

**TABLE 2-2. GENERAL FERTILITY RATES, TOTAL FERTALITY RATES, AND BIRTH RATES BY AGE AND RACE/ETHNIC GROUP<sup>1</sup> OF MOTHER, CALIFORNIA, 2003 - 2007 (By Place of Residence)**

(General fertility rates are live births per 1,000 women of childbearing age (15-44 years). Total fertility rate is the sum of birth rates for 5-year age groups (age 15-44) multiplied by 5. Birth rates are live births per 1,000 female population in specified age group.)

YEAR	GENERAL FERTILITY RATE	TOTAL FERTILITY RATE <sup>2,3</sup>	BIRTH RATE BY AGE OF MOTHER							
			UNDER <sup>2</sup> 15	15-19	20-24	25-29	30-34	35-39	40-44	45 AND OVER <sup>3</sup>
<b>TOTAL</b>										
2007	71.3	2,214.0	0.5	37.1	99.3	126.3	110.4	56.7	13.0	1.0
2006	71.3	2,217.0	0.5	37.8	102.2	127.1	107.2	56.1	13.0	1.0
2005	70.2	2,181.5	0.5	37.2	101.7	125.0	104.9	55.0	12.5	1.0
2004	69.3	2,127.5	0.5	38.1	100.9	118.4	100.9	54.6	12.6	0.9
2003	69.5	2,127.7	0.5	38.9	103.1	117.9	100.0	53.1	12.6	0.9
<b>HISPANIC</b>										
2007	95.6	2,882.5	0.8	61.9	160.4	164.4	117.9	57.7	14.2	0.9
2006	96.9	2,914.5	0.8	65.0	165.4	165.7	115.7	57.1	14.0	0.9
2005	96.2	2,882.0	0.9	65.4	164.3	163.5	113.7	55.6	13.9	0.9
2004	88.6	2,578.0	0.8	64.3	148.0	137.9	99.5	52.5	13.4	0.7
2003	89.6	2,589.0	0.9	65.2	148.9	138.4	99.8	51.9	13.5	0.9
<b>NON-HISPANIC 2 OR MORE RACE GROUPS</b>										
2007	62.5	1,945.5	0.3	28.3	72.2	99.3	109.4	63.9	16.0	1.4
2006	55.7	1,739.0	0.4	24.6	65.7	92.7	92.5	57.3	15.0	0.9
2005	50.6	1,590.0	0.3	20.6	61.3	80.9	88.8	52.8	13.6	0.5
2004	46.8	1,433.5	0.3	22.8	59.4	76.6	72.5	44.6	10.8	0.7
2003	47.6	1,453.0	0.4	23.2	62.5	75.0	74.6	43.3	11.9	1.1
<b>AMERICAN INDIAN</b>										
2007	39.5	1,209.0	a	29.0	69.2	69.8	48.9	21.0	3.9	0.5
2006	42.6	1,314.5	a	29.3	79.0	77.9	51.2	20.3	5.2	0.6
2005	42.7	1,327.5	a	31.2	78.2	77.7	52.5	21.3	4.6	0.5
2004	32.7	1,028.5	a	20.9	62.3	61.6	36.4	20.2	4.3	a
2003	33.9	1,071.6	0.5	23.4	64.0	63.9	40.2	19.0	3.7	a
<b>ASIAN</b>										
2007	65.1	1,894.5	0.1	9.9	40.7	101.8	137.7	73.4	15.4	1.2
2006	62.2	1,805.5	0.1	10.1	40.7	97.6	127.8	69.4	15.5	1.0
2005	61.1	1,768.5	0.2	10.8	41.6	95.2	124.7	66.7	14.7	1.1
2004	66.0	1,936.0	0.2	11.3	44.1	110.0	135.8	71.0	15.0	1.1
2003	67.0	1,963.6	0.2	12.8	46.8	115.4	133.7	69.0	15.0	0.9
<b>BLACK</b>										
2007	56.5	1,735.0	0.7	40.5	97.2	95.4	70.0	35.3	8.6	0.8
2006	57.6	1,785.0	0.6	40.8	100.6	98.9	69.6	37.3	9.8	0.7
2005	55.1	1,721.5	0.8	38.4	99.4	96.2	66.2	34.9	9.2	0.6
2004	51.6	1,629.0	0.6	37.3	94.3	91.4	61.5	33.1	8.2	0.5
2003	53.1	1,677.7	0.6	39.2	99.9	91.7	62.7	33.9	8.2	0.6
<b>PACIFIC ISLANDER</b>										
2007	75.2	2,244.0	a	38.5	125.5	123.6	99.4	48.2	13.6	a
2006	74.0	2,208.5	a	32.9	124.7	118.6	100.6	52.0	12.9	1.0
2005	75.8	2,262.0	a	32.8	122.9	136.4	96.8	53.2	10.3	a
2004	78.5	2,370.5	a	33.7	128.7	135.6	102.8	58.9	14.4	1.2
2003	77.2	2,324.4	a	32.4	136.0	127.6	100.2	54.2	14.5	a
<b>WHITE/OTHER/UNKNOWN</b>										
2007	52.2	1,676.0	0.1	14.6	56.2	100.1	98.9	53.4	12.0	1.1
2006	52.7	1,701.0	0.1	14.8	59.5	102.1	97.5	54.1	12.2	1.1
2005	52.4	1,689.5	0.1	14.8	60.4	100.9	96.0	54.3	11.5	1.2
2004	55.5	1,779.0	0.2	16.7	67.1	103.9	99.6	56.2	12.3	1.0
2003	55.0	1,754.9	0.1	17.9	69.4	100.2	97.8	53.6	12.1	1.0

- Represents zero events.

<sup>1</sup> The race and ethnic groups in this table utilize nine mutually exclusive race and ethnicity categories. These categories are Hispanic and the following Non-Hispanic categories of Two or More Races, American Indian (includes Eskimo and Aleut), Asian, Black, Pacific Islander (includes Hawaiian), White, Other Race, and Unknown (includes refused to state).

<sup>2</sup> For women under 15, the birth rate is calculated using female population 10-14 years-of-age.

<sup>3</sup> For women 45 years and above, the birth rate is calculated using the female population 45-49 years-of-age.

a Rates are not calculated for fewer than five events.

Source: State of California, Department of Public Health, Birth Records.

State of California, Department of Finance, Race/Ethnic Population with Age and Sex Detail, 2000-2050, Sacramento, CA, July 2007.