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**Table 1. ESTIMATES AND PROJECTIONS OF THE POPULATION BY AGE, RACE, AND HISPANIC ORIGIN: 1900 - 2050
(Numbers in thousands)**

	1900	1910	1920	1930	1940	1950	1960	1970
Total, All ages	76,094	92,407	106,461	123,077	132,122	151,684	180,671	204,879
White	66,900	82,137	95,510	110,559	118,629	135,984	160,023	179,491
White non hispanic	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)
Black	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	19,006	22,787
Hispanic	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)
Under 18	30,715	35,061	39,622	43,008	40,359	47,060	64,525	69,702
White	26,496	30,609	35,150	38,162	35,459	41,289	55,745	59,197
White non hispanic	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)
Black	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	8,102	9,537
Hispanic	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)
18 to 64	42,280	53,360	61,910	73,364	82,732	92,262	99,471	115,092
White	37,581	47,823	55,775	66,090	74,731	83,219	88,873	101,923
White non hispanic	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)
Black	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	9,715	11,694
Hispanic	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)
65 and over	3,099	3,986	4,929	6,705	9,031	12,362	16,675	20,085
White	2,823	3,705	4,585	6,307	8,439	11,476	15,405	18,371
White non hispanic	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)
Black	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	1,189	1,556
Hispanic	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)
PERCENT								
Total, All ages	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Under 18	40.4	37.9	37.2	34.9	30.5	31.0	35.7	34.0
18 to 64 years old	55.6	57.7	58.2	59.6	62.6	60.8	55.1	56.2
65 and over	4.1	4.3	4.6	5.4	6.8	8.1	9.2	9.8
Total, All ages	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
White	87.9	88.9	89.7	89.8	89.8	89.6	88.6	87.6
White non hispanic	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)
Black	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	10.5	11.1
Hispanic	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)
Under 18	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
White	86.3	87.3	88.7	88.7	87.9	87.7	86.4	84.9
White non hispanic	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)
Black	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	12.6	13.7
Hispanic	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)
18 to 64	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
White	88.9	89.6	90.1	90.1	90.3	90.2	89.3	88.6
White non hispanic	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)
Black	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	9.8	10.2
Hispanic	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)
65 and over	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
White	91.1	93.0	93.0	94.1	93.4	92.8	92.4	91.5
White non hispanic	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)
Black	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	7.1	7.7
Hispanic	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)

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1980	1990	2000	2010	2020	2030	2040	2050
227,726	249,924	276,241	300,431	325,942	349,993	371,505	392,031
195,556	209,516	226,267	240,297	254,791	267,457	277,232	285,591
181,493	188,904	197,872	203,441	208,280	210,480	209,148	205,849
26,890	30,747	35,469	40,224	45,409	50,596	55,917	61,586
14,887	22,578	31,166	40,525	51,217	62,810	75,130	88,071
63,685	64,185	71,789	73,618	77,776	83,038	86,794	91,754
52,492	51,336	55,887	55,282	56,761	59,163	60,071	62,084
47,125	44,146	45,949	42,978	41,842	41,375	39,622	38,827
9,464	9,895	11,481	12,474	13,779	15,195	16,621	18,262
5,682	7,886	10,938	13,543	16,473	19,654	22,623	25,754
138,334	154,515	169,130	186,709	194,818	196,780	207,697	220,168
119,762	130,038	139,023	150,048	152,282	148,999	153,303	158,525
111,750	117,701	122,34	128,178	125,033	116,772	115,017	113,425
17,264	18,347	21,069	24,315	26,767	28,574	31,557	34,956
8,482	13,527	18,303	24,064	29,997	35,540	42,287	49,865
25,707	31,224	35,322	40,104	53,348	70,175	77,014	80,109
23,302	28,142	31,357	34,967	45,748	59,295	63,858	64,982
22,618	27,057	29,575	32,285	41,405	52,333	54,509	53,597
162	2,505	2,919	3,435	4,863	6,827	7,739	8,368
723	1,165	1,925	2,918	4,747	7,616	10,220	12,452
100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
28.0	25.7	26.0	24.5	23.9	23.7	23.4	23.4
60.7	61.8	61.2	62.1	59.8	56.2	55.9	56.2
11.3	12.5	12.8	13.3	16.4	20.1	20.7	20.4
100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
85.9	83.8	81.9	80.0	78.2	76.4	74.6	72.8
79.7	75.6	71.6	67.7	63.9	60.1	56.3	52.5
11.8	12.3	12.8	13.4	13.9	14.5	15.1	15.7
6.5	9.0	11.3	13.5	15.7	17.9	20.2	22.5
100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
82.4	80.0	77.8	75.1	73.0	71.2	69.2	67.7
74.0	68.8	64.0	58.4	53.8	49.8	45.7	42.3
14.9	15.4	16.0	16.9	17.7	18.3	19.1	19.9
8.9	12.3	15.2	18.4	21.2	23.7	26.1	28.1
100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
86.6	84.2	82.2	80.4	78.2	75.7	73.8	72.0
80.8	76.2	72.3	68.7	64.2	59.3	55.4	51.5
12.5	11.9	12.5	13.0	13.7	14.5	15.2	15.9
6.1	8.8	10.8	12.9	15.4	18.1	20.4	22.6
100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
90.6	90.1	88.8	87.2	85.8	84.5	82.9	81.1
88.0	86.7	83.7	80.5	77.6	74.6	70.8	66.9
0.6	8.0	8.3	8.6	9.1	9.7	10.0	10.4
2.8	3.7	5.4	7.3	8.9	10.9	13.3	15.5

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Table 2: RACE AND HISPANIC ORIGIN OF CHILDREN, 1990 (Percent distribution of children under 18 years old)

White, not Hispanic	69.1
Black, not Hispanic	14.7
American Indian, Eskimo, and Aleut	1.0
Asian and Pacific Islander	3.1
Pacific Islander	7.1
Other Asian	15.5
Vietnamese	9.5
Korean	12.1
Asian Indian	11.2
Japanese	7.8
Filipino	18.7
Chinese	18.9
Hispanic (of any race)	12.0
Other Hispanic origin	8.1
South American	3.3
Central American	4.9
Dominican Republic	2.2
Cuban	2.6
Puerto Rican	12.2
Mexican	66.7

Source: Hernandez, Donald J., "We the American Children," U.S. Bureau of the Census, Series WE-10, U.S. Government Printing Office, Washington, D.C. 1993.

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Table 3: FOREIGN-BORN POPULATION BY COUNTRY OF BIRTH, 1900 - 1990 (numbers in thousands)

Census Year	Total	Foreign-born Population	Percent of Total Population
1900	76,212	10,445	13.7
1910	92,229	13,630	14.8
1920	106,022	14,020	13.2
1930	123,203	14,283	11.6
1940	132,165	11,657	8.8
1950	150,845	10,431	6.9
1960	179,326	9,738	5.4
1970	203,210	9,619	4.7
1980	226,546	14,080	6.2
1990	248,710	19,767	7.9

Largest Foreign-Born Groups by Country of Birth: 1990 Census		
Country	Number	Percent of total foreign-born
Mexico	4,298	21.7
Philippines	913	4.6
Canada	745	3.8
Cuba	737	3.7
Germany	712	3.6
United Kingdom	640	3.2
Italy	581	2.9
Korea	568	2.9
Vietnam	543	2.7
China	530	2.7
El Salvador	465	2.4
Other	9,035	45.7
Total	19,767	100.0

Note: 1910-50 shown for the foreign-born white population.

Source: U.S. Bureau of the Census, Census of Population: 1970, Vol. I, Characteristics of the Population, Part 1, United States Summary Section 1, U.S. Government Printing Office, Washington, D.C. 1973, Table 68.

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Table 4: PERCENT OF THE POPULATION RESIDING IN URBAN, RURAL, RURAL FARM, AND RURAL NONFARM AREAS: 1790 - 1990 (numbers in thousands)

Year	Urban	Rural	Farm	Nonfarm
1790	5.1	94.9	(na)	(na)
1800	6.1	93.9	(na)	(na)
1810	7.3	92.7	(na)	(na)
1820	7.2	92.8	(na)	(na)
1830	8.8	91.2	(na)	(na)
1840	10.8	89.2	(na)	(na)
1850	15.3	84.7	(na)	(na)
1860	19.8	80.2	(na)	(na)
1870	25.7	74.3	(na)	(na)
1880	28.2	71.8	(na)	(na)
1890	35.1	64.9	39.3	25.6
1900	39.6	60.4	39.2	21.2
1910	45.6	54.4	34.8	19.6
1920	51.2	48.8	30.2	18.7
1930	56.1	43.9	24.8	19.1
1940	56.5	43.5	23.1	20.4
1950	64.0	36.0	15.2	20.8
1960	69.9	30.1	7.5	22.6
1970	73.6	26.4	4.1	22.3
1980	73.7	26.3	2.5	23.8
1990	72.8	27.2	1.9	25.3

(na) Not available.

Note: For current and previous urban and farm definitions see appendix A, Current Population Report, P20-457.

Source: Dahmann, Donald C. and Dacquel, Laarnit, "Residents of Farms and Rural Areas: 1990," U.S. Bureau of the Census, Current Population Reports, Series P20-457, U.S. Government Printing Office, Washington, D.C. 1992, Tables 1 and 2.

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Table 5: PERCENT OF THE POPULATION INSIDE AND OUTSIDE METROPOLITAN AREAS BY RACE, HISPANIC ORIGIN, AND AGE, 1990

	Total persons (000)	Outside metropolitan areas			Inside metropolitan areas	
		Total	Urban	Rural	In Central Cities	Not in Central Cities
ALL RACES						
Total	248,710	22.5	8.4	14.1	31.3	46.2
Under 18 years	63,605	23.5	8.3	15.1	30.2	46.4
18-64 years	153,863	21.3	7.9	13.4	31.8	46.8
65 years and over	31,242	26.4	10.7	15.6	30.9	42.8
WHITE						
Total	199,686	24.4	8.8	15.7	25.8	49.8
Under 18 years	47,628	26.1	8.7	17.4	22.6	51.3
18-64 years	124,206	23.2	8.3	14.9	26.6	50.2
65 years and over	27,852	27.2	11.0	16.2	27.7	45.1
BLACK						
Total	29,986	16.2	7.3	8.9	57.3	26.5
Under 18 years	9,584	17.0	7.9	9.1	56.7	26.3
18-64 years	17,893	15.1	6.8	8.3	57.3	27.6
65 years and over	2,509	20.9	9.1	11.8	59.4	19.7
WHITE, NOT HISPANIC						
Total	188,128	25.3	9.0	16.4	24.4	50.3
Under 18 years	43,807	27.4	8.9	18.5	20.5	52.1
18-64 years	117,270	24.0	8.5	15.5	25.3	50.7
65 years and over	27,051	27.7	11.1	16.5	27.0	45.3
HISPANIC*						
Total	22,354	9.6	5.6	4.0	51.5	38.9
Under 18 years	7,758	10.5	6.1	4.4	50.6	38.9
18-64 years	13,435	8.9	5.2	3.8	51.8	39.2
65 years and over	1,161	11.4	6.8	4.6	53.3	35.3

Note: *Persons of Hispanic origin may be of any race.

Source: U.S. Bureau of the Census, 1990 Census of Population, "General Population Characteristics, United States," 1990 CP-1-1, U.S. Government Printing Office, Washington, D.C. 1992, Tables 15, 17, 18, 21 and 22.

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Table 6: MEDIAN AGE AT FIRST MARRIAGE, BY SEX, 1890 - 1993

Year	Men	Women	Year	Men	Women
1993	26.5	24.5	1964	23.1	20.5
1992	26.5	24.4	1963	22.8	20.5
1991	26.3	24.1	1962	22.7	20.3
1990	26.1	23.9	1961	22.8	20.3
1989	26.2	23.9	1960	22.8	20.3
1988	25.9	23.6	1959	22.5	20.2
1987	25.8	23.6	1958	22.6	20.2
1986	25.7	23.1	1957	22.6	20.3
1985	25.5	23.3	1956	22.5	20.1
1984	25.4	23.0	1955	22.6	20.2
1983	25.4	22.8	1954	23.0	20.3
1982	25.2	22.5	1953	22.8	20.2
1981	24.8	22.3	1952	23.0	20.2
1980	24.7	22.0	1951	22.9	20.4
1979	24.4	22.1	1950	22.8	20.3
1978	24.2	21.8	1949	22.7	20.3
1977	24.0	21.6	1948	23.3	20.4
1976	23.8	21.3	1947	23.7	20.5
1975	23.5	21.1	1940	24.3	21.5
1974	23.1	21.1	1930	24.3	21.3
1973	23.2	21.0	1920	24.6	21.2
1972	23.3	20.9	1910	25.1	21.6
1971	23.1	20.9	1900	25.9	21.9
1970	23.2	20.8	1890	26.1	22.0
1969	23.2	20.8			
1968	23.1	20.8			
1967	23.1	20.6			
1966	22.8	20.5			
1965	22.8	20.6			

Note: Figures for 1947 to 1990 are based on Current Population Survey data, whereas those for earlier dates are from decennial censuses. A standard error of 0.1 years is appropriate to measure sampling variability for any of the above median ages at first marriage, based on Current Population Survey data.

Source: Saluter, Arlene F., "Marital Status and Living Arrangements: March 1993," U.S. Bureau of the Census, Current Population Reports, Series P20-478, U.S. Government Printing Office, Washington, D.C. 1994, Table B, and earlier reports.

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Table 7: PERCENT NEVER MARRIED, BY AGE, SEX, RACE, AND HISPANIC ORIGIN: 1940, 1950, 1960, 1970, 1980, AND 1993

	Women						Men					
	1940	1950	1960	1970	1980	1993	1940	1950	1960	1970	1980	1993
ALL RACES												
20 to 24 years	47.2	32.3	28.4	35.8	50.2	66.8	72.2	59.1	53.1	54.7	68.8	81.0
25 to 29 years	22.8	13.3	10.5	10.5	20.9	33.1	36.0	23.8	20.8	19.1	33.1	48.4
30 to 34 years	14.7	9.3	6.9	6.2	9.5	19.3	20.7	13.2	11.9	9.4	15.9	30.1
35 to 39 years	11.2	8.4	6.1	5.4	6.2	12.5	15.3	10.1	8.8	7.2	7.8	19.7
40 to 44 years	9.5	8.3	6.1	4.9	4.8	9.0	12.6	9.0	7.3	6.3	7.1	10.8
45 to 54 years	8.7	7.8	7.0	4.9	4.7	5.4	11.1	8.5	7.4	7.5	6.1	6.9
55 to 64 years	9.0	7.9	8.0	6.8	4.5	4.3	10.7	8.4	8.0	7.8	5.3	6.6
65 years and over	9.3	8.9	8.5	7.7	5.9	4.4	9.8	8.4	7.7	7.5	4.9	4.4
WHITE												
20 to 24 years	48.4	32.4	27.4	34.6	47.2	63.8	73.5	59.5	52.5	54.4	67.0	79.0
25 to 29 years	23.2	13.2	9.8	9.2	18.3	28.7	36.7	23.6	20.0	17.8	31.4	46.2
30 to 34 years	15.0	9.3	6.6	5.5	8.1	15.5	20.7	13.1	11.3	9.2	14.2	27.3
35 to 39 years	11.5	8.5	5.9	4.6	5.2	9.9	15.1	10.1	8.3	6.1	6.6	17.1
40 to 44 years	9.8	8.6	6.0	4.8	4.3	7.3	12.5	9.0	7.1	5.7	6.7	9.8
45 to 54 years	9.0	8.2	7.2	4.9	4.4	4.6	11.1	8.6	7.2	7.1	5.6	6.1
55 to 64 years	9.3	8.2	8.2	7.0	4.4	3.7	10.8	8.6	7.8	7.6	5.2	5.9
65 years and over	9.7	9.3	8.8	8.0	6.1	4.4	10.1	8.6	7.8	7.4	4.8	4.4
BLACK												
20 to 24 years	(na)	(na)	(na)	43.5	68.5	81.2	(na)	(na)	(na)	56.1	79.3	89.6
25 to 29 years	(na)	(na)	(na)	18.8	37.2	57.3	(na)	(na)	(na)	28.4	44.2	61.1
30 to 34 years	(na)	(na)	(na)	10.8	19.0	43.3	(na)	(na)	(na)	9.2	30.0	48.3
35 to 39 years	(na)	(na)	(na)	12.1	12.2	29.7	(na)	(na)	(na)	15.8	18.5	38.7
40 to 44 years	(na)	(na)	(na)	6.9	9.0	21.8	(na)	(na)	(na)	11.2	10.8	20.4
45 to 54 years	(na)	(na)	(na)	4.4	7.7	11.9	(na)	(na)	(na)	10.4	11.7	14.4
55 to 64 years	(na)	(na)	(na)	4.7	5.7	8.9	(na)	(na)	(na)	9.1	5.9	14.6
65 years and over	(na)	(na)	(na)	4.2	4.5	4.3	(na)	(na)	(na)	5.7	5.5	5.8
HISPANIC ORIGIN*												
20 to 24 years	(na)	(na)	(na)	33.4	42.8	55.2	(na)	(na)	(na)	49.9	61.8	71.3
25 to 29 years	(na)	(na)	(na)	13.7	22.5	30.9	(na)	(na)	(na)	19.4	28.9	46.2
30 to 34 years	(na)	(na)	(na)	8.4	11.2	17.9	(na)	(na)	(na)	11.0	12.1	28.9
35 to 39 years	(na)	(na)	(na)	6.9	6.6	12.8	(na)	(na)	(na)	7.6	5.8	21.5
40 to 44 years	(na)	(na)	(na)	6.3	7.9	9.3	(na)	(na)	(na)	7.1	6.5	12.4
45 to 54 years	(na)	(na)	(na)	6.1	7.1	7.8	(na)	(na)	(na)	6.2	6.4	10.9
55 to 64 years	(na)	(na)	(na)	6.7	7.8	6.5	(na)	(na)	(na)	6.0	4.3	5.9
65 years and over	(na)	(na)	(na)	7.7	5.4	8.3	(na)	(na)	(na)	8.8	9.7	3.9

Note: *Persons of Hispanic origin may be of any race.
(na) Not available.

Source: Saluter, Arlene, "Marital Status and Living Arrangements: March 1993," U.S. Bureau of the Census, Current Population Reports, Series P20-478, U.S. Government Printing Office, Washington, D.C. 1994.

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Table 8. DIVORCE RATE, 1860 TO 1988 (rate per thousand married women)

Year	Rate	Year	Rate	Year	Rate	Year	Rate
1860	1.2	1893	3.1	1926	7.5	1959	9.3
1861	1.1	1894	3.0	1927	7.8	1960	9.2
1862	1.0	1895	3.2	1928	7.8	1961	9.6
1863	1.1	1896	3.3	1929	8.0	1962	9.4
1864	1.4	1897	3.4	1930	7.5	1963	9.6
1865	1.6	1898	3.6	1931	7.1	1964	10.0
1866	1.8	1899	3.7	1932	6.1	1965	10.6
1867	1.5	1900	4.0	1933	6.1	1966	10.9
1868	1.5	1901	4.2	1934	7.5	1967	11.2
1869	1.6	1902	4.2	1935	7.8	1968	12.5
1870	1.5	1903	4.3	1936	8.3	1969	13.4
1871	1.6	1904	4.3	1937	8.7	1970	14.9
1872	1.7	1905	4.3	1938	8.4	1971	15.8
1873	1.7	1906	4.4	1939	8.5	1972	17.0
1874	1.8	1907	4.5	1940	8.8	1973	18.2
1875	1.8	1908	4.4	1941	9.4	1974	19.3
1876	1.8	1909	4.5	1942	10.1	1975	20.3
1877	1.9	1910	4.5	1943	11.0	1976	21.1
1878	1.9	1911	4.8	1944	12.0	1977	21.1
1879	2.0	1912	4.9	1945	14.4	1978	21.9
1880	2.2	1913	4.7	1946	17.9	1979	22.8
1881	2.3	1914	5.0	1947	13.6	1980	22.6
1882	2.4	1915	5.1	1948	11.2	1981	22.6
1883	2.4	1916	5.5	1949	10.6	1982	21.7
1884	2.4	1917	5.7	1950	10.3	1983	21.3
1885	2.3	1918	5.4	1951	9.9	1984	21.5
1886	2.5	1919	6.5	1952	10.1	1985	21.7
1887	2.7	1920	8.0	1953	9.9	1986	21.2
1888	2.7	1921	7.2	1954	9.5	1987	20.8
1889	2.9	1922	6.6	1955	9.3	1988	20.7
1890	3.0	1923	7.1	1956	9.4		
1891	3.1	1924	7.2	1957	9.2		
1892	3.1	1925	7.2	1958	8.9		

Source: National Center for Health Statistics, "Advance Report of Final Divorce Statistics, 1988," Monthly Vital Statistics Report, Vol. 39, No. 12, Supplement 2, May 21, 1991, Hyattsville, Maryland 1991.

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Table 9: GENERAL AND TOTAL FERTILITY RATES, 1800 - 1988 (general fertility rate per thousand women age 15-44)

Year	General fertility rate	Total fertility rate	Year	General fertility rate	Total fertility rate
1988	67.2	1932.0	1942	91.5	2554.8
1987	65.7	1871.0	1941	83.4	2331.5
1986	65.4	1836.0	1940	79.9	2229.0
1985	66.2	1842.5	1939	77.6	2171.7
1984	65.4	1805.5	1938	79.1	2221.7
1983	65.8	1802.5	1937	77.1	2173.3
1982	67.3	1828.5	1936	75.8	2145.6
1981	67.4	1815.0	1935	77.2	2188.7
1980	68.4	1839.5	1934	78.5	2232.0
1979	67.2	1808.0	1933	76.3	2172.0
1978	65.5	1760.0	1932	81.7	2318.6
1977	66.8	1789.5	1931	84.6	2401.7
1976	65.0	1738.0	1930	89.2	2532.5
1975	66.0	1774.0	1929	89.3	2532.0
1974	67.8	1835.0	1928	93.8	2659.8
1973	68.8	1879.0	1927	99.8	2824.3
1972	73.1	2010.0	1926	102.6	2900.7
1971	81.6	2266.5	1925	106.6	3011.6
1970	87.9	2480.0	1924	110.9	3120.7
1969	86.1	2455.5	1923	110.5	3101.2
1968	85.2	2464.2	1922	111.2	3109.4
1967	87.2	2557.7	1921	119.8	3326.2
1966	90.8	2721.4	1920	117.9	3263.3
1965	96.3	2912.6	1919	111.2	3067.7
1964	104.7	3190.5	1918	119.8	3312.2
1963	108.3	3318.8	1917	121.0	3333.3
1962	112.0	3461.3	1916	123.4	
1961	117.1	3620.3	1915	125.0	
1960	118.0	3653.6	1914	126.6	
1959	118.8	3638.2	1913	124.7	
1958	120.0	3628.9	1912	125.8	
1957	122.7	3682.4	1911	126.3	
1956	121.0	3604.7	1910	126.8	
1955	118.3	3498.3	1909	126.8	
1954	117.9	3461.2	1910	123.8	
1953	115.0	3349.4	1900	130.0	
1952	113.8	3286.5	1890	137.0	
1951	111.4	3199.1	1880	155.0	
1950	106.2	3028.0	1870	167.0	
1949	107.1	3036.2	1860	184.0	
1948	107.3	3026.2	1850	194.0	
1947	113.3	3181.2	1840	222.0	
1946	101.9	2857.9	1830	240.0	
1945	85.9	2421.8	1820	260.0	
1944	88.8	2494.5	1810	274.0	
1943	94.3	2640.2	1800	278.0	

Source: Hernandez, Donald J., "America's Children, Resources from Family, Government and the Economy," Russell Sage Foundation, New York, N.Y. 1993, Table 2.1.

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Table 10: NUMBER OF CHILDREN EVER BORN AND LIFETIME BIRTHS EXPECTED FOR WOMEN BORN 1835 - 1969

Year of birth of women	Children per 1,000 women	Year of birth of women	Children per 1,000 women
1963-69	2,045	1885-89	3,146
1958-62	2,116	1880-84	3,301
1953-57	2,057	1875-79	3,462
1948-52	2,088	1870-74	3,700
1943-57	2,297	1865-69	3,901
1935-39	2,918	1860-64	4,744
1930-34	3,106	1855-59	4,972
1925-29	2,978	1850-54	5,218
1920-24	2,738	1845-49	5,266
1915-19	2,496	1840-44	5,364
1910-14	2,402	1835-39	5,395
1905-09	2,355		
1900-04	2,492		
1895-99	2,706		
1890-94	2,998		

Note: Data for ever-married women born 1835-1914 and for all women born 1915-1969. Women born 1943-69 were aged 18-24, 30-34 in 1988 aged 30-34 in 1983 and 1978. Women born 1915-29 were aged 40-44, 45-49, 50-54, 55-59, and 60-64 in 1980.

Source: Hernandez, Donald J., "America's Children, Resources from Family, Government and Economy," Russell Sage Foundation, New York, N.Y. 1993, Table 2.2.

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Table 11: RATIO OF BIRTHS TO UNMARRIED WOMEN, BY RACE OF CHILD: 1940 - 1991

Ratio per 1,000 live births							
		Race of child			Race of child		
		All other		All other			
Year	All races 1/	White	Total	Black	White	Total	Black
1991	295.3	(na)	(na)	(na)	218.3	582.2	679.4
1990	280.3	200.7	553.3	652.3	203.5	571.1	665.3
1989	270.8	189.6	550.1	644.9	192.2	565.4	657.2
1988	257.1	177.2	539.3	634.9	(na)	(na)	(na)
1987	244.9	166.6	531.7	622.1	(na)	(na)	(na)
1986	233.9	157.1	523.7	612.1	(na)	(na)	(na)
1985	220.2	144.7	513.8	601.0	(na)	(na)	(na)
1984	210.0	134.1	507.5	592.0	(na)	(na)	(na)
1983	202.8	127.7	499.5	582.0	(na)	(na)	(na)
1982	194.3	120.7	487.5	566.8	(na)	(na)	(na)
1981	189.2	115.9	485.1	559.5	(na)	(na)	(na)
1980	184.3	110.4	484.5	552.5	(na)	(na)	(na)
1979	171.1	93.6	488.1	546.5	(na)	(na)	(na)
1978	163.2	87.1	475.6	532.0	(na)	(na)	(na)
1977	155.0	81.8	464.9	517.4	(na)	(na)	(na)
1976	147.8	76.8	451.5	503.0	(na)	(na)	(na)
1975	142.5	73.0	441.7	487.9	(na)	(na)	(na)
1974	132.3	65.4	427.3	470.9	(na)	(na)	(na)
1973	129.8	63.9	416.9	457.5	(na)	(na)	(na)
1972	123.7	60.4	402.6	439.1	(na)	(na)	(na)
1971	112.9	56.1	373.3	405.3	(na)	(na)	(na)
1970	106.9	56.6	349.3	375.8	(na)	(na)	(na)
1969	100.2	54.7	325.1	348.7	(na)	(na)	(na)
1968	96.9	53.3	312.0	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)
1967	90.3	48.7	293.8	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)
1966	83.9	44.4	276.5	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)
1965	77.4	39.6	263.2	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)
1964	68.5	33.9	245.0	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)
1963	63.3	30.4	235.5	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)
1962	58.8	27.0	227.8	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)
1961	56.3	25.3	223.4	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)
1960	52.7	22.9	215.8	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)
1959	52.0	22.1	218.0	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)
1958	49.6	20.9	212.3	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)
1957	47.4	19.6	206.7	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)
1956	46.5	19.0	204.0	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)
1955	45.3	18.6	202.4	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)
1954	44.0	18.2	198.5	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)
1953	41.2	16.9	191.1	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)
1952	39.1	16.3	183.4	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)
1951	39.1	16.3	182.8	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)
1950	39.8	17.5	179.6	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)
1949	37.4	17.3	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)
1948	36.7	17.8	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)
1947	35.7	18.5	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)
1946	38.1	21.1	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)
1945	42.9	23.6	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)
1944	37.6	20.2	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)
1943	33.4	16.5	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)
1942	34.3	16.9	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)
1941	38.1	19.0	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)
1940	37.9	19.5	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)

(na) Not available

1/ Includes races other than white and black

Note: Race of mother only available for 1989, 1990 and 1991. In 1991 race of child was not collected. For 42 states and the District of Columbia, marital status of mother is reported on the birth certificate; for 8 states, mothers marital status is inferred.

Source: National Center for Health Statistics, "Vital Statistics of the U.S., 1991," Vol. I, Natality. Public Health Service, U.S. Government Printing Office, Washington, D.C. (publication in preparation) Table 1-76.

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Table 12: EXPECTATION OF LIFE AT BIRTH BY RACE AND SEX, 1900 - 1991

	Total	White		Black	
		Male	Female	Male	Female
At birth:					
1991	75.5	72.9	79.6	64.6	73.8
1990*	75.4	72.7	79.4	64.5	73.6
1989*	75.1	72.5	79.2	64.3	73.3
1988*	74.9	72.2	78.9	64.4	73.2
1987*	74.9	72.1	78.9	64.7	73.4
1979-81	73.88	70.82	78.22	64.10	72.88
1969-71	70.75	67.94	75.49	60.00	68.32
1959-61	69.89	67.55	74.19	(na)	(na)
1900-1902	49.24	48.23	51.08	32.54	35.04

Note: Life table values are revised and may differ from those published in Advance Report of Final Mortality Statistics (na) Not available.

Source: National Center for Health Statistics, "Vital Statistics of the United States, 1989," Vol. II - Mortality, part A, Public Health Service, U.S. Government Printing Office, Washington, D.C. Tables 6-4 and 6-5.

1990-91, National Center for Health Statistics, Monthly Vital Statistics Report, "Advance Report of Final Mortality Statistics, 1991" Vol. 42, No. 2, Supplement August 31, 1993.

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Table 13: PERCENT SURVIVING FROM BIRTH TO SELECTED AGES, 1900 - 1989

	Total	White		Black		
		Male	Female	Male	Female	
To age 1 year:						
1989	99.0	99.1	99.3	98.0	98.3	
1988	99.0	99.0	99.3	98.1	98.4	
1987	99.0	99.0	99.2	98.0	98.4	
1979-81	98.7	98.8	99.0	97.7	98.1	
1969-71	98.0	98.0	98.5	96.4	97.1	
1959-61	97.4	97.4	98.0	(na)	(na)	
1900-1902	87.6	86.7	88.9	74.7	78.5	
To age 20 years:						
1989	98.1	98.1	99.3	96.4	97.5	
1988	98.1	98.0	98.7	96.5	97.6	
1987	98.1	98.0	98.7	96.6	97.6	
1979-81	97.7	97.5	98.4	96.1	97.2	
1969-71	96.7	96.5	97.6	94.1	95.7	
1959-61	96.1	95.9	97.1	(na)	(na)	
1900-1902	77.2	76.4	79.0	56.7	59.1	
To age 40 years:						
1989	95.3	94.5	97.4	88.0	94.3	
1988	95.3	94.5	97.4	88.3	94.4	
1987	95.4	94.5	97.3	88.7	94.5	
1979-81	94.9	94.0	97.0	88.5	94.1	
1969-71	93.3	92.6	95.8	83.4	90.8	
1959-61	93.1	92.4	95.3	(na)	(na)	
1900-1902	65.9	65.0	67.9	43.0	46.1	

(na) Not available.

Sources: National Center for Health Statistics, "Vital Statistics of the United States, 1989," Vol. II - Mortality, Part A, Public Health Service, U.S. Government Printing Office, Washington, D.C. Table 6-4.

National Center for Health Statistics, "Vital Statistics of the United States, 1988," Vol. II - Mortality, Part A, Public Health Service, U.S. Government Printing Office, Washington, D.C. Table 6-4.

National Center for Health Statistics, "Vital Statistics of the United States, 1987," Vol. II - Mortality, Part A, Public Health Service, U.S. Government Printing Office, Washington, D.C. Table 6-4.

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Table 14: DEATH RATES BY AGE AND RACE: 1900 - 1990 (Number of deaths, excluding fetal deaths, per 1,000 population for specified group. Prior to 1933, for death-registration only)

	Total	Under 1 Year	1-4 Years	5-14 Years	15-24 Years	25-34 Year	35-44 Years	45-54 Years	55-64 Years	65-74 Year	75-84 Years	85 + Years
All races												
1900	17.2	162.4	19.8	3.9	5.9	8.2	10.2	15.0	27.2	56.4	123.3	260.9
1910	14.7	131.8	14.0	2.9	4.5	6.5	9.0	13.7	26.2	55.6	122.2	250.3
1920	13.0	92.3	9.9	2.6	4.9	6.8	8.1	12.2	23.6	52.5	118.9	248.3
1930	11.3	69.0	5.6	1.7	3.3	4.7	6.8	12.2	24.0	51.4	112.7	228.0
1940	10.8	54.9	2.9	1.0	2.0	3.1	5.2	10.3	22.2	48.4	112.0	235.7
1950	9.6	33.0	1.4	0.6	1.3	1.8	3.6	8.5	19.0	41.0	93.3	202.0
1960*	9.5	27.0	1.1	0.5	1.1	1.5	3.0	7.6	17.4	38.2	87.5	198.6
1970	9.5	21.4	0.8	0.4	1.3	1.6	3.1	7.3	16.6	35.8	80.0	163.4
1980	8.8	12.9	0.6	0.3	1.2	1.4	2.3	5.8	13.5	29.9	66.9	159.8
1990	8.6	9.4	0.4	0.2	1.0	1.4	2.2	4.6	11.8	26.1	60.8	147.8
White												
1900	17.0	159.4	19.4	3.8	5.7	8.1	10.1	14.8	27.0	56.2	123.3	262.0
1910	14.5	129.3	13.7	2.9	4.4	6.3	8.7	13.5	26.0	55.4	122.5	252.5
1920	12.6	87.3	9.4	2.5	4.3	6.2	7.5	11.5	23.0	52.1	119.3	249.8
1930	10.8	63.9	5.2	1.6	2.8	3.8	5.9	10.8	22.8	50.6	113.2	230.5
1940	10.4	50.3	2.6	1.0	1.7	2.5	4.4	9.5	21.1	47.7	113.0	242.0
1950	9.5	29.9	1.2	0.6	1.1	1.5	3.1	7.7	18.0	40.2	94.2	206.8
1960*	9.5	23.6	1.0	0.4	1.0	1.2	2.6	6.9	16.3	37.4	88.3	203.5
1970	9.5	18.7	0.8	0.4	1.2	1.3	2.7	6.7	15.8	34.9	80.4	168.9
1980	8.9	11.0	0.6	0.3	1.1	1.2	2.0	5.3	12.8	29.2	66.6	162.2
1990	8.9	8.1	0.4	0.2	1.0	1.2	1.9	4.3	11.3	25.7	60.8	150.9
Black												
1900	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)
1910	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)
1920	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)
1930	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)
1940	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)
1950	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)
1960*	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)
1970	10.0	38.4	1.4	0.6	2.1	3.8	7.2	13.8	25.7	47.2	78.6	113.0
1980	8.8	23.6	1.0	0.4	1.4	2.7	4.9	10.9	21.5	39.3	73.8	136.1
1990	8.2	16.5	0.7	0.3	1.6	2.8	4.7	8.3	17.7	33.2	68.7	127.1

(na) Not available.

*White only race shown

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Table 15: HOUSEHOLDS BY NUMBER OF PERSONS, 1790 - 1993 (Numbers in thousands)

Year	Number of		Percent distribution of number of households						
	households	Average size	1 person	2 persons	3 persons	4 persons	5 persons	6 persons	7+persons
1790	558	5.79	3.7	7.8	11.7	13.8	13.9	13.2	35.8
1890*	12,690	4.93	3.6	13.2	16.7	16.8	15.1	11.6	23.0
1900	15,964	4.76	5.1	15.0	17.6	16.9	14.2	10.9	20.4
1920	24,352	4.34	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)
1930	29,905	4.11	7.9	23.4	20.8	17.5	12.0	7.6	10.9
1940	34,949	3.67	7.1	24.8	22.4	18.1	11.5	6.8	9.3
1950	43,554	3.37	10.9	28.8	22.6	17.8	10.0	5.1	4.9
1960 ^a	52,799	3.33	13.1	27.8	18.9	17.6	11.5	5.7	5.4
1970	63,401	3.14	17.0	28.8	17.3	15.8	10.4	5.6	5.1
1980 ^b	80,467	2.76	22.6	31.2	17.3	15.4	7.9	5.5	(na)
1990 ^b	91,947	2.63	24.6	32.0	17.4	15.1	6.7	2.5	1.7
1993 ^c	96,391	2.63	24.5	32.3	18.5	15.5	6.6	2.3	1.3

Year	Persons in Households	Percent distribution of persons by household size							
		1 person	2 persons	3 persons	4 persons	5 persons	6 persons	7+persons	
1790*	3,929	0.5	2.2	5.0	7.8	9.9	11.3	63.2	
1890*	62,622	0.7	5.3	10.2	13.6	15.3	14.1	40.7	
1900**	73,411	1.1	6.5	11.5	14.7	15.4	14.2	36.5	
1920	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	
1930**	119,812	2.0	11.7	15.6	17.5	14.9	11.4	27.0	
1940	128,427	1.9	13.5	18.3	19.7	15.6	11.1	19.8	
1950	144,552	3.3	17.3	20.4	21.4	15.1	9.1	13.5	
1960	174,373	3.9	16.8	17.1	21.3	17.4	10.2	13.3	
1970	197,400	5.4	18.4	16.6	20.1	16.5	10.7	12.3	
1980 ^b	220,796	8.2	22.8	19.0	22.5	14.3	13.2	0.0	
1990 ^b	242,012	9.3	24.3	19.8	22.9	12.8	5.7	5.1	
1993 ^c	253,924	9.3	24.6	20.0	23.5	12.5	5.2	5.0	

(na) Not available.

^afirst year for which figures include Alaska and Hawaii.

^b1980 Census of Population, PC80-1-C1, "General Social and Economic Characteristics," Table 98. 1990 Census of Population, CP-1-1, "General Population Characteristics," Table 36.

^cCurrent Population Survey (see source)

*Total population in households not available.

**Population in private families.

Sources: "Historical Statistics of the United States, Colonial Times to 1970," Bicentennial Edition, Part 1, Series A288-319 and A335-349, U.S. Bureau of the Census, Washington, D.C., 1975.

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Table 16. AVERAGE POPULATION PER HOUSEHOLD AND FAMILY: 1940 - 1993

Year	Population per household			Population per family		
	All ages	Under 18 years	18 years and over	All ages	Under 18 years	18 years and over
1993	2.63	0.70	1.94	3.16	0.96	2.20
1992	2.62	0.69	1.93	3.17	0.97	2.22
1991	2.63	0.69	1.94	3.18	0.96	2.22
1990	2.63	0.69	1.94	3.17	0.96	2.21
1989	2.62	0.69	1.93	3.16	0.96	2.20
1988	2.64	0.70	1.94	3.17	0.96	2.21
1987	2.66	0.71	1.96	3.19	0.96	2.22
1986	2.67	0.71	1.96	3.21	0.98	2.23
1985	2.69	0.72	1.97	3.23	0.98	2.24
1984	2.71	0.73	1.98	3.24	0.99	2.25
1983	2.73	0.74	1.99	3.26	1.00	2.26
1982	2.72	0.75	1.97	3.25	1.01	2.24
1981	2.73	0.76	1.96	3.27	1.03	2.23
1980	2.76	0.79	1.97	3.29	1.05	2.23
1979	2.78	0.81	1.97	3.31	1.08	2.23
1978	2.81	0.83	1.98	3.33	1.10	2.23
1977	2.86	0.87	1.99	3.37	1.13	2.24
1976	2.89	0.89	2.00	3.39	1.15	2.23
1975	2.94	0.93	2.01	3.42	1.18	2.23
1974	2.97	0.96	2.00	3.44	1.21	2.23
1973	3.01	1.00	2.02	3.48	1.25	2.23
1972	3.06	1.03	2.03	3.53	1.29	2.25
1971	3.11	1.07	2.04	3.57	1.32	2.25
1970	3.14	1.09	2.05	3.58	1.34	2.25
1969	3.16	1.11	2.05	3.60	1.36	2.24
1968	3.20	1.14	2.06	3.63	1.38	2.25
1967	3.26	1.17	2.08	3.67	1.41	2.27
1966	3.27	1.19	2.08	3.69	1.42	2.27
1965	3.29	1.21	2.09	3.70	1.44	2.26
1964	3.33	1.23	2.10	3.70	1.44	2.25
1963	3.33	1.22	2.10	3.68	1.43	2.25
1962	3.31	1.21	2.10	3.67	1.42	2.25
1961	3.34	1.22	2.13	3.70	1.42	2.27
1960	3.33	1.21	2.12	3.67	1.41	2.26
1959	3.34	1.20	2.14	3.65	1.39	2.26
1958	3.34	1.19	2.15	3.64	1.37	2.27
1957	3.33	1.17	2.16	3.60	1.34	2.27
1956	3.32	1.15	2.17	3.58	1.31	2.27
1955	3.33	1.14	2.19	3.59	1.30	2.29
1954	3.34	1.13	2.20	3.59	1.30	2.29
1953	3.28	1.09	2.19	3.53	1.24	2.29
1952	3.32	1.12	2.20	3.54	1.25	2.29
1951	3.34	1.10	2.23	3.54	1.23	2.31
1950	3.37	1.06	2.31	3.54	1.17	2.37
1949	3.42	1.09	2.33	3.58	1.19	2.39
1948	3.49	1.10	2.48	3.64	1.19	2.44
1947	3.56	(na)	(na)	3.67	(na)	(na)
1940	3.67	1.14	2.53	3.76	1.24	2.52

(na) Not Available

Source: Rawlings, Steve W., "Household and Family Characteristics: March 1993," U.S. Bureau of the Census, Current Population Reports, P20-477, U.S. Government Printing Office, Washington, D.C. 1994, Table A1.

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Table 17: HOUSEHOLD AND FAMILY UNITS BY TYPE, 1910 - 1993 (numbers in thousands)

	Total Households	Family Households	Married-Households	Other family		Total	Nonfamily	
				Male Householder	Female Householder		Male Householder	Female Householder
March 1993	96391	70.7	55.2	3.1	12.4	29.3	12.7	16.6
March 1992	95669	70.2	54.8	3.2	12.2	29.8	13.0	16.8
March 1991	94312	70.3	55.3	3.1	11.9	29.7	12.9	16.8
March 1990	93347	70.8	56.0	3.1	11.7	29.2	12.4	16.8
March 1989	92830	70.9	56.1	3.1	11.7	29.1	12.8	16.3
March 1988 ^a	91124	71.6	56.7	3.1	11.7	28.4	12.4	16.1
March 1988	91066	71.5	56.9	3.0	11.6	28.5	12.4	16.1
March 1987	89479	72.1	57.6	2.8	11.7	27.9	11.9	16.0
March 1986	88458	71.9	57.6	2.7	11.5	28.1	12.0	16.1
March 1985	86789	72.3	58.0	2.6	11.7	27.7	11.7	16.1
March 1984 ^b	85290	72.7	58.7	2.4	11.6	27.3	11.4	15.9
March 1984	85407	72.6	58.6	2.4	11.6	27.4	11.4	16.0
March 1983	83918	73.2	59.5	2.4	11.3	26.8	11.3	15.5
March 1982	83527	73.1	59.4	2.4	11.3	26.9	11.3	15.6
March 1981	82368	73.2	59.8	2.3	11.0	26.8	11.3	15.5
March 1980 ^c	80776	73.7	60.8	2.1	10.8	26.3	10.9	15.4
March 1980	79108	73.9	60.9	2.2	10.8	26.1	10.9	15.3
March 1979	77330	74.4	61.6	2.1	10.6	25.6	10.4	15.2
March 1978	76030	74.9	62.3	2.1	10.6	25.1	10.3	14.8
March 1977	74142	76.2	64.0	2.0	10.2	23.8	9.4	14.4
March 1976	72867	76.9	64.9	2.0	10.1	23.1	9.0	14.1
March 1975	71120	78.1	66.0	2.1	10.0	21.9	8.3	13.6
March 1974	69859	78.6	67.0	2.0	9.6	21.4	8.1	13.3
March 1973	68251	79.5	67.8	2.1	9.6	20.5	7.5	13.0
March 1972	66676	79.7	68.6	2.0	9.2	20.3	7.3	13.0
March 1971	64778	80.4	69.4	1.9	9.1	19.6	6.8	12.8
March 1970	63401	81.2	70.5	1.9	8.7	18.8	6.4	12.4
March 1969	62214	81.5	70.9	2.0	8.7	18.5	6.3	12.2
March 1968	60813	82.2	71.5	2.0	8.7	17.8	6.0	11.7
March 1967	59236	82.9	72.2	2.0	8.7	17.1	5.8	11.4
March 1966	58406	82.9	72.4	2.0	8.5	17.1	5.6	11.5
March 1965	57436	83.3	72.6	2.0	8.7	16.7	5.7	11.0
March 1964	56149	84.4	73.6	2.1	8.6	15.6	5.3	10.3
March 1963	55270	84.8	74.0	2.3	8.5	15.2	5.1	10.1
March 1962	54764	84.5	73.8	2.3	8.4	15.5	5.4	10.2
March 1961	53557	84.7	74.0	2.2	8.5	15.3	5.2	10.1
March 1960	52799	85.0	74.3	2.3	8.4	15.0	5.1	9.8
March 1959	51435	85.5	74.7	2.5	8.3	14.5	4.8	9.8
March 1958	50474	86.0	75.1	2.5	8.4	14.0	4.6	9.3
March 1957	49673	87.1	75.9	2.5	8.7	12.9	4.1	8.8
March 1956	48902	87.1	75.8	2.9	8.5	12.9	4.2	8.7
April 1955	47874	87.2	75.7	2.8	8.7	12.8	4.3	8.5
April 1954	46962	87.3	76.5	2.8	8.0	12.7	4.1	8.6
April 1953	46385	87.4	76.7	2.6	8.1	12.6	4.1	8.5
April 1952	45538	88.4	77.2	2.5	8.7	11.6	3.9	7.8
April 1951	44673	88.4	77.0	2.6	8.9	11.6	3.9	7.7
April 1950	43554	89.2	78.2	2.7	8.3	10.8	3.8	7.0
April 1949	42182	90.3	78.8	2.8	8.6	9.7	3.1	6.6
April 1948	40532	90.4	78.7	2.5	9.2	9.6	3.0	6.7
April 1947	39107	89.4	78.3	2.9	8.2	10.6	3.5	7.0
April 1940 ^d	34949	90.1	76.0	4.3	9.8	9.9	4.6	5.3
April 1930	29905	(na)	79.1	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)
June 1920	24352	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)
June 1910	20256	(na)	80.2	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)

Note: ^aData based on 1988 revised processing.

^bIncorporates Hispanic-origin population controls.

^cRevised using population controls based on the 1980 census.

^dBased on 1940 census.

(na) Not available.

Sources: Rawlings, Steve W., "Household and Family Characteristics: March 1993," U.S. Bureau of the Census, Current Population Reports, P20-477, U.S. Government Printing Office, Washington, D.C. 1994, Table A2.

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**Table 18. CHILDREN BY FATHER'S AND MOTHER'S LABOR FORCE PARTICIPATION, BY RACE: 1940 - 80
(numbers in thousands)**

YEARS	1940	1950	1960	1970	1980
ALL RACES					
Father's Presence in Household, Father's Weeks Worked Last Year, Father's Hours Worked Last Week, Intact Family Status, and Mother's Labor Force Status					
Total	40,035	45,190	64,782	70,129	64,586
Percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Father worked full-time last week and year, intact family	38.9	44.1	49.3	47.4	41.3
Father worked full-time last wk & yr, intact family, mother not in labor force	36.3	38.1	37.8	30.9	20.6
Father worked full-time last week and year, not intact family	8.3	11.3	10.5	11.6	13.8
Father did not work full-time last week and year	39.5	31.7	28.5	25.3	23.5
Father not in household	13.4	12.9	11.7	15.7	21.4
Mother's Labor Force Participation and Number of Parents in the Home					
Percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Mother employed, nonemergency work	8.6	14.9	24.0	33.9	45.0
Two-parent family	6.3	12.0	20.3	27.8	36.0
Mother unemployed	1.0	0.7	1.7	2.2	3.7
Two-parent family	0.5	0.5	1.3	1.7	2.4
Mother not in labor force	81.5	76.8	69.2	58.0	44.2
Two-parent family	77.7	73.3	65.6	52.9	38.2
Father but not mother in household	2.1	1.3	1.1	1.8	2.0
Neither parent in household	6.7	6.2	3.9	4.0	5.1
WHITE					
Father's Presence in Household, Father's Weeks Worked Last Year, Father's Hours Worked Last Week, Intact Family Status, and Mother's Labor Force Status					
Total	35,487	39,786	56,648	60,422	54,879
Percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Father worked full-time last week and year, intact family	41.0	47.1	53.2	51.8	46.0
Father worked full-time last week and year, intact family, mother not in labor force	38.6	41.0	41.2	34.3	23.4
Father worked full-time last week and year, not intact family	7.9	11.0	10.4	11.6	14.1
Father did not work full-time last week and year	39.8	31.7	27.6	24.7	23.7
Father not in household	11.3	10.2	8.9	11.9	16.2
Mother's Labor Force Participation and Number of Parents in the Home					
Percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Mother employed, nonemergency work	7.5	14.5	23.2	33.1	44.8
Two-parent family	5.6	12.0	20.2	28.2	37.4
Mother unemployed	1.0	0.6	1.4	1.8	3.1
Two-parent family	0.5	0.4	1.2	1.6	2.4
Mother not in labor force	84.3	79.2	71.7	60.2	46.1
Two-parent family	80.7	76.2	68.8	56.7	42.1
Father but not mother in household	1.9	1.2	0.9	1.6	1.9
Neither parent in household	5.3	4.5	2.7	3.1	4.0

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Table 18. (continued)

YEARS	1940	1950	1960	1970	1980
BLACK					
Father's Presence in Household, Father's Weeks Worked Last Year, Father's Hours Worked Last Week, Intact Family Status, and Mother's Labor Force Status					
Total	4,548	5,403	8,134	9,707	9,707
Percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Father worked full-time last week and year, intact family	22.4	21.5	21.9	20.1	15.1
Father worked full-time last week & year, intact family, mother not in labor force	18.5	16.8	14.3	9.8	4.9
Father worked full-time last week and year, not intact family					
Father did not work full-time last week and year	11.9	13.4	11.3	11.7	12.3
Father not in household	29.7	32.8	31.3	39.9	50.4
Mother's Labor Force Participation and Number of Parents in the Home					
Percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Mother employed, nonemergency work	17.5	18.2	30.3	38.9	45.5
Two-parent family	11.3	12.3	21.5	25.7	27.7
Mother unemployed	1.9	1.2	3.2	4.4	6.7
Two-parent family	0.6	0.8	2.2	2.6	2.7
Mother not in labor force	59.5	59.2	52.2	43.9	33.7
Two-parent family	55.2	51.6	42.8	28.8	16.4
Father but not mother in household	3.0	2.5	2.2	2.9	2.8
Neither parent in household	18.1	18.8	12.1	9.8	11.2

NOTES: Estimates from 1940-80 Census PUMS. Full-time work last week is 35 hours or more during the week. Full-time work last year is 48 weeks or more during the year. Intact family is one in which all the children were born after the parent's only marriage. In all years, father did not work full-time included those who worked less than full-time and those who did not work at all.

Source: Hernandez, Donald J., "America's Children, Resources from Family, Government and the Economy," Russell Sage Foundation, New York, N.Y. 1993, Tables 4.1 and 4.2.

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Table 19. LIVING ARRANGEMENTS OF CHILDREN AGED 0 -17 BY RACE AND HISPANIC ORIGIN: 1940 - 1980

	1940	1950	1960	1970	1980
ALL RACES					
Total Number (in thousands)	40,035	46,306	64,782	70,129	64,586
Percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Two-Parent Family	84.6	86.1	87.2	82.5	76.6
Children born after marriage (one or both parents married only once)	75.2	74.5	77.7	72.0	63.0
Parents married once (intact two-parent family)	69.6	69.8	70.6	65.5	56.8
Father remarried, mother married once	(na)	(na)	4.8	4.5	4.6
Mother remarried, father married once	5.6	4.7	2.3	2.0	1.6
At least one stepchild in family	9.4	11.5	6.0	6.5	8.2
Mother married once	8.2	6.2	2.6	3.0	3.8
Mother remarried	1.2	5.4	3.4	3.5	4.4
Both parents remarried	(na)	(na)	3.6	4.0	5.5
One-Parent Family	8.8	7.8	8.7	13.6	18.3
Mother-only family	6.7	6.4	7.7	11.8	16.2
Mother never married	0.1	0.1	0.3	1.1	3.0
Mother separated or married spouse absent	2.1	2.7	3.6	4.7	4.4
Mother divorced	0.9	1.4	1.9	3.5	7.2
Mother widowed	3.6	2.2	1.9	2.5	1.6
Father only family	2.1	1.4	1.0	1.8	2.1
Father never married	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.3
Father separated or married spouse absent	0.6	0.6	0.6	1.0	0.5
Father divorced	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.3	1.0
Father widowed	1.3	0.6	0.3	0.4	0.3
No Parent in Home	6.7	6.0	3.9	4.1	5.1
Grandparent family	2.0	1.9	1.4	1.5	1.5
Child is married householder or householder's spouse	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.2
Child is unmarried householder	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.1
Child is other relative of householder	2.1	1.7	1.0	1.0	1.7
Child not related to householder	1.2	0.8	0.5	0.6	1.1
Child in group quarters	1.2	1.3	0.7	0.6	0.4

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Table 19. (continued)

	1940	1950	1960	1970	1980
WHITE					
Total Number (in thousands)	35,487	40,808	56,648	60,422	54,788
Percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Two-Parent Family	86.7	88.8	90.1	86.5	81.9
Children born after marriage (one or both parents married only once)	78.0	78.2	81.4	76.6	68.6
Parents married once (intact two-parent family)	72.6	73.5	74.5	70.2	62.1
Father remarried, mother married once	(na)	(na)	4.6	4.4	4.8
Mother remarried, father married once	5.4	4.7	2.3	2.0	1.7
At least one stepchild in family	8.7	10.6	5.2	5.7	7.4
Mother married once	7.6	5.6	1.8	2.2	2.8
Mother remarried	1.1	5.0	3.4	3.5	4.6
Both parents remarried	(na)	(na)	3.5	4.2	5.9
One-Parent Family	8.0	6.9	6.9	10.4	14.0
Mother-only family	6.0	5.7	6.2	8.8	12.1
Mother never married	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.4	1.0
Mother separated or married spouse absent	1.9	2.1	2.6	3.0	3.1
Mother divorced	0.9	1.4	1.9	3.2	6.7
Mother widowed	3.2	2.1	1.6	2.2	1.3
Father only family	2.0	1.2	0.7	1.6	1.9
Father never married	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.2
Father separated or married spouse absent	0.5	0.5	0.4	0.8	0.4
Father divorced	0.2	0.2	0.0	0.3	1.0
Father widowed	1.2	0.5	0.3	0.4	0.3
No Parent in Home	5.2	4.4	2.7	3.0	4.1
Grandparent family	1.3	1.1	0.7	0.9	1.0
Child is married householder or householder's spouse	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.2
Child is unmarried householder	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1
Child is other relative of householder	1.6	1.2	0.7	0.8	1.3
Child not related to householder	1.0	0.7	0.4	0.5	1.1
Child in group quarters	1.1	1.1	0.6	0.5	0.4

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Table 19. (Continued)

	1940	1950	1960	1970	1980
BLACK					
Total Number (in thousands)	4,548	5,497	8,134	9,707	9,707
Percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Two-Parent Family	67.2	65.3	66.5	57.3	46.7
Children born after marriage (one or both parents married only once)	52.8	47.4	51.1	42.1	30.7
Parents married once (intact two-parent family)	46.0	42.8	43.3	35.9	26.5
Father remarried, mother married once	(na)	(na)	6.1	4.6	3.4
Mother remarried, father married once	6.8	4.6	1.7	1.6	0.8
At least one stepchild in family	14.4	17.9	11.1	12.2	13.1
Mother married once	12.1	10.5	7.7	8.5	9.5
Mother remarried	2.3	7.4	3.4	3.7	3.6
Both parents remarried	(na)	(na)	4.3	3.0	2.9
One-Parent Family	14.5	16.2	21.4	33.0	42.0
Mother-only family	11.5	13.7	19.1	30.1	39.2
Mother never married	0.6	0.7	1.4	5.4	14.0
Mother separated or married spouse absent	3.7	7.8	11.1	14.8	11.7
Mother divorced	0.7	1.9	2.4	5.2	10.0
Mother widowed	6.5	3.3	4.2	4.7	3.5
Father only family	3.0	2.5	2.3	2.9	2.8
Father never married	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.6	0.9
Father separated or married spouse absent	1.2	1.1	1.3	1.6	1.0
Father divorced	0.1	0.2	0.4	0.2	0.6
Father widowed	1.7	1.2	0.5	0.5	0.3
No Parent in Home	18.1	18.3	12.0	9.9	11.1
Grandparent family	7.6	7.6	6.2	4.9	4.8
Child is married householder or householder's spouse	0.4	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.1
Child is unmarried householder	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0
Child is other relative of householder	5.8	5.8	3.4	2.5	4.2
Child not related to householder	2.4	1.9	1.0	1.0	1.5
Child in group quarters	1.8	2.7	1.2	1.1	0.5

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Table 19. (continued)

	1940	1950	1960	1970	1980
HISPANIC*					
Total Number (in thousands)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	5,724
Percent	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	100.0
Two-Parent Family					
Children born after marriage (one or both parents married only once)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	57.1
Parents married once (intact two-parent family)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	52.2
Father remarried, mother married once	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	3.7
Mother remarried, father married once	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	1.2
At least one stepchild in family					
Mother married once	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	6.6
Mother remarried	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	4.3
Both parents remarried	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	3.1
One-Parent Family					
Mother-only family					
Mother never married	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	3.9
Mother separated or married spouse absent	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	6.9
Mother divorced	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	7.7
Mother widowed	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	1.4
Father only family					
Father never married	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	0.5
Father separated or married spouse absent	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	0.6
Father divorced	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	0.3
Father widowed	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	0.2
No Parent in Home					
Grandparent family	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	1.8
Child is married householder or householder's spouse	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	0.4
Child is unmarried householder	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	0.1
Child is other relative of householder	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	3.4
Child not related to householder	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	1.5
Child in group quarters	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	0.4

(na) Not available

Note: *Persons of Hispanic origin may be of any race.

Source: Hernandez, Donald J., "America's Children, Resources from Family, Government and the Economy," Russell Sage Foundation, New York, N.Y. 1993, Tables 3.1, 3.6, 3.11.

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Table 20. RELATIVELY POOR AND OFFICIALLY POOR CHILDREN AGE 0-17 BY FAMILY WORK AND WELFARE STATUS: 1939 - 1988

	1939	1949	1959	1969	1979	CPS 1979	CPS 1988
Percent by Family Work and Welfare Status			Relatively Poor Children				
Total number (in thousands)	11,385	(na)	14,864	14,938	14,425	14,295	16,852
Fully self-supporting	60-70	(na)	69.9	66.5	58.6	49.5	52.5
Mainly self-supporting	12-30	(na)	17.3	13.5	14.4	16.3	13.5
Mainly welfare-dependent		(na)	6.4	8.6	9.7	16.6	15.7
Fully welfare-dependent	10-18	(na)	6.5	11.5	17.3	17.7	18.4
Total		(na)	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Percent by Family Work and Welfare Status			Officially Poor Children				
Total number (in thousands)	21,348	(na)	15,714	10,350	9,629	9,953	12,209
Fully self-supporting	75-80	(na)	69.8	61.8	51.0	42.0	44.0
Mainly self-supporting	9-17	(na)	18.6	12.5	12.8	14.0	12.6
Mainly welfare-dependent		(na)	5.9	9.9	11.5	20.0	18.7
Fully welfare-dependent	8-11	(na)	5.7	15.8	24.7	24.0	24.7
Total		(na)	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0

(na) Not available

Notes: Welfare income and hence welfare dependence is measured as cash income received from the Aid to Families with Dependent Children (AFDC) and Social Security programs. All other cash income is classified as self-support. This approach allows for consistent measurement across all census and CPS years. For additional discussion of welfare programs see footnote 1, and Chapters 7 and 11. Fully self-supporting families receive no AFDC or Social Security income. Mainly self-supporting families receive less than 50 percent of their income from AFDC or Social Security. Mainly welfare-dependent families receive at least 50 percent but less than 100 percent of their income from AFDC or Social Security. Fully welfare-dependent families receive 100 percent of their income from AFDC or Social Security. See Chapter 7 for measurement of relative poverty and official poverty.

Source: Hernandez, Donald J., "America's Children, Resources from Family, Government and the Economy," Russell Sage Foundation, New York, N.Y. 1993, Table 8.1.

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Table 21. MALE WORKERS WITH LOW ANNUAL EARNINGS, BY WORK EXPERIENCE: 1964, 1969, 1974, 1979, 1984, 1989, AND 1990

Characteristic	1964	1969	1974	1979	1984	1989	1990
All workers	32.9	27.1	27.4	27.2	30.5	30.8	32.5
With year-round, full-time attachment	(na)	(na)	12.7	13.3	18.5	18.3	21.2
Year-round, full-time worker	16.5	8.8	7.4	7.7	10.5	12.1	13.9
Wage and salary worker	12.9	6.6	5.5	6.0	8.4	11.0	12.6
Age:							
18 to 64 years	15.4	7.8	6.6	7.3	10.1	11.8	13.6
18 to 24 years	34.7	20.4	17.1	18.1	29.8	35.5	39.7
25 to 34 years	11.6	5.6	4.9	5.7	9.1	12.7	14.9
35 to 54 years	12.5	5.8	4.9	5.3	7.0	7.5	8.9
55 to 64 years	20.6	10.8	7.7	7.3	8.9	9.5	11.7
65 years and over	42.9	36.2	33.9	25.5	26.5	22.2	26.5
Race:							
White	14.7	7.6	6.9	7.2	9.9	11.5	13.0
Black	38.0	21.6	13.8	14.0	17.5	17.1	22.4
Hispanic origin (of any race)	(na)	(na)	12.1	13.4	18.7	24.3	28.2
Household relationship:							
Husband	12.5	5.6	4.6	5.1	7.1	7.7	9.1

(na) Not available

Note: Year-round, full-time attachment includes persons who spent at least 50 weeks during the year at work or looking for work and who either worked 35 hours a week or more or worked fewer hours for nonvoluntary reasons. Year-round, full-time, indicates 50 or more weeks of full-time employment during the previous calendar year.

Source: McNeil, John, "Workers With Low Earnings: 1964 to 1990," U.S. Bureau of the Census, Current Population Reports, Series P-60, No. 178, U.S. Government Printing Office, Washington, D.C. 1992, Tables B, C, D, and E.

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Table 22. CHILDREN AGED 0-5 AND 6-17, BY PARENTAL PRESENCE AND EMPLOYMENT STATUS: 1940 - 1989

	1940		1950		1960		1970		1980		1989	
	Age 0-5	Age 6-17	Age 0-5	Age 6-17	Age 0-5	Age 6-17	Age 0-5	Age 6-17	Age 0-5	Age 6-17	Age 0-5	Age 6-17
Total Number (in thousands)	12,384	27,651	18,801	27,505	24,808	39,974	20,895	49,234	19,719	44,867	22,303	41,598
Percent	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Breadwinner-homemaker total	82.9	71.9	78.3	59.9	72.9	58.3	60.7	46.7	45.5	32.1	31.6	21.5
Breadwinner-homemaker intact	70.7	58.6	65.6	48.0	61.0	47.5	50.4	37.7	35.2	24.2	(na)	(na)
Breadwinner-homemaker blended	12.2	13.3	12.7	11.9	11.9	10.8	10.3	9.0	10.3	7.8	(na)	(na)
Two-parent, father not breadwinner	2.1	3.3	3.0	5.7	1.8	2.6	2.5	3.3	2.6	3.7	4.9	4.7
One-parent family, not a breadwinner	2.3	4.6	2.9	3.9	3.9	3.7	5.6	5.1	7.2	5.8	11.0	7.5
Dual-earner family, employed full time	2.5	3.3	4.5	3.9	6.6	12.5	10.1	15.3	13.8	20.8	17.5	23.1
One-parent family, employed full time	1.4	3.6	1.7	2.6	2.4	4.3	4.4	6.3	5.6	9.5	7.0	11.8
Dual-earner family, employed part time	2.9	3.5	4.3	14.0	8.4	12.3	11.7	16.1	17.0	19.1	20.8	22.7
One-parent family, employed part time	0.9	2.4	0.7	3.1	1.2	1.8	2.1	2.7	3.4	3.9	5.5	5.5
No parent in home	5.0	7.5	4.7	6.9	2.9	4.5	3.0	4.5	4.9	5.2	1.7	3.3

Source: Hernandez, Donald J., "America's Children, Resources from Family, Government, and the Economy," Russell Sage Foundation, New York, N.Y. 1993, Tables 5.1 and 5.2.

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Table 23. PERCENT OF CHILDREN AGED 0-5 WITH SURROGATE PARENT IN HOME, BY PARENTAL PRESENCE AND WORK SITUATION: 1940 - 1980

	1940	1950	1960	1970	1980
Total Number (in thousands)	12,384	18,801	24,808	20,895	19,719
Percent with Surrogate Parent in Home					
Breadwinner-homemaker total	15.1	11.8	6.3	4.7	3.6
Breadwinner-homemaker intact	14.9	11.4	5.7	4.4	3.2
Breadwinner-homemaker blended	16.1	13.9	9.4	6.4	4.9
Two-parent, father not breadwinner	25.6	15.7	18.3	10.0	6.4
One-parent family, not a breadwinner	51.6	44.3	31.2	24.5	21.6
Dual-earner family, employed full time	18.8	22.9	11.1	7.4	4.9
One-parent family, employed full time	57.1	50.0	43.3	32.3	20.1
Dual-earner family, employed part time	20.4	15.8	8.7	6.3	4.0
One-parent family, employed part time	51.2	54.8	34.6	21.4	25.1
Total	16.5	14.0	9.0	7.8	6.7

Note: Surrogate parent is any relative (other than the parents) who (1) lives in the home with preschoolers and their parents, (2) is at least 18 years of age, (3) is not enrolled in school, and (4) either is not in the labor force or works less than full-time.
 Source: Hernandez, Donald J., "America's Children, Resources from Family, Government, and the Economy," Russell Sage Foundation, New York, N.Y. 1993, Table 5.4.

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Table 24. SELECTED INDICATORS OF HOUSING QUALITY, ALL HOUSEHOLDS AND HOUSEHOLDS WITH CHILDREN: 1991

Characteristics	All Households	Total	Households with children		
			Married Couples	Other Households with two or more Adults	Households with one adult
Percent of units with physical problems					
Total	8	9	7	14	13
Owners	6	7	6	10	9
Renters	11	13	10	17	14
Percent of units with 1.01 or more persons per room					
Total	3	7	7	13	3
Owners	1	4	4	6	1
Renters	5	12	15	18	4

Source: Woodward, Jeanne, "Housing America's Children in 1991," U.S. Bureau of the Census, Current Housing Reports, Series H121/93-6, U.S. Government Printing Office, Washington, D.C. 1993, Table 1.

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Table 25: PERCENT WITH SELECTED EQUIPMENT, ALL HOUSEHOLDS AND HOUSEHOLDS WITH CHILDREN: 1991

Characteristics	All Households	Households with children			
		Total	Married Couples	Other Households with two or more Adults	Households with one adult
All occupied	93,147	34,588	24,034	4,724	5,830
Percent with:					
Complete kitchen	99	99	99	99	99
Complete plumbing facilities	98	98	98	98	98
Washing machines	76	82	89	74	61
Clothes dryers	69	76	85	62	50
Dishwashers	50	53	61	37	33
Garbage disposals	41	40	43	33	33
Central heating equipment	88	87	88	86	88
Air conditioning: Central	42	42	46	33	33
Room units	29	28	27	31	28

Source: Woodward, Jeanne, "Housing America's Children in 1991," U.S. Bureau of the Census, Current Housing Reports, Series H121/93-6, U.S. Government Printing Office, Washington, D.C. 1993, Table 4.

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Table 26: OPINION OF HOME AND NEIGHBORHOOD, ALL HOUSEHOLDS AND HOUSEHOLDS WITH CHILDREN: 1991

Characteristics	All Households	Households with children			
		Total	Married Couples	Other Households with two or more Adults	Households with one adult
Overall Opinion of Structure					
Households reporting	92,397	34,426	23,939	4,698	5,789
Percent	100	100	100	100	100
Poor (3 or less)	2	2	1	5	4
Fair (4-7)	25	28	24	34	36
Good (8-10)	74	70	74	61	60
Overall Opinion of neighborhood					
Households Reporting	91,296	34,036	23,648	4,653	5,734
Percent	100	100	100	100	100
Poor (3 or less)	4	5	3	8	11
Fair (4-7)	26	27	25	32	35
Good (8-10)	70	68	72	61	54

Source: Woodward, Jeanne, "Housing America's Children in 1991," U.S. Bureau of the Census, Current Housing Reports, Series H121/93-6, U.S. Government Printing Office, Washington, D.C. 1993, Table J.

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Table 27: PERCENT OF CHILDREN LIVING DOUBLED-UP, BY RACE AND PARENTAL PRESENCE, 1939-1988

Total	1939	1949	1959	1969	1979	1979 CPS	1988 CPS
ALL RACES							
Doubled-up or with no parent	26.7	22.2	16.3	14.1	15.2	14.8	15.9
Doubled-up Total	21.8	17.6	13.4	11.0	11.3	11.0	13.4
Two-parent family	17.9	14.3	10.2	7.4	5.8	5.9	4.9
One-parent family	4.0	3.3	3.2	3.7	5.5	5.1	8.4
WHITE							
Doubled-up or with no parent	24.7	19.6	13.6	11.6	12.3	12.0	13.0
Doubled-up Total	21.1	16.5	11.7	9.4	9.4	9.7	11.3
Two-parent family	17.7	13.9	9.4	6.9	5.6	5.9	5.0
One-parent family	3.4	2.6	2.3	2.5	3.8	3.7	6.4
BLACK							
Doubled-up or with no parent	43.6	41.5	35.2	29.5	31.9	30.6	31.7
Doubled-up Total	27.5	26.0	25.0	21.3	2.2	18.9	24.5
Two-parent family	18.7	17.5	19.1	10.8	13.1	5.9	4.8
One-parent family	8.8	8.5	6.0	10.5	15.2	13.0	19.7

Source: Estimates derived from 1940-1980 Census Pums and March 1980 and 1989 CPS.

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Table 28. DISABILITY STATUS OF CHILDREN 0 TO 17 YEARS OLD, BY SEX: 1991 - 92 (numbers in thousands)

Characteristic	Both sexes		Males		Females	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Children less than 3 years	11,791	100.0	6,000	100.0	5,791	100.0
With a disability	254	2.2	133	2.2	121	2.1
Limited in usual kind of activities	149	1.3	72	1.2	76	1.3
Received services for developmental needs	183	1.6	106	1.8	77	1.3
With a severe disability	41	0.4	32	0.5	8	0.1
Children 3 to 5 years	11,511	100.0	5,946	100.0	5,565	100.0
With a disability	597	5.2	370	6.2	228	4.1
Limited in usual kind of activities	294	2.6	184	3.1	110	2.0
Received services for developmental needs	498	4.3	323	5.4	176	3.2
Limited in ability to walk, run, or use stairs	147	1.3	76	1.3	71	1.3
With a severe disability	75	0.7	54	0.9	21	0.4
Children 6 to 14 years	32,766	100.0	16,761	100.0	16,005	100.0
With a disability	2,062	6.3	1,373	8.2	689	4.3
Limited in ability to do regular school work	1,764	5.4	1,197	7.1	567	3.5
Limited in ability to walk, run or use stairs	524	1.6	301	1.8	223	1.4
With a severe disability	412	1.3	250	1.5	163	1.0
Children 15 to 17 years	10,067	100.0	5,172	100.0	4,895	100.0
With a disability	933	9.3	558	10.8	374	7.7
Limited in ability to do regular school work	438	4.4	321	6.2	116	2.4
With a severe disability	309	3.1	159	3.1	150	3.1

Source: McNeil, John M., "Americans With Disabilities: 1991-92," U.S. Bureau of the Census, Current Population Reports, P70-33, U.S. Government Printing Office, Washington, D.C. 1993, Table 34.

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Table 29. DISABILITY STATUS OF CHILDREN 0 TO 17 YEARS OLD, BY RACE AND HISPANIC ORIGIN: 1991 - 92 (numbers in thousands)

Characteristic	White		Black		Hispanic origin	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Children less than 3 years	9,426	100.0	1,815	100.0	1,437	100.0
With a disability	203	2.2	45	2.5	17	1.2
Limited in usual kind of activities	119	1.3	27	1.5	10	0.8
Received services for developmental needs	148	1.6	32	1.8	15	1.0
With a severe disability	32	0.3	9	0.5	2	0.2
Children 3 to 5 years	9,136	100.0	1,888	100.0	1,381	100.0
With a disability	498	5.5	80	4.3	35	2.5
Limited in usual kind of activities	229	2.5	52	2.7	18	1.3
Received services for developmental needs	430	4.7	57	3.0	25	1.8
Limited in ability to walk, run, or use stairs	105	1.2	41	2.2	10	0.7
With a severe disability	62	0.7	7	0.4	2	0.2
Children 6 to 14 years	26,143	100.0	5,165	100.0	3,688	100.0
With a disability	1,702	6.5	302	5.9	151	4.1
Limited in ability to do regular school work	1,452	5.6	260	5.0	128	3.5
Limited in ability to walk, run, or use stairs	421	1.6	88	1.7	39	1.1
With a severe disability	357	1.4	44	0.8	22	0.6
Children 15 to 17 years	7,886	100.0	1,700	100.0	1,230	100.0
With a disability	702	8.9	184	10.9	104	8.5
Limited in ability to do regular school work	334	4.2	88	5.2	36	2.9
With a severe disability	207	2.6	94	5.5	28	2.3

Source: McNeil, John M., "Americans With Disabilities: 1991-92," U.S. Bureau of the Census, Current Population Reports, P70-33, U.S. Government Printing Office, Washington, D.C. 1993, Table 35.

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Table 30. CONDITIONS REPORTED AS CAUSE OF DISABILITY: CHILDREN 0 TO 17 YEARS OLD: 1991 - 92 (numbers in thousands)

	Number of times reported as -							
	First, second or third condition		First condition		Second condition		Third condition	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
TOTAL	4,858	100.0	3,357	100.0	965	100.0	536	100.0
Asthma	311	6.4	281	8.4	18	1.9	12	2.2
Autism	48	1.0	37	1.1	11	1.1	0	0.0
Blindness or vision problems	144	3.0	95	2.8	41	4.2	8	1.5
Cancer	26	0.5	16	0.5	10	1.0	0	0.0
Cerebral Palsy	129	2.7	110	3.3	16	1.7	3	0.6
Deafness or serious trouble hearing	116	2.4	74	2.2	35	3.6	7	1.3
Diabetes	14	0.3	14	0.4	0	0.0	0	0.0
Drug or alcohol problem or disorder	48	1.0	42	1.3	6	0.6	0	0.0
Epilepsy or seizure disorder	128	2.6	103	3.1	23	2.4	2	0.4
Hay fever or other respiratory allergies	76	1.6	24	0.7	26	2.7	26	4.9
Head or spinal cord injury	45	0.9	31	0.9	14	1.5	0	0.0
Heart trouble	44	0.9	22	0.7	18	1.9	4	0.7
Impairment or deformity of back, side, foot, or leg	121	2.5	89	2.7	27	2.8	5	0.9
Impairment or deformity of finger, hand, or arm	27	0.6	10	0.3	17	1.8	0	0.0
Learning disability	1,435	29.5	1,160	34.6	187	19.4	88	16.4
Mental or emotional problem or disorder	305	6.3	175	5.2	108	11.2	22	4.1
Mental retardation	331	6.8	201	6.0	70	7.3	60	11.2
Missing legs, feet, toes, arms, hands, or fingers	70	1.4	66	2.0	4	0.4	0	0.0
Paralysis of any kind	73	1.5	41	1.2	15	1.6	17	3.2
Speech problems	634	13.1	359	10.7	141	14.6	134	25.0
Tonsillitis or repeated ear infections	80	1.6	15	0.4	32	3.3	33	6.2
Other	653	13.4	392	11.7	146	15.1	115	21.5

Source: McNeil, John M., "Americans With Disabilities: 1991-92," U.S. Bureau of the Census, Current Population Reports, P70-33, U.S. Government Printing Office, Washington, D.C. 1993, Table 36.