

Table I-2

52-YEAR TRENDS IN U.S. CANCER DEATH RATES<sup>a</sup>

All Races, Males and Females

All Primary Cancer Sites Combined

Age Group	1950	1975	2001	Annual Percent Change		Total Percent Change
				1950-1975	1975-2001	1950-2001
0-4	11.1	5.2	2.5	-2.8	-2.9	-77.4
5-14	6.7	4.8	2.5	-1.0	-2.8	-63.2
15-24	8.6	6.6	4.2	-0.7	-1.7	-50.5
25-34	20.4	15.1	10.0	-1.2	-1.4	-50.9
35-44	63.6	53.3	36.7	-0.4	-1.4	-42.4
45-54	174.2	178.0	126.0	0.2	-1.4	-27.7
55-64	391.3	420.2	357.3	0.3	-0.6	-8.7
65-74	710.0	778.7	802.9	0.4	0.2	13.1
75-84	1,167.2	1,160.9	1,311.9	0.0	0.5	12.4
85+	1,450.7	1,437.9	1,747.9	-0.2	0.7	20.5
All Ages	195.4	199.1	195.6	0.1	-0.1	0.1

Lung and Bronchus Cancer<sup>b</sup>

Age Group	1950	1975	2001	Annual Percent Change		Total Percent Change
				1950-1975	1975-2001	1950-2001
0-4	-	-	-	-	-	-
5-14	-	-	-	-	-	-
15-24	0.2	0.1	-	-2.5	-1.0	-68.0
25-34	0.8	0.9	0.4	0.4	-1.8	-51.3
35-44	4.6	10.6	6.2	3.7	-2.4	35.1
45-54	20.2	48.8	30.6	3.6	-2.1	51.3
55-64	48.9	122.6	118.2	3.6	-0.1	141.9
65-74	59.4	196.2	280.2	4.5	1.3	371.5
75-84	55.4	192.3	372.3	5.3	2.4	572.2
85+	42.3	135.5	300.7	5.1	3.0	611.0
All Ages	14.9	42.8	55.4	4.2	0.9	270.5

Source: NCHS public use data file for the total US.

-     Statistic not shown. Rate based on less than 25 cases for the time interval. Trend based on less than 10 cases for at least one year within the time interval.

<sup>a</sup>     Rates are per 100,000 and are age-adjusted to the 2000 U.S. standard population by 5-year age groups.

<sup>b</sup>     Due to coding changes throughout the years, Lung and Bronchus includes trachea and pleura.

Table I-3

SUMMARY OF CHANGES IN CANCER INCIDENCE AND MORTALITY, 1950-2001 AND

5-YEAR RELATIVE SURVIVAL RATES, 1950-2000

Males and Females, By Primary Cancer Site

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