

**Table 1295. Births, Deaths, and Life Expectancy, by Country or Area: 2008 and 2010**

[Covers countries with 12 million or more population in 2008]

| Country or area                | Crude birth rate <sup>1</sup> |             | Crude death rate <sup>2</sup> |             | Expectation of life at birth (years) |             | Infant mortality rate <sup>3</sup> |             | Total fertility rate per woman <sup>4</sup> |             |
|--------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------|-------------------------------|-------------|--------------------------------------|-------------|------------------------------------|-------------|---|-------------|
|                                | 2008                          | 2010, proj. | 2008                          | 2010, proj. | 2008                                 | 2010, proj. | 2008                               | 2010, proj. | 2008  | 2010, proj. |
| <b>United States</b> . . . . . | <b>14.2</b>                   | <b>14.2</b> | <b>8.3</b>                    | <b>8.3</b>  | <b>78.1</b>                          | <b>78.4</b> | <b>6.3</b>                         | <b>6.2</b>  | <b>2.10</b>                                 | <b>2.11</b> |
| Afghanistan                    | 45.8                          | 45.1        | 19.6                          | 18.8        | 44.2                                 | 45.1        | 154.7                              | 149.3       | 6.58  | 6.47        |
| Algeria                        | 17.0                          | 16.7        | 4.6                           | 4.7         | 73.8                                 | 74.3        | 28.8                               | 26.8        | 1.82  | 1.76        |
| Angola                         | 44.1                          | 43.3        | 24.4                          | 23.7        | 37.9                                 | 38.5        | 182.3                              | 178.1       | 6.20  | 6.05        |
| Argentina                      | 18.1                          | 17.8        | 7.4                           | 7.4         | 76.4                                 | 76.8        | 11.8                               | 11.1        | 2.37  | 2.33        |
| Australia                      | 12.6                          | 12.4        | 6.7                           | 6.8         | 81.5                                 | 81.7        | 4.8                                | 4.7         | 1.78  | 1.78        |
| Bangladesh                     | 28.9                          | 27.8        | 8.0                           | 7.7         | 63.2                                 | 63.9        | 57.5                               | 54.3        | 3.08  | 3.04        |
| Brazil                         | 18.7                          | 18.1        | 6.4                           | 6.4         | 71.7                                 | 72.3        | 23.3                               | 21.9        | 2.22  | 2.19        |
| Burkina Faso                   | 44.7                          | 44.0        | 13.6                          | 13.0        | 52.6                                 | 53.3        | 86.0                               | 83.0        | 6.34  | 6.21        |
| Burma                          | 17.2                          | 16.7        | 9.2                           | 9.1         | 62.9                                 | 63.8        | 49.1                               | 46.2        | 1.92  | 1.86        |
| Cambodia                       | 25.7                          | 25.8        | 8.2                           | 8.0         | 61.7                                 | 62.5        | 56.6                               | 53.0        | 3.08  | 3.00        |
| Cameroon                       | 34.6                          | 33.6        | 12.4                          | 12.0        | 53.3                                 | 54.0        | 64.6                               | 62.2        | 4.41  | 4.25        |
| Canada                         | 10.3                          | 10.3        | 7.6                           | 7.9         | 81.2                                 | 81.3        | 5.1                                | 5.0         | 1.57  | 1.58        |
| Chile                          | 14.8                          | 14.5        | 5.8                           | 5.9         | 77.2                                 | 77.5        | 7.9                                | 7.5         | 1.95  | 1.90        |
| China <sup>5</sup>             | 13.7                          | 14.3        | 7.0                           | 7.1         | 73.2                                 | 73.8        | 21.2                               | 19.4        | 1.77  | 1.80        |
| Colombia                       | 19.9                          | 19.3        | 5.5                           | 5.5         | 72.5                                 | 73.1        | 19.5                               | 18.3        | 2.49  | 2.44        |
| Congo (Kinshasa) <sup>6</sup>  | 43.0                          | 42.3        | 11.9                          | 11.4        | 54.0                                 | 54.7        | 83.1                               | 79.4        | 6.28  | 6.11        |
| Cote d'Ivoire                  | 32.7                          | 31.5        | 11.2                          | 10.4        | 54.6                                 | 56.2        | 69.8                               | 66.4        | 4.23  | 4.01        |
| Ecuador                        | 21.5                          | 20.8        | 4.2                           | 4.2         | 76.8                                 | 77.2        | 21.4                               | 19.9        | 2.59  | 2.50        |
| Egypt                          | 22.1                          | 21.3        | 5.1                           | 5.1         | 71.9                                 | 72.4        | 28.4                               | 26.2        | 2.72  | 2.61        |
| Ethiopia                       | 44.0                          | 43.3        | 11.8                          | 11.3        | 55.0                                 | 55.8        | 82.6                               | 79.0        | 6.17  | 6.07        |
| France                         | 12.7                          | 12.4        | 8.5                           | 8.7         | 80.9                                 | 81.1        | 3.4                                | 3.3         | 1.98  | 1.97        |
| Germany                        | 8.2                           | 8.2         | 10.8                          | 11.0        | 79.1                                 | 79.4        | 4.0                                | 4.0         | 1.41  | 1.42        |
| Ghana                          | 29.2                          | 27.9        | 9.4                           | 9.1         | 59.5                                 | 60.2        | 52.3                               | 49.9        | 3.78  | 3.57        |
| Guatemala                      | 28.6                          | 27.4        | 5.2                           | 5.0         | 70.0                                 | 70.6        | 28.8                               | 26.9        | 3.59  | 3.36        |
| India                          | 22.2                          | 21.3        | 6.4                           | 6.1         | 69.3                                 | 70.5        | 32.3                               | 28.1        | 2.76  | 2.67        |
| Indonesia                      | 19.2                          | 18.5        | 6.2                           | 6.3         | 70.5                                 | 71.1        | 31.0                               | 28.9        | 2.34  | 2.28        |
| Iran                           | 16.9                          | 17.3        | 5.7                           | 5.8         | 70.9                                 | 71.4        | 36.9                               | 34.7        | 1.71  | 1.70        |
| Iraq                           | 30.8                          | 29.4        | 5.1                           | 4.9         | 69.6                                 | 70.3        | 45.4                               | 42.2        | 3.97  | 3.76        |
| Italy                          | 8.4                           | 8.0         | 10.6                          | 10.8        | 80.1                                 | 80.3        | 5.6                                | 5.4         | 1.30  | 1.32        |
| Japan                          | 7.9                           | 7.4         | 9.3                           | 9.8         | 82.1                                 | 82.2        | 2.8                                | 2.8         | 1.22  | 1.20        |
| Kazakhstan                     | 16.4                          | 16.7        | 9.4                           | 9.4         | 67.6                                 | 68.2        | 26.6                               | 24.9        | 1.88  | 1.87        |
| Kenya                          | 37.9                          | 35.1        | 10.3                          | 9.3         | 56.6                                 | 58.8        | 56.0                               | 53.5        | 4.70  | 4.38        |
| Korea, North                   | 14.6                          | 13.8        | 7.3                           | 7.5         | 72.2                                 | 72.7        | 21.9                               | 20.5        | 2.00  | 1.90        |
| Korea, South                   | 9.1                           | 8.7         | 5.7                           | 6.2         | 78.6                                 | 78.8        | 4.3                                | 4.2         | 1.20  | 1.22        |
| Madagascar                     | 38.4                          | 37.9        | 8.3                           | 8.0         | 62.5                                 | 63.3        | 55.6                               | 52.8        | 5.19  | 5.09        |
| Malawi                         | 41.8                          | 41.2        | 17.9                          | 17.4        | 43.5                                 | 44.1        | 90.6                               | 87.6        | 5.67  | 5.51        |
| Malaysia                       | 22.4                          | 22.1        | 5.0                           | 5.0         | 73.0                                 | 73.6        | 16.4                               | 15.4        | 2.98  | 2.92        |
| Mali                           | 49.4                          | 48.9        | 16.2                          | 15.5        | 49.9                                 | 50.8        | 103.8                              | 100.3       | 7.34  | 7.25        |
| Mexico                         | 20.0                          | 19.4        | 4.8                           | 4.8         | 75.8                                 | 76.3        | 19.0                               | 17.8        | 2.37  | 2.31        |
| Morocco                        | 21.3                          | 20.6        | 5.5                           | 5.4         | 71.5                                 | 72.1        | 38.2                               | 35.6        | 2.57  | 2.46        |
| Mozambique                     | 38.2                          | 37.8        | 20.3                          | 19.8        | 41.0                                 | 41.4        | 107.8                              | 103.8       | 5.24  | 5.13        |
| Nepal                          | 29.9                          | 28.8        | 9.0                           | 8.7         | 60.9                                 | 61.7        | 62.0                               | 58.7        | 3.91  | 3.73        |
| Netherlands                    | 10.5                          | 10.3        | 8.7                           | 8.8         | 79.3                                 | 79.6        | 4.8                                | 4.7         | 1.66  | 1.66        |
| Niger                          | 49.6                          | 48.6        | 20.3                          | 19.6        | 44.3                                 | 44.8        | 115.4                              | 112.6       | 7.29  | 7.11        |
| Nigeria                        | 37.2                          | 36.1        | 16.9                          | 16.3        | 46.5                                 | 47.2        | 95.7                               | 93.0        | 5.01  | 4.82        |
| Pakistan                       | 28.4                          | 26.9        | 7.9                           | 7.5         | 64.1                                 | 64.9        | 66.9                               | 63.4        | 3.73  | 3.46        |
| Peru                           | 19.8                          | 19.0        | 6.2                           | 6.1         | 70.4                                 | 71.0        | 29.5                               | 27.7        | 2.42  | 2.32        |
| Philippines                    | 26.4                          | 25.7        | 5.2                           | 5.1         | 70.8                                 | 71.4        | 21.2                               | 19.9        | 3.32  | 3.23        |
| Poland                         | 10.0                          | 10.0        | 10.0                          | 10.1        | 75.4                                 | 75.9        | 6.9                                | 6.7         | 1.27  | 1.29        |
| Romania                        | 10.6                          | 10.4        | 11.8                          | 11.9        | 72.2                                 | 72.7        | 23.7                               | 22.1        | 1.38  | 1.40        |
| Russia                         | 11.0                          | 11.1        | 16.1                          | 16.0        | 65.9                                 | 66.2        | 10.8                               | 10.3        | 1.40  | 1.41        |
| Saudi Arabia                   | 28.9                          | 28.2        | 2.5                           | 2.5         | 76.1                                 | 76.5        | 11.9                               | 11.2        | 3.89  | 3.77        |
| Senegal                        | 36.5                          | 34.7        | 10.7                          | 10.3        | 57.1                                 | 57.9        | 58.9                               | 56.6        | 4.86  | 4.60        |
| South Africa                   | 20.2                          | 19.6        | 16.9                          | 17.0        | 48.9                                 | 49.2        | 45.1                               | 43.8        | 2.43  | 2.33        |
| Spain                          | 9.9                           | 9.5         | 9.9                           | 10.1        | 79.9                                 | 80.2        | 4.3                                | 4.2         | 1.30  | 1.32        |
| Sri Lanka                      | 16.6                          | 15.9        | 6.1                           | 6.2         | 75.0                                 | 75.3        | 19.0                               | 18.1        | 2.02  | 1.96        |
| Sudan                          | 34.3                          | 33.3        | 13.6                          | 12.3        | 50.3                                 | 52.5        | 87.0                               | 78.1        | 4.58  | 4.37        |
| Syria                          | 26.6                          | 25.2        | 4.7                           | 4.6         | 70.9                                 | 71.5        | 26.8                               | 25.0        | 3.21  | 3.02        |
| Taiwan <sup>5</sup>            | 9.0                           | 9.0         | 6.7                           | 6.9         | 77.8                                 | 78.2        | 5.5                                | 5.3         | 1.13  | 1.15        |
| Tanzania                       | 35.1                          | 33.4        | 12.9                          | 12.3        | 51.5                                 | 52.5        | 70.5                               | 68.1        | 4.62  | 4.31        |
| Thailand                       | 13.6                          | 13.2        | 7.2                           | 7.3         | 72.8                                 | 73.4        | 18.2                               | 17.1        | 1.64  | 1.65        |
| Turkey                         | 16.2                          | 15.6        | 6.0                           | 6.1         | 73.1                                 | 73.7        | 37.0                               | 34.3        | 1.87  | 1.82        |
| Uganda                         | 48.2                          | 47.6        | 12.3                          | 11.9        | 52.3                                 | 53.0        | 66.0                               | 63.7        | 6.81  | 6.73        |
| Ukraine                        | 9.6                           | 9.6         | 15.9                          | 15.7        | 68.1                                 | 68.5        | 9.2                                | 8.7         | 1.25  | 1.27        |
| United Kingdom                 | 10.7                          | 10.7        | 10.1                          | 10.0        | 78.9                                 | 79.2        | 4.9                                | 4.8         | 1.66  | 1.66        |
| Uzbekistan                     | 18.0                          | 17.5        | 5.3                           | 5.3         | 71.7                                 | 72.2        | 24.2                               | 22.7        | 2.01  | 1.92        |
| Venezuela                      | 20.9                          | 20.3        | 5.1                           | 5.1         | 73.5                                 | 73.8        | 22.0                               | 21.1        | 2.52  | 2.45        |
| Vietnam                        | 16.5                          | 16.1        | 6.2                           | 6.2         | 71.3                                 | 71.9        | 23.6                               | 22.2        | 1.86  | 1.80        |
| Yemen                          | 42.4                          | 41.8        | 7.8                           | 7.4         | 62.9                                 | 63.6        | 56.3                               | 53.2        | 6.41  | 6.23        |

<sup>1</sup> Number of births during 1 year per 1,000 persons (based on midyear population). <sup>2</sup> Number of deaths during 1 year per 1,000 persons (based on midyear population). <sup>3</sup> Number of deaths of children under 1 year of age per 1,000 live births in a calendar year. <sup>4</sup> Average number of children that would be born if all women lived to the end of their childbearing years and, at each year of age, they experienced the birth rates occurring in the specified year. <sup>5</sup> See footnote 2, Table 1288. <sup>6</sup> See footnote 3, Table 1288.

<sup>7</sup> France now includes the overseas departments of French Guiana, Guadeloupe, Martinique, and Reunion. Saint Barthelemy and Saint Martin voted to become French overseas collectivities apart from Guadeloupe and are now listed individually.