

TABLE 2-12. LIVE BIRTHS BY BIRTHWEIGHT AND BY RACE/ETHNIC GROUP¹ AND AGE OF MOTHER, CALIFORNIA, 2003 (By Place of Residence)

RACE/ETHNIC GROUP OF MOTHER 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	NOT STATED
TOTAL	540,827	710	16,193	33,137	123,815	140,556	134,809	72,662	17,692	1,098	118	37
UNDER 1500 GRAMS	6,344	13	254	416	1,302	1,438	1,532	1,015	326	44	2	2
1500-2499 GRAMS	29,315	62	1,091	1,970	6,265	6,642	7,040	4,601	1,436	168	39	1
2500-3499 GRAMS	295,719	459	10,284	20,322	70,947	75,934	71,067	37,044	9,052	537	61	12
3500-4499 GRAMS	201,561	174	4,494	10,163	43,912	54,398	52,890	28,609	6,563	330	15	13
4500 GRAMS OR MORE	7,875	2	70	266	1,388	2,144	2,279	1,392	314	19	1	-
WEIGHT UNKNOWN	13	-	-	-	1	-	1	1	1	-	-	9
HISPANIC	269,691	534	12,024	22,228	76,729	73,552	53,469	25,192	5,655	298	4	6
UNDER 1500 GRAMS	2,952	10	175	254	724	687	610	369	110	13	-	-
1500-2499 GRAMS	13,244	48	747	1,252	3,534	3,180	2,557	1,455	428	42	1	-
2500-3499 GRAMS	148,457	343	7,712	13,858	44,557	39,367	27,199	12,435	2,834	145	3	4
3500-4499 GRAMS	101,161	132	3,336	6,704	27,137	29,162	22,078	10,351	2,165	94	-	2
4500 GRAMS OR MORE	3,877	1	54	160	777	1,156	1,025	582	118	4	-	-
WEIGHT UNKNOWN	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
NON-HISPANIC												
2 OR MORE RACES	7,112	17	255	553	1,836	1,698	1,617	869	247	15	5	-
UNDER 1500 GRAMS	86	-	4	8	14	26	17	14	1	2	-	-
1500-2499 GRAMS	488	3	18	37	127	118	91	68	22	1	3	-
2500-3499 GRAMS	3,836	10	154	321	1,039	859	849	454	141	7	2	-
3500-4499 GRAMS	2,586	4	78	182	628	667	629	314	79	5	-	-
4500 GRAMS OR MORE	116	-	1	5	28	28	31	19	4	-	-	-
WEIGHT UNKNOWN	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
AMERICAN INDIAN	2,004	6	92	158	618	532	364	189	43	2	-	-
UNDER 1500 GRAMS	36	-	2	3	8	7	11	4	1	-	-	-
1500-2499 GRAMS	104	1	10	4	24	26	16	18	5	-	-	-
2500-3499 GRAMS	1,026	3	50	83	337	259	181	88	24	1	-	-
3500-4499 GRAMS	803	2	30	65	238	230	149	75	13	1	-	-
4500 GRAMS OR MORE	35	-	-	3	11	10	7	4	-	-	-	-
WEIGHT UNKNOWN	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ASIAN	61,525	24	501	1,143	6,459	16,333	22,679	11,643	2,589	142	12	-
UNDER 1500 GRAMS	623	-	5	17	61	125	211	142	53	9	-	-
1500-2499 GRAMS	3,853	3	63	96	428	872	1,325	789	253	23	1	-
2500-3499 GRAMS	40,299	21	357	827	4,444	10,973	14,842	7,209	1,547	69	10	-
3500-4499 GRAMS	16,409	-	76	202	1,499	4,285	6,177	3,412	718	39	1	-
4500 GRAMS OR MORE	341	-	-	1	27	78	124	91	18	2	-	-
WEIGHT UNKNOWN	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
BLACK	29,211	66	1,272	2,618	8,344	7,053	5,637	3,325	838	51	6	1
UNDER 1500 GRAMS	800	3	32	60	189	206	170	109	31	-	-	-
1500-2499 GRAMS	2,872	3	117	240	775	616	571	418	122	9	1	-
2500-3499 GRAMS	17,190	45	846	1,735	5,145	4,060	3,109	1,781	439	26	3	1
3500-4499 GRAMS	8,081	15	276	566	2,185	2,104	1,711	972	234	16	2	-
4500 GRAMS OR MORE	267	-	1	17	50	67	76	45	11	-	-	-
WEIGHT UNKNOWN	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
PACIFIC ISLANDER	2,409	2	37	128	702	630	541	290	76	3	-	-
UNDER 1500 GRAMS	31	-	4	1	5	3	11	7	-	-	-	-
1500-2499 GRAMS	112	-	1	6	28	37	25	12	3	-	-	-
2500-3499 GRAMS	1,134	2	18	63	350	296	241	126	37	1	-	-
3500-4499 GRAMS	1,052	-	14	56	299	274	243	131	33	2	-	-
4500 GRAMS OR MORE	80	-	-	2	20	20	21	14	3	-	-	-
WEIGHT UNKNOWN	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
WHITE/OTHER	163,126	59	1,912	6,047	28,184	39,439	48,849	30,087	7,936	529	80	4
UNDER 1500 GRAMS	1,695	-	31	66	282	366	465	344	122	17	2	-
1500-2499 GRAMS	8,245	4	124	314	1,292	1,729	2,351	1,765	555	79	31	1
2500-3499 GRAMS	80,771	34	1,086	3,291	14,561	19,404	23,788	14,422	3,888	259	36	2
3500-4499 GRAMS	69,333	20	657	2,298	11,582	17,170	21,277	12,943	3,212	163	10	1
4500 GRAMS OR MORE	3,081	1	14	78	467	770	967	613	159	11	1	-
WEIGHT UNKNOWN	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
UNKNOWN	5,749	2	100	262	943	1,319	1,653	1,067	308	58	11	26
UNDER 1500 GRAMS	121	-	1	7	19	18	37	26	8	3	-	2
1500-2499 GRAMS	397	-	11	21	57	64	104	76	48	14	2	-
2500-3499 GRAMS	3,006	1	61	144	514	716	858	529	142	29	7	5
3500-4499 GRAMS	2,136	1	27	90	344	506	626	411	109	10	2	10
4500 GRAMS OR MORE	78	-	-	-	8	15	28	24	1	2	-	-
WEIGHT UNKNOWN	11	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	9

- Represents zero events.

¹ The race/ethnic groups in this table provide a mutually exclusive list with Hispanic origin, 2 or more races, and single races. American Indian includes Eskimo and Aleut; Pacific Islander includes Hawaiian.

These groups are not comparable with race groups used in Vital Statistics of California reports prior to 2000. See Chapter 6.

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