

TABLE 2-59  
LIVE BIRTHS BY PLURALITY OF DELIVERY, SEX OF CHILD,  
AND RACE/ETHNICITY<sup>1</sup> OF MOTHER  
CALIFORNIA, 1998  
(By Place of Residence)

PLURALITY OF BIRTH AND SEX OF CHILD	TOTAL	RACE/ETHNICITY OF MOTHER					
		AMERICAN INDIAN	ASIAN/ PACIFIC ISLANDER	BLACK	HISPANIC	WHITE/ OTHER RACES	UNKNOWN
TOTAL LIVE BIRTHS	521,265	2,587	55,536	35,200	247,796	176,885	3,261
MALE	266,490	1,327	28,801	18,056	126,138	90,553	1,615
FEMALE	254,761	1,260	26,735	17,143	121,648	86,329	1,646
SINGLE BIRTH	507,214	2,517	54,297	33,994	242,639	170,637	3,130
MALE	259,552	1,284	28,178	17,475	123,605	87,460	1,550
FEMALE	247,651	1,233	26,119	16,519	119,026	83,174	1,580
TWIN BIRTH	13,329	67	1,166	1,161	5,052	5,758	125
MALE	6,580	42	589	558	2,471	2,856	64
FEMALE	6,747	25	577	602	2,580	2,902	61
TRIPLET BIRTH	650	3	65	41	92	443	6
MALE	321	1	31	21	54	213	1
FEMALE	329	2	34	20	38	230	5
OTHER MULTIPLE BIRTH	69	-	8	4	12	45	-
MALE	37	-	3	2	8	24	-
FEMALE	32	-	5	2	4	21	-
NOT STATED	3	-	-	-	1	2	-
MALE	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
FEMALE	2	-	-	-	-	2	-

- Represents zero events.

<sup>1</sup> American Indian, Asian/Pacific Islander, Black, White/Other Races, and Unknown exclude Hispanic. American Indian includes Eskimo and Aleut. Hispanic includes any race category. Unknown includes Not Stated.

Note: Fourteen births where sex of child was not reported are included in the totals.

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