

Table 1-29. Live Births by Plurality, by Race and Hispanic Origin of Mother: United States and Each State, 2001

(Refers only to individual live births in twin or other higher order deliveries, not to sets of multiple births)

| State and plurality | Total | Race and Hispanic origin of mother | | | | | | |
|-------------------------------------------------------------|-----------|------------------------------------|---------|---------------------|------------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| | | Race | | | | Hispanic Origin(1) | | |
| | | White | Black | American Indian (2) | Asian/Pacific Islander | Hispanic | Non-Hispanic white | Non-Hispanic black |
| United States | | | | | | | | |
| All live births | 4,025,933 | 3,177,626 | 606,156 | 41,872 | 200,279 | 851,851 | 2,326,578 | 589,917 |
| Live births in single deliveries | 3,897,216 | 3,075,683 | 585,189 | 40,906 | 195,438 | 833,884 | 2,242,802 | 569,412 |
| Live births in twin deliveries | 121,246 | 95,315 | 20,414 | 934 | 4,583 | 17,257 | 77,882 | 19,974 |
| Live births in triplet and higher-order multiple deliveries | 7,471 | 6,628 | 553 | 32 | 258 | 710 | 5,894 | 531 |
| Alabama | | | | | | | | |
| All live births | 60,454 | 40,604 | 19,199 | 182 | 469 | 2,254 | 38,342 | 19,183 |
| Live births in single deliveries | 58,395 | 39,288 | 18,467 | 180 | 460 | 2,214 | 37,068 | 18,451 |
| Live births in twin deliveries | 1,924 | 1,213 | 702 | 2 | 7 | 37 | 1,174 | 702 |
| Live births in triplet and higher-order multiple deliveries | 135 | 103 | 30 | - | 2 | 3 | 100 | 30 |
| Alaska | | | | | | | | |
| All live births | 10,003 | 6,383 | 441 | 2,542 | 637 | 652 | 5,567 | 388 |
| Live births in single deliveries | 9,705 | 6,199 | 421 | 2,462 | 623 | 643 | 5,401 | 370 |
| Live births in twin deliveries | 294 | 181 | 20 | 79 | 14 | 9 | 163 | 18 |
| Live births in triplet and higher-order multiple deliveries | 4 | 3 | - | 1 | - | - | 3 | - |
| Arizona | | | | | | | | |
| All live births | 85,597 | 75,219 | 2,762 | 5,498 | 2,118 | 36,183 | 38,878 | 2,560 |
| Live births in single deliveries | 83,318 | 73,188 | 2,630 | 5,418 | 2,082 | 35,425 | 37,606 | 2,430 |
| Live births in twin deliveries | 2,129 | 1,890 | 129 | 77 | 33 | 728 | 1,161 | 127 |
| Live births in triplet and higher-order multiple deliveries | 150 | 141 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 30 | 111 | 3 |
| Arkansas | | | | | | | | |
| All live births | 37,010 | 28,836 | 7,435 | 244 | 495 | 2,649 | 26,082 | 7,422 |
| Live births in single deliveries | 35,892 | 28,008 | 7,165 | 233 | 486 | 2,587 | 25,316 | 7,152 |
| Live births in twin deliveries | 1,080 | 796 | 267 | 11 | 6 | 62 | 734 | 267 |
| Live births in triplet and higher-order multiple deliveries | 38 | 32 | 3 | - | 3 | - | 32 | 3 |
| California | | | | | | | | |
| All live births | 527,759 | 428,238 | 33,774 | 2,926 | 62,821 | 261,071 | 167,025 | 32,551 |
| Live births in single deliveries | 512,618 | 416,091 | 32,453 | 2,851 | 61,223 | 255,748 | 160,268 | 31,278 |
| Live births in twin deliveries | 14,460 | 11,593 | 1,293 | 72 | 1,502 | 5,148 | 6,390 | 1,245 |
| Live births in triplet and higher-order multiple deliveries | 681 | 554 | 28 | 3 | 96 | 175 | 367 | 28 |

Table 1-29. Live Births by Plurality, by Race and Hispanic Origin of Mother: United States and Each State, 2001

(Refers only to individual live births in twin or other higher order deliveries, not to sets of multiple births)

| State and plurality | Total | Race and Hispanic origin of mother | | | | | | |
|-------------------------------------------------------------|---------|------------------------------------|--------|---------------------|------------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| | | Race | | | | Hispanic Origin(1) | | |
| | | White | Black | American Indian (2) | Asian/Pacific Islander | Hispanic | Non-Hispanic white | Non-Hispanic black |
| Colorado | | | | | | | | |
| All live births | 67,007 | 61,056 | 2,971 | 651 | 2,329 | 19,730 | 41,764 | 2,830 |
| Live births in single deliveries | 64,976 | 59,207 | 2,872 | 628 | 2,269 | 19,322 | 40,319 | 2,731 |
| Live births in twin deliveries | 1,906 | 1,731 | 96 | 22 | 57 | 396 | 1,339 | 96 |
| Live births in triplet and higher-order multiple deliveries | 125 | 118 | 3 | 1 | 3 | 12 | 106 | 3 |
| Connecticut | | | | | | | | |
| All live births | 42,648 | 35,612 | 5,134 | 164 | 1,738 | 6,913 | 28,434 | 4,929 |
| Live births in single deliveries | 40,895 | 34,083 | 4,968 | 155 | 1,689 | 6,738 | 27,093 | 4,765 |
| Live births in twin deliveries | 1,639 | 1,424 | 163 | 6 | 46 | 166 | 1,245 | 161 |
| Live births in triplet and higher-order multiple deliveries | 114 | 105 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 9 | 96 | 3 |
| Delaware | | | | | | | | |
| All live births | 10,749 | 7,668 | 2,710 | 26 | 345 | 1,083 | 6,598 | 2,684 |
| Live births in single deliveries | 10,357 | 7,402 | 2,603 | 26 | 326 | 1,067 | 6,348 | 2,577 |
| Live births in twin deliveries | 372 | 260 | 96 | - | 16 | 16 | 244 | 96 |
| Live births in triplet and higher-order multiple deliveries | 20 | 6 | 11 | - | 3 | - | 6 | 11 |
| District of Columbia | | | | | | | | |
| All live births | 7,625 | 2,570 | 4,860 | 9 | 186 | 895 | 1,687 | 4,805 |
| Live births in single deliveries | 7,342 | 2,484 | 4,671 | 9 | 178 | 887 | 1,609 | 4,616 |
| Live births in twin deliveries | 280 | 86 | 186 | - | 8 | 8 | 78 | 186 |
| Live births in triplet and higher-order multiple deliveries | 3 | - | 3 | - | - | - | - | 3 |
| Florida | | | | | | | | |
| All live births | 205,793 | 152,207 | 47,186 | 1,230 | 5,170 | 49,629 | 104,068 | 45,954 |
| Live births in single deliveries | 199,564 | 147,622 | 45,690 | 1,199 | 5,053 | 48,486 | 100,582 | 44,497 |
| Live births in twin deliveries | 5,868 | 4,282 | 1,457 | 31 | 98 | 1,083 | 3,243 | 1,418 |
| Live births in triplet and higher-order multiple deliveries | 361 | 303 | 39 | - | 19 | 60 | 243 | 39 |
| Georgia | | | | | | | | |
| All live births | 133,526 | 85,648 | 43,727 | 275 | 3,876 | 15,699 | 69,306 | 43,076 |
| Live births in single deliveries | 129,385 | 83,110 | 42,218 | 269 | 3,788 | 15,441 | 67,054 | 41,585 |
| Live births in twin deliveries | 3,907 | 2,351 | 1,468 | 6 | 82 | 246 | 2,083 | 1,453 |
| Live births in triplet and higher-order multiple deliveries | 234 | 187 | 41 | - | 6 | 12 | 169 | 38 |

Table 1-29. Live Births by Plurality, by Race and Hispanic Origin of Mother: United States and Each State, 2001

(Refers only to individual live births in twin or other higher order deliveries, not to sets of multiple births)

| State and plurality | Total | Race and Hispanic origin of mother | | | | | | |
|-------------------------------------------------------------|---------|------------------------------------|--------|---------------------|------------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| | | Race | | | | Hispanic Origin(1) | | |
| | | White | Black | American Indian (2) | Asian/Pacific Islander | Hispanic | Non-Hispanic white | Non-Hispanic black |
| Hawaii | | | | | | | | |
| All live births | 17,072 | 3,815 | 527 | 183 | 12,547 | 2,237 | 3,119 | 495 |
| Live births in single deliveries | 16,611 | 3,704 | 505 | 175 | 12,227 | 2,191 | 3,010 | 477 |
| Live births in twin deliveries | 448 | 107 | 22 | 8 | 311 | 46 | 105 | 18 |
| Live births in triplet and higher-order multiple deliveries | 13 | 4 | - | - | 9 | - | 4 | - |
| Idaho | | | | | | | | |
| All live births | 20,688 | 19,944 | 86 | 360 | 298 | 2,753 | 16,855 | 78 |
| Live births in single deliveries | 20,130 | 19,400 | 82 | 352 | 296 | 2,690 | 16,381 | 74 |
| Live births in twin deliveries | 511 | 500 | 4 | 5 | 2 | 54 | 439 | 4 |
| Live births in triplet and higher-order multiple deliveries | 47 | 44 | - | 3 | - | 9 | 35 | - |
| Illinois | | | | | | | | |
| All live births | 184,064 | 142,474 | 33,203 | 261 | 8,126 | 40,973 | 101,660 | 32,995 |
| Live births in single deliveries | 177,476 | 137,284 | 32,056 | 255 | 7,881 | 40,090 | 97,351 | 31,852 |
| Live births in twin deliveries | 6,092 | 4,717 | 1,137 | 6 | 232 | 822 | 3,897 | 1,133 |
| Live births in triplet and higher-order multiple deliveries | 496 | 473 | 10 | - | 13 | 61 | 412 | 10 |
| Indiana | | | | | | | | |
| All live births | 86,459 | 75,393 | 9,649 | 168 | 1,249 | 5,898 | 69,242 | 9,575 |
| Live births in single deliveries | 83,683 | 73,024 | 9,273 | 162 | 1,224 | 5,779 | 67,003 | 9,201 |
| Live births in twin deliveries | 2,532 | 2,141 | 363 | 6 | 22 | 113 | 2,017 | 361 |
| Live births in triplet and higher-order multiple deliveries | 244 | 228 | 13 | - | 3 | 6 | 222 | 13 |
| Iowa | | | | | | | | |
| All live births | 37,619 | 35,324 | 1,266 | 232 | 797 | 2,232 | 33,068 | 1,237 |
| Live births in single deliveries | 36,364 | 34,139 | 1,227 | 227 | 771 | 2,186 | 31,930 | 1,198 |
| Live births in twin deliveries | 1,181 | 1,111 | 39 | 5 | 26 | 46 | 1,064 | 39 |
| Live births in triplet and higher-order multiple deliveries | 74 | 74 | - | - | - | - | 74 | - |
| Kansas | | | | | | | | |
| All live births | 38,869 | 34,622 | 2,781 | 458 | 1,008 | 4,906 | 29,363 | 2,747 |
| Live births in single deliveries | 37,676 | 33,559 | 2,684 | 442 | 991 | 4,823 | 28,391 | 2,651 |
| Live births in twin deliveries | 1,127 | 997 | 97 | 16 | 17 | 76 | 914 | 96 |
| Live births in triplet and higher-order multiple deliveries | 66 | 66 | - | - | - | 7 | 58 | - |

Table 1-29. Live Births by Plurality, by Race and Hispanic Origin of Mother: United States and Each State, 2001

(Refers only to individual live births in twin or other higher order deliveries, not to sets of multiple births)

| State and plurality | Total | Race and Hispanic origin of mother | | | | | | |
|-------------------------------------------------------------|---------|------------------------------------|--------|---------------------|------------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| | | Race | | | | Hispanic Origin(1) | | |
| | | White | Black | American Indian (2) | Asian/Pacific Islander | Hispanic | Non-Hispanic white | Non-Hispanic black |
| Kentucky | | | | | | | | |
| All live births | 54,658 | 48,968 | 4,930 | 102 | 658 | 1,509 | 47,485 | 4,905 |
| Live births in single deliveries | 52,930 | 47,446 | 4,752 | 100 | 632 | 1,478 | 45,991 | 4,729 |
| Live births in twin deliveries | 1,621 | 1,427 | 172 | 2 | 20 | 28 | 1,402 | 170 |
| Live births in triplet and higher-order multiple deliveries | 107 | 95 | 6 | - | 6 | 3 | 92 | 6 |
| Louisiana | | | | | | | | |
| All live births | 65,352 | 36,899 | 27,058 | 380 | 1,015 | 1,557 | 35,383 | 27,010 |
| Live births in single deliveries | 63,217 | 35,670 | 26,187 | 368 | 992 | 1,530 | 34,181 | 26,143 |
| Live births in twin deliveries | 2,023 | 1,135 | 856 | 12 | 20 | 27 | 1,108 | 852 |
| Live births in triplet and higher-order multiple deliveries | 112 | 94 | 15 | - | 3 | - | 94 | 15 |
| Maine | | | | | | | | |
| All live births | 13,759 | 13,280 | 153 | 110 | 216 | 173 | 13,074 | 142 |
| Live births in single deliveries | 13,311 | 12,851 | 144 | 108 | 208 | 173 | 12,646 | 133 |
| Live births in twin deliveries | 420 | 404 | 6 | 2 | 8 | - | 403 | 6 |
| Live births in triplet and higher-order multiple deliveries | 28 | 25 | 3 | - | - | - | 25 | 3 |
| Maryland | | | | | | | | |
| All live births | 73,218 | 45,068 | 24,252 | 212 | 3,686 | 5,301 | 39,798 | 24,046 |
| Live births in single deliveries | 70,432 | 43,229 | 23,402 | 210 | 3,591 | 5,179 | 38,090 | 23,200 |
| Live births in twin deliveries | 2,593 | 1,675 | 824 | 2 | 92 | 117 | 1,552 | 820 |
| Live births in triplet and higher-order multiple deliveries | 193 | 164 | 26 | - | 3 | 5 | 156 | 26 |
| Massachusetts | | | | | | | | |
| All live births | 81,077 | 67,786 | 8,205 | 144 | 4,942 | 9,444 | 59,405 | 6,552 |
| Live births in single deliveries | 77,467 | 64,630 | 7,866 | 142 | 4,829 | 9,207 | 56,469 | 6,268 |
| Live births in twin deliveries | 3,376 | 2,937 | 330 | 2 | 107 | 225 | 2,729 | 281 |
| Live births in triplet and higher-order multiple deliveries | 234 | 219 | 9 | - | 6 | 12 | 207 | 3 |
| Michigan | | | | | | | | |
| All live births | 133,427 | 105,235 | 23,613 | 641 | 3,938 | 7,335 | 96,346 | 23,399 |
| Live births in single deliveries | 128,634 | 101,452 | 22,718 | 618 | 3,846 | 7,157 | 92,787 | 22,508 |
| Live births in twin deliveries | 4,439 | 3,468 | 864 | 20 | 87 | 170 | 3,252 | 860 |
| Live births in triplet and higher-order multiple deliveries | 354 | 315 | 31 | 3 | 5 | 8 | 307 | 31 |

Table 1-29. Live Births by Plurality, by Race and Hispanic Origin of Mother: United States and Each State, 2001

(Refers only to individual live births in twin or other higher order deliveries, not to sets of multiple births)

| State and plurality | Total | Race and Hispanic origin of mother | | | | | | |
|-------------------------------------------------------------|--------|------------------------------------|--------|---------------------|------------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| | | Race | | | | Hispanic Origin(1) | | |
| | | White | Black | American Indian (2) | Asian/Pacific Islander | Hispanic | Non-Hispanic white | Non-Hispanic black |
| Minnesota | | | | | | | | |
| All live births | 67,562 | 57,982 | 4,767 | 1,312 | 3,501 | 4,543 | 53,141 | 4,685 |
| Live births in single deliveries | 65,204 | 55,877 | 4,599 | 1,291 | 3,437 | 4,426 | 51,164 | 4,518 |
| Live births in twin deliveries | 2,163 | 1,923 | 165 | 18 | 57 | 109 | 1,803 | 164 |
| Live births in triplet and higher-order multiple deliveries | 195 | 182 | 3 | 3 | 7 | 8 | 174 | 3 |
| Mississippi | | | | | | | | |
| All live births | 42,282 | 22,808 | 18,817 | 265 | 392 | 719 | 22,073 | 18,809 |
| Live births in single deliveries | 40,998 | 22,133 | 18,224 | 257 | 384 | 709 | 21,408 | 18,216 |
| Live births in twin deliveries | 1,237 | 637 | 584 | 8 | 8 | 10 | 627 | 584 |
| Live births in triplet and higher-order multiple deliveries | 47 | 38 | 9 | - | - | - | 38 | 9 |
| Missouri | | | | | | | | |
| All live births | 75,464 | 62,504 | 11,134 | 342 | 1,484 | 2,981 | 59,513 | 11,084 |
| Live births in single deliveries | 73,088 | 60,548 | 10,745 | 338 | 1,457 | 2,918 | 57,620 | 10,697 |
| Live births in twin deliveries | 2,248 | 1,831 | 389 | 4 | 24 | 63 | 1,768 | 387 |
| Live births in triplet and higher-order multiple deliveries | 128 | 125 | - | - | 3 | - | 125 | - |
| Montana | | | | | | | | |
| All live births | 10,970 | 9,442 | 42 | 1,369 | 117 | 377 | 8,798 | 38 |
| Live births in single deliveries | 10,638 | 9,157 | 42 | 1,328 | 111 | 366 | 8,529 | 38 |
| Live births in twin deliveries | 302 | 258 | - | 38 | 6 | 11 | 242 | - |
| Live births in triplet and higher-order multiple deliveries | 30 | 27 | - | 3 | - | - | 27 | - |
| Nebraska | | | | | | | | |
| All live births | 24,820 | 22,496 | 1,373 | 433 | 518 | 2,946 | 19,056 | 1,355 |
| Live births in single deliveries | 24,008 | 21,739 | 1,331 | 426 | 512 | 2,878 | 18,377 | 1,313 |
| Live births in twin deliveries | 728 | 676 | 42 | 4 | 6 | 65 | 601 | 42 |
| Live births in triplet and higher-order multiple deliveries | 84 | 81 | - | 3 | - | 3 | 78 | - |
| Nevada | | | | | | | | |
| All live births | 31,382 | 26,284 | 2,518 | 482 | 2,098 | 10,855 | 15,323 | 2,414 |
| Live births in single deliveries | 30,422 | 25,465 | 2,439 | 468 | 2,050 | 10,613 | 14,753 | 2,343 |
| Live births in twin deliveries | 906 | 777 | 76 | 14 | 39 | 236 | 534 | 68 |
| Live births in triplet and higher-order multiple deliveries | 54 | 42 | 3 | - | 9 | 6 | 36 | 3 |

Table 1-29. Live Births by Plurality, by Race and Hispanic Origin of Mother: United States and Each State, 2001

(Refers only to individual live births in twin or other higher order deliveries, not to sets of multiple births)

| State and plurality | Total | Race and Hispanic origin of mother | | | | | | |
|-------------------------------------------------------------|---------|------------------------------------|--------|---------------------|------------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| | | Race | | | | Hispanic Origin(1) | | |
| | | White | Black | American Indian (2) | Asian/Pacific Islander | Hispanic | Non-Hispanic white | Non-Hispanic black |
| New Hampshire | | | | | | | | |
| All live births | 14,656 | 13,954 | 208 | 40 | 454 | 509 | 12,849 | 159 |
| Live births in single deliveries | 14,056 | 13,385 | 184 | 40 | 447 | 494 | 12,334 | 137 |
| Live births in twin deliveries | 567 | 536 | 24 | - | 7 | 13 | 484 | 22 |
| Live births in triplet and higher-order multiple deliveries | 33 | 33 | - | - | - | 2 | 31 | - |
| New Jersey | | | | | | | | |
| All live births | 115,795 | 85,110 | 20,583 | 167 | 9,935 | 23,497 | 63,266 | 18,709 |
| Live births in single deliveries | 111,094 | 81,384 | 19,861 | 165 | 9,684 | 22,979 | 60,033 | 18,038 |
| Live births in twin deliveries | 4,377 | 3,423 | 710 | 2 | 242 | 493 | 2,958 | 662 |
| Live births in triplet and higher-order multiple deliveries | 324 | 303 | 12 | - | 9 | 25 | 275 | 9 |
| New Mexico | | | | | | | | |
| All live births | 27,128 | 22,810 | 511 | 3,404 | 403 | 14,126 | 8,776 | 485 |
| Live births in single deliveries | 26,564 | 22,305 | 497 | 3,365 | 397 | 13,861 | 8,536 | 471 |
| Live births in twin deliveries | 541 | 482 | 14 | 39 | 6 | 256 | 226 | 14 |
| Live births in triplet and higher-order multiple deliveries | 23 | 23 | - | - | - | 9 | 14 | - |
| New York | | | | | | | | |
| All live births | 254,026 | 182,191 | 52,190 | 710 | 18,935 | 54,544 | 130,637 | 46,709 |
| Live births in single deliveries | 244,916 | 175,311 | 50,440 | 686 | 18,479 | 53,190 | 125,073 | 45,104 |
| Live births in twin deliveries | 8,503 | 6,378 | 1,653 | 24 | 448 | 1,297 | 5,112 | 1,518 |
| Live births in triplet and higher-order multiple deliveries | 607 | 502 | 97 | - | 8 | 57 | 452 | 87 |
| North Carolina | | | | | | | | |
| All live births | 118,185 | 85,315 | 28,393 | 1,689 | 2,788 | 14,539 | 70,863 | 28,250 |
| Live births in single deliveries | 114,246 | 82,458 | 27,410 | 1,654 | 2,724 | 14,254 | 68,288 | 27,272 |
| Live births in twin deliveries | 3,707 | 2,640 | 968 | 35 | 64 | 273 | 2,370 | 963 |
| Live births in triplet and higher-order multiple deliveries | 232 | 217 | 15 | - | - | 12 | 205 | 15 |
| North Dakota | | | | | | | | |
| All live births | 7,629 | 6,625 | 102 | 806 | 96 | 140 | 6,299 | 101 |
| Live births in single deliveries | 7,414 | 6,431 | 102 | 785 | 96 | 136 | 6,111 | 101 |
| Live births in twin deliveries | 195 | 177 | - | 18 | - | 4 | 171 | - |
| Live births in triplet and higher-order multiple deliveries | 20 | 17 | - | 3 | - | - | 17 | - |

Table 1-29. Live Births by Plurality, by Race and Hispanic Origin of Mother: United States and Each State, 2001

(Refers only to individual live births in twin or other higher order deliveries, not to sets of multiple births)

| State and plurality | Total | Race and Hispanic origin of mother | | | | | | |
|-------------------------------------------------------------|---------|------------------------------------|--------|---------------------|------------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| | | Race | | | | Hispanic Origin(1) | | |
| | | White | Black | American Indian (2) | Asian/Pacific Islander | Hispanic | Non-Hispanic white | Non-Hispanic black |
| Ohio | | | | | | | | |
| All live births | 151,570 | 125,507 | 22,994 | 313 | 2,756 | 4,598 | 120,869 | 22,769 |
| Live births in single deliveries | 146,451 | 121,199 | 22,234 | 307 | 2,711 | 4,503 | 116,661 | 22,013 |
| Live births in twin deliveries | 4,810 | 4,014 | 748 | 6 | 42 | 89 | 3,920 | 744 |
| Live births in triplet and higher-order multiple deliveries | 309 | 294 | 12 | - | 3 | 6 | 288 | 12 |
| Oklahoma | | | | | | | | |
| All live births | 50,118 | 39,218 | 4,612 | 5,258 | 1,030 | 4,942 | 34,360 | 4,574 |
| Live births in single deliveries | 48,737 | 38,084 | 4,503 | 5,144 | 1,006 | 4,867 | 33,303 | 4,465 |
| Live births in twin deliveries | 1,321 | 1,077 | 106 | 114 | 24 | 75 | 1,000 | 106 |
| Live births in triplet and higher-order multiple deliveries | 60 | 57 | 3 | - | - | - | 57 | 3 |
| Oregon | | | | | | | | |
| All live births | 45,322 | 41,284 | 944 | 792 | 2,302 | 7,902 | 33,388 | 908 |
| Live births in single deliveries | 44,042 | 40,101 | 913 | 770 | 2,258 | 7,750 | 32,359 | 879 |
| Live births in twin deliveries | 1,210 | 1,116 | 28 | 22 | 44 | 149 | 965 | 26 |
| Live births in triplet and higher-order multiple deliveries | 70 | 67 | 3 | - | - | 3 | 64 | 3 |
| Pennsylvania | | | | | | | | |
| All live births | 143,495 | 119,015 | 20,238 | 356 | 3,886 | 8,192 | 110,501 | 19,615 |
| Live births in single deliveries | 138,768 | 115,080 | 19,537 | 350 | 3,801 | 7,974 | 106,798 | 18,932 |
| Live births in twin deliveries | 4,398 | 3,630 | 680 | 6 | 82 | 209 | 3,407 | 662 |
| Live births in triplet and higher-order multiple deliveries | 329 | 305 | 21 | - | 3 | 9 | 296 | 21 |
| Rhode Island | | | | | | | | |
| All live births | 12,713 | 10,960 | 1,112 | 127 | 514 | 2,196 | 7,676 | 994 |
| Live births in single deliveries | 12,240 | 10,547 | 1,068 | 125 | 500 | 2,137 | 7,379 | 958 |
| Live births in twin deliveries | 439 | 379 | 44 | 2 | 14 | 59 | 269 | 36 |
| Live births in triplet and higher-order multiple deliveries | 34 | 34 | - | - | - | - | 28 | - |
| South Carolina | | | | | | | | |
| All live births | 55,756 | 35,866 | 18,927 | 153 | 810 | 2,988 | 32,932 | 18,878 |
| Live births in single deliveries | 53,969 | 34,735 | 18,290 | 149 | 795 | 2,941 | 31,848 | 18,241 |
| Live births in twin deliveries | 1,706 | 1,062 | 628 | 4 | 12 | 44 | 1,018 | 628 |
| Live births in triplet and higher-order multiple deliveries | 81 | 69 | 9 | - | 3 | 3 | 66 | 9 |

Table 1-29. Live Births by Plurality, by Race and Hispanic Origin of Mother: United States and Each State, 2001

(Refers only to individual live births in twin or other higher order deliveries, not to sets of multiple births)

| State and plurality | Total | Race and Hispanic origin of mother | | | | | | |
|-------------------------------------------------------------|---------|------------------------------------|--------|---------------------|------------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| | | Race | | | | Hispanic Origin(1) | | |
| | | White | Black | American Indian (2) | Asian/Pacific Islander | Hispanic | Non-Hispanic white | Non-Hispanic black |
| South Dakota | | | | | | | | |
| All live births | 10,483 | 8,475 | 101 | 1,776 | 131 | 257 | 8,254 | 97 |
| Live births in single deliveries | 10,134 | 8,184 | 101 | 1,722 | 127 | 253 | 7,967 | 97 |
| Live births in twin deliveries | 337 | 279 | - | 54 | 4 | 4 | 275 | - |
| Live births in triplet and higher-order multiple deliveries | 12 | 12 | - | - | - | - | 12 | - |
| Tennessee | | | | | | | | |
| All live births | 78,340 | 60,216 | 16,603 | 181 | 1,340 | 3,905 | 56,363 | 16,568 |
| Live births in single deliveries | 75,914 | 58,342 | 16,079 | 175 | 1,318 | 3,825 | 54,567 | 16,044 |
| Live births in twin deliveries | 2,342 | 1,802 | 512 | 6 | 22 | 77 | 1,727 | 512 |
| Live births in triplet and higher-order multiple deliveries | 84 | 72 | 12 | - | - | 3 | 69 | 12 |
| Texas | | | | | | | | |
| All live births | 365,410 | 311,979 | 40,750 | 854 | 11,827 | 172,354 | 139,104 | 40,221 |
| Live births in single deliveries | 355,283 | 303,551 | 39,359 | 832 | 11,541 | 168,806 | 134,231 | 38,849 |
| Live births in twin deliveries | 9,684 | 8,038 | 1,356 | 22 | 268 | 3,423 | 4,609 | 1,337 |
| Live births in triplet and higher-order multiple deliveries | 443 | 390 | 35 | - | 18 | 125 | 264 | 35 |
| Utah | | | | | | | | |
| All live births | 47,959 | 45,440 | 342 | 742 | 1,435 | 6,543 | 38,682 | 325 |
| Live births in single deliveries | 46,708 | 44,243 | 330 | 731 | 1,404 | 6,402 | 37,630 | 313 |
| Live births in twin deliveries | 1,192 | 1,138 | 12 | 11 | 31 | 135 | 999 | 12 |
| Live births in triplet and higher-order multiple deliveries | 59 | 59 | - | - | - | 6 | 53 | - |
| Vermont | | | | | | | | |
| All live births | 6,366 | 6,237 | 31 | 7 | 91 | 35 | 6,014 | 29 |
| Live births in single deliveries | 6,208 | 6,083 | 31 | 7 | 87 | 35 | 5,866 | 29 |
| Live births in twin deliveries | 158 | 154 | - | - | 4 | - | 148 | - |
| Live births in triplet and higher-order multiple deliveries | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Virginia | | | | | | | | |
| All live births | 98,884 | 70,946 | 22,272 | 120 | 5,546 | 9,143 | 61,871 | 22,082 |
| Live births in single deliveries | 95,634 | 68,614 | 21,504 | 116 | 5,400 | 8,974 | 59,702 | 21,317 |
| Live births in twin deliveries | 3,114 | 2,224 | 743 | 4 | 143 | 168 | 2,064 | 740 |
| Live births in triplet and higher-order multiple deliveries | 136 | 108 | 25 | - | 3 | 1 | 105 | 25 |

Table 1-29. Live Births by Plurality, by Race and Hispanic Origin of Mother: United States and Each State, 2001

(Refers only to individual live births in twin or other higher order deliveries, not to sets of multiple births)

| State and plurality | Total | Race and Hispanic origin of mother | | | | | | |
|-------------------------------------------------------------|--------|------------------------------------|-------|---------------------|------------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| | | Race | | | | Hispanic Origin(1) | | |
| | | White | Black | American Indian (2) | Asian/Pacific Islander | Hispanic | Non-Hispanic white | Non-Hispanic black |
| Washington | | | | | | | | |
| All live births | 79,570 | 67,437 | 3,334 | 1,897 | 6,902 | 12,140 | 54,468 | 3,219 |
| Live births in single deliveries | 77,263 | 65,433 | 3,224 | 1,841 | 6,765 | 11,882 | 52,743 | 3,112 |
| Live births in twin deliveries | 2,185 | 1,897 | 104 | 53 | 131 | 245 | 1,628 | 101 |
| Live births in triplet and higher-order multiple deliveries | 122 | 107 | 6 | 3 | 6 | 13 | 97 | 6 |
| West Virginia | | | | | | | | |
| All live births | 20,428 | 19,576 | 704 | 19 | 129 | 83 | 19,446 | 698 |
| Live births in single deliveries | 19,866 | 19,022 | 697 | 19 | 128 | 81 | 18,893 | 691 |
| Live births in twin deliveries | 550 | 542 | 7 | - | 1 | 2 | 541 | 7 |
| Live births in triplet and higher-order multiple deliveries | 12 | 12 | - | - | - | - | 12 | - |
| Wisconsin | | | | | | | | |
| All live births | 69,072 | 59,383 | 6,567 | 989 | 2,133 | 5,152 | 54,346 | 6,515 |
| Live births in single deliveries | 67,003 | 57,614 | 6,330 | 961 | 2,098 | 5,032 | 52,693 | 6,278 |
| Live births in twin deliveries | 1,959 | 1,670 | 226 | 28 | 35 | 113 | 1,561 | 226 |
| Live births in triplet and higher-order multiple deliveries | 110 | 99 | 11 | - | - | 7 | 92 | 11 |
| Wyoming | | | | | | | | |
| All live births | 6,115 | 5,717 | 65 | 271 | 62 | 569 | 5,161 | 64 |
| Live births in single deliveries | 5,970 | 5,588 | 61 | 265 | 56 | 557 | 5,042 | 60 |
| Live births in twin deliveries | 145 | 129 | 4 | 6 | 6 | 12 | 119 | 4 |
| Live births in triplet and higher-order multiple deliveries | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |

- Quantity zero.

(1) Data not shown for non-Hispanic births of other races and births with origin not stated.

(2) Includes Aleuts and Eskimos.

NOTES: Race and Hispanic origin are reported separately on birth certificates. Race categories are consistent with the 1977 Office of Management and Budget standards. See Technical Appendix.