2.3	1,752	6.3	927	7.0	825	5.7
3,633	2.1	1,532	1.7	2,301	2.4	669	2.4	300	2.3	369	2.5
1,072	0.6	1,072	1.2	...	...	149	0.5	149	1.1	...	...
231	0.1	...	...	231	0.2	172	0.6	...	...	...	...
11	0.0	...	...	11	0.0	16	0.1	...	...	...	...
220	0.1	...	...	220	0.2	156	0.6	...	...	156	0.1
11,073	6.0	5,935	6.6	5,138	5.4	2,172	7.8	1,176	8.8	996	6.8
18,854	10.2	11,067	12.2	7,787	8.2	7,762	27.8	4,270	32.1	3,492	24.0
10,663	5.8	6,423	7.1	4,240	4.5	3,930	14.1	2,207	16.6	1,723	11.8
8,131	4.4	4,644	5.1	3,547	3.7	3,832	13.7	2,063	15.5	1,769	12.1
22,661	12.2	13,457	14.9	9,204	9.7	9,107	32.7	5,291	39.7	3,816	26.2
103,413	55.9	58,647	64.9	44,766	47.3	16,850	60.4	9,753	73.3	7,097	48.7
87,760	47.4	61,186	67.7	26,574	28.0	15,270	54.7	11,190	84.1	4,090	28.0
39,863	21.5	29,092	32.2	10,791	11.4	5,970	21.4	4,505	33.8	1,465	10.0
47,877	25.9	32,094	35.5	15,783	16.7	9,300	33.3	6,685	50.2	2,615	17.9
25,173	13.6	18,206	20.1	6,967	7.4	1,890	6.8	1,416	10.6	474	3.3
10,973	5.9	8,222	9.1	2,751	2.9	10,337	37.1	8,331	62.6	2,006	13.8
3,689	2.0	2,469	2.7	1,200	1.3	1,191	4.3	845	6.3	346	2.4

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Table 9. DEATH AND DEATH RATES FOR 10 LEADING CAUSES OF DEATH, BY COLOR AND SEX: UNITED STATES, 1975

[Refers only to resident deaths occurring within the United States. Excludes fetal deaths. Rates per 100,000 estimated population in specified group]

Rank order	Cause of death, color, and sex (Eighth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Adapted, 1965)	Number	Rate
	Total, both sexes--all causes-----	1,892,879	668.5
1	Diseases of heart-----390-398,402,404,410-429	716,215	336.2
2	Malignant neoplasms, including neoplasms of lymphatic and hematopoietic tissues-----140-209	365,693	171.7
3	Cerebrovascular diseases-----430-438	194,058	91.1
4	Accidents-----E800-E949	103,050	48.4
...	Motor vehicle accidents-----E810-E823	45,853	21.5
...	All other accidents-----E800-E807,E825-E949	57,177	26.9
5	Influenza and pneumonia-----470-474,480-486	55,664	26.1
6	Diabetes mellitus-----250	35,230	16.5
7	Cirrhosis of liver-----571	31,623	14.8
8	Arteriosclerosis-----440	28,887	13.6
9	Suicide-----E950-E959	27,063	12.7
10	Certain causes of mortality in early infancy-----760-769.2,769.4-772,774-778	26,616	12.5
...	All other causes-----Residual	308,820	144.9
	White, male--all causes-----	917,604	1,015.3
1	Diseases of heart-----390-398,402,404,410-429	362,616	401.1
2	Malignant neoplasms, including neoplasms of lymphatic and hematopoietic tissues-----140-209	176,108	194.8
3	Cerebrovascular diseases-----430-438	73,318	81.1
4	Accidents-----E800-E949	61,186	67.7
...	Motor vehicle accidents-----E810-E823	29,092	32.2
...	All other accidents-----E800-E807,E825-E949	32,094	35.5
5	Influenza and pneumonia-----470-474,480-486	26,201	29.0
6	Suicide-----E950-E959	18,206	20.1
7	Bronchitis, emphysema, and asthma-----490-493	17,601	19.7
8	Cirrhosis of liver-----571	17,458	19.3
9	Diabetes mellitus-----250	12,321	13.6
10	Certain causes of mortality in early infancy-----760-769.2,769.4-772,774-778	11,067	12.2
...	All other causes-----Residual	141,522	156.7
	White, female--all causes-----	742,562	783.8
1	Diseases of heart-----390-398,402,404,410-429	285,421	301.3
2	Malignant neoplasms, including neoplasms of lymphatic and hematopoietic tissues-----140-209	149,411	157.7
3	Cerebrovascular diseases-----430-438	97,371	102.8
4	Accidents-----E800-E949	26,574	28.0
...	Motor vehicle accidents-----E810-E823	10,791	11.4
...	All other accidents-----E800-E807,E825-E949	15,783	16.7
5	Influenza and pneumonia-----470-474,480-486	22,596	23.9
6	Diabetes mellitus-----250	17,155	18.1
7	Arteriosclerosis-----450	15,969	16.9
8	Cirrhosis of liver-----571	8,871	9.4
9	Certain causes of mortality in early infancy-----760-769.2,769.4-772,774-778	7,787	8.2
10	Suicide-----E950-E959	6,967	7.4
...	All other causes-----Residual	104,440	110.1
	All other, male--all causes-----	133,015	899.1
1	Diseases of heart-----390-398,402,404,410-429	36,885	277.1
2	Malignant neoplasms, including neoplasms of lymphatic and hematopoietic tissues-----140-209	23,335	175.3
3	Accidents-----E800-E949	11,190	84.1
...	Motor vehicle accidents-----E810-E823	4,505	33.8
...	All other accidents-----E800-E807,E825-E949	6,685	50.2
4	Cerebrovascular diseases-----430-438	10,968	82.4
5	Homicide-----E960-E978	8,331	62.6
6	Certain causes of mortality in early infancy-----760-769.2,769.4-772,774-778	4,270	32.1
7	Influenza and pneumonia-----470-474,480-486	4,236	31.8
8	Cirrhosis of liver-----571	3,372	25.3
9	Diabetes mellitus-----250	2,093	15.7
10	Suicide-----E950-E959	1,416	10.6
...	All other causes-----Residual	26,919	202.1
	All other, female--all causes-----	99,498	682.5
1	Diseases of heart-----390-398,402,404,410-429	31,293	214.7
2	Malignant neoplasms, including neoplasms of lymphatic and hematopoietic tissues-----140-209	16,839	115.5
3	Cerebrovascular diseases-----430-438	12,381	84.9
4	Accidents-----E800-E949	4,080	28.0
...	Motor vehicle accidents-----E810-E823	1,465	10.0
...	All other accidents-----E800-E807,E825-E949	2,615	17.9
5	Diabetes mellitus-----250	3,661	25.1
6	Certain causes of mortality in early infancy-----760-769.2,769.4-772,774-778	3,492	24.0
7	Influenza and pneumonia-----470-474,480-486	2,631	18.0
8	Homicide-----E960-E978	2,006	13.8
9	Cirrhosis of liver-----571	1,922	13.2
10	Arteriosclerosis-----440	1,096	7.5
...	All other causes-----Residual	20,097	137.8

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Table 10. DEATHS UNDER 1 YEAR AND INFANT MORTALITY RATES BY COLOR, FOR 65 SELECTED CAUSES: UNITED STATES, 1975

[Refers only to resident deaths occurring within the United States. Excludes fetal deaths]

Cause of death (Eighth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Adapted, 1965)	Number			Rate ¹		
	Total	White	All other	Total	White	All other
All causes-----	50,525	36,173	14,352	1,606.9	1,417.4	2,423.5
Diarrheal diseases-----009	683	383	306	21.9	15.0	51.7
Whooping cough-----033	8	5	3	0.5	0.2	0.5
Meningococcal infections-----036	74	62	12	2.4	2.4	2.0
Tetanus-----037	1	-	1	0.0	-	0.2
Septicemia-----058	972	662	310	30.9	25.9	52.3
Viral diseases-----040-079	170	122	48	5.4	4.8	8.1
Congenital syphilis-----090	4	1	3	0.1	0.0	0.5
Other infective and parasitic diseases-----Remainder of 000-136	151	93	58	4.8	3.6	9.8
Malignant neoplasms, including neoplasms of lymphatic and hematopoietic tissues-----140-209	129	112	17	4.1	4.4	2.9
Benign neoplasms and neoplasms of unspecified nature-----210-239	55	48	7	1.7	1.9	1.2
Diseases of thymus gland-----254	16	13	3	0.5	0.5	0.5
Cystic fibrosis-----273.0	59	54	5	1.9	2.1	0.8
Diseases of the blood-forming organs-----280-289	157	113	54	5.3	4.4	9.1
Meningitis-----320	584	367	217	18.6	14.4	36.6
Other diseases of nervous system and sense organs-----321-389	436	337	99	13.9	13.2	16.7
Acute upper respiratory infections-----460-465	101	68	33	3.2	2.7	5.6
Bronchitis and bronchiolitis-----466, 490, 491	179	130	49	5.7	5.1	8.3
Influenza and pneumonia-----470-474, 480-486	2,201	1,410	791	70.0	55.3	133.6
Influenza-----470-474	30	14	16	1.0	0.5	2.7
Pneumonia-----480-486	2,171	1,396	775	69.0	54.7	130.9
Other chronic interstitial pneumonia-----517	24	17	7	0.8	0.7	1.2
All other diseases of respiratory system-----492, 493, 500-516, 518, 519	421	285	136	13.4	11.2	23.0
Hernia and intestinal obstruction-----550-553, 560	446	354	92	14.2	13.9	15.5
Gastritis, duodenitis, enteritis, and colitis of noninfectious origin-----535, 561, 563	100	54	46	3.2	2.1	7.8
Other diseases of digestive system-----520-534, 536, 537, 540-543, 562, 564-577	318	227	91	10.1	8.9	15.4
Congenital anomalies-----740-759	8,582	7,036	1,496	272.9	277.7	252.6
Anencephalus-----740	777	655	92	24.7	26.8	15.5
Spina bifida-----741	409	368	41	13.0	14.4	6.9
Congenital hydrocephalus-----742	394	311	73	12.2	12.2	12.3
Other congenital anomalies of central nervous system and eye-----743, 744	303	249	60	9.8	9.8	10.1
Congenital anomalies of heart-----746	3,011	2,464	547	95.8	96.6	92.4
Congenital anomalies of circulatory system-----747	702	560	142	22.3	21.9	24.0
Congenital anomalies of respiratory system-----749	702	566	136	22.3	22.2	23.0
Congenital anomalies of digestive system-----749-751	350	289	71	11.4	11.3	12.0
Congenital anomalies of genitourinary system-----752, 753	291	257	34	9.3	10.1	5.7
Congenital anomalies of musculoskeletal system-----754-756	261	216	45	8.3	8.5	7.6
Down's disease-----759.3	74	64	10	2.4	2.5	1.7
Other congenital syndromes affecting multiple systems-----759.0-759.2, 759.4-759.9	1,085	893	202	34.8	35.0	34.1
Other and unspecified congenital anomalies-----745, 757, 758	207	164	43	6.6	6.4	7.3
Certain causes of mortality in early infancy-----760-769.2, 769.4-772, 774-778	26,565	18,635	7,750	845.5	738.0	1,308.7
Chronic circulatory and genitourinary diseases in mother-----760	5	3	2	0.2	0.1	0.3
Other maternal conditions unrelated to pregnancy-----761	196	137	59	6.2	5.4	10.0
Syphilis-----761.0	2	1	1	0.1	0.0	0.2
Diabetes mellitus-----761.1	95	75	20	3.0	2.9	3.4
Rubella-----761.3	9	5	4	0.3	0.2	0.7
All other maternal conditions unrelated to pregnancy-----761.2, 761.4-761.7, 761.9	90	56	34	2.9	2.2	5.7
Toxemia of pregnancy-----762	105	73	32	3.3	2.9	5.4
Maternal antepartum and intrapartum infection-----763	173	117	56	5.5	4.6	9.5
Difficult labor-----764-768	345	252	93	11.0	9.9	15.7
With mention of birth injury (.0-.3)-----	90	70	20	2.9	2.7	3.4
Without mention of birth injury (.4-.9)-----	255	182	73	8.1	7.1	12.3
All other complications of pregnancy and childbirth-----769.0-769.2, 769.4, 769.5, 769.9	3,096	2,200	896	99.5	86.2	151.3
Conditions of placenta-----770	994	789	205	31.6	30.9	34.6
Conditions of umbilical cord-----771	259	200	59	8.2	7.8	10.0
Birth injury without mention of cause-----772	1,650	1,245	405	52.5	48.6	68.4
Hemolytic disease of newborn-----774, 775	269	226	43	8.6	8.9	7.3
Hyaline membrane disease-----776.1	3,920	3,042	878	124.7	119.2	149.3
Respiratory distress syndrome-----776.2	3,878	2,854	1,024	123.3	111.8	172.9
Asphyxia of newborn, unspecified-----776.9	4,051	2,756	1,295	128.8	108.0	218.7
All other anoxic and hypoxic conditions not elsewhere classifiable-----776.0, 776.3, 776.4	728	502	226	23.2	19.7	38.2
Immaturity, unqualified-----777	4,398	2,843	1,555	139.9	111.4	262.6
Postmaturity-----778.1	3	1	2	0.1	0.0	0.3
Hemorrhagic disease of newborn-----778.2	639	415	224	20.3	16.3	37.8
All other conditions of newborn-----778.0, 778.3, 778.9	1,876	1,180	696	59.7	46.2	117.5
Symptoms and ill-defined conditions-----780-796	5,121	3,299	1,822	162.9	129.3	307.7
Accidents-----E800-E949	1,337	927	410	42.5	36.3	69.2
Inhalation and ingestion of food or other object causing obstruction or suffocation-----E911, E912	360	245	115	11.4	9.6	19.4
Accidental mechanical suffocation-----E913	268	176	92	8.5	6.9	15.5
Other accidental causes-----E800-E910, E914-E949	709	506	203	22.5	19.8	34.3
Homicide-----E950-E978	178	110	68	5.7	4.3	11.5
All other causes-----Residual	1,417	999	418	45.1	39.1	70.6

¹Per 100,000 live births in specified group.

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Table 11. MATERNAL DEATHS AND MATERNAL MORTALITY RATES FOR SELECTED CAUSES, BY COLOR: UNITED STATES, 1975

[Maternal deaths are those assigned to Complications of pregnancy, childbirth, and the puerperium, category numbers 630-678 of the Eighth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Adapted, 1965. Rates per 100,000 live births in specified group]

Cause of death	Number of deaths			Mortality rate		
	Total	White	All other	Total	White	All other
Complications of pregnancy, childbirth, and the puerperium-----630-678	403	231	172	12.8	9.1	29.0
Ectopic pregnancy-----631	50	19	31	1.6	0.7	5.2
Toxemias of pregnancy and the puerperium, except abortion with toxemia-----636-639	77	45	32	2.4	1.8	5.4
Hemorrhage of pregnancy and childbirth-----632,651-653	48	28	20	1.5	1.1	3.4
Abortions-----640-645	27	11	16	0.9	0.4	2.7
Abortions induced for legal indications-----640,641	10	4	6	0.3	0.2	1.0
Abortions induced for other reasons-----642	4	1	3	0.1	0.0	0.5
Spontaneous abortion-----643	3	1	2	0.1	0.0	0.3
Other and unspecified abortions-----644,645	10	5	5	0.3	0.2	0.8
Sepsis of childbirth and the puerperium-----670,671,673	76	51	25	2.4	2.0	4.2
All other complications of pregnancy, childbirth, and the puerperium-----630,633-635,654-662,672,674-678	124	77	47	3.9	3.0	7.9
Delivery without mention of complications-----650	1	-	1	0.0	-	0.2

Table 12. AGE-ADJUSTED DEATH RATES FOR SPECIFIED CAUSES, BY COLOR AND SEX: UNITED STATES, 1975

[Refers only to resident deaths occurring within the United States. Excludes fetal deaths. Based on age-specific death rates per 100,000 estimated midyear population in specified group. Computed by the direct method, using as the standard population the age distribution of the total population of the United States as enumerated in 1947]

Cause of death (Eighth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Adapted, 1965)	Total			White			All other		
	Both sexes	Male	Female	Both sexes	Male	Female	Both sexes	Male	Female
All causes-----	639.3	645.3	469.3	609.8	612.7	445.3	652.4	1,097.5	648.3
Major cardiovascular diseases-----390-448	291.4	390.4	212.2	284.6	386.8	203.2	346.4	418.9	287.2
Diseases of heart-----390-398,402,404,410-429	220.5	308.3	149.7	217.2	308.0	144.2	245.2	307.0	194.6
Hypertension-----400,401,403	1.9	2.3	1.6	1.5	1.9	1.3	5.0	5.8	4.4
Cerebrovascular diseases-----430-438	54.5	60.6	49.8	51.3	57.4	46.8	82.0	89.3	76.1
Arteriosclerosis-----440	6.6	7.5	5.9	6.6	7.5	5.9	6.1	7.0	5.4
Malignant neoplasms, including neoplasms of lymphatic and hematopoietic tissues-----140-209	150.9	161.4	108.3	128.1	157.2	106.9	155.0	199.7	118.9
Accidents-----E800-E949	44.8	67.7	23.1	43.1	64.8	22.4	56.9	90.7	27.6
Motor vehicle accidents-----E810-E823	21.3	32.2	10.8	21.2	31.7	10.8	22.5	36.6	10.2
All other accidents-----E800-E907, E925-E949	23.5	35.5	12.3	21.9	33.1	11.5	34.4	54.1	17.3
Influenza and pneumonia-----470-474,480-486	16.6	22.5	12.3	15.6	21.0	11.7	23.9	33.5	16.1
Cirrhosis of liver-----571	13.8	19.5	8.9	12.6	17.9	7.9	25.1	32.1	15.5
Suicide-----E950-E959	12.6	19.0	6.9	13.3	18.8	7.3	7.5	12.1	3.5
Diabetes mellitus-----250	11.6	11.4	11.6	10.4	10.7	10.2	21.7	17.9	24.6
Homicide-----E960-E978	10.5	16.8	4.5	6.1	9.4	2.9	11.1	17.6	14.7
Bronchitis, emphysema, and asthma-----490-493	8.6	14.6	4.1	8.8	15.1	4.1	6.3	9.6	3.5
Tuberculosis, all forms-----010-019	1.2	1.9	0.7	0.9	1.4	0.5	4.0	6.1	2.3

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Table 13. NUMBER OF AUTOPSIES AND PERCENT OF DEATHS FOR WHICH AUTOPSIES WERE REPORTED FOR 15 LEADING CAUSES OF DEATH: UNITED STATES, 1975

[Numbers after causes of death are category numbers of the Eighth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, Adapted, 1965]

Rank order	Cause of death	Total deaths	Reported autopsies	
			Number	Percent
	All causes-----	1,892,879	335,098	17.6
1	Diseases of heart-----390-398,402,404,410-429	716,215	79,593	11.1
2	Malignant neoplasms, including neoplasms of lymphatic and hematopoietic tissues-----140-209	365,893	49,924	13.7
3	Cerebrovascular diseases-----430-438	194,039	14,214	7.3
4	Accidents-----E300-E349	103,030	42,330	41.1
...	Motor vehicle accidents-----E310-E323	45,853	18,334	40.0
...	All other accidents-----E300-E307, E325-E349	57,177	23,996	42.0
5	Influenza and pneumonia-----470-474, 480-486	55,664	11,950	21.5
6	Diabetes mellitus-----250	35,250	3,070	8.7
7	Cirrhosis of liver-----571	31,623	10,497	33.2
8	Arteriosclerosis-----440	28,897	1,338	4.6
9	Suicide-----E950-E959	27,083	11,839	43.7
10	Certain causes of mortality in early infancy-----760-769, 2,769, 4-772, 774-778	26,616	9,143	34.4
11	Bronchitis, emphysema, and asthma-----490-495	25,468	4,280	16.8
12	Homicide-----E960-E978	21,310	18,961	89.0
13	Congenital anomalies-----740-759	13,245	6,686	50.5
14	Nephritis and nephrosis-----580-594	8,072	1,442	17.9
15	Peptic ulcer-----531-533	6,743	2,667	39.6
...	All other causes-----Residual	233,982	65,134	27.8

Table 14. AVERAGE NUMBER OF DEATHS PER DAY FOR DAYS OF WEEK, FOR SELECTED CAUSES: UNITED STATES, 1975

[Deaths include those to nonresidents of the United States]

Day of week	All causes	Motor vehicle accidents (E810-E823)	Suicide (E950-E959)	Homicide (E960-E978)
All days ¹ -----	5,192	126	74	58
Sunday ² -----	5,203	152	72	69
Monday ² -----	5,226	104	78	50
Tuesday ² -----	5,150	101	75	48
Wednesday ² -----	5,127	106	75	50
Thursday ² -----	5,126	106	74	60
Friday ² -----	5,193	137	73	60
Saturday ² -----	5,317	177	72	82

¹Number of deaths in 1975 from selected cause or causes divided by 365.

²Number of deaths on specified day of week in 1975 from selected cause or causes divided by number of times specified day of week occurred in 1975.

SYMBOLS

- Data not available-----
- Category not applicable-----
- Quantity zero-----
- Quantity more than 0 but less than 0.05----- 0.0
- Figure does not meet standards of reliability or precision----- *