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Crude birth rate, age-specific and total fertility rates (live births), Canada, provinces and territories annual (rate)

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Geography, place of residence of mother ⁸	Characteristics 3, 4, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 20, 21	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013
Yukon, place of residence of mother	Age-specific fertility rate, females 15 to 19 years ⁵	28.9	25.3	21.2	22.7	22.9	12.2	19.1	16.6	26.3	23.3	19.2	16.2	10.9	17.9
	Age-specific fertility rate, females 20 to 24 years	79.2	86.2	72.6	70.9	82.1	52.6	66.0	51.8	55.3	63.9	61.3	51.9	63.5	49.0
	Age-specific fertility rate, females 25 to 29 years	84.4	81.6	103.4	90.2	96.3	92.7	96.9	104.6	94.4	94.6	92.8	97.1	90.4	86.0
	Age-specific fertility rate, females 30 to 34 years	76.2	79.6	71.1	80.1	91.5	89.8	100.0	94.7	95.4	85.5	84.5	103.1	100.7	94.8
	Age-specific fertility rate, females 35 to 39 years	45.9	29.3	35.3	29.2	34.3	33.8	45.5	39.6	47.3	51.4	45.3	70.4	58.3	53.1
	Age-specific fertility rate, females 40 to 44 years	4.8	9.5	7.6	10.6	3.7	9.6	7.3	8.3	9.2	10.8	11.9	8.7	12.6	8.6
	Age-specific fertility rate, females 45 to 49 years	0.0	0.0	0.7	0.0	2.6	0.6	0.6	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.6	0.0	0.7	0.7
	Crude birth rate, live births per 1,000 population	12.1	11.4	11.3	11.0	11.8	10.3	11.7	10.9	11.3	11.4	11.0	12.2	12.0	10.9
	Total fertility rate per 1,000 females ^Z	1,596.5	1,558.0	1,558.9	1,518.4	1,666.8	1,476.6	1,686.1	1,580.2	1,637.9	1,656.2	1,604.5	1,729.7	1,678.8	1,544.6
Northwest Territories, place of residence of mother 10	Age-specific fertility rate, females 15 to 19 years 5	59.9	49.9	46.9	44.9	51.4	40.1	42.3	35.7	31.0	34.3	37.5	33.5	29.8	26.9
	Age-specific fertility rate, females 20 to 24 years	102.1	96.6	93.7	109.0	96.0	97.1	88.5	108.5	105.1	100.9	92.4	92.1	85.5	82.5
	Age-specific fertility rate, females 25 to 29 years	98.9	91.7	109.5	99.8	117.6	126.4	126.3	100.5	101.5	95.1	97.1	93.0	105.0	96.2
	Age-specific fertility rate, females 30 to 34 years	86.0	76.3	87.2	102.2	91.2	106.5	99.3	110.9	106.7	106.4	104.7	87.6	98.7	109.8

Geography, place of residence of mother	Characteristics	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013
	Age-specific fertility rate, females 35 to 39 years	43.1	41.4	32.5	42.9	40.6	43.4	45.9	56.1	58.1	58.4	49.3	74.9	49.5	53.0
	Age-specific fertility rate, females 40 to 44 years	9.2	8.6	6.5	9.6	7.6	5.8	10.3	9.8	13.6	13.4	14.6	9.3	17.9	6.6
	Age-specific fertility rate, females 45 to 49 years	0.8	0.0	0.7	1.4	0.7	2.0	0.6	1.8	0.6	0.0	0.0	0.6	1.2	0.7
	Crude birth rate, live births per 1,000 population	16.5	14.9	15.3	16.6	16.3	16.7	16.2	16.7	16.5	16.3	16.0	15.6	15.8	15.3
	Total fertility rate per 1,000 females ^Z	2,000.4	1,822.9	1,885.3	2,049.0	2,025.3	2,112.7	2,068.6	2,112.3	2,081.8	2,061.0	1,979.0	1,972.2	1,932.2	1,878.5
Nunavut, place of residence of mother	Age-specific fertility rate, females 15 to 19 years ⁵	127.7	118.9	119.8	119.8	122.8	107.9	118.3	116.7	117.8	111.5	104.7	108.0	100.2	126.8
	Age-specific fertility rate, females 20 to 24 years	187.9	194.9	210.1	202.4	194.6	167.9	173.0	195.4	203.5	199.0	202.3	193.9	185.9	191.9
	Age-specific fertility rate, females 25 to 29 years	170.1	135.1	135.9	147.8	139.2	129.0	142.2	125.1	134.2	142.3	146.3	142.1	128.8	130.8
	Age-specific fertility rate, females 30 to 34 years	90.3	86.0	85.9	99.3	78.7	82.2	68.6	98.1	88.2	119.3	80.5	88.3	93.9	94.6
	Age-specific fertility rate, females 35 to 39 years	39.7	40.7	44.6	40.5	50.1	44.8	46.2	42.1	42.0	51.0	48.2	49.6	49.9	58.9
	Age-specific fertility rate, females 40 to 44 years	12.9	22.4	11.7	9.8	4.9	11.1	16.0	12.1	11.8	19.3	11.6	8.7	10.5	5.8
	Age-specific fertility rate, females 45 to 49 years	3.2	7.9	0.0	1.3	1.6	0.0	3.0	2.6	0.0	1.2	1.2	0.0	0.0	1.1
	Crude birth rate, live births per 1,000 population	26.5	25.3	25.3	26.0	25.2	23.3	24.6	25.4	25.5	27.2	25.2	24.9	24.3	25.8
	Total fertility rate per 1,000 females ^Z	3,158.3	3,029.3	3,039.9	3,104.4	2,959.4	2,735.5	2,842.9	2,972.8	2,980.9	3,242.9	2,999.6	2,973.5	2,848.5	3,036.8

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- 1. Sources: Statistics Canada, Canadian Vital Statistics, Birth Database and Demography Division (population estimates)
- 2. Live birth is the complete expulsion or extraction from its mother of a product of conception, irrespective of the duration of the pregnancy, which, after such separation, breathes or shows any other evidence of life, such as beating of the heart, pulsation of the umbilical cord, or definite movement of voluntary muscles, whether or not the umbilical cord has been cut or the placenta is attached.
- **3.** Age of mother attained at the last birthday preceding delivery.
- 4. Age-specific fertility rate (ASFR) is the number of live births per 1,000 females in a specific age group. Five-year age groups were used in these tabulations (ranging from 15 to 19 years to 45 to 49 years).
- **5.** Live births to females under 20 years of age per 1,000 females aged 15 to 19.
- 7. Total fertility rate is an estimate of the average number of live births a female can be expected to have in her lifetime, based on the age-specific fertility rates (ASFR) of a given year. The total fertility rate (TFR) = SUM of single year of age-specific fertility rates.
- 8. The geographic distribution of live births in this table is based on the mother's usual place of residence.
- 9. Rates for Canada include live births to mothers who are residents of Canada, with unknown province or territory of residence.
- **10.** Northwest Territories excluding Nunavut.
- 11. The following standard symbols are used in this Statistics Canada table: (..) for figures not available for a specific reference period, (...) for figures not applicable and (x) for figures suppressed to meet the confidentiality requirements of the Statistics Act.

- 12. The population estimates used for the 2000 birth and fertility rate calculations are July 1, 2000 updated postcensal estimates, adjusted for net census under-coverage and include non-permanent residents. These population estimates appear in the publication "Annual Demographic Statistics, 2001" (catalogue number 91-213-XIB/XPB).
- 13. The population estimates used for the 2001 birth and fertility rate calculations are July 1, 2001 updated postcensal estimates, adjusted for net census under-coverage and include non-permanent residents. These population estimates appear in the publication "Annual Demographic Statistics, 2002" (catalogue number 91-213-XIB/XPB).
- 14. The population estimates used for the 2002 birth and fertility rate calculations are July 1, 2002 updated postcensal estimates, adjusted for net census under-coverage and include non-permanent residents. These population estimates appear in the publication "Annual Demographic Statistics, 2003" (catalogue number 91-213-XIB/XPB).
- 15. The population estimates used for the 2003 birth and fertility rate calculations are July 1, 2003 updated postcensal estimates, adjusted for net census under-coverage and include non-permanent residents. These population estimates appear in the publication "Annual Demographic Statistics, 2004" (catalogue number 91-213-XIB/XPB).
- **16.** The population estimates used for the 2004 birth and fertility rate calculations are July 1, 2004 updated postcensal estimates, adjusted for net census under-coverage and include non-permanent residents. These population estimates appear in the publication "Annual Demographic Statistics, 2005" (catalogue number 91-213-XIB/XPB).
- 18. Nunavut and the Northwest Territories (excluding Nunavut) came into existence on April 1, 1999. Historical data for "Northwest Territories including Nunavut" prior to 2000 will be loaded in CANSIM eventually.
- **20.** For the reference years 2005 to 2009, the population estimates used for the birth and fertility rate calculations are presented in Appendix 1 of the respective publication "Births" (catalogue number 84F0210XWE).
- 21. Starting with the reference year 2010, information regarding the population estimates used for the birth and fertility rate calculations is found in the "Data sources" entry for survey number 3231.
- 22. During the production of each year's birth/death/stillbirth statistics, data from previous years may be revised to reflect any updates or changes that have been received from the provincial and territorial vital statistics registrars.

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