

**Table 1. Provisional number of live births and deaths: Each division and State, January 1997–99**

[Data are estimates by State of residence]

Area	Live births			Deaths		
	January			January		
	1999	1998	1997	1999	1998	1997
New England	13,553	18,088	18,759	11,885	11,718	10,385
Maine	1,076	1,237	1,118	1,132	669	916
New Hampshire	1,133	998	1,399	921	777	1,043
Vermont	520	372	530	451	321	532
Massachusetts	6,357	11,856	12,092	5,410	6,806	4,440
Rhode Island	1,048	877	829	980	931	990
Connecticut	3,419	2,748	2,791	2,991	2,214	2,464
Middle Atlantic	41,542	29,015	37,158	37,542	29,687	37,987
New York	20,885	11,353	18,701	16,714	10,308	18,561
New Jersey	9,122	5,846	6,376	7,915	6,633	6,835
Pennsylvania	11,535	11,816	12,081	12,913	12,746	12,591
East North Central	49,506	48,184	44,770	38,677	36,422	37,721
Ohio	12,099	12,182	10,158	10,295	10,438	10,673
Indiana	6,775	6,449	4,286	5,303	4,251	3,888
Illinois	14,619	13,588	13,116	10,569	9,751	9,527
Michigan	10,686	10,569	11,391	8,081	7,794	8,761
Wisconsin	5,327	5,396	5,819	4,429	4,188	4,872
West North Central	20,440	21,591	21,576	16,154	17,064	17,876
Minnesota	4,998	5,186	5,348	3,612	3,827	3,999
Iowa	2,962	2,853	3,218	2,645	2,715	2,630
Missouri	6,041	6,237	6,886	5,045	5,200	5,241
North Dakota	617	707	680	564	506	711
South Dakota	796	808	874	648	607	846
Nebraska	1,848	2,285	1,625	1,437	1,694	1,555
Kansas	3,178	3,515	2,945	2,203	2,515	2,894
South Atlantic	56,795	59,446	57,262	43,367	43,879	43,701
Delaware	851	846	815	625	633	605
Maryland	5,839	6,868	6,780	3,910	2,586	2,657
District of Columbia	681	711	686	586	580	608
Virginia	7,449	8,464	5,225	5,148	5,311	4,878
West Virginia	1,658	2,956	1,283	1,934	2,070	2,026
North Carolina	9,331	8,479	9,660	6,319	5,741	6,970
South Carolina	4,386	4,989	4,990	3,430	2,803	2,667
Georgia	10,309	10,087	11,175	5,930	6,162	6,141
Florida	16,291	16,046	16,648	15,485	17,993	17,149
East South Central	19,246	16,651	18,158	15,205	16,393	16,190
Kentucky	4,334	4,647	4,657	3,654	3,922	4,319
Tennessee	6,301	4,069	5,816	4,923	5,015	5,124
Alabama	5,085	5,857	5,319	4,137	4,775	4,285
Mississippi	3,526	2,078	2,366	2,491	2,681	2,462
West South Central	44,363	45,767	28,109	25,094	28,523	14,533
Arkansas	3,026	3,121	2,716	2,716	2,261	2,298
Louisiana	5,633	6,910	5,918	3,794	3,830	3,428
Oklahoma	3,997	3,399	2,907	3,280	3,208	2,989
Texas <sup>1</sup>	31,707	32,337	16,568	15,304	19,224	5,818
Mountain	22,343	15,624	20,099	12,021	10,973	10,999
Montana	805	654	645	695	704	686
Idaho	1,536	1,555	1,540	797	880	984
Wyoming	467	364	395	368	341	327
Colorado	4,827	4,645	4,714	2,374	2,621	2,410
New Mexico	2,304	2,241	1,851	1,262	1,476	1,697
Arizona	6,615	1,397	4,917	3,971	2,610	2,460
Utah	3,506	2,545	3,581	1,093	996	1,190
Nevada	2,283	2,223	2,456	1,461	1,345	1,245
Pacific	54,474	58,120	58,367	31,492	30,244	28,709
Washington	6,450	6,755	6,549	3,909	3,527	4,265
Oregon	3,462	4,860	4,793	2,613	3,092	3,485
California <sup>1</sup>	42,257	44,364	45,081	23,969	22,780	20,098
Alaska	779	845	685	216	174	159
Hawaii	1,526	1,296	1,259	785	671	702
Puerto Rico	4,873	5,480	7,581	2,519	2,046	2,098

<sup>1</sup>Figures include adjustments for varying lengths of reporting periods.

NOTES: Figures include all revisions received from the States. Cumulative figures for the current year reflect revisions received for previous months, and figures for earlier years may differ from those previously published.

SOURCE: Provisional data from the National Vital Statistics System. Data are subject to monthly reporting variation. For discussion of the nature, sources, and limitations of the data, see Technical notes of the associated monthly report at <http://www.cdc.gov/nchs/products/pubs/pubd/nvsr/48/48-pre.htm>