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Live births, by age of mother, Canada, provinces and territories
 annual

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Geography, place of residence of mother ¹	Age of mother ²	Characteristics ³	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	
Yukon, place of residence of mother	Age of mother, all ages ⁴	Number of live births	320	364	355	373	383	382	431	435	396	
		Percentage of live births	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
	Age of mother, under 15 years	Number of live births	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Percentage of live births	0.0	0.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
	Age of mother, 15 to 19 years	Number of live births	14	19	18	28	25	21	18	12	19	
		Percentage of live births	4.4	5.2	5.1	7.5	6.5	5.5	4.2	2.8	4.8	
	Age of mother, 20 to 24 years	Number of live births	58	76	56	62	72	71	60	71	55	
		Percentage of live births	18.1	20.9	15.8	16.6	18.8	18.6	13.9	16.3	13.9	
	Age of mother, 25 to 29 years	Number of live births	91	91	106	96	101	109	118	119	112	
		Percentage of live births	28.4	25.0	29.9	25.7	26.4	28.5	27.4	27.4	28.3	
	Age of mother, 30 to 34 years	Number of live births	99	107	113	112	102	102	124	135	124	
		Percentage of live births	30.9	29.4	31.8	30.0	26.6	26.7	28.8	31.0	31.3	
	Age of mother, 35 to 39 years	Number of live births	42	57	50	62	68	62	99	80	73	
		Percentage of live births	13.1	15.7	14.1	16.6	17.8	16.2	23.0	18.4	18.4	
	Age of mother, 40 to 44 years	Number of live births	15	11	12	13	15	16	12	17	12	
		Percentage of live births	4.7	3.0	3.4	3.5	3.9	4.2	2.8	3.9	3.0	
	Age of mother, 45 to 49 years	Number of live births	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	

Geography, place of residence of mother ^a	Age of mother ^a	Characteristics ^a	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013
	Age of mother, under 15 years	Number of live births	1	0	0	2	0	1	1	0	1
		Percentage of live births	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.3	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.1
	Age of mother, 15 to 19 years	Number of live births	67	73	65	54	61	64	55	50	42
		Percentage of live births	9.4	10.6	9.0	7.5	8.6	9.1	8.0	7.3	6.3
	Age of mother, 20 to 24 years	Number of live births	159	147	173	173	168	157	164	156	150
		Percentage of live births	22.3	21.4	23.9	24.0	23.6	22.4	23.8	22.7	22.4
	Age of mother, 25 to 29 years	Number of live births	209	201	196	201	187	189	177	190	176
		Percentage of live births	29.4	29.3	27.0	27.9	26.3	27.0	25.7	27.6	26.3
	Age of mother, 30 to 34 years	Number of live births	182	162	178	174	185	196	176	182	203
		Percentage of live births	25.6	23.6	24.6	24.1	26.0	28.0	25.5	26.5	30.3
	Age of mother, 35 to 39 years	Number of live births	80	83	93	93	88	71	102	81	86
		Percentage of live births	11.2	12.1	12.8	12.9	12.4	10.1	14.8	11.8	12.9
	Age of mother, 40 to 44 years	Number of live births	11	19	17	23	21	22	14	27	10
		Percentage of live births	1.5	2.8	2.3	3.2	3.0	3.1	2.0	3.9	1.5
	Age of mother, 45 to 49 years	Number of live births	3	1	3	1	0	0	1	2	1
		Percentage of live births	0.4	0.1	0.4	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.3	0.1
	Age of mother, not stated ^a	Number of live births	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
		Percentage of live births	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Nunavut, place of residence of mother	Age of mother, all ages ^a	Number of live births	699	747	794	805	877	828	837	843	914
		Percentage of live births	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
	Age of mother, under 15 years	Number of live births	5	5	4	3	2	1	3	4	4
		Percentage of live births	0.7	0.7	0.5	0.4	0.2	0.1	0.4	0.5	0.4
	Age of mother, 15 to 19 years	Number of live births	157	179	179	178	175	168	171	157	197
		Percentage of live births	22.5	24.0	22.5	22.1	20.0	20.3	20.4	18.6	21.6
	Age of mother, 20 to 24 years	Number of live births	212	231	270	287	288	294	285	290	303
			30.3	30.9	34.0	35.7	32.8	35.5	34.1	34.4	33.2

Geography, place of residence of mother ^a	Age of mother ^a	Characteristics ^a	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013
		Percentage of live births									
	Age of mother, 25 to 29 years	Number of live births	166	178	168	181	199	204	206	198	205
		Percentage of live births	23.7	23.8	21.2	22.5	22.7	24.6	24.6	23.5	22.4
	Age of mother, 30 to 34 years	Number of live births	104	92	110	96	135	98	112	132	134
		Percentage of live births	14.9	12.3	13.9	11.9	15.4	11.8	13.4	15.7	14.7
	Age of mother, 35 to 39 years	Number of live births	46	47	49	48	55	49	50	51	64
		Percentage of live births	6.6	6.3	6.2	6.0	6.3	5.9	6.0	6.0	7.0
	Age of mother, 40 to 44 years	Number of live births	9	13	12	12	21	13	10	11	6
		Percentage of live births	1.3	1.7	1.5	1.5	2.4	1.6	1.2	1.3	0.7
	Age of mother, 45 to 49 years	Number of live births	0	2	2	0	1	1	0	0	1
		Percentage of live births	0.0	0.3	0.3	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.1
	Age of mother, not stated ^a	Number of live births	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
		Percentage of live births	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

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1. Source: Statistics Canada, Canadian Vital Statistics, Birth Database
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. For confidentiality reasons, live births to mothers aged 50 and over are included in the category "Age of mother, not stated." Where information is unavailable on the birth mother of children who are adopted these records are included in the category "Age of mother, not stated."
5. The geographic distribution of live births in this table is based on the mother's usual place of residence.
6. Northwest Territories excluding Nunavut.
7. Unknown province or territory of residence of mother, refers to live births to mothers who are residents of Canada, with unknown province or territory of residence.
8. 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.
9. Nunavut came into being officially as a Territory of Canada on April 1, 1999. Data for Nunavut and Northwest Territories are presented separately starting in the year 2000.
10. 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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