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MESOTHELIOMAS (Invasive)AGE-ADJUSTED SEER CANCER INCIDENCE RATES<sup>a</sup>, 1977-2000

By Race, Sex and Year of Diagnosis

Race/Sex	Year of Diagnosis											
	1977- 1978	1979- 1980	1981- 1982	1983- 1984	1985- 1986	1987- 1988	1989- 1990	1991- 1992	1993- 1994	1995- 1996	1997- 1998	1999- 2000
All Races												
Both Sexes	0.7	0.9	0.8	1.1	0.9	1.0	1.1	1.2	1.1	1.2	1.0	1.1
Males	1.2	1.7	1.4	2.0	1.7	1.8	2.2	2.3	2.1	2.1	2.0	2.1
0-54	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.1
55-64	2.8	3.3	3.6	3.9	4.3	3.0	3.9	4.5	3.2	3.7	3.4	3.5
65-74	5.5	8.9	6.2	8.7	7.9	9.2	11.4	10.0	10.2	10.2	9.8	9.4
75-84	6.3	9.9	8.7	15.2	11.4	12.9	14.2	17.6	16.4	17.3	14.4	18.2
85+	3.4	8.0	4.6	8.9	6.5	8.9	13.7	18.2	12.3	14.4	17.0	14.9
Females	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.4	0.4
0-54	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
55-64	0.7	1.1	0.7	0.9	1.1	0.5	1.0	0.8	1.2	0.9	0.3	0.6
65-74	0.8	1.6	1.4	1.5	1.9	1.1	1.7	1.3	1.4	1.6	1.7	1.2
75-84	1.3	0.9	1.9	3.0	2.3	2.3	2.0	2.8	2.7	2.7	2.2	2.4
85+	0.0	1.0	0.6	1.2	0.6	2.7	1.3	2.1	1.5	2.9	1.7	2.0
Whites												
Both Sexes	0.7	0.9	0.9	1.1	1.0	1.0	1.2	1.3	1.2	1.3	1.1	1.2
Males	1.3	1.8	1.5	2.1	1.8	1.9	2.3	2.5	2.3	2.3	2.1	2.3
Females	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.4	0.4
Blacks												
Both Sexes	0.2	0.5	0.3	0.6	0.7	0.6	0.7	0.7	0.9	0.6	0.8	0.6
Males	0.3	0.8	0.8	1.2	1.4	1.1	1.2	1.5	1.6	1.3	1.4	1.1
Females	0.2	0.2	0.0	0.2	0.2	0.4	0.4	0.2	0.4	0.2	0.4	0.2

<sup>a</sup> SEER 9 areas. Rates are per 100,000 and are age-adjusted to the 2000 U.S. standard by 5-year age groups.