

TABLE 2-10
 PERCENT OF BIRTHS WITH SELECTED DEMOGRAPHIC CHARACTERISTICS
 BY RACE/ETHNICITY¹ OF MOTHER
 CALIFORNIA, 1990-1998
 (By Place of Residence)

YEAR	PERCENT OF BIRTHS BY DEMOGRAPHIC CHARACTERISTICS ²						
	Mothers Under 20 Years of Age	Mother Completed 12 Years or More of School	Mother Born in the United States	Unmarried Mother ³	4th & Higher Birth Order	Father Under 20 Years of Age	Father Completed 12 Years or More of School
TOTAL							
1998	11.4	67.8	55.8	32.7	12.7	4.2	65.4
1997	11.7	66.9	55.1	31.9	12.9	4.3	64.7
1996	12.0	65.7	54.7	31.4	13.1	4.7	64.8
1995	12.4	65.4	55.5	32.1	13.1	4.8	64.7
1994	12.3	64.8	55.5	35.6	13.2	4.7	64.2
1993	12.0	64.3	55.2	35.1	13.4	4.5	64.0
1992	11.8	64.2	55.5	34.2	13.4	4.2	63.9
1991	11.8	64.5	57.1	33.3	13.1	4.2	64.2
1990	11.6	65.5	59.0	31.4	12.8	4.1	65.4
AMERICAN INDIAN							
1998	18.6	68.1	98.8	56.5	19.7	7.7	64.8
1997	19.8	69.8	98.2	54.2	18.1	8.5	65.6
1996	18.2	69.7	98.5	49.4	18.7	7.9	66.8
1995	20.0	68.2	98.6	48.9	19.0	8.0	68.3
1994	20.3	67.4	98.0	51.6	19.2	7.9	68.4
1993	18.8	67.6	97.2	49.5	19.0	7.8	69.3
1992	17.8	66.6	98.1	48.9	18.5	6.6	67.2
1991	18.2	66.6	98.3	50.4	19.6	7.4	65.4
1990	18.8	64.4	98.1	49.4	18.7	7.3	67.5
ASIAN/PACIFIC ISLANDER							
1998	4.8	86.3	15.0	13.9	8.3	1.8	85.9
1997	4.9	84.9	14.0	13.8	8.9	1.8	84.8
1996	5.0	82.9	13.4	12.3	10.0	1.9	83.0
1995	5.4	81.1	13.2	12.8	10.7	2.0	81.2
1994	5.5	79.8	15.2	12.7	11.5	1.8	80.2
1993	5.5	78.5	12.0	13.2	12.2	1.8	78.6
1992	5.5	77.4	11.6	12.9	12.4	1.6	77.6
1991	5.6	76.2	11.7	12.1	13.0	1.6	76.8
1990	5.5	76.0	11.8	11.5	12.9	1.5	76.8
BLACK							
1998	16.9	79.5	92.5	62.3	17.5	6.3	73.3
1997	18.0	78.7	92.7	61.2	17.8	7.2	72.3
1996	18.2	78.4	93.0	60.6	18.4	8.4	78.3
1995	18.9	78.0	93.8	61.8	18.4	8.6	78.1
1994	18.5	78.6	93.9	63.1	18.1	8.2	78.8
1993	18.0	78.7	93.9	62.7	18.2	8.0	79.4
1992	17.6	79.0	94.3	62.7	18.1	7.8	79.6
1991	17.7	78.9	94.5	63.4	17.2	7.7	79.7
1990	18.2	79.8	94.4	62.3	16.1	7.9	79.9
HISPANIC							
1998	15.2	46.7	35.3	40.7	15.7	5.6	44.6
1997	15.5	44.9	33.7	39.6	15.8	5.6	43.2
1996	15.9	43.1	32.0	37.6	15.9	6.0	42.3
1995	16.6	42.2	31.7	38.8	15.9	6.4	41.6
1994	16.5	40.8	29.9	46.0	16.2	6.2	40.4
1993	16.1	39.4	28.4	45.8	16.8	5.8	39.4
1992	16.0	38.3	27.2	44.9	17.0	5.6	38.3
1991	16.0	38.1	27.7	43.5	16.8	5.5	38.2
1990	15.8	38.5	28.3	41.0	17.0	5.4	38.7
WHITE/OTHER RACES							
1998	6.9	90.1	89.3	21.4	8.9	2.5	87.6
1997	7.1	90.0	89.8	20.9	9.0	2.6	87.6
1996	7.4	89.2	90.1	22.6	9.1	2.8	87.9
1995	7.6	88.7	90.4	22.9	9.0	2.9	87.3
1994	7.6	88.5	90.7	23.2	8.9	2.9	87.2
1993	7.5	88.2	90.6	22.3	8.7	2.8	87.1
1992	7.4	87.9	91.1	21.5	8.5	2.6	87.0
1991	7.6	87.2	91.3	21.6	8.3	2.7	86.2
1990	7.7	86.7	91.4	20.8	8.2	2.7	86.0

¹ American Indian, Asian/Pacific Islander, Black, and White/Other Races exclude Hispanic. American Indian includes Eskimo and Aleut. Hispanic includes any race category.

² Percents are calculated using total births which includes unknown and not reported in the specified category.

³ Starting in 1997, unmarried status is no longer inferred. See Chapter 6.