



TABLE 2-12. LIVE BIRTHS BY BIRTHWEIGHT AND BY RACE/ETHNIC GROUP<sup>1</sup> AND AGE OF MOTHER, CALIFORNIA, 2006 (By Place of Residence)

RACE/ETHNIC GROUP AND BIRTHWEIGHT OF CHILD	TOTAL	AGE OF MOTHER										
		UNDER 15	15-17	18-19	20-24	25-29	30-34	35-39	40-44	45-49	50 AND OVER	UNKNOWN
<b>BLACK</b>	30,016	55	1,250	2,893	8,646	7,630	5,328	3,242	910	55	5	2
UNDER 1500 GRAMS	842	-	38	67	216	195	180	105	37	2	2	-
1500-2499 GRAMS	2,841	2	117	302	737	681	537	343	106	15	1	-
2500-3499 GRAMS	18,302	36	834	1,870	5,499	4,596	3,026	1,891	523	24	2	1
3500-4499 GRAMS	7,769	17	258	639	2,147	2,086	1,527	850	233	12	-	-
4500 GRAMS OR MORE	261	-	3	15	47	72	58	53	11	2	-	-
UNKNOWN	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
<b>PACIFIC ISLANDER</b>	2,523	1	43	137	674	700	583	308	72	5	-	-
UNDER 1500 GRAMS	29	-	-	5	7	10	5	-	2	-	-	-
1500-2499 GRAMS	160	-	2	9	42	45	34	18	10	-	-	-
2500-3499 GRAMS	1,237	-	30	76	345	332	285	140	27	2	-	-
3500-4499 GRAMS	1,031	1	11	46	275	289	246	133	28	2	-	-
4500 GRAMS OR MORE	66	-	-	1	5	24	13	17	5	1	-	-
UNKNOWN	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>WHITE</b>	154,227	41	1,734	5,384	27,401	40,459	41,904	29,209	7,449	586	58	2
UNDER 1500 GRAMS	1,650	3	34	77	250	358	445	337	122	20	4	-
1500-2499 GRAMS	8,132	2	106	249	1,293	1,871	2,179	1,710	582	122	17	1
2500-3499 GRAMS	79,129	23	1,019	3,104	14,713	20,571	20,971	14,641	3,779	278	30	-
3500-4499 GRAMS	62,977	13	564	1,902	10,813	17,007	17,634	12,030	2,848	160	6	-
4500 GRAMS OR MORE	2,338	-	11	52	332	652	675	491	118	6	1	-
UNKNOWN	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
<b>OTHER RACE</b>	253	-	4	11	65	57	72	35	6	3	-	-
UNDER 1500 GRAMS	6	-	-	1	-	1	1	1	-	2	-	-
1500-2499 GRAMS	15	-	-	-	6	5	2	1	-	1	-	-
2500-3499 GRAMS	152	-	3	6	46	30	43	21	3	-	-	-
3500-4499 GRAMS	76	-	1	4	12	21	26	10	2	-	-	-
4500 GRAMS OR MORE	4	-	-	-	1	-	-	2	1	-	-	-
UNKNOWN	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>UNKNOWN</b>	8,558	12	156	323	1,464	1,975	2,331	1,604	484	110	41	58
UNDER 1500 GRAMS	143	-	3	5	10	31	44	35	5	5	3	2
1500-2499 GRAMS	677	1	12	23	76	137	164	158	63	24	11	8
2500-3499 GRAMS	4,690	8	90	199	826	1,098	1,311	832	247	50	16	13
3500-4499 GRAMS	2,937	3	48	95	536	685	790	562	162	28	10	18
4500 GRAMS OR MORE	94	-	3	1	16	24	22	17	7	3	1	-
UNKNOWN	17	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	17

- Represents zero events.

<sup>1</sup> The race and ethnic groups in this table utilize nine mutually exclusive race and ethnicity categories. These categories are Hispanic and the following Non-Hispanic categories of Two or More Races, American Indian (includes Eskimo and Aleut), Asian, Black, Pacific Islander (includes Hawaiian), White, Other Race, and Unknown (includes refused to state). These groups are not compatible with race groups used in Vital Statistics of California reports prior to 2000. See Chapter 6.

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