

**TABLE 13:- FAMILIES AND CHILDREN BORN CLASSIFIED BY DURATION OF MARRIAGE AND AGE OF WIFE AT MARRIAGE - RELIGIOUS DENOMINATIONS.**

Age of Wife at Marriage		Religious Denomination						
		Total	Catholic	Church of Ireland	Presbyterian	Methodist	Jewish	Other (incl. no statement)
		DURATION OF MARRIAGE - UNDER FIVE YEARS						
15-19 years	Families	4,705	4,473	153	24	12	7	36
	Children	6,391	6,122	186	19	14	8	42
20-24 "	Families	24,951	23,576	924	176	78	47	150
	Children	29,128	27,944	809	157	72	35	111
25-29 "	Families	20,582	19,648	673	124	48	14	75
	Children	23,128	22,332	562	105	52	19	58
30-34 "	Families	10,234	9,786	328	66	21	8	25
	Children	10,507	10,147	275	54	12	4	15
35-39 "	Families	4,643	4,406	174	24	11	7	21
	Children	3,320	3,189	100	8	11	2	10
40-44 "	Families	1,686	1,577	80	17	5	2	5
	Children	495	479	10	6	-	-	-
45 and over	Families	1,362	1,198	125	12	6	1	20
	Children	28	25	3	-	-	-	-
<b>ALL AGES</b>	<b>Families</b>	<b>68,163</b>	<b>64,664</b>	<b>2,457</b>	<b>443</b>	<b>181</b>	<b>86</b>	<b>332</b>
	<b>Children</b>	<b>72,997</b>	<b>70,238</b>	<b>1,945</b>	<b>349</b>	<b>161</b>	<b>68</b>	<b>236</b>
		DURATION OF MARRIAGE - FIVE AND UNDER TEN YEARS						
15-19 years	Families	4,825	4,611	145	25	8	9	27
	Children	16,466	15,913	387	62	13	22	69
20-24 "	Families	21,590	20,328	906	163	55	36	102
	Children	65,313	62,466	2,021	375	122	78	251
25-29 "	Families	21,536	20,484	778	133	55	16	70
	Children	60,416	58,239	1,553	305	131	31	157
30-34 "	Families	11,897	11,414	364	55	26	9	29
	Children	28,840	28,046	587	103	41	7	56
35-39 "	Families	5,146	4,907	184	28	8	4	15
	Children	7,399	7,151	196	15	15	3	19
40-44 "	Families	1,806	1,684	99	8	6	4	5
	Children	703	666	29	3	3	1	1
45 and over	Families	1,246	1,100	122	12	8	1	3
	Children	30	28	2	-	-	-	-
<b>ALL AGES</b>	<b>Families</b>	<b>68,046</b>	<b>64,528</b>	<b>2,598</b>	<b>424</b>	<b>166</b>	<b>79</b>	<b>251</b>
	<b>Children</b>	<b>179,167</b>	<b>172,509</b>	<b>4,775</b>	<b>863</b>	<b>325</b>	<b>142</b>	<b>553</b>
		DURATION OF MARRIAGE - TEN AND UNDER FIFTEEN YEARS						
15-19 years	Families	5,279	5,056	148	31	11	14	19
	Children	25,713	24,965	508	92	35	46	67
20-24 "	Families	20,729	19,557	845	164	45	42	76
	Children	88,189	84,891	2,326	525	105	99	243
25-29 "	Families	21,475	20,278	893	135	78	19	72
	Children	80,140	77,103	2,268	339	180	36	214
30-34 "	Families	12,541	11,889	489	84	28	11	40
	Children	36,490	35,243	923	156	48	22	98
35-39 "	Families	5,571	5,243	247	33	23	3	22
	Children	8,447	8,115	232	44	23	2	31
40-44 "	Families	1,781	1,633	115	11	5	6	11
	Children	725	693	24	2	1	1	4
45 and over	Families	1,072	957	87	12	4	1	11
	Children	64	63	-	-	-	1	-
<b>ALL AGES</b>	<b>Families</b>	<b>68,448</b>	<b>64,613</b>	<b>2,824</b>	<b>470</b>	<b>194</b>	<b>96</b>	<b>251</b>
	<b>Children</b>	<b>239,768</b>	<b>231,073</b>	<b>6,281</b>	<b>1,158</b>	<b>392</b>	<b>207</b>	<b>657</b>

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Age of Wife at Marriage		Religious Denomination						
		Total	Catholic	Church of Ireland	Presbyterian	Methodist	Jewish	Other (Incl. no statement)
		DURATION OF MARRIAGE — FIFTEEN AND UNDER TWENTY YEARS						
15-19 years	Families	5,844	5,631	144	35	5	12	17
	Children	33,651	32,879	505	148	18	35	66
20-24 "	Families	21,117	19,901	868	159	61	40	88
	Children	105,423	101,586	2,677	567	186	91	316
25-29 "	Families	20,503	19,319	890	144	60	27	63
	Children	84,074	80,916	2,370	403	144	47	194
30-34 "	Families	11,774	11,125	476	94	29	15	35
	Children	35,296	33,983	938	204	52	27	92
35-39 "	Families	4,605	4,265	255	41	16	7	21
	Children	7,387	6,994	283	44	20	3	43
40-44 "	Families	1,528	1,408	91	13	4	2	10
	Children	752	711	35	3	1	-	2
45 and over	Families	728	667	41	11	4	-	5
	Children	36	29	6	1	-	-	-
ALL AGES	Families	66,099	62,316	2,765	497	179	103	239
	Children	266,619	257,098	6,814	1,370	421	203	713
		DURATION OF MARRIAGE — TWENTY AND UNDER TWENTY-FIVE YEARS						
15-19 years	Families	4,720	4,508	154	28	5	6	19
	Children	30,025	29,110	642	129	19	21	104
20-24 "	Families	17,069	15,983	755	150	53	45	83
	Children	89,967	86,491	2,358	542	189	96	291
25-29 "	Families	17,871	16,563	997	149	64	32	66
	Children	73,681	70,444	2,458	419	149	68	143
30-34 "	Families	9,596	8,927	507	79	35	13	35
	Children	28,580	27,219	1,027	172	65	24	73
35-39 "	Families	4,166	3,908	189	43	9	2	15
	Children	6,720	6,391	227	65	4	5	28
40-44 "	Families	1,166	1,071	77	9	3	-	6
	Children	588	559	26	2	1	-	-
45 and over	Families	564	524	34	5	-	-	1
	Children	52	48	4	-	-	-	-
ALL AGES	Families	55,152	51,484	2,713	463	169	98	225
	Children	229,613	220,262	6,742	1,329	427	214	639
		DURATION OF MARRIAGE — TWENTY-FIVE AND UNDER THIRTY YEARS						
15-19 years	Families	4,099	3,931	125	21	3	4	15
	Children	27,547	26,799	520	115	14	18	81
20-24 "	Families	13,434	12,514	647	123	46	42	62
	Children	73,529	70,431	2,109	502	108	96	283
25-29 "	Families	12,578	11,583	719	139	59	15	63
	Children	52,692	50,116	1,823	382	149	28	194
30-34 "	Families	7,343	6,893	330	66	17	12	25
	Children	22,321	21,463	616	137	48	14	43
35-39 "	Families	2,831	2,656	132	23	5	1	14
	Children	5,014	4,830	135	32	1	3	13
40-44 "	Families	932	871	45	8	4	-	4
	Children	558	536	15	1	5	-	1
45 and over	Families	289	270	15	3	-	-	1
	Children	46	44	-	-	-	-	2
ALL AGES	Families	41,506	38,718	2,013	383	134	74	184
	Children	181,707	174,219	5,218	1,169	325	159	617

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		DURATION OF MARRIAGE — THIRTY AND UNDER THIRTY-FIVE YEARS						
15-19 years	Families	3,564	3,411	108	25	4	6	10
	Children	24,457	23,744	517	99	27	16	54
20-24 "	Families	10,554	9,750	584	104	34	29	53
	Children	58,596	55,997	1,831	381	109	66	212
25-29 "	Families	10,139	9,360	562	122	41	22	32
	Children	44,030	42,016	1,487	298	109	32	88
30-34 "	Families	5,474	5,135	249	48	21	4	17
	Children	17,893	17,230	481	89	44	7	42
35-39 "	Families	2,203	2,079	100	14	5	3	2
	Children	4,298	4,131	144	14	6	2	1
40-44 "	Families	688	647	32	3	1	-	5
	Children	659	643	12	1	-	-	3
45 and over	Families	189	178	9	-	2	-	-
	Children	58	56	2	-	-	-	-
<b>ALL AGES</b>	<b>Families</b>	<b>32,811</b>	<b>30,560</b>	<b>1,644</b>	<b>316</b>	<b>108</b>	<b>64</b>	<b>119</b>
	<b>Children</b>	<b>149,991</b>	<b>143,817</b>	<b>4,474</b>	<b>882</b>	<b>295</b>	<b>123</b>	<b>400</b>
		DURATION OF MARRIAGE — THIRTY-FIVE AND UNDER FORTY YEARS						
15-19 years	Families	2,534	2,407	89	21	7	4	6
	Children	17,456	16,892	401	95	20	9	39
20-24 "	Families	8,430	7,801	476	67	26	27	33
	Children	48,417	46,310	1,599	231	84	70	123
25-29 "	Families	7,479	6,855	436	94	42	10	42
	Children	34,627	32,960	1,123	287	120	19	118
30-34 "	Families	3,955	3,703	195	33	13	1	10
	Children	13,859	13,347	389	71	34	1	17
35-39 "	Families	1,591	1,500	65	17	6	-	3
	Children	3,481	3,333	105	36	6	-	1
40-44 "	Families	355	329	25	-	-	-	1
	Children	319	304	15	-	-	-	-
45 and over	Families	68	64	4	-	-	-	-
	Children	32	26	6	-	-	-	-
<b>ALL AGES</b>	<b>Families</b>	<b>24,412</b>	<b>22,659</b>	<b>1,290</b>	<b>232</b>	<b>94</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>95</b>
	<b>Children</b>	<b>118,191</b>	<b>113,172</b>	<b>3,638</b>	<b>720</b>	<b>264</b>	<b>99</b>	<b>298</b>
		DURATION OF MARRIAGE — FORTY AND UNDER FORTY-FIVE YEARS						
15-19 years	Families	2,087	1,969	86	13	4	3	12
	Children	14,665	14,149	355	81	16	4	60
20-24 "	Families	6,293	5,806	342	67	24	19	35
	Children	37,873	36,089	1,218	255	96	63	152
25-29 "	Families	5,060	4,642	319	51	17	5	26
	Children	25,017	23,732	935	201	48	16	85
30-34 "	Families	2,601	2,418	141	17	12	-	13
	Children	9,919	9,469	348	33	29	-	40
35-39 "	Families	781	731	37	3	5	-	5
	Children	1,906	1,812	63	4	6	-	21
40-44 "	Families	129	122	7	-	-	-	-
	Children	161	154	7	-	-	-	-
45 and over	Families	21	18	2	1	-	-	-
	Children	10	10	-	-	-	-	-
<b>ALL AGES</b>	<b>Families</b>	<b>16,972</b>	<b>15,706</b>	<b>934</b>	<b>152</b>	<b>62</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>91</b>
	<b>Children</b>	<b>89,551</b>	<b>85,415</b>	<b>2,926</b>	<b>574</b>	<b>195</b>	<b>83</b>	<b>358</b>

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		DURATION OF MARRIAGE - FORTY-FIVE YEARS AND OVER						
15-19 years	Families	1,995	1,864	86	22	6	11	6
	Children	14,504	13,859	384	141	22	46	52
20-24 "	Families	5,427	4,949	355	63	28	10	22
	Children	35,114	33,249	1,361	258	109	37	100
25-29 "	Families	4,209	3,829	267	56	35	2	20
	Children	22,068	20,843	846	198	130	3	48
30-34 "	Families	1,692	1,554	97	26	6	-	9
	Children	7,072	6,684	288	71	12	-	17
35-39 "	Families	391	371	15	2	1	1	1
	Children	1,166	1,120	25	6	3	6	6
40-44 "	Families	53	52	1	-	-	-	-
	Children	93	93	-	-	-	-	-
45 and over	Families	18	17	1	-	-	-	-
	Children	6	6	-	-	-	-	-
<b>ALL AGES</b>	<b>Families</b>	<b>13,785</b>	<b>12,636</b>	<b>822</b>	<b>169</b>	<b>76</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>58</b>
	<b>Children</b>	<b>80,023</b>	<b>75,854</b>	<b>2,904</b>	<b>674</b>	<b>276</b>	<b>92</b>	<b>223</b>
		ALL DURATIONS						
15-19 years	Families	39,652	37,861	1,238	245	65	76	167
	Children	210,875	204,432	4,405	981	198	225	634
20-24 "	Families	149,594	140,165	6,702	1,236	450	337	704
	Children	631,549	605,454	18,309	3,793	1,180	731	2,082
25-29 "	Families	141,432	132,561	6,534	1,147	499	162	529
	Children	499,873	478,701	15,425	2,937	1,212	299	1,299
30-34 "	Families	77,107	72,844	3,176	568	208	73	238
	Children	210,777	202,831	5,872	1,090	385	106	493
35-39 "	Families	31,928	30,066	1,398	228	89	28	119
	Children	49,138	47,066	1,510	268	95	26	173
40-44 "	Families	10,124	9,394	572	69	28	14	47
	Children	5,053	4,838	173	18	11	2	11
45 and over	Families	5,557	4,993	440	56	24	3	41
	Children	362	335	23	1	-	1	2
<b>ALL AGES</b>	<b>Families</b>	<b>455,394</b>	<b>427,884</b>	<b>20,060</b>	<b>3,549</b>	<b>1,363</b>	<b>693</b>	<b>1,845</b>
	<b>Children</b>	<b>1,607,627</b>	<b>1,543,657</b>	<b>45,717</b>	<b>9,088</b>	<b>3,081</b>	<b>1,390</b>	<b>4,694</b>