

TABLE 2-15. LIVE BIRTHS BY PLURALITY OF DELIVERY, SEX OF CHILD, AND BY RACE¹ OF MOTHER, CALIFORNIA, 2005 (By Place of Residence)

RACE OF MOTHER	ALL BIRTHS			PLURALITY OF BIRTH AND SEX OF CHILD														
				SINGLE			TWIN			TRIPLET			QUADRUPLET			MULTIPLE BIRTHS ³		
	TOTAL ²	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE
TOTAL	548,700	280,578	268,110	531,397	272,114	259,274	16,466	8,048	8,415	766	376	390	63	37	26	8	3	5
2 OR MORE RACES	10,763	5,394	5,369	10,369	5,224	5,145	383	166	217	9	3	6	2	1	1	-	-	-
AMERICAN INDIAN	2,609	1,299	1,310	2,559	1,275	1,284	50	24	26	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
BLACK	29,396	15,025	14,371	28,174	14,429	13,745	1,179	582	597	39	12	27	4	2	2	-	-	-
CAMBODIAN	1,731	894	837	1,696	881	815	35	13	22	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
CHINESE	12,797	6,556	6,241	12,395	6,344	6,051	390	207	183	12	5	7	-	-	-	-	-	-
ESKIMO/ALEUT	7	5	2	7	5	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
FILIPINO	14,950	7,648	7,302	14,603	7,494	7,109	336	151	185	11	3	8	-	-	-	-	-	-
GUAMANIAN	215	102	113	207	96	111	8	6	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
HAWAIIAN	293	154	139	283	149	134	10	5	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
HMONG	1,953	1,002	951	1,920	989	931	30	12	18	3	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
INDIAN (INDIA)	8,569	4,472	4,097	8,270	4,319	3,951	290	147	143	9	6	3	-	-	-	-	-	-
JAPANESE	2,653	1,350	1,303	2,539	1,301	1,238	108	46	62	6	3	3	-	-	-	-	-	-
KOREAN	5,027	2,617	2,410	4,857	2,552	2,305	161	63	98	9	2	7	-	-	-	-	-	-
LAOTIAN	1,062	544	518	1,026	523	503	30	17	13	6	4	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
SAMOAN	724	374	350	702	364	338	22	10	12	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
THAI	727	381	346	710	370	340	14	8	6	3	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
VIETNAMESE	8,565	4,419	4,146	8,381	4,334	4,047	169	78	91	15	7	8	-	-	-	-	-	-
WHITE	431,761	220,721	211,028	418,510	214,195	204,306	12,595	6,189	6,403	595	303	292	53	31	22	8	3	5
OTHER ASIAN	4,100	2,091	2,009	3,951	2,012	1,939	146	78	68	3	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
OTHER PAC. ISLND.	1,380	688	692	1,351	678	673	26	9	17	3	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
OTHER RACE	2,117	1,066	1,051	2,058	1,030	1,028	56	34	22	3	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
UNKNOWN	7,301	3,776	3,525	6,829	3,550	3,279	428	203	225	40	20	20	4	3	1	-	-	-

- Represents zero events.

¹ The list of races in this table is compiled by identifying mothers reporting 2 or more race groups before tabulating single races. Unknown includes refused to state.

This list of races is not comparable with races used in Vital Statistics of California reports prior to 2000. See Chapter 6.

² Twelve births where the sex of child was undetermined are included in the totals.

³ In 2005 there were 8 live quintuplet births.

Source: State of California, Department of Public Health, Birth Records.