

**Table 82. Live Births by State and Island Areas: 2007**

[Number of births, except rate. By place of residence. Registered births. Excludes births to nonresidents of the United States. By race and Hispanic origin of mother. Preliminary data for 2007 are based on 98.7% of births for that year. For 47 of the 50 states and the District of Columbia, over 99 percent of births are included; for Louisiana, over 90 percent are included. The percent completeness for two states, Georgia and Michigan were 86.4 and 80.2, respectively. See Appendix III]

State and island area	Race and Hispanic origin						Birth rate <sup>3</sup>	Fertility rate <sup>4</sup>
	All races <sup>1</sup>	Non-Hispanic white	Non-Hispanic black	Asian or Pacific Islander	American Indian, Eskimo, Aleut	Hispanic <sup>2</sup>		
<b>United States . . . . .</b>	<b>4,317,119</b>	<b>2,312,473</b>	<b>627,230</b>	<b>254,734</b>	<b>49,284</b>	<b>1,061,970</b>	<b>14.3</b>	<b>69.5</b>
Alabama . . . . .	64,749	38,464	19,740	942	189	5,391	14.0	68.7
Alaska . . . . .	11,101	6,291	409	835	2,836	825	16.2	77.5
Arizona . . . . .	102,992	42,521	3,914	3,597	6,700	46,373	16.2	81.1
Arkansas . . . . .	41,377	27,720	8,080	721	261	4,515	14.6	73.1
California . . . . .	566,352	155,930	31,777	74,292	3,626	296,942	15.5	72.5
Colorado . . . . .	70,805	41,853	3,122	2,493	755	22,221	14.6	69.8
Connecticut . . . . .	41,663	24,897	5,183	2,441	238	8,832	11.9	59.5
Delaware . . . . .	12,171	6,494	3,215	530	16	1,912	14.1	68.4
District of Columbia . . . . .	8,862	2,227	4,936	259	2	1,450	15.1	60.0
Florida . . . . .	239,143	107,843	51,835	7,988	805	70,833	13.1	68.4
Georgia . . . . .	152,021	70,735	49,278	5,696	437	24,319	15.9	73.7
Hawaii . . . . .	19,137	4,557	426	12,958	77	3,007	14.9	76.0
Idaho . . . . .	25,019	20,190	139	416	451	3,870	16.7	83.4
Illinois . . . . .	180,856	95,508	31,655	9,212	262	44,151	14.1	67.4
Indiana . . . . .	89,847	68,907	10,229	1,693	118	8,805	14.2	69.7
Iowa . . . . .	40,885	34,521	1,804	1,021	315	3,355	13.7	70.1
Kansas . . . . .	42,004	30,512	3,059	1,367	376	6,689	15.1	75.6
Kentucky . . . . .	59,370	49,842	5,418	1,018	114	3,092	14.0	68.6
Louisiana . . . . .	66,260	36,172	25,343	1,160	476	3,188	15.4	73.3
Maine . . . . .	14,120	13,186	325	223	125	209	10.7	55.6
Maryland . . . . .	78,096	36,128	26,198	5,484	151	10,608	13.9	65.6
Massachusetts . . . . .	77,962	53,274	7,262	6,013	185	10,900	12.1	57.4
Michigan . . . . .	125,394	85,528	22,343	4,337	765	8,441	12.4	61.5
Minnesota . . . . .	73,745	53,856	6,615	5,412	1,673	5,939	14.2	69.7
Mississippi . . . . .	46,501	23,068	20,894	475	309	1,708	15.9	76.9
Missouri . . . . .	81,928	62,211	12,610	1,978	435	4,667	13.9	68.8
Montana . . . . .	12,444	9,623	62	145	1,599	372	13.0	68.6
Nebraska . . . . .	26,923	20,008	1,794	754	618	4,068	15.2	76.2
Nevada . . . . .	41,202	16,959	3,615	3,544	576	16,144	16.1	79.6
New Hampshire . . . . .	14,169	12,620	203	540	54	593	10.8	53.8
New Jersey . . . . .	116,060	56,139	17,863	11,944	188	30,027	13.4	66.1
New Mexico . . . . .	30,555	8,662	522	1,330	3,835	17,007	15.5	76.4
New York . . . . .	253,458	125,632	42,738	24,084	629	60,134	13.1	62.1
North Carolina . . . . .	131,016	72,416	30,635	3,988	1,772	22,113	14.5	69.6
North Dakota . . . . .	8,840	7,277	129	110	1,012	278	13.8	69.8
Ohio . . . . .	150,882	115,583	24,222	3,291	320	6,611	13.2	65.5
Oklahoma . . . . .	55,078	35,334	4,914	1,259	6,517	7,173	15.2	76.0
Oregon . . . . .	49,372	34,256	1,145	2,712	955	10,133	13.2	66.1
Pennsylvania . . . . .	150,731	107,818	21,281	6,260	407	13,793	12.1	61.9
Rhode Island . . . . .	12,375	5,999	1,045	536	159	2,588	11.7	55.8
South Carolina . . . . .	62,891	34,411	20,489	1,159	274	6,215	14.3	69.9
South Dakota . . . . .	12,259	9,351	212	149	2,158	471	15.4	80.0
Tennessee . . . . .	86,707	58,588	17,768	2,003	387	8,383	14.1	68.8
Texas . . . . .	407,640	140,272	46,397	16,032	1,064	204,498	17.1	80.1
Utah . . . . .	55,131	42,844	539	1,761	768	9,042	20.8	94.4
Vermont . . . . .	6,513	6,178	95	91	14	78	10.5	53.2
Virginia . . . . .	108,874	62,155	23,842	8,021	176	14,966	14.1	67.0
Washington . . . . .	88,958	56,299	3,812	9,303	2,492	16,881	13.8	66.9
West Virginia . . . . .	21,992	20,700	778	181	23	253	12.1	63.1
Wisconsin . . . . .	72,796	54,549	7,240	2,895	1,255	6,934	13.0	65.0
Wyoming . . . . .	7,893	6,361	79	79	333	969	15.1	77.7
Puerto Rico . . . . .	46,636	1,381	115	(NA)	(NA)	45,123	11.8	55.2
Virgin Islands . . . . .	1,674	125	1,139	—	82	270	15.2	74.0
Guam . . . . .	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
American Samoa . . . . .	1,288	(NA)	(NA)	1,288	—	(NA)	20.1	90.5
Northern Marianas . . . . .	1,345	(NA)	(NA)	1,327	—	(NA)	15.9	38.8

— Represents or rounds to zero. NA Not available. <sup>1</sup> Includes persons of other groups not shown separately. <sup>2</sup> Persons of Hispanic origin may be any race. <sup>3</sup> Per 1,000 estimated population. <sup>4</sup> Number of births per 1,000 women age 15 to 44 years.

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