

TABLE 2-15. LIVE BIRTHS BY PLURALITY OF DELIVERY, SEX OF CHILD, AND BY RACE¹ OF MOTHER, CALIFORNIA, 2006 (By Place of Residence)

RACE OF MOTHER	ALL BIRTHS			PLURALITY OF BIRTH AND SEX OF CHILD														
				SINGLE			TWIN			TRIPLET			QUADRUPLLET			MULTIPLE BIRTHS ³		
	TOTAL ²	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE
TOTAL	562,157	288,100	274,049	544,784	279,325	265,451	16,569	8,393	8,176	754	359	395	44	19	25	6	4	2
2 OR MORE RACES	12,228	6,231	5,997	11,807	6,023	5,784	403	205	198	18	3	15	-	-	-	-	-	-
AMERICAN INDIAN	2,778	1,422	1,356	2,718	1,393	1,325	54	26	28	6	3	3	-	-	-	-	-	-
BLACK	30,655	15,684	14,971	29,447	15,064	14,383	1,166	593	573	42	27	15	-	-	-	-	-	-
CAMBODIAN	1,747	923	824	1,711	902	809	33	18	15	3	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
CHINESE	12,997	6,749	6,248	12,605	6,525	6,080	377	218	159	15	6	9	-	-	-	-	-	-
ESKIMO/ALEUT	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
FILIPINO	15,253	7,921	7,332	14,884	7,747	7,137	351	165	186	18	9	9	-	-	-	-	-	-
GUAMANIAN	242	128	114	236	124	112	6	4	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
HAWAIIAN	240	117	123	232	113	119	8	4	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
HMONG	2,077	1,045	1,032	2,033	1,025	1,008	44	20	24	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
INDIAN (INDIA)	8,865	4,550	4,315	8,571	4,398	4,173	284	147	137	10	5	5	-	-	-	-	-	-
JAPANESE	2,606	1,342	1,264	2,471	1,268	1,203	131	73	58	4	1	3	-	-	-	-	-	-
KOREAN	5,146	2,673	2,473	4,976	2,582	2,394	161	87	74	9	4	5	-	-	-	-	-	-
LAOTIAN	1,021	545	476	1,010	538	472	8	6	2	3	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
SAMOAN	716	357	358	688	341	346	28	16	12	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
THAI	771	418	353	749	408	341	22	10	12	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
VIETNAMESE	8,578	4,456	4,122	8,367	4,358	4,009	199	90	109	12	8	4	-	-	-	-	-	-
WHITE	439,306	224,908	214,391	426,184	218,333	207,844	12,540	6,315	6,225	532	237	295	44	19	25	6	4	2
OTHER ASIAN	4,275	2,170	2,105	4,128	2,093	2,035	129	64	65	18	13	5	-	-	-	-	-	-
OTHER PAC. ISLND.	1,402	708	694	1,355	685	670	44	21	23	3	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
OTHER RACE	2,640	1,346	1,294	2,587	1,314	1,273	50	30	20	3	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
UNKNOWN	8,614	4,407	4,207	8,025	4,091	3,934	531	281	250	58	35	23	-	-	-	-	-	-

- 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.

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

³ In 2006 there were 6 live quintuplet births.

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